

Pain Management Clinic Registration Application



**Department of Health
Pain Management Clinic Registration Program
P.O. Box 6330**

Tallahassee, FL 32314-6330

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Pain Management Clinic Information

Sections (s.) 458.3265 and 459.0137, Florida Statutes, provide that any publicly or privately owned facility that advertises in any medium for any type of pain management services or where in any month a majority of patients are prescribed opioids, benzodiazepines, barbiturates, or carisopropol for the treatment of chronic nonmalignant pain must register with the Department of Health. **A business is exempt from registration if:**

- It is licensed as a facility under chapter (ch.) 395, Florida Statutes.
- The majority of physicians providing services in the clinic primarily provide surgical services.
- It is owned by a publicly held corporation whose shares are traded on a national exchange or on the over-the-counter market and whose total assets at the end of the corporation's most recent fiscal quarter exceeded 50 million dollars.
- It is affiliated with an accredited medical school at which training is provided for medical students, residents, or fellows.
- It does not prescribe controlled substances for the treatment of pain.
- It is owned by a corporate entity exempt from federal taxation under 26 United States Code, § 501 (c)(3).
- It is wholly owned and operated by one or more board-certified anesthesiologists, physiatrists, rheumatologists, or neurologists.
- It is wholly owned and operated by one or more board-certified medical specialists who have also completed fellowships in pain medicine approved by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education or the American Osteopathic Association, or who are also board-certified in pain medicine by the American Board of Pain Medicine or a board approved by the American Board of Physician Specialties or the American Osteopathic Association and perform interventional pain procedures of the type routinely billed using surgical codes.

If the clinic falls into one of the above exemption categories, do not submit this application, and instead submit the "Application for Exemption from Pain Management Clinic Registration."

Each location must be registered separately regardless of whether the pain management clinic is operated under the same business name or management as another pain management clinic.

Pain management clinics **must** designate a physician responsible for complying with all requirements related to registration and operation of the pain management clinic. The "**designated physician**" must be a medical doctor licensed under ch. 458, Florida Statutes, or an osteopathic physician licensed under ch. 459, Florida Statutes, who holds a full, active and unencumbered license. Each pain management clinic **must** notify the department of any change in designated physician within 10 days. Failure to do so may result in a summary suspension of the pain management clinic's registration certificate as described in s. 456.073(8), Florida Statutes, or s. 120.60(6), Florida Statutes.

Each physician practicing in a pain management clinic must advise the Board of Medicine in writing, within 10 calendar days after beginning or ending their practice at a pain management clinic.

The designated physician must practice in the registered pain management clinic for which they are responsible.

The pain management clinic must be inspected by the department annually unless it is accredited by a nationally recognized accrediting agency approved by the Board of Medicine or Board of Osteopathic Medicine.



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Select One Pain Management Clinic Registration Type:	Sections to Complete	Fee	Effective Date (MM/DD/YYYY)
Initial Registration	Full application	\$150.00	
Change of Ownership	Full application	\$150.00	
Change of Location	Full application	\$150.00	
Change in Pain Management Clinic Name	Full application	\$25.00	
Request to Withdraw or Close Registration	Section 1	No Fee	
New Designated Physician	Sections 1 and 6	No Fee	
Change from Accreditation by National and Board-approved Organizations to Inspection	Sections 1 and 7	No Fee	
Change from Inspection to Accreditation by National and Board-approved Organizations	Sections 1 and 7	No Fee	

Registration # (only required for facilities with an existing registration): _____

Fees must be paid in the form of a cashier's check or money order, made payable to the Department of Health. Application fees are non-refundable.

1. BUSINESS INFORMATION

Corporate or Legal Name of Pain Management Clinic: _____

Doing Business As (D/B/A): _____

Federal Employer Identification # (FEIN): _____

Mailing Address _____ Suite No. _____ City _____

State _____ ZIP _____ Telephone _____ Fax Number _____

Pain Management Clinic Physical Location _____ Suite No. _____ City _____

State _____ ZIP _____ **Email Address *** _____

Office Manger _____ **Email Address *** _____

*Under Florida law, email addresses are public records. If you do not want your email address released in response to a public records request, do not provide an email address or send electronic mail to our office. Instead contact the office by phone or in writing.

2. OWNERSHIP INFORMATION

A. Is the pain management clinic wholly owned by a physician licensed under ch. 458 or 459, Florida Statutes, or a group of physicians, each of which is licensed under ch. 458 or 459, Florida Statutes; or is a health care clinic licensed under Part X of ch. 400, Florida Statutes? Yes No

B. Has this pain management clinic ever been licensed with the Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA) under ch. 400, Florida Statutes? Yes No

If “Yes,” provide the license #: _____

C. Is this pain management clinic exempt from licensure with AHCA? Yes No

D. Has this pain management clinic ever been registered with the Department of Health? Yes No

If “Yes,” provide the registration/license #: _____

E. Is the applicant owned by or with any contractual or employment relationship with a physician whose Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) number has ever been revoked? Yes No

F. Is the applicant owned by or with any contractual or employment relationship with a physician whose application for a license to prescribe, dispense, or administer a controlled substance has been denied by any jurisdiction? Yes No

G. Is the applicant owned by or with any contractual or employment relationship with a physician who has been convicted of or pleaded guilty or nolo contendere to, regardless of adjudication, an offense that constitutes a felony for receipt of illicit and diverted drugs, including a controlled substance listed in Schedule I, Schedule II, Schedule III, Schedule IV, or Schedule V of s. 893.03, Florida Statutes, in this state, or in the United States? Yes No

If you responded “Yes” to E, F, or G, you must provide the following:

A self-explanation on separate sheet providing accurate details, including the name of the involved party.

Copies of **supporting documentation**.

3. BUSINESS HOURS

Weekday	Opening Time	Closing Time
Monday	AM PM	AM PM
Tuesday	AM PM	AM PM
Wednesday	AM PM	AM PM
Thursday	AM PM	AM PM
Friday	AM PM	AM PM
Saturday	AM PM	AM PM
Sunday	AM PM	AM PM

4. DESIGNATED PHYSICIAN CLINIC HOURS (Must be physically present in clinic.)

Weekday	Shift Start Time	Shift End Time
Monday	AM PM	AM PM
Tuesday	AM PM	AM PM
Wednesday	AM PM	AM PM
Thursday	AM PM	AM PM
Friday	AM PM	AM PM
Saturday	AM PM	AM PM
Sunday	AM PM	AM PM

Corporate Name: _____

- B. List all other pain management clinics, as defined by statute, currently supervised by this designated physician. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Name of Pain Management Clinic	Address (street, city, ZIP)	Pain Management Clinic Registration #

7. ACCREDITATION OR INSPECTION

All pain management clinics required to be registered pursuant to s. 458.3265(3) or s. 459.0137(3), Florida Statutes, are to be inspected annually by the Department of Health unless accredited by a nationally recognized accrediting agency recognized by the Board of Medicine or the Board of Osteopathic Medicine. Select the appropriate inspection or accrediting agency:

Inspection by the Department of Health

Board-approved Accrediting Organization: _____
Organization Name

Clinics accredited with a nationally recognized accrediting agency **must submit a copy of their accreditation certificate.**

8. CRIMINAL AND MEDICAID / MEDICARE FRAUD QUESTIONS

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Applicants for licensure, certification, or registration and candidates for examination may be excluded from licensure, certification, or registration if their felony convictions fall into certain timeframes as established in s. 456.0635(2), Florida Statutes.

1. Has the applicant or any principal, officer, agent, managing employee, or affiliated person of the applicant ever been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere, regardless of adjudication, to a felony under ch. 409, Florida Statutes (relating to social and economic assistance), ch. 817, Florida Statutes (relating to fraudulent practices), ch. 893, Florida Statutes (relating to drug abuse prevention and control), or a similar felony offense(s) in another state or jurisdiction? Yes No

If you responded “No” to the question above, skip to question 2.

- a. If “Yes” to 1, for the felonies of the first or second degree (or the equivalent level of felony in another state or jurisdiction), has it been more than 15 years from the date of the plea, sentence, and completion of any subsequent probation? Yes No
- b. If “Yes” to 1, for the felonies of the third degree (or the equivalent level of felony in another state or jurisdiction), has it been more than 10 years from the date of the plea, sentence, and completion of any subsequent probation? This question does not apply to felonies of the third degree under s. 893.13(6)(a), Florida Statutes, or similar felony offense committed in another state or jurisdiction. Yes No
- c. If “Yes” to 1, for the felonies of the third degree (or the equivalent level of felony in another state or jurisdiction) under s. 893.13(6)(a), Florida Statutes, or a similar felony offense committed in another state or jurisdiction has it been more than five years from the date of the plea, sentence, and completion of any subsequent probation? Yes No
- d. If “Yes” to 1, has the applicant or any principal, officer, agent, managing employee, or affiliated person of the applicant successfully completed a drug court program that resulted in the plea for the felony offense being withdrawn or the charges dismissed? Yes No

Corporate Name: _____

2. Has the applicant or any principal, officer, agent, managing employee, or affiliated person of the applicant ever been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere, regardless of adjudication, to a felony under 21 U.S.C. ss. 801-970 (relating to controlled substances) or 42 U.S.C. ss. 1395-1396 (relating to public health, welfare, Medicare and Medicaid issues)? Yes No

If you responded “No” to the question above, skip to question 3.

- a. If “Yes” to 2, is the date of application more than 15 years after the sentence and any subsequent period of probation? Yes No
3. Has the applicant or any principal, officer, agent, managing employee, or affiliated person of the applicant been terminated for cause from the Florida Medicaid Program pursuant to s. 409.913, Florida Statutes?
Yes No

If you responded “No” to the question above, skip to question 4.

- a. If “Yes” to 3, has the applicant or any principal, officer, agent, managing employee, or affiliated person of the applicant been reinstated and in good standing with the Florida Medicaid Program for the most recent five years? Yes No
4. Has the applicant or any principal, officer, agent, managing employee, or affiliated person of the applicant been terminated for cause, pursuant to the appeals procedures established by the state, from any other state Medicaid program, unless the applicant has been in good standing with a state Medicaid program?
Yes No

If you responded “No” to the question above, skip to question 5.

- a. If “Yes” to 4, has the applicant or any principal, officer, agent, managing employee, or affiliated person of the applicant been in good standing with a state Medicaid program for the most recent five years?
Yes No
- b. If “Yes” to 4, did the termination occur at least 20 years prior to the date of this application?
Yes No
5. Is the applicant or any principal, officer, agent, managing employee, or affiliated person of the applicant currently listed on the United States Department of Health and Human Services’ Office of the Inspector General’s List of Excluded Individuals and Entities (LEIE)? Yes No
- a. If “Yes” to 5, is the applicant, principal, officer, agent, managing employee, or affiliated person of the applicant listed because the individual defaulted or is delinquent on a student loan? Yes No
- b. If “Yes” to 5.a., is the student loan default or delinquency the only reason the individual is listed on the LEIE? Yes No

If you responded “Yes” to any of the questions in this section, you must provide the following:

A written self-explanation for each question including the county and state of each termination or conviction, date of each termination or conviction, and copies of supporting documentation.

Supporting documentation including court dispositions or agency orders where applicable.

Documents must be sent to the board office at PMC_OSR@flhealth.gov, or mailed to:

Department of Health
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4052 Bald Cypress Way Bin C-03
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3253

Corporate Name: _____

9. DESIGNATED PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE

I hereby state that I and the clinic meet all requirements of s. 458.3265 or s. 459.0137, Florida Statutes. I agree to notify the Department of Health in writing within 10 days of any changes to the registration information. All information provided herein is true and correct.

I recognize that providing false information may result in disciplinary action against my license or criminal penalties pursuant to s. 456.067 and 775.083, Florida Statutes.

Florida law requires me to immediately inform the department of any material change in any circumstances or condition stated in the application which takes place between the initial filing and the final granting or denial of the license and to supplement the information on this application as needed.

Section 456.013(1)(a), Florida Statutes, provides that an incomplete application shall expire one year after the initial filing with the department.

Designated Physician Name _____

Designated Physician Signature _____ Date _____
You may print this application and sign it or sign digitally. MM/DD/YYYY