

Please read the following statements carefully and indicate your understanding and acceptance:

1. I certify that all information provided by me in connection with my application, whether on the document or not, is true and complete, and I understand that any misstatement, falsification, or omission of information shall be grounds for refusal to contract with, or if contracted, termination.

2. I understand I will be checked with the Texas Department of Public Safety for any criminal history in accordance with applicable statutes. I understand that conviction of any one of the criminal offenses included in this application will bar me from contracting.

**3.** I understand I will be checked with the Employee Misconduct Registry and Nurse Aid Registry in accordance with applicable statutes. I understand that being listed as revoked in the Nurse Aid Registry or being listed as unemployable in the Employee Misconduct Registry would bar me from contract status.

4. I understand I will be checked with the U.S. and Texas Department of Health and Human Services Office of Inspector General Exclusions Lists for Medicaid Fraud.

5. I authorize any of the persons or organizations referenced in this application to give you any and all information they might have, personal or otherwise, with regard to any of the subjects covered by this application, and I release all such parties from all liability from any damages which may result from furnishing such information to you.

6. I agree to accept the current rate offered for the position for which I am applying on this date.

7. I understand that referrals for my services are not guaranteed.

Signature of Applicant

Date

**Printed Name of Applicant** 

## **CONVICTIONS BARRING CONTRACTING**

Texas Health and Safety Code, Sec. 250.006. CONVICTIONS BARRING EMPLOYMENT. (a) A person for whom the facility or the individual employer is entitled to obtain criminal history record information may not be employed in a facility or by an individual employer if the person has been convicted of an offense listed in this subsection:

- (1) an offense under Chapter 19, Penal Code (criminal homicide);
- (2) an offense under Chapter 20, Penal Code (kidnapping and unlawful restraint);

(3) an offense under Section 21.02, Penal Code (continuous sexual abuse of young child or children), or Section 21.11, Penal Code (indecency with a child);

- (4) an offense under Section 22.011, Penal Code (sexual assault);
- (5) an offense under Section 22.02, Penal Code (aggravated assault);

(6) an offense under Section 22.04, Penal Code (injury to a child, elderly individual, or disabled individual);

- (7) an offense under Section 22.041, Penal Code (abandoning or endangering child);
- (8) an offense under Section 22.08, Penal Code (aiding suicide);
- (9) an offense under Section 25.031, Penal Code (agreement to abduct from custody);
- (10) an offense under Section 25.08, Penal Code (sale or purchase of a child);
- (11) an offense under Section 28.02, Penal Code (arson);
- (12) an offense under Section 29.02, Penal Code (robbery);
- (13) an offense under Section 29.03, Penal Code (aggravated robbery);
- (14) an offense under Section 21.08, Penal Code (indecent exposure);
- (15) an offense under Section 21.12, Penal Code (improper relationship between educator and student);

(16) an offense under Section 21.15, Penal Code (improper photography or visual recording);

- (17) an offense under Section 22.05, Penal Code (deadly conduct);
- (18) an offense under Section 22.021, Penal Code (aggravated sexual assault);
- (19) an offense under Section 22.07, Penal Code (terroristic threat);
- (20) an offense under Section 33.021, Penal Code (online solicitation of a minor);
- (21) an offense under Section 34.02, Penal Code (money laundering);
- (22) an offense under Section 35A.02, Penal Code (Medicaid fraud);
- (23) an offense under Section 36.06, Penal Code (obstruction or retaliation);

(24) an offense under Section 42.09, Penal Code (cruelty to livestock animals), or under Section 42.092, Penal Code (cruelty to nonlivestock animals); or

(25) a conviction under the laws of another state, federal law, or the Uniform Code of Military Justice for an offense containing elements that are substantially similar to the elements of an offense listed by this subsection.

(b) A person may not be employed in a position the duties of which involve direct contact with a consumer in a facility or may not be employed by an individual employer before the fifth anniversary of the date the person is convicted of:

(1) an offense under Section 22.01, Penal Code (assault), that is punishable as a Class A misdemeanor or as a felony;

- (2) an offense under Section 30.02, Penal Code (burglary);
- (3) an offense under Chapter 31, Penal Code (theft), that is punishable as a felony;

(4) an offense under Section 32.45, Penal Code (misapplication of fiduciary property or property of a financial institution), that is punishable as a Class A misdemeanor or a felony;

(5) an offense under Section 32.46, Penal Code (securing execution of a document by deception), that is punishable as a Class A misdemeanor or a felony;

- (6) an offense under Section 37.12, Penal Code (false identification as peace officer); or
- (7) an offense under Section 42.01(a)(7), (8), or (9), Penal Code (disorderly conduct).

(c) In addition to the prohibitions on employment prescribed by Subsections (a) and (b), a person for whom a facility licensed under Chapter 242 or 247 is entitled to obtain criminal history record information may not be employed in a facility licensed under Chapter 242 or 247 if the person has been convicted:

(1) of an offense under Section 30.02, Penal Code (burglary); or

(2) under the laws of another state, federal law, or the Uniform Code of Military Justice for an offense containing elements that are substantially similar to the elements of an offense under Section 30.02, Penal Code.

(d) For purposes of this section, a person who is placed on deferred adjudication community supervision for an offense listed in this section, successfully completes the period of deferred adjudication community supervision, and receives a dismissal and discharge in accordance with Section 5(c), Article 42.12, Code of Criminal Procedure, is not considered convicted of the offense for which the person received deferred adjudication community supervision.

## The conviction of other criminal offenses may be considered a contraindication to contracting with Bluebonnet Trails Community Services.

Applicants who are listed as "revoked" in the <u>Nurse Aide Registry</u>, listed as "unemployable" in the <u>Employee Misconduct Registry</u> or are on the List of Excluded Individuals and Entities for Medicaid fraud will be barred from contracting.