

## Get help paying for your Medicare Prescription Drugs

- ▶ The Low-Income Subsidy “Extra Help” program can help you lower your Medicare Part D prescription drug costs.
- ▶ Use the chart below to see whether you might qualify for Extra Help.

2024 Extra Help		
Monthly Income Limit	Resource Limit	Your Out-of-Pocket Cost
\$1,903 (single person)	\$17,220 (single person)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$4.50 for generics and \$11.20 for brand name drugs</li> <li>• \$0 once your total out-of-pocket costs reach \$8,000</li> <li>• You can join certain Part D plans with a \$0 premium and deductible</li> </ul>
\$2,575 (married couple)	\$34,360 (married couple)	

- ▶ The income limits include a \$20 standard deduction. The resource limits include \$1,500 per person for burial expenses. The home you live in, your cars, and life insurance policies are not counted as resources.

**The Medicare Part D drug plans listed below charge no monthly premiums to people who qualify for the “Extra Help” Program.**

Company Name	Plan Name	To Enroll
WellCare	<b>WellCare Classic (PDP) (S4802-094-0)</b>	<b>1-866-859-9084</b>
Cigna	<b>Cigna Secure Rx (PDP) (S5617-158-0)</b>	<b>1-800-735-1459</b>

- If you receive Extra Help, use this list to choose a 2024 Part D drug plan. Call each plan on the list to find a Part D plan that covers all your drugs.
- If you enroll into a Part D drug plan that is not listed on this chart, you may be required to pay a monthly premium.

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## Where do I apply for Extra Help?

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- ▶ To apply for Extra Help, contact the Social Security Administration at (800) 772-1213 or apply online at: <https://www.ssa.gov/benefits/medicare/prescriptionhelp.html>
- ▶ You can also call Center for Health Care Rights at (800) 824-0780. We can help you apply for Extra Help.

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## How often can I change my Part D plan?

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- ▶ If you are approved for Extra Help, you qualify for Special Enrollment Periods to make changes to your Part D plan outside of the annual open enrollment period which is October 15th to December 7th.
- ▶ You can make one change to your Part D plan once every 3 months during the first 9 months of the year. From October through December, you are required to use the same Part D open enrollment period as everyone else on Medicare.

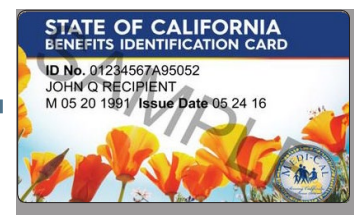
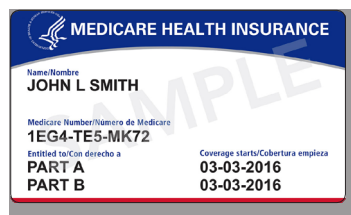


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## If I have Medi-Cal, do I need to apply for Extra Help?

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- ▶ If you have full Medi-Cal benefits, you do not need to apply for Extra Help separately. You automatically receive Extra Help benefits when you have Medi-Cal.
- ▶ You already qualify to pay no more than \$1.55 for generics and \$4.60 for brand name drugs.



Call Center for Health Care Rights at **(800) 824-0780** for more info.  
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