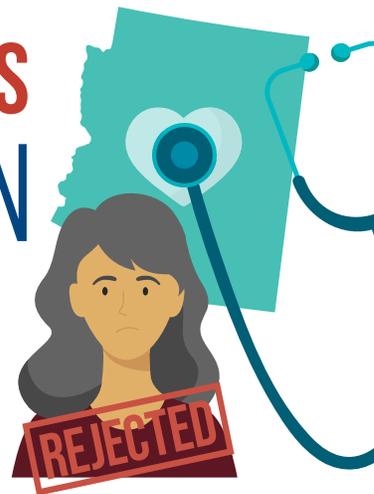


ARIZONANS ARE BEING DENIED ACCESS TO LIFE-SAVING MEDICATION

Arizona's rate of heart disease is higher than the national average. Yet insurers are more likely to reject Arizonans' prescriptions for cholesterol-lowering medication.



Heart disease is **THE #1 CAUSE OF DEATH**

in Arizona.

1 IN 3 ARIZONANS HAS HIGH CHOLESTEROL.



BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD OF ARIZONA REJECTED MORE THAN HALF

of heart patients' PCSK9 inhibitor prescriptions.

Blue Cross Blue Shield is the largest health insurer in Arizona.

PCSK9 inhibitors can **DECREASE CHOLESTEROL BY UP TO 70%**



AT-RISK PATIENTS IN ARIZONA DESERVE BETTER FROM THEIR HEALTH INSURERS.

Data source: Symphony Health; Commercial plans, January 2019 – December 2021



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