

Taking Control of Prescription Drug Cost: Trends, Marketplace and Lockton Service Offerings

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## Lockton at a Glance

Unmatched global reach and local understanding.

Lockton is a global professional services firm.

> \$1.57B Revenue

> > 7,000+ Associates



96% Client retention 11% above the industry average



95 +Offices



Key services and solutions

- Affinity programs
- Aviation
- Casualty insurance
- Claims management
- Compensation consulting
- Cyber risks

- Directors and officers
- Employee benefits
- Environmental
- Health reform Health risk solutions
- Marine

- Mergers and acquisitions
- Personal lines private clients
- Political and trade credit risk
- Product recall

52,000+ Clients



- Professional indemnity
- Property insurance
- Reinsurance
- Retirement services
- Risk control
- **Risk finance**

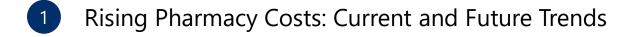
- Strategic risk management
- Surety
- War and terrorism
- Wealth management and protection

BILLION In premium volume worldwide



\$29+





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# Rising Pharmacy Costs: Current and Future Trends

**#1** Prescription drug coverage is the **most** utilized healthcare benefit



**20-30%** Percentage of cost of employer healthcare benefits attributed to pharmacy

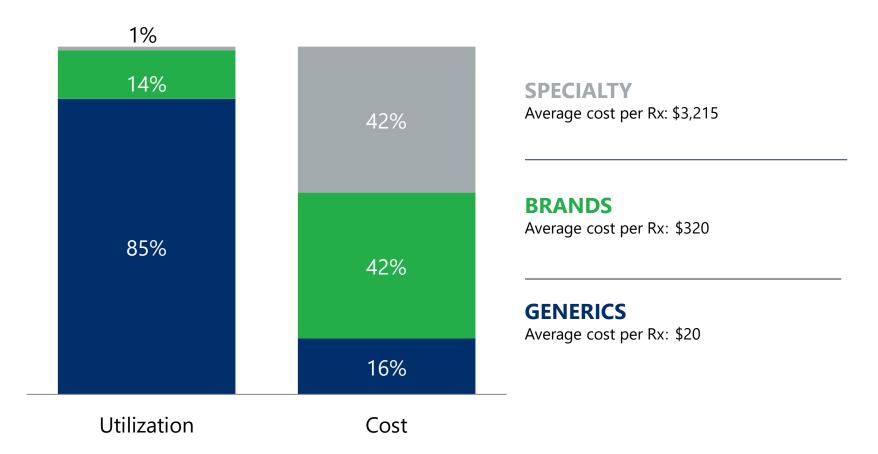
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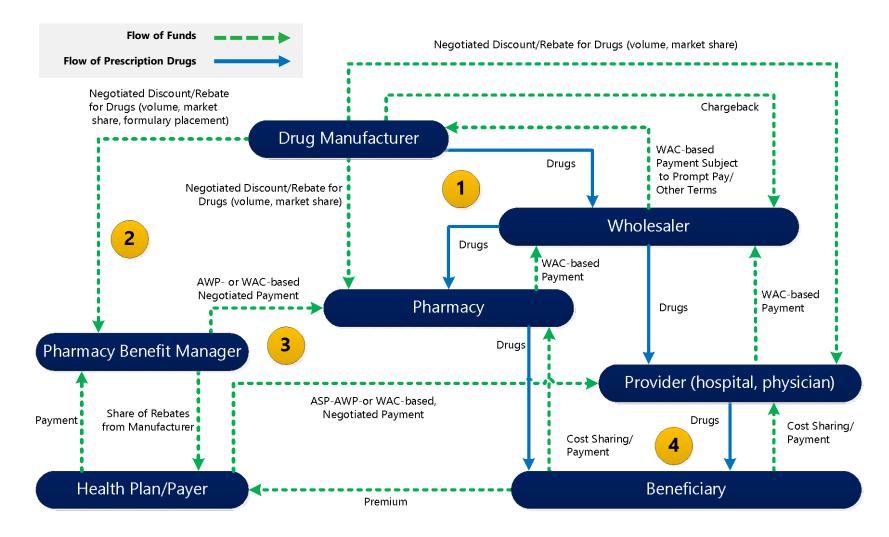
Estimated percentage of Specialty drugs cost of US total drug spend by 2020<sup>1</sup> ğ

**78%** Of new drug approvals in 2017 were Specialty drugs<sup>2</sup>

# A Deeper Look: Drug Distribution Utilization and Cost



## The Complexity of the Pharmacy Ecosystem



# The Pharmacy Marketplace is Dynamic

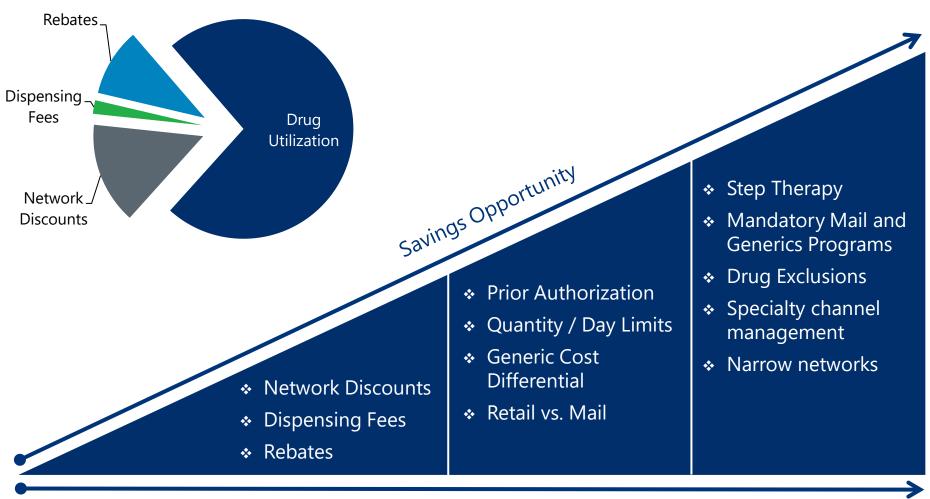
Large carriers have responded to potential new market entrants with consolidation and vertical integration



# Key Components of a Pharmacy Contract

	Description	\$ Impact
Ingredient Cost Discount Guarantees	Percentage discount (off AWP) applied to pharmacy claims. Different discounts based on generic/brand, channel and day supply	<b>├</b> ── <b>┃</b> -
Dispensing Fees	Per claim fee charged to the plan sponsor	┝┨
Rebates	Discounts negotiated by PBMs and Carriers for Brand drugs. These may be fully passed onto the payor, only a percentage or given as an admin fee credit	
Contractual Language	Underlying language which includes definitions, requirements, caveats and details behind discount guarantees and rebates	

### Pharmacy Cost Management Tactics



#### Member Disruption

## Lockton Pharmacy Analytics Services

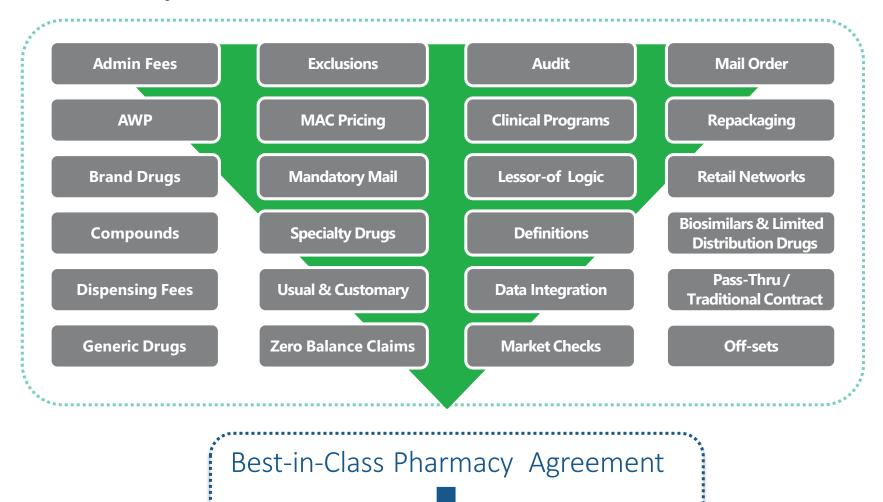


Implementation support and ongoing maintenance

• Specialty drug review

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## **Pharmacy Contract Evaluation**



Ensure Outcome via Audit

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### Pricing Reconciliation Audit Ensure All Contractual Guarantees are Met

#### Lockton Success Story

# \$146,191

Pharmacy dollars recouped

- 6% of client's total 2017 Pharmacy Spend (\$2.4M) was recouped
- Carrier fell short of all discount quarantees

- Lockton calculates discounts, dispensing fees, and rebates achieved for each specific channel based on contractual inclusions and exclusions
  - Each pharmacy claim is run through our proprietary pricing reconciliation tool
  - E.g. Retail Brand, Retail Generic, Retail Specialty
- Results are reviewed by Lockton pharmacy analysts and consultants
  - Ensure that each claim is categorized appropriately (e.g. a mail generic NDC is grouped for a mail generic discount, not a Brand or Retail generic discount)
- Lockton also requests that the PBM provide their own audit analysis
  - Allows us to determine whether both parties agree on whether a shortfall or surplus exists
  - Lockton completes our analysis first, compares findings, and handles the correspondence with your PBM

# Lockton Takes an Unbiased Approach to Pharmacy Benefit Management

#### – Coalitions and Cooperatives

- Group of employers in a similar industry or geographic area form a coalition
- Larger collective provides group purchasing services on pharmacy benefits
- Employee benefit firms may offer a pharmacy coalition

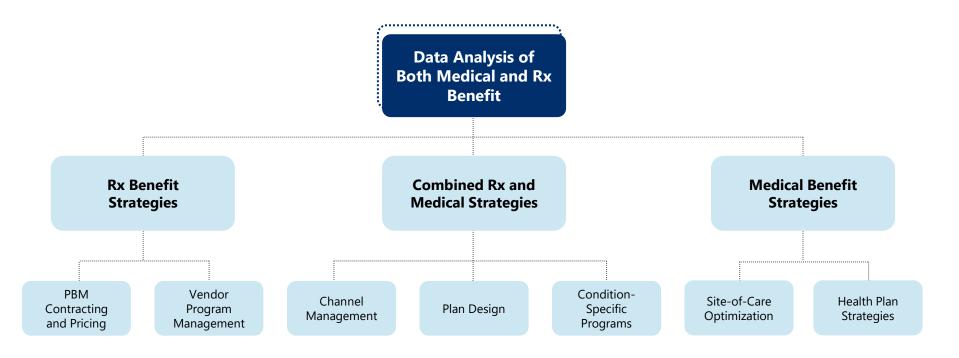
#### Evaluating Coalition Options – Asking the Right Questions

- Are financial guarantees at the coalition or client level?
- How flexible is the coalition in terms of plan designs, formularies, and implementing clinical or utilization management programs?
- What are the fees?
- Are you getting a strong, market competitive contract?
- What access do you have to your own data?

#### - Our Results

- Lockton has successfully helped clients evaluate coalition and direct contract options
- In some cases, coalition options have made sense for clients, however we have also been successful in helping clients exit coalitions to direct contracts with significant savings from a reduction in fees and improved financial terms

# Developing a Comprehensive Pharmacy Strategy



Using Infolock<sup>®</sup> and pharmacy analytics reporting, Lockton gives the plan sponsor a complete picture of pharmacy costs and provides coordinated strategies across the medical and pharmacy benefit.

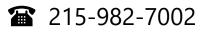
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