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FREE PRESCRIPTION DRUG CARD LAUNCHED IN ALLEGAN COUNTY

***United Networks of America to Provide Prescription Assistance
to All Residents***

Allegan, MI —A new countywide prescription assistance program, called Michigan Rx Card, is being started today. This card is being launched through the United Networks of America. The program, which offers free discount prescription drug cards to all residents of the County. These new Rx cards will provide savings of up to 75% on prescription drugs. It is accepted at over 50,000 pharmacy locations across the country. Residents can obtain a card at www.allegancounty.org.

The new Rx Card was developed to help uninsured and underinsured residents afford their prescription medications. Moreover, people who have health insurance coverage without any prescription benefits can use the program. It is common not to have prescription benefits in many of the health savings accounts (HSA) and high deductible health plans.

Additionally, people who have prescription coverage can use this program for non-formulary or non-covered drugs.

“During this time when many are uninsured and drug cost continues to rise, it is beneficial to see a program such as this helping our vulnerable populations,” says Rashmi Travis, Health Officer.

The new Rx Card has no restrictions to membership, no income or age limitations, and residents are not required to fill out an application or provide personal information to obtain a free card. Allegan County residents can download a free card, search drug pricing, and locate participating pharmacies at www.allegancounty.org or call 269-673-5411 for more information.

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