



# FITNESS REIMBURSEMENT

Get Rewarded for participating in a qualified fitness program

Save up to

\$175





**Qualified for Reimbursement:** 

#### Membership or fitness class fees at:

- A full service health club with cardiovascular and strengthtraining equipment like treadmills, bikes, weight machines, and free weights
- A fitness studio with instructor-led group classes such as yoga, Pilates, Zumba®', kickboxing, indoor cycling/spinning, and other exercise programs
- Online fitness memberships, subscriptions, programs, or classes
- Cardiovascular and strength-training equipment for fitness that is purchased for use in the home, such as stationary bikes, weights, exercise bands, treadmills, fitness



### **Not Qualified for Reimbursement:**

- One-time initiation or termination fees
- Fees paid for gymnastics, tennis, pool-only facilities, martial arts schools, instructional dance studios, country clubs or social clubs, sports teams or leagues
- Personal trainer sessions
- · Fitness clothing

# TWO EASY WAYS TO GET REIMBURSED

Start by picking a qualified program. Once you pay for the program, you can either:



## SUBMIT ONLINE

Sign in to your MyBlue account, then go to member.bluecrossma.com/fitness-and-weightloss to fill out and submit the form.



#### MAIL THE ATTACHED REQUEST FORM

Fill out the attached form, attach your receipt, then send the completed form to the address listed.

QUESTIONS?

Visit bluecrossma.org.

# FITNESS REIMBURSEMENT REQUEST

Please Print All Information Clearly. To verify this reimbursement is offered within your plan, or for more information, sign in to MyBlue at bluecrossma.com/myblue or call the Member Service number on your ID card.

All reimbursement requests must include proof of payment and be submitted by March 31 of the following year.

Complete this form and mail it to: Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts, Local Claims Department, PO Box 986030, Boston, MA 02298

| Subscriber Information (Policyholder)  |  |   |                     |                |  |
|--|--|---|---------------------|----------------|--|
| Identification Number on Subscriber ID Card (including first 3 characters)   |  | Subscriber's Last Name  | First Name          | Middle Initial |  |
| Address - Number and Street  |  | City  | State               | Zip Code       |  |
| Employer's Name  |  |   |                     |                |  |
| Claim Information  |  |   |                     |                |  |
| Member Last Name   | First Name   | Middle Initial  | Date of Birth<br>// |                |  |
| Claim is for (choose one and color in the entire box):  Subscriber (policyholder)  Spouse (of policyholder)  Ex-Spouse  Dependent (up to age 26)  Other (specify):   | Total dollars requested: \$ _  Membership or particip  Class fees. Fee per class | Name, Address, and Phone Number of Qualified Fitness Program  Total dollars requested: \$ for (choose one and color in the entire box):  Membership or participation fees. Monthly fee: \$  Class fees. Fee per class: \$ Year Fees Paid: |                     |                |  |
| Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts will make a reimbursement decision within 30 calendar days of receiving a completed request form. Reimbursement is sent to the member's address on file with Blue Cross. Reimbursement may be considered taxable income, so consult your tax advisor.  Certification and Authorization (This form must be signed and dated below.)  I certify that the information provided in support of this submission is complete and correct and that I have not previously submitted for these services. I enrolled in the qualified program with the full intention of using such program. I understand that Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts may require proof of payment for a reimbursement decision. I authorize the release of any information about my qualified fitness program to Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts. |  |   |                     |                |  |
| Subscriber's or Member's Signature:  Date://   |  |   |                     |                |  |
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- Fitness reimbursement can be granted for any single member or combination of members enrolled under the same Blue Cross health plan. Blue Cross will make a reimbursement decision within 30 days of receiving a complete request.
- Reimbursement requests must be submitted by March 31 of the following year.
- Keep copies of proof of payment in case we request it from you. Proof of payment includes:
  - Receipts (cash/check/credit/electronic) for membership, participation, class fees, or home fitness equipment clearly documenting your name, the qualified program name, and individual amounts charged with date paid.
  - Your fitness program membership or participation agreement clearly documenting your name and date of enrollment/participation.
- Reimbursement may be considered taxable income, so consult a tax advisor.

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts complies with applicable federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, sexual orientation, or gender identity.

ATTENTION: If you don't speak English, language assistance services, free of charge, are available to you. Call Member Service at the number on your ID card (TTY: 711).

ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia con el idioma. Llame al número de Servicio al Cliente que figura en su tarjeta de identificación (TTY: 711).

ATENÇÃO: Se fala português, são-lhe disponibilizados gratuitamente serviços de assistência de idiomas. Telefone para os Serviços aos Membros, através do número no seu cartão ID (TTY: 711).