

## IMPORTANT HEALTH COVERAGE TAX DOCUMENTS IRS Form 1095-B

VIVA HEALTH members will no longer automatically receive a paper copy of the IRS Form 1095-B due to a change in the tax law that became effective beginning with the 2019 tax year when the IRS penalty for not having health coverage was reduced to zero. Because of this change, individuals no longer need the information on the Form 1095-B to file a federal income tax return.

However, IRS Form 1095-B will still be produced for all VIVA HEALTH fully insured members upon individual request. A request for a paper form can be made by calling Customer Service at 1-800-294-7780 or 205-558-7474 (TTY: 711). A Form 1095-B will be mailed to the address provided within 30 days of the date the request is received. If you had an address change make sure Customer Service is aware when you call.

You may also request this information via email at <a href="mailto:vivamemberhelp@uabmc.edu">vivamemberhelp@uabmc.edu</a> or in writing to 417 20<sup>th</sup> Street North, Suite 1100 Birmingham, AL 35203 ATTN: Viva Health Customer Service.