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Document Columns Defined

Benchmark Part D Plan Column

Code	Explanation
B	Part D benchmark plan that is affiliated with a Medicare Advantage Health Plan (Part C).
S	Part D benchmark plan that is not affiliated with a Medicare Advantage Health Plan (Part C). Also known as a stand-alone benchmark plan.
N	Part D plan that is not a benchmark plan

Part D Excess Premium Amount (with Full Premium Assistance) Column

The amount listed, if any, is the amount of the Medicare Part D premium for which an MA client receiving Extra Help is responsible, even if covered by a Part C Advantage Plan. This is the amount in excess of the benchmark amount. This amount can be applied as a medical expense.

Part C – Medicare Advantage Health Plan Column

A “Yes” in this column indicates that the Medicare Part D benefits are being received in conjunction with a Medicare Advantage Health Plan (Part C).

Part C Premium Amount

The amount listed, if any, is the amount of the Medicare Part C premium for which the client is responsible. This amount can be applied as a medical expense, in addition to the Part D excess amount found in the Part D Excess Premium Amount column.

Note: The total premium amount for which the client is responsible is the Medicare Advantage Plan (Part C) premium amount plus the amount listed in the Part D Excess Premium Amount column.

Special Needs Plan (SNP)

An “X” in one of the three columns indicates that the plan is an SNP for that managed care product.

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						M S H O	S N B C	C D S N P
Aetna	Medicare CVS Pharmacy PDP	S	\$0.00					
Aetna	Medicare RX Premier	N	\$39.50					
BCBS	MedicareBlue PPO	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$73.10			
BCBS	MedicareBlue Rx Standard	N	\$3.70					
BCBS	MedicareBlue Rx Premier	N	\$68.60					
Blue Plus	Secure Blue	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$0.00	X		
Bravo Health	BravoRx	N	\$3.20					
Cigna	Medicare Rx Plan One	S	\$0.00					
Cigna	Medicare Rx Plan Two	N	\$33.40					
EnvisionRx	Plus Silver	S	\$0.00					
EnvisionRx	Plus Gold	N	\$34.80					
First Health	Part D Premier	S	\$0.00					
First Health	Part D Premier Plus	N	\$64.90					
First Health	Value Plus	N	\$23.50					
Health Net	Orange Option 1	N	\$14.60					
Health Net	Value Orange Option 2	N	\$48.00					
HealthPartners	Classic MSHO	N	\$0.00	Yes	\$0.00	X		
HealthPartners	Freedom Balance with Rx (COST)	N	\$2.00	Yes	\$93.00			
HealthPartners	Freedom Ultimate with Rx (COST)	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$138.00			

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HealthPartners	Freedom Ultimate with Enhanced Rx (COST)	N	\$173.00	Yes	\$138.00			
HealthPartners	Freedom Vital with Rx (COST)	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$53.00			
HealthSpring	Prescription Drug Plan	N	\$2.70					
Humana	Choice (005)	N	\$0.00	Yes	\$31.00			
Humana	Choice (021)	N	\$0.00	Yes	\$33.70			
Humana	Choice (022)	N	\$0.00	Yes	\$16.30			
Humana	Choice (028)	N	\$3.70	Yes	\$70.30			
Humana	Choice (051)	N	\$0.00	Yes	\$53.90			
Humana	PDP Complete	N	\$70.50					
Humana	PDP Enhanced	N	\$10.50					
Humana	Gold Choice PFFS	N	\$9.40	Yes	\$44.60			
Humana	Walmart - Preferred Rx Plan	S	\$0.00					
Itasca Medical Care	IMCare Classic	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$0.00	X		
Medco	Medicare Prescription Plan - Choice	N	\$61.80					
Medco	Medicare Prescription Plan – Value	S	\$0.00					
Medica	Clear Solution with Part D Option 1	N	\$2.40	Yes	\$224.30			
Medica	Clear Solution with Part D Option 3	N	\$62.10	Yes	\$249.00			
Medica	Complete Solution - Chronic Lung Disorders	N	\$0.00	Yes	\$155.70			X
Medica	Complete Solution - Dementia	N	\$11.50	Yes	\$209.70			X

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Medica	Complete Solution-Diabetes, Cardio Dis & HF	N	\$0.00	Yes	\$123.70			X
Medica	Dual Solution	N	\$0.00	Yes	\$0.00	X		
Medica	Prime Solution Basic with Part D Option 1 (COST)	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$79.00			
Medica	Prime Solution Basic with Part D Option 2 (COST)	N	\$12.70	Yes	\$79.00			
Medica	Prime Solution Basic with Part D Option 3 (COST)	N	\$65.80	Yes	\$79.00			
Medica	Prime Solution Enhanced with Part D Option 1 (COST)	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$129.00			
Medica	Prime Solution Enhanced with Part D Option 2 (COST)	N	\$8.80	Yes	\$129.00			
Medica	Prime Solution Enhanced with Part D Option 3 (COST)	N	\$65.80	Yes	\$129.00			
Medica	Prime Solution Thrift with Part D Option 1 (COST)	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$29.00			
Medica	Prime Solution Value Part D Option 1 (COST)	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$59.00			
Medica	Prime Solution Value Part D Option 2 (COST)	N	\$10.20	Yes	\$59.00			
Medica	Prime Solution Value Part D Option 3 (COST)	N	\$65.80	Yes	\$59.00			
Metropolitan Health Plan	Metropolitan Health Plan MSHO	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$0.00	X		
Metropolitan Health Plan	North Star Cornerstone Solutions	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$0.00		X	
PrimeWest	Prime Health Complete	B	\$0.70	Yes	\$0.00		X	
PrimeWest	Senior Health Complete	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$0.00	X		

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Silverscript	CVS Caremark Plus	N	\$42.60					
Silverscript	CVS Caremark Value	S	\$0.00					
South Country Health Alliance	Ability Care	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$0.00		X	
South Country Health Alliance	SeniorCare Complete	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$0.00	X		
Sterling Life	Windsor Rx	S	\$0.00					
UCare	UCare for Seniors Classic-POS	N	\$16.50	Yes	\$103.20			
UCare	Ucare for Seniors Standard-POS	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$46.70			
UCare	UCare for Seniors Value Plus-POS	N	\$11.80	Yes	\$67.40			
UCare	UCare MSHO	B	\$0.00	Yes	\$0.00	X		
Unicare	MedicareRx Rewards Standard	N	\$16.50					
Unicare	MedicareRx Rewards Plus	N	\$59.10					
United American	United American Preferred	N	\$20.30					
United American	United American Select	N	\$2.70					
United Healthcare	AARP Medicare Rx Enhanced	N	\$55.30					
United Healthcare	AARP Medicare Rx Preferred	N	\$5.90					
Universal American	Community CCRx Basic	S	\$0.00					
Universal American	Community CCRx Choice	N	\$51.60					
WellCare	Classic	N	\$3.40					
WellCare	Signature	N	\$41.50					