

# ACCESSIBLE PRESCRIPTION DRUG LABELING FACT SHEET



Accessible Prescription Labels are special labels provided by pharmacists to patients who have a visual or print impairment.

A person who requests accessible labels receives their medications with a regular printed label, called a 'legal' label, and a specialty label, called an 'auxiliary' label, which could include large print, talking and/or Braille labels, depending on the needs of the patient.

Accessible labels are provided at no additional charge.

## Large Print Labels

A label printed in high-contrast large font is attached to the prescription container. A 2D bar code offers access via mobile phone applications.

## Talking Labels

A small electronic tag is attached to the container. The tag contains the same data found on the printed label. A prescription reader reads the label information out loud.

## Braille Labels

A clear adhesive Braille overlay is placed over the printed label for quick identification. Braille labels are often used in conjunction with talking labels.

## ACCESSIBLE LABELS ARE AVAILABLE AT PHARMACIES BY REQUEST

Many pharmacies offer accessible prescription labels. Below is a partial list.

### Nationwide Mail-Order:

**AETNA**  
**CVS**  
**Caremark**  
**Express Scripts**  
**Humana**  
**Optum Rx**  
**Walmart**

### Chain Pharmacies:

**Walmart**  
**Rite Aid**  
**Winn-Dixie**  
**BI-LO**  
**H-E-B**  
**Bartell**  
**Safeway**

### Independent Pharmacies:

**many stores offer  
this service**

**Military/Veterans:  
Sign up through the VA**

Pharmacies are continually being added. This is a FREE service.

**Ask your pharmacist for accessible Rx labels.**

To find a local participating pharmacy: <http://www.envisionamerica.com/ourpharmacies>  
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