

To: Pacific Employees enrolled in EPO, PPO, or Pacific High Deductible Plans

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Subject: Dameron Primary Care and Linacia Pharmacy Changes Effective 05.01.2018

Effective May 1, 2018 Dameron Primary Care and Linacia Pharmacy will no longer provide their services to us at discounted rates and \$0 copay. Dameron Primary Care is still an Anthem Prudent Buyer PPO contracted provider and Linacia is a contracted pharmacy through WellDyne so they are still accessible; however, they are terminating the discount programs on 4/30/18.

Linacia had been obtaining prescriptions through a federally subsidized program for hospitals that serve a disproportionately large number of low-income patients. Since they were able to obtain the drugs at a low cost, covered prescriptions were offered to Pacificans at no cost if written by a Dameron Primary Care doctor. You can still obtain your prescriptions at Linacia if a Dameron Primary Care physician writes it; however, the standard prescription copays under our plans will be charged.

You still have the convenience of utilizing [PlushCare](#) or [LiveHealth Online](#)[®] as well as any Anthem network provider.

Revised Summary Plan Description, Summary of Benefits and SBC for these 5/1/18 changes are posted on the [benefits website](#) for your review.

If you have any questions regarding these changes, please contact the benefits team at employee_benefits@pacific.edu.