COMMUNICATING THE FINANCIAL CONSEQUENCES OF CANCER CARE

Yousuf Zafar, MD, MHS, FASCO Associate Professor of Medicine, Public Policy, & Population Health Science Chief Quality & Innovation Officer Duke Cancer Institute



- 1.Treatment is expensive2.Cost-sharing is increasing
- 3. ?

- 1.Treatment is expensive2.Cost-sharing is increasing
- 3. **Me**

Diet

Deductibles

Travel

Lost income

Co-pays

Child care

Coinsurance

Legal services

Supplies

Direct costs

Indirect costs

Deductibles

Co-pays

Coinsurance

Child care

Supplies

Legal services

Travel

Lost income

Diet

Cost-related material hardship

Objective out-of-pocket costs

Cost-related psychological hardship

Subjective concern about costs



Risk of heart attack with bevacizumab

Risk of material hardship

Risk of psychological hardship

2%

25%

34%

Prevent fatigue

Assess fatigue



Prevent financial toxicity





