

Putting it all into context: How Behavioral Health services and HCBS operate together

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Adult BH HCBS Roadmap Partners



Training Objectives

- To provide a brief overview of the mental health and substance use disorder treatment and rehabilitation services (behavioral health) as well as the new behavioral health Home and Community Based Services
- To contextualize how to best connect an individual with the services that best fit their own identified goals and needs

Illustrations Include

- Goals/needs
- How services/programs meet those goals and needs
- Options of different services/programs
- No crisis for any examples
- For OASAS example: important to note the flow from the care manager to the provider to LOCADTR to appropriate level of care

Person-centered approach

- What have you tried before that worked well for you and what has not worked as well?
- Do you prefer to explore your options and issues individually or in a group?
- Do you like to be able to get everything you need “under one roof” “One stop shopping”?
- What kind of “setting” or “place” makes you most comfortable?
- Do you have any special needs regarding transportation to the services?
- What hours are the best for you to access services?

Maria is eligible for a HARP



Goals/needs:

- Find a part-time job
- Manage mental health symptoms
- Cut back on her drinking

Options to explore with Maria



- HCBS: Intensive Supported Employment, Empowerment Services, Psychosocial Rehabilitation
- Clinics
- PROS
- Employment Services (Non-HCBS)
- Health Home

Pierre is not eligible for HARP



Goals/needs:

- Go to college
- Find a part-time job
- Develop social skills
- Gain better control over his depression and anxiety

Options to explore with Pierre



- PROS program
- Non-HCBS Employment Services
- Clubhouse

Nancy is eligible for HARP



Goals/Needs:

- Safe housing
- Education about health conditions and importance of getting medical care
- Improve self worth and energy level
- Support to stop using cocaine and marijuana
- Employment

Options to Explore with Nancy



- Primary Care referral
- Housing programs through OASAS
- HCBS: Employment, Empowerment, Community Support and Treatment
- Clinics, PROS

Tariq is not eligible for HARP



Goals/Needs:

- Education on health conditions and the benefits of medical care
- Consider finding medical provider that will spend more time with Tariq to educate him.
- Locate substance use disorder treatment that does not interfere with job search and employment
- Assistance with obtaining employment
- Independent Housing

Options to Explore with Tariq



- Primary Care Referrals
- OASAS clinic with evening and weekend hours
- Employment Support
- Housing
- Recovery Center for Social Supports

Adult BH HCBS Designation

Changes and Manual

- Providers who are interested in becoming a new designated Adult BH HCBS provider or changing their existing designation status by:
 - Adding New Adult BH HCBS
 - Removing Adult BH HCBS
 - Inactive Status
- Should notify the state by emailing at omh.sm.co.HCBS-Application@omh.ny.gov
- Providers should also inform Managed Care Organizations of any changes to their HCBS designation.
- Updated Adult BH HCBS Provider Manual Link:
<https://www.omh.ny.gov/omhweb/bho/hcbs-manual.html>

For additional questions, please follow-up with an email to the appropriate state office:

- **OASAS: PICM@oasas.ny.gov**
- **OMH: OMH-Managed-Care@omh.ny.gov**