

Supporting Statement – Part A
Medicaid Drug Rebate Program Labeler Reporting Format (CMS-367a - e)
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Quarterly Pricing Data (CMS-367a)
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Background

Section 1927 of the Social Security Act (the Act) requires drug labelers to enter into and have in effect a National Drug Rebate Agreement (NDRA) with the Federal government for States to receive funding for drugs dispensed to Medicaid recipients. In order for payment to be made under Medicaid, drug labelers that have signed an NDRA are required to report product and pricing data 30 days after every month and quarter. CMS forms 367a-e identify the product data fields that must be submitted to CMS, the pricing data fields that must be submitted on both a monthly and quarterly basis, the labeler contact information that must be submitted as needed, and to transmit quarterly pricing data (best prices associated with value-based purchasing (VBP) arrangements) for each of their covered outpatient drugs (CODs), on an as needed basis only.

Under the Medicaid program, states may provide coverage of prescribed drugs as an optional service under section 1905(a)(12) of the Act. Section 1903(a) of the Act provides for federal financial participation (FFP) in state expenditures for these drugs. Section 1927 of the Act governs the Medicaid Drug Rebate Program (MDRP) and payment for covered outpatient drugs (CODs), which are defined in section 1927(k)(2) of the Act.

In 2023, CMS notified users that it would also use data reported under 1927(b)(3)(A) to calculate inflation rebates under the Inflation Reduction Act of 2022. This additional use case uses existing data.

In this 2026 iteration we are proposing to revise CMS-367c (Product Data).

Using current data, we also have revised the number of respondents reporting drug information to CMS from 818 to 840; an increase of 22 participating labelers in the MDRP. Given that there are more respondents, the change has increased our total time and cost estimates. Our cost estimates have also increased by using more up to date wage figures. We are not proposing changes to any of our per response time estimates or to the frequency of reporting.

Overall, we estimate an increase of 418 responses and 15,890 hours.

A. Justification

1. Need and Legal Basis

The authority for requiring this data collection is section 1927 of the Act, and the September 26,

2024 final rule titled Medicaid Program; Misclassification of Drugs, Program Administration and Program Integrity Updates Under the Medicaid Drug Rebate Program (89 FR 79020).

Additionally, Section 11102 of the Inflation Reduction Act of 2022 establishes a Part D inflation rebate by manufacturers of certain single source drugs and biologicals with prices increasing at a rate faster than the rate of inflation. CMS will use data reported under section 1927(b)(3)(A) to determine if Part D drugs and biologicals have prices that exceed the rate of inflation.

2. Information Users

Labelers transmit drug product and pricing data to CMS within 30 days after the end of each calendar month and quarter. CMS uses the reported data to calculate the unit rebate amount (URA) and the unit rebate offset amount (UROA) for each NDC and distributes that information to all State Medicaid agencies. States use the URA to invoice the labeler for rebates and the UROA to report on the CMS-64. The monthly data is used to calculate Federal Upper Limit (FUL) prices for applicable drugs and for states that opt to use this data to establish their pharmacy reimbursement methodology. Additionally, CMS information users will leverage data reported under section 1927(b)(3)(A) to determine if certain Part D drugs and biologicals will be subject to an inflation rebate.

3. Improved Information Technology

CMS uses a web-based application for all drug data collection. The MDP application is available at no charge to all participating labelers. Manufacturers have two data reporting options within MDP: first, they may key their data online on an individual NDC basis; second, they may upload a saved file to MDP.

For additional information regarding the online and file transfer data transmission methods in MDP, see the attached screen shots.

4. Duplication Information

CMCS is the only CMS component collecting drug data for purposes of the MDRP. Therefore, this information collection does not duplicate any other effort and the information cannot be obtained from any other source.

5. Small Business

This collection of data may impact up to 100 small business entities that are currently in the voluntary program. MDP helps these entities more easily and accurately report their data than was possible under the previous data collection method. The MDP is free and helps labelers detect and correct potential data errors for which they previously faced penalties and terminations from the program.

6. Less Frequent Collection

Section 1927 of the Act requires monthly and quarterly drug data reporting by labelers.

7. Special Circumstances

We require respondents to report information to the agency more often than quarterly. Section 1927 of the Act requires monthly and quarterly drug data reporting by labelers.

Otherwise, this information collection request does not include any other special circumstances. More specifically, this information collection does not do any of the following:

- Require respondents to prepare a written response to a collection of information in fewer than 30 days after receipt of it;
- Require respondents to submit more than an original and two copies of any document;
- Require respondents to retain records, other than health, medical, government contract, grant-in-aid, or tax records for more than three years;
- Is connected with a statistical survey that is not designed to produce valid and reliable results that can be generalized to the universe of study;
- Require the use of a statistical data classification that has not been reviewed and approved by OMB;
- Includes a pledge of confidentiality that is not supported by authority established in statute or regulation that is not supported by disclosure and data security policies that are consistent with the pledge, or which unnecessarily impedes sharing of data with other agencies for compatible confidential use; or
- Require respondents to submit proprietary trade secret, or other confidential information unless the agency can demonstrate that it has instituted procedures to protect the information's confidentiality to the extent permitted by law.

8. Federal Register Notice/Outside Consultations

Our 60-day notice published in the Federal Register on December 22, 2025 (90 FR 59835). Comments were received and are attached along with our response.

Our 30-day notice published in the Federal Register on June 26, 2026 (91 FR 38715).

9. Payments or Gifts

There is no provision for any payment or gift to respondents associated with this reporting requirement.

10. Confidentiality

Confidentiality has been assured in accordance with section 1927(b)(3)(D) of the Act.

11. Sensitive Questions

There are no sensitive questions associated with this collection. Specifically, the collection does

not solicit questions of a sensitive nature, such as sexual behavior and attitudes, religious beliefs, and other matters that are commonly considered private.

12. Estimate of Burden and Costs to Respondents

The burden associated with our CMS-367(a-e) forms reflects the time used and cost incurred by labelers (respondents) when gathering and reporting Medicaid drug product and price information on a monthly, quarterly, and as needed basis.

The following provides a breakdown of the burden associated with this collection.

12.1 *Wage Data*

To derive average costs, we used data from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics' May 2025 National Occupational Employment and Wage Estimates for all salary estimates (http://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes_nat.htm). In this regard, the following table presents BLS' mean hourly wage, our estimated cost of fringe benefits and other indirect costs (calculated at 100 percent of salary), and our adjusted hourly wage.

Hourly Wage Estimates				
Occupation Title	Occupation Code	Mean Hourly Wage (\$/hr)	Fringe Benefits and Other Indirect Costs (\$/hr)	Adjusted Hourly Wage (\$/hr)
Computer System Analyst	15-1211	55.10	55.10	110.20
General & Operations Manager	11-1021	64.87	64.87	129.74
Operations Research Analyst	15-2031	47.95	47.95	95.90
Training & Development Manager	11-3131	71.33	71.33	142.66

As indicated, we are adjusting our employee hourly wage estimates by a factor of 100 percent. This is necessarily a rough adjustment, both because fringe benefits and other indirect costs vary significantly from employer to employer, and because methods of estimating these costs vary widely from study to study. Nonetheless, we believe that doubling the hourly wage to estimate total cost is a reasonably accurate estimation method.

12.2 *Burden Estimates*

Currently, there are approximately 840 respondents reporting drug information to CMS. Of the 840 total respondents reporting, 100% will report data via the MDP web-based application.

Within MDP, there are two reporting options from which the respondents may choose (i.e., online and file transfer); however, there is no difference in the time burden associated with each option. File transfer submissions and online submissions are both performed on the same reporting schedule (i.e., monthly and quarterly), and both require the submission of the same data fields with the exception of the Reactivation Date field which may only be entered online.

CMS-367a – Quarterly Pricing Data

Burden Due to Miscellaneous Quarterly Pricing Data Fields: On a quarterly basis, manufacturers are to report pricing data for each of their covered outpatient drugs to CMS. This data, which is reported on the CMS-367a, includes the following fields: “Record ID”, “Labeler Code”, “Product Code”, “Period Covered”, “Average Manufacturer Price”, “Best Price”, “Nominal Price”, “Customary Prompt Pay Discount”, “Initial Drug Available for Line Extension”, and “Initial Drug”.

We estimate that these requirements affect the approximately 818 drug manufacturers participating in the MDRP. The quarterly burden associated with the reporting of these miscellaneous data fields is the time and effort it takes to report these miscellaneous fields through direct file upload or manual data entry through the MDP system.

We estimate that it will take a Computer System Analyst 13 hours at \$110.20/hr, a General and Operations Manager 7 hours at \$129.74/hr, a Training and Development Manager 6 hours at \$142.66/hr, and an Operations Research Analyst 8.8 hours at \$95.90/hr for each drug manufacturer to complete the reporting of these miscellaneous data fields. In aggregate, we estimate 116,928 hours at a cost of \$13,576,618 (see the following table for details).

CMS-367a - Quarterly Pricing Data

Activity	Annual Respondents (#of manufacturers)	Total Annual Responses (frequency)	Time Per Response (hours)	Total Annual Time (hours)	Labor Cost (\$/hr)	Total Annual Cost (\$)
Quarterly Pricing Data	840	3,360 (840 x 4 responses/year)	13	43,680	110.20	2,835,571
Quarterly Pricing Data	840	3,360 (840 x 4 responses/year)	7	23,520	129.74	4,813,536
Quarterly Pricing Data	840	3,360 (840 x 4 responses/year)	8.8	29,568	95.90	3,051,485
Quarterly Pricing Data	840	3,360 (840 x 4 responses/year)	6	20,160	142.66	2,876,026
TOTAL	840	3,360	Varies	116,928	Varies	13,576,618

CMS-367b – Monthly Pricing Data

Burden Due to Miscellaneous Monthly Pricing Data Fields: On a monthly basis manufacturers are to report pricing data for each of their covered outpatient drugs to CMS. This data, which is reported on CMS-367b, includes the following fields: “Record ID”, “Labeler Code”, “Product Code”, “Month”, “Year”, “Average Manufacturer Price”, “AMP Units”, and “5i Threshold”.

We estimate that these requirements affect the approximately 840 drug manufacturers participating in the MDRP. The monthly burden associated with the reporting of these miscellaneous data fields is the time and effort it takes to report these miscellaneous fields through direct file upload or manual data entry through the MDP system.

We estimate that it will take a Computer System Analyst 13 hours at \$110.20/hr, a General and Operations Manager 7 hours at \$129.74/hr, a Training and Development Manager 11 hours at \$142.66/hr, and a Operations Research Analyst 13.8 hours at \$95.90/hr for each drug manufacturer to complete the reporting of these miscellaneous data fields. In aggregate, we estimate 451,584 hours at a cost of \$52,753,277 (see the following table for details).

CMS-367b – Monthly Pricing Data

Activity	Annual Respondents (#of manufacturers)	Total Annual Responses (frequency)	Time Per Response (hours)	Total Annual Time (hours)	Labor Cost (\$/hr)	Total Annual Cost (\$)
Monthly Pricing Data	840	10,080 (840 x 12 responses/year)	13	131,040	110.20	13,340,074
Monthly Pricing Data	840	10,080 (840 x 12 responses/year)	7	70,560	129.74	14,440,608
Monthly Pricing Data	840	10,080 (840 x 12 responses/year)	13.8	139,104	95.90	9,154,454
Monthly Pricing Data	840	10,080 (840 x 12 responses/year)	11	110,880	142.66	15,818,141
TOTAL	840	10,080	Varies	451,584	Varies	52,753,277

CMS-367c – Product Data

Burden Due to Miscellaneous Product Data Fields: When a manufacturer reports a new drug to CMS or makes a change to the product data of an existing drug, the manufacturer is responsible for reporting these product data. This data, which is reported on form CMS-367c, may include the following fields: “Record ID”, “Labeler Code”, “Product Code”, “Package Size”, “Drug Category”, “Unit Type”, “FDA Approval Date”, “Therapeutic Equivalence Code”, “Market Date”, “Termination Date”, “Drug Type”, “OBRA ’90 Baseline AMP”, “Units Per Package Size”, “FDA Product Name”, “Package Size Intro Date”, “Purchased Product Date”, “5i Drug Indicator”, “5i Route of Administration”, “Covered Outpatient Drug Status”, “FDA Application Number/OTC Monograph Number”, “Line Extension Drug Indicator”, and “Reactivation Date”.

We estimate that these requirements affect the approximately 840 drug manufacturers participating in the MDRP. The annual burden associated with the reporting of these miscellaneous product data fields is the time and effort it takes to report these miscellaneous fields through direct file upload or manual data entry through the MDP system.

We estimate that it will take a Computer System Analyst 18 hours at \$110.20/hr, a General and Operations Manager 6.5 hours at \$129.74/hr, a Training and Development Manager 2 hours at \$142.66/hr, and a Operations Research Analyst 17 hours at \$95.90/hr for each drug manufacturer to complete the reporting of these miscellaneous product data fields. In aggregate, we estimate 36,540 hours at a cost of \$3,983,725 (see the following table for details).

CMS-367c – Product Data

Activity	Annual Respondents (#of manufacturers)	Total Annual Responses (frequency)	Time Per Response (hours)	Total Annual Time (hours)	Labor Cost (\$/hr)	Total Annual Cost (\$)
Misc data fields	840	840 responses/year	18	15,120	110.20	1,369,452
Misc data fields	840	840 responses/year	6.5	5,460	129.74	1,666,224
Misc data fields	840	840 responses/year	17	14,280	95.90	708,380
Misc data fields	840	840 responses/year	2	1,680	142.66	239,669
TOTAL	840	840	Varies	36,540	Varies	3,983,725

CMS-367d – Manufacturer Contact Form

Burden Due to Contact Information Sheet submission: The Manufacturer Contact Form is submitted to CMS when manufacturers have a need to update CMS on contact information such as email address, phone number, or address, of their legal, invoice or technical contact for the MDP system.

We estimate that this requirement affects the approximately 840 drug manufacturers participating in the MDRP. Furthermore, we estimate that drug manufacturers need to submit the Manufacturer Contact Form to CMS on average twice a year. The annual burden associated with the submission of the Manufacturer Contact Form is the time and effort it takes to complete the

form and email it to CMS.

We estimate that it will take a Computer System Analyst 1 hour at \$110.20/hr to complete the submission of the Manufacturer Contact Form. In aggregate, we estimate 1,680 hours (840 drug manufacturers participating in the MDRP x 1 hr/response x 2 responses/year) at a cost of \$185,136 (1,680 hr x \$110.20/hr).

CMS-367d – Manufacturer Contact Form

Activity	Annual Respondents (#of manufacturers)	Total Annual Responses (frequency)	Time Per Response (hours)	Total Annual Time (hours)	Labor Cost (\$/hr)	Total Annual Cost (\$)
Contact Information Sheet Submission	840	1,680 (840 x 2 responses/year)	1.0	1,680	110.20	185,136

CMS-367e – Quarterly VBP-MBP Data

Burden Due to Miscellaneous Quarterly VBP-MBP Data Fields: On an as needed quarterly basis, for manufacturers to report pricing data (best prices associated with value-based purchasing (VBP) arrangements) for each of their covered outpatient drugs. These data, which are reported on form CMS-367e, may include the following fields: “Labeler Code”, “Product Code”, “FDA Product Name”, “Arrangement Identifier”, “Tier”, and “VBP GNUP”.

We estimate that these requirements would affect about 50 of the approximately 840 drug manufacturers participating in the MDRP. There are 21 gene therapy manufacturers (<https://www.fda.gov/vaccines-blood-biologics/cellular-gene-therapy-products/approved-cellular-and-gene-therapy-products>) as well as a small percentage of high cost drug manufacturers (~30), which equates to a total of ~50 manufacturers that may opt to report multiple best prices as well as a single best price for a covered outpatient drug. The quarterly burden associated with the reporting of these miscellaneous product data fields is the time and effort it takes to report these miscellaneous fields through manual data entry through the MDP system.

We estimate that it will take a General and Operations Manager 1 hour at \$129.74/hr to report these miscellaneous VBP-MBP data fields. In aggregate, we estimate an annual burden of 200 hours (50 affected drug manufactures x 4 responses/year x 1 hr/response) at a cost of \$25,948 (200 hr x \$129.74/hr).

CMS-367e – Quarterly VBP-MBP Data

Activity	Annual Respondents (#of manufacturers)	Total Annual Responses (frequency)	Time Per Response (hours)	Total Annual Time (hours)	Labor Cost (\$/hr)	Total Annual Cost (\$)
Quarterly VBP-MBP Data Fields	840	200 (50 responses x 4 quarterly responses per year)	1.0	200	\$129.74	25,948

12.3 Summary of Burden Estimates

Description / Form	Frequency	Respondents	Total Responses	Time Per Response (hours)	Total Annual Time (hours)	Total Capital/Maintenance Costs (\$)	Total Cost (\$)
CMS-367a	Quarterly	840	3,360	34.8	116,928	0	13,576,618
CMS-367b	Monthly	840	10,080	44.8	451,584	0	52,753,277
CMS-367c	Occasionally	840	840	43.5	36,540	0	3,983,725
CMS-367d	Occasionally	840	1,680	1	1,680	0	185,136
CMS-367e	Occasionally	50	200	1	200	0	25,948
Total		840	16,160	Varies	606,932	0	70,524,704

12.4 Collection of Information Instruments and Instruction/Guidance Documents

This 2026 information collection request proposes to revise form CMS-367c. See the attached Crosswalk and Redline for details.

CMS-367a - Quarterly Pricing Data Specifications (No changes)

CMS-367b – Monthly Pricing Data Specifications (No changes)

CMS-367c – Product Data Specifications (Revised)

CMS-367d – Manufacturer Contact Form (No changes)

CMS-367e – Quarterly VBP-MBP Data (No changes)

13. Capital Costs

There are no capital costs.

14. Federal Costs

The estimated annual federal cost for our contractor to maintain the operation of the Medicaid

Drug Programs (MDP) system is roughly \$2,000,000.

15. Changes in Burden/Program

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CMS-367a - Quarterly Pricing Data

Burden Category	Annual Respondents (#of manufacturers)	Total Annual Responses	Time Per Response (hours)	Total Annual Time (hours)	Labor Cost (\$/hr)	Total Annual Cost (\$)
Currently Approved Burden	818	3,272	34.8	113,866	Varies	12,250,800
Proposed Burden	840	3,360	34.8	116,928	Varies	13,576,618
Change	+22	+88	No Change	+3,062	Varies	+1,325,818

CMS-367b – Monthly Pricing Data

Burden Category	Annual Respondents (#of manufacturers)	Total Annual Responses	Time Per Response (hours)	Total Annual Time (hours)	Labor Cost (\$/hr)	Total Annual Cost (\$)
Currently Approved Burden	818	9,816	44.8	439,757	Varies	47,508,773
Proposed Burden	840	10,080	44.8	451,584	Varies	52,753,277
Change	+22	+264	No Change	+11,827	Varies	+5,244,504

CMS-367c – Product Data

Burden Category	Annual Respondents (#of manufacturers)	Total Annual Responses	Burden per response (hours)	Total Annual Time (hours)	Labor Cost (\$/hr)	Total Annual Cost (\$)
Currently Approved Burden	818	818	43.5	35,583	Varies	3,639,716

Proposed Burden	840	840	43.5	36,540	Varies	3,983,725
Change	+22	+22	No Change	+957	Varies	+344,009

CMS-367d – Manufacturer Contact Form

Burden Category	Annual Respondents (#of manufacturers)	Total Annual Responses	Time Per Response (hours)	Total Annual Time (hours)	Labor Cost (\$/hr)	Total Annual Cost (\$)
Currently Approved Burden	818	1,636	1.0	1,636	103.40	169,162
Proposed Burden	840	1,680	1.0	1,680	110.20	185,136
Change	+22	+44	No Change	+44	+6.80	+15,974

CMS-367e – Quarterly VBP-MBP Data

Burden Category	Annual Respondents (#of manufacturers)	Total Annual Responses	Time Per Response (hours)	Total Annual Time (hours)	Labor Cost (\$/hr)	Total Annual Cost (\$)
Currently Approved Burden	50	200	1.0	200	118.14	23,628
Proposed Burden	50	200	1.0	200	129.74	25,948
Change	No Change	No Change	No Change	No Change	+11.60	+2,320

Hourly Wage Changes

Occupation Title	Occupation Code	Active Adjusted Hourly Wage (\$/hr)	2026 Adjusted Hourly Wage (\$/hr)	Difference (\$/hr)
Computer System Analyst	15-1211	103.40	110.20	+6.80
General & Operations Manager	11-1021	118.14	129.74	+11.60
Operations Research Analyst	15-2031	92.14	95.90	+3.76
Training & Development Manager	11-3131	127.02	142.66	+15.64

Overall, we estimate an increase of 418 responses (from 15,742 to 16,160), 15,890 hours (from 591,042 hr to 606,932 hr), \$6,932,625 (from \$63,592,079 to \$70,524,704).

Form	Respondents	Total Responses	Time per Response (hr)	Total Annual Time (hr)	Total Cost (\$)
CMS-367a	+22	+88	No Change	+3,062	+1,325,818
CMS-367b	+22	+264	No Change	+11,827	+5,244,504
CMS-367c	+22	+22	No Change	+957	+344,009
CMS-367d	+22	+44	No Change	+44	+15,974
CMS-367e Quarterly VBP- MBP Data	No change	No change	No change	No change	+2,320
Total Change	+22	+418	Varies	+15,890	+6,932,625

There are no plans to publish the collected information.

17. Display of Expiration Date

CMS will display this collection of information's expiration date.

18. Exception to Certification Statement

We certify that this information collection complies with 5 CFR 1320.9. We do not seek any exemptions.

B. Collections of Information Employing Statistical Methods

CMS does not intend to employ statistical methods to the collected information.