PATIENT PROTECTION DISCLOSURE

The Franklin Pierce University Harvard Pilgrim Health Care HMO Plan generally requires the designation of a primary care provider. You have the right to designate any primary care provider who participates in our network and who is available to accept you or your family members. For information on how to select a primary care provider, and for a list of the participating primary care providers, contact Harvard Pilgrim Health Care at 888-333-4742.

For children, you may designate a pediatrician as the primary care provider.

You do not need prior authorization from the Franklin Pierce University Harvard Pilgrim Health Care HMO or PPO Plan or from any other person (including a primary care provider) in order to obtain access to obstetrical or gynecological care from a health care professional in our network who specializes in obstetrics or gynecology. The health care professional, however, may be required to comply with certain procedures, including obtaining prior authorization for certain services, following a pre-approved treatment plan, or procedures for making referrals. For a list of participating health care professionals who specialize in obstetrics or gynecology, contact Harvard Pilgrim Health Care at 888-333-4742.

As part of our plan's compliance with the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, Franklin Pierce University is required to provide you with this notice.