

4 Ways to Save Money on Your Prescription Drug Costs

One out every of four adults taking a prescription say it's difficult to afford their medications. Even if you're part of the 75% who aren't pinching pennies to pay for a drug, it's always nice to have a little extra money in your pocket.

Here are a few strategies to help you save on your prescriptions:

1. Consider a Less Expensive Generic

Generic medications are just as effective as brand-name drugs, have the same active ingredients and go through the same rigorous U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) testing, yet often are a fraction of the cost. If you are taking a brand drug, ask your provider if a generic alternative is appropriate.

2. Take Advantage of Convenient 90-Day Refills

Ask your prescriber if your maintenance medication can be filled every 90 days instead of every 30 days. Not only will you make fewer trips to the pharmacy, in many cases, you will save money, too. Typically, 90-day refills can be filled either at your retail pharmacy or by mail order.* Check your plan details on Navitus' member portal or your plan's website.

The 90-Day Refill Advantage





3. Ask About Tablet Splitting to Stretch Your Dollars Further

You can save up to 50% on out-of-pocket costs for select medications by simply splitting them in half. Tablet splitting is breaking a higher-strength drug tablet in half to deliver the same prescribed dose as a full tablet. This means you'll get the exact same drug and dosage, but you save money by paying for fewer tablets.

Not all pills can be split, so talk to your prescriber or pharmacist before you consider cutting your pills.

4. Compare Prices to Save Even More

Did you know that not all pharmacies charge the same price for your prescription? By using our convenient online resources, you can look up prices before you leave for the pharmacy and save money!



Visit the secure member portal at www.navitus.com/members or on your plan's website, or download Navitus' mobile app** to:

- Check prescription prices at local pharmacies
- Estimate your cost in real time
- Perform a search based on your prescription history



*Please refer to your plan description to see if a mail order program is available to you.

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