



Behavioral Health Agency License Application Packet

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Important Information:

Mail your application with initial documentation and your check or money order payable to:

Department of Health
P.O.Box 1099
Olympia, WA 98507-1099

Send other documents not sent with initial application to:

Behavioral Health Agency License
Credentialing
P.O. Box 47877
Olympia, WA 98504-7877

Contact us:

360-236-4700

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Application Checklist and Instructions

When your application for a Behavioral Health Agency license is received by the Department of Health, you will be notified in writing of any outstanding documentation or licensing fees needed to complete the application process.

All information should be printed clearly in blue or black ink. It is your responsibility to submit the required forms.

On page one of the application, indicate type of application—new, change of ownership, amended, change of location, branch site – new, or branch – amended.

- **New**—First time requesting a behavioral health agency license.
- **Change of Ownership**—When name of legal owner/operator changes resulting from the sale of a licensed behavioral health agency. Any transaction that results in a change of the uniform business identification number or federal tax identification number. Include a statement from the current owner regarding the disposition and management of clinical records that meet applicable state and federal regulations.
- **Amended**—To modify your current behavioral health agency license.
- **Change of Location**—When a licensed behavioral health agency moves to a new location, resulting in a new physical address (to include a new suite number). Include license number of current location and a statement assuring the new location is suitable for the purposes intended, not a personal residence, and meets all applicable local and state building and safety requirements.
- **Branch Site – New** – When adding a new branch site location under a licensed behavioral health agency. Include license number and address of the main licensed behavioral health agency.
- **Branch Site – Amended** – To modify an existing branch location under a licensed behavioral health agency. Include license number and address of the main licensed behavioral health agency.

Application Fee:

You can check the [fee page](#) for current fees.

Section I: Legal Entity Information Check One:

Please check your legal owner/operator business structure type according to your Washington State Master Business License.

Demographic Information:

Uniform Business Identifier Number (UBI #): Enter your Washington State UBI #. All Washington State businesses must have UBI #s. City, county, and state government departments also have UBI #s.

Federal ID Number (FEIN #): Enter your Federal ID Number, if the business has been issued one.

Legal Owner/Operator Name: Enter the legal owner/operator entity name as it appears on the UBI/ Master Business License.

Mailing Address: Enter the owner's complete mailing address.

Agency Name: Enter the agency's name as advertised on signs, brochures, or Web site.

Physical Address: Enter the agency's physical street location including city, state, zip code, and county.

Phone and Fax Numbers: Enter the facility's phone and fax numbers.

Mailing Address: Enter the facility's mailing address, if different than the physical address.

Agency Web Address: Enter the agency web address, if applicable.

Section II: Agency Information

Agency Administrator and Contact Person: Enter name, email address, and phone number for the administrator and contact person that the department can contact about this application. The administrator listed must provide a copy of their most recent criminal history background check run directly through the Washington State Patrol.

Mental Health Non-Residential/Outpatient Level Services: Check the box beside each specific program service(s) for which your agency is seeking certification. Provide the estimated number of annual service hours beside each service that is selected.

Mental Health Residential/Inpatient Level Services: Check the box beside each specific program service(s) for which your agency is seeking certification. Provide the number of beds designated for each service that is selected.

Please note Applying for residential/inpatient services will require application of a residential treatment facility or hospital license. Updates made to an active behavioral health agency with residential/inpatient services could result in a required update to the residential treatment facility or hospital license.

Substance Use Disorder Non-Residential/Outpatient Services: Please check the box beside each specific program service(s) for which your agency is seeking certification.

Substance Use Disorder Residential/Inpatient Services: Please check the box beside each specific program service(s) for which your agency is seeking certification. Provide the number of beds designated for each service that is selected.

Please note Applying for residential/inpatient services will require application of a residential treatment facility or hospital license. Updates made to an active behavioral health agency with residential/inpatient services could result in a required update to the residential treatment facility or hospital license.

Problem and Pathological Gambling Services: Check the box if your agency is seeking certification.

Opioid Treatment Program Services: Check the box if your agency is seeking certification.

Please note This service requires the selection of SUD Level I outpatient and/or SUD Level II Intensive outpatient certification.

- Attach Section 1 of the Community Relations Plan for department review and approval.
- Enter OTP Sponsor name, title, phone and email address.
- Enter OTP Medical Director name, title, phone, email address and WA Medical License Number.

Agency Accreditation Information: Provide accreditation information, if applicable, to include the accreditation organization and the accreditation effective date and expiration date.

Please note Your agency is eligible to apply to be deemed only if the agency is currently accredited by an approved accreditation organization. A separate deeming application is required.

Agency Clinical Supervisor Information: Enter the clinical supervisor name, title, and email address for each applicable service type your agency will provide. All clinical supervisors listed must provide a copy of their most recent criminal history background check run directly through the Washington State Patrol.

Applicant Declarations: Signed by the Administrator or Legal Representative. Must include the date signed, printed name of person signing the form, title, phone number, and email address.

Additional Information:

Return fully completed application and the following information:

- Applicable licensing and certification fees
- Copy of Master Business License
- Administrative and Clinical Policies and Procedures must be submitted prior to licensure.

Note: If you are filing a change of location or amended application with no changes to the existing services your agency is providing, the policies and procedures are not required.

- Criminal History Background Check: Attach a copy of the current Washington State Patrol criminal history background check for the administrator, all clinical supervisors listed, and any owner of five percent or more of the organizational assets.

Note: If you are filing an amended application with no changes to the current administrator, the criminal history background check is not required.

- Opioid Treatment Programs Only: Section 1 of the [Community Relations Plan](#) must be completed.

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Behavioral Health Agency License Application

- New Change of Ownership Amended Change of Location: Current license number _____
- Branch Site – New Branch Site – Amended

Branch Site Information

Main Site Address: _____

Main Site License Number: _____

Section I: Legal Entity Information

Check one:

<input type="checkbox"/> Association	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Partnership	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Hospital District
<input type="checkbox"/> Corporation	<input type="checkbox"/> Municipality (City)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sole Proprietor
<input type="checkbox"/> Federal Government Agency	<input type="checkbox"/> Municipality (County)	<input type="checkbox"/> State Government Agency
<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Company	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Profit Corporation	<input type="checkbox"/> Tribal Government Agency
<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Partnership	<input type="checkbox"/> Partnership	<input type="checkbox"/> Trust

Demographic Information

UBI #	Federal Tax ID (FEIN) #
Legal Owner/Operator Entity Name	
Mailing Address	
City	State Zip code
Name of Agency as advertised on signs or website	
Physical Address	
City	State Zip code
Phone (enter 10 digit #)	Fax number
Mailing Address	
City	State Zip Code
Agency Website Address	

Section II: Agency Information		
Agency Administrator		
Name:	Email:	Phone:
Agency Contact Person		
Name:	Email:	Phone:
Mental Health Non-Residential/Outpatient Level Services		Estimated Number of Annual Service Hours
Please check the box beside each specific program service(s) for which your agency is seeking certification.		
<input type="checkbox"/> Individual treatment		
<input type="checkbox"/> Brief intervention treatment		
<input type="checkbox"/> Less Restrictive Alternative (LRA)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Group therapy		
<input type="checkbox"/> Family therapy		
<input type="checkbox"/> Rehabilitative case management		
<input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric medication management		
<input type="checkbox"/> Medication monitoring		
<input type="checkbox"/> Day support mental		
<input type="checkbox"/> Clubhouse		
<input type="checkbox"/> Designated crisis responder (DCR)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Crisis outreach		
<input type="checkbox"/> Crisis stabilization		
<input type="checkbox"/> Crisis telephone support		
<input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health Peer Respite Center		
<input type="checkbox"/> Applied behavior analysis (ABA)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Supported employment		
<input type="checkbox"/> Supportive housing		
<input type="checkbox"/> Peer support		
Mental Health Residential/Inpatient Level Services		Number of beds
Please check the box beside each specific program service(s) for which your agency is seeking certification.		
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Long-Term Inpatient (CLIP)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Crisis stabilization unit		
<input type="checkbox"/> Competency evaluation and restoration		
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult evaluation and treatment		
<input type="checkbox"/> Youth evaluation and treatment		
<input type="checkbox"/> Intensive Behavioral Health Treatment		
<input type="checkbox"/> Involuntary triage		
<input type="checkbox"/> Voluntary triage		

Substance Use Disorder Non-Residential/Outpatient Services	
Please check the box beside each specific program service(s) for which your agency is seeking certification.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol and drug information school	
<input type="checkbox"/> Assessment only	
<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency service patrol	
<input type="checkbox"/> Information and crisis	
<input type="checkbox"/> Level I outpatient	
<input type="checkbox"/> Level II intensive outpatient	
<input type="checkbox"/> DUI assessment	

<input type="checkbox"/> Designated crisis responder (DCR)
<input type="checkbox"/> Supported employment
<input type="checkbox"/> Supportive housing
<input type="checkbox"/> Peer support
<input type="checkbox"/> Counseling services subject to RCW 46.61.5056

Substance Use Disorder Residential/Inpatient Services	Number of beds
Please check the box beside each specific program service(s) for which your agency is seeking certification.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult withdrawal management	
<input type="checkbox"/> Youth withdrawal management	
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult secure withdrawal management and stabilization	
<input type="checkbox"/> Youth secure withdrawal management and stabilization	
<input type="checkbox"/> Intensive inpatient	
<input type="checkbox"/> Low-intensity recovery house	
<input type="checkbox"/> Long-term treatment	
<input type="checkbox"/> Youth residential	

Problem and Pathological Gambling Services
<input type="checkbox"/> Problem and Pathological Gambling

Opioid Treatment Program Services
<input type="checkbox"/> Opioid Treatment Program (This service requires the selection of Level I outpatient and/or Level II Intensive outpatient certification.)

Section 1 of the Community Relations Plan has been completed and is attached to this application for review and approval.

OTP Sponsor Name:	Title:
Phone:	Email:
OTP Medical Director Name:	Title:
Phone:	Email:
WA Medical License Number:	

Agency Accreditation Information
Is your agency accredited? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Accreditation Effective Date _____ Accreditation Expiration Date _____
If yes, check the organization that accredits your agency:
<input type="checkbox"/> Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF)
<input type="checkbox"/> Council on Accreditation (COA)
<input type="checkbox"/> The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO)
<input type="checkbox"/> Department of Health (available for Opioid Treatment Programs only)

Agency Clinical Supervisor Information	
Mental Health Clinical Supervisor	
Name (as listed on the current credential)	Title
Email Address	
Substance Use Disorder Clinical Supervisor	
Name (as listed on the current credential)	Title
Email Address	
Problem and Pathological Gambling Clinical Supervisor	
Name (as listed on the current credential)	Title
Email Address	

Applicant Declarations
<p>I declare the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • That I will notify the department if changes occur in any of the information provided in sections I and/or II of this application before licensure and certification is granted. • That no person named in this application has had a license or certification for a treatment service or health care agency denied, revoked, or suspended. • That no person named in this application has been convicted of child abuse or adjudicated as a perpetrator of substantiated child abuse. • That no person or business entity named in this application is currently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participating in transactions involving certain federal funds. • That no person or business entity named in this application is currently under investigation for or has committed, permitted, aided or abetted the commission of an illegal act or unprofessional conduct as defined under RCW 18.130.180. • That the information contained in this application and on all documents submitted with this application is true, accurate, and complete to the best of my knowledge. • That this agency meets Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards and that the facility is: Suitable for the purposes intended; Not a personal residence; and Approved as meeting all building and safety requirements.

Signature of Administrator or Legal Representative	Date signed
Printed name of person signing form	Title
Phone number	Email

RCW/WAC and Online Website Links

WAC Link

[Behavioral Health Agency, Chapter 246-341 WAC](#)

Online

[Behavioral Health Agencies Web Page](#)