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Gravie Announces Waived Costs for Members for COVID-19 (Coronavirus) Testing

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(MINNEAPOLIS, March 13, 2020) — [Gravie](#), a Minneapolis-based health insurance marketplace, announced that it is waiving costs for COVID-19 (coronavirus) testing for members of its private exchange.

As of March 1, 2020, Gravie-administered health plans will cover medically necessary diagnostic tests related to COVID-19 without member cost share; members will be able to receive any doctor-recommended testing related to COVID-19 for free, avoiding any out of pocket costs.

Gravie does not require prior authorizations for COVID-19 diagnostic testing. Office co-pays will also be waived if the purpose of the visit is specifically for COVID-19 testing.

“Our number-one priority is keeping our members safe and healthy,” says Marek Ciolko, Gravie CEO. “If a member is ill and their doctor recommends testing for COVID-19, we do not want cost or other barriers to get in the way.”

For those concerned that they may have contracted COVID-19, Gravie encourages members to contact their health care provider or use [Online Care](#) powered by MDLive for assessing symptoms and next steps.

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About Gravie

Gravie’s approach to health benefits is disrupting traditional models, putting individuals and their health back at the center in a way that’s beneficial to employees *and* employers’ bottom lines and overall satisfaction. Gravie was founded on a legacy of innovation with leaders from some of the most industry-changing healthcare companies who continue to reinvent and push the status quo to better meet the needs of individuals and teams today. With expert advisors, smart technology and a streamlined model, Gravie alleviates much of the headache associated with choosing and managing a healthcare plan, providing better options for employees with controlled and reduced costs for employers. Gravie has served over 900 employers and over 62,000 individuals across the U.S. To learn more visit www.gravie.com.