LOCAL GOVERNMENT HEALTH PLAN (LGHP) **BENEFIT CHOICE ELECTION FORM**

Enrollment Period May 1, 2012 through June 15, 2012

Complete This Form Only If Changing Your Benefits

SECTION A: MEMBER INFORMATION

Last Name:	First Name:
Primary Phone #:	Alternate Phone #:
Email Address:	SSN: — —

SECTION B: HEALTH PLAN ELECTION (complete only if changing health plans)

Health Plan Election *	If you selected an HMO or an OAP, <u>you must</u> complete the following:		
Elect One: Local Care Health Plan (LCHP)	Carrier Name: Carrier 2-digit code: Medical Group # (3 digits) (Required for HMO Illinois and BlueAdvantage HMO only)		
Open Access Plan (OAP)	f you elected an HMO, also complete the field below: National Provider Identifier (10 digits) National Provider Identifier can be found on the health plan's website)		

If you have another health insurance plan, including Medicare, you must give a copy of you and/or your dependent's other insurance card to your HPR. The copy must include the front and back of the card.

SECTION C: DEPENDENT INFORMATION ¹ (dependents will be enrolled with the same coverage that you have)

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Note: 1 Documentation required to add dependents - see specific documentation requirements on the instruction sheet.

² Relationship categories are on the instruction sheet.

This authorization will remain in effect until I provide written notice to the contrary. The information contained in this form is complete and true. I agree to abide by all Local Government Health Plan rules. I agree to furnish additional information requested for enrollment or administration of the plan I have elected.

MEMBER SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

HPR SIGNATURE: _____

DATE:

Give completed form to your unit's HPR no later than June 15, 2012!

BENEFIT CHOICE ELECTION FORM INSTRUCTION SHEET

If you are keeping your current coverage elections you do not need to complete the Benefit Choice Election Form.

SECTION A – MEMBER INFORMATION

Complete all fields.

SECTION B – HEALTH PLAN ELECTION

If you wish to **change your health** plan you must check the Local Care Health Plan (LCHP), the OAP or the HMO box. If **electing/changing to either an HMO or OAP plan**, you must enter the HMO or OAP's carrier code (see map for carrier codes) and the plan's name. If you are electing an HMO, you must also enter the National Provider Identifier (NPI) associated with your Primary Care Physician (PCP)*. National Provider Identifiers are located in the HMO plan's online directory (available on the plan's website) and are 10 digits in length. If you elect HMO Illinois or BlueAdvantage HMO you will need to enter the 3-digit medical group number as well.

Do <u>not</u> complete this section if you only want to change your primary care physician (PCP) – you must contact your managed care plan directly in order to make this change.

SECTION C – DEPENDENT INFORMATION

Complete this section if you are (1) changing your health plan to an HMO, or (2) adding or dropping dependent health coverage. If your dependents are already enrolled and you are only changing your health plan to LCHP or one of the OAP plans you do not need to complete this section. If you are <u>adding</u> dependent health coverage, you must also provide the appropriate documentation as indicated below:

Spouse or Civil Union Partner	Marriage certificate or civil union partnership certificate.		
Natural Child through age 25	Birth certificate.		
Stepchild or civil union partner's child through age 25	Birth certificate indicating your spouse/civil union partner is the child's parent and a marriage/civil union partnership certificate indicating the child's parent is your spouse/civil union partner.		
Adopted Child through age 25	Adoption certificate stamped by the circuit clerk.		
Adjudicated Child/Legal Guardianship through age 25	Court documentation signed by a judge.		
Adult Veteran Child (IRS/non-IRS) through age 29	Birth certificate (if not already on file), Eligibility Certification Statement		
Disabled	(CMS-138)* and documentation as indicated on the 'Documentation		
Other (organ transplant recipient)	Requirements' page of the Eligibility Certification Statement.		
* The Eligibility Certification Statement (CMS-138) is available on the Benefits website at www.benefitschoice.il.gov.			

Dependent documentation must be submitted to your HPR within 10 days of the end of the Benefit Choice Period. If documentation is not provided within the 10-day period, your dependents <u>will not be added</u>.

SIGNATURE

You must sign and date the Benefit Choice Election Form and give to your HPR no later than **June 15, 2012**, in order for your elections to be effective July 1, 2012.

* A Primary Care Physician (PCP) is a family practice, general practice, internal medicine, pediatrician (children) or an OB/GYN (women) physician.