

# Payment Options for Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP)

## Health Insurance and Government Programs

<b>Private insurance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Most private insurances cover PrEP.</li> <li>• Coverage varies based on plan. There may be deductibles and co-payments.</li> </ul>
<b>Medicaid</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PrEP prescription costs, medical appointments and lab tests are covered.</li> <li>• Prior approval is required; approval must be renewed every three months.</li> <li>• Visit <a href="http://www.health.ny.gov/diseases/aids/general/prep/truvada.htm">http://www.health.ny.gov/diseases/aids/general/prep/truvada.htm</a></li> </ul>
<b>PrEP Assistance Program (PrEP-AP)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Program serves HIV-negative, uninsured or underinsured New York State residents.</li> <li>• Patients must have income less than 435% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) (in 2016, \$51,200 for a one-person household).</li> <li>• Program covers costs of doctor's visits and lab testing. Services include HIV, STI/STD testing, counseling and supportive primary care services consistent with clinical guidelines for PrEP.</li> <li>• PrEP medication may be available for uninsured or underinsured individuals through the Gilead patient assistance programs (PAPs) listed below.</li> <li>• Providers enrolled in the New York State Medicaid Program can enroll in PrEP-AP. To enroll, contact the AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP) Provider Relations Section at 518-459-1641.</li> <li>• Providers are responsible for assisting patients with the PAP application to receive Truvada as indicated for PrEP.</li> <li>• Contact: 1-800-542-2437 or visit <a href="http://www.health.ny.gov/diseases/aids/general/resources/adap/">http://www.health.ny.gov/diseases/aids/general/resources/adap/</a></li> </ul>

## Medication Patient Assistance Programs (PAPs)

<b>Gilead Advancing Access program and co-pay coupon card</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advancing Access provides assistance to appropriate patients who are uninsured or underinsured, or who need financial assistance to pay for PrEP. Program offerings include:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Access to counselors who can help patients and their providers with insurance-related questions, including coverage options.</li> <li>• The Advancing Access Co-pay Coupon Program, which provides co-pay assistance for eligible patients (up to \$3,600 in co-pays per year with no monthly limit).</li> <li>• The Advancing Access PAP, which provides Gilead medications at no charge for eligible patients with no other insurance options. Patient must have annual income less than 500% of the FPL (in 2016, \$59,400 for a one-person household).</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Contact: 1-800-226-2056 or visit <a href="http://www.gileadadvancingaccess.com">www.gileadadvancingaccess.com</a></li> </ul>
<b>Patient Access Network Foundation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Offers services to people with chronic disease for whom cost limits access to critical medical treatment due to rising deductibles and co-pays.</li> <li>• Offers one-time grant to cover up to \$7,500 of prescription costs for one year.</li> <li>• Patient must have private insurance, Medicare or Medicaid.</li> <li>• Patient must have annual income less than 500% FPL (in 2016, \$59,400 for a one-person household). If income is above this amount, patient may still qualify if prescription costs exceed 10% of income.</li> <li>• Contact: 1-866-316-7263 or visit <a href="http://www.panapply.org">www.panapply.org</a></li> </ul>

# Payment Options for Post-Exposure Prophylaxis (PEP) Following Non-Occupational Exposures, Including Sexual Assault

## Non-Occupational Exposures in any Health Care Setting

<b>Medicaid</b>	PEP is covered.
<b>Private insurance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PEP coverage is based on plan.</li> <li>• Co-pay cards are available from the manufacturers:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gilead: 1-877-505-6986 or <a href="http://www.gileadadvancingaccess.com">www.gileadadvancingaccess.com</a></li> <li>• Merck: 1-855-834-3467 or <a href="http://www.isentress.com">www.isentress.com</a></li> <li>• ViiV Healthcare: 1-866-747-1170 or <a href="http://www.mysupportcard.com">www.mysupportcard.com</a></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>No insurance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Treating institution provides immediate access to drugs.</li> <li>• Patient must begin application process for Medicaid, if appropriate. (Coverage is not guaranteed.)</li> <li>• Patient may be eligible for PAPs from manufacturers.</li> </ul>
<b>Patient assistance programs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Common PAP Application (HIV): <a href="http://hab.hrsa.gov/files/programassistform.pdf">http://hab.hrsa.gov/files/programassistform.pdf</a></li> <li>• Gilead: 1-800-226-2056 or <a href="http://www.gileadadvancingaccess.com">www.gileadadvancingaccess.com</a></li> <li>• Merck: 1-800-850-3430 or <a href="http://www.merckhelps.com">www.merckhelps.com</a></li> <li>• ViiV Healthcare: 1-877-784-4842 or <a href="http://www.viivhealthcareforyou.com">www.viivhealthcareforyou.com</a></li> </ul>

## Sexual Assault

Chapter 39 of the Laws of 2012 amending Section 2805-i of Public Health Law requires hospitals to provide the first seven days of medication to victims of sexual assault. Prescriptions must be given for the remaining 21 days.

<b>Medicaid</b>	PEP is covered.
<b>Private insurance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PEP coverage is based on plan. Large co-pay may be a consideration. New York State Office of Victim Services (OVS) may reimburse co-pays of a victim who submits an eligible application.</li> <li>• Co-pay cards are available from the manufacturers:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gilead: 1-877-505-6986 or <a href="http://www.gileadadvancingaccess.com">www.gileadadvancingaccess.com</a></li> <li>• Merck: 1-855-834-3467 or <a href="http://www.isentress.com">www.isentress.com</a></li> <li>• ViiV Healthcare: 1-866-747-1170 or <a href="http://www.mysupportcard.com">www.mysupportcard.com</a></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Insured, but does not use insurance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A victim may decline to provide insurance information if he/she believes provision of that information would substantially interfere with personal privacy or safety.</li> <li>• A victim may ask the provider to directly bill the OVS for the Forensic Rape Exam (FRE), including the first seven days of medication.</li> </ul>
<b>No insurance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OVS may be directly billed as above.</li> <li>• The victim may apply to OVS for expenses beyond the FRE, including a prescription for the remaining 21 days.</li> </ul>
<b>New York State Office of Victim Services (OVS)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OVS has an emergency award procedure designed to pay the pharmacy in one to four days. It is important that the forms be filled out correctly and submitted with the supporting information requested.</li> <li>• Emergency awards of up to \$2,500 are available.</li> <li>• It is best to work with victim advocates in your community to pursue this process.</li> <li>• Contact: 1-800-247-8035 or visit <a href="http://www.ovs.ny.gov">www.ovs.ny.gov</a></li> </ul>