

CMS Required Training - Blue Cross NC Continues Partnership with AHIP

Training Must Be Completed Between June 21 and August 31

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Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina (Blue Cross NC) will continue its partnership with America's Health Insurance Plans (AHIP) to provide **required 2024 Medicare training** for all Medicare appointed Blue Cross NC agents. AHIP training will open on June 21, 2023.

What you should know

- This training is required for ALL current and future Medicare appointed agents selling Part D and Medicare Advantage for the 2024 Annual Enrollment Period (AEP) and beyond.
- Training **must be completed between June 21, 2023, and August 31, 2023**, and **MUST be accessed [here](#)**.
- If you are a Medicare appointed agent and you do not complete the AHIP training:
 - You will lose your MAPD appointment, effective January 1, 2024, if applicable
 - You will lose your PDP appointment, effective January 1, 2024
- Blue Cross NC will accept AHIP training that is offered through other carriers; however, **you must log into the Blue Cross NC link (noted above) to get credit with Blue Cross NC**. You may also "transmit" your transcript to Blue Cross NC via the AHIP site (this is recommended).
- Training is \$125 for Blue Cross NC agents
- All agents will have an opportunity to purchase six hours of continuing education credits by using their own credit card.
- Medicare Advantage appointed agents are still encouraged to attend the Blue Cross NC Medicare Annual Agent refresh virtual meeting in August.
- Medicare Supplement only appointed agents are no longer required to take the additional product training.
- AHIP training will be required for all new agents wanting an appointment with Blue Cross NC
 - Training must be completed prior to appointment paperwork being completed.

For questions or to receive help with technical issues with your AHIP training, email support@ahipinsuranceeducation.org or call (866) 234-6909.