The Elect PPO plans\(^1\) provide the choice and flexibility of getting in-network care from the high-performing Kaiser Permanente provider network within our Washington service area and from the broad provider networks of First Choice Health and First Health outside of our Washington service area.

**Q:** Where in Washington does the Elect PPO plan cover in-network care?

**A:** In-network care is provided by Kaiser Permanente providers and more than 9,000 contracted providers\(^2\) within our 18-county service area, and by First Choice Health network providers in Washington counties not in our service area.

**Q:** Where outside of Washington does the Elect PPO plan cover in-network care?

**A:** In California, Colorado, Georgia, Hawaii, Maryland, Oregon, Virginia, or Washington, D.C., in-network care is provided at all Kaiser Permanente facilities. It is also provided by doctors in the First Choice Health and First Health networks, depending on the state.

In Alaska, Idaho, Montana, or Oregon, in-network care is provided by doctors in the First Choice Health network.

In all other states, in-network care is provided by doctors in the First Health network.

**Q:** If care is provided by a First Choice Health network doctor within the 18-county Kaiser Permanente Washington service area, is it in-network?

**A:** No, care from a First Choice Health network provider within our 18-county service area is covered at the out-of-network benefit level. However, if care is provided by a First Choice Health doctor outside of Kaiser Permanente Washington’s 18-county service area, it is covered as in-network care.

**Q:** What if care is provided by a doctor who is not in the Elect PPO network?

**A:** Care provided by doctors not in the Elect PPO network would be covered as out-of-network.

To find providers in the Elect PPO network, go to [kp.org/wa/directory](http://kp.org/wa/directory).

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\(^1\)Elect PPO plans are available to employees of small businesses headquartered in King, Kitsap, Pierce, Snohomish, and Thurston counties.

\(^2\)OIC Provider Network Form A
Where to get in-network care with the Elect PPO plan

Kaiser Permanente providers and contracted providers

Washington’s 18-county service area: Benton, Columbia, Franklin, Island, King, Kitsap, Kittitas, Lewis, Mason, Pierce, Skagit, Snohomish, Spokane, Thurston, Walla Walla, Whatcom, Whitman, and Yakima

First Choice Health providers

In Washington outside of Kaiser Permanente’s service area as well as in Alaska, Idaho, Montana, and Oregon

Kaiser Permanente facilities outside of Washington

California, Colorado, Georgia, Hawaii, Maryland, Oregon, Virginia, and Washington, D.C.

First Health providers

In all other states