



COVID-19 TEST KITS

As of January 15, 2022, the Federal Government requires Group Health Plans to cover over-the-counter ("OTC") COVID-19 test kits at no cost to participants. The Trustees of your Health Services and Insurance Plan have partnered with OptumRX (the Plan's pharmacy benefit manager) who has developed a preferred provider network of pharmacies to obtain the test kits.

Here's what you need to know:

- Participating pharmacies for test kits ONLY to date include: **Rite-Aid, Walmart & Sam's Club** - you will need to show your Insurance card at the pharmacy desk;
- Participants are allowed **eight (8) FDA approved** OTC COVID-19 tests per 30-day period (or calendar month) (no prescription required);
- If you purchase test kits out-of-network, (ex: a non-participating pharmacy, a retail store or an online retailer) you can submit a reimbursement form along with your receipts to the Tri-State Joint Fund office. Out-of-network claims will be reimbursed at \$12.00 per test.

Updated information will be posted on the Tri-State website (www.trifund.com) along with the reimbursement form. Your Local Fund office will also have a supply of the reimbursement forms.

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