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MLR Rebate Checks Scheduled for Mailing



In the fourth Medical Loss Ratio (MLR) Reporting Year, UnitedHealthcare's results show that 76 Aggregation Sets in total qualified to receive premium rebates totaling \$117,626,280 for 2014. Premium rebate checks will begin mailing in mid-September and will be staggered over a three-week period, with all required payments expected to be made by the Sept. 30 deadline.



New HSA Setup Guides Released



Two new health savings account (HSA) setup guides are now available for you and your small business clients. [Learn more](#)

Part D Creditable Coverage Deadline Set



The annual Creditable Coverage determination is mandatory by Oct. 15 for your clients offering a prescription drug plan to Medicare eligible individuals. [Learn more](#)

Broker Support

- **Prospect-Generating Program Scheduled:** The third quarter 2015 direct marketing campaign targets business prospects with 2-99 employees and is designed to generate leads in your area. [Learn more](#)

Plans & Services

- **Revised ICD-10 Codes Effective Oct. 1:** See how medical providers and members may be affected by the new ICD-10 Codes that are used for diagnosis, claims payment and reporting. [Learn more](#)

Pharmacy

- **Jan. 1 Prescription Drug List (PDL):** View the Traditional and Advantage PDL changes for fully insured and self-funded plans that will take effect Jan. 1, 2016.



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- **Latest PDL Updates:** Review the latest [PDL Tracker](#) for a recap of changes outside our Jan. 1 and July 1 pharmacy benefit updates.
- **High-cost cholesterol drugs are here. Are you ready?** A new type of cholesterol-lowering drug has recently received approval from the FDA. These PCSK9 inhibitors have been shown to be highly effective at lowering LDL cholesterol, but are also going to be very expensive. [Learn more](#)

Client & Member Resources

- **New Member ID Card Update:** UnitedHealthcare will expand new ID cards distribution to include a welcome letter and Quick-Start guide for new fully insured members of new or existing small business customers. [Learn more](#)



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