



MEDICARE-MEDICAID COORDINATION OFFICE

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TO: California AIP D-SNPs

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SUBJECT: Release of Revised Models for CY 2025

CMS and the state of California have revised several CY 2025 models for use by California AIP D-SNPs using integrated materials, including Chapters 2, 3, 4, and 6 of the Member Handbook and the List of Covered Drugs (Formulary). The updated models, which accompany this memorandum, replace the models previously issued on May 30, 2024.

These updates include:

- Member Handbook Chapter 2, Section R—added instructions for text based on the health plan.
- Member Handbook Chapter 3, Section F1—added the following instruction to the end of the second paragraph: *Plans may modify the text below as needed to exclude services not available for members age 21 and older.*
- Member Handbook Chapter 4, Section G6—added the following instruction to the end of the first paragraph: *Plans may modify the text below as needed to exclude services not available for members age 21 and older.*
- Member Handbook Chapter 6, Introduction—in the second paragraph after the first sentence added instruction noting that the rest of the paragraph should be included if the plan has cost-sharing for Part D drugs.
- List of Covered Drugs (Formulary)
 - Section B9—deleted the fourth paragraph after the bullets and updated the following paragraph.
 - Section B19—in the first paragraph, second sentence updated the references.
 - Section C—made multiple updates to the section after the fourth paragraph.

This memorandum and the attached models will also be posted to the Medicare-Medicaid

Coordination Office's "D-SNPs: Integration & Unified Appeals & Grievance Requirements" webpage at <https://www.cms.gov/medicaid-chip/medicare-coordination/qualified-beneficiary-program/d-snps-integration-unified-appeals-grievance-requirements> grouped alphabetically by state under the "Model Materials" heading.

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