

Medicare Health Plans

What are my Medicare Health Plan options for 2018?

CalPERS offers several Medicare health plans. You may request a change in health plans at the time of Medicare enrollment. Review your enrollment materials carefully as you may be required to submit information directly to your health plan to complete your enrollment.

Are you Medicare-eligible and currently enrolled in one of the following basic health benefit plans?

- Anthem Blue Cross HMO Select
- Blue Shield of CA Access+
- Blue Shield of CA EPO
- Health Net Salud y Más
- Health Net SmartCare
- Sharp
- Western Health Advantage

IF YES

You have two options:

Option 1: Do nothing

CalPERS will enroll you in the UnitedHealthcare (UHC) Group Medicare Advantage PPO Plan (Health Only).*

Participants who have members enrolled in Medicare and Basic health plan coverage and reside outside of UHC's basic health plan ZIP code area will be enrolled in PERS Choice Medicare Supplement PPO Plan.

Option 2: Choose a new plan

You can choose either:

- Anthem Blue Cross Medicare Preferred,**
- Kaiser Permanente Senior Advantage (KPSA) HMO plan,***
- PERSCare, PERS Choice, PERS Select Medicare Supplement PPO Plans,
- UnitedHealthcare Group Medicare Advantage PPO Plan (Health/Dental/Vision).*

IF NO

You can choose to stay in the corresponding Medicare health plan of your current health carrier or you can change your health plan to:

- Anthem Blue Cross Medicare Preferred,**
- Kaiser Permanente Senior Advantage HMO plan,***
- PERSCare, PERS Choice, PERS Select Medicare Supplement PPO Plans,
- UnitedHealthcare Group Medicare Advantage PPO Plan.*

You can choose one of these plans by submitting your request to:

CalPERS Member Account Management Division
Attn: Medicare Administration
P.O. Box 942715
Sacramento, CA 94229-2715

Or via phone by calling CalPERS at **888 CalPERS** (or **888-225-7377**).

*UHC offers two health plan options. (1) Health Only is available to State and contracting agency retirees. (2) Health/Dental/Vision is only available to Medicare retirees from contracting agencies for an additional premium per Medicare member, per month paid directly to UHC. For additional information regarding benefits contact UHC at (888) 867-5581.

**Anthem Blue Cross offers two health plan options. (1) Health Only is available to State and contracting agency retirees. (2) Health/Dental/Vision is only available to Medicare retirees from contracting agencies for an additional premium per Medicare member, per month paid directly to Anthem Blue Cross. For additional information regarding benefits contact Anthem Blue Cross at (855) 839-4524.

***KPSA offers two health plan options. (1) Health Only is available to State and contracting agency retirees. (2) Health/Dental is only available to Medicare retirees from contracting agencies for an additional premium per Medicare member, per month paid directly to Delta Dental. Dental benefits are offered separately by Delta Dental. For more information regarding dental benefits contact Delta Dental at (866) 257-4399.