

## NEW NATIONAL OPIOID SETTLEMENT NOTICE – Teva, Allergan, CVS, Walgreens, and Walmart - RefNum CL-393164

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## NOTICE OF NEW NATIONAL OPIOID SETTLEMENTS AND UPCOMING ACTION NEEDED TO PARTICIPATE

New national opioid settlements have been reached with **Teva, Allergan, CVS, Walgreens**, and **Walmart**. This is the formal notice required by the settlements and authorized by the parties.

Please read this email and the attached document carefully.

You are receiving this notice because your state has elected to participate in one or more of the five national opioid settlements with **Teva**, **Allergan**, **CVS**, **Walgreens**, and **Walmart**. The list of participating states for each settlement can be found at <a href="https://nationalopioidsettlement.com">https://nationalopioidsettlement.com</a>. Your subdivision or special district may participate in each settlement for which your state has elected to participate.

Your subdivision or special district might have participated in the national opioid settlements with Johnson & Johnson/Janssen or the three Distributors (Cardinal, AmerisourceBergen, and McKesson). This notice concerns the opportunity to participate in one or more of the <u>new</u> settlements with <u>new</u> Settling Defendants (**Teva, Allergan, CVS, Walgreens**, and **Walmart**). Your subdivision or special district may participate in a new settlement even if it did not participate in a prior national settlement.

In the next few weeks, you will receive additional information and documentation to sign and return if you wish to join the new settlements. Please review the list of individuals on this email and contact the Implementation Administrator at opioidsparticipation@rubris.com if someone else at your subdivision or special district should receive communications about these settlements.

Your subdivision or special district must "opt in" to participate in the new settlements. To do so, you must sign and return the documentation that you will be receiving in the next few weeks.

**The deadline to return the required documentation is** <u>April 18, 2023</u>. Documentation submitted for prior national settlements is <u>not</u> applicable to the new settlements.

The attached document provides additional information concerning the new national opioid settlements involving **Teva**, **Allergan**, **CVS**, **Walgreens**, and **Walmart**.

Questions about this notice or the process for receiving and submitting the required Settlement Participation Forms may be directed to your attorney, the Implementation Administrator at opioidsparticipation@rubris.com, or your Attorney General's Office.

## If your subdivision or special district is represented by an attorney with respect to opioid claims and they are not copied on this message, please immediately contact them concerning this notice.

Thank you,

National Opioid Settlements Implementation Administrator National Teva, Allergan, Walgreens, Walmart, and CVS Settlements

The Implementation Administrator is retained to provide the settlement notice required by the respective settlement agreements referenced above and to manage the collection of settlement participation forms for each settlement.

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