You have the right to receive a "Good Faith Estimate" explaining how much your medical care will cost

Under the law, healthcare providers need to give patients who don't have insurance or who are not using insurance an estimate of the bill for medical items and services.

- You have the right to receive a Good Faith Estimate for the total expected cost of any nonemergency items or services. This includes related costs like medical test, prescription drugs, equipment, and hospital fees.
- Make sure your healthcare provider gives you a Good Faith Estimate in writing within the below time frames of when your services are scheduled:
 - Schedule within 0-3 days Good Faith Estimate upon request
 - Scheduled within 3-9 days Good Faith Estimate within 1 business day
 - Scheduled 10+ days Good Faith Estimate within 3 business days

You can also ask your healthcare provider, and any other provider you choose, for a Good Faith Estimate before you schedule an item or service.

- If you receive a bill that is at least \$400 more than your Good Faith Estimate, you can dispute the bill.
- Make sure to save a copy or picture of your Good Faith Estimate.

For questions or more information about your right to a Good Faith Estimate, visit www.cms.gov/nosurprises or call 541-573-8638.

