## Uninsured or self-pay patients have the right to receive a "Good Faith Estimate" explaining how much your MEDICAL care will cost

Under the law, health care providers need to give uninsured or self-pay patients an estimate of their bill MEDICAL services before those services are provided.

- You have the right to receive a Good Faith Estimate for the total expected cost of any health care items or services upon request or when scheduling such items or services. This includes related costs like medical tests, prescription drugs, equipment, and hospital fees.
- If you receive a bill that is at least \$400 more for any provider or facility than your Good Faith Estimate from that provider or facility, you can dispute the bill.
- Make sure to save a copy or picture of your Good Faith Estimate and the bill.

For questions or more information about your right to a Good Faith Estimate, visit <u>www.cms.gov/nosurprises/consumers</u>, email <u>FederalPPDRQuestions@cms.hhs.gov</u>, or call 1- 800-985-3059.