

STEP FOUR: RATING THE HOSPITALS • A WORK SHEET

This is a scorecard designed to help you compare your hospital options. There is space to compare three hospitals. You may want to copy these pages to use as your work sheets.

HOW TO RATE

By Using Points: Assign 3 points if the benefit is very important to you, 2 points if the benefit is moderately important, 1 point if the benefit is not important, and 0 if the hospital does not have the feature or benefit.

or

By Using Check Marks: The hospital with the most check marks rates highest.

See "Other" to add personal items to consider or special services you may need.

NAME OF HOSPITAL	1:	2:	3:
COVERED BY MY INSURANCE			
MY PHYSICIAN(S) HAS/HAVE PRIVILEGES			
NATIONALLY ACCREDITED			
BEST AND LATEST EQUIPMENT			
CERTIFIED TEACHING HOSPITAL			
Reputation for:			
Best Physicians in Area			
Best Nurses in Area			
Nurse to Patient Ratio 1:10 or Better			
Most Physicians Board Certified			
Good Emergency Department			
Experience:			
Best Experience in Major Specialties			
Significant Experience in My Procedure			
Women's Specialty Department			
Recommended by:			
Physician			
Another Employee Says Good			
Employer Recommends			
Been to Hospital/Satisfied			
Advertises Seminars/Classes			
Advertises Free Diagnostics			
TOTAL SCORES THIS PAGE			

