

BECOME A MEDICARE DIABETES PREVENTION PROGRAM SUPPLIER

Want to help people with Medicare stay healthy and prevent diabetes? Enroll to become a Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program (MDPP) Supplier. As a supplier, you'll help people with Medicare make lasting behavior changes through group-based training and individual support.

There are two steps to become a Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program Supplier.

STEP

Achieve CDC Recognition

Apply to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Diabetes Prevention Recognition Program

<u>Submit an application online</u> to become a CDC-recognized organization. This process is handled by CDC.

Offer the program for 12 months

Offer group-based sessions to help participants eat healthier, lose weight, and increase physical activity. Track and report participants' attendance, weight loss, and exercise minutes. Some organizations can be <u>fast-tracked to Preliminary recognition</u> sooner than 12 months.

Submit evaluation data to CDC every 6 months

Continue to track and report participants' progress. Your organization can achieve Preliminary or Full recognition after 12 months by meeting certain standards, such as participant attendance and weight loss.

For more information and to apply, visit https://www.cdc.gov/diabetes/prevention/requirements-recognition.htm

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Apply to Become a Supplier

Apply to Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) to become an MDPP Supplier

Once you get Preliminary or Full CDC recognition, <u>submit an application online</u> or <u>complete a print application</u> to enroll as a supplier. The approval process usually takes at least 80 days and is handled by Medicare.

Provide Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program Services

Offer group-based sessions and coaching using a CDC-approved curriculum, either in-person or via distance learning, to help beneficiaries learn how to get more exercise, choose healthy foods, and lose weight.

Bill Medicare

Submit claims to Medicare and get paid up to \$768 per participant when attendance and weight loss goals are met over the course of 12 months of sessions.

For more information and to enroll as an MDPP Supplier, visit https://innovation.cms.gov/Files/x/mdpp-enrollmentfs.pdf



