

Our credentialing department checks information about a hospital before the hospital joins our provider network. We collect the following information when a hospital applies to join our network, and then we confirm it. At least every three years, we re-check the information to make sure it is still accurate. We also update information within 30 days if a hospital tells us of a change. We make this information available so you have access to details about the hospitals in our provider network.

## How to use the hospital search tool on [www.peopleshealth.com](http://www.peopleshealth.com)

### 2019 Hospital Search

Use the search options to find hospitals in our provider network. The provider network may change at any time. Enter at least one search criteria.

[Questions about this search or finding a hospital?](#) ~

<b>HOSPITAL NAME</b>	<b>HOSPITAL SERVICES</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>	<b>WITHIN ZIP CODE</b>
<input type="text" value="Select One"/>	<input type="text" value="Select One"/>	<input type="text" value="Select One"/>	<input type="text"/>
			(Use Current Location)
<b>CITY</b>	<b>PARISH</b>	<b>RESET SEARCH</b>	<b>SEARCH</b>
<input type="text" value="Select One"/>	<input type="text" value="Select One"/>		

### HOSPITAL NAME

To find a specific hospital, choose its name from the Hospital Name drop-down menu.

### HOSPITAL SERVICES

To find a hospital offering a specific service, select an option from the Hospital Services drop-down menu.

### DISTANCE

To find a hospital close to your home, search within the desired distance of your ZIP code or use your current location. You may choose a radius of 5, 10, 25 or 30 miles. This helps match a hospital's location to your area.

### CITY OR PARISH

You may use the City OR Parish drop-down menus instead of the Within ZIP Code field to find a hospital in your area. NOTE: You may use only ONE search option at a time — Within ZIP Code OR City OR Parish.

After you've selected options for your search, click the **Search** button.

In the search results table, click the **View Detail** button to see detailed information about the hospital, including services offered, accreditation and whether the provider is a Louisiana Medicaid provider.

### HOSPITAL QUALITY DATA AND HOSPITAL ACCREDITATION STATUS

Most of the hospitals in our network are accredited by The Joint Commission. Accreditation is the formal review process for verifying that an organization meets a certain set of standards that represent industry best practices. The Joint Commission has accredited hospitals for more than 60 years, and approximately 90 percent of the nation's accredited hospitals are accredited by it. Click the **Accreditation Information** link within the hospital's details to view the hospital's quality record and accreditation status.