Blue Shield of California
Medicare Advantage-Prescription Drug Plans
Pre-Enrollment Checklist

Before making an enrollment decision, it is important that you fully understand our benefits and rules. If you have any questions, you can call and speak to a Customer Service Representative at (800) 452-4413 [TTY: 711], 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., seven days a week.

Understanding the benefits

- The Evidence of Coverage (EOC) provides a complete list of all coverage and services. It is important to review plan coverage, costs, and benefits before you enroll. Visit blueshieldca.com/medmapd2024 or call Customer Service at (800) 452-4413 [TTY: 711], 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., seven days a week, to view a copy of the EOC.

- Review the provider directory (or ask your doctor) to make sure the doctors you see now are in the network. If they are not listed, it means you will likely have to select a new doctor.

- Review the pharmacy directory to make sure the pharmacy you use for any prescription medicine is in the network. If the pharmacy is not listed, you will likely have to select a new pharmacy for your prescriptions.

- Review the formulary to make sure your drugs are covered.

Understanding important rules

- **If you’re enrolling in a plan with a monthly premium:** In addition to your monthly plan premium, you must continue to pay your Medicare Part B premium. This premium is normally taken out of your Social Security check each month.

- Benefits, premiums, and/or copayments/co-insurance may change on January 1, 2025.

- **For HMO D-SNP plans:** This plan is a dual-eligible special needs plan (D-SNP). Your ability to enroll will be based on verification that you are entitled to both Medicare and medical assistance from a state plan under Medicaid.
Effect on Current Coverage

If you are currently enrolled in a Medicare Advantage plan, your current Medicare Advantage healthcare coverage will end once your new Medicare Advantage coverage starts. If you have Tricare, your coverage may be affected once your new Medicare Advantage coverage starts. Please contact Tricare for more information. If you have a Medigap plan, once your Medicare Advantage coverage starts, you may want to drop your Medigap policy because you will be paying for coverage you cannot use.

ATTENTION: If you speak a language other than English, language assistance services, free of charge, are available to you. Call (800) 452-4413 [TTY: 711].