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### **Contact Information**

### **Central Registry Office**

Manitoba Métis Federation 150 Henry Avenue R3B 0J7 · Winnipeg, Manitoba Office: 204-586-8474 · Toll Free: 1-800-665-8474 www.mmf.mb.ca

#### Health & Wellness' Prescription Drug Program Team

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#### Canada Revenue Agency

Individual Income Tax Inquiries Canada Revenue Agency Toll Free: 1-800-959-8281

#### Manitoba Pharmacare

300 Carlton Street R3B 3M9 · Winnipeg, Manitoba Office: 204–786–7141 · Toll Free: 1–800–297–8099 pharmacare@gov.mb.ca www.gov.mb.ca/health/pharmacare





## What is the Prescription Drug Program?

The Prescription Drug Program (PDP) is a Manitoba Métis Federation developed program which pays for Pharmacare-approved prescription drugs. PDP will provide a yearly contribution towards your pharmacare deductible based on income for the current pharmacare eligible taxation year.

#### Who is eligible?

Métis Citizens aged 55+ with an individual annual net income of \$35,000 or less, and who use MEDOCare Pharmacy for prescription dispensing and delivery.

#### Who is MEDOCare Pharmacy?

MEDOCare is a partner of the Health and Wellness Department with a shared goal to jointly develop and deliver Métis health benefits. It is a Métis owned and operated pharmacy. MEDOCare Pharmacy is the sole provider of Prescription Drug Program.

#### How do I apply?

Contact the Prescription Drug Program Team to book an intake appointment. In partnership with the Community Navigation Team, Health & Wellness Department, our team can support you through the application process. Community Navigation staff are located across the province.

Citizens will need to provide the following documentation at the time of application as well as yearly to continue to be enrolled in the program:

#### □ Proof of Métis Citizenship

- Canada Revenue Agency Notice of Assessment
- □ Manitoba Pharmacare Notice of Deductible
- □ Third Party Insurance Coverage, if applicable

# What if I don't have my Canada Revenue Notice of Assessment?

This document is something that should be mailed to you a short time after you file your annual income tax return. Your annual income statement will be required each year to prove you continue to fall within the income bracket of the PDP. (You can also contact the Individual Income Tax Inquiries division at **1-800-959-8281**). Should you need assistance, please contact the Prescription Drug Program Team.

#### How long will it take to be approved?

We strive to approve enrollment as soon as the application and supporting documents are received. The timeframe varies for each Citizen depending on the situation. Please know that the transfer from your pharmacy to MEDOCare Pharmacy is not immediate and will take some time to complete.

#### What role does the Prescription Drug Program Team play in this process?

Your Prescription Drug Program Team can assist with:

- · Filling out the PDP application
- Contacting the Central Registry Office (CRO) and walking you through the process of obtaining your MMF Citizenship card
- Helping you obtain any relevant documents or information

# What if I don't have my MMF Citizenship Card?

If you meet all other eligibility criteria, your Prescription Drug Program Team will request a Citizenship Verification letter confirming your Citizenship.

# How do I get my Pharmacare Notice of Deductible?

This notice should be mailed to you annually. Your notice of deductible is required annually to prove you continue to fall within the scope of the PDP. (You can also contact Manitoba Pharmacare at 1-800-297-8099 or pharmacare@gov.mb.ca). Should you need assistance, your regional Prescription Drug Program Team will provide assistance.

# Why do you need my third party insurer information?

A third party insurer may already be covering a portion of your prescription drugs costs. Once approved in the PDP, MEDOCare Pharmacy will bill the third party insurer first and then the MMF.

# What happens once my application is submitted?

You will receive a call and correspondence indicating approval and next steps. Citizens are required to contact the pharmacy once they received their correspondence. The Health & Wellness Department will confirm your acceptance into the Prescription Drug Program.

