

FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

Fidelis Care will offer natural family planning services and certain other reproductive health care services. However, Fidelis Care has elected not to offer all reproductive and family planning services, including abortion, sterilization, and artificial contraception, as a standard benefit nor to receive premium dollars from the State of New York for such services. This is consistent with the rules and regulations of the State and Federal Government. Fidelis Care acknowledges the rights of all New York State of Health Marketplace beneficiaries in the State of New York to secure such services through free access through Unified IPA, LLC for the New York State of Health Marketplace, as applicable.

Fidelis Care will inform its primary care providers, obstetricians, and gynecologists that Fidelis Care has elected not to offer certain reproductive and family planning services as a standard benefit. Fidelis Care will inform these same providers that the New York State of Health Marketplace has approved Unified IPA, LLC to provide New York State of Health Marketplace-mandated family planning services, independent of Fidelis Care. If in the provider's best professional judgment, certain reproductive and family planning services not offered through Fidelis Care are medically indicated in accordance with generally accepted standards of professional practice, an appropriately trained professional should so advise New York State of Health Marketplace members to contact Unified IPA, LLC. Fidelis Care is not required to ensure that there are willing and able providers of such services in the area.

Fidelis Care recognizes that the exchange of medical information, when indicated in accordance with generally accepted standards of professional practice, is necessary for the overall coordination of member care and will assist primary care providers in providing quality care to Fidelis Care members. Fidelis Care acknowledges that medical record information maintained by network providers may include information relating to family planning services provided by providers contracted with Unified IPA, LLC.

For more information about these mandated services, contact Unified IPA, LLC directly at **(800) 342-2641**.