



NOTICE OF OMNIBUS APPROPRIATIONS BILL- *MASTECTOMY PROVISION*

The Eagle Pass Independent School District Group Health Plan provides coverage for mastectomies. As part of this coverage, the Plan covers the procedures necessary to effect reconstruction of the breast on which the mastectomy was performed, as well as the cost of prostheses (implants, special bras, etc.) and physical complications of all stages of mastectomy in consultation with the patient. However, the Plan did not cover any surgery and reconstruction of the other breast to achieve a symmetrical appearance.

Effective on the Plan year beginning September 1999, for any participant or beneficiary of the Plan who currently is receiving Plan benefits for a mastectomy, the Plan provides coverage for any necessary surgery and reconstruction of the breast on which a mastectomy was not performed in order to produce a symmetrical appearance.

This coverage is subject to the same deductibles and co-payments that apply to mastectomies under the Plan's current terms (see the Eagle Pass Independent School District's Group Health Plan Summary Plan Description for details of the Plan's deductible and co-payment requirements for mastectomies).

403(b) ELIGIBILITY

All Eagle Pass I.S.D. employees are immediately eligible to make contributions to a 403(b) program under the District's 403(b) Plan.

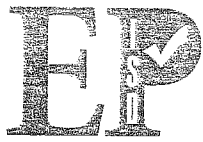
Employees who are students and regularly attending classes at Eagle Pass I.S.D. during the calendar year are ineligible to participate in any 403(b) program.

Employees must choose vendors from the TRS list of approved vendors and who are approved by Eagle Pass I.S.D. For a list of approved TRS vendors, please visit their website at www.trs.state.tx.us

Southwest Open MRI

Please be advised that Eagle Pass ISD employees, through their Health Insurance coverage may visit Southwest Open MRI for MRI's and Diagnostic X-rays. The contact information is as follows:

**Southwest Open MRI
1514 Williams Street
Eagle Pass, TX 78852
830-758-1969**



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403 (b) CERTIFIED COMPANIES

1	ATHENE AVIVA	1-888-284-8287
2	AMERICAN FUNDS	1-800-421-0180
3	AMERICAN UNITED	1-317-285-4373
4	AXA EQUITABLE	1-210-348-1212
5	GENERAL AMERICAN	1-800-449-6447
6	GENWORTH	1-800-416-3624
7	GREAT AMERICAN FINANCIAL	1-800-789-6771
8	HORANCE MANN ANNUITY	1-800-777-1294
9	LIFE OF THE SOUTHWEST	1-800-543-3794
10	LINCOLN NATIONAL	1-800-348-1212 Hector Rivera
11	MODERN WOODMEN	1-309-786-6481 Jesse Rodriguez
12	OPPENHEIMER FUNDS	1-800-874-6910
13	PRIMERICA	1-210-637-1577
14	PUTNAM INVESTMENTS	1-800-662-0019
15	SECURITY BENEFITS	1-800-888-2461
16	WADDELL & REED	1-956-687-5572
17	VOYA (ING)	1-956-345-8578 Fred Tadeffa