

Criteria for Participation in the Preferred Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Network

1. Input from a Beth Israel Lahey Health Performance Network affiliated entity (e.g., hospital, case manager, physician group, etc.)
2. SNF has a Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) Nursing Home Compare Star Rating of 3 or higher
3. SNF does not have any significant deficiencies noted on the most recent state survey
4. SNF is located in a geographic service area that serves Beth Israel Lahey Health Performance Network patients
5. SNF is able to accept new patients 24 hours a day, seven days a week
6. SNF has a Beth Israel Lahey Health employed or affiliated physician that participates in Beth Israel Lahey Health Performance Network
7. SNF provides a unique cultural or speciality program (e.g., substance use disorder) that may not be sufficiently met or addressed by the Preferred SNF Network

Criteria for Participation in the Preferred Home Care Network

Beth Israel Lahey Health At Home is the preferred home care agency for Beth Israel Lahey Health. However, Beth Israel Lahey Health Performance Network has a Preferred Home Care Network that may be used if Beth Israel Lahey Health At Home is unable to provide services or the patient chooses another agency.

1. Home care agency provides care within the geographic service area of Beth Israel Lahey Health.
2. Home care agency is able to provide care to a patient within 48 hours of a referral made to the agency.
3. Home care agency provides the patient's primary care provider (PCP) with appropriate documentation of the care delivered and the patients needs.
4. Home care agency meets Beth Israel Lahey Health expectations around emergency room use and re-hospitalizations while patient is under the care of the home care agency.
5. Home care agency meets all regulatory requirements.