

CMS Center for Consumer Information & Insurance Oversight (CCIIO), Health Insurance Exchange Public Use Files (Exchange PUFs) Data Dictionary for Plan ID Crosswalk PUF

1. Overview of the Plan ID Crosswalk PUF

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) Center for Consumer Information & Insurance Oversight (CCIIO) publishes the Exchange PUFs in order to improve transparency and increase access to data on Qualified Health Plans (QHPs) and Stand-alone Dental Plans (SADPs) offered through the Exchange in the individual market and Small Business Health Options Program (SHOP). The PUFs include data from states with Federally-facilitated Exchanges (FFEs), which include states with State Partnership Exchanges (SPEs), and State-based Exchanges that rely on the federal information technology platform for QHP eligibility and enrollment functionality (SBE-FPs). The Exchange PUFs also include data on Multi-State Plans (MSPs) and certified off-exchange SADPs. The PUFs do not include data from SBEs that do not rely on the federal platform for QHP eligibility and enrollment functionality.

The Plan ID Crosswalk PUF (CW-PUF) is one of the files that make up the Exchange PUFs. The purpose of the CW-PUF is to map QHPs and SADPs offered through the Exchanges during the previous plan year to plans that will be offered through the Exchanges in the current plan year. These data either originate from the Plan Crosswalk template (i.e., template field), an Excel-based form used by issuers to describe their plans in the QHP application process, or were generated by CCIIO for use in data processing (i.e., system-generated).

This data dictionary describes the variables contained in the CW-PUF. Each record reports the mapping between a plan offered in the previous plan year to a plan offered in the current plan year at the county or county-zip code level. For the PY2018 PUF, each record maps between a plan offered in 2017 with a plan offered in 2018.

2. Variable Attributes

Variable Name: State

Variable Definition: Two-character state abbreviation indicating

the state where the plan is offered

Data Type: Text Variable Label: State

Allowable Values: All 50 state abbreviations + 9 territory

abbreviations

Data Source: Template field Field Name from Data Source: Issuer State

Comments: N/A

Variable Name: DentalPlan



Categorical indicator that plan is a stand-Variable Definition:

alone dental plan (SADP)

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: Dental Plan

Allowable Values: Υ

Ν

Data Source: Template field Field Name from Data Source: Dental Only Plan

Comments: N/A

Variable Name: PlanID 2014

Fourteen-character alpha-numeric code that Variable Definition:

> identifies the 2014 insurance plan in the Health Insurance Oversight System (HIOS)

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2014 Plan ID Allowable Values: Free text Data Source: Template field

2014 HIOS Plan ID (Standard Component) Field Name from Data Source: Comments:

This field is only available for the 2015

dataset.

Variable Name: PlanID 2015

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Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2018 Plan ID Allowable Values: Free text Data Source: Template field

2018 HIOS Plan ID (Standard Component) Field Name from Data Source:

This field is only available for the 2018 Comments:

dataset.

Variable Name: IssuerID 2014

Variable Definition: Five-digit numeric code that identifies the

issuer organization in HIOS for the 2014 plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2014 Issuer ID Allowable Values: Free text Data Source: Template field Field Name from Data Source: **HIOS Issuer ID**

Comments: This field is only available for the 2015

dataset.

Variable Name: IssuerID 2015

Variable Definition: Five-digit numeric code that identifies the

issuer organization in HIOS for the 2015 plan

Data Type:

Variable Label: 2015 Issuer ID Allowable Values: Free text Data Source: Template field Field Name from Data Source: HIOS Issuer ID

Comments: This field is only available for the 2015 and

2016 datasets.

Variable Name: IssuerID 2016

Variable Definition: Five-digit numeric code that identifies the

issuer organization in HIOS for the 2016 plan

Data Type: Text



Variable Label:

Allowable Values:

Data Source:

Free text

Template field

HIOS Issuer ID

Comments: This field is only available for the 2016 and

2017 datasets.

Variable Name: IssuerID_2017

Variable Definition: Five-digit numeric code that identifies the

issuer organization in HIOS for the 2017 plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label:

Allowable Values:

Data Source:

Free text

Template field

HIOS Issuer ID

Comments: This field is only available for the 2017 and

2018 datasets.

Variable Name: IssuerID_2018

Variable Definition: Five-digit numeric code that identifies the

issuer organization in HIOS for the 2018 plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label:

Allowable Values:

Data Source:

Field Name from Data Source:

2018 Issuer ID

Free text

Template field

HIOS Issuer ID

Comments: This field is only available for the 2018

dataset.

Variable Name: MultistatePlan_2014

Variable Definition: Categorical indicator of whether the 2014

plan is a multi-state plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2014 Multistate Plan

Allowable Values: Y

Data Source: Template field Field Name from Data Source: Multi-State Plan

Comments: This field is only available for the 2015

dataset.

Variable Name: MultistatePlan 2015

Variable Definition: Categorical indicator of whether the 2015

plan is a multi-state plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2015 Multistate Plan

Allowable Values: Y

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Data Source: Template field



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Allowable Values: Y

Data Source: Template field
Field Name from Data Source: Multi-State Plan

Comments: This field is only available for the 2017 and

2018 datasets.

Variable Name: MultistatePlan 2018

Variable Definition: Categorical indicator of whether the 2018

plan is a multi-state plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2018 Multistate Plan

Allowable Values: Y

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Data Source: Template field
Field Name from Data Source: Multi-State Plan

Comments: This field is only available for the 2018

dataset.

Variable Name: MetalLevel 2014

Variable Definition: Metal level, or coverage category, of the 2014

plan based on its actuarial value

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2014 Metal Level

Allowable Values: Platinum

Gold Silver



Bronze

Catastrophic

High Low

Data Source:

System-generated field

Field Name from Data Source:

Metal Level 2014

Comments:

Values of High and Low are only applicable for dental plans; values other than High and Low are only applicable to medical plans. This field is only available for the 2015

dataset.

Variable Name:

MetalLevel_2015

Variable Definition:

Metal level, or coverage category, of the 2015

plan based on its actuarial value

Data Type:

Text

Variable Label:

2015 Metal Level

Allowable Values:

Platinum Gold

> Silver Bronze

Catastrophic

High Low

Data Source:

System-generated field

Field Name from Data Source:

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MetalLevel_2016

Variable Definition:

Metal level, or coverage category, of the 2016

plan based on its actuarial value

Data Type:

Text

Variable Label:

2016 Metal Level

Allowable Values:

Gold Silver Bronze

Platinum

Catastrophic High

Data Source:

System-generated field

Field Name from Data Source:

Metal Level 2016

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Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2018 Metal Level

Allowable Values: Platinum

Gold Silver Bronze Catastrophic

High Low

Data Source: System-generated field

Field Name from Data Source: Metal Level 2018

Comments: Values of High and Low are only applicable

for dental plans; values other than High and Low are only applicable to medical plans. This field is only available for the 2018

datasets.

Variable Name: ChildAdultOnly 2014

Variable Definition: The types of child enrollment options for the

2014 plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2014 Child Adult Only



System-generated field

Allowable Values: 0

> 1 2

Data Source:

Field Name from Data Source: Child Adult Only 2014

Comments:

A value of 0 means the 2014 plan allows adult-only and child-only enrollment; a value

of 1 means the 2014 plan allows only childonly enrollment; a value of 2 means the 2014

plan allows only adult-only enrollment. This field is only available for the 2015

dataset.

Variable Name: ChildAdultOnly_2015

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Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2017 Child Adult Only

Allowable Values:

1

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Data Source: System-generated field Field Name from Data Source: Child Adult Only 2017

Comments: A value of 0 means the 2017 plan allows

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This field is only available for the 2017 and

2018 datasets.

Variable Name: ChildAdultOnly_2018

Variable Definition: The types of child enrollment options for the

2018 plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2018 Child Adult Only

Allowable Values: 0

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Data Source: System-generated field Field Name from Data Source: Child Adult Only 2018

Comments: A valu

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plan allows only adult-only enrollment. This field is only available for the 2018 dataset.

Variable Name: FIPSCode

Variable Definition: Federal Information Processing Standards

(FIPS) code assigned to the county within a state that is included in the plan's service

area

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: FIPS Code

Allowable Values: FIPS codes for counties within issuer state

Data Source: Template field Field Name from Data Source: County Name

Comments: N/A

Variable Name: ZipCode



Variable Definition: Five-digit zip code within the partial-county

region included in the plan's service area

Data Type: Text Variable Label: Zip Codes

Allowable Values: Zip codes within issuer state

Data Source: Template field

Field Name from Data Source: Service Area Zip Code(s)

Comments: A value of "00000" means the issuer did not

split the county into zip codes when

submitting the Plan Crosswalk Template (i.e.,

the entire county is covered by the plan)

Variable Name: CrosswalkLevel

Variable Definition: Categorical indicator of the crosswalk level

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: Crosswalk Level

Allowable Values: 0

1 2 3

4 5

Data Source: Template field

Field Name from Data Source: Crosswalk Level
Comments: A value of 0 equa

A value of 0 equals Crosswalking to the same

Plan ID; a value of 1 equals Crosswalking at

the Plan ID level; a value of 2 equals Crosswalking at the Plan ID and county coverage level; a value of 3 equals

Crosswalking at the zip-code level for one or

more counties.

For the 2015 dataset: a value of 4 equals
Discontinue 2014 plan with no cross walk
(no re-enrollment option in 2015); a value of

5 equals 2014 Plan withdrawn prior to

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Discontinue 2017 plan with no cross walk
(no re-enrollment option in 2018); a value of



5 equals 2017 Plan withdrawn prior to certification

Variable Name: ReasonForCrosswalk

Variable Definition: Categorical indicator of the reason for the

crosswalk

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: Crosswalk Level

Allowable Values:

1

2

4

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6 7

8; This value is only possible in the 2017 and

2018 datasets

10; This value is only possible in the 2018

dataset.

Data Source: Template field

Field Name from Data Source: Reason

Comments:

Reason for Crosswalk

For the 2015 dataset: a value of 0 equals

Renewing the same product/plan

combination using the same 2014 Plan ID; a value of 1 equals Renewing the same product/plan combination using a different 2015 Plan ID; a value of 2 equals Renewing product or renewal in a different plan within the product; a value of 3 equals Continuing product with no plan available in the

product with no plan available in the particular service area under that product and enrollment in a different product; a value of 4 equals Continuing product with no plan available in the particular service area under that product and no enrollment option; a value of 5 equals Discontinuing product and no enrollment option; a value of 6 equals Discontinuing product and

enrollment into a different product; a value of 7 equals Continuing product; no silver plan available in the particular service area under that product, enrollment in a silver

plan under a different product;..

For the 2016 dataset: a value of 0 equals

Renewing the same product/plan

combination using the same 2015 Plan ID; a value of 1 equals Renewing the same product/plan combination using a different



2016 Plan ID; a value of 2 equals Renewing product or renewal in a different plan within the product; a value of 3 equals Continuing product with no plan available in the particular service area under that product and enrollment in a different product; a value of 4 equals Continuing product with no plan available in the particular service area under that product and no enrollment option; a value of 5 equals Discontinuing product and no enrollment option; a value of 6 equals Discontinuing product and enrollment into a different product; a value of 7 equals Continuing product; no silver plan available in the particular service area under that product, enrollment in a silver plan under a different product.

For the 2017 dataset: a value of 0 equals Renewing the same product/plan combination using the same 2016 Plan ID; a value of 1 equals Renewing the same product/plan combination using a different 2017 Plan ID; a value of 2 equals Renewing product or renewal in a different plan within the product; a value of 3 equals Continuing product with no plan available in the particular service area under that product and enrollment in a different product: a value of 4 equals Continuing product with no plan available in the particular service area under that product and no enrollment option; a value of 5 equals Discontinuing product and no enrollment option; a value of 6 equals Discontinuing product and enrollment into a different product; a value of 7 equals Continuing product; no silver plan available in the particular service area under that product, enrollment in a silver plan under a different product; a value of 8 equals Crosswalk to a different issuer; crosswalk determined by CMS and not existing issuer.

For the 2018 dataset: a value of 0 equals Renewing the same product/plan combination using the same 2017 Plan ID; a value of 1 equals Renewing the same product/plan combination using a different 2018 Plan ID; a value of 2 equals Renewing product or renewal in a different plan within the product; a value of 3 equals Continuing product with no plan available in the



particular service area under that product and enrollment in a different product; a value of 4 equals Continuing product with no plan available in the particular service area under that product and no enrollment option; a value of 5 equals Discontinuing product and no enrollment option; a value of 6 equals Discontinuing product and enrollment into a different product; a value of 7 equals Continuing product; no silver plan available in the particular service area under that product, enrollment in a silver plan under a different product; a value of 8 equals Crosswalk to a different issuer; crosswalk determined by CMS and not existing issuer; a value of 10 equals Discontinuing plan; plan discontinued in a bare county.

Variable Name: AgeOffPlanID_2015

Variable Definition: Fourteen-character alpha-numeric code that

identifies the plan available to enrollees who will age-off (i.e., no longer meet the criteria for continued eligibility) the 2014 plan prior to

January 1, 2015

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2015 Age Off Plan ID

Allowable Values: Free text

Data Source: Template field

Field Name from Data Source: 2015 Plan ID for Enrollees Aging Off

Catastrophic or Child-Only Plan

Comments: A value of "00000XX0000000" indicates that

the issuer did not provide an age-off plan ID. This field is only available for the 2015

dataset.

Variable Name: AgeOffPlanID_2016

Variable Definition: Fourteen-character alpha-numeric code that

identifies the plan available to enrollees who will age-off (i.e., no longer meet the criteria for continued eligibility) the 2015 plan prior to

January 1, 2016

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2016 Age Off Plan ID

Allowable Values: Free text
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Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2017 Age Off Plan ID

Allowable Values: Free text

Template field Data Source:

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Catastrophic or Child-Only Plan

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This field is only available for the 2017

dataset.

Variable Name: AgeOffPlanID_2018

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January 1, 2018

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2018 Age Off Plan ID

Allowable Values: Free text Data Source: Template field

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Catastrophic or Child-Only Plan

A value of "00000XX0000000" indicates that Comments:

the issuer did not provide an age-off plan ID.

This field is only available for the 2018

dataset.

Variable Name: IssuerID_AgeOff2015

Five-digit numeric code that identifies the Variable Definition:

issuer organization in HIOS for the 2015 plan

identified in the AgeOffPlanID_2015 field

Data Type:

Variable Label: Issuer ID for 2015 Age Off Plan

Allowable Values: Free text

Data Source: System-generated field Field Name from Data Source: Issuer ID Age Off 2015



Comments: A value of "00000" indicates that the issuer

did not provide an age-off plan ID. This field is only available for the 2015

dataset.

Variable Name: IssuerID_AgeOff2016

Variable Definition: Five-digit numeric code that identifies the

issuer organization in HIOS for the 2016 plan

identified in the AgeOffPlanID_2016 field

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: Issuer ID for 2016 Age Off Plan

Allowable Values: Free text

Data Source: System-generated field Field Name from Data Source: Issuer ID Age Off 2016

Comments: A value of "00000" indicates that the issuer

did not provide an age-off plan ID. This field is only available for the 2016

dataset.

Variable Name: IssuerID_AgeOff2017

Variable Definition: Five-digit numeric code that identifies the

issuer organization in HIOS for the 2017 plan identified in the AgeOffPlanID_2017 field

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: Issuer ID for 2017 Age Off Plan

Allowable Values: Free text

Data Source: System-generated field Field Name from Data Source: Issuer ID Age Off 2017

Comments: A value of "00000" indicates that the issuer

did not provide an age-off plan ID. This field is only available for the 2017

dataset.

Variable Name: IssuerID_AgeOff2018

Variable Definition: Five-digit numeric code that identifies the

issuer organization in HIOS for the 2018 plan identified in the AgeOffPlanID_2018 field

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: Issuer ID for 2018 Age Off Plan

Allowable Values: Free text

Data Source: System-generated field Field Name from Data Source: Issuer ID Age Off 2018

Comments: A value of "00000" indicates that the issuer

did not provide an age-off plan ID. This field is only available for the 2018

dataset.

Variable Name: MultistatePlan_AgeOff2015



Variable Definition: Categorical indicator of whether the 2015 age

off plan is a multi-state plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2015 Age Off Multistate Plan

Allowable Values: Υ

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Data Source: System-generated field Field Name from Data Source: Multistate Plan Age Off 2015

A value of X indicates that the issuer did not Comments:

provide an age-off plan ID.

This field is only available for the 2015

dataset.

Variable Name: MultistatePlan_AgeOff2016

Variable Definition: Categorical indicator of whether the 2016 age

off plan is a multi-state plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2016 Age Off Multistate Plan

Allowable Values: Υ

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Data Source: System-generated field

Multistate Plan Age Off 2016 Field Name from Data Source:

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This field is only available for the 2016

dataset.

Variable Name: MultistatePlan_AgeOff2017

Variable Definition: Categorical indicator of whether the 2017 age

off plan is a multi-state plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2017 Age Off Multistate Plan

Allowable Values: Υ

Ν Χ

Data Source: System-generated field

Field Name from Data Source: Multistate Plan Age Off 2017

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provide an age-off plan ID.

This field is only available for the 2017

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Variable Name: MultistatePlan_AgeOff2018

Variable Definition: Categorical indicator of whether the 2018 age

off plan is a multi-state plan

Data Type:

Variable Label: 2018 Age Off Multistate Plan



Comments:

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Allowable Values: Y

N X

Data Source: S

System-generated field Multistate Plan Age Off 2018

Field Name from Data Source:

A value of X indicates that the issuer did not

provide an age-off plan ID.

This field is only available for the 2018

dataset.

Variable Name: MetalLevel_AgeOff2015

Variable Definition: Metal level of the 2015 age off plan based on

its actuarial value

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2015 Age Off Metal Level

Allowable Values: Platinum

Gold Silver Bronze Catastrophic

High Low X

Data Source:

System-generated field Metal Level Age Off 2015

Field Name from Data Source: Comments:

A value of X indicates that the issuer did not

provide an age-off plan ID; values of High and Low are only applicable for dental plans; values other than High and Low are only

applicable to medical plans.

This field is only available for the 2015

dataset.

Variable Name: MetalLevel_AgeOff2016

Variable Definition: Metal level of the 2015 age off plan based on

its actuarial value

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2015 Age Off Metal Level

Allowable Values: Platinum

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Data Source: System-generated field

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Variable Name: MetalLevel_AgeOff2018

Variable Definition: Metal level of the 2018 age off plan based on

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Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2018 Age Off Metal Level

Allowable Values: Platinum

Gold Silver Bronze Catastrophic

Catastroph High

Low

Data Source: System-generated field

Field Name from Data Source: Metal Level Age Off 2018

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and Low are only applicable for dental plans;



values other than High and Low are only

applicable to medical plans.

This field is only available for the 2018

dataset.

Variable Name: ChildAdultOnly_AgeOff2015

Variable Definition: The types of child enrollment options for the

2015 age off plan

Data Type: Text

Variable Label: 2015 Age Off Child Adult Only

Allowable Values: 0

1 2 X

Data Source: System-generated field

Field Name from Data Source: Child Adult Only Age Off 2015

Comments: A value of 0 means the 2015 age off plan

allows adult-only and child-only enrollment; a value of 1 means the 2015 age off plan allows only child-only enrollment; a value of 2 means the 2015 age off plan allows only adult-only enrollment; a value of X indicates that the issuer did not provide an age-off plan

ID.

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