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Request for Waiver

2023

Plan Year:

Please ensure that information contained on this waiver request coincides with information provided on the geographical access maps and provider list submitted with this application.

1. Name and Title of Person Submitting this Document:

Carrier	Name Network	Network ID	Network Structure*
Blue Plus	High Value Network	MNN009	<select one=""></select>
Name	Title	Date	Enrollees in Network*
Eric Hoag	Vice President, Provider Relations	5/18/2022	

2. By submitting this form, the above-referenced confirms:

A. That person submitting this request has personal knowledge of the network contracting process involved in this submission; and

B. That access cannot be met for the following provider type(s). Include the county and reason(s) for not meeting the requirements.

Provider Type	County	Reason Code	Notes	Affected Enrollees*	Percent Total Enrollees Affected	Percent Not Covered*	Percent Available Providers Included
General Hospital facilities	Aitkin	1	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several partners organizations including Riverwood Health Care Center, Cuyuna Regional Medical Center, Fairview Health and St. Lukes Hospital, no General Hospitals are available to cover 100% of this county. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information when determining if a provider is available and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans as well as Centers for Medicare and Medical Services (CMS) for determining network adequacy. Members can access hospital are at the facilities listed above in this county and neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access no-line provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service (CMS) runber found on the back of their ID card for provider network information. As a result, waives are requested for the listed county. On a quarterly basis we have and will continue to assess network adequacy as new providers become available. We continue to use Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites to search for new providers. There were no new General Hospitals that opened in this region from C1 2021 to 012022. In 2020, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota has enhanced their Televideo Consultations/Telehealth/Telemedicine Services policy to support access to and continued expansion of virtual care options.	1	3		
General Hospital facilities	Becker	3	A waiver is requested due to another hospital provider located in the area. Discussions were conducted with Essentia Health regarding participation in this network and in compliance with the Minn.Stat. §22K.10. These are not Essential Community Providers. Our organizations could not agree on terms needed for this network; specifically, the provider was not willing to implement a reindrussement differential to support the high value network cost criteria. The provider device participation on March 1, 2022. Members have been able to access hospital care at Lake Region Healthcare, Mahnomen Health Center, Perham Health and St. Josephs Area Health Services in neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider network Information.	0	0		
General Hospital facilities	Beltrami	1	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1:30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several patnets organizations including Sanford Health, and Grant Itacea Hospital, Bigfork Valley Hospital and Rany Lake Medical Center, no General Hospitales are available to cover 100% of this county. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information when distermining of a provider is available and defining these services. Quest Analytics, Iwaed for the service of the service and Medical Center (CMS) for determining net a provider is available and defining these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plants are wall as Centers for Medicare and Medical Centers (CMS) for determining network access hospital are a scense hospital care at the facilities listed above in this county and neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider directories showing the encortex participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider information. As a result, waivers are requested for the listed county. On a quarterly basis we have and will continue to assess network adequacy as new providers become available. We continue to use Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites to search for new providers. There were no new General Hospitals that opened in this region from Q1 2021 to Q1 2022. In 2020, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota has enhanced their Televideo Consultations/Telehealtt/Telemedicine Services policy to support access to and continued expansion of virtual care options.	8	15		
General Hospital facilities	Cass	1	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several patners organizations including Sanford Health, Cuyrina Regional Medical Center, Case Lake Indian Hospital, Bigfork Valley Hospital and Grand Itacsa Hospital, on General Hospitals are evailable to cover 100% of this county. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information when determining if a provider is available and offering these services, Quest Analytics, used by many health plans as well as Centers for Medicare and Medical Services (CM) for determining network reducing; Methodens can accesse and Bies conditions and the facilities Isled above in this county and neighboring counties. Bue Cross and Bile Plus members can accesses on-line provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider network information. As a result, waivers are requested for the listed county. On a quarterly basis we have and will continue to assess network adequacy are networks participating providers become available. We continue to use Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites to search for new providers. There were no new General Hospitals that opened in this region from Q1 2021 to Q1 2022. In 2020, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota has enhanced their Televideo Consultations/Telehealtt/Telemedicine Services policy to support access to and continued expansion of virtual care options.	1	10		

General Hospital facilities	Cook	1	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several pathres organizations including North Shore Health, Cock Hospital, and Alakeve Memorial Hospital, no General Hospitala era available to cover 100% of this county. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information when determining if a provider is available and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans as well as Centers for Mexicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) for determining network adequacy. The far most north counties in Minnesota: Cook, Lake, St. Louis, Koochiching, Lake of the Woods, Roseau and Kittson include dense forest land and large bodies of water like Superior National Forest, Bounday Waters Wilderness, Lake Superior, Voyageurs National Park, Rainy Lake, Kochiching State Forest, Bois Forte Indian Reservation and Lake of the Woods. These counties are bordered by Canada to the north. Members can access hospital care at the facilities listed above in this county and neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider divectories showing the networks participating providers or call the Cuustomer Service number found on the back of their ID card for providen network information. As a result, waivers are requested for the listed corty. On a quarterly basis we have and will continue to assess network adequacy. Provider websites to search for new providers with the networks approved the physical science and provider science and physical science and phy	0	0	
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General Hospital facilities	Freeborn	3	A waiver is requested due to another specially provider located in the area. Discussions were conducted with Mayo Clinic Health to include the needed facilities for this network and in compliance with the Minn Stat. §52K 10. These are not Essential Community Providers. Our proposal was declined by the provider on February 19, 2020 and is currently in a 5-year contract agreement. Therefore, our organizations could not agree on terms needed to paticipate in the high value network; specifically, the provider and willing to implement a reimbursement differential to support the high value network cost contract. Members have been able to access in-network hospital care at United Hospital District, Windom Area Health, Rivers Edge Hospital and Oinsted Medical Center in neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider network information.	35	40	
General Hospital facilities	ltasca	1	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several partners organizations including Sanford Health, Cuyuna Regional Medical Center, Bigfork Valley Hospital and Grand Itasca Hospital, no General Hospitals are available to cover 100% of this courty. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information when determining if a provider is available and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health privans as velials Centers for Medicare and Medical Services (CMS) for determining network adequacy. Members can access hospital care at the facilities listed above in this county and neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their 10 card for provider network information. As a result, wavers are requested for the listed courty.	0	0	
General Hospital facilities	Koochiching	1	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several partners organizations including Sanford Health, Cock Hospital, Bigfork Valley Hospital and Grant Itasca Hospital, no General Hospitals are available to cover 100% of this county. These directories give the most accurate and complete information when determining if a provider is available and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans as well as Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) for determining in a provider is available and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans as well as Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) for determining in a provider valuey. The far most north counties in Minnesota: Cook, Lake, SL Louis, Koochching, Lake of the Woods, Roseau and Kittson include dense forest land and large bodies of water like Superior Valoral Park, Rainy Lake, Koochching State Forest, Buids Fortel Indian Reservation and Lake of the Woods. These counties are bordered by Canada to the north. Members can access hospital care at the facilities listed above in this county and neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their 1D card for provider network information. As a result, waivers are requested for the listed county. On a quarterly basis we have and will continue to assess network adequacy as mer providers become available. We continue to use Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider their Televideo Consultations/Telehealth/Telemedicine Services policy to support access to and continued expansion of virtual care optons.	0	0	
General Hospital facilities	Lake	1	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several partners organizations including North Shore Health, Cook Hospital, and Lakevew Memorial Hospital, no General Hospitals are available to cover 100% of this county. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information web noted attermining in a provider is available and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans as well as Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) for determining network adequacy. The far most north counties in Minnesota: Cook, Lake, St. Louis, Koochiching, Lake of the Woods, Roseau and Kittson include dense forest land and large bodies of water like Superior National Forest, Boundary Waters Wildermess, Lake Superior, Voyageurs National Park, Rainy Lake, Koochiching State Forest, Bois Forte Indian Reservation and Lake of the Woods. These counties are bordered by Canada to the north. Members can access hospital care at the facilities listed above in this county and neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider network information. As a result, waters are requested for the listed county. On a quarterly basis we have and will continue to assess network adequacy as new provider second available. We continue to use Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites to search for new providers. There were no new General Hospitals that opened in this region from 01 2021 to 01 2022. In 2020, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota has enhanced their Televideo Consultations/Telehealth/Telemedicine Services policy to support access to and continued expansion of virtual care options.	6	40	

General Hospital facilities	Lake Of The Woods	1	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several partners organizations including Sanford Health, Cook Hospital, Bigfork Valley Hospital and Raimy Lake Medical Center, no General Hospitals are available to cover 100% of this county. These directories (jue us the most accurate and complete information when determining if a provider is available and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans as well as Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) for determining network adequacy. The far most north counties in Minnesota: Cook, Lake, St. Louis, Koochiching, Lake of the Woods, Roseau and Kittson include dense forest land and large bodies of water like Superior National Forest, Bundardy Waters Widerens, Lake Superior, Voyageurs National Park, Rainy Lake, Koochiching State Forest, Bois Forte Indian Reservation and Lake of the Woods. These counties are bordered by Canada to the north. Members can access hospital care at the facilities listed above in this county and neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider directories showing the metworks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider network information. As a result, waters are requested for the listed county. On a quarterly basis we have and will continue to assess network adequacy as new providers become available. We continue to use Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites to search for new providers. There were no new General Hospitals that opened in this region from 0.1 2021 to 0.1 2022. In 2020, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota has enhanced their Televideo Consultations/Telehealth/Telemedicine Services palicy to support access to and continued expansion of virtual care eptotoms.	1	25	
General Hospital facilities	Marshali	1	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websiles of several partners organizations including Sanford Health, Rod Lake Hospital, Riverview Health care and Rittoro Memorial Hospital, no General Hospitals are available to cover 100% of this county. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information when determining if a provider is available and offering these services. Ouest Analytics is used by many health plans as well as Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (XMS) for determining network adequaye). Members can access hospital care at the facilities listed above in this county. These directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider in available. We continue to use Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider back of their ID card for provider index and the clusters are requested for the listed county.	0	0	
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General Hospital facilities	Pine	3	A waiver is requested due to another hospital provider located in the area. Discussions were conducted with Essentia Health regarding participation in this network and in compliance with the Minn.Stat. §62K 10. These are not Essential Community Providers. Our organizations could not agree on terms needed for this network; specifically, the provider was not willing to implement a reimbursment differential to specific the high value network cost criteria. The provide decimeling participation on March 1, 2022. Members have been able to access in network hospital care at Cambridge Medical Center, Community Memorial Hospital, M Health Fairview and Mile Lacs Health System in neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider network information.	0	0	
General Hospital facilities	Roseau	1	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several partners organizations including Sanford Health, Red Lake Hospital, Lakewood Health Center and Kittson Memorial Hospital, no General Hospitals are available to cover 100% of this county. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information when determining if a provider is available and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans as well as Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) for determining network adequacy. The far most north counties in Minnesota: Cook, Lake, St. Louis, Koochching, Lake of the Woods, Roseau and Kittson include dense forest land and large bodies of water like Superior National Forest, Bunding Vaters Wildermess, Lake Superior, Vayageurs National Park, Rainy Lake, Koochching State Forest, Boais Fote Indian Reservation and Lake of the Woods. These counties are bordered by Canada to the north. Members can access hospital care at the facilities listed above in this county and neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their 1D card for provider network information. As a result, waivers are requested for the listed county. On a quarterly basis we have and will continue to assess network adequacy as new providers become available. We continue to uscue Gross Blue Shield of Minnesota has enhanced their Televideo Consultations/Telehealth/Telemedicine Services palicy to support access to and continued expansion of virtual care options.	1	3	
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For all reason codes, carriers must demonstrate with specific data that geographic access standards cannot be met. Carriers must state what steps were and will be taken to address network inadequacies (MN Statutes § 62K.10, subdivision 5).

Allowable Waiver Reason Codes and Guidelines for Initial Approval

Applications to waive the requirements in Minnesota Statutes 62K.10 Subd. 2 or 3 must fit one of the following reason codes. Waivers automatically expire after one year. The commissioner shall only approve a subsequent waiver application that satisfies the requirements in Minnesota Statutes 62K.10 Subd. 5, demonstrates that the carrier took the steps it proposed to address network inadequacy, and explains why the carrier continues to be unable to satisfy the requirements

Reason Code 1:

Carrier has conducted a search for providers and determined that, for each county in the plan service area, there are no providers physically present of the type requested in the waiver

Carriers must:

- Provide a description of physical geography and/or other factors that affect the location of providers (as relevant)
- Provide a use should be physical geography allow one hadrons that arecult the location of providers (as needant).
 Demonstrate consultation of at least two provider directories and/or data sources. Provide a description of the provider directories and/or data sources consulted, including a brief explanation of with the sources are believed to be accurate and complete. Examples of acceptable provider directories and data sources include, but are not limited to:
 - a. NPPES NPI Registry
 - b Medicare Physician Compare
 - Minnesota Health Care Programs Provider Directory Healthgrades
 - SAMHSA Behavioral Health Provider Directories
 - National Institute of Health (NIH) U.S. National Library of Medicine MedlinePlus Directories
- Quest Analytics

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 For Primary Care, Pediatric Services (Primary Care), General Hospital and Mental Health provider types:

 Astate the total number and percentage of estimated enrolees affected in the county not meeting the geographic standard as of the submission date of waiver. Select only one county per line.

 State how access will be provided for this provider type for enrollees of the affected county. For example, does the carrier provide transportation services/vouchers, in-home care options, virtual care services, and/or telemedicine services?
 - - If, in its waiver application, a health carrier demonstrates to the commissioner that there are no providers of a specific type or speciality in a county, the commissioner may approve a waiver in which the health carrier is allowed to address network inadequacy in that county by providing for patient access to providers of that type or specialty via telemedicine
 - ii. If telemedicine is used to provide access:
 - These services must meet the definition of "telemedicine" in Minnesota Statutes
 - 62A.671, subdivision 9.
 - 2. Carrier must describe the extent to which telemedicine services are available
- How many network providers of the impacted provider type have contracts to conduct/provide telemedicine services? The main instruct product on the impacted provider where the standard cannot currently be met conduct this assessment quarterly
 Describe how they will assess the availability of providers who begin practice in the service area where the standard cannot currently be met and agree to conduct this assessment quarterly
- a. Assessment of availability must include consultation of at least two provider directories and/or data sources, as described in item 2, above

Reason Code 2:

Provider does not meet carrier's credentialing requirements.

Carriers must:

- 1. Cite the reason(s) provider does not meet credentialing requirements
- 2. For Primary Care, Pediatric Services (Primary Care), General Hospital, and Mental Health provider types
- State the total number and percentage of estimated enrollees affected in the county not meeting the decoraphic standard as of the submission date of waiver. Select only one county per line
- 3. State how access will be provided for this provider type for enrollees of the affected county. For example, does the carrier allow enrollees to receive out-of-network
- care at in-network rates, provide transportation services/vouchers, in-home care options, virtual care services, and/or telemedicine services
 - If telemedicine is used to provide access:
 These services must meet the definition of "telemedicine" in Minnesota Statute
 - 62A 671 subdivision 9
 - 2. Carrier must describe the extent to which telemedicine services are available
 - a. How many network providers of the impacted provider type have contracts to conduct/provide telemedicine services?

Reason Code 3:

Carrier has made a good faith effort to contract with provider and provider has refused to accept a contract.

Carriers must:

- Cite the reason(s) provider state(s) for refusing contract(s)
- 2. For Primary Care, Pediatric Services (Primary Care), General Hospital and Mental Health provider types
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 a. State the total number and percentage of estimated enrollees affected in the county not meeting the geographic standard as of the submission date of waiver. Select only one county per line.
 3. State how access will be provided for this provider type for enrollees of the affected county. For example, does the carrier allow enrollees to receive out-of-network
- care at in-network rates, provide transportation services/vouchers, in-home care options, virtual care services, and/or telemedicine services?
 - i. If telemedicine is used to provide access:
 - These services must meet the definition of "telemedicine" in Minnesota Statutes
 - 62A 671 subdivision 9
 - 2. Carrier must describe the extent to which telemedicine services are available
 - How many network providers of the impacted provider type have contracts to conduct/provide telemedicine services?

Reason Code 4:

Network is an Accountable Care Organization (ACO) or Narrow Network.

Carriers must:

- Specify the network structure: Accountable Care Organization (ACO) or Narrow Network

 a. If the network is an ACO, provide a brief description of the major health systems participating in the network
 - If the network is a narrow network, describe the features of the network that restrict access
 - For both ACOs and Narrow Networks, state what percentage of available Primary Care, Pediatric Services (Primary Care), General Hospital,
 - and Mental Health providers are included in the county and of the provider type for which a waiver is requested
- State what, if any, steps are taken to inform enrollees of restricted access
- State the total number of estimated enrollees in the network as of the submission date of the waiver
- State how access will be provided for this provider type for the enrollees of the affected courty. For example, does the carrier allow enrollees to receive out-of-network
- care at in-network rates, provide transportation services/vouchers, in-home care options, virtual care services, and/or telemedicine services?
 - If telemedicine is used to provide access: 1. These services must meet the definition of "telemedicine" in Minnesota Statutes
 - 624 671 subdivision 9
 - 2. Carrier must describe the extent to which telemedicine services are available
- a. How many network providers of the impacted provider type have contracts to conduct/provide telemedicine services?
 6. For Primary Care, Pediatric Services (Primary Care), General Hospital and Mental Health provider types,

 - State the total number and percentage of estimated enrollees affected in the county not meeting the geographic standard as of the submission date of waiver. Select only one county per line. State the estimated percentage of area in that county that is not covered

Allowable Waiver Reason Codes and Guidelines for Subsequent Approval (Renewals) In accordance with 62K.10 Subd. 5 (d), waivers will automatically expire after one year.

Carriers seeking identical, subsequent waivers for plan year 2022 will be required to show steps taken to address network inadequacies in plan year 2021 (see below).

Reason Code 1:

Carrier has conducted a search for providers and determined that, for each county in the plan service area, there are no providers physically present of the type requested in the waiver

Carriers must:

- Meet all of the requirements set forth for initial approval
 Provide a description of how access was provided for affected enrollees in the previous approval year
- Show evidence of quarterly efforts to assess provider availability throughout the last calendar year. Did new providers become available in affected areas? If so, describe any efforts to pursue contracts. If new providers became available and new contracts were not pursued, explain why.

Reason Code 2:

Provider does not meet carrier's credentialing requirements.

Carriers must: 1. Meet all of the requirements set forth for initial approval 2. Provide a description of how access was provided for affected enrollees in the last approval year

Reason Code 3:

Carrier has made a good faith effort to contract with provider and provider has refused to accept a contract.

Carriers must:
1. Meet all of the requirements set forth for initial approval
2. Provide a description of how access was provided for affected enrollees in the last approval year

Reason Code 4:

Network is an Accountable Care Organization (ACO) or Narrow Network.

Carriers must: 1. Meet all of the requirements set forth for initial approval 2. Provide a description of how access was provided for affected enrollees in the last approval year

Attestation for the Request for Waiver

The undersigned attests that he/she is a representative of the carrier with personal knowledge of the network and reasons for the above waiver requests, and that the waiver requests meet the requirements for the waiver, as cultimed above. The undersigned also attests that good faith efforts have been made to locate and contract with providers, as durined above, and that if providers become available in the service area, carrier will make a good faith effort to contract with said providers.

Eric Hoag, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota, Vice President, Provider Relations Date Attestation Signed

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Pediatric Services Providers	St. Louis	1	Eased on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several partners organizations including SL Luke's Hospital and Clinics, University Medical Center Mesabi and Ety Bloomenson, no Peclatic Service providers are available to cover 100% of this county. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information when determining if a provider is available and melling these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans are available to cover 100% of this county. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information when determining if a provider is available and melling these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans are well as Centers for Medicare and Medicard Services (QMS) for the for most not not counties in Minnesota [®] Cook. Lake, SL Loaks, Koochching, Lake of the Woods, Roseau and Kitson include dense forest land and large bodies of water like Superior. Volgaeus National PAR, Rainy Lake, Koochching State Forest, Bois Fore Indian Reservation and Lake of the Woods. These countes are bodied by Ganada to the north: Members can access pediatic care at the facilities listed above in this county and neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-ine provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer and will continue to assess network adequacy as new providers become available. We continue to use Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites to search for new providers. No even eValutic Services providers have become available. We continue to use Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites to search for new providers. No even eValutic Services provides have become available in the sing rol to 2022. In 2020, Blue Cross Blue Sheld of Minnesida has enhanced their Televideo Consultational Teleheatth/Telemedicine Services pole	16	10	
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Pediatric Services Providers	Steele	3	A waiver is requested due to another specially provider located in the area. Discussions were conducted with Mayo Clinic Health to include the needed facilities for this network and in compliance with the Minn. Stat. 562X 10. These are not Essential Community Providers. Our proposal was declined by the provider on February 19, 2020 and is currently in a 5 year contract agreement. Therefore, our organizations could not agree on terms needed to participate in the high value network; specificatly, the provider was not limited Medical Center in neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider network information.		0	
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Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology	Albhin,Itasca,Lako,St. Louis	A weiver is requested due to another specially provider located in the area. Discussions were conducted with Essentia Mailth regarding participation in Plan network and in compliance with the Minn Stat. 562X 10. These are not Essential Community Providers. Our organizations could not agree on terms needed for this network, specifically, the provider was not willing to implement a membrusement differential to support the high value network cost criteria. The provider defined participation on March 1, 2022. Members have been able to access in-retwork allergy, immunology and heumatology care at Sanford Health, St. Lukes, and Rany Lake Medical Center in neighboring counties. Bue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-line provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider network information.
Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology	St Louis	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics. Medicare Physician Compare and provider vehaltes of several partners, organizations including Sandord Health, Atrin Health, Red Lake Hospital and Clinic and Ramy Lake Medical Center, no Allengy, Immunology and Rheumatology providers are available to cover 100% of these countiles. These directories give us the most accurate and composite information thread theoreming in a provider is available and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by namy health flands are well as Centers for Medicane and Medicane and Medicane Single Units (bit is a service). These services is available to cover 100% of these countiles are builded and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by namy health flands are well as Centers for Medicane and Medicane and Medicane Single Units (bit is a service). These counties are bordered by Candod to the north.
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Cardiac Surgery	Big Stons, Chippewa, Douglas, Fari bault, Filmore, Grant, Kandiyah Li La Cui Parie, Martin, Mower, Otter Taul, Pope, Renville, Stevens, Sw Hit, Traverse Wilkin, Yellow Medicine	A waiver is requested due to another specially provider located in the area. Discussions were conducted with Essertia Health regarding participation in this network and in compliance with the Minn Stat. §62X 10. These are not Essertial Community Providers. Our organizations could not agree on terms needed for this network, specifically, the provide relation bare here have been able to access in-interface with an endormation of terms in the Stat. §62X 10. These are not Essertial Community Providers. Our organizations could not agree on terms needed for this network, specifically, the provide relation bare have have been able to access in-interface on terms in neighboring countes.
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Neurology and Neurological Surgery	Lake, St. Louis	A waiter is requested due to another specially provider located in the area. Discussions were conducted with Essentia Health regarding participation in this network and in compliance with the Minn Stat. §22X. 10. These are not Essential Community Providers. Our organizations could not agree on terms needed for this network specifically, the provider was not willing to implement a reinbursement differential to support the high value network could could be access in-network specifically. The provider was not willing to implement a reinbursement differential to support the high value network could could be access in-network specifically. The provider was not willing to implement a reinbursement differential to support the high value network could could be access in-network neurology and neurological surgery care at St. Lukes, Hebbing Family Medical Center, Laurentian Medical Center and Northind Neurology and Myology in neighboring counties. Blue Cross and Blue Plus members can access on-sine provider directories showing the networks participating providers or call the Customer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider network information.	
Obstetrics and Gynecology	Cook	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several partners organizations including Lakwiew Memorial, Scenic Rivers Health Services, St. Lukes Hospital and Clinics, and Messaba Clinic, Obstetrics and Gynecology providers are available to cover 100% of this ocurity. These directories give us the motion accurate and compare Information Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites of several partners directories give us the motion accurate and compare Information Medicare Physician Compare and provider severalable to cover 100% of this ocurity. These directories give us the motion is Constant Compared and Compared and Offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans and all as Centers for Medicare and Medicard Services (CMS) for determining network adequays. The fire motion throating in Meniodic Coulse, St. Luke, St. Locki, St. Lock	
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Radiology and Nuclear Medicine	Koochiching,St. Louis	Based on a review of Initianal records and provider directories (between April 1-50, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics. Medicare Physician Compare and provider directories per use handle to cover 100% of these countiles. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information when determining if a provider is available and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans as well as Centers for Medicare and Medical Services (CMS) for determining retwork delequary. The far most north counties in Minnesota: Cook, Lake, St. Louis, Koochiching, Lake of the Woods, Roseau and Kitson include dense forest land and large bodies of water like Superior National Forest, Boundary Waters Wilderness, Lake Superior, Wayageurs National Park, Ray, Lake, Koochiching, State Forest, Bos Fore Indian Reservation and Lake of the Woods. These counties are bordered by Canada to the north. These counties are indexed by users and the Superior National Forest, Boundary Waters Wilderness, Lake Superior, Wayageurs National Park, Ray, Lake, Koochiching State Forest, Bos Fore Indian Reservation and Lake of the Woods. These counties are bordered by Canada to the north. Medicare participating providers or call the Cuationer Service number found on the back of their ID card for provider network information. As a result, waives are requested for the listed counties. These counties are bordered by Canada to the listed counties. The Provider network information. As a result, waives are requested for the listed counties. These participating providers websites to search for new providers. No revised integriting providers restories and provider restories absorbers become available in the region to on 12022 to 012022.	
Reconstructive Surgery	Becker, Beltrami, Cass, Clearwa Ter, Cook, Hubbard, Itasca, Jack son, Koochiching, Lake, Lake Of The Woods, Mahnomen, Vobles, Ro seau, St. Louis	in 2020, Blue Cross Blue Sheld of Minnesota has enhanced their Televideo Consultations/Telemeditive Services policy to support access to and continued expansion of virtual care options.	
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SUD (Chemical Dependency) - Inpatient	Beltrami, Cook, Kittson, Lake, La ke Of The Woods, Roseau, St. Louis	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics. Medicare Physician Compare and provider vehaltes of several partners organizations including Restore House, Northand Recovery Pinneiver Center, Northern Lights Community Residence, Northern Menesota Addiction Wellness Center, and Sandrod Pinnewest Residential Support Center, no SUD (Chenical Dependency - Inpatient) providers are available cover 100% of these countes. These directories give us the most accurate and complex information with determining if a provider is available and effering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plane as well as Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (IANS) of determining network Adequacy. The first net orthorourism is information. Conc. Like S.L. Losis, Konchching, Laise of the Woods, Reseau and Kloton Include dans fore the Woods. These counties are bordered by Canada to the north. Wildenness, Lake Superior, Vargeuis National Park, Rany Lake, Konchching, Sale of the Woods, Reseau and Kloton Include dans fore the Woods. These counties are bordered by Canada to the north. Members can access SUD (Chemical Dependency) - Ingatient care at the facilities listed advove in these counties and neightory counties. These directories alrowing the entrols and function provider network information. As a result, valves are requested for the Incode of the Voods foreau and A are sult, valves are requested for the Incode of the Voods foreau and a service information. As a result, valves are requested for the Incode of the Voods foreau and and Voods foreau and and Park Barry Counties are bordered by Canada to the north. Members an access SUD (Chemical Dependency) - Ingetient crowing of the Park of the Vood foreau and Voods foreau and Voods foreau and an equipation of the Voods foreau and Voods foreau and and the Subcomment of the Subcomment of the Vood foreau and Voods foreau and Park Barry Counties are possible for new fore ante	
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Vascular Surgery	Koochiching,St. Louis	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) attained through resources such as Quest Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider webaltes of several partners organizations including St Lukes Hospital and Clinics, Bay Area Health Center, Laurentian Medical Clinic, Höbrig Family Medical Cartern and Sandrot Health no Vasoudar Surgery providers are available to cover 100% of these services. Does directorise give us the most accurate and once indeferming in a provider is available and offering these services. Duest Analytics is used by many health plane and learning in a provider and the services and provider available to cover 100% of these services. Duest Analytics is used by many health plane and learning in a provider is available and offering these services. Duest Analytics is used by many health plane and learning in a provider and large bodies of water like Superior National Forest, Boundary Waters Midicares and Medicare Director Superior National Forest, Boundary Waters and Bay Bua Prane counties are bodiered by Canada to the north. Members can access vascular surgery care at the facilities listed above in these counties and neighboring counties. The at framework members can access on-line provider indectories than the back of the Hod Care of the Sod Care of the Isside care of the Isside care of the Isside care of the sod care of the Care of the Sod Care of the Isside Care of the Sod Care of the Isside Care of the Isside care of the Isside Care of the Isside above in the back of the Hod Care of the Isside Care of the Isside Care of the Isside Care of the Isside Area of the Isside Care of the Isside C	
Thoracic Surgery	Becker, Beltrami, Big Stons, Cook, Hasca, Alfitton, Ko conching, Lake, Of The Golden, Lake, St. Cook, St. Cook, St. Cook, St. Cook, St. Cook, Traverse	Based on a review of Internal records and provider directories (between April 1-30, 2022) statisted through resources such as Quest Analytics. Medicare Physician Compare and provider urbaities of several partners organizations including Sanford Health, St. Lukee Hospital and Clinica, and Fairwee Health, no Thonoici Surgery providers are available to cover 100% of these counties. These directories give us the most accurate and complete information Wheel determining if a provider is available and offering these services. Quest Analytics is used by many health plans as well as Centers for Medicare and Medical derivece (URS) for determining network adequary. The for most north counties in Manesott: Cook. Lake, St. Losis, Koochching, Lake of the Woods. Roseau and Kittoon include dense fores tand and targe boals of water like Superior National Forset, Boandary Waters Wilderness, Lake Superior, Voyageurs National Park, Rany Lake, Koochching State Forest, Boa Fore Indian Reservation and Lake of the Woods. These counties are bordered by Canada to the north. Members can access thoracis surgery care at the facilities listed above in these counties and heighboring counties. As a result, waters are regeleted for the listed counties. The add to grow deriver heights. As a result, waters are regeleted for the listed counties. Rote and heighboring counties. As a result, waters are regeleted for the listed counties. The add for provide reflection is fibrations. As a result, waters are regeleted for the listed counties. The add for provide reflection is fibrations. As a result, where same and provider reflectives is boarden and the counties. The second on the bask of the hild counties. The second and the add to the listed counties. On a quarterly basis we have and will continue to assess network adequarks an exerceted in the listed counties. Bue providers become available. We continue to use Quart Analytics, Medicare Physician Compare and provider websites to search for new provides. Nore Whornois Clamper providem in the r	

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