

## **DO YOU NEED HELP WITH YOUR PRESCRIPTIONS?**

Prescription drugs can be very costly for many families and senior citizens, especially if they have little or no insurance. The Healthcare Consortium's Prescription Access Assistance Program is **free** and available to Columbia, Greene, and Northern Dutchess County residents from infants to seniors to help with the cost of their medications.

There are currently over 400 participating drug companies that offer discounted or free prescriptions to residents who meet certain income eligibility requirements, who are uninsured or underinsured, or who are experiencing high copayments. This program assists residents by finding what type of assistance may be available, locating any discounts or coupons that reduce their out-of-pocket expenses, and guiding them through the sometimes complicated application process.

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