

Express Scripts Canada (ESC), a registered business name of ESI Canada, an Ontario partnership indirectly controlled by Express Scripts, Inc., is one of Canada's leading providers of health benefits management services.

From its corporate headquarters in Mississauga, Ontario, just outside Toronto, the company provides a full range of integrated pharmacy benefit management (PBM) services to insurers, third-party administrators, plan sponsors and the public sector, including health-claims adjudication and processing services, Home Delivery pharmacy services, benefit-design consultation, drug-utilization review, formulary management, and medical and drug-data analysis services, to better facilitate the best possible health outcomes at the lowest possible cost.

Since its inception in 1996, Express Scripts Canada has aligned its interests with those of plan sponsors and their members. This legacy of independence means that the company's programs and original research is focused on the development of health benefits to serve the current and emerging needs of clients. Flexible and comprehensive, Express Scripts Canada's claims-adjudication system allows providers to adjudicate dental, health care, and pharmacy claims for traditional and flexible benefits plans, including those with health-care spending accounts. This system is designed to meet the claims-adjudication needs of insurers and third-party administrators.

In November 2011, Express Scripts Canada introduced a new business model that offers health-benefits plan sponsors a better way to manage their maintenance prescription drug benefit through its expanded pharmacy benefit management (PBM) service, which includes home delivery from the Express Scripts Canada Pharmacy. This service does not require a plan sponsor to change insurance carriers, and is designed to be complementary to services currently provided by insurance carriers.

Express Scripts Canada's PBM service facilitates the dispensing of prescription drugs to treat chronic medical conditions, such as diabetes, high cholesterol and high blood pressure, from an Express Scripts Canada Pharmacy. The prescription is subsequently delivered free of charge, via standard shipping, to plan member's homes, or an address that they designate. Patients who have been stabilized on maintenance medications will have the capability of ordering a supply of up to 90 days of their medications at a time, thereby reducing the cost to dispense the medication.

Express Scripts Canada is committed to developing products and solutions that make it easier to enjoy the best possible health outcomes at the lowest possible cost. Express Scripts, Inc., Express Scripts Canada's parent company, continues to expand its services, and today, there are more than 13,000 employees focused on our mission to make the use of prescription drugs safer and more affordable.

Express Scripts Canada's Code of Conduct guides the actions of employees as Express Scripts Canada strives to achieve its mission to provide the best possible health outcomes at the lowest possible cost.

For more information about Express Scripts Canada, visit the company's Web site at www.express-scripts.ca.