

# NOTICE CONCERNING NON CONTRACTED HEALTH PLANS

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Orthopaedic Sports Specialists of Louisiana, LLC d/b/a Ortho LA is a contracted participating provider in a variety of health plans. However, please be advised that Ortho LA is **not** currently a participating provider with the following health plans:

- BCBS of Louisiana HMO Product
- Coventry Health Care of Louisiana.
- First Health
- Louisiana Medicaid Prepaid Plans
  - LA Care – Medicaid Plan
  - Amerigroup – Medicaid Plan
  - Louisiana Health Connections – Medicaid Plan
- People’s Choice – Medicare Plan
- Tricare Prime
- Verity

As such, and depending on your group’s benefit structure, your benefits may be reduced by having treatment at a non-contracted provider. It is the patient’s responsibility to know and understand his/her individual policy. We will file a standard claim form to your primary insurance as a courtesy. However, any special claim forms needed are the responsibility of the patient if we are not contracted. Any portions of medical claims that are not paid by a non-contracted health plan are the responsibility of the patient/guarantor, unless subject to the Medicare and Medicaid fee schedules,

I acknowledge understanding of my financial responsibility for receiving health care at a non contracted health care provider.

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Printed Patient Name

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Patient Date of Birth

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Printed Guarantor Name if Minor

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Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*This completed form shall be scanned to the patient’s EMR under “Billing” tab.*

