

Civil Service Commission ACTIVE EMPLOYEE BENEFITS BULLETIN

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SUBJECT: NEW STATE VISION PLAN ADMINISTRATOR



Beginning **October 1, 2013**, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan (BCBSM) will partner with Vision Service Plan (VSP) to continue servicing the State of Michigan as the Vision Plan Administrator. Your vision plan benefits will remain the same. VSP's network consists of approximately 29,000 providers nationwide, including more than 1,100 in Michigan.

What's Next?

BCBSM will issue *new ID cards for vision coverage only*. Your new ID card will be mailed to you prior to October 1, 2013. Once you have received your new card, please discard your previous vision card as it will no longer be valid. *Do not discard any other insurance cards.*

Here is an example of what your new ID card will look like:

		bcbsm.com
Enrollee Name VALUED CUSTOMER	State Vision Plan	Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan 500 E. Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, MI 48228-2998 A nonprofit corporation and independent licensee of the Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association
Enrollee ID XYY888888888		VSP Customer Service: 855-356-4362 Misuse may result in prosecution. If you suspect fraud, call: 800-482-3787
Issuer (80840): 9101003777	Issued: 09/2013	Use of this card is subject to terms of applicable contracts, conditions and user agreements. BCBSM assumes no financial risk on ASC claims. Dental, Vision and Pharmacy providers: file claims according to your network contract. All other providers: file claims with the local BCBS plan. For Medicare claims, bill Medicare.
Group Number: 007035691		

For customer service questions concerning your vision insurance, please call VSP at (855) 356-4362 beginning **October 1, 2013**, or go to <https://www.bcbsm.com> and select Find a Doctor or Hospital under the Help and Information section, then select VSP. You may also review the [VSP Fact Sheet](#) for additional information.