

**SECTION 4**  
**PROCEDURE CODES**

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#### UNITS OF SERVICE

Rehabilitative Behavioral Health Services are billed using frequency limits, procedure codes, and modifier combinations. Each service has its own maximum number of units billable per beneficiary per day.

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SERVICE NAME	PROC CODE	MODIFIER / DESCRIPTION	UNIT FREQ	FREQ. LIMITS	
				DAILY	
<b>Assessment Services</b>					
Psychiatric Diagnostic Evaluation without Medical Services	90791	AH HO	Clinical psychologist Master's level	Encounter	1 Encounter per 6 months
Psychiatric Diagnostic Evaluation with Medical Services	90792	AF AM SA	Specialty physician (psychiatrist) Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN)	Encounter	1 Encounter per 6 months
Psychological Testing Diagnostic Assessment	96101	AH	Clinical psychologist	60 minutes	6 per day 20 units per year
Behavioral Health Screening	H0002	AF HP AM SA AH HO HN	Specialty physician (psychiatrist) Doctoral level (MD) Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN) Clinical psychologist Master's level Bachelor's level	15 minutes = 1 unit	2 units per day
Mental Health Comprehensive Diagnostic Assessment – <b>Follow-up</b>	H0031	AH HO	Clinical psychologist Master's level	Encounter	12 Encounters per year
Comprehensive Diagnostic Assessment – <b>Initial</b>	H2000	AH HO	Clinical psychologist Master's level	Encounter	1 Encounter per 6 months

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Service Plan Development – <b>Team Conference w/Client/Family</b>	99366			Encounter	6 Encounters per rolling 12 months
Service Plan Development – <b>Team Conference w/o Client</b>	99367			Encounter	6 Encounters per rolling 12 months
Mental Health Service Plan Development – <b>Non-Physician</b>	H0032	AH HO HN	Clinical psychologist Master's level Bachelor's level	15 minutes = 1 unit	10 – units per week
<b>Therapy Services</b>					
Individual Psychotherapy – <b>Face to Face</b>	90832	AF AM SA AH HO	Specialty physician (psychiatrist) Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN) Clinical psychologist Master's level	30 minutes	1 per date of service IT can be rendered in a variety of combinations, - <b>6</b> sessions per month.
Individual Psychotherapy – <b>Face to Face</b>	90834	AF AM SA AH HO	Specialty physician (psychiatrist) Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN) Clinical psychologist Master's level	45 minutes	1 per date of service IT can be rendered in a variety of combinations, - <b>6</b> sessions per month.
Individual Psychotherapy – <b>Face to Face</b>	90837	AF AM SA AH HO	Specialty physician (psychiatrist) Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN) Clinical psychologist Master's level	60 minutes	1 per date of service IT can be rendered in a variety of combinations, - 6 sessions per month.
Family Psychotherapy – <b>w/o Client</b>	90846	HP AH HO	Doctoral level (MD) Clinical psychologist Master's level	Encounter	1 per date of service 4 sessions per month

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Family Psychotherapy – w/Client	90847	HP AH HO	Doctoral level (MD) Clinical psychologist Master's level	Encounter	1 per date of service 4 sessions per month
Group Psychotherapy 75 to 90 minutes per session	90853	AH HO	Clinical psychologist Master's level	Encounter	8 session per month
<b>Support Services</b>					
Medication Management	H0034	AF HP AM SA TD TE	Specialty physician (psychiatrist) Doctoral level (MD) (Pharm) Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN) Registered nurse (RN) Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)	15 minutes = 1 unit	8 units per day
Peer Support Service – <b>Provided by DMH and DAODAS only</b>	H0038			15 minutes = 1 unit	16 units per day
Crisis Management	H2011	AF HP AM SA AH HO TD HN	Specialty physician (psychiatrist) Doctoral level (MD) Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN) Clinical psychologist Master's level Registered nurse (RN) Bachelor's level	15 minutes = 1 unit	16 units per day

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Behavior Modification	H2014	AF HP AM SA AH HO TD HN HM TE Specialty physician (psychiatrist) Doctoral level (MD) Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN) Clinical psychologist Master's level Registered nurse (RN) Bachelor's level Less than bachelor's degree Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)	15 minutes = 1 unit	32 units per day
Psychosocial Rehabilitation Service	H2017	AF HP AM SA AH HO TD HN HM TE Specialty physician (psychiatrist) Doctoral level (MD) Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN) Clinical psychologist Master's level Registered nurse (RN) Bachelor's level Less than bachelor's degree Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)	15 minutes = 1 unit	64 units per day
Family Support	S9482	AF HP AM SA AH HO TD HN HM TE Specialty physician (psychiatrist) Doctoral level (MD) Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN) Clinical psychologist Master's level Registered nurse (RN) Bachelor's level Less than bachelor's degree Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)	15 minutes = 1 unit	32 units per day

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**DAODAS ONLY PROCEDURE CODES**

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**UNITS OF SERVICE**

The South Carolina Department of Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Services (DAODAS) are billing codes combinations for Rehabilitative Behavioral Health Services. These services are rendered by SC Alcohol and Drug Abuse Commissions and are billed using frequency limits, procedure codes, and modifiers. Each service has its own maximum number of units billable per beneficiary per day.

**Assessment, Therapy, and Support Services**

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SERVICE NAME	PROC CODE	MODIFIER / DESCRIPTION		UNIT FREQ	FREQ. LIMITS	BRIEF DESCRIPTION
					DAILY	
Psychiatric Diagnostic Evaluation with Medical Services <b>1.5 hour session</b>	90792	AF AM SA	Physician/psychiatrist Physician team member (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN)	Encounter = 1 unit	1 per every 6 months	Outside of Bundle package
Psychological Testing Diagnostic Assessment <b>Face to Face</b>	96101	AH	Clinical psychologist	Encounter = 1 unit – one hour session	20 units per year	Outside of Bundle package
Psychological Testing Diagnostic Assessment <b>Face to Face – Administering test and preparing report</b>	96102	HO	Master’s level	Encounter = 1 unit – one hour session	20 units per year	Outside of Bundle package
Alcohol and Drug Assessment – Initial <b>w/o Physical</b>	H0001	AH HO HN	Clinical psychologist Master’s level Bachelor’s level	Encounter = 1 unit – 1.5 hour session	1 per every 6 months	Outside of Bundle package
Alcohol and Drug Assessment <b>Follow-up w/o Physical</b>	H0001	TS	Follow-up	Encounter = 1 unit – one hour session	1 per every 6 months	Provided by the staff listed for initial assessment Outside of Bundle package
Alcohol and Drug Assessment <b>Nursing Services</b>	H0001	U2	Performed by a LPN or higher medical staff	15 minutes = 1 unit	22 units per rolling 12 months	Outside of Bundle package

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Alcohol and Drug <b>Structured screening and brief intervention services</b>	99408	AF AM AH SA HO HN TD TE	Physician/psychiatrist Physician team member (PA) Clinical psychologist Nurse practitioner (APRN) Master's level Bachelor's level Registered nurse (RN) Licensed practical nurse (LPN)	Encounter = 1 unit – one hour session	12 units per rolling 12 months	H0001 and 99408 cannot be billed on the same date of services. Outside of Bundle package
Service Plan Development <b>Interdisciplinary Team w/Client</b>	99366			Encounter = 1 unit – one hour session	6 – units per rolling 12 months	Master's level staff and above must sign the IPOC
Service Plan Development <b>Interdisciplinary Team w/o Client</b>	99367			Encounter = 1 unit – one hour session	6 – units per rolling 12 months	Master's level staff and above must sign the IPOC
Mental Health Service Plan Development – Non-Physician w/ Client	H0032			Encounter = 1 – unit – one hour session	6 - units per rolling 12 months	Master's level staff and above must sign the IPOC
Mental Health Service Plan Development – Non-Physician w/out client	H0032	HF		Encounter = 1 – unit – one hour session	6 - units per rolling 12 months	Master's level staff and above must sign the IPOC
Individual Psychotherapy <b>Face to Face 30 minute session</b>	90832	AF AM AH SA HO	Physician/psychiatrist Physician team member (PA) Clinical psychologist Nurse practitioner (APRN) Master's level	Encounter = 1 unit	12 units per rolling 12 months	30 - minute session
Individual Psychotherapy <b>Face to Face 45 minute session</b>	90834	AF AM AH SA HO	Physician/psychiatrist Physician team member (PA) Clinical psychologist Nurse practitioner (APRN) Master's level	Encounter = 1 unit	12 units per rolling 12 months	45 - minute session

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Individual Psychotherapy <b>Face to Face</b> <b>30 minutes session with Medical Evaluation and Management services</b>	90833	AF AM SA Physician/psychiatrist Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN)	Encounter = 1 unit	18 units per rolling 12 months	Must use as a add on code when a Medical evaluation is provided – 99203 and 99213
Individual Psychotherapy <b>Face to Face</b> <b>45 minute session with Medical Evaluation and Management services</b>	90836	AF AM SA Physician/psychiatrist Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN)	Encounter = 1 unit	18 – units per rolling 12 months	Must use as a add on code when a Medical evaluation is provided – 99203 and 99213
Medical evaluation and Management <b>New Patient</b> <b>30 minute session</b>	99203	AF AM SA Physician/psychiatrist Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN)	Encounter = 1 unit	Per date of service	This code is outside of the bundle package
Medical evaluation and Management <b>Established Patient</b> <b>15 minute session</b>	99213	AF AM SA Physician/psychiatrist Physician team member svc (PA) Nurse practitioner (APRN)	Encounter = 1 unit	Per date of service	This code is outside of the bundle package
Family Psychotherapy <b>w/o patient present</b>	90846	AF AM AH SA HO Physician/psychiatrist Physician team member (PA) Clinical psychologist Nurse practitioner (APRN) Master's level	Encounter = 1 unit	12 units per rolling 12 months	Hour session
Family Psychotherapy <b>w/ Patient present</b> <b>60 minute session</b>	90847	AF AM AH SA HO Physician/psychiatrist Physician team member (PA) Clinical psychologist Nurse practitioner (APRN) Master's level	Encounter = 1 unit	12 units per rolling 12 months	Hour session
Group Psychotherapy <b>60 minute session</b>	90853	AF AM AH SA HO Physician/psychiatrist Physician team member (PA) Clinical psychologist Nurse practitioner (APRN) Master's level	Encounter = 1 unit	12 units per rolling 12 months	Hour session or more

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Alcohol and Drug Counseling <b>Individual</b>	H0004			15 minutes = 1 unit	32 units per week	Summary must be signed off by a BA staff with CAC II or higher credential staff
Alcohol and Drug Counseling <b>Group 60 minute session</b>	H0005			Encounter = 1 unit	3 units per week	Summary must be signed off by a BA staff with CAC II or higher credential staff
Medication Management	H0034	UB AH HO HN TD TE	Pharmacist Clinical psychologist Master's level Bachelors' level Registered nurse (RN) Licensed practical nurse (LPN)	15 minutes = 1 unit	18 – units per rolling 12 months	Cannot be billed on same date of services as 90833 and 90836
Crisis Management	H2011	00 HF	Face-to face - no modifier Telephonic	15 minutes = 1 unit	16 units per day	Summary must be signed off by a BA staff with CAC II or higher credential staff
Family Support	S9482	00	No modifier	15 minutes = 1 unit	32 units per week	Summary must be signed off by a BA staff with CAC II or higher credential staff
Peer Support Service	H0038	00 HQ	Individual – no modifier Group	15 minutes = 1 unit	32 units per week	Summary must be signed off by a BA staff with CAC II or higher credential staff
Psychosocial Rehabilitation Service	H2017	00 HQ	Individual – no modifier Group	15 minutes = 1 unit	32 units per week	Summary must be signed off by a BA staff with CAC II or higher credential staff
Skills Training and Development Service <b>0 to 6 years of age</b>	H2014			15 minutes = 1 unit	32 units per day	Summary must be signed off by a BA staff with CAC II or higher credential staff

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Medication Administration	96372		Must be provided by Medical staff within their scope of practice	1 unit	1 per date of service	Billed in conjunction with J2315
Vivitrol Injection	J2315		Must be provided by Medical staff within their scope of practice	1 unit	1 per month	380 units

#### Services Descriptions, Modifiers, and Frequency Limits

SERVICE NAME	PROC CODE	MODIFIER	UNIT/ FREQ	FREQUENCY LIMITS	BRIEF DESCRIPTION
				DAILY	
Alcohol and /or Drug Services –Intensive Outpatient Treatment	H0015	00	Encounter	All inclusive hourly rate	Level II.1 Intensive Outpatient Treatment Program
Alcohol and /or Drug Treatment – Outpatient	H2035	00	Encounter	All inclusive hourly rate	Level II.5 Day Treatment/Partial Hospitalization
Alcohol and /or Drug Services – Sub-acute Detox Residential	H0010	00	Encounter	Daily Per-diem	Level III.2-D Clinically Managed Residential Detox
Alcohol and /or Drug Services – Acute Detox Residential	H0011	00	Encounter	Daily Per-diem	Level III.7-D Medically Monitored Residential Detox
Behavioral Health – Long-Term Residential Treatment Program	H0019	00	Encounter	Daily Per-diem	Level III.5-R Clinically Managed High-Intensity Residential Treatment

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Behavioral Health–Short–Term Residential Treatment Program – Acute <b>age 21 and over</b>	H0018	00	Encounter	Daily Per–diem	Level III.7–R Medically Monitored Residential Acute Treatment
Behavioral Health–Short–Term Residential Treatment Program – Adolescent Residential <b>under age 21</b>	H0018	HA	Encounter	Daily Per–diem	Level III.7–RA Medically Monitored High–Intensity Adolescent Residential Treatment

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