Health First

New Health Bucks Program



You do your best work when you're feeling your best, which is why Manatee YourChoice's Health Bucks program, **Health First**, looks at the risk factors associated with metabolic syndrome and overall health - abnormal cholesterol and triglycerides, high blood pressure, obesity, and high blood sugar. Having just one of these risk factors doesn't mean you have metabolic syndrome. However, if **any of these factors are outside a healthy range, it increases your risk for serious conditions like heart disease, stroke, and diabetes, and your risk increases when more risk factors are present.**

Risk Factors and Healthy Levels



HDL Cholesterol Greater than or equal to: 40 mg/dL (men) 50 mg/dL (women)



Triglycerides Less than 150mg/dL



Blood Pressure Less than 130/85 mmHg



Body Mass Index (BMI) Less than 30



Fasting Blood Glucose Less than 100 mg/dL

How to Participate (It's simple!)

You are **<u>automatically enrolled</u>** when you complete your QE Lab Work at Quest, which includes blood work, blood pressure, and weight.

Labs must be completed by June 30, 2021.

*Only Health Plan Members are eligible to participate in this program

Healthy Range:

At least 3 out of 5 risk factors in healthy range automatically earn \$400 in Health Bucks. Keep engaging in a healthy lifestyle to prevent metabolic syndrome!

Metabolic Syndrome:

3 or more risk factors outside healthy range - put your **Health First** by engaging in an alternative, personalized plan to improve your risk factors and earn \$400 in Health Bucks. Call Jennifer Ruiz at 941.748.4501 x6409 by July 31, 2021 to get started.

Lifestyle Activities for Prevention & Treatment

We want to help you achieve your highest level of health and wellbeing, which is why we offer resources and support for each of these lifestyle areas, such as educational classes, advocate support, access to Registered Dietitians and Personal Trainers, and much more - all at little to no cost to you.



Get moving for 30 minutes a day

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at nutrient-rich foods



Get at least 7 hours of sleep



Work With Your Doctor & take medicines as prescribed



Manage Your Stress

Learn more about metabolic syndrome, how to prevent and treat, available resources, and the ins and outs of the new program at:

www.manateeyourchoice.com

Or, contact your Insurance Coordinator, Wellness Champion, or call Jennifer Ruiz at Manatee YourChoice at 941.748.4501 x6409.



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