

WHAT KEEPS PATIENTS' MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS MEDICATIONS OUT OF REACH?



IMPACT OF MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS



MS affects 400,000 individuals in the U.S.

WHO EXPERIENCE

- Numbness or weakness in limbs
- Partial or complete loss of vision
- Fatigue
- Dizziness

COSTING AN AVERAGE
\$4.1 MILLION
PER PATIENT OVER A LIFETIME¹



ACCESS TO NECESSARY MEDICATION

Health plans place **more than half** of branded MS drugs on a specialty tier, requiring high patient cost sharing.²



OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES

Average out-of-pocket costs for patients with MS: \$3,287.³



LACK OF ADHERENCE

A **10%** increase in **cost sharing** = **8.6%** decrease in patients **taking medication as prescribed.**⁴



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DECREASE

