Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl (HMO D-SNP) offered by Jefferson Health Plans

Annual Notice of Change for 2026

You're enrolled as a member of Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl (HMO D-SNP).

This material describes changes to our plan's costs and benefits next year.

- You have from October 15 December 7 to make changes to your Medicare coverage for next year. If you don't join another plan by December 7, 2025, you'll stay in Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl (HMO D-SNP).
- To change to a **different plan**, visit www.Medicare.gov or review the list in the back of your *Medicare & You 2026* handbook.
- Note this is only a summary of changes. More information about costs, benefits, and rules is in the *Evidence of Coverage*. Get a copy at www.JeffersonHealthPlans.com/medicare or call Member Services at 1-866-901-8000 (TTY users call 1-877-454-8477) to get a copy by mail.

More Resources

Call Member Services at 1-866-901-8000 (TTY users call 1-877-454-8477). Hours are 8 a.m. - 8 p.m., 7 days a week, Oct. 1 - March 31 and 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday - Friday, April 1 - Sept. 30. This call is free. This information is available in alternate formats such as braille, large print, and audio versions.

About Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl (HMO D-SNP)

- Jefferson Health Plans contracts with Medicare to offer HMO, HMO-DSNP, and PPO plans. Our HMO-DSNP also has a contract with the Pennsylvania State Medicaid program. Enrollment in our plans depends on contract renewal.
- When this material says "we," "us," or "our," it means Jefferson Health Plans. When it says "plan" or "our plan," it means Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl (HMO D-SNP).
- If you do nothing by December 7, 2025, you'll automatically be enrolled in Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl (HMO D-SNP). Starting January 1, 2026, you'll get your medical and drug coverage through Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl (HMO D-SNP). Go to Section 3 for more information about how to change plans and deadlines for making a change.

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Summary of Important Costs for 2026

If you are eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under Medicaid, you pay \$0 for your deductible, doctor office visits, and inpatient hospital stays.

	2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
Monthly plan premium*	\$48.40	\$32.70
* Your premium can be higher or lower than this amount. Go to Section 1.1 for details.		
Deductible	\$0	\$0
Maximum out-of-pocket amount	From network providers:	From network providers:
This is the <u>most</u> you'll pay out of pocket for your covered Part A and Part B services. (Go to Section 1.2 for details.)	\$8,850	\$9,250
Primary care office visits	\$0 per visit	\$0 per visit
Specialist office visits	\$0 per visit	\$0 per visit
Inpatient hospital stays	\$0 days 1 - 60; \$0 days 61 -	\$0 days 1 - 60; \$0 days 61
Includes inpatient acute, inpatient rehabilitation, long-term care hospitals, and other types of inpatient hospital services. Inpatient hospital care starts the day you're formally admitted to the hospital with a doctor's order. The day before you're discharged is your last inpatient day.	90	- 90
Part D drug coverage deductible		
(Go to Section 1.6 for details.)	Deductible: \$0	Deductible: \$615 except for covered insulin products and most adult Part D vaccines.

	2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
Part D drug coverage (Go to Section 1.6 for details, including Yearly Deductible, Initial	Copayment/Coinsurance during the Initial Coverage Stage:	Copayment/Coinsurance during the Initial Coverage Stage:
Coverage, and Catastrophic	• Drug Tier 1: \$0 copay	• Drug Tier 1: \$0 copay
Coverage Stages.)	• Drug Tier 2: \$0 copay	• Drug Tier 2: 20% copay
	• Drug Tier 3: \$0 copay	• Drug Tier 3: 24%
	You pay \$0 per month	coinsurance
	supply of each covered insulin product on this tier.	 Drug Tier 4: 28% coinsurance
	• Drug Tier 4: \$0 copay	• Drug Tier 5: 25%
	• Drug Tier 5: \$0 copay	coinsurance
	Catastrophic Coverage:	You pay \$35 per month supply of each covered
	 During this payment 	insulin product on tiers
	stage, you pay	3, 4 and 5.
	nothing for your covered Part D drugs	Catastrophic Coverage:
		 During this payment stage, you pay nothing for your covered Part D drugs

SECTION 1 Changes to Benefits & Costs for Next Year

Section 1.1 Changes to the Monthly Plan Premium

Cost	2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
Monthly plan premium	\$0	\$0
Your premium can be higher than this amount. Go to section 1 for details.	Note: If your level of "Extra Help" changes, you may be responsible for a monthly premium up to \$48.40	Note: If your level of "Extra Help" changes, you may be responsible for a monthly premium up to \$32.70

Section 1.2 Changes to Your Maximum Out-of-Pocket Amount

Medicare requires all health plans to limit how much you pay out of pocket for the year. This limit is called the maximum out-of-pocket amount. Once you've paid this amount, you generally pay nothing for covered Part A and Part B services for the rest of the calendar year.

Cost	2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
Maximum out-of-pocket amount	\$8,850	\$9,250
Because our members also get help from Medicaid, very few members ever reach this out-of-pocket maximum. You are not responsible for paying any out-of-pocket costs toward the maximum out-of-pocket amount for covered Part A and Part B services.		Once you have paid \$9,250 out of pocket for covered Part A and Part B services, you will pay nothing for your covered Part A and Part B services for the rest of the calendar year.

Section 1.3 Changes to the Provider Network

Our network of providers has changed for next year. Review the 2026 *Provider Directory https:/www.jeffersonhealthplans.com/medicare/find-a-doctor/* to see if your providers (primary care provider, specialists, hospitals, etc.) are in our network. Here's how to get an updated Provider Directory.

- Visit our website at <u>www.JeffersonHealthPlans.com/medicare</u>
- Call Member Services at 1-866-901-8000 (TTY users call 1-877-454-8477) to get current provider information or to ask us to mail you a *Provider Directory*.

We can make changes to the hospitals, doctors, and specialists (providers) that are part of our plan during the year. If a mid-year change in our providers affects you, call Member Service at 1-866-901-8000 (TTY users call 1-877-454-8477) for help. For more information on your rights when a network provider leaves our plan, go to Chapter 3, Section 2.3 of your *Evidence of Coverage*.

Section 1.4 Changes to the Pharmacy Network

Amounts you pay for your prescription drugs can depend on which pharmacy you use. Medicare drug plans have a network of pharmacies. In most cases, your prescriptions are covered *only* if they are filled at one of our network pharmacies.

Our network of pharmacies has changed for next year. Review the 2026 *Pharmacy Directory https://www.jeffersonhealthplans.com/medicare/find-a-doctor/* to see which pharmacies are in our network. Here's how to get an updated *Pharmacy Directory*:

- Visit our website at www.JeffersonHealthPlans.com/medicare
- Call Member Services at 1-866-901-8000 (TTY users call 1-877-454-8477) to get current pharmacy information or to ask us to mail you a *Pharmacy Directory*.

We can make changes to the pharmacies that are part of our plan during the year. If a mid-year change in our pharmacies affects you, call Member Services at 1-866-901-8000 (TTY users call 1-877-454-8477) for help.

Section 1.5 Changes to Benefits & Costs for Medical Services

The Annual Notice of Change tells you about changes to your Medicare benefits and costs. For details about the coverage and costs for these services, see Chapter 4, *Benefits Chart (what is covered and what you pay)*, in your *2026 Evidence of Coverage*. A copy of the *Evidence of Coverage* is located on our website at www.JeffersonHealthPlans.com/medicare. You may also call Member Relations to ask us to mail you an *Evidence of Coverage*.

We are making changes to costs and benefits for certain medical services next year. The information below describes these changes.

Cost	2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
Hearing Services	\$1,500 allowance toward hearing aids (all types), limited to every 2 years (both ears combined). Benefit does not roll over annually.	\$0 - \$1,475 copayment for hearing aids, limited to every 2 years (both ears combined). The minimum copayment applies to entry-level hearing aids, while the maximum copay applies to premium-level options. See your Evidence of Coverage for further details.
Non-Emergent Medical Transportation Services	\$0 copayment for one-way trips each year, to plan-approved locations	\$0 copayment for 25 one-way trips each year, to plan-approved locations
Over-the-Counter (OTC) Items	\$245 per quarter for eligible over-the-counter items. Unused amounts will <i>not</i> be rolled over. See your <i>Evidence</i> of <i>Coverage</i> for details.	\$200 per quarter for eligible over-the-counter items. Unused amounts will <i>not</i> be rolled over. See your <i>Evidence of Coverage</i> for details.
Special Supplemental Benefits for the Chronically Ill (SSBCI)	Not Covered	Flexible Spending Card: \$235 every calendar quarter toward covered utilities,

Cost	2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
Value Based Insurance Design Benefits	You are covered for up to \$245 per quarter per quarter for food and utility payment support. See your <i>Evidence of Coverage</i> for details.	Not Covered
	Member will be able to receive 14 meals a year. See your <i>Evidence of Coverage</i> for details.	
	12 non-medical trips (to grocery store, fitness center, senior community center, and/ or bank/post office, etc.). See your <i>Evidence of Coverage</i> for details.	

Section 1.6 Changes to Part D Drug Coverage

Changes to Our Drug List

Our list of covered drugs is called a Formulary or Drug List. A copy of our Drug List is provided electronically. The Drug List includes many—but not all—of the drugs that we will cover next year. If you don't see your drug on this list, it might still be covered. **You can get the complete Drug List** by calling Member Services (see the back cover) or visiting our website www.JeffersonHealthPlans.com/medicare.

We made changes to our Drug List, which could include removing or adding drugs, changing the restrictions that apply to our coverage for certain drugs, or moving them to a different cost-sharing tier. Review the Drug List to make sure your drugs will be covered next year and to see if there will be any restrictions, or if your drug has been moved to a different cost-sharing tier.

Most of the changes in the Drug List are new for the beginning of each year. However, we might make other changes that are allowed by Medicare rules that will affect you during the calendar year. We update our online Drug List at least monthly to provide the most up-to-date list of drugs. If we make a change that will affect your access to a drug you're taking, we'll send you a notice about the change.

If you're affected by a change in drug coverage at the beginning of the year or during the year, review Chapter 9 of your *Evidence of Coverage* and talk to your prescriber to find out your options, such as asking for a temporary supply, applying for an exception, and/or working to find a new drug. Call Member Services at 1-866-901-8000 (TTY users call 1-877-454-8477) for more information.

We currently can immediately remove a brand name drug on our Drug List if we replace it with a new generic drug version with the same or fewer restrictions as the brand name drug it replaces. Also, when adding a new generic, we may also decide to keep the brand name drug on our Drug List, but immediately.

Section 1.7 Changes to Prescription Drug Benefits & Costs

Do you get Extra Help to pay for your drug coverage costs?

If you're in a program that helps pay for your drugs (Extra Help), **the information about costs for Part D drugs may not apply to you.** We sent you a separate material, called the *Evidence of Coverage Rider for People Who Get Extra Help Paying for Prescription Drugs*, which tells about your drug costs. If you get Extra Help and you don't get this material by September 30th, 2025, call Member Services 1-866-901-8000 (TTY users call 1-877-454-8477) and ask for the LIS Rider.

Drug Payment Stages

There are 3 **drug payment stages:** the Yearly Deductible Stage, the Initial Coverage Stage, and the Catastrophic Coverage Stage. The Coverage Gap Stage and the Coverage Gap Discount Program no longer exist in the Part D benefit.

Stage 1: Yearly Deductible

We have no deductible, so this payment stage doesn't apply to you.

Stage 2: Initial Coverage

In this stage, our plan pays its share of the cost of your drugs, and you pay your share of the cost. You generally stay in this stage until your year-to-date Out-of-Pocket costs reach \$2,100.

Stage 3: Catastrophic Coverage

This is the third and final drug payment stage. In this stage, you pay nothing for your covered Part D drugs. You generally stay in this stage for the rest of the calendar year.

The Coverage Gap Discount Program has been replaced by the Manufacturer Discount Program. Under the Manufacturer Discount Program, drug manufacturers pay a portion of our plan's full cost for covered Part D brand name drugs and biologics during the Initial Coverage Stage and the Catastrophic Coverage Stage. Discounts paid by manufacturers under the Manufacturer Discount Program don't count toward out-of-pocket costs.

Drug Costs in Stage 1: Yearly Deductible

The table shows your cost per prescription during this stage.

Stage	2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
Stage 1: Yearly Deductible Stage	Because we have no deductible, this payment stage does not apply to you.	Because we have no deductible, this payment stage does not apply to you.

Drug Costs in Stage 2: Initial Coverage

The table shows your cost per prescription for a one-month supply filled at a network pharmacy with standard cost sharing.

For drugs on Tiers 2, 3 and 4, your cost sharing in the Initial Coverage Stage is changing from a copayment to coinsurance Go to the following table for the changes from 2025 to 2026.

Most adult Part D vaccines are covered at no cost to you. For more information about the costs of vaccines, or information about the costs for a long-term supply; or for mail-order prescriptions, go to Chapter 6 of your *Evidence of Coverage*.

Once you've paid \$2,100 out of pocket for covered Part D drugs, you'll move to the next stage (the Catastrophic Coverage Stage).

We changed the tier for some of the drugs on our Drug List. To see if your drugs will be in a different tier, look them up on the Drug List.

Stage	2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
Tier 1 - Preferred Generic:	Your cost for a one-month supply filled at a network pharmacy with standard cost sharing:	\$0
	Generic Drugs:	
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	
	All other drugs:	
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	
Tier 2 - Generic:	Your cost for a one-month supply filled at a network pharmacy with standard cost sharing:	20% of the total cost.
	Generic Drugs:	
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	

Stage	2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
	All other drugs:	
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	
Tier 3 - Preferred Brand:	Your cost for a one-month supply filled at a network pharmacy with standard cost sharing:	24% of the total cost.
	Generic Drugs:	
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	
	All other drugs:	
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	
Tier 4 - Non-Preferred Drug:	Your cost for a one-month supply filled at a network pharmacy with standard cost sharing:	28% of the total cost.
	Generic Drugs:	
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	
	All other drugs:	
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	
Tier 5 - Specialty:	Your cost for a one-month supply filled at a network pharmacy with standard cost sharing:	25% of the total cost.
	Generic Drugs:	
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	
	All other drugs:	
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	

Changes to your VBID Part D Benefit

Stage	2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
VBID Part D Benefit: Reduced Part D Cost Sharing	Your cost for a one-month supply filled at a network pharmacy with standard cost sharing:	Please visit the Stage 2: Initial Coverage Stage cost per prescription, by tier, for a one-month
	Generic Drugs:	supply filled at a network pharmacy, to
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	see the changes for 2026 with the elimination of
	All other drugs:	VBID model. See your
	You pay \$0 per prescription.	Evidence of Coverage for further details.
	Once your total drug costs have reached \$2,000, you will move to the next stage (the Coverage Gap Stage).	

Changes to the Catastrophic Coverage Stage

For specific information about your costs in the Catastrophic Coverage Stage, look at Chapter 6, Section 6 in your *Evidence of Coverage*.

SECTION 2 Administrative Changes

	2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
Medicare Prescription Payment Plan	The Medicare Prescription Payment Plan is a payment option that began this year and can help you manage your out-of-pocket costs for drugs covered by our plan by spreading them across the calendar year (January-December). You	To learn more about

2025 (this year)	2026 (next year)
may be participating in this payment option	call us at 1-866-901-8000 (TTY users call 1-877-454-8477or visit Medicare.gov.

SECTION 3 How to Change Plans

To stay in Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl you don't need to do anything. Unless you sign up for a different plan or change to Original Medicare by December 7, 2025 you'll automatically be enrolled in our Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl.

If you want to change plans for 2026 follow these steps:

- Tochange to a different Medicare health plan, enroll in the new plan. You'll be automatically disenrolled from Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl.
- To change to Original Medicare with Medicare drug coverage, enroll in the new Medicare drug plan. You'll be automatically disenrolled from Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl.
- **To** change to Original Medicare without a drug plan, you can send us a written request to disenroll. Call Member Services at 1-866-901-8000 (TTY users call 1-877-454-8477). for more information on how to do this. Or call **Medicare** at 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227) and ask to be disenrolled. TTY users can call 1-877-486-2048. If you don't enroll in a Medicare drug plan, you may pay a Part D late enrollment penalty (Go to Section 1.1).
- To learn more about Original Medicare and the different types of Medicare plans, visit www.Medicare.gov, check the *Medicare & You 2026* handbook, call your State Health Insurance Assistance Program (go to Section 5.2), or call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227). As a reminder, Jefferson Health Plans offers other Medicare health plans. These other plans can have different coverage, monthly plan premiums, and cost sharing amounts.

Section 3.1 Deadlines for Changing Plans

People with Medicare can make changes to their coverage from **October 15 – December 7** each year.

If you enrolled in a Medicare Advantage plan for January 1, 2026, and don't like your plan choice, you can switch to another Medicare health plan (with or without Medicare drug coverage) or switch to Original Medicare (with or without separate Medicare drug coverage) between January 1 – March 31, 2026.

Section 3.2 Are there other times of the year to make a change?

In certain situations, people may have other chances to change their coverage during the year. Examples include people who:

- Have Medicaid
- Get Extra Help paying for their drugs
- Have or are leaving employer coverage
- Move out of our plan's service area

Because you have Medicaid, you can end your membership in our plan by choosing one of the following Medicare options in any month of the year:

- Original Medicare with a separate Medicare prescription drug plan,
- Original Medicare without a separate Medicare prescription drug plan (If you choose this
 option, Medicare may enroll you in a drug plan, unless you have opted out of automatic
 enrollment.), or
- If eligible, an integrated D-SNP that provides your Medicare and most or all of your Medicaid benefits and services in one plan.

If you recently moved into or currently live in an institution (like a skilled nursing facility or long-term care hospital), you can change your Medicare coverage **at any time**. You can change to any other Medicare health plan (with or without Medicare drug coverage) or switch to Original Medicare (with or without separate Medicare drug coverage) at any time. If you recently moved out of an institution, you have an opportunity to switch plans or switch to Original Medicare for 2 full months after the month you move out.

SECTION 4 Get Help Paying for Prescription Drugs

You can qualify for help paying for prescription drugs. Different kinds of help are available:

- Extra Help from Medicare. People with limited incomes may qualify for Extra Help to pay for their prescription drug costs. If you qualify, Medicare could pay up to 75% or more of your drug costs including monthly drug plan premiums, yearly deductibles, and coinsurance. Also, people who qualify won't have a late enrollment penalty. To see if you qualify, call:
 - 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227). TTY users can call 1-877-486-2048, 24 hours a day,
 7 days a week.
 - Social Security at 1-800-772-1213 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m., Monday -Friday for a representative. Automated messages are available 24 hours a day. TTY users call 1-800-325-0778.
 - Your State Medicaid Office.

- Help from your state's pharmaceutical assistance program (SPAP). Pennsylvania has
 a program called Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly (PACE) that helps
 people pay for prescription drugs based on their financial need, age, or medical condition.
 To learn more about the program, check with your State Health Insurance Assistance
 Program (SHIP). To get the phone number for your state, visit shiphelp.org, or call
 1-800-MEDICARE.
- Prescription Cost-sharing Assistance for Persons with HIV/AIDS. The AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP) helps ensure that ADAP-eligible people living with HIV/AIDS have access to life-saving HIV medications. To be eligible for the ADAP operating in your state, you must meet certain criteria, including proof of state residence and HIV status, low income as defined by the state, and uninsured/under-insured status. Medicare Part D drugs that are also covered by ADAP qualify for prescription cost-sharing help through the Special Pharmaceutical Benefit Program (SPBP). For information on eligibility criteria, covered drugs, how to enroll in the program, or, if you're currently enrolled, how to continue getting help, call 1-800-922-9384. Be sure, when calling, to inform them of your Medicare Part D plan name or policy number.
- The Medicare Prescription Payment Plan. The Medicare Prescription Payment Plan is
 a payment option that works with your current drug coverage to help you manage your
 out-of-pocket costs for drugs covered by our plan by spreading them across the calendar
 year (January December). Anyone with a Medicare drug plan or Medicare health plan
 with drug coverage (like a Medicare Advantage plan with drug coverage) can use this
 payment option. This payment option might help you manage your expenses, but it
 doesn't save you money or lower your drug costs.

Extra Help from Medicare and help from your SPAP and ADAP, for those who qualify, is more advantageous than participation in the Medicare Prescription Payment Plan. All members are eligible to participate in the Medicare Prescription Payment Plan. To learn more about this payment option, call us at 1-866-901-8000 (TTY users call 1-877-454-8477) or visit Medicare.gov.

SECTION 5 Questions?

Section 5.1 Get Help from Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl (HMO D-SNP)

Get Help from Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl

• Call Member Services at 1-866-901-8000. (TTY only, call 1-877-454-8477).

We're available for phone calls 8 a.m. - 8 p.m., 7 days a week, Oct. 1 - March 31 and 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday - Friday, April 1 - Sept. 30. Calls to these numbers are free.

• Read your 2026 Evidence of Coverage

This *Annual Notice of Change* gives you a summary of changes in your benefits and costs for 2026. For details, go to the *2026 Evidence of Coverage* for Jefferson Health Plans Dual Pearl.

The *Evidence of Coverage* is the legal, detailed description of our plan benefits. It explains your rights and the rules you need to follow to get covered services and prescription drugs. Get the *Evidence of Coverage* on our website at www.JeffersonHealthPlans.com/medicare or call Member Services 1-866-901-8000 (TTY only, call 1-877-454-8477) to ask us to mail you a copy.

• Visit www.JeffersonHealthPlans.com/medicare

Our website has the most up-to-date information about our provider network (*Provider Directory/Pharmacy Directory*) and our *List of Covered Drugs* (formulary/Drug List).

Section 5.2 Get Free Counseling about Medicare

The State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP) is an independent government program with trained counselors in every state. In Pennsylvania the SHIP is called Pennsylvania Medicare Education and Decision Insight.

Call Pennsylvania Medicare Education and Decision Insight to get free personalized health insurance counseling. They can help you understand your Medicare plan choices and answer questions about switching plans. Call Pennsylvania Medicare Education and Decision Insight at 1-800-783-7067. Learn more about Pennsylvania Medicare Education and Decision Insight by visiting www.aging.pa.gov/aging-services/medicare-counseling/Pages/default.aspx.

Section 5.3 Get Help from Medicare

Call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227)

You can call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227), 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. TTY users can call 1-877-486-2048.

Chat live with <u>www.Medicare.gov</u>

You can chat live at www.Medicare.gov/talk-to-someone.

Write to Medicare

You can write to Medicare at PO Box 1270, Lawrence, KS 66044

Visit <u>www.Medicare.gov</u>

The official Medicare website has information about cost, coverage, and quality Star Ratings to help you compare Medicare health plans in your area.

Read Medicare & You 2026

The *Medicare & You 2026* handbook is mailed to people with Medicare every fall. It has a summary of Medicare benefits, rights and protections, and answers to the most frequently asked questions about Medicare. Get a copy at www.Medicare.gov or by calling 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227). TTY users can call 1-877-486-2048.

Section 5.4 Get Help from Medicaid

To get information from Medicaid you can call the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services at 1-800-692-7462 TTY users should call 1-800-451-5886).