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Medicaid Clubhouse Services Program

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Wyoming Psychosocial Rehabilitation – Clubhouse (or Clubhouse) services was authorized for Medicaid coverage and reimbursement for clubhouse-based psychosocial rehabilitation services through the [2019 Wyoming House Bill 0257 \(HB0257\)](#). The program is projected to be implemented in July 2024 through the Wyoming Department of Health (WDH). This program authorizes reimbursement for clubhouse rehabilitation services within the Wyoming Medicaid program and authorizes, within the limits of available funding, WDH to enter into contracts with certified clubhouse providers for clubhouse rehabilitation services.

Clubhouse services include a community-based psychosocial rehabilitation program that has members of the program, with staff assistance, engaged in operating all aspects of the clubhouse, including food service, clerical, reception, janitorial, and other member services such as employment training, housing assistance and educational support. In addition, Clubhouse services are designed to alleviate a member's emotional or behavioral problems with the goal of reintegrating the member into the community and increasing social connectedness beyond a clinical or employment setting.

Clubhouse services assist individuals with behavioral health diagnoses to develop social networking, independent living, budgeting, self-care, and other skills that will assist them to successfully live independently in the community. Services within the Clubhouse may be delivered through individual (one-to-one) or group interaction between staff and participants within the Clubhouse setting. Clubhouse services provide participants with coping and wellness strategies to improve functioning through experiential learning opportunities, peer and professional support, and psycho-education.

GOAL

To allow certified clubhouses to become Medicaid providers and bill Medicaid through the Wyoming Department of Health for clubhouse rehabilitation services provided by qualified health service professionals to Medicaid enrolled individuals meeting the target population.

TARGET POPULATION

Medicaid enrolled individuals aged 18 and older with serious and persistent mental illness (SPMI), serious mental illness (SMI), or severe emotional disturbance (SED) per the most current Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM). Participants must also complete a functional assessment, the DLA-20, to evaluate their ability to complete daily activities independently and succeed in this model of service. To be eligible for Clubhouse services, a recipient has to be referred by a Medicaid provider, confirming their diagnosis, and then be assessed by the DLA-20 with an appropriate score prior to being enrolled into the program.

CLUBHOUSE ACCREDITATION

Provider enrollment policies require each clubhouse location enrolled with Wyoming Medicaid to have the [Clubhouse International](#) accreditation.

FUNDING

The Clubhouse Services Program is funded with a combination of local and federal Title XIX (Medicaid) funds. Claims are filed using the Wyoming Department of Health's fiscal intermediary. Medicaid will reimburse for eligible services using a 15-minute unit with a limitation of 3,840 units every 12 months.

STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

WDH holds regular stakeholder meetings that are open to the public. The stakeholder meeting schedule is located on the WDH Clubhouse Services Program website.

If you have additional questions regarding the Clubhouse Services Program, please contact the Wyoming Department of Health via email at karen.small@wyo.gov.

For more information on Wyoming's Clubhouse Services Program visit:
<https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/clubhouse-services/>