



### Baby Rxpress Program

The Baby Rxpress Program provides six weeks of antiretroviral treatment (ART) to babies born to women living with HIV. This is made possible through a voucher system with participating pharmacies located around the state. Medication is dispensed in exchange for the voucher at no cost to the family when they have no other mean to pay for it. The goal of the program is to ensure the family leaves the hospital with the ART in hand.

The program entails a physician writing a prescription for the appropriate medication. The prescription along with the Baby Rxpress voucher is presented to the pharmacy and medication is dispensed. The pharmacy bills the Department for medications and payment is issued.

Department is continually looking to expand the program and add additional pharmacies. Currently there are over 80+ participating locations throughout the state.

- Empath Health Pharmacy (Pinellas, Hillsborough)
- Health Matters Pharmacy (Pinellas, Hillsborough)
- Jackson Drug (Fort, Pierce, FL)
- Jackson Pharmacy (Three specialty pharmacies servicing multiple Jackson Memorial Hospital sites, Miami, FL)
- Scripts Pharmacy (Arnold Palmer Children's Hospital, Orlando, FL)
- Walgreens (various locations across the state)

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