

RxDC Survey Email for Collecting 2023 Reference Year Data

Dear [Client Contact],

CareFirst is preparing to submit the annual Prescription Drug and Health Care Spending (RxDC) Reports on behalf of [CFA, NCAS, or CareFirst] clients that were enrolled in our medical and/or pharmacy products for any portion of 2023. This mandated federal reporting is due June 1, 2024.

You are receiving this email because there is certain information that CareFirst needs to collect from each client to be able to submit compliant RxDC reporting according to the CMS requirements.

By Friday, 5/10/2024, please provide the requested information **OR** opt out of CareFirst submitting the **RxDC - D1 Premium & Life Years** file on your behalf by accessing the survey link below.

Please refer to this [CFA/NCAS, Fully Insured, or Self-funded] **RxDC Instructional Guide** for details about the data that is being requested.

< [SURVEY LINK](#) >

If the data is not provided by Friday, 5/10/2024 OR if the client elects to opt out, it will be the client's responsibility to ensure the **RxDC - D1 Premium & Life Years** file with the required information is prepared and submitted to CMS.

Please reach out to your [CFA, NCAS, or CareFirst] account contact with any questions.

With Care,

The CareFirst RxDC Reporting Team

What is RxDC reporting?

Under Section 204 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act (CAA), carriers and employer-based health plans are required to report data annually on prescription drugs and healthcare spending to the Departments of Health and Human Services (HHS), Labor (DOL) and Treasury (USDT), collectively "the Departments". This data submission is called RxDC reporting. The Rx stands for prescription drug and the DC stands for data collection.

The RxDC reporting isn't only about prescription drugs. It includes information about spending on health care services, premiums paid by members and employers, cost-share, and manufacturer rebates. The Departments will use this reporting to:

- Identify major drivers of increases in prescription drug and health care spending
- Understand how drug rebates impact premiums and out-of-pocket costs
- Promote transparency in prescription drug pricing

For more information about these requirements, visit [Prescription Drug Data Collection \(RxDC\) | CMS](#).