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NOTICE OF POSSIBLE CONTRACT TERMINATION BETWEEN ANTHEM BLUE CROSS AND STANFORD HEALTH

**Please share with employees who are California's Valued Trust (CVT) members
with Anthem Blue Cross plans**

[Fresno, CA, August 22, 2022] Stanford Health (Stanford) has issued a notice to terminate its Contracting Hospital Agreement with Anthem for the following two facilities:

- Stanford Medical Center
- Lucile Packard Children's Hospital

Unfortunately, to date, Anthem and Stanford have not been able to reach agreement and it appears that Anthem's commercial hospital contract with Stanford may terminate effective September 1, 2022. Stanford is in Santa Clara County. Please be aware that Stanford-ValleyCare hospital in Pleasanton is not impacted by this termination and will remain in the Anthem network.

The current contract between Anthem Blue Cross and Stanford Health has provisions that cover members for continuity of care/completion of covered services should the contract terminate. Click [here](#) for a list of alternative participating hospitals in the area.

If you need assistance, please call Anthem Blue Cross Customer Service at [**\(800\) 234-4333**](tel:8002344333).

We will continue to monitor this matter and let you know of any new developments.

Please check for contract status changes at [cvtrust.org/press-releases](https://www.cvtrust.org/press-releases). If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact the **CVT Member Services** at [**\(800\) 288-9870**](tel:8002889870).

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