

Medication Reconciliation



Medication costs

- **Step One - Assess patient expense as it may impact compliance**
- **Step Two – Recognize medications within the same therapeutic class can vary significantly in cost**
 - Inhalers
 - Therapeutic AC
 - Insulin
 - GDMT
- **Step Three - Conduct **test scripts** or use **patient estimate** features in EMR**
- **Step Four - Discuss costs with patient and assess affordability**
- **Step Five - If cost is prohibitive, collaborate with a pharmacist to identify alternative options**
 - Co-payment cards
 - Patient assistance programs
 - Pharmacy Coupons
 - Good-Rx
 - Direct-to-consumer pharmacies
 - Public assistance programs
 - International online pharmacies
 - Real-time Prescription Benefit tools

