



## Important Notification Regarding United HealthCare (UHC) Plans

We are writing to inform you of an important change at The Centers for Advanced ENT Care – ENT Associates at GBMC and Hunt Valley that may affect your future care with us. Effective July 31, 2024, our practice will no longer participate in the UnitedHealthcare network nor accept their plans as out-of-network providers. This change will apply to all the physicians, physician assistants, audiologists, and allergy providers at both our Towson and Hunt Valley offices. This decision comes after careful consideration and analysis of how we can best serve our patients with quality specialty care and manage our practice efficiently.

What this means for you:

**Transition Period:** You can continue to receive care at ENT Associates under your current UHC medical insurance coverage until July 31, 2024.

**Continuing Care at ENT Associates:** If you choose to remain with our practice, our team would be honored to continue your care. Please note, however, that after July 31, 2024, our services will be provided on a self-pay basis. Our office staff is available to discuss the self-pay fee schedule and any questions you may have.

**Switching to a New Provider:** For those who wish to continue using insurance benefits under your UHC plan beyond this date, we recommend visiting the UHC insurance website to find a participating provider in your area. You may complete our Authorization to Release Health Information form to have your health record transferred to a new specialist of your choice.

We are committed to ensuring a smooth and transparent transition during this period. Please feel free to contact our office at (410) 821-5151 with any concerns or inquiries. We are here to support you in managing your health with minimal disruption.

Thank you for your understanding and for trusting ENT Associates with your care.

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