



DATE: June 10, 2013
TO: SUD Provider Network
FROM: BPA Provider Network Management
RE: Enhanced Intensive Outpatient Programming for IVDU funded clients

In late February, The Idaho Department of Health and Welfare, in conjunction with BPA, initiated deferred admission for clients meeting the IDHW-IVDU population due to budget constraints at the end of the fiscal year. Moving into the new fiscal year, we are again partnering to increase positive outcomes with this population. As a result, we've created a 6-week Enhanced Intensive Outpatient Program as the starting point for all clients meeting the IDHW-IVDU population eligibility criteria and ASAM PPC-2 criteria for residential treatment upon review of the GRRS.

Eligible clients will be authorized into IOP treatment as well as the following RSS services; safe and sober housing, case management, drug testing and transportation. This model also recommends client participation in community based groups such as AA, NA and faith based programs each day for 90 days (the 90 in 90 principle) be considered as a supplement to the full SUD treatment program.

In addition to the above, identified clients will be assigned a BPA Care Coordinator to help facilitate resources or troubleshoot any additional needs. BPA Care Coordination will NOT take the place of community based services, but will serve as an additional resource to identify risk, early warning signs and help to transition in the instance a client is not able to be successful in IOP. The BPA Care Coordinator is expected to have regular telephonic contact with the client and any treatment providers/resources necessary to ensure clients are receiving the right care at the right time within this 6 week period.

To assist in understanding this new process BPA will be hosting three teleconference calls for anyone who would like to call in with questions. All questions in these calls will be recorded for development of an FAQ document that will be published to the network. Dates of the calls are as follows:

National Conference Call-in Number: 877-533-6338 and Conference ID: 25114

Wednesday, June 19, 2013 at 11a MST

Thursday, June 25, 2013 at 10a MST

Thursday, June 27, 2013 at 2:30p MST

If you have any questions, your Regional Field staff is always available to assist.

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Thank you!

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