

Blue Distinction Centers of Care by Designation

This document provides comparative quality information on selected specialties as well as high level comparative pricing information.

BDC+ designated facilities offer patients the greatest value as specialty procedures at these facilities are both cost efficient and high quality. BDC designated facilities are high-quality but do not meet the specialty specific threshold for cost.

Designation				Designation			
		BDC+	BDC			BDC+	BDC
Bariatric				Maternity			
EvergreenHealth Medical Center	Kirkland	✓		EvergreenHealth Medical Center	Kirkland	✓	
Multicare Deaconess Hospital	Spokane	✓		Highline Medical Center	Burien	✓	
Overlake Hospital Medical Center	Bellevue	✓		Kadlec Regional Medical Center	Richland	✓	
Providence Regional Medical Center	Everett	✓		Multicare Deaconess Hospital	Spokane	✓	
Northwest Weight Loss, Sound Surgeons	Everett	✓		Multicare Valley Hospital	Spokane	✓	
Swedish Medical Center First Hill	Seattle	✓		Northwest Hospital & Medical Center	Seattle	✓	
University of Washington Medical Center	Seattle	✓		Providence Sacred Heart Medical Center & Children's Hospital	Spokane	✓	
Virginia Mason Medical Center	Seattle	✓		Skagit Valley Hospital	Mount Vernon	✓	
St Francis Community Hospital	Federal Way		✓	Trios Women's and Children's Hospital	Kennewick	✓	
Tacoma General Allenmore	Tacoma		✓	Valley Medical Center	Renton	✓	
Cancer Care				Peacehealth St. Joseph Medical Center	Bellingham		✓
Northwest Medical Specialties	Tacoma		✓	Providence Regional Medical Center	Everett		✓
Cardiac Care				St Elizabeth	Enumclaw		✓
Kadlec Regional Medical Center	Richland	✓		St Francis Community Hospital	Federal Way		✓
Overlake Hospital Medical Center	Bellevue	✓		St Joseph Medical Center	Tacoma		✓
Peacehealth St. Joseph Medical Center	Bellingham		✓	Swedish Edmonds	Edmonds		✓
Providence Regional Medical Center	Everett		✓	Swedish Medical Center Issaquah	Issaquah		✓
Tacoma General Hospital	Tacoma		✓	Swedish Medical Center Ballard	Seattle		✓
Virginia Mason Medical Center	Seattle		✓	Swedish Medical Center First Hill	Seattle		✓
Fertility Care				Spine Surgery			
Seattle Reproductive Medicine	Seattle	✓		Capital Medical Center	Olympia	✓	
The Center for Reproductive Health	Spokane		✓	Multicare Deaconess Hospital	Spokane	✓	
Knee/Hip Replacement				Overlake Hospital Medical Center	Bellevue	✓	
Capital Medical Center	Olympia	✓		Skagit Valley Hospital	Mount Vernon	✓	
Kadlec Regional Medical Center	Richland	✓		St Joseph Medical Center	Tacoma	✓	
Multicare Deaconess Hospital	Spokane	✓		Swedish Medical Center Cherry Hill	Seattle	✓	
Northwest Hospital & Medical Center	Seattle	✓		Swedish Medical Center First Hill	Seattle	✓	
Overlake Hospital Medical Center	Bellevue	✓		Valley Medical Center	Renton	✓	
Swedish Edmonds	Edmonds	✓		Yakima Valley Memorial Hospital	Yakima	✓	
Valley Medical Center	Renton	✓		Harborview Medical Center	Seattle		✓
Virginia Mason Medical Center	Seattle	✓		St Francis Community Hospital	Federal Way		✓
Yakima Valley Memorial Hospital	Yakima	✓		University of Washington Medical Center	Seattle		✓
Harrison Medical Center	Bremerton		✓	Transplants			
St Anthony Hospital	Gig Harbor		✓	Seattle Cancer Care Alliance	Seattle		✓
St Clare Hospital	Lakewood		✓	Seattle Children's Hospital	Seattle		✓
St Francis Community Hospital	Federal Way		✓	Blue Cross Blue Shield companies recognize select doctors, hospitals and other healthcare facilities as Blue Distinction® for the safe, effective care they provide their patients. Each must meet a specific set of rigorous standards to receive the Blue Distinction designation.			
St Joseph Medical Center	Tacoma		✓				
Swedish Medical Center First Hill	Seattle		✓				