



Senior Care
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Rx Best Start Member Meeting 2025

Meeting Materials

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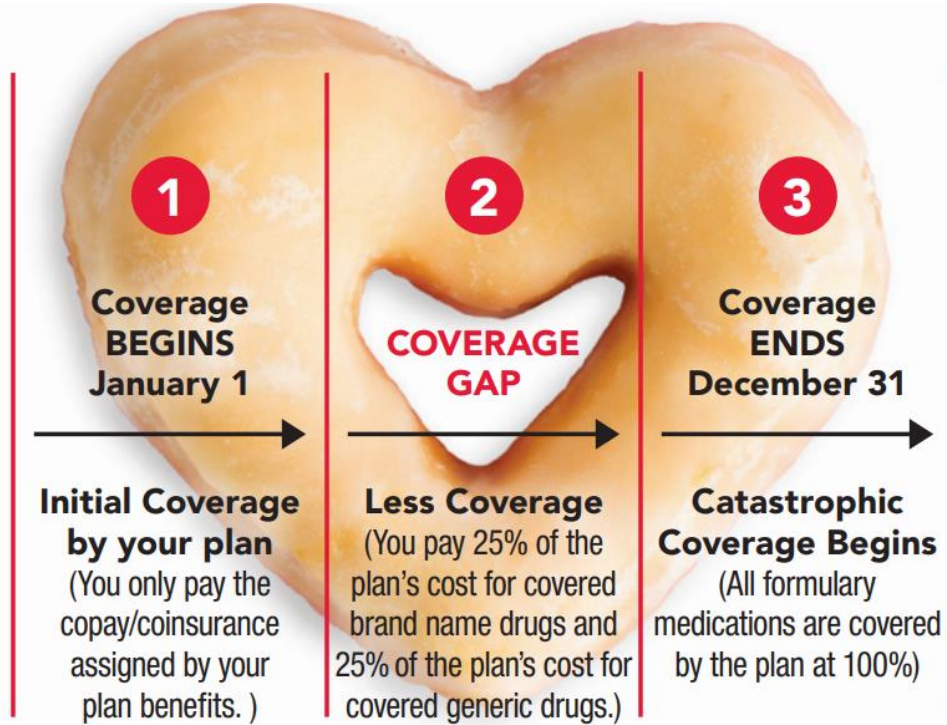
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Maximize Savings: So Long, Coverage Gap!

2024



2025

Initial Coverage Stage

You pay:
Copay or
Co-Insurance
We Pay:
The Rest

*When Member's
out of Pocket
spend reaches
\$2,000*

Catastrophic Coverage Stage

You pay:
\$0
We pay:
100%

- Non-Covered Prescriptions do not count toward the Max Out of Pocket

Inflation Reduction Act & Part D

Cap out-of-pocket costs at \$2,000 a year for **covered** prescription drugs.

Cap **covered** insulin copays at \$35 for a 30 day supply.

Makes **covered** vaccines free, with no out-of-pocket costs. Need to be given at a pharmacy to be free.

- Shingrix
- Tdap
- Hep A and B
- Meningococcal

Maximize Savings: M3P (Medicare Prescription Payment Program)

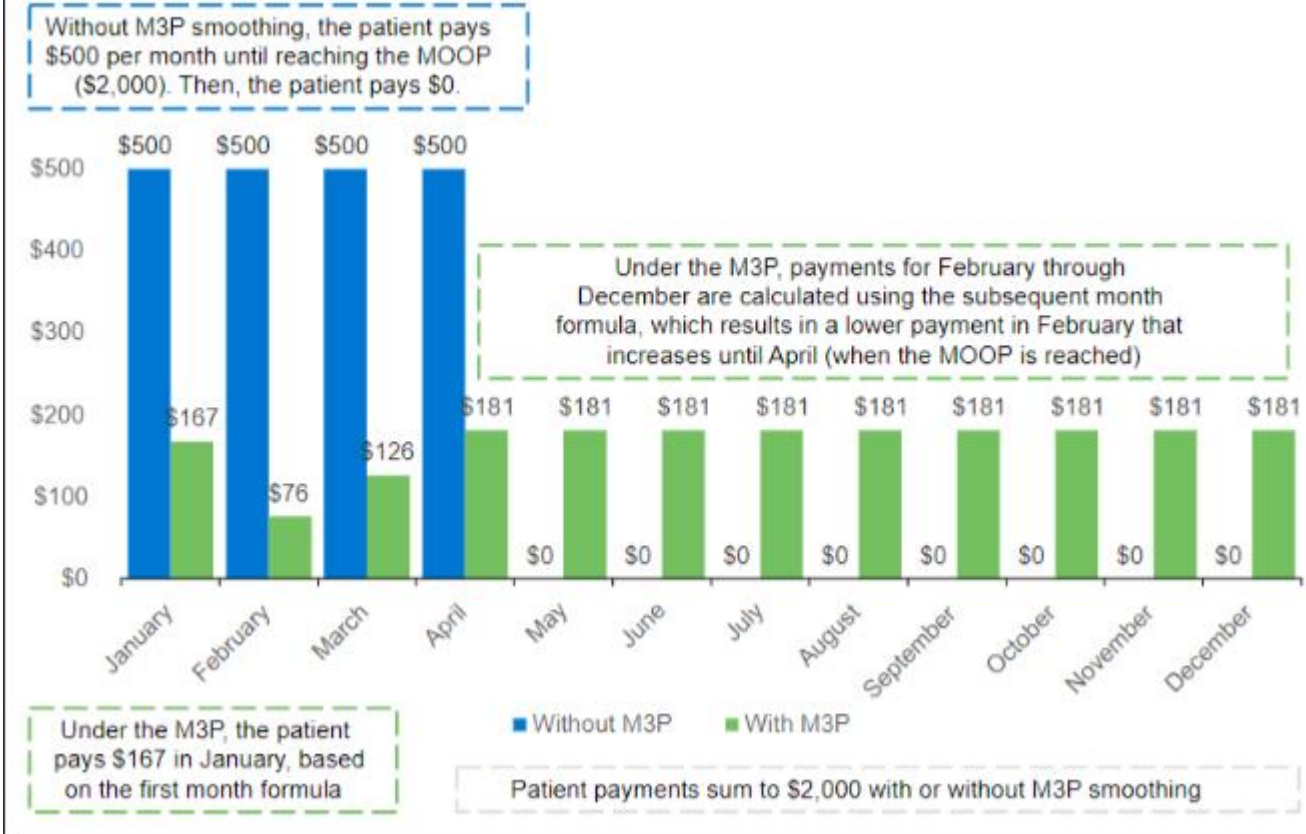
Medicare Prescription Payment Plan

The Medicare Prescription Payment Plan (M3P) is a new payment option to help you manage your out-of-pocket Medicare Part D drug costs by spreading them across the calendar year (January–December).

- This payment option might help you manage your monthly expenses
- Each month you'll continue to pay your health or drug plan premium (if you have one), and you'll get a bill from Optum to pay for your prescription drugs (instead of paying the pharmacy).
- Participating in this payment option is voluntary, and it doesn't cost anything to participate.
- **Want to sign up today? Call Renown Pharmacy at 775-982-5280 and they will assist.**

Example:

Figure 1: Cost sharing calculation for monthly \$500 out-of-pocket cost



Maximize Savings: M3P (Medicare Prescription Payment Program)

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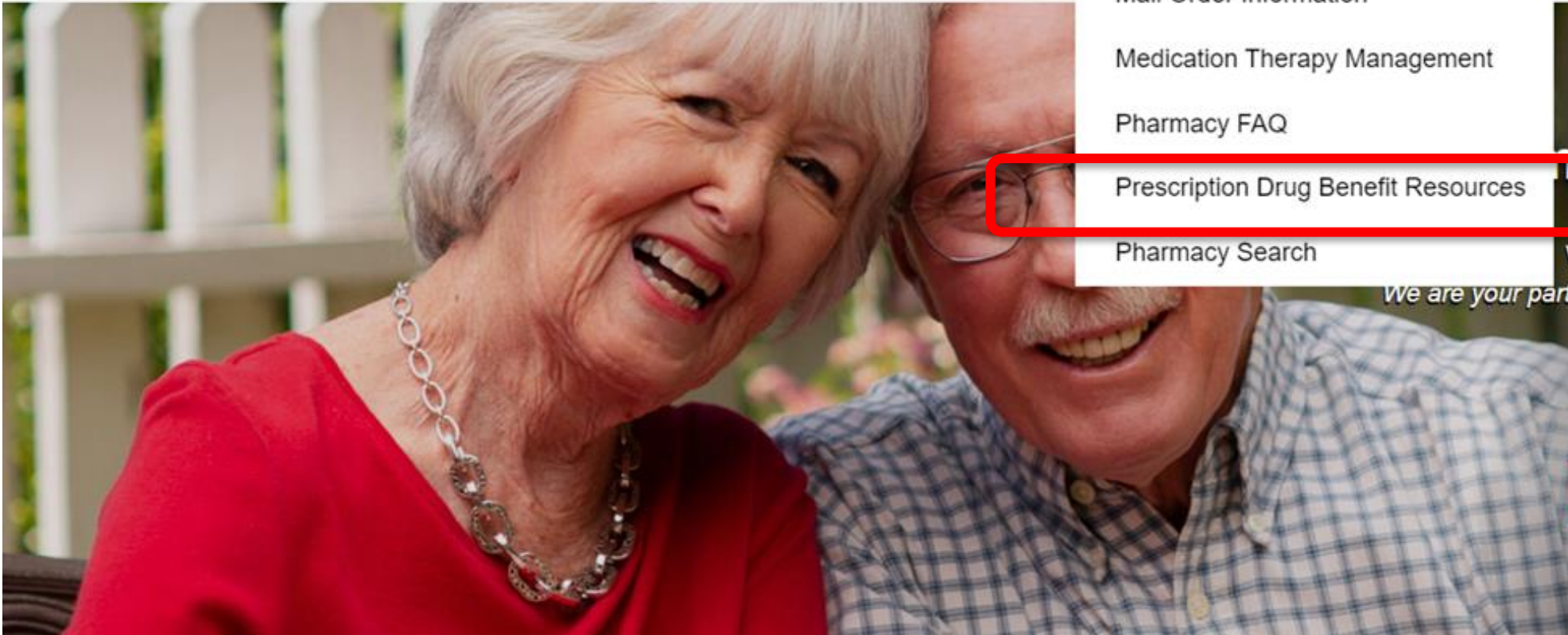
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Maximize Savings: M3P (Medicare Prescription Payment Program)



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Understanding Your Prescription Drug Benefits



Explore Our Comprehensive Guide On Prescription Drug Benefits.

At Senior Care Plus, we provide the latest resources and information to help you make informed decisions about your health. From understanding your prescription drug coverage to finding cost-saving opportunities, we're here to support you.

The following are resources and forms to help you better understand and manage your Part D prescription drug coverage:

[VISIT OPTUM RX FORMULARY PAGE](#)

- [Best Available Evidence](#)
- [Request for Coverage Determinations Part D Appeal Rights](#)
- [Form to Request for Part D Prescription Drug Coverage Redetermination \(PDF\) Updated 01/19](#)
- [Prescription Drug Transition Policy](#)

- [Optum Perks Card Information](#)
- [Personal Medication List \(PDF\)](#)
- [Accu-Check Meter Flyer](#)
- [One Touch Meter Flyer](#)
- [Medicare Prescription Payment Plan](#)

Maximize Savings: Manufacturer Assistance Programs

Manufacturer assistance programs, also known as patient assistance programs (PAPs), can help people afford prescription drugs. These programs are offered by pharmaceutical companies, nonprofit organizations, and government agencies. Some programs offer complete coverage, while others provide a discount.

Income guidelines for manufacturer assistance programs for medications vary by program. Most drug company-sponsored programs consider income when determining eligibility, and the majority require proof of income, such as tax returns.

Medications that we commonly find assistance for:

- **Blood Thinners:** Xarelto, Eliquis
- **Cancer:** Revlimid, Orgovyx, Verzenio, Ibrance
- **COPD inhalers:** Advair, Breztri, Breo Ellipta,
- **Diabetes:** Trulicity, Rybelsus, Ozempic, Mounjaro, Januvia, Farxiga, etc.
- **Specialty/Other:** Entresto, Opsumit, Ofev, Repatha, Skyrizi, Humira, Forteo

*Note if you are not eligible for patient assistance, we can also work with your provider to find a more affordable alternative medication

*Contact your Senior Care Plus Personal Assistant or customer service if you want more information

Maximize Savings: Optum Perks Card

What is it for?

- Discount Card
- Prescriptions ***not*** covered by Senior Care Plus
- “Lifestyle” Medications
- Does not count toward your \$2,000 Out of Pocket Max
- Sent to Every Senior Care Plus Member
- No additional cost
- Not for OTC's, only prescription medications

How does it work?

- Use the search tool on the Optum Perks website or on our mobile app to find coupons for your prescription medications. Show the discount coupons to your pharmacist and save up to 80% on the price of your prescriptions without using insurance.



How to get to Optum portal

Go to Optumrx.com

[Home](#)

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Welcome to Optum Rx

Sign in to your Optum Rx account using HealthSafe ID to order prescriptions, pay your bill, manage your health information and more.

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Don't have an account yet? [Register](#) to get started.



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Maximize Savings: Optum Rx Tools

The screenshot displays the Optum Rx website interface. At the top, the logo 'Optum Rx' is on the left, and the user name 'John' with a dropdown arrow is on the right. Below the logo is a navigation bar with links: Home, My prescriptions, Order status, Member tools (with a dropdown arrow), Specialty pharmacy, Information center (with a dropdown arrow), Benefits and claims (with a dropdown arrow), My profile, and a Cart icon with a '0' notification. A dropdown menu is open under 'Member tools', listing 'Drug pricing and information' (highlighted with a yellow border and a blue circle '5'), 'Drug list tool', 'Pharmacy locator' (with a blue circle '7'), and 'My medication reminders'. Below the navigation bar, a 'Welcome, John' message is followed by a profile section for 'John' stating 'You manage 2 household members.' and a 'Choose' link. The main content area features a 'Quick actions' section with four large buttons: 'Place an order' (with a blue circle '1'), 'My prescriptions' (with a blue circle '2'), 'Order status' (with a blue circle '3'), and 'Price a drug' (with a blue circle '3' and a red circle around the button). To the right of these buttons is a vertical sidebar with a 'Member tools' header and three buttons: 'Drug search', 'Home delivery' (with a blue circle '6'), and 'Pharmacy locator'. Other blue circles are present: '4' above 'Benefits and claims', '8' above 'My profile', and '5' above 'Drug pricing and information'.

Price a drug: Precision pricing technology is built into our tools. Whether you look up a new drug or select one of your current drugs, you will see a listing of pharmacies with the best price for the medication selected, as well as a lower cost alternative.

Making it Easy: Renown Mail Order



Switch today!

Renown Mail Order Pharmacy

Hometown Health and Senior Care Plus's Superior Pharmacy Partner

- NEW location in South Reno at Renown South Meadows Medical Center
- Free mail service with 100-day supply for (2) months co-pay
- Integrated with MyChart, you can: refill requests, prescription status and vaccine appointment scheduling

Three convenient pharmacy locations in Reno:

- 75 Pringle Way, Suite 102 (Next to Starbucks at Renown Regional medical Center)
- 21 Locust St.
- 10101 Double R Blvd. (at Renown South Meadows Medical Center)

Making it Easy: Auto-Refills

What is the benefit?

- Save yourself time!
- Save yourself money!
- Less lines in your life
- Promotes better health and wellbeing

How does it work?

- Sign up using the QR code
- Call the Renown pharmacy to sign up
775-982-7737
- Pick specific medications or all your medications
- Medications are automatically filled and mailed



Sign up today!



Making it Easy: Mail Order Myth Busters

Myth: Mail-order pharmacies take too long to deliver prescriptions.

Reality: While delivery times can vary, many mail-order pharmacies offer fast shipping, with options like next-day or two-day delivery in some cases. Additionally, many major mail-order pharmacies offer tracking systems so patients can monitor the progress of their orders.

Myth: You can't speak to a pharmacist at a mail-order pharmacy.

Reality: Most reputable mail-order pharmacies provide access to licensed pharmacists. Customers can typically contact a pharmacist by phone, email, or online chat for advice, questions, and consultations about their medications.

Myth: You lose personal contact with healthcare providers when using a mail-order pharmacy.

Reality: You can still have regular consultations with your healthcare provider when using a mail-order pharmacy. In fact, mail-order services often complement your doctor's care by providing reminders, medication tracking, and easy access to support, all of which contribute to better treatment adherence and management of health conditions.

Fact Alert: You will always pay less using the Renown pharmacy

Renown Pharmacy Home Delivery



- **Can't make it to the pharmacy?** No worries! **Renown Pharmacy** will deliver your medication the same day, right to your door.
- **Same-Day & Next-Day Delivery:** Charges vary based on your zip code and delivery speed.
- **Free Delivery for Specialty Patients:** **Renown Pharmacy** offer **FREE delivery** for specialty prescriptions to ensure you get the care you need without the hassle.
 - Call Renown Pharmacy at (775)982-5280

Refill synchronization

- Again, make your life easier!
- **Call your Senior Care Plus Personal Assistant to sign up**
- They will work in collaboration with your pharmacy to time your medications
- If you don't have an assistant you can call customer support

Prescription Synchronization

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A calendar for the month of May. The days of the week are labeled: Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat. Medication refills are represented by pill bottle icons on the following dates: 4 (Monday), 11 (Monday), 18 (Monday), 25 (Monday), 6 (Tuesday), 14 (Wednesday), 22 (Thursday), and 30 (Thursday).

With Prescription Synch



A calendar for the month of June. The days of the week are labeled: Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat. Medication refills are represented by pill bottle icons on the following dates: 1 (Sunday), 8 (Sunday), 15 (Sunday), 22 (Sunday), 29 (Sunday), 14 (Saturday), and 20 (Friday).

At the bottom of the image, there are three green human icons on the left, each carrying a tray with two pill bottles, representing the Senior Care Plus Personal Assistant. On the right, there is one green human icon carrying a tray with two pill bottles, representing the customer support.

Prior Authorizations!!



- Requires a provider to submit why a medication is necessary
- Helps ensure medication prescribed is medically necessary
- Promotes cost effectiveness
- Encourages adherence to treatment guidelines
- Reduces healthcare costs for all

Thank you!

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