

Policy:

It is the policy of Thrive Behavioral Network, LLC that the Interdisciplinary Team of each facility will thoroughly assess each client's areas of vulnerability on a timely basis. This process will also include the identification of measures to be taken to reduce the risk of maltreatment through the development, implementation and review of an Individual Abuse Prevention Plan in conjunction with the Individual Treatment Plan.

Procedure:

203.10 Plan Development

Subpart 1 - Assessment

Upon admission, a thorough assessment of each client will be made by the Interdisciplinary Team based on a review of admission information, the person's history, medical status, functioning level and team input. The results will be recorded on Form 2000 – Vulnerable Adult Assessment.

Subpart 2 - Individual Abuse Prevention Plan

Form 2001 – Individual Abuse Prevention Plan will be developed that states specific measures, in addition to the general measures specified in the Form 2006 – Program Abuse Prevention Plan, to be taken to minimize the risk of maltreatment for each of the vulnerable areas identified. This plan will be completed within 72 hours of admission and reviewed in 10 days with the development of the Individual Treatment Plan.

Subpart 3 - Additional Assessments

Further assessments will be made by the Interdisciplinary Team based on the client's behavior, the client's skill building interests and individual group programming during the first 10 days and results from the diagnostic and functional assessments. Any significant factors identified through the above assessment that render an individual susceptible to maltreatment, including self-maltreatment within or outside of the facility, will be reviewed for inclusion in the ongoing Individual Abuse Prevention Plan.

Subpart 4 - Responsibility for Corrective Measures

Thrive has the responsibility to take all reasonable measures to minimize the risk of maltreatment to its clients. These measures will include specific actions the program will take if the client is susceptible to maltreatment within the scope of a facility's services. These measures will also include referrals the facility may reasonably make if the client is susceptible to maltreatment outside the scope of its services.

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203.20 Plan Review

Subpart 1 - Review Requirements

IRTS/RCSS:

The Individual Abuse Prevention Plan will be reviewed weekly in conjunction with the IRTS/RCSS Weekly Treatment Review, as well as at the 10 day review, 30-day review, 60-day review and 90-day review, along with any event as outlined in Subpart 3.

HCBS:

The Individual Abuse Prevention Plan will be reviewed at the 45-day treatment review meeting with the person and their interdisciplinary team.

Subpart 2 - Review Components

The review will use updated information received, assessments completed and any maltreatment reports or accident/incident reports made since the last review.

Subpart 3 – Ongoing Review and Documentation

When a risk presents itself during the course of treatment the IAPP will need to be updated at that time to reflect the assessed risks. Examples include but are not limited to: drug and alcohol abuse, contact with a potential abuser, other harmful behaviors. Updates to the IAPP will be documented on Form 2001 and reflected in Form 5022 Weekly Treatment Review.

203.30 Client Participation

Subpart 1 - Expectations for Client Participation

The client will participate in all phases of the development of the Individual Abuse Prevention Plan. The client also has the right to have a representative participate with them in the development of the plan or to represent them if they are not able to participate.

Subpart 2 - Documentation and Action Plan

If a client does not participate, the facility staff will document in the client case file the specific reasons. The team will also develop a specific action plan which will be attempted before the next treatment review.