

NOTICE OF DATA BREACH

For patients who received services at Palomar Continuing Care Center in Escondido or The Villas at Poway (Villa Pomerado) between 2001-2020:

Palomar Health was recently notified by our vendor PharMerica that an unknown third party accessed PharMerica's computer systems and that certain patient information may have been improperly obtained. According to PharMerica, on or about March 13, 2023, it became aware of suspicious activity on its computer network and promptly began an investigation, which determined that the computer systems were accessed from March 12th through the 13th of 2023 by the unknown third party.

PharMerica's investigation determined that the information which may have been obtained, included name, address, date of birth, Social Security number, medications and health insurance information. PharMerica has been monitoring its systems with industry-leading security monitoring tools & has taken steps to lessen the likelihood of a future incident. PharMerica is offering one year of credit and identity theft monitoring services at no cost to the affected patients.

Upon learning of this incident on May 31, 2023, Palomar Health worked with PharMerica in order to provide our own notification to the affected patients.

For questions about this incident, contact PharMerica's Call Center at (866) 347-4281, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m., Central Standard Time, Monday through Friday, excluding major U.S. holidays. Palomar Health takes very seriously protecting its patients' privacy and security and regrets any inconvenience or concern caused by this incident.