

# Guidelines to submitting proof of payment

John Hancock requires that proof of payment be submitted with your invoices when requesting reimbursement for approved long-term care expenses. To help avoid potential delays, please refer to the following guidelines.

# **Key reminders**

- Payments made in cash cannot be verified and are not reimbursable. This includes checks written to cash.
- If you are providing documentation (e.g., cashed/deposited checks, banking transactions, etc.) that includes information that does not pertain to the reimbursement, you may redact (i.e., cross out or blur) any irrelevant details.
- Submitting invalid or inadequate proof of payment, whether paid to the wrong party, an invalid payment method, or lacking information, may result in delay, denial or revocation of reimbursement.
- Discrepancies between the invoice amount and supporting proof of payment may cause processing delays
- Payment date must be on or after the last date of service for reimbursement.



# Using an Independent Care Provider (ICP)?

If you receive care by an ICP, proof of payment is not required as long as your ICP is using the CareGiver mobile app with location services turned on.

Learn more at **johnhancock.com/ caregiverapp.** 

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# Acceptable documents

The following list are acceptable forms of payment. Please note that your payment must be a completed transaction (i.e., not pending) and must clearly include the name of the provider to whom the payment was made as well as the name of the individual who made the payment.

- Cashed or deposited checks
- Bank cashier's checks
- Credit Card/ Bank Statements
- Evidence of electronic transactions (e.g., Venmo, Paypal, Zelle)
- Original money order, in entirety
- Copies of tax documentation filed under state or federal law documentation, including documentation related to tax withholding, if applicable.

If the home health care agency invoice shows proof of payment (as outlined above) and the proof of payment corresponds to the dates of service in your reimbursement request, then no additional documentation is required.

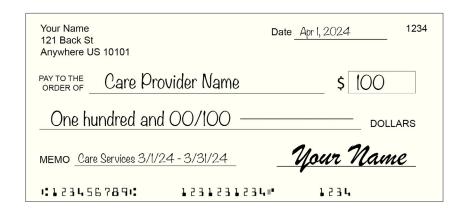
# **Examples**

Refer to the following examples of what acceptable proof of payment should look like.

## Cashed or deposited checks

Submit the front (and back, when available) of the deposited/cashed check, clearly showing the check being made payable to caregiver. The image must include the transaction details, and can usually be found in on bank statement.

**Reminder:** checks may not be written out to cash.



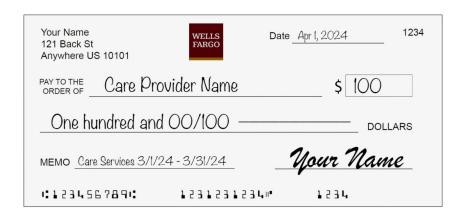


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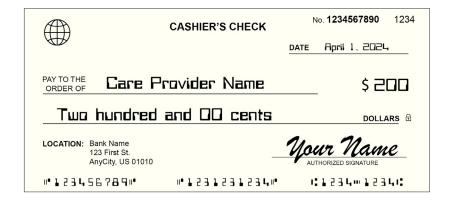
#### **Transaction Details**

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Description	Check Image
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Merchant Name	Check Image
Transaction Category	Cash, Checks & Misc: Checks



## Cashier's check or money order

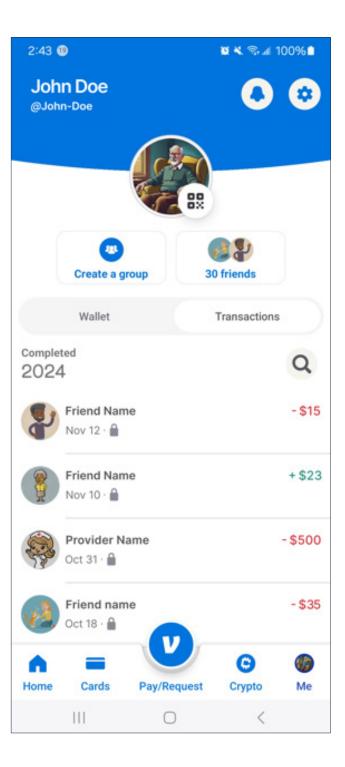
Complete, clear image of the front of the check/money order made out to the care provider.



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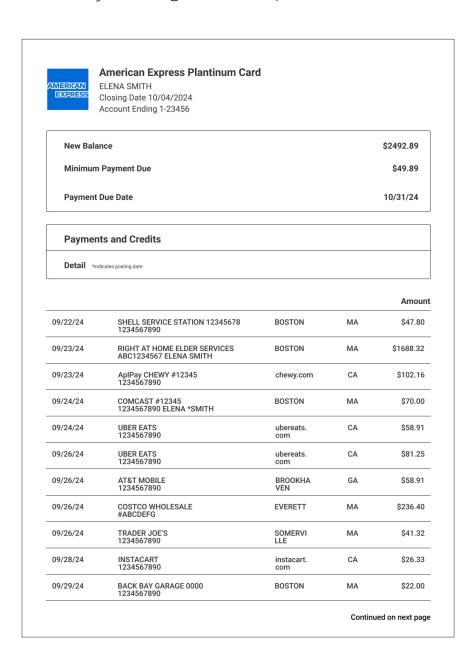
# Electronic payments/transfers

Includes transactions made throughs Venmo, PayPal, and Zelle.



## Credit card/bank statements

Includes documents that show payment details made to your Long-Term Care provider.



# Invoice reflects proof of payment details

Shows detailed information of the payment made to your Long-Term care provider.

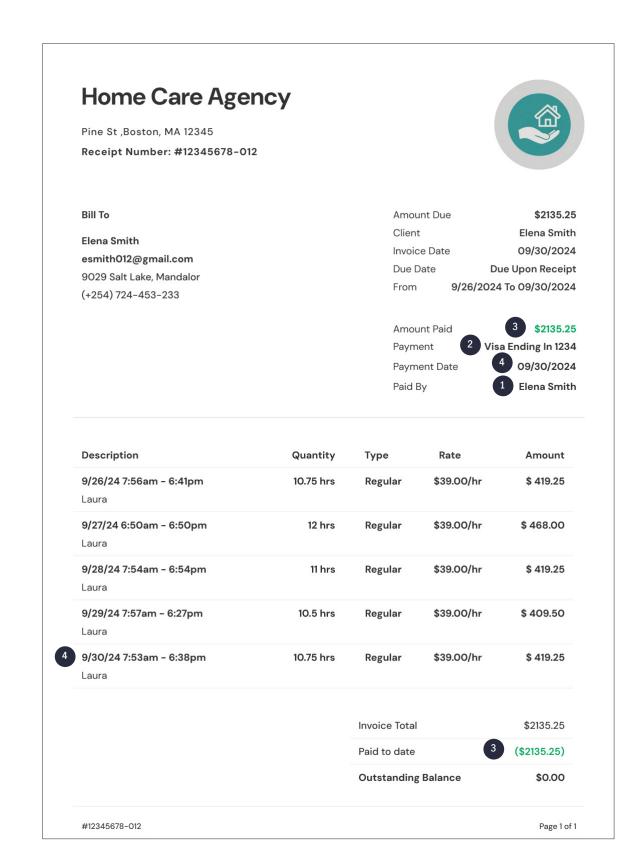
# What makes this proof of payment acceptable?

It includes the following details:

- 1. We can see who made the payment: It is Elena Smith.
- 2. We can see the method of payment: Here is a VISA ending in 1234.
- 3. We can see the amount of the invoice matches the amount of the proof of payment: Both are \$2135.25.
- 4. We can see the payment date is on or after the last date of the service bill.

\*IMPORTANT: An acceptable proof of payment on an invoice must have all four points of data present.

If your document only has the word "PAID"/ an image of a stamp saying "PAID", that is not acceptable proof of payment.





If you have any questions, you may contact our customer service center by using

Send us a message function in the Messages section of your online account or by calling

800-233-1449, Monday through

Friday, 8am to 5pm ET.

John Hancock reserves the right to request proof of payment at any time in order to verify covered services were received and are eligible for reimbursement.

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