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Frequently asked questions.

What is a Pharmacy Benefit Manager (PBM)?

MedImpact is your PBM. A PBM administers the pharmacy portion of your healthcare benefits, as defined by your plan sponsor.

We work with your plan sponsor and your network pharmacies to provide timely, important information about your medicine, including how to take it, potential side effects, any lower-cost drug options, and more.

With MedImpact, you can fill your prescriptions with ease and convenience using one of three options:

- 1. A Retail Pharmacy** There are thousands of retail pharmacies in our network. Visit our Pharmacy Locator Tool at www.medimpact.com to find one near you.
- 2. MedImpact Direct® for Maintenance Medications** Skip the line at the pharmacy. MedImpact Direct makes getting your long-term prescriptions easy. MedImpact Direct delivers your long-term prescriptions to your door!
- 3. MedImpact Direct Specialty™ for Specialty Medications** "Specialty medications" are more complex, and are often used to treat chronic conditions. The MedImpact Direct Specialty program delivers specialty medications to where you need them.

Your ID card.

How Do I Use My ID Card?

A: You can find your pharmacy benefit information on your medical ID card. Use it to fill your prescription at the pharmacy counter or to register for an online account. Make sure to show your pharmacist your new ID card so they can update their information. Your pharmacist will need this information to process any prescriptions.

Can I Use My Member ID Card in Another State?

A: Yes. If you are traveling and you need to fill a prescription, you can use your card at any pharmacy in your pharmacy network to fill a prescription. To find a pharmacy that is part of your pharmacy network, click on the Pharmacy Locator link that is in the menu bar and enter your criteria.

Formulary and benefit design.

What is a Formulary?

A: There may be more than one drug that can treat your condition. Your plan sponsor can "prefer" certain drugs that are just as effective and appropriate. These drugs are called "formulary/preferred product" and may be offered at a lower cost. Ask your doctor if a formulary/preferred drug would be right for you.

What is a Pharmacy Benefit Plan?

A: A pharmacy benefit plan refers to coverage of specific pharmacy-related products and services as defined by a plan sponsor.

Prescription cost.

How Much is the Copay for My Medication?

A: The copay for your medication depends on the medication type and your health plan.

Where Can I Get My Prescription Filled for the Lowest Cost?

A: Participating network pharmacies can fill prescriptions for covered medications at the lowest cost. In-network pharmacies agree to set prices for products and services covered by your plan. To find network pharmacies, use our Pharmacy Locator tool at www.medimpact.com.

Pharmacies.

Can I Get My Medication at a Pharmacy That Does Not Take Part in My Plan?

A: Yes, but it may not be at the lowest price possible. If you choose to buy a covered drug at a non-network pharmacy for your plan, you may have to pay a higher amount or even the entire cost.

Where Can I Find an In-Network Pharmacy?

A: MedImpact contracts with more than 64,000 pharmacies in the nation, which makes it easy to find a network pharmacy. Not all pharmacies will be included in your pharmacy network, but finding a pharmacy that is in-network is easy. You can find an in-network pharmacy by searching the Pharmacy Locator tool at www.medimpact.com.

Medications.

What is A Generic Medication?

A: A product that has the same active ingredient(s), is the same strength, and the same dosage form as its brand-name drug. It is referred to by its chemical name and is often made available when the patent on the brand-name drug ends.

What is a Specialty Medication?

A: Your pharmacy benefit may include some products that are called "specialty" medications. Most of these medicines need to be injected or need special care when shipping, such as refrigeration. As a result, you may be required to use a specific specialty pharmacy to get specialty medication.

About MedImpact

MedImpact is a pharmacy benefit manager who works with your health plan to get you the medication you need. Our goal is to make it as easy as possible for you by working with your health plan and pharmacy to provide timely and essential information about your medicine, including how to take it correctly, potential side effects, any lower-cost drug options, and more.

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Prior authorizations.

What is a Prior Authorization (PA)?

A: Plan sponsors sometimes require specific drugs to be reviewed against a set of criteria to determine if the plan will cover the medication. The PA process looks at whether or not a member meets the criteria for coverage.

To check on the status of a prior authorization, call MedImpact customer center toll-free, at 1-800-788-2949.

What is Step Therapy?

A: Step therapy is a type of prior authorization that requires you to try a more cost-effective and safe drug before a more costly or risky drug will be covered.

MedImpact Direct.®

What is MedImpact Direct?

A: MedImpact Direct is an easy-to-use home delivery program for mail-order prescriptions. We deliver your maintenance medications (those you take regularly for an extended period of time) right to your door. Our goal is to make it as easy as possible for you to get the medications you need without having to go to a retail pharmacy.

For more information on how to get started, visit www.medimpactdirect.com or see the enclosed brochure.

MedImpact Direct Specialty.™

What is MedImpact Direct Specialty?

A: The MedImpact Direct Specialty program provides access to specialty drugs for chronic and complex conditions. Whether the medication is new for you, or if you have been taking it for a while, the dispensing pharmacy will help you get the most from your medication.

For more information on how to get started, visit www.medimpactdirect.com or see the enclosed brochure.

Contact Us.

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