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The Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium and Southcentral Foundation jointly own and manage the Alaska Native Medical Center under the terms of Public Law 105-83. These parent organizations have established a Joint Operating Board to ensure unified operation of health services provided by the Medical Center.

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Purchased Referred Care

Learn more about Alaska Native Medical Center's Purchased Referred Care Program



What is Purchased Referred Care?

Purchased Referred Care (PRC) is a benefit to Alaska Native and American Indian people that provides funding for referred medical services not available at ANMC.

Who is eligible?

- Alaska Native and American Indian people who are Alaska residents for 180 days prior to the date of service and have the intent to remain in Alaska indefinitely
- Alaska Native and American Indian people who meet ANMC's eligibility policy requirements
- Non-Alaska Native and American Indian women pregnant with an eligible Alaska Native and American Indian's child
- Children of an eligible Alaska Native and American Indian people, including non-Alaska Native and American Indian foster children, adopted children, stepchildren, legal wards or orphans, until age 19.

What is the referral process for routine scheduled care?

 Visit your primary care provider and if necessary, they will refer you to ANMC.

If you have questions related to eligibility or if the service you need is covered, visit www.anmc.org/prc



- An ANMC physician must initiate all non-ANMC facility referrals.
- All patients are screened for Medicaid, Medicare or private health insurance. If eligible, a Health Benefit Specialist will help patients apply.

What is the process for emergency medical care outside of Alaska?

In an emergency seek medical attention first, it is the responsibility of the patient or the patients family to notify ANMC PRC within 72 hours of treatment. Anyone acting on behalf of the patient can make the call. Coverage for those traveling outside of Alaska is limited to emergency medical care.

Emergency medical coverage is provided for:

- People moving outside Alaska (up to 180 days) other than residents of Tanana Chiefs Conference (TCC), Ketchikan Indian Community (KIC), Metlakatla Indian Community (MIC) or SouthEast Alaska Regional Health Consortium (SEARHC).
- Travelers, temporarily outside Alaska,

- other than residents of TCC, KIC, MIC or SEARHC.
- Full-time students registered with PRC, other than residents of TCC, KIC or MIC

What is not covered?

- Medical services (including follow-up appointments) provided by a non-ANMC health care provider that has not been referred by an ANMC physician and authorized by PRC
- Obstetric deliveries at private hospitals not referred by an ANMC physician and authorized by PRC
- Inpatient or outpatient mental health services
- Inpatient or outpatient substance abuse programs
- Second opinions
- Medical care considered investigational or experimental
- Nursing homes or long-term care facilities
- Routine and emergent dental services
- Services from non-ANMC facilities if an IHS facility or Tribal health facility was open and available to provide the needed care
- Medical services received in other Alaska PRC service areas, such as Fairbanks, Juneau, Sitka, Kenai, Homer, Kodiak, Seward, Ketchikan, Valdez, Palmer, Wasilla, etc., unless authorized by ANMC PRC. Contact the respective PRC program for that area for assistance.