



340B: Too Big to Fail?

What are Hospitals Hiding?



The 340B Drug Pricing Program was originally designed to help low-income patients access affordable healthcare, but it has devolved into a **\$66 billion** program, **primarily benefiting healthcare providers**. Observers worry that waste, fraud, and abuse run deep because the program lacks meaningful accountability or transparency standards, especially among hospitals. Patients are starting to ask the question: Is the 340B Program the Next ‘Too Big to Fail’?

If hospitals are afraid to open their books, then there is a reason why they’re hiding it!

In 2008, investment banks hid their toxic assets, which hurt investors. In 2025, hospitals are hiding their 340B rebates, which hurt patients, evidenced by skyrocketing medical debt—further exacerbated by hospitals using questionable debt “collections” tactics.

HOW DID 340B GO FROM HELPING LOW-INCOME PATIENTS TO PAYING FOR THESE THINGS?