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Medicaid Services Manual Chapters Updated

The following Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) chapters have been updated and posted on the Nevada Health Authority (NVHA) website:

- MSM Chapter 200 – Hospital Services (effective October 29, 2025)

<https://dhcfp.nv.gov/Resources/AdminSupport/Manuals/MSM/C200/Chapter200/>

Revisions to Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 200 – Hospital Services, Attachment A, Policy 02-02- Federal Emergency Services (FES) Program were implemented to clarify covered services for Emergency Medical Only (EMO) recipients.

- MSM Chapter 400 – Mental Health Services (effective November 1, 2025)

<https://dhcfp.nv.gov/Resources/AdminSupport/Manuals/MSM/C400/Chapter400/>

Revisions to Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 400 – Mental Health Services were implemented to remove “face-to-face” references, remove Neurotherapy service limitations based on diagnostic codes, remove Section 403.5(C) including the Intensity of Services Grid, remove the exclusion of independent psychologists and psychiatrists from the service limitations, add a standard session limit of 26 sessions for individual, group, or family therapy (including neurotherapy) for youth, add a standard session limit of 18 sessions for individual, group, or family therapy (including neurotherapy) for adults, add the language “Licensed Professional, Certified Professional, or Qualified Mental Health Professionals (QMHP)” where appropriate throughout the chapter, and restructure the Assessments section including: adding Eligible Providers, separating Comprehensive Assessment and Health and Behavior Assessment into two distinct definitions, add authorization requirements, and billing information.

- MSM Chapter 800 – Laboratory Services (effective October 29, 2025)

<https://dhcfp.nv.gov/Resources/AdminSupport/Manuals/MSM/C800/Chapter800/>

Revisions to Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 800 – Laboratory Services were implemented in accordance with Assembly Bill (AB) 360 passed during the 83rd (2025) Legislative Session. AB360 allowed for rapid or point-of-care testing of a consenting pregnant individual who seeks treatment at certain medical facilities (regardless of the reason), who has or has not received prenatal services and tests for syphilis.