



In 2011, Centura Health adopted a policy requiring all non-facility staff providing patient care and/or services within hospital patient care areas to comply with regulatory mandates per CMS and TJC Requirements.

The purpose of this policy is to protect our patients and ensure that the requirements for on-site non-facility staff entering patient care areas are consistent with those required of employed staff. These requirements include the following and must be made available on request:

- Criminal Background Checks - Consisting of a minimum of 3 years of history and evidence that the non-facility staff is not listed on the Office of Inspector General and Excluded Parties List systems.
- Occupational Health Screening consisting of a TB test every 2 years, MMR and chickenpox immunization screenings, a 7-panel + synthetics drug screen and an influenza vaccine during flu season. Below are companies within Colorado Springs that provide occupational health screenings:

Centura Center of Occupational Medicine (CCOM) 3010 N. Circle Drive, # 112 Colorado Springs, Colorado (719) 776-4800	CCOM 6011 E. Woodmen Rd., Suite 100 Colorado Springs, CO (719) 571-8888	CCOM 1263 Lake Plaza Dr. Colorado Springs, CO 719-776-3375
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The contracting company may use any screening company they choose and are responsible for the cost of the screenings.

- Facility orientation and ID badging prior to performing work functions in a Centura Health hospital patient care area must be completed.

All requirements are to be met or contract staff will not be approved for a badge.

Thank you for your diligence in assuring that you and your staff are in compliance with this policy.