

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW NOW ABOUT THE HIGHMARK NETWORK:

WHAT'S NEW FOR 2016?

- Who's in the network? Who's out?
- What happens in an emergency?
- How can I get answers to other questions?



WHAT HAPPENS IN 2016?

Our members are important to us, and we want to make sure you have the information and the help you need as we all get ready for 2016.

As a Highmark member, you'll have:

Access to exceptional cancer care

You can receive care for all types of cancers at any Allegheny Health Network (AHN) hospital and at more than 50 AHN Cancer Institute Centers ... as well as at many community hospitals within the Highmark network. AHN ranks among the best in the country for its exceptional survival rates and outcomes for every type of cancer and for implementing "best practices" in caring for cancer patients.

AHN has also established a formal collaboration with the Johns Hopkins Kimmel Cancer Center for clinical collaborations, medical education and a broad range of research activities.

If you and your treating physician agree that you should be treated at UPMC, you'll have access — at an in-network benefit level* — to all UPMC providers for oncology care, including the Hillman Cancer Center. This also includes care for any illnesses/complications resulting from cancer treatment such as endocrinology, orthopedics and cardiology.

Access for emergency care anywhere

Emergency care is covered at the in-network benefit level* at any hospital. That includes UPMC emergency rooms. And, if you need to be admitted to the hospital, any related inpatient care will also be covered at the in-network benefit level.

*Emergency room and any related inpatient care is covered at the Enhanced Value Level of Benefits for Community Blue Flex products and at the Preferred Value Level of Benefits for Connect Blue.

^{*} For Community Blue Flex products and Connect Blue, oncology care from UPMC providers is covered at the Standard Value Level of Benefits.