

Quality Improvement Newsletter

County of Monterey



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CLINICAL DOCUMENTATION GUIDE



This [guide](#) reflects the current requirements for direct services reimbursed by Medi-Cal Specialty Mental Health Services, California Code of Regulations (CCR, Title 9, Division 1) and serves as the basis for all documentation and claiming in Monterey County Behavioral Health, regardless of payer source. All staff, whether directly operated by the County or Contracted Community “Providers” are expected to abide by the information found in this [guide](#).

DRUG MEDI-CAL ORGANIZED DELIVERY SYSTEM (DMC-ODS)

THANK YOU TO ALL TRAINERS AND SUPER USERS!!!

DMC-ODS WAIVER STARTING JULY 1, 2018

The goal of the Drug Medi-Cal waiver is to support an integrated system of care by better coordinating substance use disorder, physical and mental health services. The waiver plans to accomplish this goal by offering a coordinated continuum of substance use disorder (SUD) services to all eligible Medi-Cal beneficiaries based on the American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) criteria. The DMC-ODS waiver will further expand services to make available a full continuum of SUD treatment for all Medi-Cal beneficiaries that meet medical necessity for SUD services. Monterey County’s DMC-ODS waiver services includes the following:

- ◆ ASAM Level 1- Outpatient Services
- ◆ ASAM Level 1- Opioid Treatment Program (OTP)
- ◆ ASAM Level 2.1- Intensive Outpatient Services
- ◆ ASAM 3.1, 3.3, & 3.5- Residential Treatment
- ◆ ASAM Level 3.2- Clinically Managed Residential Withdrawal Management (WM)
- ◆ Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT)
- ◆ Recovery Services



See MCBH Substance Use Disorder Treatment Services Documentation Guide for additional Information. (to view [click here](#))

Additionally, please be aware all substance use disorder treatment service programs in avatar will have the "SUD" prefix.

POLICIES & PROCEDURES

GROUP PROGRESS NOTES - MEMO The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) requires Mental Health Plans (MHPs) to submit a separate claim for each rendering provider using each rendering practitioner's assigned National Provider Identifier (NPI) number.

511 - PSYCHIATRIC MENTAL HEALTH NURSE PRACTITIONER (NP) The purpose of this policy and procedure is to define the role and scope of practice of the Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP) by establishing The Standard Procedures for PMHNP in the provision of services in Monterey County Behavioral Health (MCBH).

To view the Policies and Procedures section of the QI Website, [click here](#)

NEW AUTHORIZATIONS FOR DISCLOSURE

Authorization for Use, Exchange, and or Disclosure of Confidential Behavioral Health Information (**WITHIN**):

- [Sample](#)
- [English](#)
- [Spanish](#)
- [Recording](#)

Authorization for Use, Exchange, and or Disclosure of Confidential Behavioral Health Information - (**Substance Use General**):

- [Sample](#)
- [English](#)
- [Spanish](#)
- [Recording](#)



QI WORKPLAN FY 2018/19

The [QI Work plan](#) provides updates on new objectives, goals and interventions identified for the FY 2018-19 with 8 focus areas. The highlight for this year would be the improved monitoring activities and timeliness measures in alliance with health equity vision of BH bureau.



Breaking the Silence on Suicide:

A Community Discourse for Hope,
Resources, and Healing

Wednesday, July 11, 2018 from 6-7:30pm
Marina Branch Library Community Room
190 Seaside Circle, Marina, CA 93933



Please join Monterey County Free Libraries and NAMI Monterey County for an honest discussion about suicide. With recent high-profile deaths on the national stage and a number of local incidents, the time is now to speak about something that is often pushed aside. This evening will provide hope, education, and resources for anyone in need or anyone simply looking to understand this difficult topic.



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For more information, call (831)422-6264 or email info@namimonterey.org / www.namimonterey.org

UPCOMING TRAININGS - 2018 - AT A GLANCE

Month	Date	Time	Location
July			
CPI Non-Violent Crisis Intervention	11th	8:30am-4:30pm	Marina Training Center
Motivational Interviewing	12th	8:30am-4:30pm	Marina Training Center
5150 Legal Requirements	17th	1:00pm-3:00pm	Whitney Conference Room B
Progress Note Writing	24th	8:30am-12:00pm	Whitney Conference Room B
August			
ASAM (A)-Criteria Overview	2nd	9:00am-12:00pm 1:00pm-4:00pm	Marina Training Center
ASAM (B)-Integrated Treatment Planning & Documentation	3rd	9:00am-12:00pm 1:00pm-4:00pm	Marina Training Center
5150 Legal Requirements	14th	1:00pm-3:30pm	Whitney Conference Room B
ASAM ©-Using the ASAM Criteria to Re-assess clients	17th	9:00am-12:00pm 1:00pm-4:00pm	Marina Training Center
5150 Practical Aspects	29th	9:00am-12:00pm	Marina Training Center
Universal Psychosocial Assessment	30th	8:00am-12:00pm	Whitney Conference Rooms
Treatment Planning	30th	1:00pm-5:00pm	Whitney Conference Rooms

PLEASE SIGN UP USING MYLEARNINGPOINTE IN ORDER TO PLAN FOR THE CORRECT NUMBER OF HANDOUTS OR IN THE EVENT OF ANY DATE, TIME OR LOCATION CHANGES, YOU CAN BE INFORMED.

REGISTRATION

Our complete Training Calendar is accessible on the web at <http://qi.mtyhd.org/index.php/training/calendar-of-events/>. It is updated regularly so be sure to check it out frequently.

Registration for these & other courses can be completed through the myLearningPointe Learning Management System at <https://www.mylearningpointe.com/>, unless noted otherwise on the Training Calendar event page. You may reach out to Juve Zavala, Training Assistant for any technical assistance with registering at phone number 831-755-4727 or via email at zavalaj2@co.monterey.ca.us.

Avatar Training

July 20, 2018
9:00 am - 4:30 pm
[Click here to register](#)

August 17, 2018
9:00 am - 4:30 pm
[Click here to register](#)

Location for both trainings: MCHD - Whitney Rooms - 1270 Natividad Road - Salinas, CA 93906

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