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SECONDARY MEDICAL CONDITION EXCLUSIONS

Following are examples of secondary medical condition exclusions in accordance with 2008 Legislation SB 62.

- 1) Charges in connection with reconstructive or plastic surgery that may have limited benefits, such as, a chemical peel that does not alleviate a functional impairment;
- 2) Complications relating to services and supplies for or in connection with gastric or intestinal bypass, gastric stapling, or other similar surgical procedure, or for or in connection with reversal or revision of such procedures, or any direct complications or consequences thereof;;
- 3) Complication by infection from a cosmetic surgical procedure;
- 4) Complications or services, supplies or drugs which have not yet been approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration(FDA) or which are used for other than its FDA-approved purpose; or
- 5) Complications due to a pre-existing condition that was treated prior to effective date.

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