



Russell Medical

MEMBER OF **UAB** HEALTH SYSTEM

HUMANA MEDICARE ADVANTAGE TERMINATION FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Why is Russell Medical no longer accepting Humana Medicare Advantage plans?

Beginning January 1, 2026, Russell Medical will no longer be in-network with Humana Medicare Advantage. This was a decision based on changes in our contract with Humana. While Humana[MS1] Medicare Advantage will no longer be accepted, Russell Medical continues to accept Traditional Medicare and several other Medicare Advantage and Medicare Supplement plans.

What happens if I keep my Humana Medicare Advantage plan in 2026?

If you remain enrolled in a Humana Medicare Advantage plan after January 1, 2026[MS1], you will no longer be covered for services at Russell Medical. To continue receiving[MS2] in-network care with your Russell Medical providers, you will need to change your plan during the Medicare Open Enrollment period (October 15 – December 7, 2025).

Which Medicare plans will Russell Medical accept?

Russell Medical will continue to accept:

- Traditional Medicare (Parts A & B)
- Many Medicare Supplement (Medigap) plans
- Several Medicare Advantage plans (excluding Humana)

When can I make a change to my Medicare plan?

Medicare Open Enrollment runs from October 15 to December 7, 2025. During this time, you can review your options and switch to a plan that ensures you stay covered at Russell Medical.

Do I need to switch to Traditional Medicare, or can I stay with another Medicare Advantage plan?

You can choose either Traditional Medicare or another Medicare Advantage plan—whichever best fits your needs. The key is to make sure the plan you choose is accepted at Russell Medical if you want to continue receiving care here.

What if I have a Humana Medicare Advantage plan through my employer or their retirement plan, will this still be accepted at Russell Medical?

If you have a Humana Medicare/Commercial product through your employer or retirement plan, you will not be affected by this change. Humana commercial plans will still be accepted. Humana retirement plans are classified as custom Medicare plans.

Will those on the Public Education Employees' Health Insurance Plan (PEEHIP) be impacted by this change?

No. Humana retirement plans through the state of AL will be accepted as an in-network provider.