

To Help You Feel Right at Home



Many Mainland pharmacies are HMSA participating providers. When you travel, you can pick up prescriptions the same way you do in Hawaii — you pay your usual copayment and the pharmacist files the claim. You no longer have to prepay the entire amount and file for reimbursement.

To find the nearest participating pharmacy, please check the yellow pages for one of the following stores.

HMSA's National Pharmacy Network

Acme	Eckerd	Oscor	Shaw's
Albertsons	Expo	Pavilions	Supervalu
Bioscrip Pharmacies	Harris Teeter Pharmacies	Payless Randalls	Target Thrifty
Carrs	Jewel Osco	Rite Aid	Tom Thumb
Costco Pharmacies	Kmart Longs	Safeway Sam's	Vons Walgreen
CVS	Lucky	Sav-On	Wal-Mart
Dominicks	NeighborCare	Save Mart	

(This list is current as of this printing and is subject to change. Please visit hmsa.com for an updated list.)

For members who must visit a physician while traveling, this benefit means hassle-free access to needed medications. But because individual state pharmacy laws prevail, members trying to fill prescriptions from Hawaii physicians may encounter the following:

- All states require a written prescription. Empty prescription containers marked "refill" won't be honored out of state; the prescription they represent is actually stored in a Hawaii pharmacy computer.
- Some states will only accept prescriptions written by physicians practicing in their state.
- Some states will dispense only a 30- or 60-day supply regardless of the amount indicated on your prescription.

For these reasons, we recommend that you bring enough medication to last the duration of your trip.