

Out-of-Network Services Policy

The Dillon Surgery Center provides ambulatory surgery center facility services, which include facility fees and often include the costs of surgical implants and anesthesia. Our policy is to make arrangements for these services through in-network contracts with your health insurance plan if in-network contracts are available to us. In some cases, however, we do not have in-network contracts for these services. Based on your health insurance plan information made available to us, we are not in-network with your health insurance plan.

If we do not have an in-network contract for these services with your health insurance plan at the time of your treatment, then our policies are to:

1. Provide these services on an out-of-network basis if you have out-of-network coverage benefits under your health insurance plan;
2. We will verify that you have out-of-network coverage benefits under your health insurance plan before your scheduled surgery or procedure;
3. Pursuant to Colorado Revised Statute § 24-34-114, you will be responsible for only the in-network rate for any patient cost-sharing amount for deductibles, copayments, and/or coinsurance (we will not bill you at the out-of-network copay and/or deductible rate if it is higher than the in-network rate);
4. If, for any reason, we receive an overpayment from you for the patient cost-sharing responsibility, we will refund that amount to you within 60 days of verifying the overpayment; and
5. With respect to our out-of-network reimbursement for services from your health insurance plan:
 - a. We will file that claim directly and you will not be responsible for filing such claim with your health insurance plan; and
 - b. We will not bill you for the difference between the out-of-network rate paid to us by your health insurance plan and the normal in-network rate for your health insurance plan, if any difference exists.

The intent of our policies are to create a financial situation for you that is the same as if we were in-network with your health insurance plan.

Please note that this policy does not pertain to, or affect, your physician's and anesthesiologists' services, which are not billed by the Dillon Surgery Center and will instead be billed by your physician's and anesthesiologists' offices separately. Although your physician and anesthesiologist have privileges at our facility, we do not employ them or bill for their services. Please contact them if you have any questions about billings for their services.

Please let us know if you have any questions about these policies. Additionally, you may contact your health insurance plan at the number on your identification card or the Colorado Division of Insurance with any questions.
