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Our mission for the past 25 years has been focused on referring callers to qualified obesity medicine clinicians.

We do this as a public service because the harmful effects associated with repeated cycles of losing and regaining weight can be avoided with proper medical guidance.

Obesity is not a personal choice.

Obesity is not a willpower failure.

Obesity is a complex, chronic, treatable disease.

Obesity is the most prevalent chronic disease in the United States.

Healthcare providers who competently and comprehensively treat patients with obesity routinely order lab testing and body composition testing, first to complete the initial evaluation, and intermittently thereafter to monitor the patient's progress and overall health during treatment.

This has never been more important than it is today. Millions of patients are receiving prescriptions for anti-obesity medications from online prescribers without a proper medical evaluation. This is especially concerning when the medications that are being prescribed are compounded drugs that have not been approved or even reviewed by the FDA.

Given the seriousness of certain anti-obesity medication warnings and potential adverse effects, prescribing even approved anti-obesity medications in the absence of appropriate medical testing and follow-up monitoring clearly exposes patients to a risk of substantial harm.

For access to a directory of qualified obesity medicine clinicians, please visit ObesityDoctors.org

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