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## - MEMORANDUM -

DATE: June 15, 2023

TO: Alameda County Behavioral Health Opioid Treatment Program Community-Based Organizations

FROM: Cecilia Serrano, Finance Director (utia Surans

Karen Capece, Interim Deputy Director, Plan Administrator

SUBJECT: Fiscal Year 2023-24 Opioid Treatment Program Rates

This communication has been issued to provide a timely update regarding our system's Opioid Treatment Program Rates.

As ACBH continues to plan for California Advancing and Innovating Medi-Cal (CalAIM), one of the major components of CalAIM is the payment reform transition from Healthcare Common Procedure Codes (HCPCs) to Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) codes.

As some may already be aware, the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) is no longer setting rates statewide for Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-24. Therefore, we hope this communication helps to clarify FY 2023-24 rates for Alameda County Behavioral Health Care Services (ACBH) Contracted Opioid Treatment Program (OTP) Providers.

Effective July 1, 2023, in alignment with the most recent guidance from DHCS for billing by CPT codes, ACBH will be reimbursing the OTP programs utilizing the FY 2023-24 Published OTP Rate Sheet (see Attachment A). For cost settlements, CBOs will no longer report actual costs quarterly, nor for the full FY in the form of the annual Cost Report.

DHCS has advised that the rates in the fee schedules to counties should not be considered as pass-through rates to contracted providers and ACBH completed a thorough analysis to establish the FY 2023-24 OTP rates. ACBH will continue to analyze systemwide finances and rates with CBO providers as we move into the new fiscal year. In addition, ACBH will review OTP rates at least annually and inform OTP providers of any approved updates to these published rates, such as rate increases, which would then apply to ACBH contracted OTP programs. The Contract Rate Sheets will include a footnote to ensure that updated published rates will automatically apply to every OTP contract, and will supersede contract rates without requiring a contract amendment.

For more information, please review the <u>DHCS Website</u> and <u>Behavioral Health Information Notice 23-017</u>. If you should have any questions regarding the rates, please contact the assigned Fiscal Contract Manager. For cost report questions, please contact Mandy Chau, Audit and Cost Reporting Director at <u>mandy.chau@acgov.org</u> or 510-639-1308.

As ACBH continues to support the CBOs to deliver the essential services to the clients in Alameda County, we appreciate our continued partnership and collaboration during this critical time.

cc: Executive Team
Operational Leadership
Contract Unit

Enclosures: FY 2023-24 Opioid Treatment Program Rate Sheet, Attachment A



## **ATTACHMENT A**

## SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER (SUD) CONTRACT RATES

Opioid Treatment Program Rates as of July 1, 2023

Regular DMC - OTP		
OTP - Methadone	Daily	\$20.11
OTP - Buprenorphine (Bup) Mono	Daily	\$30.54
OTP - Bup Injectable (Sublocade)	Each	\$2,034.40
OTP - Bup-Naloxone Combo Tablets (Subox.)	Daily	\$32.84
OTP - Bup-Naloxone- Combo Film (Subox.)	Daily	\$29.23
OTP - Disulfiram	Daily	\$11.67
OTP - Naloxone HCL - 2 pack (Narcan)	Each	\$144.76
OTP - Naloxone HCL - 2 pack (Generic)	Each	\$106.07
OTP - Naltrexone Injectable (Vivitrol)	Each	\$2,222.13
OTP - Individual Counseling (SUD Counselor)	15-minute increment	\$36.71
OTP - Group Counseling (SUD Counselor)	15-minute increment	\$36.71
Care Coordination (SUD Counselor)	15-minute increment	\$36.71
OTP - Individual Counseling (LPHA)	15-minute increment	\$44.25
OTP - Group Counseling (LPHA)	15-minute increment	\$44.25
Care Coordination (LPHA)	15-minute increment	\$44.25
Perinatal DMC - OTP		
OTP - Methadone	Daily	\$30.89
OTP - Buprenorphine (Bup) Mono	Daily	\$41.33
OTP - Bup Injectable (Sublocade)	Each	\$2,034.40
OTP - Bup-Naloxone Tablets (Subox.)	Daily	\$44.25
OTP - Bup-Naloxone Film (Subox.)	Daily	\$40.65
OTP - Disulfiram	Daily	\$11.84
OTP - Naloxone HCL - 2 pack (Narcan)	Each	\$144.76
OTP - Naloxone HCL - 2 pack (Generic)	Each	\$106.07
OTP - Naltrexone Injectable (Vivitrol)	Each	\$2,222.13
OTP - Individual Counseling (SUD Counselor)	15-minute increment	\$45.89
OTP - Group Counseling (SUD Counselor)	15-minute increment	\$45.89
Care Coordination (SUD Counselor)	15-minute increment	\$45.89
OTP - Individual Counseling (LPHA)	15-minute increment	\$55.32
OTP - Group Counseling (LPHA)	15-minute increment	\$55.32
Care Coordination (LPHA)	15-minute increment	\$55.32