



2022 Benefit Plans with No Referrals Required

In 2022, EmblemHealth is offering more plans that do not require referrals. This makes it easier for our providers to connect members with the care they need.

Providers should allow members with these plans to make an appointment without a referral.

Please print the list below as a reference tool for your staff, especially for appointment schedulers.



2022 EmblemHealth Benefit Plans with No Referrals Required

Commercial Plans:

- Access I/Access II
- Bridge ASO
- DC37 Med-Team (New York City Plan)
- EmblemHealth Bronze Plus H.S.A.
- EmblemHealth Bronze Premier-P
- EmblemHealth Bronze Premier-S
- EmblemHealth Bronze Value-P
- EmblemHealth Bronze Value-S
- EmblemHealth ConsumerDirect EPO/PPO
- EmblemHealth EPO Value HDHP
- EmblemHealth EPO/PPO
- EmblemHealth EPO/PPO Value
- EmblemHealth Gold EPO Virtual-M
- EmblemHealth Gold EPO Virtual-N
- EmblemHealth Gold PPO-N
- EmblemHealth Gold Premier (individual/family plan)
- EmblemHealth Gold Premier-P
- EmblemHealth Gold Premier-S
- EmblemHealth Gold Value-P
- EmblemHealth Gold Value-S
- EmblemHealth Health Essentials Plus EPO
- EmblemHealth InBalance EPO/PPO
- EmblemHealth Platinum PPO-N
- EmblemHealth Platinum Premier-P
- EmblemHealth Platinum Premier-S
- EmblemHealth Platinum Value-P
- EmblemHealth Platinum Value-S
- EmblemHealth Silver Plus H.S.A.
- EmblemHealth Silver Premier-P
- EmblemHealth Silver Premier-S
- EmblemHealth Silver Value-P
- EmblemHealth Silver Value-S
- Federal Employee Benefit (FEHB) EPO/PPO
- GHI CBP Plan
- Network Access Plan

Medicare Advantage Plans:

VIP Bold Network

- EmblemHealth VIP Dual (HMO D-SNP)
- EmblemHealth VIP Dual Select (HMO D-SNP)
- EmblemHealth VIP Essential (HMO)
- EmblemHealth VIP Gold (HMO)
- EmblemHealth VIP Gold Plus (HMO)
- EmblemHealth VIP Passport (HMO)
- EmblemHealth VIP Passport NYC (HMO)
- EmblemHealth VIP Rx Saver (HMO)
- EmblemHealth VIP Solutions (HMO D-SNP)
- EmblemHealth VIP Value (HMO)

VIP Reserve Network

- EmblemHealth VIP Reserve (HMO)
- EmblemHealth VIP Dual Reserve (HMO D-SNP)

Once the COVID-19 State of Emergency is lifted, the following plans will require referrals:

VIP Prime Network

- EmblemHealth VIP Premier (HMO) Group
- EmblemHealth VIP Rx CarveOut (HMO) Group

Medicaid/HARP/Child Health Plus/Essential Plans

Referrals waived for Montefiore and SOMOS-managed members. Referrals are not required for Medicaid members in foster care.