

A cleaner way to get paid on planned cases

Direct Care Alliance connects self-funded employers directly with hospitals on planned, non-emergent surgical and cancer cases. The price is agreed with your facility before care happens, and nothing about your existing contracts changes.

How it works for your facility

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The price is set first

The all-in case price is agreed with your facility before the procedure. It covers the full episode and every provider in it.

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No prior authorization

When an employer sends a covered case, the price is already agreed and the case is funded. You are paid directly at the agreed rate.

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The patient arrives coordinated

A nurse navigator stays with the patient the whole way, so referral paperwork is organized and questions are answered before they walk in.

Getting started

DCA builds hospital relationships nationally, case by case. The first conversation identifies the procedure categories that fit your facility, and the price for each case is agreed before any patient is sent. For your staff, that means fewer intake complications and less back and forth.

“I said a price. It is not an estimate.”

David Balat, Founder and Board Chairman, testimony to the Texas House, September 1st, 2026

The next step

Worth a 20-minute conversation about the planned cases that fit your facility? Reach Dawn Thompson, CEO, at dthompson2@directcarealliance.com or 936-254-8720.