

## 2025 CDPHP<sup>®</sup> Medicare Advantage Product Training

#### Meet the CDPHP Medicare Sales Leadership Team





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#### Agenda

- CDPHP Updates
- Medicare Industry Changes
- 2025 Plan Highlights
- 2025 Pharmacy Updates
- Your Partnership with CDPHP
- Administrative Information
- Questions





## **CDPHP** Updates

Nick Kraft

#### **CDPHP Updates**

- New corporate headquarters located at 6 Wellness Way
- Announcement of our intent to affiliate with The Lifetime Healthcare Cos.
- Brian O'Grady named new president and CEO of CDPHP





Health Care

CDPHP would get new parent company under affiliation plan



## Medicare Industry Changes

Alicia Kelley

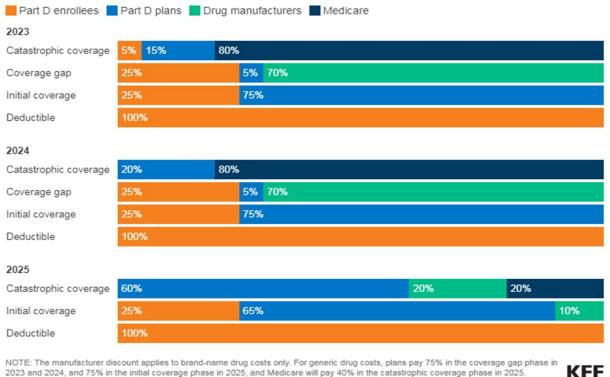


- Two large factors impact Medicare Advantage plans in 2025 in Upstate NY
  - Wage Index
    - In 2023, a bill took effect significantly increasing the fees paid to rural hospitals, which impacts our entire service area
  - Part D Reform
    - In 2025 as part of the Inflation Reduction Act, the amount Medicare members pay for Part D drugs substantially decreases while increasing for health plans

#### Part D Cost Impacts

#### Figure 4

The Share of Medicare Part D Drug Costs Paid by Enrollees, Plans, Drug Manufacturers, and Medicare Will Change in 2024 and 2025 Share of total drug costs paid by:



2023 and 2024, and 75% in the initial coverage phase in 2025, and Medicare will pay 40% in the catastrophic coverage phase in 2025. SOURCE: KFF, based on Medicare Part D benefit design changes in the Inflation Reduction Act. • PNG



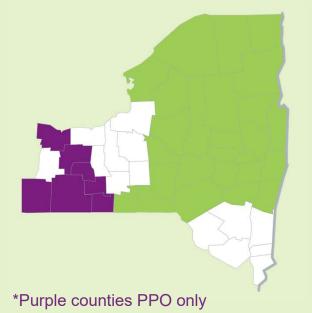


## 2025 Plan Highlights

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#### **Our Footprint**





#### Physician-founded, not-for-profit, mission-driven

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COUNTIES\* in Upstate NY

**1,000**s

OF PARTICIPATING providers

#### The CDPHP Difference



CDPHP has been assisting and supporting our members, friends, neighbors, and families with their health care needs for 40 years.

#### We are the physicians' health plan

- Founded by local doctors
- Board of directors must include a majority of local practicing physicians
- Board chairperson must be a local practicing physician

#### **CMS Star Ratings\***

- CDPHP Medicare Advantage PPO: 4.5 out of 5 stars
- CDPHP Medicare Advantage HMO: 4.5 out of 5 stars

\* Every year, Medicare evaluates plans based on a 5-star rating system. Star Ratings are calculated each year and may change from one year to the next.

#### We're Local

#### CDPHP in the community

- Serve on boards in the Capital District
- Attend and support numerous community events
- New headquarters in Latham in partnership with Community Care Physicians
- Your clients will speak directly with someone from our award-winning member services team

#### Local Provider Services/Provider Relations Teams

- Our provider services and provider relations teams are local
- When our physicians need to call for a prior authorization or have any questions about billing, they're speaking with someone who knows the Capital Region





#### CDPHP Triple \$0





- \$0 Copayment for Primary Care Physician (PCP) visits (In-Network)
- \$0 Copayment for video doctor visits through Doctor On Demand
- \$0 Copayment for Tier 1 and Tier 2 prescriptions at preferred pharmacies and with mail order

#### 2025 Updates



- Updated Plan names:
  - CDPHP Choice (HMO) CDPHP Core (HMO)
  - − CDPHP Flex (PPO) CDPHP Focus (PPO)
- Terminated Plans:
  - CDPHP Basic Rx (HMO)
  - CDPHP Flex Rx (PPO)
  - CDPHP Care Advantage (HMO C-SNP)

NEW PLAN: CDPHP Complete Rx (PPO) \$70



#### **HMO Benefit Changes**

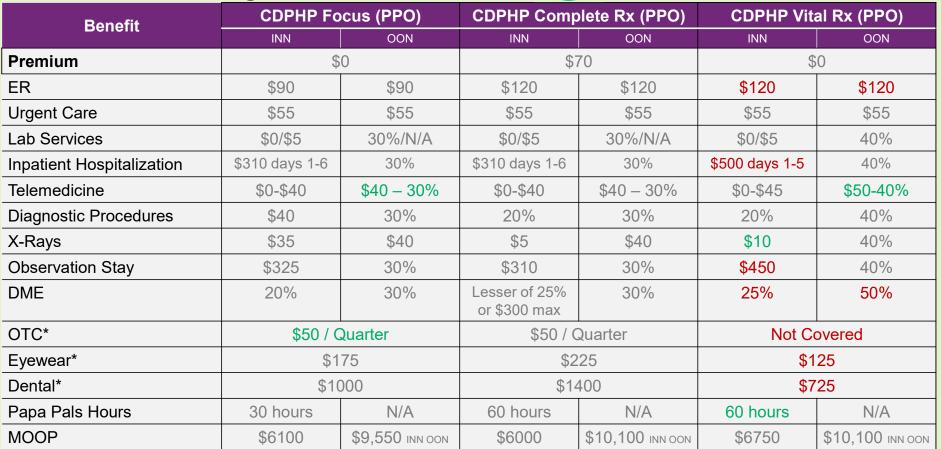
Benefit	CDPHP Core (HMO)	CDPHP Choice Rx (HMO)	CDPHP Value Rx (HMO)	CDPHP \$0 Medicare Rx (HMO)
Premium	\$15	\$126	\$62	\$0
ER	\$90	\$100	\$110	\$120
Urgent Care	\$45	\$50	\$55	\$55
Lab Services	\$5	\$0/\$5	\$0/\$5	\$0/\$10
Inpatient Hospitalization	\$260 days 1-6	\$260 days 1-6	\$295 days 1-6	\$450 days 1-5
X-Rays	\$25	\$5	\$5	\$10
Observation Stay	\$200	\$260	\$295	\$330
Ambulance	\$165	\$185	\$225	\$265
DME	Lesser of 20% or \$250 max	Lesser of 20% or \$250 max	Lesser of 20% or \$250 max	25%
OTC*	\$100 / Quarter	\$75 / Quarter	\$75 / Quarter	Not Covered
Eyewear*	\$250	\$300	\$250	\$200
Dental*	\$1500	\$1850	\$1650	\$750
Papa Pals Hours	30 hours	60 hours	60 hours	60 hours
MOOP	\$6100	\$6000	\$6400	\$6750

\*Benefits are on a prepaid Benefits Mastercard

Benefit Enhancement Benefit Reduction

No Change to benefit

#### **PPO Benefit Changes**



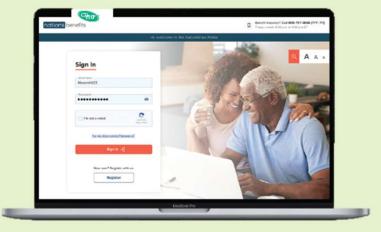
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#### **Prepaid Benefits Mastercard Portal**

- Members have access to the NationsBenefits Benefits Pro portal and MyBenefitsPro app to manage their prepaid Benefits Mastercard
- Members can:
  - Activate their card
  - Check their coverage and balance
  - Verify eligible OTC products
  - Order OTC products
  - Track online order status in real-time
  - Access store locator (for OTC)
  - View past transactions





Prepaid Benefits Mastercard for Dental, Vision, and OTC

- All plans come with one convenient prepaid Benefits Mastercard to use for dental and vision benefits
  - Most plans offer an OTC spending amount on the same card!
- Existing members will not receive a new card benefits reloaded to current card
- New members will receive their card from NationsBenefits with instructions on how to activate and access benefits

#### Dental

Up to \$1,850 to use at any dentist in the U.S.

### Vision **NEW!**

Up to \$300 to use at any vision provider in the U.S.



#### ΟΤΟ

Available on most plans, up to \$100 per quarter



#### **Dental Allowance Reminder**

- Medicare Advantage plans will include an allowance\* of \$725-\$1850 on a prepaid Benefits Mastercard to use at any dentist in the U.S.
- This allowance applies to but not limited to:
  - Cleanings
  - X-rays
  - Crowns
  - Fillings
  - Dentures
  - Extractions

\*Cannot be used for teeth whitening





#### Hearing

- All plans include a hearing aid benefit through Hearing Care Solutions
  - Members pay a copay per ear for the purchase of up to two hearing aids
  - Two levels of hearing aids per plan and copays vary by plan
  - Benefit includes a \$0 copay for
    - Hearing exam
    - 3-year supply of batteries
    - 3-year comprehensive warranty



#### In-home Support Services



- Members will enjoy up to 60 hours of support services from a trained Papa Pal. These compassionate and enthusiastic Pals can provide:
  - Companionship chat, play board games, watch a movie, take a walk
  - Transportation appointments, grocery store, errands
  - Help around the house light cleaning, meal prep, organizing
  - Technology assistance computers, smartphones, tablets



#### **CDPHP Health Hub**



- Members get easy access to personalized programs designed to help achieve unique health and wellness goals
  - Can engage with resources that best fit their interests
  - Customized tips to help members eat healthy, stay active, reduce stress, and more
    - Digital coaching tool designed to help them make simple changes to routines
- Members can earn \$125 (PPO plans) or \$175 (HMO plans) in CDPHP Life Points Rewards, redeemable for gift cards, for completing healthy activities through the CDPHP Health Hub

#### **Diabetes Benefits**



- Partnership with Ascensia (Contour Next) to offer easy-to-use test strips and blood glucose meters
- Members receive one blood glucose monitor each year at no cost
- \$0 copay for 90-day supply of Contour Next blood glucose test strips when purchased at a network pharmacy
- All formulary insulin capped at \$35, applies to Part B and Part D



#### **CDPHP** Hospital to Home



- Established an in-house Patient Care Team and Customer Connect site at Ellis Hospital, St. Peter's Hospital, Samaritan Hospital, Albany Medical Center, and Saratoga Hospital.
- CDPHP clinical team and health care advocates work with hospital staff to coordinate members' care and provide personalized support.
- CDPHP medical directors are on-site to review members' care plans.
- Being admitted to a hospital often leaves people scared, confused, and full of questions. This collaboration ensures that patients get the best care and will lead to improved health care outcomes.



#### **Additional Value-Added Benefits**



- Doctor On Demand live video doctor visits available 24/7
- Fitness and wellness options No-cost SilverSneakers membership, plus free access to additional gyms including CDPHP<sup>®</sup> Fitness Connect at the Ciccotti Center
- Nutritional support and weight management including reimbursement up to \$100 for participating in a qualified weight loss program like WW or Noom
- Landmark Healthcare in-home care from licensed clinicians for members with multiple chronic conditions residing in specific counties
- Members receive 14 meals at no cost after an inpatient stay at a hospital, skilled nursing, or rehab facility
  - Additional chronic care program available for members identified through care management





## 2025 Pharmacy Updates

Joe Durse

#### Part D Changes



- Coverage Gap:
  - Eliminated in 2025
- Initial Coverage:
  - Copayments or coinsurance are applied for the first \$2,000 in total prescription costs.
- Catastrophic Coverage:
  - Once total drug costs have reached the \$2,000 out-of-pocket max for Part D drugs, members pay nothing for covered Part D drugs

#### **Prescription Benefit Updates**



At preferred retail locations such as ConnectRx, Market 32/Price Chopper, Walmart, Hannaford, Walgreens, Kinney Drugs, Rite Aid, Giant Foods, Food Lion, and more.





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#### Part D Assistance Programs



#### Elderly Pharmaceutical Insurance Coverage (EPIC)

- New York state program that provides secondary drug coverage and premium assistance for seniors with Medicare Part D
- Allows members to make a one-time plan change per year (SEP)
- Low-income subsidy (LIS) through Social Security
  - A reduction in Part D premium and cost-sharing for prescription drug copays
  - LIS SEP removed in 2025 for MAPD plan enrollment
  - Gain, loss, or change in LIS still valid to use as SEP

#### Premium Assistance

 This free service provides Medicare Advantage members assistance with determining potential eligibility for Medicare savings programs and enrolling in the Medicare Part D Extra Help/Low-Income Subsidy



## Medicare Prescription Payment Program (M3P)

Stephanie Kozak

#### Medicare Prescription Payment Program (M3P)



- New payment option that works with drug coverage to help manage out-of-pocket drug costs by spreading them across the calendar year
- This program does not lower drug costs or save money
- Members do not pay when picking up prescription drugs
  - Members will receive a monthly bill, but payments can change every month, making it difficult to predict payment amounts
- All plans must offer, but member participation is voluntary
- Must be fully enrolled in a Medicare Advantage plan to opt in

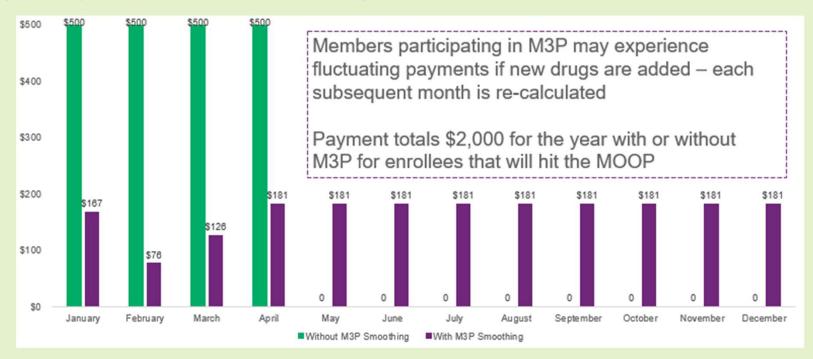
CapitalRx is handling enrollment

• This is a post-enrollment activity

#### M3P – Who Can it Help?



 Members with high drug costs earlier in the calendar year with T4-T5 drugs may benefit from this program

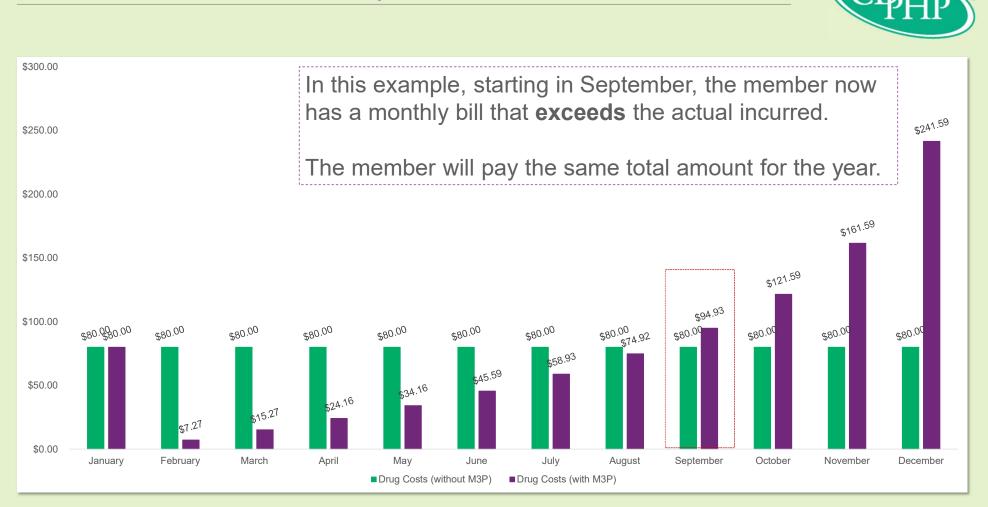


#### M3P – Not the Right Fit for Everyone



- M3P is likely not a good fit for a member if they have
  - Low yearly drug costs
  - Equal drug costs each month (lower than \$167 per month)
  - Enrollment after September
  - No desire to change how they pay for drugs
  - Or are eligible for Extra Help from Medicare or MSP
  - Help paying for their drugs from other organizations like a SPAP, coupon, or other health coverage

#### M3P – Who Doesn't it Help?





# Your Partnership with CDPHP

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#### **Broker Services at Your Fingertips**



- You can get
  - Quick, easy service from knowledgeable CDPHP staff
  - Help with application questions, submissions, tracking, etc.
  - Medicare eligibility checks
  - Resources about benefits and coverage
- Contact the Medicare Broker Hotline at 518-641-5285 or email Medicare\_inside\_sales@cdphp.com
  - Quickest response time

#### **Broker Resources**



- Contracting and commission inquiries
  - <u>Medicare\_broker\_services@cdphp.com</u>
- Medicare Broker Playbook



- Plan highlights
- Plan cost comparison worksheet
- Resource links and contact information

- Electronic enrollment options offered through Destination Rx
- Send a quote via email. Your prospect can review the plan details and click on a personalized enrollment link, ensuring you get credit for the sale.
  - Click to sign. After speaking with a prospect, you can pre-fill an application and send them a text message or an email to e-sign
- Paper applications can be emailed to <u>Medicare inside sales@cdphp.com</u> or faxed to (518) 641-5006
- Applications should be received by CDPHP within 24 hours of your receipt





#### 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter SEP Process



- Good news CDPHP is no longer making phone calls for earlier effective dates!
  - All agents should clearly document in Salesforce or in their records the enrollee does not want an earlier effective date
  - Applies to both paper and electronic application submissions

#### **Compliance Reminders**



- As a CDPHP representative, you are responsible to report any potential Medicare-related fraud
- CDPHP will not tolerate any form of retaliation against an individual for reporting an issue in good faith

#### **CDPHP Reporting Paths**

- Contact CDPHP Medicare compliance officer and director at (518) 641-5275 or email <u>Dennis.Schoonmaker@cdphp.com</u>
- Anonymous reporting via the CDPHP fraud/compliance hotline at 1-800-280-6885

#### **Other Reminders and Updates**



- Literature Requests
  - www.cdphp.com/brokerrequest
- Commissions
  - Members with no break in CDPHP coverage will be paid as cycle year two monthly renewal
- HRA incentive payments stop with October 1, 2024 plan effective date
- Recommend logging into DRx, MCM/Salesforce, and Evolve before October 1



## Questions?