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TO: Freestanding Detoxification Facilities and Inpatient General/Acute Hospitals

RE: Withdrawal Management and the Induction of Buprenorphine, Vivitrol or Methadone

Freestanding Detoxification Facilities (American Society of Addiction Medicine ASAM 111.7D) that are inducting members with Buprenorphine, Vivitrol or Methadone, while simultaneously managing the withdrawal symptoms of alcohol or drugs for which the member was admitted, are eligible to receive the current rate for detoxification services (billed under procedure code H0011) delivered to the member whether the goal is withdrawal to abstinence or withdrawal management and medication induction.

H0011 - Alcohol and/or drug services; acute detoxification (residential addiction program inpatient) is used and billable for both withdrawal to abstinence and withdrawal management and medication induction.

Inpatient General/Acute Hospitals are eligible to receive the inpatient hospital behavioral health per diem rate when members are inducted with Buprenorphine, Vivitrol or Methadone while simultaneously managing the withdrawal symptoms of alcohol or drugs for which the member was admitted, to the hospital.

Inpatient General/Acute Hospitals may receive the per diem rate for the members inpatient facility stay and practitioners are eligible to bill off of the applicable fee schedule for their professional services.

Fee schedules can be accessed and downloaded from the Connecticut Medical Assistance Web site: www.ctdssmap.com. From this Web page, go to "Provider", then to "Provider Fee Schedule Download". Click the "I accept" button and proceed to click on the CSV for the applicable fee schedule and press the control key while clicking the CSV link, then select "Open".

For authorization of services, contact Beacon Health Options at 1-877-552-8247. For web registration, go to www.CTBHP.com and select "For Provider" for online services.

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