

CENTENE CORPORATION

NOTICE OF GUARANTEED DELIVERY

Pursuant to the Offer to Purchase Any and All Outstanding
4.75% Senior Notes Due 2025

(CUSIP No. 15135BAJ0; ISIN No. US15135BAJ08;
CUSIP No. 15135BAP6; ISIN No. US15135BAP67;
CUSIP No. 15135BAN1; ISIN No. US15135BAN10;
CUSIP No. U13905AF8; ISIN No. USU13905AF88)

THE OFFER (AS DEFINED BELOW) WILL EXPIRE AT 5:00 P.M., NEW YORK CITY TIME, ON February 17, 2021, UNLESS EXTENDED BY THE ISSUER (AS DEFINED BELOW) IN ITS SOLE DISCRETION (SUCH DATE AND TIME, AS THE SAME MAY BE EXTENDED, THE “EXPIRATION TIME”), UNLESS EARLIER TERMINATED. TENDERED NOTES (AS DEFINED BELOW) MAY BE WITHDRAWN AT ANY TIME PRIOR TO THE WITHDRAWAL DEADLINE (AS DEFINED IN THE OFFER TO PURCHASE). HOLDERS (AS DEFINED BELOW) OF NOTES MUST VALIDLY TENDER THEIR NOTES, AT OR BEFORE THE EXPIRATION TIME, BUT NOT AFTER, OR COMPLY WITH THE GUARANTEED DELIVERY PROCEDURES DESCRIBED IN THE OFFER TO PURCHASE, TO BE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE THE NOTES CONSIDERATION (AS DEFINED IN THE OFFER TO PURCHASE), PLUS ACCRUED INTEREST (AS DEFINED IN THE OFFER TO PURCHASE). THE OFFER IS SUBJECT TO THE SATISFACTION OF CERTAIN CONDITIONS, INCLUDING THE FINANCING CONDITION AS SET FORTH UNDER THE HEADING “TERMS OF THE OFFER—CONDITIONS TO THE OFFER” OF THE OFFER TO PURCHASE.

The Information Agent for the Offer is:

Global Bondholder Services Corporation

65 Broadway, Suite 404
New York, New York 10006
Attention: Corporate Actions
Call Collect: (212) 430-3774
All Others Call Toll-Free: (866) 470-4200
Email: contact@gbsc-usa.com

The Tender Agent for the Offer is:

Global Bondholder Services Corporation

*By Regular, Registered or Certified Mail,
By Overnight Courier or By Hand*

By Facsimile
(For Eligible Institutions only)
(212) 430-3774
Attention: Corporate Actions

65 Broadway, Suite 404
New York, New York 10006
Attention: Corporate Actions

Banks and Brokers Call:
(212) 430-3774
All Other Call Toll Free:
(866) 470-4200

DELIVERY OF THIS NOTICE OF GUARANTEED DELIVERY TO AN ADDRESS OTHER THAN AS SET FORTH ABOVE, OR TRANSMISSION OF INSTRUCTIONS VIA A FAX NUMBER OTHER THAN AS LISTED ABOVE, WILL NOT CONSTITUTE A VALID DELIVERY. THE METHOD OF DELIVERY OF THIS NOTICE OF GUARANTEED DELIVERY, AND ALL OTHER REQUIRED DOCUMENTS TO THE TENDER AGENT, INCLUDING DELIVERY THROUGH DTC AND ANY ACCEPTANCE OR AGENT'S MESSAGE (AS DEFINED IN THE OFFER TO PURCHASE) DELIVERED THROUGH DTC'S AUTOMATED TENDER OFFER PROGRAM (“ATOP”) IS AT THE ELECTION AND RISK OF HOLDERS.

This Notice of Guaranteed Delivery is being provided in connection with the offer by Centene Corporation, a Delaware corporation (the “**Issuer**”), to purchase for cash any and all of its outstanding 4.75% Senior Notes due 2025 (CUSIP No. 15135BAJ0; ISIN No. US15135BAJ08; CUSIP No. 15135BAP6; ISIN No. US15135BAP67; CUSIP No. 15135BAN1; ISIN No. US15135BAN10; CUSIP No. U13905AF8; ISIN No. USU13905AF88) (the “**Notes**”) from holders thereof (each, a “**Holder**” and collectively, the “**Holders**”) upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Offer to Purchase dated February 10, 2021 (as it may be amended or supplemented from time to time, the “**Offer to Purchase**”) and in the related Letter of Transmittal (as it may be amended or supplemented from time to time, the “**Letter of Transmittal**”), which together constitute the Offer (the “**Offer**”).

As set forth in the Offer to Purchase, this Notice of Guaranteed Delivery, or a form substantially equivalent to this Notice of Guaranteed Delivery, must be used to accept the Offer if (i) time will not permit your required documents to reach the Tender Agent at or prior to the Expiration Time or (ii) you cannot complete the procedure for book-entry transfer at or prior to the Expiration Time. To comply with the guaranteed delivery procedure, you must (i) properly complete and duly execute this Notice of Guaranteed Delivery substantially in the form provided to you by the Issuer (or, in the case of a DTC participant, tender Notes using ATOP procedures, in which case such DTC participant will be bound by the terms of the Offer); (ii) arrange for the Tender Agent to receive the Notice of Guaranteed Delivery by the Expiration Time; and (iii) ensure that the tendered Notes are delivered by book-entry transfer to the Tender Agent’s account at DTC, together with a properly transmitted Agent’s Message by the Guaranteed Delivery Time (which is two business days after the Expiration Time), all as provided in the Offer to Purchase. See “Terms of the Offer—Procedure for Tendering Notes—Guaranteed Delivery” in the Offer to Purchase. Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meaning given to them in the Offer to Purchase.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The undersigned hereby tender(s) to the Issuer upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Offer to Purchase and the Letter of Transmittal (receipt of which is hereby acknowledged), the principal, or face, amount of Notes specified below pursuant to the guaranteed delivery procedures set forth in the Offer to Purchase under the caption “Terms of the Offer—Procedure for Tendering Notes—Guaranteed Delivery.” By so tendering, the undersigned does hereby make, at and as of the date hereof, the representations and warranties of a tendering Holder of Notes set forth in the Letter of Transmittal.

The undersigned understands that tenders of Notes pursuant to the Offer may not be withdrawn after the Expiration Time, except as provided in the Offer to Purchase. Tenders of Notes may be withdrawn at any time at or prior to the Expiration Time as provided in the Offer to Purchase.

The undersigned understands that payment by the Tender Agent for Notes tendered and accepted for payment pursuant to the Offer will be made only after receipt by the Tender Agent, no later than the Guaranteed Delivery Settlement Date, an Agent’s Message and any other documents required by the Offer to Purchase or the Letter of Transmittal.

All authority conferred or agreed to be conferred by this Notice of Guaranteed Delivery shall not be affected by, and shall survive, the death or incapacity of the undersigned, and every obligation of the undersigned under this Notice of Guaranteed Delivery shall be binding upon the heirs, executors, administrators, trustees in bankruptcy, personal and legal representatives, successors and assigns of the undersigned.

Guaranteed deliveries may be submitted only in minimum denominations of principal, or face, amount of \$2,000 and integral multiples of \$1,000 in excess thereof, subject to the requirement that Holders who tender less than all of their Notes must continue to hold Notes in the minimum authorized denomination of \$2,000 principal amount and any multiple of \$1,000 in excess thereof.

If the ATOP procedures are used, the DTC participant is not required to complete and physically deliver this Notice of Guaranteed Delivery. However, such DTC participant will be bound by the terms of the Offer.

As more fully described in the Offer to Purchase, guaranteed deliveries will be required to be provided by the Guaranteed Delivery Time, which is 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on February 19, 2021 (the second business day following the Expiration Time for the Offer). The Guaranteed Delivery Settlement Date will take place on February 22, 2020 (the third business day following the Expiration Time for the Offer).

PLEASE SIGN AND COMPLETE

<u>Certificate Number(s) (if available):</u> _____ _____ _____	<u>Certificate Number(s) (if available):</u> _____ _____ _____
<p>*Must be in minimum denominations of principal, or face, amount of \$2,000 and integral multiples of \$1,000 in excess thereof, subject to the requirement that Holders who tender less than all of their Notes must continue to hold Notes in the minimum authorized denomination of \$2,000 principal amount and any multiple of \$1,000 in excess thereof. If Notes will be delivered by book-entry transfer through ATOP, provide the following information:</p>	
Name of Tendering Institution: _____	
DTC Account Number: _____	
PLEASE SIGN HERE	
X	
X	
Signature(s) of Owner(s) or authorized Signatory Date Address: _____	
Area Code and Telephone Number: _____	
<p>This Notice of Guaranteed Delivery must be signed by (i) if tendered by a participant in one of the book-entry transfer facilities, exactly as such participant's name appears on a security position listing as the owner of Notes. If the signature above is by a trustee, executor, administrator, guardian, attorney-in-fact, officer or other person acting in a fiduciary or representative capacity, such person must set forth the following information and furnish evidence of his or her authority as provided in the Letter of Transmittal:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Please print name(s) and address(es)</p>	
Name(s): _____	
Capacity: _____	
Address: _____	

**GUARANTEE OF DELIVERY
(NOT TO BE USED FOR SIGNATURE GUARANTEE)**

The undersigned, a member firm of a registered national securities exchange or of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc., a commercial bank or trust company having an office or correspondent in the United States or an “eligible guarantor institution,” within the meaning of Rule 17Ad-15 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (each, an “*Eligible Institution*”), hereby (i) represents that the above-named persons are deemed to own the Notes tendered hereby, (ii) represents that such tender of Notes is being made by guaranteed delivery, and (iii) guarantees that the Notes tendered hereby will be delivered by book-entry transfer to the Tender Agent’s account at DTC no later than the Guaranteed Delivery Time.

The Eligible Institution that completes this form must communicate the guarantee to the Tender Agent and must deliver an Agent’s Message together with confirmation of book-entry transfer thereof to the Tender Agent within the time period shown herein. **Failure to do so will result in an invalid tender of the related Notes and could result in financial loss to such Eligible Institution.**

Name of Firm:

Name of Authorized Signatory: _____

Authorized Signature: _____

Title: _____

Address: _____

Area Code and Telephone Number: _____

Date: _____