

## **Co-Pay Assistance Program**

The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS) launched its Co-Pay Assistance Program in 2007 to assist blood cancer patients with out-of-pocket expenses for medical insurance premiums and treatment-related co-payments, deductibles and co-insurance.

Since inception, provided assistance to over **160,400** blood cancer patients.

## LLS has a steadfast commitment to compliance.

LLS is committed to operating its Co-Pay Assistance Program to the highest standard of compliance, adhering to all applicable federal regulations and guidance issued by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Inspector General (OIG). The LLS Co-Pay Assistance Program operates free from any direct or indirect donor influence or control, and in accordance with LLS's OIG Advisory Opinion #06-13 as well as all OIG Special Advisory Bulletins related to Independent Charity Patient Assistance Programs:

- **LLS commissions annual independent compliance audits** to ensure that its Co-Pay Assistance Program operates within the guidelines established by its OIG Opinion and the OIG Special Advisory Bulletins Related to Independent Charitable Patient Assistance Programs.
- Annually, LLS staff complete compliance training including the Anti-Kickback Statute and the Federal False Claims Act.

## LLS is committed to a best in class experience for patients, providers and pharmacists.

## **Co-Pay Assistance Program Highlights:**



INSTANT

**DECISION:** 

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third-party. Applicants

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and income are

DIAGNOSIS VERIFICATION FORM: Providers immediately attest to a diagnosis improving speed of application approval.



PHARMACY BENEFIT CARD: Allows pharmacy to access co-pay assistance electronically, reducing patient out-of-pocket cost burden while providing timely access

to therapy.



CLAIMS SPECIALISTS: Proactive outreach to educate patients on covered expenses and claims submission process.



"HOW-TO" VIDEOS: Step-by-step guides for patients and their caregivers pertaining to application, covered expenses and claims submission.

Recognized by independent nonprofit evaluators:



The mission of The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS) is to cure leukemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease and myeloma, and improve the quality of life of patients and their families. Find out more at www.LLS.org.