



Building Service 32BJ Benefit Funds

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HEALTH TIPS

Generics Required

When you need medicine, always ask your doctor to prescribe a generic. Your prescription drug plan with Medco requires you to use generics. Your plan does not cover any part of the cost of a brand-name drug if a generic version of that medicine is available. This rule applies to everyone covered by the 32BJ Health Fund. There are no exceptions.

According to the FDA, the U.S. government agency that regulates drugs, "a generic drug is a copy that is the same as a brand-name drug in dosage, safety, strength, how it is taken, quality, performance and intended use."