

Table 1
Impact of Potential Prescription Drug Bill on Beneficiary Spending

Income as a Share of Poverty	Total Drug Spending			
	\$1,000	\$4,000	\$6,000	\$10,000
140%				
<i>Beneficiary Share</i>	\$520	\$875	\$1,205	\$1,605
<i>Share of Income</i>	3.9%	6.6%	9.1%	12.1%
175%				
<i>Beneficiary Share</i>	\$1,058	\$2,833	\$4,203	\$4,603
<i>Share of Income</i>	6.4%	17.1%	25.4%	27.8%
400%				
<i>Beneficiary Share</i>	\$1,058	\$2,833	\$4,203	\$4,603
<i>Share of Income</i>	2.8%	7.5%	11.1%	12.2%

Source: Urban Institute analysis