



MARYLAND Department of Health

CRISP Letter of Support for Practices Applying to Participate in the Maryland Primary Care Program

Background

The [application](#) for the Maryland Primary Care Program (MDPCP) requires practices to submit a letter of support executed by both the practice and the state-designated Health Information Exchange (HIE), the Chesapeake Regional Information System for our Patients (CRISP). To request a letter of support from CRISP, please follow the steps below.

Instructions

1. Download letter template on MDH web page. Letter can be found under Practice Resources at:
https://health.maryland.gov/mdpcp/Documents/Practice%20Applicant%20CRISP%20Letter%20of%20Commitment_final.docx
2. Complete all highlighted sections of the letter, including practice signatures
3. Place on practice letterhead
4. Send completed letter to CRISP inbox at MDPCP@crisphealth.org
5. CRISP will review request and communicate intermediate steps, if any, with your practice
6. Receive signed letter from CRISP to incorporate into MDPCP application

Notes

- CRISP reserves the right not to execute a letter of support should it find that a practice is not capable or not willing to agree to the terms laid out in the letter.
- Practices may submit the request to CRISP at any time. However, it is recommended that submission occur as soon as possible, giving ample time for CRISP to review and execute letter, and for practices to attach the letter to their application prior to the deadline.