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North Sound Behavioral Health Administrative Services Organization, LLC

Section 1500 – Clinical: Criminal Justice Treatment Account (CJTA) Funding

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POLICY # 1589.00

SUBJECT: CRIMINAL JUSTICE TREATMENT ACCOUNT (CJTA) FUNDING

PURPOSE

To define the State CJTA funds, to identify the individuals eligible for State CJTA funds and the services covered by State CJTA funds in the North Sound Regional Service Area (RSA). For individuals eligible for services covered by State CJTA funds and within available resources, this policy is also meant to ensure consistent application of standards region-wide for access to substance use disorder (SUD) services.

POLICY

North Sound Behavioral Health Administrative Services Organization (North Sound BH-ASO) receives and administers CJTA funding for only one county in the North Sound RSA, which is San Juan County. The other four (4) North Sound Counties receive and administer CJTA within their own counties and providers work directly with Island, Skagit, Snohomish and Whatcom Counties to be reimbursed for any and all assessments and ongoing services provided.

North Sound BH-ASO utilizes State CJTA as long as the resources are available, to provide services to this specific population of eligible individuals, as well as, pay for allowable services. Individuals financially eligible for State CJTA funded services must be ineligible for Medicaid.

North Sound BH-ASO utilizes State CJTA funds for the following individuals:

1. Substance using and potential addiction if does not receive SUD treatment; AND
2. Charged with an offense by a Washington State prosecuting attorney or in drug court; AND
3. Not eligible for Medicaid; AND
4. A resident of San Juan County.

CJTA funds can be utilized for the SUD services of:

1. Withdrawal management (WM), 3.2 Acute and Sub Acute level of care;
2. Secure detoxification services under Involuntary Treatment Act (ITA);
3. Assessment both in jail and community-based; Outpatient treatment both in-jail and community-based;
4. Urinalysis testing;
5. Outpatient Treatment 1.0 and 2.1 level of care;
6. Opiate Treatment;
7. SUD Residential treatment;
8. Recovery House Residential treatment;

9. Childcare services;
10. Therapeutic Interventions for Children in SUD Pregnant and Post-Partum Women residential treatment with mother;
11. Transportation costs to and from residential treatment; and/or
12. Residential room and board.

State CJTA funds payment by North Sound BH-ASO for individuals receiving SUD services shall be considered payment in full, as long as they meet income qualifications and other eligibility qualifications, per this policy.

PROCEDURES

North Sound BH-ASO requires an eligibility review prior to service provision to ensure the individual meets the eligibility criteria for the CJTA funding. This eligibility review documentation is transmitted electronically to North Sound BH-ASO.

No reimbursement payment for services provided will be made by North Sound BH-ASO when an individual does not meet eligibility criteria for CJTA funds.

If CJTA funds are reduced, fully expended, or are no longer available for any reason, North Sound BH-ASO will inform network providers CJTA funds are no longer available.

ATTACHMENTS

None