



Half Tablet

Our voluntary Half Tablet program offers a simple way to reduce the cost of a medication without switching drugs or compromising effectiveness.

What is the Half Tablet program?

Our voluntary Half Tablet program makes saving money on your medication easy. By simply splitting a higher-strength tablet in half to reach your prescribed daily dose, you need only half the number of tablets that you currently take.

You may be able to cut your out-of-pocket costs in half either at your local pharmacy or through our home delivery pharmacy. In some cases, depending on the terms of your benefit plan, you could save up to \$360 per year in out-of-pocket drug costs.*

Here's how Half Tablet works

We will contact you if you can benefit from the Half Tablet program. You decide along with your doctor if this program is right for you. If it is, have your doctor give you a new prescription for the medication at a higher strength with instructions to take only half the tablet as prescribed. You then take the new prescription, plus a voucher for a tablet splitter provided by the Half Tablet program, to a participating retail pharmacy or you can mail the prescription and voucher to the home delivery pharmacy.

Here's an example

If you're currently taking a drug with a daily dosage of 10mg (30 tablets for a 30-day supply), your doctor would write a new prescription for 20mg (15 tablets for a 30-day supply) and indicate you should take half a tablet each day. If your copay is normally \$30 for a prescription, you would pay only \$15 for the smaller quantity of tablets.

The following medications are included in the Half Tablet program:

- Carvedilol
- Crestor®
- Diovan HCT®
- Januvia®
- Lexapro®
- Lipitor®
- Lovastatin
- Paroxetine
- Pravastatin
- Sertraline
- Simvastatin
- Venlafaxine

Is the Half Tablet program right for me?

The Half Tablet program is voluntary—you are not required to participate. Only you and your doctor can determine if this program is right for you. If you do participate and then no longer wish to continue, simply ask your doctor for a new prescription for your original strength tablet.

*Personal savings may vary. Please check your benefit booklet for actual savings.

