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Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing for Trauma

Also known as

1. EMDR

Description

Eye movement desensitization and reprocessing (EMDR) is a form of psychotherapy used mainly in treating post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD). It involves reprocessing distressing memories while engaging in guided eye movement.

See also

Similar, related, or easily confused documents.

- <u>Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services</u> Services related to the diagnosis and treatment of mental health (MH) disorders and substance abuse (SA) disorders.
- <u>Mental Health and Substance Abuse Navigator</u> Some segments quote MH/SA benefits here at Medica. This supplies levels of care, therapy types, and provider types.

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Commercial

Introduction

This section applies to all Commercial members.

Benefits

A Coverage Policy, Eye Movement and Desensitization and Reprocessing for Trauma, is on medica.com.

- Covered indications are listed under *Coverage Policy*.
- **Important**: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
- If eligible, covered under mental health benefits. Refer to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.
- For investigative indications, not covered.

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Government Programs

Introduction

This section applies to all Medicaid and Medicare products.

AccessAbility (SNBC),

Medicaid only groups:

• Refer to Medicaid below.

Minnesota Senior Care Plus (MSC+)

Medicare eligible groups:

- Covered under mental health benefits. Refer to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.
- Medicare is the primary payer.
- Follows Medicare guidelines.
- If no Medicare eligibility, Medicaid applies. Refer to Medicaid below.

AccessAbility Enhanced (SNBC SNP),

A Coverage Policy, Eye Movement and Desensitization and Reprocessing for Trauma, is on medica.com.

- DUAL (MSHO)
- Covered indications are listed under *Coverage Policy*.
- Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
- If eligible, covered under mental health benefits. Refer to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.
- For investigative indications, not covered.
- Medica is the only payer.

Advantage

A Coverage Policy, Eye Movement and Desensitization and Reprocessing for Trauma, is on medica.com.

- Covered indications are listed under Coverage Policy.
 - Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
- If eligible, covered under mental health benefits. Refer to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.
- For investigative indications, not covered.
- Medica is the only payer.

Advantage PartnerCare (I-SNP)

A Coverage Policy, Eye Movement and Desensitization and Reprocessing for Trauma, is on medica.com.

- Covered indications are listed under Coverage Policy.
- **Important**: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
- If eligible, covered under mental health benefits. Refer to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.
- For investigative indications, not covered.
- Medica is the only payer.

Medicaid (SPP)

A Coverage Policy, Eye Movement and Desensitization and Reprocessing for Trauma, is on medica.com.

- Covered indications are listed under Coverage Policy.
 - Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
- If eligible, covered under mental health benefits. Refer to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.
- For investigative indications, not covered.

Prime

Check for an LCD or NCD. If one does not exist, Medica's Coverage Policy, *Eye Movement and Desensitization and Reprocessing for Trauma*, on medica.com applies.

- Covered indications are listed under Coverage Policy.
 - Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
- If eligible, covered under mental health benefits. Refer to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.
- For investigative indications, not covered.
- Reminder: Members can use non-Medica Service Area providers. Refer to Out-of-MSA Benefits.

Select,

Covered under mental health benefits. Refer to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.

Signature

- Medicare supplement. Medicare is the primary payer.
- Follows Medicare guidelines.

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Individual and Family Business (IFB)

Introduction

This section applies to all Individual and Family Business (IFB) members.

Benefits

A Coverage Policy, Eye Movement and Desensitization and Reprocessing for Trauma, is on medica.com.

- Covered indications are listed under *Coverage Policy*.
 - **Important**: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
- If eligible, covered under mental health benefits. Refer to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.
- Note: If plan does not offer mental health benefits, not covered.
- For investigative indications, not covered.

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Medica Health Plan Solutions (MHPS)

Introduction

This section applies to all Medica Health Plan Solutions (MHPS) members.

Mayo Medical Plan

A Coverage Policy, Eye Movement and Desensitization and Reprocessing for Trauma, is on medica.com.

- Covered indications are listed under *Coverage Policy*.
 - **Important**: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
- If eligible, covered under mental health benefits. Refer to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.
- For investigative indications, not covered.

All others

A Coverage Policy, Eye Movement and Desensitization and Reprocessing for Trauma, is on medica.com.

- Covered indications are listed under *Coverage Policy*.
 - Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
- If eligible, covered under mental health benefits. Refer to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.
- For investigative indications, not covered.

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The document history for the past 12 months is outlined below.

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Applicability

The applicability is outlined below.

Business Segments					
■ AII □ COM - (AII) □ GOVT - (AII) □ IFB □ MHPS □ PSC					
Specific Clients/Products					
■ All □ Other:					
Platform or System					
□ All ■ N/A □ Other:					
Departments					
■ Call Center Multiple: Other:					
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