



## **Notice Informing Individuals About Nondiscrimination and Accessibility Requirements**

Partners Health Plan complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex. Partners Health Plan does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

## Partners Health Plan

- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:
  - Qualified sign language interpreters
  - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
- Provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
  - Qualified interpreters
  - o Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact the Participant Call Center at 1-855-747-5483 from 8AM to 8PM, seven days a week (TTY users call 711.)

If you believe that Partners Health Plan has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you can file a grievance with:

Linda Colón, Regional Manager Office for Civil Rights U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Jacob Javits Federal Building 26 Federal Plaza - Suite 3312 New York, NY 10278

Customer Response Center: (800) 368-1019

Fax: (202) 619-3818 TDD: (800) 537-7697 Email: ocrmail@hhs.gov

You can file a grievance in person or by mail, fax, or email. If you need help filing a grievance, Linda Colon, Regional Manager is available to help you. You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <a href="https://ocrportal.hbs/gov/ocr/portal/lobby.isf">https://ocrportal.hbs/gov/ocr/portal/lobby.isf</a> or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health at

<u>https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf</u>, or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201, 1-800-868-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD).

Complaint forms are available at http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html.