

OFFICIAL NOTICE AND AGENDA

of a meeting of the <u>North Central Community Services Program Board</u> to be held at <u>North Central Health Care</u>, <u>1100 Lake View Drive</u>, <u>Wausau</u>, <u>WI 54403</u>, <u>Board Room</u> at <u>12:00 pm</u> on <u>Thursday September 22nd, 2016</u>

In addition to attendance in person at the location described above, Board members and the public are invited to attend by telephone conference. Persons wishing to attend the meeting by phone should contact Debbie Osowski at 715-848-4405 24 hours prior to the start time of the meeting for further instructions. Any person planning to attend this meeting who needs some type of special accommodation in order to participate should call the Administrative Office at 715-848-4405.

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AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Public Comment for Matters Appearing on the Agenda
- 3. Consent Agenda
 - a. ACTION: Approval of 9/15/2016 NCCSP Board Meeting Minutes
- 4. Chairman's Report and Announcements– J. Zriny
- 5. Committee Reports
 - a. Executive Committee Report J. Zriny
 - i. Review Draft Minutes of 09/07/2016 Meeting
 - b. Finance, Personnel & Property Committee Report B. Weaver
 - i. Review Draft Minutes of the 07/28/2016 Meeting
 - ii. Overview of the 09/22/2016 Meeting
 - c. Human Service Operations Committee Report J. Robinson
 - i. Review Minutes of the 08/12/2016 Meeting and Draft Minutes of the 09/09/2016 Meeting
 - d. Nursing Home Operations Committee Report J. Burgener
 - i. Review Draft Minutes of the 08/19/16 Meeting
 - e. Quality Committee Report
 - i. Review Minutes of the 08/09/2016 Meeting
 - ii. Overview of the 09/15/16 Meeting
 - iii. Overview of Organizational Quality Dashboard
 - 1. ACTION: Motion to Accept Dashboard as Presented
 - iv. CLOSED SESSION: Motion to go into closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(c) and (f) Wis. Stats. For the purpose of considering employment and performance evaluation of any public employee over which the governmental body exercises responsibility, and preliminary consideration of specific personnel problems, which if discussed in public, would likely have a substantial adverse effect upon the reputation of any person referred to in such problems, including specific review of performance of employees and providers of service and review of procedures for providing services by Agency. (ROLL CALL VOTE)
 - 1. Report on Recent Corporate Compliance Issue B. Schultz
 - 2. ACTION: Motion to Come Out of Closed Session
 - 3. Possible Announcements Regarding Issues Discussed in Closed Session
- 6. Financial Report B. Glodowski
 - a. ACTION: Motion to Accept the Financial Report and August Financial Statements as Presented
- 7. Medical Staff Credentialing B. Schultz
 - a. ACTION: Motion to approve reappointments of Debra Ciasulli, Brian Smith, Betsy Bittman, Brigitte Espinoza and William Nietert
- 8. Update on Marathon County's Decision Regarding the Future of their Relationship with North Central Health Care Discuss Go Forward Strategy M. Loy
- 9. Presentation of 2017 Operational Objectives M. Loy
 - a. ACTION: Motion to Approve the 2017 Operational Objectives
- 10. ACTION: Motion to Adopt the Collaborative Care Quality Charter and Amend NCCSP Bylaws Article 7 Section 7.1 to Add (f)(1) Collaborative Care Committee as a standing committee of the NCCSP Board M. Loy
- 11. CEO Report M. Loy
- 12. Discussion and Future Agenda Items for Board Consideration or Committee Assignment
- 13. Adjourn

Presiding Officer or Designee

NORTH CENTRAL COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAM BOARD MEETING MINUTES

September 15, 2016 12:00 Noon NCHC – Wausau Campus

Present:

X Randy Balk X Steve Benson X Ben Bliven

X Jean Burgener EXC Joanne Kelly EXC Holly Matucheski X
Bill Metter X Bill Miller EXC Scott Parks X John

Robinson X Greta Rusch X Robin Stowe

EXC Bob Weaver X Jeff Zriny

Also present: Michael Loy, Brenda Glodowski, Laura Scudiere, Becky Schultz, Sue Matis, Kim

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Guests: John Fisher and Dean Dietrich

Meeting was called to order at 12:07 p.m., roll call taken, and a quorum noted.

Public Comment for Matters Appearing on the Agenda

Dean Dietrich spoke, as a member of the public and a concerned citizen who has been involved in
local government for 40 years, has a personal connection with persons in the community with
disabilities, and aware of the disputes and concerns that exist between Marathon County and NCHC,
and who is very concerned with the possibility of the current joint county contract being terminated.
Mr. Dietrich encouraged members of the Board, and will urge Marathon County Board members, to
do everything possible to not terminate the joint contract. NCHC has a 'good thing going' with the
broad array of services being provided and encouraged the Board to work with Langlade, Lincoln and
Marathon Counties to continue to provide services and continue to have strong programs within our
communities.

Consent agenda

• Motion/second, Burgener/Metter, to approve the 7/28/16 and 8/18/16 NCCSP Board Meeting Minutes. Motion carried.

<u>Presentation and Discussion on Issues Related to Marathon County's Decision to Terminate the Existing Tri-County Agreement</u>

- Michael Loy and Jeff Zriny have been in contact and meeting with Marathon County Supervisors and officials to publicly garner additional support.
- There was great support at the 8/28/16 public hearing; including letters of support from the Medical College of Wisconsin and Resolutions from Langlade and Lincoln Counties.
- The revised draft resolution (in packet) has been mutually agreed upon by all three counties which
 must be recommended by the Health & Human Services Committee to the Marathon County Board
 for action to be taken.
- Marathon County Board Education Meeting is tonight, followed by a Health & Human Services Committee meeting on 9/19/16, and the Marathon County Board on 9/20/16 for a decision.

- Revised resolution was discussed:
 - o The timetable may be a significant hurdle with an agreement ready for December.
 - Important to remove the word termination as it has huge implications on staff, residents, etc.
 - o Impact on the 2017 budget will be fundamentally different. Have had discussions with Brad Karger who will help address any issues with the county.
 - Lincoln and Langlade Counties have made it clear that Marathon County does not need to withdraw from the agreement but rather negotiate a successor agreement.
 - Marathon County Representative felt the need to terminate or withdraw before asking Langlade and Lincoln Counties to come to the table to negotiate.
 - o Marathon County Public Safety Committee included the revised Resolution on their latest agenda. The additional education for the committee members had a positive impact.
 - All three counties need to approve the agreement; the mechanism between the three counties will change substantially; there should be more and better lines of communication and oversight. Lincoln and Langlade counties were excluded from much of the previous discussion but will now be fully involved with the new resolution.
 - o The wording of the revised resolution has been approved in principle by Chairman Gibbs.
 - o Biggest challenge will be the 8-10 week turnaround to develop the revised agreement and get all three county boards to approve.
 - o Board members were encouraged to attend the education meeting later today and the County Board meeting on Tues, Sept. 20.
 - Michael's role has not been defined as far as NCHC involvement in assisting with the development of a successor agreement. NCHC was involved in 2015.
 - o Performance metrics will need to be identified, new or shifting commitments are anticipated, transparency will be required, and entering the new year without deficits a must.
 - o The Board commended Michael for all he has done and expressed their appreciation for his leadership through this process. The Board recognizes his commitment and efforts come at a cost to his personal and family life.
 - o Michael was also recognized for an excellent presentation at the City Council meeting.

CEO Report

- Psychiatrist Recruitment Update
 - o First two successful physician visits; offers extended; both declined.
 - A third physician visited last weekend; interest expressed in NCHC; his soon to be fiancé is looking to join a psychiatry residency program; potentially starting next summer. Offer will be extended.
 - o Another physician will visit this weekend; she is a potential candidate for medical director.
 - o A physician will be visiting at end of the month as well.
- Working on the budget. Leadership has responded well in identifying areas to reduce expenses. Last month showed positive results; revenues have increased; we're headed in the right direction.

Discussion of Future Agenda Items for Board Consideration of Committee Assignment

• Meeting on 9/22/16 will be the standard board agenda.

Motion/second, Metter/Stowe, to adjourn the meeting at 12:48 p.m. Motion carried.

NORTH CENTRAL COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAM BOARD EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

September 7, 2016 3:00 PM North Central Health Care – Granite Room

Present: Jeff Zriny, Bob Weaver, Jean Burgener, Robin Stowe

Also Present: Michael Loy

Chairman Zriny called the meeting to order at 3:02 pm.

<u>Public Comment for Matters Appearing on the Agenda</u> No public comment made.

Action: Approve 08/09/2016 Executive Committee meeting minutes

• **Motion** to approve the 08/09/2016 Executive Committee meeting minutes made by B. Weaver, seconded by R. Stowe, motion passed 4-0.

Status of Marathon County Board's Decision on the Future of NCHC

Reviewed the meeting Marathon County had on September 1st with Langlade and Lincoln Counties and the proposed amendment to the recommendation to the Marathon County Board. Scope of the meeting was to discuss an alternative to Marathon County withdrawing from the tri-county agreement. Message from Marathon County representatives insisted they were going to withdraw no matter what. Langlade County clarified, with Lincoln County concurring, they agreed in principle to modifications for the financial integrity, program adaptability and consistency; and ongoing quality measurement, reporting and improvement but do not support the termination directive. At this time, nothing with the Nursing Home being separated out has been put forth. Discussion focused on what the recommendation implied and how it would play out, we do not support this recommendation and must education Marathon County Board on why. Jeff and Michael were going to work on a communication piece based on the discussion and try to find compromise or support of our position. Ruder Ware will be asked to speak or provide a written opinion to analyze what the recommendation means, what is to be gained and what could be lost if passed. Request Ruder Ware representative to come to our Board meeting to overview opinion and strategy. Send information to Marathon County Board Supervisors and engage with the community. Strategies and planning were discussed.

Someone from the Marathon County representatives at the meeting of the three Counties mentioned a different management arrangement for nursing home.

CEO Report

- We are working on a plan for the transition year with the ADRC. The financial cost of the ADRC moving is a loss of revenue of \$80,000. Will be meeting with Marathon County administration to develop final plan. Committee felt the NCCSP Board should be updated for input.
- Physician Recruitment continues 1st candidate declined offer, 2nd candidate (Child Psychiatrist)
 has an offer pending, three more interviews scheduled in September.

- Budget is going to be difficult this year. We are working on reducing the gap and have requested additional funding from Marathon County, mostly to sustain Nursing Home Operations.
- Strategic Cost Reduction has been successful. Identified the \$1.5 million in 2017 reductions and cost avoidance targets for 2016. Working to implement and integrate these into the 2017 budget and monitor results for the remainder of 2016.

Agenda for 9/15/16 and 9/22 Board Meetings

The 9/15 agenda will only cover where we are at with Marathon County's recommendation. The 9/22 Meeting will cover our regular agenda items along with an update to the status on Marathon County's recommendation.

<u>Future agenda items for committee consideration</u> No items were requested.

Motion by R. Stowe to adjourn, seconded by J. Burgener, motion carried 4-0.

NORTH CENTRAL COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAM FINANCE, PERSONNEL & PROPERTY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

July 28, 2016 11:00 a.m. NCHC – Wausau Campus

Present:

X Randy Balk X Bill Miller EXC Robin Stowe

X Bob Weaver X Jeff Zriny

Others Present: Michael Loy, Brenda Glodowski, Becky Schultz, Sarah Merbach

The meeting was called to order at 11:00 AM, roll call taken, and a quorum noted.

Minutes

• **Motion**/second, Miller/Weaver, to approve the minutes of the 6/30/16 Finance, Personnel & Property Committee meeting. Motion carried.

Pharmacy Medication Packager

- The Pharmacy multi-dose packaging system was approved last year and funded in the 2016 capital budget. When previously brought to the committee staff was requested to do further review as a follow-up.
- A variety of packaging systems have been evaluated from finance, safety, and patient experience perspectives, demonstrations have occurred, and there were two highly potential vendors.
- A consultant reviewed the pharmacy process on site; consultant had no affiliation with any of the
 potential equipment vendors; two ROI scenarios were reviewed; identified that either vendor was
 appropriate.
- System would be beneficial to reduce costs, improve quality, and increase revenues in the nursing home, community treatment, residential, and hospital areas.
- Motion/second, Balk/Miller, to finalize purchase for approval as motioned in 2015. Motion carried.
- Recommended we receive a tracking update on the progress (by year end) which will help revenue picture.

Financials

- The month of June showed an overall loss of \$491,299.
- Significant items to note include: nursing home census dropped averaging 203 per day (210 budgeted); Medicare census dropped to 19 (23 budgeted); hospital census dropped below 14 (budgeted for 14) but is increasing in July; saw some dips in outpatient areas but not unusual in summer months due to vacations.
- Expenses continue to exceed target and health insurance exceeds target by \$221,000 (2nd highest of the year). State institutes exceed targets by \$112,000. Crisis Services continues to be high. Legal was \$52,000 over due to a settlement from a lease agreement from previous years. Also June was a high month for drug expenses as it has varied based on populations.
- Detailed options to address the negative performance for this year's budget will be discussed at the Board meeting.
- Revenue sources have become stagnant; looking at how we can increase revenue sources.
- Motion/second, Miller/Balk to accept the June financial statement. Motion carried.

Write-off's

• **Motion**/second, Weaver/Balk to accept write-offs. In the last year write-off's have gone down; seeing progress with the system. Motion carried.

CFO Report

- Days in Accounts Receivable are down to 51.
- Moving nursing home billing from TIER to ECS has been completed. Will bill off ECS next week.
- May see a slight increase in Accounts Receivable in July because of getting up and going but expect to be well within target.
- Met with Kristi Kordus as requested to review investment policies. She reached out to PFMS
 Management who the county works with to review our policy. They will provide a written
 recommendation; have indicated that what we have right now is an appropriate investment strategy
 in CD's being under \$10 million. Have requested their recommendations when over the \$10 million
 mark.
- Investment policy would be updated if determined to move forward with this; policy would require us to go outside of Wisconsin to invest with banks.
- It was proposed to revisit the investment policy following the recommendation from PFMS; take the policy to the three county finance directors; present revised policy at the August meeting. A Joint Finance meeting with the County has been requested.

Future Agendas

- Marathon County has requested a joint finance meeting with Marathon County Finance Committee which may be on Aug. 29 from 3-5 p.m.
 - Joint agenda will include initiating the process to request the \$475,000 for the increase of mental health services. Must first go to Finance Committee and then to the County Board through contingencies.
 - Joint agenda may also include the investment policy; conversation of maintenance transfer as of 1/1/17; draft 2017 budget; 2016 performance; long term facility plan. Will need to hire someone for the long term facility plan which will incorporate the master facility plan.
- Investment Policy

Motion/second, Miller /Balk, to adjourn the Finance, Personnel & Property Committee meeting. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 11:55 a.m.

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NORTH CENTRAL COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAM HUMAN SERVICES OPERATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Linda Haney

August 12, 2	016	10:3	0 a.m.	NCH	IC – Wausau Campus	S
Present:		via				
X	John Robinson	X pho	one Holly Matucheski	Χ	Greta Rusch	
EXC	Scott Parks	Χ	Nancy Bergstrom	Χ	Lee Shipway	

Others Present: Michael Loy, Laura Scudiere, Becky Schultz, Sue Matis, Tom Dowe

Guest: Chris Gunderson

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The meeting was called to order; roll call was noted, and a quorum declared.

Consent Agenda

Motion/second, Rusch/Haney, to approve the consent agenda which includes the 7/18/16
Human Services Operations Committee meeting minutes and the Financial Report. Motion
Carried.

Educational Presentation - Juvenile Criminal Justice Discussion with Chris Gunderson

- United Way Partnership for Youth works in collaboration with others i.e. Social Services, as a subgroup that deals with Juvenile Criminal Justice (see handout)
- Contracts with Marathon County on truancy; provides supervision for K 3rd Grade
- Working on securing funding to continue the program.
- Committee discussion included:
 - Coordinating NCHC services in schools in conjunction with this group.
 - o What is NCHC role as we look at this? County efforts in early intervention have been more adult criminal justice driven.
 - o NCHC has been meeting with Judy Burrows heading up a grant project on Collective Impact on Behavioral Health and how NCHC can support Community Impact efforts.
 - o Committee would like a list of schools where NCHC is already providing counseling in the school.
- What can we do to make the drugs and selling of drugs less attractive:
 - 1. Need to attack poverty issue in country
 - 2. Look at family system kids join gangs for the 'family'
 - 3. Research determines that kids can't self-regulate emotions i.e. attention deficit
- Committee would like a 'map' in terms of what are we doing, roles clearly defined, and where the gaps are. Needs are addressed mostly for those 18 and older but not necessarily understand the 'feeder system'. Where are we and where do we want to be?
- We also need to educate our older citizens in the community who are unaware of what their children are facing.
- Linda referenced an article she will share with the committee about a community reducing homelessness in 120 days.

Human Services Outcome Reporting

Outcome Data Review

- Executive Summary was reviewed.
- Staff vacations routinely impact revenue during summer months.
- Psychiatry services update:
 - Currently have five candidates showing interest; unfortunately with the uncertainties with the county we cannot confidently say they are strong candidates.
 - O What does lack of psychiatry mean to our ability to provide services? With Dr. Ticho's move to outpatient services and reduced time it creates variability in services in Inpatient utilizing locums. Having adolescents on the unit is an issue with the psychiatrists here and those we are interviewing. Nancy Bergstrom shared concerns and the problems the courts have in locating locums to testify for court proceedings.
 - o If unable to recruit psychiatrists it puts the psychiatry residency program at risk. It is the only project we are aware of trying to actively grow psychiatrists in the area.
 - o Much of psychiatry is medication management and we must be a referral source.
- We need to begin the process of identifying the complexity of case management; difficulty in case management; difficulty in organizing the case management of multiple programs.
 We also need to begin talking about significant issues co-dependent and interrelated.

Crisis Services Update

- Process Improvement Team action plan was distributed.
- Transportation pilot program began August 1. This will not eliminate all law enforcement transportation but hope to decrease their interaction. Chief Deputy Chad Billeb has always said any number of transports will help law enforcement.
 - Morningside report indicated our ability and adaptability seemed slow. Slow and deliberate gets taken as unresponsive. Our concern has been with staff and patient safety. Staff needed to be hired, and trained in de-escalation and self-defense as individuals needing transportation typically have violent tendencies.
 - o In essence, the transportation of these individuals is not the responsibility of NCHC but yet NCHC is seen in the negative for not working fast enough in trying to create a trauma informed situation and being collaborative.
 - Committee expressed frustration that no matter what NCHC does it will not be enough. The target keeps moving so how is NCHC able to focus on the target? Other players must take responsibility for resource issues.
- A public hearing is scheduled on the governance issue at 5 p.m. on 8/22/16.
- Concerned entire county board will not be at hearing and voices will not be heard.

<u>Analysis on Diversions to State Institutions</u>

Diversions

- A detailed analysis discovered a discrepancy in the data on diversions and there are actually more diversions than previously reported.
- There is a gap in service for children under 13 where they must be sent out of community as there is no facility in community currently.
- Cost of diversions is approximately \$1000 per day per person.
- The children diverted need psychiatric care. In conversation with the State, they suggested a group home with a psychiatric component be considered for adolescents and/or children under 13.

<u>Discussion on Areas Identified as a Deficiency in Morningside Report and Role of NCHC</u>

- Need easy to understand information.
- Morningside has inaccuracies and lacks depth.
- In regards to the possibility of contracting for services, several examples were used by the County. Brown, Dane, Rusk Counties are surrounded by hospitals to assist with inpatient and some of the same providers we contract with overflow. Brown County has enormous case management overhead.

Motion/second, Haney/Rusch, to adjourn the meeting at 12:15 p.m. Motion carried.

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NORTH CENTRAL COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAM HUMAN SERVICES OPERATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

September 9	, 2016	10:30	a.m.	NCHC	: – Wausau Campus
Present:		Via			
X	John Robinson	X phor	ne Holly Matucheski	EXC	Greta Rusch
Χ	Scott Parks	EXC	Nancy Bergstrom	Χ	Lee Shipway
EXC	Linda Haney	Χ	Yee Leng Xiong		

Others present: Laura Scudiere, Becky Schultz, Brenda Glodowski, Sue Matis, Tanya Simonis, Carrie Paiser, Tom Dowe

Committee members agreed to reorder the agenda items.

Counseling in Schools Update

- Counseling in Schools has been a pilot program in 11 schools in Lincoln and Marathon Counties and are looking to expand into Langlade County.
 - At the onset of the program there were 168 appointments; 2014/2015 = 376 appointments; and 2015/2016 = 704 appointments. With the growth in appointments expansion is definitely a need in schools.
- One counselor has sole responsibility in the school and is booked solid Thursdays and Fridays.
- A focus group will be conducted with all participants to determine how we can better assist the schools and how the program intermingles with law enforcement.
- Referrals are received from guidance counselors; parents are also very involved in the process.
 - o Committee would also like to receive:
 - Number of referrals, how many participate, and number declined.
 - What is the ethnicity of the referrals?
 - Committee requested that outreach for Hmong community is considered going forward. The term mental health in Hmong means 'crazy'; what has been done to provide education in the Hmong community? It was noted that the majority of Hmong clients are in the elementary grades.
- There is a collaborative group, AOD Partnership, working on treatment and prevention in the schools that study at risk and prevention strategies.
- Community Treatment is another program that provides help for young children. Youth treatment programs in Lincoln and Langlade Counties are 'bursting at the seams'.
- The school pilot program in some school systems is currently on hold to further review the program and determine whether we make it an official program. Committee requested the following be reviewed in the future development of this program:
 - o To verify if there is any duplication of efforts.
 - o Develop a business plan, costs, etc.
 - o Identify direction of program, whether we have the capabilities, assets and skill sets to move forward.
 - What is our relationship and role with the private sector? How will we interface and support each other?
 - Law enforcement input and involvement is important.

Consent agenda

• Motion/second, Matucheski/Shipway, to approve the consent agenda which includes the 8/12/15 Human Services Operations Committee Meeting Minutes and financial report. Motion carried.

Behavioral Health Needs and Approaches

- Distributed and discussed information in the Life Report of Marathon County and an article on Collective Impact.
- Have been working with the Health Department and AOD Partnership to launch a *Collective Impact* program around treatment, tentatively called the Substance Abuse Treatment Alliance (SATA).
 - A Collective Impact effort brings in many partners who are involved and committed, who embrace the program, and are engaged in developing a common agenda. Partners must be willing to commit resources.
 - o A Charter is being drafted.
 - Critical parties to be involved include: Health Department, AOD Partnership, law enforcement, and schools.
 - Next steps will include developing a shared vision, identifying resources, developing a timeframe, developing a process, identifying roles of partners, etc. NCHC is poised to be the backbone but the partners may want someone else to do so.
 - o Committee would like continued feedback as they feel this is critical and important to relay this initiative to the county board as well.
- Dean Danner from Aspirus raised the issue of behavioral health and the effects on Aspirus; felt community is under-served to meet needs of the area. How do we best attract providers to this area?

HSO Outcome Reporting:

- Crisis working with DC Everest on a pilot for proactive crisis in the school systems.
- Hospital consistently at capacity; continues to experience issues with not having single rooms for
 patients who have violent tendencies, are verbally abusive, minors, etc. We would be able to
 accommodate more patients and be more effective with our space, if we had single rooms. The cost
 is about \$1000 per day when individuals are diverted to other facilities.
- Medically Monitored Treatment (MMT) continues to have a long wait list.
- Access times are increasing because Dr. Ticho moved from inpatient to outpatient; have been using locums for inpatient unit which has associated challenges
- Outpatient Currently there are at least two outpatient counseling vacancies. It is preferable to have dually certified counselors. Staff is encouraged to get dual certification.
- Jail Services committee requested updates on the services provided to the jail i.e. services under contract, reintegration and case management, number of patients in jail, discharge planning, etc.
 - Jon Snyder, forensic counselor, is currently providing services in the jail. An additional counselor was recently hired and will be trained to provide services in the jail also; the plan is to be in the jail part time and counseling in outpatient so she can continue with treatment following release from jail services.
 - What are the needs, shortages, improvements for discharge plan, recidivism rate for those receiving services vs those not receiving services, successes and roadblocks, costs of providing services, outlay, projected revenue and revenue sources, etc.

Crisis Services Update

- Continue to work with the Crisis Process Improvement team.
- Additional groups created and working on unique needs of law enforcement i.e. information sharing, in October NCHC will be hiring a half-time law enforcement liaison (possibly a retired law enforcement officer).
- Team consisting of law enforcement, school personnel, and crisis workers is discussing the needs of
 youth crisis i.e. looking at specific crisis needs in schools and developing a work plan to address those
 needs.
- Transportation program had a setback due to van needing service. Sheriff Parks was asked his perspective on the transport services and stated that identified issues were discussed and handled.
- Being a new program it is important for good communication, an understanding of roles such as
 transporting of violent patients and restraint use. Unclear parameters lead to uncertain or
 inaccurate assumptions. It was suggested a FAQ document or standard operating procedure manual
 be created.
- Crisis PI group will be discussing efficacy and make any adjustments.

Discussion on Areas Identified as a Deficiency in Morningside Report and Role of NCHC

- Distributed and reviewed the deficiencies for Marathon County as listed in the 2016 Morningside Report.
- Much reflected in the Life Report.
- The limited number of providers who do not accept Medicaid patients was discussed.

<u>Future Items for Committee Consideration</u>

- Begin with the discussion on the deficiencies identified in the Morningside Report now that the report has been finalized including information from the services to the jail, how we define these issues, deficiencies and gaps, and then begin prioritization for success of community and efforts and how NCHC fits into these roles.
- Marketing programs for better participation i.e. improved education in Hmong community and how it relates to their religious beliefs.

Motion/second, Xiong/Shipway, to adjourn the meeting at 12:01 p.m. Motion carried.

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NORTH CENTRAL COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAM NURSING HOME OPERATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

August 19, 2016 8:00 A.M. NCHC – Wausau Campus

Present: X Jean Burgener X Bill Metter EXC Bill Miller

X John Robinson X Via Margaret Donnelly

Also Present: Michael Loy, Kim Gochanour, Sue Matis, Brenda Glodowski, Becky Schultz

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 a.m.

Minutes

 Motion/second, Metter/Robinson, to approve the 7/29/16 Nursing Home Operations Committee meeting minutes. Motion carried.

Financial Report

- July saw a loss of just over \$86,000; an improvement from prior months.
- Census averaged 198 for July (which might be the lowest census ever). Census for August has come up slightly. Medicare census averaged 18 in July.
- With 31 days in July there was a slight increase in revenue. Medicare and RUGS reporting is reviewed and reconciled on a quarterly basis which identified an additional \$40,000. Committee requested this reconciliation be completed more often i.e. monthly.
- Overall the organization has seen improvement in expenses directly related to the work of the task forces. In addition we have also seen a reduction in benefits overall of about \$180,000; of that \$130,000 is due to health insurance costs. Drug costs dropped \$30,000; equipment rental went down \$21,000, rehab services cost was \$12,000 lower in July. Also, the extra shift payment was discontinued which impacted July expenses by \$4,000 from the prior month. A decrease in staff development of \$10,000 was seen in July. There was about \$145,000 less in expenses from June to July.
- Reconcile Nursing Home Actual to Budget report was reviewed.
 - Largest contributor to being over budget is due to benefits i.e. health insurance.
 Committee asked that the term 'benefits' be more clearly identified. Health insurance claims is the driver for the high expense in benefits and should be understood as such.
 - Should see additional improvements through the rest of year.
 - Utilization of Vent Unit beds was clarified. Due to oxygen limitation and respiratory therapy coverage for instance, we may not be able to fill beds with only vent patients which reduces revenue. The occupancy could be a mix of Medicaid, Vent, and Medicare patients.
 - Discussions with Physicians are important if high cost medications are involved and if another medication could be considered.
 - O Committee agreed that we cannot hold beds open for a particular payer type and that we must take patients on a first come first served basis.
 - o It was noted that 6 of the 21 current vent patients are Marathon County residents.

Pharmacy Review

- External consultant provided a financial assessment, reviewed pharmacy effectiveness and efficiency (control of cost and dispensing process), and the medication administration process within the programs from a safety perspective.
 - Safety: felt medication administration processes are solid in program areas; provided a couple of small recommendations.
 - Major opportunity for efficiency is the return on investment to purchase the packager which results in savings of 1 FTE. Packager was approved for purchase last month.
 - o Identified a significant difference in forecasted revenue and actual. Chart provided and reviewed.
 - We are doing well from an efficiency standpoint and well within target.
 - Running below net revenue i.e. drug costs year to date are \$132,550 over budget. We have received 557 more prescriptions for employees this year than last year which ties directly to our health insurance experience.
 - We charge cost only to employees to control health insurance costs which affects the expense line in pharmacy, currently \$68,000 over for prescription costs for employees. Committee asked how this process overall shows a savings for the organization i.e. providing medications at cost ultimately saves dollars for NCHC.
 - o Formulary usage is being reviewed. Identified that a change to a vial and syringe form of insulin rather than the pen would result in a \$46,000 savings. Will continue to review the formulary for additional opportunities for cost reductions. Will work with physicians, particularly the contracted physicians so they become better acquainted with our formulary.
 - Also due to the complexity of pharmacy billing, it is felt that one FTE will be transferred from pharmacy into finance.
 - o Committee asked for additional information on net income and whether pharmacy is supporting itself.
 - Nursing home census has dropped but acuity levels are higher.
 - Working with Aspirus on how bundled payments will affect payments and services.
 Pharmacy will have a large impact on this new system.

Senior Executive Nursing Home Operations and Quality Report

- Referral information was reviewed.
- Working with WACH and LeadingAge regarding funding i.e. \$15 direct care increase is being requested. Committee members may be asked to contact area representatives for support.
- Our labor regional rate went down by 3% this year. Staffing is a major issue in area nursing homes. Labor market is in high demand. We have received information that NCHC staff are looking for other employment which affects whether we can accept admissions, etc.
- We have received four inquiries this week for dementia care patients from other area nursing homes that cannot care for these residents.
- We are in our survey window. Conducting a mock survey to see if we have areas of
 opportunities yet. Collaborating with Pinecrest Nursing Home to conduct quarterly mock
 surveys between the two organizations.
- Last week we had a complaint survey. Determination indicated we followed protocol, non-substantiated, and non-reportable.

 Would like a representative from NaviHealth to provide education to the Committee on managed care practices, how they rank us, etc.

Bundled Payments

- Will provide detailed education at next meeting.
- The memo in the NHOC packet is the exact memo provided to Marathon County in May regarding bundled payments. At this time this has not been included on a Marathon County Health & Human Services Committee agenda.

<u>Discussion on Marathon County's Recommendation to Terminate their Relationship with North Central Health Care</u>

- Concerned expressed with what the county board does not know and that the public hearing is for Health & Human Services Committee and not entire county board.
- Recommendation:
 - We take advantage of what we have; present every time there is an opportunity.
 - Assume the County Board knows nothing about the services we provide. Stay foundational.
 - Help the County Board understand NCHC serves the vulnerable populations and those others don't want to serve, NCHC is a value to residents in the community not replicated elsewhere, NCHC takes those who cannot pay, offers a Vent unit - one of only a few in Wisconsin, etc.
 - o Call all members of the County Board and continue to invite them to NCHC.
 - Encourage others in the community to be involved not just employees.
 - Look at NCHC as a resource and not take on responsibility themselves; NCHC is in the best position to do this
 - NCHC is willing to work together with initiatives that are in progress and have made progress i.e. crisis, transportation
 - Heroin and meth is extensive in this area with no new dollars to deal with the problem.
 We must collectively deal with the problem and our voice is important and critical, etc.
 - o Promote NCHC services as best we can.
 - o Monday is not an end all but an opportunity for more education.
 - Need business community leaders, physicians, and North Central Health Foundation members to talk with county board.
 - o Important to relay there are a lot more issues at stake than just crisis and nursing home.
 - Provide details on how many are being cared for in the community and keeping out of criminal justice system i.e. our programs had 70,000 contacts in the community last year and if not managed some may end up in the criminal justice system.
- If vote in September is successful for NCHC, the performance metrics may be the place to start. Morningside was to deliver the expectations but have not done so.
- Can county board move forward with current feelings to NCHC to create a new vision? New leadership at NCHC is willing to work together and have expressed this multiple times already.

Motion/second, Robinson/Metter, to adjourn the Nursing Home Operations Committee meeting at 9:39 a.m. Motion carried.

NORTH CENTRAL COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAM QUALITY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES – OPEN SESSION

August 9, 2016 11:00 a.m. NCHC – Wausau Campus

Present: EXC Dr. Steve Benson X Darren Bienvenue X Ben Bliven

X Joanne Kelly EXC Holly Matucheski X Jeannine Nosko

Others Present: Becky Schultz, Laura Scudiere, Kim Gochanour

The meeting was called to order at 11:10 a.m.; roll call noted; a quorum declared.

Public Comment for Matters Appearing on the Agenda

Consent Agenda

• **Motion**/second, Bliven/Bienvenue, to approve the 3/17/16 and 7/21/16 Quality Committee Meeting minutes. Motion carried.

Outcomes Review

- Organizational Quality Dashboard is tracking well on all measures.
 - Turnover is not at target but anticipate improved results related to recent strategies deployed.
 - Access to behavioral health scores directly relates to vacancies and the challenges in recruiting in Outpatient services. Some vacancies have been filled which reflects positively in the access to services target.
 - Recidivism timeframe is indefinite. Staff will be meeting with Laura Yarie of Marathon County to discuss this measure. Looking into combining data with other providers to determine community impact. Currently, the denominator is the total number of individuals receiving treatment in a month at NCHC and the numerator is the number of people who have had OWI treatment previously (reoffenders). Staff was asked to verify that the statistical calculation matches with the benchmark and evidence-based time frame.
- Nursing Home Readmission rate correlates to low census.
 - O Patient Experience: percentile rank is the overall rank combining data from all areas. An area that struggles is Crisis. In June, the number of surveys returned dropped. We are working on how we can increase surveys returned. The behavioral health hospital result for July is improving. The areas of Post-Acute Care, Long Term Care, and Legacies have centralized the survey process to help get a better return rate. Working on strategies to improve resident experience. Some of our largest programs of community treatment and outpatient services have low survey volumes. Staff have been working together to improve the input from those programs. The committee requested data for the number of surveys distributed and returned with a percent of return added to the data. Paper survey currently used as it is best method for our clients and patients, elderly, indigent. Surveys are sent to those discharged, families of deceased, and on regular intervals in the outpatient and community-based program areas.
- Motion/Second, Bienvenue/Nosko, to accept the Outcomes Review. Motion carried.

CLOSED SESSION

- Motion/second, Bienvenue/Bliven, to move into closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(c) and (f) Wis. Stats. for the purpose of considering employment and performance evaluation of any public employee over which the governmental body exercises responsibility, and preliminary consideration of specific personnel problems, which if discussed in public, would likely have a substantial adverse effect upon the reputation of any person referred to in such problems, including specific review of performance of employees and providers of service and review of procedures for providing services by Agency. Roll call taken: Yes=4, No=0 Motion carried and moved into closed session at 10:40 a.m.
- Motion/second, Bienvenue/Nosko to come out of closed session. Motion carried unanimously.

Possible Announcements Regarding Issues Discussed in Closed Session

No announcements.

2016 Work Plan Update

- The three overarching operational objectives were reviewed.
 - O Crisis Process Improvement Team has its own work plan that includes many community partners. Primary focus is on an 'ideal state'. Have begun implementing a transportation program i.e. in patient's best interest it was felt patient is to be transported primarily by NCHC as law enforcement must restrain individuals regardless of situation. Transportation will be during high volume times initially from 12-8 p.m.; team is also working on a way for partners to be able to give each other feedback about a crisis situation in a non-judgmental way possibly via website portal.
 - o Focus for the remainder of the year is to expand the ability to keep and help people within the crisis center. Currently we have a standard model which is to assess and refer for treatment. Due to capacity and complexity of crisis cases we would like to explore an expanded care model. One hurdle to overcome is the limited availability of advanced care professionals. Our goal is to stabilize individuals right in the crisis area. With the addition of the Psychiatry Residency Program one of their rotations would be in the crisis center.
- Psychiatry Residency Program is at risk due to the possibility of Marathon County withdrawing from the tri-county agreement. The program requires a psychiatrist on staff on the Inpatient Unit. NCHC is currently recruiting as Dr. Tico has moved to outpatient services

Motion/second, Bliven/Nosko, to adjourn the meeting at 12:35 p.m. Motion carried.

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QUALITY OUTCOME DASHBOARD

DEPARTMENT: NORTH CENTRAL HEALTH CARE FISCAL YEAR: 2016

PRIMARY OUTCOME GOAL	Continuous Improvement Target	Benchmark	Û Û	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YTD	2015
PEOPLE																	
Vacancy Rate	6-8%	N/A	û	8.0%	5.8%	4.8%	5.2%	3.9%	6.2%	4.7%	7.0%					5.7%	7.6%
Employee Turnover Rate*	20-23%	17%	₽	19.6%	29.2%	29.3%	28.4%	26.3%	27.6%	28.2%	30.2%					30.2%	28.9%
SERVICE																	
Patient Experience: Satisfaction Percentile Ranking	70-84th Percentile	N/A	仓	53rd	48th	45th	46th	53rd	48th	42nd	40th					45th	51st
Community Partner Satisfaction	75-80%	N/A	Û	\	\	77%	\	\	72%	\	\					75%	76%
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Nursing Home Readmission Rate	11-13%	18.2%	₽	13.8%	6.7%	12.0%	10.7%	14.8%	21.1%	12.5%	3.2%					11.3%	13.7%
Psychiatric Hospital Readmission Rate	9-11%	16.1%	₽	12.8%	11.1%	3.2%	5.0%	7.2%	11.4%	11.7%	21.4%					10.3%	10.8%
AODA Relapse Rate	18-21%	40-60%	Û	30.0%	33.3%	20.7%	25.0%	24.3%	27.3%	36.1%	28.6%					28.2%	20.7%
							COMMUN	ITY									
Crisis Treatment: Collaborative Outcome Rate	90-97%	N/A	Û	\	\	\	١	100.0%	97.9%	100.0%	93.6%					97.7%	N/A
Access to Behavioral Health Services	90-95%	NA	Û	58%	65%	87%	86%	92%	93%	80%	84%					81%	73%
Recidivism Rate for OWI	27-32%	44.7%	û	22.6%	20.5%	29.2%	28.2%	18.2%	7.7%	28.6%	19.4%					22.7%	26.4%
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*Direct Expense/Gross Patient Revenue	58-62%	N/A	û	71%	65%	66%	64%	65%	67%	67%	60%					66%	63%
Days in Account Receivable	60-65	54	₽	70	65	64	64	58	51	61	51					51	68

KEY: 1 Higher rates are positive

↓ Lower rates are positive

Target is based on a 10%-25% improvement from previous year performance or industry benchmarks.

^{*} Monthly Rates are Annualized

	PEOPLE
Vacancy Rate	Total number of vacant positions as of month end divided by total number of authorized positions as of month end.
Employee Turnover Rate	Percent of employee terminations (voluntary and involuntary) of the total workforce. Monthly figures represent an annualized rate. Benchmark: Society of Human Resource Management (SHRM) for the north central region of the U.S. SERVICE
Dationt Experience	SERVICE
Patient Experience: Satisfaction Percentile Ranking	Comparison rate (to other organizations in the Health Stream database) of the percent of level 9 and 10 responses to the Overall rating question on the survey. Benchmark: HealthStream 2015 Top Box Percentile
Community Partner Satisfaction Percent	Percentage of "Good and Excellent" responses to the Overall Satisfaction question on the survey.
	CLINICAL
Nursing Home Readmission Rate	Number of residents re-hospitalized within 30 days of admission to nursing home / total admissions. Benchmark: American Health Care Association/National Center for Assistive Living (AHCA/NCAL) Quality Initiative
Psychiatric Hospital Readmission Rate	Percent of patients who are readmitted within 30 days of discharge from the Inpatient Behavioral Health hospital for Mental Health primary diagnosis. Benchmark: Medicare Psychiatric Patients & Readmissions in Impatient Psychiatric Facility Prospective Payment System, May, 2013, The Moran Company
AODA Relapse Rate	Percent for patients admitted to Ambulatory Detoxification or the Behavioral Health hospital for detoxification then readmitted within 30 days of discharge for repeat detoxification. Benchmark: National Institute of Drug Abuse: Drugs, Brains, and Behavior: The Science of Addiction
	COMMUNITY
Crisis Treatment: Collaborative Decision Outcome Rate	Total number of positive responses (4 or 5 response on a 5 point scale) on the collaboration survey distributed to referring partners in each encounter in which a referral occurs.
NCHC Access	% of clients obtaining services within the Best Practice timeframes in NCHC programs.
	 Adult Day Services - within 2 weeks of receiving required enrollment documents Aquatic Services - within 2 weeks of referral or client phone requests Birth to 3 - within 45 days of referral Community Corner Clubhouse - within 2 weeks Community Treatment - within 60 days of referral
	Outpatient Services - within 14 days of referral Prevocational Services - within 2 weeks of receiving required enrollment documents Residential Services - within 1 month of referral
Recidivism Rate for OWI	Percentage of people who receive there OWI services from NCHC and then reoffend. Benchmark: 2012-OWI Related Convictions by Violation County and Repeat Offender Status, State of Wisconsin DOT, Bureau of Driver Service, Alcohol & Drug Review Unit
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Direct Expense/Gross Patient Revenue	Percentage of total direct expense compared to gross revenue.
Days in Account Receivable	Average number of days for collection of accounts. Benchmark: WIPFLI, sources 2015 Almanac of Hospital Financial and Operating Indicators published by Optum-Psychiatric Hospitals, 2013 data.



MEMO

TO: North Central Health Care Finance Committee

FROM: Brenda Glodowski
DATE: September 16, 2016
RE: Attached Financials

Attached please find a copy of the August Financial Statements for your review. To assist in your review, the following information is provided:

BALANCE SHEET

Cash continues to remain and Accounts Receivable continues to improve. Other areas remain consistent with prior months.

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSES

The month of August shows a gain of \$127,772 compared to the targeted gain of \$30,992. This is improvement over the past several months.

Overall revenue exceeded the targets for August. The nursing home census improved a bit averaging almost 204 per day compared to the target of 210. The Medicare census for August remained the same as the prior month averaging 19 per day. The target is 23. The nursing home census for September is increasing so the revenue for September should show more improvements. The hospital census increased in August averaging 15 per day. This exceeds the target of 14. The hospital continues to remain busy in September. Outpatient areas also saw improvements in revenue.

Overall expenses remain over target for August. Health insurance, state institutes, and crisis services continue to exceed budget targets. Combined, these areas exceed targets by \$282,000. Expense reductions in other areas have helped to offset some of this overage.

Planned expense reductions have been implemented. Improvements should continue to be seen for the remainder of the year.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact me.

NORTH CENTRAL HEALTH CARE COMBINING STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AUGUST 2016

	Human Services	Nursing Home	<u>Total</u>	Prior Year Combined
Current Assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	4,902,620	1,395,039	6,297,659	5,858,506
Accounts receivable:				
Patient - Net	3,293,252	2,922,254	6,215,506	7,156,681
Outpatient - WIMCR	615,000	0	615,000	435,667
Nursing home - Supplemental payment program	0	328,600	328,600	235,923
Marathon County	133,229	0	133,229	191,306
Appropriations receivable	0	0	0	0
Net state receivable	126,861	0	126,861	2,064,984
Other	352,014	0	352,014	151,106
Inventory	0	303,535	303,535	273,822
Other	<u>460,969</u>	<u>379,142</u>	<u>840,111</u>	<u>464,619</u>
Total current assets	9,883,944	<u>5,328,571</u>	<u>15,212,515</u>	<u>16,832,614</u>
Noncurrent Assets:				
Investments	9,800,000	0	9,800,000	9,300,000
Assets limited as to use	1,929,456	813,867	2,743,323	2,137,677
Restricted assets - Patient trust funds	25,848	37,268	63,116	56,563
Net pension asset	2,659,515	2,187,423	4,846,938	0
Nondepreciable capital assets	289,397	554,703	844,101	1,623,683
Depreciable capital assets - Net	<u>7,327,207</u>	<u>3,323,815</u>	<u>10,651,022</u>	10,137,596
Total noncurrent assets	22,031,422	6,917,077	28,948,499	23,255,519
Deferred outflows of resources - Related to pensions	<u>2,662,206</u>	<u>2,189,636</u>	<u>4,851,842</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	S 34,577,572	14,435,284	49,012,856	40,088,133

NORTH CENTRAL HEALTH CARE COMBINING STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AUGUST 2016

	Human Services I	Nursing Home	<u>Total</u>	Prior Year Combined
Current Liabilities:				
Current portion of related-party note payable	151,257	0	151,257	148,264
Accounts payable - Trade	868,510	714,340	1,582,850	2,055,399
Appropriations advances	682,975	0	682,975	713,175
Accrued liabilities:				
Salaries and retirement	1,128,560	928,228	2,056,788	1,757,504
Compensated absences	865,284	711,687	1,576,972	1,521,514
Health and dental insurance	470,236	386,764	857,000	652,000
Other Payables	225,177	185,206	410,383	422,809
Amounts payable to third-party reimbursement programs	289,253	0	289,253	435,214
Unearned revenue	<u>135,181</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>135,181</u>	<u>188,584</u>
Total current liabilities	4,816,433	<u>2,926,226</u>	<u>7,742,659</u>	<u>7,894,463</u>
Noncurrent Liabilities:				
Related-party note payable	636,181	0	636,181	787,438
Patient trust funds	<u>25,848</u>	<u>37,268</u>	<u>63,116</u>	<u>56,563</u>
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Total noncurrent liabilities	<u>662,029</u>	<u>37,268</u>	<u>699,297</u>	<u>844,001</u>
Total liabilities	<u>5,478,461</u>	2,963,494	<u>8,441,956</u>	8,738,464
Deferred inflows of resources - Related to pensions	<u>46,570</u>	38,303	84,873	<u>0</u>
Net Position:				
Net investment in capital assets	7,616,604	3,878,518	11,495,123	11,761,279
Unrestricted	16,558,759	4,297,845	20,856,604	18,825,894
Restricted - Pension benefit	5,269,447	4,334,065	9,603,512	0
Operating Income / (Loss)	(392,269)	(1,076,942)	(1,469,211)	<u>762,495</u>
Total net position	29,052,541	11,433,487	40,486,028	31,349,669
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND NET POSITION	34,577,572	14,435,284	<u>49.012.856</u>	40,088,133

NORTH CENTRAL HEALTH CARE COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES FOR PERIOD ENDING AUGUST 31, 2016

51.42./.437 PROGRAMS	CURRENT MONTH ACTUAL	CURRENT MONTH BUDGET	CURRENT MONTH VARIANCE	YTD <u>ACTUAL</u>	YTD BUDGET	YTD <u>VARIANCE</u>
Revenue:						
Net Patient Service Revenue	<u>\$1,867,038</u>	<u>\$1,605,924</u>	<u>\$261,113</u>	<u>\$13,059,109</u>	<u>\$12,340,072</u>	<u>\$719,037</u>
Other Revenue:						
State Match / Addendum	324,658	325,120	(462)	2,597,264	2,600,957	(3,693)
Grant Revenue	210,165	190,628	19,537	1,607,859	1,524,667	83,192
County Appropriations - Net	598,953	598,899	54	4,791,624	4,791,192	432
Departmental and Other Revenue	<u>223,835</u>	<u>169,437</u>	<u>54,397</u>	<u>1,195,941</u>	<u>1,354,899</u>	<u>(158,958)</u>
Total Other Revenue	1,357,611	1,284,084	<u>73,526</u>	10,192,688	10,271,715	(79,027)
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Total Revenue	3,224,648	2,890,009	334,640	23,251,797	22,611,788	640,010
Expenses:						
Direct Expenses	2,303,832	2,044,970	258.863	18,101,676	16,082,165	2,019,512
Indirect Expenses	<u>753,490</u>	<u>817,804</u>	(64,315)	5,636,739	6,491,188	(854,449)
Total Expenses	3,057,322	<u>2,862,774</u>	<u>194,548</u>	23,738,415	22,573,353	1,165,062
Operating Income (Loss)	<u>167,326</u>	<u>27,235</u>	140,092	(486,618)	<u>38,435</u>	(525,053)
Nonoperating Gains (Losses):						
Interest Income	9,815	7,500	2,315	76,953	60,000	16,953
Donations and Gifts	2,189	0	2,189	12,503	0	12,503
Gain / (Loss) on Disposal of Assets	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	4,893	<u>0</u>	4,893
Total Nonoperating Gains / (Losses)	12,005	<u>7,500</u>	<u>4,505</u>	94,348	60,000	<u>34,348</u>
Income / (Loss)	<u>\$179,331</u>	<u>\$34,735</u>	<u>\$144,596</u>	(\$392,269)	<u>\$98,435</u>	<u>(\$490,704)</u>

NORTH CENTRAL HEALTH CARE COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES FOR PERIOD ENDING AUGUST 31, 2016

NURSING HOME	CURRENT MONTH <u>ACTUAL</u>	CURRENT MONTH BUDGET	CURRENT MONTH VARIANCE	YTD <u>ACTUAL</u>	YTD <u>BUDGET</u>	YTD <u>VARIANCE</u>
Revenue: Net Patient Service Revenue	\$2,004,070	<u>\$2,086,373</u>	(\$82,303)	<u>\$15,894,654</u>	<u>\$16,508,004</u>	(\$613,350)
Other Revenue: County Appropriations - Net Departmental and Other Revenue	141,666 41,272	141,667 31,296	(1) <u>9,976</u>	1,133,328 384,901	1,133,333 250,365	(5) <u>134,537</u>
Total Other Revenue Total Revenue	182,938 2,187,007	<u>172,962</u> 2,259,335	<u>9,976</u> (72,327)	<u>1,518,229</u> 17,412,884	1,383,698 17,891,702	<u>134,531</u> (478,818)
Expenses: Direct Expenses Indirect Expenses Total Expenses	1,645,493 594,153 2,239,646	1,650,625 612,454 2,263,079	(5,133) (18,301) (23,433)	13,803,658 4,691,141 18,494,799	13,006,991 4,861,251 17,868,242	796,667 (170,109) 626,558
Operating Income (Loss) Nonoperating Gains (Losses): Interest Income Donations and Gifts Gain / (Loss) on Disposal of Assets Total Nonoperating Gains / (Losses)	0 1,078 <u>0</u> 1,078	(3,744) 0 0 0 <u>0</u>	0 1,078 0 1,078	(1,081,916) 0 4,974 <u>0</u> 4,974	23,460 0 0 0 0	0 4,974 0 4,974
Income / (Loss)	<u>(\$51,560)</u>	<u>(\$3,744)</u>	<u>(\$47,816)</u>	(\$1,076,942)	<u>\$23,460</u>	(\$1,100,402)

NORTH CENTRAL HEALTH CARE COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES FOR PERIOD ENDING AUGUST 31, 2016

TOTAL	CURRENT MONTH <u>ACTUAL</u>	CURRENT MONTH BUDGET	CURRENT MONTH VARIANCE	YTD <u>ACTUAL</u>	YTD BUDGET	YTD <u>VARIANCE</u>
Revenue:						
Net Patient Service Revenue	<u>\$3,871,108</u>	\$3,692,297	<u>\$178,811</u>	<u>\$28,953,764</u>	<u>\$28,848,077</u>	<u>\$105,687</u>
Other Revenue:						
State Match / Addendum	324,658	325,120	(462)	2,597,264	2,600,957	(3,693)
Grant Revenue	210,165	190,628	19,537	1,607,859	1,524,667	83,192
County Appropriations - Net	740,619	740,566	53	5,924,952	5,924,525	427
Departmental and Other Revenue	265,107	200,733	64,374	1,580,843	1,605,264	(24,421)
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Total Other Revenue	1,540,549	1,457,047	83,502	11,710,917	11,655,413	<u>55,504</u>
Total Revenue	5,411,657	5,149,345	262,313	40,664,681	40,503,490	161,191
Expenses:						
Direct Expenses	3,949,325	3,695,595	253,730	31,905,334	29,089,156	2,816,179
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Indirect Expenses	<u>1,347,643</u>	<u>1,430,258</u>	<u>(82,615)</u>	<u>10,327,880</u>	<u>11,352,439</u>	<u>(1,024,559)</u>
Total Expenses	5,296,968	<u>5,125,853</u>	<u>171,115</u>	42,233,215	40,441,594	<u>1,791,620</u>
Operating Income (Loss)	<u>114,689</u>	<u>23,492</u>	<u>91,197</u>	(1,568,533)	61,895	(1,630,429)
Nonoperating Gains (Losses):						
Interest Income	9,815	7,500	2,315	76,953	60,000	16,953
Donations and Gifts	3,267	0	3,267	17,477	0	17,477
Gain / (Loss) on Disposal of Assets	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,893</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,893</u>
Total Nonoperating Gains / (Losses)	13,083	<u>7,500</u>	<u>5,583</u>	99,322	60,000	39,322
Income / (Loss)	<u>\$127,772</u>	\$30,992	<u>\$96.780</u>	(\$1,469,211)	<u>\$121.895</u>	(\$1,591,106)

NORTH CENTRAL HEALTH CARE REPORT ON AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS August 31, 2016

BANK	LENGTH	MATURITY DATE	INTEREST RATE	AMOUNT	Collateralized
Abby Bank	456 Days	09/01/2016	0.95%	\$500,000	X
CoVantage Credit Union	456 Days	09/01/2016	1.00%	\$500,000	
People's State Bank	365 Days	10/30/2016	0.55%	\$500,000	
Abby Bank	365 Days	01/06/2017	0.75%	\$500,000	Χ
Abby Bank	730 Days	02/25/2017	0.80%	\$500,000	Χ
People's State Bank	395 Days	03/28/2017	0.65%	\$250,000	
CoVantage Credit Union	455 Days	03/30/2017	1.00%	\$500,000	
CoVantage Credit Union	578 Days	05/07/2017	1.05%	\$500,000	
BMO Harris	365 Days	05/28/2017	0.80%	\$500,000	
People's State Bank	395 Days	05/29/2017	0.75%	\$350,000	
People's State Bank	395 Days	05/30/2017	0.75%	\$500,000	
Abby Bank	365 Days	07/19/2017	0.85%	\$500,000	Χ
CoVantage Credit Union	578 Days	07/28/2017	0.85%	\$300,000	
People's State Bank	365 Days	08/21/2017	0.75%	\$500,000	
BMO Harris	395 Days	08/26/2017	0.80%	\$500,000	
Abby Bank	365 Days	08/29/2017	0.85%	\$500,000	Χ
Abby Bank	730 Days	10/29/2017	1.10%	\$500,000	Χ
CoVantage Credit Union	730 Days	11/18/2017	1.10%	\$500,000	
Abby Bank	730 Days	12/30/2017	1.10%	\$500,000	Χ
Abby Bank	730 Days	03/15/2018	1.20%	\$400,000	Χ
Abby Bank	730 Days	05/03/2018	1.20%	\$500,000	Χ

TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE \$9,800,000

WEIGHTED AVERAGE 509.17 Days 0.904% INTEREST

NCHC-DONATED FUNDS Balance Sheet

As of August 31, 2016

35,991.07

1,630.45

161,145.27 161,145.27

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ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
CHECKING ACCOUNT	
Adult Day Services	4,989.38
Adventure Camp	1,555.41
Birth to 3 Program	2,035.00
Clubhouse	24,127.86
Community Treatment	9,607.57
Fishing Without Boundries	3,913.00
General Donated Funds	61,008.10
Housing - DD Services	1,370.47
Langlade HCC	3,350.09
Legacies by the Lake	
Music in Memory	1,788.25
Legacies by the Lake - Other	3,761.99
Total Legacies by the Lake	5,550.24
Marathon Cty Suicide Prev Task	19,024.86
National Suicide Lifeline Stipe	3,176.37
Northern Valley West	1,966.00
Nursing Home - General Fund	4,856.50
Outpatient Services - Marathon	101.08
Pool	10,927.74
Prevent Suicide Langlade Co.	2,444.55
Resident Council	871.05
United Way	270.00
Total CHECKING ACCOUNT	161,145.27
Total Checking/Savings	161,145.27
Total Current Assets	161,145.27
TOTAL ASSETS	161,145.27
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	123,523.75

Retained Earnings

Net Income

TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY

Total Equity

North Central Health Care Budget Revenue/Expense Report

Month Ending August 31, 2016

ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH ACTUAL	CURRENT MONTH BUDGET	YTD ACTUAL	YTD BUDGET	DIFFERENCE
REVENUE:					
Total Operating Revenue	<u>5,411,657</u>	<u>5,149,345</u>	40,664,681	40,503,490	<u>161,191</u>
EXPENSES:					
Salaries and Wages	2,457,407	2,636,578	19,989,913	20,652,322	(662,409)
Fringe Benefits	1,040,761	976,665	8,342,164	7,650,397	691,767
Departments Supplies	390,522	466,527	3,582,784	3,732,217	(149,433)
Purchased Services	615,972	265,981	3,606,521	2,167,851	1,438,670
Utilitites/Maintenance Agreements	385,676	327,097	2,608,730	2,614,774	(6,043)
Personal Development/Travel	29,115	39,229	268,537	313,834	(45,296)
Other Operating Expenses	95,269	153,317	819,034	1,226,534	(407,500)
Insurance	36,835	47,292	295,734	378,333	(82,599)
Depreciation & Amortization	133,441	138,167	1,033,531	1,105,333	(71,803)
Client Purchased Services	111,970	<u>75,000</u>	<u>1,686,266</u>	600,000	<u>1,086,266</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	5,296,968	5,125,853	42,233,214	40,441,594	1,791,620
Nonoperating Income	13,083	<u>7,500</u>	99,322	60,000	<u>39,322</u>
EXCESS REVENUE (EXPENSE)	<u>127,772</u>	<u>30,992</u>	<u>(1,469,211)</u>	<u>121,895</u>	<u>(1,591,108)</u>

North Central Health Care Write-Off Summary August 2016

	Current Month	Current Year To Date	Prior Year To Date
Inpatient:			
Administrative Write-Off	(\$3,653)	\$132,245	\$47,840
Bad Debt	\$387	\$10,902	\$1,718
Outpatient:			
Administrative Write-Off	\$19,063	\$120,009	\$63,999
Bad Debt	\$873	\$6,833	\$2,315
Nursing Home:			
Daily Services:			
Administrative Write-Off	\$43,455	\$50,088	\$23,147
Bad Debt	\$2,591	\$18,437	\$15,483
Ancillary Services:			
Administrative Write-Off	\$17,376	\$41,288	\$43,741
Bad Debt	\$0	(\$126)	\$120
Pharmacy:			
Administrative Write-Off	\$0	\$0	\$0
Bad Debt	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total - Administrative Write-Off	\$76,241	\$343,630	\$178,727
Total - Bad Debt	\$3,851	\$36,047	\$19,636

North Central Health Care 2016 Patient Days

					Budgeted	Actual
Month	<u> </u>	Budget	Actual	Variance	Occupancy	Occupancy
January	Nursing Home	6,510	6,441	(69)	87.50%	86.57%
	Hospital	434	402	(32)	87.50%	81.05%
February	Nursing Home	6,090	5,953	(137)	87.50%	85.53%
	Hospital	406	407	1	87.50%	87.72%
March	Nursing Home	6,510	6,363	(147)	87.50%	85.52%
	Hospital	434	458	24	87.50%	92.34%
April	Nursing Home	6,300	6,131	(169)	87.50%	85.15%
·	Hospital	420	462	42	87.50%	96.25%
May	Nursing Home	6,510	6,467	(43)	87.50%	86.92%
	Hospital	434	377	(57)	87.50%	76.01%
June	Nursing Home	6,300	6,080	(220)	87.50%	84.44%
	Hospital	420	416	(4)	87.50%	86.67%
July	Nursing Home	6,510	6,149	(361)	87.50%	82.65%
	Hospital	434	452	18	87.50%	91.13%
August	Nursing Home	6,510	6,312	(198)	87.50%	84.84%
	Hospital	434	464	30	87.50%	93.55%
September	Nursing Home			0	0.00%	0.00%
	Hospital			0	0.00%	0.00%
October	Nursing Home			0	0.00%	0.00%
	Hospital			0	0.00%	0.00%
November	Nursing Home			0	0.00%	0.00%
	Hospital			0	0.00%	0.00%
December	Nursing Home			0	0.00%	0.00%
	Hospital			0	0.00%	0.00%

North Central Health Care

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PROVIDER PROFILE SUMMARY APPOINTMENT/REAPPOINTMENT VERIFICATION CHECKLIST

Provider: Debra L. Ciasulli, M.D.		Date
		Verified
SSN: On file	jjp	08/09/2016
Wisconsin Licenses #: 61100	jjp	08/09/2016
Expiration Date: 10/31/2017		
Board Certification: Not yet board certified		08/09/2016
DEA Certification #: FC3015042	ijр	08/09/2016
Expiration Date: 08/31/2017		
Practice Affiliation:		
North Central Health Care	jjp	08/09/2016
1100 Lake View Drive		
Wausau, WI 54403		
Malpractice Carriers: Medical Protective Company, 654399	jjp	08/09/2016
Coverage Dates: 01/01/2016-01/01/2017		
National Practitioner Data Bank:	jjp	08/09/2016
Disciplinary Actions/Sanctions: No reports found.		
Wisconsin Background Check: ok		08/09/2016
PPD: n/a		08/09/2016

Venification Signature

Date



PRIVILEGE AND APPOINTMENT RECOMMENDATION

Appointee Debra L. Ciasulli, M.D. Appo	int/Reappoint 10-31-2016 +0 10-31-2018 Time Period
Requested Privileges Medical (Includes Fam Psychiatry Mid-Level Practitioner	ily Practice, Internal Medicine) Medical Director
Medical Staff Status Courtesy	Active
Locum Provider? X Locum Agency: Me	dical Doctor Associates
MEDICAL DIRECTOR The Credentials file of this staff member contains data and information privileges requested. After review of this information, I recommany exceptions or conditions documented.	
Comments:	
Ilmil ()	3-5-16
(Medical Director Signature)	(Signature Date)
MEDICAL STAFF Medical Staff recommends that: He/she be appointed/reappointed to the Medical Action be deferred on the application The application be denied (Medical Staff President Signature)	Staff as requested G. 7.16 (Signature Date)
GOVERNING BOARD	
Reviewed by Governing Board:(Date)	
Response: Concur Recommend further reconsidera	tion
(Governing Board Signature)	(Signature Date)
(Chief Executive Officer Signature)	(Signature Date)

Northcentral Credentialing Services



Debra L. Ciasulli, M.D.

Enhanced Credentialing Activity

Primary Address

North Central Health Care 1100 Lake View Drive Wausau, WI 54403-6785 (715) 848-4600

General Profile

Other Provider Information

SSN: Date of Birth:

Provider Specialties: Psychiatry

NPI: 1104082452

UPIN: Medicare#:

Medicaid#:

Credentialing

Completed:

Activity

Activity

Completed: 🖺

Completed: [7]

Credentialing Activity

Application

Application Sent Date: 05/04/2016

Attestation Date:

Received Date: 07/05/2016

Most Recent Query

Query Type: Claims Processing

Query Date: 05/11/2016

Committee Progress

Issues: 🛅

Aspirus Network, Inc.

From 09/30/2015 To 10/31/2016

Information Upon Credentialing Completion

Status: ANI Current

Category: ANI Locum Tenens Category Applied For: ANI Locum Tenens

Network:

Cred Activity Notes:

North Central Healthcare

From 04/27/2015 To 10/31/2016

Information Upon Credentialing Completion

Status: NCHC Current

Category: NCHC Locum Tenens

Category Applied For: NCHC Locum Tenens

Network: Cred Activity Notes: Committee Progress

Started:

Started:

Status:

Issues: প্র

Status:

Issues: 🛅

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Licenses of the second

Debra L. Ciasulli, M.D.

License Type: DEA Certificate

State: WI

License Number: FC3015042

Status: Active

Expiration Date: 08/31/2017

License Type: State License

State: WI

License Number: 61100

Status: Active

Expiration Date: 10/31/2017

License Type: Advanced Cardiac Life

Support

State:

License Number:

Status

Expiration Date: 10/27/2015

License Type: Basic Life Support

State:

License Number:

Status:

Expiration Date: 10/27/2015

License Type: WI Caregiver Background

Check State: VVI

License Number:

Status:

Expiration Date: 05/19/2019

Verified: 🕎

Verified Date: 07/05/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase OK

Verified How: L-DEA Website

Notes: Source date 07/04/2016

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Verified: 👺

Verified Date: 07/05/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase OK

Verified How: L-WI DRL Website

Notes:

Verified: 🔯

Verified Date: 07/15/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase Verified How: O-FYI Only

Notes:

Verified: 🔯

Verified Date: 07/15/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase

Verified How: O-FY! Only

Notes:

Verified: 👺

Verified Date: 07/06/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: O-Verified Previously

Notes:

Insurance

The Medical Protective Company (Medical Doctor Associates LLC)

June 1

Policy Number: 654399

Coverage Type: Occurrence

Expiration Date: 01/01/2017

Letter Description: Verify Malpractice Insurance

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Letter Sent Date: 07/06/2016 Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw Verified: 💯

Verified Date: 07/11/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase

Verified How: I-Verification from Carrier

Notes: \$1M/\$3M No claims

Boards

Am Bd Int Med

Am Bd Psyc&Neur

Board Status: Certified

Cert Number:

Cert Number:

Expiration Date:

Expiration Date: 12/31/2022

Board Status: In Process-Initiating

Verified: 7

Verified Date: 07/05/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase

Verified How: B-ABMS Website-Board

Certification

Notes:

Verified:

Verified Date: 07/15/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase

Verified How: O-FYI Only

Notes:

Affiliations

Debra L. Ciasuili, M.D.

North Central Health Care

Affiliation Type: Medical Staff

Category: Not Provided

Dept/Specialty: Psychiatry

Start Date: 04/27/2015

End Date:

Letter Description: Verify Affiliations & Employment

Reappt*

Letter Sent Date: 07/06/2016

Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified: 😿

Verified Date: 07/06/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase Verified How: A-NCS-Health Care

Affiliation Verif Ltr

Notes:

Riverside Medical Center

Affiliation Type: Medical Staff

Category: Associate Dept/Specialty: Psychiatry

Start Date: 01/26/2016

End Date:

Letter Description: Verify Affiliations & Employment

Reappt*

Letter Sent Date: 07/06/2016

Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified: 🔽 Verified Date: 07/12/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase

Verified How: A-Health Care Facility Verif Ltr

Notes:

Brigitte Espinoza, M.D.

Affiliation Type: Reference

Dept/Specialty:

Category:

Start Date: End Date:

Letter Description: Verify Refs - Reappointment *

Letter Sent Date: 07/06/2016 Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw Verified: 😿

Verified Date: 07/11/2016 Verified By: Christine D Chase

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Verified How: A-NCS-Professional Ref Verif Ltr

Notes:

Worksheet

SAM Website

NPDB Website query through Cactus

OIG Website

Medicare Opt Out List Website

Consent Form

Privilege Form

Quality Improvement Activities (payor requirement)

Patient Complaints (payor requirement)

Previous ANI Committee/Recredentialing Date

ANI Only - All Disclosure Questions Answered

CVO Review

Entity Committee Review

ANI Only - Issues Identified YES___ NO___

YES___ NO___

Date & Initials

05/12/2016 cdc

Date & Initials 05/11/2016 cdc

Date & Initials

Source date 05/05/2016 cdc

Conducted date 05/10/2016 cdc

Date & Initials

Report run date 05/18/2016 cdc

Reviewed date 07/11/2016 cdc

Sign Date & Initials

06/03/2016 cdc

Sign Date & Initials

06/06/2016 cdc

Date & Initials

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PROVIDER PROFILE SUMMARY APPOINTMENT/REAPPOINTMENT VERIFICATION CHECKLIST

Provider: Brian D. Smith, M.D.	Initials	Date
		Verified
SSN: On file	jjр	08/09/2016
Wisconsin Licenses #: 26492	jjp	08/09/2016
Expiration Date: 10/31/2017	ļ	
Board Certification ok - Expires 12/31/2016	qü	08/09/2016
DEA Certification #: AS2175328	jjp	08/09/2016
Expiration Date: 02/28/2019	_	
Practice Affiliation:		
North Central Health Care	jjp	08/09/2016
1100 Lake View Drive		
Wausau, WI 54403		
Malpractice Carriers: MHA, 003WI000006910	qij	08/09/2016
Coverage Dates: 07/01/2016-07/01/2017		
National Practitioner Data Bank:	qii	08/09/2016
Disciplinary Actions/Sanctions: No reports found.		
Wisconsin Background Check: ok	jjp	08/09/2016
PPD: unknown right now	jjp	08/09/2016

Verification Signature

Date

North Central Health Care Person centered. Outcome focused.

PRIVILEGE AND APPOINTMENT RECOMMENDATION

Appointee Bran D. Smith M.N. Appoint/Reappoint	10-31-2016 - 40 10-31-2018
Requested Privileges Medical (Includes Family Practice, In Psychiatry Mid-Level Practitioner	Time Period ternal Medicine) Medical Director
Medical Staff Status Courtesy	Active
Locum Provider? Locum Agency:	
MEDICAL DIRECTOR The Credentials file of this staff member contains data and information demons privileges requested. After review of this information, I recommend that the cliany exceptions or conditions documented.	trating current competence in the clinical nical privileges be granted as indicated with
Comments:	
Mail L	8-9-16
(Medical Director Signature)	(Signature Date)
MEDICAL STAFF Medical Staff recommends that: He/she be appointed/reappointed to the Medical Staff as reques Action be deferred on the application The application be denied (Medical Staff President Signature)	(Signature Date)
GOVERNING BOARD Reviewed by Governing Board:	
(Date)	
Response: Concur Recommend further reconsideration	
(Governing Board Signature)	(Signature Date)
(Chief Executive Officer Signature)	(Signature Date)

Northcentral Credentialing Services



Brian D. Smith, M.D.

Enhanced Credentialing Activity

General Profile

Primary Address
Aspirus Wausau Hospital
dba Aspirus Family Physicians
212 Sturgeon Eddy Road
Wausau, WI 54403-6672
(715) 842-0491

Other Provider Information

ID#:

SSN:

Date of Birth:

Provider Specialties: Family Medicine

NPI: 1891729380

UPIN: B56689

Medicare#: 390450052

Medicaid#: 1891729380

Application		Most Recent Query	Credentialing
Application Sent Date:		Query Type: Claims Processing	Completed:
Attestation Date:		Query Date: 05/11/2016	<u> </u>
Received Date:	06/01/2016		
		Issues: 🗂	
Aspirus Clinics, Inc.			
			Activity
Information Upon C	redentialing Completion	Committee Progress	Completed:
Status:	AC Current	Started:	
	AC Active	Status:	
Category Applied For:	AC Active		
Network:		Issues: 🕝	
Cred Activity Notes:		_	
Aspirus Network, Inc.			
From 10/28/2014 To	10/31/2016		
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		Committee Progress	Completed:
	ANI Current	Started:	
	ANI Primary Care Provider ANI Primary Care Provider	Status:	
Network:	ANI Primary Care Provider	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
Cred Activity Notes:		Issues:	
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Aspirus Wausau Hosp			
From 11/01/2014 To	10/31/2016		0 - 41 - 64
Information Upon Cr	edentialing Completion	Committee Progress	Activity Completed: []
Status:	AWH Current	Started:	,
	AWH Active	Status:	
Category Applied For:			
Network:		Issues: শ্র	
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	NCHC Active	Status:	
Category Applied For:	NCHC Active		
Network:		Issues: 🖺	
Cred Activity Notes:			
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Cred Activity Notes:		Issues: 🔽	

Licenses

Brian D. Smith, M.D.

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License Type: State License

State: WI

License Number: 26492

Status: Active

Expiration Date: 10/31/2017

License Type: DEA Certificate

State: WI

License Number: AS2175328

Status: Active

Expiration Date: 02/28/2019

License Type: WI Caregiver Background

Check State: VVI

License Number:

Coverage Type:

MHA Insurance (Aspirus Inc)

Coverage Type:

Status:

Expiration Date: 05/01/2018

Verified: 😰

Verified Date: 06/01/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: L-WI DRL Website

Notes:

Verified: 👺

Verified Date: 06/01/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: L-DEA Website

Notes: source date 5/30/2016

Verified: 🐼

Verified Date: 06/03/2016

Verified By: Jill A, Patraw

Verified How: O-Verified Previously

Notes:

Insurance

MMIC (ACI)

Policy Number: MCL001317

Expiration Date: 08/11/2015

Expiration Date: 07/01/2016

Policy Number: 003W1000006910

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Letter Description: Verify Malpractice Insurance

Letter Description: Verify Malpractice Insurance

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Letter Sent Date: 06/14/2016

Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw

Letter Sent Date: 06/14/2016

Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified: 📝

Verified Date: 06/16/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase

Verified How: I-Verification from Carrier

Notes: \$1M/\$3M No claims

Verified: 😰

Verified Date: 06/24/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase

Verified How: I-NCS-Insurance Verif Ltr

Notes: \$1M/\$3M No claims

Boards

Am Bd Family Medicine

Board Status: Certified

Cert Number:

Expiration Date: 12/31/2016

Verified: 😰

Verified Date: 06/01/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: B-ABMS Website-Board

Certification

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Affiliations

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North Central Health	Care		-	Verified:	V
Affiliation Type:	Medical Staff	Letter Description:	Verify Affiliations & Employment Reappt*	Verified Date:	06/16/2016 V
Category:	Not Provided	Letter Sent Date:		Verified By:	Christine D Chase
•	Family Medicine	Letter Sent By:	Jill A. Patraw	Verified How:	A-NCS-Health Care Affiliation Verif Ltr
Start Date: End Date:	10/01/2007			Notes:	
Aspirus Family Physic	cians			Verified:	V
Affiliation Type:	Medical Staff	Letter Description:	Verify Affiliations & Employment Reappt*	Verified Date:	
	Not Provided	Letter Sent Date:	06/14/2016	Verified By:	Christine D Chase
Dept/Specialty:	Family Medicine	Letter Sent By:	Jill A. Patraw	Verified How:	A-NCS-Health Care Affiliation Verif Ltr
Start Date: End Date:	07/01/1986			Notes:	
Aspirus Wausau Hosp	oital *			Verified:	
Affiliation Type:	Medical Staff			Verified Date:	
Category:	Active			Verified By:	Jill A. Patraw
Dept/Specialty:	Family Medicine			Verified How:	A-Health Care Facility Verif Ltr Online
Start Date: End Date:	06/25/1986			Notes:	,,,,,,,
Patrick Allen, D.O.				Verified:	Ø
Affiliation Type:	Reference	Letter Description:	Verify Refs - Reappointment *	Verified Date:	
Category:		Letter Sent Date:	06/14/2016	Verified By:	Christine D Chase
Dept/Specialty:		Letter Sent By:	Jill A. Patraw	Verified How:	A-NCS-Professional Ref Verif Ltr
Start Date: End Date:				Notes:	

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SAM Website

NPDB Website query through Cactus

OIG Website

Medicare Opt Out List Website

Consent Form

Privilege Form

Quality Improvement Activities (payor requirement)

Patient Complaints (payor requirement)

Previous ANI Committee/Recredentialing Date

CVO Review

Entity Committee Review

ANI Only - All Disclosure Questions Answered

YES___ NO__

ANI Only - Issues Identified

YES____ NO___

Date & Initials 6/3/2016 jap

Date & Initials

5/11/2016 jap

Date & Initials

source date 5/5/2016 jap conducted date 5/12/2016 jap

Date & Initials

report run date 5/18/2016 jap

reviewed date 6/3/2016 jap

Sign Date & Initials 5/10/2016 jap

Sign Date & Initials

5/10/2016 AWH jap 5/31/2016 NCHC jap

Date & Initials

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Date

North Central Health Care

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PROVIDER PROFILE SUMMARY APPOINTMENT/REAPPOINTMENT VERIFICATION CHECKLIST

Provider: Betsy J. Bittman, M.D.	Initials	Date Verified
SSN: On file	jjp	08/09/2016
Wisconsin Licenses #: 54458		
Expiration Date: 10/31/2017	jjp	08/09/2016
Board Certification ok - lifetime	jjp	08/09/2016
DEA Certification #: FB4444321		
Expiration Date: 07/31/2017	qii	08/09/2016
Practice Affiliation:		
North Central Health Care		
1100 Lake View Drive		08/09/2016
Wausau, WI 54403	jjp	
Malpractice Carrier: Fair American, GP-FCO03-033315890		
Coverage Dates: 05/01/2016 - 05/01/2017	jjp	08/09/2016
National Practitioner Data Bank:		
Disciplinary Actions/Sanctions: No reports found.	jjp	08/09/2016
Wisconsin Background Check: No reports found	jjp	08/09/2016
PPD results: n/a	jjp	08/09/2016

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North Central Health Care Person centered. Outcome focused.

PRIVILEGE AND APPOINTMENT RECOMMENDATION

Appointee Betsy J. Bittman, M.D. Appoint Reapp	noint 10-31-2016 to 10-31-2018
Requested Privileges Medical (Includes Family Practi	Time Period
Medical Staff Status Courtesy	X Active
Locum Provider? X Locum Agency: Locum Fe	ners.com
MEDICAL DIRECTOR The Credentials file of this staff member contains data and information deprivileges requested. After review of this information, I recommend that the any exceptions or conditions documented.	monstrating current competence in the clinical he clinical privileges be granted as indicated with
Comments:	
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(Medical Director Signature)	(Signature Date)
MEDICAL STAFF Medical Staff recommends that: He/she be appointed/reappointed to the Medical Staff as reappointed in the Action be deferred on the application The application be denied (Medical Staff President Signature) GOVERNING BOARD Reviewed by Governing Board: (Date) Response: Concur Recommend further reconsideration	equested 9-7-16 (Signature Date)
(Governing Board Signature) (Chief Executive Officer Signature)	(Signature Date)
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Northcentral **Credentialing Services**



Betsy J. Bittman, M.D.

General Profile

Enhanced Credentialing Activity

Primary Address

North Central Health Care 1100 Lake View Drive Wausau, WI 54403-6785 (715) 848-4600

Other Provider Information

ID#:

SSN:

Date of Birth: Provider Specialties: Psychiatry NPI: 1376630756

UPIN:

Medicare#: Medicaid#:

Credentialing

Completed: [7]

Activity

Activity

Completed:

Completed:

Credentialing Activity

Application

Application Sent Date: 05/04/2016

Attestation Date:

Received Date: 05/20/2016

Most Recent Query

Query Type: Claims Processing

Query Date: 05/20/2016

Issues: 🔽

Aspirus Network, Inc.

From 02/02/2015 To 10/31/2016

Information Upon Credentialing Completion

Status: ANI Current

Category: ANI Locum Tenens

Category Applied For: ANI Locum Tenens

Network:

Cred Activity Notes:

Committee Progress

Started:

Status:

Issues: 🕝

North Central Healthcare

From 11/11/2014 To 10/31/2016

Information Upon Credentialing Completion

Status: NCHC Current

Category: NCHC Locum Tenens

Category Applied For: NCHC Locum Tenens

Network:

Cred Activity Notes:

Committee Progress

Started:

Status:

Issues: [77]

Licenses

Betsy J. Bittman, M.D.

License Type: State License

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State: WI License Number: 54458

Status: Active

Expiration Date: 10/31/2017

License Type: DEA Certificate

State: WI

License Number: FB4444321

Status: Active Expiration Date: 07/31/2017

License Type: WI Caregiver Background

Check

State: WI

License Number:

Status:

Expiration Date: 01/16/2019

Verified: 😿

Verified Date: 05/20/2016

Verified By: JIII A. Patraw
Verified How: L-WI DRL Website

Notes:

Verified: 😨

Verified Date: 05/20/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: L-DEA Website

Notes: source date 5/16/2016

Verified: 😿

Verified Date: 05/20/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: O-Verified Previously

Notes:

Insurance

Fair American Ins & Reins Co (LocumTenens.com)

Policy Number: GP-FCO03-033315890

Coverage Type:

Expiration Date: 05/01/2017

Letter Description: Verify Malpractice Insurance

DOC

Letter Sent Date: 07/20/2016 Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw Verified: 📝

Verified Date: 07/22/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase
Verified How: I-Verification from Carrier
Notes: \$1M/\$3M No claims

Boards

Am Bd Psyc&Neur-Psychiatry

Board Status: Certified-Lifetime

Cert Number:

Expiration Date: Lifetime Certification

Verified: 💯

Verified Date: 05/20/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: B-ABMS Website-Board

Certification

OK

Notes:

Affiliations

Betsy J. Bittman, M.D.

					
North Central Health				Verified:	
Affiliation Type	: Medical Staff	Letter Description	Verify Affiliations & Employment Reappt*	Verified Date:	06/16/2016
Category	: Not Provided	Letter Sent Date		Verified By:	Christine D Chase
Dept/Specialty	: Psychiatry	Letter Sent By	: Jill A. Patraw		A-NCS-Health Care Affiliation Verif Ltr
Start Date. End Date:	11/01/2014			Notes:	Amidudi) veiii Eli
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Dept/Specialty:	Psychiatry		: Jill A. Patraw		A-NCS-Health Care
Design Date	1010.100.40				Affiliation Verif Ltr
Start Date: End Date:	12/24/2012			Notes:	
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Western Montana Me				Verified:	7
Affiliation Type:	Medical Staff	Letter Description:	Verify Affiliations & Employment Reappt*	Verified Date:	
	Not Provided	Letter Sent Date:		Verified By.	Christine D Chase
Dept/Specialty:		Letter Sent By:	Jill A. Patraw		A-NCS-Health Care Affiliation Verif Ltr
	01/30/2012			Notes:	Questions 3,4, & 5 were left
	08/13/2015				blank as the information could not be provided per company policy
Bozeman Deaconess				Verified:	7
Affiliation Type:			Verify Affiliations & Employment Reappt*	Verified Date:	
_ •	Not Provided	Letter Sent Date:			Christine D Chase
Dept/Specialty:	-	Letter Sent By:	Jill A. Patraw	Verified How:	A-NCS-Health Care Affiliation Verif Ltr
	09/15/2014			Notes:	
End Date:	08/17/2015				
Betsy J. Bittman, MD				Verified:	<u> </u>
Affiliation Type:	Medical Staff	Letter Description:	Verify Affiliations & Employment Reaport*	Verified Date:	
	Not Provided	Letter Sent Date:		Verified By:	Jill A. Patraw
Dept/Specialty:		Letter Sent By:	Jill A. Patraw		O-Telephone Verif
	07/01/1991			Notes:	-
End Date:	12/31/2015				
Shaheer Alamy MD				Verified:	
Affiliation Type:	Reference	Letter Description:	Verify Refs - Reappointment *	Verified Date:	
Category:		Letter Sent Date:			Christine D Chase
Dept/Specialty:		Letter Sent By:	Jill A. Patraw	Verified How:	A-NCS-Professional Ref Verif Ltr
Start Date:				Notes:	7 W
End Date:					
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Worksheet

Betsy J. Bittman, M.D.

SAM Website

NPDB Website query through Cactus

OIG Website

Medicare Opt Out List Website

Consent Form

Privilege Form

Quality Improvement Activities (payor requirement)

Patient Complaints (payor requirement)

Previous ANI Committee/Recredentialing Date

CVO Review

Entity Committee Review

ANI Only - All Disclosure Questions Answered

YES___ NO___

ANI Only - Issues Identified

YES___ NO___

Date & Initials 5/12/2016 jap

Date & Initials 5/20/2016 jap

Date & Initials

source date 5/5/2016 jap conducted date 5/10/2016 jap

Date & Initials

report run date 5/18/2016 jap

reviewed date 5/20/2016 jap

Sign Date & Initials

5/9/2016 jap

Sign Date & Initials 05/31/2016 cdc

Date & Initials

Date & Initials

Date

Date 7/29/16

Comments

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Signature

North Central Health Care

1100 Lake View Drive Wausau, WI 54403-6785 (715) 848-4600

PROVIDER PROFILE SUMMARY APPOINTMENT/REAPPOINTMENT VERIFICATION CHECKLIST

Provider: Brigitte G. Espinoza Ugaz, M.D.	Initials	Date
		Verified
SSN: On file	jjр	08/09/2016
Wisconsin Licenses #: 63925	jjp	08/09/2016
Expiration Date: 10/31/2017		
Board Certification: Not yet board certified	jjp	08/09/2016
DEA Certification #: FE5245609	jjp	08/09/2016
Expiration Date: 08/31/2018		
Practice Affiliation:		
North Central Health Care	jjp	08/09/2016
1100 Lake View Drive		
Wausau, WI 54403		
Malpractice Carriers: ProAssurance, MP66573	jjp	08/09/2016
Coverage Dates: 01/01/2016-01/01/2017		
National Practitioner Data Bank:	jjp	08/09/2016
Disciplinary Actions/Sanctions: No reports found.		
Wisconsin Background Check: ok	jjp	08/09/2016
PPD: ok	jjр	08/09/2016

Verification Signature

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North Central Health Care Person centered. Outcome focused.

PRIVILEGE AND APPOINTMENT RECOMMENDATION

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Appointee Brigitle 6. Epinoza-Ugaz, Ma Appoint	(Reappoint) 10-31-2016 to 10-31-2018
	Time Period
Requested Privileges Medical (Includes Family	Practice, Internal Medicine)
Psychiatry	Medical Director
Mid-Level Practitioner	
	,
Medical Staff Status Courtesy	Active
Lange Description	
Locum Provider? Locum Agency:	
MEDICAL DIRECTOR	
The Credentials file of this staff member contains data and informat	ion demonstrating current competence in the clinical
privileges requested. After review of this information, I recommend	
any exceptions or conditions documented.	
Comments:	
Maria ()	8-9-16
(Medical Director Signature)	(Signature Date)
(Medical Director Signature)	(Signature Date)
MEDICAL STAFF	
Medical Staff recommends that:	
He/she be appointed/reappointed to the Medical Sta	iff as requested
Action be deferred on the application	1
The application be denied	
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	7-4-16
(Medical Staff President Signature)	(Signature Date)
GOVERNING BOARD	
Reviewed by Governing Board:	
(Date)	
Response:Concur	_
Recommend further reconsideration	1
(Governing Board Signature)	(Signature Date)
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(Chief Executive Officer Signature)	(Signature Date)

Northcentral Credentialing Services



Brigitte G. Espinoza Ugaz, M.D.

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General Profile		Enhanced Credentialing Activity
Primary Address North Central Health Care 1100 Lake View Drive Wausau, WI 54403-6785 (715) 848-4600	Other Provider Information ID#: SSN: Date of Birth: Provider Specialties: Psychiatry	NPI: 1710265814 UPIN: Medicare#: K400227250 Medicaid#: 1710265814
Credentialing Activity		
Application Application Sent Date: 05/04/2016 Attestation Date: Received Date: 05/12/2016	Most Recent Query Query Type: Claims Processing Query Date: 05/11/2016	Credentialing Completed:
Aspirus Network, Inc. From 07/30/2015 To 10/31/2016	Issues:	
Information Upon Credentialing C Status: ANI Current Category: ANI Specialty Category Applied For: ANI Specialty Network: Cred Activity Notes:	Started: Provider Status:	Activity Completed:
North Central Healthcare From 06/17/2015 To 10/31/2016		
Information Upon Credentialing Constitution Status: NCHC Current NCHC Active NCHC Active Network: NCHC Active Network: Cred Activity Notes:		Activity Completed: 🖺

Licenses

Brigitte G. Espinoza Ugaz, M.D.

License Type: WI Caregiver Background

Check State: WI

License Number:

Status:

Expiration Date: 06/17/2019

License Type: DEA Certificate

State: WI

License Number: FE5245609

Status: Active

Expiration Date: 08/31/2018

License Type: State License

State: WI

License Number: 63925

Status: Active

Expiration Date: 10/31/2017

License Type: Basic Life Support

State:

License Number:

Status:

Expiration Date: 06/30/2017

Verified: 😿

Verified Date: 05/13/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: O-Verified Previously

Notes:

Verified: 😿

Verified Date: 05/14/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: L-DEA Website

Notes: source date 5/9/2016

Verified: 😿

Verified Date: 05/16/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: L-WI DRL Website

Notes:

Verified: 🕎

Verified Date: 06/14/2016 Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: O-FYI Only

Notes:

Insurance

ProAssurance Companies

Policy Number: MP66573

Coverage Type:

Expiration Date: 01/01/2017

Letter Description: Verify Malpractice Insurance

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Letter Sent Date: 07/13/2016

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Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified: 😿

Verified Date: 07/19/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase Verified How: I-Verification from Carrier

Notes: \$1M/\$3M No claims

Boards

Am Bd Psyc&Neur-Psychiatry

Board Status: In Process-Initiating

Cert Number:

Expiration Date:

Verified: 🗗

Verified Date: 05/19/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: O-FYI Only

Notes:

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Affiliations

Brigitte G. Espinoza Ugaz, M.D.

North Central Health Care

Affiliation Type: Medical Staff

Category: Not Provided Dept/Specialty: Psychiatry

Start Date: 07/01/2015

End Date:

Letter Description: Verify Affiliations & Employment

Reappt*

Letter Sent Date: 06/14/2016 Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw Verified: 👿

Verified Date: 06/16/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase Verified How: A-NCS-Health Care Affiliation Verif Ltr

Notes:

David Osser, MD

Affiliation Type: Reference

Category: Dept/Specialty:

Start Date:

End Date:

Letter Description: Verify Refs - Reappointment *

Letter Sent Date: 06/14/2016 Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw Verified: 📝

Verified Date: 06/21/2016 Verified By: Christine D Chase Verified How: A-NCS-Professional Ref

Verif Ltr

Notes:

Worksheet

SAM Website

NPDB Website query through Cactus

OIG Website

Medicare Opt Out List Website

Consent Form

Privilege Form

Quality Improvement Activities (payor requirement)

Patient Complaints (payor requirement)

Previous ANI Committee/Recredentialing Date

ANI Only - All Disclosure Questions Answered

CVO Review

Entity Committee Review

ANI Only - Issues Identified

YES___ NO_

YES___ NO___

Date & Initials 5/19/2016 jap

Date & Initials 5/11/2016 jap

Date & Initials

source date 5/5/2016 jap conducted date 5/19/2016 jap

Date & Initials

report run date 5/18/2016 jap reviewed date 5/19/2016 jap

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5/31/2016 jap Date & Initials

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North Central Health Care

1100 Lake View Drive Wausau, WI 54403-6785 (715) 848-4600

PROVIDER PROFILE SUMMARY APPOINTMENT/REAPPOINTMENT VERIFICATION CHECKLIST

Provider: William C. Nietert, M.D.	Initials	Date
		Verified
SSN: On file	jjp	08/09/2016
Wisconsin Licenses #: 22476	ijр	08/09/2016
Expiration Date: 10/31/2017		
Board Certification: ok - Expires 02/15/2017	ijρ	08/09/2016
DEA Certification #: BN1677434	ijр	08/09/2016
Expiration Date: 10/31/2017		
Practice Affiliation:		
North Central Health Care	jjp	08/09/2016
1100 Lake View Drive	ļ	
Wausau, WI 54403		
Malpractice Carriers: MHA, 003WI000006910	Ϊ́ΙΡ	08/09/2016
Coverage Dates: 07/01/2016-07/01/2017		
National Practitioner Data Bank:	qii	08/09/2016
Disciplinary Actions/Sanctions: No reports found.		
Wisconsin Background Check: ok	qü	08/09/2016
PPD: unknown right now	qij.	08/09/2016

Verification Signature

08-09-201

Date



PRIVILEGE AND APPOINTMENT RECOMMENDATION

Appointee <u>William C Nie</u>	text, m.D.	Appoint Reappoint 10)-31-2016 to 10)-31-2018
Requested Privileges	Medical (Includes Psychiatry	· ·	Time Period nal Medicine) Medical Director	
	Mid-Level Practit		Wedical Director	
Medical Staff Status	Courtesy	<u> </u>	Active	
Locum Provider?	Locum Agency:			
MEDICAL DIRECTOR The Credentials file of this staff mer privileges requested. After review of any exceptions or conditions document	of this information, I rec			
Comments:				
Mul (32	_	E	-9-16
(Medical Director Signature)	_ /		(Signa	ture Date)
MEDICAL STAFF Medical Staff recommends that: He/she be appointed	d/reappointed to the Me	dical Staff as requested	I	
Action be deferred a The application be a				
May (h	_	9-	7-16
(Medical Staff President Signature			(Signat	ture Date)
GOVERNING BOARD			•	
Reviewed by Governing Boa	ard:(Date)	<u> </u>		
	ncur commend further recons	ideration		
(Governing Board Signature)		_	(Signat	ure Date)
(Chief Executive Officer Signature	<u>)`</u>	_	(Signat	ure Date)

Northcentral Credentialing Services



William C. Nietert, M.D.

Enhanced Credentialing Activity

General Profile

Primary Address

Aspirus Kronenwetter Clinic 1881 County Road XX Mosinee, WI 54455-7933 (715) 355-4040 Other Provider Information

ID#:

SSN:

Date of Birth:

Provider Specialties: Family Medicine

NPI: 1255357042

UPIN: B55377 Medicare#: 000239145

Medicaid#: 1255357042

Credentialing Activity	Andrea (Andrea) (Andr	Timam of Motors, In.D.
Application Application Sent Date: 05/04/2016 Attestation Date: Received Date: 05/16/2016	Most Recent Query Query Type: Claims Processing Query Date: 05/11/2016	Credentialing Completed:
Aspirus Clinics, inc.	Issues:	
Information Upon Credentialing Completion	Committee Progress	Activity Completed: [**]
Status: AC Current	Started:	
Category: AC Active	Status:	
Category Applied For: AC Active Network: Cred Activity Notes:	Issues:	
Aspirus Network, Inc.		
From 10/28/2014 To 10/31/2016		A matin state o
Information Upon Credentialing Completion	Committee Progress	Activity Completed:
Status: ANI Current	Started:	
Category: ANI Primary Care Provider	Status:	
Category Applied For: ANI Primary Care Provider Network:	Issues: 🛅	
Cred Activity Notes:	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
Aspirus Wausau Hospital		
From 11/01/2014 To 10/31/2016		Activity
Information Upon Credentialing Completion	Committee Progress	Completed: [
Status: AWH Current	Started:	
Category: AWH Active Category Applied For: AWH Active	Status:	
Network:	Issues: 🖺	
Cred Activity Notes:		
North Central Healthcare		
From 11/01/2014 To 10/31/2016		Activity
Information Upon Credentialing Completion	Committee Progress	Completed:
Status: NCHC Current	Started:	
Category: NCHC Active Category Applied For: NCHC Active	Status:	
Network:	Issues: 🛅	
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		Activity
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Category Applied For:	Giatal.	
Network:	Issues: 🔟	

Cred Activity Notes:

Licenses

William C. Nietert, M.D.

License Type: WI Caregiver Background

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State: \All

License Number:

Status:

Expiration Date: 05/01/2018

License Type: State License

State: WI

License Number: 22476

Status: Active

Expiration Date: 10/31/2017

License Type: DEA Certificate

State: WI

License Number: BN1677434

Expiration Date: 10/31/2018

Status: Active

Verified: 😰

Verified Date: 05/18/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: O-Verified Previously

Notes:

Verified: 🔯

Verified Date: 05/16/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw Verified How: L-WI DRL Website

Notes:

Verified:

Verified Date: 05/18/2016

Verified By: Jill A, Patraw Verified How: L-DEA Website

Notes: source date 5/16/2016

Insurance

MMIC (ACI)

Policy Number: MCL001317

Coverage Type: Claims Made

Expiration Date: 08/11/2015

Letter Description: Verify Malpractice Insurance

DOC Letter Sent Date: 06/14/2016

Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw

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Verified Date: 06/17/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase Verified How: I-Verification from Carrier

Notes: \$1M/\$3M No claims

Verified: 🜠

Verified Date: 06/28/2016

Verified By: Christine D Chase \mathcal{D} /<Verified How: I-NCS-Insurance Verif Ltr

Notes: \$1M/\$3M No claims

MHA Insurance (Aspirus Inc)

Coverage Type:

Policy Number: 0003WI000006910

Expiration Date: 07/01/2016

Letter Description: Verify Malpractice Insurance

DOC Letter Sent Date: 06/14/2016

Letter Sent By: Jill A. Patraw

Boards

Am Bd Family Medicine

Board Status: Certified

Cert Number:

Cert Number:

Expiration Date: 02/15/2017

Am Bd Family Medicine (CAQ: Geriatric Med)

Board Status: Not Renewed

Expiration Date: 12/31/1998

Verified: 7

Verified Date: 05/16/2016

Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: B-ABMS Website-Board

Certification

Notes:

Verified: 👺

Verified Date: 05/16/2016 Verified By: Jill A. Patraw

Verified How: B-ABMS Website-Board

Certification

Notes:

William C. Nietert, M.D.

Affiliations				William C. Nietert, M.I	
North Central Health	Care			Verified:	
Affiliation Type:	Medical Staff	Letter Description:	Verify Affiliations & Employment Reappt*	Verified Date:	
Category:	Not Provided	Letter Sent Date:		Verified By:	Christine D Chase
Dept/Specialty:	Family Medicine	Letter Sent By:	Jill A. Patraw		A-NCS-Health Care Affiliation Verif Ltr
Start Date: End Date:	09/01/2012			Notes:	
Aspirus Kronenwette	r Clinic			Verified:	7
Affiliation Type:	Medical Staff	Letter Description:	Verify Affiliations & Employment Reappt*	Verified Date:	
Category:	Not Provided	Letter Sent Date:	06/14/2016		Christine D Chase
Dept/Specialty:	Family Medicine	Letter Sent By:	Jill A. Patraw	Verified How:	A-NCS-Health Care Affiliation Verif Ltr
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Affiliation Type:		Letter Description:	Verify Affiliations & Employment Reapot*	Verified Date:	
Category:	Not Provided	Letter Sent Date:		Verified By:	Christine D Chase
Dept/Specialty:	Family Medicine	Letter Sent By:	Jill A. Patraw		A-NCS-Health Care Affiliation Verif Ltr
	01/01/2006			Notes:	
End Date:					
Aspirus Wausau Hosp				Verified:	
Affiliation Type:				Verified Date:	
Category:				-	Jill A. Patraw
Dept/Specialty:	•			Verified How:	A-Health Care Facility Ve Ltr Online
Start Date: End Date:	08/25/1981			Notes:	
avid Tange, M.D.				Verified:	7
Affiliation Type:	Reference	Letter Description:	Verify Refs - Reappointment *	Verified Date:	
Category:		Letter Sent Date:	06/14/2016		Christine D Chase
Dept/Specialty:		Letter Sent By:	Jill A. Patraw	Verified How:	A-NCS-Professional Ref Verif Ltr
Start Date:				Notes:	

Worksheet

William C. Nietert, M.D.

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Quality Improvement Activities (payor requirement)	Date & Initials	Comments
Patient Complaints (payor requirement)	Date & Initials	Comments
Previous ANI Committee/Recredentialing Date	Date	
CVO Review	Date 8 3 16	Signature Signature
Entity Committee Review	Date	v Signature
ANI Only - All Disclosure Questions Answered YES NO		
ANI Only - Issues Identified YES NO		

2017 Operational Plan

Advanced Service Excellence

Develop the talent to deliver Person Centered Care and proactively meet community needs.

- 1) Role clarity and job specific competency
- 2) Advance leadership development
- 3) Improve employee recruitment and development
- 4) Deployment of Collaborative Care Model

Complex Care Delivery

Strengthen the availability and diverse expertise of complex behavioral health, developmental disability and skilled nursing services

- 1) Develop clinical career track development encompassing deployment of best-practices and advancement of clinical competency
- 2) Enhance clinical coordination between programs to ensure effective transitions of care
- 3) Provide leadership in development of community based substance abuse strategies
- 4) Redevelop physical environment to meet changing complex care delivery needs

Electronic Medical Record Interoperability

Enhance clinical and financial integration within the electronic medical record (EMR).

- 1) Deliver on meaningful use requirements to exchange information with patients and other healthcare providers
- 2) Staff technology proficiency is further developed and validated
- 3) Systems communicate effectively to inform clinical decision making and patient care coordination
- 4) Data is interfaced, processed, managed and easily accessed for evaluation and outcome reporting

CHARTER OF THE COLLABORATIVE CARE QUALITY COMMITTEE

OF

NORTH CENTRAL HEALTH CARE

I. Formation of Committee

The Collaborative Care Quality Committee ("Committee") of North Central Health Care ("NCHC") is created by the North Central Community Services Program (NCCSP) Board of Directors ("Board") for the purposes and to perform quality assessment and review of the collaborative functions of North Central Health Care and various County and Community stakeholders.

II. Background

- 2.1 NCHC has been delegated various responsibilities from Marathon, Lincoln and Langlade Counties under Wisconsin Statutes 51.42 including, skilled nursing and long term care (in the case of Marathon County), mental health, developmental disability, and alcohol and drug abuse responsibilities and other services (the "Delegated Responsibilities").
- 2.2 The scope of NCHC's responsibilities include the obligation to coordinate and collaborate with various community resources in furtherance of its Delegated Responsibilities. For purposes of this Charter, the scope and jurisdiction of this Committee include the programs and services of NCHC as they relate to coordination and collaboration with other County Stakeholders and Community Resources. This scope shall be referred to herein as (the "Collaborative Responsibilities").
- 2.3 The Collaborative Care Quality Committee is constituted as an advisory committee to the NCCSP Board of Directors and as a part of the review and evaluation of NCHC related to the Collaborative Responsibilities. The Committee shall operate as part of the NCHC quality review and assessment program and may make recommendations to the NCHC Quality Committee and to the NCCSP Board of Directors within the scope of the Collaborative Responsibilities. The Committee shall be operated in furtherance of quality health care.

- 2.4 Although the Collaborative Care Model is built around the responsibilities that are delegated from Marathon County to NCHC under Wis. Stats. 51.42, it recognizes that the activities and responsibilities of a broad range of County Stakeholders and Community Resources have an opportunity to have a positive impact on the Collaborative Responsibilities and the overall health of the population served by NCHC (the "Managed Population"). County Stakeholders may include County courts, law enforcement, corrections, probation and parole, social services, welfare, various other components of the County governmental structure and private community organizations ("Community Resources") that may have a collective impact on the Collaborative Responsibilities, health and welfare of the Managed Population.
- 2.5 In order to more efficiently and effectively meet its obligations, NCHC has developed a formal system of collaborative and interactive activity between NCHC and the various County Stakeholders and Community Resources (the "Collaborative Care System" or "System"). The Collaborative Care System creates a formal mechanism for participation by county and other community stakeholders in the quality assessment process of NCHC relating to the Collaborative Responsibilities.
- III. <u>Purpose of the Committee</u>. The purpose of the Committee is to assist the NCCSP Board and its Quality Committee with review and evaluation of the quality of care provided to the Managed Population within the scope of the Collaborative Responsibilities.
- IV. Goals of the Committee. The overall goals of the Committee are:
- 4.1 To create an integrated and innovative system to coordinate and promote collaboration between and among various resources, including County Stakeholders and Community Resources, that may have a positive impact on the health of the Managed Population within the scope of the Collaborative Responsibilities.
- 4.2 To leverage the expertise and perspective of County Stakeholders and Community Resources in the review and assessment of the quality of services related to the Collaborative Responsibilities.
- 4.3 To apply a population health management approach to the review and assessment of the services provided as part of the Collaborative Responsibilities.
- 4.4 To encourage and promote collaborative solutions, protocols and operating procedures across various components of the System.
- 4.5 To evaluate, assess, measure and reevaluate results of Collaborative Care System solutions.

- 4.6 To further additional goals as defined by the Board.
- V. <u>Committee Structure</u>. The Committee will be advisory to the Board of Directors of NCHC on matters relating to the Collaborative Responsibilities and on other matters requested by the Board of Directors. The Committee will work functionally as part of the NCHC quality assessment process through the Committee Chairperson and will make regular reports to the NCCSP Board and to the Quality Committee.

IV. Voting Members and Membership

- Composition of Committee. The Committee shall consist of seven 5.1 members (7) members, of which five (5) members shall be Voting Members. Committee members will be as appointed by the NCCSP Board and shall serve subject to the will of the Board. The initial Committee shall be comprised of the top appointed official in Marathon County, the top appointed official in Lincoln County, the top appointed official in Langlade County, the NCCSP Chairman of the Board of NCHC, the NCCSP Quality Committee Chair, the Chief Executive Officer of NCHC and the Quality Executive of NCHC. The Chief Executive Officer and Quality Executive shall not be voting members of the Committee but will have all other rights and obligations as a member. The Board is authorized to change the composition of the Committee. No participant on the Committee may have at any time been excluded from participation in any governmentfunded health care program, including Medicare and Medicaid. Members of the Committee must meet such other qualification that are established by the Board. Appointees to the Committee and any Subcommittee and Work Group, will be asked to accept their responsibilities. In the event that a designated position remains open or is not accepted, the Committee, Subcommittee or Work Group shall have the authority to convene and operate.
- 5.2 Terms of Committee Members. The members of the Committee shall serve for such terms as the Board may determine or until earlier resignation or death. The Board may remove any member from the Committee or any subcommittee or work group of the Committee at any time with or without cause and may restructure the Committee and any subcommittee or work group in its discretion to maximize goals and objectives. Committee members who are appointed based on their office or position shall be replaced by their successor to that office or position subject to approval by the Board. In the event that a member of the Committee resigns or is otherwise unavailable of unwilling to actively and regularly serve on the Committee, the Board is authorized to replace such members.

5.3 Subcommittees and Work Groups. It is the intent and desire of the Board for the Committee to seek broad participation from various experts from within County Stakeholders and Community Resources in order to maximize available expertise to address issues that are defined by the Committee. The Committee is authorized to create subcommittees and work groups to work on specific issues relating to the Collaborative Responsibilities and to advise the Committee with respect to those issues. Members of the Committee, any subcommittee, work group, or other panel shall be considered to be participants in the assessment and review of the quality of NCHC services. Members of committees, subcommittees and work groups will meet the same qualifications as are required of members of the Committee. The Committee shall keep the NCCSP Quality Committee and Board advised regarding the activity of the Committee, subcommittees and work groups. The Board may assign representatives to Subcommittees and work groups in its discretion and to maximize expertise available to address specific issues.

VI. <u>Structure and Operation of Committee</u>

- 6.1 <u>Chairperson of Committee</u>. The Chairman of the Board of NCHC shall be the Chairperson of the Committee.
- 6.2 <u>Regular Committee Meetings</u>. The Committee shall meet as frequently as required to fulfill its duties and responsibilities. Meetings shall be at such times and places as the Committee deems necessary to fulfill its responsibilities. The Board shall also have the authority to convene a meeting of the Committee for any purpose.
- 6.3 <u>Special Committee Meetings</u>. The Chairman of the NCCSP Board or the CEO may call a special meeting of the Committee or any subcommittee or work group.
- Committee Agenda. The Committee will sets its own general agenda 6.4 based on issues that it deems to be of importance in furtherance of quality review and assessment of the Collaborative Responsibilities. The Chairman of the NCCSP Board, the Chair of the County Board of Marathon, Langlade or Lincoln Counties, and any Member of the Committee may also request that an item be placed on the agenda of the Committee at a regular or a special meeting. Upon receipt of any such request, the Chairperson of the Committee shall place the requested item on the Agenda for the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Committee; provided that the issue is within the scope of the Collaborative Responsibilities. The requesting party shall be responsible for summarizing and presenting the issue. The Committee shall vote whether to take further action on the recommended agenda item. Proposed agenda items that are declined because they are not within the scope of Committee authority will be reported to the Board. Approved agenda items will be assigned for further action by the Committee, a subcommittee, or a work group. The Board of Directors of NCCSP may also direct the Committee to place any item on its agenda.

- 6.5 <u>Committee Reporting</u>. The Committee shall report regularly and upon request to the Board regarding its actions and the activities of subcommittees and work groups and make recommendations to the Board as appropriate.
- 6.6 <u>Governing Rules</u>. The Committee is governed by the same rules regarding meetings (including meetings in person or by telephone or other similar communications equipment), action without meetings, notice, waiver of notice, and quorum and voting requirements as are applicable to the Board.
- 6.7 <u>Review of Charter</u>. The Committee shall review this Charter at least annually and recommend any proposed changes to the Board for approval.
- 6.8 Manner of Acting. The Committee shall be advisory to the Board and shall have reporting responsibilities to the Quality Committee of NCHC and the Board. The Committee shall make recommendations to the Quality Committee of NCHC regarding suggested quality measures and other program changes relating to the Collaborative Responsibilities that are consistent with the objectives and goals set forth in this Charter, or as otherwise requested by the Board. The Committee can also make recommendations to other Stakeholders regarding their participation in the Collaborative Responsibilities. Formal recommendation by the Committee may be made based on a majority vote of the Committee Members in attendance at a meeting at which a quorum is present. All votes taken shall be reported to the Board and the Quality Committee. A quorum shall not be required to conduct business, to deliberate, and to provide information as an advisory committee to the Board. The Chairperson of the Committee shall provide regular reports to the Board and to the Quality Committee regarding the activities, discussions, actions, votes, and other issues relative to the Committee. The Board may direct or take further action with respect to any issues with or without a formal recommendation from the Committee.
- VII. <u>Duties and Responsibilities of Committee</u>. The Committee shall have the following duties and responsibilities within and across the scope of the Collaborative Responsibilities:
- 7.1 Review and recommend standards for reporting information regarding the Collaborative Responsibilities to County Stakeholders to assist the County Stakeholders in performing their Collaborative Responsibilities. Standards shall be within the confines of all applicable laws, including but not limited Wisconsin and Federal laws protecting patient confidentiality and health information.
- 7.2 Review and make recommendations on the content and format of the System-wide quality dashboard.
- 7.2 Recommend priorities for System-wide quality initiatives that emphasize improving quality and patient safety while managing resource consumption and cost.

- 7.3 Maintain awareness of external factors influencing the direction of quality improvement and reporting.
- 7.4 Utilize evidence-based criteria and standards to recommend quality benchmarks, identify defined scope areas of focus, create achievable quality and performance standards, establish objectively measureable goals, and create reliable methods to measure of achievement of goals.
- 7.5 Facilitate transparency by providing insight into the process of reporting quality and cost information to the public and various Stakeholders.
- 7.6 Benchmark with other organizations to broaden insight into innovation in quality improvement.
- 7.7 Annually review programs and practices related to quality of Collaborative Responsibilities and recommend any proposed changes.
- 7.8 Receive notice of complaints and allegations relating to the Collaborative Responsibilities received through an anonymous complaint procedure or otherwise, that are deemed to be material by the Chairperson of the Committee, and consult with management regarding the resolution of all such material complaints and allegations through the appropriate channels.
- 7.9 Review and make recommendations for processes to achieve excellent performance and meeting quality performance benchmarks.
- 7.10 Consider risks relating to quality, including compliance with applicable legal, regulatory, operational, health and safety requirements as well as high ethical standards in compliance with NCHC compliance programs.
- 7.11 Form and delegate authority to subcommittees if determined to be necessary or advisable, provided that any subcommittee shall report any actions taken by it to the whole Committee at its next regularly scheduled meeting.
- 7.12 Make reports to the NCCSP Quality Committee and Board at their next regularly scheduled meeting (or sooner as deemed to be necessary) following the meeting of the Committee accompanied by any recommendation.
- 7.13 Review and reassess the adequacy of this Charter annually and recommend any proposed changes to the Board for approval.
 - 7.14 Annually review its own performance.

- 7.15 Make recommendations regarding use of Population Management tools and processes to assess the provision and quality of services.
- 7.16 Exercise such other authority and responsibilities as may be assigned to it from time to time by the Board.
- 7.17 Review and make recommendations for adjustments to performance metrics and targets;
 - 7.18 Recommend operational standards, protocols and processes;
 - 7.19 Recommend quality goals and metrics.

VIII. Relationship With NCHC Quality Review Functions. The Committee may advise the NCCSP Quality Committee regarding issues that are within the scope of the Collaborative Responsibilities. The Committee shall not have the power or authority to discipline any party, medical staff members, health care provider or any other person or entity or to take any direct action except as a recommendation to the Board and the Quality Committee. The Committee can make referral recommendations to the Quality Committee for consideration if legitimate quality deficiencies are identified with respect to NCHC or any health care professional providing service within the Collaborative Responsibilities through NCHC. Further action within the NCHC Quality process shall be at the discretion of the Quality Committee and Board. The Committee shall have no power or authority to make recommendations to or compel participation from any component of NCHC except through the reporting structure to the Quality Committee and the Board.

IX. Quality Planning Activities of Committee.

9.1 <u>Collaborative Responsibility Strategic Plan</u>. The Committee shall conduct an annual assessment of the strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and challenges relating to the Collaborative Responsibilities and shall develop an annual strategic plan, or an update to a prior strategic plan, that identifies the strategies, goals, objectives and budget of the Collaborative Responsibilities. Further, the Committee shall develop and recommend annual service, outcomes, goals and objectives for the Collaborative Responsibilities. The annual work product of the Committee is defined as the "Collaborative Responsibility Strategic Plan." The Collaborative Responsibility Strategic Plan shall be subject to approval by the Board.

- 9.2 Quality Improvement. The Committee shall be responsible to conduct an annual evaluation of the quality of services provided on a unified basis by all Stakeholders involved in the Collaborative Responsibilities including patient satisfaction surveys, satisfaction of various Stakeholders, and develop annual initiatives for recommendation to the Board to enhance the ability of the various Stakeholders to improve the quality of care delivered in connection with the Collaborative Responsibilities through improvement by individual Stakeholders, enhancements to coordination and collaboration between the Stakeholders, and other improvements to benefit the System, (defined as "Quality Improvement Initiatives").
- 9.3 <u>Annual Quality Work Plan</u>. The Committee shall develop an annual quality work plan for the Collaborative Responsibilities that establishes priorities for and that allocates responsibility among Stakeholders in a manner designed to achieve the performance objectives and improvement priorities, and identifies the Quality Improvement Initiatives (the "Quality Work Plan").
- 9.4 <u>Work Plan Standards</u>. The Committee shall submit Quality Work Plans that meet or exceed standards relevant to the Collaborative Responsibilities established by any independent or governmental health care quality organizations.
- 9.5 <u>Work Plan Review</u>. The Committee shall submit all required Work Plans to the Board for consideration and action.

X. Quality Assessment Protections

- 10.1 <u>Activities in Furtherance of Quality Healthcare</u>. All quality evaluation activities pursuant to this Charter and in connection with the Collaborative Care System shall be performed in furtherance and as a review of the quality of health care by NCHC in accordance with Wisconsin and Federal law.
- 10.2 <u>Confidentiality of Information</u>. Any act, communication, report, recommendation or disclosure, with respect to any individual, performed or made for the purpose of achieving and maintaining quality patient care and patient safety as part of the operation of the Collaborative Care Quality Committee or otherwise in connection with NCHC or any other health care facility, shall be privileged and confidential to the fullest extent permitted by law. No person who participates in the review or evaluation of the services of health care providers or charges for such services may disclose an incident or occurrence report or any information acquired in connection with such review or evaluation except as required by law. All persons, organizations, or evaluators, as part of the NCHC Collaborative Care Quality Committee and subcommittees, who review or evaluate the services of health care providers in order to help improve the quality of health care, to avoid improper utilization of the services of health care providers, or to determine the reasonable charges for such services, shall keep a record of their investigations, inquiries, proceedings and conclusions. Any person who testifies during or participates in the review or evaluation may testify in any civil or criminal action as to

matters within his or her knowledge, but may not testify as to information obtained through his or her participation in the review or evaluation, nor as to any conclusion of such review or evaluation. Any breach of confidentiality may result in a professional review action and/or appropriate legal action. Such breaches are unauthorized and do not waive the peer review privilege. Any member of the applicable committee or subcommittee who becomes aware of a breach of confidentiality must immediately inform the NCHC Quality Executive.

Quality Review Immunity. There shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, be 10.3 absolute immunity from civil liability arising from any such act, communication, report, recommendation, or disclosure, even where the information involved would otherwise be deemed privileged. No person acting in good faith who participates in the review or evaluation of the services of NCHC or the charges for such services conducted in connection with the NCHC quality review process, including but not limited the operation of the Collaborative Care Quality Committee, which is organized and operated to help improve the quality of health care, to avoid improper utilization of the services of health care providers or facilities or to determine the reasonable charges for such services, or who participates in the obtaining of health care information in performance of such tasks is liable for any civil damages as a result of any act or omission by such person in the course of such review or evaluation. Acts and omissions to which this subsection applies include, any recommendations or actions taken within the scope of authority granted to the Collaborative Care Quality Committee or against a health care provider or other party involved in the delivery of care. Such privileges shall extend to members of the Collaborative Care Quality Committee, subcommittees of the Collaborative Care Quality Committee, administration and, the governing body, and any of their designated representatives and to third parties who supply information to or receive information from any of the foregoing authorized to receive, release, or act upon the same. For the purposes of this Section, the term "third parties" means both individuals and organizations who have supplied information to or received information from an authorized representative of NCHC or the applicable reviewing committee or subcommittee (including the committee members, subcommittee members, governing body, the medical staff, or administration) and includes but is not limited to individuals, health care facilities, governmental agencies, quality improvement organizations and any other person or entity with relevant information.

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