November 2025



PIPAC News/Events

Small Group

12/1/2025 Effective Dates:

Wellmark and United Healthcare (UHC) new group, renewal and plan change paperwork is due to PIPAC by November 15th. All completed paperwork must be submitted by 3:00 pm to ensure processing.

Please visit www.pipac.com for the complete deadline schedule and other company deadlines.



11/7/2025 9:00 am 11/14/2025 9:00 am 11/14/2025 9:00 am 12/5/2025 9:00am

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Contact Cameron at cameron@pipac.com to sign up for these webinars!

Medicare AEP Submission Reminders!

As we enter the start of Annual Enrollment (AEP), which runs from October 15th through December 7th, we want to pass along some application submission reminders.

All MAPD and PDP applications must be submitted to the <u>carrier</u> within <u>24 hours</u> of signature date.

Submit your Medicare applications faster and easier through IntegrityCONNECT—you'll not only save time with streamlined submissions, but also gain access to real-time application tracking and instant carrier updates!

Carrier	Submission Details	Fax Number
Aetna (MAPD)	Applications can be done online thru the Ascend and Think Agent app or applications can be faxed.	1-866-756-5514
SilverScript (PDP)	Paper applications do need to be entered online. Access the SilverScript portal by logging into <u>Producer World</u> . After they have been entered, they either need to be emailed to SilverScript or faxed.	1-866-552-6205
Wellmark (MAPD)	Applications can be entered online in the quote, enroll, and renew box on the <u>Producer Connection page</u> or can be faxed.	1-855-213-5184
MedicareBlue Rx (PDP)	Applications can be entered online at Medicare Solutions or can be faxed.	1-855-874-4702
UnitedHealthcare (MAPD & PDP)	MAPD & PDP applications must be done online through the LEAN program.	
Wellcare (PDP)	Applications can be faxed.	1-866-388-1521
MercyOne Health Plan (MAPD)	Application can be done online through the MercyOne portal or faxed	1-614-234-8622

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HOSPITAL INDEMNITY

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to start offering these solutions!





Boost Your Group Benefits Sales This Season

As we enter one of the most active times of the year for employee benefits, the 4th quarter presents a powerful opportunity to strengthen relationships and drive new business. Open enrollment season, year-end planning, and the holidays create a natural window to connect with employers and employees in meaningful ways. The strategies below can help you finish the year strong.

1. Leverage Open Enrollment Opportunities

The fourth quarter is prime time for benefits enrollment. Use it to engage both new and existing clients:

- Educate and empower: Position yourself as a trusted resource by simplifying complex benefits topics like deductibles and coinsurance. Share clear visuals, short videos, or blog posts that help clients make confident choices.
- Host interactive sessions: Offer virtual or in-person Q&As and webinars. Invite carriers or vendor partners to participate and present their options.
- Create urgency: Remind clients that open enrollment decisions determine their benefits for the coming year—now is the time to act for a strong start in January.

2. Remember it's about more than just Health Insurance

Ancillary benefits are important too:

- Promote dental and vision benefits: Tie these to the routine mindset, highlighting preventive care and family wellness. Preventative services included in these benefits should be utilized every year. This is a great time to remind them if they haven't used this year. Use utilization reports to help ensure they are getting the most out of their current benefits.
- Highlight financial protection: Life, Short Term Disability, and Long-Term Disability are often overlooked. Protecting employees' paychecks can help make families whole and give employers piece of mind that their employees are protected from worst case scenarios.
- Think about Accident and Critical Illness protection: As employees plan year-end budgets and holiday spending, position voluntary benefits—such as critical illness or hospital indemnity plans—as tools for managing unexpected costs.

3. Strengthen Retention and Relationships

4th quarter isn't just about new sales—it's also about nurturing the relationships you've built:

- Conduct end-of-year reviews: Reach out to evaluate plan performance and explore new opportunities for the upcoming year.
- Personalize your outreach: Use what you know about each client to tailor messages that show genuine understanding of their needs.
- Show appreciation: Small gestures—a thank-you gift, handwritten note, or exclusive loyalty reward—can reinforce client trust and loyalty.

By combining education, maximizing employer offerings, and personalized communication, you can make the most of the 4th quarter momentum and build a strong foundation for the new year.

From the Desk of Casey Hoffert Director of Sales & Marketing, PIPAC









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AEP Lifeline Incentive

During AEP, we're excited to offer a special production incentive! For every agent who submits 5 successful Lifeline cases, you'll receive a \$150 reward. It's a great way to boost your earnings while helping more clients access the coverage they need.



October 1st - December 15th

AEP Lifeline Production Incentive Guidelines

Eligibility Period: October 1st to December 15th

Incentive Offer:

- Submit 5 successful Lifeline cases
- Earn a \$150 reward

Definition of Successful Case:

Cases must be approved and enrolled

Payment Details:

Incentives will be processed and paid after case verification

Deadline:

- AEP Medicare policies must be submitted to PIPAC by December 1st, unless during a SEP (Special Enrollment Period)
- ACA OEP policies must be submitted to PIPAC by December 7th

Disclaimer:

 We will not be taking referrals on any noncommissionable plans

Don't miss this opportunity to make a bigger impact—and get rewarded for it. Start submitting your Lifeline cases today!

Ready to take advantage of Lifeline? Submit a request today!

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