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Interested
in possible
savings?



Call a **Benefits Value Advisor**
to help you compare cost on your next
procedure.¹

A Benefits Value Advisor can:

- Help compare costs at different providers near you²
- Help you schedule your appointment
- Help with pre-certification
- Tell you about online educational tools

Estimated cost comparison for maternity delivery services

Provider A: \$8,212*

Provider B: \$17,137*

Estimated cost comparison for a knee MRI

Provider A: 547*

Provider B: 2,510*

Estimated cost comparison for a hip replacement surgery

Provider A: \$17,168*

Provider B: \$37,396*

Which provider will you choose? The same procedure performed in the same area by different providers can vary greatly in cost.

*Allowable in-network cost data from Cook County. Costs are examples and may not be the same for every member's situation.

1. Benefits Value Advisors offer cost estimates for various providers, facilities and procedures. Lower pricing and cost savings are dependent on the provider or facility of your choosing.

2. Member communications and information from Benefits Value Advisors are not meant to replace the advice of health care professionals. Members are encouraged to seek the advice of their doctors to discuss their health care needs. Decisions regarding course and place of treatment remain with the member and his or her health care providers. Cost estimates are just an estimate. In addition to your usual deductibles, copayments and/or coinsurance, the actual cost of the services may vary based on a number of factors including the date of service, the actual procedure performed and what services were billed by the provider and your particular benefit plan. Coverage is subject to the limitations, exclusions and terms of your plan.

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