



2022 Medicare Savings Program and “Extra Help”

Limited Income Subsidy Fact Sheet

Medicare Savings Program | State help with federal support

Program and monthly gross income limits	Asset test*	Part B premium paid	Retroactive 90 days from eligibility date	Covers medical deductibles, co-pays and coinsurance	Drug help through “Extra Help”
Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB) Single: \$1,153 Couple: \$1,546					<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drug co-pay \$3.95 generic / \$9.85 brand • No drug deductible • No coverage gap • Catastrophic co-pay \$0 • Rx premium \$0 if enrolled in a benchmark PDP • 2022 premium benchmark is \$40.48
Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary (SMB/SLMB) Single: \$1,379 Couple: \$1,851					
Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary (SMF/QI) Single: \$1,549 Couple: \$2,080					
“Extra Help” ONLY Single: Less than \$1,720 but more than \$1,549 Couple: Less than \$2,309 but more than \$2,080					<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drug co-pay no more than 15% • Catastrophic \$3.95 generic / \$9.85 brand • Rx premium 25-100% subsidy • \$99 deductible

*Asset test limits (savings, investments, 401k etc.):

Single: \$15,510 Couple: \$30,950

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