

Free or Reduced-Cost HIV Medications

Every pathway to affordable HIV meds in one place. Updated August 2026.

IF YOU HAVE NO INSURANCE

Gilead Advancing Access 1-800-226-2056

Biktarvy · Descovy · Genvoya · Odefsey · Stribild · Sunlenca · Descovy for PrEP. Free drug up to 500% FPL (about \$75,000/yr single). gileadadvancingaccess.com

ViiV Connect 1-844-588-3288

Tivicay · Triumeq · Juluca · Dovato · Rukobia · Cabenuva · Apretude. Free drug up to 500% FPL. gskpaf.org/viiv

Janssen (J&J) withMe 1-866-836-0114

Symtuza · Prezista · Prezcobix · Edurant. Income limit about \$45,180/yr single. janssencarepath.com

Merck Patient Assistance 1-800-727-5400

Isentress · Isentress HD · Pifeltro · Delstrigo. Around 400% FPL; call to confirm. merckhelps.com

Uninsured or income under 500% FPL. Government insurance (Medicare, Medicaid, VA, TRICARE) is not eligible — see back.

IF YOU HAVE COMMERCIAL INSURANCE

Gilead Co-Pay Savings biktarvycopaycard.com

Up to \$7,200 per year in co-pay help for Biktarvy; most eligible patients pay \$0.

ViiV Cabenuva Savings cabenuva.com

Up to \$13,000 per year — covers medical and pharmacy cost-sharing plus administration costs.

Janssen Symtuza CarePath symtuza.com

Applies to co-pay, co-insurance, or deductible. No income verification required. Call 1-866-836-0114.

Merck Co-Pay Coupon merckhelps.com

Isentress and other Merck HIV drugs — savings up to \$6,800 per patient per year.

Not for Medicare, Medicaid, VA, or TRICARE. If you have government insurance, use the co-pay foundations on the back.

FLORIDA ADAP — Fully Restored July 1, 2026

Florida's AIDS Drug Assistance Program now covers eligibility up to 400% of the Federal Poverty Level (about \$62,600 a year for one person). Biktarvy and every previously covered medication is back on the formulary.

ADAP Help Desk: 844-381-2327 · Florida HIV/AIDS Hotline: 1-800-352-2437 (Spanish: 1-800-545-7432)

Premium assistance was NOT restored — ask your case manager about options.

ALSO COVERED

Trogarzo (ibalizumab) 1-855-847-6479 · trogarzo.com/support

IV infusion for people with multidrug-resistant HIV. Free drug if you are uninsured, co-pay help if you have commercial insurance, plus support when insurance denies coverage. Your provider enrolls you.

Ready, Set, PrEP (federal program) 1-855-447-8410 · readysetprep.hiv.gov

Free brand-name PrEP if you are uninsured. You need a negative HIV test from the past 7 days and a prescription.

Don't see your medication?

Use the AETC directory at aidsetc.org/resource/medication-assistance-programs (back of card), or ask your clinic pharmacist — they know every program.

Never stop taking your HIV medication because of cost. Call your clinic the same day — a pharmacist or case manager can often bridge you with samples or emergency access while an application is processed.

MEDICARE OR HIGH CO-PAYS — Co-Pay Foundations (Independent Nonprofits)

TotalAssist (PAF + PAN Foundation) 1-866-512-3861 · totalassist.org

Merger effective July 1, 2026. HIV, AIDS & Prevention fund: awards up to \$5,000/yr at or below 500% FPL. Accepts all insurance types, including Medicare and Medicaid. Existing PAF or PAN grants stay valid through their award period.

HealthWell Foundation 800-675-8416 · healthwellfoundation.org

HIV Treatment fund — co-pays, premiums, deductibles. Income limit typically 400–500% FPL. Same-day grant approvals through the online portal.

Good Days 877-968-7233 · mygooddays.org

Co-pay and premium assistance; HIV/AIDS treatment and prevention funds offer up to \$7,500 per grant period when open.

HarborPath 877-972-4267 · harborpath.org

Free drug program for uninsured people. One application covers multiple manufacturer PAPs; medications ship to you by mail order. Also helpful if you have HIV and Hepatitis C.

Funds open and close as donations come in. If one is closed, sign up for alerts and check back regularly — a closed door this week may be open next week.

OTHER PATHWAYS

AETC Medication Assistance Directory aidsetc.org/resource/medication-assistance-programs

The most-updated all-in-one list of HIV drug assistance programs, organized by medication name.

340B Drug Pricing Program

If you get care at a Ryan White clinic, an FQHC, or a safety-net hospital, your clinic already buys your meds at a steep discount — that's why costs at those clinics are lower. Ask your clinic about their sliding-scale or medication delivery program.

NeedyMeds needymeds.org

Comprehensive patient assistance program and co-pay card search for any drug.

IF YOU GET STUCK — Call your local Ryan White clinic. In Florida: **1-800-352-2437**. Nationally: Ryan White provider locator at ryanwhite.hrsa.gov. Between programs there is almost always a bridge — you just need someone who knows where it is.

KNOW BEFORE YOU APPLY

On Medicare or Medicaid?

Manufacturer programs — free drug PAPs and co-pay cards — cannot help you; federal anti-kickback rules prohibit it. Go straight to the foundations above. If you are in Florida's Medicaid coverage gap, your Ryan White clinic is your safety net.

Your case manager is your best resource.

HIV case managers work with these programs daily — they know which funds are open right now and how to move an application through quickly.

Sources: gileadadvancingaccess.com · gskpaf.org/viiv · janssencarepath.com · merckhelps.com · totalassist.org · healthwellfoundation.org · mygooddays.org · harborpath.org · aidsetc.org · hiv.gov · floridahealth.gov · Full citations at riseuptohiv.com/assistance.html#references



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