

Negotiation with Cornerstone Specialty Hospital

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas is negotiating new contracts with **Cornerstone Specialty Hospitals**. This affects many plans at BCBSTX, not just TRS's. Here's what you need to know:

What This Means

If BCBSTX and Cornerstone don't sign **new contracts before Oct. 1, 2024**, **Cornerstone long-term acute care hospitals won't be in network for most health plans with BCBSTX**, including your TRS-ActiveCare plan, on Oct. 1. BCBSTX is working closely with Cornerstone leadership and hope to sign new contracts before that date.

Why We're Reaching Out

This may impact you if Cornerstone goes out of network. **BCBSTX can help make your move to other long-term acute care hospitals as seamless as possible** if you need new care options on or after **Oct. 1, 2024**:

- You can always access in-network hospitals and facilities in BCBSTX's robust network.
- BCBSTX will work with you on continuing your care, if eligible.
- BCBSTX can help you schedule a visit with other in-network providers.

Call a Personal Health Guide at **1-866-355-5999** anytime to find new doctors or for help with your plan.

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