

Health facilities, entities and certain individual providers are governed by federal and state laws. This matrix shows whether specific facility and entity types are subject to federal law, state law, or both federal and state laws. Support for regulation of these programs comes from licensing, certification or registration fees and federal Medicare funds.

Type of Facility / Entity / Individual	State Licensing / Registration / Certification	Medicare Certification
Ambulatory Surgery Centers (ASC)	X	X
Birthing Centers (BC)	X	
Caregiver Registries (CGR)	X	
Community Mental Health Centers (CMHC)		X
Comprehensive Outpatient Rehabilitation Facilities (CORF)		X
End-State Renal Disease Treatment Facilities (ESRD) / Outpatient Renal Dialysis Facilities (ORDF)	X	X
Extended Stay Centers (ESC)	X	
Federally Qualified Health Centers		X
Hospitals (including Acute Care, Critical Access and Psychiatric Hospitals)	X	X
Hemodialysis Technicians (Hemo Techs)	X	
Home Health Agencies (HHA)	X	X
Hospice Agencies	X	X
In-Home Care Agencies (IHC)	X	
NonTransplant Anatomical Research Recovery Organizations (NARRO)	X	
Organ Procurement Organizations - Tissue Banks & Eye Banks (OP)	X*	
Outpatient Physical Therapy or Speech Pathology Services (OPT/SP)		X
Portable X-Ray Suppliers (PXS)		X
Rural Health Clinics (RHC)		X
Special Inpatient Care Facilities (SICF)	X	

* Must be federally registered with the Food and Drug Administration and with the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network.