

Prescription Assistance

Not everyone has the luxury of having prescription coverage through their employer. The following information may be beneficial if you or someone you know is without coverage, on a short-term or long-term basis.

Below are some resources:

1. Informational site: These sites give information about Prescription Assistance Programs and may even provide you with an application. These programs change all of the time in respect to your application and other requirements. The most reliable sites are: www.needymeds.com and www.rxassist.org. Needy Meds will provide you with a drug discount card that saves up to 75% if you are eligible. RxAssist will help you learn about ways to use the pharmaceutical company programs to help reduce medication cost.
2. Prescription Advocate Programs: The prescription advocate will help to guide you through the multiple prescription assistant programs that are out there, and ensure that you are approved for your medications right away. They will also assist in renewing your application, but please note that there is a fee for this service. SCBN Prescription Advocacy (888)331-1002 offers this type of service.
3. The Partnership for Prescription Assistance (1-888-477-2669): is sponsored by the Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturer's Assoc. The PRMA is a lobbying company for the pharmaceutical companies. You can call them or go on their websites. They are key in matching the medications that you take to the programs that offer assistance.
4. Lytle Personal Health Partners (412-921-7000 ext. 235) offers a free discount prescription card through U.S. Pharmacy, and is accepted by most pharmacies throughout the U.S. Card holders may save up to 45% on generic and brand name prescriptions.

When applying for any prescription assistance, review the application concerning eligibility and the length of time for the application to be reviewed and processed. Comparison shop for your prescription. Call around to your local pharmacies to make sure that you are getting the best deal for your medications!

Lytle Personal Health Partners are able to assist with questions or information, and assist with the application process without a fee. Call us at 800-327-7272.

