



BROKER Connection

News to help you grow your business

Sept. 14 2016

MLR Rebate Checks Scheduled for Mailing



MLR premium rebate checks will begin mailing in mid-September and will be staggered over a three-week period, with all required payments expected to be made by the September 30 deadline set by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.



Sales Support

- **Commission Update:** We will no longer include commissions in premium for groups in the large group size segment in select states. In these states we offer the service of collecting the service fee from the customer bill and paying it to the service provider. [Learn more](#)
- **Prospect Program Scheduled:** The third quarter 2016 direct marketing program targeting business decision-makers with 4-250 employees launches mid-September. The campaign is designed to better educate prospects, which may help grow your business with UnitedHealthcare. [Learn more](#)

Health Care Reform

- **Client Group Survey Due:** For rating purposes insurers are required to use the preceding calendar year employer size for any new and renewing quotes for the current year. Please encourage your employer groups with 5 to 150 subscribers to complete the recently mailed survey upon receipt. [Learn more](#)
- **Oct. 16 ACA "Meaningful Access" Time Line:** See how the meaningful access provisions of Section 1557 of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) provide access and assistance for those individuals with limited English proficiency through new notice and tagline requirements beginning Oct. 16, 2016. [Learn more](#)

Pharmacy

- **Jan. 1 PDL Updates Announced:** Updates will take effect for the UnitedHealthcare Prescription Drug Lists,



Receive News Alerts

Don't miss important health plan updates. Simply text **BROKERNEWS to 52789** via your mobile phone and begin receiving our monthly alerts.



Ideas/Suggestions?

Do you have an idea or suggestions for future editions of Broker Connection? Send us an email and let us know!

as well as the SignatureValue Formulary Jan. 1, 2017.
[Learn more](#)

- **Generic Crestor® Covered:** As part of UnitedHealthcare's Brand-Over-Generic Program strategy for Crestor, UnitedHealthcare began coverage of generic Crestor Thursday, Aug. 18, in response to price decreases caused by generic manufacturer competition [Learn more](#)