Hospitals use 340B savings to provide:

- increased access to care
- clinical pharmacy services
- community outreach programs
- free vaccinations
- transportation to follow-up appointments

What is 340B?

The 340B program requires pharmaceutical manufacturers participating in Medicaid to sell outpatient drugs at discounted prices to hospitals and other organizations that care for communities with many low-income and uninsured patients.

Small program, big benefits for patients and no cost to the government

340B is a small program that constitutes less than 2.8 percent of the $457 billion in annual drug purchases made in the U.S., and it does not cost the government or taxpayers money.

Congress should preserve the 340B program to PROTECT PATIENTS’ ACCESS TO CARE

Learn more at: www.aha.org/protect340B

Despite a 25-year track record of increasing access to care for vulnerable patients and communities, some want to scale back or eliminate the 340B program. This would hurt patients while adding to the record profits of pharmaceutical companies.