

The Medicare GLP-1 Bridge launches Wednesday, July 1, 2026.

Through this short-term demonstration, CMS will be expanding access to certain GLP-1 medications to eligible Medicare Part D beneficiaries who do not currently have access to these medications through the Part D benefit.

CMS has released documentation for prescribers and pharmacies to support the launch of this demonstration and provide key details about the prior authorization and pharmacy claims processes.



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[Prescriber Fact Sheet](#) – Key information for prescribers referring patients to the Medicare GLP-1 Bridge.

[Pharmacy Fact Sheet](#) – Guidance for pharmacies on billing and dispensing under the demonstration.

[Prior Authorization Form](#) – Outline of clinical criteria for Medicare GLP-1 Bridge eligibility.

Prescribers and pharmacies are highly encouraged to review these documents ahead of the demonstration start date.