PROTECT PHARMACY BENEFITS FOR OHIO BUSINESSES AND CONSUMERS

Ohio's small businesses work hard to provide affordable health care coverage for nearly six million residents. With inflation high, keeping health costs low has never been more important.

Restricting pharmacy benefits will cost Ohio billions of dollars, put patients' health at risk, and undermine the ability of small businesses to offer affordable pharmacy care.

HOW PHARMACY BENEFITS HELP OHIO'S SMALL BUSINESSES AND FAMILIES:



Lower prescription drug costs for every Ohioan by more than \$1,000 each year.



Manage drug spending for employers who provide benefits to **nearly six million Ohioans.**



Deliver nearly **\$40 billion in lower drug costs** for Ohio over 10 years.



Protect patient health by lowering out of pocket costs, ensuring high quality pharmacy care and preventing fraud.

Ohio Lawmakers: Protect pharmacy benefits for Ohioans.



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Sources: Visante for PCMA, <u>Pharmacy Benefit Managers (PBMs): Generating Savings for Plan Sponsors and Consumers</u>; Kaiser Family Foundation, <u>Health Insurance of the Total Population</u>, 2019.