



## **Negotiation with Southwestern Health Resources**

Our contracts with **Southwestern Health Resources** in North Texas expire on **April 1**, **2025**. SWHR includes **Texas Health Resources** and **UT Southwestern** hospitals, facilities and doctors. This affects many plans at Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas, not just TRS-ActiveCare. Here's what you need to know:

## **What This Means**

If BCBSTX and SWHR don't sign new contracts before April 1, 2025, THR and UTSW hospitals, health care facilities, doctors and health care professionals won't be in network for health plans at BCBSTX, including your TRS-ActiveCare plan, on April 1. BCBSTX is working closely with SWHR leadership and hopes to sign new contracts before that date.

## Why We're Reaching Out

This may impact you if SWHR goes out of network. **BCBSTX can help make your move to other doctors, hospitals and facilities as seamless as possible** if you need new care options on or after **April 1, 2025**:

- You can always access in-network hospitals and facilities in BCBSTX's robust network.
- BCBSTX will work with you on continuing your care, if eligible.
- BCBSTX can help you schedule a visit with other in-network providers.

In the case of a life-threatening illness or injury, call 911 or go to the nearest emergency room right away. Emergency services are always covered at the in-network benefit level.

Call a Personal Health Guide at 1-866-355-5999 anytime to find new doctors or for help with your plan.

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