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TO:	Local Management Entities/Managed Care Organizations (LME/MCOs)
FROM:	Saarah Waleed, Director, Mental Health, Substance Use/Justice Services Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities and Substance Use Services
SUBJECT:	UPDATE: Implementation of New and Revised State-Funded Withdrawal Management (Detoxification) Services and New Rates on October 1, 2024
	2024 State-Funded Enhanced Mental Health & Substance Use Services State-Funded Ambulatory Withdrawal Management without Extended Onsite Monitoring Services
	State-Funded Ambulatory Withdrawal Management with Extended Onsite Monitoring Services
	State-Funded Medically Monitored Inpatient Withdrawal Management Services

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This bulletin outlines the implementation of new and revised state-funded withdrawal management (detoxification) services and new rates. These changes are being made in alignment with the Division of Health Benefits NC Medicaid 1115 SUD Demonstration Waiver.

The following are new and revised substance use disorder withdrawal management services with an implementation date of **October 1, 2024**. The new and revised services can be found at: <u>DMHDDSUS</u> <u>State-Funded Service Definitions</u>. The new rates for each service are included below.

NEW State-Funded	Procedure	Benefit Plans	NEW	Start
Service Name	Code		Rates*	Date
State-Funded		ASCDR/ASCSP/		
Ambulatory Withdrawal	110014		¢21.17	10/1/2024
Management without	H0014	ASOUD/ASTIM/	\$31.17	10/1/2024
Extended Onsite		ASTER/ASWOM	per 15-minute	
Monitoring Services			increment	
(formerly Ambulatory				
Detoxification)				

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NEW State-Funded	Procedure	Benefit Plans	NEW	Start
Service Name	Code		Rates*	Date
State-Funded		ASCDR/ASCSP/		
Ambulatory Withdrawal	H0014 HF ASOUD/ASTIM/ ASTER/ASWOM		¢24.42	10/1/2024
Management with		ASOUD/ASTIM/	\$34.43 per 15-minute increment	10/1/2024
<b>Extended Onsite</b>		ASTER/ASWOM		
<b>Monitoring Services</b>		Increment		
(New service)				
State-Funded Medically		ASCDR/ASCSP/		
Monitored Inpatient	H0010			10/1/2024
Withdrawal		ASOUD/ASTIM/	\$756.65 per diem	10/1/2024
<b>Management Services</b>		ASTER/ASWOM		
(formerly Non- Hospital				
Medical Detoxification)				

\*Based on funding availability.

The 2024 State-Funded Enhanced Mental Health and Substance Use Services- 10/1/24 document (<u>DMHDDSUS State-Funded Service Definitions</u>) has been amended to remove the following services and all related references to these policies: Ambulatory Detoxification and Non-Hospital Medical Detoxification. The new and revised state-funded service definition policies are stand-alone policies, and therefore, will not be a part of this document.

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