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## **YOUR PODIATRY BENEFIT**

### **What Is The Podiatry Benefit?**

When you or your spouse needs podiatry care, the Fund provides benefits of up to \$10 per visit for a maximum of four visits to a podiatrist during each calendar year.

### **How Do You File A Claim?**

- Obtain a Podiatry Claim Form from the Fund Office. After you visit your podiatrist and you pay your bill, obtain a copy of the bill marked “paid.”
- Your provider must complete and sign the podiatrists section of the form.
- Complete and sign the employee section of claim form, and submit it to the Fund Office along with the bill.
- Podiatry Benefit claims must be submitted to the Fund Office within 90 calendar days following the date of treatment. *Claims submitted after the 90-day limit will be denied.*

### **What’s Not Covered**

Benefits are not provided for:

- Charges for services covered in whole or in part by any other benefit plan.
- Expenses for which benefits are payable under any Workers’ Compensation law.
- Services by a provider whose office is attached to certain hospitals within New York State (call the Fund Office for a list of such providers).