# KPAP

The Kentucky Prescription Assistance Program is a service that helps qualified people obtain their prescription medications through the medication assistance programs offered by drug companies.

For more information about the Kentucky Prescription Assistance Program (KPAP), call 1-800-633-8100 or visit our website at:

https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dph/dpqi/ hcab/Pages/kpap.aspx









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## WHAT IS KPAP?



The Kentucky Prescription Assistance Program (KPAP), helps the public access prescription drug programs offered by the drug manufacturers, discount drug programs and discount pharmacy programs. These programs offer prescription drugs free or at reduced costs for qualifying individuals and/or their families.

KPAP seeks to assist Kentuckians by accessing free prescription medications.

### Eligibility >>>

Eligibility for the program is based on income guidelines, set by each individual drug manufacturer. Even senior citizens in the Medicare "doughnut hole" may be eligible. Clients whose income or resources make them ineligible for existing drug assistance programs through drug manufacturers will receive consultation about other sources of low-cost prescriptions.

#### Become a KPAP Partner >>>

KPAP Community Organizers are available to meet with you and your agency upon request to discuss becoming a KPAP partner site. Community Organizers collaborate with medical personnel, social service agencies, faith based organizations, governmental agencies, free clinics, etc., within communities to provide information about KPAP and the software used by the program. Once an agency decides to participate, the Community Organizers can assist the agency, if needed, in organizing themselves and developing a volunteer network to staff the program to get started.



The program uses high tech – high touch technology to utilize and coordinate existing assistance programs offered by prescription drug companies, reducing paperwork and streamlining the process. The prescriber is asked to sign the completed form(s) at no charge.



### How Do We Help >>>

The cost of medication can be a heavy financial burden even with insurance benefits. A number of the major pharmaceutical companies provide some type of patient assistance programs to assist with the cost of medication. We work with the major drug companies, to significantly lower the cost of most expensive prescription medications. Many patients can save hundreds each month.