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Health and Welfare Fund**

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**★★ IMPORTANT NOTICE – UPCOMING FEBRUARY HEALTH  
SCREENINGS ★★**

January 2024

**Attention Class A, Class B and Non-Bargained Class Participants and Eligible  
Spouses!**

As we shared with you via a Summary of Material Modifications included in your 2024 Open Enrollment materials, the Milwaukee Painters Local Union 781 Health and Welfare Fund (“Fund”) has partnered with Health Gauge as the Fund’s new Health Promotion and Cancer Screening Program provider beginning January 1, 2024. This program is completely confidential and administered by Health Gauge, an independent service provider.

As the Fund’s new health screening partner, Health Gauge will make obtaining an annual health screening more accessible and convenient for you! One of the many participants whose lives Health Gauge has saved shared this testimonial:

***"Hi! I wanted to send a heartfelt thank you to Nick at Health Gauge as well as all of the HG team. In March 2021, Nick performed my test and told me my thyroid looked abnormal and encouraged me to see my doctor. He printed several pictures for me to take. My doctor ran further tests and sent me to a specialist where I found out that I had stage 2 thyroid cancer. I started treatment and have one more left and hopefully will be cancer free. Nick literally saved my life! As I sit here in tears wishing I could have given him a big hug today, I am very grateful for health professionals like you all who go above and beyond to work tirelessly to help people. Thank you from the bottom of my heart, the employees at health gauge are beyond fantastic!!!!"***  
**Leslee Smith – IBEW 481**

As part of the Health Gauge exam, you may receive a comprehensive blood analysis, body mass index test, diabetes test, Carotid Artery Ultrasound, Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening, Peripheral Arterial Disease Screening and Atrial Fibrillation screening. Men over the age of 40 will receive a PSA blood test, women will receive thyroid testing, and all participants will receive an A1C test.

**These tests and procedures are available for you and your spouse at NO COST TO YOU!**

**Please note: The tests you choose to have performed are not meant to replace your physician, but are meant to improve communication with your Physician at your next appointment.**

**REWARD YOURSELF AND YOUR HEALTH!**

When you complete a Health Gauge screening as part of the Fund's Health Promotion and Cancer Screening Program, the Fund will continue to offer a monetary incentive via a contribution to your HRA/WEX Account. See the Summary of Materials Modifications you received with your 2024 Open Enrollment packet or call the Fund Office at (414) 368-2926 or 1-844-368-2926 for details.

**APPOINTMENTS ARE REQUIRED. SCHEDULE YOURS TODAY!!!**

Health Gauge will hold two screening events at Painters & Allied Trades District Council 7, S68 W22665 National Avenue, Big Bend, WI, 53103, on the following dates:

**Friday, February 9<sup>th</sup> from 12:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.**

**Saturday, February 10<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.**

To schedule your screening:

Call (515) 244-3080 or online at <https://painters781.hgscreenings.com/>

**Refer to the attached flyer for more details and schedule your appointment today!**

***Questions,***

If you have any questions about the above, you may call Health Gauge at (515) 244-3080 or the Fund Office at (414) 368-2926 or 1-844-368-2926.

Sincerely,

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES