



Contracts Update

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Upcoming Contracts Actions

Change Notice Amendments

- Mandates notification to SAPC when 90% program capacity has been reached
- Updates Opioid Treatment rates and cost settlement language
- Expands Tuberculosis (TB) requirements to include patient follow-ups
- Expands Culturally & Linguistically Appropriate Services (CLAS) requirements to cite Dymally-Alatorre Bilingual Services Act
- Adds Hatch Act provisions



Upcoming Contracts Actions

Upcoming SAPC Bulletins

- Clinical Duties and Code of Conduct
- Charitable Choice
- Fraud, Waste, and Abuse
- Communication Requirements
- Credentialing Process



Upcoming Contracts Actions

Clinical Duties and Code of Conduct

- Establish minimum description of Medical Director duties
- Mandates establishment of code of conduct which must be signed by all treatment staff
- Mandates written policies and procedures for use of volunteer/intern staff

Upcoming Contracts Actions

Charitable Choice

- Applicable only for Faith-based providers
- Guidance on use of SAPC funds
- Mandates establishment of an identification and referral system for patients who request a transfer citing religious nature of the program
- Establishes reporting guidelines and timetable



Upcoming Contracts Actions

Fraud, Waste, and Abuse (FWA)

- Mandates providers to create and implement policies & procedures to detect and prevent FWA
- Mandates a Compliance Officer and trainings for all staff
- Describes County's response to FWA

Upcoming Contracts Actions

Communication Requirements

- Mandates communication plans to ensure information is accurately and appropriately disseminated
- Describes SAPC Listservs and process for subscribing

SAPC Provider Listservs	
• All Provider	• SAPC Treatment
• SAPC Treatment Workforce	• Sage Users
• Medical Director	• SUD Transformation
• Prevention	



Upcoming Contracts Actions

Planned 2021 Actions

- Amendment to add Recovery Support Services as a stand-alone level of care
- Bulletin expanding Service & Bed Availability Tool (SBAT) guidance and responsibilities
- On-going contract management
 - Site/level of care changes
 - Funding augmentations