



# APPLICATION and DOCUMENTATION CHECKLIST

For your convenience use the checklist below to prepare your Re-credentialing Application for return. To ensure timely processing, please enclose the required documents listed below in addition to your completed application.

## Checklist:

- Completed and signed Re-Credentialing Application and Attestation
- Current Professional Liability Face sheet. **Must indicate practitioner's name as the insured, policy period and coverage amounts (Minimum of 1-3 Million).**
- Current State License/Certification
- Current Curriculum Vitae
- Proof of Board Certification (if Board Certified)

**RETURN:**  
 Advantage Behavioral Health  
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 Nashville, TN 37228  
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## RE-CREDENTIALING APPLICATION

ALL HIGHLIGHTED AREAS IN THE APPLICATION MUST BE COMPLETED

### A. PROVIDER INFORMATION - DEMOGRAPHICS:

						<input type="checkbox"/> Male	
Last Name		First Name		Middle Initial		<input type="checkbox"/> Female	
						<b>Phone Fax Email</b>	
<b>Mailing</b> Address Line 1				Mailing Address Line 2		Preferred Contact Method (circle one)	
City		County		State		Zip	
						<b>NPI</b>	
Telephone (include area code)		FAX (include area code)		<b>Tax ID Number (REQUIRED)</b>			
<b>Email Address</b>		OFFICE Contact Name		Office Contact Number			

**LICENSED DISCIPLINE:** Indicate the discipline under which you are LICENSED and/or CERTIFIED at the highest level to practice independently.

- Psychologist
- Clinical Social Worker
- Licensed Professional Counselor/Mental Health Counselor
- Marriage & Family Therapist/Marriage Family & Child Counselor
- Pastoral Counselor
- Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\* PLEASE ATTACH COPIES OF ALL CURRENT STATE LICENSES**



**B. PRIMARY PRACTICE INFORMATION** If Multiple Service Locations enter other locations(s) below under "Other Practice Locations".

Practice Name				
Practice Address Line 1 (street address required for referral purposes)			Practice Address Line 2	
City	County	State	Zip	Appointment Telephone (include area code)
Office Manager (if applicable)			Fax Number	

<b>Make checks payable to (must match tax ID owner name on file with IRS for the TIN provided)</b>				
Billing Address Line 1			Billing Address Line 2	
City	County	State	Zip	Telephone (include area code)
Tax Identification Number (TIN) <i>Must submit a substitute W-9 form for each tax ID used</i>			Your Medicare/UPIN Number	Your Medicaid Number

**Hours of Operation** (actual practice hours each day at this location, e.g., 8:00am to 4:30pm):

Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday		Saturday	
From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To

Is this office handicapped accessible?  Yes  No      Is this office accessible to public transportation?  Yes  No

**Other Practice Location(s)**

(If you have **more than two** practice locations **copy this page before completing**)

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City	County	State	Zip	Appointment Telephone (include area code)
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**Is this office handicapped accessible?**    Yes    No      **Is this office accessible to public transportation?**    Yes    No

**C. REFERRAL INFORMATION – NOTE % of Practice should equal 100%**

Identify the percentage of your practice dedicated to the following patient population categories (must total 100%):

Population	% of Practice	Are You Currently Accepting New Patients?	Modality	% of Practice
Young Child (0-5) (YC)		⇒ <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Inpatient	
Child (6-12) (CI)		⇒ <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Day Treatment	
Adolescent (13-17) (AO)		⇒ <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Outpatient	
Adult (18-64) (AU)		⇒ <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Intensive Outpatient Programs	
Geriatric (65+) (GT)		⇒ <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

Identify any language(s) or sign language that you use fluently in treating patients \_\_\_\_\_

**CLINICAL EXPERTISE (SPECIALTIES):**

From the list below, **select up to five (5) specialty areas** for which you have training and expertise. These specialties will be used in making clinically appropriate referrals.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Addictions, Non-Chemical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Eating Disorders<br><input type="checkbox"/> Obsessive Compulsive Disorder<br><input type="checkbox"/> Anger Management<br><input type="checkbox"/> Faith Based<br><input type="checkbox"/> Personality Disorders<br><input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol / Chemical Dependency<br><input type="checkbox"/> Family Violence<br><input type="checkbox"/> Post Traumatic Stress Disorder | <input type="checkbox"/> Childhood Behavioral Problems / Attention<br><input type="checkbox"/> Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD)/School-related problems<br><input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Pain/Terminal Illness / Grief<br><input type="checkbox"/> Gay/Lesbian/Bisexual/Transgender Issues<br><input type="checkbox"/> Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (Combat)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Severe & Persistent Mental Illness<br><input type="checkbox"/> Sex Abuse Perpetrators<br><input type="checkbox"/> Sex Abuse Victims<br><input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Illness/Pain/Disability<br><input type="checkbox"/> Head Trauma | <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing Impaired<br><input type="checkbox"/> HIV / AIDS<br><input type="checkbox"/> Marital/Separation/Divorce<br><input type="checkbox"/> Sexual Dysfunction<br><input type="checkbox"/> Couples<br><input type="checkbox"/> Men's Issues<br><input type="checkbox"/> Sleep Disorders<br><input type="checkbox"/> Dissociative Identity Disorders<br><input type="checkbox"/> Military Families<br><input type="checkbox"/> Women's Issues |
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**THERAPEUTIC MODALITIES:**

From the list below, **select up to four (4) modality areas** that you use when treating patients. These modalities will be used to assist in making clinically appropriate referrals.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Brief Therapy , EAP<br><input type="checkbox"/> Child/Adolescent Therapy<br><input type="checkbox"/> Family Therapy<br><input type="checkbox"/> Group Therapy<br>Other: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> CISM<br><input type="checkbox"/> EAP, Workplace Issues<br><input type="checkbox"/> EMDR<br><input type="checkbox"/> IOP | <input type="checkbox"/> Neuropsych Testing<br><input type="checkbox"/> Psych Testing<br><input type="checkbox"/> Psychopharmacology<br><input type="checkbox"/> CBT |
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**BOARD CERTIFICATION/SPECIALTY:**

List below any certifications you have received from any nationally recognized specialty boards.

If NOT Applicable, mark NA and advance to Additional Certifications below.

NA

<p><b>PRINCIPAL SPECIALTY</b></p> <p><b>Exam Information</b> (check one):</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> Oral exam taken                   <input type="checkbox"/> Oral exam scheduled                   <input type="checkbox"/> Written exam taken                   <input type="checkbox"/> Written exam scheduled                   <input type="checkbox"/> No plans to take exam             </p> <p>Exam Date:        /        /                      Date Certified:        /        /                      Re-exam Date:        /        /</p>	<p>Name of Board (if board certified)</p>
<p><b>SECONDARY SPECIALTY</b></p> <p><b>Exam Information</b> (check one):</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> Oral exam taken                   <input type="checkbox"/> Oral exam scheduled                   <input type="checkbox"/> Written exam taken                   <input type="checkbox"/> Written exam scheduled                   <input type="checkbox"/> No plans to take exam             </p> <p>Exam Date:        /        /                      Date Certified:        /        /                      Re-exam Date:        /        /</p>	<p>Name of Board (if board certified)</p>

**\*\*Check here if NA.**

**D. MALPRACTICE INSURANCE:**

Enclose a copy of your current policy certificate and/or declarations page indicating you as the covered clinician, and showing the coverage limits and dates of coverage.



**ALSO, "LIST BELOW" your current malpractice carrier. Please DO NOT mark "See Policy".**

Current Carrier (Name and Certificate Number)	Dates of Coverage	Coverage Limits



**Has the same carrier covered you for the past five (5) years?**    Yes    No   If NO, see below.

If you have not been covered by the same carrier for the past 5 years, list below the name and complete address of any other malpractice carrier who has provided coverage for you for the most recent five (5) year period.

**If there has been more than one carrier, please indicate the dates of coverage with each carrier, and the reason for changing carriers.**

Carrier (Name and Complete Address)	Dates of Coverage	Reason for Changing Carriers



**MALPRACTICE CLAIMS:** Please provide information on pending and/or settled malpractice claims. A separate sheet maybe included if necessary.

If NO CLAIMS, mark NA and advance to Section I.  **NA** **\*\*Check here if NA.**

Be as specific as possible with regard to procedures, names, dates, and actions. Explanations provided on pending and/or settled malpractice claims must include the minimum information requested below (you may use the space below, or include a separate sheet if necessary).

Patient's name:		Date of occurrence (mm/dd/yy):	
Insurance company defending your claim:			
Hospital name:			
Hospital address:			
Procedures performed:			
Co-defendants:			
Court trial? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Settlement out of court? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
		Date of settlement (mm/dd/yy):	
Allegations:			
Claim settled for no payment on your behalf? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			Claim is pending? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Amount in reserve by insurance company:		Total amount paid to claimant on your behalf:	
Total amount paid to claimant for all defendants:			

**E. COMMERCIAL INSURANCE PANELS**

Please check all commercial insurance panels with which you are currently paneled. (In formation will be used in making appropriate referrals for continuation of services)

- Aetna
- Anthem
- Blue Cross/ Blue Shield
- Cigna
- Humana
- Magellan Health Services
- Military One Source
- Tricare
- Value Options

Others: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please list any Trainings completed in the past 3 years**

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**Are you a Star Trained Provider?**  Yes  No If yes, please provide tiers completed below:

**K. PROVIDER PROFILE: Please answer ALL provider profile questions. Each box must be addressed.**

**NOTE:** If "YES" is checked, please explain fully on a separate sheet. If NA, mark NA.

Documentation is required if you have malpractice claims pending or settled, court charges (plead guilty or not) in the past five (5) years (include any settlements/adjudications, original complaint and final disposition).

The documentation must be from an attorney or the entity that issued the judgment.

1. <b>Health Status:</b> Do you have any physical, mental, or emotional condition, including but not limited to any history of drug or alcohol abuse, which currently impairs your ability to render the professional services which are the subject of this application? "Currently" means recently enough so that the condition could reasonably have an impact on your ability to safely and competently render the professional services which are the subject of this application.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
2. <b>Insurance Coverage:</b> Has your professional liability insurance coverage ever been denied, canceled, or non-renewed or initially refused upon application?.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
3. <b>License:</b> Has your medical or professional license in any state ever been revoked, suspended, placed on probation, conditional status, or limited?.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
a. Have you ever voluntarily surrendered your license?.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
b. Are formal charges pending against you at this time? .....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
4. <b>Professional Membership(s):</b> Has your membership in any professional society or association ever been canceled, revoked, or censured?.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
5. <b>Medicare/Medicaid/TRICARE:</b> Have you ever been fined, had an arrangement suspended, been expelled from participation or had criminal charges brought against you by any Medicare, Medicaid or TRICARE program?.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6. <b>Criminal Offenses:</b> Have you ever been arrested, charged with or convicted of a felony. ....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
a. Have you ever arrested, charged with or convicted of a felony involved in charges relating to moral or ethical turpitude, including crimes with children?.....	
b. Have you ever been named as a defendant in any criminal proceeding?.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
7. <b>Board Discipline:</b> Have you ever been the subject of disciplinary proceedings by any professional association or organization (i.e., state licensing board; county, state or national professional society; hospital medical or clinical staff)?.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
8. <b>Malpractice Action:</b> Has any malpractice action against you been brought or settled in the past 5 years or has there been any unfavorable judgment (s) against you in a malpractice action?.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
9. To your knowledge, is any malpractice action against you currently pending?.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
10. Please give a number of malpractice claims pending <b>and closed</b> : <b>CHECK "0" if NO CLAIMS</b> <input type="checkbox"/> None (0) <input type="checkbox"/> One (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Two (2) <input type="checkbox"/> More than 2 (please give number:_____)	<b>Please check one box – do not leave blank.</b>
13. Have you ever been a defendant in any lawsuit involving your practice where there has been an award or payment of \$50,000 or more?.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
15. Have you had any malpractice claims where there has been an award or payment of \$50,000 or more?.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

# PROVIDER ATTESTATION STATEMENT

## *Signature and Date Required*

This credentialing information and the attached documents contain detailed and specific information relating to my character and professional competence. I warrant that all of the information that I have provided and the responses that I have given are correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that willful falsification or willful omission of this information will be grounds for rejection or termination.

I understand that this application does not entitle me to participation in the Advantage Behavioral Health Network

I release Advantage Behavioral Health(Advantage), its representatives, and any individuals or entities providing information to Advantage from liability for any act or omission related to the evaluation or verification contained in this application provided Advantage, its representatives and individuals providing information to Advantage act in good faith and without malice. I further agree to notify Advantage of any change to the information provided in this application within 30 days of any such change. I understand that any information provided in this application that is not publicly available will be treated as confidential by Advantage.

In addition to any notice required by any contract with a Healthcare Organization, I agree to notify Advantage immediately in writing of the occurrence of any of the following: (i) the unstayed suspension, revocation, limitation, restriction or nonrenewal of my license to practice in any state; or (ii) any cancellation, limitation, restriction or nonrenewal of my professional liability insurance coverage.

I further agree to notify Advantage in writing, promptly and no later than fourteen (14) calendar days from the occurrence of any of the following: (i) receipt of written notice of any adverse action against me by the applicable State Regulation and Licensing or the applicable State Medical Examining Board taken or pending, including but not limited to, any accusation filed, temporary restraining order, or imposition of any interim suspension, probation or limitations affecting my license to practice medicine; or (ii) any adverse action against me by any Healthcare Organization which has resulted in the filing of a report with the applicable State Regulation and Licensing or the applicable State Medical Examining Board, or a report with the National Practitioner Data Bank; or (iii) the denial, revocation, suspension, reduction, restriction, limitation, nonrenewal or voluntary relinquishment by resignation of my medical staff membership or clinical privileges at any Healthcare Organization; or (iv) any material reduction in my professional liability insurance coverage; or (v) my receipt of written notice of any legal action against me, including, without limitation, any filed and served malpractice suit or arbitration action; or (vi) my conviction of any crime (excluding minor traffic violations); or (vii) my receipt of written notice of any adverse action against me under the Medicare or Medicaid programs, including, but not limited to, fraud and abuse proceedings or convictions.

I authorize Advantage Behavioral Health and its agents and any individual or entity providing information to Advantage to investigate and evaluate my provider application, and consult with any person, organization, or entity that has, or could have any information, data, or documents regarding my background, competence, and credentials.

Date (mm/dd/yy) \_\_\_\_\_

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Provider Signature (*Sign in script/cursive*)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Please Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Degree

**RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:**

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