



Dear Patient,

Following surgery, AMS will bill relevant charges to BlueCross BlueShield ("BCBS") for the IONM services provided intraoperatively. Although we participate in-network with some BCBS carriers, other BCBS carriers will not allow our neurologists to participate in their networks because the neurologists provide their interpreting services from their offices in another state. In those instances, your insurance benefits (payment) for these services may be paid (made) directly to you by BCBS.

For this reason, we have asked you to provide us with a signed copy of the Assignment of Benefits and Rights Agreement in connection with any payment you receive from BCBS for our services. We also ask that, if you receive such a payment (check) from BCBS, please immediately endorse and forward the payment to us, so that it can be applied to your account balance.

In most instances, we will accept the amount paid by BCBS, as payment in full of your account balance, though the payment is based on reduced amounts in connection with your insurance coverage, even if we are not under contract with your particular BCBS insurance provider. In most cases, no out-of-pocket payment from you will be required.

If, however, you fail to endorse and forward BCBS's payment, and you pocket the money even though it has been received as an intended payment for our services, we will not honor the amount paid by BCBS and, instead, you will be personally and legally responsible for paying the total, original amounts of all charges, that is, prior to any insurance adjustments, reductions, or write-offs.

Again, please forward any and all insurance payments received for intraoperative monitoring services to:

AMS 3497 Wagon Wheel Rd Springdale, AR 72762

Thank you for the opportunity to serve you.

Sincerely,

The AMS Team

FOR INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR EXPLANATION OF BENEFITS, BILL, OR PAYMENT PLEASE CALL: 1-877-295- 2554