

Medicare

“What are my choices?”

Participation

100% of par fee schedule

Non-Participation

Open enrollment is November 15th to December 31st of each year

Limiting charge billed to the patient

115% of Medicare Allowed

Must submit claims to Medicare

May choose (patient to patient) whether to accept assignment

Accepting assignment receive 95% of Medicare Allowed

Opt- Out

Effective for a minimum of two years

Affidavit to Highmark

Mail to:

Highmark Medicare Services

PO Box 890406

Camp Hill, PA 17089-0406

Creates a cash relationship with the patient

Patient must sign contract

NO reimbursement from Medicare



For More Details

Participation vs. Non-Participation

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