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Operational Update:

Kentucky Medicaid Pharmacy Benefit Manager

Pharmacy Provider Webinar Forum

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 28, 2026



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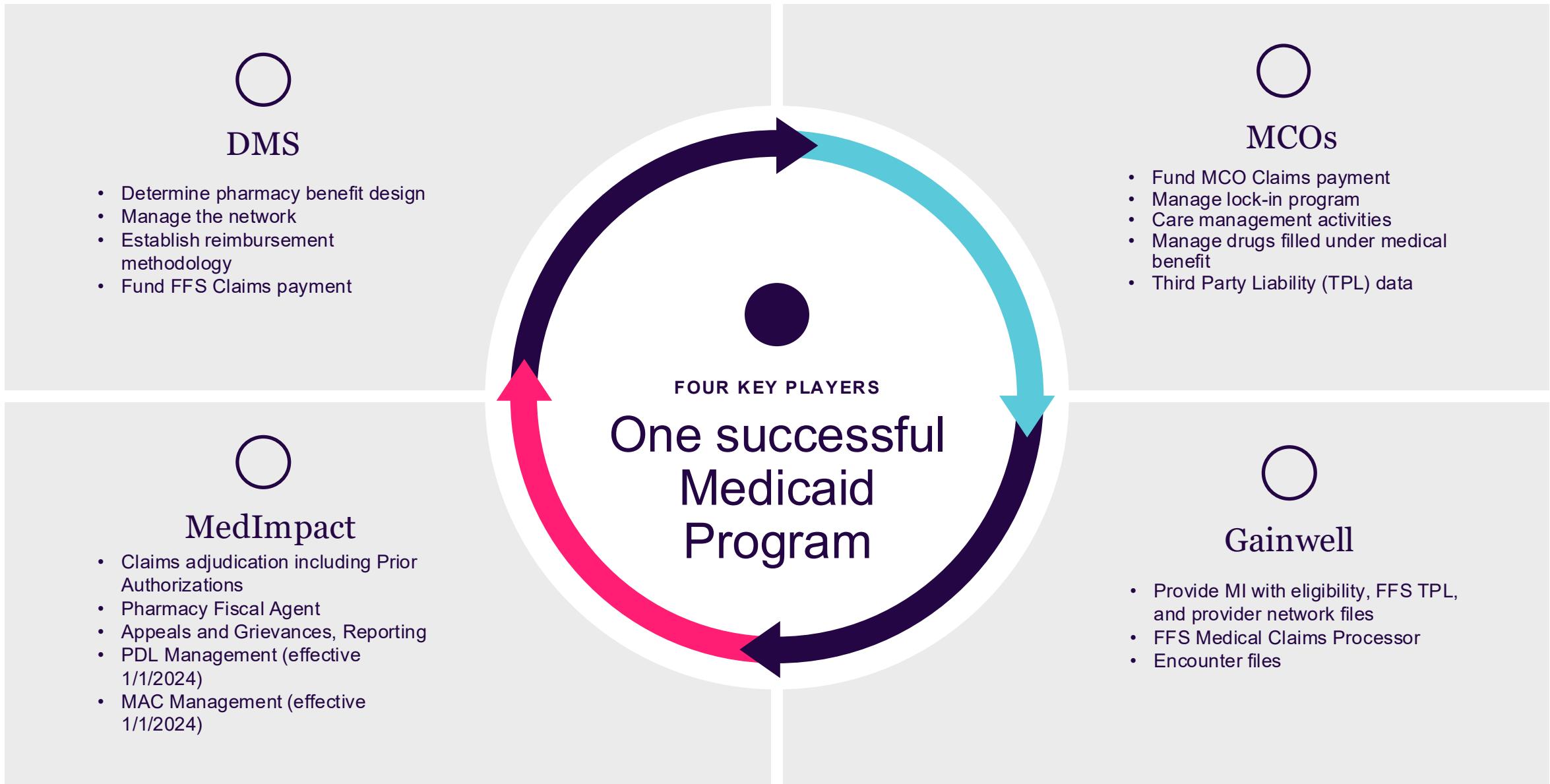
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Bowel Preparation Agents – 2026 Coverage Update

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Bowel Preparation Agents – 2026 Coverage Update

- In response to Kentucky House Bill 421, which seeks to enhance access to colorectal cancer screenings, the Commonwealth of Kentucky Department of Medicaid Services (DMS) has decided to move FDA-approved bowel (colonoscopy) preparation agents to preferred status on the Medicaid Preferred Drug List (PDL).
- **Note:** Effective **January 1, 2026**, these FDA-approved bowel preparation agents are now covered without any prior authorization or step-therapy requirements for eligible members.
- The next slide will show the preferred products in the Gastrointestinal: Laxatives and Cathartics drug class, effective January 1, 2026.

Bowel Preparation Agents – 2026 Coverage Update

| Preferred Agents | Non-Preferred Agents |
|---|----------------------|
| Clenpiq solution | alvimopan capsule |
| Constulose solution | |
| Enulose solution | |
| GaviLyte-C | |
| GaviLyte-G | |
| GaviLyte-N | |
| Generlac solution | |
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| Sodium Sulfate/Potassium Sulfate/Magnesium Sulfate solution | |
| Suflave solution | |
| Suprep solution | |
| Sutab tablet | |

Impact of 2026 WAC Price Decreases

Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services

Impact of 2026 WAC Price Decreases

- The Commonwealth of Kentucky Department of Medicaid Services (DMS) and MedImpact recognize that manufacturers of certain drugs subject to 2026 Medicare Maximum Fair Prices (MFP) has implemented Wholesale Acquisition Cost (WAC) reductions as of January 1, 2026. These changes may impact pharmacy providers.
- The National Community Pharmacists Association (NCPA) has released a statement with the following emphasis:
 - *NCPA expects significant WAC price decreases beginning December 2025 and continuing into February 2026. Pharmacies are encouraged to monitor manufacturer and wholesaler announcements closely while proactively managing inventory for potentially affected products.*

Impact of 2026 WAC Price Decreases

- The following products have been identified by NCPA as likely to experience WAC reductions effective 1/1/2026:

| Manufacturer | Drug |
|------------------------|--------------|
| Pharmacyclics (AbbVie) | Imbruvica |
| AbbVie | Linzess |
| AstraZeneca | Farxiga |
| Boehringer Ingelheim | Glyxambi |
| Boehringer Ingelheim | Jardiance |
| Boehringer Ingelheim | Synjardy |
| Boehringer Ingelheim | SynjardyXR |
| Boehringer Ingelheim | TrijardyXR |
| Bristol Myers Squibb | Eliquis |
| Novo Nordisk | Fiasp |
| Novo Nordisk | Tresiba |
| Eli Lilly | Humalog U200 |
| Eli Lilly | Lyumjev |

- The NCPA communication is available online at this [link](#).

MCO OTC Coverage Updates for 2026

Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services

MCO OTC Coverage Updates for 2026

- We would like to inform you of an upcoming change regarding the coverage of Over-the- Counter (OTC) drugs under the Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services (DMS).
- **Effective February 15, 2026**, DMS will end coverage for OTC drugs that are non-Medicaid rebateable. The effective date has been extended to ensure providers have adequate time to prepare for this change.
- As a reminder, an OTC product classified as covered outpatient drug (COD) is currently exempt from the Medicaid Drug Rebate Program (MDRP) rebate logic under the MCO benefit.
- The MDRP is a program that includes Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), state Medicaid agencies, and participating drug manufacturers that helps to offset the Federal and state costs of most outpatient prescription drugs dispensed to Medicaid patients.

MCO OTC Coverage Updates for 2026

- Following this update, OTC products classified as CODs, from manufacturers not participating in the MDRP will be ineligible for coverage. This update will not affect OTC products not classified as covered outpatient drugs by CMS.
- The reject message for affected OTCs will be: **“SEE KY PORTAL FOR LIST OF REBATEABLE NDC”**.
- Additionally, the NCPDP reject code will be “AC,” indicating **“Product Not Covered Non-Participating Manufacturer.”**
- To facilitate providers with this change, a list of rebateable alternatives will be available on the Kentucky Medicaid Provider Portal (<https://kyportal.medimpact.com/provider-documents/drug-information>).

P&T Committee

Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services

P&T Committee

- P&T Meetings are hosted by MedImpact.
- The first meeting took place on January 20, 2026. The remaining 2026 meeting dates:
 - April 21st
 - July 21st
 - October 13th
- Please note that committee meetings moved to Tuesdays.
- The meeting schedule and invite information will be posted on the portal <http://kyportal.medimpact.com/provider-documents/pt-committee>
- A link to the individual meetings can be found in the meeting specific agenda once posted.
- Invites are NOT sent for these meetings by MedImpact or DMS. Pharmacy providers interested in joining should add the meetings to their calendar.

Reminders

Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services

NADAC Appeals

Providers can contact the NADAC help desk to provide notification of recent drug price changes that are not reflected in posted NADAC files.



The NADAC help desk can be contacted through the following means.

Toll-free phone: (855) 457-5264

Electronic mail info@mslcrps.com

Facsimile: (844) 860-0236



Pharmacy providers should use the NADAC [help desk form](#) to submit NADAC pricing inquiries. This form is available at <https://www.Medicaid.Gov/medicaid/prescription-drugs/downloads/retail-price-survey/hdform.Pdf>. All fields must be complete for proper submission of this form. Please do not include any personal health information (PHI) with submitted form or invoice.



Please note that the NADAC help desk will not address pharmacy inquiries into specific Kentucky claim reimbursement related questions or concerns. Please contact MedImpact regarding specific claim reimbursement questions.

MAC Inquiries- Appeals

- Pharmacies can initiate a MAC research request by completing the form located here:
- <https://kyportal.medimpact.com/provider-documents/maximum-allowable-cost-mac>
- MAC inquiries apply to generic drugs only.
- Return the form with a copy of the invoice listing the current acquisition cost to MedImpact.
 - Attn: MAC department
 - Fax: 877-357-0005
 - E-mail: StateMACProgram@medimpact.com

M Kentucky Medicaid MAC Price Research Request Form

Please return this form with a copy of the invoice listing the current acquisition cost to MedImpact
Attn: MAC Department
Fax: 877-357-0005 or E-mail: StateMACProgram@medimpact.com

By submitting this form, I am requesting that MedImpact research the Kentucky Medicaid Maximum Allowable Cost (MAC) List price of the drug listed on this form and respond about product availability or a price modification based on the information provided in the "Comments" section below.

***DENOTES REQUIRED FIELDS**

*DATE: _____

| Provider Information | | |
|----------------------|----------------|--------------|
| *PROVIDER NAME: | *CONTACT NAME: | |
| *PHONE NUMBER: | *FAX NUMBER: | *NPI NUMBER: |
| *EMAIL ADDRESS | | |

| | | |
|---|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| *RX NUMBER | *DATE OF SERVICE: | *NDC NUMBER |
| *RECIPIENT ID NUMBER: | *PROVIDER ACQUISITION COST: | *BASIS OF REIM DET(NCPDP #522-FM): |
| BASIS OF REIMBURSEMENT DETERMINATION (NCPDP FIELD #522-FM) VALUE AND REFERENCE PRICE SOURCE: 4-USUAL & CUSTOMARY PAID AS SUBMITTED 10-ASP - Email - sec303aspdata@cms.hhs.gov 20-NADAC - Myers and Stauffer - info@mslcrps.com or (855) 457-5264 6-MAC - Attach purchase invoice and submit form 13-WAC - Contact your Wholesaler 24-FUJ - Email - FUJ@cms.hhs.gov | | |

Comments

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Note: Processing May Be Delayed if Information Submitted is Illegible or Incomplete.

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Important Information/Numbers

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Important Information-Sessions

- To facilitate information exchange and answer your questions, MedImpact will continue to hold a series of web-based quarterly informational webinars as outlined below.

| | | |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| April 2026 | Status updates. Answer questions. | All providers Date: TBD A provider notification is distributed 14 days and 3 days prior to the webinar and will include a Microsoft Teams Meeting link and login instructions. A copy of the notice will also be posted on our portal. https://kyportal.medimpact.com/provider-documents/provider-webinars |
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Important Information- Fourth Quarter 2025 Pharmacy Newsletter

https://kyportal.medimpact.com/sites/default/files/2026-01/kym_4q2025_pharmacy_newsletter.pdf

M Pharmacy Quarterly Newsletter

Quarter 4 2025

Volume 1, Number 8

TEAM KENTUCKY

Events

| 1 st Quarter P&T Meeting | 1 st Quarter Provider Webinar Forum |
|---|--|
| Tuesday, January 20 th 1:00pm – 4:00pm EST https://kyportal.medimpact.com/provider-documents/pt-committee | Wednesday, January 28 th 9:00am – 10:00am EST https://kyportal.medimpact.com/provider-documents/provider-webinars |

Current Drug Recalls and Market Withdrawals

| Notice Date | Drug/Manufacturer | Source | NDC(s) |
|-------------|---|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| 11/4/25 | Partial Lot Recall: FDA MedWatch – 20 mEq Potassium Chloride Injection by Otsuka ICU Medical | Link | 0990-7074-14 0990-7077-14 |
| 12/2/25 | Partial Lot Recall: FDA MedWatch – Early Alert: Glucose Monitor Sensor Issue from Abbott Diabetes Care | Link | |
| 12/10/25 | Partial Lot Recall: M1 Class I Recall: Famotidine Injection from Fresenius Kabi | Link | 63323-0739-11 63323-0739-12 |
| 12/29/25 | All Lot Recall: Medical Device Correction: Continuous Glucose Monitoring Software Correction: Dexcom Issues Correction for Dexcom G6 and G6 Pro Software | Link | |

For additional information regarding the recalls, please refer to the FDA recall notifications at:
<https://www.fda.gov/safety/recalls-market-withdrawals-safety-alerts>.

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Important Contact Information

| Team | Question Type | Contact Info |
|--|-------------------|---|
| KY Account Team FFS | Program questions | KYMFFS@medimpact.com |
| KY Account Team MCO | Program questions | KYMCOBM@medimpact.com |
| Pharmacy Provider Network Questions | EFT, RA questions | Email: PharmacyOperationsSups@MedImpact.com or Web: https://pharmacy.MedImpact.com |

Important Numbers

| | | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| <p>Claim Submission</p> <p>BIN: 023880 (MCO)</p> <p>BIN: 026309 (FFS)</p> <p>PCN: KYPROD1</p> <p>Group ID: KYM01 (MCO)</p> <p>Group ID: KYF01 (FFS)</p> <p>Member number is Medicaid ID</p> <p><i>Note: The BIN and group number changes for FFS. The PCN will be the same.</i></p> | <p>Pharmacy Provider Help Desk</p> <p>MCO: 800-210-7628</p> <p>FFS: 877-403-6034</p> <p>24 hours a day/ 7 days a week</p> <p>(Pharmacy Provider Assistance for program questions)</p> | <p>Clinical Call Center</p> <p>MCO: 844-336-2676</p> <p>FFS: 877-403-6034</p> <p>8:00AM-7:00PM EST, 7 days a week</p> <p>Fax: 858-357-2612</p> <p>(Same fax for MCO and FFS)</p> | <p>MedImpact Pharmacy Portal</p> <p>Kentucky specific info available at:</p> <p>https://kyportal.medimpact.com</p> |
| | <p>Member Services</p> <p>Phone: 800-635-2570</p> <p>Hours: 8:00AM–5:00PM EST</p> <p>Monday – Friday</p> | <p>Voice Response Eligibility Verification (Member)</p> <p>Phone: 800-807-1301</p> <p>24 hours a day/ 7 days a week.</p> | <p>Provider Management/ Enrollment</p> <p>Phone: 877-838-5085</p> <p>Fax: 502-226-1898</p> <p>Hours: 8:00AM-4:30PM EST, Monday – Friday</p> |

Questions?

Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services

Questions



If you have any questions, please email
KYMCOOPBM@Medimpact.com or KYMFFS@Medimpact.com



A copy of the deck will be available on our portal. Please visit:
<https://kyportal.medimpact.com/provider-documents/provider-webinars>

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services

Frequently Asked Questions

Q. Does a pharmacy need to re-enroll for Fee-for-Service with MedImpact?

No, you are already enrolled in the CHFS pharmacy network for both MCO and FFS.

Q. How do I submit claims for Fee-for-Service?

BIN: 026309, PCN: KYPROD1, Group ID: KYF01

Q. Is there a different number for MedImpact's help desk for Fee-for-Service?

Yes.

Pharmacy and Clinical Call Center Phone: 877-403-6034 . Hours: Technical Call Center: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Clinical Call Center: 8:00 am – 7:00 pm EST, 7 days a week

MCO numbers remain unchanged.

Q. How does the “lowest of logic” for payments to pharmacies work?

All available price inputs are calculated, and the lowest instance will be the Medicaid allowed amount and will be the final price type.

Frequently Asked Questions

Q. Where can I find the single Preferred Drug List (PDL) and how often is it updated?

Effective 1/1/24, MedImpact will be managing the PDL. It will be posted on the MedImpact portal. Updates will occur with P&T changes as needed. (<https://kyportal.medimpact.com/provider-documents/drug-information>)

Q. Will the dispensing fee be reduced if paid at usual and customary (U&C)?

The claim will be paid at U&C, no additional fees will be paid. This is the same for MCO and FFS.

Q. Do pharmacies need to get new Prior Authorizations from MedImpact?

Members' existing Prior Authorizations have been transferred to MedImpact and will be in effect through their original end date.

Q. Do pharmacies need to submit OPPRA (Other Payer-Patient Responsibility Amount – NCPDP Field NP) for COB claims?

No, CHFS is requiring OPAP (Other Payer Amount Paid – NCPDP Field HC) for COB claims.

Frequently Asked Questions

Q. With the change to MedImpact, have there been a lot of PDL (formulary) changes?

No, there haven't been major changes to the formulary. The portal contains links to documents, notices, past and upcoming changes to the PDL and P&T committee meeting information.

Q. Did Member Medicaid ID's change?

No. The previous PBM stored multiple old ID numbers; however, MedImpact will only store one alternate ID. Pharmacies should request the member's new card and update their system with the new ID.

Q. Why is the claim rejecting for “No member found” when the submitted Medicaid ID is correct?

MedImpact verifies a member on their Medicaid ID and their date of birth. Please confirm the member DOB and update it in your pharmacy system. Please refer to the member-to-member services help desk at 800-635-2570 to ensure the Commonwealth has the correct date.

Q. Where can pharmacies initiate a MAC research request?

The form can be found on the MI portal with the link below.

<https://kyportal.medimpact.com/provider-documents/maximum-allowable-cost-mac>

Resources

Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services

CHFS Provider Enrollment

- Since you are already enrolled in Kentucky Medicaid, there is nothing you need to do.
- MedImpact will use the Commonwealth's existing pharmacy network for the Medicaid FFS pharmacy program.



Provider Enrollment

Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services Provider Management/Enrollment Unit

Phone: 877-838-5085
Fax: 502-226-1898
Hours: 8:00am – 4:30pm EST
Monday - Friday
<https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms/dpi/pe/Pages/mppa.aspx>

Medicaid Partner Portal Application

KY MPPA Web Address Changed

The KY MPPA web address (URL) changed Sept. 7, 2019.

Users who access the new KY MPPA site through KOG will be directed to the new location. Users who access KY MPPA through the Let's Get Started link will need to update their bookmark/favorite/shortcut.

Access the [KY MPPA website](#)

To get started and learn more about KY MPPA, visit the [KY MPPA Training Resources web page](#).

- Access the Training Resources Topic Map for an overview of training materials available. Use the topics menu to locate training materials in the Training Media and Training Document areas.
- Follow the link in the Upcoming Training Webinars section to register to attend the live webinar training series. A registration link is also available under Helpful Links.
- Access the self-paced training plans to learn about KY MPPA on your own schedule.

Helpful Links

[Register for KY MPPA](#)
[Subscribe to CHFS e-Provider Enrollment](#)
[KY MPPA Web I Newsletters and Related Resources](#)
[Training Resources](#)

Additional Info

- [Authorized Delegates](#)
- [Organization Admin](#)

CHFS Provider Enrollment Process

- Pharmacy Enrollment and any changes to provider information must be made through the [Medicaid Partner Portal Application \(MPPA\)](#)
- MediImpact receives provider enrollment and payment method information from The Commonwealth daily (Monday-Friday). This information is loaded into the system nightly.
- Per KY Regulations, The Commonwealth has sixty (60) days to complete a “clean” application. Clean means no corrections. The Commonwealth doesn’t typically take the full 60 days, but it is dependent on the volume of applications and could take on average from 5-30 days.
- All new enrollees will be set up to receive checks, via US mail until their EFT information is processed by The Commonwealth and sent to MediImpact. This process takes up to 21 days.

CHFS Provider Enrollment Process

- Pharmacy information updates, such as change of ownership, changing banks or bank accounts that may affect the EFT information can also take up to 21 days to be processed by The Commonwealth and sent to MedImpact. During this 21-day period, payment method is reverted to check payments sent via US mail.
- Until MedImpact receives the final, approved information, we cannot make any manual updates to the payment method during this processing time.
- Due to the timing of the data received from The Commonwealth, pharmacies could potentially get a manual check and an EFT payment for a single EOB cycle.
- Pharmacies may check the portal for application and change updates and call The Commonwealth Provider Enrollment help desk at 877-838-5085 **M-F 8:00 am – 4:30 pm EST**.

Automatic Refill Policy

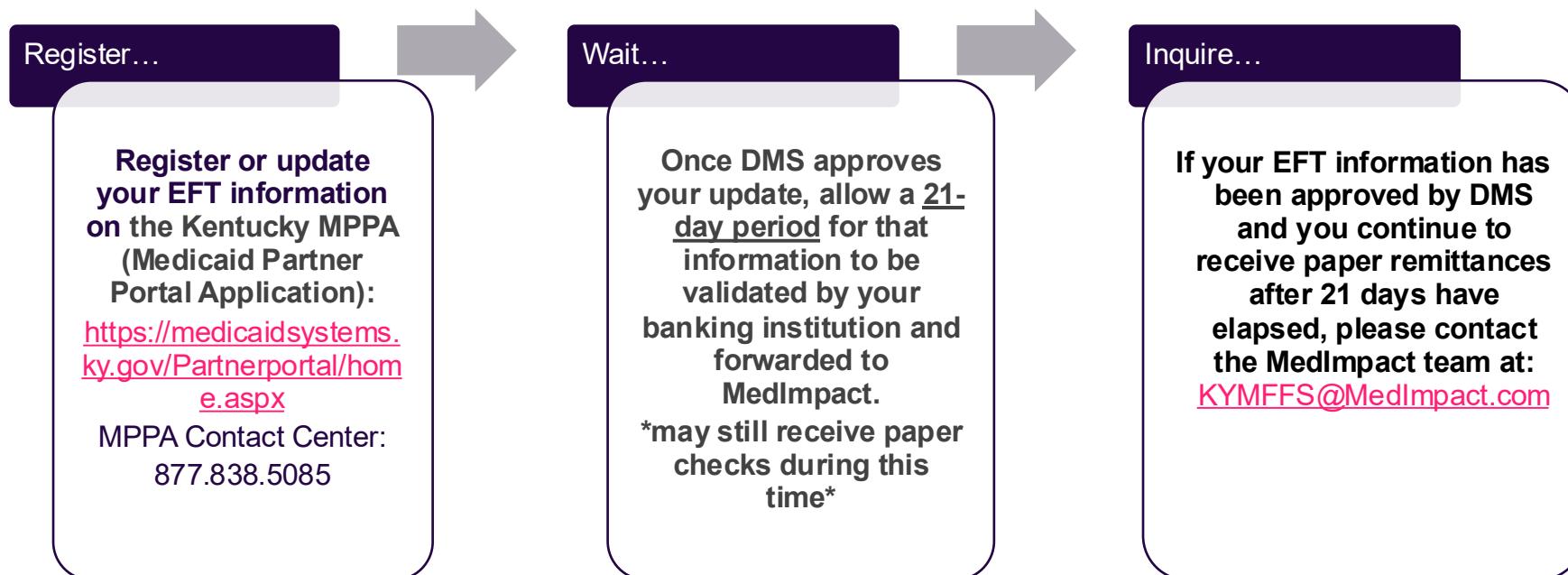
- The Commonwealth of Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services (DMS) does not allow automatic refills or automatic shipments of drugs, devices, or supplies. Members and providers cannot waive the explicit refill request requirement and enroll in an automatic refill program.
- This policy applies to all DMS members, including Fee-for-Service members, Managed Care members, dual-eligible members and members with other primary insurance.
- Electronic, verbal, or written requests to refill are acceptable. Documentation of automatic refill requests must be made available for review by auditors.
- Pharmacies must receive an explicit request from the member or the member's responsible party before refilling a prescription.
- DMS does allow pharmacies to have a Medication Synchronization Program.
- The Automatic Refill Policy is available in the updated Provider Billing Manuals on the Kentucky Medicaid Provider Portal. <https://kyportal.medimpact.com/provider-information/provider-information>

Electronic Payment

- MedImpact continues to encourage all pharmacies who are currently receiving paper reimbursements to register with Kentucky Medicaid for electronic payments.

Average Days from payment to deposit:
Electronic – 3 days
Paper Checks – 11 days

What's the process?



EthicsPoint

- MedImpact utilizes Ethics Point to provide secure and independent reporting that offers:
 - Confidential reporting that allows the reporter to remain anonymous if they choose
 - 24-hour telephone and web-based reporting options
 - Ability to follow-up on the report, even if reported anonymously

| Public Internet | Toll-Free Phone |
|---|---|
| <p>From any computer having internet access (home, public library, neighbor, etc.), go to www.Ethicspoint.com and click on "File A New Report", and follow the instructions.</p> | <p>Call your Ethics Point toll-free hotline at 1-800-915-2185. An intake specialist will assist you with entering your report into the Ethics Point system.</p> |

MedImpact Portal

Website: <https://kyportal.medimpact.com/>

The image shows the homepage of the MedImpact Portal. At the top, there is a purple navigation bar with the "TEAM KENTUCKY" logo on the left and five links: MEMBER PORTAL, PROVIDER PORTAL, CLIENT PORTAL, MANUFACTURER PORTAL, and CONTACT. Below the navigation bar is a large blue background image featuring a smiling woman and a young child. In the center of the image, the word "WELCOME" is written in a small, white, sans-serif font. Below "WELCOME" is a horizontal teal line. The main title "Department for Medicaid Services" is displayed in a large, bold, dark gray serif font. Below the title is a paragraph of text: "Welcome to the Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department for Medicaid Services Fee-For-Service and Managed Care Organizations Pharmacy Program portal, administered and maintained in conjunction with MedImpact." At the bottom left of the image, there is a purple circular icon containing a white downward-pointing arrow, followed by the text "DOWNLOAD PREFERRED DRUG LIST (PDL)".

TEAM KENTUCKY

MEMBER PORTAL | PROVIDER PORTAL | CLIENT PORTAL | MANUFACTURER PORTAL | CONTACT

WELCOME

Department for Medicaid Services

Welcome to the Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department for Medicaid Services Fee-For-Service and Managed Care Organizations Pharmacy Program portal, administered and maintained in conjunction with MedImpact.

DOWNLOAD PREFERRED DRUG LIST (PDL)

MedImpact Provider Portal

- The KY Provider Portal has been updated to accommodate both MCO and FFS information. Some features, such as the drug lookup tool, folder names, and where things are stored have been enhanced.
- Additional materials on billing procedures for KY FFS and MCO members is available on the Provider Portal under the Provider Information drop down.
- **Kentucky Medicaid D.0 Payer Specs:** https://kyportal.medimpact.com/sites/default/files/2023-11/medimpact_ky_medicaid_payer_sheet_v1.3.pdf
- **Kentucky Provider Billing Manual:**
- MCO: https://kyportal.medimpact.com/sites/default/files/2024-01/mco_provider_billing_manual_01012024_final.pdf
- FFS: https://kyportal.medimpact.com/sites/default/files/2023-12/provider_billing_manual_fee_for_service_final.pdf

MedImpact Provider Portal



Pharmacy Memos and Newsletters

Important pharmacy notifications distributed via email.



Provider Information

Documents such as PHE unwinding, provider directory, payer specs, manuals, and 340B Process.



Prior Authorizations

Prior Authorizations (ePA, Fax/Telephonic PA), Denials, Appeals.



Links

Helpful resources (CDC, CMS, DMS, NCPDP, ADA)



Tools

Drug lookup and pharmacy locator.

NADAC Reimbursement

- MedImpact would like to provide some context regarding potential decreases in NADAC reimbursement rates that pharmacies may experience. Changes in market conditions, such as fluctuations in drug wholesale prices, shifts in manufacturer pricing, or changes in supply chain dynamics, can result in updated reimbursement rates that may be lower than previous amounts.
- The following information will enable pharmacies to identify the price source used for reimbursing each claim. The final reimbursement determination pricing information is returned in the claim response Basis of Reimbursement Determination (NCPDP field #522-FM). The value and the corresponding reference price source are shown below:
 - 4 – Usual & Customary Paid as Submitted
 - 6 – MAC
 - 10 – ASP
 - 13 – WAC
 - **20 – NADAC**
 - 24 – FUL
- Providers can see the most up-to-date NADAC prices on the CMS website which is linked on the next slide. Website users may track changes inclusive of the updated NADAC price and effective date. For brand products, compendia posted updated NADAC price(s) may be backdated to the effective date of the WAC or AWP increase.

NADAC Reimbursement

- TO IDENTIFY UPDATED NADAC PRICE CHANGES, PLEASE SEE BELOW.
- Click on the CMS Pharmacy Pricing Page: [Pharmacy Pricing: Medicaid](#)
- Scroll to the NADAC Cost Comparison Data Section
- Click on the most recent weekly NADAC Comparison downloadable files. The file identifies what NADAC prices have been updated, the new and old NADAC price along with the effective date. Field values in this file are described below.

| NADAC File Name | Field Description |
|----------------------|---|
| NADAC Effective Date | The date the NADAC price becomes effective; typically, retroactive to the date of the WAC change. |
| As of Date | The date the NADAC price was updated by Myers & Stauffer (M&S); aligns with the weekly (Wednesday) M&S maintenance cycle. |

Pharmacy providers should use the NADAC help desk form to submit NADAC pricing inquiries. This form is available at <https://www.medicaid.gov/medicaid/prescription-drugs/downloads/retail-price-survey/hdform.Pdf>. All fields must be complete for proper submission. Please do not include any personal health information (PHI) on the submitted form or invoice.

NADAC/WAC Pricing

- NADAC prices for brand name products increase throughout the year, with most price increases occurring in the months of January and July because of drug manufacturers increasing their Wholesale Acquisition Cost (WAC) and Average Wholesale Price (AWP) prices.
- MedImpact would like to provide a review of the NADAC process and the ability to potentially reverse and reprocess claims on products which providers' acquisition cost may have increased.
 - MedImpact reimburses providers as required, according to the Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services (DMS) fee-for-service (FFS) reimbursement methodology. The FFS methodology includes the NADAC benchmark at which most claims reimburse. The NADAC is a published pricing benchmark maintained by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), not MedImpact or DMS; therefore, neither MedImpact nor DMS have the capability to adjust the NADAC price. NADAC updates are posted to the CMS website every Wednesday.
 - Updated brand NADAC prices are typically reflective of increases in WAC and AWP for the previous week.
 - Drug Compendia (e.g.: First Databank and Medi-Span) pull down the updated NADAC file and incorporate the changes into their Medicaid Pricing Modules.
 - Updated weekly NADAC prices are then loaded into MedImpact's claim adjudication system the following Friday.
 - NADAC prices are reviewed for updates on both a weekly and monthly schedule – Weekly due to changes in published rates (i.e., WAC)

NADAC/WAC Pricing

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 - Scroll to the NADAC Cost Comparison Data Section
 - Click on the most recent weekly NADAC Comparison downloadable files. The file identifies what NADAC prices have been updated, the new and old NADAC price along with the effective date. Field values in this file are described below.
- Providers who feel they may have adjudicated claims prior to the NADAC prices being updated should review posted NADAC rates along with your product invoices. Changes related to these manufacturer increases may impact your reimbursement for newly purchased inventory.

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NADAC/WAC Pricing

- See [CMS pharmacy pricing](#) the most up-to-date NADAC prices.
- Website users may track changes inclusive of the updated NADAC price and effective date.
- Any questions or concerns regarding NADAC pricing, please contact Myers and Stauffer, the CMS NADAC vendor:
 - Email info@mslcrps.com
 - Toll-free help desk phone number (855) 457-5264

| Date | 12/1/23 | 1/1/24 | NADAC PRICE UPDATE OCCURS IN EARLY FEBRUARY. (There is usually a ~1 month lag for NADAC price updates) | 2/15/24 |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| NADAC Price | \$103 | \$103 | | \$88 |
| WAC Price (based on daily compendia updates) | \$100 | \$90 (based on WAC decrease) | | \$90 |
| Pharmacy Acquisition Cost | \$98 | \$98 | | \$85 |
| Pharmacy Reimbursement Based on Lowest of Logic | \$100 (WAC) + \$10.64 (DF) = \$110.64 | \$90 (WAC) + \$10.64 (DF) = \$100.64 | | \$88 (NADAC) + \$10.64 (DF) = \$98.64 |

Reduced Provider Payments (Due to Reversals)

- Reversal and resubmission of claims can cause a temporary reduction in expected weekly payments. The reduction in payments is due to reversals from a previous EOB cycle that result in an accounts receivable that is applied to the next provider payment.
- While resubmission of the same claim results in a payment to the provider, they must go through the standard EOB cycle to allow funding for payment as seen in the table below.
- This is more impactful during the months of January and June when NADAC pricing is adjusted.

| EOB Start | EOB End | Invoice Date to MCO/DMS | Provider Payment Issued |
|------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Managed Care Payments | | | |
| Friday | Following Thursday | Friday after end of cycle | Following Friday after end of cycle |
| 1/3/2025 | 1/9/2025 | 1/10/2025 | 1/17/2025 |
| 1/24/2025 | 1/30/2025 | 1/31/2025 | 2/7/2025 |
| | | | |
| Friday | Following Thursday | Friday after end of cycle | Second Friday after end of cycle |
| 1/3/2025 | 1/9/2025 | 1/10/2025 | 1/24/2025 |
| 1/24/2025 | 1/30/2025 | 1/31/2025 | 2/14/2025 |

Reduced Provider Payments (Due to Reversals)

- This can result in a reduction of the weekly payment received after the reversal was submitted but will be resolved once the resubmission processes through the EOB cycle and will be received in the next payment cycle as seen in the table below.

| Original claim Fill Date | Original Claim Paid Date | Reversal and Resubmission Date Adjudicated | Paid Date Reduced by Reversal | Resubmission Paid Date |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|--|-------------------------------|------------------------|
| Managed Care Example | | | | |
| 1/18/2025 | 1/31/2025 | 1/31/2025 | 2/7/2025 | 2/14/2025 |
| 1/25/2025 | 2/7/2025 | 2/8/2025 | 2/14/2025 | 2/21/2025 |
| Fee-for-Service Example | | | | |
| 1/18/2025 | 2/7/2025 | 1/31/2025 | 2/7/2025 | 2/21/2025 |
| 1/25/2025 | 2/14/2025 | 2/8/2025 | 2/14/2025 | 2/28/2025 |

- If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to the mailbox that corresponds to the payment in question and one of our team members will reach out to discuss further.
- Managed Care Payment Questions: KYM COPBM@MedImpact.com
- Fee-For-Service Payment Questions: KYM FFS@MedImpact.com

Universal PA Form

MedImpact uses a Universal PA form that is required by the Department for Medicaid Services. Best practices for submitting a PA are to utilize Electronic Prescribing System (ePA) which is integrated into physician's ePA or covermymeds.com.



For manual prior authorizations, please submit MedImpact's Universal PA form.



To access, view and print the form please visit: <https://kyportal.Medimpact.Com>

Select provider portal, Resources tab, select Prior Authorization to access the Universal PA form

Fax document to 858-357-2612

Vaccine Counseling

- Effective November 1, 2022, for pharmacy providers
- Billing manual can be found at: <https://www.kymmis.com/kymmis/provider%20relations/billingInst.aspx>
- For any questions, please contact Gainwell.
- Provider representatives for walkthrough of claims submission professional panels:

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- Gainwell provider call center number: 1-800-807-1232
- Gainwell provider inquiry email: ky_provider_inquiry@gainwelltechnologies.com

Thank you!

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