

340B IN ACTION

Children's Minnesota



The Kid Experts™

In Minnesota, savings from the Federal 340B program stretch the scarce resources of safety-net providers like community health centers, reproductive health clinics, and hospitals so they can provide critical health services that receive little to no reimbursement. The program is designed to support those who provide a high level of services to low-income individuals or that serve isolated rural communities. Savings from 340B are essential to meeting the health care needs of underserved patients in our state.

340B by the numbers

48%

Patients relying on
Medicaid

\$138M

Uncompensated care
provided

\$17M

Annual 340B
savings

\$174M

Total community
benefit

Children's Minnesota

One of the **largest pediatric health systems**
in the United States

2 hospitals, **9** primary care clinics, **3**
surgery centers, **7** rehabilitation sites,
and **multiple** specialty care clinics

Only health system and **Level I Trauma**
Center in Minnesota to provide care
exclusively to children

The 340B impact in our community

Children's Minnesota provides critical services to our community that are supported by the 340B program.

Medications purchased for patients in our hematology, oncology and endocrine programs make up almost 70% of our 340B program. These programs treat children living with cancer, diabetes and blood disorders.

Purchasing these medications with a 340B discount reduces our overall drug spending which, in turn, allows us to dedicate our resources to staffing these programs and providing these services at a capacity that meets the needs of the community we serve.

The 340B program is essential to our ability to serve children and families in Minnesota with clinical and wrap around services that enable them to thrive.