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**COPIC Policyholder Services** 

# DISCLOSURE FORM CLAIMS-MADE POLICY IMPORTANT NOTICE TO POLICYHOLDER

THIS DISCLOSURE FORM IS NOT YOUR POLICY. IT DESCRIBES SOME OF THE MAJOR FEATURES OF OUR CLAIMS-MADE POLICY FORM. READ YOUR POLICY CAREFULLY TO DETERMINE RIGHTS, DUTIES, AND WHAT IS AND IS NOT COVERED. ONLY THE PROVISIONS OF YOUR POLICY DETERMINE THE SCOPE OF YOUR INSURANCE PROTECTION.

#### **YOUR POLICY**

Your policy is a claims-made policy. It provides coverage only for injury or damage occurring after the policy retroactive date (if any) shown on your policy and the incident is reported to your insurer prior to the end of the policy period. Upon termination of your claims-made policy an extended reporting period option is available from your insurer.

There is no difference in the kind of injury or damage covered by occurrence or claims-made policies. Claims for damages may be assigned to different policy periods, depending on which type of policy you have.

If you make a claim under your claims-made policy, the claim must be a demand for damages by an injured party and does not have to be in writing. Under most circumstances, a claim is considered made when it is received and recorded by you or by us. Sometimes, a claim may be deemed made at an earlier time. This can happen when another claim for the same injury or damage has already been made, or when the claim is received and recorded during an extended reporting period.

#### PRINCIPAL BENEFITS

This policy provides for defense and indemnification of covered claims arising from medical incidents and for defense costs only for covered proceedings up to the maximum dollar limit specified in the policy. This policy provides for unlimited defense costs only for covered peer review incidents.

The principal benefits and coverages are explained in detail in your claims-made policy. Please read it carefully and consult your insurance producer about any questions you might have.

# **EXCEPTIONS, REDUCTIONS AND LIMITATIONS**

Your claims-made policy contains certain exceptions, reductions and limitations. Please read them carefully and consult your insurance producer about any questions you might have.

# RENEWALS AND EXTENDED REPORTING PERIODS

Your claims-made policy has some unique features relating to renewal, extended reporting periods and coverage for events with long periods of potential liability exposure. If there is a retroactive date in your policy, no event or occurrence prior to that date will be covered under the policy even if reported during the policy period. It is therefore important for you to be certain that there are no gaps in your insurance coverage. These gaps can occur in several ways. Among the most common are:

- 1. If you switch from an occurrence policy to a claims-made policy, the retroactive date in your claims-made policy should be no later than the expiration date of the occurrence policy.
- 2. When replacing a claims-made policy with a claims-made policy, you should consider the following:
  - a. The retroactive date in the replacement policy should extend far enough back in time to cover any events with long periods of liability exposure, or
  - b. If the retroactive date in the replacement policy does not extend far enough back in time to cover events with long periods of liability exposure, you should consider purchasing extended reporting period coverage under the old claims-made policy.
- 3. If you replace this claims-made policy with an occurrence policy, you may not have insurance coverage for a claim arising during the period of claims-made coverage unless you have purchased an extended reporting period under the claims-made policy. Extended reporting period coverage must be offered to you by law for at least one year after the expiration of the claims-made policy at a premium not to exceed 200% of your last policy premium.

CAREFULLY REVIEW YOUR POLICY REGARDING THE AVAILABLE EXTENDED REPORTING PERIOD COVERAGE, INCLUDING THE LENGTH OF COVERAGE, THE PRICE AND THE TIME PERIOD DURING WHICH YOU MUST PURCHASE OR ACCEPT ANY OFFER FOR EXTENDED REPORTING PERIOD COVERAGE.



Physician Application for Medical Professional Liability Insurance

This is a claims-made policy. Please review your policy provisions carefully to understand and determine all of your rights and duties.

### With your completed application, you are required to submit the following information:

q	Current declarations page which provides a retroatentity for which you are requesting coverage.	ctive date and indicates limits of liability for you and any
q	Written confirmation of the purchase of or your ir coverage") from your present carrier if your currer for prior acts coverage.	ntent to purchase a reporting endorsement ("tail nt coverage is claims-made, and you are <u>not</u> applying
q	Please check the following specialties that apply.	Note: An additional application will be provided.
	<ul> <li>Anesthesiology/Pain Management</li> <li>Bariatric Surgery</li> <li>Cardiology</li> <li>Dermatology</li> <li>Hand Surgery</li> <li>Family Physician performing Obstetrics</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Ophthalmology</li> <li>□ Orthopedics</li> <li>□ Physical Medicine &amp; Rehabilitation</li> <li>□ Radiology</li> <li>□ Surgery (General, Thoracic &amp; Vascular)</li> </ul>
q	If you are requesting coverage for your employed required.	Advanced Practice Provider, a separate application is
q	Current business letterhead and advertisements (in	ncluding website material).
q	Curriculum Vitae (C.V.)	
q	A loss run report. To obtain this information, plea	ase call your prior carrier(s) and request a currently valued

### Additional information may be requested.

#### COPIC

loss run for the past five (5) years.

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# **APPLICANT DATA**

1.	Last name	First name		M.I	Gend	er " M	F
2.	DOB	3. NPI #					
4.	Legal Residence (Physical Street/Home Addres			•			
	City	State	ZIP	Cell phoi	ne #		
	Rural Mailing Address/P.O. Box (if applicable) _		City _		State	ZIP	
	Home phone #	_ Personal/Confidential	E-mail address				
5.	Primary practice location						
	Address	City		County	State	ZIP	
	Office #	Primary fax #					
	Website address						
	Primary contact name	E-ma	ail address				
	Phone #						
6.	Office/Practice Post Office Box (if preferred mai	ling address)					
	City	_County		State	ZIP		
7.	Billing Address (if statements should be sent to	a different location than p	ractice location):				
	Firm Name	Addres	s				
	City Count	у	_State 7	ZIPI	Phone #		
8.	Policy related documents (application, policy,	f incident report, claim cor Residence endorsements, etc.): Residence	Residence P.C	). Box	ed by the policyl	holder.	
CO	VERAGE REQUESTED						
9.	Requested Effective Date	Requested Re	etroactive Date				
	Note: If you are requesting prior acts coverage	, a separate Supplementa	l Prior Acts Applicat	ion will be required.			
10.	Liability limits \$500,000/\$1 million Other:	\$1 million/\$3 r	million	\$1.5 million/\$3 million	on "	\$2 million/\$4 ı	million
11.	Practicing as (check one): Individual	Joining Group	Forming Group	Joining H	lospital		
	Name of Group or Employer:						
12.	List each professional corporation in which you	have an ownership and ne	eed coverage under	the policy:			
	Name		Description	of Interest		% of Prac	tice
	An additional enti	ty application may be ne	eded for the organ	nization(s) listed ab	ove.		

#### IF YOU PRACTICE IN A STATE WITH A PATIENT COMPENSATION FUND 13. If approved for COPIC coverage, will you file evidence of this coverage as proof of financial responsibility to become qualified as a health care provider under a patient compensation fund? Yes Nο N/A\* 14. Have you been a qualified health care provider under the Fund at all times subsequent to the retroactive date requested above and as shown on the insurance declarations page(s) attached to the application?..... Yes Nο N/A\* \*"N/A" means that you do not practice within a Fund state and, therefore, this question is not applicable. PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE HISTORY 15. Name of Company (current) **Policy Limits** Period of Coverage: (mm/yy) (mm/yy) Claims-Made \_/\$\_ Retroactive Date: Occurrence Name of Company **Policy Limits** Period of Coverage: Claims-Made Retroactive Date: Occurrence Name of Company **Policy Limits** Period of Coverage: (mm/yy) (mm/yy) Claims-Made Retroactive Date: Occurrence 16. If your current insurance is claims-made, will "tail" coverage be purchased? ...... No N/A Has any professional liability insurer ever canceled, declined to issue, refused to renew, offered renewal with a surcharged rate. required that you accept a deductible, or issued coverage with any restrictions or exclusions? \* ...... Yes No \*Missouri applicants do not answer this question. 18. Have you ever practiced without professional liability insurance?..... Ves Nο LICENSES List all states in which you have ever been licensed to practice medicine, the license number for that state, the date the license was issued and the number of hours you will work in each state as of the requested effective date of coverage. (If extra space is needed, please attach additional sheets.) License # \_\_\_\_\_ Date issued\_\_\_\_\_ # hours/week \_\_\_\_\_ State License # \_\_\_\_\_ Date issued\_\_\_\_ # hours/week \_\_\_\_\_ License # \_\_\_\_\_ Date issued\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ # hours/week State 20. Are you ABMS or AOA Board Certified? ..... No If "no," have you ever failed any licensing or Board Certification Examinations? ..... Yes No 21. Have you ever been denied a medical license or certification by a specialty board? ..... Nο If you are a foreign medical school graduate, are you certified by the Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates (ECFMG)?.... N/A Yes PRACTICE HISTORY/TRAINING/EDUCATION You must provide a current C.V. If you have any gaps in practice over 90 days, an explanation must be included. PRACTICE CHARACTERISTICS Percentage of your practice devoted to your Specialty \_\_\_\_ 24. What is your Specialty?

27.	Do you maintain any other medical professional liability coverage?	Y	es/		No
	If "yes," please explain.				
28.	After the Requested Effective Date, do you plan to practice/consult outside your principal state of practice in the next 12 months?	ү	es	1	No
	If "yes," do you or will you maintain professional liability insurance for this exposure?	У	'es	••	No
	Please describe the nature of your out-of-state practice and indicate the number of hours per week devoted to it.				
29.	Do you provide telemedicine services outside of your principle state of practice?	ү	'es		No
	If "yes," please provide additional information.				
30.	Are you employed or contracted as a medical director for an agency, business, or organization outside of your trained specialty?	Ү	'es		No
31.	Do you practice "Concierge Medicine?"	)	/es		No
	Note: For purposes of this question, "Concierge Medicine," also known as direct care, is a relationship between a patient and a h in which the patient pays monthly or annual fees.	ealth	ncare p	orov	ider
	If "no," please skip to question #33.				
	If "yes," what percentage of your practice is based on this model? %				
	What is your current total patient count?				
32.	Do you work in an Urgent Care?	<b>\</b>	⁄es		No
	If "yes," percentage of practice%				
	If "yes," do you hold a current ATLS and ACLS certification?	Y	es/		No
33.	Do you provide services at a correctional facility?	Y	es/		No
34.	Do you provide medical services to professional athletes/sporting teams?	Y	'es		No
35.	Please describe your practice (choose only one): Hospitalist Intensivist/Critical Care Specialist	N	I/A		
	If you answered "N/A" to question #35, please skip the next question and proceed to question #36.				
	Please indicate the percentage of your total practice devoted to in-patient care of hospitalized patients%				
36.	Do you practice in an Emergency Department (ED)?	Y	/es		No
	For the purpose of this question, answer "no" if you only provide backup/consult call or work in the ED only for the purpose of main	ntain	ing pri	vile	ges.
	OCEDURES PERFORMED <u>is" answers</u> require explanation. Please attach additional sheets, if necessary.				
37.	Do you perform or supervise anyone who performs aesthetic or cosmetic procedures?	,	Yes		No
38.	Do you perform Sclerotherapy (the injection of sclerosing agents) into the vertebral column?	ү	'es		No
39.	Do you participate in non-IRB clinical trials?	<b>\</b>	⁄es_		No
40.	Do you use any non-FDA approved devices, drugs, or procedures?	Y	es_		No
41.	Do or will any of your employees practice at a location geographically separate from you?	Y	'es		No
	If "yes," please provide details on an additional sheet. Please include in your explanation the distance of the employee's separate from your practice location and a summary of the employee's duties and responsibilities while practicing there. In addition, please				

Yes

Yes

Yes

No

No

No

employees are supervised consistent with their duties and the frequency of and methods by which that supervision occurs.

that procedure?....

Do you perform surgery or obstetrical procedures at a location more than 50 miles or one hour from your office location(s)?..

Do you perform surgery or obstetrical procedures in a surgical suite more than 50 miles or one hour from a hospital?.....

42. Do you provide surgical services to patients in any setting in which another person provides the post-op follow-up care for

43.

45.	Do you perform procedures or use equipment not procedures for which you were not resident traine	used by a majority of physicians in your specialty or d or for which you do not hold hospital privileges?	perform "invasive"	·· Yes	·· No
	"Invasive" refers to procedures by which the b radiation.	ody or body cavity is penetrated or entered by u	use of a tube, needle, devi	ce or ioni	zing
	If applicable, please list all such procedures:				
	<u>Procedure</u>		Do you maintain <u>H</u>	ospital Pr	ivileges?
				" Yes	·· No
				·· Yes	·· No
				·· Yes	·· No
			·····	·· Yes	·· No
FAN	MILY PRACTICE PHYSIC	IANS ONLY			
46.	Do you perform:				
	Prenatal care beyond the first trimester?			Yes	·· No
	Second-trimester abortions?			·· Yes	·· No
	Obstetrical procedures?			Yes	·· No
	VBAC's?			·· Yes	·· No
FAN	MILY PRACTICE WITH O	B & OB/GYN PHYSICIAN	IS ONLY		
47.		s created solely for nonmedical reasons or without a		V	·· NI-
	•	ltrasound imaging, such as "keepsake ultrasounds"		Yes	No
	•	fe Support in Obstetrics (ALSO)?		" Yes	No
				Yes	No
	Do you supervise or employ Nurse Midwives who after Caesarean (VBAC)?	manage the active labor and any subsequent delive	ery for Vaginal Birth	Yes	·· No
	If yes, is a physician physically on premises	and immediately available for the entire course of ca	are?	" Yes	·· No
	Average number of deliveries performed per year				
	Average number of C-sections performed per year	r			
OT]	HER PERSONNEL TO BI	E COVERED			
48.	Will you/your entity employ or contract with any al	lied health practitioners who will work at any of your	office locations?	" Yes	·· No
	If "yes," please provide the census information req section if the information applies to all physicians	uested below. If you are practicing as part of a grouin the group.	up practice, one person may	complete	this
	# to be insured	# to be insured		# to be	insured
	Advanced Practice Nurses	Embryologists	Psychologists		
	Anesthesiologist Assistants	Nurse Midwives	Psychotherapists		
	Aestheticians	Nurse Practitioners	Optometrists		
	*CRNA/Nurse Anesthetists	Pharmacists	Surgical Assistants		
	Cytotechnologists	Physician Assistants			
	* <u>Nebraska Applicants Only:</u> Nurse Anesthetists Underwriting Department for the appropriate appli	are required to complete a special application form; ication form.	; please contact your agent	or the CO	PIC
		e to any employee or independent contractor in any ations Page. Please contact your underwriter for m		ing in you	r office

# **OTHER INFORMATION**

All "yes" answers require an explanation. Please attach additional sheets, if necessary.

49	Has any disciplinary action ever been taken regarding any healing arts license which you hold or have ever held? Include any disciplinary actions by the U.S. Military, U.S. Public Health Service or other U.S. federal governmental entity. (Disciplinary actions include, but are not limited to, suspension, revocation, probation, practice limitations, reprimand, letter of admonition, censure and any allegations which are currently pending.)	··· Yes	 1	No
50.	Has your license to practice medicine or your permit to prescribe drugs ever been denied, revoked, suspended, voluntarily surrendered, or otherwise investigated or limited in any way?	Yes	1	No
51.	Have you ever been subjected to a criminal or civil monetary penalty under the Medicare or Medicaid program and/or been suspended from participation in Medicare or Medicaid or has participation status ever been modified?	Yes	N	lo
52.	Have you ever been charged, indicted, convicted, received a deferred prosecution, received a deferred judgment and sentence, entered a guilty plea, entered a plea of nolo contendere or been placed on adult diversion for any violation of any law? Note: You must answer "yes" even if the charge(s) or action was ultimately dismissed, expunged, pardoned or the matter was not prosecuted. It is unnecessary to report traffic offenses that do <u>not</u> involve alcohol or drugs	·· Yes	<b>I</b>	No
53.	Have you ever been warned, reprimanded, or censured by a medical staff, hospital, health care facility, or any other health care entity?	·· Yes		No
54.	Have you incurred or suffered any chronic illness or physical injury in the past 24 months OR are you currently a registrant in any state's medical marijuana registry?	Yes	[	No
55.	Have you ever had staff privileges at a hospital limited, reduced, restricted, denied, suspended or revoked, or have you resigned from a medical staff in lieu of disciplinary action or potential disciplinary action?	Yes	N	No
56.	Have you ever had any person complain to or file a grievance of any type with a hospital committee, state licensing Board, Board of Medical Examiners, health plan, managed care organization or other medical review committee?	Yes	N	lo
57.	Have you ever been evaluated or recommended for treatment for, diagnosed with, or treated for alcohol, narcotics or any other substance abuse, sexual addiction or mental illness?	·· Yes	1	No
58.	Have you ever been accused of sexual misconduct or harassment by one of your employees, an associate's employee or an employee of a hospital or surgery center; or have you been accused by a patient or been investigated by any state regulatory authority for boundary violations of a sexual nature?	Yes	1	No
59.	Have you ever been reported to the National Practitioners Data Bank?	Yes	·· N	No

# **CERTIFICATES:**

<u>Name</u>	Address (including city, state and zip code)
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# CLAIMS INFORMATION

# Important information regarding questions 61 and 62 (including sub-questions):

- 1. The word "claim" as used in questions 61 and 62 below refers to:
  - Any demand for damages, resolved or pending, regardless of the result, arising from your professional activity and brought against you or any partner, associate, employee or professional corporation or partnership; or
  - b. Circumstances which have been brought to your attention by a patient or representative of a patient, in such a manner as to indicate the possibility of legal action against you or any partner, associate, employee or professional corporation or partnership.
- 2. If you answer "yes" to question 61 and 62 (including sub-questions), please complete the attached Supplementary Claims Information Form (page 8).

61.	Have you ever been involved in a malpractice claim or suit, either directly or indirectly?		Yes	No
62.	Please indicate if you are aware of any of the following circumstances that might reasonably lead to a claim or suit bein if you believe the claim or suit would be without merit:	g brought a	gainst yo	u even
	a. A request for records from a patient and/or attorney related to an adverse outcome?		Yes	·· No
	b. A letter from an attorney regarding your medical treatment of a patient?		Yes	·· No
	c. Intra-operative or post-operative complications or other complications resulting in death, paralysis, or other significant disabilities?		·· Yes	·· No
	d. Patient or family member dissatisfaction with the outcome of a procedure, treatment, or diagnosis?		·· Yes	·· No
	e. Any other circumstances that might reasonably lead to a claim or suit?		Yes	·· No
	f. If yes, to any of the above, have they been reported to your current or prior professional liability insurance carrier?	······································	Yes	·· No

During each policy year, COPIC intends to allocate some portion of your policyholder distribution monies to its Political Action Committee (PAC) or other accounts for the purpose of supporting Tort Reform in the State of Colorado. COPIC will allocate no more than \$76 in a single policy year, and donate no more than \$19 in any reporting period, if any policyholder distribution is declared by COPIC's Board of Directors.

If you object to this, please check this box. ......

#### Please Note:

Your consent to our making contributions to our PAC in your name will remain in effect until and unless you change your election by written notification to us. Depending upon future elective policy changes you make, it may be more than twelve months before we require that you complete another Renewal Application providing the option to opt out, but you may do so at any time with written notification. Your decision to opt out of the PAC will not affect any underwriting decision on your application. Donations are not tax-deductible.

Non-United States citizens are legally barred from contributing to a PAC. If you are not a United States citizen, you must check the box above.

# SUPPLEMENTARY CLAIMS INFORMATION FORM

P	Patient's name:		
D	Date reported to insurance company:		
N	Name of insurance company:		
D	Date of incident and your treatment:		
A	Allegations:		
- V	What is the present condition of the patient?		
-			
n	Did you in any way alter, embellish, delete, change, and made that you did so, pertaining to this claim?	, ,	· ·
n	made that you did so, pertaining to this claim?	, ,	· ·
n	made that you did so, pertaining to this claim?  Status of claim (check applicable answer):		Yes No
n	made that you did so, pertaining to this claim?  Status of claim (check applicable answer):  Suit threatened, no action taken		Yes No
n	made that you did so, pertaining to this claim?  Status of claim (check applicable answer):  Suit threatened, no action taken  Suit filed but dropped by claimant	Court outcome in your favor	Yes No
n	made that you did so, pertaining to this claim?  Status of claim (check applicable answer):  Suit threatened, no action taken  Suit filed but dropped by claimant	Court outcome in your favor  Court outcome in favor of plaintiff:	Awaiting mediation  Awaiting court action:
n	made that you did so, pertaining to this claim?  Status of claim (check applicable answer):  Suit threatened, no action taken  Suit filed but dropped by claimant  Summary judgment in your favor	Court outcome in your favor  Court outcome in favor of plaintiff:  Amount of Loss payment:	Awaiting mediation  Awaiting court action:  Reserve Amount:
n	made that you did so, pertaining to this claim?	Court outcome in your favor  Court outcome in favor of plaintiff:  Amount of Loss payment:	Awaiting mediation  Awaiting court action:  Reserve Amount:
n	made that you did so, pertaining to this claim?	Court outcome in your favor  Court outcome in favor of plaintiff:  Amount of Loss payment:  \$	Awaiting mediation  Awaiting court action:  Reserve Amount:
S	Status of claim (check applicable answer):  Suit threatened, no action taken  Suit filed but dropped by claimant  Summary judgment in your favor  Suit settled out of court  a. Date claim paid:  b. Amount paid: \$	Court outcome in your favor  Court outcome in favor of plaintiff:  Amount of Loss payment:  \$	Awaiting mediation  Awaiting court action:  Reserve Amount:
S S	Status of claim (check applicable answer):  Suit threatened, no action taken  Suit filed but dropped by claimant  Summary judgment in your favor  Suit settled out of court  a. Date claim paid:  b. Amount paid: \$  c. Did you want to settle this claim? Yes N	Court outcome in your favor  Court outcome in favor of plaintiff:  Amount of Loss payment:  \$	Awaiting mediation  Awaiting court action:  Reserve Amount:

# UNDERSTANDING, AUTHORIZATION, AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION

I understand that this is an application for insurance and not an insurance binder! As a condition of being insured, I understand and agree to the requirement to submit to a health and skills assessment by a physician of COPIC's choice. This assessment may be required at COPIC's discretion.

I hereby declare that all answers and statements in this application are true and complete and that no material fact or circumstance has been omitted or withheld. I understand that these answers and statements are material and, as such, will be relied upon by the company to determine whether to issue my liability insurance. If I or any other person making application or providing information on my behalf misstate(s) or fail(s) to disclose any material information, my application may be declined. If my application is approved and it includes any material misstatement or failure to disclose pertinent information, COPIC has the right to cancel my insurance. COPIC also has the right to decline coverage for a specific claim if COPIC would have declined to issue insurance or limited my coverage if I had not made the material misstatement or omission.

Further, I recognize and agree that as a prerequisite to acceptance of this application and in consideration for issuing this liability insurance, COPIC and/or its assigns may conduct a professional/peer review investigation of me and/or my practice. As part of such peer review investigation, I consent to the release of any prior Practice Quality Report and to periodic chart and medical record reviews conducted by the COPIC Practice Quality personnel, as COPIC may request or direct. I agree to abide by any recommendations arising from that review.

I authorize any state board of medical examiners or medical board, or any licensure, hospital board or committee, hospital records department, insurance company, professional society or association, business or medical associate or private person that may have any record or knowledge concerning any of the answers or statements made herein to release such information to COPIC or its assigns. This authorization applies regardless of whether I am currently affiliated with the above persons or entities, or have been in the past. I authorize the use of a copy of this authorization in lieu of its original.

As may be permitted by law and in compliance with COPIC policy, I hereby consent to COPIC's release of the following information about me to credentials verification organizations, health plans, hospitals, health care organizations (including professional societies or associations), professional liability insurance carriers, and state and federal regulatory entities, including but not limited to medical boards and boards of medical examiners, the National Practitioner Data Bank and the Healthcare Integrity and Protection Data Bank. This release applies to the following information: my name, business address, social security number, NPI number, license number, hospital affiliations, policy numbers, effective dates, limits of liability, retroactive date, specialty, PLI rate class, and any information concerning those claims which are required to be reported to any state board of medical examiners or medical licensing body or authority, National Practitioner Data Bank and/or the Healthcare Integrity and Protection Data Bank. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I hereby release all providers of such information, including COPIC, its employees and agents, from any and all liability therefore.

Physician signature	Date
Please PRINT your name	

## RETAIN A COMPLETED COPY OF THIS APPLICATION FOR YOUR RECORDS

Please check this application to ensure that you have answered all questions and included all requested attachments. Submitting an incomplete application could result in a delay in underwriting and processing or an outright rejection of your application.

### INSURANCE FRAUD WARNINGS

The following Insurance Fraud Warnings are required to be provided with all applications.

#### **ALABAMA**

Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit, or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to restitution fines or confinement in prison, or any combination thereof.

#### ARKANSAS

Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment for a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

#### **COLORADO**

It is unlawful to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the company. Penalties may include Imprisonment, fines, denial of insurance, and civil damages. Any insurance company or agent of an insurance company who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading facts or in formation to a policyholder or claimant for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the policyholder or claimant with regard to a settlement or award payable from Insurance proceeds shall be reported to the Colorado division of insurance within the department of regulatory agencies.

#### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

WARNING: It is a crime to provide false or misleading information to an insurer for the purpose of defrauding the insurer or any other person. Penalties include imprisonment and/or fines. In addition, an insurer may deny insurance benefits if false information materially related to a claim was provided by the applicant.

#### **FLORIDA**

Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurer files a statement of claim or an application containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony of the third degree.

#### **KENTUCKY**

Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance containing any materially false Information or conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime.

#### **LOUISIANA**

Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

#### **MAINE**

It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines or denial of insurance benefits.

#### **MARYLAND**

Any person who knowingly and willfully presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit, or who knowingly and willfully presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

### **NEW JERSEY**

Any person who includes any false or misleading information on an application for an insurance policy is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

#### **NEW MEXICO**

Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may subject to civil fines and criminal penalties.

#### **NEW YORK**

Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and shall also be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars and the stated value of the claim for each such violation.

#### **OHIO**

Any person who, with intent to defraud or knowing that he is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive statement is guilty of insurance fraud.

#### **OKLAHOMA**

WARNING: Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

#### **OREGON**

Any person who makes an intentional misstatement that is material to the risk may be found guilty of insurance fraud by a court of law.

#### RHODE ISLAND

Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

#### TENNESSEE

It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company.

Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.

#### **VIRGINIA**

It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines, and denial of insurance benefits and civil damages.

#### WASHINGTON

It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines, and denial of insurance benefits.

#### **WEST VIRGINIA**

Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

With respect to all other states, please be advised of the following:

#### GENERAL FRAUD WARNING

Insurance fraud is committed when a person knowingly and with intent to defraud or deceive supplies false, incomplete or misleading information concerning any fact or thing material to an insurance policy. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines, denial of insurance and civil damages. Any person who knowingly attempts to commit insurance fraud is subject to civil action by the Company and shall be reported to the appropriate law enforcement authority.