

# Recognized accrediting organizations:

## Ancillary providers

*\*At the Plan's discretion, the Plan may recognize any approved accrediting organization deemed by CMS.*

		Required
Ambulance	CAAS	NO
Ambulatory Care Facility	JC, AAAHC, AAAASF, HFAP (HBOT may have UHMS), IMQ, IAC	YES
Birth Center	AAAHC, JC, CABC	YES
Clinical Laboratory	CLIA, CAP, JC, AABB, COLA, ASHI, HFAP, AALA	YES
Comprehensive Outpatient Rehab Facility (CORF)	CARF, JC	NO
Durable Medical Equipment (DME)	ACHC, CHAP, EPAP, HQAA, JC, CARF, NABP, ABCOP, BOC, TCT	YES
DME Orthotics/Prosthetics	ABCOP, BOC, EPAP, CARF, NABP, NBAOS, ABCOP, BOC, TCT, HQAA	YES
Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC)	AAAHC, JC	NO
Freestanding Sleep Disorder Center	AASM, ACHC, JC, HFAP	YES
Home Based Sleep Study Service	AASM, ACHC, JC, HFAP	YES
Home Health Agency	ACHC, CHAP, JC	YES
Home Infusion	ACHC, CHAP, JC, HQAA, TCT (NOTE: HI providers are certified as DME providers)	YES
Hospital – Acute Care & LTAC	JC, DNV, HFAP, CIHQ	YES
Hospital Based Sleep Center	AASM, ACHC, JC, HFAP	YES
Hospital – Rehabilitation	JC, DNV, CARF, HFAP, CIHQ	YES
Hospital – Specialty	JC, DNV, HFAP, CIHQ	YES
Specialty Pharmacy	ACHC, CHAP, JC HQAA, TCT (Note: HI providers are certified as DME Providers)	Yes
Hospice	ACHC, CHAP, JC	YES
Outpatient Diabetes Self – Management Training	ADA, IHS, AADE	YES
Outpatient Rehab Services	JC, CARF	YES
Portable/Mobile X-Ray	ACR, JC IAC	YES
Radiology – Advanced Diagnostic Imaging	ACR, IAC, JC	YES
Renal Dialysis Centers	JC	NO
Skilled Nursing Facility (basic skilled care only)	JC, CARF	NO
Skilled Nursing Facility (for subacute care)	JC as subacute provider; CARF as subacute rehab	NO
Ambulatory Surgery Centers	AAAHC, JC, AAAASF, HFAP, IMQ	YES

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AAAASF	American Association for Accreditation of Ambulatory Surgery Facilities, Inc.
AAAHC	The Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care
AABB	American Association of Blood Banks
AADE	American Association of Diabetes Educators
AALA	American Association for Laboratory Accreditation
AASM	American Academy of Sleep Medicine
ABCOP	American Board for Certification in Orthotics and Prosthetics
ACHC	Accreditation Commission for Health Care, Inc.
ACR	American College of Radiology
ADA	American Diabetes Association
ASHI	American Association of Histocompatibility and Immunogenetics
BOC	The Board of Orthotics/Prosthetics Certification
CAAS	The Commission on Accreditation of Ambulance Services
CABC	The Commission on Accreditation of Birth Centers
CAP	College of American Pathologists
CARF	The Rehabilitation Accreditation Commission
CHAP	The Community Health Accreditation Program
CHIQ	Center for Improvement in Healthcare Quality
CLIA	Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendment
COLA	Commission on Laboratory Accreditation
DNV	Det Norske Veritas Healthcare, Inc.
EPAP	The Exemplary Provider Association Programs (a/k/a The Compliance Team)
HFAP	Healthcare Facilities Accreditation Program
HQAA	Healthcare Quality Association on Accreditation, Inc.
IAC	The Intersocial Accreditation Commission
IHS	Indian Health Services
IMQ	Institute for Medical Quality
JC	The Joint Commission (previously JCAHO)
NABP	National Association of Boards of Pharmacy
TCT	The Compliance Team
UHMS	Undersea & Hyperbaric Medical Society