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Health Care Licensing Application Health Care Services Pool

The Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA) has implemented the **ONLINE LICENSING SYSTEM**, which allows the electronic submission of renewal and change during licensure period applications and fees, along with the ability to upload supporting documentation. <u>To submit online please go to:</u> <u>https://ahca.myflorida.com/health-care-policy-and-oversight/online-licensure-information/online-licensing-system</u>

Applications must be received **at least 60 days prior to** the expiration of the current registration or effective date of a change of ownership to avoid a late fee. If the renewal application is received by the Agency less than 60 days prior to the expiration date, it is subject to a late fee as set forth in statute. The applicant will receive notice of the amount of the late fee as part of the application process or by separate notice. The application will be withdrawn from review if all the required documents and fees are not included with your application or received within 21 days of an omission notice. Applications will not be considered for review until payment has been received. Renewal and Change During Registration Period applications: Supporting documentation, responses to omissions and payments may be submitted using the online system even if the application was originally mailed to the Agency. Please fill in all blanks or mark N/A if not applicable.

Under the authority of Chapters 408, Part II, and 400, Part IX, Florida Statutes (F.S.), and Chapters 59A-35 and 59A-27, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), an application is hereby made to operate a health care services pool as indicated below:

1. Provider / Licensee Information

A. PROVIDER INFORMATION – Please complete the following for the health care services pool name and location. Provider						
name, address and telephone number will be listed on https://quality.healthfinder.fl.gov/index.html						
License Number (if applicable)	National Prov	ider Identifier (NPI)	I) Florida Medicaid Number			
	(if applicable)			(if applicable)		
Name of Health Care Services Pool (if opera	ited under a fictit	tious name, enter as i	it file	d with the Florida Di	vision of Corpora	ations)
Street Address						
City			Co	ounty	State	Zip
Telephone Number		Fax Number 🗌				
E-mail Address			Note: By providing your e-mail address, you agree to accept e-mail correspondence from the Agency.			
Provider Website				ł	•	
Mailing Address or Same as above						
City			Co	ounty	State	Zip
Telephone Number		E-mail Address				

B. CONTACT PERSON - Please complete the following for the contact person for this application.				
Contact Telephone Number				
Note: By providing your e-mail address you agree				
to accept e-mail correspondence from the Agency.				
y seeking to operate the health care services pools.				

			Federal Employer lo (EIN)	dentificat	ion Number
Mailing Address or Same as ab	ove				
City			State	Zip	
Telephone Number	Fax Number	E-mail Address		I	
Description of Licensee (check one):				
For Profit Public Corporation Corporation State Limited Liability Company Religious Affiliation City/County Partnership Other Hospital District Individual Sole Proprietor Other Other Other Other					
2. Application Typ	e and Fees				
	ation or the proposed effective dat 0 days prior to the expiration date the late fee as part of the applicat	te of the change to a b, it is subject to a lat tion process or by se Proposed Effective Pool in Florida? YE	void a late fine. If the e fee as set forth in s parate notice e Date:	e renewal statute. T	l application is he applicant
NAME:		EIN #	Date Expir	-	
Transfer or assignmen	fer of ownership to a different indi at of 51% or more ownership, shar	res, membership, or	controlling interest of	f the licer	nsee
 Change During Registration Fee Required Provider Name Provider Address Services/Qualifications Services 	Period – select all that apply	Hours of Operat	ompany ompany Controlling I tion		
B. LICENSURE FEES			gnment of less than s rship, or controlling in		
	ACTION		FEE		TOTAL FEES
Registration fee (Initial, Renewal a	and Change of Ownership):		\$	616.00	\$
Change During Registration Period	d			\$25.00	\$
Г	TOTAL FEES INCLUDED WITH	APPLICATION			\$

Please make check or money order payable to the Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA)

3. Controlling Interests of Licensee

AUTHORITY:

Pursuant to sections 408.806(1)(a) and (b), F.S., an application for registration must include: the name, address and social security number of the applicant and each controlling interest, if the applicant or controlling interest is an individual; and the name, address, and federal employer identification number (EIN) of the applicant and each controlling interest, if the applicant or controlling interest is not an individual. Disclosure of social security number(s) is mandatory. The Agency for Health Care Administration shall use such information for purposes of securing the proper identification of persons listed on this application for licensure. However, in an effort to protect all personal information, do not include social security numbers on this form. All social security numbers must be entered on the Health Care Licensing Application Addendum, AHCA Form 3110-1024.

DEFINITIONS:

Controlling interests, as defined in section 408.803(7), F.S., are the applicant or licensee; a person or entity that serves as an officer of, is on the board of directors of, or has a 5% or greater ownership interest in the applicant or licensee; or a person or entity that serves as an officer of, is on the board of directors of, or has a 5% or greater ownership interest in the management company or other entity, related or unrelated, with which the applicant or licensee contracts to manage the provider. The term does not include a voluntary board member.

Note: For each controlling interest an AHCA screening through the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse is needed or the Attestation of Compliance with Background Screening Requirements, AHCA Form 3100-0008 if background screening was conducted by the Department of Financial Services for an applicant for a certificate of authority to operate a continuing care retirement community under Chapter 651, F.S. To verify who is to be screened, visit <u>Background Screening (myflorida.com)</u>.

INSTRUCTIONS: Attach additional application pages if needed.

For new individual – complete all fields except the End Date. For existing individuals – complete all fields except the Effective and End Date. To remove an individual – complete all fields including the End Date.

A. Individual and/or Entity Ownership of Licensee as listed in Section 1C above – Provide the information for each individual or entity (corporation, partnership, association) with 5% or greater ownership interest in the licensee. Attach additional sheets if necessary. This excludes Not-for-Profit and publicly held licensees. Note: A written explanation will be required if the percentage of ownership interest indicated below does not equal 100%.

FULL NAME of INDIVIDUAL or ENTITY	PERSONAL/PRIMARY ADDRESS	TELEPHONE NUMBER	EIN (No SSN)	% OWNERSHIP	EFFECTIVE DATE	END DATE

B. Board Members and Officers of Licensee as listed in Section 1C above – Provide the information for each individual that serves as an officer or is on the board of directors. Do not include voluntary board members.

TITLE	FULL NAME	PERSONAL/PRIMARY ADDRESS	TELEPHONE NUMBER	EFFECTIVE DATE	END DATE
Board Member/Officer					

4. Management Company

Does a company other than the licensee manage the registered provider?

If INO, skip to Section 6 Personnel

If YES, provide the following information:

Name of Management Company

EIN (No SSN)

Telephone Number / Fax

Street Address			E-mail Address		
City		County		State	Zip
Mailing Address or Same as above					• •
City				State	Zip
Contact Person	Contact E-mail			Contact Telephone	e Number

5. Management Company Controlling Interest

DEFINITION:

Controlling interests, as defined in section 408.803(7), F.S., are the applicant or licensee; a person or entity that serves as an officer of, is on the board of directors of, or has a 5% or greater ownership interest in the applicant or licensee; or a person or entity that serves as an officer of, is on the board of directors of, or has a 5% or greater ownership interest in the applicant or licensee; or a person or entity that serves as an officer of, is on the board of directors of, or has a 5% or greater ownership interest in the management company or other entity, related or unrelated, with which the applicant or licensee contracts to manage the provider. The term **does not** include a voluntary board member.

Note: For each controlling interest an AHCA screening through the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse is needed or the Attestation of Compliance with Background Screening Requirements, AHCA Form 3100-0008 if background screening was conducted by the Department of Financial Services for an applicant for a certificate of authority to operate a continuing care retirement community under Chapter 651, F.S. To verify who is to be screened, visit <u>Background Screening (myflorida.com)</u>.

INSTRUCTIONS: Attach additional application pages if needed.

For new individual – complete all fields except the End Date. For existing individuals – complete all fields except the Effective and End Date. To remove an individual – complete all fields including the End Date.

A. Individual and/or Entity Ownership of Management Company: Provide the information for each individual or entity (corporation, partnership, association) with 5% or greater ownership interest in the management company. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

FULL NAME of INDIVIDUAL or ENTITY	PRIMARY ADDRESS	TELEPHONE NUMBER	EIN (No SSN)	% OWNERSHIP	EFFECTIVE DATE	END DATE

B. Board Members and Officers of Management Company: Provide the information for each individual that serves as an officer or is on the board of directors. Do not include voluntary board members.

TITLE	FULL NAME	PERSONAL/PRIMARY ADDRESS	TELEPHONE NUMBER	EFFECTIVE DATE	END DATE
Board Member/Officer					

6. Personnel

Please provide information for the individual(s) who perform the following roles. Note: For the administrator and financial officer an AHCA screening through the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse is needed or the Attestation of Compliance with Background Screening Requirements, AHCA Form 3100-0008, if background screening was conducted by the Department of Financial Services for an applicant for a certificate of authority to operate a continuing care retirement community under Chapter 651, F.S. To verify who is to be screened, visit <u>Background Screening (myflorida.com).</u>

INSTRUCTIONS: Attach additional application pages if needed.

For new individual – complete all fields except the End Date. For existing individuals – complete all fields except the Effective and End Date. To remove an individual – complete all fields including the End Date.

INFORMATION	ADMINISTRATOR/MANAGING EMPLOYEE	FINANCIAL OFFICER / PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR FINANCIAL OPERATIONS
Full Name		
Effective Date		
End Date		
Telephone Number		
Email Address		
Personal/Primary Address		

7. Required Disclosure

The following disclosures are required:

A. Pursuant to section 408.809, F.S., the applicant shall submit to the agency a description and explanation of any convictions of offenses prohibited by sections 435.04 and 408.809(4), F.S., for each controlling interest.

Has the applicant or any individual listed in	Sections 3 and 4	4 of this application	been convicted of any level 2 offense
pursuant to section 408.809, F.S.?	YES 🗌	NO 🗍	-

If YES, provide the following information:

The full legal name of the individual and the position held

- A description/explanation of any convictions of offenses
- **B.** Pursuant to section 408.810(2), F.S., the applicant must provide a description and explanation of any exclusions, suspensions, or terminations from the Medicare, Medicaid, or federal Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendment (CLIA) programs.

Has the applicant or any individual/entity listed in Sections 3 and 4 of this application been excluded, suspended, terminated, or involuntarily withdrawn from participation in Medicare or Medicaid in *any* state? YES NO

If YES, enclose the following information:

- The full legal name of the individual (and the position held) or the entity:
- A description/explanation of the exclusion, suspension, termination or involuntary withdrawal:
- **C.** Pursuant to section 408.815(4), F.S., has the applicant or a controlling interest in the applicant, or any entity in which a controlling interest of the applicant was an owner or officer when the following actions occurred ever been:

Convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to, regardless of adjudication, a felony under Chapter 409,
Chapter 817, Chapter 893, 21 U.S.C. ss. 801-970, or 42 U.S.C. ss. 1395-1396, Medicaid fraud, Medicare fraud, or
insurance fraud, within the previous 15 years prior to the date of this application? YES NO

Terminated for cause from the Medicare program or a state Medicaid program?	YES 🗌 🛛 🛛 🛛		
If YES, has applicant been in good standing with the Medicare program or a state I	Medicaid program	for the most	t recent five
(5) years and the termination occurred at least twenty (20) years before the date of		YES 🗌	

8. Provider Fines and Financial Information

Pursuant to section 408.831(1)(a), F.S., the Agency may take action against the applicant, licensee, or a licensee which shares a common controlling interest with the applicant if they have failed to pay all outstanding fines, liens, or overpayments assessed by final order of the agency or final order of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), not subject to further appeal, unless a repayment plan is approved by the agency.

Are there any incidences of outstanding fines	liens or overpayments as described above?	YES 🗌	NO 🗌
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If YES, please complete the following for each incidence (attach additional sheets if necessary):

AHCA CASE			CMS	CMS		PAYMENT DUE	PENDING AP FINAL OF	-
NUMBER	onio	AMOUNT	OR OVERPAYMENT	DATE	YES	NO		

Please attach a copy of the approved repayment plan if applicable.

9. Services

A. Identify the health care personnel provided by the health care service pool (check all that apply):

HEALTH CARE PERSONNEL PROVIDED BY THE HEALTH CARE SERVICES POOL				
	Audiologist		Occupational Therapist	
	Audiologist Aide		Paramedic	
	Certified Nursing Assistants		Pharmacist	
	Clinical Social Worker		Pharmacy Technician	
	Dental Hygienist		Physical Therapist	
	Emergency Medical Technician		Radiology Technician	
	Medical Doctor		Respiratory Therapist	
	Medical Technician		Speech Therapist	
	Nurses – LPN		Other:	
	Nurses – RN		Other:	
	Nurse Aide			

B. Identify the types of providers served by the health care service pool (check all that apply):

TYPES OF PROVIDERS SERVED				
	Assisted Living Facility		Home Health Agency	
	Ambulatory Surgical Center		Hospice	
	Clinic		Hospital	
	Correctional Facility		Nursing Home	
	Dialysis Center		School	
	Doctor's Office		Other:	
	Health Maintenance Organization			

10. Financial Responsibility

As required in section 400.980, F.S., and rule 59A-27.009, F.A.C, each Health Care Services Pool must demonstrate financial responsibility to pay claims and costs ancillary thereto, arising out of the rendering of services or failure to render services by the Pool or its employees.

Please check which of the following methods the Health Care Services Pool uses. Submit proof with this application. **Note:** The address on the insurance proof document must match the name in Section 1 of the application.

Professional liability insurance coverage in an amount of not less than \$1,000,000 per claim, with a minimum aggregate of not less than \$3,000,000 from one of the following (submit proof of insurance):

- An authorized insurer as defined under section 624.09, F.S.;
- An eligible surplus lines as defined under subsection 626.918(2), F.S.;
- A risk retention group or purchasing group as defined under section 627.942, F.S
- A plan of self-insurance as provided in section 627.357, F.S.

Escrow account consisting of cash or assets eligible for deposit in accordance with section 625.52, F.S. The cash or assets deposited shall be in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per claim, with a minimum aggregate deposit of not less than \$3,000,000. (Provide statement from bank or savings association).

Unexpired irrevocable letter of credit issued by any bank or savings association in this state in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per claim, with a minimum aggregate amount of credit not less than \$3,000,000. (Provide statement from bank or financial institution).

11. Hours of Operation

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List the regular operating hours. **Note:** Site inspections by surveyors will occur during the business hours submitted. Failure to be open during the listed hours may result in a fine.

DA۱	OF THE WEEK	OPENING TIME	CLOSING TIME	BY APPOINTMENT
	Monday			
	Tuesday			
	Wednesday			
	Thursday			
	Friday			
	Saturday			
	Sunday			

12. Supporting Documentation

Applicants <u>must</u> include the following attachments as stated in Chapters 408, Part II and 400, Part IX F.S. and Chapters 59A-35 and 59A-9, F.A.C. Note: Required documents listed below are dependent on the type of application submitted. (Initial, Renewal, Change of Ownership, Change During Licensure Period)

DOCUMENTS TO BE PROVIDED	REQUIRED FOR
Health Care Licensing Application Addendum, AHCA Form 3110-1024	Initial, Renewal, Change of Ownership, and Change of Personnel or Controlling Interest application types
Documentation of change of ownership transaction stating effective date and executed by all parties	Change of Ownership applications
A signed agreement to pay any outstanding payments owed to the Agency. The agreement must include who will pay and when payment will be made	Change of Ownership application
Required disclosures related to actions taken by Medicare, Medicaid or CLIA, if applicable	All application types, if documentation is required due to responses provided in application
Approved repayment plan, if applicable	All application types

13. Attestation

I, _____, attest as follows:

- (1) Pursuant to section 837.06, Florida Statutes, I have not knowingly made a false statement with the intent to mislead the Agency in the performance of its official duty.
- (2) Pursuant to section 408.815, Florida Statutes, I acknowledge that false representation of a material fact in the license application or omission of any material fact from the license application by a controlling interest may be used by the Agency for denying and revoking a license or change of ownership application.
- (3) Pursuant to section 408.806, Florida Statutes, under penalty of perjury, the applicant is in compliance with the provisions of section 408.806 and Chapter 435, Florida Statutes.
- (4) Pursuant to sections 408.809 and 435.05, Florida Statutes, every employee of the applicant required to be screened has attested, subject to penalty of perjury, to meeting the requirements for qualifying for employment pursuant to Chapter 408, Part II, and Chapter 435, Florida Statutes, and has agreed to inform the employer immediately if arrested for any of the disqualifying offenses while employed by the employer.
- (5) Pursuant to section 435.05, Florida Statutes, the applicant has conducted a level 2 background screening through the Agency on every employee required to be screened under Chapter 408, Part II, or Chapter 435, Florida Statutes, as a condition of employment and continued employment and that every such employee has satisfied the level 2 background screening standards or obtained an exemption from disqualification from employment.
- (6) Pursuant to section 408.810(12), Florida Statutes, the licensee ensures that no person holds any ownership interests, either directly or indirectly, regardless of ownership structure; who has a disqualifying offense pursuant to section 408.809, Florida Statutes or in a provider that had a license revoked or application denied pursuant to section 408.815, Florida Statutes.
- (7) Pursuant to sections 408.810(14) and 408.051(3), FS, the licensee ensures that all patient information stored in an offsite physical or virtual environment, including through a third-party or subcontracted computing facility or an entity providing cloud computing services, is physically maintained in the continental United States or its territories or Canada.
- (8) Pursuant to section 408.810(15), FS, the licensee ensures that controlling interests of the licensee do not hold, either directly or indirectly, regardless of ownership structure, an interest in an entity that has a business relationship with a foreign country of concern or that is subject to section 287.135, FS.
- Signature of Licensee or Authorized Representative

Title

Date

NOTICE: If you are a **Medicaid** provider, you may have a separate obligation to notify the Medicaid program of a name/address change, change of ownership or other change of information. Please refer to your Medicaid handbooks for additional information about Medicaid program policy regarding changes to provider enrollment information.

RETURN THIS COMPLETED FORM WITH FEES TO:

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION LONG TERM CARE SERVICES UNIT 2727 MAHAN DR., MS 33 TALLAHASSEE FL 32308-5407

Questions? Visit the Agency's website : <u>https://ahca.myflorida.com/</u> or contact the Long Term Care Services Unit at (850) 412-4303 or Email: <u>LTCStaff@ahca.myflorida.com</u>

The Agency for Health Care Administration scans all documents for electronic storage. In an effort to facilitate this process, we ask that you please remember to:

- Please place checks or money orders on top of the application
- Include license number or case number on your check
- Do not submit carbon copies of documents
- No staples, paperclips, binder clips, folders, or notebooks
- Please <u>do not bind any</u> of the documents submitted to the Agency