**Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities Administration (BHDDA)**

**Policies and Advisories**

Follow this link to access the most up-to-date BHDDA Policies and Technical Advisories:

<https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/keep-mi-healthy/mentalhealth/drugcontrol/reportstats/reportcontent/policies-and-advisories>

**- Documents in alphabetical order -**

**Substance Use Disorder Services Policies:**

* [Acupuncture](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Keeping-Michigan-Healthy/BH-DD/Recovery-and-Substance-Use/P-T-02-Acupuncture-11-1-12.pdf?rev=9acec1d341d945b8b7ae2f4ac763177d&hash=7358E6625D8F514A0B1CD45AE84E85EF) *rev 11/01/12, technical revisions completed 7/1/20* #P-T-02: Establishes standards for the use of acupuncture as adjunct therapy in substance abuse treatment.
* [Adolescent Substance Use Treatment Services Policy](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder3/Folder35/Folder2/Folder135/Folder1/Folder235/Adolescent_Substance_Use_Treatment_Services_Policy.pdf?rev=477bcc0df6b44254b631e440bf12d410&hash=5EC965939A0997A77532A737FC3D69E4) *rev 06/01/18* #14
* [Communicable Disease - Prevention Policy #02](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Keeping-Michigan-Healthy/BH-DD/Recovery-and-Substance-Use/Communicable_Disease_Prevention_Policy_02.pdf?rev=beaee3cceaef41d1be9ee1873e0326b3&hash=BB44A6AA44D57A3DFC4849B097DCC8DF)
* [Attachment A only: Communicable Disease Provider Information Plan/Report](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder2/Folder51/Folder1/Folder151/P-P-02_CD_Form_Only.pdf?rev=8d1ffa54814b426c9a9c053656b6ccd3&hash=8348B463917152244A6EEB7986D7064A)  
  *rev. eff. 01/01/12, technical revisions completed 7/1/20* #P-P-02: Establishes requirements with regard to addressing communicable disease.
* [Criteria for Using Methadone for Medication-Assisted Treatment and Recovery](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder4/Folder11/Folder3/Folder111/Folder2/Folder211/Folder1/Folder311/Criteria-for-Using-Methadone-for-Medication.pdf?rev=5d45b9eac48f4ec79ae2c6fd7d8243b0&hash=A9CFD1E287DD8C97D0CA780FEFE61AC6) *rev eff 10/01/12*[*Consent for an Adolescent to Participate in Opioid Pharmacotherapy Treatment form*](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder2/Folder37/Folder1/Folder137/Form-_Consent_Adolescent_Participate_Opioid_Tx_fill-save.pdf?rev=dfb7c961e16b497d97937e1f890e73b6&hash=4B9BCC213A894CFC0816F749EB0A9C00)*, technical revisions completed 7/1/20* #P-T-05: Clarifies the process for the use of methadone in medication-assisted treatment and recovery for opioid dependence.
* [Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder2/Folder5/Folder1/Folder105/TX_Policy_11_FASD.pdf?rev=a010145a9b884f8684f8b12cc789b8d6&hash=410832F26A71B056A572479422850B71) *new 10/01/09* #P-T-11: Establishes the process and expectations for the screening and referral of children for FASD and the inclusion of FASD prevention in treatment programs that serve women.
* [Individualized Treatment and Recovery Planning](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder1/Folder57/Policy_Treatment_06_Invd_Tx_Planning.pdf?rev=ea7b52dee1014fffb0cf92d8921f1d2e&hash=A360179E3A7BD69120E9D756654805C2) *eff 04/02/12* #P-T-06: Establishes requirements for individualized treatment and recovery planning.
* [Off-Site Dosing Requirements for Medication Assisted Treatment](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder1/Folder44/Treatment_Policy_04_Off-Site_Dosing.pdf?rev=ed1887cfdf3846dd95dd5a28e08b41fe&hash=0F06C5CD931CF765ACA49F25DAD05B6C) , technical revisions completed 7/1/20 *rev 12/01/06* #P-T-04: Clarifies the rules and procedures pertaining to off-site dosing of opioid treatment medication by clients in an opioid treatment program.
* [Outpatient Treatment Continuum of Services](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder3/Folder79/Folder2/Folder179/Folder1/Folder279/Outpatient_Continuum_of_Services.pdf?rev=316ba865b80844c9acff0ce1a59191ec&hash=C467F90808106BA6ABFB668485C23CF1) - Establishes requirements for outpatient services to use ASAM Level of Care criteria and to individualize services to be culturally, age, and gender appropriate. new 03/15/17
* [Residential Treatment Continuum of Services](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder1/Folder100/Residential_TX_Policy_10.pdf?rev=4f1cd3a3a2864e728985853c8ab72c91&hash=487EB66E8E6D80E5E7B4E48F42725AF0) - technical revisions completed 7/1/20 - Requirements for residential services based on ASAM LOC criteria, and to support individualized services that maintain cultural, age and gender appropriateness
* [Substance Abuse Case Management Program Requirements](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder1/Folder77/P-T-08_Case_Management.pdf?rev=99a0ec23419e4afcb4a4f4fcf36f28b8&hash=38B28E8759001B79B94672730DF57FCA) *new 01/01/08* #P-T-08: Specifies requirements with regard to Case Management programs.
* [Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Credentialing and Staff Qualifications](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Keeping-Michigan-Healthy/BH-DD/Recovery-and-Substance-Use/Policies-and-Advisories/SUD_Credentialing_and_Staff_Qualifications.pdf?rev=cfc33959778c4e6cb8ff5a00503aaf81&hash=03DABF9B9F386F9B03C8EF827977C016) - Rev 10/10/22
* [Synar Policy](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Keeping-Michigan-Healthy/BH-DD/Mental-Health/Stats-and-Reports/Synar_Policy.pdf?rev=58227fb8d2e5461dba23fed4cefd3ccd&hash=B2C102902AB185F690D1DA208353232D) and [Synar Webpage](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/keep-mi-healthy/mentalhealth/drugcontrol/prevention/prvcontent/youth-access-to-tobacco-and-synar-info) - Specifies requirements with regard to the Substance Use Prevention, Treatment and Recovery Services Block Grant Synar Compliance. Policy revisions completed October 20, 2023.
* [Withdrawal Management Continuum of Services](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder3/Folder49/Folder2/Folder149/Folder1/Folder249/WithdrawalManagement.pdf?rev=69ed25e5658344f0a7adc1fc93dd3399&hash=A8AA42DB730755FBCB86DD274DCAB7D3)Establishes requirements for withdrawal management services, technical revisions completed 7/1/20
* [Women's Treatment Services](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder2/Folder31/Folder1/Folder131/P-T-12_Women_Srv_eff_100110.pdf?rev=a0c167750cb647b6a12783e40eda06c9&hash=7D25ADC4CA4C7727B5F4E1F09CD9BF9C) Establishes the philosophy and requirements for women's treatment services (designated women's programs and gender competent programs). new 10/01/10, technical revisions completed 7/1/20
* [Young Adult and Transitional Age Youth Treatment Services – Policy #15](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Keeping-Michigan-Healthy/BH-DD/Recovery-and-Substance-Use/Young_Adult_and_Transitional_Age_Youth_Treatment_Services_Policy-15.pdf?rev=20e62d295aa0455fb468dd43d285c4a7&hash=AE610C68C0DA1774F7248F5F235A858E)

**Substance Use Disorder Services Technical Advisories:**

* [Advisory Council #TA-A-01](https://www.michigan.gov/documents/mdch/TA_Contract_01_Advisory_Council_175753_7.pdf)  
  *Provides guidelines regarding the structure and membership of the Local Advisory Council. rev 10/01/06*
* [Counseling Requirement for Clients Receiving Methadone Treatment #TA-T-06](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder1/Folder70/TA-T-06_Counseling_Requirements.pdf?rev=61c39c6a9c574d12be1c7a166058e0b4&hash=FDE9BB526A4DC777AC5151EF521BC252)  
  *Clarifies the substance abuse administrative rule specific to the counseling requirements for clients receiving methadone as part of their substance abuse treatment. 08/10/07 - technical revisions completed 7/1/20*
* [Early Intervention](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder2/Folder45/Folder1/Folder145/TA-T-09_Early_Intervention.pdf?rev=e82d977e2dbc4f3eadb5d07e842c77d7&hash=0BF0E5190ED00A26B06D1F54CF862FA4) *11/30/11 - technical revisions completed 7/1/20* #TA-T-09: Establishes the process and expectations for ASAM PPC-2R Level 0.5 in substance use disorder treatment.
* [Enhanced Women's Services](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder2/Folder54/Folder1/Folder154/TA-T-08_Enhanced_Women_Serv.pdf?rev=e2561667b399478e805438eb880e306f&hash=267200B0DBF8E5F8078CCD3785C51A20) - Technical revisions completed 7/1/20 *1/31/12* #TA-T-08:Provide guidance to the field on developing an intensive case management program for coordinating agencies (CA) and their designated women's programs.  
  [Women, Pregnant Women, and Women with Dependent Children Progress Report Form](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder2/Folder29/Folder1/Folder129/WSS_Report_-FORM.doc?rev=6e9fda0a038148dfb4bc7ea1781d7228&hash=C4E96D39CED2205F08C60A6E90EB0013)  
  [Guidelines for Completing the Progress Report Form](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder2/Folder56/Folder1/Folder156/WSS_Report_-INSTRUCTIONS.pdf?rev=057cedcb361a4b5795b750486a4060fe&hash=A9E41729C31200E374FAC8BB4BAAFE56)
* [Medication Assisted Treatment Guidelines for Opioid Use Disorders](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder3/Folder10/Folder2/Folder110/Folder1/Folder210/MAT_Guidelines_for_Opioid_Use_Disorders.pdf?rev=b8ca492ed5db460d98a17f539e32b193&hash=E766AC0B25BD9A5D66C61D80F7DB545A) *9/17/14*
* [Peer Recovery Support Services](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder1/Folder81/TA-T-07_Peer_Recovery-Recovery_Support.pdf?rev=67f926f65847447183c32cacfec2d7ee&hash=C8F216ED36AD6F90BD026EB29B8F61A3) - technical revisions completed 7/1/20 *9/1/12* #TA-T-07: Provides guidance regarding the development of peer recovery support services.
* [Recovery Housing](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder3/Folder22/Folder2/Folder122/Folder1/Folder222/TA_T_11_Recovery_Housing.pdf?rev=b1d77e1feaac471da89b01d3873104e8&hash=5B68440F7191477838ADC84E3EBAD617) *8/2/16 - technical revisions completed 7/1/20* #TA-T-11: Provides guidance regarding the development of Recovery Housing and Available Services
* [Recovery Policy Practice Advisory](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Folder2/Folder82/Folder1/Folder182/Recovery_Policy__Practice_Advisory.pdf?rev=583652d5d80d4f39b8d672f9077fd636&hash=8D576A0E6D9CDB5EBBC663DB7247CD4B) *7/30/19* #TA-T-12: Learn more -
* [Welcoming](https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/-/media/Project/Websites/mdhhs/Keeping-Michigan-Healthy/BH-DD/Recovery-and-Substance-Use/TA-T-05-Welcoming-10-1-06.pdf?rev=00814efa8565464f8c3d5eca0ec83537&hash=BD3A17F05C6508D9AEB92C477AEE2E82) - technical revisions completed 7/1/20 *10/01/06* #TA-T-05: Establishes expectations for implementation of a welcoming philosophy.