




Private Employee with High Deductible Insurance Plan Pays for Drug		Private Employers Pay for Drug	
First month payment	<b>\$7,000</b>	First month payment	<b>\$0</b>
	Annual payment		Annual payment
	<b>\$7,050<sup>4</sup></b>		<b>\$77,019</b>

**Drug Retail Price**





**\$7,000**

**BUT the Hospital Buys the Drug at a Discount which Can Range Depending on the Drug**



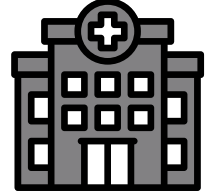
**\$1,750**  
Discounted drug price per month<sup>1</sup>






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Discounted drug price per month<sup>2</sup>

**The Hospital Profit Can Range<sup>5</sup>**

<p>Monthly Profit Per Prescription</p> <p><b>\$4,135</b></p>		<p>Annual Profit Per Prescription</p> <p><b>\$49,620</b></p>		<p>Monthly Profit Per Prescription</p> <p><b>\$5,885</b></p>		<p>Annual Profit Per Prescription</p> <p><b>\$70,620</b></p>
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**The Pharmacy Profits**

<p>Pharmacy Dispensing Fee Per Month<sup>3</sup></p> <p><b>\$1,115</b></p>		<p>Pharmacy Dispensing Fee Per Year</p> <p><b>\$13,380</b></p>
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**SOURCES**

- 1 Medication 340B Price 75%: <https://www.drugchannels.net/2020/07/how-hospitals-and-pbms-profit-and.html>
- 2 Medication 340B Price - Penny Pricing: [www.finance.senate.gov/imo/media/doc/AbbVie%20Responses.pdf](https://www.finance.senate.gov/imo/media/doc/AbbVie%20Responses.pdf)
- 3 Pharmacy Charge: <https://www.drugchannels.net/2024/01/drug-channels-news-roundup-january-2024.html>
- 4 Plan Max OOP cost: <https://www.healthsystemtracker.org/brief/aca-maximum-out-of-pocket-limit-is-growing-faster-than-wages/>
- 5 Hospital Profit = (Employee + Employer payment to the Hospital) - Discounted Acquisition Cost of the Drug to the Hospital - Contract Pharmacy Reimbursement