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The Aetna Medicare pharmacy network

Aetna Medicare network email series, Part 1

To kick off our Aetna Medicare network email series, let's first begin by reviewing our pharmacy network. Please familiarize yourself with this information so you're prepared to answer your clients' questions about where they can fill their prescriptions in 2014.

MAPD pharmacy network

More than 65,000 retail pharmacies participate in the pharmacy network for Aetna's Medicare Advantage Prescription Drug (MAPD) plans. This includes national pharmacy chains like CVS, Costco, and Walgreens, as well as regional chains and independent pharmacies. Our MAPD plans do not require the use of preferred pharmacies to get the lowest member cost-share.

PDP pharmacy network

Prescription Drug Plan (PDP) members may fill their prescriptions at any of the 65,000 pharmacies in Aetna's Medicare network, including the more than 7,200 CVS/pharmacies.

CVS/pharmacy and Walmart comprise the preferred pharmacy network for the Aetna CVS/pharmacy Prescription Drug Plan (PDP) 1, 2, starting January 1. Members of this PDP will usually have lower cost-sharing at these preferred pharmacies than at other network pharmacies.

Preferred pharmacies are pharmacies in our network where we have negotiated lower cost sharing for members for covered drugs than at other network pharmacies. Keep in mind, members of this plan may go to any network pharmacy to receive their covered prescription drugs.

Save money by using mail order

Aetna Medicare members (MAPD, PDP) can save time and money -- up to 33% on cost-sharing-- by purchasing their prescriptions through mail order.

Product	Mail order drug benefit
MAPD	2x copay – all tiers*
CVS/pharmacy PDP	\$4 T1 generics and \$3 T5 Select Care drugs
Premier PDP	2x copay T1 generics and T5 Select care drugs

How to find participating pharmacies

- Look up pharmacies using the Aetna Medicare [DocFind](#) website. Enter your client's location, make a selection under "Pharmacies," then choose "Aetna Medicare (All Plans)" and Search Criteria.
- Members can call our member services toll-free number at 1-800-213-4599 (TTY/TDD: 711), 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., 7 days a week.
- Members can ask their current pharmacy.

Stay tuned!

Next, we'll discuss the national Aetna Medicare provider network. In the meantime, remember you can access the Aetna Medicare version of [DocFind](#) 24/7 to search for providers and pharmacies in the Aetna Medicare network.

¹ Other pharmacies are available in our network and higher costs may apply.

² Longs Drugs is included as a preferred pharmacy in the Aetna CVS/pharmacy Prescription Drug Plan (PDP) in Hawaii.

* 2x copay applies to tiers with flat copays, coinsurance will be applied to a lower mail order drug discounted cost.