

SAFEGUARDRX<sup>®</sup>

# Inflammatory + Atopic Conditions Care Value<sup>SM</sup> Program



## THE #1 DRIVER OF DRUG SPEND

The physical, mental, and financial costs of inflammatory and atopic continue to dominate – but not in a good way. Given that yet again, inflammatory conditions have risen to the top as the number one driver of drug spend, this is a therapy class your plan can't afford to ignore.

Because of the complexity of the treatments and the costs associated with medications, many patients struggle with adherence. Poor adherence can result in poorer health outcomes, an increase in acute health events, and ultimately, higher costs. We understand the challenges these conditions create for you and your members, and we have a proven value-based solution to improve adherence and drive down plan costs.

## IMPLEMENTING CHANGE

The Inflammatory + Atopic Conditions Care Value program manages specialty drugs for patients with inflammatory and/or atopic conditions at the indication-level. This strategy enables price competition among clinically equivalent medications, and in turn, helps control plan costs while ensuring patients have access to the best treatment for their specific condition. Plan sponsors also realize savings through additional drug discounts and early discontinuation reimbursements.

**In 2021 alone, enrolled plans saved \$264M,<sup>1</sup> and adherence for enrolled members was 6.75% higher than that of their nonenrolled peers.<sup>2</sup>**

**For more information about the Inflammatory + Atopic Conditions Care Value program and how SafeGuardRx makes medicine work harder, visit [SafeGuardRx.com](https://SafeGuardRx.com) or contact your account representative.**

## HERE'S HOW IT WORKS

- + **Management of treatment options** by indication, which increases competition and provides better cost control
- + **Enhanced care** through specialized clinical support from our Inflammatory Conditions Therapeutic Resource Center<sup>SM</sup>
- + **Cost savings** on preferred inflammatory and atopic condition medications via an early discontinuation reimbursement of up to \$2,000 per 30-day prescription for the first three fills. Further savings realized through additional discounts on qualifying atopic condition drugs
- + **Higher adherence** for members taking inflammatory/atopic condition medications when exclusively filled at Accredo<sup>®</sup> specialty pharmacy

The Inflammatory + Atopic Conditions Care Value program is part of the SafeGuardRx portfolio that helps save lives and money by focusing on the most costly and complex conditions. We're excited to bring these solutions to you as Evernorth<sup>SM</sup>, leveraging the specialized clinical model and value-based contracting strategies from Express Scripts PBM.

1. 2021 SafeGuardRx Data  
2. 2022 Evernorth Data

### About SafeGuardRx

SafeGuardRx offers protection from health care's biggest budgetary threats by combining multiple effective cost-containment strategies into a single platform, and enrolled plans experience lower overall trend than nonenrolled plans. Paired with condition-specific patient engagement and support clients see better patient medication adherence, higher therapy completion rates and greater compliance with clinical guidelines.