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Evidence is in, Patients Want and Need to Help!



The Facts



Patients without the skills and confidence to manage their own health care incur costs up to 21 percent higher than patients who are highly engaged in their care.⁴



Patients are stepping up to the plate. Nearly half (47 percent) of patients have brought a friend or a relative to a doctor's appointment so that they could help ask questions and understand what the doctor was saying.



Almost three in five patients have taken a list of their current medications to a doctor's appointment.⁵



What is this?



Blue Button is...

- A symbol
- Your health info
- Electronic
- For *you* – the consumer or caregiver
- Built on national standards



Blue Button isn't...

- A product
- A national database
- Doctors sharing health info

Blue Button Connector



Get my records

Use my records



**Introducing Blue Button:
Online access to your health records**

Get Started

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Get Your Records



[Get my records](#) [Use my records](#)

Get my health records

Select a source

Tip: You may have records in more than one source. One in three Americans has data available in their health insurance.

Health Insurance



start here

Physician or Hospital



Pharmacy or Lab



Immunization Registry



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Getting Started

Welcome to Medicare's free, secure online service for accessing personalized information about your Medicare benefits and services. After you sign in, you can fill out the Initial Enrollment Questionnaire (IEQ), view claims information, get quality information about your providers, and more.

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Secure Sign In

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*Password

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What's New?



[Blue Button Download My Data](#)

Blue Button is here! Blue Button allows you to download your health information to your computer or to your mobile device. Look for the Blue Button as you search claims and view your On the Go Report.

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Registration Information

In order to use this service you must be a registered user. If you have not registered, sign up.

MyMedicare.gov Help

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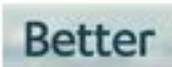
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Use my health records

Take your records with you. Plug them into apps and other services that help you reach your health goals and receive recommendations to keep you at your best.



Better

Better

This is a short description
of the app



care tracker

This is a short description
of the app



FollowMyHealth

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of the app



Gazelle

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of the app



geniemd

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of the app



Healthvault

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of the app

A partnership between the federal government and the private sector. The federal partners, led by ONC, include the White House, VA, CMS, and DoD.



Pledge Program Commitments

Get your health info!

**Consumer
Organization**

These are your
meds

Pharmacy

Here's your
test result

**Diagnostic
Lab**

Here's your health
record

**Provider
/Hospital**

**Health
Insurance
Company**

These are your kid's
vaccinations

**State
Registry**

This app can help you

**IT
Developer**

This is what you paid
for

Blue Button PSA videos



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Address change/Medicare card issue? | Information for my situation | Find someone to talk to

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- Find doctors & other health professionals
- Find nursing homes
- Find hospitals
- Find home health services
- Find dialysis facilities
- Find health & drug plans
- Find suppliers of medical equipment &

Blogs | News | Videos

- Medicare & You: high blood pressure and osteoporosis
- Medicare & You: hepatitis awareness
- Medicare & You: diabetes awareness
- Medicare & You: lung cancer awareness
- Take control of your health information with Blue Button (30 second video)

- Get help with costs
- Explore Medicare health plans
- Find out how Medicare works with other insurance
- Mail you get about Medicare
- Go paperless: get Medicare & You electronically

Looking Ahead

- June 2 – Datapalooza announcements
- Sept 15 – Consumer Health IT Summit



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