

Free Meals Lead Doctors to Prescribe More Expensive Medicine

Vocabulary:

treat to (phrasal verb) – to entertain somebody with something special

Example: On their first date, he treated her to a meal in a nice restaurant and a movie.

out-of-pocket (verb)

– (of an expense or cost) paid for directly rather than being put on account or charged to some other person or organization

-paid for with your own money rather than with money from another source

Example: My out-of-pocket costs for this business trip amounted to just \$16.

prescribe (verb)

– (of a doctor) to tell somebody to take a particular medicine or have a particular treatment

Example: My doctor prescribed me some antibiotics to treat my throat infection.

generic (adjective)

– (of a product, especially a drug) not using the name of the company that made it

Example: The doctor offered me a choice of a branded or generic drug.

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