



General Information

All applicants must meet the qualifications, conditions and responsibilities as set forth in MLH Credentials Policies. Policies are located on www.methodistmd.org

Applicants seeking appointment, reappointment, and/or clinical privileges have the burden of producing information deemed adequate by the Hospital for a proper evaluation of current clinical competence, character, ethics, and other qualifications and for resolving any doubts about an individual's qualifications.

Other requirements:

- Applicants will be requested to provide documentation of practice and current clinical competence as defined on the attached competency grid
 for initial granting and reappointment of privileges.
- This document is focused on defining qualifications related to competency to exercise clinical privileges. The applicant must also adhere to any additional organizational, regulatory, or accreditation requirements that the organization is obligated to meet.
- Privileges granted may be exercised only at the Hospitals that offer the service/specialty, have sufficient space, equipment, staffing, and other resources required to support the privilege.
- Requests for clinical privileges that are subject to an exclusive contract will not be processed except as consistent with the contract.

Evaluating Current Clinical Competence at time of Reappointment:

MLH Data will be obtained and analyzed as available from EMR reporting systems or Health Information Management.

If minimal activity/low volume, then the applicant should supply case logs from other facilities' HIM department or practice billing systems to meet the minimum requirement(s) to be considered for the privilege. Source of the logs must be denoted.

The preferable format for external case logs is Excel or PDF from the sourced system. Handwritten case logs are generally not accepted.

Case logs should include a blinded or partial patient number for case distinction, date of service, type of service (inpatient or outpatient), location of service, diagnostic code and/or procedure codes, and performing provider where applicable.



Delineation of Clinical Privileges Specialty of Psychiatry

Privilege	Initial Application Required Education or Training	Initial Application Current Clinical Competence	Reappointment Retrospective Review of Cases Performed at MLH Facility (FPPE)
Psychiatry Core	Current board certification in Psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology or the American Osteopathic Board of Neurology and Psychiatry OR Successful completion of an ACGME or AOA accredited post-graduate training program in Psychiatry and board certification within 5 years of completion.	Case logs and Procedure Lists from Primary Practice Facility for previous 12 month time period Any complications/poor outcomes should be delineated and accompanied by an explanation	FPPE: First 5 cases
Psychiatry Child & Adolescent Core	Current board certification in Psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology or the American Osteopathic Board of Neurology and Psychiatry AND subspecialty certification in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry OR Successful completion of ACGME or AOA accredited post- graduate training programs in both: Psychiatry Child and Adolescent Psychiatry and board certification within 5 years of completion.	Case logs and Procedure Lists from Primary Practice Facility for previous 12 month time period Any complications/poor outcomes should be delineated and accompanied by an explanation	FPPE: First 5 cases



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Core Privileges

The core privileges in the following specialties include procedures outlined in lists and such other procedures that are extensions of the same techniques and skills

Psychiatry Core Privilege:

Admit, evaluate, diagnose, and provide consultation to patients 18 years of age or greater, except as specifically excluded from practice; presenting with mental, behavioral, addictive or emotional disorders, e.g., psychoses, depression, anxiety disorders, substance abuse disorders, developmental disabilities, sexual dysfunctions, and adjustment disorders.

Access, stabilize and determine disposition of patients with emergency conditions consistent with the Medical Staff policy regarding emergency or consultative services.

Privileges include providing consultation with Physicians in other fields regarding mental, behavioral or emotional and geriatric disorders, pharmacotherapy, and group and family therapy, behavior modification, consultation to the courts, and emergency psychiatry as well as the ordering of diagnostic, laboratory tests, and prescribe medications.

Privileges include but are not limited to:

- Chemotherapy
- Adult psychiatric treatment
- Adolescent psychiatric treatment
- Child psychiatric treatment
- General physical examination, diagnosis and treatment of somatic disorders
- General ordering of laboratory and radiology privileges
- Psychiatric diagnosis and therapy
- Individual psychotherapy
- Group psychotherapy
- Ordering of restraints
- Ordering of suicide precautions
- Family therapy
- Couples therapy

Psychiatry Child & Adolescent Core Privilege:

Admit, evaluate, diagnose, and provide consultation to children and adolescents, who suffer from mental, behavioral, addictive or emotional disorders.

Access, stabilize and determine disposition of patients with emergency conditions consistent with the Medical Staff policy regarding emergency or consultative services.

Privileges include providing consultation with Physicians in other fields regarding mental, behavioral or emotional and geriatric disorders, pharmacotherapy, and group and family therapy, behavior modification, consultation to the courts, and emergency psychiatry as well as the ordering of diagnostic, laboratory tests, and prescribe medications.



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Special Privileges:

The physician requesting special privileges must meet the minimum criteria for the specialty core and demonstrate the appropriate post graduate training and/or demonstrate successful completion of an approved, recognized course when such exists, or other acceptable experience.

Administration of moderate sedation: See Credentialing Policy for Sedation and Analgesia by Non-Anesthesiologists.

Requires: Separate DOP, ACLS, NRP or PALS certification



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Psychiatry Clinical Privileges

Check below the particular privileges desired in Psychiatry for each facility:

Please check (✓) applicable age categories for each privilege requested.

Privilege Description	Methodist Healthcare – Memphis Hospitals (MHMH) Germantown, Le Bonheur Medical Center, North, South & University, Outpatient Clinics & Diagnostic Facilities			Methodist Healthcare – Olive Branch Hospital (MOBH)	
	Neonates (0 - 28 days)	Infants (29 days– 2 Years)	Children & Adolescents (2-18 years)	Adults & Adolescents (13 & Above)	Adults & Adolescents (13 & Above)
Psychiatry Core					
Psychiatry Child & Adolescent Core					
Limitations	Clinical privileges are granted only to the extent privileges are available at each facility.				
Darkly shaded areas represent privileges not available to any practitioner due to the privilege not being offered by the facility.					

Acknowledgement of practitioner

I have requested only those privileges for which by education, training, current experience and demonstrated performance I am qualified to perform and for which I wish to exercise at the facilities indicated above, to the extent services are available at each facility, and I understand that:

- (a) In exercising any clinical privileges granted, I am constrained by facility and medical staff policies and rules applicable generally and any applicable to the particular situation
- (b) Any restriction on the clinical privileges granted to me is waived in an emergency situation and in such situation my actions are governed by the applicable section of the medical staff bylaws or related documents

Physician's Signature	Date
Printed Name	