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Important Notice

Several Prime Healthcare Hospitals No Longer Part of the Anthem Blue Cross Network

Anthem Blue Cross has announced that seven of the **Prime Healthcare** hospitals in Southern California will no longer be part of the Anthem PPO network effective March 25, 2018. Following are the seven affected hospitals:

- Centinela Hospital Medical Center
- Garden Grove Hospital & Medical Center
- Huntington Beach Hospital
- La Palma Intercommunity Hospital
- Paradise Valley Hospital
- Sherman Oaks Hospital
- West Anaheim Medical Center

What other participating hospitals are available in the vicinity of the terminating Prime Healthcare hospitals?

Anthem Blue Cross has a statewide hospital network of over 300 acute care facilities. The *Find a Doctor* function at www.anthem.com/ca can be used to locate a participating hospital in a specific area. You can also contact the Operating Engineers Trust Funds Member Services Department for the list of alternate participating general acute care hospitals within the vicinity of each terminating Prime Healthcare hospital. For a complete list of contracting hospitals, as well as ambulatory surgical centers and other ancillary facilities, please visit the Anthem Blue Cross website at www.anthem.com/ca. Customer Service representatives can check the provider database for a physician's admitting privileges at another nearby in-network facility. Members should confirm the information they receive with their treating physician. Every effort will be made to assist members in determining their choices and understanding the potential financial consequences of seeking care with a provider that is not in the Anthem Blue Cross provider network.