How to Apply for Mental Health Access Assistance: Provider Edition

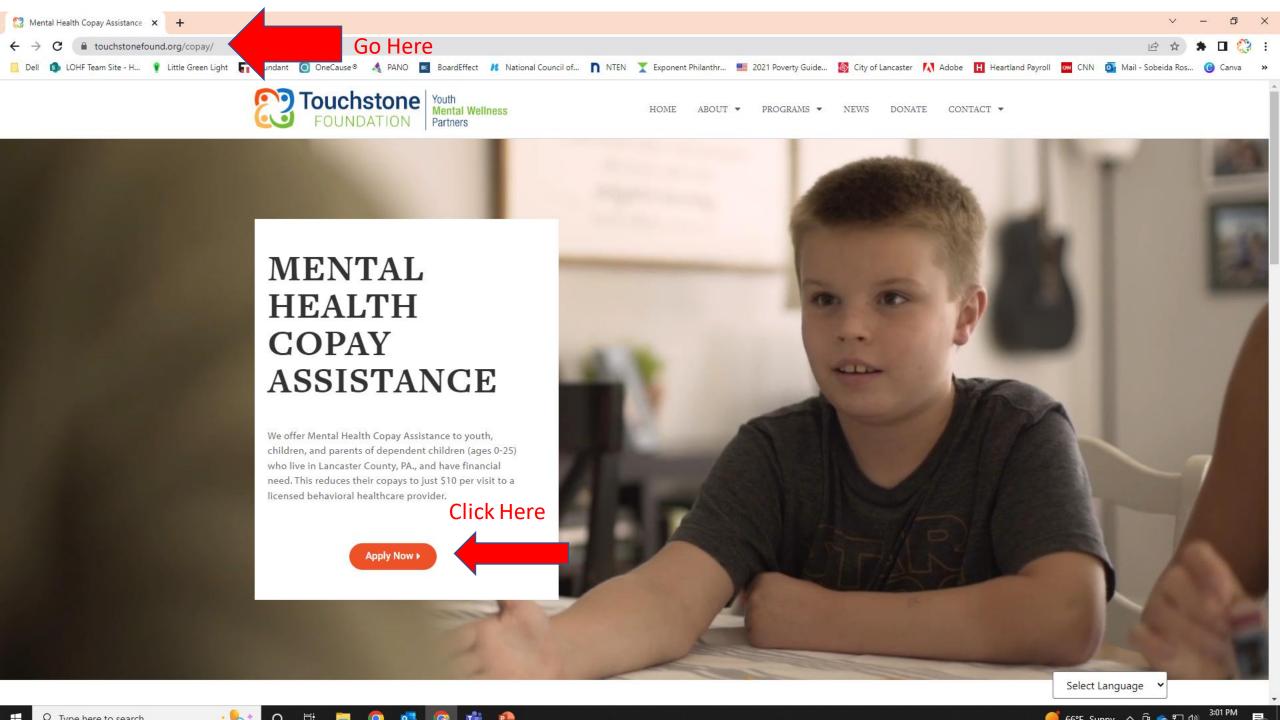
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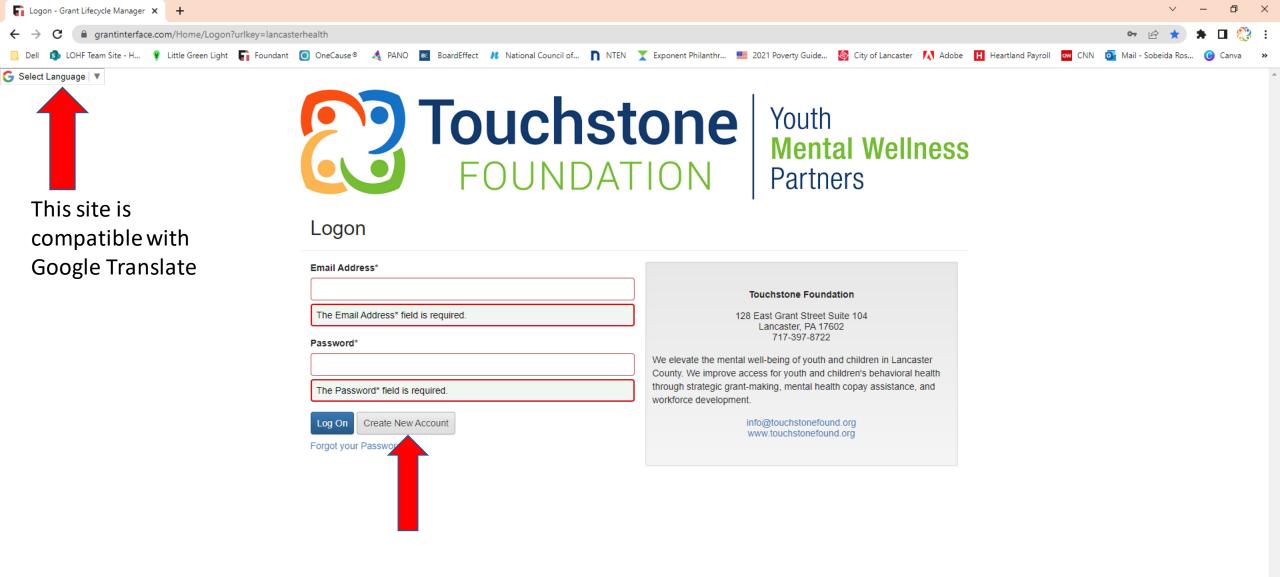
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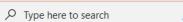
What You Need

- About 15 minutes
- Contact information for your Agency or Practice
- Contact information for your bookkeeper, office manager, or whoever handles billing/invoicing

























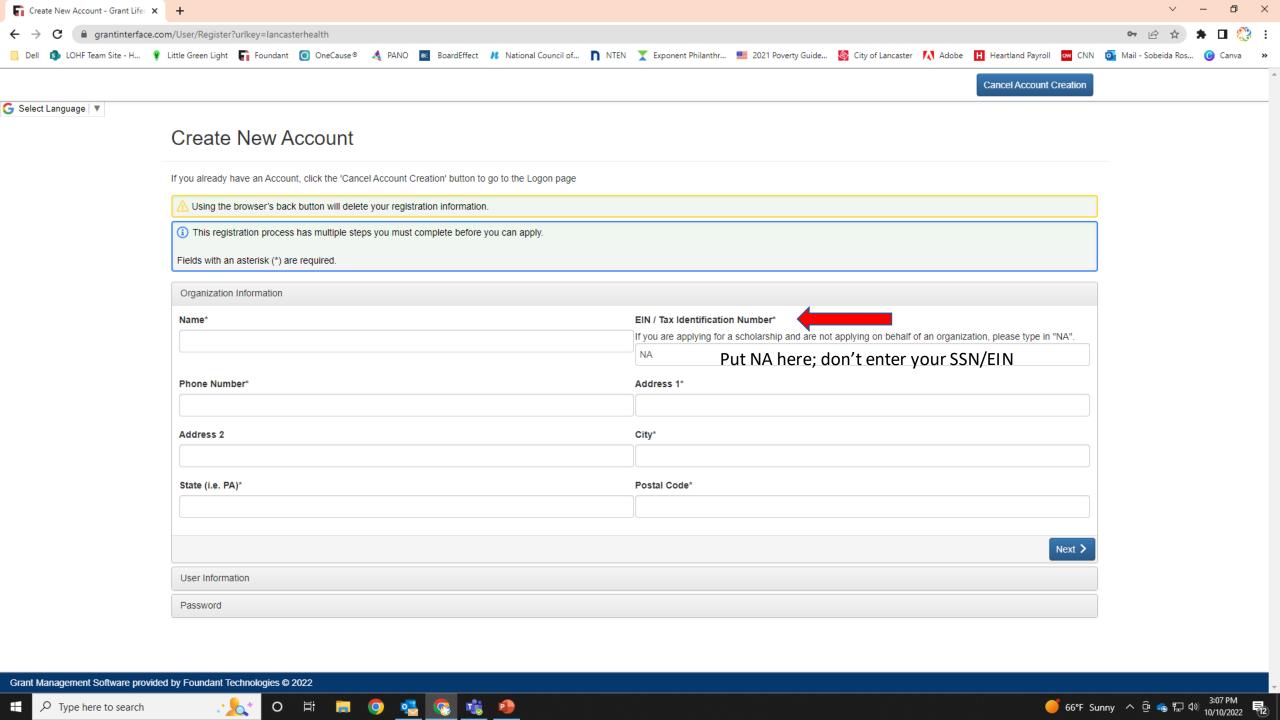


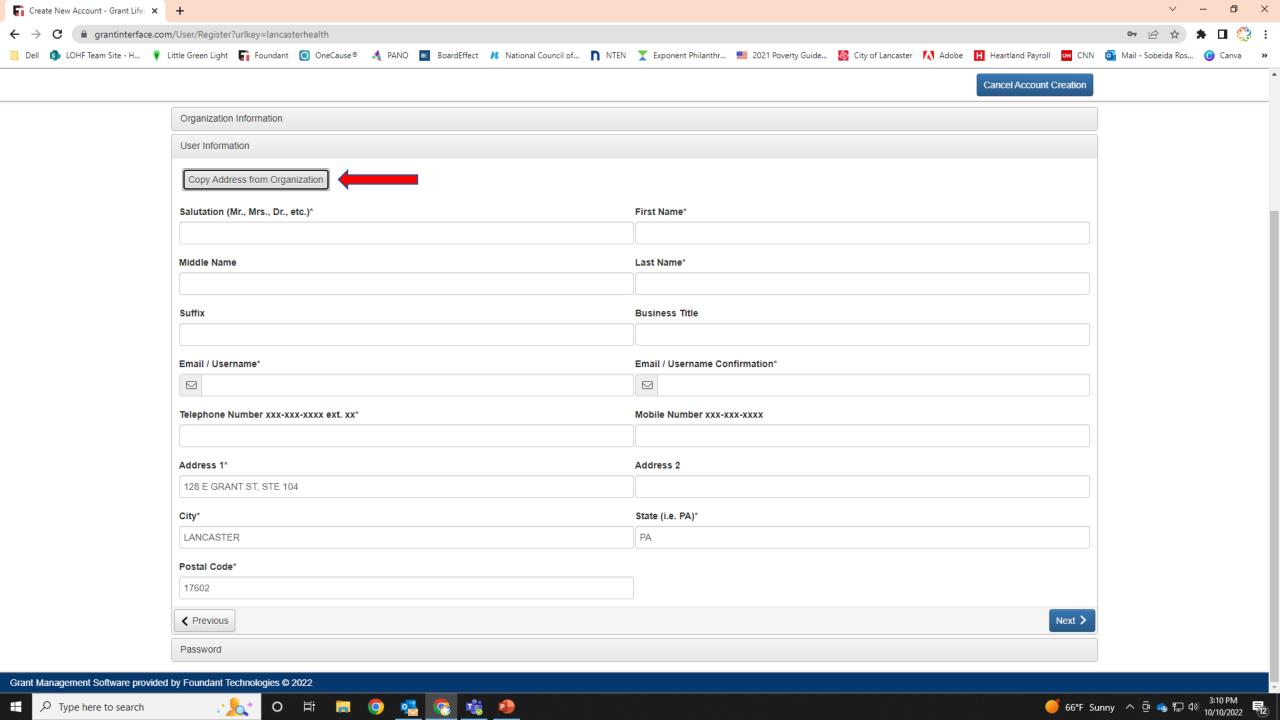


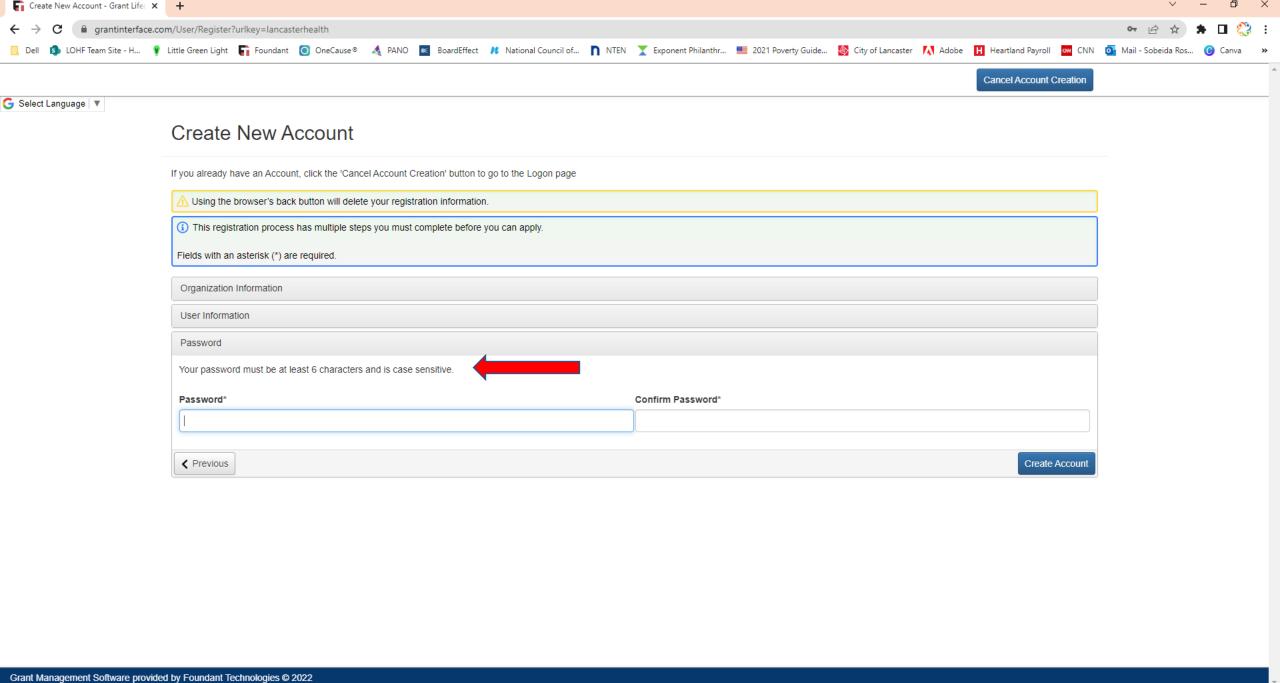




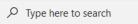






















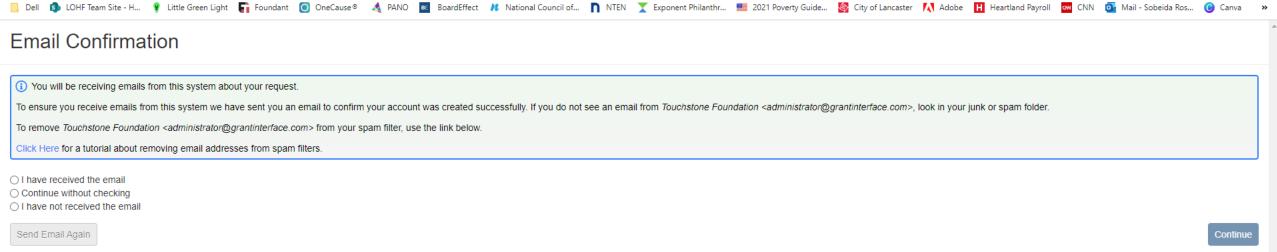












Check your email to confirm it is correct! Then click the continue button



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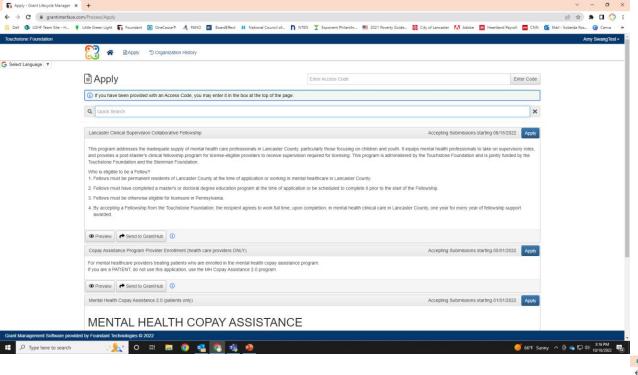








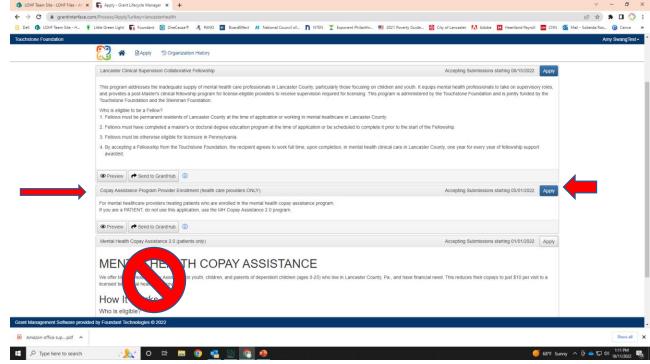


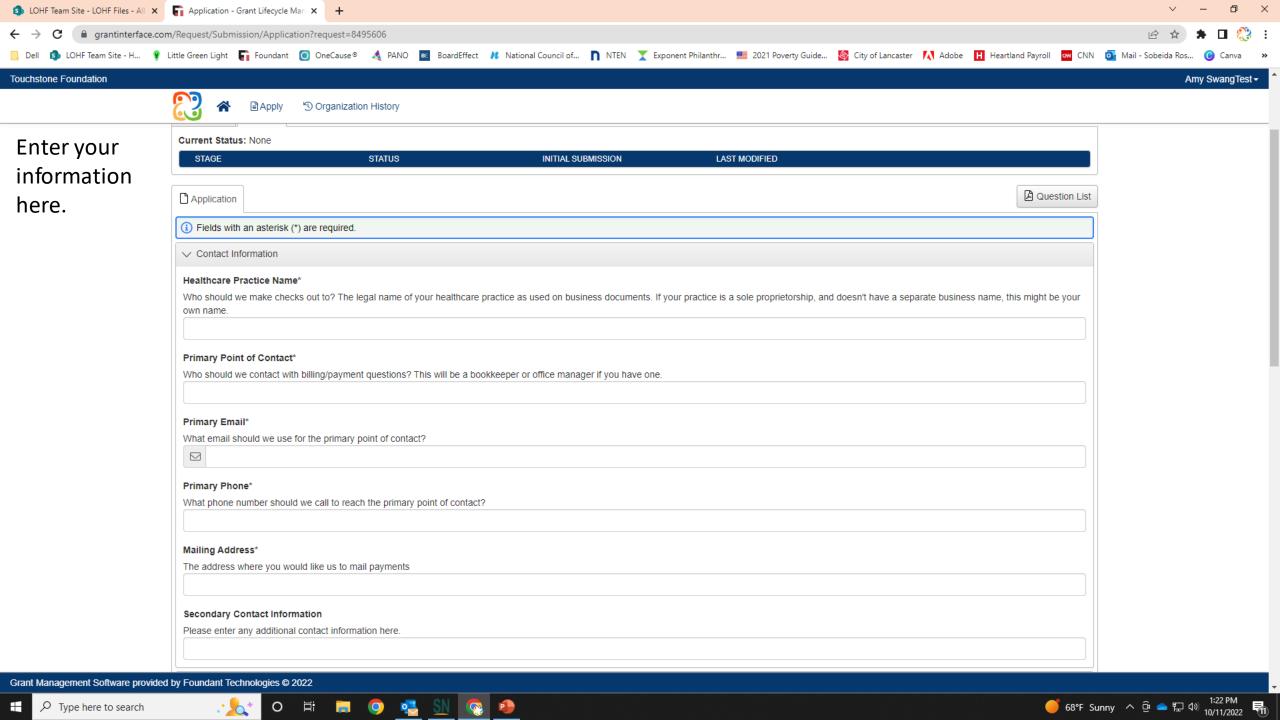


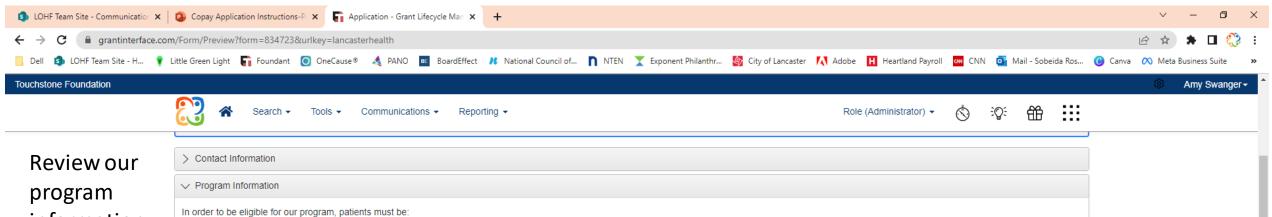


You'll see a screen similar to this.

Scroll down to MH Access Assistance Program Provider Enrollment (health care providers ONLY) and click the Apply button







information

- -Residents of Lancaster County
- -Under 26 years old OR the parent/caregiver of a person under 26
- -Total household income cannot exceed 250% of the federal poverty level
- -Have commercial insurance
- -Patients must re-enroll with us annually so we can verify that they are still eligible. We provide patients with an enrollment card that shows their expiration date- please check this date with your patients before billing us.
- -To view the patient application, go to Mental Health Access Assistance 2.0 (patients only).
- -Please do NOT send us the patient's diagnosis, ICD codes, or other Protected Health Information
- -Patients enrolled in or eligible for Medicaid/Medical Assistance are not eligible for our program. We encourage these patients to seek care from a Medicaid-approved health clinic.
- -Patients who are undocumented will generally be referred to community health centers. We encourage these patients to contact us directly so we can consider each case individually.
- -If you have a patient who would benefit from a specific type of therapy not covered by their insurance, please contact us to discuss an exceptional payment plan.

After the patient has received care:

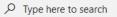
- Bill the insurance company as usual
- Bill Touchstone Foundation for \$40. If the patient's copay/co-insurance is less than \$40, bill us for that amount.
- -Your invoice to us must include the amount paid by insurance, the amount charged to the patient, and the amount waived by the practice, if any. We can provide you with an invoice template if you would like one.
- -Your invoice to us must use the same first and last name that the patient used to enroll in our program (no nicknames). If your practice uses additional security to mask this information, please contact us so we are able to
- -You must invoice us within 90 days of the visit. If you are experiencing a delay, please contact us directly so we may discuss an exception. Under no circumstances will we be able to reimburse for care from the previous calendar year after April 1st.

If you have any questions about the purpose or administration of our program, please contact us at 717-397-8722. We would love the opportunity to answer any questions you may have so we can provide the greatest benefit to your patients!

Our Non-Discrimination Policy:

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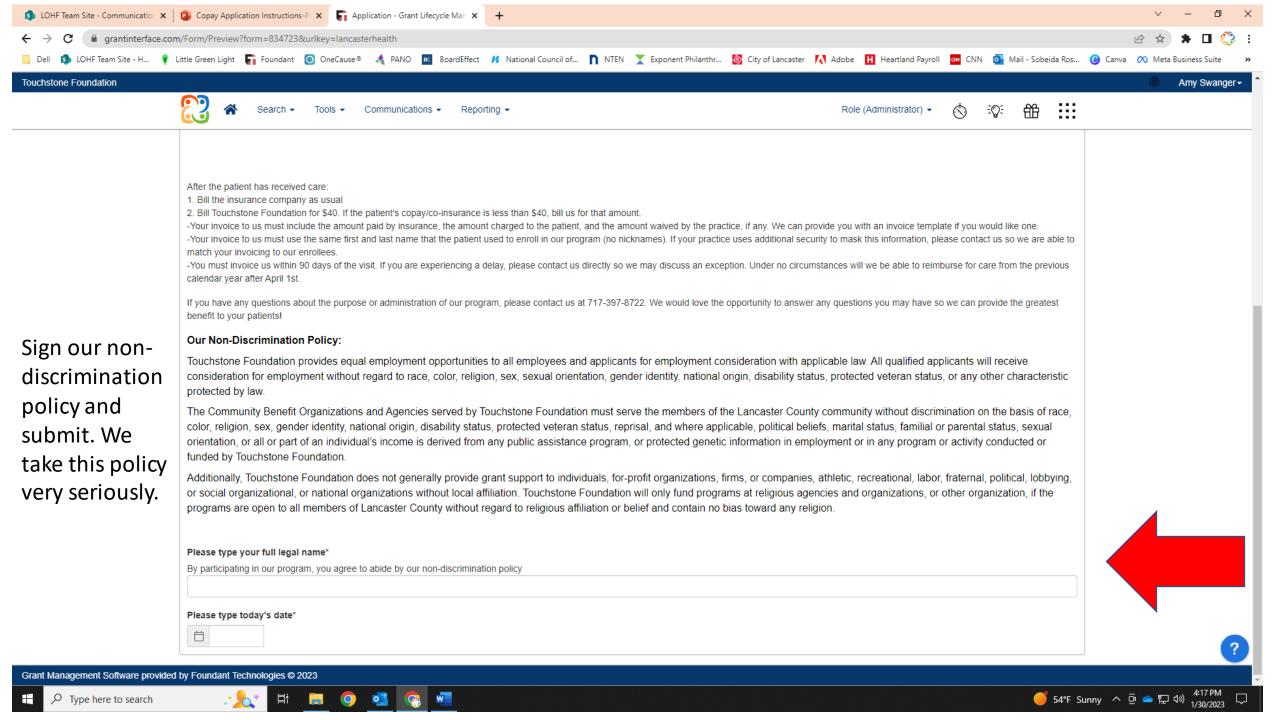






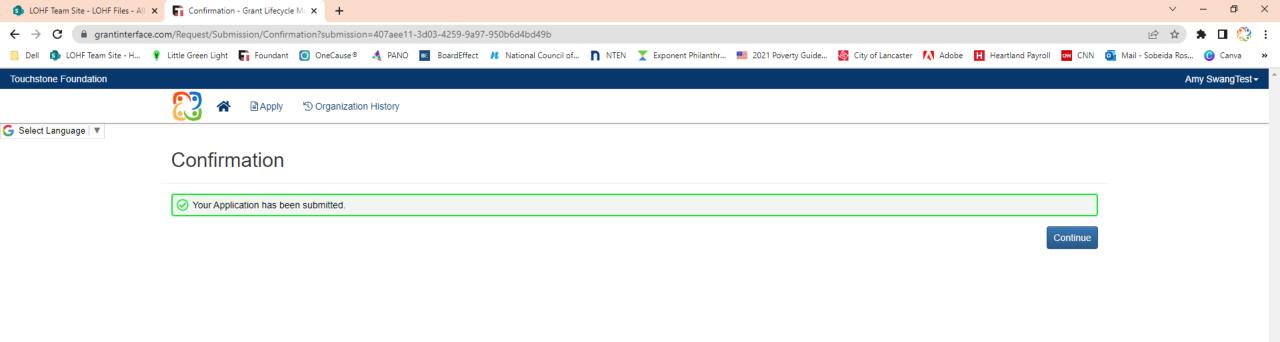


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What Happens Next?

- We review your application- usually within a few days. If you haven't heard anything after five business days, please contact us.
- Once you are approved, we will send you an enrollment letter with additional information.
- If your primary point of contact, email, phone, or mailing address change, please contact us so we can update your profile.
- Enrolled patients receive a card to present at appointments.
- Once you have seen an enrolled patient, you can start sending us invoices. We will be happy to provide you with an example invoice if you don't already have one to use.



All done!

