Virtual care
- For minor medical conditions. Connect with a board-certified doctor via video or phone when, where and how it works best for you. Visit myCigna.com or call MDLIVE at 888.726.3171 to talk with a doctor 24/7.*

Convenience care clinic
- For minor medical concerns. Staffed by nurse practitioners and physician assistants. Located in retail stores and pharmacies. Often open nights and weekends.

Health care provider’s office
- The best place to go for routine or preventive care or to keep track of medications. Many PCPs offer virtual care. Contact your PCP to schedule an in-person or virtual care visit. Find a PCP on myCigna.com.

Urgent care center
- For conditions that aren’t life threatening. Staffed by nurses and doctors and usually have extended hours.

Emergency room
- For immediate treatment of critical injuries or illness. Open 24/7. If a situation seems life threatening, call 911 or go to the nearest ER.

“Freestanding” ER locations are becoming more common in many areas. Because these ERs are not inside hospitals, they may look like urgent care centers. When you receive care at an ER, you’re billed at a much higher cost than at other health care facilities.

Conditions treated
- Colds and flu
- Rashes or skin conditions
- Sore throats, earaches, sinus pain
- Minor cuts or burns
- Pregnancy testing
- Vaccines
- General health issues
- Preventive care
- Routine check-ups
- Vaccines and screenings
- Fever and flu symptoms
- Minor cuts, sprains, burns, rashes
- Headaches
- Lower back pain
- Joint pain
- Minor respiratory symptoms
- UTIs
- Sudden numbness, weakness
- Uncontrolled bleeding
- Seizure or loss of consciousness
- Shortness of breath
- Chest pain
- Head injury/major trauma
- Blurry or loss of vision
- Severe cuts or burns
- Overdose

Cost and time
- Costs the same or less than a visit with your primary care provider (PCP)
- Appointments typically in an hour or less
- No need to leave home or work
- Same or lower than provider’s office
- No appointment needed
- Costs lower than emergency room (ER)
- No appointment needed
- Wait times vary
- Highest cost
- No appointment needed
- Wait times may be long

Your cost and time
- Costs the same or less than a visit with your primary care provider (PCP)
- Appointments typically in an hour or less
- No need to leave home or work
- Same or lower than provider’s office
- No appointment needed
- May charge copay/coinsurance and/or deductible
- Usually need appointment
- Short wait times
- Costs lower than emergency room (ER)
- No appointment needed
- Wait times vary
- Highest cost
- No appointment needed
- Wait times may be long

Cigna Health Information Line
A telephone service staffed by clinicians who help you understand and make informed decisions about health issues you are experiencing, at no extra cost. These clinicians can help you choose the right care in the right setting at the right time, whether it’s reviewing home treatment options, following up on a PCP’s appointment or finding the nearest in-network urgent care center. Just call the number on your Cigna ID card, go to myCigna.com or use the myCigna® App.*** Open 24/7.

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