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Subject: MH/SA Care Coordination and Transition to Community Living Transition Coordination

The purpose of this bulletin is to notify LME-MCOs that associate level licensed professionals can serve in the role of an LME-MCO MH/SA Care Coordinator as well as a Transition to Community Living Transition Coordinator. In order to complete clinical functions of care coordination and transition coordination, an associate level licensed professional must follow the supervision requirements and all other applicable requirements set forth by their respective licensing board.

The links to the licensing boards and applicable NC General Statutes are as follows:

North Carolina Marriage and Family Therapy Licensure Board:

<http://www.ncmft.org/>

http://www.ncleg.net/Enactedlegislation/Statutes/HTML/ByArticle/Chapter_90/Article_18C.html

North Carolina Substance Abuse Professional Practice Board:

<http://www.ncsappb.org/>

http://www.ncga.state.nc.us/EnactedLegislation/Statutes/HTML/ByArticle/Chapter_90/Article_5C.html

North Carolina Board of Licensed Professional Counselors:

<http://www.ncblpc.org/>

http://www.ncleg.net/Enactedlegislation/Statutes/HTML/ByArticle/Chapter_90/Article_24.html

North Carolina Social Work Certification and Licensure Board:

<http://ncswboard.org/>

<http://ncswboard.org/page/statute1#b1>

North Carolina Psychology Board

<http://www.ncpsychologyboard.org/>

http://www.ncleg.net/Enactedlegislation/Statutes/HTML/ByArticle/Chapter_90/Article_18A.html

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