

Thank you for calling Local 1262's Information Hotline. This is the latest update from President Harvey While as of Friday, December 29, 2023 and contains two messages. This hotline – as well as other important updates and information for our members -- can also be found on our web site at www.ufcw1262.org.

Local 1262 President Harvey While, our officers and staff would like to thank our members for their service to your communities in 2023. Your hard work and dedication throughout the year is appreciated by us and surely by the customers you serve. Our best wishes to you and your families for a bright New Year.

And, don't forget to remind your family, friends and neighbors to Shop Union Supermarkets and Buy Union Made products when preparing for New Year's celebrations. Union supermarkets in our area include ShopRite, Stop & Shop, Foodtown, Acme, Food Bazaar, Dearborn Market, Morton Williams, Tops Markets, Fresh Grocer, PriceRight and Uncle Giuseppe's.

For a list of Union-Made holiday foods visit our website at www.ufcw1262.org.

We would also like to remind our members that New Dental Plan ID Cards are in the mail so please watch for an envelope from Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield. You will need the new ID Card to book appointments through our new enhanced Dental Plan with the Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield PPO Plan Network. The new network has more than 329,000 providers nationwide which is a significant increase from the old plan.

Please remember that if you work part-time, you become eligible for Dental Coverage after 24 months of employment. Full-Time workers are eligible after three months of employment.

For more details on this improved member benefit – including how to locate a dental provider – visit our website at www.ufcw1262.org. If you have questions or concerns about your coverage contact Horizon Dental at 1-800-4-DENTAL or the Fund Office at 1-800-522-4161.

In closing, I would like to thank all of our more than 22,000 members here in New Jersey and New York for your ongoing dedication and service to your communities. It is truly an honor and privilege to serve as your president.

That concludes this hotline. Thank you for calling Local 1262.

Please ask your fellow Local 1262 Brothers and Sisters to join Local 1262's texting program.

Simply text UPDATES1262 to 83071.