

**151.61 DEFINITIONS.**

Subdivision 1. **Scope.** For the purposes of sections 151.60 to 151.70, the following terms have the meanings given.

Subd. 2. **Entity.** "Entity" means a pharmacy benefits manager or any person or organization that represents these companies, groups, or organizations.

Subd. 3. **Pharmacy benefits manager or PBM.** "Pharmacy benefits manager" or "PBM" means a person, business, or other entity that performs pharmacy benefits management. The term includes a person or entity acting for a PBM in a contractual or employment relationship in the performance of pharmacy benefits management.

Subd. 4. **Plan sponsor.** "Plan sponsor" means the employer in the case of an employee benefit plan established or maintained by a single employer, a group purchaser as defined in section 62J.03, subdivision 6, or the employee organization in the case of a plan established or maintained by an employee organization, an association, joint board trustees, a committee, or other similar group that establishes or maintains the plan.

**History:** 2012 c 215 s 2