

Medicare beneficiaries enrolled in the **Next Generation ACO model** have access to additional benefits

Skilled Nursing Facility Direct Admission Benefit Enhancement for Next Generation ACO Beneficiaries

The skilled nursing facility (SNF) direct admission benefit enhancement allows beneficiaries an opportunity to qualify for admission to a SNF without having to meet the requirement of being admitted to a hospital for three midnights.

BENEFITS:

- Provide skilled nursing services to support for chronic disease management
- Provide skilled therapy services to reduce falls and injury and maintain functional mobility
- Prevent hospitalization and avoidable decline in health status
- Allow for short-stay rehabilitation without hospitalization
- Connect beneficiaries to supportive services to return to home

FACILITIES PARTICIPATING IN SKILLED NURSING DIRECT ADMISSION PROGRAM:

- Royal Plaza
- Life Care of Lewiston
- Prestige Care of Clarkston
- Prestige Care of Lewiston – The Orchards

Beneficiary Qualifications

- Aligned to NGACO for the performance year admitted to the eligible SNF
- Do not reside in a long-term care facility
- Are medically stable
- Do not require acute level of care or further inpatient evaluation or treatment

Direct Skilled Nursing Facility Admissions

Beneficiaries can be admitted from any of the settings below.

- Home Setting
- Outpatient Setting
- Emergency Room
- Provider Office

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