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DISCOUNT PRESCRIPTION CARD BENEFITS AVAILABLE

Families seeking a reduction in the amount of money they are spending on prescription medication may want to take advantage of the Prescription Discount Card Program by Collier County Housing and Human Services Department and Coast2Coast RX.

In December, the Collier County Board of County Commissioners approved the distribution of a free prescription discount card that on average saves families up to 38 percent. The good news is there is no catch. In fact you do not even have to have a card in hand to receive the discounts. If you ask your pharmacist for the Collier County Prescription Card Discount, they can run it through for you to see how much you will save.

If people want a card they can carry with them, they may pick them up at pharmacies or at Housing and Human Services located at 3301 Tamiami Trail in Building H, second floor.

Collier County pharmacies participating in the program are CVS, Wal-Mart, Walgreens, Publix Pharmacies, Kmart, Target, Sunshine Pharmacy, Winn-Dixie, Sweetbay and Sam's Club. The discount card is accepted at these pharmacies nationwide.

The Collier County Prescription Discount Card Program does not replace insurance, but provides discounts for drugs not covered by insurance.

You may also download a Prescription Discount Card by visiting the following web address:
http://www.coast2coastrx.com/print_free_card_2.html.

For information about this program, call (239) 252-CARE (2273).