

Outreach Script

Have 3 minutes to talk about Dollar For at your next community meeting, religious service, or book club? Use these talking points to educate others.

- Dollar For is a national nonprofit that eliminates hospital bills by making charity care known, easy, and fair.
- The Affordable Care Act requires nonprofit hospitals to offer free or reduced-cost care to lower and middle-income patients to keep their tax-exempt status. These charity care, or financial assistance programs, reduce or eliminate medical bills.
- Every hospital has its own unique policy and process for deciding who qualifies and how to apply.
- Millions of Americans are trying to negotiate medical bills, set up payment plans, or declare medical bankruptcy for medical bills they shouldn't have to pay.
- Dollar For helps patients check if they are eligible for medical debt forgiveness, prepare and submit hospital financial assistance applications, and eliminate medical bills.
- Since 2019, Dollar for has worked with patients to submit thousands of financial assistance applications.
- **Dollar For's services are completely free – no strings attached.** Patients can see if they qualify and get help anytime at www.dollarfor.org/help.
- Dollar For has already crushed \$23 million in medical debt.

(Tip: Check our home page for the most current impact number. It's always growing!)