



You have the right to receive a “Good Faith Estimate” explaining how much your medical care will cost

Under the law, health care providers need to **give patients who don’t have insurance or who are not using insurance** an estimate of the bill for medical items and services.

- You have the right to receive a [Good Faith Estimate](#) for the total expected cost of any non-emergency items or services. This includes related costs like medical tests, prescription drugs, equipment, and hospital fees.
- Make sure your health care provider gives you a [Good Faith Estimate](#) in writing at least 1 business day before your medical service or item. You can also ask your health care provider, and any other provider you choose, for a [Good Faith Estimate](#) before you schedule an item or service.
- If you receive a bill that is at least \$400 more than your [Good Faith Estimate](#), you can dispute the bill.
- Make sure to save a copy or picture of your [Good Faith Estimate](#).

For questions or more information about your right to a [Good Faith Estimate](#), visit www.cms.gov/nosurprises or www.michigan.gov/mdhhs to find contact information for your local Michigan Department HHS office.

