

## **Transparency in Coverage Rule**

Effective July 1, 2022, the Transparency in Coverage rule requires most group health plans to provide publicly available machine-readable files that include in-network negotiated payment rates and historical out-of-network charges for covered items and services, including prescription drugs. This rule is designed to help patients know how much their health care will cost in advance of treatment.

You can view the Aetna files (provided by Aetna and updated monthly) by going to <a href="https://Health1.Aetna.com/app/public/#/one/insurerCode=AETNACVS\_I&brandCode=ALICSI/machine-readable-transparency-in-coverage?searchTerm=94075865&lock=true.">https://Health1.Aetna.com/app/public/#/one/insurerCode=AETNACVS\_I&brandCode=ALICSI/machine-readable-transparency-in-coverage?searchTerm=94075865&lock=true.</a>

To view Kaiser Permanente files (provided by Kaiser Permanente and updated monthly) go to https://healthy.kaiserpermanente.org/southern-california/front-door/machine-readable.

UHA Health Insurance for the Hawaii medical plan files (provided by UHA) are located at https://app.uhahealth.com/mrf/2022-06-29\_uha\_index.json.

Note: The links lead to the machine-readable files that are made available in response to the federal Transparency in Coverage Rule and includes negotiated service rates and out-of-network allowed amounts between health plans and healthcare providers. The machine-readable files are formatted to allow researchers, regulators, and application developers to more easily access and analyze data.