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## No Surprise Billing-Good Faith Estimates

Patients have the right to receive a "Good Faith Estimate" for the total expected cost of any non-emergency medical services or item. This includes related costs like medical tests, prescription drugs, equipment, and hospital fees.

Healthcare providers are required to offer self-pay patients and patients who elect not to use insurance, this estimate of the bill for scheduled medical items and services, explaining how much your medical care will cost.

Your healthcare provider should provide you the "Good Faith Estimate" verbally, as well as in writing, at least one business day before your medical service or item. You can also ask your healthcare provider, and any other provider you choose, for a "Good Faith Estimate" before you schedule a medical service.

If you receive a bill that is at least \$400 more than your Good Faith Estimate you can dispute the bill.

Visit www.cms.gov/nosurprises/consumers or call 800-633-4227 for questions or additional information.