

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND SURPRISE BILLING PROTECTIONS

As part of our mission, Pasadena Hospital Association, Ltd., dba Huntington Hospital and The Huntington Medical Foundation dba Huntington Health Physicians (the “Organization”) are committed to providing access to quality healthcare for the community and treating all of our patients with dignity, compassion and respect. This includes providing services without charge, or at significantly discounted prices, to eligible patients who cannot afford to pay for care as provided by our financial assistance policy (the “Policy”). We also offer our patients a variety of options to meet their financial needs, even if they do not qualify for assistance. This document is our plain language summary (the “Summary”) of the Policy.

Help paying your bill

Financial assistance will be made available to patients receiving medically necessary procedures and whose income and monetary assets (together “income”) are at or below 400% of the current year’s federal poverty level (FPL). Patients whose income ranges between 401%–600% of the FPL also qualify for discounted care. Discounts available to patients will be on a sliding scale based on family size, income level and insurance status. Financial assistance for elective or non-medically necessary procedures or for care following discharge is limited to patients who live in the Organization’s service area and have prior approval by the vice president, Finance and Chief Revenue Cycle Officer or their designee. If a patient does not qualify for entirely free services but is eligible for a discount under the Policy, the patient will not be charged more than amounts generally billed by the Organization for emergency or other medically necessary care.

Physicians and services

The Policy only applies to services provided by the Organization and only includes physician services if provided by Huntington Aligned Medical Group (“HAMG”) and Huntington Foundation Medical Group (“HFMG”). It excludes the Organization’s Randall Breast Center locations, Huntington Ambulatory Surgery Center, LLC and Huntington Outpatient Imaging Centers, LLC.

How to apply

Patients seeking free or discounted care under the Policy will need to complete a financial assistance application (the “Application”) and submit any required documentation. The Application and documentation will go through a review process by the Organization.

Free copies of this Summary, the Policy or the Application are available in English, Armenian, Chinese, Farsi, Vietnamese, Arabic, Czech, Russian, Korean and Spanish. To request copies or to get additional information, including questions on the financial assistance process, you may:

- Ask representatives at the registration or admissions desks.
- Call Patient Services at 323-866-8600.
- Visit the Organization’s website at huntingtonhealth.org/patients/pay-your-bill/help-paying-your-bill/

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If you have a disability and need an accessible alternative format for the above materials or if you speak another language than those listed, please contact Patient Services and they can offer you an alternative format or connect you with our Interpreter Services department for further assistance.

Arrangements for self-pay

Patients who do not qualify for free or discounted care under the Policy may find other programs of the Organization helpful. Patients who lack insurance may receive a substantial discount, similar to the discounts we provide to managed-care insurance plans for eligible services.

Regulatory notice for collections

We do refer some delinquent accounts to third-party collection agencies. These agencies must follow all California and federal laws as well as comply with the Organization's policies and procedures. For more information about debt collection activities, you may contact the Federal Trade Commission by phone at 877-FTC-HELP (877-382-4357). In the event your account is referred to a collection agency and you experience problems, contact our Patient Services for support at 323-866-8600.

Protections for surprise medical bills

All patients are afforded protections against surprise medical bills. Please see the "Notice to Patients—Your Rights and Protections Against Surprise Medical Bills" on our website huntingtonhealth.org/patients/cost-of-care/no-surprises-act-nsa-surprise-medical-bills-no-surprise-billing-policies or ask for a copy.

Hospital Bill Complaint Program

If you believe you were wrongly denied financial assistance, you may file a complaint with the State of California's Hospital Bill Complaint Program. Go to HospitalBillComplaintProgram.hcai.ca.gov for more information and to file a complaint.

More help

Help paying your bill—There are free consumer advocacy organizations that will help you understand the billing and payment process. You may call the Health Consumer Alliance at 888-804-3536 or go to healthconsumer.org for more information.

Additional resources and information:

- Patients may be eligible for government assistance programs, such as Medi-Cal or subsidized coverage through Covered California. The Patient Financial Advocate ("PFA") office has onsite staff to answer patient questions and provide assistance with applying for these programs. The PFA office can be contacted at 310-423-5071.
- For questions regarding commercial health insurance, call 1-800-CEDARS-1 (1-800-233-2771).
- For information on the Organization's pricing and tool for shoppable services, visit huntingtonhealth.org/patients/cost-of-care

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English: ATTENTION: If you need help in your language, call 323-866-8600 or visit the PFA office, 8 a.m.–4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, at 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048. Aids and services for people with disabilities, like documents in large print or audio are also available. These services are free.

Spanish: ATENCIÓN: Si necesita ayuda en su idioma, llame al 323-866-8600 o visite la oficina de PFA, de 08:00 a. m. a 04:30 p. m., de lunes a viernes, en 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048. También hay ayuda y servicios disponibles para personas con discapacidades, como documentos con letra grande o en audio. Estos servicios son gratuitos.

Chinese-Simplified: 注意: 如果您需要以您的语言获得帮助, 请致电 323-866-8600 或造访 PFA 办公室, 服务时间为周一至周五上午 8:00 至下午 4:30, 地址为 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048。我们还为残障人士提供援助和服务, 例如大字体文件或音频。这些服务均为免费。

Vietnamese: CHÚ Ý: Nếu quý vị cần trợ giúp bằng ngôn ngữ của mình, vui lòng gọi 323-866-8600 hoặc đến tại văn phòng PFA, 8 sáng – 4:30 chiều, Thứ Hai đến Thứ Sáu, tại địa chỉ 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048. Các trợ cụ và dịch vụ dành cho người khuyết tật, chẳng hạn như tài liệu ở dạng chữ in khổ lớn hoặc tệp âm thanh cũng có sẵn. Các dịch vụ này được miễn phí.

Tagalog: PAUNAWA: Kung kailangan mo ng tulong sa iyong wika, tumawag sa 323-866-8600 o bisitahin ang tanggapan ng PFA, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Lunes hanggang Biyernes, sa 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048. Available din ang mga tulong at serbisyo para sa mga taong may kapansanan, tulad ng mga dokumentong nakasulat sa malalaking titik o naka-audio. Ang mga serbisyonang ito ay walang bayad.

Korean: 참고 사항: 귀하의 언어로 도움이 필요하시면 월요일부터 금요일 오전 8시~오후 4시 30분에 전화 323-866-8600번으로 연락하시거나 PFA 사무실을 방문해 주십시오. 주소는 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048입니다. 큰 활자 또는 오디오 문서 등 장애인을 위한 지원 및 서비스도 제공됩니다. 해당 서비스는 무료입니다.

Armenian: ՈՒՇԱԴՐՈՒԹՅՈՒՆ՝ Եթե օգնության կարիք ունեք ձեր լեզվով, զանգահարեք 323-866-8600 հեռախոսահամարով կամ այցելեք PFA-ի գրասենյակը, 8:00-ից-16:30, Երկուշաբթիից ուրբաթ, այս հասցեով՝ 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048: Հաշմանդամների համար տրամադրելի են կառն օգնություններ և ծառայություններ, օրինակ՝ խոշոր տպատառերով փաստաթղթեր կամ ձայնագրված կյուրթեր: Այս ծառայություններն անվճար են:

Farsi: توجه: اگر نیاز به کمک به زبان خود دارید، با 323-866-8600 تماس بگیرید یا در روزهای دوشنبه تا جمعه از ساعت 8 صبح تا 4:30 عصر به دفتر PFA به نشانی 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048 مراجعه کنید. کمک‌ها و خدماتی، مانند اسناد با چاپ درشت یا در قالب صوتی، نیز برای افراد دارای معلولیت در دسترس است. این خدمات رایگان هستند.

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Russian: ВНИМАНИЕ: если вам нужна помощь на русском языке, позвоните по номеру 323-866-8600 или посетите отдел помощи пациентам по финансовым вопросам (PFA) по адресу 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048. График работы отдела: с понедельника по пятницу с 08:00 до 16:30. Лицам с ограниченными возможностями бесплатно предоставляются вспомогательные средства и услуги, например документы, напечатанные крупным шрифтом, или в аудиоформате.

Japanese: 注意事項: 言語サポートが必要な場合は、323-866-8600までお電話いただくか、PFA事務所 (8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048) までお越しください。月曜日から金曜日の午前 8 時から午後 4 時 30 分までです。大きな活字の文書や音声など、障害のある人向けの支援やサービスもご利用いただけます。これらのサービスは無料です。

Arabic: تنبيه: إذا كنت بحاجة إلى مساعدة بلغتك، يرجى الاتصال بالرقم 323-866-8600 أو تفضل بزيارة مكتب المحامي المالي للمرضى (PFA)، من الساعة 8 صباحًا حتى 4:30 مساءً، من الاثنين إلى الجمعة، في العنوان التالي: 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048. تتوفر أيضًا مساعدات وخدمات لذوي الإعاقة، مثل المستندات المطبوعة بحروف كبيرة أو الملفات الصوتية. هذه الخدمات مجانية.

Punjabi: ਧਿਆਨ ਦਿਓ: ਜੇਕਰ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਆਪਣੀ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਹਾਇਤਾ ਦੀ ਲੋੜ ਹੈ, ਤਾਂ 323-866-8600 'ਤੇ ਕਾਲ ਕਰੋ ਜਾਂ 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048 ਵਿਖੇ PFA ਦਫ਼ਤਰ ਵਿੱਚ, ਸਵੇਰੇ 8 ਵਜੇ ਤੋਂ ਸ਼ਾਮ 4:30 ਵਜੇ, ਸੋਮਵਾਰ ਤੋਂ ਸ਼ੁੱਕਰਵਾਰ ਜਾਓ। ਅਪਾਰਜ ਲੋਕਾਂ ਲਈ ਸਹਾਇਤਾ ਅਤੇ ਸੇਵਾਵਾਂ, ਜਿਵੇਂ ਕਿ ਵੱਡੇ ਪ੍ਰਿੰਟ ਵਿੱਚ ਦਸਤਾਵੇਜ਼ ਜਾਂ ਆਡੀਓ ਵੀ ਉਪਲਬਧ ਹਨ। ਇਹ ਸੇਵਾਵਾਂ ਮੁਫ਼ਤ ਹਨ।

Mon-Khmer Cambodian: យកចិត្តទុកដាក់៖ ប្រសិនបើអ្នកត្រូវការជំនួយជាភាសាសំឡេងសម្រាប់អ្នក សូមហៅទូរសព្ទទៅលេខ 323-866-8600 ឬទៅការិយាល័យទីប្រឹក្សាអ្នកជំងឺ និងគ្រួសារ។ (PFA) ចាប់ពីម៉ោង 8 ព្រឹកដល់ម៉ោង 4:30 នាទីរសៀល ពីថ្ងៃចន្ទដល់ថ្ងៃសុក្រនៅ 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048។ ក៏មាន ជំនួយ និងសេវាកម្មសម្រាប់អ្នកដែលមានពិការភាព ដូចជាឯកសារដែលបោះពុម្ពជាអក្សរធំ ឬអូឌីយ៉ូផងដែរ។ សេវាកម្ម ទាំងនេះគឺឥតគិតថ្លៃ។

Hmong: DAIM NTAWV CEEB TOOM: Yog tias koj xav tau kev pab ua koj hom lus, hu rau 323-866-8600 los sis mus ntsib lub chaw hauj lwm PFA tau, thaum 8 teev sawv ntxov-4:30 teev tsaus ntuj, hnuv Monday txog hnuv Friday, ntawm 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048. Dhau ntawv lawm kuj tseem muaj kev pab cuam thiab cov cuab yeej pab rau cov neeg uas muaj kev xiam oob qhab, xws li cov ntawv luam ua tus ntawv loj los sis muaj kaw ua suab lus thiab. Cov kev pab cuam no yog pab dawb.

Hindi: ध्यान दें: यदि आपको अपनी भाषा में सहायता चाहिए, तो 323-866-8600 पर कॉल करें या PFA कार्यालय, सुबह 8 बजे से शाम 4:30 बजे, सोमवार से शुक्रवार, 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048 पर जाएँ। विकलांग लोगों के लिए सहायता और सेवाएँ, जैसे बड़े प्रिंट में दस्तावेज़ या ऑडियो भी उपलब्ध हैं। ये सेवाएँ मुफ्त हैं।

Thai: ข้อควรทราบ: หากคุณต้องการความช่วยเหลือด้านภาษา โปรดโทร 323-866-8600 หรือไปที่สำนักงาน PFA เวลา 8.00-16.30 น. วันจันทร์ถึงวันศุกร์ที่ 8700 Beverly Blvd., South Tower, Room 1740, Los Angeles, CA 90048 มีบริการช่วยเหลือและบริการสำหรับคนพิการ เช่น บริการเอกสารแบบพิมพ์ขนาดใหญ่หรือบริการเสียงก็มีให้เช่นกัน บริการเหล่านี้ไม่มีค่าใช้จ่าย