

## Hello Larimer County employees and welcome to

 Healthcare Bluebook.This guide is meant to introduce you to this new benefit being offered to you by Larimer County.

## What is Healthcare Bluebook?

Healthcare Bluebook has been selected by Larimer County as an added healthcare benefit to help you shop for care, compare facilities, save money on healthcare services, and earn rewards.

Did you know that in-network prices for the same procedure can vary by over $500 \%$ depending on the facility you choose?

Healthcare Bluebook's web and mobile applications make it easy to save money on hundreds of the most common medical services and procedures by showing you the cost ranges in your area, and providing you with a selection of Fair Price facilities.

Bluebook conveniently color codes all the provider options to make it easy for you to identify those providers with prices at, or below, the Fair Price:

At or Below Fair Price

Slightly Above
Fair Price

## What is the Fair Price?

The Fair Price is the amount you should reasonably expect a service or procedure to cost in your area. Bluebook Fair Prices are based on the actual amount paid on the claim, not the billed amount, and reflect the discounts that the health plan has negotiated with the facility.

For example: Your doctor suggests you have a knee MRI because you have pain for several months. Your doctor may refer you to Hospital A, but you can ask to go to Hospital B.


Hospital A
5 miles away
\$3,500


Hospital B
6 miles away
$\$ 650$

## What is the Rewards Program?

The Go Green To Get Green Rewards Program rewards you each time you use an eligible Fair Price Provider for select healthcare services. First you save, then you get rewarded.

GO GREEN TO GET GREEN
You can earn a reward for selecting a Fair Price provider for your procedure.

## How do I access Healthcare Bluebook?

Accessing Healthcare Bluebook is easy.
Just go to healthcarebluebook.com/cc/larimer and enter your last name and 8-digit date of birth.

Once you log in, type in a search term or use the drop-down menus to search for a particular service.

Select the service you are looking for from the search results. Review the price range in your area and find the local Fair Price for your service. Scroll down the page and review provider options for the service. Bluebook conveniently color codes all the provider options to make is easy for you to identify those providers with prices at or below the Fair Price.


