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Cigna Corporation added the following content to its deal website, [www.advancinghealthcare.com](http://www.advancinghealthcare.com). Transcripts for new videos are filed separately.

### Home Page

Combining to Advance Health Care

Together we'll improve affordability, choice and the total health and well-being of the individuals we serve.

### Our Vision

Our new model of health care will approach each customer's health journey as a continuous one — providing improved predictability and affordability and aligning providers and customers to ensure the best outcomes.

### Investor Materials

Our combined capabilities will deliver differentiated financial results through integrated, high-value health solutions, positioning us for immediate and sustained growth.

### News Room

Together, we'll be positioned to return more than \$50 billion of savings to clients and customers in 2021\* and see even bigger gains over time. Now that's news.

\* \$50 billion represents the annual savings opportunity in 2021 for the combined Cigna-Express Scripts membership population, assuming the combined company achieves medical trend, which includes pharmacy, equal to CPI (Consumer Price Index).

### Our Vision Page

Each customer has their own personal health journey

Together, we will create new personalized customer solutions that are integrated to better marry medical, behavioral and specialty insights to improve our customers' total health and well-being.

### High-Value Solutions

We are poised to step into a new model of health care, one that improves affordability, choice and the total health and well-being of the individuals we serve. We will address each individual as a whole person, provide improved predictability and affordability, align providers and customers to ensure the best outcomes, and approach each customer's health journey as a continuous one.

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## Video Library

### Highlights from an interview at the Health Evolution Summit

David Brailer, MD, Chairman of Health Evolution, gleans insights from David Cordani, President & CEO of Cigna, on driving through sustainability, consolidation, and data and exponential change.

### Insights with Fiona Scott Morton

Renowned economist and Yale professor Fiona Scott Morton discusses insurers and pharmacy benefit managers (PBMs) coming together, including the factors that make Cigna and Express Scripts a compelling combination.

### How Express Scripts Practices Pharmacy Smarter

Express Scripts practices pharmacy smarter, elevating patient care through specialized, condition-specific pharmacy teams. This approach to personalized care differentiates our pharmacy, promoting healthier patient outcomes and helping control costs.

### Accredo Helps One Dad Fulfill His Promise

For individuals like Garth battling cancer, Accredo pharmacists and nurses provide specialized care so he can focus on what's most important.

### Payer Reactions to New Drug Pricing

Tim Wentworth, President and CEO of Express Scripts, responds to a drug pricing question at the Health Evolution Summit

## Investor Materials Page

### Combining to deliver long-term innovation and sustained growth

The broad set of capabilities of our combined company will allow us to offer increased price and cost predictability to physicians, clients and customers — enabling increased value capture for shareholders.

### Differentiated Financial Results

We have always had a laser focus on our promise and value orientation to do the right thing by our customers and clients. Sometimes that's not what the market expects, but it's driven our financial success to date. Adhering to this promise, which defines our strategy, allows us to see beyond the confines of what's "expected" in health care — always working toward the best possible health outcomes.

## News Room Page

### In the News

Read and watch the latest news and updates about Cigna and Express Scripts combining.



## FORWARD LOOKING STATEMENTS

Information included or incorporated by reference in this communication, and information which may be contained in other filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) and press releases or other public statements, contains or may contain forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements include, among other things, statements of plans, objectives, expectations (financial or otherwise) or intentions.

Forward-looking statements, including as they relate to Express Scripts (“Express Scripts”) or Cigna (“Cigna”), the management of either such company or the transaction, involve risks and uncertainties. Actual results may differ significantly from those projected or suggested in any forward-looking statements. Express Scripts and Cigna do not undertake any obligation to release publicly any revisions to such forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances occurring after the date hereof or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events. Any number of factors could cause actual results to differ materially from those contemplated by any forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to, the risks associated with the following:

- the inability of Express Scripts and Cigna to obtain stockholder or regulatory approvals required for the merger or the requirement to accept conditions that could reduce the anticipated benefits of the merger as a condition to obtaining regulatory approvals;
- the possibility that the anticipated benefits from the merger cannot be realized in full, or at all or may take longer to realize than expected;
- a longer time than anticipated to consummate the proposed merger;
- problems regarding the successful integration of the businesses of Express Scripts and Cigna;
- unexpected costs regarding the proposed merger;
- diversion of management’s attention from ongoing business operations and opportunities;
- potential litigation associated with the proposed merger;
- the ability to retain key personnel;
- the availability of financing;
- effects on the businesses as a result of uncertainty surrounding the proposed merger; and
- the industry may be subject to future risks that are described in SEC reports filed by Express Scripts and Cigna.

You should carefully consider these and other relevant factors, including those risk factors in this communication and other risks and uncertainties that affect the businesses of Express Scripts and Cigna described in their respective filings with the SEC, when reviewing any forward-looking statement. These factors are noted for investors as permitted under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Investors should understand it is impossible to predict or identify all such factors or risks. As such, you should not consider either foregoing lists, or the risks identified in SEC filings, to be a complete discussion of all potential risks or uncertainties.

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## IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE TRANSACTION AND WHERE TO FIND IT

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