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TO: SUD Provider Network
FROM: BPA Provider Network Management
SUBJECT: Juveniles Turning 18 in Treatment

Per the IDAPA rule cited below, when an adolescent reaches the age of 18 and is engaged in outpatient treatment, the provider is required to submit documents to BPA:

16.07.20.452. **3.** Continued Care of an Eighteen-Year-Old Adolescent. An adolescent in a state-approved outpatient or intensive outpatient treatment program who reaches the age of eighteen (18) years may remain in the program in continued care for up to ninety (90) days after his eighteenth birthday, or, until the close of the current school year for an individual attending school. Prior to accepting an individual into continued care, the following are required to be presented to the Department's MSC:

- a. A signed voluntary agreement to remain in the program or a copy of a court order authorizing continued placement after the individual's eighteenth birthday.
- b. A written assessment to assure that an individual in continued care does not jeopardize the health, safety, and well-being of other children and adolescents in the program
- c. Written documentation verifying the individual in continued care was in the care of the program prior to his eighteenth birthday.
- d. Written documentation verifying the individual needs to remain in continued care in order to complete treatment, education, or other similar needs.

Please submit the documents to ProviderRelations@bpahealth.com. If you have any questions, please contact your Regional Coordinator below:

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