## UnitedHealth Premium Availabilty

## UnitedHealth Premium<sup>®</sup> is available in 172 markets and 45 states.

State	Availability	State	Availability	State	Availability
Alabama	Statewide	Maryland	Statewide	Rhode Island	Statewide
Alaska	Not available	Massachusetts	Statewide	South Carolina	Statewide
Arizona	Statewide	Michigan	Statewide	South Dakota	Statewide
Arkansas	Statewide	Minnesota	Statewide	Tennessee	Statewide
California	Statewide	Mississippi	Statewide	Texas	Statewide
Colorado	Statewide	Missouri	Statewide	Utah	Statewide
Connecticut	Statewide	Montana	Not available	Vermont	Not available
Delaware	Statewide	Nebraska	Statewide	Virginia	Statewide
Florida	Statewide	Nevada	Statewide	Washington	Statewide
Georgia	Statewide	New Hampshire	Statewide	Washington, D.C.	Districtwide
Hawaii	Not available	New Jersey	Statewide	West Virginia	Statewide
Idaho	Statewide	New Mexico	Statewide	Wisconsin	Statewide
Illinois	Statewide	New York	Statewide	Wyoming	Not available
Indiana	Statewide	North Carolina	Statewide		
Iowa	Statewide	North Dakota	Statewide	1	
Kansas	Statewide	Ohio	Statewide	1	
Kentucky	Statewide	Oklahoma	Statewide	1	
Louisiana	Statewide	Oregon	Statewide	_	
Maine	Limited to York, Cumberland and Sagadahoc counties	Pennsylvania	Statewide		



## **Important notes about UnitedHealth Premium**

The information from UnitedHealth Premium is not an endorsement of a particular physician or health care professional's suitability for the health care needs of any member. UnitedHealthcare does not practice medicine nor provide health care services. Physicians are solely responsible for medical judgments and treatments.

A Premium Care Physician designation does not guarantee the quality or the outcome of any health care services members receive. The fact that a physician does not have a Premium Care Physician designation does not mean the physician does not provide quality health care services.

All physicians in the UnitedHealthcare Network have met certain minimum credentialing requirements. Regardless of whether a physician has received a Premium Care Physician designation, members have access to all physicians in the UnitedHealthcare Network as described in the member's benefit plan.

There are various reasons why a physician may not be designated as a Premium Care Physician. A physician may not receive a designation because that physician has not been evaluated. This occurs when a physician does not practice in a specialty or market that is evaluated by Premium, or the physician's evaluation is in process. This also occurs when there are not enough measures, patients, and or episodes attributed to the physician for evaluation. This is not an indicator of the total number of patients treated by the physician, or the number of procedures performed by the physician.

UnitedHealthcare informs members that designations are intended only as a guide when choosing a physician and should not be the sole factor in selecting a physician. Members are encouraged to discuss designations with a physician before choosing them or consult with their current physician(s) for advice on selecting other physicians.

As with all programs that evaluate performance based on evaluation of a sample, there is a risk of error.

There is a risk of error in the claims data used and in the way patient care is attributed to physicians. UnitedHealth Premium uses statistical testing to compare a physician's performance to benchmarks. There is a risk of error in statistical tests when applied to the data and a result based on statistical testing is not a guarantee of correct inference or classification. Physicians have the opportunity to review the data and evaluation results and may submit requests for changes and or corrections.

The information contained in this document is subject to change.

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