# California Large Group Annual Aggregate Rate Data Report Form

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The aggregate rate information submission form should include the following:

- 1) Company Name (Health Plan)
- 2) Rate Activity 12-month ending date
- 3) Weighted Average Rate Increase, and Number Enrollees subject to rate change
- 4) Summary of Number and Percentage of Rate Changes in Reporting Year by Effective Month
- 5) Segment Type
- 6) Product Type
- 7) Products Sold with materially different benefits, cost share
- 8) Factors affecting the base rate
- 9) Overall Medical Trend (Plain-Language Form)
- 10) Projected Medical Trend (Plain-Language Form)
- 11) Per Member per Month Costs and Rate of Changes over last five years -submit CA Large Group Historical Data Reporting Spreadsheet (Excel)
- 12) Changes in Enrollee Cost Sharing
- 13) Changes in Enrollee Benefits
- 14) Cost Containment and Quality Improvement Efforts
- 15) Number of products that incurred excise tax paid by the health plan
- 16) Other Comments

1)	Company Name:
2)	This report summarizes rate activity for the 12 months ending reporting year
3)	<ul> <li>Weighted average annual rate increase (unadjusted)<sup>2</sup></li> <li>All large group benefit designs%</li> <li>Most commonly sold large group benefit design%</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Weighted average annual rate increase (adjusted)<sup>3</sup></li> <li>All large group benefit designs%</li> <li>Most commonly sold large group benefit design<sup>4</sup>%</li> </ul>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Provide information for January 1-December 31 of the reporting year.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Average percent increase means the weighted average of the annual rate increases that were implemented (actual or a reasonable approximation when actual information is not available). The average shall be weighted by the number of enrollees/covered lives.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> "Adjusted" means normalized for aggregate changes in benefits, cost sharing, provider network, geographic rating area, and average age.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Most commonly sold large group benefit design is determined at the product level. The most common large group benefit design, determined by number of enrollees should not include cost sharing, including, but not limited to, deductibles, copays, and coinsurance.

# 4) Summary of Number and Percentage of Rate Changes in Reporting Year by Effective Month

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Month Rate Change Effective	Number of Renewing Groups	Percent of Renewing Groups (number for each month in column 2 divided by overall total)	Number of Enrollees/ Covered Lives Affected by Rate Change <sup>5</sup>	Number of Enrollees/ Covered Lives Offered Renewal During Month Without A Rate Change	Average Premium PMPM After Renewal	Weighted Average Rate Change Unadjusted <sup>6</sup>
January						
February						
March						
April						
May						
June						
July						
August						
September						
October						
November						
December						
Overall		100%				

See Health and Safety Code section 1385.045(a) and Insurance Code section 10181.45(a)

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> The total number of enrollees/covered lives (employee plus dependents) affected by, or subject to, the rate change.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Average percent increase means the weighted average of the annual rate increases that were offered (final rate quoted, including any underwriting adjustment) (actual or a reasonable approximation when actual information is not available). The average shall be weighted by the number of enrollees/covered lives in columns 4 & 5.

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product type) of the most commonly sold benefit design, and (2) methodology used to determine any reasonable approximations used).

(Include (1) a description (such as product name or benefit/cost-sharing description, and

5) Segment type: Including whether the rate is community rated, in whole or in part See Health and Safety Code section 1385.045(c)(1)(B) and Insurance Code section 10181.45(c)(1)(B)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Rating Method	Number of Renewing Groups	Percent of Renewing Groups (number for each rating method in column 2 divided by overall total)	Number of Enrollees/ Covered Lives Affected By Rate Change	Number of Enrollees/ Covered Lives Offered Renewal Without A Rate Change	Average Premium PMPM After Renewal	Weighted Average Rate Change Unadjusted
100% Community Rated (in whole)						
Blended (in part)						
100% Experience Rated						
Overall		100%				

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Comments: Describe differences between the products in each of the segment types

listed in the above table, including which product types (PPO, EPO, HMO, POS,

### 6) Product Type: See Health and Safety Code section 1385.045(c)(1)(C) and Insurance Code section 10181.45(c)(1)(C)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Product Type	Number of Renewing Groups	Percent of Renewing Groups  (number for each product type in column 2 divided by overall total)	Number of Enrollees/ Covered Lives Affected By Rate Change	Number of Enrollees/ Covered Lives Offered Renewal Without A Rate Change	Average Premium PMPM After Renewal	Weighted Average Rate Change Unadjusted
HMO						
PPO						
EPO						
POS						
HDHP						
Other (describe)						
Overall		100%				

HMO – Health Maintenance OrganizationEPO – Preferred Provider OrganizationEPO – Exclusive Provider OrganizationPOS – Point-of-Service

HDHP - High Deductible Health Plan with or without Savings Options (HRA, HSA)

Describe "Other" Product Types, and any needed comments here.

7) The number of plans sold during the 12-months that have materially different benefits, cost sharing, or other elements of benefit design.

See Health and Safety Code section 1385.045(c)(1)(E) and Insurance Code section 10181.45(c)(1)(E)

Please complete the following tables. In completing these tables, please see definition of "Actuarial Value" in the document "SB546 – Additional Information":

#### **HMO**

Actuarial Value (AV)	Number of Plans	Covered Lives	Distribution of Covered Lives	Description of the type of benefits and cost sharing levels for each AV range
0.9 to 1.000				
0.8 to 0.899				
0.7 to 0.799				
0.6 to 0.699				
0.0 to 0.599				
Total			100%	

## PPO

Actuarial Value (AV)	Number of Plans	Covered Lives	Distribution of Covered Lives	Description of the type of benefits and cost sharing levels for each AV range
0.9 to 1.000				
0.8 to 0.899				
0.7 to 0.799				
0.6 to 0.699				
0.0 to 0.599				
Total			100%	

#### **EPO**

Actuarial Value (AV)	Number of Plans	Covered Lives	Distribution of Covered Lives	Description of the type of benefits and cost sharing levels for each AV range
0.9 to 1.000				
0.8 to 0.899				
0.7 to 0.799				
0.6 to 0.699				
0.0 to 0.599				
Total			100%	

# POS

Actuarial Value (AV)	Number of Plans	Covered Lives	Distribution of Covered Lives	Description of the type of benefits and cost sharing levels for each AV range
0.9 to 1.000				
0.8 to 0.899				
0.7 to 0.799				
0.6 to 0.699				
0.0 to 0.599				
Total			100%	

# **HDHP**

Actuarial Value (AV)	Number of Plans	Covered Lives	Distribution of Covered Lives	Description of the type of benefits and cost sharing levels for each AV range
0.9 to 1.000				
0.8 to 0.899				
0.7 to 0.799				
0.6 to 0.699				
0.0 to 0.599				
Total			100%	

# Other (describe)

Actuarial Value (AV)	Number of Plans	Covered Lives	Distribution of Covered Lives	Description of the type of benefits and cost sharing levels for each AV range
0.9 to 1.000				
0.8 to 0.899				
0.7 to 0.799				
0.6 to 0.699				
0.0 to 0.599				
Total			100%	

In the comment section below, provide the following:

- Number and description of standard plans (non-custom) offered, if any. Include a description of the type of benefits and cost sharing levels.
- Number of large groups with (i) custom plans and (ii) standard plans.

Place comments here:

8) Describe any factors affecting the base rate, and the actuarial basis for those factors, including all of the following:

See Health and Safety Code section 1385.045(c)(2) and Insurance Code section 10181.45(c)(2)

Factor	Provide actuarial basis, change in factors, and member months during 12-month period.
Geographic Region (describe regions)	
Age, including age rating factors (describe definition, such as age bands)	
Occupation	
Industry	
Health Status Factors, including but not limited to experience and utilization	
Employee, and employee and dependents, <sup>7</sup> including a description of the family composition used in each premium tier	
Enrollees' share of premiums	
Enrollees' cost sharing	
Covered benefits in addition to basic health care services and any other benefits mandated under this article	
Which market segment, if any, is fully experience rated and which market segment, if any, is in part experience rated and in part community rated	
Any other factor (e.g. network changes) that affects the rate that is not otherwise specified	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> i.e. premium tier ratios

"Overall" means the weighted average of trend increases included in this filing, weighting the category by the amount of projected medical of	factor for each aggregate benefit
Allowed Trend: (Current Year) / (Current Year – 1)	
Medical Allowed Trend Factor by Aggregate The aggregate benefit categories are each of hospital outpatient (including emergency room services, prescription drugs from pharmacies, hospital inpatient), radiology services (other the (describe).  See Health and Safety Code section 1385.045(c)(3)(A) and	the following – hospital inpatient,  a), physician and other professional laboratory services (other than han hospital inpatient), other
Hospital Inpatient <sup>8</sup>	
Hospital Outpatient (including ER)	
Physician/other professional services9	
Prescription Drug <sup>10</sup>	
Laboratory (other than inpatient) 11	
Radiology (other than inpatient)	
Capitation (professional)	
Capitation (institutional)	
Capitation (other)	
Other (describe)	

9) Overall large group medical allowed trend factor and trend factors by aggregate

benefit category:

**Overall Medical Allowed Trend Factor** 

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Measured as inpatient days, not by number of inpatient admissions.
 <sup>9</sup> Measured as visits.
 <sup>10</sup> Per prescription.
 <sup>11</sup> Laboratory and Radiology measured on a per-service basis.

#### 10) Projected medical trend:

Use the same aggregate benefit categories used in item 9 – hospital inpatient, hospital outpatient (including emergency room), physician and other professional services, prescription drugs from pharmacies, laboratory services (other than hospital inpatient), radiology services (other than hospital inpatient), other (describe). Furthermore, within each aggregate category quantify the sources of trend, i.e. use of service, price inflation, and fees and risk.

See Health and Safety Code section 1385.045(c)(3)(B) and Insurance Code section 10181.45(c)(3)(B)

## **Projected Medical Allowed Trend by Aggregate Benefit Category**

Allowed Trend:		Trend attribu	Trend attributable to:				
(Current Year + 1) / (Current Year)	Aggregate Dollars (PMPM)	Use of Services	Price Inflation	Fees and Risk	Overall Trend		
Hospital Inpatient <sup>12</sup>							
Hospital Outpatient (including ER)							
Physician/other professional services <sup>13</sup>							
Prescription Drug <sup>14</sup>							
Laboratory (other than inpatient) <sup>15</sup>							
Radiology (other than inpatient)							
Capitation (professional)							
Capitation (institutional)							
Capitation (other)							
Other (describe)							
Overall							

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Measured as inpatient days, not by number of inpatient admissions.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Measured as visits.

Per prescription.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> Laboratory and Radiology measured on a per-service basis.

11) Complete the CA Large Group Historical Data Spreadsheet to provide a comparison of the aggregate per enrollee per month costs and rate changes over the last five years for each of the following: (I) Premiums, (ii) Claims Costs, if any, (iii) Administrative Expenses, (iv) Taxes and Fees, and (v) Quality Improvement Expenses. Administrative Expenses include general and administrative fees, agent and broker commissions

Complete CA Large Group Historical Data Spreadsheet - Excel
See Health and Safety Code section 1385.045(c)(3)(C) and Insurance Code section 10181.45(c)(3)(C)

12) Changes in enrollee cost-sharing

Describe any changes in enrollee cost-sharing over the prior year associated with the submitted rate information, including both of the following:

See Health and Safety Code section 1385.045(c)(3) (D) and Insurance Code section 10181.45(c)(3)(D)

(i)	Actual copays, coinsurance, deductibles, annual out of pocket maximums, and any other cost sharing by the following categories: hospital inpatient, hospital outpatient (including emergency room), physician and other professional services, prescription drugs from pharmacies, laboratory services (other than hospital inpatient), radiology services (other than hospital inpatient), other (describe).

(ii)	Any aggregate changes in enrollee cost sharing over the prior years as measured by the weighted average actuarial value based on plan benefits using the company's plan relativity model, weighted by the number of enrollees. <sup>16</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Please determine weight average actuarial value base on the company's own plan relativity model. For this purpose, the company is not required to use the CMS standard model.

## 13) Changes in enrollee/insured benefits

is information for each of the following categories: hospital inpatient, hospital utpatient (including emergency room), physician and other professional services, escription drugs from pharmacies, laboratory services (other than hospital patient), radiology services (other than hospital inpatient), other (describe). See halth and Safety Code section 1385.045(c) (3) (E) and Insurance Code section 10181.45(c)(3)(E)						

Describe any changes in benefits for enrollees/insureds over the prior year, providing a description of benefits added or eliminated, as well as any aggregate changes as measured as a percentage of the aggregate claims costs. Provide

#### 14) Cost containment and quality improvement efforts

Describe any cost containment and quality improvement efforts since prior year for the same category of health benefit plan. To the extent possible, describe any significant new health care cost containment and quality improvement efforts and provide an estimate of potential savings together with an estimated cost or savings for the projection period. Companies are encouraged to structure their response with reference to the cost containment and quality improvement components of "Attachment 7 to Covered California 2017 Individual Market QHP Issuer Contract:"

- 1.01 Coordination and Cooperation
- 1.02 Ensuring Networks are Based on Value
- 1.03 Demonstrating Action on High Cost Providers
- 1.04 Demonstrating Action on High Cost Pharmaceuticals

See Health and Safety Code section 1385.045(c)(3)(F) and Insurance Code section 10181.45(c)(3)(F),

- 1.05 Quality Improvement Strategy
- 1.06 Participation in Collaborative Quality Initiatives
- 1.07 Data Exchange with Providers
- 1.08 Data Aggregation across Health Plans

see also California Health Benefit Exchange, April 7, 2016 Board Meeting

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15) Excise tax incurred by the health plan

# 16) Other Comments

Provide any additional comments on factors that at rate changes included in this filing.	ffect rates and the weighted average