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Blue MedicareRx (PDP)

2024 PLAN UPDATES

**Important News and
Information for Medicare
Prescription Drug Members**

Independent Licensees of the Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association.

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PLAN FEATURES FOR 2024

We've Got You Covered

Whether you pick up your medications at a network pharmacy or have them delivered to your home using mail service pharmacy, you probably have questions. We're here with all the answers. We're committed to providing you with the support you need, access to care, and quality coverage.

Thank you for being a valued member.

SAVE ON YOUR PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

Pay less for your medications when you fill them at network pharmacies that offer preferred cost sharing.

	Tier 1 Preferred Generic	Tier 2 Generic	Tier 3 Preferred Brand ¹	Tier 4 Non-preferred Drug ¹	Tier 5 Specialty Tier ¹
Blue MedicareRx Value Plus					
Preferred Cost Sharing for 30-day retail supply	\$2	\$13	\$42	46%	25%
Standard Cost Sharing for 30-day retail supply	\$8	\$20	\$47	46%	25%
Your Savings	Save \$6	Save \$7	Save \$5		
Blue MedicareRx Premier					
Preferred Cost Sharing for 30-day retail supply	\$1	\$7	\$30	35%	33%
Standard Cost Sharing for 30-day retail supply	\$6	\$12	\$40	44%	33%
Your Savings	Save \$5	Save \$5	Save \$10	Save 9%	

¹ Blue MedicareRx Prescription Drug Plan

63,000+

PHARMACIES
IN OUR NETWORK²

Retail, long-term care,
home-infusion, Indian health/tribal,
and mail service pharmacies

INCLUDING

20,000+

PREFERRED
COST SHARING
PHARMACIES

PHARMACIES THAT OFFER PREFERRED COST SHARING

Our retail pharmacy network³ includes many independent, community-based, and chain pharmacies that offer preferred cost sharing for Blue MedicareRx members, including:



To find a retail pharmacy that offers standard or preferred cost sharing, use the Pharmacy Locator tool at rxmedicareplans.com.

1. For Blue MedicareRx Value Plus, a deductible applies to Tiers 3, 4, and 5.
2. Retail pharmacies may be added or removed throughout the year. For a current listing of pharmacies in your area, you can search our online directory at rxmedicareplans.com.
3. Other pharmacies are available in our network.

SAVE TIME & MONEY ON YOUR PRESCRIPTIONS – WITHOUT LEAVING HOME



Safe



Convenient



Affordable

With the mail service pharmacy, you can have your prescriptions delivered right to your door, or anywhere you choose, including any of your favorite vacation spots. No need to go to the pharmacy.



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Save Even More When You Use the Mail Service Pharmacy

You can get your prescription medications shipped to your home from CVS Caremark through our network's mail service delivery program. For even more convenience, you can sign up for the automatic refill program, so you don't need to re-order every time your prescription runs out. Typically, you can expect your prescriptions to arrive within 10 calendar days of the mail service pharmacy receiving your order.

90-day mail service Tier 1 copays are the same as 30-day preferred retail copays for both Blue MedicareRx Value Plus (\$2) and Blue MedicareRx Premier (\$1) members.

Blue MedicareRx Value Plus (Tier 1)

\$2

- 90-day mail service copay
- 30-day preferred retail copay

Blue MedicareRx Premier (Tier 1)

\$1

- 90-day mail service copay
- 30-day preferred retail copay

CONTACT US:

Connecticut Residents:

1-866-832-9702 (TTY: 711)
24 hours a day, 7 days a week

Massachusetts Residents:

1-800-678-2265 (TTY: 711)
10/1-3/31, 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. ET, 7 days a week;
4/1-9/30, 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. ET, Monday through Friday

Rhode Island Residents:

1-800-505-2583 (TTY: 711)
10/1-3/31, 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. ET, 7 days a week;
4/1-9/30, 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. ET, Monday through Friday. You can use our automated answering system outside of these hours.

Vermont Residents:

1-888-496-4178 (TTY: 711)
24 hours a day, 7 days a week

rxmedicareplans.com

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT PART D

To learn more about how your Medicare Part D plan works, visit rxmedicareplans.com.

You can:

- Get detailed cost-sharing information
- See which drugs are covered by your plan
- Access temporary ID cards
- See which pharmacies are in your network, and which ones offer preferred cost-sharing



TAKE CONTROL OF YOUR COVERAGE.

Visit rxmedicareplans.com today!

MEMBERSHIP PERK: SAVE 20%



GET WEEKLY SAVINGS AT CVS

Thank you for being a member of Blue MedicareRx (PDP). Use your CVS Pharmacy[®] ExtraCare[®] Card every time you shop, and save 20% on eligible products.* If you've misplaced your ExtraCare Card and need another one, call Customer Care.

*The 20% discount is restricted to items purchased for the health care of the cardholder, spouse, or dependents, and applies to regularly priced CVS Pharmacy brand health-related items valued at \$1 or more. Excludes prescriptions, alcohol, lottery, postage stamps, gift cards, money orders, prepaid cards, and photo finishing, and isn't valid on other items reimbursed by a governmental program. Plan restrictions may apply. Check with your plan for more details.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Annual Formulary Changes

Each January, the list of covered drugs (formulary) may change. We encourage you to closely review our Annual Notice of Change (ANOC) document you received last month. You can view the most current formulary at rxmedicareplans.com/Documents. If you have any questions or concerns, call us at the number on page 4.

Medicare's "Extra Help" Program

People with limited incomes may qualify for "Extra Help" to pay for their prescription drug costs. If you qualify, Medicare could pay up to 75% or more of your drug costs including monthly prescription drug premiums, annual deductibles, and coinsurance. Additionally, those who qualify won't have a coverage gap or late enrollment penalty. Many people are eligible and don't even know it.

To see if you qualify, call:

1-800-MEDICARE
(1-800-633-4227)

TTY users should call
1-877-486-2048,
24 hours a day, 7 days a week

The Social Security Office

1-800-772-1213
from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.
Automated messages are available 24 hours a day.
TTY users should call: **1-800-325-0778**

Your State Medicaid Office (for an application)

State Pharmaceutical Assistance Program

Many states have programs called State Pharmaceutical Assistance Programs (SPAPs), which help people pay for prescription drugs based on their financial need, age, or medical condition.

**To learn more about the program,
call your State Pharmaceutical
Assistance Program:**

Connecticut:

A full-service SPAP is not available in this state.

Massachusetts:

1-800-243-4636

Rhode Island:

1-401-462-3000

Vermont:

1-800-250-8427

Receive Your Explanation of Benefits (EOB) Online

Now, your plan offers you the ease and convenience of managing your monthly EOB information online.

- View up to 36 months of your EOBs, organized by date, in one location
- Reduce clutter by downloading and printing only the statements you need
- Keep your prescription information secure — no shredding necessary

We'll alert you by email when your monthly EOB is ready to view. You can opt out of paperless EOBs at any time. Visit [Caremark.com](https://www.caremark.com) or call Customer Care to get started.

TIPS FOR MANAGING YOUR MEDICATIONS

How to Take Your Medication Safely

Use these tips to better understand the medications you're taking, how to use them, and the risks you may face.



If your doctor prescribes a medication for you, find out as much as you can about the medication, including how to take it properly.



Make sure to show your member ID card every time you're at the pharmacy. This allows your pharmacists to perform safety checks against unsafe drug interactions. Use the same pharmacy to aid in these checks.



Some medications should be used with caution by patients over the age of 65. Talk to your doctor about side effects and safer alternatives.

How to Report Suspicious or Fraudulent Prescription Drug Activity

Detecting and preventing prescription drug fraud, waste, and abuse is a group effort. Blue MedicareRx encourages members to report any suspected fraudulent activities. All reports are treated as confidential and will be investigated. To make a report, or if you have questions or are unsure whether a situation really involves fraud, waste, or abuse, please contact us.

To learn more about the program, call the Fraud, Waste, and Abuse Hotline:

Phone

1-888-727-0504

(TTY/TDD: 711) 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

Fax

1-480-314-6974

Email

ComprehensiveFWA@CVSHealth.com



ALWAYS TALK TO YOUR DOCTOR

Before taking any over-the-counter supplements or medicine, talk to your doctor first about what is safe for you.



WORLD-CLASS SERVICE AND SUPPORT

Through Blue MedicareRx, our prescription drug coverage is backed by the Blue Cross Blue Shield brand and our long-standing history of offering you high-quality service and support.

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What's new for 2024?

- Plan Features
- Savings
- Member Education

