

## **Prescription Drug Assistance Programs What's New Archive**

### **January 14, 2019 - Updates to Drug Assistance Program, Data Sharing Agreement User Guides Now Available**

Updates have been made to the following Drug Assistance Program, Data Sharing Agreement user guides:

AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP)  
Patient Assistance Program (PAP)  
State Pharmaceutical Assistance Program (SPAP)

The updated guides, dated January, 2019 have been posted to the Downloads section of the Coordinating Prescription Drug Benefits page. See Chapter 1.1 for a summary of changes.

### **August 6, 2018 - Reporting Change for Patient Assistance Program (PAP) Data Sharing Agreement (DSA) Records**

Effective January 1, 2019, PAP DSA partners must include at least one National Drug Code (NDC) and may include up to five NDCs when submitting records on the PAP Input File. For additional information, please reference the updated PAP User Guide, dated July 2018, located in the Download section of the Coordinating Prescription Drug Benefits page.

### **November 12, 2015 – Change to Eligibility History Retention Requirements for SPAP's and ADAP's**

Effective immediately, State Pharmaceutical Assistance Programs (SPAPs) and AIDS Drug Assistance Programs (ADAPs) should begin retaining eligibility history for all enrollees for 36 months, including for enrollees no longer enrolled, and reporting this information on the monthly eligibility file. For additional information and guidance, please review the Alert titled *SPAPs and ADAPs to Retain and Report 36 Months Eligibility Data* which is available in the Downloads section of the [Coordinating Prescription Drug Benefits](#) page.