

**Authorization Agreement for Automatic Bank Withdrawal**  
For Your Monthly Premium Payment



1. Complete, sign and date the authorization agreement form below.
2. Check one of the following to start, update or stop your automatic bank withdrawal information.  
 Start (add) Authorization  
 Update Authorization  
 Stop (cancel) Authorization
3. Identify the date you are requesting to implement:  
\_\_\_\_\_ (MM/YY)

NOTE: The automatic bank withdrawal will take place on or around the fifth day of each month.

You may cancel your automatic bank withdrawals at any time. We must receive your written notification at least 20 days before your next scheduled bank withdrawal.

**POLICYHOLDER INFORMATION**

4. Identify type of insurance plan.  
Check One:  Individual  Medicare Supplement  COBRA  Employer Group
5. Policyholder name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Or employer group plan name: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Policy or member number: \_\_\_\_\_ (found on your member ID card)  
Or Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ (new members)
7. Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**BANKING INFORMATION**

8. Check one:  Checking account or  Savings account
9. Bank name: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Bank resides in city: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Name on bank account: \_\_\_\_\_
12. Bank account number: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Nine-digit routing number: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Your routing number is located on your check, if not available, please contact your bank.

**AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE OF BANK ACCOUNT HOLDER**

As the bank account holder, I authorize Avera Health Plans and the financial institution named above to initiate Automated Clearing House (ACH) debit entries from my checking or savings account for my recurring scheduled premium payments, and if necessary, credit entries due to overpayments, refunds, and/or adjustments for any errors to the above designated bank account. This authorization will remain in effect until I have notified Avera Health Plans in writing requesting termination of automatic payments in such time and in such manner as to afford Avera Health Plans and my financial institution a reasonable opportunity to act on it. I agree to notify Avera Health Plans of any changes to the banking information that I have provided. I acknowledge that the origination of ACH transactions to my account must comply with the provisions of the U.S. law. I understand that automatic debits will cease if my coverage ends, or my automatic debit rejects for insufficient funds, in which case, I authorize Avera Health Plans to make a one-time electronic debit entry from my account to collect a bank return fee of \$25.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of authorized bank account holder

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**FINAL STEPS: Mail or fax completed form and enclose a voided check or copy of a check.**

Mail to Avera Health Plans Finance Dept.  
3816 S. Elmwood Ave., Suite 100  
Sioux Falls, SD 57105-6538

Or fax to 605-322-4688

**Please enclose a voided check or copy of a check.**

**Important** ←

## Discrimination is Against the Law

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

Avera Health Plans:

- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as: qualified sign language interpreters and 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 and information written in other languages.

If you need these services, contact the Avera Health Plans Service Center at 1-888-322-2115, (TTY 711), 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. CST, Monday through Friday.

If you believe that Avera Health Plans 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:

You can file a grievance in person or by mail, fax, or email. You may also contact the Complaint and Appeals Coordinator if you need assistance with filing a complaint.

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 <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or call 1-800-368-1019 or 1-800-537-7697 (TDD). Or mail:

US Department of Health and Human Services,  
200 Independence Avenue SW Room 509F, HHH Building,  
Washington, D.C. 20201

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

### Complaint and Appeals Coordinator

Avera Health Plans  
3816 S. Elmwood, Suite 100,  
Sioux Falls, SD 57105-6538

Fax 1-800-269-8561

Email [ComplaintAppeals@AveraHealthPlans.com](mailto:ComplaintAppeals@AveraHealthPlans.com)



## Getting Help in other Languages

Language assistance services are available free of charge. Our Service Center is available 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. CST, Monday – Friday, toll-free at 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113).

- ATENCIÓN: si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113).
- US CEEV: Yog tias koj hais lus Hmoob, cov kev pab txog lus, muaj kev pab dawb rau koj. Hu rau 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113).
- CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113).
- XIYEEFFANNAA: Afaan dubbattu Oroomiffa, tajaajila gargaarsa afaanii, kanfaltiidhaan ala, ni argama. Bilbilaa 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113).
- 注意：如果您使用繁體中文，您可以免費獲得語言援助服務。請致電 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113)。
- ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlos sprachliche Hilfsdienstleistungen zur Verfügung. Rufnummer: 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113).
- ВНИМАНИЕ: Если вы говорите на русском языке, то вам доступны бесплатные услуги перевода. Звоните 1-888-322-2115 (телетайп: TTY: 1-800-877-1113).
- ملحوظة: إذا كنت تتحدث اذكر اللغة، فإن خدمات المساعدة اللغوية تتوافر لك بالمجان. اتصل برقم 888-322-2115-1 (رقم هاتف الصم والبكم: 1-800-877-1113-1).
- ໂປດຊາບ: ຖ້າວ່າທ່ານເວົ້າພາສາລາວ, ການບໍລິການຊ່ວຍເຫຼືອດ້ານພາສາ, ໂດຍບໍ່ເສັຽຄ່າ, ແມ່ນມີພ້ອມໃຫ້ທ່ານ. ໂທ 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113).
- ທີ່ຮຽນສຳຄັນ: ຖ້າທ່ານເວົ້າພາສາອື່ນ ທີ່ບໍ່ແມ່ນພາສາອັງກິດ, ພວກເຮົາສາມາດຊ່ວຍທ່ານໄດ້. ໂທ: 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113).
- ATTENTION : Si vous parlez français, des services d'aide linguistique vous sont proposés gratuitement. Appelez le 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113).
- 주의: 한국어를 사용하시는 경우, 언어 지원 서비스를 무료로 이용하실 수 있습니다. 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113) 번으로 전화해 주십시오.
- ພູມສັນດີ: ຖ້າທ່ານເວົ້າພາສາອື່ນ ທີ່ບໍ່ແມ່ນພາສາອັງກິດ, ພວກເຮົາສາມາດຊ່ວຍທ່ານໄດ້. ໂທ: 1-888-322-2115 (ທິດສະດີ: 1-800-877-1113)
- OBAVJEŠTENJE: Ako govorite srpsko-hrvatski, usluge jezičke pomoći dostupne su vam besplatno. Nazovite 1-888-322-2115 (TTY- Telefon za osobe sa oštećenim govornom ili sluhom: 1-800-877-1113)
- ຫຼືກຳລັງ: ເມື່ອທ່ານເວົ້າພາສາອື່ນ ທີ່ບໍ່ແມ່ນພາສາອັງກິດ, ພວກເຮົາສາມາດຊ່ວຍທ່ານໄດ້. ໂທ: 1-888-322-2115 (TTY: 1-800-877-1113)