

**The Valley Hospital, Ridgewood, NJ  
Insurance List for Specimens Collected in Physicians Office**

Specimens: blood, urines, cultures, paps, thin preps, etc.  
This list is **NOT** all inclusive. Please let us know if you receive conflicting information from any plans.

\*Meditech Insurance Mnemonic in **BLUE**

**Valley CAN Accept**

**1199 SEIU-1199-NBF**  
**Aetna**  
 Indemnity -**AETUS-ID**  
 PPO - **AETUS-PPO**  
 HMO, Managed Choice and Elect Choice - **AETUS-MG**  
 Aetna Senior and Golden Medicare - **AETUS-SEN**  
 Meritain (An Aetna Company) - **MERITAIN**  
 Aetna Assure Premier Plus (D-SNP)-**AETNASSUR**  
 Aetna Signature Administrators – **AETSIGN**  
 Aetna Valley Employees - **AETNVALLEY**  
**Blue Cross/ Blue Shield of NJ-(See Horizon and Out of State)**  
**Tricare (formerly CHAMPUS) - TRICARE**  
**Centivo-CENTIVO**  
**Consumer Health Network (CHN) - COMM-OT**  
**ChoiceCare Network - COMM-OT**  
**Cigna**  
 Local Plus - **CIGLOCAL**  
 Open Access - **CIGNA-MG**  
 PPO, EPO - **CIGNA-PPO**  
 Indemnity - **CIGNA-ID**  
 Shared Administrators - **CIGNASHAR**  
 MVP (commercial only- not limited to ER) - **CIGNA-MVP**  
**Clover Medicare - CLOVER**  
**Emblem Health**  
 Bridge Network Cigna PPO - **EMBLMCIGNA**  
**First Health - FIRHL-AF**  
**HealthSpring- HLTHSPRING**  
**HCPC (Health Care Payors Coalition) - COMM-OT**  
**Horizon Blue Cross of NJ**  
 Traditional - **BLUNJ-ID**  
 Medallion - **BLUNJ-ID**  
 Blue Select PPO - **BLUNJ-PPO**  
 Braven Health PPO - **BRAVEMCRPP**  
 Direct Access - **BLUNJ-MG**  
**\*\*Except State Health Benefit Plan**  
 Horizon Advantage EPO - **BLUNJ-MG**  
 Horizon HMO - **BLUNJ-MG**  
 HMO Blue - **BLUNJ-MG**  
 Blue Choice (POS) - **BLUNJ-MG**  
 Horizon NJ Health -**HORIZONNJ** (limited to certain PAT, STAT and Pathology tests)  
 Horizon Total Care (Dual SNP)- **HORTOTAL** (limited to certain PAT, STAT and Pathology tests)  
 OMNIA - **OMNIA**

**Humana Medicare - MCRHMO-OT**  
**IDA (Insurance Design Administrators) - COMM-OT**  
**\*\*Except For IDA/Amerihealth Administrators and Qualcare**  
**Longevity- MCRHMO-OT**  
**Magnacare - MAGNET-OT**  
**Medicaid (Traditional only) - MEDCAIDNJ**  
**Medicare/Railroad Medicare (Traditional only) - MEDICARE**  
**Multiplan – MULTIPLAN**  
**Out of state Blue Cross Plans**  
 Blue Cross of California - **BLUOTCAL**  
 Blue Cross of Illinois - **BLUOTILL**  
 Blue Cross of Massachusetts - **BLUOTMAS**  
 Blue High Performance Network (HPN)-**BLU-OT**  
 All other out of state Blue Cross plan - **BLU-OT**  
**Oxford**  
 Medicare Advantage - **OXFMCRAD**  
**PHCS (Private Health Care Systems) - PHCS**  
**POMCO - COMM-OT**  
**Self Pay - SP**  
**Three Rivers Provider Network - COMM-OT**  
**United Healthcare**  
 Medicare Advantage - **UNITEDMCR**  
 Community Plan - **AMERICHOI**  
 Dual Complete One (Dual Special Needs Plan) - **UNTD-DUAL**

**Valley CANNOT Accept**

**Amerihealth- Members must use capitated lab**  
**Emblem Health/GHI**  
 All Plans with no NJ Network  
 Plans with Qualcare Network for NJ  
 NYCE PPO Plan  
**Anthem BCBS Medicare- Members must use capitated lab**  
**Empire Plan (NYSHIP)**  
**Horizon Blue Cross of NJ**  
 State Health Benefit Plan-**Members must use capitated lab**  
**Medicaid HMOs and D-SNP**  
 Aetna Better Health  
 Horizon NJ Health (except for certain PAT, STAT and pathology tests)  
 Horizon Total Care (Dual SNP)- (except certain PAT, STAT and Pathology tests)  
 Fidelis AKA Wellcare by Fidelis

**Mohawk Valley Plan (MVP)**  
**Oscar Insurance- Members must use capitated lab through Qualcare**  
**Out of State Medicaid (Traditional)**  
**Oxford Commercial**  
**Qualcare, Inc.- Members must use capitated lab**  
**United Compass- Members must use capitated lab**  
**United Healthcare Commercial**  
**Non Contracted Plans With No Out of Network Benefits**  
**Wellpoint**  
 Wellpoint Medicaid HMO  
 Wellpoint Full Dual Advantage (HMO D-SNP0)  
 Wellpoint Medicare Advantage (HMO)

- As of July 1, 2019, **Horizon BCBSNJ State Health Benefit Plan (SHBP)** members are required to use in-network labs – LabCorp® or Quest – for blood tests and other lab services.
- As of May 1, 2020, **United Healthcare** is no longer allowing hospitals to bill for reference labs or non patient labs for commercial plans. Reference labs are specimens received from other referring laboratories or care providers. Non-patient labs are specimens submitted for testing to a hospital for a member who is neither an inpatient or an outpatient of a hospital.
- As of 1/1/2021 TVH and VMG participate with with **Horizon NJ Health**. Labcorp is the exclusive laboratoy for Horizon NJ Health. In certain cases, labs such as PAT, STAT and pathology may be sent to TVH. Please see section 3.18 on page 41 of the Horizon NJ Health Provider manual for the list of tests.