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- How we interact with the Health Plans
- How our process has changed & how CAQH fits into our process
- Understanding CAQH’s purpose
- Meeting requirements of regulatory entities
- Benefits & Drawbacks
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- **Health Plans**
  - Delegated contract
    - Providers complete one application
  - Audits
    - Annually
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CAQH

- Credentialing Process
  - Where we were
  - Where we are
  - Where we want to be
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- Understanding CAQH’s purpose
  - Providers
    - Time Management
    - Cost Reduction
  - Administration
    - Faculty Stance
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- Regulatory Entities
  - National Committee for Quality Assurance
  - The Joint Commission
  - Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
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Benefits of CAQH
- Changes to application
- Simplifies application process
- Accepted by Kentucky Medicaid program
- Electronic data interface

Drawbacks of CAQH
- Changes to application
- No test environment