



Diabetes Prevention Program (DPP) Participating Pharmacy Agreement (2026)

Enrollment/Commitment: If you agree to expectations and requirements outlined below, please complete and submit the DPP Commitment Form. The PPA we will accept pharmacies on a first-come, first-served basis until we reach the maximum that can be supported in that grant year.

See these resources on the PPA website:

- A. DPP program overview and helpful links, <https://www.papharmacists.com/page/DPP>
- B. The DPP introductory webinar, <https://vimeo.com/483148812/9daf605c63> - **highly recommended**

Program Basics:

1. The PPA will provide your pharmacy **with up to two enrollments** for the DPP online training through the [Group Lifestyle Balance \(GLB\)™ program](#). GLB is a CDC-approved DPP intervention curriculum owned by the American Diabetes Association (ADA) which you follow in the delivery of DPP.
 - Cost: **\$700** for non-members of the ADA.
 - Provides individuals with the background, information, and skills necessary to offer the National DPP lifestyle change program in your pharmacy.
 - Comprised of a self-paced virtual training, focused on the GLB™ curriculum
 - View the [Standards](#) for CDC Recognition of a DPP program
2. **PPA has already purchased 10 ADA courses**, which will be provide **free of charge** to interested members who complete this agreement and commitment to the DPP program as outlined here.
 - Members must **commit** to the DPP training **by June 26**, to be eligible for current grant funds (that expire June 30) and **complete** the training **by August 15** to be eligible for funds in for the next cohort grant year.
3. Following the completion of the ADA program, PPA will provide a “Getting Ready to Launch” self-paced training session along with a one-to-one meeting with a PPA mentor to get you started on your program. Your pharmacy may have as many individuals participate as you wish and/or listen to the recording.
4. At this time, you should be recruiting patients to hold your sample group Session (Session 0).
5. The next step is to submit for *pending* status through the CDC National Diabetes Prevention Program website and start collecting data, ideally **by August 31**. Once you have successfully applied you will be assigned an Organizational Code.
 - Per CDC requirements, classes must have 5 or more participants to launch, although you can launch with 4 and add and catch -up individuals. (We do recommend you try to launch with more than 5 participants.)
 - To obtain an org code, the Pharmacy must:

1. File an application with the CDC at <https://dprp.cdc.gov>
 2. Once approved, this will grant you pending status and issue an Organization Code Number.
 3. Include an email of approval of pending recognition that references your Organization Code Number with your request for Stipend Payment 2.
- Be sure to collect and document patient data from your Session(s) as you will need it to provide to PPA (for the PA DOH reporting purposes) and to the CDC to continue your recognition process.

NOTE: The PPA recommends that you wait to apply for Pending status until after your meeting with a PPA designated PPA DPP Mentor. Contact the PPA at ppa@paharmacists.com to arrange for a DPP mentor meeting.

Payment 2. Once you submit your application and receive your Organizational Code from the CDC, you are eligible to receive a second payment of \$2500 from the PPA. PPA will provide you with a payment form for this reimbursement.

6. PPA offers periodic webinars & live training (often in conjunction with the Annual Conference) to assist you with the recruiting and reporting the appropriate and required data.
7. You must launch your first group class of at least five participants on or before September 30, 2026.
 - PPA has some tips to market your program and identify eligible patients.
 - You will need to complete 12 sessions inside of 3 months.
 - In order to achieve the minimum of 5 patients per Session, pharmacies may run multiple, simultaneous classes each with less than 5 patients and submit data from each of those classes to qualify for their recognition.
 - Throughout the sessions you will be collecting the necessary data for CDC reporting. PPA has templates that may be helpful.
 - Per CDC requirements, classes must have 5 or more participants to launch, although you can launch with 4 and add and catch-up individuals. (We do recommend you try to launch with more than 5 participants.)
 - The CDC will ask you to collect and report basic data for each participant (sessions attended, weight at each session, activity minutes). To advance your recognition status, participants must show an average 5% weight loss from baseline.

Payment 3. Pharmacies are eligible for the final payment of \$3,000 once ONE of following has been achieved:

Option 1. After the 'core' patient sessions have been completed (12 sessions inside of 3 months) inclusive of at least 5 patients.

OR

Option 2. After the first DPRP data submission in the CDC data submission portal of participant demographics, attendance, and weight loss (i.e., 6 months after the effective date/org code is given) that includes no less than a minimum of 5 patients.

8. PPA requires a final report including a summary of your experience, CDC data reported and patient successes.

9. Throughout the process the PPA will continue to provide you with webinars, emails and DPP Coach support and assistance to help you be successful. With the help of a consultant, we are actively pursuing a model to assist with patient recruitment and billing / reimbursement.

By participating in this program, you will receive:

Two online training opportunities – either another pharmacist, a pharmacy technician or a student pharmacist who will provide assistance). **TOTAL VALUE \$1,400**

Webinars and mentoring Coaches - **TOTAL VALUE = PRICELESS**

Payments to help you launch your first program to get to recognition status. **TOTAL VALUE \$6,900**

Ongoing support this year and next. **TOTAL VALUE - PRICELESS**

Once you reach preliminary recognized status, you will then be able to bill and continue to offer the program.

This will take you about 12 months. But you must work and manage the program.

By participating in this program, you agree to the following:

- ✓ To commit to register up to two individuals in the ADA [Group Lifestyle Balance \(GLB\)™ program](#) by **June 26. Email the PPA at ppa@pharmacists.com.**
- ✓ To complete the ADA Group Lifestyle Balance (GLB) program by **August 15. Notify the PPA with evidence of course completion at ppa@pharmacists.com.** PPA will connect with the DPP mentor.
- ✓ Submit the online application to CDC for pending status and report this to PPA by **August 31.**
- ✓ **Submit a reimbursement form for \$2,500 to PPA.** (PPA will provide the form.)
- ✓ Internally develop your plan, marketing materials and efforts, etc. to launch your program by **September 30.** (Ideally be working on this throughout the above process)
- ✓ Follow the timeline outlined above and participate in the resource webinars offered or listen to the recordings.
- ✓ Assuming you have continued the classes, **submit a final reimbursement request for \$3,000** between **October 2027 and March 2028**, giving you up to 18 months to complete the necessary classes and patient data collection to apply for Preliminary status with the CDC. NOTE: This can be accomplished within 12 months.
- ✓ Report your progress on a regular basis to your assigned PPA DPP Mentor and be responsive when they call you.
- ✓ Continue diligent data collection for CDC reporting purposes through the 12-18 months. PPA can provide templates for data collection if needed.
- ✓ Plan to offer in-person delivery of the program to achieve (1) preliminary recognition status (at 12 months but no longer than 18 months from launch) and (2) full recognition status (at about two-years from launch).