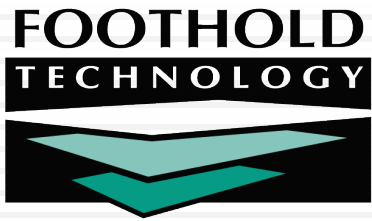




Foothold Technology

APGs, AWARDS, and You



Ambulatory Patient Groups

- ❖ Impacts Medicaid billing for all outpatient services throughout New York State
- ❖ Groups patients/clients into cost and service categories
- ❖ Groups all procedures provided in one visit into a single invoice with multiple lines
- ❖ Pending federal approval
- ❖ Information is available at http://www.health.state.ny.us/health_care/medicaid/rates/apg/#final_regulations

Office of Mental Health

- ❖ Article 31 clinics
- ❖ Interim transition period began October 1 2010;
no set date for full transition
- ❖ Information is available at
http://www.omh.state.ny.us/omhweb/clinic_restructuring/

Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services

- ❖ Part 822 chemical dependence programs
- ❖ Conversion planned for July 1 2011
- ❖ New service provision regulations expected January 1 2011
- ❖ Allows multiple services on the same day
 - ❖ Limited to two per day, with certain exceptions (Medication Administration, Medication Management, Complex Care Management and Peer Support Services)
- ❖ Information is available at <http://www.oasas.state.ny.us/admin/hcf/APG/>

OASAS Service Categories

- ❖ Screening, Brief Intervention and Brief Treatment
- ❖ Assessment Brief
- ❖ Assessment Normative
- ❖ Assessment Extended
- ❖ Individual Counseling Brief
- ❖ Individual Counseling Normative
- ❖ Group Counseling
- ❖ Collateral Visit
- ❖ Medication Administration and Observation
- ❖ Medication Management Routine
- ❖ Medication Management Complex
- ❖ Complex Care Coordination
- ❖ Peer Support
- ❖ Intensive Outpatient Rehabilitation
- ❖ Day Rehabilitation



Even if you do not use BillingBuilder

❖ Impacts

- ❖ OMH - Service types
- ❖ OMH - Service language
- ❖ OASAS – New service categorization
 - ❖ Modifications to the OASAS Treatment Plan are in development



If you do use BillingBuilder

- ❖ Billing type setup:
 - ❖ Multi-line invoices
 - ❖ Multi-line limits
 - ❖ OMH - After Hours procedure – hard coded logic; HCPCS must be entered in Billing Type setup

Procedure setup - OMH:

- ❖ Multi line limit exceptions
- ❖ Additional eligibility required – SED
- ❖ 5 digit procedure/rate code
 - ❖ To duplicate non-unique codes during OMH interim period
 - ❖ 837 claim file drops 5th digit
 - ❖ Medicaid adjudicates based on HCPCS
 - ❖ To be replaced by APG code

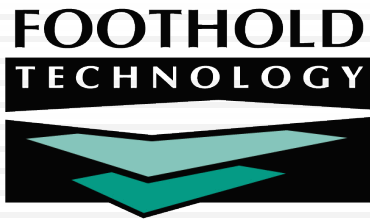
Procedure setup - OASAS:

- ❖ Intensive Outpatient procedure
 - ❖ Will be tracked with program component enrollment in AWARDS and additional eligibility required in the procedure setup
 - ❖ Currently in development
- ❖ Outpatient Rehab services
 - ❖ Must be provided in a certified 822 outpatient rehabilitation program

Rates:



- ❖ OMH – some new APG rates, some “blend” rates (not yet available from OMH)
- ❖ OASAS – TBD

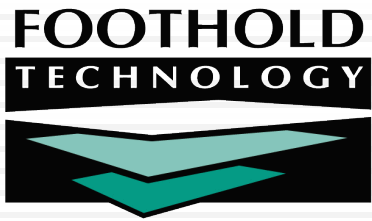


OMH Interim Billing Process

- 1) Specify multi-line invoices, multi-line limit, and After Hours HCPCS in Billing Type setup
- 2) Create new procedures with effective date 10/01/2010 and 5 digit procedure/rate codes
- 3) Close out old procedures
- 4) Use guidance to map old procedures to new provided at http://www.omh.state.ny.us/omhweb/clinic_restructuring/interim_claming_and_test_billing.pdf

Or use the following:

Service Name	CPT /HCPCS	Interim Rate/ Procedure Code	Interim Rate	APG Rate
Initial Assessment	90801	4301	Blend	\$156.25
Psychiatric Assessment – 30 min	90805	4301	Blend	\$156.25
Psychiatric Assessment – 45 min	90807	4301	Blend	\$187.5
Psychotropic Medication Treatment	90862	4302	Full - \$100	\$100
Psychotropic Medication Administration	H2010	4302	Full - \$62.51	\$62.51
Individual Psychotherapy – 30 min	90804	4301	Blend	\$93.75
Individual Psychotherapy – 45 min	90806	4301	Blend	\$125
Family Psychotherapy (without client)	90846	4304	Blend	\$93.75
Family Psychotherapy (with client)	90847	4304	Blend	\$187.5
Group Psychotherapy	90853	4303	Blend	\$44.56
Multi-Family Group Psychotherapy	90849	4305	Blend	\$48.44
Crisis Intervention – 15 min*	H2011	4302 (15 min), 4301 (>15 min)	Full - \$60.42	\$60.42
Crisis Intervention – per hour	S9484	4306	Full - \$364.58	\$364.58
Crisis Intervention – per diem	S9485	4306	Full - \$875	\$875
Complex Care Management	90882	4302	Full - \$43.75	\$43.75



OMH Interim Billing Process, cont'd

- ❖ Claim submission process remains the same
- ❖ Remittance process changes:
 - ❖ New setting for remittance worksheets: “Interim Period OMH APG Medicaid Rate Code Remittance Worksheet” – identifies interim period remittances for easier tracking during post-interim readjudication

More information about the interim billing process is available at

http://www.omh.state.ny.us/omhweb/clinic_restructuring/interim_claiming_and_test_billing.pdf