

FYI Fridays

DBH Updates, Notices, and Policy Guidance

April 10, 2020

1. **Budget Update** – On Wednesday, April 8, the supplemental bill was delivered to the Governor and is awaiting his signature. The total for the supplemental bill is \$6.2B and includes \$246M of GR along with federal authority to allow for the acceptance and expending of the COVID stimulus funding coming to the state. The supplemental bill includes federal authority for a Crisis Counseling Grant (\$5M), Suicide Prevention Grant (\$900K) and \$834K GR for a rate rebase for the Children’s Division residential providers.
2. **MHD Hot Tips** - A new Hot Tip has been posted on the MO HealthNet Division [Provider Hot Tip Page](#) as follows:
 - [COVID-19: New Laboratory Codes updated 04/09/2020](#)
 - [NOW STATEWIDE! --Missouri Child Psychiatry Access Project](#)

For provider and policy issues regarding MHD Clinical Services Programs, including Pharmacy, The Missouri Rx Plan (MORx), Psychology, Exceptions, and Medical Precertifications, email: clinical.services@dss.mo.gov. Questions and comments regarding any other issues should be directed to: ask.MHD@dss.mo.gov

3. **COVID-19 Update** – At this point, we will continue to do one call per week on Wednesdays at 12:00p.m. Resources that we encourage you to check out (these pages all continue to be updated):

DBH COVID-19 Guidance/Resources - <https://dmh.mo.gov/coronavirus-covid-19-information>

DMH Disaster Services Website - <https://dmh.mo.gov/disaster-services/covid-19-information>

MO DHSS Website - <https://health.mo.gov/living/healthcondiseases/communicable/novel-coronavirus/>

CDC Website - <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

CMS Website - <https://www.cms.gov/newsroom/press-releases/cms-publishes-first-set-covid-19-frequently-asked-questions-faqs-state-medicaid-and-childrens-health>

4. **Fiscal Year End Billing Cutoffs** -

- **Medicaid cutoff – 5/31/20 (Check date 6/30/20)**
- **Non-Medicaid cutoff – 6/14/20 (Check date 6/26/20)**

Cutoff Dates for Services will be as follows:

Medicaid – Applies to CSTAR/CPR/TCM/ACT/CCBHC

- The last cutoff for IGTRM Medicaid billings to use the FY20 allocation is **5/31/20** (check date 6/30/20). After the cutoff DMH Central Office will transfer all remaining dollars to Non-Medicaid for CPS. For ADA, the balance remaining in your redirect will be moved. If there is a need for more than your redirected amount please submit your request to Becky Wolken and Vicki Schollmeyer.
- All requests to transfer funds into IGTRM Medicaid allocations must be submitted **no later than noon on May 27, 2020** to:
 - Regional Staff,
 - Becky Wolken (Becky.Wolken@dmh.mo.gov),
 - Copy Vicki Schollmeyer (vicki.schollmeyer@dmh.mo.gov) **for ADA**, and Amy Jones (amy.jones@dmh.mo.gov) **for CPS**.
- All Medicaid services billed after 5/31/20 will be paid from your FY21 Medicaid allocation.

Non-Medicaid – Applies to CPS (non-Medicaid), CSTAR (non-Medicaid), PR+, SATOP, Compulsive Gambling, Recovery Supports and CCBHC (non-Medicaid)

- The last invoice cut-off for non-Medicaid encounters is **06/14/20** (check date 06/26/20). If you need money moved from Non-Medicaid to Medicaid Ineligibles, you will need to complete the Allocation Transfer Request Form (attached).
- All non-Medicaid transfer requests for FY20 must be submitted **no later than noon on June 10, 2020** to:
 - Regional Staff,
 - Becky Wolken (Becky.Wolken@dmh.mo.gov),
 - Copy Vicki Schollmeyer (vicki.schollmeyer@dmh.mo.gov) **for ADA**, and Amy Jones (amy.jones@dmh.mo.gov) **for CPS**
- All Non-Medicaid services billed after 6/14/20 will be paid from your FY21 Non-Medicaid allocation.
- **June 14, 2020 is a tentative billing date based on prior year information. DMH reserves the right to change this date based on the MHD RA cycle.**

If you have any questions, please email the CIMOR **DBH Support Center** by [Logging In](#) and selecting the **Help Ticket** option found on the left side menu of the portal, <https://portal.dmh.mo.gov>.

Info and Resources

1. **Missouri Eating Disorders Council** - Check out the Missouri Eating Disorders Council website and their April Newsletter. For resources, information, and training on Eating Disorders go to: <http://www.moedc.org/training/training-events/april-training-newsletter/>
2. **Probation and Parole Regional Oversight Meetings** – These are subject to change given rapidly changing plans regarding COVID-19.

June 5 – Southwest Region – 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
Location: Library, 4653 S. Campbell, Springfield

June 9 – Western Region - 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
Location: KC-ATC, 2600 E. 12th St. Kansas City

June 22 – North Central Region – 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
Location: Columbia P&P Office, 1903 N. Providence, Columbia

June 23 – NE Region – (Districts 11, 16, 17, and 38) – 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
Location: P&P Office, Spencer Road Library, 427 Spencer, St. Peters

TBD – NE Region – (Districts 3, 18 and 26) 9:00 am – 11:00 am - (To be rescheduled from April 14)
Location: P&P Office, 1317 E. Highway 24, Suite B, Moberly

TBD – Eastern Region – 9:30 am – 12:00 pm - (To be rescheduled from April 20)
Location: P&P Office District 7S, 3101 Chouteau, St. Louis

TBD – SE Region – 10:00 am – 12:00 pm - (To be rescheduled from April 21)
Location: La Croix Methodist, 3102 Lexington, Cape Girardeau

Training Events

1. **Pain and Opioids: Choices in a Time of Crisis (SOR Training Series, Part 2)** - This **webinar** will feature three leading medical experts in the fields of pain and addiction. We will discuss the challenges in treating long-term pain, complexities of the patient-clinician relationship, as well as a policy analysis of the decline in opioid prescriptions, the pros and cons of opioid tapering, and strategies for integrating treatment for opioid use disorder when identified in patients being treated for pain. Will now include discussion of how COVID-19-related changes are impacting patients and providers in the realms of pain and addiction. **April 20, 2020 10 a.m. – 11 a.m. CST.** To register, [CLICK HERE](#).

2. **Telehealth Learning Series for SUD Providers and Recovery Supports** - The Addiction Technology Transfer Center (ATTC) Network, the Center for Excellence on Protected Health Information (CoE-PHI), the Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies (CASAT) at the University of Nevada - Reno (UNR), and the National Consortium of Telehealth Resource Centers are facilitating a FREE, national online discussion and resource sharing opportunity for substance use disorder (SUD) treatment providers and peer support specialists faced with transitioning their services to the use of telephone and videoconferencing methods in response to COVID-19 social distancing guidelines.

The series will feature:

- Live, one-hour sessions every week for at least 5 weeks via Zoom video conferencing (we may add more weeks based on demand!). Each session will include at least 45 minutes of peer-to-peer conversation and information exchange and “Top Five” tips and lessons learned
- Access to experienced providers and others with expertise in providing services using videoconferencing (telehealth) and telephone for SUD treatment and recovery support
- Access to professionals with expertise in protected health information and 42CFR Part 2
- Training tools, checklists, and other relevant resources

No registration required for the live sessions. Simply click on the zoom link at the appropriate date and time to join the discussion. No CEs will be provided for these sessions. Will be held the weeks of March 30 through April 27. Click the button below for specific dates and times. [CLICK HERE FOR FULL SCHEDULE OF SESSIONS](#)

3. **Webinar Series on Recovery from SMI** - The Northeast and Caribbean MHTTC is proud to offer a webinar series on: *Recovery from Serious Mental Illness (SMI) and the Practices that Support Recovery*. This series will introduce the participant to recovery from SMI and many of the evidence-based and promising practices that support recovery. Click [here](#) for more information and to register.

Upcoming events in the series (all events take place from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. E.T.):

- **April 16** - Supervision of Peer Providers: Effective Supervision of Peers by Non-Peer Supervisors
- **April 23** - Role of Health and Wellness in Recovery: Interventions to Reduce the High Rates of Morbidity and Mortality Among People with Serious Mental Illnesses
- **May 7** - Role of Religion and Spirituality in Recovery: Benefits and Challenges of Religion and Spirituality in Recovery and Strategies for Navigating this Topic
- **May 21** - Recovery in the Hispanic and Latinx Community: What is the Understanding of Recovery in the Hispanic and Latina Community and How Can We Support It

Recurring Training Opportunities

Please contact the training sponsor as these events may be subject to change given the developing COVID-19 situation.

1. **MCB's Clinical Supervision Trainings** - This training is required for an individual to be a MCB Qualified Clinical Supervisor. If you have any questions, please contact the MCB office at 573-616-2300 or help@missouricb.com.
- **May 14 and 15, 2020** - Kansas City - [Click Here for May Training Registration Form](#)
 - **July 30 and 31st, 2020** - Joplin - [Click Here for the July Joplin CST Training Registration Form](#)
 - **November 19 and 20, 2020** - St. Louis - [Click Here for the November St. Louis CST Training Registration Form](#)
2. **MAT (Buprenorphine) Waiver Course** - Opioid SOR, in partnership with the Missouri Coalition for Community Behavioral Healthcare are providing an 8-hour MAT Waiver Course. This **course** is different from the traditional 8-hour live course, as the first 4-hours will be in person and then the last 4-hours will be individual online work. Once you complete the first 4-hour live training, you will receive an email from AAAP with a link for the other 4-hours of individual work. Once that work is completed, they will send you a certificate of completion.

AVAILABLE TRAINING DATES:

St. Louis, Missouri

Saturday, June 13, 2020 - Time: 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., Presenter: Dr. Fred Rottnek

Saturday, August 8, 2020 - Time: 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., Presenter: Dr. Fred Rottnek

Saturday, September 26, 2020 - Time: 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., Presenter: Dr. Evan Schwarz

Saturday, November 7, 2020 - Time: 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., Presenter: Dr. Evan Schwarz

Register Here: <http://www.cvent.com/d/chqswm>

**Additional dates may be added throughout the year.*

8 Hour Online MAT Waiver Training

Register Here: <https://learning.pcssnow.org/p/onlinematwaiver>

3. **Certified Peer Specialist Supervision Trainings** - The MCB will be offering the following Certified Peer Specialist Supervision Trainings. The training has been changed slightly and updated for 2020 so if you have attended previously, you are welcome to sign up again. These trainings are free and lunch is provided. [Click Here for the Peer Specialist Supervision Training Registration Form](#). If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the MCB office at 573-616-2300 or help@missouricb.com.

Thursday June 25 - St. Louis, MO

Thursday August 13 - Springfield, MO

Thursday October 15 - Cape Girardeau, MO

Thursday December 17 - Jefferson City, MO

Look for updates on different topics/initiatives next Friday!