



### Introducing the Sangamo Scripts Program

Sangamon County is pleased to offer you access to the Sangamo Scripts program. This service provides you with preferred pricing for your prescription drug needs. Your discount card is accepted at participating pharmacies nationwide and provides exceptional convenience and savings. This is not an insurance program -- rather, it is a program that offers immediate discounts at participating pharmacies.

### Getting Started is Easy

Fill your prescriptions in three (3) easy steps:

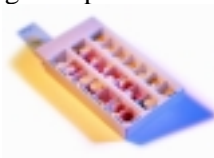
1. Select a pharmacy -- See if your pharmacy participates in the program by asking your pharmacist or contacting your program sponsor.

**Important:** If you fill your prescription at a non-participating pharmacy, you will not be eligible to receive preferred pricing or drug interaction screening for your current medications.

2. Present your discount card to your pharmacist -- Take both your discount card and prescription to the pharmacist to receive full discounts. It is important to be sure to present your card, especially during your first visit to any new pharmacy.

**Important:** If you do not have your discount card with you when you fill your prescription, you might not receive preferred pricing and/or discounts.

3. Pay for your medication-- Your pharmacist will tell you the preferred price of your medication.



### Tips for Saving Time and Money

- ✓ Ask your doctor about generic drugs. On average, generics cost 50% less and produce the same results as comparable brand-name drugs.
- ✓ Use your card at participating pharmacies and receive immediate discounts.

### Best Price Assurance

The program provides preferred pricing for many of your prescriptions. However, some pharmacies may already be pricing their high-volume prescriptions at the lowest price possible. For these prescriptions, your preferred price may not be less than before, but you will never pay more than the pharmacy's regular retail price possible in that store, on that day, for your medications.

### Frequently Asked Questions

Can I use my card to get discounts on over-the-counter products and non-prescription medications?

With the exception of diabetic supplies (e.g. strips, lancets, meters), most over-the-counter products and non-prescription medications are not covered.

My pharmacist tells me that he/she does not need my discount card. Why not?

Some pharmacies keep your program information on file. To ensure that you receive preferred pricing, always present your card.

What if I lose my discount card or need to order extra cards?

You can request additional cards from your program sponsor.

(Detach and return)

### Program Application

#### Primary Cardholder

First M.I. Last

#### Address

Street, P.O. Box, Apt. #

City State Zip Code

Home Phone Number Work Phone Number

Social Security Number  
(Primary cardholder only)

#### Spouse (if any)

First M.I. Last

#### Children (if any)

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### Protecting Your Health

- ✓ Keep an updated list of your medication (including dosage), drug allergies and emergency contact numbers in your wallet or purse.
- ✓ Review the medications you are taking, including herbal and nutritional supplements, with your doctor or pharmacist on a regular basis.
- ✓ Read the safety instructions included with your medications. Make sure you understand how and when to take your medications.
- ✓ Check the expiration dates of drugs in your medicine cabinet regularly. Do not take expired medications and always dispose of them properly.
- ✓ Only take medication that is prescribed for you.



How to  
use the



Program

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