

## 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](http://www.cms.gov/nosurprises) or call **1-800-985-3059**.