## **NOTICE:** BCBSAZ Health Choice is Not Impacted by Phoenix Children's Hospital Contract Discussions

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Dear provider,

There are news reports out about current contract discussions between Phoenix Children's Hospital and Blue Cross Blue Shield of Arizona (BCBSAZ).

Understandably, this is causing concern for our Medicaid (BCBSAZ Health Choice - HCA), Medicare HMO D-SNP (BCBSAZ Health Choice Pathway - HCP) and Marketplace (ACA StandardHealth with Health Choice) members.

We want to make it clear that these negotiations for other lines of business do not impact coverage or payment under BCBSAZ Health Choice/Health Choice Arizona Inc.

Please assure your patients that their coverage remains the same and they can seek care as they normally would, including at Phoenix Children's Hospital. We also want to share that BCBSAZ is working swiftly to resolve those issues.

Please reach out to your Provider Performance Representative with any questions.

Thank you for the care you provide our members and for being a valued part of our network.

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