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The following payers have communicated their selection for NPI readiness according to the above definitions.

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Access Administrators	3		04/18/08
Advocate Health Centers	4		05/19/08
Advocate Health Partners	4		05/19/08
Aetna	2		05/14/08
Ameriben Solutions	2		04/18/08
American Imaging Management, Inc	2		04/18/08
American Medical Security	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08
American Pioneer Brevard Phys Net	2		04/18/08
American Pioneer South Florida	2		04/18/08
Americas Health Choice	2		04/18/08
Amerigroup - Fort Worth	2		05/16/08
Amerigroup - Houston	2		05/16/08
Amerigroup - Multiple States	2		05/16/08
Asuris Northwest Health	4		05/23/08
Availity All Payer Print	2		04/18/08
AvMed	4		05/08/08
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Arizona	4*		09/19/08
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Arkansas	4+		05/21/08
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Florida	2		04/18/08
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois – 837	4		05/08/08
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois – 270, 276	3		

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Blue Cross Blue Shield of Louisiana	2		05/23/08
Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Mexico – 837	4		05/08/08
Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Mexico – 270, 276	3		
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Oklahoma – 837	4		05/08/08
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Blue Cross Blue Shield of Oregon	4		05/19/08
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Texas – 837	4		05/08/08
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Texas – 270, 276	3		
Blue Cross of Idaho	2		04/18/08
Blue Shield of Alabama	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08
Blue Shield of California	4		09/19/08
Blue Shield of Colorado – Anthem BCBS	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08
Blue Shield of Connecticut – Anthem BCBS	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08
Blue Shield of Idaho	4		05/19/08
Blue Shield of Indiana – Anthem BCBS	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08
Blue Shield of Kentucky – Anthem BCBS	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08

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Blue Shield of Missouri – Anthem BCBS	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08
Blue Shield of New Hampshire – Anthem BCBS	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08
Blue Shield of New York – Empire	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08
Blue Shield of New Jersey	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08
Blue Shield of Ohio Accordia – Anthem BCBS	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08
Blue Shield of Washington	4		05/19/08
Boon Chapman	4		04/18/08
Bryan ISD	4		04/18/08
Capital Health Plan	2		04/18/08
Carelink / University Health System	3		04/18/08
Careplus	2		04/18/08
Centene Corp/Cenpatico Georgia	4		05/14/08
Centercare	2		04/18/08
Christus Spohn Health Network	2		04/18/08
CIGNA	2		04/18/08
CIGNA Government Services	4*		05/23/08
Citrus Health Plan	4*		09/19/08
City of Amarillo	4		04/18/08
ClaimXPress	2		04/18/08

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Colorado Medicare Part B	3		04/18/08
Community First Health Plan	4+		05/21/08
Community Health Choice	4+		04/18/08
Community Health Plan of Washington	4		06/02/08
Cook Children's Health Plan - CHIP	4		07/15/08
Cook Children's Health Plan - STAR	4		07/15/08
Covenant Management (Austin Regional)	4		05/23/08
CQuest America	2		04/18/08
DC Metro Medicare Part B	3		04/18/08
Delaware Medicare Part B	3		04/18/08
Department of Labor	3		05/16/08
Dept. of Labor & Industries Washington	2		05/16/08
DME Region C	4*		09/19/08
DME Region D	4*		09/19/08
Ecom PPO Advisors Inc.	2		04/18/08
Elder Health Texas	4		05/19/08
El Paso First Health Network	4		05/19/08
Elmcare LLC	3		04/18/08
Electronic Provider Solutions	4		04/18/08
FHHS	2		04/18/08
Firstcare	4		05/19/08
Fresenius Medical Care Health Plan	2		04/18/08
GHC of Puget Sound	2		05/27/08
Golden Triangle Physician Alliance	2		04/18/08
Great West Healthcare	2		04/18/08

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Group And Pension Administrators	2		04/18/08
GTESS	2		04/18/08
Gulfquest	4		04/18/08
Health Care District Palm Beach County	4		04/18/08
HDM Corp	4		05/16/08
Health eConnex	4		04/18/08
Health Management Administrators	4		04/18/08
HealthSmart Preferred	1		05/29/08
Healthy Options of Illinois Inc.	4		04/18/08
Heritage IPA	4		06/04/08
Heritage Physicians Network	4		07/15/08
HFN	4		05/19/08
Hinsdale Physicians Healthcare	4		04/18/08
Humana - 270, 837	3		05/21/08
Humana - 276	2		
Humana - 278	1		
Indian Health Services ACS	2		04/18/08
Ingalls Provider Group	4		04/18/08
Inpatient Medical Services	4		06/04/08
Insurance Management Services (IMS)	2		05/23/08
Inter-Americas Insurance	3		04/18/08
International Medical Group Inc.	2		04/18/08
KPS Health Plans	4		05/29/08
Leon Medical Center Health Plan	2		04/18/08
LIPA Agate	4		04/18/08
Magellan Health Services	4	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN	05/23/08

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Maryland Medicare Part B	3		04/18/08
Masters Mates And Pilots Plan	2		04/18/08
Medicaid – Florida	3		07/15/08
Medicaid – Idaho	2		08/06/08
Medicaid – Illinois (HFS)	4		07/15/08
Medicaid – New Mexico	4*+	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A, 2310B, 2420A and 2420F	07/15/08
Medicaid – New Mexico (Lovelace Salud)	3		07/15/08
Medicaid – New Mexico (Presbyterian Salud)	3		07/15/08
Medicaid – Texas	4#	No REF 0B	08/01/08
Medicaid – Texas Health Steps	3		08/01/08
Medicaid – Texas Premier Plan (Star HMO)	3		07/15/08
Medicaid – Washington	1		08/19/08
Medicare – Railroad	4*		07/15/08
Medicare ‘A’ – Florida	3		07/15/08
Medicare ‘A’ – Illinois	3		07/15/08
Medicare ‘A’ – New Mexico	3		07/15/08
Medicare ‘A’ – Texas	3		07/15/08
Medicare ‘B’ – Alaska	4*		05/27/08
Medicare ‘B’ – Arizona	4*		05/27/08
Medicare ‘B’ – Arkansas	3		07/15/08
Medicare ‘B’ – Colorado	3		07/15/08

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Medicare 'B' – DC Metro	3		07/15/08
Medicare 'B' – Florida	3		07/15/08
Medicare 'B' – Idaho	3		07/15/08
Medicare 'B' – Illinois	3		07/15/08
Medicare 'B' – Louisiana	3		07/15/08
Medicare 'B' – Maryland	3		07/15/08
Medicare 'B' – Michigan	3		07/15/08
Medicare 'B' – New Mexico	4*		07/15/08
Medicare 'B' – Oklahoma	4*		07/15/08
Medicare 'B' – Oregon	4*		05/27/08
Medicare 'B' – Texas	3		07/15/08
Medicare 'B' – Virginia	3		07/15/08
Medicare 'B' – Washington	4*		05/27/08
Medicare 'DMERC' – Region C	3		07/15/08
Medicare 'DMERC' – Region D	3		07/15/08
Mediview	4		04/18/08
Memorial Hermann Health Network	4*		09/19/08
Mercy Health Plans	2		05/14/08
Metcare	2		04/18/08
Midwest Health Plans	2		04/18/08
Molina Healthcare of California	4*		05/23/08
Molina Healthcare of Indiana	4*		05/23/08
Molina Healthcare of Michigan	4*		05/23/08
Molina Healthcare of New Mexico	4*		05/23/08
Molina Healthcare of Ohio	4*		05/23/08

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Molina Healthcare of Texas	4*		05/23/08
Molina Healthcare of Washington	4*		05/23/08
NAMM Partners Inc	4		04/18/08
National Imaging Associates	4		05/23/08
Naperville Health Care Associates	4		05/19/08
Oak West Primary Physician Assoc.	4		04/18/08
ODS Health Plan	3		05/23/08
Oregon DHS OMAP/DMAP	3		04/18/08
Palmetto GBA	3		04/18/08
PGBA	2+		06/02/08
Physicians Health Choice	4		05/19/08
Physicians United Plan	2		04/18/08
Podiatry First Inc.	2		04/18/08
Practice Insight LLC	2		04/18/08
Premera BlueCross	2		04/18/08
Presbyterian Health Plan (NM)	4		04/18/08
Providence Health Plan	2	NPI required in all loops, EIN or SSN required in 2310A and/or 2310B loop	07/15/08
Princeton IPA	4		06/04/08
Renaissance	4		06/04/08
Resurrection Phys Provider Group	4		04/18/08
Scott and White	2		04/18/08
Seton Employee Plan	4		05/23/08
Seton Health Plan Exclusive	4		05/23/08
Superior Health	4		05/14/08
Synertech Health System Solutions	2		05/27/08

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Texas True Choice	2		04/18/08
TMG HISC Medicare PPO	4		04/18/08
TMG PFFS Medicare	4		04/18/08
Today's Health	2		04/18/08
Tower Life Insurance	2		04/18/08
TrailBlazer	4*		07/15/08
Trellis Health Partners	2		04/18/08
Tricare West Region	4+		06/05/08
Tri-County IPA	2		04/18/08
Trisurant - HAS	2		04/18/08
True Choice USA	2		04/18/08
UnitedHealthcare	2		04/18/08
UNICARE	4		06/11/08
Uniformed Services Family Health Plan	2		04/18/08
VA Hero	2		04/18/08
VestaCare Inc.	2		04/18/08
Village Family Practice	2		04/18/08
Virginia Medicare Part B	4*		05/27/08
Vista	2		04/18/08
WEB-TPA Inc.	2		05/21/08
WellCare	4+		09/19/08
WellCare PFFS	4*		06/26/08
WellMed	4		04/18/08
WPS Illinois Medicare Part B	4*		05/27/08

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