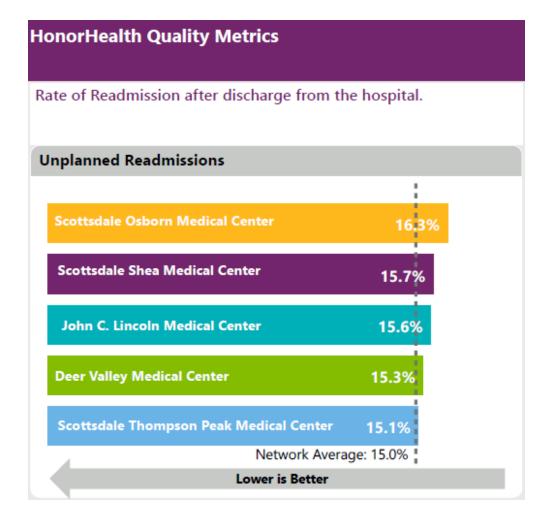
UNPLANNED HOSPITAL VISITS

Returning to the hospital for unplanned care is disruptive to a patient / family's life, in addition to placing patients at an increased risk for healthcare-associated infections and increasing healthcare costs. HonorHealth strives to provide coordinated care between the hospital and community services to decreases a patient's risk for returning to the hospital. This data is displayed for overall unplanned returns within 30 days of discharge from a hospitalization. This data is provided by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

Unplanned readmissions



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What is HonorHealth doing to improve unplanned readmissions?

HonorHealth has an organizational goal to reduce overall 30-day readmissions to reach national top quartile performance. We are implementing several initiatives to help us achieve this goal and coordinate care for our patients. This includes:

- Managing transition of care and medications for patients when they leave the hospital
- Helping patients in the emergency room find safe alternatives to get back home
- Working with community partners to keep patients healthy and out of the hospital
- Partnering with patients to manage their chronic diseases, decreasing the chance of needing to go to the hospital

