

## Missouri Division of Behavioral Health

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### 1. Programs Affected

- 1.1 Community Mental Health Center Healthcare Homes (CMHC HCH)

### 2. Background and Purpose

- 2.1 This bulletin replaces the following memo: Primary Care Physician Consultant (PCPC) Options for Healthcare Homes dated November 1, 2011.
- 2.2 This is to provide direction regarding formal notification of options you have for complying with requirements for the PCPC role in your CMHC HCH.

### 3. PCPC Options

- 3.1 You are required to provide one (1) hour per enrollee per year of PCPC time for the CMHC HCH.
- 3.2 All required hours may be completed by one or multiple primary care physicians.
- 3.3 You may contract with multiple primary care physicians to provide consultation for CMHC consumers who are current patients as part of your effort to meet the total required hours of PCPC time. If you have a group of consumers with chronic health conditions, it would be appropriate to contract with specialty physicians who treat those health conditions (i.e. diabetes/endocrinologist, heart disease/cardiologist).
- 3.4 The PCPC must be board certified in family practice or internal medicine and be current in their practice.
- 3.5 Up to 50% of the time can be substituted with either an Advance Practice Nurse (APN) or a Physician Assistant (PA).
  - 3.5.1 The substituted time must be based on double the physician time (two hours of APN/PA time for one hour of physician time).
  - 3.5.2 Only 50% of the time may be substituted of the required primary care physician time.
  - 3.5.3 A minimum of two hours per week of primary care physician time is required (104 hours per year).
  - 3.5.4 When substituting an APN/PA the APN/PA must have a specialty in a primary care scope, not a behavioral health scope for this CMHC HCH

function. Below you will find a list of all APN specialties certified by the Missouri Board of Nursing, designating which are appropriate for the PCPC role.

- 3.6 Please also note that in your contractual agreements with the primary care physicians, you should address “kickback protection” to assure compliance with federal statutes.

### Missouri Board of Nursing Specialties

		<u>HCH</u>
ACNP	Acute Care Nurse Practitioner	YES
ACCNS	Adult Acute Critical Care Clinical Nurse Specialist	YES
AHCNS	Adult Health Clinical Nurse Specialist ( formerly: Medical/Surgical CNS)	YES
ANP	Adult Nurse Practitioner	YES
AP/MHCNS	Adult Psych/Mental Health Clinical Nurse Specialist	<b>NO</b>
AP/MHNP	Adult Psych/Mental Health Nurse Practitioner	<b>NO</b>
C-AP/MHCNS	Child-Adolescent Psy/Mental Health Clinical Nurse Specialist	<b>NO</b>
FNP	Family Nurse Practitioner	YES
FP/MHCNS	Family Psych/Mental Health Clinical Nurse Specialist	<b>NO</b>
FP/MHNP	Family Psych/Mental Health Nurse Practitioner	<b>NO</b>
GCNS	Gerontological Clinical Nurse Specialist	YES
GNP	Gerontological Nurse Practitioner	YES
M-CCNS	Maternal-Child Clinical Nurse Specialist	YES
NCCNS	Neonatal Acute & Critical Care Clinical Nurse Specialist	<b>NO</b>
NNP	Neonatal Nurse Practitioner	<b>NO</b>
CRNA	Nurse Anesthetist	<b>NO</b>
CNM	Certified Nurse Midwife	<b>NO</b>
PCCNS	Pediatric Acute & Critical Care Clinical Nurse Specialist	YES
PCNS	Pediatric Clinical Nurse Specialist	YES
PNP	Pediatric Nurse Practitioner	YES
WHCNS	Women's Health Clinical Nurse Specialist	YES
WHNP	Women's Health Nurse Practitioner	YES