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**Meeting Location:  
County of Fresno  
Board of Supervisors Chambers  
2281 Tulare Street, #301  
Fresno, CA 93721**

**AGENDA DATE:** February 17, 2023

**ITEM NUMBER:** Item 15

**SUBJECT:** Receive Consultant’s Report on Comparing EmpiRx Claims Cost vs. Prescription Discount Drug Cards (I)

**REQUEST(S):** That the Board receive the Consultant’s report on EmpiRx claims cost vs. prescription discount drug card programs.

**DESCRIPTION:**

At the December 9, 2022 Board meeting, during Public Comment, a member of the public made comments regarding a prescription drug discount card that could potentially save plan members on out-of-pocket costs.

The attached Consultant’s Report provides an analysis of the cost of the top 50% of drugs utilized by plan members and compare costs between EmpiRx, the SJVIA’s prescription provider, Charity Rx, and Good Rx.

**FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:**

None at this time.

**ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:**

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