

Real-Time Prescription Benefits

Providers have the ability to view member-specific plan and drug cost information provided across multiple points of care

The cost of health care is a major source of worry for consumers across the nation, especially for those enrolled in high deductible health plans who may pay thousands of dollars out of pocket (OOP) each year.

Consumers must navigate their health and prescription benefit plans to make the most cost-effective choices. As a result, they are demanding greater cost transparency and easier access to the information they need to make these health care decisions.

CVS Health® is committed to helping plan members find the most affordable options to keep them healthy.

We continue to help lower member OOP costs through formulary and plan design strategies. The majority of members — 85 percent — spent less than \$300 on their medications last year.

We also offer real-time prescription benefits to provide greater visibility to member OOP costs and available lower-cost options to help members and their providers make more informed treatment decisions.



By utilizing member-specific benefit information, including formulary, plan design, deductible status, and other accumulators, our solution lets providers and members:

- Know if a drug is covered and the member's OOP cost
- See up to five clinically appropriate lower-cost brand and generic alternatives



Information Provided Across All Member Touchpoints



At the doctor's office

Information is integrated into the e-prescribing workflow, so physicians can take action to help patients save right at the point of prescribing. Market projections estimate we will be connected with nearly 400,000 physicians by the end of 2020.



At the pharmacy

CVS pharmacists use our proprietary search tool, Rx Savings Finder, to quickly identify available opportunities for members to save money on their medications.



Directly to members

Our online tool lets members check what their OOP costs are and find possible lower-cost alternatives to talk about with their doctor.



Calling in to CVS Caremark Customer Care

CVS Caremark Customer Care representatives have access to the same real-time benefit and cost information, and can tell members exactly what they will pay OOP based on their plan design, formulary, and where they are in their deductible.

