

HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS INSURANCE COMPANY
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WEIGHT MANAGEMENT /BARIATRIC SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

If you responded “yes” to the question regarding performance of weight reduction surgery, please provide the following information.

1. Does your facility provide services for weight control, other than prescribing exercise? Yes No

If “Yes”, please describe all medications prescribed or dispensed:

Number of patients seen annually for weight control: _____

2. Does your facility solicit or advertise for weight control services? Yes No

If “Yes”, please submit sample copies of all advertisements

3. Does your facility use HUMAN CHORIONIC GONADOTROPIN (HCG) for weight control? Yes No
4. Does your facility perform surgery for weight control? Yes No

If “No”, stop here. If “Yes”, please indicate the Numbers of procedures performed annually:

	Current Year	Projected
Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass	_____	_____
Bilio Pancreatic Diversion	_____	_____
Lap-Band Placement	_____	_____
Revision of Previous Weight Loss Procedure	_____	_____
Other (Please List):		
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

5. Does the facility hold the American Society for Bariatric Surgery (ASBS) Center of Excellence Designation? Yes No

*If "Yes", when was it given? _____

If "No", has the facility been given a "provisional" designation? Yes No

Does the facility plan on applying for designation? Yes No

If "No", please state reason(s) why it will not be applied for.

6. Please list Surgeon(s) conducting procedures:

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Board Certifications Held</u>
Primary	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
Assisting	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____

Please identify persons responsible for providing anesthesia services for these procedures?

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

6. Please provide for each physician described in this Supplemental Application:
- a. National Practitioner Databank (NPD) form
 - b. Number of Bariatric Surgery (BS) procedures (primary and/or revisions) each has performed and/or assisted:
 Lifetime _____
 Last 12 months _____
 - c. Bariatric Surgery training received including dates of completion
 - d. Copies of declarations of coverage for primary professional liability and excess professional liability

7. Does the hospital have a BS team; that is, a full complement of staff familiar with management of morbidly obese patients? Yes No

8. Do patients receive:

	Pre-Surgery	Post-Surgery
Psychological counseling?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Nutrition Counseling?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

If "Yes", please list employees and credentials:

9. Have accommodations been made for equipment (i.e., beds, commodes, wheelchairs or tables, radiology equipment) to accommodate morbidly obese patients? Yes No

10. Do you have a consent form specific to Bariatric Surgery?

- a. For Primary Surgeon? Yes No
- b. For Anesthesiology? Yes No

Please attach all forms for review

11. Does the hospital have written indications concerning qualifying patients (ie, BMI > 35, > 100 lbs. Overweight, number of co-morbid conditions present)? Yes No

If so, please attach a copy.

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APPLICANT		
BY <i>(CEO/PRESIDENT/CHAIRMAN)</i>	TITLE	DATE

NOTE: THIS APPLICATION MUST BE SIGNED BY THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, PRESIDENT OR CHAIRMAN OF THE APPLICANT ACTING AS THE AUTHORIZED AGENT OF ALL INDIVIDUALS PROPOSED FOR THIS INSURANCE.