







AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASSSM Referral Guide

Reporting Period

Chronic Episodes: April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025

Procedural Episodes: April 1, 2023 through March 31, 2025

AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Score Key

-  4.0 compasses - Highest performance
-  3.5 compasses - Well above average performance
-  3.0 compasses - Above average performance
-  2.5 compasses - Slightly above average performance

The AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Referral Guide is organized by episode category, provider specialty, and hospital referral region. Providers with performance above the network average, as compared to peers, and who are participating in the program are indicated by a AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS score of two and a half or more in the Referral Guide. Program-participating specialty providers with scores lower than two and a half are listed in the Referral Guide in alphabetical order but do not have a score indicated.

Specialist providers who do not meet the minimum number of attributed episodes for the episode category associated with their specialty, or who are part of a practice that has opted out of the program, are not listed in the AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Referral Guide. For a complete list of network specialists, please refer to the online Provider Directory.

Hospital Referral Region Explanation

In-network specialty providers are scored based on their ranked performance against peers meeting the episode category criteria within a hospital referral region (HRR). HRRs are geographic delineations that use zip code area groupings to define unique healthcare market regions.

Episode Categories Explanation


The episode categories used in the AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS program have condition-specific definitions that group the entire range of care used to treat a clinical condition for a specific time period across the continuum of care. The episode categories are defined by PROMETHEUS Analytics® and are used across the health care sector. Episode category descriptions are included in the AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Program Guide.

Disclaimer: Scoring included in the AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Referral Guide is subject to change. The AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Referral Guide is a resource for PCPs who would like to access additional information to make referrals for their patients. Physicians and other health care providers are solely responsible for the treatment decisions for their patients.

Diabetes Episodes


Specialty: Endocrinology

Hospital Referral Region: Baton Rouge, LA

Provider Name	Practice Name	Practice Address	City	State	Zip	Practice Phone	AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Score*
IVAN GAMBOA	OUR LADY OF THE LAKE PHYSICIANS GROUP	5428 ODO NOVAN DR STE C	BATON ROUGE	LA	70808	(225) 300-1076	
HAYTHAM KAWJI	ST. FRANCIS CYPRESS RURAL HEALTH CLINIC	5266 COMMERCE ST BLDG A	SAINT FRANCISVILLE	LA	70775	(225) 635-3269	
LOURDES RODRIGUEZ ACUNA	OUR LADY OF THE LAKE PHYSICIANS GROUP	5428 ODO NOVAN DR STE C	BATON ROUGE	LA	70808	(225) 300-1076	

Specialty: Infectious Disease

Hospital Referral Region: Baton Rouge, LA

Provider Name	Practice Name	Practice Address	City	State	Zip	Practice Phone	AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Score*
GERTRUDE ONYEBUCHI CHIMEKA-ANYANWOKE	BATON ROUGE MULTI SPECIALTY CARE CENTER	3844 CONVENTION ST	BATON ROUGE	LA	70806	(201) 407-9370	


Specialty: Ophthalmology

Hospital Referral Region: Lafayette, LA

Provider Name	Practice Name	Practice Address	City	State	Zip	Practice Phone	AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Score*
ANGELA LEWIS	LSUHN BILLING LLC	401 SAINT JULIEN AVE	LAFAYETTE	LA	70506	(337) 262-2500	

Specialty: Pediatric Endocrinology

Hospital Referral Region: Baton Rouge, LA

Provider Name	Practice Name	Practice Address	City	State	Zip	Practice Phone	AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Score*
MARCELA ASTUDILLO JARRIN	OUR LADY OF THE LAKE PHYSICIANS GROUP	8200 CONSTANTIN BLVD FL 4	BATON ROUGE	LA	70809	(225) 765-5500	
JAMES GARDNER	OUR LADY OF THE LAKE PHYSICIANS GROUP	8200 CONSTANTIN BLVD	BATON ROUGE	LA	70809	(225) 765-5500	
MANISH RAISINGANI	OUR LADY OF THE LAKE PHYSICIANS GROUP	8200 CONSTANTIN BLVD FL 4	BATON ROUGE	LA	70809	(225) 765-5500	

Hospital Referral Region: New Orleans, LA

Provider Name	Practice Name	Practice Address	City	State	Zip	Practice Phone	AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Score*
DANIA FELIPE-RAMIREZ	LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE	200 HENRY CLAY AVE	NEW ORLEANS	LA	70118	(504) 896-9441	

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Diabetes Episodes


Specialty: Pediatric Endocrinology

Hospital Referral Region: New Orleans, LA


Provider Name	Practice Name	Practice Address	City	State	Zip	Practice Phone	AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Score*
RICARDO GOMEZ	LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE	200 HENRY CLAY AVE	NEW ORLEANS	LA	70118	(504) 896-9441	

Specialty: Podiatric Medicine

Hospital Referral Region: Alexandria, LA

Provider Name	Practice Name	Practice Address	City	State	Zip	Practice Phone	AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Score*
KENNETH KYSOR	MARKSVILLE FAMILY CARE CENTER	5541 HIGHWAY 1	MARKSVILLE	LA	71351	(318) 240-7240	

Hospital Referral Region: Baton Rouge, LA

Provider Name	Practice Name	Practice Address	City	State	Zip	Practice Phone	AmeriHealth Caritas COMPASS Score*
TRUCLY VU	HIV-AIDS ALLIANCE FOR REGION TWO INC	3801 NORTH BLVD	BATON ROUGE	LA	70806	(225) 655-6422	
MARVIN TROTTER	SOUTHEAST COMMUNITY HEALTH SYSTEMS-ZACHARY	6351 MAIN ST	ZACHARY	LA	70791	(225) 306-2000	

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