

Attachment A1 - Indian Health Service Pharmacies as of May 17, 2005

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PDP REGION	MA PPO REGION	PHONE	CHIEF PHARMACIST	FACILITY NAME	ADDRESS	CITY	ST	ZIP CODE	HOSPITAL
9	8	803-366-4792	Chief Pharmacist	Catawba Indian Nation	3596 Pasmore Drive	Catawba	SC	29704	NA
23	18	405-247-2458	Wayman Aldunco	Anadarko Indian Health Center Pharmacy	115 NE Old Tom Drive	Anadarko	OK	73005	NA
23	18	580-654-1100	Ryan Stevens	Carnergie Indian Health Center Pharmacy	PO Box 1120, US Highway 9 West	Carnergie	OK	73015	NA
23	18	918-342-6587	J. Sue Arnold	Claremore Indian Hospital Pharmacy	101 S. Moore Ave	Claremore	OK	74017	50
23	18	580-323-2884	Patricia Rodgers	Clinton Indian Hospital Pharmacy	Rt.1, Box 3060	Clinton	OK	73601	11
23	18	405-262-7631	Wayne Parrish	El Reno Indian Health Center Pharmacy	1631-A, East Highway 66	El Reno	OK	73036	NA
23	18	580-353-0350	Kelvin Whitehead	Lawton Indian Hospital Pharmacy	1515 Lawrie Tatum Road NE	Lawton	OK	73507	36
23	18	918-287-4491	Cathy Shafer	Pawhuska Indian Health Center Pharmacy	715 Grandview	Pawhuska	OK	74056	NA
23	18	918-762-5550	Bill Ta Valley	Pawnee Indian Health Center Pharmacy	1201 Heritage Circle	Pawnee	OK	74058	NA
23	18	918-458-3105	Paul Thomas	W.W. Hastings Indian Hospital Pharmacy	100 S. Biles Avenue	Panlequah	OK	74464	60
23	18	580-623-4991	Lynnda Swann	Wagona Indian Health Center Pharmacy	Rt.1, Box 34A	Wagona	OK	73772	NA
23	18	405-257-6281	John Niddiffer	Wewoka Indian Health Center Pharmacy	P.O. Box 1475, Intersection of Highway 56 and 27	Wewoka	OK	74884	NA
24	18	785-832-4892	John Paulson	Haskell Indian Health Center Pharmacy	2415 Massachusetts Ave	Lawrence	KS	66045	NA
25	19	218-335-3313	Sam Foster	White Cloud Health Station Pharmacy	3313 Thrasher Road	Whitecloud	KS	66094	NA
25	19	218-679-0173	Michael Clairmont	Red Lake Hospital	317 7th Street NW	Cass Lake	NM	56633	13
25	19	406-338-6103	Steve Dienes	Red Lake Hospital	P.O. Box 160	Red Lake	NM	56671	24
25	19	406-638-3351	Amy Minnick	White Earth Health Center	P.O. Box 358	White Earth	NM	56591	NA
25	19	406-353-3266	Dave Bakken	Blackfeet Community Hospital	P.O. Box 760, 760 Hospital Circle	Browning	MT	59417	27
25	19	406-673-3777	Steve Dienes	Fort Belknap Health Center	P.O. Box 9, 212 Highway 6 & I-90 Intersection	Crow Agency	MT	59022	24
25	19	406-477-4448	Phil Minnick	Heart Butte Health Station	Rt.1, P.O. Box 67, 456 Gros Venture Ave	Heart Butte	MT	59526	6
25	19	406-633-2317	Charlotte Jefferson	Lame Deer Health Center	P.O. Box 80, 81 Disney	Hays	MT	59527	NA
25	19	406-255-8239	Sandy Fisher	Lodge Grass Health Center	P.O. Box 70, 100 Cheyenne Avenue	Lame Deer	MT	59043	NA
25	19	406-653-1641	JoEllen Maurer	Poplar Health Station	P.O. Box 780, Harding Ave	Lodge Grass	MT	59255	NA
25	19	701-477-6111	Christi Randaou	Wolf Point Health Center	P.O. Box 9, Pryor Gap Road	Poplar	MT	59066	NA
25	19	701-766-1600	John Stuardud	Quantin N. Burdick Hospital	P.O. Box 160, Highway 5	Balcount	ND	58316	29
25	19	701-854-3831	Lois Zacher	Spirit Lake Health Center	P.O. Box 160, Highway 5	Fort Totten	ND	58335	NA
25	19	406-878-2231	Jim Butler	Ernie Scott	P.O. Box J	Fort Yates	ND	58538	16
25	19	605-245-2285	Cynthia Wall	Fort Yates Health Center	P.O. Box 400, Highway 23 West, Box 24F	Newtown	ND	58763	NA
25	19	605-455-8225	Deb Odams	Omaha-Winnebago Indian Health	P.O. Box HH, Highway 77	Winnabago	NE	68071	30
25	19	605-823-4459	Mike Carter	Lower Brule Health Center	P.O. Box 540, 1000 Health Center Circle	Kyle	SD	57752	NA
25	19	605-867-5131	Tom Kriz	McLaughlin Health Center	P.O. Box 248	Lower Brule	SD	57548	NA
25	19	605-473-5544	John Jones	Sioux San Hospital	P.O. Box 879	McLaughlin	SD	57763	NA
25	19	605-355-2393	John Jones	Sioux San Hospital	P.O. Box 1201, Highway 18 East	Pine Ridge	SD	57770	45
25	19	605-747-2231	Rick Amundson	Rosebud Hospital	3200 Canyon Lake Drive	Rapid City	SD	57702	32
25	19	605-698-7606	Jeff Gallagher	Rosebud Hospital	400 Soldier Creek Road	Rosebud	SD	57570	35
25	19	605-384-3621	Annice Reiner	Sisseton Hospital	P.O. Box 189, 5 Chestnut Street	Sisseton	SD	57262	18
25	19	605-462-6135	Danise Norman	Wagner Health Center	110 Washington Street	Wagner	SD	57380	NA
25	19	307-856-9281	Mike Smith	Wandee Health Center	P.O. Box 290	Wandee	SD	57577	NA
25	19	307-332-3924	Todd Warren	Arapahoe Health Center	P.O. Box 9210, 14 Great Plains Road	Arpahoe	WY	82510	NA
25	19	505-248-4027	Tammy Buntjer	Fort Washakie Health Center	801 Vassar Drive, NE	Fort Washakie	WY	82514	NA
26	20	505-867-4487	Daryl Dinevarzhe-Toya	Drillith-Na-O-Dith-Hie Health Center	481 Sandia Loop	Bernalillo	NM	87106	NA
26	20	505-632-1801	Bryan Schulz	Cochiti Health Clinic	P.O. Box 105	Cochiti	NM	87072	NA
26	20	505-786-3345	Mary Ann Niessen	Compoint Comprehensive Health Care Facility	P.O. Box 358	Compoint	NM	87313	25
26	20	505-759-3291	Patrick Hogan	Santa Clara Health Center	P.O. Box 187, 1 River Road	Dulce	NM	87528	NA
26	20	505-722-1185	Gary Erickson	Galup Indian Medical Center	RR5, Box 446, State Road 30	Esplanola	NM	87532	NA
26	20	505-671-4441	Malena Jones	Mescalero Hospital	P.O. Box 1337, 516 East Nizhoni	Galup	NM	87301	98
26	20	505-552-5393	W.L. Darwin	Acama-Cancito-Laguna Indian Hospital	P.O. Box 210, 1 Aalona Loop	Mescalero	NM	88340	13
26	20	505-465-2996	Judy Romero	Santa Domingo Clinic	P.O. Box 130, Interstate 40 at Exit 102	San Fidel	NM	87049	25
26	20	505-988-9387	Dave Kuhl	Santa Fe Indian Hospital	P.O. Box 340	Santa Domingo	NM	87052	NA
26	20	505-366-7250	Joseph Hubbard	Northern Navajo Medical Center	1700 Cerrillos Road	Santa Fe	NM	87501	39
					P.O. Box 160, Highway 666 North	Shiprock	NM	87420	59

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26	505-758-4224	Martin Jager	Taos-Piouris Health Center	P.O. Box 1956, 16 Spider Road	Taos	NM	87571	NA
26	505-733-8100	William Schuman	Tohatchi Health Center	P.O. Box 142	Tohatchi	NM	87325	NA
26	505-867-5258	Pedro Solis	Zia Health Clinic	155-B Capital Square Drive	Zia	NM	87035	NA
26	505-782-7521	Johnny Bannon	Zuni Hospital	P.O. Box 467, Route 53	Zuni	NM	87327	37
27	970-565-4581	Janelle Harrell	Southern Ute Health Center	P.O. Box 899, 123 Weeminuche	Towaco	CO	81137	NA
27	970-565-4441	Stephanie Stone	Ute Mountain Health Center	P.O. Box 49, Rasting Willow Street Complex D	Towaco	CO	81334	NA
28	928-475-7142	James Carter	Bylas Health Center	P.O. Box 149, 101 Medical Drive	Bylas	AZ	85330	NA
28	928-674-7042	Clint Himan	Chinle Comprehensive Health Care Facility	P.O. Drawer FH, Route 191	Chinle	AZ	86503	60
28	928-332-2560	Ray Marbello	Cibacua Health Center	P.O. Box 80037, 2 W. 3rd Street	Cibacua	AZ	85911	NA
28	928-729-8328	Barbara Sorrell	Fort Defiance Hospital	P.O. Box 649	Fort Defiance	AZ	86504	36
28	928-697-4165	Alison Dion	Kayenta Health Center	P.O. Box 368, Highway 163, Bldg. A2010	Kayenta	AZ	86033	NA
28	928-663-3330	Donald Peters	Parker Hospital	12033 Agency Road	Parker	AZ	85344	20
28	602-263-1506	Stephen Maurer	Phoenix Indian Medical Center	4212 North 16th Street	Phoenix	AZ	85016	133
28	928-737-6195	Gary Reeves	Hopi Health Care Center	P.O. Box 4000, Highway 264 Mile Marker 388	Polacca	AZ	85042	6
28	928-475-7270	James Carter	San Carlos Hospital	P.O. Box 208, Cibola Circle	San Carlos	AZ	85350	8
28	520-361-2261	Vacant	Santa Rosa Clinic	HC01 Box 8700 Highway 15	Santa Rosa	AZ	85634	NA
28	480-946-9066	Thomas Ambrose	Salt River Indian Clinic	Route 1, Box 215, 10005 East Osborn	Scottsdale	AZ	85256	NA
28	520-383-7350	Robert McClelland	Sells Hospital	P.O. Box 548	Sells	AZ	85634	32
28	928-672-3029	Tony Kuyper	Kayenta Inscription House Health Center	P.O. Box 7397, 1 mile N. Navajo Mountain	Shonto	AZ	86034	NA
28	928-724-3645	David Bates	Taalee Health Center	P.O. Box 467	Taalee	AZ	86556	NA
28	520-295-2550	Sue Bannerfield	San Xavier Health Center	7900 S.J. Stock Road	Tucson	AZ	85746	NA
28	775-738-2252	John Snow	Whitriver Hospital	P.O. Box 860, Highway 73 Mile Post 342	Whitriver	AZ	85941	45
29	503-304-7600	Cathy Zahring	Southern Bands Health Center	515 Shoshone Circle	Elko	NV	89801	NA
30	541-553-2134	Jim Lindsey	Chenawa Health Center	3750 Chenawa Road NE	Salem	OR	97305	NA
30	360-645-2233	Jim Gemelas	Warm Springs Wellness Center	1270 Kot-Num Road	Warm Springs	OR	97161	NA
30	509-634-2914	Gloria Weir	Sophie Tretevyck Indian Health Center	Highway 112 Clinic Road	Nash Bay	WA	98357	NA
30	509-442-7454	Gloria Weir	Colville Indian Health Center	Highway 155	Nasiplem	WA	99155	NA
30	509-865-1703	Gary Nelson	Oak Clinic	P.O. Box 3879	Oak	WA	98841	NA
30	509-258-4517	James Jordan	Yakima Health Center	401 Buster Road	Toppenish	WA	98948	NA
30	208-238-5429	Thomas Troshynski	David C. Wyncoop Memorial Clinic	Government Circle	Walla Walla	WA	99040	NA
31	435-725-6874	Thomas Sticht	Not Teoo Gah Nee Indian Health Center	Mission Road	Fort Hall	ID	83203	NA
31	760-572-4120	Tom Borouge	Yuma Hospital	P.O. Box 160, 2 Miles South of Bottelholow	Fort Duchesne	UT	84026	NA
32				P.O. Box 9, Indian Hill Road	Winterhaven	CA	92283	17

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PDP REGION	MA PRO REGION	PHONE	CHIEF PHARMACIST	FACILITY NAME	ADDRESS	CITY	ST	ZIP CODE	HOSPITAL BEDS
1	1	207-796-2322	Chief Pharmacist	Passanagooddy Indian Township Health Center	P.O. Box 970	Indian Township	ME	04668	NA
1	1	207-827-6101	Lee Onhart	Fenobscot Family Health Center	5 River Road	Old Town	ME	04468	NA
1	1	207-853-0644	Michelle Brechnridge	Pleasant Point Health Center	P.O. Box 351	Perry	ME	04667	NA
2	2	800-219-1226	Bill Millar	Mashantucket Pequot Health Dept	#1 Anne George Drive	Mashantucket	CT	6339	NA
3	3	518-358-3141	Colleen Goff	St. Regis Mohawk Health Center	P.O. Box 8A	Hogansburg	NY	13655	NA
3	3	716-532-5582	Amy Choboy	Cattaraugus Indian Health Center	1310 Route 438	Salamanca	NY	14081	NA
3	3	716-945-5894	Sandy Patel	Lionel R. John Health Center	P.O. Box 480, 987 R.C. Hoag Drive	Cherokee	NY	14779	NA
7	7	828-497-9163, x363	Steve Doane	Cherokee Hospital	Hospital Road Caller Box C-268	Hollywood	NC	28719	29
11	11	954-987-7655	Chief Pharmacist	Seminole Tribe Pharmacy	3066 Jose	Hollywood	FL	33024	NA
12	12	251-986-8630	Gordon Quinn	Peach Creek Health Clinic	5911 Jack Springs Road	Atlanta	GA	36502	NA
13	13	906-248-2031	James Murry	Bay Mills Elin Marshall Memorial Clinic	12124 Lakeshore Drive	Brimley	MI	49715	NA
13	13	906-248-2031	James Murry	Manistique Tribal Health Clinic	5698 W. US 2	Manistique	MI	49854	NA
13	13	989-775-4608	Jeffery Vang	Nimsee Memorial Health Clinic	2391 South Leaton Road	Mt. Pleasant	MI	48958	NA
13	13	906-643-8689	Tom Meehan	Sault Ste Marie Health Center	2864 Abnham Street	Sault Ste Marie	MI	49783	NA
13	13	906-358-4905	James Brady	Lambert Health Center	225 Waash Drive	St. Ignace	MI	49781	NA
13	13	906-358-4905	Kam Ivey	Lac Vieux Desert Health Center	P.O. Box 249	Waterstreet	MI	49959	NA
13	13	?	Reddy Oliver	Hannaville Health Center	M15019 Hannaville B-1 Road	Wilson	MI	49896	NA
16	16	608-355-1240	Ted Hall	Ho-Chunk Nation House of Wellness	S. 2845 White Eagle Road	Baraboo	WI	53913	NA
16	16	715-779-3707	Janice Wilber	Red Cliff Health Services	8845 Pike Road	Bayfield	WI	54814	NA
16	16	888-685-4422	Ted Hall	Ho-Chunk Nation	M5520 Guy Road	Black River Falls	WI	54615	NA
16	16	715-793-5027	Harry Schauder	Stonebridge-Munsee Health Center	West 12802 County Hwy A	Bowler	WI	54416	NA
16	16	715-478-4300	David Kaufman	Potawatomi Health and Wellness Center	5409 Everybody's Road	Crandon	WI	54520	NA
16	16	715-634-4153	Thomas Blumenberg	Lac Courte Oreilles Clinic	13380 West Trepania Road	Hayward	WI	54843	NA
16	16	715-349-2195	David DeLienne	St. Croix Health Services	PO Box 287	Hertel	WI	54845	NA
16	16	715-799-3891	Gary Lawandowski	Mentimeter Tribal Clinic	P.O. Box 970	Keshena	WI	54135	NA
16	16	715-888-9807	Brian Schafar	Peter Christensen Health Center	450 Old Abe Road	Lac du Flambeau	WI	54358	NA
16	16	715-882-7133	William Larson	Bad River Health Services	P.O. Box 182	Odanah	WI	54861	NA
16	16	920-869-2711	Fred Rafield	Oneida Health Center	P.O. Box 365	Oneida	WI	54155	NA
16	16	601-389-6230	Sylvia Strempfeld	Chaotow Health Center	210 Hospital Road, Route 7, Box R-50	Philadelphia	MS	39350	18
17	17	214-941-1050, x238	Sophia Stimpson	Urban Inher-Tribal Center of Texas-Dallas	209 E. Jefferson Blvd	Dallas	TX	75203	NA
18	18	936-663-2058	Chief Pharmacist	Alabama Couchetts Chief Kina Health Clinic	129 Daycare Road	Livngston	TX	77351	NA
18	18	580-421-6260	Chris Anostubby	Carl Albert Hospital	1001 N. Country Club Road	Ada	OK	74820	62
18	18	580-226-8181	Chris Anostubby	Chickasaw Nation Family Practices Center Pharmacy	2510 Chickasaw Blvd	Ada	OK	74820	NA
18	18	580-584-6697	Jill Mayes	Chickasaw Nation Health Center Clinic	205 East 3rd Street	Arkmore	OK	73401	NA
18	18	580-920-2100	Chris Anostubby	Chickasaw Nation Health Center Pharmacy	1600 N. Washington	Broken Bow	OK	74728	NA
18	18	918-669-2547, x222	George Holuby	Eufaula Indian Health Center Pharmacy	800 Forest Ave	Eufaula	OK	74432	NA
18	18	580-326-7561	Paul Byles	Choctaw Nation Health Clinic Pharmacy	410 North M Street	Hugo	OK	74743	NA
18	18	580-286-2600	Renee Evans	Choctaw Nation Health Clinic Pharmacy	902 Lincoln Rd	Idabel	OK	74745	NA
18	18	918-253-4271, x206	Monte Strutton	Choctaw Nation Indian Health Center Pharmacy	P.O. Box 350, Osage and Washbourne	Jay	OK	74346	NA
18	18	918-423-8440, x239	Donald Ratliff	Kickapoo Tribal Health Center Pharmacy	903 East Monroe	McAlester	OK	74501	NA
18	18	405-964-2081, x225	Nancy Parker	Northeastern Tribal Health Center Pharmacy	P.O. Box 1059	McCloud	OK	74851	NA
18	18	918-675-2021	Gary Elam	Moscoogee Health Center Pharmacy	1805 North York Street, Suite E	Miami	OK	74355	NA
18	18	918-667-0201, x222	Marys Melander	Kanza Health Clinic Pharmacy	1515 East River Road	Muskogee	OK	74403	NA
18	18	580-362-2449	Dennis Thompson	Absentee Shawnee #2 Pharmacy	15702 E. Highway 9	Newkirk	OK	74647	NA
18	18	405-434-0300	Jack Ogden	Kovata Indian Health Center Pharmacy	304 E. Cherokee	Norman	OK	73026	NA
18	18	918-623-1424	Jason Bean	Creek Nation Community Clinic Pharmacy	309 N. 14th	Nowata	OK	74048	NA
18	18	405-948-4900, x257	Steve Tran	Oklahoma City Indian Clinic Pharmacy	4913 West Reno	Okemah	OK	74859	20
18	18	918-756-0206	Dale Flanagan	Omulgee Indian Health Center Pharmacy	1313 East 20th	Oklahoma City	OK	73127	NA
18	18	405-547-2473	Chief Pharmacist	Perkins Family Clinic	P.O. Box 460	Perkins	OK	74447	NA
18	18	580-765-2501, x104	Michael Brown	White Eagle Health Clinic Pharmacy	200 White Eagle Drive	Ponca City	OK	74601	NA
18	18	918-649-1100, x136	Robert McDough	Rubin White Health Clinic Pharmacy	109 Kerr Ave	Poteau	OK	74953	NA
18	18	918-434-8507	Jelana Bagant	AMD Salina Community Clinic Pharmacy	900 Owen Walters Blvd	Sallisaw	OK	74365	NA
18	18	918-774-1422	Jeff Sanders	Redbird Smith Indian Health Center Pharmacy	301 South J.T. Stiles Street	Sallisaw	OK	74955	NA
18	18	918-224-9310	Iselle Brasel	Sapulpa Indian Health Center Pharmacy	1125 East Cleveland	Sapulpa	OK	74066	NA
18	18	405-878-4716	David Hornsby	Absentee Shawnee #1 Pharmacy	2029 S. Gordon Cooper Drive	Shawnee	OK	74801	NA
18	18	405-273-5236, x232	John Joseph LaBeau	Citizen Potawatomi National Health Services Pharm	2307 Gordon Cooper Drive	Shawnee	OK	74801	NA
18	18	918-968-8818	Gordon Watkins	Wilma Hankiller Indian Health Center Pharmacy	Rt. 2, Box 247	Stilwell	OK	74950	NA
18	18	918-968-9531	Don Rusley Rex	Black Hawk Health Center Pharmacy	Rt. 2, Box 247	Stilwell	OK	74079	NA
18	18	918-567-7000, x6728	Tom Branham	Choctaw Nation Health Center Pharmacy	One Choctaw Way	Talihna	OK	74571	37
18	18	580-371-2391	Jason Gray	Fishamingo Health Center Pharmacy	815 E. 6th Street	Tishomingo	OK	73460	NA
18	18	918-382-1267	Barry Fwy	Tules Indian Health Care Resource Center	550 S. Georgia	Tulsa	OK	74120	NA
18	18	918-678-2282, x224	Billie Friend	Beaarkin Health Center	One Tuttle Drive	Wandolte	OK	74370	NA
18	18	785-364-2176	Michael Carpenter	Prairie Band Potawatomi Center Pharmacy	100 West 6th Street	Holton	KS	66436	NA

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18	785-486-2154	Darin E. Coash	Kickapoo National Health Center Pharmacy	1117 Goldfinch Road, Rt 1, Box 221C	Horton	KS	66439	NA
18	316-262-2415	Suzette Schwartz	Hunter Urban Indian Health Clinic	2218 E. Central	Richita	KS	67214	NA
24	641-484-6788	Scott Strommer	Musquakie Health Center	307 Musanaki Road	Tama	IA	52339	NA
19	218-878-2154	Larry Patnaude	Mtn-No-Ava-Mtn Human Services	927 Tretzel Lane	Clouet	MN	55720	NA
25	218-726-1370	Roggy Haselaw	Center for American Indian Resources	211 West 4th Street	Duluth	MN	55806	NA
19	218-757-3295	William Karvel	Boise Forfe Band	13071 Nett Lake Road	Nett Lake	MN	55771	NA
25	320-532-4163	Daniel Adams	Ne-Is-Shing Tribal Center	43500 Mtgizi Drive, HC67, Box 241	Onamia	MN	56359	NA
19	406-395-4486	Richard Kalanick	Box Elder Tribal Health Center	Rt1, Box 664	Box Elder	MT	59521	NA
25	406-883-5482	Alene Gropper	Poleon Tribal Health Center	#5, 4th Avenue East	Polson	MT	59860	NA
19	406-745-2426	Michael Hertz	St. Ignatius Tribal Health Center	Highway 93 South	St. Ignatius	MT	59865	NA
25	701-774-0461	Roger Kohlman	Trenton-Williston Community Clinic	P.O. Box 210, Highway 1804 West	Trenton	ND	58853	NA
19	402-837-5381	Kelly Cromer	Carl T. Curtis Health Center	P.O. Box 250, 100 Indian Drive	Mogara	NE	68039	NA
19	402-857-2300	Teri Creeger	Santee Sioux Tribal Health Center	Rc.2, Box 160 L, 110 S. Visiting Eagle St.	Mogara	NE	68760	NA
19	605-997-2642	Sheryl Vaske	Santee Sioux Tribal Clinic	701 West Broad Avenue	Flandreau	SD	57028	NA
20	505-869-4474	Shirley Jojola	Isleta Health Care Center	P.O. Box 580, #1 Sagedabrush Street	Isleta	NM	87022	NA
26	505-834-7413	Cristina Medina-Parson	Jemez Pueblo Health Center	P.O. Box 279, 110 Sheepsprings Road	Jemez Pueblo	NM	87024	NA
26	505-854-2626	Terry Green	Alamo Health Center	P.O. Box 907	Magdalena	NM	87825	NA
20	505-775-2771	Scarlet Southern	Pine Hill Health Center	P.O. Box 310	Pine Hill	NM	87357	NA
26	505-867-2739	Julie King	San Felipe Clinic	P.O. Box 4344	San Felipe	NM	87001	NA
20	480-816-7859	Kerry Wile	Massasa Tribal Clinic	P.O. Box 17779, 16240 North Fort McDowell Road	Mountain Hills	AZ	85269	NA
28	520-650-3827	Larry Groll	Gila Crossing Indian Clinic	9975 W. Ballantine Road	Laveen	AZ	85339	NA
21	760-629-4679	Chief Pharmacist	Fort Mojave Health Center	1607 Plantation	Mohave Valley	AZ	86440	NA
28	928-769-2204	Arunas Balcauskas	Peach Springs Indian Health Center	P.O. Box 190, 920 Hualapai	Peach Springs	AZ	86434	NA
28	602-528-1229	Keena Bhargava	Hu Hu Kam Memorial Hospital	483 W. Seed Farm Road	Sacaton	AZ	85247	NA
28	928-283-2754	Keith Miller	Tuba City Indian Medical Center	P.O. Box 600, 167 North Main Street	Tuba City	AZ	86045	NA
21	928-289-4646	James Rostack	Window Health Center	P.O. Drawer 40, 500 North Indiana Ave	Window	AZ	86047	NA
22	775-863-0222	William Kama	Duckwater Shoshone Tribal Clinic	502 Duckwater Falls Road	Duckwater	NV	89410	NA
22	775-423-3634	Chief Pharmacist	Fallon Paiute-Shoshone Health Center	P.O. Box 1980, 1001 Rio Vista Drive	Fallon	NV	89406	NA
29	775-265-4215	Steve Provau	Washoe Tribe Health Center	950 Highway 395 South	Gardnerville	NV	89410	NA
22	702-388-2860	Lisa Vonhauvel	Las Vegas Indian Clinic	Number 6 Paiute Drive	Las Vegas	NV	89106	NA
22	775-432-8522	Loara Greenwood	Modoc Indian Clinic	Reservation Road	McDermitt	NV	89421	NA
29	775-574-1018	Bill Wilson	Pyramid Lake Tribal Health Center	705 Highway 446, P.O. Box 227	Nixon	NV	89424	NA
22	775-757-2415	Chief Pharmacist	Owyhee Community Health Center	P.O. Box 130	Owyhee	NV	89832	15
29	775-329-5162	Anthony Blash	Reno Sparks Shoshone Paiute Health Center	34 Reservation Road	Reno	NV	89502	NA
22	775-773-2345	Tyrum Gillette	Walker River Tribal Health Center	P.O. Box C, Number 2 Hospital Road	Schurz	NV	89427	NA
22	775-463-3335	Rick Iarrabee	Yerington Tribal Health Center	171 Campbell Lane	Yerington	NV	89447	NA
30	541-888-9494	Chief Pharmacist	Cognille Indian Tribe Community Health Center	600 Milluck Drive	Coos Bay	OR	97420	NA
30	503-879-2013	Julie Davis	Grand Rhonda Health and Wellness Clinic	9615 Grand Ronde Road	Grand Rhonda	OR	97347	NA
23	541-882-6323	Walt Baker	Klamath Tribe Health and Family Services	3949 S. 6th Street	Klamath Falls	OR	97603	NA
30	541-966-9830	Allan Jio	Yallopark Indian Health Center	73265 Confederated Way	Fendleton	OR	97801	NA
23	541-444-9625	Melanie Liddell	Siletz Tribal Community Health Clinic	107 SE Swan Street	Siletz	OR	97380	NA
30	253-939-6648	Joshua Villarreal	Mechlehooc Tribal Clinic	39015 172nd Ave SE	Auburn	WA	98092	NA
30	360-984-0464, 22548	Chief Pharmacist	Lummi Tribal Health Center	2592 Kwina Street	Bellingham	WA	98226	NA
30	509-722-3331	Thomas Berg	Inchelium Community Clinic	Inchelium/Kettle Falls Highway	Inchelium	WA	99138	NA
30	360-651-4619	Dave Neas	Thalip Health Clinic	7627 41st Ave, NW	Karysville	WA	98114	NA
30	206-324-9350	Lita Irsreal Chung	Seattle Indian Health Clinic	611 12th Ave South	Seattle	WA	98114	NA
23	253-593-0232	Don Downing	Takopid Health Center	2209 East 32nd Street, Building 15	Tacoma	WA	98404	NA
30	360-276-4405	Chief Pharmacist	Roger Saux Health Clinic	407 Connur Street	Taholah	WA	98587	NA
31	208-843-2271	Sally Ere-Haghestad	Ni Nki Pui Health	210 Beaver Grade Road	Lapwai	ID	83540	NA
23	208-686-5081	Jonathan Reynolds	Banewah Medical Center	1115 B. Street	Plummer	ID	83851	NA
32	619-445-1188	Ron Zalachick	Southern Indian Health Clinic	P.O. Box 2128	Arcta	CA	91901	NA
24	707-825-5050	Richard Spini	Tenzai Health Center	1600 Meese Way	Auburn	CA	95521	NA
32	530-887-2836	Skip Neighbors	Chapa-De Indian Health Center	11670 Atwood Road	Auburn	CA	95603	NA
32	909-849-4761	Sue Yoon	Riverside-San Bernardino County Indian Health	11555 1/2 Potrero Road	Banning	CA	92220	NA
24	760-873-4121	Becky Finch	Troyabs Indian Health Project	52 Tusu Lane	Bishop	CA	92314	NA
32	619-445-3518	Jin Liddell	Southern Indian Health Clinic-Campo Sateillite	36190 Church Road #2	Campo	CA	91905	NA
24	530-493-5305	Mike Dehart	Karuk Tribe of California	5442 Dehesa Road	Happy Camp	CA	92019	NA
32	530-623-4114	Chief Pharmacist	Klamaw Medical Center	P.O. Box 1288, 1200 Airport Road	Hoopa	CA	95546	NA
24	760-749-1410	Bob Schoostas	Indian Health Council Clinic	P.O. Box 406, Highway 5-6	Pauma Valley	CA	92061	NA
32	599-784-2316	Chuck Radoliff	Tule River Indian Health Center	PO Box 768	Porterville	CA	93288	NA
24	530-224-2715	Gordon Nilsson	Redding Rancheria Indian Health Clinic	3184 Churn Creek Road	Redding	CA	96002	NA
32	909-664-1097	Keith Gars	Riverside-San Bernardino Indian Health-Soboba Sa	2210 E. Highland Ave., Suite 200	San Bernardino	CA	92404	NA
32	909-654-0803	Dorothy Neely	Riverside-San Bernardino Indian Health-Soboba Sa	607 Donna Way	San Jacinto	CA	92583	NA
24	707-521-4590	Matt Maasman	Sonoma County Indian Health Clinic	144 Stony Point Road	San Jacinto	CA	92583	NA
24	209-928-4277	Kevin Gold	Tuolumne Rural Indian Health Project	19590 Mc Wu Street	SusanaVille	CA	95407	NA
32	530-257-2542	Chief Pharmacist	Lassen Indian Health Center	795 Joaquin Street	Tuolumne	CA	95379	NA
24	907-729-2153	Gary Glens	Alaska Native Medical Center	4315 Diplomacy Drive	Anchorage	AK	99508	156
26	907-729-2153	Doug Herring	Anchorage Native Primary Care	1296 Agnik Street	Anchorage	AK	99508	NA
34	907-652-4611	Jerry Steed	Samuel Simmond Memorial Hospital	1296 Agnik Street	Barrow	AK	99723	14
26	907-543-6982	Yunga Verceilline	Yukon-Kustokwim Health Corporation	P.O. Box 287	Bethel	AK	99559	54

Attachment A2 - Tribal and Urban Indian Program Pharmacies as of May 17, 2005

26	907-842-9235	Brooks Hurley	Bristol Bay Area Health Corp. (Kanakanak)	P. O. Box 130, Kananak Road	Dillingham	AK	99576	16
34	907-459-3807	Marla Kent	Chief Andrew Isaac Health Center	1408-19th Avenue	Fairbanks	AK	99701	NA
26	907-766-2521	Mike Ostrom	SEARHC Haines Medical Clinic	131 1st Avenue South	Haines	AK	99827	NA
34	907-463-4031	Teresa Bruce	SEARHC Medical Clinic	3245 Hospital Drive	Juneau	AK	99801	NA
26	907-225-0320	Gary Baker	KIC Tribal Health Clinic	201 Deamont	Ketchikan	AK	99901	NA
34	907-755-4800	Marcia Durham	Kodiak Area Native Association	7300 Halls Highway	Klawock	AK	99925	NA
26	907-486-9860	Preston Van Curen	Kodiak Area Native Association	3449 E. Razanof Drive	Kodiak	AK	99752	17
34	907-442-7132	Janet Richardson	Menling Medical Center	P. O. Box 439	Kotzebue	AK	99752	17
26	907-443-3314	James Adams	Metlakatla Alaska Native Health Center	P. O. Box 439	Metlakatla	AK	99926	NA
34	907-886-4748	Robert Guy	Norton Sound Health Corporation	P. O. Box 966	Nome	AK	99762	19
26	907-966-2411	Traci Gale	Mr. Edgewood Hospital	222 Tongass Drive	Sitka	AK	99835	60

Attachment B

I/T/U Prescription Reimbursement Rate by State for Medicare Discount Drug Card

STATE	INGREDIENT COST	DISPENSING FEE
Alabama	AWP - 10%	\$5.40
Alaska	AWP - 5%	\$3.45
Arizona	AWP - 15%	\$2.00
Arkansas	AWP – 20% (generic); AWP - 14% (brand)	\$5.51
California	AWP - 10%	\$4.05
Colorado	AWP - 35% (generic); AWP - 13.5% (brand)	\$4.00
Connecticut	AWP – 40% (generic); AWP - 12% (brand)	\$3.60
Delaware	AWP - 14%	\$3.65
DC	AWP - 10%	\$4.50
Florida	AWP - 13.25%	\$4.23
Georgia	AWP - 10%	\$4.33
Hawaii	AWP - 10.5%	\$4.67
Idaho	AWP - 12%	\$4.94
Illinois	AWP – 25% (generic); AWP - 12% (brand)	\$4.60 (generic); \$3.40 (brand)
Indiana	AWP - 20% (generic); AWP - 13.5% (brand)	\$4.90
Iowa	AWP - 12%	\$4.26
Kansas	AWP - 27% (generic); AWP - 13% (single source)	\$3.40
Kentucky	AWP - 12%	\$4.51
Louisiana	AWP - 15%	\$5.77
Maine	AWP - 15%	\$3.35
Maryland	AWP - 12%	\$4.69 (generic); \$3.69 (brand)
Massachusetts	AWP - 14%	\$3.50 (single source), \$5 (multiple source)
Michigan	AWP - 15.1%	\$3.77
Minnesota	AWP - 11%	\$3.65
Mississippi	AWP - 12%	\$3.91
Missouri	AWP - 10.43%	\$4.09
Montana	AWP - 15%	\$4.70
Nebraska	AWP - 11%	\$3.27
Nevada	AWP - 15%	\$4.76
New Hampshire	AWP - 16%	\$2.75
New Jersey	AWP - 12.5%	\$3.73
New Mexico	AWP - 12.5%	\$3.65
New York	AWP - 12%	\$4.50 (generic); \$3.50 (brand)
North Carolina	AWP - 10%	\$5.60 (generic); \$4.00 (brand)
North Dakota	AWP - 10%	\$5.60 (generic); \$4.60 (brand)
Ohio	AWP - 12.8%	\$3.70
Oklahoma	AWP - 12%	\$4.15
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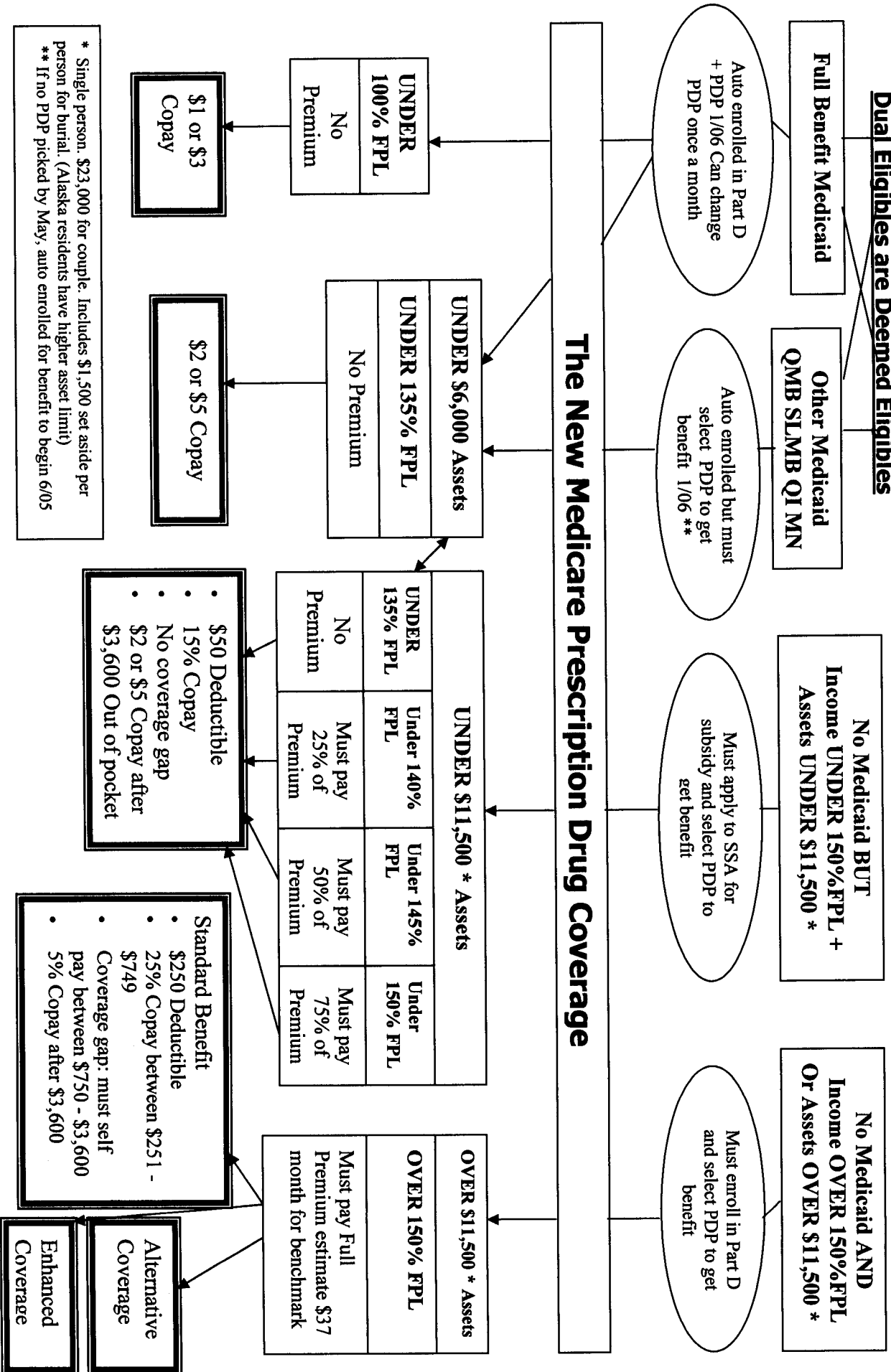
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Virginia	AWP - 10.25%	\$3.75
Washington	AWP - 14%	\$4.20
West Virginia	AWP - 12%	\$3.90
Wisconsin	AWP - 11.25%	\$4.88
Wyoming	AWP - 11%	\$5.00

AWP = average wholesale price

Source: Adapted from Medicaid Prescription Reimbursement Information by State - Qtr Ending June 2004

New Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage – Crosswalk Chart

Dual Eligibles are Deemed Eligibles



* Single person. \$23,000 for couple. Includes \$1,500 set aside per person for burial. (Alaska residents have higher asset limit)
 ** If no PDP picked by May, auto enrolled for benefit to begin 6/05

I/T/U Worksheet for Determining Prescription Drug Coverage ---DRAFT---comments

This worksheet can be used to assess all Medicare patients to determine enrollment process and options required for each patient including a cost benefit analysis for those patients required to pay the full or partial premium and deductibles (\$435 est. & \$250 est). The Medicare and Medicaid "Dual" eligibles will be auto-enrolled in a PDP but can change without penalty. To the extent possible, "Duals" should enroll in a PDP that has will be contract with IHS to facilitate coordination of benefits. The "Extra Help" or low income subsidy group must fill out the proper SSA form to be eligible for no premium payment, or subsidized premiums and deductibles.

Patient Name	Coverage	Rx #s	Projected Rx Revenue	Income Level	Extra Help--LIS ¹	Full Prem/Ded	NO Prem	Partial Prem	Full Prem
Patient # 1	A								
Patient # 2	B								
Patient # 3	AB								
Patient # 4	A Medicaid			N/A					
Patient # 5	B Medicaid			N/A					
Patient # 6	AB Medicaid			N/A					
Patient # 7	Medicare/PI	This group may continue in current PI coverage or choose to enroll in a PDP.							
Other 65 + Patients ---- Why do they not have third party coverage?									
1. Low Income Subsidy must meet income requirements and asset limits.									

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(Medicaid is the program in your State that pays health care costs for people with limited income and resources. It may be called something different in your State.)

Starting January 1, 2006, Medicare will pay for your drugs instead of Medicaid.

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TERMS
MEDICARE PRESCRIPTION DRUG COVERAGE TRAININGS FOR
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TERM

Auto-enrollment	Individuals with Medicare and full Medicaid benefits will no longer receive their drug coverage through Medicaid, but rather from Medicare through a PDP or Medicare Health Plan with Prescription Drug Coverage. They will be automatically enrolled by CMS in a PDP or Medicare Health Plan with Prescription Drug Coverage if they do not select one of their own by December 31, 2005.
Creditable coverage	Coverage at least as good as ...
Deemed	Individuals who automatically qualify for extra help. These include People with Medicare and full Medicaid benefits; People with Medicare who get Supplemental Security Income (SSI) but not Medicaid benefits; People with Medicare who qualify for Medicare Savings Programs such as QMB, SLMB, or QI.
Extra help	Formally termed Low Income Subsidy (LIS). Assistance for beneficiaries with limited incomes.
Facilitated enrollment	CMS will enroll people with Medicare who qualify for extra help if they do not choose a plan on their own by May 15, 2006.
Formulary	A list of drugs a plan covers
Medicare Savings Programs (MSP)	There are programs that help millions of people with Medicare save money each year. States have programs for people with limited incomes and resources that pay Medicare premiums. Some programs may also pay Medicare deductibles and coinsurance. You can apply for these programs if: You have Medicare Part A (Hospital Insurance). (If you are eligible for Medicare Part A but don't think you can afford it, there is a program that may pay the Medicare Part A premium for you.), you are an individual with resources of \$4,000 or less, or are a couple with resources of \$6,000 or less. Resources include money in a savings or checking account, stocks, or bonds and You are an individual with a monthly income of less than \$1,031, or a couple with a monthly income of less than \$1,384. Income limits will change slightly in 2004. If you live in Hawaii or Alaska, income limits are slightly higher. Note: If your income is less than the amounts listed above, you may qualify for Medicaid. Some MSP are: Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries (QMB) Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary (SLMB) Qualifying Individual (QI)
Non-deemed	Individuals who must apply for extra help

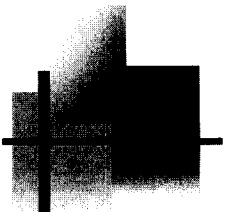
ACRONYMS
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AI/AN	American Indian/Alaska Native
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DHHS	Department of Health and Human Services
I/T/U	IHS/Tribal and Tribal Organization/ Urban Indian Health Programs
IHS	Indian Health Service
MSP	Medicare Savings Programs
PDP	Prescription Drug Plan
QI	Qualifying Individual
QMB	Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries
SLMB	Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary
SSA	Social Security Administration
SSI	Supplemental Security Income

Medicare Awareness Training

Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
Tribal Technical Advisory Committee



Jonathan Windy Boy
Chippewa Cree Business Committee
Billings Representative on CMS TTAG



PRESENTATION

- Briefly discuss the role of the Tribal Technical Advisory Committee (TTAG)
- Initiate dialogue about implementing the new Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage in Indian Country



TRIBAL TECHNICAL ADVISORY GROUP (TTAG)

TTAG COMPOSITION:

- 15 member – all tribal representatives
- One member and one Alternate from each of the 12 IHS Areas
- Selected by Tribes in each Area
- One member and one Alternate each from NCAI, NIH, and Tribal Self-Governance Advisory Committee
- CMS Staff: Dorothy Dupree, Priya Helweg, Linda Brown. Roger Goodacre - Medicare Trainings.



TRIBAL TECHNICAL ADVISORY GROUP (TTAG)

Billings Area representatives to TTAG --

- Principal Member: Jonathan Windy Boy,
Chippewa Cree Business Committee
- Alternate: Deb DuMontier, Confederated
Salish and Kootenai Tribes

TRIBAL TECHNICAL ADVISORY GROUP (TTAG)

- Chartered by CMS in 2003 as a formal advisory group
- Advises CMS on policy and programmatic issues involving Medicare, Medicaid and SCHIP in Indian Country
- Give Tribes greater voice in Medicare/Medicaid policymaking
- Medicare + Medicare provide important revenue for Indian health programs



TRIBAL TECHNICAL ADVISORY GROUP (TTAG)

- TTAG meets with CMS through face-to-face meetings and monthly conference calls
- Subcommittees appointed to work on specific matters
 - Outreach and Education helped plan these trainings
- NIH's Medicare and Medicaid Policy Committee (MMPC) provides technical support for the TTAG
 - Any tribal representative may join MMPC
 - Weekly conference calls



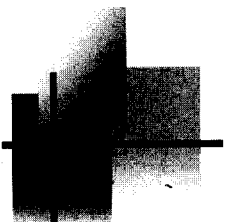
MEDICARE MODERNIZATION ACT (MMA)

- Law enacted December, 2003
- Rules published January, 2005
- New Prescription Drug Coverage begins January, 2006
 - TTAG and MMPC advocated for Indian specific provisions – some included, some not
 - Important for Indian Health Programs to pay attention



MEDICARE MODERNIZATION ACT (MMA)

- Complex legislation
- Even more complex when applied in Indian Health Programs
- There will be lots of questions
- We will not have all the answers today
- There will be additional trainings and resource lists



Welcome to New Medicare Partners

- IHS plays an important role
 - Clarifying some Indian specific policies
 - Providing technical assistance
- CMS has primary responsibility for implementation
- State Medicaid programs will transition dual eligibles from Medicaid to Medicare Part D for Rx
- Social Security Administration (SSA) will determine eligibility for the new low income subsidies
- New private prescription drug plans will be required to offer I/T/U pharmacies contracts and pay Medicare Rx claims
- Tribes will need to work together to successfully implement

MMA and TTAG INFORMATION

RESOURCES

- Medicare Modernization Act: www.medicare.gov
- I/T/U Part D Contracting: www.cms.hhs.gov/aiian
 - Click on "Highlights" box titled "Information for Part D sponsors on Contracting with Indian Health Care Providers"
- Tribal Technical Advisory Group: www.cmsttag.org
 - maintained by National Indian Health Board
- Participate in the MMPC: contact Amy Sagalkin at NIHIB
 - phone 202-742-4262
 - email <asagalkin@nihb.org>

Q & A TRACKING AND CENTRAL COORDINATION

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TRAINING LOCATION:

TRAINING DATE:

Today's presentation is designed as a preliminary awareness training to give you an overview of the Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage. This is the beginning of many more training and information opportunities that will take place over the next year.

1. Are you employed at a (circle one): IHS facility / Tribe / Tribal Organization / Urban Indian Health Program / Other? (please explain) _____

What is your position or job title?

2. Yes__ No__ Was this training useful in helping you better understand Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage? Why?

3. Yes__ No__ Do you understand the roles and responsibilities of IHS, SSA, CMS, your state, and/or your tribe, health program or service unit in terms of the Medicare Prescription Drug Card?

4. Yes__ No__ Do you feel that your patients or tribal members will take advantage of the new Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage?

5. Yes__ No__ Do you feel that your tribe, service unit or program will benefit from this change?

6. What barriers, if any, do you think exists for you, your health program and your beneficiaries to enrolling in Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage?

7. List any topics or question you would like to see addressed at future trainings, open door forums, and other outreach activities.

**Make additional comments on the back.
(poor) (excellent)**

RATE CMS MATERIALS: Effectiveness as resource	1	2	3	4	5
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Please return this evaluation to CMS Central Office staff during the training or mail to:

Priya Helweg

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FOCUS GROUP

Dear Training Participant:

CMS and IHS will be conducting the following training events over the course of the next several months regarding the Prescription Drug Coverage:

- IHS Area Awareness Training
- Open Door Forum 1
- Open Door Forum 2
- Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage Comprehensive Training (Sept – Nov)

As part of our ongoing effort to improve our outreach and education campaign we are seeking 2 to 3 volunteers from each training session to participate in a focus group. These focus groups will provide an opportunity to help IHS and CMS be more effective in bringing effective resources and information to Indian country. We are committed to this outreach effort and would appreciate your insights.

EXPECTATIONS

- Participate in 4 total focus group conference calls 1.5 hours midway between each set of training events above - tentatively one in each of the following months: June, July, September, and November.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Individual working **directly** with Medicare eligibles, educating them as to the new prescription drug coverage.

If you are interested in volunteering please fill out the information below and give it to the CMS or IHS employee at this training session OR contact Priya Helweg at CMS Central Office via Telephone: 410-786-6128 / E-mail: [Priya.helweg@cms.hhs.gov](mailto: Priya.helweg@cms.hhs.gov).

FOCUS GROUP VOLUNTEER INFORMATION

NAME

TITLE / ORGANIZATION

ADDRESS

TELEPHONE NUMBER

E-MAIL

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

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