

Wide Horizon is a beacon for Christian Science living...

ADMISSION AGREEMENT

ADMISSION DATE _____

FULL NAME _____
Mr./Mrs./Miss First Middle Last

ADDRESS _____
Street Apt # City State Zip

PHONE _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____
(Required for Medicare Coverage)

SOC. SECURITY # _____ MEDICARE # _____

BIRTHPLACE _____ MARITAL STATUS _____

FATHER'S NAME _____

MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME (First & last) _____

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FAMILY CONTACT _____
Name Relationship

ADDRESS _____
Street City State Zip

HOME PH: _____ WORK PH: _____

CELL PH: _____ EMAIL: _____

(NOTE: The family contact listed above and/or health care power of attorney is requested to telephone Wide Horizon regularly to discuss the patient's progress. It is this individual's responsibility to share this information with other interested parties.)

ADDITIONAL FAMILY CONTACT _____
Name Relationship

ADDRESS _____
Street City State Zip

HOME PH: _____ WORK PH: _____

CELL PH: _____ EMAIL: _____

WIDE HORIZON, INC.

8900 West 38th Avenue – Wheat Ridge, CO 80033

Ph: 303-424-4445 – Fax: 303-422-6373 – www.widehorizon.org

Are members of your immediate family supportive of your admission? _____ If not, have you consulted them about your decision? _____

Do you give Wide Horizon permission to send a copy of this admission agreement to your family contact and/or health care power of attorney? _____

BILLING INFORMATION: NAME _____ Relationship _____

ADDRESS _____
Street City State Zip

HOME PHONE _____ WORK PHONE _____

Are you a Veteran of the Armed Forces? _____

Is/was your spouse a Veteran of the Armed Forces? _____

Are you currently receiving any Veteran's benefits? _____

PLEASE NOTE: If you expect your stay at Wide Horizon to be covered by private insurance, in whole or in part, please provide us with the company name, copy of policy, claim form, phone number and policy number. In addition, if you have ever elected coverage with an HMO (Health Maintenance Organization), eligibility for Medicare benefits in a RNHCI (Religious Non-medical Health Care Institution), such as Wide Horizon, may be denied if the guest currently has coverage with an HMO (see yellow insert).

NAME OF COMPANY _____

POLICY NUMBER _____ PHONE NUMBER _____

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JOURNAL LISTED PRACTITIONER _____
Name

ADDRESS _____
Street City State Zip

OFFICE PH: _____ HOME PH: _____

ALTERNATE JOURNAL LISTED PRACTITIONER _____
Name

ADDRESS _____
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(Nursing staff members report to the patient's practitioner as needed. Wide Horizon reserves the right to telephone a patient's practitioner to report that in our judgement the patient requires additional or specific support. Guests receiving Christian Science nursing care are required to have daily treatment.)

NATURE OF DIFFICULTY TO BE HEALED _____

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Are you a member of The Mother Church? _____

Are you a member of a Branch church? _____

Have you had Primary Class Instruction? _____

Teacher's name (optional): _____

Have you been a patient at any Christian Science and/or medical facility within the past year?

If that's the case, please give the name and address of the facility, and the date(s) of stay(s).

FACILITY NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

Street

City

State

Zip

DATE(S) OF STAY _____

FACILITY NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

Street

City

State

Zip

DATE(S) OF STAY _____

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WIDE HORIZON'S VISION of NURSING

Christian Science nursing practice is a ministry devoted to spiritual healing. The nurse cherishes, nurtures, comforts and vigorously maintains in thought an expectancy of healing. Dignified personal care is provided while keeping clearly in mind that God most effectively cares for man. Mary Baker Eddy stated that "the nurse should be cheerful, orderly, punctual, patient, full of faith, -- receptive to Truth and Love." (*Science and Health*, p. 395) Wide Horizon's Christian Science nurses should always be doing their best to embody these qualities.

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WHAT WE ANTICIPATE

Article XXX Section 7 of the *Church Manual* reads in part, "I recommend that each member of this Church shall strive to demonstrate by his or her practice that Christian Science heals the sick quickly and wholly, thus proving this Science to be all that we claim for it." Wide Horizon expects each patient will work wholeheartedly for healing, regeneration, renewal and transformation. Having this goal before thought, our guests realize that they come to Wide Horizon for intense study and prayer, culminating in mental and physical freedom. Patients should never "settle in" at Wide Horizon; rather they should daily strive for spiritual healing.

STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING

Temporary aid and assistance of a Christian Science nurse means:

- Caring for the individual through spiritual witnessing, nurturing, cherishing and comforting. Offering Christian encouragement in support of one's expression of life, vitality and normal activity consistent with his or her needs. Reading from The Holy Bible, *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures*, other writings by Mary Baker Eddy, and authorized Christian Science literature.
- Assisting with personal care necessary to maintain cleanliness.
- Assisting with meals and modifying foods if necessary.
- Help with mobility.
- Cleansing and bandaging wounds to provide for cleanliness, freshness and cover.
- Instruction in personal care, mobility, nourishment and bandaging.

By signing this admission agreement, the applicant understands that:

- *The mission of Wide Horizon is to provide Christian Science nursing, facilities, and support for those seeking healing accomplished through complete reliance on Christian Science as taught by Mary Baker Eddy.*
- Expecting healing and progress, patients at Wide Horizon should understand that Christian Science nursing care is a temporary means to enable them to experience a more expansive sense of God's tender care and love.
- Christian Science nursing is a *Church Manual*-based activity and therefore has a role in our Church's healing ministry. The patient, the nurse and the Christian Science practitioner have distinct responsibilities consistent with the theology of Christian Science during the patient's stay at Wide Horizon.

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- Christian Science nursing care does not use techniques or products purported to aid a healing process or bring relief from pain, soreness or itching. Christian Science nurses are not trained in the maintenance or adjustment of medically implanted devices, in aligning bones, first-aid techniques, resuscitation, or techniques that relieve choking. No diagnoses, medical exams, physical therapies, psychological counseling or medicines are administered or given at Wide Horizon.
- Christian Science nurses do not give advice or counsel, nor do they act as intermediaries between the patient, Christian Science practitioner or family. However, the nurse will assist in calling the practitioner or family if the patient is unable or unwilling to do so.
- Wide Horizon has specific policies that cover the admission of minors, expectant mothers, those with contagious or infectious diseases, mental disorders or those who experience convulsions. If any of these apply, please discuss them with the one assisting you with this admission agreement.
- Management may ask a patient to change rooms or even withdraw from the facility, with prior notice.
- Wide Horizon does not accept responsibility for valuables unless deposited in the facility's safe located on site.
- Wide Horizon requires you to have an Advanced Care Directive or similar document. Please furnish us with a copy of your own or use the form we have provided.
- The guest/patient is responsible to pay all invoices and statements of charges promptly or inquire about a deferred payment program and/or financial assistance upon admission.

I, _____, fully understand that my signature certifies that I am at Wide Horizon for spiritual healing, that I desire to rely exclusively on Christian Science, and that I agree to the terms of admission as stated above.

Signed _____ Date _____

Signed _____ Date _____

(Person completing this agreement if applicant is unable to do so.)

“[Wide Horizon] is not intended for a place of retirement into comfortable matter, but a place of spiritual growth and activity, where one will have an opportunity to progress, and further his individual advancement, and in so doing, support the cause of Christian Science.” –Rex Hodges, Founder of “The Willows”