



MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
& HUMAN SERVICES  
**BEHAVIORAL  
HEALTH SERVICES**

INSERT DATE

INSERT PRACTITIONER NAME  
INSERT AGENCY NAME  
INSERT STREET ADDRESS  
INSERT CITY, STATE ZIP

Dear INSERT LAST NAME:

Thank you for your interest in applying to the Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Services Medical Staff and/or Provider Networks, which include Children's Community Mental Health Services & Wraparound Milwaukee (WM) and Community Access to Recovery Services (CARS). If applying to the Provider Network, once approved you will be able to provide pre-authorized services to Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Services (BHS) clients.

In order to process your application, you must have received a formal employment offer or professional services contract offer to provide BHS services or be affiliated with an agency that is already providing network services or is in the process of becoming a vendor for the respective Provider Network. To ensure timely processing of your application, please review your Application for accuracy and completeness prior to submission. The processing and review of a complete Application may take several weeks for a response from Medical Staff Services and the Credentialing Committee. Once determined eligible by the BHS Credentialing Committee, the applicant is notified in writing that they may begin practice at BHS or begin accepting referrals as an approved Provider Network participant.

Practitioner rights and responsibilities and additional information regarding the credentialing process are outlined in the ***BHS Medical Staff and Provider Network Credentialing Program***. A copy has been included with this application and is also available on *PolicyStat*.

All applications including supporting documentation or questions regarding the application process should be submitted to [BHDcredentialing@milwaukeecountywi.gov](mailto:BHDcredentialing@milwaukeecountywi.gov) and a member of the credentialing team will be in contact with you.

Sincerely,

INSERT CREDENTIALING CONTACT NAME AND TITLE

Enclosure

# Instructions for Completing

## *BHS Medical Staff and Provider Network Initial Credentialing Application*

To effectively use the Application, the following is suggested:

- ◆ Type or legibly complete the Application in BLACK or BLUE ink.
- ◆ All information on the **Application must be complete and accurate**. An incomplete Application will delay processing and result in delay of approval consideration. **BE SURE TO RETURN ALL PAGES**.
- ◆ **Do not leave anything blank**. If a section of the Application does not apply to you, **be sure to check the box or write N/A or NONE, in the first box of that Section**.
- ◆ **Hospital and ASC Affiliations, Education, Faculty/Clinical Teaching Appointments and Practice Affiliations (pages 3-6)**  
Copy page(s) to report additional affiliations, if needed, or include a separate list with all required information. List all hospitals and ambulatory surgery centers where you have ever had an affiliation or where you have an application in process on page 3. List all practice history (past & present) that has occurred within the past five (5) years on page 6. Be sure to include Credentialing Office/Program Director contact phone #, fax# and email. **Include start/end dates (MM/YYYY), where applicable**.
- ◆ **Signature and current date are required on the “Disclosure Questions” form AND Practitioner Health Status Attestation**. For any **Yes** responses, provide detailed information/explanation on a separate page and attach. Be sure to sign and date the attachment(s).
- ◆ If updates or changes need to be made to the completed Application, use a black or blue pen to strikeout information and write in modification. **All changes must be initialed and dated**.
- ◆ **Telemedicine practitioners** – be sure to include the office/practice location(s) from where you are physically located when performing telemedicine services under Offices on p.1. Include the associated BHS and/or Provider Network practice affiliation on p.5.
- ◆ **Before returning Application, be sure to SIGN & DATE where required and ATTACH the following, as applicable:**
  - Signed and dated **Consent, Authorization, Release and Attestation**
  - Signed and dated **Practitioner Health Status Attestation**
  - Signed and dated **Disclosure Questions**
  - Signed and dated **Explanation Statement** for any change(s), from previous application (Q. 2-18)
  - Signed and dated **Practitioner Health Status Attestation Explanation Statement** if “Yes” to any Questions
  - CME/CE Documentation** for the last (3) three years (certificates or tracking print-out preferred)
  - Signed and dated **Private Practice Statement** (*required for BHS Medical Staff only, See Policy*)
  - Current **Malpractice Policy Facesheet/Certificate of Insurance** (*required for all Provider Network practitioners*)
  - Completed **Wisconsin Caregiver Background Information Disclosure (BID) Form**. Use Department of Health Services, Division of Quality Assurance Form F-82064 (01/2022). Applicants that do not reside in Wisconsin and/or work within a state(s) other than Wisconsin will also be subject to out-of-state background checks. List current/primary practice (business) address on page one of the BID form. In Section B, if Yes, to questions 4 and/or 6, please be sure to provide required detail in that section(s), i.e., agency name(s), date(s), etc.

### **Advanced Practice Nurses & Physician Assistants**

- Documentation of current **Physician Collaboration Arrangement**. Must be signed and dated by both the applicant and the physician (BHS physician collaborator or participating network physician collaborator, as applicable). There must be evidence that the collaboration arrangement has been recently reviewed (dated within 90 days of submission) by both parties and updated, if applicable.
  - Physician Assistants** - in lieu of a collaboration agreement arrangement may submit a current statement signed by a participating network physician confirming that the PA is under the direction and practice management of the participating physician
- Copy of current NP/CNS/PA **Specialty Certification**

### **Network Participants:**

Practitioner's Network Agency(s) shall be required to submit the required background check results to BHS Medical Staff Services at time of initial credentialing and when making application for recredentialing. Both the Caregiver and DOJ results are required and must be dated within 180 days of the credentialing decision.

- Addendum 1: Primary Office Location Clinic Hours: Complete form in entirety including after-hours coverage arrangements.
- Addendum 2: List ALL services you are requesting to provide – include code and service description

**Submit completed application and all required supporting documents to:**

Send by Mail to: Behavioral Health Services  
Attn: Medical Staff Services, Ste 302  
1220 W. Vliet Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
Milwaukee, WI 53205-2117

by E-Mail to: [BHDCredentialing@milwaukeecountywi.gov](mailto:BHDCredentialing@milwaukeecountywi.gov)

# Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Services

## INITIAL CREDENTIALING APPLICATION

Check All Applicable:  BHS Medical Staff – Adult Community Services, Youth & Child Services, Mobile Crisis Services  
 Provider Network – Community Access to Recovery Services (CARS)  
 Provider Network – Children’s Community Mental Health Services & Wraparound Milwaukee

**Instructions:** Applicant must fill out the application in its entirety and include all required documentation in accordance with the instructions provided. Failure to do so will result in the return of the application to the applicant and will delay processing.

<b>PERSONAL INFORMATION (ALL APPLICANTS)</b>		
Last Name	First Name	Middle Name or Middle Initial
Other Names By Which You Have Been Known	Degree	Social Security Number
Home Street Address		Home City/State/Zip
Home Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Cell Phone (Include Area Code)	Answering Service/ Pager (Include Area Code)
E-Mail Address for professional correspondence	Citizenship	If not a US Citizen, specify status & Visa #
Date of Birth	Gender <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Birth City/State
Birth Country	Languages Spoken by Applicant	Ethnic Origin (optional)
Spouse’s Name (optional)	Emergency Contact Information (optional) Phone: e-mail address	Marital Status (optional) <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Single

**OFFICES: List current BHS &/or Network practice sites. Identify a primary, mailing and billing address.**

**Office #1 (ALL APPLICANTS)**

Office Name	Check all applicable boxes: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary Office <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary Office <input type="checkbox"/> Mailing Address <input type="checkbox"/> Billing Address	
Office Street Address		
Office City, State and Zip Code	Start and End Dates (Month & Year)	
Office Phone 1 (Include Area Code)	Office Phone 2 (Include Area Code)	Office Fax (Include Area Code)
Office Contact/Office Manager	Office Contact/Manager Phone (Include Area Code)	Office Contact/Office Manager email

**Office #2**

Office Name	Check all applicable boxes: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary Office <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary Office <input type="checkbox"/> Mailing Address <input type="checkbox"/> Billing Address	
Office Street Address		
Office City, State and Zip Code	Start and End Dates (Month & Year)	
Office Phone 1 (Include Area Code)	Office Phone 2 (Include Area Code)	Fax (Include Area Code)
Office Contact/Office Manager	Office Contact/Manager Phone (Include Area Code)	Office Contact/Office Manager email

### Office #3

Office Name		Check all applicable boxes: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary Office <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary Office <input type="checkbox"/> Mailing Address <input type="checkbox"/> Billing Address
Office Street Address		
Office City, State and Zip Code		Start and End Dates (Month & Year)
Office Phone 1 (Include Area Code)	Office Phone 2 (Include Area Code)	Office Fax (Include Area Code)
Office Contact/Office Manager	Office Contact/Manager Phone (Include Area Code)	Office Contact/Office Manager email

<b>Type of Practice:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Specialist
<b>Accepting New Patients:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
<b>Communications Available:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> TTY –Teletypewriter	<input type="checkbox"/> Sign Language	<input type="checkbox"/> Interpreter(s)

### Languages you speak other than English **(ALL APPLICANTS)**

### SPECIALTIES **(ALL APPLICANTS)**

Specialty <small>(AODA, Psychiatry, Child Psychiatry, Internal Medicine, Psychology, Psych/MH, Family Practice, etc.)</small>	Primary	Secondary	Board Certified (Yes or No)		Name of Board (if applicable) <small>(i.e., ABPN, AOA, ABIM, ANCC, ABPP, NCCPA)</small>	Year Certified	Last Re-Certified	Expiration Date or State if Contingent on MOC
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				

### ID NUMBERS **(ALL APPLICANTS)**

**Medical/Professional State License: List all current and past state licenses. (Attach separate list, if more than 5)**

State of Licensure	Number	Profession Type	Expiration Date

#### Other ID Numbers

Type of Number	Number <small>(If none or not applicable, please indicate)</small>	Expiration Date <small>(where applicable)</small>
DEA Number		
ECFMG Number <small>(Foreign Medical Graduate)</small> <i>Please also include a copy</i>		<b>N/A</b>
Medicare Provider Number		<b>Subject to Revalidation</b>
Medicaid Provider Number		<b>Subject to Revalidation</b>
National Provider ID Number		<b>N/A</b>

**HOSPITAL & ASC AFFILIATIONS:** List all hospitals and ambulatory surgery centers where you have ever had an affiliation or where you have an application in process. Indicate affiliation status (Active, Courtesy, Provisional, Temporary, etc.) Begin with current affiliations and then list past affiliations. Enter additional affiliations on a separate sheet of paper and attach to the application. List practice affiliations on page 6. Do not include Residency, Internship or Other Formal Training information in this area. **(ALL APPLICANTS)**

**Check box if there are no hospital/ASC affiliations to report. Proceed to next section.**

<b>Name of Hospital/ASC</b>			Start and End Dates (Month & Year)
Street Address			City, State and Zip Code
List Medical Staff Office or Credentialing Contact Information Below			
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Email Address	Affiliation Status
<b>Name of Hospital/ASC</b>			Start and End Dates (Month & Year)
Street Address			City, State and Zip Code
List Medical Staff Office or Credentialing Contact Information Below			
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Email Address	Affiliation Status
<b>Name of Hospital/ASC</b>			Start and End Dates (Month & Year)
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<b>Name of Hospital/ASC</b>			Start and End Dates (Month & Year)
Street Address			City, State and Zip Code
List Medical Staff Office or Credentialing Contact Information Below			
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Email Address	Affiliation Status

## EDUCATION AND TRAINING *(ALL APPLICANTS)*

### Medical Education or Professional School

<b>Name of Institution</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)
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Street Address	City	State	Zip
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Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Degree Obtained
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<b>Name of Institution</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)
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Street Address	City	State	Zip
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Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Degree Obtained
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### Internship

**Check box if N/A. Proceed to next section.**

<b>Name of Institution</b>	<b>Program</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)
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Street Address	City	State	Zip
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Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director
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<b>Name of Institution</b>	<b>Program</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)
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Street Address	City	State	Zip
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Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director
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### Residency

**Check box if N/A. Proceed to next section.**

<b>Name of Institution</b>	<b>Program</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)
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Street Address	City	State	Zip
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Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director
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<b>Name of Institution</b>	<b>Program</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)
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Street Address	City	State	Zip
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Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director
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<b>Name of Institution</b>	<b>Program</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)
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Street Address	City	State	Zip
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Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director
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**Fellowship**

**Check box if N/A. Proceed to next section.**

<b>Name of Institution</b>		<b>Program</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director	

<b>Name of Institution</b>		<b>Program</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director	

<b>Name of Institution</b>		<b>Program</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director	

**ADDITIONAL FORMAL TRAINING:** such as Preceptorships, etc. *(ALL APPLICANTS)*

**Check box if no additional formal trainings. Proceed to next section.**

<b>Name of Institution</b>		<b>Program</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director	

<b>Name of Institution</b>		<b>Program</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director	

**FACULTY OR CLINICAL TEACHING APPOINTMENTS:**

List current and previous clinical teaching appointments. *(ALL APPLICANTS)*

**Check box if there are no appointments. Proceed to next section.**

<b>Name of Institution</b>		<b>Faculty Rank</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director	

<b>Name of Institution</b>		<b>Faculty Rank</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Program E-Mail Address	Program Director	

**MILITARY EXPERIENCE:** List all military experience that has occurred since completion of medical or professional school. *(ALL APPLICANTS)*

**Check box if no military experience. Proceed to next section.**

<b>Name of Institution</b>		<b>Rank</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Supervisor's E-Mail Address	Supervisor's Name	
<b>Name of Institution</b>		<b>Rank</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Supervisor's E-Mail Address	Supervisor's Name	

**PRACTICE AFFILIATION / WORK HISTORY** List all practice history (past & present) that has occurred within the past five (5) years. List hospital/ASC affiliations on page 3. Explain all practice gaps of 30 days or more in next section. *(ALL APPLICANTS)*

**Check box if no professional practice since initial license. Proceed to next section.**

<b>Name of Facility / Agency</b> <input type="checkbox"/> BHS <input type="checkbox"/> Network <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Network		<b>Job Title</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Supervisor E-Mail Address	Supervisor's Name	
<b>Name of Facility / Agency</b> <input type="checkbox"/> BHS <input type="checkbox"/> Network <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Network		<b>Job Title</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Supervisor E-Mail Address	Supervisor's Name	
<b>Name of Facility / Agency</b> <input type="checkbox"/> BHS <input type="checkbox"/> Network <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Network		<b>Job Title</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Supervisor E-Mail Address	Supervisor's Name	
<b>Name of Facility / Agency</b> <input type="checkbox"/> BHS <input type="checkbox"/> Network <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Network		<b>Job Title</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Supervisor E-Mail Address	Supervisor's Name	
<b>Name of Facility / Agency</b> <input type="checkbox"/> BHS <input type="checkbox"/> Network <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Network		<b>Job Title</b>	Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	Supervisor E-Mail Address	Supervisor's Name	



**EXPLANATION OF WORK HISTORY GAP:** Any time periods or gaps within the past five (5) years of greater than **30 days**, which are not explained in the application thus far, must be addressed here. If the application is found to have any unexplained time periods or gaps within the past five (5) years of greater than **30 days**, the application will not be processed and will be returned to the applicant as incomplete. Please explain any such gaps in the space provided below. Attach a separate explanation statement, if more space is required and indicate "see attached." **(ALL APPLICANTS)**

**Check box if no gaps to report. Proceed to next section.**

From Date	To Date	Explanation of Work History Gap

**PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE (ALL APPLICANTS)**

**ATTACH Copy(s) of Current Certificate(s) of Insurance for Individual/Personal or Non-County Employer Coverage\***

**Current Liability Carrier**  Milwaukee County (Employee)  Individual/Personal Coverage\*  Employer Coverage (Non-County)\*

Name of Company		Start Date (Month & Year)	
Complete Address		Policy Number	
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	E-Mail Address	Coverage Amounts

**Other or Previous Liability Carriers (List all carriers for past 5 years)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Individual/Personal Coverage <input type="checkbox"/> Employer Coverage (Non-County)		Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Name of Company			
Complete Address		Policy Number	
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	E-Mail Address	Coverage Amounts

<input type="checkbox"/> Individual/Personal Coverage <input type="checkbox"/> Employer Coverage (Non-County)		Start & Finish Dates (Month & Year)	
Name of Company			
Complete Address		Policy Number	
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	E-Mail Address	Coverage Amounts

**REFERENCES: (ALL APPLICANTS)**

List names and contact information of not less than **three** professional references **that you have worked with within the past 24 months**, one of whom must be a professional peer who has directly observed or has other current knowledge of your medical or clinical abilities (i.e., Psychiatrist to Psychiatrist, Psychologist to Psychologist, PMHNP to PMHNP, etc.). A minimum of two reference responses including one professional peer are required.

<b>Professional Reference #1 - Name</b>		<b>Title</b>	Relationship	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	E-Mail Address		
<b>Professional Reference #2 - Name</b>		<b>Title</b>	Relationship	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	E-Mail Address		
<b>Professional Reference #3 - Name</b>		<b>Title</b>	Relationship	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	E-Mail Address		
<b>Professional Reference #4 - Name</b>		<b>Title</b>	Relationship	
Street Address		City	State	Zip
Phone Number (Include Area Code)	Fax Number (Include Area Code)	E-Mail Address		

**PRACTITIONER HEALTH STATUS ATTESTATION (ALL APPLICANTS)**

1.	Are you in anyway limited in your ability to perform the essential functions of the practice of your medical/clinical specialty with reasonable skill and safety?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
2.	Are you currently engaged in the illegal use of drugs?  Currently means sufficiently recent to justify a reasonable belief that the use of drug may have an ongoing impact on one's ability to practice medicine or other licensed clinical profession. It is not limited to the day of, or within a matter of days or weeks before the date of application, rather that it has occurred recently enough to indicate the individual is actively engaged in such conduct. Illegal use of drugs refers to drugs whose possession or distribution is unlawful under the Controlled Substances Act, 21 U.S.C. 812.22. It does not include the use of a drug taken under supervision by a licensed health care professional, or other uses authorized by the controlled Substances Act or other provision of Federal law. The term does include, however, the unlawful use of prescription controlled substances.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

If you answered "Yes" to either of the above, please give a full explanation of the details on a **SEPARATE PAGE AND ATTACH** it to this application. Please be sure to **sign and date the explanation**.

Name-Print Above

Practitioner Signature

Date

**APPLICANT SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED – STAMPED, TYPED OR PROXY SIGNATURES ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE**

## DISCLOSURE QUESTIONS (ALL APPLICANTS)

**If you answer "YES" to questions numbered 2 through 18, please provide details ON A SEPARATE PAGE AND ATTACH. Attachment(s) should be signed and dated. Include a copy of any order or settlement where applicable.**

1.	Have there ever been, or are there currently, any professional or work-related claims, settlements or judgments against you, your employer, or other third party, even if not resulting in monetary damages, or have you received any notice of "Intent to File"? <b>IF YOU ANSWER "YES," PLEASE PROVIDE DETAILED INFORMATION ON THE ENCLOSED PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY ACTION EXPLANATION FORM.</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
2.	Have you ever had any professional liability insurance coverage voluntarily or involuntarily canceled, declined or modified (i.e., reduced limits, restricted coverage), or has any renewal ever been refused, or have you voluntarily given up coverage?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
3.	Have you ever been denied, or have you voluntarily or involuntarily given up, membership, or renewal of membership, or been subject to any disciplinary action in any hospital, IPA, HMO, PHO, PPO, managed care organization or professional society, or is any such action pending?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
4.	Have your clinical privileges or employment at any hospital or healthcare institution been voluntarily or involuntarily limited, suspended, revoked, not renewed, or subject to probationary or other disciplinary conditions, or have proceedings toward any of those ends been instituted or recommended by a hospital administration, medical staff or committee or governing board?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
5.	Has your request for any specific clinical privileges been voluntarily or involuntarily denied or granted with stated limitations (aside from ordinary and initial requirements of proctorship) or has such a denial or limitation been recommended by a medical staff or committee or governing board?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6.	Have you ever had any previous or pending challenges to, or voluntarily or involuntarily relinquished any medical staff membership, clinical privilege(s), professional license(s), or narcotics registration as the result of any investigation or disciplinary action?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
7.	Have you ever been disciplined by any State Board of Medical Examiners, or by any Professional Conduct Board, or have you ever been reprimanded, or fined by any state or federal agency that disciplines physicians or allied health professionals?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
8.	Have you ever been reprimanded, censured, excluded, suspended or disqualified by Medicare, Medicaid, CLIA or any other health plan for which you provide services?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
9.	Have you ever received notice of a proposed or actual exclusion from any health care program funded in whole or part by the federal government or any state health care program, including Medicare or Medicaid?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
10.	Has your Drug Enforcement Agency or other controlled substances authorization ever been voluntarily or involuntarily denied, revoked, suspended, reduced or not renewed, or have proceedings toward any of those ends been instituted?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
11.	Has your specialty board certification or eligibility ever been voluntarily or involuntarily denied, revoked, relinquished, not renewed, suspended, reduced, or have any proceedings toward any of those ends been instituted?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
12.	Has your authorization to practice in any jurisdiction (state or county) ever been voluntarily or involuntarily revoked, suspended, or subject to probation or any conditions or limitations?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
13.	Have you ever been convicted of, or pleaded guilty or no contest to, a felony, serious or gross misdemeanor, or any crime or municipal violation, involving dishonesty, assault or sexual misconduct or abuse, or abuse of controlled substances or alcohol, or are charges pending against you for any such crimes by information, indictment or otherwise?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
14.	To your knowledge, has any information pertaining to you ever been reported to the National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
15.	Will practicing to the fullest extent of your licensure, qualifications, and privileges, with or without reasonable accommodation, in any way pose a risk of harm to your patients?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
16.	In the past five years, up to, and including the present, have you had a history of chemical dependency or substance abuse that might affect your ability to competently and safely perform the essential functions of a practitioner in your area of practice?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
17.	Have you ever been court-martialed, investigated, sanctioned, reprimanded or cautioned by a hospital or other healthcare facility of any military agency, been involuntarily terminated or forced to resign, or have you resigned voluntarily while under investigation or threat of sanction from a hospital or healthcare facility of any military agency?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
18.	If you perform clinical research, have you ever had any clinical research study terminated involuntarily, been asked to terminate a clinical research study before it was completed or had any other discipline or sanctions with respect to your clinical research?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
19.	Is your professional liability insurance current? (Please read this question carefully)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> in residency/ Fellowship
20.	Do your professional liability insurance amounts meet state minimum requirements? (Please read this question carefully)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> in residency/ Fellowship

I understand and agree that the burden of producing adequate information in a timely manner and for resolving doubts is my responsibility. I understand and agree that the application will not be processed until the application is deemed complete by the healthcare organization. It is my responsibility to provide a "complete" application.

I certify that the information in this document and any attached documents is true, correct, and complete. I understand and agree that any misrepresentation, misstatement, or omission from this application, if discovered after staff membership/privileges or network participation has been awarded to me, may lead to suspension or termination of that membership/privileges and/or participation.

Name-Print Above

Practitioner Signature

Date

**APPLICANT SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED – STAMPED, TYPED OR PROXY SIGNATURES ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE**

**Professional Liability Action Explanation Form (ALL APPLICANTS)**

This form **must be completed if you answered "yes" to question #1** on the Disclosure Questions. If reporting more than one incident, copy this page and **COMPLETE A SEPARATE FORM for EACH matter.**

Please complete this form if there have ever been, or is currently, any professional or work-related claims, settlements or judgments against you, your employer, or third party, even if not resulting in monetary damages or if you have received any notice of "Intent to File". If you have had more than one claim, please photocopy this page prior to completing. In order to maintain HIPAA compliance please remove all patient identifiers (i.e., name, DOB) from submitted documents.

Please Print

Date of Alleged Incident

Date Suit Filed

Docket Number

Hospital/City/State of Incident

Your Relationship to Patient (Attending Practitioner, Surgeon, Assistant Surgeon, Consultant, etc.)

Allegation

Liability Carrier when Incident Occurred

Additional Named Defendant(s)

Yes  No

**Claim Status**

OPEN - If open, amount sought:

CLOSED - If closed, indicate method of closing

Dismissal  Settlement  Judgment

Amount of settlement or judgment:

\$

**Case Description:** - Please print. If additional space is necessary, attach adequate clinical detail to allow proper evaluation by a committee of physicians.

1) Summarize the circumstances giving rise to the action. If the action involves patient care, describe a narrative that provides your care and treatment of the patient. If additional space is necessary, attach adequate clinical detail to allow proper evaluation by a committee of physicians.

2) Condition And Diagnosis At Time Of Incident

3) Dates And Description Of Treatment Rendered

4) Condition Of Patient Subsequent To Treatment

## ***Applicant Consent, Authorizations, Release from Liability and Attestation Form***

In making application for credentialing, recredentialing and/or network participation with the **MILWAUKEE COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES (BHS) MEDICAL STAFF and/or PROVIDER NETWORK-CARS &/OR WRAPAROUND**, I accept the terms and conditions set forth below and intend to be legally bound by them, regardless of whether my credentialing request is approved. The following conditions and terms shall remain in effect for any period of credentialing for which I may be approved. I hereby signify my willingness to make myself available for interviews and/or to answer any questions in regard to my application.

### **Authorization to Obtain Information**

I hereby authorize BHS, its Medical Staff, the Provider Network (CARS &/or Wraparound) and/or their representatives to consult with, request and obtain information, including, but not limited to, federal, state and county level criminal and civil history records and all information acquired in connection with the review and evaluation of health care services, from associates, representatives and members of hospital medical staffs, medical groups/practices and provider networks with which I have been associated, representatives of educational facilities, professional certification boards, professional associations, state and federal regulatory and licensing departments, professional liability insurance carriers and any other organizations or individuals who may have information bearing on my professional competence, character, ethical qualifications, credentials, training, experience, mental and physical health status, past and present malpractice coverage and claims, ability to work cooperatively with others, and any other matter having bearing on my request for credentialing or recredentialing. I specifically authorize and direct these organizations and individuals to release to BHS and to consult with BHS regarding any and all information which they may possess that may be material to an evaluation of my professional performance, qualifications and competence. I further explicitly authorize Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Services, its Medical Staff, its Provider Network and/or their representatives to conduct any and all Caregiver, criminal and/or other required background checks, in connection with this application.

### **Release from Liability**

To the fullest extent permitted by law, I hereby extend absolute immunity to and release from any and all liability, BHS and all representatives of BHS, the Medical Staff and the Provider Network for their acts performed and statements made in connection with evaluating my application and my credentials and qualifications. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I also hereby extend absolute immunity to and release from any and all liability, any and all individuals, healthcare entities, organizations, agencies and their representatives who provide information to any representative of BHS concerning my professional competence, ethics, character or other qualifications for credentialing and medical staff and/or network participation, and I hereby consent to the release of such information to BHS.

### **Burden of Providing Accurate and Complete Information**

I understand and agree that I, as an applicant for credentialing and medical staff and/or network participation, have the burden of producing adequate information for proper evaluation of my professional, ethical and other qualifications and for resolving any doubts about such qualifications. I agree and acknowledge that it is my obligation to provide adequate information to process my application, and that my application will not be processed until it is deemed complete by BHS. I further understand that any significant misrepresentation, misstatements in, or omissions from, this application, whether intentional or not, may constitute cause for the immediate cessation of the processing of my application, denial of credentialing or cause for termination from BHS medical staff and/or network participation in the event that credentialing approval had been granted prior to the discovery of such misrepresentation, misstatement or omission. All information submitted by me in this application or attached to this application is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

### **Affirmation to Comply with the BHS Medical Staff and Provider Network Credentialing Program and Policies**

In making this application for credentialing and BHS medical staff and/or network participation, I acknowledge that I have received, or been given access to, and read the *BHS Medical Staff and Provider Network Credentialing Program* and medical staff and/or provider network policies and procedures. I agree to be bound by the terms of the Credentialing Program and policies and procedures as may from time to time be enacted, including any amendments thereto, if my credentialing request is approved and in all matters relating to the consideration of my application for credentialing and participation on the BHS medical staff and/or in the provider network. I further specifically acknowledge and accept the provisions of said *BHS Medical Staff and Provider Network Credentialing Program* relating to confidentiality, credentialing and the continuation of medical staff and/or network participation, if approved.

I understand that my request for credentialing or recredentialing will be evaluated in accordance with the procedures defined in the *BHS Medical Staff and Provider Network Credentialing Program* and that all recommendations relative to my application are subject to ultimate action and approval of the BHS Credentialing Committee.

I agree that the practitioner credentialing/rec credentialing appeals process set forth in the *BHS Medical Staff and Provider Network Credentialing Program* shall be my sole and exclusive remedy with respect to recommendations for approval, denial, termination, or restriction of participation.

I agree to provide updated information regarding all questions on the application form as new information becomes available during the application process and throughout my medical staff and/or network affiliation, if approved. I also agree to provide additional information, as requested. If approved, I agree to keep the BHS Credentialing Committee informed of any updates or changes to the information contained in the application, including but not limited to, (1) any investigations by a state licensure agency; (2) any voluntary or involuntary termination of Medical Staff/Professional Staff membership or voluntary or involuntary limitation, reduction, or loss of clinical privileges or participation at any facility; (3) the filing of any professional liability lawsuit against me; (4) any arrest, indictment or pending charges or conviction to a felony, serious gross misdemeanor, any crime or municipal violation involving dishonesty, assault, sexual misconduct or abuse or abuse of controlled substances or alcohol; (5) any change in my eligibility for participation in the Medicare or Medicaid programs; or (6) any change in my ability to safely and competently practice my profession because of health status issues, including impairment, throughout the period of my BHS Medical Staff employment and/or network participation.

### **Use of Photocopy, Facsimile, Scan**

I agree that a photocopy, facsimile or scan of this document with my signature may be accepted by any organization or individual from which the above referenced information is requested, with the same authority as the original, and that **this document shall remain valid for two (2) years from the date of signature.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date-MM/DD/YYYY

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

PRINTED NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

The BHS Credentialing Committee, Medical Staff Services, the Medical Staff and Provider Network will treat this application and any information secured in connection therewith in confidence, to the best of its ability, in accordance with the *BHS Medical Staff and Provider Network Credentialing Program*, policies and procedures, and state and federal laws governing confidentiality of information acquired in connection with the review and evaluation of a healthcare provider.

Rev.10/2022

Application Updated 5/07, 7/07, 11.07, 1/08, 4/08; 11/14, 3/15, 2/17, 6/19, 11/19, 5/21, 1/23

Approval: Approved by action of the BHD Provider Network Credentialing Committee, 11-21-2019, 5-20-2021, 1-17-2023-PENDING

**ADDENDUM 1**  
**Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Services**  
**PROVIDER NETWORK PRACTITIONERS – INITIAL CREDENTIALING**

Practitioner Name:	Date:
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**After Hours Coverage:** Please complete the attached regarding your office availability and after hours coverage arrangements.

Primary Office Location (Network Agency):					
Clinic Hours			Practitioner Specific Hours		
	AM	PM		AM	PM
Monday			Monday		
Tuesday			Tuesday		
Wednesday			Wednesday		
Thursday			Thursday		
Friday			Friday		
Saturday			Saturday		

Name(s) of Partners/Associates: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Practitioner(s) who share call who are not part of your practice group: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name and Professional Status: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Office Location (Network Agency):					
Clinic Hours			Practitioner Specific Hours		
	AM	PM		AM	PM
Monday			Monday		
Tuesday			Tuesday		
Wednesday			Wednesday		
Thursday			Thursday		
Friday			Friday		
Saturday			Saturday		

Name(s) of Partners/Associates: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Practitioner(s) who share call who are not part of your practice group: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name and Professional Status: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*COVERAGE ARRANGEMENTS:** Please provide detailed after hours coverage for each of your affiliate agencies, to include coverage when you are on vacation and days you are not located at an applicable network agency.

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Check all applicable coverage arrangements for after hours and absences

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Answering Service and Page                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Answering machine |
| <input type="checkbox"/> On-call Physician via Answering Service                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Refer to ER       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> On-call Physician via Answering Machine/Recorded Message | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____      |

**ADDENDUM 2**  
**Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Services**  
**PROVIDER NETWORK PRACTITIONERS – INITIAL CREDENTIALING**

<b>Practitioner Name:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
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<b>SERVICES: List All Services You Are Requesting To Provide</b>	
<b><i>REQUIRED for all PROVIDER NETWORK Services. NOT applicable for BHS Services.</i></b>	
<b>SERVICE CODE</b>	<b>SERVICE NAME (Attach Separate List if Additional and Check Box – See Attached <input type="checkbox"/>)</b>

FOR BHS MEDICAL STAFF SERVICES USE ONLY	
Credentialing Approval <input type="checkbox"/> by Chair <input type="checkbox"/> by Committee	<b>Date:</b>
Practitioner Specialty(s):	
Network Affiliation(s):	
Any Exceptions Noted: <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES (as listed below)	