

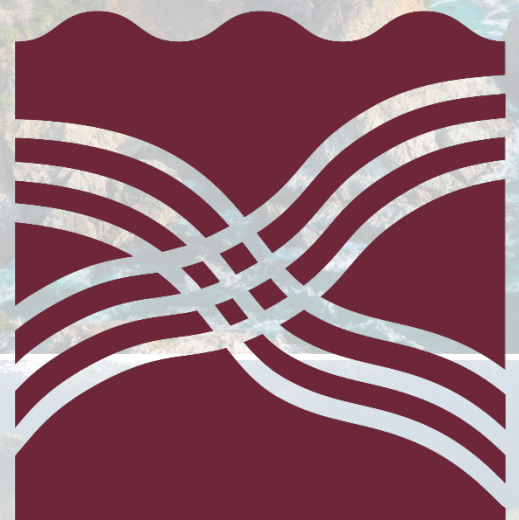


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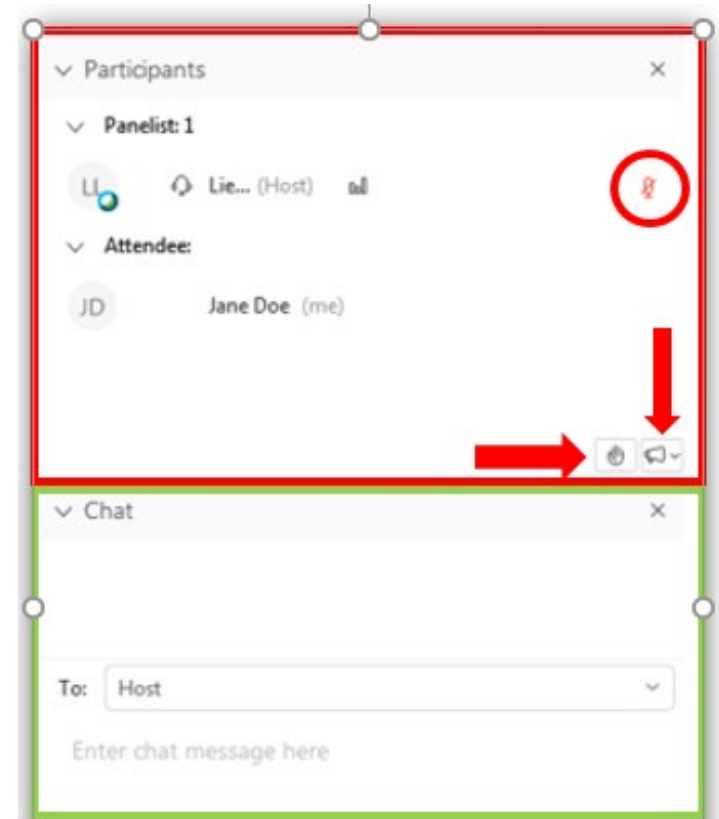
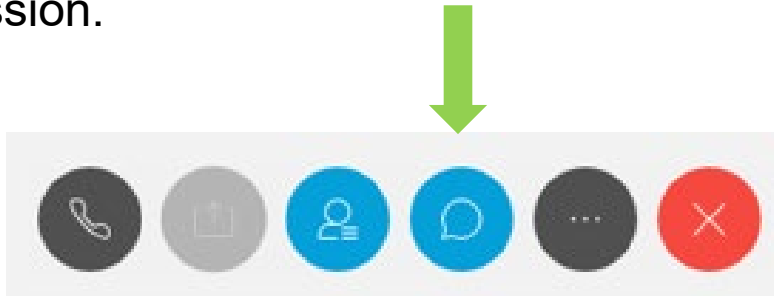


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- Materials will be emailed to all participants after the presentation.
- To avoid noise interference all lines will be muted at the beginning of this webinar.
- If you have a question or would like to share your comments during the webinar, **please type your question in the “Chat” box located in the Participants box.**
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Agenda

- Outpatient Services
- Intensive Outpatient Services
- Residential Treatment
- Withdrawal Management
- Billing Units
- Opioid Treatment Program
- Recovery Services
- Upcoming Trainings
- Questions



Today's Expectations

- During the training today the team will not be addressing questions related to rates, whether verbal or through the chat. Your contract is considered proprietary to us, and it will not be discussed in the presence of others. Thank you for your understanding.
- Provide you an introduction to the code changes that go in to affect 7/1/2023.
- Attempt to provide a scale up opportunity (where needed) to assist in ensuring the changes do not impact revenue.
- Provide guidance on how to bill units moving forward.

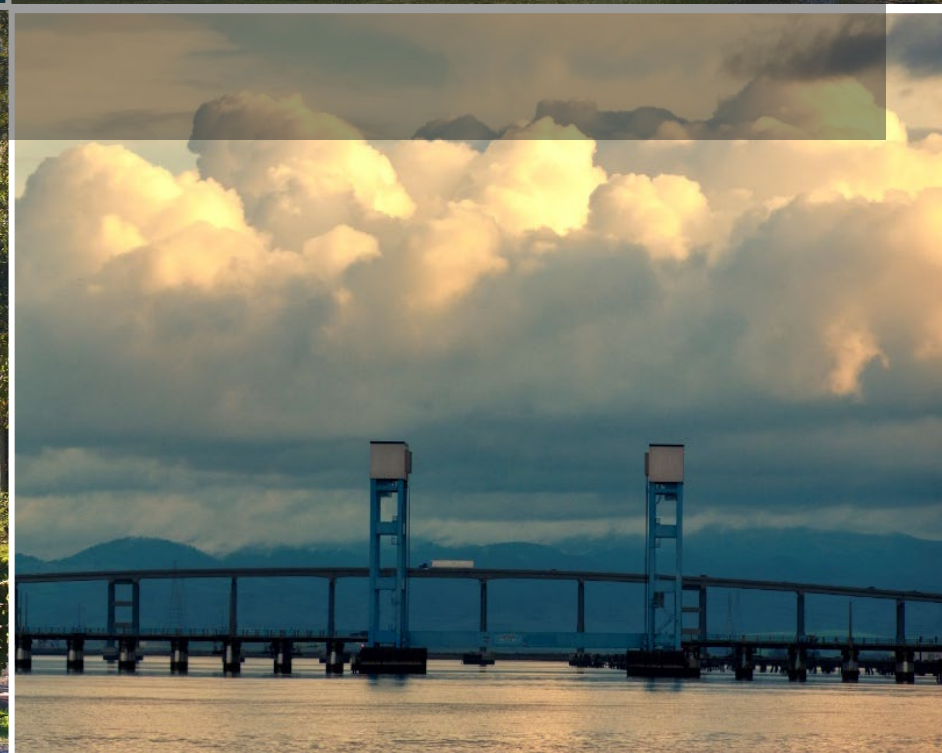


Outpatient Services

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Outpatient Services (ASAM Level1)

Outpatient services are provided to beneficiaries up to nine hours per week for adults, and less than six hours per week for adolescents. Services using level of care **Modifier U7** include and not limited to:

- ASAM Assessment- G2011, G0396, G0397
- Care Coordination- 99367, 99368, 99451, H1000 (peri), T1017
- Counseling (individual and group)- H0004, H0005
- Family Therapy- 90846, 90847, 90849
- Medication Management- G2212, H0033, or H0034
- Patient Education- H2014
- Recovery Services- H2015, H2017, H2035
- SUD Crisis Intervention Services- 96170, 96171

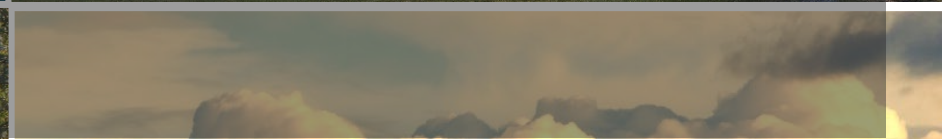


Intensive Outpatient Services (ASAM Level 2.1)

Structured programming services are provided to beneficiaries a minimum of nine hours with a maximum of nineteen hours a week for adults, and a minimum of six hours with a maximum of nineteen hours a week for adolescents. Services billed with level of care **Modifier U8** consist of, but not limited to:

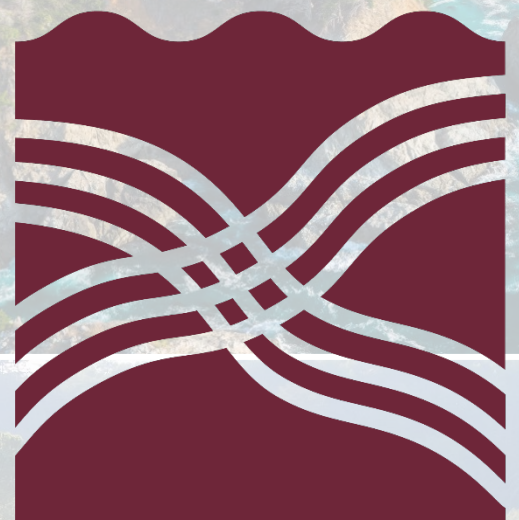
- ASAM Assessment- G2011, G0396, or G0397
- Care Coordination- 99367, 99368, 99451, H1000 (peri), T1017, T1006
- Counseling (individual and group)- H0004 or H0005
- Family Therapy- 90846, 90847, 90849
- Medication & MAT Services- H0033, H0034
- Patient Education- H2014
- Recovery Services- H2015, H2017, or H2035
- SUD Crisis Intervention Services- 96170 or 96171

Group size is limited to no less than two (2) and no more than twelve (12) beneficiaries during a 90-minute session.



Residential Treatment

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Residential Treatment (ASAM Level 3.1, 3.3 & 3.5)

- **Modifier U1, U2, U3**

- This treatment is a non-institutional, 24-hour non-medical, short-term program that provides rehabilitation services which includes intake, individual and group counseling, patient education, family therapy, safeguarding medications, collateral services, crisis intervention, treatment planning, transportation services, and discharge services. **These services are included in the all-inclusive day rate billed under H0019.**
- In order for residential treatment to be reimbursed on a daily basis, the service provided must include a required structured activity on the date of billing as outlined in MHSUDS IN18-001.



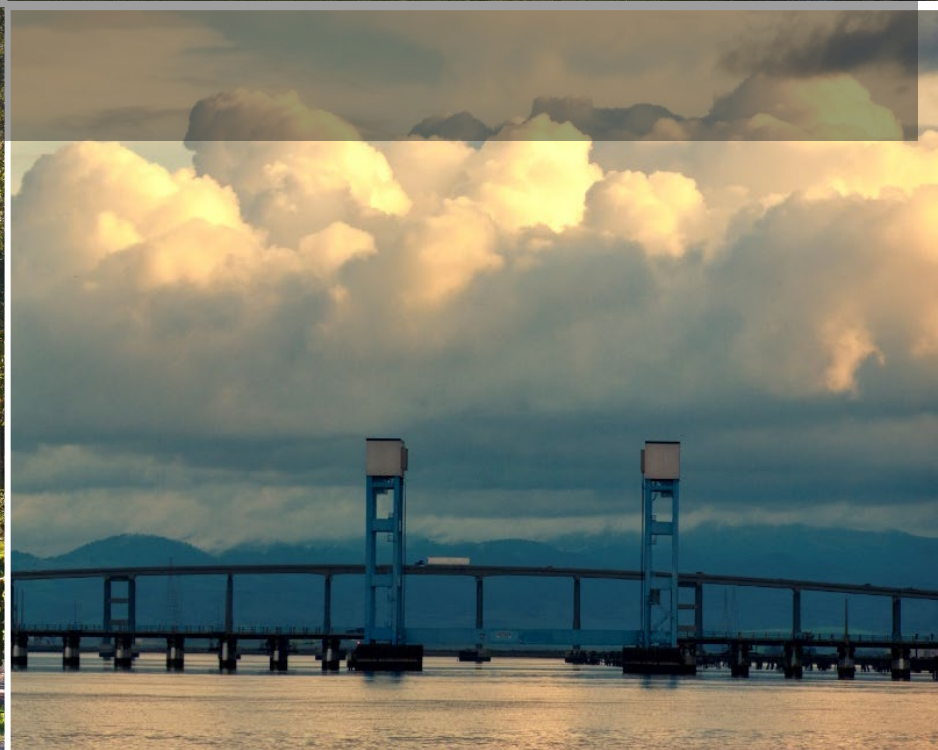
Withdrawal Management



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Withdrawal Management (ASAM 3.2)

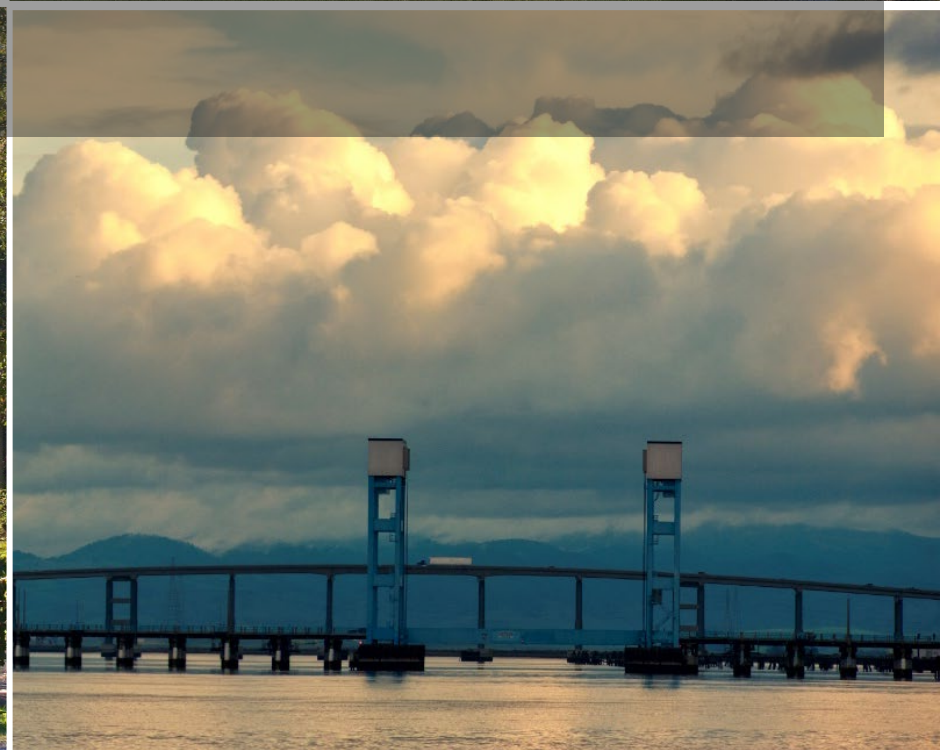
- Withdrawal Management services includes intake, observation, medication services, and discharge services. These services are included in the all-inclusive day rate billed under **H0012**.
- H0012 still coincides with level of care **Modifier U9**.

Billing Units

- Single minutes will no longer be accepted.
- All services except NTP and Residential shall be billed in 15 minute increments. Units, not minutes will be required for billing effective 7/1/2023.
- PHC will follow CMS guidelines for rounding
 - **Example:** If 7 minutes of a 15 minute procedure was documented, it is not reimbursable as the service time must be at least 50% of the billing requirement



Opioid Treatment Program



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Opioid (Narcotic) Treatment Program (ASAM OTP Level 1)

H0020, S5000 and S5001

- NTPs/OTPs are required to offer and prescribe medications to patients covered under the DMC-ODS Waiver; including Methadone, Buprenorphine, Naloxone and Disulfiram.
- A National Drug Code (NDC) is required for Buprenorphine, Naloxone, and Disulfiram, not for Methadone. One unit per day is allowed for dosing.

H0004 or H0005

- Both individual counseling and group counseling will be required to use a 10-minute increment, as is current practice in regular DMC NTP billing and billed as **H0004 or H0005**.

Example:

- If 4 minutes of a 10 minute procedure was documented, it is not reimbursable as the service time must be at least 50% of the billing requirement

Recovery Services Modifier U6

H2015

- Comprehensive community support services, per 15 minutes*
- *Separate and distinct from Community Support (CS) services

H2017

- Psychosocial Rehabilitation, per 15 Minutes

H2035

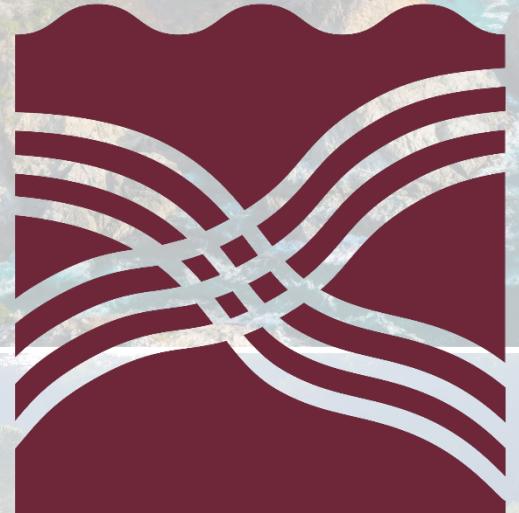
- Alcohol and/or other drug treatment program, Per Hour



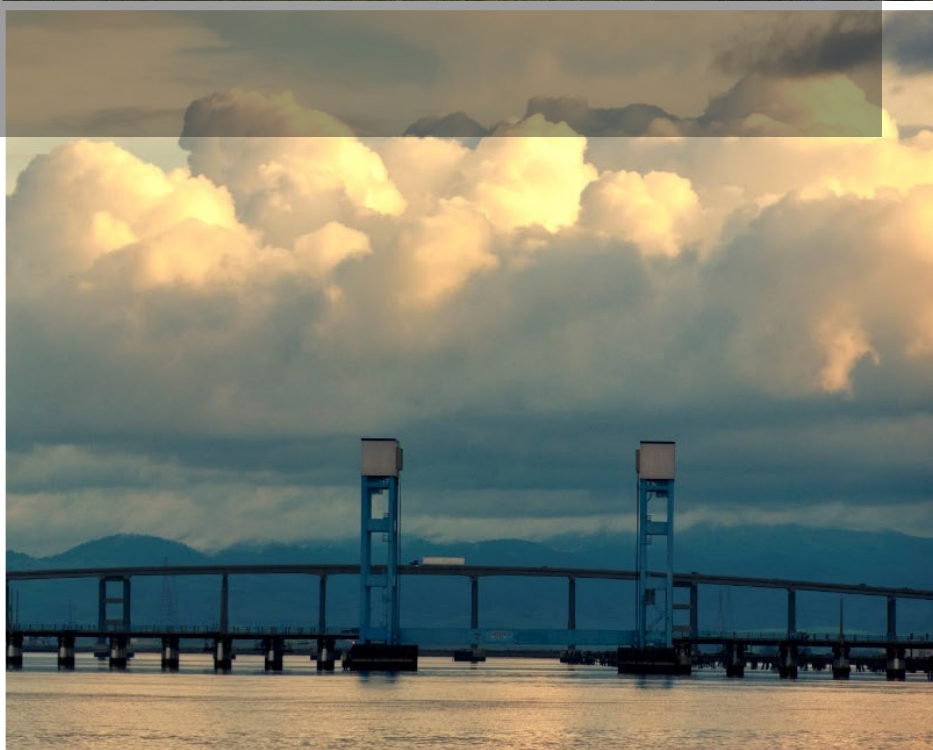
Important Reminders



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Reminders

Next Training: June 7th

The focus will be on Outpatient Services

- During the next training you will learn more about:
 - Add on codes
 - Lockout codes
 - “Dependent on” codes
 - Place of service codes
 - Modifiers
 - Disciplines
 - Billing of units and what “maximum units” means
 - Taxonomy Codes
 - Medication Services
 - Supplemental Services
 - Crisis Intervention / Mobile Crisis



What's Next?

Upcoming Provider Training

Register here for upcoming webinars:

<https://partnershipphp.webex.com/webappng/sites/partnershipphp/webinar/webinarSeries/register/d22fff6300e44e438228ff2cd37e6b9d>

June 7th & June 21st

- Need one on one support? Contact your Claims Resolution Coordinator, Debi Koch: dkoch@partnershipphp.org.
- Recordings, FAQs and other materials will continue to be updated: <http://www.partnershipphp.org/Providers/Medi-Cal/Pages/ProviderEducationTrainingMaterials.aspx>

Resources

- New DMC-ODS Billing Manual 08-022:

<https://www.dhcs.ca.gov/provgovpart/Documents/DMC-ODS-Billing-Manual-08-22.pdf>

- External trainings from CalMHSA on CPT codes:

<https://www.calmhsa.org/calaim-payment-reform-webinars/>

- CalAIM –Reference Guide for CPT codes – DMC-ODS:

<https://www.dhcs.ca.gov/provgovpart/Documents/CalAIM-DMC-ODS-Codes-2022-09-30.xlsx>

- Taxonomy Codes: [Taxonomy.NUCC.org](https://www.nuicc.org)



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Questions & Open Discussion

