

# Medicare's Limited Income NET Program Quick Reference Guide

## Program Eligibility

Individuals must not be enrolled in any other Medicare Part D plan; and must have either Medicare and Medicaid, or Medicare and the Low-Income Subsidy (LIS).

## Two Ways to Submit a Claim

1. Use the 4Rx data segment in the patient's enrollment confirmation letter, and use the Medicare Claim Number (on the red, white, and blue Medicare card).

2. If the patient does not have a letter, use the entire Medicare Claim Number (on the red, white, and blue Medicare card) in the 4Rx data segments below:

**BIN** = 015599

**PCN**= 05440000

**Group ID**= May be left blank

**Cardholder ID** = Medicare Claim Number  
(include letters)

**Optional Field:**

**Patient ID** = Medicaid ID or Social Security  
Number

## Questions?

**Call the Help Desk at 1-800-783-1307**

**Visit:** [www.humana.com/pharmacists/  
pharmacy\\_resources/information.aspx](http://www.humana.com/pharmacists/pharmacy_resources/information.aspx)

## Need More Information?

Visit these Program Websites:

[www.cms.gov/LowIncSubMedicarePresCov/  
03\\_MedicareLimitedIncomeNET.asp](http://www.cms.gov/LowIncSubMedicarePresCov/03_MedicareLimitedIncomeNET.asp)

This website provides:

- Tip Sheet for Immediate Need
- Tip Sheet for Retroactive Coverage
- Four Steps for Pharmacy Providers
- Payer Sheet

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resources/information.aspx](http://www.humana.com/pharmacists/pharmacy_resources/information.aspx)

This website provides:

- Four Steps for Pharmacy Providers
- Payer Sheet
- Continuing education credits  
(Education on Demand study modules  
are available for pharmacists and pharmacy  
technicians)

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If you are a **Pharmacy Provider** **Press 1**, then  
for Claim Rejections: **Press 1**  
for Medicare Part B vs.  
Part D Drug: **Press 2**  
for Eligibility Verification: **Press 3**  
to Repeat Options: **Press 4**

If you are a **Physician/Prescriber** **Press 2**

If you are a **Beneficiary/Other** **Press 3**



## Medicare's Limited Income NET (Newly Eligible Transition) Program

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## Tips for Pharmacy Providers



## About Medicare's Limited Income NET Program

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) created this Program to provide:

### 1. Point-of-Sale prescription drug coverage

for individuals with Medicare's Low-Income Subsidy (LIS, also called "Extra Help") who are not yet enrolled in a Medicare Part D plan.

### 2. Retroactive prescription drug coverage

for new "dual eligibles" -- those individuals who are newly eligible for both Medicare and Medicaid, or Medicare and Supplemental Security Income (SSI).



## Temporary Coverage

All enrollees are **temporarily** covered by Medicare's Limited Income NET Program until CMS enrolls them in a standalone Medicare Part D plan.



### Note:

Use the 4Rx data on the temporary card provided in the patient's enrollment confirmation letter for Medicare's Limited Income NET Program.

If the patient does not have an enrollment confirmation letter for Medicare's Limited Income NET Program, follow the "Four Steps for Pharmacy Providers" shown at right.



## Four Steps for Pharmacy Providers

### 1. Request Plan ID Card

If the patient has a Medicare Part D plan ID card, or a Medicare Part D plan letter with 4Rx data, submit claims to the Medicare Part D payer. *If not, go to step 2.*

### 2. Submit an E1 Transaction

Submit a query to Medicare's online eligibility query system.

- If the E1 query returns BIN/PCN, submit the claim to that Medicare Part D plan.
- If the E1 query returns a Contract ID and help desk numbers, contact that Medicare Part D plan for the 4Rx data.
- If the E1 query returns a telephone number for Contract ID "X0001," the patient is enrolled in Medicare's Limited Income Net Program. Use the 4Rx data located in this brochure's Quick Reference Guide.

*If the query does not return plan enrollment, go to step 3.*

### 3. Verify Eligibility for Medicare and either Medicaid or Low Income Subsidy (LIS)

If the patient cannot provide proof of eligibility, don't submit the claim. Refer the patient to his or her State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP). *If the patient is eligible for Medicare's Limited Income NET Program, go to step 4.*

### 4. Submit Claim

Enter claim using the 4Rx data found in this brochure's Quick Reference Guide. For more information, see the Program Payer Sheet at [www.humana.com/pharmacists/pharmacy\\_resources/information.aspx](http://www.humana.com/pharmacists/pharmacy_resources/information.aspx).