

FYI FRIDAYS

DBH Updates, Notices, and Policy Guidance **September 30, 2022**

Prior issues of FYI Fridays can be found at: <https://dmh.mo.gov/mental-illness/fyi-fridays>

1. **Administrative Rules Update on Administrative Rules** – Below is a list of new or updated rules that are published in the October 3, 2022, issue of the Missouri Register <https://www.sos.mo.gov/adrules/moreg/moreg>
 - 9 CSR 30-3.190 Specialized Program for Women and Children - Proposed Rescission;
 - 9 CSR 30-3.190 Comprehensive Substance Treatment and Rehabilitation (CSTAR) Program for Women and Children – Proposed Rule (comments should be submitted as indicated in the MO Register); and
 - 9 CSR 30-4.0432 Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) in Community Psychiatric Rehabilitation Programs – Final Order Amendment.

If you have any questions, please contact debbie.mcbaine@dmh.mo.gov

2. **CIMOR PRIORITY** – The 2022/2023 Sliding Fee Scale is available on the DMH website: <https://dmh.mo.gov/about/administration/reimbursements>. This scale is **effective October 1, 2022**. If your agency has branch offices that administer the SMT, please ensure that they are informed about the new Sliding Fee Scale. If you have any questions, please login to the [Department of Mental Health Portal](#) and email the **CIMOR DBH Support Center** by selecting the [Help Ticket](#) link, found on the left side of the portal.
3. **CIMOR PRIORITY** – On September 29, 2022 the Division of Behavioral Health (DBH) has scheduled for all consumers currently enrolled in the State Opioid Response (SOR) 2.0 Grant to be Administratively Discharged. This will also enter an Administrative Discharge GPRA. Each provider will need to complete a new SOR program assignment, TEDS, and intake GPRA for individuals continuing to receive SOR services. The Program name will become either ADA ASAM SOR Grant 3.0, ADA Opioid SOR Grant 3.0, or CPS Opioid SOR Grant 3.0. Please see attached memo previously sent out on **August 30, 2022**. A couple of important items from the memo:
 - The new intake GPRA will need to be entered within **30 calendar days** (until October 29, 2022) of the administrative discharge GPRA and dated September 30, 2022, or dated before the next SOR service is provided. Any intake GPRA's entered after October 29, 2022 will not allow the September 30, 2022 date to be entered, which will also have an effect on the program assignment date.
 - A new SOR program assignment and TEDS will need to be completed by the provider in CIMOR, dated September 30, 2022 or after, for individuals continuing to receive SOR services

Each provider will receive a list of consumers who were Administratively Discharged during this process, to assist them with re-enrolling consumers. These lists will be placed in your individual SFTP folder under Reports/ADA. The document will be titled ProviderNameSOR2Consumers. Once all files have been dropped to providers another CIMOR Priority email will be sent out letting you know this is complete.

For batch billing the service category will be ADAASAMSOR3, ADAOPSOR3, or CPSOPSOR3.

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4. **CIMOR PRIORITY** – The Administrative Discharge for SOR 2.0 consumers in CIMOR has been completed. All programs and GPRAs have an Administrative Discharge date and time of 9/29/2022 11:59 PM, which will allow you to begin re-enrolling consumers effective September 30, 2022 once contracts have been completed. Each provider should have a spreadsheet listing all consumers who had a program and/or discharge GPRA completed. These spreadsheets have been placed in your individual SFTP Folder under Reports, and titled ProviderNameSOR2Consumers.

There are two (2) tabs at the bottom of the excel document. The Discharged GPRAs is a list of consumers who had an Administrative Discharge entered in for the GPRA on the IntakeInterviewDate. The Closed SOR Programs tab is a list of consumers who had an Administrative Discharge entered for the SOR program.

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5. **Spring Training Institute-Call for Presentations** – Don't miss out on the opportunity to present at the premiere behavioral health event on **May 18-19, 2023**, in person at the Lake of the Ozarks, Tan Tar A Conference Resort.

The DMH Spring Training Institute will be brought to you in-person this year. Be a part of this annual training event by submitting your presentation for consideration. We will have more than 60 sessions to fill this year.



Proposals are to be submitted before **November 1, 2022** to be considered. Those chosen will be notified by January 15, 2023. Don't miss out on this opportunity to present to almost 1000 behavioral health care professional from across Missouri and beyond. [Click Here](#) to Submit your Presentation

JOB ANNOUNCEMENTS

Research Data Analyst

This position is within the Division of Behavioral Health with the Department of Mental Health domiciled in Jefferson City, MO. Application deadline is October 10, 2022. [Learn More and Apply!](#)

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This position is within the Division of Behavioral Health with the Department of Mental Health domiciled in Jefferson City, MO. Application deadline is October 14, 2022. [Learn More and Apply!](#)

Certification and Program Monitoring Coordinator

This position is within the Division of Behavioral Health with the Department of Mental Health domiciled in Jefferson City, MO. Application deadline is October 14, 2022. [Learn More and Apply!](#)

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Open positions across the state and throughout the DMH can be found at

[MO Careers - Department of Mental Health](#)

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

1. **New NIDA Funding Opportunity: New Models of Integrated HIV/AIDS, Addiction and Primary Care Services** – The National Institutes of Health’s (NIH) National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) announced a [funding opportunity](#) for research on improving health outcomes for those who are at heightened risk for or live with HIV and substance use disorder (SUD) and strategies for integrating primary care, HIV, and SUD prevention and treatment services. NIDA seeks applications to develop/test replicable, scalable, and sustainable organizational and systems-level interventions that provide comprehensive, optimally integrated evidence-based care across the full continuum of HIV, SUD prevention and treatment, and primary care services to improve coordination of care and health outcomes related to HIV and SUD. Interventions should also aim to reduce social and structural barriers to care coordination.
2. **Project AWARE Funding Opportunity** – The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Center for Mental Health Services (CMHS), is accepting applications for fiscal year (FY) 2022 Project AWARE (Advancing Wellness and Resiliency in Education) program (Short Title: AWARE). The purpose of Project AWARE is to develop a sustainable infrastructure for school-based mental health programs and services. Grant recipients are expected to build collaborative partnerships with the State Education Agency (SEA), Local Education Agency (LEA), Tribal Education Agency (TEA), the State Mental Health Agency (SMHA), community-based providers of behavioral health care services, school personnel, community organizations, families, and school-aged youth. [Read the full announcement here.](#)
3. **HRSA Still Accepting Applications for RHC Buprenorphine-Trained Providers** – The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) is still accepting applications for the [Drug Addiction Treatment Act of 2000 \(DATA 2000\) Waiver Training Payment Program](#) launched in June 2021, which aims to expand access to substance use disorder (SUD) treatment through payments to providers who are [waivered to prescribe buprenorphine](#) to treat opioid use disorder (OUD). Eligible Rural Health Clinics (RHCs) can apply for a \$3,000 payment on behalf of each provider who trained to obtain the waiver necessary to prescribe buprenorphine after January 1, 2019. Approximately \$1.2 million in program funding remains available and will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis until exhausted.
4. **Research to Foster an Opioid Use Disorder Treatment System Patients Can Count On (RM1-Clinical Trial Optional)** – The National Institutes of Health’s (NIH) National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) announced a [funding opportunity](#) as part of the [Helping to End Addiction Long-term \(HEAL\) initiative](#) aimed at creating opioid use disorder (OUD) treatment systems. NIDA seeks applications for multi-project RM1 Opioid Use Disorder Quality Measurement and Management Research Centers (OUD-QM2RCs). The program aims to create feasible, efficient quality measurement systems to provide information to help patients, families, and payors compare and select providers and help clinicians and providers improve patient outcomes. [Learn More](#)

INFO and RESOURCES

1. **New Harm Reduction TA Stakeholder Analysis** – To successfully address the unprecedented public health crisis of rising drug overdose deaths in the U.S, people who use drugs (PWUD) must have access to a full continuum of care and services, including harm reduction. Mental health and substance use disorder (SUD) treatment organizations can play a vital role in supporting PWUD by providing or linking them to harm reduction services and related supports. The National Council for Mental Wellbeing, with support from the National Association of County and City Health Officials, conducted a mixed-methods stakeholder analysis to better understand the types of technical assistance that mental health and SUD treatment providers need when adopting harm reduction services for PWUD. [Link to Summary of Findings](#)
2. **New CDD Releases New Data on Viral Hepatitis and Progress Toward National Goals** – The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recently published two reports with new data on viral hepatitis and national efforts to address its spread and mortality. The [Viral Hepatitis Surveillance Report– United States, 2020](#) highlights surveillance and mortality data on hepatitis A, B, and C and outcome data from [CDC’s Perinatal Hepatitis B](#)

[Prevention Program](#). CDC also released the [2022 Viral Hepatitis National Progress Report](#) on progress toward national goals of preventing viral hepatitis transmission, disease, and associated mortality.

3. **New Demystifying Psychedelic-Assisted Therapies** – Amid promising study results, psychedelics are currently a popular topic of discussion within the field of mental healthcare, with many speculating about its therapeutic potential and implications for psychiatric practice. Psych Congress meeting Co-Chair Andrew D. Penn, MS, PMHNP, presented his session entitled, “Psychedelic-assisted Psychotherapy: How is it Different From What We Already Do?” Ahead of his presentation, Penn spoke with *Psych Congress Network* about what exactly psychedelic-assisted psychotherapy is, how its potential differs from traditional approaches to mental healthcare, and his musings on how psychedelics may change the field in the near future. [Learn More](#)
4. **Cariprazine Effective Against ADT- Resistant MDD** – Patients with [major depressive disorder](#) (MDD) who have inadequate response to antidepressant treatment (ADT) could benefit from adjunctive treatment with cariprazine (CAR). [Read More](#)
5. **Added Brexpiprazole Improves Life Engagement in Adults with Major Depression** – Adjunctive brexpiprazole was associated with significant gains in patient life engagement in adults with major depressive disorder (MDD) and inadequate response to antidepressant treatment. [Read More](#)
6. **Hispanic Heritage Month** – Every year, Hispanic Heritage Month is observed from September 15 to October 15. The theme for this year’s observance is *Unidos: Inclusivity for a Stronger Nation*. Throughout the month, the HHS Office of Minority Health (OMH) will partner with other federal offices and stakeholders to share bilingual education messages about disease prevention and health promotion to help build healthier and stronger Latino communities. Visit the OMH Hispanic Heritage Month website to find resources [Hispanic Heritage Month – Resources \(hhs.gov\)](#), social media [Hispanic Heritage Month – Social Media \(hhs.gov\)](#) and other materials.
7. **Prioritizing Practical Care When Treating Prolonged Grief Disorder** – Dr. Iglewicz talks about how the pandemic affected diagnoses of PGD, key symptoms clinicians should keep an eye out for, common misconceptions about the disorder, and where providers can find more resources for clinical practice.
8. **Adopting Measurement-Based Care in Substance Use Disorder Treatment** – Measurement-based care provides indicators of treatment progress to clinicians and patients that enable them to tailor the treatment approach to patient needs in real time. While standard practice in many medical settings, it is not yet commonplace in substance use disorder treatment. In this study, the researchers pilot tested a measurement-based care assessment tool in an outpatient treatment program. [Read More](#)

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

1. **What Leadership Teams Need to Know about Risk Management, Avoiding Lawsuits and Breaches of the Standard of Care** – This webinar addresses five critical principles for avoiding lawsuits and breaches of the standard of care. These principles are based on over 50 years lessons learned in litigation of behavioral healthcare professional liability claims. **Wednesday, October 5, 2022, 11 am CT.** [Register](#)
2. **Psychological First Aid Training** – Psychological First Aid (PFA) is an evidence-informed modular approach to help individuals of all ages in the immediate aftermath of disaster and terrorism. PFA was developed by the National Child Traumatic Stress Network and the National Center for PTSD, with contributions from individuals involved in disaster research and response. **Thursday, October 6, 2022, 9am-4pm CT.** [Register](#)
3. **Treating Grief as a Mental Health Condition** – This webinar will present on the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual DSM 5 (TR) perspective as it relates to grief and a Major Depression diagnosis. **Tuesday, October 11, 2022, 12am CT.** [Register](#)

4. **New Integrating Harm Reduction into the Substance Use Disorder Care Continuum** – This webinar will begin to explore how substance use disorder treatment providers can utilize harm reduction strategies to support PWUD and more effectively address and treat addiction. *Thursday, October 13, 2022, 12pm CT.* [Register](#)
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6. **CoE-HIS CLAS**
 - **Part 2-Introduction to the Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Standard (CLAS)** – *Thursday, October 20, 1pm CT.* [Register](#)
 - **Part 3-Implementing the Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Standard (CLAS)** – *Tuesday, November 15, 1pm CT.* [Register](#)
7. **2022 Fearon Institute: “Let’s Talk: Creating Space Through Togetherness and Transparency”** – During this day of learning, attendees will be inspired to approach community mental health from a lens that welcomes honesty, individuality, and advocacy. Sessions will include a state legislative update, Christie’s keynote, as well as two-panel discussions entitled, “We’re Not Okay: Identifying and Treating Suicidality in Diverse Populations,” and “The Intersection of Research and Recovery.” *Friday, October 21, 2022, 9am-4:15pm CT.* [Register](#)
8. **Incorporating Recovery Support to Address Opioid Use Disorders** – *Wednesday, October 26, 2022, 11:30am CT.*
9. **AMSR SUD Training** – Assessing and Managing Suicide Risk for Substance Use Disorder Treatment Professionals is a 6.5 hour virtual training for providers who offer any level of substance use treatments to clients at risk of suicide. *November 10, 2022, 8:30 am- 4:00 pm CT.* [Register](#)
10. **Medication Awareness Recovery Specialist Training Program** – This program is a comprehensive training program that provides 40 hours of training on using medications during the recovery process. *November 10, 2022, 9:00-12:00 or 1:00-4:00 CT.* [Register](#)
11. **MAT Waiver Course** – Opioid SOR 2.0, in partnership with the Missouri Behavioral Health Council are providing an 8-hour Virtual MAT Waiver Course. This course is different from the traditional 8-hour live course, as the first 4-hours will be live through Zoom and then the last 4-hours will be individual online work. *Saturday, December 3, 2022, 8:30 am-12:30pm CT.*
12. **Missouri Suicide Prevention Network** – The Missouri Suicide Prevention Network wants to hear your voice. These are community meetings where you can share your thoughts and ideas on suicide prevention. Zoom connection-<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85035109251?pwd+WmFhS0RsVDU1cmZyK2D4EVybHFRUT09> Meeting ID: 850 3510 9251 Passcode: 818397 *December 15, 2022, 6pm-7:30pm*

RECURRING TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

1. **2022 Missouri Recovery Support Specialist Training** – The purpose of the Recovery Support Specialist Training is to train and credential qualified participants to work as staff and/or volunteers with people with a behavioral health disorder. Recovery Support Specialists enter into ongoing mentoring relationships that help individuals who are in recovery or who are considering recovery from a behavioral health disorder to produce extraordinary results in their lives, careers, businesses, organizations, etc. [Register](#)
October 3-5, 2022, 8am-5pm CT, Location-Sikeston
 - *October 5-7, 2022, 8am-5pm CT, Location-St. Louis*
 - *October 14-16, 2022, 8am-5pm CT, Location-Fredericktown*

2. **NAMI Basics** – NAMI Basics is a free education program for parents and family caregivers of children and teens who are experiencing symptoms of a mental illness or who have already been diagnosed. The NAMI Basics course is led by trained teachers who are the parent or other caregivers of individuals who developed the symptoms of mental illness prior to the age of 13 years. All sessions are **6 pm to 8:30 pm**.
 - **October 6, 2022 to November 10, 2022** [Register](#)
3. **CPS Specialty Trainings (MCB)** –
 - **Staying Motivated-October 14, 2022, 9am-12pm CT** [Register](#)
 - **Peers and DOC Supervision-December 16, 2022, 9am-12pm CT** [Register](#)
4. **Missouri Credentialing Board Conferences** – Topics for these training are: Trauma Informed Care, Human Trafficking Awareness and combating Substance Use. The fee includes instructional materials, lunch on the day of the Conference. To register, complete the registration online.
 - **October 18, 2022, 8am-4pm CT. Kansas City-Registration deadline-September 26, 2022** [Register](#)
5. **Clinical Supervision Trainings (MCB)** –
 - **October 20-21, 2022, 8am -2pm Ct.** [Register](#)
 - **December 8-9, 2022, 8am -2pm Ct.** [Register](#)
6. **Motivational Interviewing**
 - **Intermediate Motional Interviewing Training- Wednesday, October 26, 2022, 11am CT.** [Register](#)
 - **Introductory/Refresher Virtual Motivational Interviewing-Tuesday, November 29, 2022, 11pm-3pm CT.** [Register](#)
7. **Specialty Peer Instruction Series** – The UMSL-MIMH SOR 2.0 team, in close collaboration with six of Missouri's Certified Peer Specialists, created a Specialty Peer Instruction series designed to help expand knowledge for peers beyond the Certified Peer Specialist courses. These modules are now available for peers for FREE! Topics include: How to talk about Medication for Addiction Treatment; Professional expectations, ethics, & boundaries; How to identify and address stress, compassion fatigue, grief, & secondary trauma; Working with peers with co-occurring mental illness & substance use disorders; and How to assess and refer peers experiencing suicidality, domestic violence, and sex trafficking. Individuals will also **be able to receive continuing education credits towards their CPS renewal and the Advanced CPS credential.** [Register](#)
8. **Family Support Provider Training** –The community support provider is primarily providing supports and services to the child or youth and family to help reduce risk factors. They help the child or youth to identify their needs and barriers to being more successful. They develop goals, identify strengths, and provide support for them to learn and practice new skills. They also work with the child or youth and family to increase their ability to communicate more effectively and learn how to solve problems when needed. [Register](#)
9. **2022 Peer Specialist Trainings** – Please see the peer specialist trainings provided by the MCB below.
 - **Certified Peer Specialist Basic Training** – [Register \(New Dates added\)](#)
 - **Peer Specialist Supervisor Training** – [Register](#)
 - **Certified Peer Specialist Specialty Training** – This training can only be taken by those who already hold a CPS or CRPR credential. The topics will change monthly, please refer to the registration form for the topics being offered during the current quarter. [Register](#)
10. **2022 Ethics and MRSS Trainings** – Please see the trainings provided by the MCB below.
 - **Missouri Recovery Support Specialist Trainings** – [Register](#)
 - **Ethics Trainings** – [Register](#)

Important Information about Ethics Training

In regards to the 2022 Spring Renewals and any new credential applications being submitted to the Missouri Credentialing Board, the requirement that Ethics training be "live" continues to be waived until further notice.

The Missouri Credentialing Board is currently accepting any form of Ethics training (for example: live, Zoom, online/self-study) due to the pandemic conditions and recommendations of the Center for Disease Control.

Look for new information and resources coming next Friday!