

DCHBX Data Incident
Settlement Administrator
P.O. Box 4710
Portland, OR 97208-4710

**REMINDER NOTICE WITH
EXTENDED DEADLINES**

**IF YOU WERE NOTIFIED BY DISTRICT OF
COLUMBIA HEALTH BENEFIT EXCHANGE
AUTHORITY d/b/a DC HEALTH LINK OF
A DATA INCIDENT DISCOVERED ON
OR ABOUT MARCH 2023, YOU MAY BE
ELIGIBLE FOR PAYMENT AND CREDIT
MONITORING SERVICES FROM A CLASS
ACTION SETTLEMENT.**

**IF YOU PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED A
CLAIM FORM, OBJECTED TO, OR
OPTED OUT OF THE SETTLEMENT, YOU
DO NOT NEED TO ACT FURTHER.**

*Si desea recibir esta notificación en español,
llámenos o visite nuestra página web.*

A settlement has been reached in a class action lawsuit against District of Columbia Health Benefit Exchange Authority d/b/a DC Health Link, (“DCHBX” or “Defendant”) concerning an alleged data security incident affecting Defendant that was discovered by Defendant in or around March 2023 (the “Data Incident”). The computer systems possibly affected by the Data Incident potentially contained the Private Information of certain individuals. Plaintiffs claim that Defendant was responsible for the Data Incident. Defendant denies all of the claims.

WHO IS INCLUDED? Defendant’s records show you received a notification from Defendant regarding the Data Incident, and, therefore, you are included in this Settlement as a “Settlement Class Member” unless you opt out of the Settlement.

SETTLEMENT BENEFITS. The Settlement provides for a \$1,450,000 common fund. Group 1 Settlement Class Members and Group 2 Settlement Class Members are entitled to different benefits. The Settlement allows all class members to claim reimbursement of Documented Monetary Losses related to the Data Incident and 1 year of 3-bureau Credit Monitoring and Identity Restoration Services. Group 1 Class Members are eligible for up to \$10,000 in documented expenses; Group 2 Class Members are eligible for up to \$2,500 in documented expenses. In the alternative, and in lieu of the above-described benefits, all Settlement Class Members can claim a pro rata cash payment, to be calculated from the Settlement Fund after payment of Settlement Administration Fees, Attorneys’ Fees Costs and Expenses, Credit Monitoring and Identity Restoration Services, and Documented Monetary Losses. Group 1 Settlement Class Members are eligible for Alternative Cash Payments in an amount three times that provided to Group 2 Settlement Class Members. All Class Members who have not previously claimed DCHBX’s credit monitoring offer are also eligible for 1 year of 3-bureau Credit Monitoring and Identity Restoration Services. **The only way to receive a benefit is to file a claim. To get a Claim Form, visit the Settlement Website, at www.DCHBXSettlement.com, or call 1-888-897-4085. The claim deadline is May 13, 2025. IF YOU HAVE ALREADY SUBMITTED A CLAIM FORM, YOU DO NOT HAVE TO SUBMIT ANOTHER CLAIM FORM.**

OPT OUT. If you do not want to be legally bound by the Settlement, you must exclude yourself. A more detailed notice is available to explain how to exclude yourself. You must mail your exclusion request, postmarked no later than May 13, 2025, to the Settlement Administrator. You cannot exclude yourself by phone or email. If you exclude yourself from the Settlement, you will receive no benefits under the Settlement and will not be legally bound by the Court’s judgments related to the Settlement Class and Defendant in this class action. **IF YOU HAVE ALREADY SUBMITTED AN OPT OUT, YOU DO NOT HAVE TO SUBMIT ANOTHER ONE.**

OBJECT. If you stay in the Settlement, you may object to it by May 13, 2025, if you do not agree with any part of it. A more detailed notice is available to explain how to object. You must mail your objection, postmarked no later than May 13, 2025, to the Settlement Administrator. You can object only if you stay in the Settlement Class. **IF YOU HAVE ALREADY SUBMITTED AN OBJECTION, YOU DO NOT HAVE TO SUBMIT ANOTHER.**

Other Options. If you do nothing, you will remain in the Settlement Class, you will not be eligible for benefits, and you will be bound by the decisions of the Court and give up your rights to sue Defendant for the claims resolved by this Settlement.

FOR MORE INFORMATION. Go to the Settlement Website, at www.DCHBXSettlement.com, call 1-888-897-4085, email info@DCHBXSettlement.com or write to DCHBX Data Incident Settlement Administrator, c/o Epig, P.O. Box 4710, Portland, OR 97208-4710. On June 26, 2025, the Court will hold a Final Approval Hearing to determine whether to approve the Settlement, Class Counsel’s request for attorneys’ fees not to exceed 33.33% of the Settlement Fund, or \$483,285.00, litigation costs not to exceed \$25,000.00 and for a Service Award Payment of \$2,500 to each of the 12 Class Representatives. The Motion for attorneys’ fees and expenses and service awards will be posted on the Settlement Website, at www.DCHBXSettlement.com, after it is filed. You or your own lawyer, if you have one, may ask to appear and speak at the hearing at your own cost, but you do not have to.

This is only a summary. For more information, call or visit the Settlement Website.

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