

Thank you for your interest in ConnectiCare. Our award-winning customer service begins with setting up your account properly. Please complete this application so that we can provide a seamless transition to ConnectiCare.

## Part 1: Employer Information

Parent Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Effective Date of Coverage: \_\_\_\_\_

Group Name (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

Federal TIN (Tax ID): \_\_\_\_\_

HR Benefit Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

ERISA Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Business address: \_\_\_\_\_

HR Contact Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

HR Contact Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

HR Contact Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Portal User: Name, email & phone (Primary Administrator): \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Portal User: Name, email & phone (Administrator): \_\_\_\_\_

## Part 2: Group Size Certification

Total Number of Full-Time and Full-Time-Equivalent Employees:  REQUIRED

This counting method pertains to the ACA requirement that employers of 51+ offer a qualified health plan with minimum essential coverage. ConnectiCare will use the number of employees from this calculation to confirm the product options selected for this upcoming plan year. IRS regulations provide detailed rules about this method of calculation; please consult your tax or legal adviser. The following is a general description:

The number of employees is determined by adding (1) and (2) below:

1. The number of full-time employees. Full-time is someone employed an average of at least 30 hours per week or 130 hours per month.
2. The number of full-time equivalents (FTEs), which is a combination of employees. An individual employee may not be full-time because he/she is not employed an average of at least 30 hours per week. But in combination, such employees are counted as the equivalent of a full-time employee. For example, two employees who each work 15 hours per week make up one FTE. You can also calculate FTEs by aggregating hours worked by non-full-time employees in a month and dividing by 120.
  - To determine group size, look to the size of your workforce in the prior calendar year.
  - Affiliated employers with common ownership or those under common control must aggregate their employees for purposes of determining group size.
  - All employees are included for counting purposes—for example, union and non-union employees, employees who are covered by another carrier, employees who have waived coverage, or employees located in other states.
  - The IRS regulations have some special counting rules, such as those for seasonal workers, employees whose hours are difficult to track or whose hours vary, school employers, and companies not in existence in the prior calendar year.

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### Part 3: Your Rules About Offering Coverage

1. How many full-time employees do you have? \_\_\_\_\_ # FT hours required for health insurance eligibility? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How many part-time employees do you have? \_\_\_\_\_ Are part time employees eligible for health insurance?  Yes  No
  - a. If yes, how many hours do you require a part-time employee to work to be eligible for health insurance? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Are retirees eligible for coverage?  Yes  No
4. Do you have employees that reside in Massachusetts?  Yes  No
  - a. If yes, are your current plans considered Massachusetts Minimum Creditable Coverage compliant?  Yes  No
5. Who is your prior health insurance carrier? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Do you offer coverage to domestic partners?  Yes  No
  - a. ConnectiCare's policy: 18 yrs. or older residing together for at least 6 months.
  - b. If you do not subscribe to ConnectiCare's domestic partner policy, please indicate your policy: \_\_\_\_\_
7. What is your new hire waiting period? *Please choose one option.*
  - a. First of the month following \_\_\_\_\_ days (max 60) b.  Date of Hire
  - c. \_\_\_\_\_ # days from DOH (max 90 days.) d.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_
8. What is your termination of coverage policy? *Please choose one option.*
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_ date of termination b. \_\_\_\_\_ end of month c. Other: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Employer contribution to medical premiums: Employee \_\_\_\_\_ Dependent \_\_\_\_\_
10. HealthEquity HRA/ HSA Integration?  No  Yes HRA  Yes Post-deductible HRA  Yes HSA
  - a. HRA ER funded amount: Single \_\_\_\_\_ / Family \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. HSA ER funded amount: Single \_\_\_\_\_ / Family \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Does group currently use HealthEquity as their administrator?  Yes  No By checking this box, your company is partnering with HealthEquity, and you authorize ConnectiCare to automatically send eligibility and paid claims to HealthEquity for the purpose of opening HSA accounts for your covered employees.
11. HRA/HSA through a vendor other than HealthEquity?  Yes  No
  - a. HRA Administration:
    - i. Name of HRA Administrator: \_\_\_\_\_
    - ii. HRA funded amount: Single \_\_\_\_\_ / Family \_\_\_\_\_
    - iii. Do you want ConnectiCare to integrate enrollment & claims with HRA administrator?  Yes  NoNote: By checking Yes, you authorize ConnectiCare to automatically send eligibility and paid claims to your designated TPA for the purpose of opening HRA accounts for your covered employees.
  - b. HSA Administrator (no claim integration):
    - i. Name of HSA bank: \_\_\_\_\_
    - ii. HSA funded amount: Single \_\_\_\_\_ / Family \_\_\_\_\_

### Part 4: COBRA Administration

1. Number of current COBRA participants: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Do you utilize a COBRA Administrator?  Yes  No
  - a. If yes, please list COBRA Administrator company name, contact name and address of administrator:  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. Who should receive the COBRA invoice from ConnectiCare?  
 Group/Client  Cobra Administrator  Bill member directly (2% increase in COBRA member rate)

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## Part 5: Billing Information and Format

**Premium Billing Level:** Please note — billing level/ format cannot be changed once setup is complete.

**Group Level/Single Invoice** — one bill separated out and sub-totaled by subgroups

Billing Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Contact Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

**Subgroup Level/Multiple Invoices** — individual bill sent to each subgroup/location

If Subgroup Level/Multiple invoices, please add subgroup, contact person and billing address in the space below. If more space is needed, please attach additional documentation.

## Part 6: EDI Vendor Information

Plan to use an EDI vendor:  Yes  No

If yes, please list EDI vendor name, contact name and email below:

EDI Vendor name: \_\_\_\_\_ EDI Vendor Contact name/ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Using a third-party EDI vendor will require a completed Designation of Administration (DOA) form. You will receive this form from **CCI-Electronic\_enrollment@connecticare.com** to complete.

**IMPORTANT:** Employer acknowledges responsibility for setting plan eligibility rules, and for accurately communicating eligibility to ConnectiCare. Employer certifies that its eligibility rules are compliant with all applicable laws and regulations, including federal waiting period and orientation period rules and other similar requirements.

**Other Third-Party Relationships:** A Designation of Authority (DOA) form is required if any of the following applies:

- a. If client is using a third party for billing.
- b. If client is using a third party for HRA reimbursement that requires a claim feed.
- c. Trading Partner Agreement (TPA) is required between ConnectiCare and vendor of choice if this a new relationship with ConnectiCare.

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Employer Signature:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Broker Name:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Broker Signature:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Broker Firm:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date:

Pay to:  Agency  Agent

## Questions? Please contact your ConnectiCare Sales Representative or Broker.

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