



Finding Medicare Providers and Suppliers on Medicare.Gov

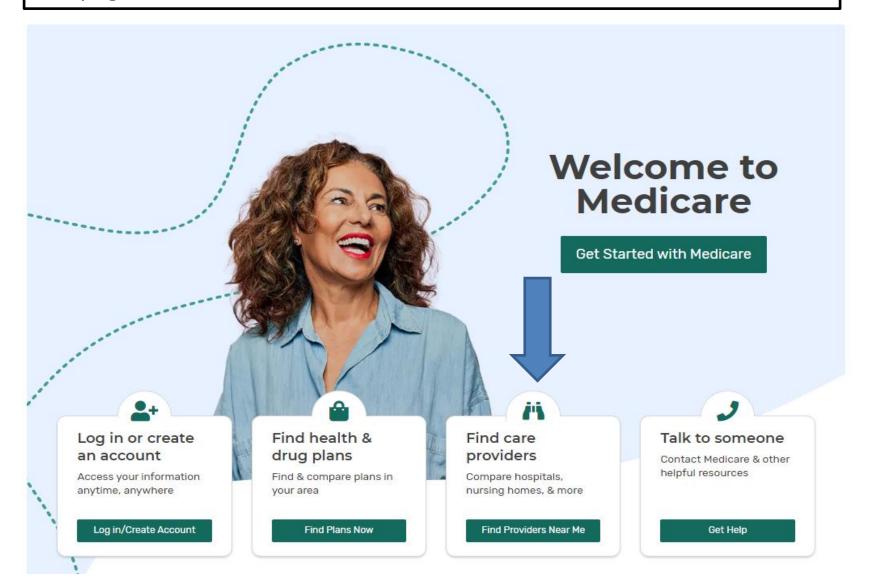
PA MEDI – Delaware County's Pennsylvania Medicare Education and Decision Insight Program



What We Will Cover...

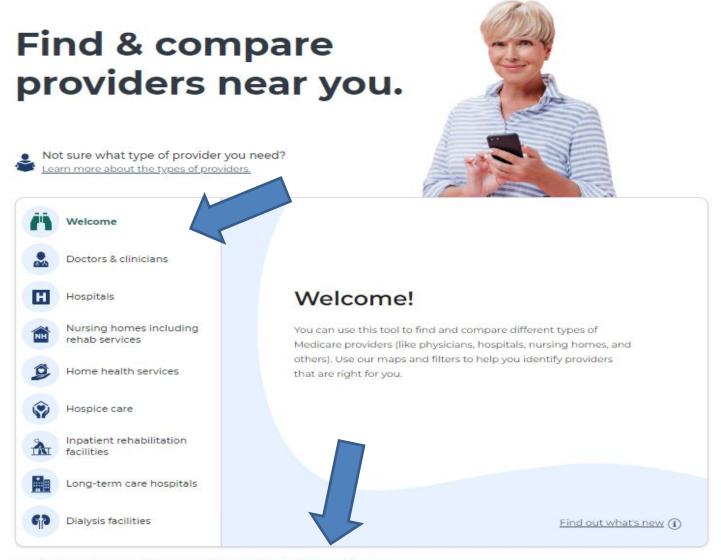
- How to use
 Medicare.gov to find
 and compare Health
 Care Providers and
 Services
- How to use
 Medicare.gov to find
 Medical Equipment
 and Device Suppliers
 near you

Open Medicare.gov Official Site Webpage – www.medicare.gov Click on "Find Care Providers" on the third tab at the bottom of the webpage

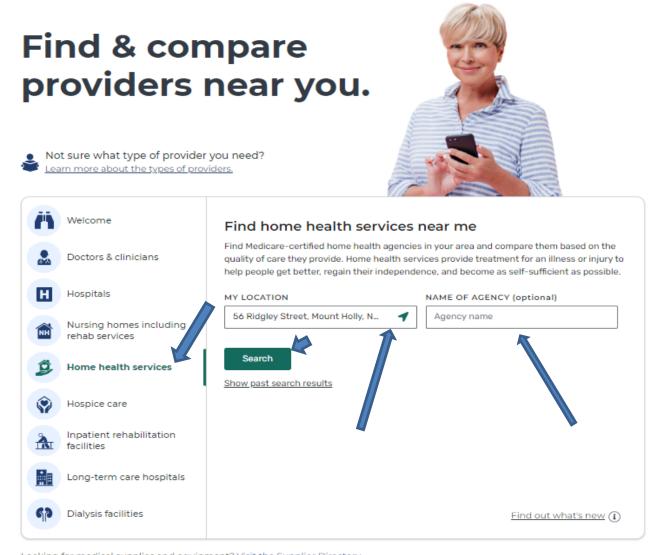


On left side of the "Find and Compare Page" select the type of Provider Service you need. Then click on the Blue Icon for that service.

Notice also at the bottom of the screen there is a Blue Link to locate Medical Suppliers.



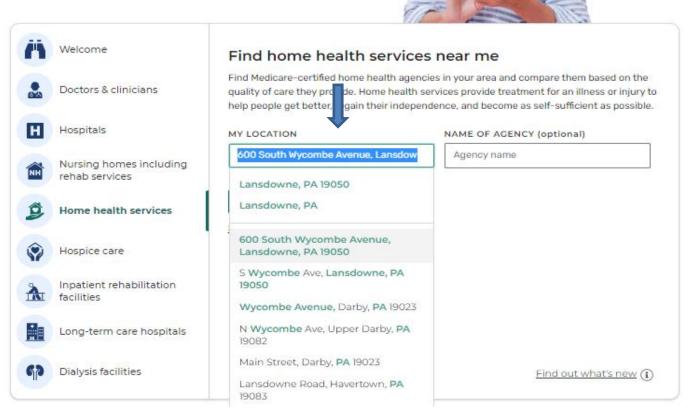
Once you have selected your **type of Provider**, type in your **Address and Location** or if you do not know the address of the agency use the "**Name of the Agency**" to search the provider by agency name. Then click the "**Search Button**".



Once you start typing in your address, a drop-down address window will appear to help narrow your search. After you choose the correct address, click the Green Search button.

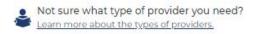
Find & compare providers near you.

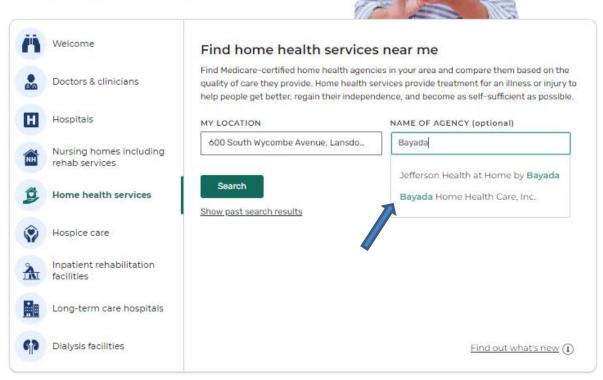




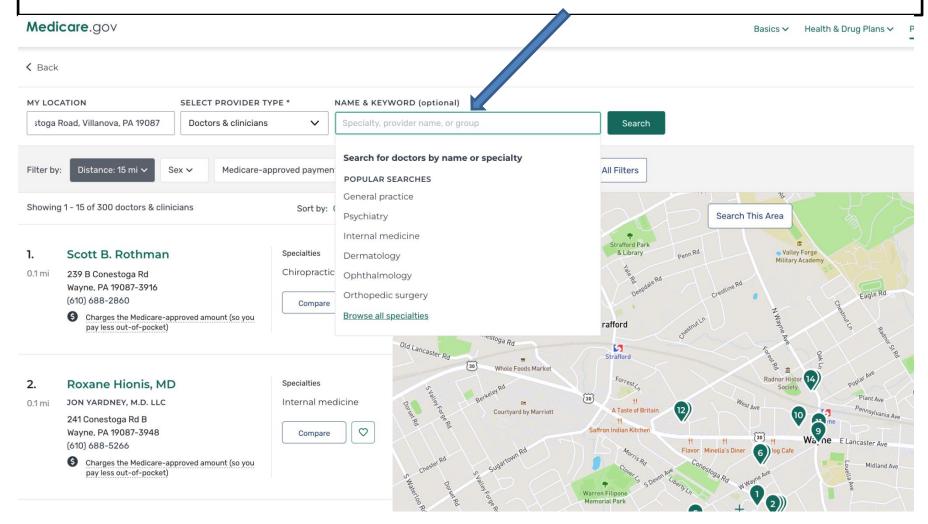
If you start typing in an "agency name," a drop-down window will appear with the names of the agencies that you might be searching for. After you choose the correct agency, click the Green Search Button.



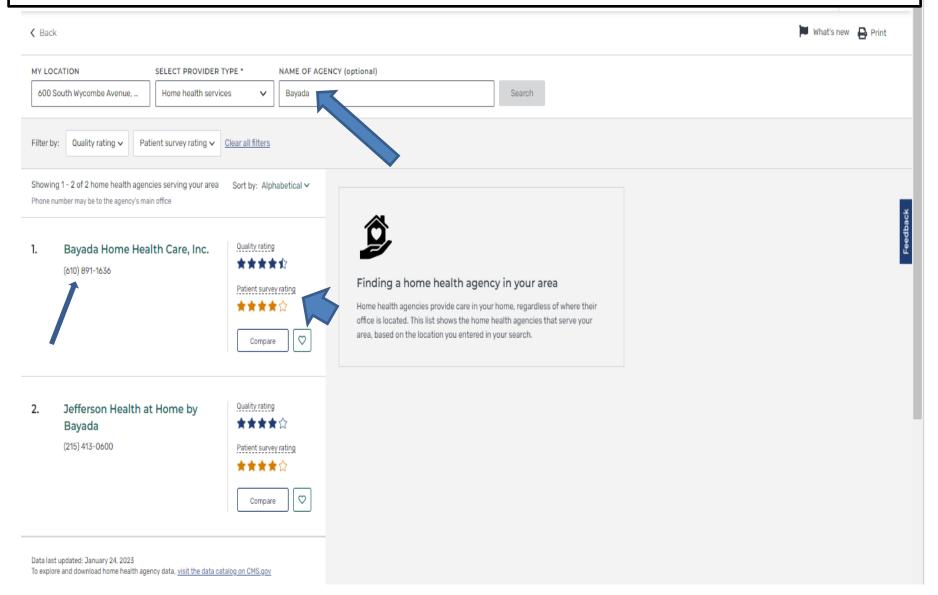




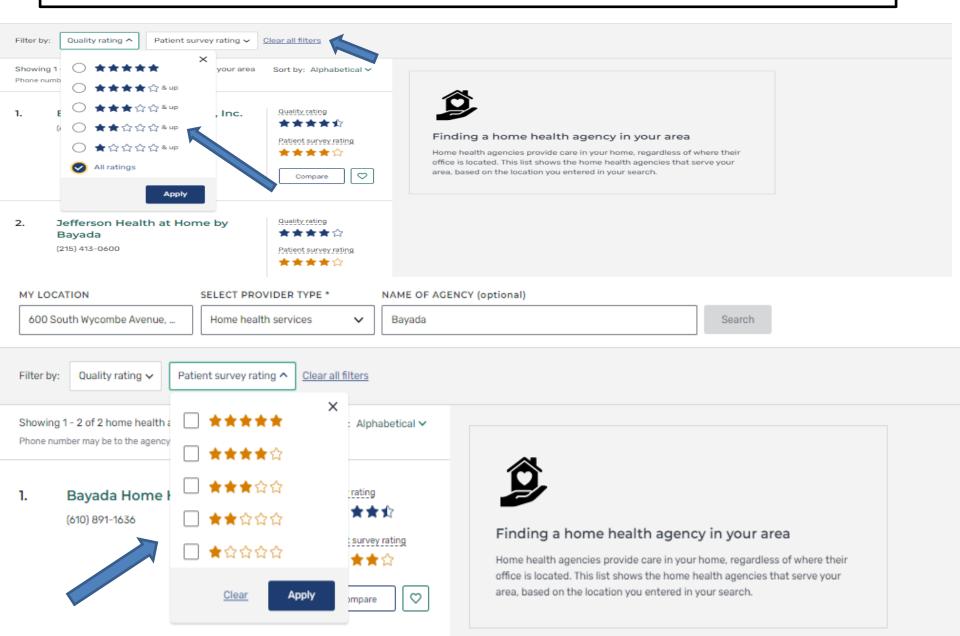
If you are looking for a Doctor with a specific specialty, click in the box under "Name & Keyword" then choose the appropriate specialty from the drop-down menu. Once you've identified the specialty, click the green Search Button.



After you click the Provider Services Search Button, you will be directed to a screen that displays your provider search Information. This screen shows the Provider Name, Phone Number, Provider Quality Ratings, and Patient Survey Ratings.

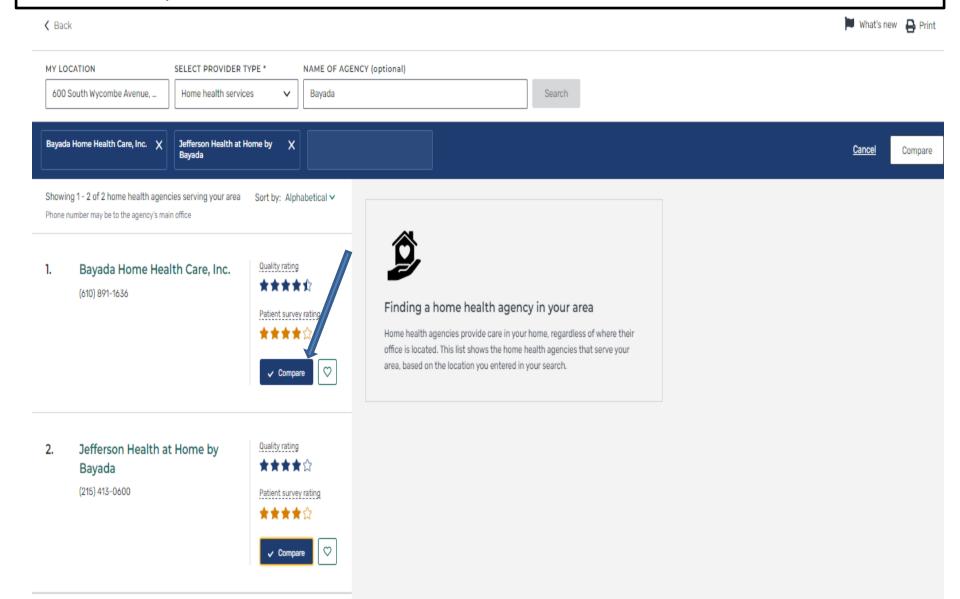


In addition, you may filter your search by Quality Ratings and or Patient Survey Ratings



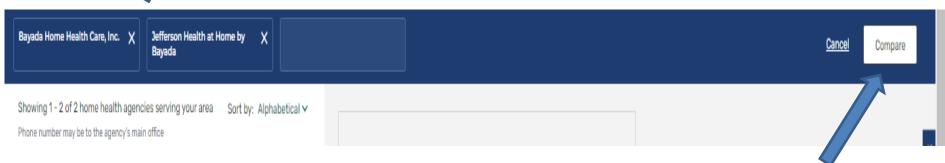
During your provider search you can also compare one Provider's Service with another Provider's Service by clicking on the "Compare Button".

Once the Compare Button has been clicked it will turn **blue**.



After you have clicked to compare providers, a **Blue Bar** will appear at the Top of your screen indicating the Providers you are comparing. You may compare up to <u>3</u> providers. Once you have selected all the providers you want to compare, click the **White Compare Button** on right hand side of the **Blue Bar**.



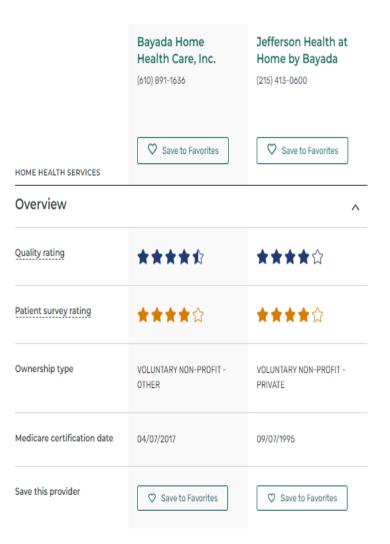


Your Comparison will provide a brief **Provider Overview**

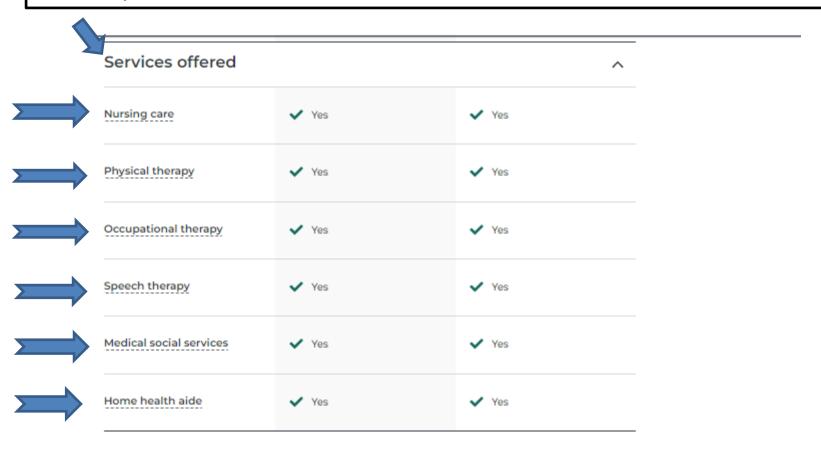
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Scroll down the page to view the various types of services provided by the selected providers.



Your comparison will provide details about the Quality of Patient Care

Quality of patient care

While the quality of patient care star rating provides a summary of agency performance, you may prefer to compare agencies on the individual measures that are related to the types of services... Read more

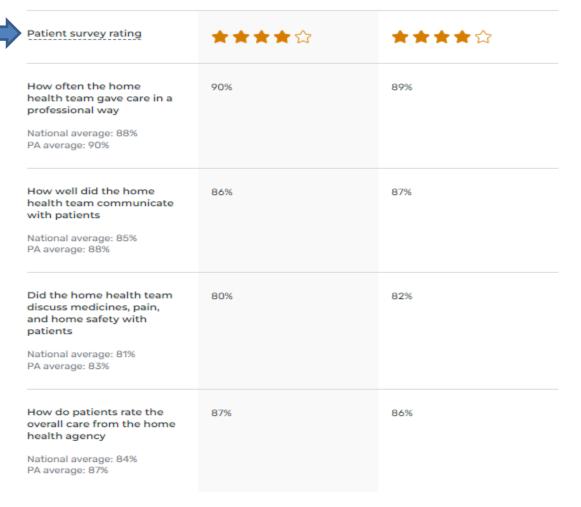
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Quality rating	****	****
Managing daily activities		
How often patients got better at walking or moving around † Higher percentages are better National average: 83.3% PA average: 84%	96.5%	95.8%
How often patients got better at getting in and out of bed • Higher percentages are better National average: 84.6% PA average: 85.8%	94.4%	94.6%
How often patients got better at bathing • Higher percentages are better National average: 85.5% PA average: 84.9%	95.7%	92.7%
How often a patient's functional abilities were assessed at admission and discharge and functional goals were included in their care plan	99%	92.5%

Your Provider Comparison will provide you with detailed information about the Provider Patient Survey Rating

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Patient survey rating

HHCAHPS (Home Health Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems) is a national survey that asks patients about their recent experiences with a home health agency. Use the result... Read more





Do Have Questions Concerning the Provider Search Tool?

How to Search For Medical Suppliers

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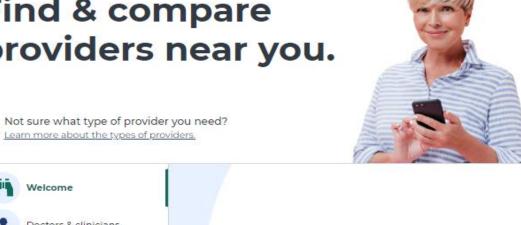
Search for medical equipment & suppliers

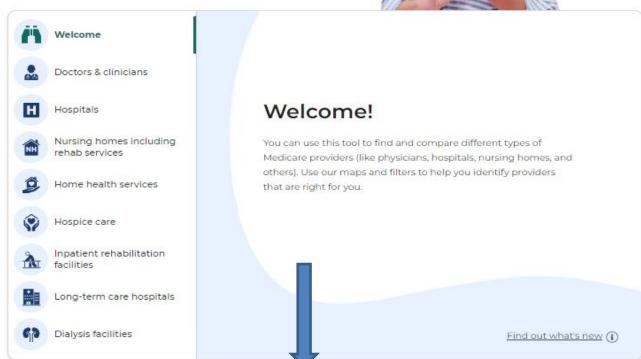




To search for a Medicare Suppliers and Equipment, click on the **Blue Link** at the bottom of the Provider "Welcome Page".

> Find & compare providers near you.





Looking for medical supplies and equipment? Visit the Supplier Directory

To search for Medical Suppliers, enter a Zip Code and the Type of Medical Equipment you are seeking.

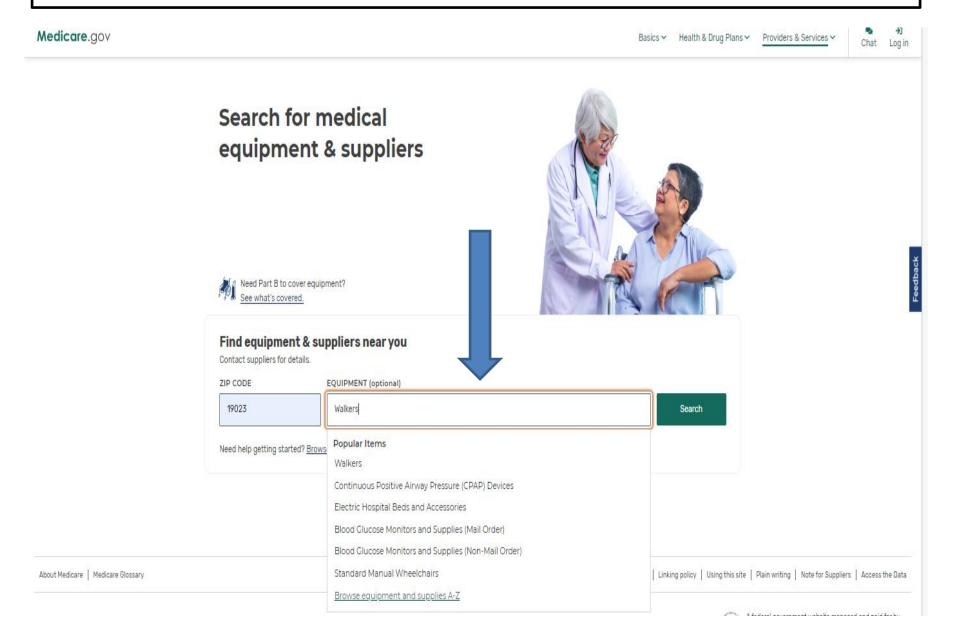
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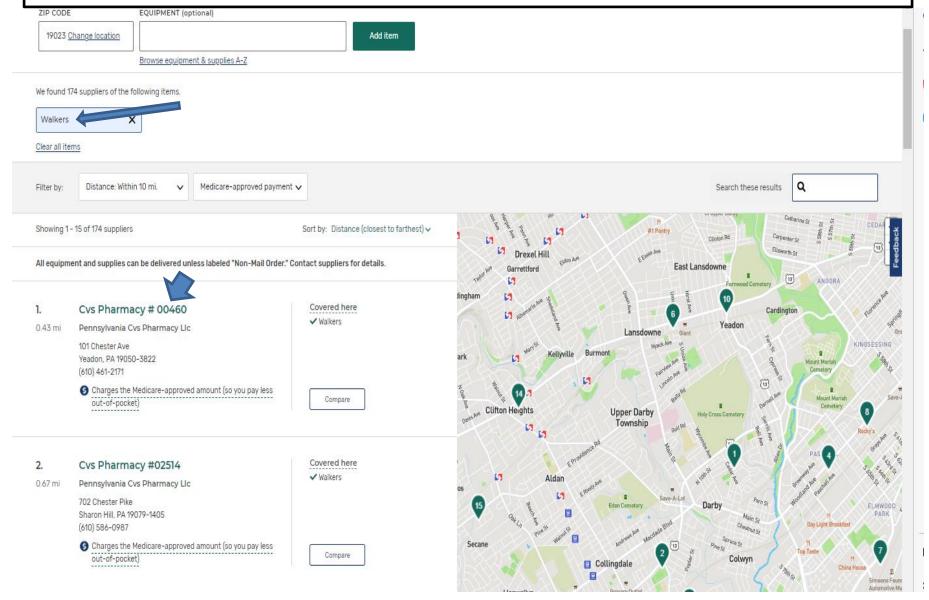
Learn more about the data sources for this tool.

Once you entered the zip code and type of equipment, a drop-down window for equipment selection opens to help you with your search.

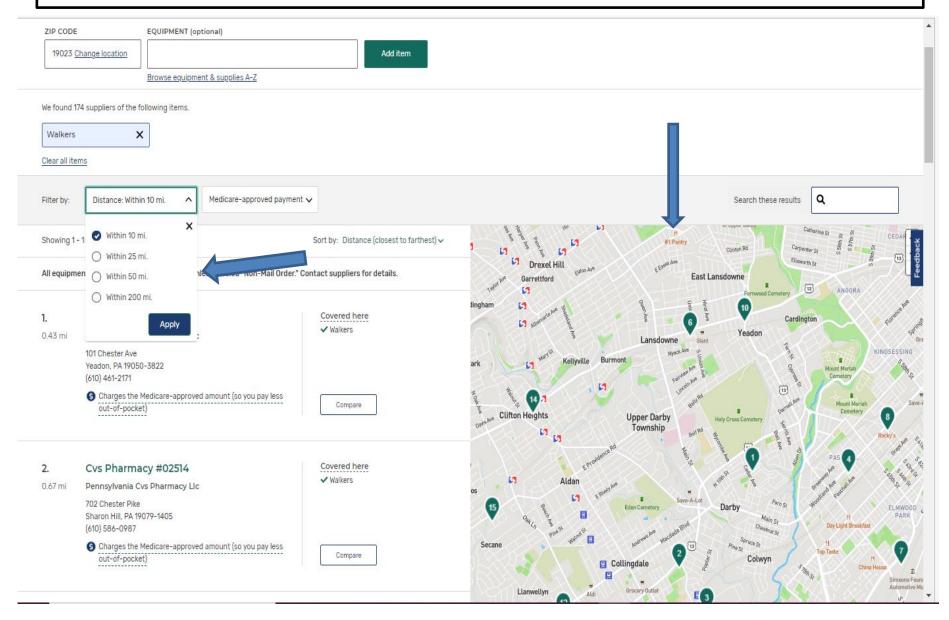


After you click on the Medical Supplier Search Button a new screen will appear showing Medical Suppliers for the Medical Supply you have placed in the search window.

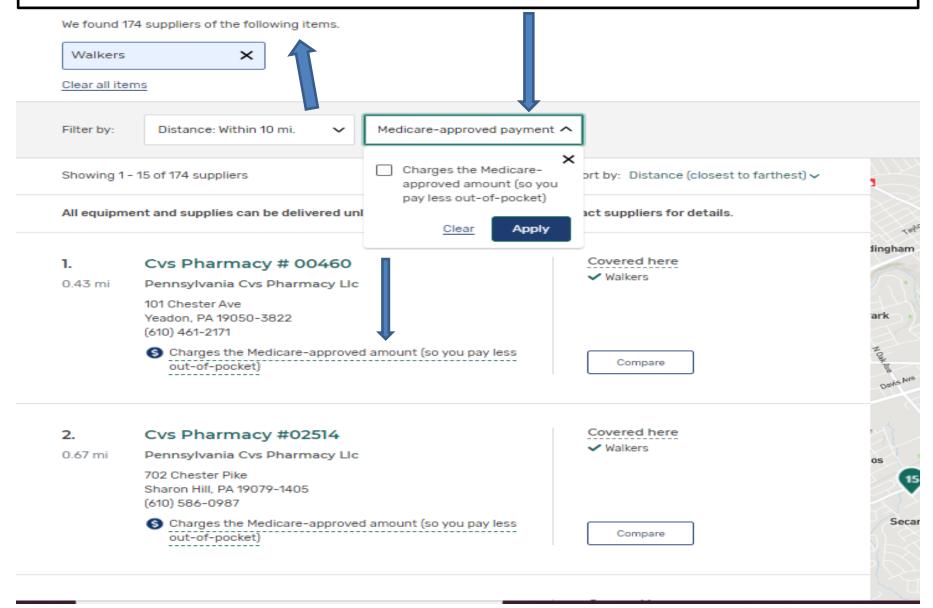
Ex. Equipment: Walkers Medical Supplier: Cvs Pharmacy



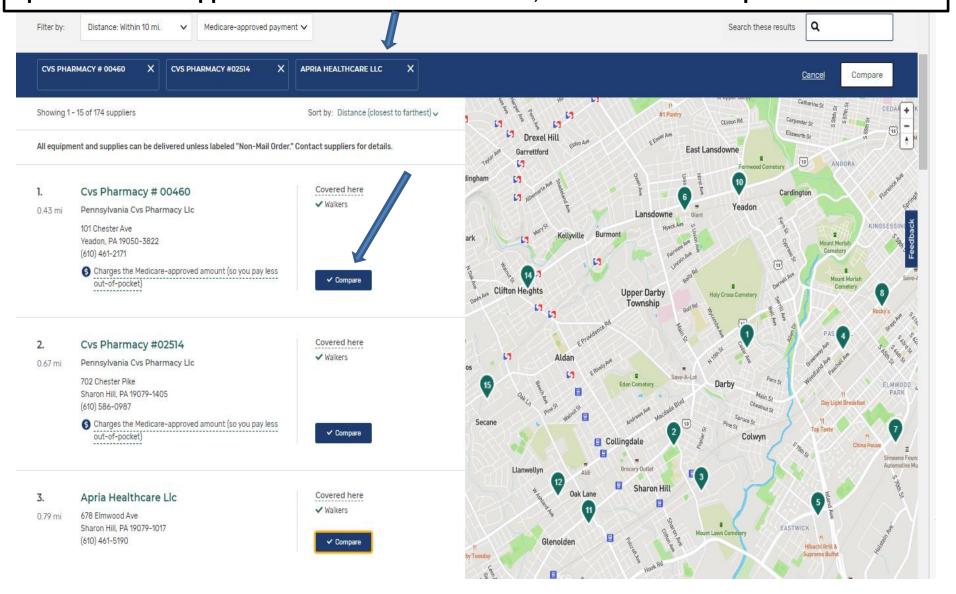
Your Medical Suppliers search can be **Filtered by Distance** and the **Map** to the right shows where the Medical Suppliers are located within the Delaware County Area



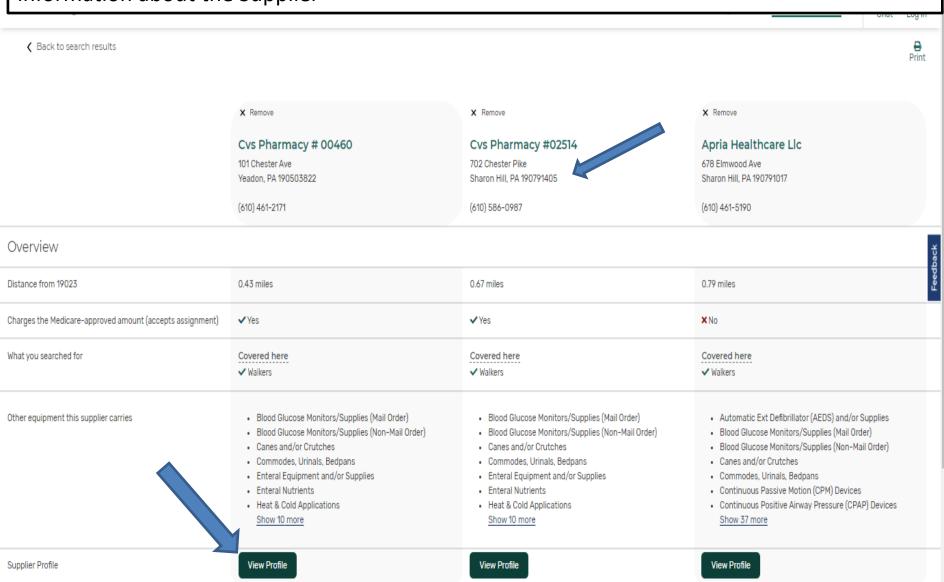
Your search identifies how many Medical Suppliers were found and allows you to **check off** if you only want to find Medical Suppliers who charge the **Medicare Approved Amount**, so your Out-Pocket Cost for the equipment would be less money.



The Medical Suppliers search screen also allows you to **compare** Medical Suppliers. As you click on the **Compare Buttons** for Medical Suppliers you would like to compare, a **Blue Bar** will appear at the top of the screen showing your selections. You are allowed to **compare up to 3 Medical Suppliers**. When the Blue Bar is filled, click the **White Compare Button**.



Once you have clicked the **White Compare Button** an "**Overview Screen**" appears sharing information about each Medical Supplier. You may click on the **Green Profile Button** for more information about the Supplier



Cvs Pharmacy # 00460

S Charges the Medicare-approved amount (accepts assignment)

Next steps for choosing a supplier

Contact the supplier to confirm what equipment they have in stock and:

- · They carry the product you need
- · Whether they agree to accept the Medicare-approved amount as full payment (so you'll pay less out-of-pocket)
- General information

Have your prescription and any notes from your doctor ready when you call.

Equipment

Location

EQUIPMENT

This supplier is licensed to carry the following equipment. Contact the supplier to confirm which products are currently in stock.

What you searched for

Covered here

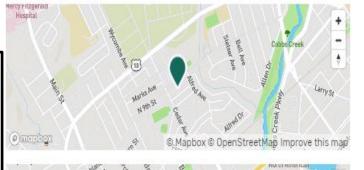
✓ Walkers

Other equipment this supplier carries

- . Blood Glucose Monitors/Supplies (Mail Order)
- · Blood Glucose Monitors/Supplies (Non-Mail Order)
- · Canes and/or Crutches
- · Commodes, Urinals, Bedpans
- · Enteral Equipment and/or Supplies
- Enteral Nutrients
- Heat & Cold Applications

Show 10 more

Clicking 'Profile Button" further displays the medical supplier location and give opportunity for you to get directions to the medical supplier specified location by clicking the Green "Get Directions Button".









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101 Chester Ave Yeadon, PA 19050-3822 (610) 461-2171

Get Directions

0.43 Miles Away

Cvs Pharmacy #05081

101 W. City Avenue Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004-3164 (610) 668-3890

Get Directions

5.80 Miles Away

Cvs Pharmacy #03142

119 E Baltimore Ave Lansdowne, PA 19050-2214 (610) 622-8191

Get Directions

1.57 Miles Away

Cvs Pharmacy # 01064

1826 Chestnut St # 30 Philadelphia, PA 19103-4902 (215) 972-0909

Get Directions

5.16 Miles Away



Need help with finding a Medical Provider/Service or Medical Supplier? Delaware County PA MEDI Medicare Program is here to assist.

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