

Dear Customers

Important News about Flexible Spending Accounts

As a result of the new healthcare reform law the Internal Revenue Service has imposed new restrictions on Flexible Spending Accounts (FSA) and Health Savings Accounts (HSA). Beginning on Saturday, January 1, 2011 many over-the-counter items such as cough and cold preparations, pain relievers, allergy and sinus medications, stomach remedies and others, will require a prescription before they are eligible for reimbursement to an FSA or HSA. More than 15,000 products are affected by these new reimbursement regulations. If you have FSA benefits remaining for 2010, consider stocking up on these items before the new requirement takes effect.

Starting on January 1, 2011, you will need to have a doctor's prescription in order to be reimbursed for eligible OTC products. For your convenience, you may have the prescription filled at the pharmacy and we'll keep it on file for easy refills. You can pay with your flexible spending account debit card at the pharmacy, or, if you don't have an FSA debit card, retain your receipt and submit it to your provider for reimbursement. If you prefer, you can purchase the item off the shelf and submit your register receipt along with your prescription for reimbursement from your FSA provider.

Please contact your individual insurance company, healthcare plan provider or employer for more information on how the new regulations will impact you.

We appreciate your business and look forward to continuing to serve you at our stores.

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