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SURGERY CENTER LIABILITY INSURANCE APPLICATION

Instructions: Please complete and sign. Attach additional sheets as needed.

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

A. Full name of Facility and all subsidiaries or related entities for whom this insurance is desired:

B. Mailing Address:

C. Contact Person: _____

Title: _____

D. Telephone Number: _____

E. Web Site: _____

F. Administration

1. Name of Chief Executive Officer: _____

2. Name of Medical Director: _____

3. Name of Risk Manager: _____

II. LICENSURE/OWNERSHIP

A. Physician or privately owned

Percent of Physician ownership _____

B. Not-for-Profit

For Profit (attach list of Stockholders/Partners)

III. COVERAGE REQUESTED

A. Deductible/SIR – Amount: _____

B. Effective Date: _____

C. Retroactive Date: _____

D. Limits of Liability:

- \$100,000/\$300,000
- \$200,000/\$600,000
- \$500,000/\$1,500,000

- \$1,000,000/\$3,000,000
- \$1,000,000/\$6,000,000
- \$2,000,000/\$4,000,000

IV. INSURANCE INFORMATION

A. Previous five year period:

	Current Year	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Insurance Company(ies)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Policy Number(s)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Limits of Liability	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Deductible/SIR	<input type="checkbox"/> Deductible <input type="checkbox"/> SIR Amount: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Deductible <input type="checkbox"/> SIR Amount: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Deductible <input type="checkbox"/> SIR Amount: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Deductible <input type="checkbox"/> SIR Amount: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Deductible <input type="checkbox"/> SIR Amount: _____
Coverage Form	<input type="checkbox"/> Claims-Made <input type="checkbox"/> Retro Date: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Occurrence	<input type="checkbox"/> Claims-Made <input type="checkbox"/> Retro Date: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Occurrence	<input type="checkbox"/> Claims-Made <input type="checkbox"/> Retro Date: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Occurrence	<input type="checkbox"/> Claims-Made <input type="checkbox"/> Retro Date: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Occurrence	<input type="checkbox"/> Claims-Made <input type="checkbox"/> Retro Date: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Occurrence
Policy Period					
From:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
To:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Premium:	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

B. Has any insurance company canceled or refused to renew your Professional Liability insurance policy(ies)? Yes No

If "Yes", please explain: _____

C. Does the applicant own, operate, manage or have an interest in a hospital, nursing home, outpatient clinic, pharmacy, laboratory, dispensary, transportation service, or other health care-related organization not listed in question 1 of this application? Yes No

If "Yes", please explain: _____

V. PATIENT ACTIVITY

Census data for past five years:

	Current Year	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
<u>Surgeries-</u>					
Local Anesthesia	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
General Anesthesia	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

VI. PROPERTY INFORMATION

- A. Are all areas equipped with:
- Smoke Alarms Yes No
 - Self-closing fire doors Yes No
 - Clearly marked emergency exits Yes No
 - Sprinkler systems Yes No
- B. Is there a written disaster/evacuation plan? Yes No
- C. Are all general contractors and subcontractors required to provide certificates of insurance to the facility? Yes No

VII. PATIENT MIX

Medicare	_____	Managed Care/Insurance	_____
Medicaid	_____	Other Private Pay	_____
		Charitable	_____

VIII. EMPLOYMENT DATA

Total number of Employees _____ Laboratory Technicians _____
CRNAs _____ X-Ray Technicians _____
Nurse Practitioners _____ Surgical Assistants _____
Physicians _____
(attach list with specialty) _____ Nurses (RN & LPN/LVN) _____

IX. ACCREDITATION

JCAHO, Expiration Date: AAAHC, Expiration Date:
 Full Other
 Contingent (attach copy of report) None
 Medicare/Medicaid Approval

Have you ever been denied accreditation? Yes No

If "Yes", for what reason? _____

X. MEDICAL STAFF

A. Is there a written policy requiring all medical staff members to carry professional liability insurance? Yes No
If "Yes," minimum limits required _____
If "Yes," is this policy strictly enforced? Yes No

B. Are Certificates of Insurance maintained on file? Yes No

C. Are there established procedures to utilize the National Practitioner Data Bank during the credentialing and reappointment process? Yes No

D. Are court records checked to verify suits against Applicants or Reappointees: Yes No

E. Is Board Certification a requirement for active medical staff privileges? Yes No

If not, what percentage of your medical staff is:
Board Certified _____ Board Eligible _____

XI. RISK MANAGEMENT/QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Is there a written statement by the Board of Directors endorsing risk management? Yes No
- B. Is there a written Quality Assurance Plan organized and implemented on a departmental basis? Yes No
- C. Does applicant edit or sell publications, video tapes or other media? Yes No

If "Yes," please explain. _____

- D. Are all Nursing Personnel oriented and trained before serving in surgery areas? Yes No
- E. Are there written agreements with other health care facilities and internal protocols guiding the transfer of any patient? Yes No
- F. Is there a policy requiring all Anesthetists to remain with patients during the entire time of surgery? Yes No
- G. Is there a policy requiring pre-operative evaluations of all patients by anesthesiologists? Yes No

XII. TO COMPLETE THIS APPLICATION, PLEASE ATTACH:

- A. Articles of Incorporation for all entities listed in question I.
- B. A list of all premises owned, occupied, rented or leased by the applicant in which patient care is rendered. Please provide age, construction, number of stories, fire protection, and type of usage for each location.
- C. Corporate organization chart illustrating relationships among all affiliates.
- D. A loss experience report from present and past insurers listing all open or closed claims for past five years, including reserve or payment amounts, defense costs and current status. If not available, please explain.
- E. Most recent audited annual report.
- F. State inspection report, if not JCAHO accredited, or JCAHO and AAAHC accreditation.
- G. All contracts with the contracted physicians.
- H. Medical staff bylaws.
- I. Any policy or resolution indicating insurance requirements for medical staff members.
- J. A written summary of the applicant's risk management and credentialing process.

XIV. SCHEDULE OF SURGICAL PROCEDURES (continued)

<u>Ob/Gyn Procedures*</u>	<u>No. of Procedures Performed Annually</u>	<u>Orthopedic Surgery Procedures</u>	<u>No. of Procedures Performed Annually</u>

* Termination of Pregnancy should be divided as follows:
TOP – 1st Trimester; TOP – 2nd Trimester; TOP – 3rd Trimester

<u>Ear, Nose, Throat Procedures</u>	<u>No. of Procedures Performed Annually</u>	<u>Miscellaneous Surgical Procedures</u>	<u>No. of Procedures Performed Annually</u>

XV. CONDITIONS OF APPLICATION

By applying for Medical Malpractice Insurance from Mt. Hawley Insurance Company, I hereby:

- consent to the inspection by Mt. Hawley Insurance Company or their agents of all documents that may be material to an evaluation of the group's qualifications and competence.
- release from liability Mt. Hawley Insurance Company, their agents and any other individuals for acts performed and statements made in good faith and without malice in connection with evaluating this application and the group's qualifications;
- release from liability any and all individuals and organizations who provide information to Mt. Hawley Insurance Company, in good faith and without malice concerning the group's professional competence, ethics, character and other qualifications;

All information requested in this application is considered material and important, and are made a part of any insurance policy issued by the Company. If Mt. Hawley Insurance Company agrees to be bound under the terms of this application, your policy is void if you withhold any information from us, or attempt to defraud or lie to us about any matter contained in this application.

I understand that falsification or material inaccuracy of any part of the above information can result in the immediate cancellation of my policy, and that no claims shall be paid nor coverage provided in the event of such falsification or material inaccuracy.

I agree to be bound by the terms and conditions contained in the policy to be issued, in the event this application is approved.

I hereby certify that the above information is correct, and that I have no knowledge of any incidents, pending claims, or any other activities that might result in a claim other than those listed on this application. I authorize release and exchange of information involving underwriting or claims matters among insurance carriers. Further, I acknowledge and agree that any claims resulting from acts committed prior to the effective date of coverage, and of which I was aware, are specifically excluded from coverage under this policy and any applicable policy written to provide coverage excess of this policy.

Date

X _____
Applicant's Signature

Signing this application does not bind Mt. Hawley Insurance Company or any other insurance carrier to complete the insurance.