



# ***State MHIDDISA Services Requirements***

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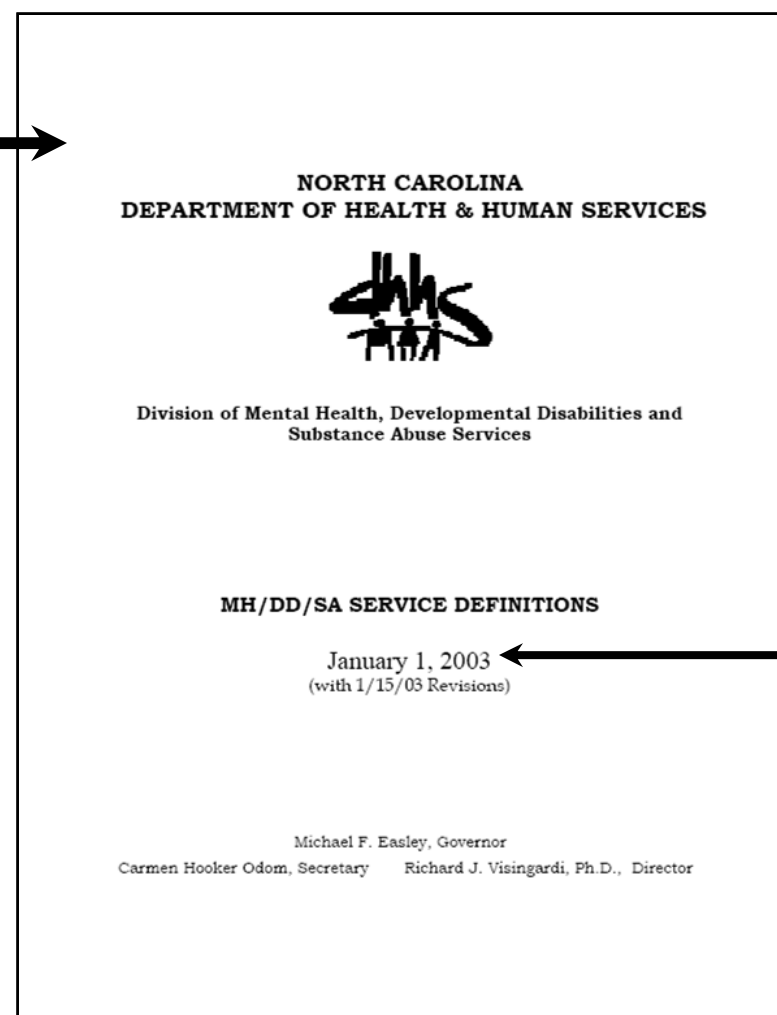
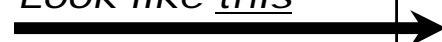
## Where are the State Service Definitions?

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Currently, they are found here:

<http://www.ncdhhs.gov/mhddsas/stateplanimplementation/DMHDDSA%20Service%20Definitions%20Manual%20-%20Revisions%2015%20January%20..pdf>

Look like *this*



... And are *this old*



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- o *In 2002, these services were reformatted to conform to the newer model for service definitions. The components of the service definitions include:*

- Therapeutic Relationship and Interventions*
- Structure of Daily Living*
- Cognitive and Behavioral Skill Acquisition*
- Service Type*
- Resiliency/Environmental Intervention*
- Service Delivery Setting*
- Medical Necessity*
- Service Order Requirement*
- Continuation/Utilization Review Criteria*
- Discharge Criteria*
- Service Maintenance Criteria*
- Provider Requirement and Supervision*
- Documentation Requirements*
- Appropriate Service Codes*

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- o *Because there has not been an update to this Manual since 2003, a number of the services listed in this Manual have since been superseded by other services and are no longer available. Some of those listed that are no longer available on the IPRS array include:*

- Assertive Outreach*
- Case Support*
- Community Based Services*
- Long-Term Vocational Support Services*
- Mandated Team Evaluation & Treatment/Habilitation Planning*
- Quality Assurance (QA) Peer Review*
- Social Inclusion*
- Staff Travel - Professional & Paraprofessional*
- Therapeutic Intervention/Crisis Prevention*

## Where are the State Service Definitions?

- o For the most current array of services billable through IPRS, go here:*

<http://www.ncdhhs.gov/mhddsas/iprsmenu/arrayofservices%2008-09-master2-26-09.xls>

*At this website you'll find the names of all the services you can bill through IPRS. You will need to go to other resources to find descriptions or definitions for those services.*

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- o For services billable to IPRS which are also billable to Medicaid, services such as Community Support, Intensive-In Home, ACTT, etc. (the services once called "enhanced services") go here:*

<http://www.ncdhhs.gov/dma/bh/8A.pdf>

## Where are the State Service Definitions?

- o For services which are listed in the IPRS service array, and are included in the 2003 Manual, you may use the definition included in the 2003 Manual as the requirement for those services. BUT...*
- o Make sure you check the definition under "Appropriate Service Codes" (the very last section of the definition) to assure that the service codes identified in the 2003 Manual and the allowable Target Populations identified in the IPRS service array are the same.*
- o Until the new service definition for Target Case Management is approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), the current operational service definition for Case Management is the one described in the 2003 Manual. There is a draft TCM definition that has been circulating since 2005, but it has not yet become the official definition.*

## *Single Stream Funding: Alternative Service Definitions*

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- o For LMEs which are designated to receive all their disability-specific funding in a single, combined allocation (“Single Stream Funding”) There is a need to identify ways for the LME to bill these services in order to account for the use of these funds for services and supports for persons in the LME catchment area.*
- o Since the purpose of Single-Stream Funding is to allow for greater flexibility for the LME in meeting specific identified needs in the community, the LME may elect to create Alternative Service Definitions.*
- o The LME creates service definitions according to specifications from DMH/DD/SAS, and submit the definitions for approval by DMH/DD/SAS.*
- o Once the alternative service definition is approved, it is added to the IPRS service array for that LME only, and the LME may submit claims under that service definition.*

## *Single Stream Funding: Alternative Service Definitions*

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- o Some alternative service definitions which have been approved include:*

- Multidisciplinary Evaluation*
- Jail Assessment*
- Outpatient Commitment Follow-Up*
- MD testimony*
- Forensic Evaluation*
- Jail coordination*
- Crisis Respite intervention*
- TBI Community Rehab*
- Individual Directed Supports*
- Wellness Education Group*
- Assertive Engagement*
- Crisis Evaluation & Observation*
- Recovery Support*
- Peer Support Hospital Discharge & Diversion*
- Inpatient After-Care Follow Up*

## *What is the LME's Role?*

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- o LME's take a very active role in monitoring IPRS/State Services to ensure allocations are utilized appropriately*
  - Sub-recipient Monitoring*
    - ✓ Monitoring of Grants and special allocation requirements*
  - State Service Definition Monitoring*
    - ✓ Technical requirements for State Services*
  - Technical Assistance*
    - ✓ Provide help and feedback to ensure the technical aspects are being consistently met in the state service setting.*
  - Recommendations vs. Payback*
    - ✓ Recommendations with Plans of Correction*
      - Payback should be rare in 1/12 payment instances*

*QUESTIONS?*

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