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## **Behavioral Health Services**

#### Also known as

- 1. Chemical dependency treatment
- 2. Mental health treatment
- 3. Substance use treatment

### Description

Behavioral Health (BH) includes all services related to the diagnosis and treatment of mental health (MH) conditions and substance use disorders (SUD). Benefits for Behavioral Health are quoted here for some products.

#### See also

Similar, related, or easily confused documents.

- <u>Behavioral Health Levels of Care, Therapy Types, Provider Specialties</u> Some lines of business quote BH services. This supplies levels of care, therapy types, and provider types.
- <u>Learning Disabilities Diagnosis and Treatment</u> A neurological disorder that affects the brain's ability to receive, process, store, and respond to information.

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# Document history

Date	Description
2.5.24	Updated document title to Behavioral Health Services.
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### **Commercial**

#### Introduction

This section applies to all Commercial members. Benefit details depend on the member's brand: Dean (including Dean Health Plan (DHP) and Prevea360), Mayo Medical Plan (MMP), or Medica (including MHPS).

#### Dean (DHP, Prevea360)

Multiple Behavioral Health Medical Policies apply:

- Day Treatment Behavioral Health (MP9557)
- Intensive Outpatient Behavioral Health (MP9556)
- Partial Hospitalization Program (PHP) Behavioral Health (MP9555)
- Residential Treatment Behavioral Health (MP9554)

Tip: For instructions on locating policies, see Coverage and Prior Authorization Guidelines.

- Some services require prior authorization.
  - Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
- Quote office visit, outpatient hospital, or inpatient benefits under behavioral health based on services provided.
  - See <u>Behavioral Health</u> <u>Levels of Care, Therapy Types, Provider Specialties</u> for more details.
- See <u>Common Psychological Disorders</u> for diagnosis information.
- Exclusions: Plans may say therapy for non-medical reasons is not covered.
  - This exclusion may be listed for both Marriage Counseling or Anger Management.
  - Initial visit to determine if there is an underlying BH condition is eligible for coverage.
  - If an underlying BH condition exists, additional visits are eligible for coverage.
  - If there is NOT an underlying BH condition, additional visits are not eligible.
- PSC: See Mental Health Prior Authorization and Notification for HealthRules Members for additional information.

## Mayo Medical Plan (MMP)

Medica's Utilization Management Policy, Behavioral Health Services, applies.

**Tip**: For instructions on locating policies, see <u>Coverage and Prior Authorization Guidelines</u>.

- Some services require prior authorization. Policy uses a MCG<sup>TM</sup> Care Guideline for medical necessity criteria.
  - PA is not required for any INN MH/SA level of care.
- PA required for OON (Tier 3) inpatient and residential MH/SA treatment.
- The PA does NOT have a clinical review.
- Medica approves the PA request.
- Provider can submit a Prior Authorization Request.
- **Note**: The provider must pick the right form. There are different versions depending on the provider and/or procedure.
- Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
- Medicare supplement: PA does not apply.
- Quote office visit, outpatient hospital, or inpatient benefits under behavioral health based on services provided.
- See Behavioral Health Levels of Care, Therapy Types, Provider Specialties for more details.
- See Common Psychological Disorders for diagnosis information.
- Sober living facilities: Not covered.
- If a member wants PA criteria, explain you do not have that information. Describe the PA process:
  - Provider submits a PA request and Medica reviews it against clinical guidelines.
  - Medica notifies provider and copies the member. If denied, member appeal rights are included.
  - -TAT: See <u>Prior Authorization Turnaround Time</u>.
- **PSC**: See Mental Health Prior Authorization and Notification for HealthRules Members for additional information.

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## Medica (including MHPS)

Coverage depends on the group.

Group	Coverage
All (except Legacy	Behavioral health calls are handled by Medica Behavioral Health (MBH).
MHPS)	MBH internal transfer: x33166, then:
	– Benefits: x37381
	– Claims: x37383
	MBH direct dial:
	– Benefits: 800-848-8327
	– Claims: 866-214-6829
Legacy MHPS	Medica's Utilization Management Policy, Behavioral Health Services, applies.
	• <b>Tip</b> : For instructions on locating policies, see <u>Coverage and Prior Authorization Guidelines</u> .
Black River	• Some services require prior authorization. Policy uses a MCG <sup>™</sup> Care Guideline for medical
Memorial Hospital	necessity criteria.
<ul> <li>City of Rochester</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Provider can submit a <u>Prior Authorization Request</u>.</li> </ul>
Olmstead County	<ul> <li>Note: The provider must pick the right form. There are different versions depending on the provider and/or procedure.</li> </ul>
	- Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions.
	- Medicare supplement: PA does not apply.
	• Quote office visit, outpatient hospital, or inpatient benefits under behavioral health based on services provided.
	- See <u>Behavioral Health</u> - <u>Levels of Care, Therapy Types, Provider Specialties</u> for more details.
	– See Common Psychological Disorders for diagnosis information.
	• If a member wants PA criteria, explain you do not have that information. Describe the PA process:
	<ul> <li>Provider submits a PA request and Medica reviews it against clinical guidelines.</li> </ul>
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	- TAT: See Prior Authorization Turnaround Time.
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## **Government Programs**

#### Introduction

This section applies to all Medicaid and Medicare products.

# AccessAbility (SNBC),

### Medicaid only groups:

• See Medicaid below.

### Minnesota Senior Care Plus (MSC+)

#### Medicare eligible groups:

- Quote Mental Health or Substance Abuse benefits.
- See <u>Behavioral Health</u> <u>Levels of Care, Therapy Types, Provider Specialties</u> for more details.
- See <u>Common Psychological Disorders</u> for diagnosis information.
- Authorization and provider verification: Refer to Medica Behavioral Health (MBH).
- MBH internal transfer: x33166, then:
- Benefits: x37381Claims: x37383MBH direct dial:
- Benefits: 800-848-8327
  Claims: 866-214-6829
  Follows Medicare guidelines.
  Medicare is the primary payer.
- If no Medicare eligibility, Medicaid applies. See Medicaid below.

### AccessAbility Enhanced (I-SNBC),

Quote Mental Health or Substance Abuse benefits.

- See <u>Behavioral Health</u> <u>Levels of Care</u>, <u>Therapy Types</u>, <u>Provider Specialties</u> for more details.
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### Cost (Prime)

Refer to Medica Behavioral Health (MBH) for benefits, authorization, and/or provider verification.

- MBH internal transfer: x33166, then:
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## Med Advantage

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## **Government Programs, Continued**

### Med Supp (Select, Signature)

Quote Mental Health or Substance Abuse benefits.

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- PSC:
- Quote Mental Health or Substance Abuse benefits.
- Provide status on Mental Health or Substance Abuse claims.
- Follows Medicare guidelines.
- Medicare supplement.
- Medicare is the primary payer.

#### Medicaid

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