

2017 Qualified Health Plan and Essential Plan Line Up

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2017 Renewal Improvements



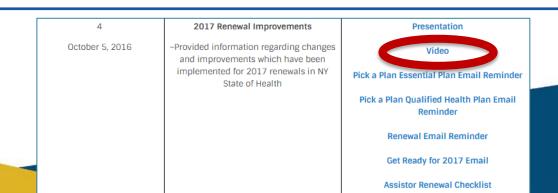
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- More than 97% said it "increased my knowledge of the topic(s)".
- More than 97% said "the information will allow me to better assist consumers with their Marketplace Renewal".

"Everything was excellent."

"There was a lot of material, but I was able to review the slides several times."

We received several questions about completing recertification requirements. Assistors who are not able to participate in the live webinars can watch them at their convenience by going to http://info.nystateofhealth.ny.gov/SpringTraining and clicking on the "Video" for each session.



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2017 Qualified Health Plans

- A total of 14 health insurers will offer Qualified Health Plans in the individual market in 2017
- All of the same insurers as in 2016
- One change for 2017:
 - Wellcare withdrew from New York's individual insurance market for 2017 and will not offer QHP coverage in 2017
 - This affects fewer than 1,000 QHP enrollees



2017 QHPsIndividual and Small Business























2017 QHPsIndividual Market Only











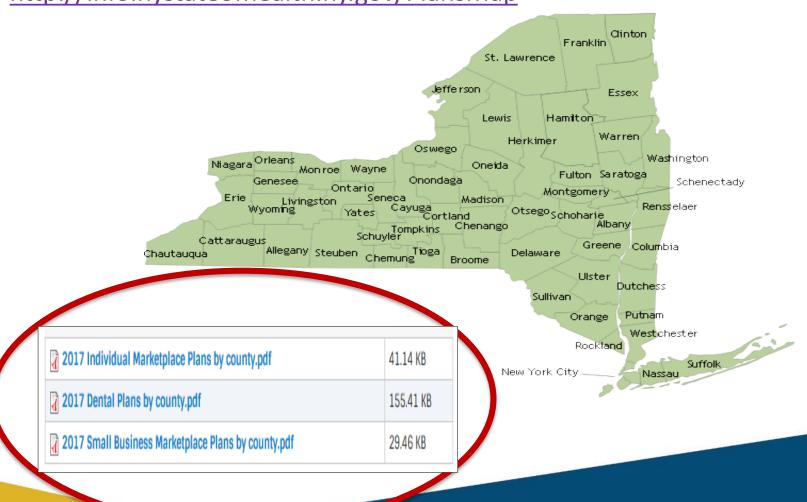
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2017 Qualified Health Plan Map and Plans by County Chart are available at: http://info.nystateofhealth.ny.gov/PlansMap



2017 QHPs



Standard Plan Refresher

- Every insurer must offer a Standard Product at each metal level
- Standard products include the Essential Health Benefits except pediatric dental is optional if otherwise available
- Cost sharing (deductibles, copayments) are the same across insurers within a metal tier
- Differences between insurers are provider network, formulary and quality ranking
- New for 2017: Standard Product with 3 Primary Care Provider "Sick" Visits not subject to the deductible

Actuarial Value Reminder



- Annual updates to the HHS Actuarial Value Calculator may result in changes in the standard products
- HHS updated the enrollment and utilization data included in the AV calculator
- As a result, 2017 deductible and cost sharing needed to be changed for some levels:
 - Silver
 - Silver (200-250% FPL)
 - Silver (150-200% FPL)
 - Bronze
 - Catastrophic



Changes to Standard Products in 2017

Metal Level	Deductible 2016	Deductible 2017	Max Out of Pocket 2016	Max Out of Pocket 2017
Platinum	\$0	\$0	\$2,000	\$2,000
Gold	\$600	\$600	\$4,000	\$4,000
Silver	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$5,500	\$6,750
Silver (>200-≤250 FPL)	\$1,500	\$1,650	\$5,450	\$5,700
Silver (>150-≤200 FPL)	\$250	\$300	\$2,000	\$2,350
Silver (>100-≤150 FPL)	\$0	\$0	\$1,000	\$1,000
Bronze	\$3,500	\$4,000	\$6,850	\$7,150
Catastrophic	\$6,850	\$7,150	\$6,850	\$7,150



Non-Standard Plan Refresher

- Insurers can offer up to three (3) non-standard products at each metal level
- New non-standard product offerings must be meaningfully different from the standard product
 - Examples: adult dental, adult vision, acupuncture, limited network product



QHP Naming Format - Individual Market

Field Name	Values	Meaning
Product Name	To be assigned by Insurer	
Metal Tier	Bronze, Silver, Gold, Platinum, Child Only, Catastrophic	Identifies Metal Level and whether Child Only Product
Standard/Non-standard	ST, ST3PCP or NS	Identifies Standard (ST), Standard with 3 PCP Visits, or Non-Standard (NS) Product
Network Coverage	INN or OON	Identifies in-network coverage (INN) or out-of-network coverage (OON)
Dental Coverage	Pediatric Dental, Adult/Family Dental	Identifies type of dental coverage included, if any, in QHP
Dependent Age Coverage	Dep25, Dep29	Identifies the maximum age of covered dependents
Non-Standard Details	Adult Vision, Family Dental, Family Vision, Wellness, Other	Identifies additional covered benefits



Naming Format – Small Business Market Same elements as Individual Market, PLUS the following:

Field Names	Values	Meaning
Domestic Partner	DP	Identifies that domestic partners are covered
Family Planning	FP	Identifies that family planning benefits are covered



2017 Dental Plans

Individual and SHOP



















2017 Dental Plans

Individual or SHOP Only

Individual Marketplace





SHOP

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Naming Format – Dental Plans

Field Name	Values	Meaning
Product Name	To be assigned by Insurer	
Standard/Non-standard	ST or NS	Identifies Standard (ST) or Non- Standard (NS) Product
Network Coverage	INN or OON	Identifies in-network coverage (INN) or out-of-network coverage (OON)
Dental Coverage	Pediatric Dental, Adult/Family Dental	Identifies type of dental covered
Dependent Age Coverage	Dep25, Dep29	Identifies the maximum age of covered dependents



2017 Essential Plan Insurers:

Standard Plans and Standard Plus Dental and Vision

























2017 Essential Plan Issuers:

Standard Plan Only (No Dental or Vision)





New for 2017:





2017 Essential Plans



Updates:

- O New in 2017:
 - Health Now
- Expanded Service Area:
 - o Fidelis
 - o MVP
 - o Wellcare

Link to EP Map:

http://info.nystateofhealth.ny.gov/EssentialPlanMap

This link includes the Essential Plans by County chart



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Attachment Size

2017 Essential Plan by county.pdf 34.82 KB

Four Variations of EP



Essential Plan 1 and 2:

- Enrollees with incomes greater than 138% FPL have the choice of selecting:
 - An Essential Plan with just the Essential Health Benefits
 - An Essential Plan Plus Adult Vision and Dental services for an additional cost
 - An Essential Plan and a separate Stand Alone Dental Plan for an additional cost

• EP 1:

- Enrollees with income 150 200% FPL will have:
- \$20 premium for Essential Plan and \$20 "plus" for Essential Plan 1 plus Vision and Dental
- Low cost sharing on services

• EP 2:

- o Enrollees with income 138 150% FPL will have:
- \$0 premium for Essential Plan and just the "plus" premium for Essential Plan 2 plus Vision and Dental
- Modest cost sharing on prescription drugs

Four Variations of EP



Essential Plan 3 and 4:

- Enrollees with income at or <u>below</u> 138% FPL are also eligible for the following additional services:
 - Non-Emergency Transportation
 - Non-Prescription Drugs
 - Adult Dental Care
 - Vision Care
 - Orthotic Services
 - Orthopedic Footwear

• EP 3:

o Enrollees with incomes between 100 and 138% FPL will have \$0 premium and modest cost sharing on prescription and non-prescription drugs

• EP 4:

 Enrollees with income below 100% FPL will have \$0 premium and no cost sharing

Essential Plan



Naming Format – Essential Plan

Product Name

Essential Plan 1

Essential Plan 1 Plus Vision and Dental

Essential Plan 2

Essential Plan 2 Plus Vision and Dental

Essential Plan 3

Essential Plan 4

Network Adequacy



- Every QHP and Essential Plan offered on the Marketplace must meet network adequacy standards, even if the networks are tiered or tailored
- Health Plans can use different networks for their different QHPs but must use one network for all of their Essential Plans
- If an insurer is lacking a particular type of physician or provider, the insurer must permit the consumer to access out-of-network providers at the in-network cost-share

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Network Identification



 NY State of Health requires all insurer participants to clearly identify their Marketplace networks on their websites

 NY State of Health will post a resource listing each insurer's customer service number and provider network URL

Provider Network Search



- The provider search tool on the NY State of Health site is available as a plan filter option
- The data is updated quarterly <u>or</u> when a network has a major change such as a hospital system or large provider group entering or leaving the network
- NY State of Health will post a resource listing each insurer's customer service number and provider network URL
- Applicants should always check with <u>both</u> the health plan and their providers to confirm participation

Drug Formularies



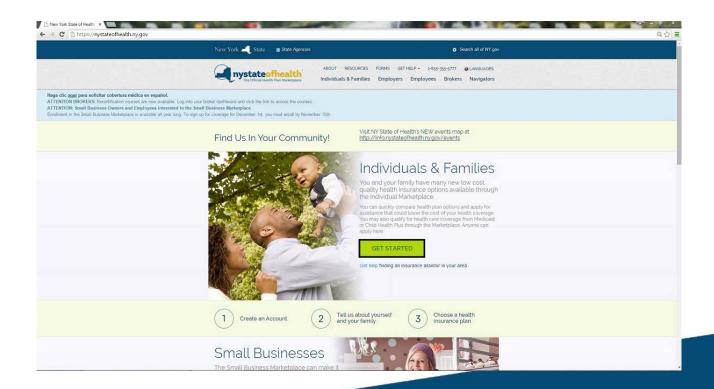
- Every QHP and Essential Plan has a drug formulary (list of covered drugs)
- Each formulary must cover the same number of drugs in each category and class as the benchmark plan, or at least one drug in every USP category (whichever is greater)
- The links to the formulary URLs can be found on the plan details page under Plan Documents



Questions?

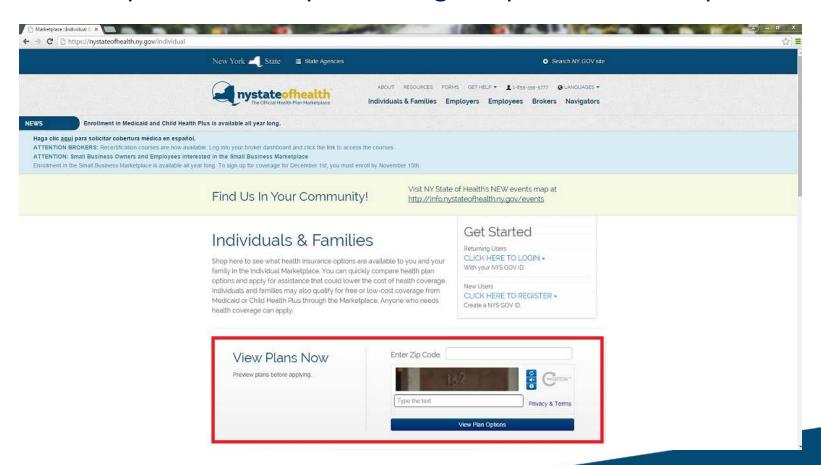


2017 QHP Preview Tool (aka anonymous shopping)

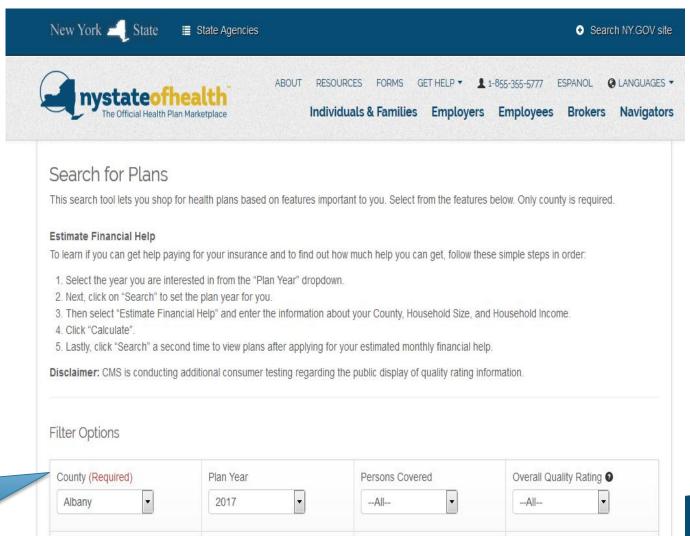




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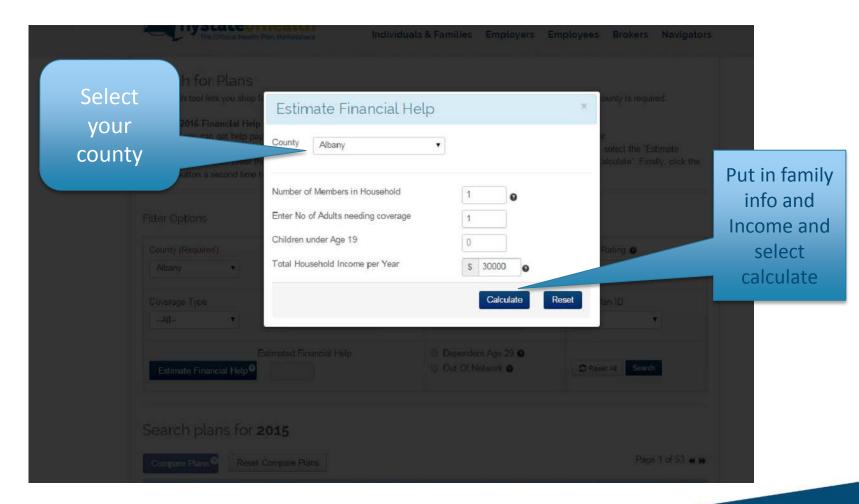






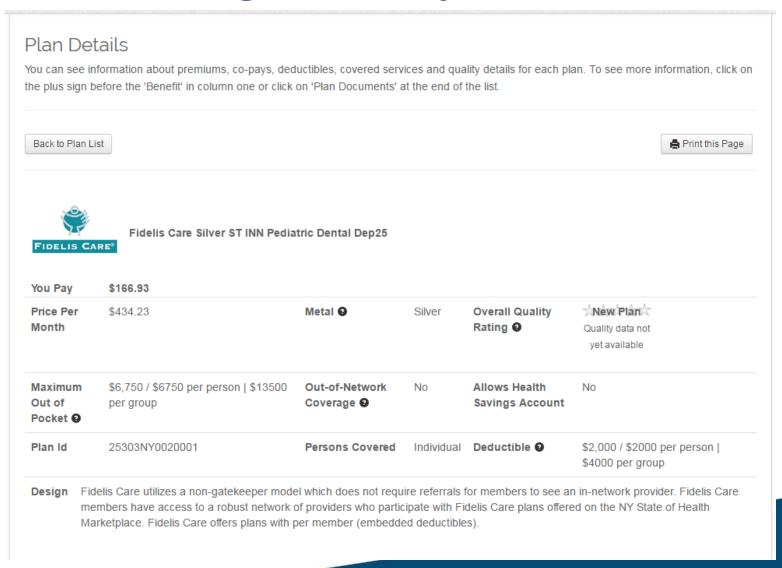
Filter by county, year, coverage type metal type, plan etc.





Benefit Design Description "ystateofhealth" The Official Health Plan Marketplace







Advance Premium Tax Credits

- Year to year changes in premiums also change the amount of federal tax credits available to consumers
- Federal tax credits for those who qualify have increased for consumers in 2017

For example:

<u>Scenario</u>	County	<u>APTC 2016</u>	APTC 2017
Individual earning \$25,000/year	Albany	\$251	\$299
Couple earning \$40,000/year	Brooklyn/Kings	\$463	\$640
Couple earning \$50,000/year	Erie	\$304	\$390

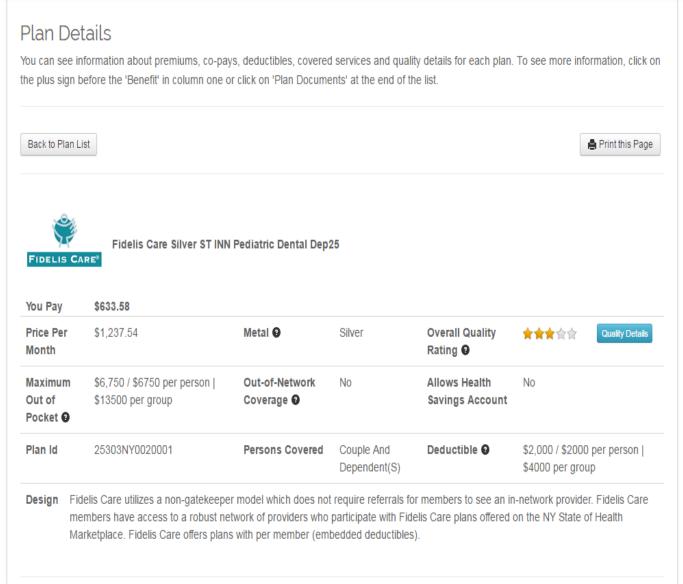


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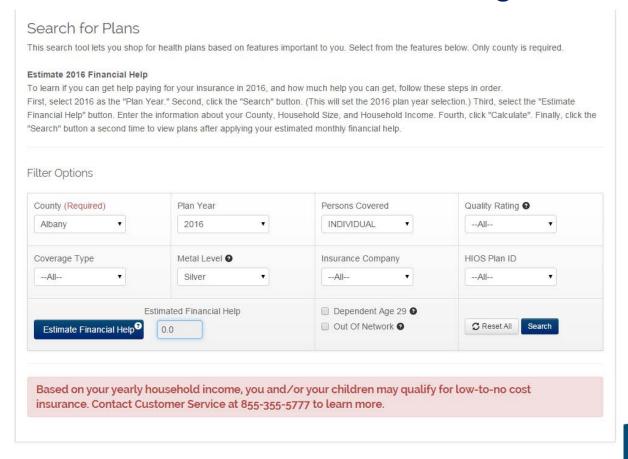
Plans display with tax credit deducted







Eligibility for the Essential Plan, Medicaid or Child Health Plus is indicated with this message below:



2017 Plan Recap



- The same insurers will be offering QHP coverage in 2017
- Consumers will have additional EP options in 2017: one new
 EP insurer and four insurers have expanded into new counties
- The amount of tax credits change each year. Many consumers are eligible for increased financial assistance in 2017
- Plan Preview tool with tax credit calculator and plan comparison features has been updated for 2017 and is available to help consumers choose the right plan for them



Questions?





Reminder Assistor Recertification Process

- Within the next week, we will be distributing a PowerPoint presentation that describes the recertification process in greater detail.
- Supervisors and Managers, watch your email for your agency's Recertification Report. The Agency "Recertification Report" will be due back to the State within 30 days.
- Assistors, keep track of the date you watched the live webinar or the video for each of this year's five (5) Recertification Webinars. Provide your dates to your supervisor so they can complete the Recertification Report.



Thank you for joining us!



- Please complete the survey
 - Evaluation of Webinar: 2017 QHP Line-Up
- As always, watch for the video and materials to be posted to: http://info.nystateofhealth.ny.gov/SpringTraining