LOUISIANA STANDARDIZED CREDENTIALING APPLICATION

DIRECTIONS

Please type or print in black ink when completing this form. If you need more space or have more than four locations, attach additional sheets and reference the question being answered. Please see page 10 for a list of required documents.

**** All sections must be completed in their entirety. "See C.V.", not acceptable****

GENERAL INFORMATION

Last Name	Suffix	First	Middle	Gender Male Female

Degree: ❑ MD ❑ DO ❑ DPM ❑ DC ❑ DDS ❑ DMD ❑ Other________

Any other name under which you have been known? (AKA) List	ECFMG Number	UPIN Number

Home Street Address	City	State	Zip Code

Home Phone Number	Pager Number/Answering Service	Home Email Address *(optional)*

Social Security Number	Date of Birth	Birth Place *(City, State)*	Race/Ethnicity *(voluntary)*

NPI - Individual	Medicaid Provider Number	Medicare Provider Number

PRIMARY PRACTICE LOCATION

Institution/Group/Clinic Name *(If Applicable)*	Office Manager

Tax Identification Number	Effective Date of Provider at this Practice Location	NPI – Group

Name to which Employer Identification Number (EIN) is registered with the IRS ***(IMPORTANT: must match IRS information exactly)***

Physical Address	City	State	Zip Code

Office Email	Office Website

Main Phone Number	Appointment Phone Number	Fax Number

Billing Address *(Where you want payments sent)*			Contact Person	Phone Number
City	State	Zip Code	Billing Email	Fax Number
Correspondence Address *(Where you want communications sent)*			Contact Person	Phone Number
City	State	Zip Code	Correspondence Email	Fax Number
Medical Records Address *(Where you want medical record requests sent)*			Contact Person	Phone Number
City	State	Zip Code	Medical Records Email	Fax Number

Type of Practice: ❑ Solo ❑ Multi-specialty Group ❑ Single Specialty Group ❑ Hospital-based ❑ Hospital-employed ❑ Healthplan/Payor-owned

If Hospital-employed or Healthplan/Payor-owned, please indicate owner name:________

Office Hours	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.
	___-___	___-___	___-___	___-___	___-___	___-___	___-___

Do you practice at this location: ❑ Full-time ❑ Part-time ❑ Other (Specify) ________

Languages spoken at this location *(other than English)*: ________ ________ Provider Other

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PRIMARY PRACTICE LOCATION CONTINUED

Accepting Patients? ☐ New ☐ Existing Only ☐ Only family members of existing patients ☐ Other (Specify) ____________

Age group(s) treated: ☐ 0-6 years ☐ 7-11 years ☐ 12-18 years ☐ 19-65 years ☐ Over 65 ☐ All Ages ☐ Other (Specify): ____________

Are PAs and/or nurse/paraprofessional practitioners used? ☐Yes ☐No | Is this facility wheelchair/ handicapped accessible? ☐Yes ☐No

Does the office offer handicapped access for: Building: ☐Yes ☐No Parking: ☐Yes ☐No Restroom: ☐Yes ☐No Other: ____________

Accessible by public transportation: Bus: ☐Yes ☐No Courier Service: ☐Yes ☐No Other: ____________

Offers services for the disabled: Text Telephony (TTY): ☐Yes ☐No American Sign Language: ☐Yes ☐No Mental/Physical Impairment Services: ☐Yes ☐No Other: ____________

Does the office meet the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) accessibility requirements? ☐Yes ☐No

Emergency After Hours Number	Arrangements for 24 hour / 7 day a week coverage (Specify)

Group, Covering or Collaborating Physician(s):

Contact Name:	Contact Phone Number:

SECOND PRACTICE LOCATION

Institution/Group/Clinic Name *(If Applicable)*	Office Manager

Tax Identification Number	Effective Date of Provider at this Practice Location	NPI – Group

Name to which Employer Identification Number (EIN) is registered with the IRS ***(IMPORTANT: must match IRS information exactly)***

Physical Address	City	State	Zip Code

Office Email	Office Website

Main Phone Number	Appointment Phone Number	Fax Number

Billing Address *(Where you want payments sent)*				Contact Person	Phone Number
City	State	Zip Code	Billing Email		Fax Number

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City	State	Zip Code	Correspondence Email		Fax Number

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Do you practice at this location: ☐ Full-time ☐ Part-time ☐ Other (Specify) ____________

Languages spoken at this location *(other than English)*: ____________ ____________ Provider Other

SECOND PRACTICE LOCATION CONTINUED

Accepting Patients? ☐ New ☐ Existing Only ☐ Only family members of existing patients ☐ Other (Specify) ______

Age group(s) treated: ☐ 0-6 years ☐ 7-11 years ☐ 12-18 years ☐ 19-65 years ☐ Over 65 ☐ All Ages ☐ Other (Specify): ______

Are PAs and/or nurse/paraprofessional practitioners used? ☐Yes ☐No	Is this facility wheelchair/ handicapped accessible? ☐Yes ☐No

Does the office offer handicapped access for: Building: ☐Yes ☐No Parking: ☐Yes ☐No Restroom: ☐Yes ☐No Other: ______

Accessible by public transportation: Bus: ☐Yes ☐No Courier Service: ☐Yes ☐No Other: ______

Offers services for the disabled: Text Telephony (TTY): ☐Yes ☐No American Sign Language: ☐Yes ☐No Mental/Physical Impairment Services: ☐Yes ☐No Other: ______

Does the office meet the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) accessibility requirements? ☐Yes ☐No

Emergency After Hours Number	Arrangements for 24 hour / 7 day a week coverage (Specify)

Group, Covering or Collaborating Physician(s):

Contact Name:	Contact Phone Number:

THIRD PRACTICE LOCATION

Institution/Group/Clinic Name *(If Applicable)*	Office Manager

Tax Identification Number	Effective Date of Provider at this Practice Location	NPI – Group

Name to which Employer Identification Number (EIN) is registered with the IRS ***(IMPORTANT: must match IRS information exactly)***

Physical Address	City	State	Zip Code

Office Email	Office Website

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If Hospital-employed or Healthplan/Payor-owned, please indicate owner name: ______

Office Hours	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.
	___-___	___-___	___-___	___-___	___-___	___-___	___-___

Do you practice at this location: ☐ Full-time ☐ Part-time ☐ Other (Specify) ______

Languages spoken at this location *(other than English)*: ______ ______ Provider Other

Accepting Patients? ☐ New ☐ Existing Only ☐ Only family members of existing patients ☐ Other (Specify) ______

THIRD PRACTICE LOCATION CONTINUED

Age group(s) treated: ❑ 0-6 years ❑ 7-11 years ❑ 12-18 years ❑ 19-65 years ❑ Over 65 ❑ All Ages ❑ Other (Specify): ____________

Are PAs and/or nurse/paraprofessional practitioners used? ❑Yes ❑No | Is this facility wheelchair/ handicapped accessible? ❑Yes ❑No

Does the office offer handicapped access for: Building: ❑Yes ❑No Parking: ❑Yes ❑No Restroom: ❑Yes ❑No Other: ____________

Accessible by public transportation: Bus: ❑Yes ❑No Courier Service: ❑Yes ❑No Other: ____________

Offers services for the disabled: Text Telephony (TTY): ❑Yes ❑No American Sign Language: ❑Yes ❑No Mental/Physical Impairment Services: ❑Yes ❑No Other: ____________

Does the office meet the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) accessibility requirements? ❑Yes ❑No

Emergency After Hours Number	Arrangements for 24 hour / 7 day a week coverage (Specify)

Group, Covering or Collaborating Physician(s):

Contact Name:	Contact Phone Number:

FOURTH PRACTICE LOCATION

(If you have more than four locations, attach additional sheets with the following information.)

Institution/Group/Clinic Name *(If Applicable)*	Office Manager

Tax Identification Number	Effective Date of Provider at this Practice Location	NPI – Group

Name to which Employer Identification Number (EIN) is registered with the IRS ***(IMPORTANT: must match IRS information exactly)***

Physical Address	City	State	Zip Code

Office Email	Office Website

Main Phone Number	Appointment Phone Number	Fax Number

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Do you practice at this location: ❑ Full-time ❑ Part-time ❑ Other (Specify) ____________

Languages spoken at this location *(other than English)*: ____________ ____________ Provider Other

Accepting Patients? ❑ New ❑ Existing Only ❑ Only family members of existing patients ❑ Other (Specify) ____________

FOURTH PRACTICE LOCATION CONTINUED

Age group(s) treated: ❑ 0-6 years ❑ 7-11 years ❑ 12-18 years ❑ 19-65 years ❑ Over 65 ❑ All Ages ❑ Other (Specify): ____________

Are PAs and/or nurse/paraprofessional practitioners used? ❑Yes ❑No | Is this facility wheelchair/ handicapped accessible? ❑Yes ❑No

Does the office offer handicapped access for: Building: ❑Yes ❑No Parking: ❑Yes ❑No Restroom: ❑Yes ❑No Other: ____________

Accessible by public transportation: Bus: ❑Yes ❑No Courier Service: ❑Yes ❑No Other: ____________

Offers services for the disabled: Text Telephony (TTY): ❑Yes ❑No American Sign Language: ❑Yes ❑No Mental/Physical Impairment Services: ❑Yes ❑No Other: ____________

Does the office meet the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) accessibility requirements? ❑Yes ❑No

Emergency After Hours Number	Arrangements for 24 hour / 7 day a week coverage (Specify)

Group, Covering or Collaborating Physician(s):

Contact Name:	Contact Phone Number:

SPECIALTY & CERTIFICATION

(as recognized by American Board of Medical Specialties or other national certification body)
Please attach a copy of current certification(s).

Type of Provider: ❑ Primary Care Physician ❑ Physician Specialist ❑ Both ❑ Other Specialty: ____________

Primary Specialty:	Specialty Board Certified By:
Second Specialty:	Specialty Board Certified By:
Third Specialty:	Specialty Board Certified By:

DIRECTORY INFORMATION

Check whether the specialty and/or subspecialty(ies) listed above are practiced at each location. Indicate if each specialty is to be noted in the directory. ***Disclaimer: Use of information may vary by healthcare organization.***

Primary Location	Second Location	Third Location	Fourth Location
❑ Specialty ❑ Directory	❑ Specialty ❑ Directory	❑ Specialty ❑ Directory	❑ Specialty ❑ Directory
❑ Sub-specialty ❑ Directory	❑ Sub-specialty ❑ Directory	❑ Sub-specialty ❑ Directory	❑ Sub-specialty ❑ Directory
❑ Sub-specialty ❑ Directory	❑ Sub-specialty ❑ Directory	❑ Sub-specialty ❑ Directory	❑ Sub-specialty ❑ Directory

PHO / IPA AFFILIATIONS*

List any other PHO's, IPA's, which you participate in and dates of participation:

**The intent of this section is to identify any contractual arrangements the physicians have that are in direct conflict with the Plan.*

CURRENT HOSPITAL AFFILIATION

List the hospital to which you primarily admit your patients: ______________________________

List in **chronological** order from oldest to most current all hospitals at which you currently have privileges:

Hospital	Location/Address	Type of Privileges	Effective Date MO/YR

If you do not have admitting privileges, who admits for you and to what hospital? Please list provider's name, specialty and hospital.

EDUCATION

If additional training to what is requested below has been completed, please attach on a separate form.

Medical/Professional School:		
City	State	Zip
Degree	Year of Graduation	Dates Attended (MO/YR): From: _______ to _______
Internship: Institution Name	Type of Training	
City	State	
University Affiliation	Completed ☐ Yes ☐ No	Dates Attended (MO/YR): From: _______ to _______
Residency: Institution Name	Type of Residency	☐ Clinical ☐ Research
City	State	Dates Attended (MO/YR): From: _______ to _______
University Affiliation	Completed: ☐ Yes ☐ No	
Residency: Institution Name	Type of Residency	☐ Clinical ☐ Research
City	State	Dates Attended (MO/YR): From: _______ to _______
University Affiliation	Completed: ☐ Yes ☐ No	
Fellowship: Institution Name	Specialty Field	Dates Attended (MO/YR): From: _______ to _______
City	State	Completed ☐ Yes ☐ No
	Type of Fellowship	☐ Clinical ☐ Research
Fellowship: Institution Name	Subspecialty Fields	Dates Attended (MO/YR): From: _______ to _______
City	State	Completed ☐ Yes ☐ No
	Type of Fellowship	☐ Clinical ☐ Research

WORK HISTORY

Using the following codes, please list in **chronological order** from oldest to most current your work history from the time you completed your medical training to the present. **It is very important that you use the MONTH and YEAR for each entity listed. Work history is critical. Failure to provide this information may delay your credentialing.**

Code:

C = Clinic/Group **S** = Solo Practice **A** = Academic (Paid Teaching Appointments)
H = Civilian Hospital Medical Staff Appointment **M** = Military Service (Including Hospital Staff Appointments) **O** = Other

CODE	NAME AND ADDRESS OF ENTITY	DATE *(From MO/YR to MO/YR)*
______	______________________	___/___ to ___/___
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______	______________________	___/___ to ___/___
	______________________	

WORK HISTORY GAP

In the following section, please explain any gaps of two months or more in your education, post-graduate training or work history.

Failure to provide this information may delay your credentialing

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PROFESSIONAL LICENSES

Professional Licenses	License Number	Date Obtained	Expiration Date
State License			
Federal DEA Reg Number			
State CDS License Number			
CLIA Certificate			

Are laboratory testing procedures (as covered by the Clinical Improvement Act – CLIA) currently being performed at your office site where members are seen?

❑ Yes ❑ No **If yes, a current copy of your CLIA Registration must accompany this application.**

For Dentists Only - Do you perform any procedures in the office setting utilizing conscious sedation or any anesthesia (other than oral analgesic?)

❑ Yes ❑ No **If yes, a copy of your Anesthesia Permit must accompany this application.**

Have you been or are you currently licensed in any other state? If YES, please complete the following:

License Number	State	Date Obtained	Expiration Date
License Number	State	Date Obtained	Expiration Date
License Number	State	Date Obtained	Expiration Date

(Please attach a copy of all licenses listed above and additional ones in other states not listed.)

REFERENCES

List, as professional references, three or more peers (Physicians of the same or similar specialty) who are familiar with your work effort and skills during the past two years.

(References should not be relatives or current partners.)

Name Specialty Phone Number

Street Address City State Zip

Name Specialty Phone Number

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Name Specialty Phone Number

Street Address City State Zip

PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE COVERAGE

Name of Carrier:	Policy Number:
Address of Carrier:	Phone Number:
Amounts Per Occurrence/Aggregate:	Dates of Coverage:
Do you participate in the Louisiana Patients' Compensation Fund?	☐ Yes ☐ No
Are you self-insured in accordance with the Louisiana Medical Malpractice Act?	☐ Yes ☐ No
Has current liability insurance carrier required exclusion of any procedures from insurance coverage? (If yes, attach explanation)	☐ Yes ☐ No

Please attach a copy of the current Certificates of Insurance.

GENERAL QUESTIONS

Please check the appropriate response to the following questions:
If you answered YES to any of the questions below, please attach a full explanation on a separate page.

	Question	YES	NO	N/A
1.	Has any disciplinary action ever been instituted against your license to practice in your profession in any state or country, or is any such action currently pending against you?	◉	○	○
2.	Has any disciplinary action ever been instituted against your DEA registration or CDS license, or have you voluntarily surrendered or limited your registration, or is any such action pending?	○	○	○
3.	Have you ever been convicted of, or pleaded nolo contendere to, or are you currently under investigation for federal or state felony or other criminal charge or have you ever served a prison sentence?	○	○	○
4.	Have you ever been suspended from the Medicare or Medicaid program, or has your participation status ever been modified?	○	○	○
5.	Have your clinical privileges at any hospital or healthcare institutions been voluntarily or involuntarily revoked, not renewed, or subjected to probationary or other disciplinary conditions, or has any proceeding been instituted or recommended by a hospital administration, medical staff committee or governing board?	○	○	○
6.	Have you ever received a sanction from any regulatory agency (e.g., CLIA, OSHA, etc.)?	○	○	○
7.	Have you engaged in the illegal use of drugs within the past two years? "Illegal use of drugs" means the use of controlled substances obtained illegally, not obtained pursuant to a valid prescription or not taken in accordance with the direction of a licensed healthcare practitioner.	○	○	○
8.	Do you currently have any ongoing physical or mental impairment or condition which would make you unable, with or without reasonable accommodation, to perform the essential functions of a practitioner in your area of practice, or unable to perform those essential functions without a direct threat to the health and safety of others?	○	○	○
9.	Do you, your business entity or any family member have an ownership greater than 5% in any medical enterprise or business? If YES, please enter the ownership percentage ____________ and attach a full explanation.	○	○	○
10.	Are you presently a named defendant in a pending professional liability lawsuit? If YES, please enter the number of cases ____________ and attach a full explanation of each.	○	○	○
11.	During the past 5 years has any adverse medical review panel opinion been rendered, has any settlement or judgment been made, or has any payment been made by you or on your behalf in a professional liability action or potential action? If YES, please enter the number of cases ____________ and attach a full explanation of each.	○	○	○

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS

- ✓ State Licenses including current licenses held in other states, State CDS license and Federal DEA Registration
- ✓ Curriculum Vitae
- ✓ Certificate(s) of Professional Liability Insurance
- ✓ History of Malpractice suits in past 5 years, regardless of whether judgments or settlements paid.
- ✓ Explanation of any "Yes" Answer(s) from General Questions Section on page 9.
- ✓ Current Employer Identification Number (EIN) **and** W-9 Form or Federal Tax Deposit Coupon
- ✓ Education Certificate for Foreign Medical Graduates (ECFMG) (If applicable)
- ✓ Health Plan Agreement (If applicable)

STATEMENT TO APPLICANTS

All providers applying for network participation have the right to review the credentialing application and supporting documents. Exceptions may vary as prohibited by law or health plan policy.

In the event that credentialing information obtained from other sources varies substantially from the information submitted on this application, you will be notified of the discrepancy either by telephone or in writing. You will have the opportunity to submit additional information to correct the discrepancy or provide clarification that might positively impact the credentialing decision.

According to La. R.S. 22:1009 (A) (8) an adverse medical review panel opinion is included in the type of information a health plan may require you to submit on a credentialing or re-credentialing application.

According to La. R.S. 22:1009, a health insurance issuer is required to complete the credentialing process within 90 days from the date of receipt of all information needed. The issuer is required to inform you within 30 days of receipt all defects and reasons known at the time in the event an application is deemed to be not correctly completed. The issuer is also required to inform you in the event that any needed verification or verification supporting statement has not been received from a third party within 60 days of the date of such a request.

PROVIDER STATEMENT TO RELEASE INFORMATION

All information and documentation submitted by me in this application is correct and complete to my best knowledge and belief.

I acknowledge that any material misstatements in or omissions from this application may constitute cause for denial of my application for network participation.

I consent to the release of all information that may be relevant to an evaluation of my credentials, including information about disciplinary actions or other confidential or privileged information, to Plan or its affiliates or successors. I understand and agree that this consent is irrevocable for any period during which I am Plan provider. I release Plan, its affiliates and successors and their representatives from any and all liability for their acts performed in good faith and without malice in obtaining information and evaluating my credentials. Plan is defined as the Health Plan that is requesting the credentialing information.

_______________	X _______________	_______________
Name *(Please Print)*	**Signature**	**Original Attestation Date**

_______________	_______________
Second Attestation Date	**Third Attestation Date**

Plan accreditation guidelines may require this application signature date to be no more than 180 days old at the time of credentialing.