

Premium Indication Request for Non-Standard Physicians

Please read carefully before completing:

This is a premium indication request only. It is not an application for medical malpractice insurance coverage and does not, in any way, bind coverage. The information contained in this request will be used to acquire premium indications from one or more insurance carriers as appropriate and will otherwise be held in the strictest confidence.

SIGNATURE

After completing the premium indication request, the applicant's signature is required, along with the date. Please complete the request completely.

CLAIMS INFORMATION

If you have any claims, suits, or incidents alleging malpractice brought against you within the past ten (10) years, complete a claim information sheet for each claim. Each Claim Information Sheet must be completed, signed and dated.

RETROACTIVE ("NOSE") COVERAGE

If you wish to obtain nose coverage, a copy of your most recent declarations page from your current carrier indicating the original effective date of coverage and a current paid through date must be attached.

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I. Personal Information

1. Entity Name as Named Insured _____
Office Street Address _____
City, County, State, Zip _____
2. Your Full Legal Name – Individual _____
Mailing Street Address (if different from office address) _____
City, County, State, Zip _____
3. Effective Date Desired _____ Retroactive Date Desired _____
4. Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____
Social Security or I.R.S. No. _____
Residence Street Address _____
Residence Telephone No. _____
5. Desired Limits of Liability:
 \$1,000,000 per claim/\$3,000,000 annual aggregate
 \$2,000,000 per claim/\$4,000,000 annual aggregate
 \$5,000,000 per claim/\$5,000,000 annual aggregate
 Other
6. Medical Specialty _____
7. a. Are you American Board Certified in your specialty? Yes No
b. Name(s) of American Specialty Board(s) _____

8. a. Are you licensed by the state in which you now practice? Yes No
Federal DEA No. _____
License No. _____ Permanent Temporary
b. Are you licensed in any other state? Yes No
If yes, please identify State and License No. on the Comments page.
Taxpayer Identification Number _____

II. Underwriting Information

9. If you use a collecting agency, does the agency have the authority to file a collection suit at its discretion? Yes No
10. Has any medical professional liability insurer cancelled, declined coverage, refused renewal, or renewed your coverage under restrictive conditions? Yes No
If yes, please explain on Comments page.
11. Have you ever used any intoxicant, narcotic, or psychoactive drug to the extent that it has interfered with your ability to perform professional duties? Yes No
If yes, please explain on Comments page.
12. Do you have any physical or mental problems which might affect your practice of medicine? Yes No
If yes, please explain on Comments page.
13. Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes No
14. Has any investigation, revocation, suspension, restriction, other disciplinary action, or other change in status occurred with respect to your license to practice, your DEA license, your privileges or participation at any hospital, health maintenance organization, or other medical facility, or your certification by or membership in any medical association, medical society, or medical board? Yes No
15. Has a fee complaint or professional conduct complaint ever been registered against you with your medical association or state or county medical society, State Board of Medical Examiners, or hospital medical staff? Yes No
If yes, please provide a copy of the complaint, your answer, and, if resolved, the final resolution from your Medical Board. For professional conduct complaints, also submit copies of the patient charts and operative notes if these documents are a matter of public record.

III. Claim, Incident, and Insurance History

16. a. Have you ever been involved in a malpractice claim, suit, or "incident" either directly or indirectly? Yes No
b. Are you aware of any facts or circumstances which may give rise to a claim or suit in the future? Yes No
If you responded "yes" to either of the above, please complete a Supplemental Claims Information form for each circumstance. For more than one incident or claim, please use photocopies of the form.
17. List the names of all professional liability insurance carriers which have insured you during the past five years and the dates of such coverage. *Continue on the Comments page, if necessary.*
- a. Carrier: _____ Inception Date: _____ Expiration Date _____
If a Claims-Made policy, provide policy retroactive date _____ Policy Number: _____
- b. Carrier _____ Inception Date _____ Expiration Date _____
If a Claims-Made policy, provide policy retroactive date _____ Policy Number: _____
- c. Carrier _____ Inception Date _____ Expiration Date _____
If a Claims-Made policy, provide policy retroactive date _____ Policy Number: _____
- Attach a copy of the Declarations Page(s) from your current policy.*
18. If your coverage is currently Claims-Made, do you wish to buy prior acts coverage from American Healthcare Indemnity Company to insure you for new, unreported claims arising from services you provided while you were insured with your present carrier? Yes No
- a. If no, do you intend to purchase extended reporting endorsement ("tail") coverage from your present carrier? Yes No
Submit a copy of your extended reporting endorsement, if applicable.

IV. Medical Information

19. Medical School:

School City State
Country: _____ Year Graduated: _____ Degree: _____

Internship:

Hospital City State From: _____ To: _____
mo/yr mo/yr

Residency:

Hospital Specialty City State From: _____ To: _____
mo/yr mo/yr

Hospital Specialty City State From: _____ To: _____
mo/yr mo/yr

Fellowship in: _____ :
Subspecialty

Hospital City State From: _____ To: _____
mo/yr mo/yr

20. Have you met all the legal requirements in your state for continuing medical education? Yes No

On the Comments page, please list all courses taken in the last 12 months, including dates and number of CME credits; any additional training; where, dates and type of training. List postgraduate studies and specialty society meetings.

V. Your Practice

21. List all locations where you have practice for the last 10 years. Of the locations where you now practice, also indicate the average number of hours you practice at each location. *Continue on Comments page, if necessary.*

a. Address: _____
County: _____ From: _____ To: _____ Hours per week: _____

b. Address: _____
County: _____ From: _____ To: _____ Hours per week: _____

c. Address: _____
County: _____ From: _____ To: _____ Hours per week: _____

22. List hospitals at which you currently are or have been a staff member. *List additional hospitals on the Comments page.*

a. Hospital: _____
Address: _____
County: _____ Type of privileges (active, courtesy, etc.): _____
From: _____ To: _____
mo/yr mo/yr

b. Hospital: _____
Address: _____
County: _____ Type of privileges (active, courtesy, etc.): _____
From: _____ To: _____
mo/yr mo/yr

23. Are you employed by any corporate or fictitious name entity? (i.e. DBA) *Please provide name* Yes No

24. Do you own shares in a professional corporation? *Please provide names of all other shareholders* Yes No

25. Do you have any partners? *Please provide names and insurance carriers*..... Yes No

26. Do you employ any physicians, surgeons, podiatrists, or chiropractors? Yes No
Please provide names and insurance carriers.

27. Are you employed by any physicians or surgeons? *Please provide names and insurance carriers*..... Yes No

28. Do you have any associates? *Please provide names and insurance carriers*..... Yes No

Indicate the extent of your association. (*Please check one*)

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|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Share Office | <input type="checkbox"/> Independent Contractor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Common Billings | <input type="checkbox"/> Share Calls |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Share Employees | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify below) |

29. *Please attach a copy of your office letterhead.*
30. Do you advertise (*other than a general yellow pages listing*)? Yes No
If yes, submit copies of print, audio (i.e. radio), and video (i.e. television) advertising currently used.
31. On *average*, how many hours per day and days per week do you practice?
 a. Hours per day? _____
 b. Days per week?..... _____
 Of the above, how many hours per day/days per week are devoted to *direct patient care*?
 1. Hours per day? _____
 2. Days per week?..... _____
 Of the above, how many hours per day/days per week are devoted to *related administrative activities*?
 1. Hours per day? _____
 2. Days per week?..... _____
32. What is your average weekly patient load? _____
 a. Of this number, how many require surgery by you? _____
 b. What percentage of your patients are treated under capitated agreements? _____ %

33. Do you employ any Physician Assistants? Nurse Practitioners? Yes No

Please submit evidence of approval by the State Licensing Board for the Physician's Assistant(s) and the supervising physician.

34. Do you employ any Nurses? Yes No

a. Number of nurses employed?

b. List number and professional classification of any other assistants you employ:

No. Class

No. Class

No. Class

No. Class

No. Class

No. Class

No. Class

VI. Procedures

35. Do you perform abortions? Yes No

If yes: a. Number performed monthly on your own patients

b. Number performed monthly on referral patients

c. From whom do you receive referrals?

d. List hospitals, clinics, or other facilities where you perform abortions:

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

e. Describe methods used:

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36. Do you administer anesthesia? Yes No

a. Spinal? Yes No

b. Caudal? Yes No

c. General? Yes No

d. Intravenous? Yes No

e. Local? Yes No

f. In a non-hospital facility? Yes No

g. Other? Yes No

Describe methods used:

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37. Do you practice weight reduction or control? Yes No
- a. Do you solicit or advertise for weight control patients? Yes No
- b. Do you receive referral patients from weight control clinics?..... Yes No
- c. What percentage of your patients are involved exclusively in weight control?..... _____ %
- d. Do you use: 1. Injections for weight control? Yes No
 2. Drugs for weight control?..... Yes No
- e. Do you dispense (as opposed to prescribe) any weight control drugs?..... Yes No

If yes, please list all drugs dispensed and types of injections used for weight control.

38. Do you perform surgery for obesity? *If yes, please describe procedures performed on the Comments page*..... Yes No
39. Do you perform traumatic plastic surgery?..... Yes No Percentage of patients _____ %
40. Do you perform cosmetic plastic surgery?..... Yes No Percentage of patients _____ %

If yes, do you perform?

- a. Rhinoplasties?..... Yes No Percentage of patients _____ %
- b. Hair transplants or suturing of hairpieces? Yes No Percentage of patients _____ %
- c. Hair implants?..... Yes No Percentage of patients _____ %
- d. Silicone injections?..... Yes No Percentage of patients _____ %
- e. Silicone implants?..... Yes No Percentage of patients _____ %
- f. Other cosmetic surgery? Yes No Percentage of patients _____ %

41. Do you use X-ray for any purpose?..... Yes No
- a. Diagnostic purpose? Yes No
- b. Therapeutic purposes? Yes No
- c. Do you possess or use radioactive materials?
1. for diagnostic purposes? Yes No
2. for therapeutic purposes? Yes No
- Describe materials used _____

42. Do you engage in the practice of acupuncture? Yes No
- a. For anesthesia? Yes No
- b. For therapy? Yes No
- c. What percentage of your patients are involved with acupuncture? _____ %
- d. If acupuncture is used, please submit certificates of completion from any course taken, and indicate the instructor's name and the number of hours of instruction. *(Please provide name and number of hours on the Comments page)*

43. a. Do you perform any surgery in your office?..... Yes No
 Do you perform any surgery in any other non-hospital facility? Yes No

If yes, please list facilities where such surgery is performed:

- b. In the course of surgery described above, is general anesthesia administered?..... Yes No
1. By you in your office or any other non-hospital facility?..... Yes No
2. By others in your office or any other non-hospital facility?..... Yes No
- c. List the surgical procedures you perform in your office or other non-hospital facility.
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44. Do you perform the following procedures? Check Yes or No.

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|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| a. Coronary angiography? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | r. Paracentesis? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b. Non-coronary angiography? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | s. Phlebography? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| c. Amniocentesis? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | t. Polypectomy by endoscopy? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| d. Bronchoscopy? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | u. Renal dialysis? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| e. Arteriography? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | v. Thoracentesis? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| f. Colonoscopy? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | w. Cardiac catheterization? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| g. Cyrosurgery? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | x. Convulsive shock therapy? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| h. Dermabrasion? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | y. Lymphangiography? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| i. Discography? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | z. Pneumoencephalography? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| j. Endoscopy? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | A. Radiopaque dye injection? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| k. Esophagoscopy? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | B. Chelation therapy? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| l. Hypnosis? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | C. Arthroscopy or arthrography? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| m. Insertion of IUD? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | D. Peripheral nerve surgery? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| n. Laser therapy? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | E. FDA approved experiments? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| o. Myelography? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | F. Sex change? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| p. Phalloplasty? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | G. Refractive surgery? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| q. Organ transplants? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | H. Liposuction? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

45. Do you perform any of the following procedures which may be defined as **Major Surgery**?..... Yes No

If yes, please underscore procedure(s) performed and give percentage of total practice.

**If yes, what percentage
of total practice**

As Surgeon As Assistant

a. **Major Surgery** – which shall be defined as (1) any surgical procedure involving cutting into or within the abdominal cavity, cranial cavity, chest cavity, orbital cavity, spine or facial sinuses; (2) orthopedic surgery (other than orthopedic operations on the interphalangeal joints); (3) any amputations; (4) plating, pinning or open reduction of fractures; (5) mastectomy; (6) plastic or cosmetic surgery; (7) reconstructive vascular surgery, thromboembolctomy and thrombectomy of the arteries and veins; (8) ophthalmic surgery; (9) mastoidectomy; (10) operations within the middle or inner ear; (11) prostatectomy; (12) submucous nasal resections; (13) thyroidectomy; (14) neurological surgery; (15) any surgical procedure on malignant lesions except for diagnostic purposes; (16) any cutting into or on the kidney, ureter or bladder; (17) obstetrics. _____ % _____ %

b. Indicate below any other procedure that you perform which may be defined as **Major Surgery**.
 _____ % _____ %
 _____ % _____ %

c. Do you **assist** at major surgery **on other than your own patients**?..... Yes No

46. Do you perform any of the following procedures which may be defined as **Advanced Intermediate Surgery**?... Yes No

If yes, please underscore procedure(s) performed and give percentage of total practice.

If yes, what percentage of total practice

As Surgeon As Assistant

- a. **Advanced Intermediate Surgery** – which shall be defined as (1) myringotomy; (2) tonsillectomy & adenoidectomy; (3) herniorrhaphy (inguinal or femoral only); (4) hemorrhoidectomies & other procedures limited to the anal ring. _____ % _____ %

47. Do you perform any of the following procedures which may be defined as **Intermediate Surgery**?..... Yes No

If yes, please underscore procedure(s) performed and give percentage of total practice.

If yes, what percentage of total practice

As Surgeon As Assistant

- a. **Intermediate Surgery** – which shall be defined as (1) vasectomies & other procedures involving the cutting of the scrotal sac; (2) dilation & curettage of the uterus (excluding abortions); (3) injection treatment of varicose veins; (4) orthopedic operations on the interphalangeal joints; (5) circumcision. _____ % _____ %

48. Indicate below any other procedures that you perform which may be defined as Advanced Intermediate Surgery or Intermediate Surgery.

As Surgeon As Assistant

_____ % _____ %
 _____ % _____ %

49. Do you perform any of the following?

- a. Surgical treatment of cysts, abscesses and traumatic wounds? Yes No
- b. Biopsy procedures of lesions on the skin, and of the mucous membranes on the mouth, nose, throat, vagina, uterine cervix and rectum? Yes No
- c. Biopsy excision of lymph nodes within the subcutaneous tissue? Yes No

VII. Specialists

50. ANESTHESIOLOGISTS

- a. Do you practice medicine or surgery other than anesthesia?..... Yes No Percent of patients _____ %
- b. Describe other medicine or surgery performed. *Please provide details on Comments Page.*
- c. Do you employ _____ or have you assumed supervisory duties _____ over (check one):
1. Any nurse anesthetists? Yes No
2. Any inhalation therapists? Yes No

51. DERMATOLOGISTS

- a. Do you perform superficial X-ray therapy? Yes No
- b. Do you perform deep X-ray therapy? Yes No

52. GENERAL AND THORACIC SURGEONS

- a. Do you perform organ transplants? *If yes, please provide details on Comments Page*..... Yes No
- c. Do you perform any surgery that is categorized as:
1. Orthopedic surgery? Yes No
2. Neurosurgery? Yes No
3. Obstetrics? *If yes, please provide on Comments Page* Yes No
4. Cardiovascular surgery? Yes No

53. **OBSTETRICIANS AND GYNECOLOGISTS**

a. Do you limit your practice to gynecology only? Yes No

54. **OPHTHALMOLOGISTS**

a. Do you perform transplants? *If yes, please provide details on Comments Page*..... Yes No

b. Do you practice Otolaryngology?..... Yes No

55. **ORTHOPEDIC SURGEONS**

a. Do you perform neurological surgery? Yes No

1. On spinal nerves?..... Yes No

2. On peripheral nerves? Yes No

If yes, please explain on the Comments Page dates and location of training in NEUROSURGERY, not Orthopedics

b. Do you perform lumbar laminectomies? Indicate the number performed annually..... Yes No

If yes, are lumbar laminectomies performed in conjunction with a neurosurgeon? Yes No

c. Do you perform cervical laminectomies? Indicate the number performed annually..... Yes No

If yes, are cervical laminectomies performed in conjunction with a neurosurgeon? Yes No

d. Do you perform bone fusion only? Yes No

56. **OTOLARYNGOLOGISTS**

a. Do you perform ophthalmic surgery? Yes No

57. **PEDIATRICIANS**

a. What percentage of your practice is neonatology? _____ %

b. Do you practice any pediatric oncology? Yes No

c. Do you cover any pediatric ICU? Yes No

d. Is your practice hospital-based?..... Yes No

VIII. Other Professional Duties

58. Do you provide professional services as an employee of, contractor for, or staff member of any facility designated for or providing any emergency care? Yes No

a. Give full legal name and location of facility(ies), as well as any department in which you serve.

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b. Is insurance coverage provided for your work by the facility?..... Yes No

c. Is your work at this facility:

1. On your own patients only?..... Yes No

2. Required for staff privileges?..... Yes No

3. Any of above on a fee basis?..... Yes No

4. Other? Please describe.

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d. Is there a written contract or agreement to provide emergency service? Yes No

Please submit copy of written contract.

59. Do you provide professional services as an employee of, contractor for or staff member of any of the following:

- a. Any health care facility having bed and board accommodations?..... Yes No
- b. Any clinic, foundation, blood bank, laboratory or surgi-center? Yes No
- c. Any medical service facility maintained by an industrial firm? Yes No
- d. Any health maintenance organization, pre-paid health plan?..... Yes No

If yes, give full legal name and location of facility as well as any department in which you serve.

- 1. Is insurance coverage provided for your work by the facility?..... Yes No
(Other than the coverage being applied for)
- 2. Are you? Owner (whole or part)
 Executive Officer
 Administrator
 Department or Ancillary Service Director
 Physician with teaching responsibilities
 Other (Describe)

3. How many days per week do you work at the facility? _____

4. How many hours per day do you work at the facility? _____

5. Indicate number and specific professional classification of any assistant working under your supervision or for whom you have assumed legal responsibility:

No. _____ Class _____

No. _____ Class _____

No. _____ Class _____

No. _____ Class _____

X. Agreement

I do hereby certify the truth of my statements and answers mentioned herein, and that I have not withheld any material information.

I understand that the withholding of any information which is calculated to influence the judgment of the company in considering this request for a premium indication will release the Company from any obligation incurred hereunder.

The application form duly completed, together with any supplementary information, must be signed in ink by the applicant. Signature of the form does not bind the applicant or the Company to complete the insurance.

X _____ (SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT) (_____) _____ (APPLICANT'S OFFICE PHONE NUMBER) ____/____/____ (DATE SIGNED)

I hereby authorize release and exchange of information between my medical association or society and their insurance consultants, any hospital I presently or previously held staff privileges with, and prior insurance carriers involving past and future underwriting and claims matters.

I further agree that the organization releasing the information, its agents, servants and employees, shall not incur any liability as a result of any information released or furnished pursuant to this authorization including any errors, omissions or mistakes contained in such released information.

X _____ (SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT) (_____) _____ (APPLICANT'S OFFICE PHONE NUMBER) ____/____/____ (DATE SIGNED)

Note: Signatures are required in two places above. Missing signatures will delay the processing of your application.

X. SUPPLEMENTAL CLAIMS INFORMATION

(Please use photocopies of this form for each additional claim.)

1. Name, age, and sex of patient _____

2. Date of first consultation _____

3. Physical condition and diagnosis at above date _____

4. Date of treatment given and nature of same _____

5. Date of claim, and allegations made against you _____

6. Disposition of claim, amount of judgment or settlement _____

Open Claim – Reserve \$ _____

Settlement, or

Closed Claim – Loss \$ _____ Date Closed: _____

Judgment

7. What insurance company, if any, was involved? _____ Policy No. _____

8. Subsequent condition of health of patient _____

9. Names of other doctors, if any, involved in the claim or suit _____

10. To whom may we refer for further information about the suit? _____

Please type or print name: _____

X _____
(DATE COMPLETED)

X _____
(SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT)