

HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS INSURANCE COMPANY
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HOSPITAL LIABILITY INSURANCE POLICY APPLICATION
(OCCURRENCE FORM)

A. APPLICANT

1. Legal Name of Applicant: _____
2. Address: _____ City: _____
 County: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ - _____.
3. Telephone Number: _____ Fax: _____
 Website: www. _____
4. How many years has the Applicant been in operation? ____
5. How many years has the Applicant been under present ownership? ____
6. Please list all affiliates and subsidiaries of the Applicant to which this insurance is to apply. Please include a complete description of the operations of each affiliate/subsidiary, and the relationship to the Applicant. (Please attach a separate sheet as necessary)

Name and Location of Entity	Description of Operations	Relationship to Applicant including any ownership Interest (%)	Other In-Force Insurance Issued to the Entity (Carrier, Dates of Coverage, Limits)

B. REQUESTED COVERAGE

- PRIMARY UMBRELLA GENERAL LIABILITY
 EXCESS PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY

Effective Date: _____

Aggregate Limit: \$ _____ Per Claim Deductible/Retention:* \$ _____
 Per Claim Limit: \$ _____ Aggregate Deductible/Retention: * \$ _____

* (Circle Deductible or Retention) If Applicant has Self-Insured Retention (SIR):

1. Do defense costs erode the limits of the SIR? \$ _____
2. Who supervises the handling of claims within the SIR?

3. Which law firm(s) provide(s) defense for claims within the SIR?

<u>Name of Firm</u>	<u>Address and Telephone Number</u>	<u>Primary Contact</u>

C. GENERAL INFORMATION

Please check all that apply to the Applicant:

- | | | |
|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Hospital | <input type="checkbox"/> Individual | <input type="checkbox"/> For-Profit |
| Member of: | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric Hospital | <input type="checkbox"/> Governmental | <input type="checkbox"/> Not-For Profit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> AHA | <input type="checkbox"/> FAH | <input type="checkbox"/> AOHA |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children's hospital | <input type="checkbox"/> Charitable | <input type="checkbox"/> Long Term Care Facility |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Teaching Hospital* | <input type="checkbox"/> Medicare Approved | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Specialty* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation | | |

*Other:

Accredited by JCAHO Yes No

Date of Last Accreditation: _____

Conditional Accreditation by JCAHO? Yes No

If conditional accreditation, please attached a copy of any Type 1 recommendations made at last accreditation visit.

**For teaching hospitals, please identify the medical school affiliation on the comments section.*

Does the Applicant anticipate any mergers/acquisitions, additional services in the next year?

Yes No

1. Has the Applicant or other associated entity ever lost a license or been placed on probation by any governmental agency? Yes No

If yes, please give complete details:

2. Has the Applicant entered into any joint ventures or limited partnerships? Yes No

If yes, please give complete details:

3. Is any part of the entity operated/leased by a management entity? Yes No

If yes, please give the name of the management entity and complete details:

4. Does the Applicant anticipate any facility expansions (increase in licensed beds) within the next year? Yes No

If yes, please give complete details:

D. PERSONNEL

Please indicate the number of persons employed by or working under the control of the Applicant

in each of the following classifications:

Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists	_____	Nurse Practitioners	_____
Dentists	_____	Paramedics	_____
Emergency Medical Technicians	_____	Registered Nurses	_____
Interns	_____	Respiratory Therapists	_____
Laboratory or X-Ray Technicians	_____	Pharmacists	_____
Licensed Vocational/Practical Nurses	_____	Physicians Assistants	_____
Nurses' Aides	_____	Physicians Assistants	_____
Physicians and Surgeons	_____	Nurse Midwives	_____
Residents	_____	Other (Explain Below)*	_____

*Other:

E. OPERATIONS

1. SERVICES (Please indicate if the Applicant presently provides, plans to provide, or presently operates any of the following:

Abortion Clinic <input type="checkbox"/>	HMO <input type="checkbox"/>	Off-Premises Clinic <input type="checkbox"/>
Ambulance Service <input type="checkbox"/>	Home Health Care <input type="checkbox"/>	Off-Premises Labs <input type="checkbox"/>
Base Hospital <input type="checkbox"/>	Hospice <input type="checkbox"/>	Oncology <input type="checkbox"/>
Blood Bank <input type="checkbox"/>	Hospital Foundation <input type="checkbox"/>	Open Heart Surgery <input type="checkbox"/>
Burn Units <input type="checkbox"/>	Inhalation Therapy <input type="checkbox"/>	Organ Bank <input type="checkbox"/>
Cardiac Cath. Centers <input type="checkbox"/>	Intensive Care Unit <input type="checkbox"/>	Organ Transplants <input type="checkbox"/>
Coronary Care Unit <input type="checkbox"/>	Lifeline <input type="checkbox"/>	Out-Patient Surgicenters <input type="checkbox"/>
Day Care <input type="checkbox"/>	Mobile Unit (blood-mobile mammography, CAT scan, etc) <input type="checkbox"/>	Pharmacy <input type="checkbox"/>
Dental Services <input type="checkbox"/>	Neonatal <input type="checkbox"/>	Transportation Services <input type="checkbox"/>
Dialysis <input type="checkbox"/>	Nursery <input type="checkbox"/>	Weight Management <input type="checkbox"/> *
Emergency Room <input type="checkbox"/>	Ob/Gyn <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/> (please explain below)

*Weight Management, please complete Weight Management Supplemental Application

Other:

2. OCCUPANCY

a. Beds:

Total Licensed Beds: _____

Total Average Annual: _____

Occupancy Breakdown (Provide average number of occupied beds in each category)

	Projected		Current Policy Year	
	# Beds	% Occupancy	# Beds	% occupancy
Acute Care	_____	_____	_____	_____
Cribs/Bassinets	_____	_____	_____	_____
Extended Care	_____	_____	_____	_____
Skilled Nursing Beds	_____	_____	_____	_____
Psychiatric	_____	_____	_____	_____
Rehabilitation	_____	_____	_____	_____
Chemical Dependency	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hospice	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other (please explain below)	_____	_____	_____	_____

*Other:

b. Outpatient Services (please provide the number of services performed each year):

	Projected # of Visits	Current Year # of Visits
Emergency Room	_____	_____
Outpatient Surgery	_____	_____
Other Outpatient Visits (Patient per Registration Day)	_____	_____
Alcohol/Drug Abuse	_____	_____
Psychiatric Visits	_____	_____
Rehabilitation	_____	_____
Home Health Care	_____	_____
Clinic Visits	_____	_____
Reference Lab	_____	_____

c. Inpatient Services

	Projected	Current Year
Inpatient Surgeries	_____	_____
Deliveries (excludes C-Sections and VBACs)	_____	_____
C-Sections	_____	_____
VBACs	_____	_____

d. Please provide the following information for the most recent calendar year:

Inpatient Days (include bassinets, exclude SNF): _____

Convalescent skill nursing patient days: _____

Outpatient visits: _____

Births: _____

Inpatient surgeries: _____

3. ANESTHESIA SERVICES

a. Staffing is by:

Contract Physicians

Certified Registered Nurse
Anesthetists (CRNAs)

Employed Physicians

Residents

b. Number of Anesthesiologists? Full-Time _____ Part-Time _____

c. Are all physicians board certified or eligible? Yes No

If "no", please explain:

d. If under contract, to whom is staffing contracted?

Are contracted physicians required to carry professional liability insurance? If "yes", what limits are required? _____

Does the Applicant obtain a Certificate of Insurance? Yes No

e. Describe the minimum qualifications required for administration of general anesthesia:

f. CRNAs:

i. Do CRNAs provide anesthesia service? Yes No

If "Yes", please describe the relationship between the Applicant and the CRNAs below. Are they :

Employed by the Applicant? Yes No

Employed by the Anesthesiologist? Yes No

Employed by the Surgeon? Yes No

Independent? Yes No

ii. Do CRNAs work under the supervision of an anesthesiologist?

Yes No

If "No", please submit a copy of the Applicant's written guidelines developed with the collaborative physician or qualified physician designee of the primary physician or the dentist responsible for the patient's immediate care.

4. RADIOLOGY SERVICES

a. Staffing is by:

Contract Physicians

Certified Registered Nurse
Anesthetists (CRNAs)

Employed Physicians

Residents

b. Number of Anesthesiologists? Full-Time _____ Part-Time _____

c. Are all physicians board certified or eligible? Yes No

If "no", please explain:

d. If under contract, to whom is staffing contracted?

Are contracted physicians required to carry professional liability insurance? If "yes", what limits are required? _____

Does the Applicant obtain a Certificate of Insurance? Yes No

5. OBSTETRICS

a. Is the Applicant a regional referral center for newborns requiring intensive care?

Yes No

If "No", does a written procedure exist for transferring all high-risk mothers and/or babies? Yes No

b. Number of Labor Rooms: _____

c. Number of Delivery Rooms: _____

d. Does the Applicant have a birthing center? Yes No

e. Is the delivery room separate from the surgery suite? Yes No

f. Can Cesarean Sections be performed within thirty (30) minutes at all times?

Yes No

g. Is an anesthesiologist available in-house twenty-four (24) hours per day for the obstetrical suite? Yes No

If "No" what is the maximum time for arrival at the hospital? _____

h. Is an obstetrician available in-house twenty-four (24) hours per day for the obstetrical suite? Yes No

If "No" what is the maximum time for arrival at the hospital?

i. Do CNMs practice at your hospital? Yes No

If "Yes", are they supervised by OB physicians? Yes No

If employed, do CNMs deliver babies at home? Yes No

j. Do Family Practice physicians perform obstetrical services? Yes No

k. Do Family Practice physicians or CNMs perform VBAC or C-Sections?

Yes No

l. If the Applicant has a neonatal intensive care unit (NICU), state:

i. total number of neonates admitted to the NICU in the past twelve (12) months:

- ii. total number of neonates admitted to the NICU who were transferred from other facilities:
- iii. whether a full-time attending neonatologist is on-site in NICU twenty-four (24) hours per day ? Yes No
- m. If the Applicant does not have a NICU, please state the number of neonates transferred from the institution to other facilities in the past twelve (12) months:

6. EMERGENCY ROOM

Does the Applicant provide emergency room (ER) service? Yes No

If “Yes”, please answer the following questions:

- a. What level of service do you provide (based on the standards of JCAHO)?
I (Tertiary) II (Comprehensive) III (Basic)

- b. The Applicant provides:
Standby Services?
Basic Services?
Comprehensive Emergency Services?
Trauma Center?

- c. Staffing is by:
Contract Physicians Employed Physicians Residents
Number of ER physicians? ____ Full-Time Part-Time ____
Are all physicians board certified or eligible? Yes No
If “No”, please explain: _____

- d. If under contract to whom is the staffing contracted?

Are contracted physicians required to carry professional liability insurance? If “yes”, what limits are required? _____

Does the Applicant obtain a Certificate of Insurance? Yes No

7. SURGERY

a. When are the sponge, needle and instrument counts performed?

b. Are any of the following performed at your facility?

Experimental Surgery Yes No

Neurosurgery Yes No

Open Heart Surgery Yes No

Weight Reduction Surgery Yes No *

*If "Yes", please complete please complete Weight Management Supplemental Application.

8. SPECIAL SERVICES

- a. Ambulance Number of vehicles: _____
 Number of runs per year: _____
- b. Blood Banks Number of donors (pints): _____
 Number purchased from others: _____
- c. Organ Tissue Bank Number of donors: _____
 Number Organ/Tissue donations/year: _____
- d. Day Care Number of children per day _____
 Number of children per day _____
 On hospital premises Yes No
 Open to public Yes No

F. STAFF PRIVILEGES

1. Please indicate the number of staff physicians in the following categories:

Active _____ Consulting _____ Emeritus _____
Associate _____ Courtesy _____ Probationary _____

2. Are credentials for new staff members checked and approved prior to granting staff privileges? Yes No

If "Yes", by whom ?

How are the Applicant's degree(s) and experience verified?

3. Are privileges provisional for at least six (6) months for all new staff members? Yes
No

4. Does the Applicant have any staff members who are not licensed or who have restricted licenses or privileges? Yes No
5. Do Department heads evaluate the work of their staff members? Yes No
6. Is an ongoing medical audit maintained on all staff members clinical work? Yes No
7. Are all staff privileges reviewed each year? Yes No
8. Does the Applicant require all foreign school graduates to be certified by the Educational Council for Foreign Medical School Graduates? Yes No
9. Staff members' professional liability insurance:
 - a. Are all staff members required to maintain professional liability insurance?
Yes No
 - b. Is this insurance required by the by-laws? Yes No
 - c. What limits are required? _____
 - d. What evidence of compliance is required?

G. RISK MANAGEMENT

1. Is there a written, formalized risk management program? Yes No
If "Yes", please provide a synopsis of the program:

2. Is the program periodically reviewed for effectiveness and necessary changes implemented? Yes No
3. Who is in charge of implementing this program and any changes?
Name: _____
Title: _____
Phone: _____

Fax: _____

E-Mail: _____

4. Does the Applicant have a formalized quality assurance program?

Yes No

5. To whom does the Risk Manager or Director of Risk Management report?

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____

Fax: _____

E-Mail: _____

H. CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENTS

1.

a. Does the Applicant lease or rent any equipment from others? Yes No

If "Yes", please provide a description of the equipment:

b. Does the Applicant indemnify (hold harmless) the owner for liability?

Yes No

2.

a. Please identify any contract or professional services performed at the hospital:

Housekeeping	_____	Laundry	_____	Pharmacy	_____
Laboratory	_____	Pathology	_____	Other*:	_____

*Other:

b. Does the Applicant require these contractors to provide evidence of insurance?

Yes No

If "Yes", what limits of liability does the Applicant require?

(Please provide a copy of each contract)

3.

a. Are there any other contracts in effect? Yes No

If "Yes", please describe services: _____

b. Does the Applicant agree to indemnify (hold harmless) the service provider against any liability claims?

Yes No

If "Yes", please submit a copy of the complete contract or agreement that contains the indemnification agreement.

I. PHYSICAL PREMISES

1. Please list below all the buildings the Applicant owns, controls or occupies. Where fixed features exist for a building, please list wings, floors, or areas separately. Please attach a separate sheet if more space is needed.

a. _____
(NAME OF FACILITY/LOCATION)

Address: _____

Year Built: _____
No. of stories: _____
Use: _____
Construction (brick, fire-resistive, etc.) _____
Total Sq. Ft.: _____
Complete sprinkler system? Yes No
Smoke Detectors? Yes No

b. _____
(NAME OF FACILITY/LOCATION)

Address: _____

Year Built: _____
No. of stories: _____
Use: _____
Construction (brick, fire-resistive, etc.) _____
Total Sq. Ft.: _____
Complete sprinkler system? Yes No
Smoke Detectors? Yes No

c. _____
(NAME OF FACILITY/LOCATION)

Address: _____

Year Built: _____
No. of stories: _____
Use: _____

Construction (brick, fire-resistive, etc.) _____
Total Sq. Ft.: _____
Complete sprinkler system? Yes No
Smoke Detectors? Yes No

d. _____
(NAME OF FACILITY/LOCATION)

Address: _____

Year Built: _____
No. of stories: _____
Use: _____
Construction (brick, fire-resistive, etc.) _____
Total Sq. Ft.: _____
Complete sprinkler system? Yes No
Smoke Detectors? Yes No

e. _____
(NAME OF FACILITY/LOCATION)

Address: _____

Year Built: _____
No. of stories: _____
Use: _____
Construction (brick, fire-resistive, etc.) _____
Total Sq. Ft.: _____

Complete sprinkler system? Yes No
 Smoke Detectors? Yes No

2. Does the Applicant have a heliport/helipad? Yes No

If "Yes":

- a. where is the pad located? (e.g. parking lot, top of building, etc.)?

- b. How far is it from the Applicant's principal location? _____
- c. Please list the dimensions of the helipad: _____
- d. Please describe the type of construction: _____
- e. Estimated number of landings per year: _____

J. INSURANCE COVERAGE

1. Please list all of the Applicant's current insurance coverages, including property, excess or umbrella coverages.

	PL	GL	Excess	Umbrella	Helipad
Carrier					
Policy Period					
Limits					
Deductible/SIR (circle one)					
Claims Made/Occurrence (Circle one)					

2. Prior Coverage:

Has any insurer canceled or declined to issue professional liability insurance for the Applicant?

Yes No If "Yes", please provide full details of the circumstances:

3. Claims/Incidents:

- a. Please describe any/all incidents that may give rise to claim(s) against any individual or entity proposed for coverage hereunder that would fall within the scope of the proposed insurance. (Attach additional sheet(s) as necessary) In addition, please attach copies of the Applicant's log/list of incident reports during the last three (3) years.

- b. In the past five (5) years, have any demands (including but not limited to lawsuits, arbitrations, or other proceedings) been made against you for damages due to an actual or alleged error, omission, negligent act, misstatement, misleading statement or breach of duty arising out of the rendering or failing to render your professional services (whether covered or uncovered by insurance)? If yes, please describe the facts and circumstances of each such demand. (Attach additional sheet(s) as necessary):

- c. In the past five (5) years, have any investigations been initiated or proceedings brought against you (including but not limited to a disciplinary proceeding), by any regulatory agency or other governmental authority or by any professional association, due to an actual or alleged error, omission, negligent act, misstatement, misleading statement or breach of duty, ethical violation or other misconduct arising out of the rendering or failing to render your professional services? If yes, please describe the facts and circumstances of each such investigation or proceeding. (Attach additional sheet(s) as necessary):

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- d. Are any demands, investigations or proceedings, whether or not first made in the past five (5) years, still open or unresolved? If yes, please describe the facts and circumstances of each such demand. (Attach additional sheet(s) as necessary):
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K. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please disclose any information material to the risk which has not otherwise been addressed in this application (Please attach other sheets as necessary).

1. Please provide the following:
- a. Loss history for the past ten (10) years, including current year and a breakdown of all current losses, paid losses, and outstanding losses, separated by year for all underlying coverages. Please include:
 - i. a schedule of all open claims, actions, and proceedings to which the Applicant or any person to be insured is a party;
 - ii. a schedule of all other claims, actions, and proceedings to which the Applicant or any person to be insured has been a party in the last ten (10), other than actions, claims and proceedings described in response to ii. above.
 - b. Applicant's most recent CPA audited financial statements.
 - c. Copy of most recent JCAHO report and response to any contingencies.
 - d. Recent Actuarial Study supporting funding of self-insurance fund.*
 - e. Last Five years ICR Exhibit 3 listing historical exposure data

L. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. PERSONNEL

Please indicate the number of persons employed by or working under the control of the Applicant in each of the following classifications:

Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists	_____	Nurse Practitioners	_____
Dentists	_____	Paramedics	_____
Emergency Medical Technicians	_____	Registered Nurses	_____
Interns	_____	Respiratory Therapists	_____
Laboratory or X-Ray Technicians	_____	Pharmacists	_____
Licensed Vocational/Practical Nurses	_____	Physicians Assistants	_____
Nurses' Aides	_____	Physicians Assistants	_____
Physicians and Surgeons	_____	Nurse Midwives	_____
Residents	_____	Other (Explain Below)*	_____

*Other:

2. For each of the above individuals, please attach a schedule listing;

- a. Name;
- b. Medical Specialty;
- c. Average number of hours worked per week;
- d. Details concerning their private professional or commercial liability insurance.

NOTE: If employed physicians have their own individual liability insurance coverage, they will not be covered under your HPIC policy. No premium change will be made. No names will appear on your policy. They should provide valid Certificates of Insurance from a primary carrier documenting individual professional liability coverage in amounts not less than \$1,300,000 per claim/\$3,900,000 aggregate.

3. Do you utilize licensed residents on an intermittent, part-time basis ("Moonlighting")?

Yes No

If Yes, please complete the following schedule:

<u>Resident</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Service/Month</u>	<u>Coverage Needed*</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
_____	_____	_____	_____	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
_____	_____	_____	_____	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
_____	_____	_____	_____	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

*If a "moonlighter" has their own individual insurance, they should not need coverage under this policy. If, however, their policy specifically excludes "moonlighting" please check yes under Coverage Needed column.

4. Does the hospital utilize the services of physicians engaged under contract? Yes No

If Yes, list department(s) staffed by contract physicians:

Does the Applicant require its contract physicians to have their own professional liability insurance coverage? Yes No

If Yes:

a. Does the Applicant obtain a copy or other verification of coverage?

Yes No

b. what limits of insurance are required?

\$ _____ per occurrence/incident/ \$ _____ aggregate.

If "Yes", please provide full details of the circumstances:

M. CERTIFICATE HOLDERS

List below all those parties (individuals, corporations, public authorities) for which the Named Insured's requests that a Certificate of Insurance be issued. Use additional sheets as necessary.

Name, Address, and Contact Information of each Certificate Holder	Reason/Purpose for Issuance of Certificate. Why Needed?

THE COMPANY SHALL BE AUTHORIZED TO MAKE ANY INQUIRY IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION. THE UNDERWRITER'S ACCEPTANCE OF THIS APPLICATION OR THE MAKING OF ANY SUBSEQUENT INQUIRY DOES NOT BIND THE APPLICANT OR THE UNDERWRITER TO COMPLETE THE INSURANCE OR ISSUE A POLICY.

IF THE INFORMATION IN THIS APPLICATION MATERIALLY CHANGES BETWEEN THE DATE OF THIS APPLICATION AND THE POLICY EFFECTIVE DATE, THE APPLICANT WILL IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE UNDERWRITER, AND THE UNDERWRITER MAY MODIFY OR WITHDRAW ANY QUOTATION OR AGREEMENT TO BIND INSURANCE.

ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY AND WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD ANY INSURANCE COMPANY OR OTHER PERSON FILES AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE OR STATEMENT OF CLAIM CONTAINING ANY MATERIALLY FALSE INFORMATION, OR CONCEALS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MISLEADING, INFORMATION CONCERNING ANY FACT MATERIAL THERETO, COMMITS A FRAUDULENT INSURANCE ACT, WHICH IS A CRIME AND SHALL ALSO BE SUBJECT TO A CIVIL PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND THE STATED VALUE OF THE CLAIM FOR EACH SUCH VIOLATION.

APPLICANT		
BY (CEO/PRESIDENT/CHAIRMAN)	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.

REQUIRED INFORMATION

PRODUCED BY (<i>INSURANCE AGENT</i>)	
INSURANCE AGENCY	
INSURANCE AGENCY TAXPAYER ID	AGENT LICENSE NO.
ADDRESS	
E-MAIL ADDRESS	

Submitted By (<i>Insurance Agency</i>) Insurance Agency Taxpayer ID _____ Agent License # _____ Address (#, Street, City, State, Zip)

