

# Choose network providers for your lab tests

Starting May 15, 2010, in accordance with your benefit plan, UnitedHealthcare will pay claims for covered services from out-of-network laboratories at your out-of-network benefit level, even if your innetwork doctor or other health care provider referred the service.

### How does this affect you?

Using a laboratory outside the UnitedHealthcare network may cost you more out of your pocket and may limit your participation in health management programs, which help you and your doctor manage your specific health care needs. When your samples are sent to non-network laboratories, you will likely pay higher co-payments or coinsurance. Talk to your doctor's office if you are unsure where your lab samples are being sent.

### **Network laboratories save you money**

You get the best value from your benefit plan and help to manage health insurance costs when you choose network laboratories.

- Your copayments may be higher when using an out-of-network laboratory.
- Your share of the bill, called coinsurance, may be higher when using an out-of-network laboratory.
- You may receive a bill from an out-of-network laboratory for the difference between your out-of-network benefit and the amount the out-of-network laboratory charges for the service. You should note that **network** laboratories will not "balance bill" you for covered services they provide.

### **Choose UnitedHealthcare network laboratory providers**

You have the right to ask your doctor to send your lab samples to a network laboratory. Look on the opposite page for a partial list of network laboratory providers and how you can search myuhc.com<sup>®</sup> for more than 1,300 laboratory providers in our network. Don't run the risk of your laboratory work being referred out-of-network and potentially paying a higher cost. If your doctor uses a laboratory that is not included in the official myuhc.com laboratory directory, call customer care to confirm whether the laboratory is in our network.

## **Contact UnitedHealthcare with questions**

If you have any questions, please visit myuhc.com or call a customer care professional at 1-800-859-3291.



# **National laboratory affiliate information**

The list of providers below does not reflect UnitedHealthcare's full network of more than 1,300 contracted laboratory providers. There may be providers or certain specialties that are not included in this list, as UnitedHealthcare has a broad network of laboratory providers and patient service center locations. To view a current list, please visit <a href="https://www.myuhc.com">www.myuhc.com</a>.

Routine Testing Laboratory Provider	Services Provided
Laboratory Corporation of America www.labcorp.com 1-888-LABCORP (1-888-522-2677)	Full scope of laboratory testing
Specialty Testing Laboratory Provider	Services Provided
Ameripath	Anatomic pathology
Berkeley Heartlab	LDL and HDL testing and other cardiovascular disease testing
Bostwick Laboratories	Uropathology
Dianon Systems (a LabCorp company)	Reproductive and oncology diagnostic testing; anatomic pathology
Dominion Diagnostics	Toxicology, medication monitoring
Genomic Health	Oncotype diagnosis testing for breast cancer
Genzyme Genetics	Reproductive and oncology diagnostic testing
GI Pathology, PLLC	Gastrointestinal and liver pathology; dermatopathology
Medical Diagnostic Laboratories	Specialty infectious disease diagnostic testing, molecular biology, immunology and serology
Medical Neurogenetics	Molecular and metabolic genetic testing
Myriad Genetic Laboratories	BRACA for breast & ovarian cancer; COLARIS for colon & endometrial cancer; MELARIS for melanoma & pancreatic cancer
Nationwide Laboratory Services	Dialysis testing
NTD Labs	Prenatal testing
OUR Lab	Uropathology
US Labs (a LabCorp company)	Hematopathology & oncology

**Step 1** – Go to myuhc.com and select Find a Doctor.



**Step 2** – Select the Laboratory Facility link to find in-network national and local labs.



**Step 3** – Scroll down to view the list of participating national and local laboratories. You will also be able to change your search criteria, change sorting options and view important information about the laboratories.



