	COMPANY	Plan Name	Change from 2025 to 2026	Tel.	Members 2025 <sup>2</sup> / STARS			
1	CIGNA	HealthSpring Assurance RX (PDP) S5617-013	Remains benchmark – \$0 Premium w/ Extra Help  Name Changed from  Cigna Healthcare Assurance RX (PDP)	1-800-222-6700	130,906 2 star			
2	WellCare	WellCare Classic (PDP) S4802-077	Remains benchmark - \$0 Premium w/ Extra Help	1-888-550-5252	143,480 3.5 star			
		Ва	asic 2026 Plan that is <u>NO longer a Benchmark I</u>	Plan in 2026		112,580		
	Aetna	2026 Premium for those with Extra Help will be \$57.20. For everyone else premium is \$116.00.  Those who are in this plan in 2025 with Extra Help:  • Who were assigned to this plan ("Non-choosers") receive BLUE Notice No. 11209 in November saying they will be randomly reassigned to one of the 2 benchmark plans unless they choose another plan or stay and pay the \$57.20 premium above the "benchmark" (unless they have EPIC which should pay it). In December they receive 2 <sup>nd</sup> notice. <sup>3</sup> • If they CHOSE the plan, they get a TAN Chooser Notice #11267 saying they will be charged the \$57.20 premium unless they change plans, but won't be reassigned if they don't.						
	2025	<b>Plans Closing (were</b>	not "benchmark" plans but people with E	xtra Help may ha	ve been enrolled	)		
	Cigna	Cigna Extra Rx (PDP) S5617-248  Members of closing plans who have Extra Help will receive Reassignment notice for Plan Terminations in November - BLUE notice No. 11208 - that they will be RANDOMLY reassigned to one of the two Benchmark plans above for 2026 unless they enroll in a new plan on their own In November they receive a 2 <sup>nd</sup> notice BLUE notice No. 11496 - Informs people who get Extra Help						
	Wellcare Medicare Rx Wellcare Value Plus S4802-206  Wellcare Medicare Rx Wellcare S4802-206  Wellcare Medicare Rx Wellcare Medicare Rx And were affected by reassignment which of the Part D drugs they took in 2025 will be covered by their new 2026 Medicare drug plan.							

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> **2026 Benchmark Premium = \$58.82 -** Benchmark plans are BASIC plans with premiums below the "benchmark" – and are free for people with Full Extra Help. Extra Help subsidizes the BASIC plan premium up to the benchmark. ..

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See <a href="https://q1medicare.com/PartD-2026MedicarePartD-PlanStatistics.php?crit=ny#National">https://q1medicare.com/PartD-2026MedicarePartD-PlanStatistics.php?crit=ny#National</a>

	ALL Stand-Alone Plans							
	Plan Name	Benefit Type/ STARS	Monthly Drug Premium (2026)	Premium with Full Extra Help (2026)	Annual Drug Deductible	Notes	2025 Premium	Premium Comparison (2026 – 2025)
1.	HealthSpring Assurance Rx (Plan ID S5617-013)	Basic 2 star	\$ 35.70	\$ 0	\$ 615	BENCHARK Plan Plan Name Change from 2025 Name – Cigna Health Assurance Rx	\$ 48.90	↓ \$ 13.20
2.	Wellcare Classic (Plan ID S4802-077)	Basic 3.5 star	\$ 45.70	\$ 0	\$ 615	BENCHMARK Plan	\$ 55.30	↓ \$ 9.60
3.	Wellcare Value Script (Plan ID S4802-138)	Enhanced 3.5 star	\$ 42.40	\$ 20.90	\$ 615		\$ 38.70	个 \$ 3.70
4.	HealthSpring Extra Rx (Plan ID S5617-353)	Enhanced 2.5 star	\$ 91.60	\$ 32.80	\$ 615	Plan Name Changed from 2025 Name – Cigna Healthcare Saver Rx	\$ 41.60	个 \$50.00
5.	Silverscript Choice (Plan ID S5601-006)	Basic 3 star	\$ 116.00	\$ 57.20	\$ 615	NO LONGER BENCHMARK Plan	\$66.00	个 \$50.00
6.	AARP Medicare Rx Saver from UHC (Plan ID S5921-379)	Basic 2 star	\$ 105.80	\$ 47.00	\$ 615		\$ 128.10	↓ \$ 22.30
7.	Humana Basic Rx (Plan ID S5884-216)	Basic 3 star	\$ 140.90	\$ 82.10	\$ 615	Plan ID Changed from S5552-004	\$ 120.60	个 \$20.30
8.	Humana Value Rx (Plan ID S5884-218)	Enhanced 3 star	\$ 158.90	\$ 100.10	\$ 601	Plan ID Changed from S5552-006	\$108.90	个 \$50.00
9.	AARP Medicare Rx Preferred by UHC (Plan ID S5921-382)	Enhanced 2 star	\$ 163.70	\$ 104.90	\$ 130		\$113.70	个 \$50.00

10.	Humana Premier Rx Plan	Enhanced	\$ 173.60	\$ 114.80	\$ 0	Plan ID Changed from	\$ 170.40	个 \$ 3.20
	(Plan ID S5884-216)					S5552-005		

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