

REQUEST FOR TRANSFER TO A CHILD OR ADOLESCENT DMH CONTINUING CARE INPATIENT FACILITY, IRTP OR CIRT PROGRAM**

PATIENT INFORMATION

Patient's Name _____
(last) (first) (MI)

Address _____
(number and street) (apt no) (city) (state) (zip code)

Birth Date _____ Sex _____ Language _____
MM/DD/YY M / F Preferred
Does patient speak English? Yes No Limited
Does parent speak English? Yes No Limited

Race _____

Date of Inpatient Admission:

MM/DD/YY

Legal Status

- 10 Day Hospitalization - M.G.L. c. 123, s. 12
- Conditional Voluntary Admission - M.G.L. c. 123, ss. 10 & 11
- Civil Commitment - M.G.L. c. 123, ss. 7 & 8

Is child currently placed at an Intensive ART level of care? Yes No If yes, name of ART _____
Admission date? _____

Guardianship

Does the patient have a court appointed legal guardian ? Yes No
(If Yes, attach copies of relevant guardianships, including Rogers Order.)

Name of legal guardian _____ Relationship _____
(last) (first) (relationship to patient)

Guardian's address _____
(number and street) (apt no) (city) (state) (zip code)

Guardian's Telephone Number () _____

Health Insurance

No health coverage
 Medicaid/MassHealth Card #: _____ RID #: _____

MassHealth Provider HMO _____ PCC Psych Under 21 Other
(name of HMO)

Medicare
 Other Insurance Name of Insurance: _____ Policy #: _____

Name of Policy Holder: _____

Has eligibility for DMH continuing care services already been determined for this patient? Yes No

****Note: Please use this form when applying for transfer when the patient is already a DMH client.**

Patient name: _____

HOSPITAL INFORMATION

Referring Hospital: _____

Name of Treating Physician: _____ Telephone: () _____

Address:

_____ (number and street) (apt no) (city) (state) (zip code)

PHYSICIAN'S STATEMENT

I have reviewed the clinical criteria for referring patients to DMH for continuing care inpatient or intensive residential services and believe this patient requires this level of continuing care treatment. If the patient is accepted for transfer, the transfer will comply with M.G.L. c. 123, § 3, except for transfer to a CIRT program (children 6-12), which will be handled as a discharge.

_____, MD
Signature of Treating Physician (check if child/adolescent specialist)

Date: _____

INSTRUCTIONS:

Initiate a transfer request mailing a copy of the completed form and the following attachments to the Child/Adolescent Screening contact for the Area. (See Appendix E)

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| 1. Admission history | <input type="checkbox"/> Attached |
| 2. Physical exam | <input type="checkbox"/> Attached |
| 3. Psychiatric evaluation, including DSM-IV diagnoses (Axis I-V) | <input type="checkbox"/> Attached |
| 4. Any other initial assessments (psychosocial, medication, etc.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Attached |
| 5. Hospital course, including treatment plan, barriers to discharge, somatic therapies and compliance, alternative therapies considered, need for Section 7, 8 and 8b, estimate of response to continued treatment, reason why any recommended treatments were not tried (if applicable) | <input type="checkbox"/> Attached |
| 6. Last 10 days of progress notes | <input type="checkbox"/> Attached |
| 7. Current medications; history, changes & rationale | <input type="checkbox"/> Attached |
| 8. Copies of any relevant guardianships, including <u>Rogers</u> Order | <input type="checkbox"/> Attached |
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**RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR TRANSFER TO A DMH CONTINUING CARE
INPATIENT FACILITY, IRTP OR CIRT PROGRAM**

Level II Medical Review

Patient Name: _____

RID# (if Medicaid): _____

Hospital Name: _____

Name, DMH Area M.D. (or designee) reviewer: _____

Date of Review: _____

DMH Review Determination

Transfer Request Accepted

Transfer Request Denied (see below)

The determination to deny transfer to a DMH continuing care inpatient facility or intensive residential program is based on the following criteria:

The following recommendations were made to the treating physician:

The treating physician:

_____ Agreed to accept the determination and recommendations and understands that a request for admission to a DMH continuing care inpatient facility or intensive residential program can be re-initiated as needed.

_____ Disagreed with the determination and recommendations and plans to appeal to the Third Level Medical Review.

DMH Area Medical Director/designee

Signature

Telephone

Date of Determination

TRANSFER REQUEST APPEAL

Request by DMA MH/SAP MCO Regional Manager or Other Insurer's Medical Director for Behavioral Health for Third Level Medical Review

Patient Name: _____

RID# (if Medicaid): _____

Hospital Name: _____

MCO Regional Mngr./Insurer Medical Director Name: _____

Telephone: _____

Date of Appeal: _____

The appeal of the decision to deny transfer of the patient to a DMH continuing care inpatient facility or intensive residential program is based on the following rationale (attach additional pages as needed):

Note: MCO Regional Manager or Other Insurer's Medical Director for Behavioral Health should call the DMH Area Medical Director or designee to complete the following section.

It is determined by the MCO Regional Manager/designee or Other Insurer's Medical Director for Behavioral Health and DMH Area Medical Director/designee that this case:

_____ Requires a third level of medical review because there are unresolved clinical concerns.

_____ The request is not solely based on clinical concerns and warrants an administrative review (e.g., bed availability, legal issues).

Initiate appeal by signing below and faxing completed form to the DMH Deputy Commissioner for Clinical and Professional Services at 617-626-8058. Attach a copy of original application and denial and any other pertinent written information you want considered in the review.

MCO Regional Manager/designee or Insurer Medical Director/designee

Date Completed

DMH RESPONSE TO APPEAL

Level III Medical Review

Patient Name: _____

RID# (If Medicaid): _____

Hospital Name: _____

MCO Regional Mngr./Insurer Medical Director Name: _____

Telephone: _____

Date of Request: _____

The DMH Deputy Commissioner for Clinical and Professional Services and MCO Medical Director or Other Insurer's Medical Director for Behavioral Health has reviewed the information. The review resulted in the following determination:

- _____ Agree with request to transfer patient to a DMH continuing care inpatient facility or intensive residential program
- _____ Uphold determination to deny transfer of patient to a DMH continuing care inpatient facility or intensive residential program
 - _____ The MCO/Other Insurer *agrees* with the determination and recommendations
 - _____ The MCO/Other Insurer *disagrees* with the determination and recommendations

The determination is based on the following rationale:

The following recommendations were made to the MCO Regional Manager or Other Insurer's Medical Director and the Treating Physician:

Signature, DMH Deputy Commissioner for
Clinical and Professional Services

Date

MCO Medical Director/Other Insurer's Medical Director

Date