

**DIVISION OF HEALTH CARE FINANCING AND POLICY  
CLINICAL POLICY TEAM, APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS**

**APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE**

**Minutes – June 28, 2016**

**11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

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Webinar Address:

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**1. Purpose of ABA Monthly Calls**

- a. House Keeping – to **MUTE** Calls \*6
  - Questions and comments may be submitted to [ABAservices@dhcfp.nv.gov](mailto:ABAservices@dhcfp.nv.gov) anytime prior to the call or after for additional questions.
- b. Introductions – DHCFP, SURS, HPES

**2. DHCFP – Updates**

- a. **FA11-F** – expiration of the diagnosis. The Diagnosis should not expire therefore the time that has passed since the initial diagnosis would not be a factor. The form will still need to be signed by the medical provider.
  - Clinical evaluation – as a form of diagnosis – must indicated on the form to show the DSM5 criteria and submit documentation to show how the provider came to this conclusion
- b. **FA11-E** – Save time be sure that all signatures required on the form.
  - School section we have gone over the coordination of care previously. Please see April 2016 minutes.
  - Calculate the unite correctly
    1. For example:  
**Auth period is for 25 weeks plus 2 days. Requested is 1 unit per day 5 days per week.**  
 $1 \times 5 \times 25 = 125 + 2 \text{ days} (1 \text{ unit}) = 127.$
- c. Retro Prior Authorizations – originally scheduled to expire June 1, 2016. This will be extended as proper notification was not given to the providers.
- d. Verify Eligibility through EVS or ARS

[https://www.medicaid.nv.gov/Downloads/provider/Automated\\_Response\\_System\\_FINAL\\_2015-0311.pdf](https://www.medicaid.nv.gov/Downloads/provider/Automated_Response_System_FINAL_2015-0311.pdf)

**3. DHCFP – Surveillance Utilization Review Section (SURS) – Updates**

- a. SURS Overview – The Surveillance and Utilization Review Unit guards against fraud and abuse by providers. These functions include (not all inclusive) detecting areas where Medicaid regulations can be improved, identifying contradicting policy, and conducting training on fraud and abuse. You can find information on the [SURS resource page](#).

4. **HPE – Updates**

- a. Process after PA is Received – pages 28-29  
[https://www.medicaid.nv.gov/Downloads/provider/NV\\_BillingGuidelines\\_PT85.pdf](https://www.medicaid.nv.gov/Downloads/provider/NV_BillingGuidelines_PT85.pdf)
- b. HPE does offer providers training to sign up utilize this link.  
<https://www.medicaid.nv.gov/providers/training/training.aspx>  
Select second quarter 2016 provider training workshops
- c. Contact HPE [NevadaProviderTraining@hpe.com](mailto:NevadaProviderTraining@hpe.com)