

Policy Transmittal Developmental Disabilities Services



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Topic: Developmental Disabilities

Due date:

Transmitting (check the box that best applies):

- New policy
 Policy change
 Policy clarification
 Executive letter
 Administrative Rule
 Manual update
 Other:

Applies to (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All ODHS Employees | <input type="checkbox"/> County Mental Health Directors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Area Agencies on Aging: {Select type} | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aging and People with Disabilities | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Self Sufficiency Programs | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children’s Intensive In Home Services |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County DD Program Managers | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stabilization and Crisis Unit (SACU) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Support Service Brokerage Directors | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): Behavior Professionals |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children’s Residential Services | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Welfare Programs | |

Policy/rule title:	Updated Guide to Professional Behavior Services		
Policy/rule number(s):		Release number:	
Effective date:	May 26, 2022	Expiration date:	
References:			
Web address:	https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/PROVIDERS-PARTNERS/WorkerGuides/Professional-Behavior-Services.pdf		

Discussion/interpretation:

The Guide to Professional Behavior Services has been updated in preparation for “unbundling” of Professional Behavior Services from 24-hour adult residential services as part of the Compass Project effective July 1, 2022.

Additional changes to the Guide include:

- Removing broken links.
- New requirements in children’s settings related to Senate Bill 710.
- Updated qualifications in line with July 1, 2022 OAR changes.
- Updated definitions in line with July 1, 2022 OAR changes.
- Other updates in line with July 1, 2022 OAR changes.
- Removal of “PPI Reference List” appendix.
- Removal of Prohibited Interventions (please see OAR 411-304).
- Added additional references to ODDS Expenditure Guidelines for up-to-date information on service limits.
- Removed references to variances.
- Removal of “Sample Maintenance Invoice”.
- Updated checklists for CMEs.

View the updated Guide to Professional Behavior Services here:

<https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/PROVIDERS-PARTNERS/WorkerGuides/Professional-Behavior-Services.pdf>

View the proposed changes to Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) chapter 411, division 304, Professional Behavior Services, effective July 1, 2022 here:

<https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/SENIORS-DISABILITIES/DD/ODDSRules/Notice-Behavior-411-303-304-317.pdf>

Implementation/transition instructions:

Case Management Entity staff and independent and agency Behavior Professionals should begin referencing the updated Guide immediately in preparation for July 1, 2022 OAR changes and unbundling.

Training/communication plan:

Join ODDS at 10 am on June 2, 2022 to learn more about unbundling Professional Behavior Services. Learn more on the Compass Project training page:

<https://www.oregon.gov/dhs/Compass-Project/Pages/Online-Trainings.aspx>

Additionally, this transmittal will be discussed during the next Monthly Transmittal Review. Please send questions in advance to ODDS.Questions@dhsoha.state.or.us.

The Monthly Transmittal Reviews are held the second Wednesday of every month at 2 pm using the Zoom platform. Please register in advance for these meetings: <https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJlsc-qvqD8iGURx5OQk8TAdIS6Arg9ZAf4>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing an appointment and information about joining the meeting. American Sign Language (ASL) and live captioning will be provided. To request other accommodations or languages, please send an email to ODDS.Questions@dhsoha.state.or.us at least three business days prior to the meeting.

Field/stakeholder review: Yes No

If yes, reviewed by: Posted on the ODDS Engagement and Innovation webpage May 2, 2022 through May 13, 2022. See "archives" section of the webpage to view feedback received and ODDS responses.

If you have any questions about this policy, contact:

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