AvMed Medicare Advantage Plans Receive High Marks in Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services 2025 Star Ratings

AvMed's 4.5-star rating ranks it in the top 20th percentile of more than 500 plans nationwide

MIAMI (October 24, 2024) -- <u>AvMed, Inc.</u>, one of Florida's oldest and largest not-for-profit health plans, received 4.5 out of 5 stars from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) as part of its <u>2025</u> <u>Star Ratings</u> evaluating Medicare Advantage (Medicare Part C) and Medicare Prescription Drug (Part D) plans. The annual CMS assessment measures the quality of health and prescription drug services received by consumers enrolled in Medicare and Medicaid plans.

For the 2025 rankings, CMS evaluated 562 Medicare Advantage and Medicare Part D plans (both in combination and as stand-alone offerings) by for-profit and non-profit insurance plans. CMS Star Ratings, used to help consumers compare offerings on health care coverage, are based on factors that include, but are not limited to:

- Feedback from members about the plan's service and care
- The number of members who left or stayed with the plan
- The number of complaints Medicare got about the plan
- Data from doctors and hospitals that work with the plan

Plans are rated on a one-to-five scale, with five stars representing the highest level of performance. AvMed's 4.5 out of 5-star rating places it in the top 20 percent of plans appraised by CMS.

"For more than 50 years, AvMed has been providing Medicare health plans that offer quality, affordable coverage that helps our Members live healthier," said Jim Repp, president of AvMed. "Being recognized by CMS as a top Medicare health plan is not only a reflection of the service we provide Members, but the strength of our Provider network and dedicated Member Engagement Team who make the wellbeing of our Members their utmost priority."

The CMS Star Ratings for Medicare Advantage and Medicare Part D prescription drug plans are released annually and reflect the experiences of people enrolled in these plans. People with Medicare can compare quality through the star ratings, along with other information, such as cost and coverage, on the online Medicare Plan Finder tool available on Medicare.gov.

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About AvMed, Inc.

AvMed is a Florida-based health plan headquartered in Miami, Florida. More than 140,000 Members count on AvMed for Commercial group, Individual, and Medicare Advantage coverage. Members have the support of nearly 500 employees and a network of more than 35,000 providers throughout Florida. AvMed is owned by Sentara Health, based in Hampton Roads, Va.

About Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)

CMS is the federal agency that provides health coverage to more than 160 million people through Medicare, Medicaid, the Children's Health Insurance Program, and the Health Insurance Marketplace. CMS works in partnership with the entire health care community to improve quality, equity, and outcomes in the health care system.