

# HOPE TRUST®

## Health Options for Public Entities

Are you or your dependents not covered under the HOPE Trust Health Care Plan as provided by your employer? If so, you may be eligible to enroll soon.

### OPEN ENROLLMENT PERIOD: OCTOBER 2022

*(Coverage to become effective January 1, 2023)*

Eligible employees and their dependents who are not already enrolled in the HOPE Trust Health Care Plan may enroll during the month of October with coverage effective the immediately following January 1<sup>st</sup>. Enrollees must satisfy any requirements or criteria to participate as specified by the HOPE Trust Health Care Plan. **Check with your employer's designated health benefits administrator or human resources contact person to verify your eligibility to enroll and the cost of coverage.**

Additionally, eligible employees and their dependents who *are* already enrolled in the HOPE Trust Health Care Plan may *change* their plan option selection during the month of October for a January 1<sup>st</sup> effective date (if your employer offers multiple major medical plan (or QHDHP) options).

A couple additional points:

- An employee *cannot* be covered under a different plan option (including QHDHP, if available) than his/her spouse or child(ren) who are also covered through the HOPE Trust (*all must be under the same plan option, with the exception of certain HRP participants enrolled in Medicare Parts A, B, & D or participants in the HRP plus Premiums Program*).
- An employee *cannot* change from one major medical plan option (including QHDHP, if available) to another major medical plan option during the plan year (*an election to change may only be made during the October open enrollment, effective January 1<sup>st</sup>*).

All necessary enrollment forms must be completed, signed, and returned during the month of October 2022. Even those declining the offer to enroll must sign off for your employer's records.

Thank you!

Need more coverage options? You and your family may be eligible to enroll in other more affordable coverage options through the Health Insurance Marketplace or Medicaid at [www.healthcare.gov](http://www.healthcare.gov)