

# 2010 New York State Medicare Part D Drug Profile



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Plan Name	Monthly Plan Premium	Full Cost of Drug	Initial Coverage Cost of Drug	Cost of Drug During Gap	Catastrophic Cost of Drug	Tier	Prior Authorization Necessary?	Limit on Quantity?	Step Therapy for Drug?
AARP MedicareRx Enhanced (PDP)	\$80.10	\$89.02	\$42.00	\$89.02	\$6.30	TIER 2	No	Yes	No
AARP MedicareRx Preferred (PDP)	\$37.40	\$89.02	\$42.00	\$89.02	\$6.30	TIER 2	No	Yes	No
AARP MedicareRx Saver (PDP)	\$36.40	\$89.02	\$25.00	\$89.02	\$6.30	TIER 2	No	Yes	No
Advantage Freedom Plan by RxAmerica (PDP)	\$35.70	\$92.60	\$92.60	\$92.60	\$92.60	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
Advantage Star Plan by RxAmerica (PDP)	\$28.80	\$92.60	\$92.60	\$92.60	\$92.60	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
AdvantraRx Premier (PDP)	\$57.40	\$89.54	\$44.77	\$89.54	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	Yes
AdvantraRx Premier Plus (PDP)	\$67.20	\$89.54	\$67.16	\$89.54	\$6.30	TIER 4	No	Yes	Yes
AdvantraRx Value (PDP)	\$47.10	\$89.54	\$58.20	\$89.54	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	Yes
Aetna Medicare Rx Costco Plus Plan (PDP)	\$42.00	\$86.77	\$32.00	\$86.77	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	No
Aetna Medicare Rx Essentials (PDP)	\$50.00	\$86.17	\$25.00	\$86.17	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	No
Aetna Medicare Rx Premier (PDP)	\$117.50	\$86.17	\$38.00	\$86.17	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	No
BravoRx (PDP)	\$30.60	\$92.60	\$92.60	\$92.60	\$92.60	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
CIGNA Medicare Rx Plan One (PDP)	\$27.70	\$100.16	\$100.16	\$100.16	\$100.16	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
CIGNA Medicare Rx Plan Three (PDP)	\$71.00	\$95.77	\$60.00	\$95.77	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	Yes
CIGNA Medicare Rx Plan Two (PDP)	\$40.80	\$95.77	\$90.00	\$95.77	\$6.30	TIER 4	No	Yes	Yes
CVS Caremark Complete (PDP)	\$76.70	\$83.74	\$83.74	\$83.74	\$6.30	TIER 4	No	No	No
CVS Caremark Plus (PDP)	\$51.40	\$83.74	\$83.74	\$83.74	\$6.30	TIER 5	No	No	No
Community CCRx Basic (PDP)	\$33.40	\$94.10	\$94.10	\$94.10	\$94.10	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
Community CCRx Choice (PDP)	\$36.20	\$94.10	\$94.10	\$94.10	\$94.10	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
Community CCRx Gold (PDP)	\$81.00	\$94.10	\$94.10	\$94.10	\$94.10	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
EnvisionRxPlus Gold (PDP)	\$51.10	\$91.87	\$91.87	\$91.87	\$91.87	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
EnvisionRxPlus Silver (PDP)	\$31.20	\$91.87	\$91.87	\$91.87	\$91.87	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
First Health Part D-Premier (PDP)	\$38.20	\$89.54	\$39.40	\$89.54	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	Yes
First Health Part D-Secure (PDP)	\$19.50	\$89.54	\$43.88	\$89.54	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	Yes
First UA Medicare Part D Prescription Drug (PDP)	\$46.00	\$90.07	\$39.00	\$90.07	\$6.30	TIER 2	No	No	Yes
First UA Medicare Part D Rx Covg - Silver (PDP)	\$38.20	\$90.07	\$90.00	\$90.07	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	No	Yes
Fox Value Plan (PDP)	\$29.30	\$90.22	\$54.13	\$90.22	\$6.30	TIER 4	No	Yes	Yes
GHI Medicare Prescription Drug Plan (PDP)	\$27.60	\$90.32	\$22.58	\$90.32	\$6.30	TIER 2	No	Yes	Yes
HIP Enhanced Part D New York (PDP)	\$68.60	\$90.32	\$25.00	\$90.32	\$6.30	TIER 2	No	Yes	Yes
HIP Part D New York (PDP)	\$30.60	\$90.32	\$22.58	\$90.32	\$6.30	TIER 2	No	Yes	Yes

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Health Net Orange Option 1 (PDP)	\$37.10	\$89.54	\$89.54	\$89.54	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	No
Health Net Orange Option 2 (PDP)	\$65.80	\$89.54	\$89.54	\$89.54	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	No
HealthSpring Prescription Drug Plan -Reg 3 (PDP)	\$41.10	\$89.27	\$22.32	\$89.27	\$6.30	TIER 2	No	Yes	No
Humana Complete S5552-002 (PDP)	\$105.50	\$91.62	\$75.00	\$91.62	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	No
Humana Enhanced S5552-001 (PDP)	\$42.70	\$93.10	\$93.10	\$93.10	\$93.10	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
Humana Standard S5552-003 (PDP)	\$59.90	\$91.62	\$34.82	\$91.62	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	Yes	No
Medco Medicare Prescription Plan - Access (PDP)	\$77.80	\$90.07	\$67.55	\$90.07	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	No	Yes
Medco Medicare Prescription Plan - Choice (PDP)	\$47.20	\$90.07	\$67.55	\$90.07	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	No	Yes
Medco Medicare Prescription Plan - Value (PDP)	\$28.00	\$90.07	\$22.52	\$90.07	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	No	Yes
MedicareRx Rewards Plus (PDP)	\$51.40	\$87.79	\$87.79	\$87.79	\$87.79	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
MedicareRx Rewards Standard (PDP)	\$38.70	\$87.79	\$87.79	\$87.79	\$87.79	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
PrescribaRx Bronze (PDP)	\$28.30	\$93.10	\$93.10	\$93.10	\$93.10	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
PrescribaRx Gold (PDP)	\$37.60	\$93.10	\$93.10	\$93.10	\$93.10	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
Rx 1 (PDP)	\$43.70	\$90.07	\$22.52	\$90.07	\$6.30	TIER 2	No	Yes	Yes
Rx 3 (PDP)	\$57.00	\$90.07	\$30.00	\$90.07	\$6.30	TIER 2	No	Yes	Yes
SilverScript Value (PDP)	\$31.60	\$89.54	\$89.54	\$89.54	\$89.54	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No
SmartHealth RX PDP (PDP)	\$35.50	\$90.07	\$36.03	\$90.07	\$6.30	TIER 3	No	No	Yes
Sterling Rx (PDP)	\$64.90	\$90.31	\$90.31	\$90.31	\$90.31	NOT ON FORMULARY 15	No	No	No

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