

Notice of Data Event

Silver Summit Medical Corporation dba Digestive Disease Center and Heart Vascular & Leg Center (“SSMC”) writes to provide information about an event that involves certain individuals’ personal and/or protected health information. This notice provides information about the event, SSMC’s response, and resources available to individuals to help protect their personal and/or protected health information, should they feel it is appropriate to do so.

What Happened? On or about July 20, 2026, SSMC became aware that a third-party vendor’s cybersecurity event affected personal and protected health information received by SSMC. Certain data from the vendor’s systems was acquired without authorization between November 27, 2025 and November 30, 2025.

What Information Was Involved? The personal and/or protected health information present in the data involved includes certain individuals’ names and the following: Social Security number, driver’s license number, financial account or payment card information, date of birth, medical treatment information, prescription information, diagnosis, health insurance policy number, taxpayer identification number, and passport or other governmental identification number. Individuals who received treatment at SSMC may have been affected by this event.

What We Are Doing. SSMC takes this event and information security seriously. Upon becoming aware, SSMC moved to investigate and respond to the event and notify potentially affected individuals. As part of SSMC’s ongoing commitment to information security, it is reviewing its existing policies and procedures to reduce the likelihood of similar future events. SSMC is also offering complimentary credit monitoring and identity restoration services through Cyberscout, a TransUnion company, for 12 months, to eligible individuals.

What You Can Do. SSMC encourages individuals to remain vigilant against incidents of identity theft and fraud by reviewing their account statements, explanation of benefits statements, and monitoring free credit reports for suspicious activity and to detect errors. Suspicious activity should be promptly reported to relevant parties such as an insurance company, healthcare provider, and/or financial institution. Additional information and resources may be found below in the *Steps Individuals Can Take to Help Protect Personal Information*.

For More Information. Individuals with questions may call SSMC’s toll-free assistance line at 1-833-851-8539, Monday through Friday from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm ET, excluding major U.S. holidays. Individuals may also write to SSMC at 1400 Easton Drive, Suite 106, Bakersfield, CA 93309.