



2020, University of Maryland Health Advantage *Dual* is known as *Dual Prime*. Sample ID card:

Model of Care Annual Training:

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) **requires** all Medicare Advantage Special Needs Plans (SNP) to have a Model of Care (MOC). CMS also requires all SNPs to conduct **initial** and **annual** training that reviews the major elements of the MOC for providers.

Please visit www.umhatraining.com to complete your annual MOC training

Pharmacy Updates: Opioid Prescribing Overview

We are asking providers within the same practice/medical group to minimize the number of opioid prescribers for a given member. The number of opioid drugs a member can receive will be limited to up to 90 MME per day for a 30-day supply. Prescriptions for greater than this amount will need prior authorization. Members who are new to opioid drugs may have other limitations. For example, the member must use an immediate release drug before they can use an extended-release drug. New opioid users will only be able to get up to a seven-day supply on their first fill. If member is not treatment naïve, has active cancer, or resides in LTC or hospice, please call the CVS Pharmacy Help Desk at 1-866-693-4620.

Qualified Medicare Beneficiary Program update:

Please remember that all Medicare providers and suppliers, including pharmacies, may not bill beneficiaries enrolled in the QMB program for Medicare cost-sharing. Medicare beneficiaries enrolled in the QMB program have no legal obligation to pay Medicare Part A or Part B deductibles, coinsurance, or copays for any Medicare-covered items and services. For more Information about enrollee QMB status and exemption from cost-sharing liability: <https://goo.gl/N3r6GW>.

Medicare Prescriber Requirements:

Any physician or other eligible professional who prescribes Part D drugs must either enroll in the Medicare program or opt out to prescribe drugs to their patients with Part D prescription drug benefit plans. Medicare Part D may no longer cover drugs that are prescribed by physicians or other eligible professionals who are neither validly enrolled, nor opted out of Medicare.

All prescribers must be enrolled by January 1, 2019 to ensure enrollees get their prescriptions.

Enroll online at <https://pecos.cms.hhs.gov/pecos/login.do#headingLv1>.

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