

## BACKGROUND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE (BID)

- **PENALTY: Knowingly providing false information or omitting information may result in a forfeiture of up to \$1,000 and other sanctions as provided in Wis. Admin. Code § DHS 12.05(4).**
- Completion of this form is required under the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 50.065. Failure to comply may result in a denial or revocation of your license, certification, or registration, or denial or termination of your employment or contract.
- Refer to DQA form F-82064A, *BID Instructions*, for additional information.
- Providing your social security number is voluntary; however, your social security number is one of the unique identifiers used to prevent incorrect matches.
- **PRINT OR TYPE YOUR ANSWERS.**

**Check the box that applies to you.**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Employee / Contractor (including new applicant)   | <input type="checkbox"/> Household member (lives on premises, but is not a client) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant for a license, certification, or registration (including continuation or renewal) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other – Specify: _____                                    |

**NOTE:** If you are an owner, operator, board member, or non-client resident of a facility regulated by the Division of Quality Assurance (DQA), complete the BID, F-82064 and the [Appendix, F-82069](#), and submit both forms to the address noted in the Appendix Instructions.

Full Legal Name – <i>First</i>	<i>Middle</i>	<i>Last</i>
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Position Title (Complete only if a prospective or current employee or contractor.)	Birth Date ( <i>MM/dd/yyyy</i> )	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
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Any Other Names By Which You Have Been Known (Including Maiden Name)

Race / Ethnicity (Check ONLY one.) <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaskan Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian or Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Social Security Number
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Home Address	City	State	Zip Code
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Business Name and Address – Employer or Care Provider (Entity)

**A “NO” answer to all questions does not guarantee employment, residency, a contract, or regulatory approval.**

**SECTION A – ACTS, CRIMES, AND OFFENSES THAT MAY ACT AS A BAR OR RESTRICTION**

1. Do you have any criminal charges pending against you, including in federal, state, local, military, and tribal courts?

If **Yes**, list each charge, when it occurred or the date of the charge, and the city and state where the court is located. You may be asked to supply additional information, including a copy of the criminal complaint or any other relevant court or police documents.

Yes    No  
   

2. Were you ever convicted of any crime anywhere, including in federal, state, local, military, and tribal courts?

If **Yes**, list each crime, when it occurred or the date of the conviction, and the city and state where the court is located. You may be asked to supply additional information including a certified copy of the judgment of conviction, a copy of the criminal complaint, or any other relevant court or police documents.

Yes    No

3. **IMPORTANT: Read before completing item 3.**

**Wis. Stat. § 48.981 Abused and neglected children and abused unborn children. (7)(a) CONFIDENTIALITY.** "All reports made under this section, notices provided under sub. (3) (bm), and records maintained by an agency and other persons, officials, and institutions shall be confidential." Reports and records may be disclosed only to the persons identified in this section.

**If you are the employer or prospective employer of the person completing this form and are entitled to obtain this information per the above, check this box.**

Has any government or regulatory agency (other than the police) ever found that you committed child abuse or neglect?

Yes No

**If the above box has been checked**, provide an explanation below, including when and where the incident(s) occurred.

4. Has any government or regulatory agency (other than the police) ever found that you abused or neglected any person or client?

Yes No

If **Yes**, explain, including when and where it happened.

5. Has any government or regulatory agency (other than the police) ever found that you misappropriated (improperly took or used) the property of a person or client?

Yes No

If **Yes**, explain, including when and where it happened.

6. Has any government or regulatory agency (other than the police) ever found that you **abused an elderly person**?

Yes No

If **Yes**, explain, including when and where it happened.

7. Do you have a government issued credential that is not current or is limited so as to restrict you from providing care to clients?

Yes No

If **Yes**, explain, including credential name, limitations or restrictions, and time period.

**SECTION B – OTHER REQUIRED INFORMATION**

1. Has any government or regulatory agency ever limited, denied, or revoked your license, certification, or registration to provide care, treatment, or educational services? Yes  No   
 If **Yes**, explain, including when and where it happened.

2. Has any government or regulatory agency ever denied you permission or restricted your ability to live on the premises of a care providing facility? Yes  No   
 If **Yes**, explain, including when and where it happened and the reason.

3. Have you been discharged from a branch of the US Armed Forces, including any reserve component? Yes  No   
 If **Yes**, indicate the year of discharge: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Attach a copy of your DD214, if you were discharged within the last three (3) years.

4. Have you resided outside of Wisconsin in the last three (3) years? Yes  No   
 If **Yes**, list each state and the dates you resided there.

5. If you are employed by or applying for the State of Wisconsin, have you resided outside of Wisconsin in the last seven (7) years? Yes  No   
 If **Yes**, list each state and the dates you resided there.

6. Have you had a caregiver background check done within the last four (4) years? Yes  No   
 If **Yes**, list the date of each check, and the name, address, and phone number of the person, facility, or government agency that conducted each check.

7. Have you ever requested a rehabilitation review with the Wisconsin Department of Health Services, a county department, a private child placing agency, school board, or DHS-designated tribe?

Yes    No  
   

If **Yes**, list the review date and the review result. You may be asked to provide a copy of the review decision.

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***Read and initial the following statement.***

\_\_\_\_\_ I have completed and reviewed this form (F-82064, BID) and affirm that the information is true and correct as of today's date.

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Name – Person Completing This Form	Date Submitted
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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES**

Division of Quality Assurance  
F-82064A (07/2018)

**STATE OF WISCONSIN**

Wis. Stat. § 50.065  
Wis. Admin. Code § DHS 12.05(4)

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE (BID) INSTRUCTIONS**

- The *Background Information Disclosure* (form F-82064) gathers information as required by the Wisconsin Caregiver Background Check Law to help employers and governmental regulatory agencies make employment, contract, residency, and regulatory decisions.
- Complete and return the entire form and attach explanations as specified by employer or governmental regulatory agency.
- **NOTE:** If you are an owner, operator, board member, or non-client resident of a facility regulated by the Division of Quality Assurance (DQA), complete the *BID*, [F-82064](#), and the *BID Appendix*, [F-82069](#), and submit both forms to the address noted in the *BID Appendix Instructions*.

**CAREGIVER BACKGROUND CHECK LAW**

In accordance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 50.065, for persons who have been convicted of certain acts, crimes, or offenses:

1. The Department of Health Services (DHS) may not license, certify, or register the person or entity.  
*\*Note: Employers and Care Providers are referred to as “entities.”*
2. An entity may not employ, contract with, or permit persons to reside at the entity.

The list of offenses affecting caregiver eligibility that require rehabilitation review is available from the regulatory agencies or through the Internet at <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/caregiver/statutes.htm>.

**The Caregiver Law covers the following EMPLOYERS / CARE PROVIDERS (aka ENTITIES) regulated under Wis. Stat. §§ 50, 51, and 146:**

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| • Adult Family Homes (3-4 Bed)             | • Intermediate Care Facility for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities |
| • Ambulance Service Providers              | • Home Health Agencies, including those that provide personal care services |
| • AODA Services                            | • Hospices  |
| • Community Based-Residential Facilities   | • Hospitals   |
| • Community Mental Health Programs         | • Mental Health Day Treatment Services for Children                         |
| • Community Support Programs (CSP)         | • Nursing Homes   |
| • Developmental Disabilities               | • Residential Care Apartment Complexes                                      |
| • Emergency Mental Health Service Programs | • Rural Medical Centers   |

**The Caregiver Law covers the following PERSONS:**

- Anyone employed by or contracting with a covered entity who has access to the clients served, except if the access is infrequent or sporadic and service is not directly related to care of the client. Exception: Emergency medical technicians and first responders are not covered under the Caregiver Law.
- Anyone who lives on the premises of a covered entity and is 10 years old or over, but is not a client (“non-client resident”).
- Anyone who is licensed by DHS.
- Anyone certified by DHS.
- Anyone registered by DHS.
- Anyone who is a board member or corporate officer who has access to the clients served.

**FAIR EMPLOYMENT ACT**

Wisconsin’s Fair Employment Law, Wis. Stat. §§ 111.31 – 111.395, prohibits discrimination because of a criminal record or pending charge. However, it is not discrimination to decline to hire or license a person based on the person’s arrest or conviction record if the arrest or conviction is substantially related to the circumstances of the particular job or licensed activity.

**PERSONALLY IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION**

This information is used to obtain relevant data as required by the provisions set forth by the Wisconsin Caregiver Background Check Law. Providing your social security number is voluntary; however, your social security number is one of the unique identifiers used to prevent incorrect matches. For example, the Department of Justice uses social security numbers, names, gender, race, and date of birth to prevent incorrect matches of persons with criminal convictions. The Department of Health Services’ Caregiver Misconduct Registry uses social security numbers as one identifier to prevent incorrect matches of persons with findings of abuse or neglect of a client or misappropriation of a client’s property.

**Para información en español, visite [www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore](http://www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore) o escribe a la Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, 1700 G Street N.W., Washington, DC 20552.**

### **A Summary of Your Rights Under the Fair Credit Reporting Act**

The federal Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA) promotes the accuracy, fairness, and privacy of information in the files of consumer reporting agencies. There are many types of consumer reporting agencies, including credit bureaus and specialty agencies (such as agencies that sell information about check writing histories, medical records, and rental history records). Here is a summary of your major rights under the FCRA. **For more information, including information about additional rights, go to [www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore](http://www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore) or write to: Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, 1700 G Street N.W., Washington, DC 20552.**

- **You must be told if information in your file has been used against you.** Anyone who uses a credit report or another type of consumer report to deny your application for credit, insurance, or employment – or to take another adverse action against you – must tell you, and must give you the name, address, and phone number of the agency that provided the information.
- **You have the right to know what is in your file.** You may request and obtain all the information about you in the files of a consumer reporting agency (your “file disclosure”). You will be required to provide proper identification, which may include your Social Security number. In many cases, the disclosure will be free. You are entitled to a free file disclosure if:
  - a person has taken adverse action against you because of information in your credit report;
  - you are the victim of identify theft and place a fraud alert in your file;
  - your file contains inaccurate information as a result of fraud;
  - you are on public assistance;
  - you are unemployed but expect to apply for employment within 60 days.

In addition, all consumers are entitled to one free disclosure every 12 months upon request from each nationwide credit bureau and from nationwide specialty consumer reporting agencies. See [www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore](http://www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore) for additional information.

- **You have the right to ask for a credit score.** Credit scores are numerical summaries of your credit-worthiness based on information from credit bureaus. You may request a credit score from consumer reporting agencies that create scores or distribute scores used in residential real property loans, but you will have to pay for it. In some mortgage transactions, you will receive credit score information for free from the mortgage lender.
- **You have the right to dispute incomplete or inaccurate information.** If you identify information in your file that is incomplete or inaccurate, and report it to the consumer reporting agency, the agency must investigate unless your dispute is frivolous. See [www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore](http://www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore) for an explanation of dispute procedures.
- **Consumer reporting agencies must correct or delete inaccurate, incomplete, or unverifiable information.** Inaccurate, incomplete or unverifiable information must be removed or corrected, usually within 30 days. However, a consumer reporting agency may continue to report information it has verified as accurate.
- **Consumer reporting agencies may not report outdated negative information.** In most cases, a consumer reporting agency may not report negative information that is more than seven years old, or bankruptcies that are more than 10 years old.
- **Access to your file is limited.** A consumer reporting agency may provide information about you only to people with a valid need – usually to consider an application with a creditor, insurer, employer, landlord, or other business. The FCRA specifies those with a valid need for access.
- **You must give your consent for reports to be provided to employers.** A consumer reporting agency may not give out information about you to your employer, or a potential employer, without your written consent given to the employer. Written consent generally is not required in the trucking industry. For more information, go to [www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore](http://www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore).