

(2) The information in paragraph (1) of this subsection shall be available on the websites of the Department of Aging and the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene.

(3) The Department of Aging and the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene shall disseminate through their websites, public service announcements, and direct communications with providers, information about the toll-free telephone number for reporting Medicare Part D problems, including problems obtaining needed medications due to formulary and preauthorization restrictions.

(4) A local area agency on aging or its designee that receives funding under the Program shall conduct a community outreach and education campaign that includes the use of local media outlets to disseminate information about Medicare Part D.

~~(g) (f) The Department of Aging and the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene shall collaborate in the collection of statewide data on:~~

~~(1) (1) The Department of Health and Mental Hygiene shall collect statewide data on health problems, including emergency room visits and hospitalizations resulting from lapses or changes in medications;~~

~~(2) The Department of Aging and the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene shall collaborate in the collection of statewide data on:~~

~~(i) the resolution of issues related to the implementation of Medicare Part D; and~~

~~(3) (ii) problems obtaining needed medications due to formulary and preauthorization restrictions.~~

~~(h) (g) (1) The Department of Aging shall submit a request. The Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, in coordination with the Department of Aging, shall apply to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services for reimbursement of allowable expenditures under the Program.~~

(2) Any federal reimbursement received by the State under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall revert to the ~~Revenue Stabilization Fund established under § 7-311 of the State Finance and Procurement Article~~ General Fund.

~~(i) (h) The Department of Aging and the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene shall issue an interim report on or before ~~June 30, 2006~~ September 1, 2006, and a final report on or before ~~September 30, 2006~~ June 30, 2007, to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on:~~

(1) the data collected under subsection ~~(g) (f)~~ of this section; and

(2) the federal reimbursement requested under subsection ~~(h) (g)~~ of this section.