Important: [Name of Issuer] is continuing to offer your health coverage for the next year. Some plan details may have changed, including your costs, coverage and providers.

[Date]

Dear [Name of Policyholder],

Why am I getting this letter?

We want to re-enroll the people in your household currently covered by this health plan so that you can keep your coverage in 2019. The last day of your current coverage is December 31, 2018. [These people are:

Name of Policyholder Name of other enrollees on policy]

Every year, companies can make changes to the plans and coverage options they offer. This letter summarizes any changes to your coverage so you can decide if you want to keep your plan or look for a different one. Changes described in this letter will take effect January 1, 2019.

Your new premium starts on January 1, 2019. You'll pay \$[Dollar amount] each month. [Insert if rate pending approval.] However, your rate has not yet been finalized. We will update you if there are changes. To see information about this rate, go to: <u>https://fortress.wa.gov/oic/consumertoolkitrt/Search.aspx</u>.

If some people in your household have a different kind of coverage—such as Medicare, Washington Apple Health, or a dental plan—they may get a separate letter about how to keep their coverage.

	Current 2018 Plan	2019 Plan
	[List plan name and ID]	[List plan name and ID]
Changes to your benefits	• [For benefits changes, list what the benefits were in 2018 or write "no change." Use additional lines and bullet points as needed.]	 [List changes to benefits or write "no change." Use additional lines and bullet points as needed.]
Changes to your cost sharing	 [For cost-sharing changes, list what the cost-sharing was in 2018 or write "no change." Use additional lines and bullet points as needed.] 	 [List changes in cost sharing, (including but not limited to changes in metal-level tier, out of pocket maximum, or deductible), or write "no change." Use additional lines and bullet points as needed.]

Changes we're making to your current health plan:

This list may not include all changes, such as changes to the prescription drugs or providers we cover. For more information about changes to your plan, contact us.

What should you consider before deciding to keep or change your plan?

- Cost: This isn't a Washington Healthplanfinder, or "Washington Exchange" plan. This means you won't get any financial help lowering your monthly premium or out-of-pocket costs if you remain enrolled in this plan. To see if you qualify for these savings and compare plans visit www.wahealthplanfinder.org or call 1-855-WAFINDER (1- 855-923-4633) or TTY/TDD: 1-855-627-9604.
- ✓ Providers: Your coverage may have different doctors or hospitals in 2019. Call or visit [Link to provider directory] to make sure your doctor and other health care providers are covered.
- ✓ Benefits: Call us or visit our website for a copy of your plan's 2019 benefit booklet [Link to Benefit Booklet], which includes a description of benefits and the costs you pay when you use services.
- ✓ Drugs: Call us or visit [direct link to formulary] for a copy of your plan's 2019 drug formulary, which includes a list of covered prescription drugs.

What if you want to change health plans?

The Open Enrollment period for 2019 coverage is November 1, 2018 through December 15, 2018. If you do not have coverage next year, you may pay a penalty and you'll have to pay for all of your health care costs.

There are two ways you can choose to buy a new health plan:

- Through Washington Healthplanfinder at <u>www.wahealthplanfinder.org</u>. Here you can compare plans, find in-person help in your community, and see if you qualify for free or lower-cost options depending on your income. If you qualify for financial help, you can only get those savings if you enroll through Washington Healthplanfinder. [You can find plans from (Issuer Name) at www.wahealthplanfinder or call 1-855-WAFINDER (1-855-923-4633) or TTY/TDD: 1-855-627-9604.
- 2. Directly from [Issuer Name], another company, or with the help of an agent or broker.

Questions?

- To learn about your plan or other options for health coverage through [Issuer Name], contact [Contact Information and Hours of Operation] or visit [Link to Summary of Benefits and Coverage], where you can review the Summary of Benefits and Coverage for the plan.
- Call [Issuer phone number] to request a reasonable accommodation at no cost to you if you have a disability.
- To update your account or learn about options for health coverage or financial help through Washington Healthplanfinder, go to <u>www.wahealthplanfinder.org</u> or call 1-855-WAFINDER (1- 855-923-4633) or TTY/TDD: 1-855-627-9604.
- [Language taglines per CCIIO Technical Guidance March 30, 2016 Guidance and Population Data for Exchanges, Qualified Health Plan Issuers, and Web-Brokers to Ensure Meaningful Access by Limited-English Proficient Speakers Under 45 CFR §155.205(c) and

[Issuer branding and contact Information]

§156.250; Appendix A – Top 15 Non-English Languages by State; Appendix B: Sample Translated Taglines – Languages Are Listed in Alphabetical Order] (*For Plan Year 2019, OIC will allow the Notice and Taglines to be "posted" with forms either by being embedded in the forms, or as an insert enclosed with the forms.*)