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Some types of old debt are no longer collectible after a certain point. But...


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STEP 1: ASK FOR THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY (FAP)

- FAP explains
 - Who qualifies
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- Hospital MUST give FAP information to you for free

Pause (k) in't wait — ask as soon as you get a bill

A person in a wheelchair is sitting at a desk, talking to a healthcare provider. The person is wearing a light-colored shirt and has curly hair. The healthcare provider is standing behind the desk, wearing a white coat and a stethoscope. The background is a clinical setting with a door and some equipment.

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