County Of San Bernardino Department Of Behavioral Health

Outpatient Chart Audit – Site Review Policy

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Policy

The San Bernardino County Department of Behavioral Health (DBH) Quality Management Division shall review/audit charts and services as part of its on-going Quality Improvement Program.

Purpose

To enable appropriate review and audit of DBH and Contract agency clinics that provide services under the auspices of Short-Doyle, Medi-Cal managed care.

Regulations

- Mandated by, but not limited to, California Code of Regulations, Title
 9, Chapter 11
- Code of Federal Regulations, Title 42, Section 438.604, 606, 608
- State DMH/DBH-MHP contract
- · Standards set forth in the Chart Documentation Manual

Staff Roles/Responsibilities

Stated below are staff roles and responsibilities to ensure appropriate review and audit of DBH and Contract Agency clinics:

Role	Responsibility
Utilization	In cooperation with the Supervising Office Assistant
Review	and/or designee, create the clinic review schedule
Supervisor or	
Designee	
Utilization	Identify the review period and notify clerical staff
Review	
Supervisor	
Clerical Staff	Obtain Client Services Report
Utilization	Select charts to be reviewed
Review	
Supervisor	
Clerical Staff	Obtain Episode Summary MHS 140 and Billing
	Claim SBC 912

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Utilization	Perform chart audit and site review
Review Staff	 Prepare audit and site review report
	Prepare chart audit summary
	Prepare applicable disallowance schedule
	 Prepare plan of correction within 60 days
References	CCR Title 9, Section 1840.112
	 CFR Title 42, Section 438.604, 606, 608
	State DMH-DBH/MHP Contract
	 DMH Notice No.: 03-03 and 06-05 (revised)