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SUBJECT: The 2000 FEHB Web Site

We are working on our web site for the 2000 FEHB Open Season, and need information from you.

As we did last year, any plan with a web site will have a link from the OPM FEHB page. Last year's links are still active. Please go to www.opm.gov/insure and check your plan's link. If it is incorrect, please notify Adolphe Edward as soon as possible (202-606-2839, aaedward@opm.gov). We also encourage you to link to the OPM site (www.opm.gov/insure) from your plan page.

In Carrier Letter 1999-042, The Guide to Federal Employees Health Benefits Plans for Year 2000 and the FEHB web site, we told you about the health plan decision tool, PlanSmartChoice. We also told you that we would coordinate the information about your plan with you before it is posted to the site. In the very near future, PlanSmartChoice will email each carrier a password and instructions so you can verify your individual plan information, rates, CAHPS and benefit information. If you do not have your password, please call PlanSmartChoice at 1-800-220-9665 and ask for Lisa Childs or Tonika Breeden.

Finally, remember to send the PDF version of your brochure to anvicom@opm.gov as soon as possible.

Thank you for helping us to make this year's web site the best ever. If you have questions, you may call Marie L'Etoile at 202-606-0745.

Sincerely,

(signed)
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