

Overview of Changes to Eight Part D 2015 Marketing Models

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1	Explanation of Benefits (EOB)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated for 2015 (e.g., 2015 Part D benefit parameters, dates). • Clarified in instructions to Sections 1 and 4 that Part D EOB does not include drugs and supplies covered under Medicare Parts A or B; Part C plans that have A/B coverage; or otherwise. • Clarified disclaimer instructions by adding more detail and removing reference to alternate language translation. • <i>07 30 14: In Section 2, Chart Stage 3, clarified language for plans offering standard or enhanced gap coverage.</i> • <i>07 30 14: Appendices: Released with revisions incorporating the above changes.</i>
2	Excluded Provider Model	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minor clarification of instructions. • Clarified disclaimer instructions by adding more detail.
3	Formulary (Abridged/ Comprehensive)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>07 30 14: Revised to clarify use with single tier formularies (e.g., defined standard plans).</i> • <i>05 05 14: Cover page: added carets to formulary to indicate when applicable that plan covers only “<some of>” the drugs listed (e.g., abridged formularies).</i> • Added revision date references to front and back cover language. • Added language for sponsors to use when PA and/or step therapy apply to advise enrollees they can find utilization management documents on web or request copies. • Clarified miscellaneous instructions including that sponsors need not explain symbols and abbreviations on every page, but may direct enrollees to page with explanation. • Clarified disclaimer instructions by adding more detail--including clarifying applicability of MMG §50.4 regarding non-English translations.
4	LIS Premium Summary Sheet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clarified disclaimer instructions by adding more detail.
5	LIS Rider	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated for 2015 (e.g., 2015 Part D benefit parameters, dates). • Clarified disclaimer instructions by adding more detail and clarifying applicability of MMG §50.4 regarding non-English translations.
6	Pharmacy Directory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Edits to cover pages (added contract year; revision dates). • Revised to reference preferred or standard <i>cost-sharing</i> rather than <i>pharmacies</i>. • <i>07 30 14: Corrected the following service area disclaimers:</i> Clarified language regarding service areas and geographic subsets.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Updated sections on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> retail pharmacies (clarified policy on chains versus retail pharmacies regarding telephone and TTY numbers); and <i>07 30 14: Revised mail order language to reflect most recent policy: mail order pharmacies (inserted introductory language; and provided more information on the service, including estimated date of delivery and contact information).</i> Clarified disclaimer instructions by adding more detail--including clarifying applicability of MMG §50.4 regarding non-English translations.
7	Prescription Transfer Letter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clarified disclaimer instructions by adding more detail and removing reference to alternate language translation.
8	Transition Letter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Updated to include existing policy on quantity ranges. Streamlined and otherwise edited for clarification. Provided more detail on disclaimer instructions--including clarifying applicability of MMG §50.4 regarding non-English translations. <i>07 30 14: Removed incorrect reference to formulary (MMG § 60.5) disclaimer.</i>