

# *Community Health Center of the Black Hills*

## **PATIENT FINANCIAL POLICY**

### **PAYMENT RESPONSIBILITY POLICY (Financial Policy)**

**Payment is expected in full when services are rendered.**

The following is our Patient Financial Policy.

#### Regarding Medicaid and/or Medicare

Please provide us with your current Medicaid and/or Medicare Card at each visit. If you have a share of cost, you will be asked to pay that amount at the time of service.

#### Private Insurance

Please provide us with a copy of your insurance card at each visit. If payment from the insurance company is not received by 120 days, I am responsible for the charges.

**All co-pays and deductibles are due at time of service.**

#### Private Pay Patients

**Full payment is due at time of service.** We accept CASH, CHECK, and VISA/MASTERCARD (credit or debit card). We offer a CHCBH Discount Program if you qualify. Please ask a receptionist for additional information.

**All CHCBH Discount Program co-pays are expected at the time of service.**

I realize that I am responsible for any and all differences in charges and payments. I understand that I may be eligible for the CHCBH Discount Program but unless I bring in proof of income (within 10 business days of application), I am responsible for the entire bill. I understand that it is my responsibility to inform the staff of the CHCBH of any changes in my income, family status, or insurance status. I understand that it is my responsibility to update financial paper work on a yearly basis. I further understand that providing CHCBH with false information will result in immediate recalculation of the sliding fee scale for those patient fees occurring during the fraudulent periods and all fees will be due and payable immediately.

Thank you for choosing us as your health care provider. Please let us know if you have questions or concerns. By signing below you acknowledge and accept our Patient Financial Policy.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name of Patient

X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Patient or Responsible Party

X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Co-Responsible Party

Patient/ Patient Family has qualified for the CHCBH Discount Program at level: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient's visit co-pay will be \_\_\_\_\_ at each visit.

Please note that this is a minimum payment and patient/patient family is responsible for any remaining balance after the discount has been applied to the services rendered.

You may receive a separate billing statement from an outside medical source for laboratory and/or X-ray services.

**Acknowledgement of Receipt of Notice of Privacy Practices  
and Patient Rights and Responsibilities**

In the course of providing service to you, we create, receive and store health information that identifies you. It is often necessary to use and disclose this health information in order to treat you, to obtain payment for our services, and to conduct healthcare operations involving our office. The *Notice of Privacy Practices* you have been given describes these uses and disclosures in detail. The *Patient Rights and Responsibilities* informs of your rights and responsibilities as a CHCBH patient.

**I acknowledge that I have received the *Notice of Privacy Practices and Patient Rights and Responsibilities* forms from the Community Health Center of the Black Hills.**

\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature* *Date*

If signing as a personal representative of the patient, describe the relationship to the patient and the source of authority to sign this form:

\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_  
*Relationship to Patient* *Print Name*

1) Please select one of the following from the race listing:

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian                         | <input type="checkbox"/> White (not Hispanic or Latino) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Black/African American        | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino (all races) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaska native | <input type="checkbox"/> Refused to Report              |

2) Please select one of the following from the ethnicity listing:

- Hispanic
- Not Hispanic

3) What is the primary language spoken in your household:

- |                                  |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> English | <input type="checkbox"/> Refused to Report |

4) Do you need an interpreter? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

5) Please select marital status:

- |                                   |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Single   | <input type="checkbox"/> Legally Separated |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Married  | <input type="checkbox"/> Partner           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced | <input type="checkbox"/> Other             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed  | <input type="checkbox"/> Refused to Report |

6) Please select from the following that best describes your living situation:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rent/Own             | <input type="checkbox"/> Other             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transitional Housing | <input type="checkbox"/> Not Homeless      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Doubling up          | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Homeless Shelter     | <input type="checkbox"/> Refused to Report |

7) Are you unable to work because of a physical or mental disability? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

8) Are you a veteran the Uniformed Services of the United States? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

9) How many family members are there living in your household? \_\_\_\_\_

10) Please select one of the following that best represents your family's total annual income:

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$0 – \$20,000.00         | <input type="checkbox"/> \$56,500.00 - \$68,000.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$20,500.00 - \$32,000.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$68,500 - \$100,000.00   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$32,500.00 - \$44,000.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Refused to Report         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$44,500.00 - \$56,000.00 |  |

Entered by: _____
Account Number: _____
Chart Number: _____
Date: _____

