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Drug Pricing Program



Federal law established to help safety-net providers stretch scarce resources, reaching more patients and providing more comprehensive services.



This law (340B) requires pharmaceutical manufacturers to sell drugs to safety-net providers at a discount.

- > Title X-funded Health Centers
- > Community Health Centers (FQHC) + FQHC look-alikes.
- > AIDS clinics and drug purchasing programs
- > Black Lung Clinics
- > Hemophilia Treatment Centers



Various provider types are eligible

- > Sexually Transmitted Disease Clinics
- > Tuberculosis Clinics
- > Native Hawaiian Health Center
- > FQHC look-alikes
- > Certain Disproportionate Share Hospitals.
- > Urban Indian Clinics Tribal Centers



Patient eligibility:

- Health center professional is under contract with covered entity.
- Health center has a medical record of patient.
- Patient receives services consistent with the provider's federal grant.



To fulfill the promise of the program, reimbursement for the drugs should be higher than the 340B price.

The 340B program plays a critical role in health centers providing quality health care services to low-income and medically underserved populations.