



**TO: Behavioral Health Clinics, Enhanced Care Clinics and Outpatient Drug and Alcohol Abuse Centers**

**RE: Billing Clarification for Intermediate Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Treatment at Behavioral Health Clinics, Enhanced Care Clinics and Outpatient Drug and Alcohol Abuse Centers**

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The purpose of this bulletin is to provide clarification on certification and billing guidelines for any Connecticut Medical Assistance Program (CMAP) providers enrolled as a Behavioral Health Clinic, Enhanced Care Clinic or Outpatient Drug and Alcohol Abuse Center providing the following intermediate substance use disorder (SUD) treatment services:

- ASAM 1-WM – Ambulatory Withdrawal Management (WM)
- ASAM 2-WM – Ambulatory WM with Extended Monitoring
- ASAM 2.1 - Intensive Outpatient (IOP)
- ASAM 2.5 - Partial Hospitalization (PHP)

**This billing guidance is effective November 15, 2022 and supplements the original guidance outlined in [PB 2022-86](#), *Reimbursement for Intermediate Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Treatment at Behavioral Health Clinics, Enhanced Care Clinics and Outpatient Drug and Alcohol Abuse Centers*. All other aspects of [PB 2022-86](#) remain in effect. Providers should continue to refer to [PB 2022-86](#) for additional information on reimbursement for intermediate SUD treatment.**

**Certification and Billing:**

For both the provisional certification and the final certification required of CMAP providers providing the above noted treatment services, certification is issued by site at the address listed on the certification document. If a certified site shares a CMAP provider identification number with any other sites, the

certification does not carry over to the other sites. Each site must be separately certified if providing intermediate SUD treatment services.

If any CMAP enrolled provider submits claims for services rendered at a non-certified site, the agency will be subject to recoupment of any paid claims.