



August 11, 2020

Dear Valued Patient:

For the past few months, Integrated Care Partners (ICP), the Accountable Care Organization (ACO) which Physicians Alliance of Connecticut, (PACT) LLC is a member of has been negotiating with Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield (BCBS) on a new contract for its members and those of its subsidiaries. Our focus remains on renewing the contract by its termination date of September 30, 2020 .

For those patients with Anthem BCBS insurance, we want to provide an update as you may have or will receive a letter from Anthem BCBS advising of the following; *“Notice of Potential Termination - Physician will no longer be in the Anthem BCBS network beginning September 30, 2020 or your Provider is no longer participating with Anthem BCBS.”* This is **NOT** the case as PACT will continue to accept and participate with Anthem BCBS after such termination date if a resolution is not reached between ICP and Anthem BCBS.

Your access to care with the following Providers of Physicians Alliance of Connecticut, LLC will not change:

PACT Kidney Center (formerly Connecticut Kidney Center)

David B. Simon, MD	Mark Hotchkiss, MD	Patricia Borrelli, APRN
Bayode Afolalu, MD	Jeffrey Reynolds, MD	Suzzunne De Cruz, PA-C
Peter Chuang, MD		Tatiana Tumenuk, APRN

PACT Gastroenterology Center (formerly Gastroenterology Center of Connecticut)

David Hass, MD	Philip Ginsburg, MD	Benigno Varela, MD
Mark Taylor, MD	Taneisha Grant, MD	Courtney Calandro, PA-C
Latha Alaparathi, MD	Douglas Grunwald, MD	Anthony Capobianco, PA-C
Francis Chan, MD	Ramnath Hebbar, MD	Kate Charron, PA-C
Dean Chang, MD	Anamika Reed, MD	David Griffin, PA-C
Paul Feuerstadt, MD	Renuka Umashanker, MD	Randall Johnson, PA-C

PACT Primary Care Hamden (formerly Mount Carmel Medical Associates)

Paul A. Monaco, MD	Erica Gemmell, APRN	Jodi Pinkus, APRN
Dharini Sun, MD	Odeth Hylton, APRN	Deborah Valin, APRN

PACT Surgical Specialists

John Aversa Jr., DO	John A. Bonadies, MD	David Katz, MD	Daniel Lavy, MD
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PACT Primary Care Madison

(formerly Sterling Primary Care)
Helen Ede, MD

PACT Orthopaedics

(formerly Altman Orthopaedics)
Mark Altman, MD

PACT Primary Care West Haven, New Haven and Orange

(formerly West Haven Medical Group)

Anuruddha Walaliyadda, MD	Lynne Hillis, MD	Dana Rector, APRN
Adedayo Adetola, MD	Simina Ionescu, MD	Rose Tran, APRN
Horatiu Balas, MD	Lazaros Lazarides, MD	Aimie Angeletti, APRN
Joseph Balsamo, MD	Christa Wittmann, DO	Jeongwon Kim, MD
Benedict L.L. Fernando, MD	Lena Wu Rivas, MD	Ronald Schwartz, MD
Ela Eris, MD	Niurka Visconti, DO	David Stevenson, APRN

PACT Primary Care – APRN Division (non-office based providers)

Aleshia Rousseau, APRN	Holly Penkacik, APRN	Michelle Brassington, APRN
Alison LoRusso, APRN	Jade Paradis, APRN	Minori Korn, APRN
Anne Cicale, APRN	Janice Myers, APRN	Nicole Colline, APRN
Blossom Reyes Valda, APRN	Jennifer B. Lee, APRN	Ophelia Empleo-Frazier, APRN
Bridget Brown, APRN	Joanna Yaconiello	Stacey-Jo Murray, APRN
Brooke Samuelson, APRN	Julie Thuy Nguyen, APRN	Stephanie Borjas, APRN
Carole Maclellan, APRN	Lisa Magistro, APRN	Stephanie Smerglino, APRN
Carolyn Rojo, APRN	Liz Russo, APRN	Susan Kamovitch, APRN
Cynthia O’Sullivan, APRN	Madelyn Ziino, APRN	Tatiana Goclowski, APRN
David Booth, APRN	Margaret Hansley, APRN	Wendy Carlson-Quirk, APRN
Debbie Gould, APRN	Maria Anna Go, APRN	Wentao Yang, APRN
Deborah VanDerMaelen, APRN	Maryam Oshomah, APRN	Xiuling Guo, APRN
Galina Braylyan, APRN	Meredith Edwards, APRN	Yongmei Jin, APRN

We realize you may have questions Please call **your Providers office** if you have any further questions. You can access the listing of offices and phone numbers [here](#).

Throughout PACT, LLC we continue to provide exceptional care while lowering our costs. However, we must secure equitable contracts so we can continue to serve our patients and our communities and operate in a sustainable way.

We are honored to provide you with the quality care you deserve. Please know that we are doing our best to come to an agreement.

Sincerely,



David B. Simon, M.D.
Chief Executive Officer