



## **Criteria to be Organizationally Credentialed**

The following criteria must be met in order for a provider to become credentialed with CCHP:

1. Accredited organizational providers must provide proof of current accreditation status conducted during the previous three year period and active federal or state licensure as applicable (accreditation report, certificate or decision letter). CCHP will accept accreditation results from:
  - AAAASF – American Association for Accreditation of Ambulatory Surgery Facilities
  - AAHC – Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care
  - ACHC – Accreditation Commission for Health Care
  - BCBA – Board Certified Behavior Analyst
  - CARF – Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities
  - CHAP – Community Health Accreditation Program
  - CCAC – Continuing Care Accreditation Commission
  - CIHQ – Center for Improvement in Healthcare Quality
  - COA – Council on Accreditation for Children/Family Services
  - COLA – Commission on Office Accreditation
  - HFAP – Healthcare Facilities Accreditation Program
  - NCQA – National Committee for Quality Assurance
  - NIAHO/DNV – GL – National Integrated Accreditation for Healthcare/Det Norske Veritas and Germanischer Lloyd
  - TJC/JCAHO – Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organizations
2. CCHP contracts only with accredited providers. In absence of such accreditation, CCHP may evaluate the most recent site survey by Medicare or applicable Wisconsin oversight agency performed within the past 36 months for a given organizational provider, unless the provider is in a rural area as defined by the U.S. Census Bureau. During the reassessment process, CCHP will review the criteria unless otherwise required by applicable regulatory or accrediting bodies.
  - Organizational providers must attest that they credential and re-credential their practitioners.
3. Valid, current and unrestricted license or certification to operate in Wisconsin. Must be in good standing with state and federal regulatory bodies, as applicable

4. Good standing under the Medicare and Medicaid programs. As part of our ongoing commitment to a quality network, we would like to remind you of your obligation to notify CCHP of any actions or remedies imposed by any accrediting body and/or state and federal regulatory bodies, including but not limited to Medicare and Medicaid programs, at the time of action. Failure to notify CCHP at the time of any such action could result in termination of your contract.
5. General/comprehensive liability insurance as well as errors and omissions (malpractice) of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$3,000,000 in the general aggregate with an insurer licensed to provide medical malpractice insurance in Wisconsin, or show similar financial commitments made through an appropriate Wisconsin approved alternative, as determined by CCHP and appropriate secondary coverage by the Wisconsin Injured Patients and Families Compensation Fund. The pertinent network agreement may require coverage that exceeds the minimum level described above.
6. An absence of history of involvement in a malpractice suit, arbitration, or settlement that has resulted in limitations, restrictions, or actions against Accreditation or CMS standings. Organizations shall provide documentation relative to any fact or circumstance, whether or not relating to the organizational criteria, which potentially may affect the organization's ability to deliver appropriate care to CCHP members. Organizations shall not be admitted to the CCHP network to the extent any such facts or circumstances are determined to bear negatively upon the organization.
7. An absence of a history of denial or cancellation of professional liability insurance, or in the case of a provider with such a history, providers shall provide complete documentation relative to any denial or cancellation of professional liability insurance. Providers shall not be admitted to the CCHP network to the extent any such denial or cancellation of professional liability insurance, together with other factors in this policy, is determined to bear negatively upon professional competence or conduct, or ability to successfully participate in the network.
8. An absence of a history indicating (in the sole discretion of CCHP) a tendency toward inappropriate utilization management of medical records.
9. An absence of history of indictment or criminal conviction; or in the case of a provider with this history, evidence must be provided, in the form of comprehensive narrative, to include all information relevant to the action taken and its satisfactory resolution. Provider shall not be admitted to CCHP network to the extent any indictment or criminal conviction, together with other factors in this policy are determined to bear negatively upon professional competence or conduct, or ability to successfully participate in the network.