

# Gov. Abbott: Don't Raise Rx Costs for Small Businesses Veto HB 1919

Prescription drug prices are already too high. Now Governor Abbott is considering a bill that would push them even higher by restricting the tools small businesses rely on to keep prescription drugs affordable for their employees.

We can't afford big government solutions that raise drug prices, tie the hands of Texas small business, and put families and seniors at risk.

## WHAT IMPACT WOULD HB 1919 HAVE ON TEXAS TAXPAYERS AND EMPLOYERS?



Make it harder for employers to provide prescription drug coverage for over **13 million Texans**

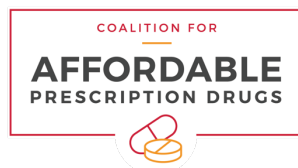


Raise prescription drug spending by **\$350 million** in Texas in the first year alone



Drive prescription drug spending **\$4 billion higher** over the next 10 years

Tell Governor Abbott: Don't jeopardize access to medicines. To deliver affordable prescription drugs, lawmakers need to focus on addressing Big Pharma's high and rising prices.  
Veto HB 1919.



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