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Request for Waiver

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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	Reason Code 4: Network Structure*
HealthPartners Insurance Carrier	Open Access Perform	MNN002	<select one=""></select>
Name	Title	Date	Reason Code 4: Enrollees in Network*
Martin Michael	Sr Director Provider Relations & Network Management	5/9/2023	

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 Not Covered*
General Hospital facilities Altkin	1	There is a gap in the northeastern part of Altkin County. HealthPartners contracts with all known hospitals in the county. The county is rural, and the hospitals available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. If members need hospital services, they have to travel more than 30 miles in these areas. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For inpatient services, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and treatment facilities, include Essentia Health, St. Luke's Hospital and Clinics and Sanford Health. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthgrades - Medicare Physician Compare - Minnesota Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health Us National Library of Medicine MeditinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	27	10
General Hospital facilities Beltramı	ni 1	There is a gap in the northern part of Beltrami County. HealthPartners contracts with all known hospitals in the county. The county is rural, and the hospitals available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. If members need hospital services, they have to travel more than 30 miles in these areas. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For inpatient services, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and treatment facilities, including beschied. Essentia Health, Altru Health System and Sanford Health. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations Healthgrades Medicare Physician Compate Minrescolar Health Care Programs Provider Directory Nistonal institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MediinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	28	11
General Hospital facilities Cass	1	Cass County is located in the North Central part of Minnesota and contains a portion of Chippewa National Forest, Foot Hills State Park and numerous lakes. It is also the home of part of the Leech Lake Indian Reservation. The Reservation covers 30-35% of Cass County – primarily the northwest part of the county. There is a gap in the central part of Cass County for hospital services. HealthPartners done to the county. HealthPartners contacts this provider on an annual basis to offer a contract and the provider has refused to contract. However, due to their status as an Indian Health Service facility, HealthPartners allows members to access the facility regardless of their non-contracted status and pays claims from this provider at in network benefit levels. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or cutreich locations For inpatient services, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and treatment facilities, include Essentia Health, SL Lukes Hospitals and Clinics and Sanford Health. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthgrades - Medicare Physician Compare - Minnesota Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health Us National Library of Medicine MedlinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	56	38

General Hospital facilities	Clearwater	1	There is a gap in the northern part of Clearwater County, HealthPartners contracts with all known hospitals in the county. The county is rural, and the hospitals available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. If members need hospital services, they have to travel more than 30 miles in these areas. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2023: Provider clinics or outreach locations For inplatient services, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and treatment facilities, include Essentia Health, Altru Health System and Sanford Health. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthgrades - Medicare Physician Compare - Minnesota Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedlinePlus Directories New providers identified No additional providers were identified.	0	o
General Hospital facilities	Cook	1	There is a gap in the western and eastern part of Cook County. The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. HealthPartners contracts with all known facilities in this area. Available facilities do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. If members need hospital services, they have to travel more than 30 miles in these areas. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For inpatient services, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and returnment facilities, include Essentia Health, St. Luke's Hospital and Clinics and Sanford Health. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations - Healthgrades - Medicare Physician Compare - Minnesota Health Care Frograms Provider Directory - Mational Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedlinePlus Directories New providers identified No additional providers were identified.	66	31
General Hospital facilities	Itasca	1	There is a gap in the northwestern part of Itasca County, HealthPartners contracts with all known hospitals in the county. The county is rural, and the hospitals available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. If members need hospital services, they have to travel more than 30 miles in these areas. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For inpatient services, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and trattenent facilities, include Essentia Health, St. Luke's Hospital and Clinics and Sanford Health. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthyrades - Medicare Physician Compare - Medicare Physician Compare - Medicare Physician Compare - Medicare Physician Compare - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	4	2
General Hospital facilities	Koochiching	1	There is a gap in the western part of Koochiching County. Health Partners contracts with all known hospitals in the county. The county is rural, and the hospitals available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. If members need hospital services, they have to travel more than 30 miles in these areas. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For impatient services, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and treatment facilities, include Essentia Health, St. Luko's Hospital and Clinics and Sanford Health. Network Review: We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthgrades - Mediciane Physician Compare - Midnesota Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine Mediine Plus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	35	15
General Hospital facilities	Lake	,	There is a gap in the eastern part of Lake County. HealthPartners contracts with all known hospitals in the county. This area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The hospitals available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. If members need hospital services, they have to travel more than 30 miles in these areas. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024. Provider clinics or outreach locations For inpatients extrosis, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and treatment facilities, include Essentia Health, St. Luke's Hospital and Clinics and Sanford Health. Network Review: We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthyrades - Medicare Physician Compare - Minnesota Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedlinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	66	33

General Hospital facilities	Lake Of The Woods	1	There is a gap in the northern and southwestern part of Lake of the Woods County, HealthPartners contracts with all known hospitals in the county. The county is rural, and the hospitals available do not cover the entire area using the 30 miles in these areas. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For inpartner structures, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and treatment facilities, include Essentia Health, Affru Health System and Clinics and Sanford Health. Network Review: We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthgrades - Medicare Physician Compare - Metional Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MediinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	52	16
General Hospital facilities	Marshall		There is a gap in the eastern part of Marshall County, HealthPartners contracts with all known hospitals in the county. The county is rural, and the hospitals available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. If members need hospital services, they have to travel more than 30 miles in these areas. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For inpatient services, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and treatment facilities, include Essentia Health, Altru Health System and Clinics and Sanford Health. Network Review: We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthgrades - Medicare Physician Compane - Microscota Health Care Programs Provider Directory - Microscota Health Care Programs Provider Directory - Microscota Health Care Programs Provider Users were identified. New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	23	11
General Hospital facilities	Roseau	1	There is a gap in the southwestern part of Roseau County. HealthPartners contracts with all known hospitals in the county. The county is rural, and the hospitals available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. If members need hospital services, they have to travel more than 30 miles in these areas. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For injusters ervices, including injuspital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and treatment facilities, include Essentia Health, Aftru Health System and Clinics and Sanford Health. Network Review. We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations * Healthgrades * Healthgrades * Healthgrades * Health Care Physician Compare * Himmestal Health Care Physician Compare * Hashing Health Care Physician Compare * H	16	4
General Hospital facilities	St. Louis		There is a gap in the northmost part of StLouis County. HealthPartners contracts with all known hospitals in the county. The county is rural, and the hospitals available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. If members need hospital services, they have to travel more than 30 miles in these areas. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For inpatient services, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and returned relatilities, include Essentia Health, Altru Health System and Clinics and Sanford Health. Network Review: We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthgrades - Medicare Physician Compare - Minnesota Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedlinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	15	2
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Primary Care providers	Cook	1	There is a gap in all of Cook County except the southern corner. The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the primary care providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to primary care services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office o whist, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide curricus services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthprates + Healthprates + Healthprates - Healthprates - Healthprates - Health provided uriters are provided relication. Network Review Network Review	207	98
Primary Care providers	Lake	1	There is a gap in eastern Lake County. The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the primary care providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to primary care services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/forectory - National Institute of Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine Plus Directories New providers identified.	11	5
Primary Care providers	Lake Of The Woods	1	There is a gap in northern and southwestern Lake of the Woods County. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers o in this county. The county is rural, and the primary care providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to primary care services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and Altru Health System. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations - Healthprades - Medicare Physician Compare - M	29	9
Primary Care providers	Marshall	1	There is a gap in eastern Marshall County, HealthPartners contracts with all known providers o in this county. The county is rural, and the primary care providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to primary care services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and Altru Health System. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthpracts - Healthpra	14	7
Primary Care providers	St. Louis	1	There is a gap in northern and east central St. Louis County. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers o in this county. The county is rural, and the primary care providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to primary care services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations - Healthprades - Medicare Physician Compare - Medicare Physician Compare - Medicare Physician Core programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MediinePlus Directories - New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	4	o

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Mental health providers	Clearwater	There is a gap in the northern part of Clearwater County. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the mental health providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to mental health services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and Altru Health. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they office provides criteria health provides criteria. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations Healthprades - Meticare Physician Compare - Minnesota Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedilinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	o	,
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Mental health providers	Kittson	There is a gap in the eastern part of Kittson County. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the mental health providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 miles distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to mental health services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and Altru Health System. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide curreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. **Network Review** We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthprades - Medicare Physician Compare - Minnesota Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedilinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	.77 3	17
Mental health providers	Lake	There is a gap in the eastern part of Lake County. The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the mental health providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to mental health services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024. Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own to contains, they office provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations Hedicare Physician Compare Himmesota Health Care Programs Provider Directory National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedilinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	4	,

As part of this waiver request for all reason codes, a carrier must demonstrate with specific data that the geographic access standards cannot be met in a particular service area or part of a service area and also state what steps were and will be taken to address the network inadequacy (MN Statutes § 62K.10, subdivision 5).

- 1. Carrier has conducted a good faith search for providers and determined that there are no providers physically present in the service area Carrier has conducted a good faith search for providers and determined that there are no providers physically present in the service area of the type requested in the water. MDH will not grant a valver for this reason code unless the carrier demonstrates, with specific information, that there are no providers physically present in the part(s) of the service area for which the water is sought. Specific information may include provided refractories and sources consolited, physical goography that affects the location of providers, or other information that affects the availability and location of providers. Telemedicine may be used as a means to provide access when there are no provider providers pro
- Provider does not meet carrier's credentialing requirements. Carrier must cite the reason(s) provider does not meet carrier's credentialing requirements. State what steps were and will be taken to address the network inadequacy.
- Carrier has made a good faith effort to contract with provider and provider has refused to accept a contract. State what steps were and will be taken to address the network inadequacy.
- 4. For all Reason Code 4, you must state the following information:

- For all Reason Code 4, you must state the following information:
 a Specify the network structure: ACO or Narrow Network. (In Section 1 above.)
 b State the total number of estimated enrollees in the network as of the submission date of waiver. (In section 1 above.)
 c State why the geographic access standards cannot be met. Explain why full geographic access is not possible with this network design.
 d. State why the geographic access standards cannot be met. Explain why full geographic access is not possible with this network design.

Additionally, for Reason Code 4, only for Primary Care, Pediatric Services Providers [Primary Care], General Hospital and Mental Health provider types, you must select only one county per line. See the Provider Network Adequacy instruction for further direction. If the carrier would like to request a waiver for an additional county for the same provider type, they will need to add an additional line to allow for the specific additional information to be provided. For these same 4 provider types, the carrier must also complete the following fields:

- e. State the total number of estimated enrollees affected in the county not meeting the geographic standard as of the submission date of waiver.

 f. State the estimated percentage of area in that county that is not covered.

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 vaiver, so cullined above. The undersigned also attests that good faith efforts have been made to locate and contract with providers, as cullined above, and that if providers become available in the service area, carrier will make a good faith effort to contract with said providers.

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Provider Type	County	Reason Code	Notes	Affected Enrollees*	Percent Not Covered*
Mental health providers	Lake Of The Woods	1	There is a gap in the northern and southwestern part of Lake of the Woods County. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the mental health providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to mental health services if needed. Provider clinics or cutreach locations. For office value, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and Altru Health. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations Healthgrades Minicians Physician Compare Min	54	16
Mental health providers	Marshall	1	There is a gap in the eastern part of Marshall County. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the mental health providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to mental health services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and Altru Health. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations Healthgrades Minicasota Health Care Programs Provider Directory Minicasota Health Care Programs Provider Directory Minicasota Health Care Programs Provider Directory Network Review of Health Ostanda Library of Medicine Mediine Plus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	19	9
Mental health providers	Roseau	1	There is a gap in the southwestern part of Rouseau County. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the mental health providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to mental health services if needed. EINCOLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outtreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and Altru Health. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations Healthgrades Healthgrades Medicane Physician Compare Menicanol Health Care Programs Provider Directory Medicane Physician Compare Menicanol Health Care Programs Provider Directory Network for the least US Maxional Library of Medicine Mediine Plus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	15	5
Mental health providers	St. Louis	1	There is a gap in the northern part of St. Louis County. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the mental health providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to mental health services if needed. SHOULEE ACCES TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outmant hostulina. For office visits, constitutions (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations +Medicana Physician Compare -Minerosia Health Care Programs Provider Directory -National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine Medine Plus Directories New providers identified No additional provisies were identified.	3	0
Pediatric Services Providers	Beltrami	1	There is a gap in the northern part of Beltrami County, HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the primary care providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to services if needed. SHOCLES NO SERVICES IN 2022: Provider clinics or outment hostations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and Altru Health. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations Healthpartners	7	3

Pediatric Services Providers	Cook	There is a gap in all of Cook County except the southern comer. The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the primary care provider available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024. Physicist contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to services if needed. For office wister, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. 7 Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + HealthPartners also supports the provider provider intensity of Medicine Medline-Plus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified. New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	98
Pediatric Services Providers	Lake	There is a gap in the eastern part of Lake County. The north-east area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the primary care providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For effice valish, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at an addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at services and the state of the services of the state of th	5
Pediatric Services Providers	Lake Of The Woods	There is a gap in the northern and southwestern parts of Lake of the Woods County. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. The county is rural, and the primary care providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartner also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to services if needed. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outtrach locations For office vails, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health. Sanford Health and Altru Health. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. **To Network Reviews* We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/incloations + Healthprades - Medicare Physician Compare - Minnecota Health Clare Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health Dis National Largery of Medicine MedlinePlus Directories - New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	9
Pediatric Services Providers	Marshall	There is a gap in the eastern part of Marshall County. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this creatly have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartner also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to services if needed. ENROLLE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outerach locations. For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health. Sanford Health and Altru Health. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providersilocations + Healthpartners advantaged to the provider Directory + National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedlinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	7
Pediatric Services Providers	St. Louis	There is a gap in the northermost part of St. Louis County. The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this county. This part of the county is rural, and the pediatric services providers available do not cover the entire area using the 30 mile distance criteria. Members in this area generally have to drive more than 30 miles to a provider. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners has contracts with multiple telemedicine groups who provide additional access to services if needed. ENDICLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024. Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. 1 Network Review Network Review A We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new provideral/locations Healthgrades Medicare Physician Compare Mineracth Health Care Programs Provider Directory Hospital Medicare Physician Compare Mineracth Health Care Programs Provider Directory National Institute of Health O. National Library of Medicine MedinePlus Directories New providers identified No additional providers were identified.	o

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Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology	Beltrami,Cook,Kittson,Lake,Lake Of The Woods,Marshall,Pennington,Roseau,St. Louis	. 1	The followes available providers. Counties in the northwestern part of the siste are made up of farms in the northwestern most counties, to national and state forests and the Red Lake Indian Reservation in the more eastern counties. All of these counties are rural and made up of smaller communities. The closest methods in a ready to the counties of the closest available providers. Counties in the northwestern part of the siste are made up of farms in the northwestern most counties, to national and state forests and the Red Lake Indian Reservation in the more eastern counties. All of these counties are rural and made up of smaller communities. The closest available providers. Counties that make up the southwestern part of Minnesota are almost exclusively prairie land and farms, with some rolling hills. The area is mainly rural with small communities throughout. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area, so members have access to the closest available providers. ENOULEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, constitutions (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health, Altru Health Systems, Minnesota Rural Health, Riverview Healthcare Association and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide cutreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our retworks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations * Healthpraches are system's own locations. * Healthpraches are system's own locations. * Healthpraches are system's own locations, they often provide cutreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review * We reviewed our retworks in March, May, and August. **Sources used to check for new providers/locations** * Healthpraches are system's own locations. * Healthpraches are system's own locations. * Healthpra	
Anesthesiology Physicians and Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists	Beltrami,Cook,Kittson,Lake,Lake Of The Woods,Roseau	1	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitian area is Duluth. Health Partners contracts with all known providers in this area. Counties in the northwestern part of the state are made up of farms in the northwestern most counties, to national and state forests, large lakes, and the Red Lake Indian Reservation in the more eastern counties. All of these counties are rural and made up of smaller communities. The closest available providers are seen access to the closest available facilities where these types of providers are generally located. SHPOLLE ACCESS TO SETVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health, Altru Health Systems, Minnesota Rural Health, Riverview Healthcare Association and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care systems' own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations **Medical Physician Compare** **Medical Physician Compare	
Cardiac Surgery	Becker, Beitrami, Big Stone, Brown, Clearwater, Cook, Grant, Hu David, Mitton, Mochiching, Lac Qui Paric, Lake, Lake Of The The Standard S	1	These counties are primarily rural and have small populations. Due to the smaller community size, the hospitals and clinics in these areas don't have the technology or equipment to handle complex providers or specialized services. Patients have to travel to providers in the larger meteopolation areas where specially providers work in large facilities where the chechnology and equipment needed for complex cases are averagely complex cases are swellows available through large care systems and consultations are also available through telemedicine. There are no additional Cardiac Surgery providers available in these counties. HealthPartners communicates routinely with providers through our newsletter every other month with reminders to keep information regarding their locations and providers up to date. Member complaints regarding access to a particular type of provider are identified, the contracting department is notified and when new providers are identified, a contract is pursued. ENROLLE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024. Referral to metropolitian areas clinics and facilities. Complex cardiac surgery services are performed at larger metropolitian care system hospitals and locations. HealthPartners' contracted providers refer their patients to metropolitian area providers who have access to large hospital facilities that provide cardiac surgery services. Provider clinics to outleach locations or outleach locations or outleach locations in the region. In addition, telemedicine is an option for office visits, including consultations and provider increases and their locations in the region. In addition, telemedicine is an option for office visits, including consultations and provider increases. We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations **Healthgrades** **Medicare Physicalian Compare https://www.medicare.gov/hospitalcompare/** **Medicare Physicalian Compare https://www.medicare.gov/hospitalcompare/** **Medicare Physicalian Compare https://www.medicare.go	
Cardiovascular Disease	Cook	1	- National Institute of Health US. National Library of Medicine Mediine Plus Directories. The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. ENROLLE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics to outleach locations or outleach locations or outleach locations. For office valist, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health, Altru Health Systems, Minnesotis Rural Health, Riverview Healthcare Association and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system with continuous contin	
Colon and Rectal Surgery	Altkin, Becker, Beltrami, Big Stone, Brown, Cass., Clearwater, Cook, Crr. Wing, Grant, Hubbard, Itasca, Kittson, Koo chiching, Lac Qud Paris, Lake, Lake Of Woods, Mahnomen, Marshall, Nicollet, Ott er Tall, Penninghon, Polk, Pope, Ret Lake, Redwood, Renville, Roseau, St. Louis, Sibley, Stevens, Swift, Traverse, Wil kin	1	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest swallable providers. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no provider size are systems for support and present provider provider groups in the area include Essentia Health, Altru Health Systems, Minnesota Rural Health, Riverview Healthcare Association and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they clean provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Needlorae Physician Compare - Medicare Physician Compare - Medicare Physician Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedlinePlus Directores New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	

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Dermatology	Beltrami,Cook,Kittson,Lake,Lake Of The Woods,Roseau,St. Louis	metropolitan areas where specially providers work in large facilities where the technology and equipment needed for complex cases are available. There is a limited number of Colon and Rectal Surgery providers in the state; the metropolitan areas of St. Paul/Minneapolis, St. Cloud, Duluth, Moorhead/Fargo/Grand Forks or Sloux Falls, SD. have services available through large care systems and consultations are also available through large care s
Endocrinology	Beltrami, Big Stone, Cook, Kittson, Koochiching, Lac Qui Parla Lake, Lake Of The Woods, Marshall Polk, Roseau, St. Louis, Traverse	New or access to the closest available providers. Counties in the northwestern part of the state are made up of farms in the northwestern most counties, to national and state forests and the Red Lake Indian Reservation in the more eastern counties. All of these counties are rural and made up of smaller communities. The closest metropolition area is Engo/Mochead. Health Partners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outstands locations. For office visits, consultations funding pre and post-poylets polytes. For office visits, consultations funding pre and post-poylets polytes. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthgrades - Medicare Physician Compare - Minescol Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine Medicine Plus Directories New provider indiance of the Actional Library of Medicine Medicine Plus Directories New provider identified. As additional power was described.
Gastroenterology	Beltrami,Cook,Kittson,Koochiching,Lak e,Lake Of The Woods,Marshall,Roseau,St. Louis	The northwest area of the state is rural and its peography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. Counties in the northwestern part of the state are made up of farms in the northwestern most counties, to national and state forests, large lakes, and the Red Lake Indian Reservation in the more eastern counties. All of these counties are rural and made up of smaller communities. The closest metropolitan area is FargyMoorhead. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area, so members have access to the closest available providers. Counties that make up the southern part of Minnesota are almost exclusively prairie land and farms, with some rolling hills. The area is mainly rural with small communities throughout. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area, so members have access to the closest available providers. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. For Office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Altru Health System, Avera, CentraCare, Riverview Healthcare Association, Minnesota Rural Health, and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care systems own locations, they often provide cutreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Healthgrades
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Genetics	Aikin, Becker, Beltramil, Big Stone, Brown, Carlton, Cass, Clearwater, C. ook, Crow Wing, Grant Hubbard, Lac. Qui Parle, Lake, Lake Of The Woods, Le Sueur Mahnoman, Marshall, Micollet, Otte Sueur Mahnoman, Marshall, Micollet, Otte Lake, Ehernilla, Rossaut, L. Louis, Sibley, Stevens, Swift, Traverse, Wil kin	These counties are primarily nursi and have small projulations. Due to the smaller community size, the hospitals and clinics in these areas don't have the technology or equipment to handle complex procedures or specialized services. Patients have to travel to providers in the larger metropolitina areas where specially providers work in large facilities where the technology and equipment needed for complex cases are available. There is a limited number of Genetics providers in the state; the metropolitina areas of St. Paul/Minneapolis, St. Cloud, Dubth, Montheadiff-argo/Grand Forks or Sloux Falls, SD. have services available through large care systems and consultations are also available through telemedicine. There are no additional Genetics providers available in these counties. HealthPatness communicates routinely stip providers through our reveletister every other month with reminders to keep information regarding their locations and providers up to date. Member complaints regarding access to care are monitored on a monthly basis. If trends in complaints regarding access to a particular type of provider are identified, the contracting department is notified and when new providers are identified, a contract is pursued. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Genetics services are provided at larger metropolitinal care system hospitals and locations. HealthPartners' contracted providers refer their patients to metropolitan area providers who have access to large hospital facilities that provide genetics services. Provider clinics or outreach locations: Essentia, CentraCize, and Carris Health, Fairview, TriCounty and Senford have satellite locations or provide outreach services at other locations in the region. In addition, telemedicine is an option for office visits, including consultations and post-operative visits. Network Reviewer: We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/incations Healthpradies Medicare Physician Compare https://www.medicare.gov/hospit

Nephrology	Cook,Lake,St. Louis	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth, Health-Partners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. Health-Partners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. ENOLUEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024; Provider clinics or cultreath locations and contracts in the contract of the co
Neurology and Neurological Surgery	Big Stone,Cook,Koochiching,Lake,St. Louis	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available facilities. Counties in the northwestern part of the state are made up of farms in the northwestern most counties, to national and state forests, large lakes, and the Red Lake Indian Reservation in the more eastern counties. All of these counties are rural and made up of smaller communities. The closest metropolitan area is Fargo/Mochrohead. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area, so members have access to the closest available providers. ENROILEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or cutterach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health, Centracare and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach eviders at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to note for new providerallocations - Healthpgrados - Medicare Physician Compare - Minnesotal Health US National Library of Medicine MedilinePlus Directories - New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.
Obstetrics and Gynecology	Cook	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. Health/Partners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. Health/Partners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or cutreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new provideral/cactions - Healthgradios - Melicane Physician Compare - Minnesota Health Case Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedilinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.
Oncology	Cook,Lake,St. Louis	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. Health/Partners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. Health/Partners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office value, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at an experiment of the contract of the
Ophthelmology	Cook,Lake,St. Louis	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. EMROLLEE ACCES TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider closes or nativesh healthms. For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. **Network Review** We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. **Sucross used to check for new providerallocations** Healthgradies** - Medicane Physician Compare** - Minecola Health Care Programs Provider Directory - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedilinePlus Directories New providers identified. No additional providers were identified.

Orthopedic Surgery	Cook	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers are physically present. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Referrat to metropolitan area discussions. Complete Chippedic Surgery services are performed at larger metropolitan care system hospitals and locations. HealthPartners' contracted providers refer their patients to metropolitan area providers who have access to large hospital facilities that provide orthopedic surgery services. Provider clinics or outreach locations Sarford Health, St. Luke's hospital & Clinics and Essentia Health have satellite locations or provide outreach services at other locations in the region. In addition, telemedicine is an option for office visits, including consultations and post-operative visits. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Health gradue - Mainescot Health Care Programs Provider Directory National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine Medicine Plus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.
Otolaryngology	Beltrami.Cook,Koochiching,Lake,Lake Of The Woods,St. Louis	The northeast area of the state is ruril and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA), national horests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitian area is Duluth. Health*Partners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest metropolitian area is Fargol Moorhead. Health*Partners contracts with all known providers in this area, so members have access to the closest available providers. Health*Partners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2043: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health, Altru Health System and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Health*Pardners - Minescate Health*Care Programs Provider Directory + National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine Medine/Plus Directories
Pediatric Specialty Providers	Beltrami,Cook,Kittson,Koochiching,Lac Qui Paric,Laks,Luke Of The Woods,Redwood,Renville,Roseau,St. Louis	New occosides in Section of Counties in the northwestern part of the state are made up of farms in the northwestern most counties, to national and state forests, large lakes, and the Red Lake Indian Reservation in the more eastern counties. All of these counties are rural and made up of smaller communities. The disease metal in the northwestern part of the state are made up of farms in the northwestern most counties, and the Red Lake Indian Reservation in the more eastern counties. All of these counties are rural and made up of smaller communities. The disease made up of smaller controllers are physically present. ENROLLER ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office visits, consultations (including re and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health, Altru Health System and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide cutreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. New providers clinics or the control of the control
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation and Occupational Medicine	Cook	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and takes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. ENROLLE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outreach locations For office viets, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. **Network Review** We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations **Healthgrades **Microse Physician Compare** **Microse Programs Provider Directory **National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine Medine Plus Directories New providers identified. No additional providers were Identified.
Pulmonary Disease	Cook.Lake,St. Louis	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. ENOLIZE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or cutteach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at analysis provider groups in the area. **Network Review** We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. **Source used to check for new provideral/locations** **Hospital Compare** **Miniscan Physician Compare*

Radiology and Nuclear Medicine	Cook,Koochiching,Lake,St. Louis	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. ENROLLEE ACCEST O SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outseach locations For office visits, consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at small provider groups in the area. **Network Review** We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to note. For new providers/flocations Healthprades Medicare Physician Compare Minnesotal Health Care Programs Provider Directory National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine MedlinePlus Directories New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	
Reconstructive Surgery	Becker Belirami Brown, Cass, Clearwater, Cook Hubbard Insc. Acceptiching, Lac Gue Partic, Mark and Y The Woods, Mahnomen, Marshall, Penningto n, Polik, Red Lake, Redwood, Roseau, St. Louis	These counties are primarily rural and have small populations. Due to the smaller community size, the hospitals and clinics in these areas don't have the technology or equipment to handle complex procedures or specialized services. Patients have to travel to providers in the larger metropolitan areas where specialized services. Patients have to travel to providers in the larger metropolitan areas where specialized services. Patients have to travel to providers in the larger metropolitan areas as the sate time netropolitan areas of St. Paul/Minneapolis, St. Coud, Duluth, MoorheadFargo(Grand Forks or Sioux Falls, SD. have services available through large care systems and consultations are also available through telemedicine. There are no additional Raconstructive Surgery providers available in these countes. EMROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Referral to metropolitan area clinica and facilities. Reconstructive Surgery services are performed at larger metropolitan care system hospitals and locations. HealthPartners' contracted providers refer their patients to metropolitan area providers who have access to large hospital facilities that provide colon and rectal surgery services. Provider clinics or cutromach locations. 4 National Health, St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics and Essentia Health have satellite locations or provide outreach services at other locations in the region. In addition, telemedicine is an option for office visits, including consultations and post-operative visits. Network Reviews: We reviewed our networks in Matrot, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations. Healthgrades. Healthgrades. Healthgrades. Healthgrades. Network Reviews and Compare https://www.medicars.gov/hospitalcompare/ Minnesotal Health Care Programs Provider Directory thtp://minoprovider/arcetory.dha.state.mu.us/ National Institute of Health US Altional Liberations.	
SUD (Chemical Dependency) - Outpatient	cook,Kittson,Lake,St. Louis	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or outcards hocations For office visits, consultations (including pres and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health, Sanford Health, Altru Health System, Riverview Healthcare Association and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide current services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations - Healthprados - Medicare Physician Compare - Minnesotal Health Ca Review (Health US National Library of Medicine MedilinePlus Directories - New providers identified: No additional providers were identified.	
SUD (Chemical Dependency) - Inpatient	Beltrami.Big Stone.Clearwater.Cook.Hubbard.Kittso ArKoochiching,Lac Qui Parle, Lake, Lake Of The Woods, Mahnomen,Marshall.Penningto n,Poik.Pope.Rossau,St. Louis,Stevens,Swift,Traverse	The northwest area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Cance Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitian area is Duluth. Health/Partners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. Counties in the northwestern part of the state are made up of farms in the northwestern most counties, to national and state forests and the Red Lake Indian Reservation in the more eastern counties. All of these counties are rural and made up of smaller communities. The closest metropolitian area is Fargo/Moorhead. Health/Partners contracts with all known providers in this area, so members have access to the closest available providers. Counties that make up the southwestern part of Minnesota are almost exclusively prairie land and farms, with some rolling hills. The area is mainly rural with small communities throughout. Health/Partners contracts with all known providers in this area, so members have access to the closest available providers. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Provider clinics or culturate locations. For inpatient services, including hospital-based and substance use disorder services, there are large care systems and independent providers who are available to members. Large care systems in the area, who generally have their own hospitals and treatment facilities, include Essentia Health, Altru Health Minnesota Rural Health, St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics, CentraCare and Sanford Health. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations Health/prades Medicare Physician Compare Minnesotal Health Care Programs Provider Directory Minnesotal Health Care Programs Provider Directory Minnesotal Health Care Programs Provider Directory	
Thoracic Surgery	Becker Beitrami, Big Slone, Brown, Clearwater, Cook, Grant Hu Farle, Lake, Lake Of The Woods, Mahnomen, Marshall, Otter Tail, Pannignon, Polik, Pope, Red Lake, Redwood, Renville, Rosseu, St. Louis, Stevens, Swift, Traverse, Wilkin	These counties are primarily rural and have small populations. Due to the smaller community size, the hospitals and clinics in these areas don't have the technology or equipment to handle complex procedures or specialized services. Patients have to travel to providers in the larger metropolitan areas where specialized services. Patients have to travel to providers in the larger metropolitan areas and the providers work in large facilities where the technology and equipment needed for complex cases are available. There is a limited number of Reconstructive Surgery providers in the state; the metropolitan areas and S. Paul/Minneapolis, St. Cloud, Duluth, MoorheadFargolGrand Forks or Sioux Falls, SD. have services available through telemedicine. There are no additional Reconstructive Surgery providers available in these counties. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024: Referral to metropolitan area clinics and facilities. Reconstructive Surgery services are performed at larger metropolitan care system hospitals and locations. HealthPartners' contracted providers refer their patients to metropolitan area providers who have access to large hospital facilities that provide colon and rectal surgery services. Provider clinics or cutroach locations. 47 Provider clinics or cutroach locations Altru Health System, Sanford Health, St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics and Essential Health have satellite locations or provide outreach services at other locations in the region. In addition, telemedicine is an option for office visits, including consultations and post-operative visits. Network Reviews: We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + Health System, Sanford Health S, St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics and Essential Health have satellite locations or provide outreach services at other locations in the region. In addition, telemedicine is an option for office visits, including consultations and post-operative visits. Network Reviews: We reviewed our networks in March	

Urology	Cook	The northeast area of the state is rural and its geography is made up of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA), national forests and lakes, and is sparsely populated. The closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have access to the closest available providers. HealthPartners also supports the use of telemedicine in these areas where no providers are physically present. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024. Provider clinics or outerach locations of contents housiness of consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. Network Review We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sources used to check for new providers/locations + HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members are included and the contract of the consultations (including pre and post-op visits) or telemedicine visits, large care systems in the area include Essentia Health and St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics. In addition to the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at smaller provider groups in the area. **Notice Review** Network Review** **Notice Review** Network Review** **Notice In The Closest metropolitan area is Duluth. HealthPartners contracts with all known providers in this area. Members have a consultation of the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at a maller provider of the large care system's own locations, they often provide outreach services at a maller provider of the large care system's own locations to the large care	
Vascular Surgery	Beltrami,Brown,Cook,Kittson,Koochich ing,Lake,Lake Of The Woods,Redwood,Roseau,St. Louis	These counties are primarily rord and have small populations. Due to the smaller community size, the hospitals and clinics in these areas don't have the technology or equipment to handle complex procedures or specialized services. Patients have to travel to providers in the larger metropolitan areas where specially providers work in large facilities where the technology and equipment needed for complex cases are available. There is a limited number of Vascular Surgery providers in the state; the metropolitan areas of St. Paul/Minneapolis, St. Cloud, Duluth, Moorhead/Fargo/Grand Forks or Sloux Falls, SD. have services available through large care systems and consultations are also available in these counties. ENROLLEE ACCESS TO SERVICES IN 2024. Referral to metropolitan area clinics and facilities Vescular Surgery services are performed at larger metropolitan care system hospitals and locations. HealthPartners' contracted providers refer their patients to metropolitan area providers who have access to large hospital facilities that provide colon and rectal surgery services. Provider clinics or cutracts follocations Altru Health System, Sanford Health, St. Luke's Hospital & Clinics and Essentia Health have satellite locations or provide outreach services at other locations in the region. In addition, telemedicine is an option for office visits, including consultations and post-operative visits. Network Reviews: We reviewed our networks in March, May, and August. Sucross used to check for new providerallocations - Healthgrades - Medican Physician Compare https://www.medicare.gov/hospitalcompare/ - Minnesota Health Care Programs Provider Directory http://micpproviderictory.dhs.state.mn.us/ - National Institute of Health US National Library of Medicine Medicinelly Directory of Medicine Medicinelly Directory of Medicine Medicinelly Directory of Medicine Medicinelly Directory of Medicine Medicinelly Directories	