



## **Memo**

July 2018

To: SWFPA Participating Providers

Fr: SWFPA Board of Directors

Re: **Advanced Practice Clinicians Enrollment**

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Effective April 15, 2014, the Southwest Florida Physician's Association (SWFPA) Board of Directors approved the proposal for the advanced practice clinicians (ARNP's, CRNA's and PA's) to become officially affiliated with members of SWFPA. The sponsoring physician must be an active participating member of SWFPA.

If you are interested in your advanced practice clinician becoming an affiliated clinician under your SWFPA membership, please fax or email CHP a letter of intent. Your letter should include: credentialing status (if clinician is currently affiliated with a local hospital), copy of resume, sponsoring physician information, and contact information.

Following receipt of your letter, you will receive an advanced practice clinician application. The application will include the threshold criteria necessary to become eligible for affiliation.

If the advanced practice clinician has active Allied Health membership with either PRMC or NCH the application and membership fee will cost \$250. If the practitioner is not credentialed at either facility the cost will be \$250, so that the credentialing can be completed by CHP.

Once the application has been received, the education, training, and references will be verified through all primary sources. Upon receipt of all verifications, your credentials file will be reviewed by the Credentialing Committee who will make recommendations to the SWFPA Board for final approval.

Please fax your letter of intent to Provider Relations at 239.659.7791 or email [providerrelations@chealthpartners.com](mailto:providerrelations@chealthpartners.com).

If you have any questions, please contact Kathy Turley at 239.659.7756.

Thank you.

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