Southern California Dairy Industry Security Fund

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- **To:** Eligible Active and Non-Medicare Retiree Participants Enrolled in the Southern California Dairy Industry Security Fund United Healthcare HMO Medical Plan
- **From:** The Board of Trustees of the Southern California Dairy Industry Security Fund
- **Re:** NOTICE OF MEDICAL PLAN CHANGE Effective February 1, 2015 Elimination of United Healthcare replaced by Anthem Blue Cross HMO

The Board of Trustees recently took action to replace the United Healthcare plan with an Anthem Blue Cross HMO plan of benefits effective **February 1**, **2015.** The basic out of pocket co-payments will be the same and the benefits are similar. If you and your spouse are currently enrolled in United Healthcare Secure Horizons this change will not apply to you.

Because the provider networks are similar, it is anticipated that a majority of members will able to continue to be enrolled with the same primary care physician/medical groups. If your current provider is not in the Anthem Blue Cross HMO network Anthem Blue Cross will assign you a physician/medical group. If you have any questions about your assigned provider, please call the Administrative Office.

In the next few weeks, you will receive additional information from Anthem Blue Cross, regarding the new medical Plan. Please know that you will receive a new identification card from Anthem Blue Cross prior to February 1, 2015. The identification card will reflect your primary care physician. Once you have received your identification card please review the information carefully to insure all information is correct. Should you find any errors, please contact the Administrative Office immediately.

TRANSITION OF CARE

If you are currently undergoing (or planning) a special treatment plan, and your primary care physician is not part of the Anthem Blue Cross network it is very important that you discuss this change in coverage with your current physician. Anthem Blue Cross will assist you with your transition of Care matters including new authorizations and specialist referrals that you may need in order to continue your current (or anticipated) treatment plan. If this should apply to you or your dependent, please contact the Administrative Office at (866) 481-5841 and request the Anthem Blue Cross Continuity of Care/Transition of Care Request Form.