# COVID-19

# Frequently Asked Questions

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## Financial, business continuity and reporting

Will renewal rate actions be delayed as a result of the COVID-19 National Emergency?

Renewals and all necessary information will be released on a timely basis.

Can groups that are scheduled to have open enrollments in March or April during business shut downs and/ or have effective dates during these shut downs, push open enrollment out past effective date when employees are back to work?

For large employers, in order to ensure no disruption in benefits to members at this critical time, UnitedHealthcare will automatically enroll members to their existing 2019 plan option updated for 2020 rates and benefits. UnitedHealthcare will allow the group policyholder up to thirty (30) days post renewal to advise us of changes. In some limited instances, the 2019 plan option may no longer exist (e.g. plan discontinuance). In such instances we will map groups and enrollees to the closest equivalent plan options.

#### Can UnitedHealthcare provide COVID-19 claims reporting?

UnitedHealthcare is working on reports related to COVID-19 and will make those available as appropriate.

### Does UnitedHealth Group have a business preparedness (continuity) plan?

Yes. The plan addresses business continuity strategies for all forms of events natural and manmade including pandemics. The strategies focus on our critical business functions and planning for the worst-case scenarios so that we can react quickly and efficiently adding value to our business and customers, members and other stakeholders through effective risk reduction, compliance with industry, contractual and regulatory standards, and safeguarding our operations and assets.

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