

Real-Time Benefit Check Expands to Commercial and Truli for Health Tool Helps You Find Comparable, Cost-effective Drugs With the Click of a Mouse

In August, we introduced the real-time benefit check (RTBC) tool for providers to use when prescribing medications for their Florida Blue Medicare patients. Now, you can use the same tool to find the most appropriate and cost-effective prescription drugs for your Florida Blue or Truli for Health patients.

Here is What You Need to Know

RTBC is administered through our pharmacy benefit manager, Prime Therapeutics. It is an electronic prescription decision-support tool that connects directly with Prime and works through the e-prescribe function of your electronic medical record system to help you write more informed, patient-centered prescriptions. It is available for providers with the following electronic medical record systems:

- **EPIC®**
- **Cerner®**
- **Meditech®**

The tool is free to use and offers:

- Up-to-date patient-specific formulary and pricing information
- Real-time lower-cost drug alternatives
- Real-time patient cost share
- Notification when a drug requires prior authorization or has utilization management considerations

RTBC Helps You and Your Patients

Once integrated in your electronic medical record system, you can easily view patient-specific benefit information and compare drug prices before sending a prescription to the pharmacy – helping your patients get the medicines they need at the best possible prices. RTBC improves the prescription drug experience by:

- Supporting provider-patient prescription medication conversations
- Helping to significantly lower patients' out-of-pocket expenses by removing cost barriers
- Reducing patient call-backs for prior authorizations
- Decreasing prescription abandonment at the pharmacy

Contact Us Today to Get Started

For more information or to get started with RTBC, contact [Darrin Hall](#), 904-905-5189.

Drug and Alternative Costs	
Patient Pharmacy: Walgreens 222 Main Street	
Selected Drug	Patient Cost
Crestor 10 mg 30 tablets	\$30.00
Alternative Drug #1	
Simvastatin 20 mg 30 tablets	\$0.00
Alternative Drug #2	
Atorvastatin 10 mg	\$10.00

In this screenshot of RTBC, the provider selected Crestor 10 mg. RTBC lists three lower-cost, clinically appropriate alternatives.

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