Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act

Do you know that the Novant Health medical plans provide benefits for mastectomy-related services as a result of cancer treatment that includes all stages of reconstruction? Benefits include the following services:

- Reconstructive surgery on the breast on which the mastectomy is performed
- Treatment on the other breast to produce a symmetrical appearance following a mastectomy
- Prostheses
- Treatment for physical complications for all stages of mastectomy, including lymphedemas (swelling associated with the removal of lymph nodes)

The manner of coverage will be determined by the plan in consultation with the patient and the attending physician. Coverage will be paid according to normal provisions of the plan. These provisions apply to mastectomies received while either you or your dependent is covered under the Novant Health plan.

If you have any questions about your benefits for treatment of breast cancer, please contact BCBSNC at 877-722-4871.