

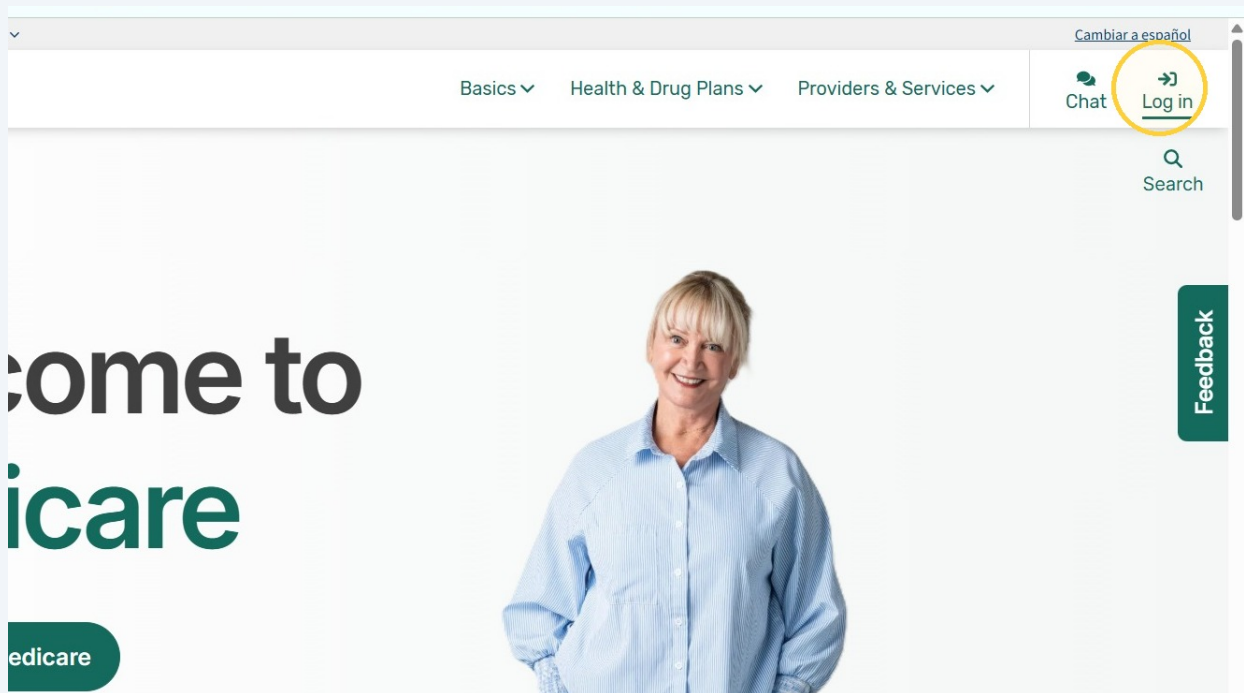
Updating / Adding Drug + Pharmacy info and Comparing Medicare Drug Plans

This guide walks you through how to update your prescription medications and preferred pharmacies on Medicare.gov, then compare available Part D plans based on your current medications and pharmacy choices. Use it during your annual Part D review to help identify the coverage and costs that best fit your needs for the upcoming year. See my "Part D How To" video for complete details, tips, recomendations, and illustarated explanations.

Medicare Login

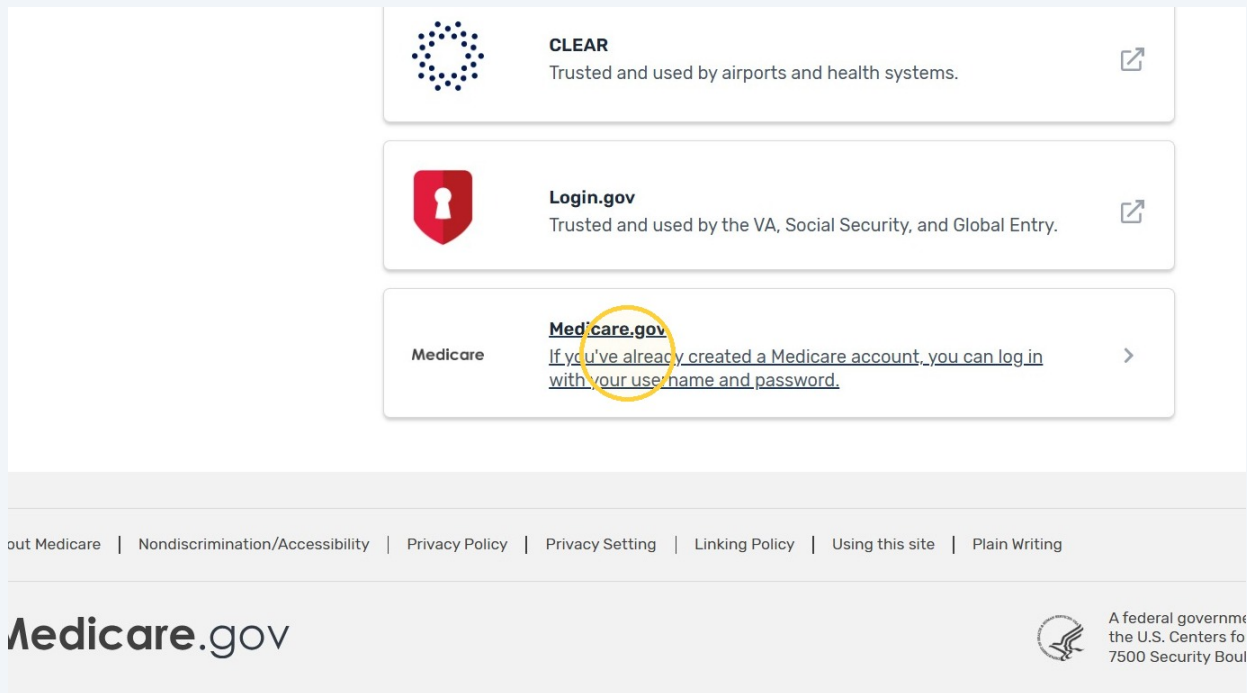
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[Medicare.gov](https://www.medicare.gov) home page > top right corner > Click "Log in"



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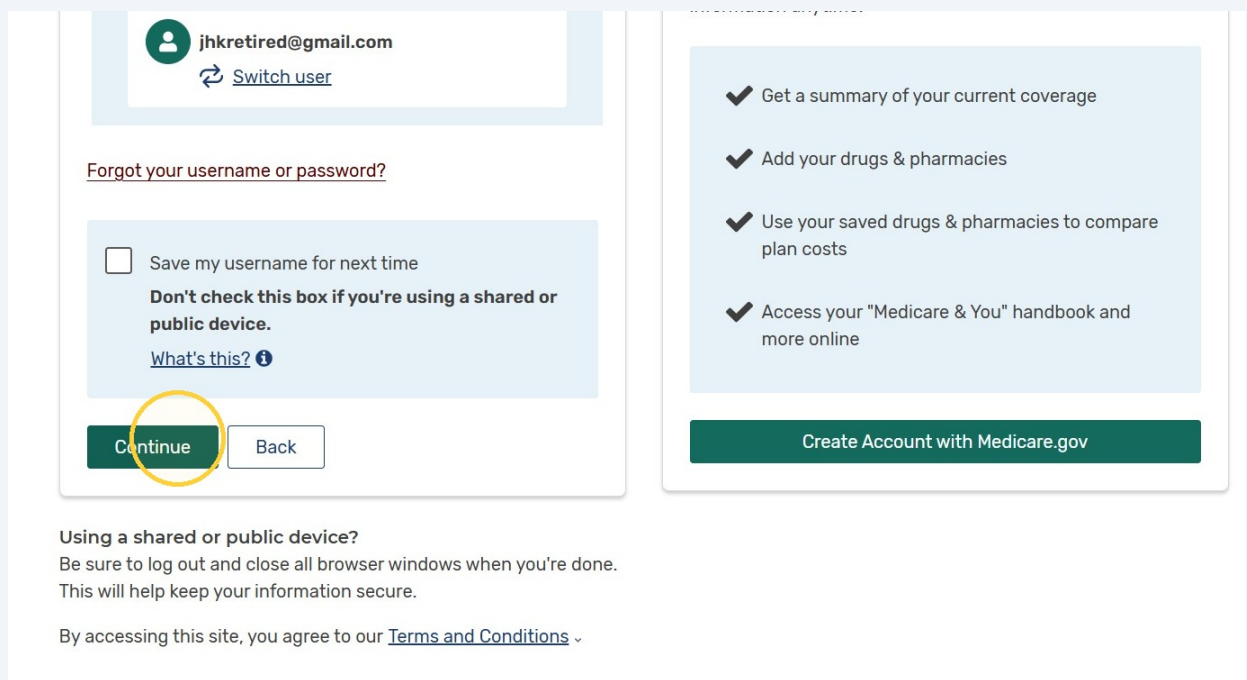
You can use any login tool you've already created or you can bypass and scroll down to [Medicare.gov](https://www.medicare.gov) this is to login OR create your acct



The screenshot shows the Medicare.gov login page. At the top, there are three login options: CLEAR (Trusted and used by airports and health systems.), Login.gov (Trusted and used by the VA, Social Security, and Global Entry.), and Medicare.gov (If you've already created a Medicare account, you can log in with your username and password.). The Medicare.gov option is circled in yellow. Below the login options, there is a footer with links: out Medicare | Nondiscrimination/Accessibility | Privacy Policy | Privacy Setting | Linking Policy | Using this site | Plain Writing. At the bottom, the Medicare.gov logo is displayed, along with the text "A federal government the U.S. Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services 7500 Security Boulevard".

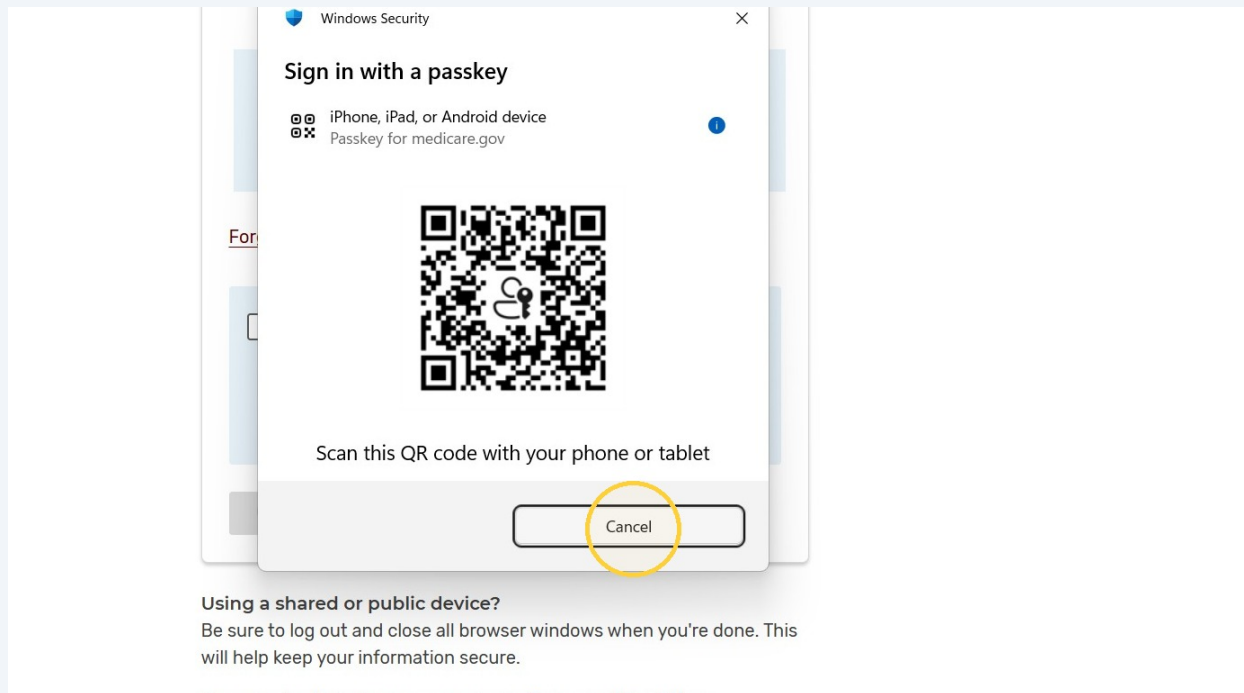
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I am using an established acct so I Click "Continue"



The screenshot shows the Medicare.gov login page. At the top, there is a user profile section with the email address jhkretired@gmail.com and a link to Switch user. Below this, there is a link to Forgot your username or password?. A checkbox labeled Save my username for next time is present, with a warning: Don't check this box if you're using a shared or public device. Below the checkbox is a link to What's this? with an information icon. The Continue button is circled in yellow. To the right of the login section, there is a list of benefits: Get a summary of your current coverage, Add your drugs & pharmacies, Use your saved drugs & pharmacies to compare plan costs, and Access your "Medicare & You" handbook and more online. Below this list is a button labeled Create Account with Medicare.gov. At the bottom, there is a section titled Using a shared or public device? with instructions to log out and close all browser windows when done. It also states that by accessing the site, the user agrees to the Terms and Conditions.

4 If you have "Passkey" set up you can use it, to bypass >Click "Cancel"



5 Enter your password and Click "Log in"

A screenshot of a login form. The "Username" field contains the email address "jhkretired@gmail.com". The "PASSWORD" field is masked with dots and has a "Show" button to its right. Below the password field is a link that says "Forgot your username or password?". At the bottom of the form are two buttons: "Log in" (highlighted with a yellow circle) and "Back". Below the form, there is a security notice: "Using a shared or public device? Be sure to log out and close all browser windows when you're done. This will help keep your information secure." followed by a statement: "By accessing this site, you agree to our [Terms and Conditions](#)". The footer of the page contains a series of links: "About Medicare", "Nondiscrimination/Accessibility", "Privacy Policy", "Privacy Setting", "Linking Policy", "Using this site", and "Plain Writing".

Account Setup

6 You will see your "account home page" > Click "Open all options"

Welcome, John!

What do you want to do?



Go digital: Get your "Medicare & You" handbook and Medicare Summary Notices electronically.

Go digital



Check my claims



Get my electronic Medicare Summary Notices (eMSNs)



Get my Medicare card



Pay my premium



Edit my account settings



Open all options



Your plans

7 Click "Update my saved pharmacies"

What do you want to do?



Providers & services



Check my providers



Find providers



Check my preventive services



Update my saved pharmacies



Update my saved drugs

Claims & deductibles



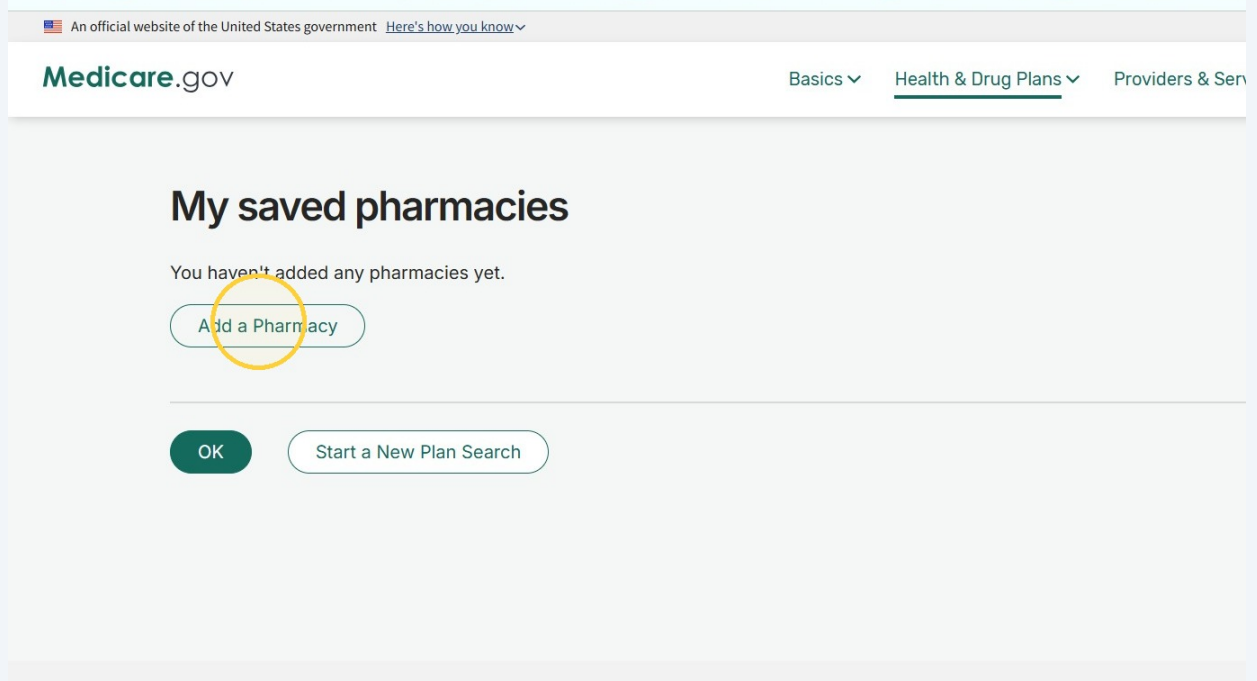
Get my electronic Medicare Summary Notices (eMSNs)

Go digital

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Pharmacy Selection

- 8 You can (and should) add FIVE pharmacies > Click "Add a Pharmacy"



9 I always add "Mail-order Pharmacy" > Click/ Check "Add"

Showing 1 to 10 of 23 pharmacies near 48306

Mail-order Pharmacy

Add both mail-order and retail pharmacies to find the lowest cost.

Add ☐

1 Health Hero Pharmacy

6700 N Rochester Rd Suite 101, Rochester Hills, MI 48306
(248) 601-1178

Add ☐

2 Health Hero Pharmacy

6700 N Rochester Rd Suite 101, Rochester Hills, MI 48306
(248) 601-1178

Add ☐

3 Rochester Hills Pharmacy

6700 N Rochester Rd Ste 101, Rochester Hills, MI 48306
(248) 601-1178

Add ☐

10 Then I add 3 large chain pharmacies > "Meijer Pharmacy #685" > "Add"

(248) 601-1178

Rochester Hills Pharmacy

6700 N Rochester Rd Ste 101, Rochester Hills, MI 48306
(248) 601-1178

Add ☐

Meijer Pharmacy #685

1495 N Rochester Rd, Rochester Hills, MI 48307
(248) 218-4330

Add ☐

Walgreens #9085

1490 N Rochester Rd, Rochester, MI 48307
(248) 601-1584

Add ☐

CVS Pharmacy #08234

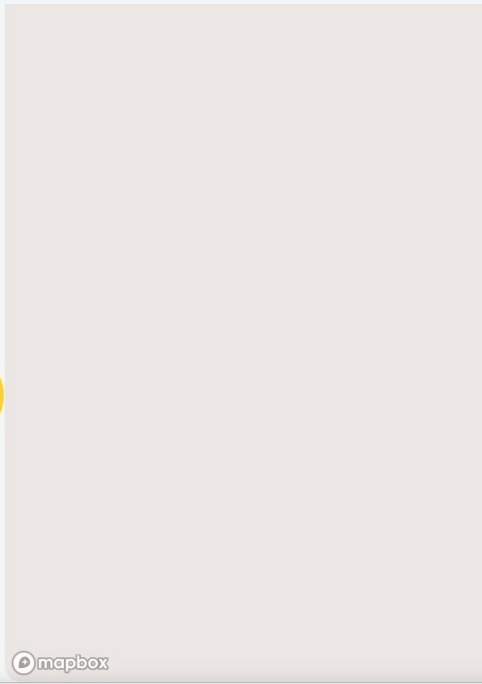
4816 N Adams Rd, Oakland Township, MI 48306
(248) 276-5063

Add ☐

Kroger Pharmacy #650

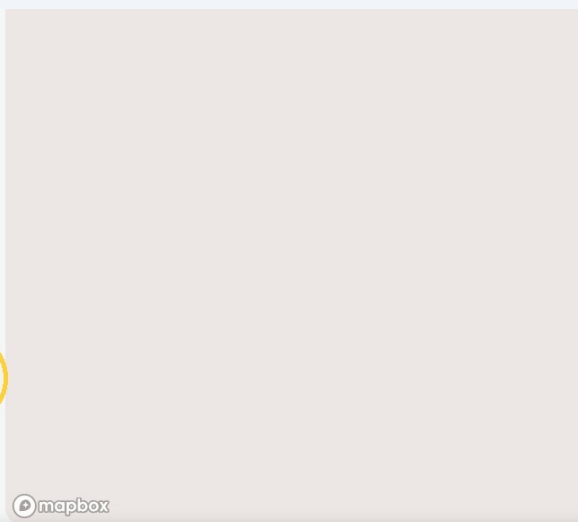
11 Choose another > "Walgreens #9085" > "Add"

3	Rochester Hills Pharmacy 6700 N Rochester Rd Ste 101, Rochester Hills, MI 48306 (248) 601-1178	Add ☐
4	Meijer Pharmacy #685 1495 N Rochester Rd, Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 218-4330	Added ☒
5	Walgreens #9085 1490 N Rochester Rd, Rochester, MI 48307 (248) 601-1584	Add ☐
6	CVS Pharmacy #08234 4816 N Adams Rd, Oakland Township, MI 48306 (248) 276-5063	Add ☐
7	Kroger Pharmacy #650	Add ☐



12 As you add you can see them listed on the bottom > "CVS Pharmacy #08234" > Add"

Meijer Pharmacy #685 1495 N Rochester Rd, Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 218-4330	Added ☒
Walgreens #9085 1490 N Rochester Rd, Rochester, MI 48307 (248) 601-1584	Added ☒
CVS Pharmacy #08234 4816 N Adams Rd, Oakland Township, MI 48306 (248) 276-5063	Add ☐
Kroger Pharmacy #650	Add ☐



Up to 5 pharmacies to find the plan with the lowest cost for your drugs.

5 X Walgreens #9085 X Mail Order Pharmacy X

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And I like to add a local option > "Health Hero Pharmacy" > "Add" ...you can also adjust the distance in miles from your zipcode (see top right corner) or you can type in a specific pharmacy name to search

Your location	Pharmacy name (optional)	Distance
48306		5 miles

[Use current location](#) [Use home address](#)

Showing 1 to 10 of 23 pharmacies near 48306

Mail-order Pharmacy

Add both mail-order and retail pharmacies to find the lowest cost.

Added ☒

1 Health Hero Pharmacy

6700 N Rochester Rd Suite 101, Rochester Hills, MI
48306
(248) 601-1178

Add ☐

4 of 5 selected • Add up to 5 pharmacies to find the plan with the lowest cost for your drugs.

Meijer Pharmacy #685 ✕

Walgreens #9085 ✕

CVS Pharmacy #08234 ✕

Mail Order Pharmacy ✕

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When you have all 5 selected > Click "Continue" (bottom right corner)

- Rochester

5, Rochester, MI 48307

Add ☐

mapbox

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1

2

3

Next >

plan with the lowest cost for your drugs.

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CVS Pharmacy #08234 ✕

Health Hero Pharmacy ✕

Mail Order Pharmacy ✕

Continue

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Feedback

15 Because we still need to add meds we > Click "OK"

6700 N Rochester Rd Suite 101, Rochester Hills, MI 48306

[Remove pharmacy](#)

Add Another Pharmacy

OK Start a New Plan Search

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<https://www.medicare.gov/my/home>

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16 That returned you back to your "Account Home > Click "Open all options"

Welcome, John!

What do you want to do?

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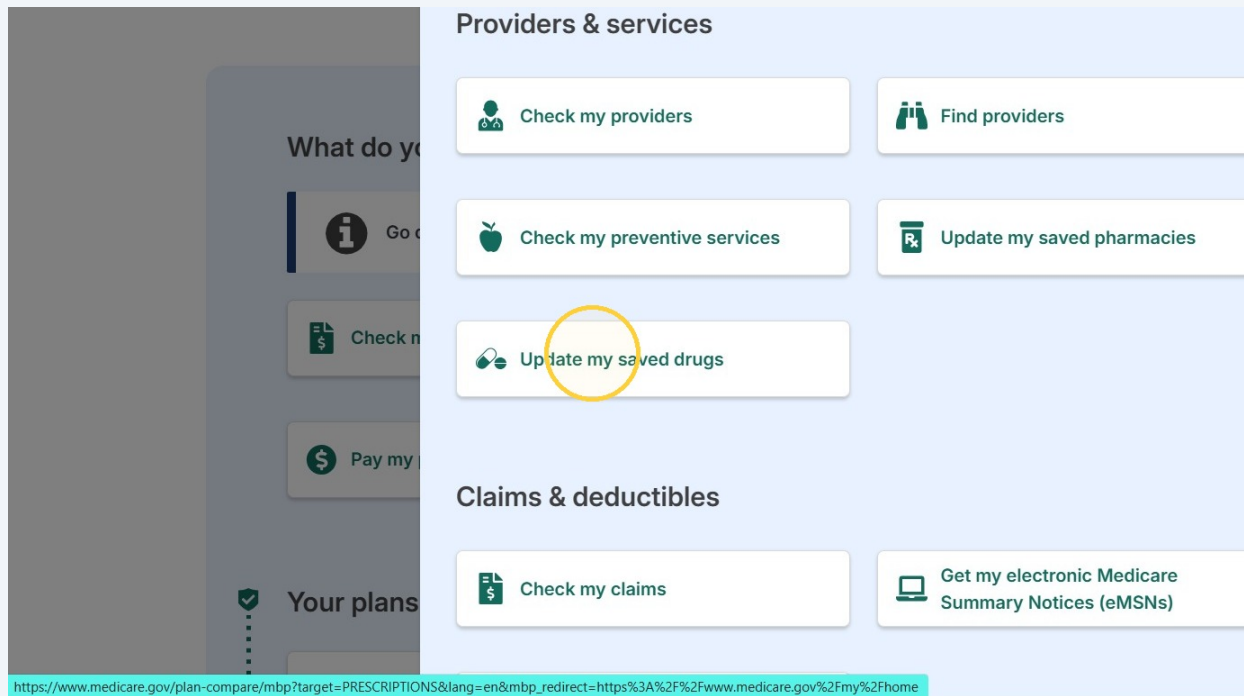
 Check my claims  Get my electronic Medicare Summary Notices (eMSNs)  Get my Medicare card

 Pay my premium  Edit my account settings  Open all options

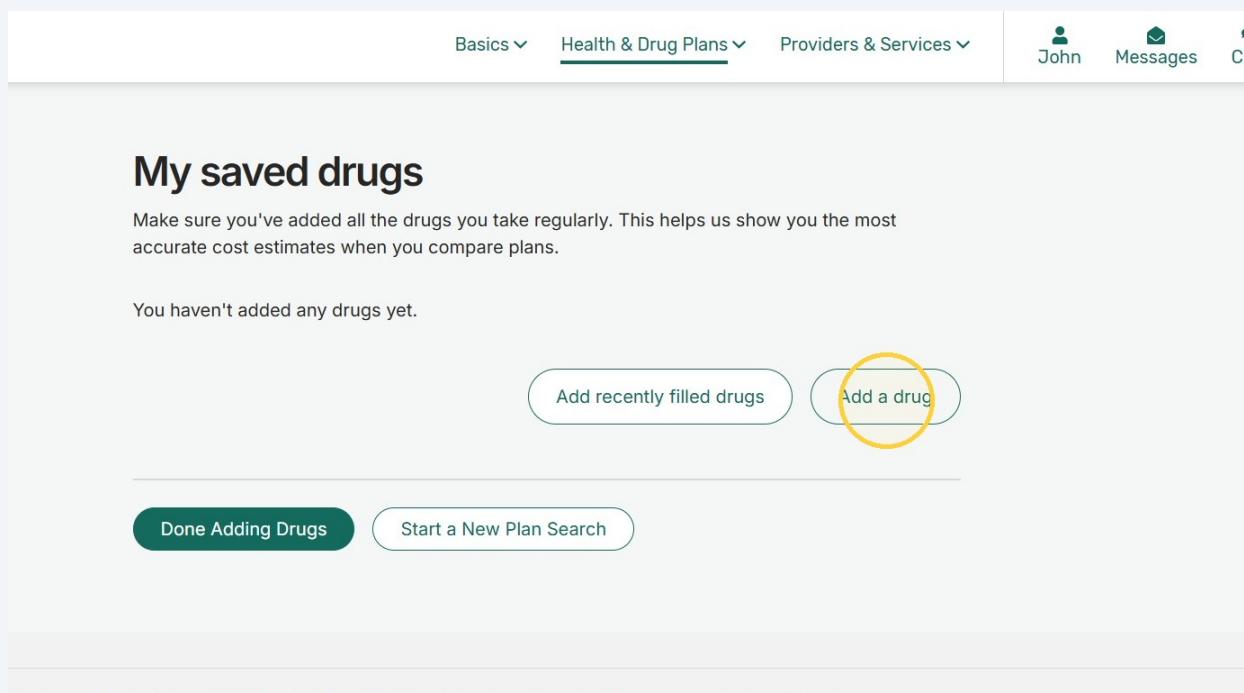
Your plans

Drug List Setup

17 Now we add meds > Click "Update my saved drugs"



18 You can use the "Add Recently Filled Drugs", or edit what you already have listed... if those are not applicable OR if you need to add something new > Click "Add a drug"



19

Start typing out your 1st drug (Lantus is my 1st example) > Type Lantus in the drug search field > select from the drop down

Add your drugs

Drug prices vary between plans. Add all the prescription drugs you take regularly to get the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.

Begin typing to find & select your drug.

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Add your drugs

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Begin typing to find & select your drug.

- Lantus
- Lanoxin
- Dexilant
- Lasix
- Lampit

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20 Click "Add" to get your dosage & refil options

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Health & Drug Plans ▾

Providers & Services ▾

John

Messages

Chat

Log out

Add your drugs

Prices vary between plans. Add all the prescription drugs you take regularly to get the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.

Start typing to find & select your drug.

Add

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21 Select your dosage > My example "100unit/ml solution pen injector"

Add Lantus

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

100unit/ml solution pen injector

Select a dosage

100unit/ml solution

✓ 100unit/ml solution pen injector

Frequency

Every month

Add to my drug list

22 Select package if applicable > My example "3ml pen (sold in pack of 5) Package"

Add Lantus

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

100unit/ml solution pen injector

Package

3ml pen (sold in pack of 5)

✓ 3ml pen (sold in pack of 5)

3ml pen

Frequency

Every month

Add to my drug list

23 How long does it take "me" to go through a pkg of 5? My example "I use" one a week so I would have to stay with 1 pkg per month > Click "Add to my drug list"

Add Lantus

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

100unit/ml solution pen injector

Package

3ml pen (sold in pack of 5)

Quantity

1

Frequency

Every month

Add to my drug list

24 That takes you back to your saved drugs > Click "Add another drug"

My saved drugs

Make sure you've added all the drugs you take regularly. This helps us show you the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.

Be sure your drug list is up-to-date to get the most accurate estimate of your drug costs when looking at plans.

Lantus 100unit/ml solution pen injector (3ml pen
(sold in pack of 5))

Quantity 1 • Frequency Every month

Edit

Remove

Add recently filled drugs

Add another drug

Done Adding Drugs

Start a New Plan Search

25 Repeat the process > my next example if Metformin HCL > Type the next drug name in the drug search field.

[← Back to drug list](#)

Add your drugs

Drug prices vary between plans. Add all the prescription drugs you take regularly to get the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.

Begin typing to find & select your drug.

Q

Add

[Browse drugs A-Z](#) | [Can't find your drug? ⓘ](#)

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Add your drugs

Drug prices vary between plans. Add all the prescription drugs you take regularly to get the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.

Begin typing to find & select your drug.

Add

metformin / saxagliptin

dapagliflozin / metformin

metformin / pioglitazone

metformin hydrochloride

Metadate

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26 Click "Add"

[Back to drug list](#)

Add your drugs

Drug prices vary between plans. Add all the prescription drugs you take regularly to get the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.

Begin typing to find & select your drug.

Add

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27 Choose YOUR dosage > My example "1000mg tablet Dosage"

Add metformin hydrochloride

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

1000mg tablet

500mg/5ml solution

500mg tablet

625mg tablet

750mg tablet

850mg tablet

✓ 1000mg tablet

Frequency

Every month

Add to my drug list

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28 Enter the number of pills YOU get & how long those last you > My example "Every 3 Months" Frequency

Add metformin hydrochloride

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

500mg tablet

Quantity

100

Frequency

Every month

✓ Every month

Every 2 months

Every 3 months

Every 6 months

Every 12 months

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29 Click "Add to my drug list"

Add metformin hydrochloride

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

500mg tablet

Quantity

100

Frequency

Every 3 months

Add to my drug list

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30 Continue that process ... This is what a saved drug list will look like in your [Medicare.gov](https://www.medicare.gov) portal

My saved drugs

Make sure you've added all the drugs you take regularly. This helps us show you the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.

Be sure your drug list is up-to-date to get the most accurate estimate of your drug costs when looking at plans.

Lantus 100unit/ml solution pen injector (3ml pen
(sold in pack of 5))

Quantity 1 • Frequency Every month

Edit

Remove

Metformin hydrochloride 500mg tablet

Quantity 100 • Frequency Every 3 months

Edit

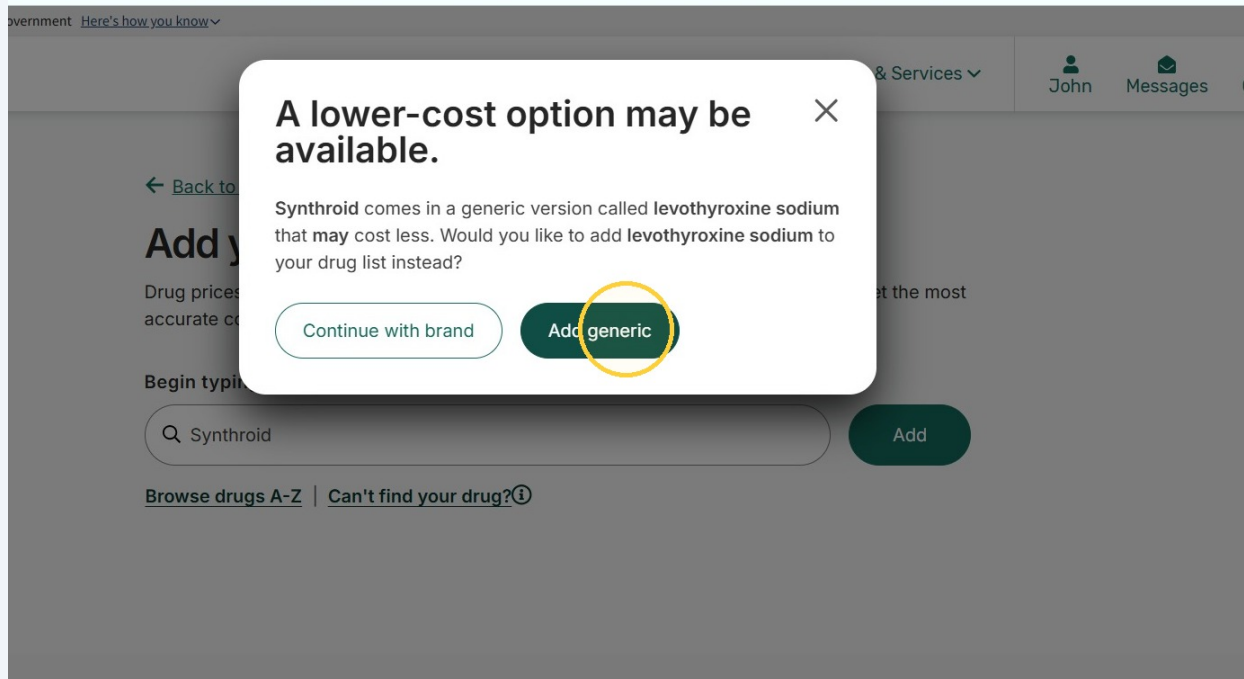
Remove

Add recently filled drugs

Add another drug

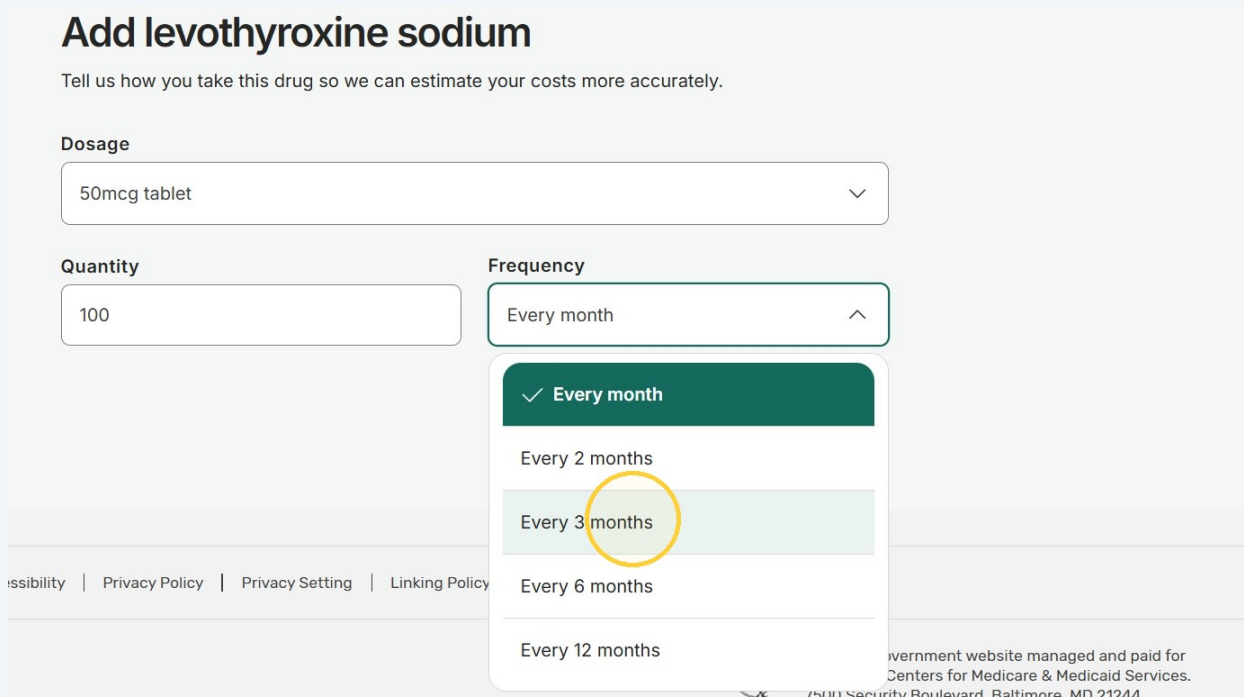
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If you type in the brand name and there is a generic available, Medicare will automatically ask if you want to "add generic" instead... this is typically the less expensive option > Click Add generic or Continue with Brand if need be



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I added the generic in My Example > and I changed the quantity + Frequency to 100 every 3 months > Click "Quantity"



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I added Atorvastatin & Omeprazole to my drug list (without showing the repetitive steps)... now I am adding inhalers > Click "Add another drug"

The screenshot shows a list of four drugs, each in a white card with rounded corners. Each card contains the drug name, quantity, frequency, and two buttons: 'Edit' and 'Remove'. The drugs listed are:

- (sold in pack of 5))
Quantity 1 • Frequency Every month
- Levothyroxine sodium 50mcg tablet
Quantity 100 • Frequency Every 3 months
- Metformin hydrochloride 500mg tablet
Quantity 100 • Frequency Every 3 months
- Omeprazole 20mg capsule delayed release
Quantity 14 • Frequency Every month

At the bottom of the list are two buttons: 'Add recently filled drugs' and 'Add another drug'. The 'Add another drug' button is circled in yellow.

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My next example is ProAir > Type the next drug name in the drug search field.

The screenshot shows the 'Add your drugs' section of a website. At the top is a link '← Back to drug list'. Below it is the heading 'Add your drugs' followed by a paragraph: 'Drug prices vary between plans. Add all the prescription drugs you take regularly to get the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.' Below this is the instruction 'Begin typing to find & select your drug.' followed by a search input field with a magnifying glass icon. The input field is circled in yellow. To the right of the input field is a green 'Add' button. Below the input field are two links: 'Browse drugs A-Z' and 'Can't find your drug? ⓘ'. At the bottom of the page is a footer with several links: 'About Medicare', 'Nondiscrimination/Accessibility', 'Privacy Policy', 'Privacy Setting', 'Linking Policy', 'Using this site', and 'Plain Writing'.

Drug prices vary between plans. Add all the prescription drugs you take regularly to get the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.

Begin typing to find & select your drug.

Q pro

Add

Prosol

Prolia

ProAir

Provera

Procrit

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Search



35 Click "Add"

[Back to drug list](#)

Add your drugs

Drug prices vary between plans. Add all the prescription drugs you take regularly to get the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.

Begin typing to find & select your drug.

ProAir

Add

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My example > Click "108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol powder Dosage"...(also only dosage offered)

Add ProAir

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol powder

Select a dosage

✓ 108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol powder

Quantity

1

Frequency

Every month

Add to my drug list

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My Example & only option > Click "Box of 1 aerosol powder Package"

Add ProAir

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol powder

Package

Box of 1 aerosol powder

✓ Box of 1 aerosol powder

Frequency

Every month

Add to my drug list

38 My Example I use 1 each month > Click "Add to my drug list"

Add ProAir

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol powder

Package

Box of 1 aerosol powder

Quantity

1

Frequency

Every month

Add to my drug list

39 Click "Add another drug"

Metformin hydrochloride 500mg tablet

Quantity 100 • Frequency Every 3 months

Edit

Remove

Omeprazole 20mg capsule delayed release

Quantity 14 • Frequency Every month

Edit

Remove

Proair 108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol powder (Box of 1 aerosol powder)

Quantity 1 • Frequency Every month

Edit

Remove

Add recently filled drugs

Add another drug

Done Adding Drugs

Start a New Plan Search

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Last med is Albuterol rescue inhaler >Type the next drug name in the drug search field.

[← Back to drug list](#)

Add your drugs

Drug prices vary between plans. Add all the prescription drugs you take regularly to get the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.

Begin typing to find & select your drug.

[Add](#)

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Add your drugs

Drug prices vary between plans. Add all the prescription drugs you take regularly to get the most accurate cost estimates when you compare plans.

Begin typing to find & select your drug.

[Add](#)[albuterol](#)[levalbuterol](#)[albuterol / ipratropium](#)

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All 3 options say "Albuterol sulfate hfa 108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol solution" so you have to look for another feature that differentiates them

Add albuterol

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

Albuterol sulfate hfa 108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol solution

Select a dosage

✓ Albuterol sulfate hfa 108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol solution

Albuterol sulfate hfa 108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol solution

Albuterol sulfate hfa 108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol solution

Frequency

Every month

Add to my drug list

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In this case it is the package one is 6.7gm inhaler

Add albuterol

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

Albuterol sulfate hfa 108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol solution

Package

6.7gm inhaler

Quantity

1

Frequency

Every month

Add to my drug list

43 One is 18gm and this one (My Example) is an 8.5gm inhaler

Add albuterol

Tell us how you take this drug so we can estimate your costs more accurately.

Dosage

Albuterol sulfate hfa 108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol solution

Package

8.5gm inhaler

Quantity

1

Frequency

Every month

Add to my drug list

44 I actually use this rescue inhaler and it lasts me 12 months > Click " Every 12 Months" then "Add to my drug list"

Albuterol sulfate hfa 108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol solution

Package

8.5gm inhaler

Quantity

1

Frequency

Every month

✓ Every month

Every 2 months

Every 3 months

Every 6 months

Every 12 months

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Plan Search

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Now that we have updated Pharmacies AND Drugs > Click "Start a New Plan Search"

Omeprazole 20mg capsule delayed release

Quantity 14 • Frequency Every month

[Edit](#)[Remove](#)

Proair 108 (90 Base)mcg/act aerosol powder (Box of 1 aerosol powder)

Quantity 1 • Frequency Every month

[Edit](#)[Remove](#)[Add recently filled drugs](#)[Add another drug](#)[Done Adding Drugs](#)[Start a New Plan Search](#)

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Click "Find Plans Now"

(PDP)

drug cost for the rest of

Total mail order pharmacy drug cost for the rest of 2026

\$365.99

lowest price saved retail

Estimated using your saved mail order pharmacy

ugs

Covers 5 of 7 saved drugs

Explore your coverage options

Consider health and drug plans or Medigap policies in Oakland, MI, 48306

[\(Change location\)](#)

[Find Plans Now](#)

Feedback

47 Confirm your information > Click "Continue"

The screenshot shows a 'Find Plans Now' modal form. At the top, it asks 'What's your ZIP code?' and 'Select the county you live in.' Below this is a text input field containing '48306'. To the right of the input field is a green 'Continue' button, which is circled in yellow. Below the input field are two radio button options: 'Macomb, MI' and 'Oakland, MI', with 'Oakland, MI' being selected. The background of the page is dimmed, showing a 'Humana Value Rx Plan' with a total monthly premium of '\$0.00' and a total retail pharmacy cost of '\$395.24'. On the right side of the background, there is a section titled 'Explore your coverage options' with a 'Find Plans Now' button.

Find Plans Now

What's your ZIP code?
Select the county you live in.

48306

☐ Macomb, MI ☒ Oakland, MI

Continue

Explore your coverage options

Consider health and drug plans or Medigap policies in Oakland, MI, 48306
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Find Plans Now

48 Select Medicare drug plan (Part D).

The screenshot shows a 'Find Plans Now' modal form. At the top, it asks 'What type of plan are you looking for?'. Below this are three radio button options: 'Medicare Advantage Plan (Part C)', 'Medicare drug plan (Part D)', and 'Medigap policy (supplement insurance)'. The 'Medicare drug plan (Part D)' option is circled in yellow. Below the options is a link: 'I want to compare coverage options before I see plans.' The background of the page is dimmed, showing a 'Humana Value Rx Plan' with a total monthly premium of '\$0.00' and a total retail pharmacy cost of '\$395.24'. On the left side of the background, there is a section titled 'Your current plan' with a 'View plan details' button.

Find Plans Now

What type of plan are you looking for?

☐ **Medicare Advantage Plan (Part C)**
A Medicare-approved plan from a private company that offers an alternative to Original Medicare (Part A & Part B) for your health and drug coverage. Most plans include prescription drug coverage.

☒ **Medicare drug plan (Part D)**
A Medicare-approved plan from a private company that helps cover your prescription drug costs.

☐ **Medigap policy (supplement insurance)**
Extra insurance you can buy from a private company to help pay your out-of-pocket costs that Original Medicare doesn't cover. Policies are standardized, and the basic benefits in each are the same. Most policies don't include prescription drug coverage.

[I want to compare coverage options before I see plans.](#)

Humana Value Rx Plan

Plan type: Drug plan (Part D)
Plan ID: S5884-192-0

Total monthly premium
\$0.00

Total retail pharmacy cost of 2026
\$395.24

Estimated using your saved mail order pharmacy
Covers 5 of 7 saved drugs

View plan details

49 Click "Find plans"

The screenshot shows a web interface for selecting Medicare plans. On the left, there are three radio button options: 'Medicare Advantage plan (Part C)', 'Medicare drug plan (Part D)' (which is selected and highlighted with a green border), and 'Medigap policy (supplement insurance)'. Each option has a brief description. Below these options is a link: 'I want to compare coverage options before I see plans.' At the bottom left of this section is a 'Back' button with a left arrow. At the bottom right is a dark green button labeled 'Find plans', which is circled in yellow. To the right of this panel is a grey sidebar containing the text 'Consider health and drug plans or Medigap policies in Oakland, MI, 48306', a '(Change location)' link, and a 'Find Plans Now' button. A vertical 'Feedback' button is on the far right of the sidebar. The bottom of the image shows a Windows taskbar with various application icons and a system tray on the right displaying the time '6:37 PM' and date '9/22/2026'.

Medicare Advantage plan (Part C)
A Medicare-approved plan from a private company that offers an alternative to Original Medicare (Part A & Part B) for your health and drug coverage. Most plans include prescription drug coverage.

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[Back](#) **Find plans**

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search [taskbar icons] 6:37 PM 9/22/2026

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The 1st plan on the list will be the one you're currently in (if applicable) ... You can compare that one but the best option will likely be the 1st plan listed BELOW your current policy > My Example it is Wellcare Value Script (PDP) **THE MOST IMPORTANT #s ARE THE 2 IN THE MIDDLE (\$325.28 & \$323.91) The monthly premium and deductible are important, yes, BUT the middle numbers represent your TOTAL estimated cost for the remaining full months in the year, with your deductible and monthly premium (if applicable) factored in. So this shows an estimated retail cost of \$325.28 (\$323.91 mail order) for October, November, & December 2026 > to see details click "see plan details"

\$615.00 Drug deductible

3 of 4 of your selected retail pharmacies are in-network

[View your pharmacies](#)

Total Drug & Premium Cost (for the rest of 2026)

\$325.28 Retail pharmacy: Estimated total drug + premium cost

Drugs

\$323.91 Mail-order pharmacy: Estimated total drug + premium cost

[View drugs & their costs](#)

Monthly Premium

\$0.00 Includes: Only drug coverage

[See plan details](#)

[Enroll](#)

☐ Add to compare

HealthSpring Assurance Rx (PDP)

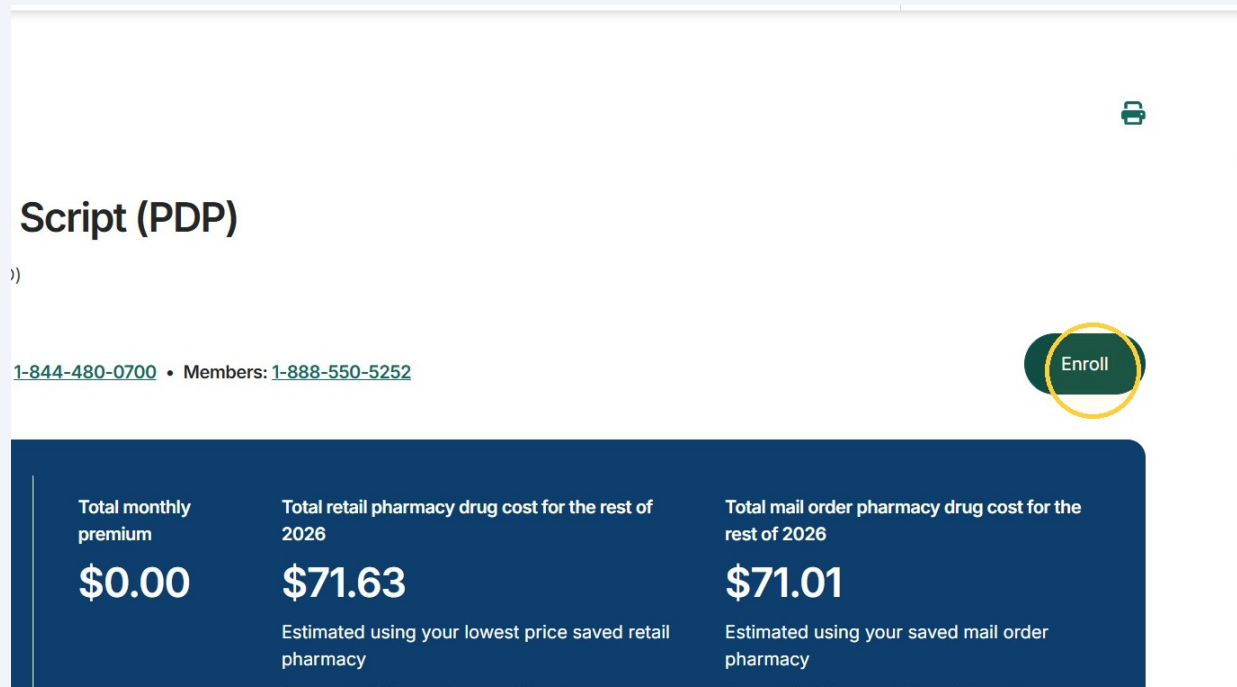
HealthSpring | Plan ID: S5617-221-0

Star rating: ★

Plan Enrollment

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My "How To Part D" video shows changes I made to lower the cost and details what to look for while scrolling through the plan details but that vocal illustration is too cumbersome to show in its entirety screen-shot by screen-shot After you have reviewed the plan information and are satisfied with the selection > Click "Enroll" while in the plan's details (my example Wellcare Value Script PDP) upper right corner



Script (PDP)

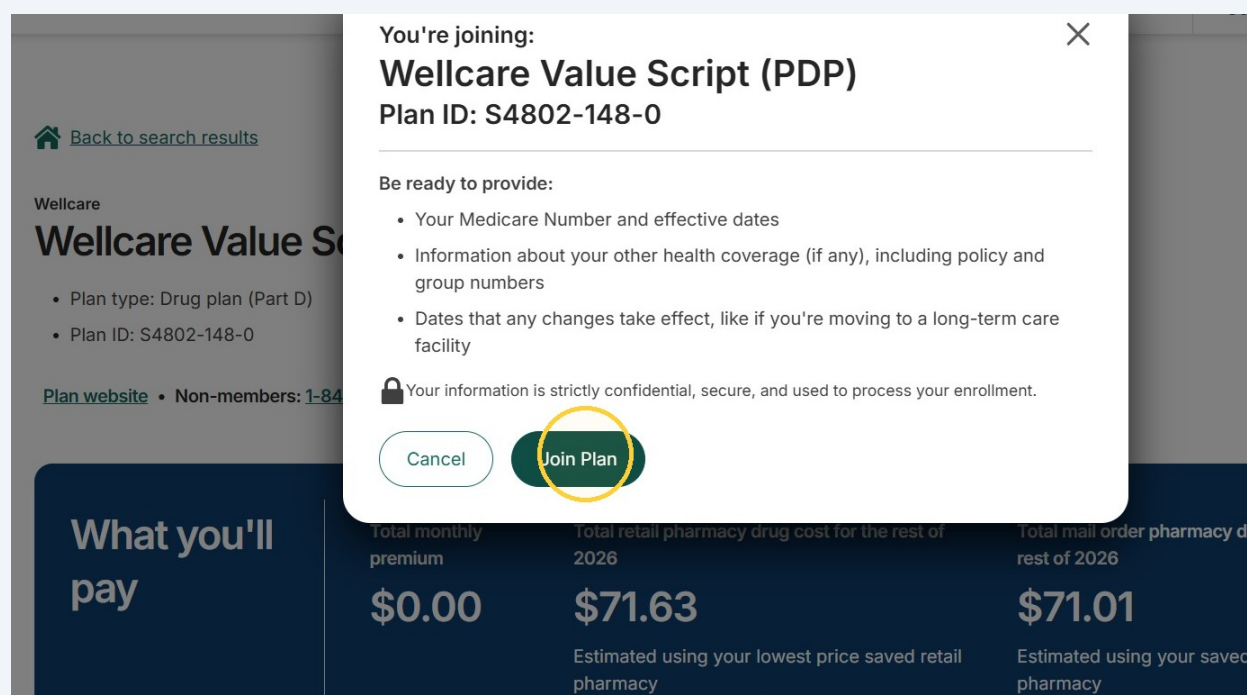
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Enroll

Total monthly premium	Total retail pharmacy drug cost for the rest of 2026	Total mail order pharmacy drug cost for the rest of 2026
\$0.00	\$71.63	\$71.01
	Estimated using your lowest price saved retail pharmacy	Estimated using your saved mail order pharmacy
	Covers 6 of 6 saved drugs. View drug	Covers 6 of 6 saved drugs. View drug

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Click "Join Plan"



You're joining:

Wellcare Value Script (PDP)

Plan ID: S4802-148-0

Be ready to provide:

- Your Medicare Number and effective dates
- Information about your other health coverage (if any), including policy and group numbers
- Dates that any changes take effect, like if you're moving to a long-term care facility

Your information is strictly confidential, secure, and used to process your enrollment.

Join Plan

What you'll pay

Total monthly premium	Total retail pharmacy drug cost for the rest of 2026	Total mail order pharmacy drug cost for the rest of 2026
\$0.00	\$71.63	\$71.01
	Estimated using your lowest price saved retail pharmacy	Estimated using your saved pharmacy

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This 1st page is the only one most people get caught up on.... the ENTIRE 1st page is a list of every available stated option / reason for enrollment ... During the election period the 1st option you see will be "Enrolling during the Annual Election Period" (or something to that effect) but in this example > Select "I'm new to Medicare." and that is the ONLY thing you need to do on this page. Once you select the appropriate option for your situation you can ignore everything else > scroll to the bottom

Confirm your enrollment period

You can join a plan only if your situation matches one of these statements. The plan will contact you to confirm if you're eligible to join and to tell you if your request is approved.

Note: By checking a box, you certify that to the best of your knowledge, you're eligible for that enrollment period.

Check the box next to all of the statements that apply (required).

Initial Enrollment Period & other new to Medicare situations

- ☐ I'm new to Medicare.
- ☐ I'm new to Medicare, and I was notified about getting Medicare after my Part A and/or Part B coverage started.
- ☐ I had Medicare before, but I'm now turning 65.

Medicare Advantage Plan Open Enrollment Period

- ☐ I'm in a Medicare Advantage Plan and have had Medicare for less than 3 months. I want to make a change.

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and Click "Next" ... the pages that follow are all very self explanatory asking for basic information > just answer / enter info until you see "submit" If you have missed something or made a mistake it won't allow you to "submit" ... it will ask you to correct the highlighted fields. Once it has been successfully submitted you will see a "Thank You" and there will be a confirmation page for you to print.
**ANY AEP CHANGES WILL GO INTO EFFECT 1/1/2027"

I requested Medicare information in an accessible format, yet I did not receive it in time to make my decision, or I didn't get it in time to make a choice before my enrollment period ended.
[What's an accessible format?](#)

Can't find a statement to match your situation?

If none of the statements here match your situation, or if you're not sure, contact the plan you chose to see if you're eligible to join.

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