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Application to Medical Director for Appointment to an Independent Diagnostic Facility

PHYSICIAN

FACILITY INFORMATION

Facility name: _____ DAP ID: _____

Submission date: _____ Requested start date: _____

PERSONAL INFORMATION

First name: _____ Middle name: _____ Last name: _____

Specialty: _____ CPSID: _____

BUSINESS CONTACT INFORMATION

Professional/incorporated name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____

Postal code: _____ Phone number: _____

Email address: _____

HOME CONTACT INFORMATION

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____

Postal code: _____ Phone number: _____

Email address: _____

PREFERRED METHOD OF CONTACT

Mailing address: ☐ Business ☐ Home

Email: ☐ Business ☐ Home

Phone: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

First name: _____ Last name: _____

Relationship to applicant (optional): _____ Phone number: _____

Notes: _____

APPOINTMENT

Medical staff category requested (at independent DAP facility):

◯ Provisional (new medical staff to first year on staff)

◯ Temporary (defined time period and/or specified number of cases) End date: _____

Discipline: _____ Discipline subspecialty: _____

Current and previous restrictions to license or scope of practice (voluntary, self-imposed, imposed):

APPROPRIATE PROCEDURES LIST

An appropriate procedures list indicating only the procedures you are applying to perform at the above facility must be submitted with the application (refer to the BC MQI Provincial Privileging Dictionaries for core procedures in your area of practice.

◯ Appropriate procedures list attached

◯ N/A

CERTIFICATE OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

I have requested for CPSBC to release to the medical director a current certificate of professional conduct.

◯ Consent for certificate of professional conduct sent to cpc@cpsbc.ca

◯ N/A

PHYSICIANS WITH HEALTH AUTHORITY PRIVILEGES

Membership(s) on medical staff in British Columbia

Health authority: _____ Hospital: _____

City: _____ From: _____

Category of privileges: _____

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Health authority: _____ Hospital: _____

City: _____ From: _____

Category of privileges: _____

Physicians with health authority privileges must provide a letter confirming the privileges held in your specialty and stating that you are in good standing with the hospital.

◯ Letter from health authority attached

◯ N/A

PHYSICIANS WITHOUT HEALTH AUTHORITY PRIVILEGES

Physicians without health authority privileges must submit a curriculum vitae that outlines:

Education

1. Post-secondary professional education (institution(s), date(s), degree(s))
2. Internship, residencies, clinical, teaching or research fellowships
3. Specialist qualifications/fellowship/certification by appropriate bodies
4. Other graduate education

Experience

1. Clinical experience
2. Hospital appointments and professional associations
3. Teaching, research, public health, administration experience
4. Other experience (special interests, community involvement, etc.)

Publications

◯ Curriculum vitae attached

◯ N/A

REFERENCES

Name **two professional referees** with whom you have worked within the last three years. One must be the head of hospital department or division or senior medical administrator of the organization in which you most recently worked or the program director, if you have recently completed post graduate training.

Applicants requesting privileges/practice activities requiring special skills must include at least one reference specifically addressing recent training and/or experience in these areas.

References must have current knowledge of the individual and their practice. Each referee must complete the Reference for Applicants for Privileges at an Independent Diagnostic Facility form.

Additional references may be requested.

Reference 1: Head of hospital department or division/senior medical administrator/program director

Name: _____ Organization: _____

Position: _____ Professional relationship: _____

City: _____ Email: _____

Phone number: _____ Extension: _____

Reference 2: Medical colleague

Name: _____ Organization: _____

Position: _____ Professional relationship: _____

City: _____ Email: _____

Phone number: _____ Extension: _____

MEMBERSHIP(S) ON MEDICAL STAFF IN NON-HOSPITAL FACILITIES

Diagnostic facility: _____

City: _____ Specialty: _____

From: _____ To: _____

Diagnostic facility: _____

City: _____ Specialty: _____

From: _____ To: _____

DECLARATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE MEDICAL STAFF

1. Professional liability coverage or protection

I declare that:

◯ I have professional liability protection through the Canadian Medical Protective Association (CMPA) that extends to all areas of my practice.

◯ I have professional liability protection through a policy of professional liability insurance from a BC-licensed company that provides coverage of at least $10 million and extends to all areas of my practice.

2. Have you ever had your health authority or hospital privileges revoked, suspended or restricted in any way, or have you surrendered or altered your privileges as a result of potential revocation, suspension or restriction? ◯ Yes ◯ No

3. Have you ever had any disciplinary actions, complaint investigations, practice reviews, formal reviews, or other proceedings initiated, pending or completed against you by a hospital or diagnostic facility? ◯ Yes ◯ No

4. Have you ever had any disciplinary actions, complaint investigations, practice reviews, formal reviews, or other proceedings initiated, pending or completed against you by the Medical Services Commission or a licensing authority? This does not include the College of Physicians and Surgeons of BC. ◯ Yes ◯ No

5. Have you ever been disciplined or entered into a formal agreement or given a formal undertaking to the Medical Services Commission or a licensing authority, to address a discipline matter, investigation, practice review, formal review or other proceeding? This does not include the College of Physicians and Surgeons of BC. ◯ Yes ◯ No

6. Have you ever had any civil court make a finding against you or have you entered into an out-of-court settlement relevant to your medical practice? ◯ Yes ◯ No

7. Have you ever been charged with a criminal or similar offence? This includes if you have received an absolute or conditional discharge, if the charges were dismissed, stayed, withdrawn, or did not result in a conviction. This also includes charges for which you were granted a pardon. ◯ Yes ◯ No

8. Have you ever been convicted of a criminal or similar offence? ◯ Yes ◯ No

9. Have you ever had a peace bond or restraining order issued against you that is relevant to your medical practice? ◯ Yes ◯ No

If you answered yes to any of the above, please give full details in the space provided below (and on a separate sheet of paper if you require additional space). Answering yes to any of the questions does not necessarily preclude appointment to the medical staff. The independent diagnostic facility medical director will use this information to assess your ability to deliver appropriate patient care.

APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND CONSENT

I understand and agree that I have the burden of providing adequate information for the proper evaluation of my professional competence, character, ethics, qualifications, licensure, insurance and other qualifications and for responding to any inquiries about such information to the satisfaction of the independent diagnostic facility medical director.

I am a licensee in good standing with my professional college.

I agree to:

- abide by the *Code of Ethics and Professionalism* as adopted by my professional college at all times during my appointment to the medical staff.
- maintain and provide proof of professional liability insurance protection appropriate to my professional activities within the independent diagnostic facility.
- inform the independent diagnostic facility medical director of any changes that would affect my ability to practise medicine and the type of practice I undertake while a member of the medical staff (e.g. licensure, professional liability insurance coverage, my health, qualifications, immigration status).
- release the independent diagnostic facility, employees, agents, staff and medical staff from all liabilities and claims for losses sustained in connection with evaluating my application for medical staff membership, except where such losses are caused by their gross negligence or intentional misconduct.

I acknowledge that:

- I have read the College of Physicians and Surgeons of BC Bylaws, the DAP standards and policies, and the medical staff rules of the independent diagnostic facility regarding professional conduct and assessment.
- if appointed to the medical staff, I will fulfill my responsibilities as a member of the medical staff, as defined in the CPSBC Bylaws, the DAP standards and policies, and the medical staff rules of the non-hospital facility.
- any breach of the above agreement, or any misrepresentation or material omission on my part in completing this application may result in the denial, revocation or suspension of my appointment to the medical staff.

I understand that the independent diagnostic facility and the DAP will collect, use and disclose personal information about me for the purposes of:

- evaluating my application for medical staff membership.
- administering and maintaining my medical staff membership and relationship with the independent diagnostic facility including maintaining privileges/practice activities and access to information systems and equipment.
- independent diagnostic facility and DAP Committee planning.

I consent to the following:

- the independent diagnostic facility and DAP may contact the referees whose names I have provided for the purpose of evaluating my application for appointment/reappointment/employment and privileges/practice activities.
- my personal information will be stored by the independent diagnostic facility and the DAP and may be shared with other BC health authorities and their affiliates for the purposes stated above.

APPLICANT AUTHORIZATION

In signing this document:

- I acknowledge I have read and understand the points in the above declaration and acknowledgment.
- I declare that I have requested only those privileges for which by education, training and current experience, and demonstrated performance I am qualified to perform and for which I wish to exercise at the independent diagnostic facility I am applying to.
- I declare that the information submitted by me in this application is true to the best of my knowledge.

I hereby apply for appointment to the medical staff of: _____

Applicant signature: _____ Date: _____

MEDICAL DIRECTOR DECLARATION AND RECOMMENDATION FOR APPOINTMENT

In signing this document:

- I acknowledge that I have reviewed this medical staff application for appointment, requested clinical privileges, and supporting documentation.
- I acknowledge that I am responsible for notifying the DAP of this medical staff appointment by submitting the Notification of Medical Staff Appointment form.

I hereby:

☐ Appoint this medical staff all privileges as requested on the appropriate procedure list(s)

☐ Recommend that this medical staff be granted privileges with the following conditions/modifications

☐ Do not recommend that this applicant be granted privileges

Privilege condition/modification/explanation:

Medical director signature: _____ Date: _____

NEXT STEPS

For medical directors of accredited facilities:

- Maintain a copy of this form and supporting documents in the medical staff's human resources file
- Notify the DAP of new staff appointments by submitting the Notification of New Medical Staff Appointment form and appropriate procedures list(s)
- See the CPSBC website for more information

For new facilities applying for accreditation:

- Submit this form and supporting documents to DAP
- See the CPSBC website for more information

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The personal information collected on this form is permitted under sections 26(c) and (e) of *FIPPA* for the purpose of managing your accreditation.

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