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Supporting Document Schedules

Satisfied - Item:	ACA Rate Change Request Summary
Comments:	The Rate Change Request Summary is attached.
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Rate Change Summary

Highmark Benefits Group - Individual Plans

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http://www.insurance.pa.gov/Consumers/ACARelatedFilings/

Overview

Initial requested average rate change: -4.0%¹
Revised requested average rate change: N/A¹

Range of requested rate change: -11.9% to 1.6% Effective date: January 1, 2021

People impacted: 17,184

Available in: Rating Area 3

Key information

Jan. 2019-Dec. 2019 financial experience

Company made (after taxes)	N/A
Taxes & fees	N/A
Administrative expenses	N/A
Claims	N/A
Premiums	N/A

How it plans to spend your premium

This is how the insurance company plans to spend the premium it collects in 2021:

Claims: 89%
Administrative: 8%
Taxes & fees: 3%
Profit: 0%

The company expects its annual medical costs to increase 9.7%.

Explanation of requested rate change

The proposed average rate change is being driven by changes in the base claims experience, trend, retention, the anticipated impact of Covid-19, and the implementation of the Pennsylvania Health Insurance Individual market Stabilization Reinsurance Program ("Reinsurance Program").

¹ Note that insurers will have the opportunity to revise their rate change request in July, after they are scheduled to receive updated information about the impact of a federal program called risk adjustment. This document will be updated accordingly at that time.