Use your flexible spending account to buy over-the-counter medications—with no prescription!

The CARES Act changed what you can buy with your health care flexible spending account (FSA). As a result of this law, you can now use your FSA to purchase certain over-the-counter (OTC) medications without a prescription!

To review a list of eligible items, please visit fsastore.com/fsa-eligibility-list.aspx.

What you need to know

Merchants are updating their systems to ensure that your UPMC Consumer *Advantage* debit card will be accepted for eligible purchases. Please note that this process will take time and your debit card might be denied when you try to buy eligible OTC items.

What you can do

If you tried to purchase eligible items on or after January 1, 2020, and your debit card was denied, you can submit a request for reimbursement though the UPMC Consumer *Advantage* website or mobile app. You will need to upload itemized receipts that show your out-of-pocket expenses.

Questions?

Call the number on the back of your member ID or UPMC Consumer *Advantage* card, email **consumeradvantage@upmc.edu**, or use the UPMC Consumer *Advantage* website or mobile app.

