NFP 2023 March 1 Plan Year Compliance Calendar

| JANUARY | FEBRUARY | MARCH | APRIL | MAY | JUNE |
|--|---|--|---|--|---|
| Form W-2 Cost of Employer-Sponsored Coverage (by 1/31, using Box 12, Code DD) Prescription Drug Data Collection (RxDC) reporting for 2020 and 2021 to CMS (by 1/31) | 2022 Forms 1094/95-C and/or 1094/95-B to the IRS (by 2/28, if filing by paper) SBC, CHIP, WHCRA and other Open Enrollment notices to employees (see page 2) Update SPD If 5558 extension applies, SAR to employees (by 2/15) Correct DCAP nondiscrimination test failures (by 2/28) Confirm ACA affordability calculation Recalculate domestic partner imputed income per new plan year rates/contributions | 2022 Forms 1095-B/C to employees (by 3/2) 2022 Forms 1094/95-C and/or 1094/95-B to the IRS (by 3/31, if filing electronically) 2022 Form M-1 to the DOL (for MEWAs, by 3/1) Cafeteria plan, health FSA, and DCAP nondiscrimination testing Section 105 nondiscrimination testing (self-insured plans, including FSA and HRA) Health FSA limit on EE pre-tax contributions | HSA corrective actions (by 4/15, for previous calendar year HSA contributions/distributions) Medicare Part D Disclosure to CMS (by 4/30) | | • Prescription Drug Data Collection (RxDC) reporting for 2022 to CMS (by 6/1) |
| JULY | AUGUST | SEPTEMBER | OCTOBER | NOVEMBER | DECEMBER |
| • PCOR fee to the IRS (self-insured plans, including HRA, by 7/31) | | MLR rebates distributed to fully insured employers (by 9/30); distribute to employees, or determine other permissible use (within 90 days of receipt) Form 5500, or Form 5558 for a 2.5 month extension, to the DOL (by 9/30) | • Medicare Part D Disclosure Notice to eligible individuals (by 10/14) | Unless 5558 extension applies, SAR to employees (by 11/30) | Impute income for domestic partner and group term life coverage Gag clause attestation to CMS (by 12/31) If 5558 extension applies, Form 5500 to the DOL (by 12/15) |

Note: Generally, if a due date falls on a weekend or holiday, the due date would be extended to the next business day.

Note: Requirements in bold do not change based on the plan year. They are fixed monthly requirements regardless of when a plan year starts (unless changed by a federal regulatory agency, like the IRS or DOL).

Ongoing Notices and Plan Document Maintenance

| Upon Hire/Eligibility | Upon Initial/Mid-Year Enrollment | Annually at Open Enrollment | Upon Coverage Termination | Upon Mid-Year Employer Change to Benefit Plan/Design | Plan Document Maintenance (Upon Plan/Procedure Change) |
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| Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Notice | COBRA Initial Notice (COBRA Continuation Coverage General Notice to employee and spouse) | Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Notice | COBRA Election Notice (COBRA Continuation Coverage Election Notice) | Updated Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC) (60 days in advance of the change effective date) | Business Associate Agreements and HIPAA Breach Notifications (per new vendor/incident) |
| EEOC Notice Regarding Wellness Program (when making medical inquiry) | EEOC Notice Regarding Wellness Program (when making medical inquiry) | EEOC Notice Regarding Wellness Program (when making medical inquiry) | FMLA Notice of Nonpayment of Premium | Summary of Material Modification (SMM) and/or Summary of Material Reduction in Covered Services or Benefits (SMR) (if change since prior OE is not yet incorporated into SBC) | CAA Public Disclosure of Pricing Data (machine readable files) |
| FMLA General Notice (if employer subject to FMLA) | Grandfathered Health Plan Notice (in SPD for grandfathered plans) | HIPAA Notice of Special Enrollment Rights (not required, but okay to provide) | Notice of Unavailability of COBRA Continuation Coverage | | ERISA Plan Document |
| GINA, USERRA and FMLA Workplace Posters (and distribute to remote workers) | HIPAA Notice of Privacy Practices | Notice of Availability of Reasonable Alternative Standard (for health-contingent wellness programs) | Rescission of Coverage Notice | | HIPAA Privacy/Security Policies and Procedures |
| HIPAA Notice of Special Enrollment Rights | Internal Claims Appeals and External Review Procedures Notice (in SPD for non-grandfathered plans) | Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC) | Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA) Continuation Coverage Notice | | No Surprises Act Model Notice |
| Medicare Part D Creditable/Non-Creditable Disclosure Notice | Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act (NMHPA) Notice (in SPD) | Summary of Material Modification (SMM) and/or Summary of Material Reduction in Covered Services or Benefits (SMR) (if change since prior OE is not yet incorporated into SBC) | | | Section 125 Plan Document |
| Notice of Availability of Reasonable Alternative Standard (for health-contingent wellness programs) | Notice of Availability of Reasonable Alternative Standard (for health-contingent wellness programs) | Summary Plan Description (SPD) (if amended since prior open enrollment, or minimally every 5 years) | | | |
| Notice of Exchange (provide to all new hires within 14 days of hire) | Patient Protection Notice (in SPD for non-grandfathered plans) | Womens' Health and Cancer Rights Act (WHCRA) Enrollment/Annual Notice | | | |
| Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC) | Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC) | | | | |
| | Summary of Material Modification (SMM) and/or Summary of Material Reduction in Covered Services or Benefits (SMR) | | | | |
| | Summary Plan Description (SPD) | | | | |
| | Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act (WHCRA) Enrollment/Annual Notice (in SPD) | | | | |

For further information about e-delivery of notices, see the NFP publication **Electronic Distribution Rules: A Guide for Employers**. For further information about notices, including customization requirements, see the NFP publications **Required Group Health Plan Notices Chart**.

Model Notices

All the Model Notices are available on the NFP Benefits Compliance Solutions website at https://benefits.nfp.com/hr/ModelNotices.aspx and are also linked below for easy reference.

CAA

• No Surprises Act Model Notice

COBRA

- Initial COBRA Notice
- Initial COBRA Notice (Spanish)
- COBRA Election Notice
- COBRA Election Notice (Spanish)

ERISA

- ERISA Rights Statement
- ERISA Summary Annual Report

FMLA

- FMLA General Notice (in English)
- FMLA General Notice (in Spanish)
- Eligibility & Rights and Responsibilities Notice
- Designation Notice
- Certification of Health Care Provider for Employee's Serious Health Condition (PDF)
- Certification of Health Care Provider for Family Member's Serious Health Condition (PDF)
- Certification of Qualifying Exigency For Military Family Leave (PDF)
- Certification for Serious Injury or Illness of Covered Servicemember for Military Family Leave (PDF)
- Certification for Serious Injury or Illness of a Veteran for Military Caregiver Leave (PDF)

HIPAA

- Employer CHIP Notice
- Employer CHIP Notice (Spanish)
- Notice of Privacy Practices Booklet (in English)
- Notice of Privacy Practices Full Page (in English)
- Notice of Privacy Practices Layered (in English)
- Notice of Privacy Practices Text-only (in English)
- Notice of Privacy Practices Booklet (in Spanish)
- Notice of Privacy Practices Full Page (in Spanish)
- Notice of Privacy Practices Layered (in Spanish)
- Notice of Privacy Practices Text-only (in Spanish)
- Notice of Special Enrollment Rights

Medicare

- Part D Creditable Coverage Notice to Eligible Individuals
- Part D Non-Creditable Coverage Notice to Eligible Individuals
- Model Creditable Coverage Disclosure Notice (in Spanish)
- Model Non-Creditable Coverage Disclosure Notice (in Spanish)

HSA

Notice to Employees Regarding Employer Contributions to HSA

Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act

• Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act Model Language

USERRA

• USERRA: Notice of Your Rights Under USERRA

ACA

- Grandfathered Plan Model Notice
- Grandfathered Plan Model Notice (Spanish)
- Exchange Notice: Employers With a Group Health Plan
- Exchange Notice: Employers With a Group Health Plan (Spanish)
- Exchange Notice: Employers Without a Group Health Plan
- Exchange Notice: Employers Without a Group Health Plan (Spanish)
- Lifetime Limits Model Notice
- Lifetime Limits Model Notice (Spanish)
- Notice of Adverse Benefit Determination
- Notice of Final Internal Adverse Benefit Determination
- Notice of Final External Adverse Benefit Determination
- Notice of Final External Adverse Benefit Determination (Spanish)
- Notice of Nondiscrimination Under 1557
- Patient Protections Model Notice
- Patient Protections Model Notice (Spanish)
- Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC)
- Uniform Glossary of Coverage and Medical Terms

Wellness Programs

- **EEOC Wellness Notice**
- Notice of Availability of Reasonable Alternative Standard

WHCRA

WHCRA: Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act Notice

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