

NEVADA HEALTH AUTHORITY Division of Consumer Health Services Battle Born State Plan NVHA.NV.GOV

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Battle Born State Plan (BBSP) Incentive Grant Program Broker FAQ – Plan Year 2026

General Program Information

What is the BBSP Incentive Grant Program?

The Incentive Grant Program is designed to compensate agents/brokers for time, effort, and resources expended to enroll individuals in BBSPs.

The Grant is intended to provide a flat \$35 payment per effectuated BBSP [per individual agent/broker] enrollment assisted by a licensed Nevada broker during Plan Year 2026.

What counts as an "effectuated" enrollment?

An enrollment is considered effectuated when the consumer:

- 1. Receives an eligibility determination from Nevada Health Link,
- 2. Selects a BBSP plan, and
- 3. Pays the initial premium to the insurance carrier to activate coverage.

Is payment per policy or per person?

Payments are made per individual, not per household.

Example: 5 enrolled individuals = \$175 total

Does the payment vary based on premium, age, or location?

No. The Grant is a flat payment regardless of:

- Premium amount
- Region
- Household factors

What data source determines eligibility for payment?

All payments rely on Nevada Health Link data and reporting; the same source used for carrier commission validation.

Special Situations

Are Special Enrollment Period (SEP) enrollments eligible?

Yes. Nevada Health Authority (NVHA) intends to pay the \$35 Grant for all SEP effectuations during Plan Year 2026.

Will prior enrollments be paid?

Yes. NVHA intends to pay for previously effectuated enrollments that occurred earlier in open enrollment, as long as they were broker-assisted.

Will plan changes during open enrollment result in multiple payments?

No. Multiple payments will not be issued for consumers who:

- Effectuate January 1, 2026, coverage,
- Terminates that coverage, then
- Re-enrolls any time during open enrollment

Payment Timing

When will the first payments be issued?

The first batch (for January 2026 effectuations) is expected March/April 2026.

How often will payments run?

NVHA anticipates additional payment runs for:

- February 2026 effectuated open enrollments
- Ongoing payments for SEP effectuated enrollments

Exact dates will be announced as the program develops.

How will I be paid?

Payments will come from the Nevada State Controller, not Nevada Health Authority.

Broker Eligibility Requirements

Do I need to complete any training?

Yes. To be eligible for Incentive Grant payments, brokers must complete:

- Training: PY26 Training -BBSP Incentive Grant Program
- Deadline: December 14
- Delivery: Training links were emailed on December 2 from NVHA Training Team <trainer@learn.trakstar.com>.
- Anticipated time to complete: 15 minutes

This training is an addendum to the Exchange broker certification and failure to complete could result in a compliance issue.

Do I need to register with the State of Nevada to receive payments?

Yes. Each individual broker must register as a vendor with the Nevada State Controller's Office.

Agencies cannot register on behalf of brokers.

Where do I register?

Use the Electronic Vendor Registration Online PowerForm:

https://www.controller.nv.gov/vendor-services/electronic-vendor-registration/

Vendor registration support:

https://www.controller.nv.gov/vendor-services/electronic-vendor-registration/

What information do I need to register as a vendor?

- Legal business or individual name
- Mailing address
- Email address
- Phone number
- Organization type
- Tax ID (EIN or SSN)

What banking information is required?

Per NRS 227, all payees must use electronic funds transfer (EFT). You must upload **one** of the following (PDF):

- A voided imprinted check, OR
- A signed bank letter (on bank or company letterhead) including:
 - Vendor name
 - o Bank name
 - Account type
 - Routing number
 - Account number

Why must each broker register individually?

For legislative accountability of appropriated funds, Incentive Grant payments must be issued directly to licensed brokers. Nevada Health Authority cannot issue payments to agencies or through agency vendor registrations.

Therefore, each individual agent/broker must have their own Controller vendor registration.

** If you do not register with the Controller, NVHA cannot issue an Incentive Grant payment.

Additional Questions

Why is the payment \$35?

Several reasons:

- NVHA has a limited appropriation and must avoid overcommitment.
- The payment is intended to support the insurance transaction and meet professional liability requirements.

Why only a one-time payment instead of monthly residuals?

A single payment reduces administrative burden for both NVHA and brokers.

What about PY 2027?

NVHA does not have information relating to Plan Year 2027 at this time.

If I don't complete the training, can I still sell BBSPs?

The training module is considered an addendum to the Exchange broker certification. Failure to complete the training may result in a compliance issue which could jeopardize your Exchange broker certification.

Is a recording of the training workshop available?

Yes. A recording will be posted at: https://nevadahealthlink.com/information-for-brokers-and-navigators/.

I already registered my agency as a vendor—does that cover my agents?

No. Each licensed broker must register individually. NVHA is not able to pay agencies on brokers' behalf.

Need Assistance?

For vendor registration help:

Nevada State Controller – Vendor Services

https://www.controller.nv.gov/vendor-services/electronic-vendor-registration/

Controller Docusign: Vendor Signer Information | Docusign

For program questions:

Contact NVHA BBSP support email: BattleBornIns@nvha.nv.gov