

COMPREHENSIVE OUTPATIENT ADDICTION TREATMENT

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Chief Clinical Officer

Melissa Sahlin is a Licensed Independent Social Worker and the Chief Clinical Officer for BrightView Health. Melissa has been with BrightView since February 2016. During this time, the company grew from one to over 80 centers, and Melissa filled a variety of leadership roles.

Most recently, Melissa has focused on quality improvement in her position as Vice President for Quality & Program Excellence. Melissa partnered with the compliance team in navigating accreditation surveys and regulatory reviews across multiple states. She developed and reported on company quality metrics, identifying data trends that indicate a need for improvement and



consulting on initiatives to improve outcomes. Melissa designed and oversaw the implementation of an audit structure for clinical services.

She has helped to ensure the provision of high-quality clinical services in accordance with state regulations and the Joint Commission Standards. Melissa has led and managed a variety of clinical team initiatives, including clinical staff training and development and the BV Academy Clinical Readiness Program. She has provided mentorship and guidance to new clinical leaders. Melissa has created content for clinical programming and supervision, including ongoing revisions to the Clinical Provider Manual and has led integration efforts for BrightView clinical services across multiple states and acquisitions.

Melissa earned a Master of Social Work degree from the University of Cincinnati. As part of her MSW program, Melissa completed specialized courses and an internship in social work administration. Melissa has worked with individuals, families, and groups in a variety of settings including outpatient addiction treatment, inpatient psychiatric care, jail-based counseling programs, school-based mental health services, and medical social work in hospitals and community.

Melissa lives with her family in the Greater Cincinnati, Ohio, area.

BrightView is an outpatient addiction medicine practice dedicated to helping patients heal physically, mentally, and emotionally through medication assisted treatment (MAT), individual counseling, group therapy, and social services support.

Since opening in 2015, BrightView's approach to addiction medicine has been based on evidence and clinical best practices. The outpatient treatment plan works seamlessly with patients' daily life commitments. To ensure everyone receives the care they need, BrightView accepts all insurances, Medicaid, and Medicare.

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