

Retail Producer Portal Agent Assisted Enrollment

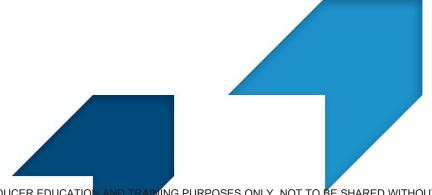
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Before we get started...

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Agent Assisted Enrollment Overview

Starting in October 2022, the Retail Producer Portal (RPP) offered Agents an assisted, On Exchange enrollment solution. Powered by HealthSherpa, this flow allows an Agent to quote and enroll their clients exclusively in Blue plans (referred to as White Label solution), via the Enhanced Direct Enrollment (EDE) pathway. One of the most exciting features of the White Label solution and EDE pathway is that the Agent's NPN is <u>always</u> associated with the client's application so the Agent will not be dropped from the application. Enrolling a client via HealthSherpa While Label solution is also more expedient and efficient than going to HealthCare.gov directly.

Beginning **11/1/2023**, Agent express links via RPP will be disabled for Individual (Under 65) business. Agents are only able to use their express link for Medicare and 2023 SEP off-exchange Individual business.

Agents must be registered on the White Label Solution to obtain their "direct link". If they have not already registered with the White Label Solution for On Exchange, they need to do so now to assist with both On and Off Exchange client-directed shopping and enrollment on the White Label Solution. Again, using this direct link and the EDE pathway via the White Label Solution will maintain the Agent's NPN so the Agent will remain attached to the application. Agents will need the White Label Solution direct link to send quotes to clients.

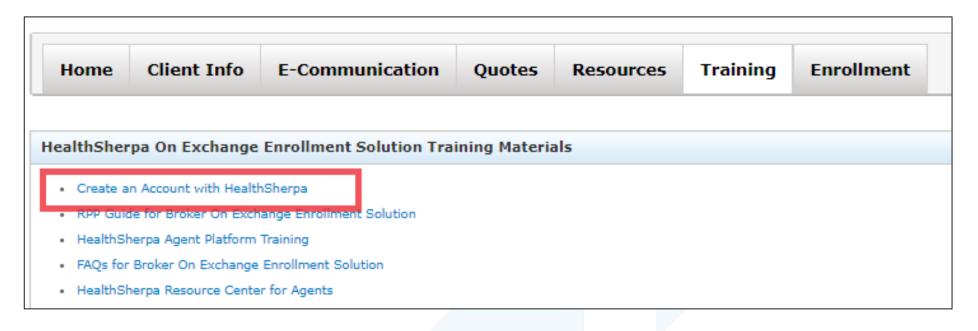
Nothing is changing with the electronic direct enrollment for Off Exchange on RPP. The Off Exchange Enrollment Tab on RPP is **NOT** being replaced with the HealthSherpa White Label Solution Off Exchange option. It is especially recommended that Agents use the Enrollment Tab on RPP to submit Off Exchange applications. The HealthSherpa White Label Solution for Off Exchange (beginning 11/1/23) is in addition to the Enrollment Tab on RPP. **The Enrollment Tab is the fastest and easiest way to enroll a client for an Off Exchange policy**.

Creating an Account on HealthSherpa White Label Solution

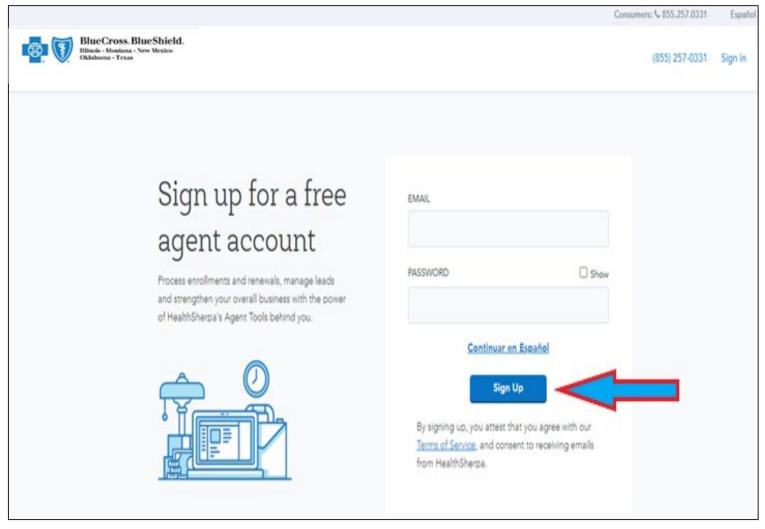
The first step to ensuring a smooth OE period, is to register for and create an account now and not wait until just before Open Enrollment.

To access the link to the White Label Solution:

- Log into RPP
- Select the Training tab
- Select the link for "Create an Account with HealthSherpa"



Creating an Account on HealthSherpa White Label Solution cont.



Enter your email address.

NOTE: If the Agent has an existing HealthSherpa Marketplace account and would like to create a White Label Solution account, then please add the following carrier slug in the email address. This allows the Agent to use the same email address for both accounts but will have separate logins.

Carrier Slug: bcbs-inmot

Example:

Email address is

Jane@testing.com

Email address with Carrier slug:

Jane+bcbs-inmot@testing.com

Enter password

Click on the Sign Up Button

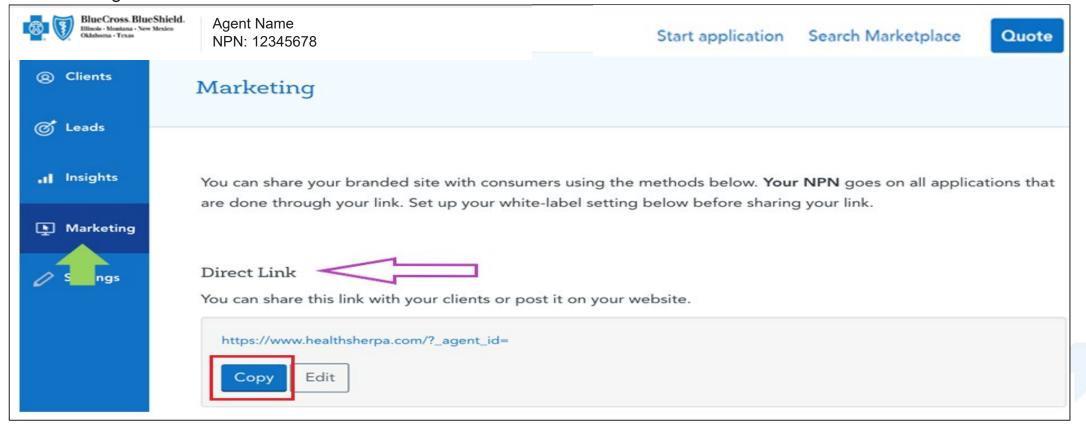
Complete the steps for creating an account. For additional assistance, please review our detailed <u>guide</u>. Once the Agent has finished all the necessary steps, they are ready to quote, enroll and service their clients.

Locating and Using the Direct Link on HealthSherpa White Label Solution

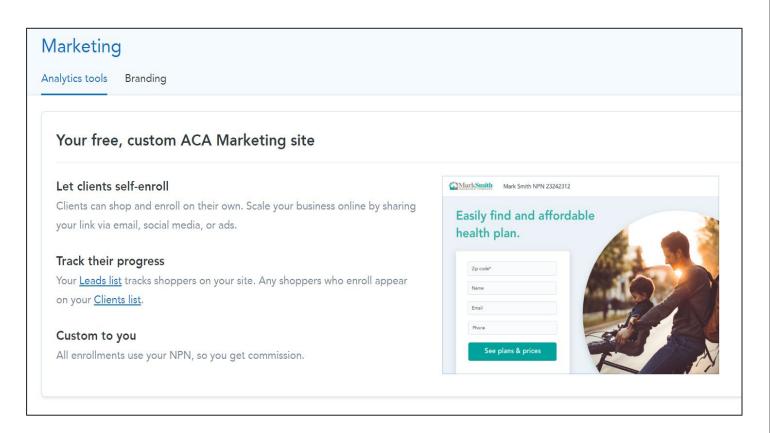
The Agent's direct link works like their previous express link on RPP. The Agent's NPN is captured with the direct link and all applications submitted through an Agent's direct link will have their NPN attached to the application.

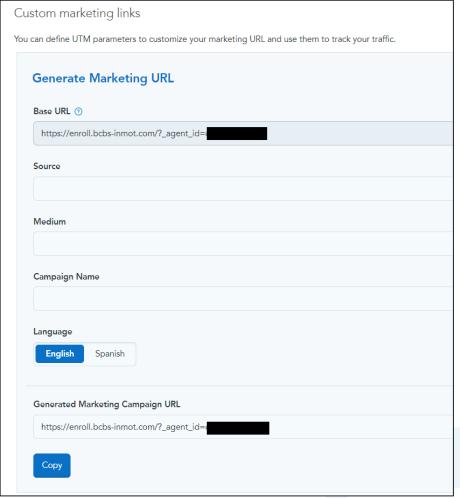
From the Agent dashboard, access "Marketing" on the left panel. Click on Copy the "Direct Link" and the Agent can paste this link in an email and/or business website. This will direct clients to a customizable landing page where they can shop and enroll in plans on their own.

When clients click on the link, they are taken to the broker's uniquely branded enrollment site, where they can enter some information and click "See plans and prices" to start the quoting process. They have an option to shop directly themselves and apply for either On or Off exchange.



Customizing the Direct Link

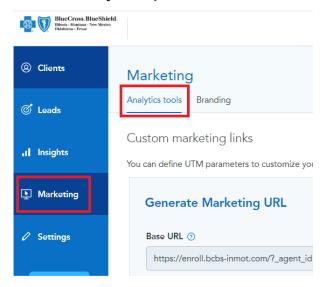






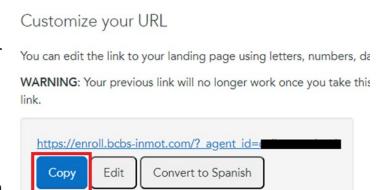
Customizing the Direct Link and your White Label Page with your Phone Number

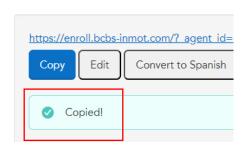
To ensure your phone number is listed with your Direct link, please complete the following steps.



Click on the Marketing tab on the left and under the Analytics tools, you will see Customize your URL.

Click on the Copy button





Once you see the "Copied" confirmation on the page, paste this into another document for adding your phone number.

https://enroll.bcbs-inmot.com/? agent id=

At the end of the direct link, add the following: &call=phonenumber, for example, see below.

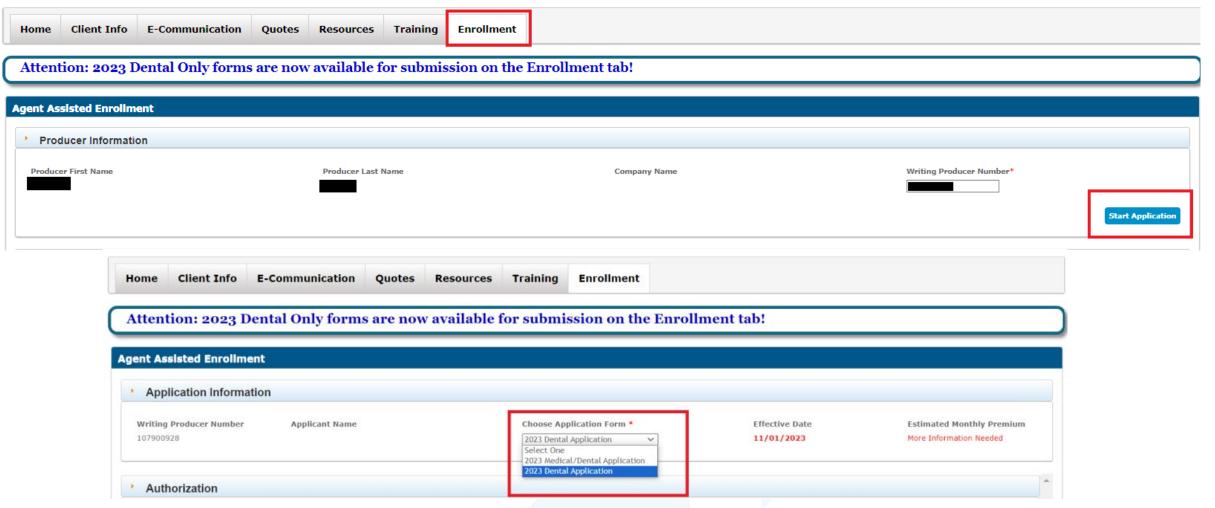
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Adding this extension, will add your phone number to the top of your White Label page automatically. You can send the updated direct link to your clients, post to a business website and/or social media page.

Off Exchange Enrollments

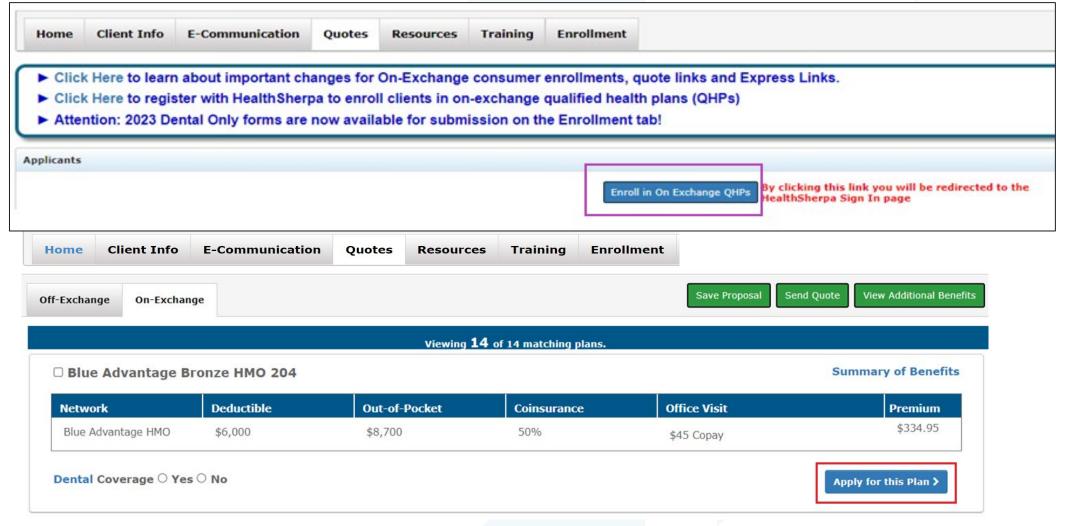
Off Exchange enrollment can still be done via the Enrollment Tab on RPP. Nothing is changing with electronic Off Exchange application submissions. **This is the preferred method for all Off Exchange applications.**

Dental Only Applications can be submitted via the Enrollment Tab as well.



On Exchange Enrollments

The Agent can access the White Label Solution from the Quotes Tab on RPP from the Enroll in On Exchange QHPs button, or by selecting the Apply for this Plan button after generating an RPP quote. Both options redirect to the White Label Solution Agent sign in page. Completing an application averages about 9 minutes.



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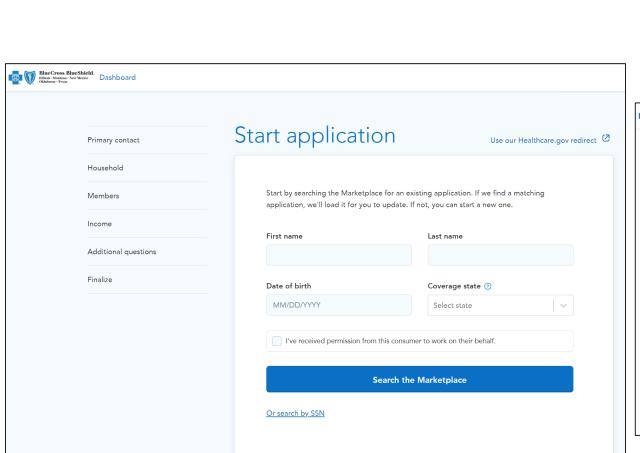
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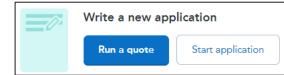
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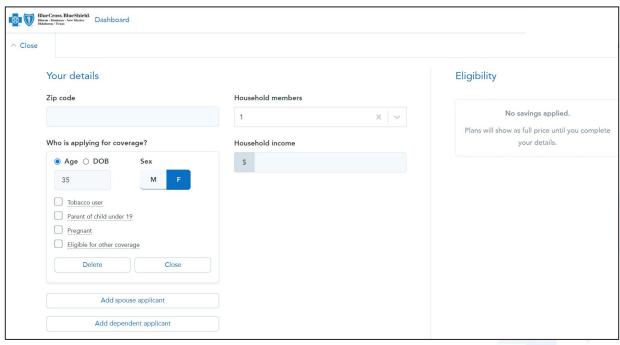
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Agents can either Run a Quote then apply, or Start application then quote. Either way works.







Start application

Search Marketplace

Quote

Resources for Assistance

Getting Started Guide – HealthSherpa https://fag.healthsherpa.com/en/articles/2858414getting-started-agent-resource-guide

Topics with the Getting Started Guide

- Navigating Your Dashboard
- Enhanced Direct Enrollment (EDE)
- FFM Account Integration
- Shopping & Enrollment Tools
- Easy Renewal Process
- And many more

HealthSherpa Broker Tech Support

Phone 888-684-1373 Available weekdays 10am-6pm CST

Email agent support@healthsherpa.com

Chat from the Agent Dashboard 🕝



RPP



Retail Producer Portal Training Materials

- SEP Document Guide
- SEP Validation Process Training for Non-Marketplace Policies
- New Enroll Member Button Features (Effective June 04, 2021)
- Retail Readiness (Products & Marketing)

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