



## **ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL OF WISCONSIN SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY**

Orthopaedic Hospital of Wisconsin (“OHOW”) has a commitment to and respect for each person’s dignity with a special concern for those who struggle with barriers to access healthcare services. OHOW has an equal commitment to manage its healthcare resources as a service to the entire community. In furtherance of these principles, OHOW provides financial assistance to certain individuals who receive medically necessary care from OHOW. This summary provides a brief overview of OHOW’s Financial Assistance Policy.

### **Who Is Eligible?**

You may be able to get financial assistance if you are uninsured. Financial assistance is generally determined by your total household income as compared to the Federal Poverty Level. If your income is less than or equal to 250% of the Federal Poverty Level, you will receive a 100% charity care write-off on your hospital charges. If your income is above 250% of the Federal Poverty Level but does not exceed 400% of the Federal Poverty Level, you may receive discounted rates on a sliding scale. Patients who are eligible for financial assistance will not be charged more than the amounts generally billed to patients with insurance coverage.

### **What Services Are Covered?**

The financial Assistance Policy applies to medically necessary care. These terms are defined in the Financial Assistance Policy.

### **How Can I Apply?**

To apply for financial assistance, you typically will complete a written application and provide supporting documentation as described in the Financial Assistance Policy and the Financial Assistance Policy application.

### **How Can I Get Help With An Application?**

For help with a Financial Assistance Policy application, you may contact OHOW Financial Service department at 414 961-6803.

**How Can I Get More Information?**

Copies of the Financial Assistance Policy and Financial Assistance Policy application form are available at OHOW.com or can be obtained by mailing your request to:

Orthopaedic Hospital of Wisconsin  
ATTN: Financial Service  
475 W. River Woods Parkway  
Glendale, WI 53212

Additional information about the Financial Assistance Policy is also available by calling OHOW Financial Services at 414 961-6803.