

Sharing Negotiated Discounts Could Save Some Ohio Patients \$1,000 at the Pharmacy Counter

Negotiations between biopharmaceutical companies and health plans result in significant rebates



Some Ohio patients could save

\$1,000+
annually

For certain commercially insured Ohio patients with high deductibles and coinsurance, access to negotiated discounts at the pharmacy could save them hundreds of dollars annually

Sharing all of the negotiated rebates and discounts with patients may increase premiums **1.4 percent or less***



Name: **Jessica**

Disease Type: **Diabetes**

Plan Type: **High deductible health plan with coinsurance**

Out-of-pocket Costs:
\$4,500 Annually

Amount Saved if Middlemen Shared the Savings:

\$1,900 Annually



Name: **Andrew**

Disease Type: **Diabetes**

Plan Type: **High deductible health plan with coinsurance**

Out-of-pocket Costs:
\$540 Monthly

Amount Saved if Middlemen Shared the Savings:

\$170 Monthly



Name: **Michael**

Disease Type: **Chronic Respiratory Disease**

Plan Type: **High deductible health plan with coinsurance**

Out-of-pocket Costs:
\$6,000 Annually

Amount Saved if Middlemen Shared the Savings:

\$710 Annually



Ohio patients share the cost, they should share the savings.