

**National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) Recognition Programs**

NCQA offers a number of physician Recognition Programs that allow physicians to assess their performance against nationally recognized, evidence based clinical standards of care. Physician participation in these programs allow public recognition for meeting or exceeding important quality of care measures.

**Back Pain Recognition Program (BPRP)** - Recognizes physicians who take a patient-centered approach and deliver care in accordance with widely accepted, evidence-based guidelines.

**Diabetes Physician Recognition Program (DPRP)** - Recognizes physicians who demonstrate that they provide high-quality care to patients with diabetes.

**Heart/Stroke Recognition Program (HSRP)** - Recognizes physicians who demonstrate that they provide high-quality care to patients with cardiac conditions or who have had a stroke.

**PPC- Patient-Centered Medical Home (PPC-PCMH)** - Recognizes physician practices functioning as medical homes by using systematic, patient-centered and coordinated care management processes.



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**Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Alabama thanks these physicians who achieved recognition through the NCQA Diabetes Physician Recognition Program as part of the Alabama Health Improvement Initiative (Listing is current through March 2010)**

Physician Name	County	State
Olusina M. Akinduro, MD	Houston	Alabama
Carrie O. Alexander, MD	Mobile	Alabama
William E. Alldredge, MD	Tuscaloosa	Alabama
Romsel Ang, MD	Mobile	Alabama
David H. Arnold, MD	Geneva	Alabama
Bantwal S. Baliga, MD	Lee	Alabama
Terry P. Bell, MD	Baldwin	Alabama
Samar K. Bhowmick, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Charles C. Boackle, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
Max R. Boone, MD	Limestone	Alabama
Stephen D. Browne, MD	Tuscaloosa	Alabama
Charles H. Bryars, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Charles M. Buchanan, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
Deborah H. Byron, MD	Lee	Alabama
Steven C. Chandler, MD	Morgan	Alabama
Stephen L. Chastain, MD	Houston	Alabama
Gregory S. Cheatham, MD	Morgan	Alabama
Susan E. Chernick, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Anthony A. Chestang, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
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Peter C. Coats, MD	Mobile	Alabama
J. R. Conner, MD	Houston	Alabama
Ellouise M. Cotton, MD	Jefferson	Alabama

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Kristy L. Crandell, MD	Franklin	Alabama
Rebecca V. Curtiss, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Debra S. Davis, MD	Tuscaloosa	Alabama
Jimmy W. Davis, MD	Talladega	Alabama
William K. Debell, MD	Tuscaloosa	Alabama
Ross B. Del Fierro, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Bryan C. Delaney, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Julio Delgado, MD	Montgomery	Alabama
Stephen R. Dill, MD	Mobile	Alabama
James S. Donald, MD	Washington	Alabama
Allison B. Douglas, MD	Mobile	Alabama
John H. Dumas, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
Osama S. Eisa, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
Timothy W. Eller, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
Jeffrey M. Elliott, MD	Houston	Alabama
Daryl A. Ellis, MD	Russell	Alabama
Brian W. Elrod, MD	Montgomery	Alabama
John E. Fanning, MD	Madison	Alabama
Gary M. Fowler, MD	Marion	Alabama
David B. Fuller, DO	Baldwin	Alabama
Marlin D. Gill, MD	Morgan	Alabama
Rommel C. Go, MD	Marshall	Alabama
Edison Goncalves, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
Carol Grace, MD	Marion	Alabama
Jerry M. Graham, MD	Madison	Alabama
Michael T. Gunter, MD	Lee	Alabama
David E. Harding, MD	Tuscaloosa	Alabama
Cedric L. Harris, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
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Fred J. Herndon, MD	Shelby	Alabama
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Larry S. Hunt, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
Robert W. Israel, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Michelle S. Jackson, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Lloyd James, MD	Calhoun	Alabama
Karen L. Jimenez, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Jeffrey A. Johnson, DO	Morgan	Alabama
Juan Johnson, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
Eric C. Johnson, MD	Mobile	Alabama
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Bipin Kumar, MD	Elmore	Alabama
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Thomas E. Lockard, DO	Morgan	Alabama
Steve R. Lovelady, MD	Tuscaloosa	Alabama
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David R. Mayer, DO	Madison	Alabama
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David M. McCalman, MD	Covington	Alabama
Ronald A. McCormack, MD	Tuscaloosa	Alabama
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James T. McLaughlin, MD	Montgomery	Alabama
Judson K. Menefee, MD	Baldwin	Alabama
Thomas M. Milko, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
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Rian L. Montgomery, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
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David M. Phillips, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Lynn H. Porter, MD	Baldwin	Alabama
Milton D. Prestridge, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Charles T. Prickett, MD	Morgan	Alabama
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Bryan D. Strickland, MD	Montgomery	Alabama
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Pamela S. Trantham, MD	Pike	Alabama
Bruce A. Tucker, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
John G. Van Derwood, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Sasikumar Vishwanath, MD	Covington	Alabama
James L. Walker, MD	Mobile	Alabama
Kathleen J. Webster, MD	Mobile	Alabama
James B. Wilhite, MD	Tuscaloosa	Alabama
Susan J. Wright, MD	Lee	Alabama
Joseph H. Wu, MD	Jefferson	Alabama
Glenn A. Yates, MD	Montgomery	Alabama
Jess H. Youngblood, MD	Marshall	Alabama
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Garry L. August, MD	Muscogee	Georgia
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Jerry S. Chase, MD	Muscogee	Georgia
Ronald M. Hudson, MD	Muscogee	Georgia
James H. Johnson, MD	Muscogee	Georgia
Kevin R. King, MD	Muscogee	Georgia
Steven B. Leichter, MD	Coweta	Georgia
James P. Miller, MD	Muscogee	Georgia
Linda J. Moore, MD	Muscogee	Georgia
Henry Ngo, MD	Muscogee	Georgia
Piyush B. Patel, MD	Muscogee	Georgia
Jack R. Ross, MD	Muscogee	Georgia
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