Department of Mental Health Adult Community Clinical Services

Frequently Asked Questions

Rehab Option: Reporting a Rehabilitative Encounter General Guidelines for Reporting

Question: What are the guidelines for the provider reporting a Rehabilitative Encounter?

Answer: Providers will accurately report Rehabilitative Encounters to the Department of Mental Health (DMH) within the timelines and specifications outlined in the DMH ACCS Billing Guidelines.

- 1. Rehabilitative Encounters may be reported for one or more of the following situations:
 - a. Staff completed work toward the development of the Adult Comprehensive Assessment) and/or updating the assessment.
 - See Frequently Asked Question Rehab Option: Reporting a Rehabilitative Encounter, Development of the Comprehensive Assessment and Comprehensive Assessment Update for further details.
 - Staff completed work toward the development of the Community Service Plan and/ or review or revision of the Community Service Plan See Frequently Asked Question – Rehab Option: Reporting, Development of the Community Service Plan and/or review or revision of the Community Service Plan for further details.
- 2. All activities performed must be documented in a Monthly Note following the proper documentation standards.

(See ACCS Billing Guidelines for coding)