

# Impact of Health Centers' 340B Savings

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The 340B Drug Pricing Program (340B) enables health centers to offer prescription medications at significantly reduced costs for their patients, many of whom may lack insurance coverage and/or suffer from complex chronic conditions and would otherwise go without these crucial medications. The savings from 340B generate increased revenue for participating health centers, allowing them to expand patient services and programs. To better understand how these funds are used, NACHC recently surveyed health centers.

## 340B Savings Have Enabled Health Centers to:

Provide nearly 420,000 affordable medications to 30,000 uninsured patients to expand primary care, behavioral health, dental and supportive services to serve 11,250 new patients. The savings have also funded the optimization of a new EMR (EPIC), purchasing system software, and the expansion of telehealth activities.

- Kintegra Health, NC



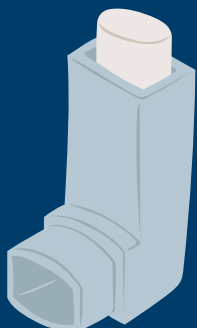
Provide financial support for HIV services and Family Practice, Internal Medicine, and Women's Care, and improves quality of health care services and access to care.

-Keystone Health, PA



Offer free blood pressure medications, diabetic medications and multivitamins to all patients, provide free 340B drug delivery to rural sites, and dispensed more than \$38,000 in free medication to homeless patients.

-Eau Claire Cooperative Health Center, SC



Support our most rural clinics and clinical pharmacy program, in which pharmacists work in the clinics as members of interdisciplinary care teams to optimize medication regimens, promote adherence, generate medication alternatives and provide group and individual patient education.

- North Country HealthCare, AZ

The savings allowed us to supply large quantities of inhalers, which would otherwise be very expensive for respirator patients and thus unaffordable.

- Great Salt Plains Health Center, OK

