

Medicare Part D Premium Payment Program

The Office of AIDS (OA) Medicare Part D Premium Payment Program pays insurance premiums for persons living with HIV/AIDS who are enrolled in both a [Medicare Part D](#) prescription drug plan and the AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP).

An individual is eligible for Medicare Part D Premium Assistance if she/he:

- Is a resident of California;
- Has an HIV/AIDS diagnosis;
- Is at least 18 years old;
- Is enrolled in ADAP;
- Is enrolled in a Medicare Part D Prescription Plan*; and
- Is not receiving 100% assistance from Medicare's Extra Help/Full Low Income Subsidy (LIS).

A Medicare Part D Prescription Plan must be a participating Medicare Part D Premium Payment Provider. Find participating providers by visiting <https://www.medicare.gov/find-a-plan/questions/home.aspx>.

OA is committed to ensure that HIV-positive Californians have continued access to care and treatment by way of assistance with health coverage premium costs. OA's Medicare Part D Premium Payment Program is reflective of [OA](#) and [National HIV/AIDS Strategy](#) goals which are: 1) reduce new HIV infections; 2) increase access to care; and 3) reduce HIV-related health disparities.

Related Information:

- OA [Insurance Assistance Section](#) assists HIV-positive Californian's with health coverage premium costs.
- OA is also working with the Department of Health Care Services on the implementation of the new [Low Income Health Program \(LIHP\)](#).
- OA [summary document](#) on HIV health care delivery services and health care reform.
- OA's AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP) pays for all HIV-related prescription co-payments and deductibles for persons living with HIV/AIDS who are co-enrolled in OA-PCIP and ADAP. Visit [Ramsell Public Health RX](#).
- [ADAP Estimate](#). January and May of each year OA prepares the ADAP Estimate Package for the Legislature. The Estimate provides ADAP budgetary information including information on client utilization, drug rebate, and policy changes.

