

PHYSICIAN'S PROFIT MAX. PROBLEM

$$\max \quad PX - CX$$

$$\text{s.t.} \quad B(x) - PX \geq NB^0$$

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CONSTANT ... PATIENT'S "OUTSIDE
OPTION"

$$B(x) - PX = NB^0$$

$$\pi = PX - CX, \quad B(x) - PX = NB^0$$

$$PX = B(x) - NB^0$$

$$\pi = B(x) - NB^0 - CX$$

$$\frac{d\pi}{dx} = B'(x) - c = 0$$

$$B'(x) = c$$



$$P > c$$

PATIENT'S MAX. PROBLEM

$$NB = B(x) - PX$$

$$\max_{x \geq 0} \quad B(x) - PX$$

$$\frac{dNB}{dx} = B'(x) - P = 0$$

$$B'(x) = P$$

