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TO: REGIONAL CENTER EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: RATE REFORM – SERVICE CODE CROSSWALK

As recommended in the 2019 Rate Study, rate reform includes standardization of service requirements and service codes. Each service description is tied to a service code, with subcodes for all associated variations. Some service codes will remain unchanged, others will be adjusted to incorporate multiple service codes or subcodes, and some will be phased out.

Below is a list of the service codes that will be phased out and the service codes to consider as a possible match to the services currently being provided. This list does not include all options and other service descriptions to which services actually delivered may align.

Behavior Services

Existing Service Code	Service Codes to Consider
048 - Client/Parent Support Behavior Intervention Training *(can no longer be used unless the Department approves an exemption)*	612 - Behavior Analyst
	613 - Associate Behavior Analyst
	615 - Behavior Management Assistant
	616 - Behavior Technician - Paraprofessional
	620 - Behavior Management Consultant
	Other

Day Services

Existing Service Code	Service Codes to Consider
055 - Community Integration Training Program *(can no longer be used unless the Department approves an exemption)*	531 - Day Services
	532 - Behavioral Day Services
	533 - Medical Day Services
	520 - Independent Living Program
	952 - Supported Employment-Individual, Job Development
	952 - Supported Employment-Individual, Job Coaching
	950 - Supported Employment-Group
	Other

Day Services - continued

Existing Service Code	Service Codes to Consider
063 - Community Activities Support Services *(can no longer be used unless the Department approves an exemption)*	531 - Day Services
	532 - Behavioral Day Services
	533 - Medical Day Services
	520 - Independent Living Program
	952 - Supported Employment-Individual, Job Development
	952 - Supported Employment-Individual, Job Coaching
	950 - Supported Employment-Group
	Other
505 - Activity Center *(transitioning to new codes and can no longer be used)*	531 - Day Services
	532 - Behavioral Day Services
	533 - Medical Day Services
	Other
510 - Adult Development Center *(transitioning to new codes and can no longer be used)*	531 - Day Services
	532 - Behavioral Day Services
	533 - Medical Day Services
	Other
515 - Behavior Management Program *(transitioning to new codes and can no longer be used)*	531 - Day Services
	532 - Behavioral Day Services
	533 - Medical Day Services
	Other

Specialized Therapeutic Services

Existing Service Code	Service Codes to Consider
103 - Specialized Health, Treatment, & Training Services *(can no longer be used unless the Department approves an exemption)*	Other
115 - Specialized Therapeutic Services (Ages 3 to 20) *(transitioning to new codes and can no longer be used)*	117 - Specialized Therapeutic Services
	612 - Behavior Analyst
	613 - Associate Behavior Analyst
	615 - Behavior Management Assistant
	616 - Behavior Technician - Paraprofessional
	620 - Behavior Management Consultant
	Other

Training and Support Services

Existing Service Code	Service Codes to Consider
645 - Mobility Training Services Agency *(can no longer be used unless the Department approves an exemption)*	520 - Independent Living Program
	635 - Independent Living Specialist
	Other
650 - Mobility Training Services Specialist *(can no longer be used unless the Department approves an exemption)*	520 - Independent Living Program
	635 - Independent Living Specialist
	Other
894 - Supported Living Services- Administrative *(transitioning to new codes and can no longer be used)*	896 - Supported Living Services *as a bundled service within the hourly rate*

Other Services

Existing Service Code	Service Codes to Consider
025 - Tutor Services-Group *(transitioning to new codes and can no longer be used)*	680 - Tutor
	Other
028 - Socialization Training Program *(can no longer be used unless the Department approves an exemption)*	531 - Day Services
	Other

Regional centers and providers must work together to identify the service description(s) that best reflects the services actually being provided. Additional information regarding service descriptions and requirements may be found on the Department's website here. Regional centers may contact the Department for consultation at ratesquestions@dds.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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