Administrative Services for the State of Wisconsin Pharmacy Benefits Program Request to Release a Request for Proposal

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Brief PBM History



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What Does Board's PBM Do?

Negotiate discounts	Process all pharmacy claims	Manage Board's Medicare Part D Program	Manage accumulator files for Board's health plans
Negotiate rebates	Maintain Pharmacy Network	Provide member services and coordinate benefits	Manage formularies and drug list

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Proposed New RFP Timeline

Month/Year	Action	
April 2024	Publish the Pharmacy Benefits Program RFP	
August 2024	Proposals due from vendors	
December 2024	Evaluation committee makes their selection	
February 2025	Board Presentation on evaluation committee's findings	
May 2025	New pharmacy contract negotiated and signed	
May 2025-December 2025	Vendor works with ETF, health plans, and stakeholders	
Dec. 31, 2025	Member's pharmacy benefits begin under new contract	



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Questions?

Thank you









