

Provider Requirements for Urgent Care Setting

All Specialties must meet standard BCBSNC Credentialing criteria in addition to the following specialty specific criteria:

Specialty	Requirements
Family Practice Medicine/Pediatrics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One (1) year of experience covering the full spectrum of care found in an Urgent Care setting (Attestation) • Completed Residency in Specialty • ACLS Certified • PALS/APLS Certified
Internal Medicine Pediatrics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One (1) year of experience covering the full spectrum of care found in an Urgent Care setting (Attestation) • A letter(s) of recommendation that in whole speak to the applicant's ability to provide the full spectrum of care (ie. Peds, GYN, Adult, Trauma) in an Urgent Care setting. • 2 years of CME related to the full spectrum of care found in an Urgent Care setting • ACLS Certified • PALS/APLS Certified
General Practice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two (2) years of experience covering the full spectrum of care found in an Urgent Care setting (Attestation) • A letter(s) of recommendation that in whole speak to the applicant's ability to provide the full spectrum of care (ie. Peds, GYN, Adult, Trauma) in an Urgent Care setting. • 2 years of CME related to the full spectrum of care found in an Urgent Care setting • ACLS Certified • PALS/APLS Certified
All Other Specialties including Physician Assistant and Nurse Practitioners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One (1) year of experience covering the full spectrum of care found in an Urgent Care setting (Attestation) • Two (2) Years Training covering full spectrum of Urgent Care • A letter(s) of recommendation that in whole speak to the applicant's ability to provide the full spectrum of care (ie. Peds, GYN, Adult, Trauma) in an Urgent Care setting. Physician Assistants must submit 1 letter from a practitioner who supervised the PA in the urgent/emergent setting.) • 2 years of CME related to the full spectrum of care found in an Urgent Care setting • Physician Assistants must be Certified (PA-C) • ACLS Certified • PALS/APLS Certified

Emergency Medicine	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• One (1) year of experience covering the full spectrum of care found in an Urgent Care setting (Attestation)• Completed Residency in Specialty• ACLS Certified**• PALS Certified** <p>**For physicians board certified in Emergency Medicine - In lieu of ACLS and PALS/APLS, the most current LLSA and/or ConCert completion certificate is required; one of either must have been completed within the most recent 12-month period.</p>

Additional documentation needed from providers working at Urgent Care Centers:

Provider Attestation of Urgent Care Competencies

I attest that I have the skills, knowledge and experience to recognize, manage and triage urgent/emergent conditions in adults and pediatric patients including, but not limited to the following:

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| Chest Pain | Bradycardia |
| Shortness of Breath | Asthma/Wheezing |
| COPD | Pulmonary Embolism |
| Stridor | Croup |
| Epiglottitis | Airway Obstruction |
| Foreign Body Aspiration | Cyanotic Heart Disease |
| Sickle Cell Disease | Shock |
| Diabetic Ketoacidosis | Sepsis |
| Abdominal Pain | Appendicitis |
| Drug/ETOH Overdose | Anaphylaxis |
| Head Trauma | Headache (meningitis or bleed) |
| Fractures | Headache |
| Mental Status Changes | Stroke or TIA |
| Seizures (febrile and other) | Significant Lacerations |
| Mental Health Emergencies | Infectious Diseases (e.g., tick- borne diseases, meningitis, sepsis, etc.) |
| Burns | |
| OB/GYN: | |
| STD/PID | Postpartum Hemorrhage/Infection |
| Ectopic Pregnancy | Embolic Phenomena |
| Diagnosis of Pregnancy | Dysfunctional Uterine Bleeding |
| Bleeding in Pregnancy | Torsion of Ovarian Cyst |
| Preeclampsia/eclampsia/PIH | Evaluation Protocol of Rape/Domestic Abuse |
| Preterm Labor | |
| Intrapartum Fetal Distress | |

I have read this list and confirm that I have the skills, knowledge and experience to recognize, manage and triage urgent/emergent conditions in adult and pediatric patients including, but not limited to the list presented above.

Urgent Care Provider:

Signature _____ Date _____

Primary Supervisor of Midlevel Practitioner (Physician's Assistant and/or Family Nurse Practitioner)

Signature _____ Date _____