

Discharge Procedure

Overview

This document outlines the procedure for the Discharge Process, when a Client chooses to not be a part of treatment at HCRS or no longer meets criteria for medical necessity.

Directions

PROGRAM Discharge

Any Assigned Staff:

1. Click on **Client tab** (enter identifying information, name, DOB, etc), filter, and select client.

2. Review open programs **Assignments** section.
 - a. On the navigation bar click **Overview** (default view when entering a chart is Overview).
 - b. Scroll down to **Assignments** section
 - i. Click **All Assignments** to view the complete list of enrolled programs/employees
 - c. The Client Profile screen displays
 - i. Scroll down to find the **Assignments** section for complete list of assigned programs.

- d. Once all programs/employees have been identified, *collaborate* with primary providers in other programs to determine who will close out which program.
 - i. Don't forget to check for ***Medical Service**, and collaborate with medical team.
3. Schedule a **Discharge Service** within the employee schedule tab ([Schedule a Service](#)) and begin service.

- a. Click **Discharge** to open the service/form.
- b. Click **No** for Agency Discharge (as you are just closing a program)
- c. Select Scheduled **Program** (the prefix before the scheduled service name, example: **AOP**: Discharge, **CYF**: Discharge)
- d. Select micro programs (example: Reach Up (AOP) or Hilltop (Residential)) from the drop down if applicable, if *not* continue with the next step
- e. Complete **all** fields within service (Date of Admission through Additional Information about Referrals).
- f. Click **Complete**
- g. Click **Complete** again.
- h. Review Billing strip, [Sign and Submit Service](#).

4. Complete program required Dynamic Forms.
 - a. **CYF:** *complete discharge CANS if client is discharged from the entire Program (CYF)*
 - b. **CRT:** *Complete CRT disenrollment form*
 - c. **SUP:** *Complete the SATIS service*
 - d. **RES:** *Complete LOCUS on paper form, scan to res/admin folder, complete LOCUS summary in Credible*

AREA MANAGER:

1. Check for any Red s/incomplete work
2. If the service is set up for multi stage approval it will show on the area manager's "My Multi-Stg" on their services list. If not, the sending staff would need to send a Detailed To-Do. The Area manager should audit the note for clinical content and completeness.
 - a. Complete audit and approve service

ADMIN ONLY: Once the Area manager has audited and approved, Admin will:

1. Remove future appointments
2. Terminate program-specific insurance (keep all others and self-pay)
3. Check not-approved services
4. Change primary program:
 - a. In profile (MSR/Intake)
 - b. On Navigation Bar
5. Unassign client from the **team** that corresponds with the program being discharged
6. Update Episode:
 - a. Click on **Episode** on the navigation bar
 - b. Change the **Primary Program** to the remaining program
 - c. Enter the **Effective Date** of the new Primary Program
7. Pass or Red X services

AGENCY Discharge (MSR is embedded)

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 - Scroll down to **Assignments** section
 - Click **All Assignments** to view the complete list of enrolled programs/employees
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- Once all programs/employees have been identified, *collaborate* with primary providers in other programs to determine who will close out which program.
 - Don't forget to check for ***Medical Service**, and collaborate with medical team.

- Schedule a **Discharge Service** within the employee schedule ([Schedule a Service](#))

- Click **Discharge** to open the service/form.
- Select **YES** for Agency discharge
- Click program being closed (should be the only program open)
- Complete **all** fields within service (Date of Admission through Additional Information about Referrals).
- Ensure diagnosis ICD 10 code is entered
- Click **Complete**
- Click **Complete** again.
- Review Billing strip, [Sign and Submit Service](#).

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ADMIN ONLY: Once the Area manager has audited and approved, Admin will:

1. Remove future appointments
2. Terminate Insurance
3. Check Not-Approved Services
4. Update Episode (click **Episode** on the Navigation bar)
 - a. Enter ***discharge date***
 - b. Change episode status to ***Closed***
5. Pass or Red X services
6. Unassign the client from:
 - a. The ***team***
 - b. The ***program***
 - c. The specific assigned ***staff***
7. Inactivate the client within Client Profile:
 - a. Client status to **Inactive**
 - b. Update client profile: enter the Agency Discharge Date under "MSR Discharge Fields"