

## **NOTICE TO OUR MEDICARE PATIENTS**

Medicare will only pay for services that are determined to be “reasonable and necessary” under Section 1862 (a) (1) of the Medicare laws. If Medicare determines that a particular service, although it would be otherwise covered, is “not reasonable and necessary” under the Medicare program standards, Medicare will not pay for that service.

**Medicare is likely to deny payment for trimming of your toenails or corns or calluses or warts. Medicare deems these services “routine foot care” in almost all instances.**

### **Beneficiary Agreement**

I have been notified by this office that they believe that, in my case Medicare is likely to deny payment for the services described above, for the reasons stated. If Medicare denies payment, I agree to be personally responsible for payment.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_