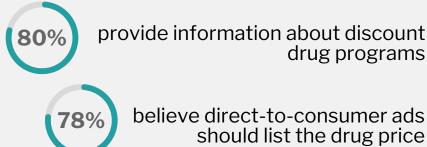
### **4 THINGS PHARMA BRANDS** SHOULD KNOW ABOUT THE COST OF RX

# 2 in 5 Patients

feel that the high cost of healthcare prevents them from being as healthy as they'd like.

#### **Physicians are Concerned**

and are taking steps to ensure potential treatments aren't a financial burden to their patients.



drug programs

believe direct-to-consumer ads should list the drug price

#### When a New Rx is Available

HCPs first consider the following before prescribing:

If the medication is covered by the patient's health plan





80%

47%

#### If financial support from the brand is available

## **35 Million Rx Users**

don't have their prescriptions covered by health insurance, a separate drug plan, or Medicare Part D.

Still, few are taking advantage of cost-saving programs:



#### Pharma outreach could help more patients take advantage of Rx assistance programs.

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