



## TEACHERS' RETIREMENT BOARD

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Dear Connecticut Teacher retiree,

We have important news about your health care and prescription drug coverage.

The Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Board (TRB) is pleased to announce that effective January 1, 2026, The Hartford will administer our Group Medicare supplemental plan for your health care, and Aetna Medicare Rx<sup>®</sup> offered by SilverScript<sup>®</sup> will administer your Group Prescription Drug plan. You will be automatically enrolled in the new plan for medical coverage and for prescription drug coverage.

**If you want to opt out of this coverage or make a change, you will need to do so during open enrollment between October 6 and November 21, 2025.**

These plans have been designed exclusively for TRB retirees. They are unique and should not be confused with Medicare plans that might be available in your area. You will continue to have two choices: Aetna Medicare Advantage PPO ESA plan paired with Aetna Medicare Rx offered by SilverScript or The Hartford Group Retiree Health plan paired with Aetna Medicare Rx offered by SilverScript. Both plans provide the same prescription drug coverage.

### **Introducing The Hartford Group Retiree Health Supplement With Aetna Medicare Rx Offered by SilverScript Group Prescription Drug Plan**

**The Hartford Group Retiree Health plan** is a medical insurance plan that helps pay for some or all of the costs Original Medicare (Parts A and B) doesn't cover. It's available to you only through TRB.

Some highlights of The Hartford Group Retiree Health plan include:

- No networks. Keep the doctors you have today! You can choose any doctor or hospital, as long as they accept Medicare patients.
- Hearing and vision is still included in this plan for all TRB retirees.
- Silver&Fit<sup>®</sup> Healthy Aging and Exercise program

You will continue to pay your cost for Medicare Part B, and you'll pay a monthly premium for your TRB coverage. The amount shown below is the cost for your TRB coverage and does not include the costs for Medicare.

	<b>Aetna Medicare Advantage PPO ESA Plan and Aetna Medicare Rx Offered by SilverScript</b>	<b>The Hartford Group Retiree Health Plan and Aetna Medicare Rx Offered by SilverScript</b>
Medical and prescription drug	\$101.00	\$259.00
Dental	\$56.00	\$56.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$157.00</b>	<b>\$315.00</b>

### How This Change Affects You

You do not need to take any action. You will automatically be enrolled in The Hartford Group Retiree Health plan with Aetna Medicare Rx offered by SilverScript Group Prescription Drug plan for coverage beginning January 1, 2026. You will have the opportunity to request a change to, or opt out of, coverage during open enrollment (October 6 – November 21, 2025). Materials pertaining to open enrollment will be mailed to all active participants.

### Important Information

You must be entitled to Medicare Part A and enrolled in Medicare Part B. You must continue paying your Medicare Part B premium to be eligible for coverage under The Hartford Group Retiree Health plan.

### Here's What You Can Expect

You will receive more information from the TRB, The Hartford, and Aetna in the coming months.

When will more information be available?	What will I receive?
Early October*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• TRB Open Enrollment Guide mailed to you. This will include a meeting schedule, the form for making changes to your plan election, and additional plan details.</li></ul>
Mid-October*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Aetna Plan Guides posted online at <b>CTTRB.aetnamedicare.com</b></li></ul>
Mid-December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Hartford medical ID cards mailed to you</li><li>• Aetna SilverScript member ID card for your pharmacy coverage mailed to you</li></ul>

\*Copies of all materials above will be made available at **portal.ct.gov/TRB**.

### Questions?

If you still have questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Contact	To	How
The Hartford	Learn about plan benefits	Toll Free 1-925-524-6722 8:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m. ET Monday–Friday
Aetna	Look up prescription drugs	<b>CTTRB.aetnamedicare.com</b> 1-866-495-0761 (TTY: 711) 8:00 a.m.–9:00 p.m. ET Monday–Friday
Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Board	Ask about eligibility To enroll or opt out of coverage Update personal information	<b>portal.ct.gov/TRB</b> 1-800-504-1102 8:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m. ET Monday–Friday

Sincerely,

Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Board