What is the Network?

**CMS ▶ ESRD Networks ▶ Dialysis Facilities**
- End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) Networks are contracted by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) to oversee the quality of care provided by dialysis and transplant facilities to ESRD and transplant patients.
- The ESRD Conditions for Coverage [§42 CFR Part 494.180(i)] require dialysis facilities to cooperate with the ESRD Network designated for its geographic area (Network 8), in fulfilling the terms of the Network’s current statement of work. Each facility must participate in ESRD Network activities and pursue Network goals.
- The Network is a liaison between the federal government (CMS) and ESRD providers.

What is your Network?
- Alliant Health Solutions Network 8, formerly Network 8, Inc., serves as the ESRD federal contractor for the Network 8 region.
- The Network 8 region encompasses Alabama, Mississippi, and Tennessee.
- Alliant Health Solutions ESRD Network 8 oversees more than 475 hemodialysis facilities and 10 renal transplant centers (as of January 2023).

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We are here to help.
Contact us to advance patient engagement, discuss grievances or potential involuntary discharges (IVDs), get assistance with data entry in EQRS or NHSN, improve quality measures and much more. The Network advocates for both patients and staff. If in doubt, reach out!