



Broker Brief

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D-SNP

Ohio MyCare

ODM (Ohio Department of Medicaid) has made the decision that Coordinated D-SNP will not be available for OH full duals for PY2027 (FBDE, QMB+, SLMB+); This could result in a lot of movement of your book of business during AEP. To make AEP easier, with the monthly SEP you are able to move your members who qualify to Caresource MyCare plan now.

Transition to MyCare

Transitioning your members to MyCare will streamline their benefits by providing them with just one plan and one card. Starting in 2027, Coordinated -DSNP will no longer be able to enroll new full dual members, so this is a great opportunity to get ahead of the change. Additionally, MyCare offers enhanced benefits, resulting in a better experience for your clients. **All counties except for the 8/1 group are available to quote now on all platforms. The 8/1 county tranche will be available to quote on 7/1.**

Reminder to complete the SSBCI Capture form!



A digital version of the form can be found here: [Special Supplemental Benefits for the Chronically Ill \(SSBCI\) Provider Attestation Form.](#)

Why Complete the SSBCI Capture Form?

By filling out the SSBCI Capture Form, you confirm that the member has a qualifying condition, allowing them to access additional benefits that enhance their quality of life. These benefits may include:

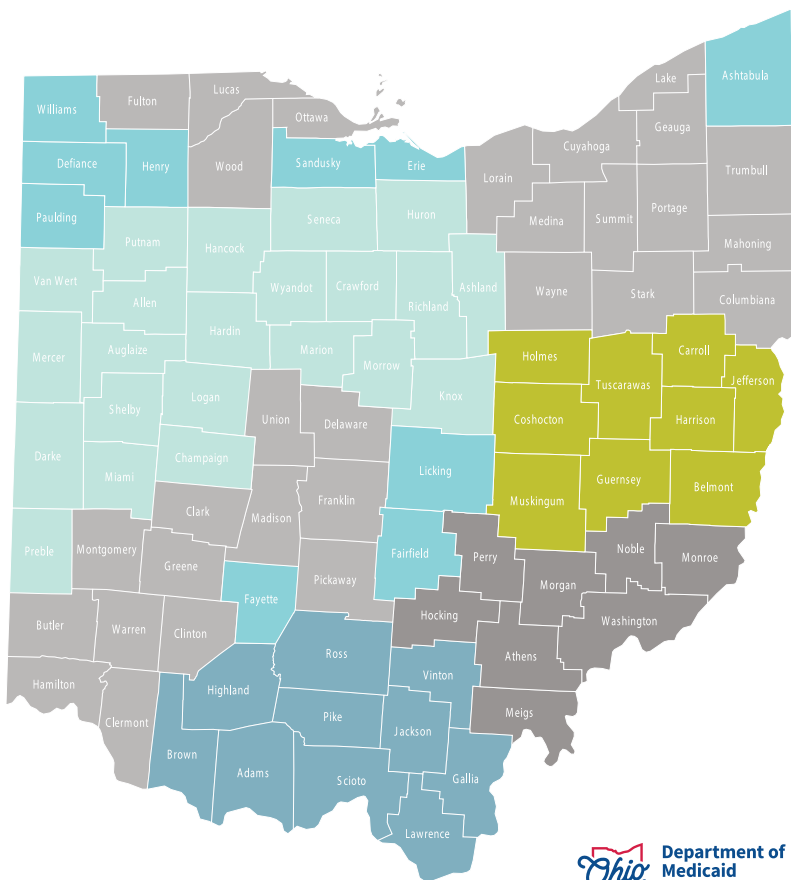
- **Healthy Food**
- **Utilities**
- **Rent & Mortgage Assistance**
- **Home & Bathroom Safety Items**
- **Pest Control Retail Items**
- **Indoor Air Quality Items**
- **Household Cleaning Supplies**
- **Personal Care Items**
- **Pet Care Items**

Next Generation MyCare Program Rollout Reminder

The Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) will launch the Next Generation MyCare program on January 1, 2026 to better serve individuals who are dually eligible for Medicare and Medicaid.

The rollout will occur in two phases:

- Phase 1 (January 1, 2026):**
 Implementation in the 29 counties where the current MyCare Ohio program already operates. These counties are grouped by Area Agency on Aging (AAA) regions, including major areas like Franklin, Cuyahoga, Hamilton, and Summit.
- Phase 2 (April 1, 2026 onward):**
 Expansion to the remaining counties statewide throughout 2026.



Phase 1: Current MyCare Counties	
On Jan. 1, 2026, ODM will roll out the Next Generation MyCare program in the 29 counties where MyCare is currently available today.	
Jan. 1, 2026	AAA1: Butler, Warren, Clinton, Hamilton, Clermont AAA2: Montgomery, Clark, Greene AAA6: Franklin, Delaware, Union, Madison, Pickaway AAA4: Lucas, Fulton, Ottawa, Wood AAA10a: Lorain, Cuyahoga, Medina, Lake, Geauga AAA10b: Summit, Portage, Stark, Wayne AAA11: Columbiana, Mahoning, Trumbull
Phase 2*: Remaining Counties	
Starting on Apr. 1, 2026, and continuing through the year, ODM will roll out the Next Generation MyCare program in the remaining counties.	
Apr. 1, 2026	AAA4: Sandusky, Erie, Henry, Williams, Defiance, Paulding AAA6: Fayette, Fairfield, Licking AAA11: Ashtabula
May 1, 2026	AAA2: Preble, Darke, Miami, Shelby, Champaign, Logan AAA3: Van Wert, Putnam, Hancock, Allen, Mercer, Auglaize, Hardin AAA5: Seneca, Huron, Wyandot, Crawford, Richland, Ashland, Marion, Morrow, Knox
June 1, 2026	AAA7: Ross, Vinton, Highland, Pike, Jackson, Gallia, Brown, Adams, Scioto, Lawrence
July 1, 2026	AAA9: Holmes, Tuscarawas, Carroll, Jefferson, Coshocton, Harrison, Belmont, Guernsey, Muskingum
Aug. 1, 2026	AAA8: Hocking, Perry, Morgan, Noble, Monroe, Washington, Athens, Meigs

Enrollment starts 60 days prior to each rollout phase

Be on the Lookout:



2027 product certification and AHIP will be available soon. To best serve your clients, make sure you complete all necessary training well ahead of AEP!

MyCare First Looks and CareSource's Roadshow invites will be coming out soon!

Georgia: CareSource has announced that we will be exiting the D-SNP market beginning January 1st. Please note that all current members plans are fully intact until the end of the calendar year.

Exciting Monthly Benefits with ROLLOVER INCLUDED!

CareSource MyCare Ohio: \$287 Per Month!

OPTION 1: Connecture Portal

- 1 Complete the sale in the Connecture Portal.
- 2 Fill out the SSBCI Form that appears after the application is finished.
- 3 Select the qualifying conditions.
- 4 Submit the form to confirm eligibility for additional benefits.

OPTION 2: Fillable PDF

- 1 Fill out the SSBCI Capture Form after the sale.
- 2 Email it to SSBCI@CareSource.com.

Marketplace

Service area changes: CareSource has announced that we will be exiting the following ACA Markets: Indiana, Ohio, West Virginia. Please note that all current members plans are fully intact until the end of the calendar year.

Nevada: Intent to sell for Nevada HealthLink opens up June 1st – Any NV agents already on NV HealthLink don't need to take any action. Please keep in mind that Nevada's Open Enrollment Period is November 1st – December 31st.

Georgia & Wisconsin: Open Enrollment Period is November 1st – January 15th.

Source: CareSource, "Suburban Health Organization Marketplace Termination Notice," PDF notice, available at [CareSource.com/documents/in-exc-p-5569626-sho-mp-term-nn.pdf](https://www.caresource.com/documents/in-exc-p-5569626-sho-mp-term-nn.pdf).

Working with JFS office to change eligibility:



Brokers can partner with their members and the local Job and Family Services (JFS) office to review the member's current Medicaid eligibility status and identify any changes or updates needed to restore eligibility aligned with MyCare Ohio requirements. By guiding members through the redetermination or documentation process and maintaining communication with JFS, brokers can help ensure members regain the appropriate Medicaid level, preserving access to MyCare Ohio benefits and coordinated care services.

New MyCare Benefit Comparison chart is available!

This newly released flyer outlines the key similarities and differences between the Medicare + Medicaid and Medicaid-only CareSource MyCare Ohio plans, enabling brokers to easily compare benefits such as care coordination, prescription coverage, and additional allowances. By using this comparison, brokers can confidently guide members toward the plan that best aligns with their coverage needs, ensuring better understanding and improved support for their healthcare decisions. It's now available on PrintSource. Found here: [MEDICARE + MEDICAID BETTER TOGETHER](#).

Indiana: Suburban Health Organization network of hospitals & physicians will be exiting the CareSource Marketplace network, effective July 1, 2026. This includes Hancock Physicians Network, Hancock Regional Hospital & Surgery Center, Hendricks Regional Health, Henry County Hospital, Johnson Memorial Health Physician Network, Johnson Memorial Hospital, Major Hospital, Major Multispecialty Associates, New Castle Clinic, Riverview Health & Hospital, Suburban Home Health & Hospice and Witham Health Services.


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