Rule No. 560-X-41-.01 General

(1) Inpatient psychiatric services for recipients under age 21 are covered services when provided:

   (a) Under the direction of a physician,
   (b) By a psychiatric hospital enrolled as a Medicaid provider in accordance with Rule No. 560-X-41-.02; OR
   (c) By a psychiatric residential treatment facility (PRTF) which is accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO), the Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF), the Council on Accreditation of Services for Families and Children (COA), or by other accrediting organization with comparable standards that is recognized by the State;
   (d) Before the recipient reaches age 21 or, if the recipient was receiving services immediately before the recipient reached age 21, before the earlier of: (1) the date the recipient no longer requires the services or (2) the date the recipient reaches age 22, and
   (e) To a recipient who is admitted to and remains in the facility for the course of the hospitalization; and
   (f) As certified in writing to be necessary in the setting in which it will be provided in accordance with 42 C.F.R. § 441.152.

(2) Inpatient psychiatric services for recipients under age 21 are unlimited if medically necessary and the admission and/or the continued stay reviews meet the approved psychiatric criteria.

(3) Residential psychiatric treatment services for recipients under age 21 are unlimited if medically necessary and the admission and continued stay reviews meet the approved psychiatric criteria. All treatment plan updates and certifications of need for services shall be performed as specified in Rule 560-X-41-.06.

(4) Psychiatric hospitals and PRTFs shall comply with all applicable regulations regarding the use of restraint and seclusion as cited in 42 C.F.R., Part 441, Subpart D, and 42 C.F.R., Part 483, Subpart G.

(5) The specific requirements for psychiatric medical records may be found at 42 C.F.R. § 482.61.

(6) The specific requirements for psychiatric facility staff may be found at 42 C.F.R. § 482.62.

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Statutory Authority: State Plan, Attachment 3.1-A, pp. 7 and 7.16; 42 C.F.R. Part 441, Subpart D; Part 483, Subpart G; Sections 440.240; 482.61; 482.62.