

# What are allergies REALLY costing you?

## Allergy drops — paid out of pocket — might cost you less than prescriptions and treatment covered by insurance!

The good news is that treating the cause of your allergies using allergy drops is affordable, in addition to being safe, effective, and a convenient way to change the course of allergy! See for yourself.



## MONTHLY COSTS



### MEDICATIONS

What are you spending monthly on nasal sprays, eye drops, inhalers, antihistamines, skin creams, etc.?

Allergy prescriptions = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Over-the-counter allergy products = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### MISSED WORK

How many hours of work do you miss each month due to allergy illness, appointment, or hospitalization time?

\_\_\_\_\_ # hours

x  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ hourly pay rate = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### MEDICAL VISITS

How many allergy-related hospital, clinic and/or ER visits do you have each month (sinusitis, dermatitis, hives, chronic ear infections, asthma issues, allergy shots, etc.)?

\_\_\_\_\_ # visits x \$ \_\_\_\_\_ out of pocket co-pay(s) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**ESTIMATED TOTAL MONTHLY COST: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

### Other allergy costs:

- Travel — gas, flights, hotel, etc.
- Air purifiers
- Bed coverings, pillows, etc.
- Medical co-pay
- Insurance deductible



**Average cost for an inhalant allergy drop prescription:**

About \$40\*/mo.



### SAVE TIME, MONEY & YOUR HEALTH!

Most patients find their need for other prescriptions to manage symptoms decrease once they start allergy drops. And there are generally fewer follow up visit costs, and less time lost from work/school.

Allergy drops typically qualify for Health Savings Account or Flex Spending reimbursement.

**So, what are you waiting for? Talk to us today to learn how to take control of your allergies!**

\*Allergy drop prescriptions for the average patient cost about \$40/month for inhalants, and about \$50/month for foods. Treatment typically lasts 3-5 years.



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