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Provider Type (PT) 12 (Hospital, Outpatient) and PT 11 (Hospital, Inpatient) Billing Guidelines Updated

The Division of Nevada Medicaid has clarified policy for psychiatric assessments performed in an Emergency Department (PT 12 Hospital, Outpatient) and rollover admission to psychiatric stay (PT 11 Hospital, Inpatient). Effective August 27, 2025, Billing Guidelines have been updated for behavioral health related admissions.

The psychiatric assessment is required for inpatient admission and may be billed separately when performed in the hospital emergency department by an outside entity within their scope of practice; this does not include physicians and other qualified health care providers who are hospital staffed.

Please review the updated PT 12 and PT 11 Billing Guidelines on the [Billing Information](#) webpage. For additional questions, contact MedicalPrograms@NVHA.nv.gov.