

CHC Nurse Advocate Program Participant Acknowledgement

Your employer wants to give you access to the tools you need to make informed decisions about your health. We are here to support and educate, so you and your healthcare provider can make the best decisions for you. Our team will work alongside your provider during this journey as well and encourage you to always seek the advice of your health care provider with any questions you may have regarding a medical condition or treatment, and never disregard professional medical advice or delay seeking attention.

By engaging in our services, you agree to the following:

- 1. CHC Nurse Advocates provide support, education materials and general information to help you make informed decisions and understand your diagnosis, treatment options and the resources available, but ultimately, you control the desired next steps in your care path. You will never be forced into a decision by our team.
- 2. The role of CHC and its Nurse Advocates is to provide this support in conjunction with your provider. The team does not itself provide any medical support, diagnosis, or treatment, and the services of its Nurse Advocates are not intended to be a substitute for such services.
- 3. CHC will collect and protect information that you voluntarily provide or that is given to us by your authorized representatives and providers, such as your employer, medical providers, healthcare facilities, health and welfare benefit plans, insurance companies and benefits administrators.
- 4. In instances of health and safety threats, including acts of violence, serious and imminent threats, and sexual harassment, we are required by law to use or disclose any pertinent information.
- 5. As a step toward your best health, you hereby give your permission for CHC and the CHC Nurse Advocate(s) to create, access, maintain, disclose, and/or use your personal information in order to carry out the roles and responsibilities of the Nurse Advocate on your behalf.
- 6. You authorize permission to use your information in testimonial videos or literature sharing your engagement with the Nurse Advocate team at CHC, should you be asked and agree to the interview.

<u>DISCLAIMER</u>: CONNECT HEALTHCARE COLLABORATION DOES NOT PROVIDE MEDICAL ADVICE, DIAGNOSIS OR TREATMENT.

Services and information provided by CHC and its CHC Nurse Advocates should not replace and are not "in-lieu of" services and information provided by your personal physician or healthcare provider. CHC does not serve as a direct health care provider or physician replacement.