Growing Market Share With Cover Wrap Ads
How two prescription drugs grew market share through premium cover wrap advertisements on print medical journals

Medical journals—both in print and online—remain a critical resource for healthcare practitioners (HCPs) to gain the knowledge they need to advance their skills and improve patient outcomes. Print journal cover wraps drive high-value engagement for advertisers looking for market growth and script lift.

- Rise in Prescription Writing
- Increased Prescriber Penetration
- Significant Market Growth

Exceptional Market Results

Wolters Kluwer partnered with IQVIA, a leading global provider of advanced analytics and clinical research services to the life sciences industry, to formally evaluate two separate cover wrap program’s impact on prescribing habits among HCPs—including MDs, NPs, and PAs—and compare the results to several direct market competitors.

Both drugs achieved undeniable market growth and revenue gains, driven directly by the two campaigns. The two prescription drugs were:

- An *interleukin inhibitor*, whose program ran from December 2021 through February 2022
- A *peptide antagonist*, whose program ran from May 2022 through July 2022

The *interleukin inhibitor program*:
- Estimated 206:1 ROI
- $21.8 million in incremental revenue
- Increased prescriber penetration
- Increased market share over three direct competitors
- Gained and retained prescription writers
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The *peptide antagonist program*:
- Estimated 296:1 ROI
- $2.96 million in incremental revenue
- Increased likelihood of prescription writing
- Gained and retained prescription writers
- Increased market share

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The Right Moment for Prescriber Engagement

When prescribers first pick up a journal, they’re at their freshest regarding their readiness to absorb professional content. These cover wrap campaigns:

- Created lasting impressions with long-term impact
- Engaged HCPs who have never written a prescription for these products
- Maintained product appeal among existing prescribers

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