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# **FEE FOR SERVICE (FFS) UPDATE**

**MARCH 9, 2017  
QUARTERLY PROVIDER MEETING**

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# Mental Health Programs transitioning to FFS



January 2017	July 2017	Programs under consideration
PACT	CSS	Training and TA
ICMS		Specialized Services (i.e. EISS, Justice Involved Services)
Outpatient		IOC
MH Residential-Level A+, A, B & FamilyCare		IFSS
Supported Employment/Education		Legal Services
Partial Care		
Partial Hospitalization		



# Phase 1 Transition to FFS April 2016–January 2017



- 16 Providers transitioned to FFS January 2017
- All program elements represented except for PACT
- January 10th 2017 launch of NJMHAPP (NJ Mental Health Payment Processing Application)

# NJ MHAPP



- **Ticket Management System**
  - Responses within 1 business day
- **Weekly Webinars**
- **Version 1.1 Provider Program Manual Released on February 21, 2017**

# NJMHAPP Billing Cycles



- 4 billing cycles to date
  - January 14 and 28, February 11 and 25
  - Successful transfer to Molina
  - Single control number on Molina remittance



# NJMHAPP Billing Cycles



- Fiscal closely monitoring NJ MHAPP activity
  - Claims versus monthly limits
  - Adjustment under review
    - ✦ With Phase 1 providers
    - ✦ Informing phase 2 planning

# Phase 1 Provider Feedback



- No specific concerns identified
- Billing in NJMHAPP works well
- DMHAS staff responsive, IT staff
- Engaged in training and webinars

# FFS Timeline Phase 2 January –July 2017



October 2016-  
January  
2017

- Phase 2 Planning began
- NJMAHPP V2 Planning commenced for CSS, other new services and system enhancements
- Planning for a Helpdesk type feature for providers going live in Phase 2.

January -  
March 2017

- Providers' OOL sites reviewed and confirmed
- Planning for Phase 2 continues
- NJMHAPP enhancements in development

April  
2017

- MH FFS Contract Documents sent to providers including Cash Advance Policy
- Providers Advised of Monthly Limits
- User Acceptance Training Begins

# FFS Timeline



May 2017

- Provider wide NJMHAPP training
- Provider wide NJMHAPP testing
- Cash Advance Request and Determinations

June 2017

- Provider Wide Testing Ends
- FSS Contracts completed
- Helpdesk in place

July 2017

- NJMHAPP goes live
- 79 Providers Transition to FFS

# Highlights of FFS - Phase 2



- Developing a Help Desk team to be available to providers transitioning to FFS.
- FFS Transition Stakeholder Group continues to meet monthly to provide feedback and input
- Outstanding Policy issues are being addressed
- Enhancements to NJMHAPP based on current users feedback

# FFS Information Sessions



Registration required –

<https://njsams.rutgers.edu/training/ffsls/register.aspx>

Northern Region – Wednesday, April 5, 2017

Central Region – Monday, April 10, 2017

Southern Region – Wednesday, April 19, 2017

# User Acceptance Testing



- **Testing new program updates to NJMHAPP**
  - Programs: CSS, Supportive Employment/Supportive Education, IME
  - April 24 – 28, 2017
    - ✦ Hands on Training: Computer Training Rooms, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, DHS, Trenton
  - May 1 – 23, 2017
    - ✦ UAT Testing
  - For Identified Pilot Providers
    - ✦ Time commitment to test the add on programs to the system
    - ✦ Weekly webinar for testers

# Provider Wide NJMHAPP Training



- May 15 – 19, 2017
- Rutgers Computer Training Lab, New Brunswick, NJ
  - Limited computers (47 computers/5 days training)
- Limited to three billing staff per agency
- Post training/testing -Access to NJMHAPP to continue familiarity of system
  - May 24-June 30, 2017
- Trainers become the trainers for agency

# CSS in FFS



- **CSS Eligibility for Community Consumers**
- **Enrollment Form Submission for Community SH consumers to IME**
- **Submission of consumers to Molina**
- **All forms emailed and posted on DHS website**
- **Administrative Authorization Bands**
- **Process for CSS submission to IME**
- **Effective submission of IRP's for Billing**
- **Billing begin date**

# Medication Monitoring or E/M Rates



- The effective date of this rate increase is contingent upon NJ DHS issuing a Public Notice of a State Plan Amendment.
- NJ intends to request an effective date approximately 30 days after Public Notice is issued. The rates increases apply to established patients only codes 99212, 99213, 99214 and 99215 with appropriate modifiers
- These rate increases are applicable to independent clinics and private practitioners. Where applicable, operationalizing of the Medication monitoring rates for hospitals is being explored for a similar rate increase.



# Medication Monitoring or E/M Rates



CPT Code	Evaluation and Management Service	Current Medicaid Rate	New Psychiatrist Medicaid (MH and SU) Rate	New Psychiatrist State Rate (MH and SU)Rate	New APN Medicaid Rate (MH and SU) Rate	New APN State Rate -MH and SU Rate
99212	10 minutes	\$24.63	\$49.06	\$44.15	\$39.25	\$35.32
99213	15 minutes	\$40.88	\$81.60	\$73.44	\$65.28	\$58.75
99214	25 minutes	\$60.19	\$119.85	\$107.87	\$95.88	\$86.29
99215	40 minutes	\$81.40	\$161.02	\$144.92	\$128.82	\$115.93

Increased rates for existing consumers/patients



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# QUESTIONS

Additional questions can be submitted to

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