

## 2016 Vermont Health Connect (VHC) Filing Timeline

To: House Committee on Health Care  
From: Judith Henkin, Green Mountain Care Board (GMCB)  
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March 2, 2015	Forms filings for Major Medical Plans with Department of Financial Regulation (DFR)
April 3, 2015	Forms filing due for Stand Alone Dental with DFR
April 15, 2015	Form approval from the DFR for both major medical and dental plans
April 15, 2015	Carriers submit rates for all plans <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Major Medical with GMCB</li><li>• Stand Alone Dental with DFR</li></ul>
April 15, 2015	Public comment period begins at GMCB, runs through June 30
June 15, 2015	DFR solvency analysis and GMCB actuarial memorandum posted on rate review website
Week of 6/29 – 7/3	GMCB rate hearings for major medical only
July 14, 2015	Rate decisions issued by GMCB
August 21, 2015	Certification/selection of Qualified Health Plans by DVHA; Communication to carriers
September 18, 2015	Carriers complete plan data validation VHC finalizes 2016 plan data based on carrier review
September 21, 2015	2016 plan information available for browsing on VHC portal
October 1, 2015	2016 open enrollment begins