

PROVIDER ALERT

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To: **DCF Residential and Group Home Providers**

Subject: **Enhancements to the “Therapy and Home Passes” section of the Monthly Treatment Plan and Progress Report (MTPPR)**

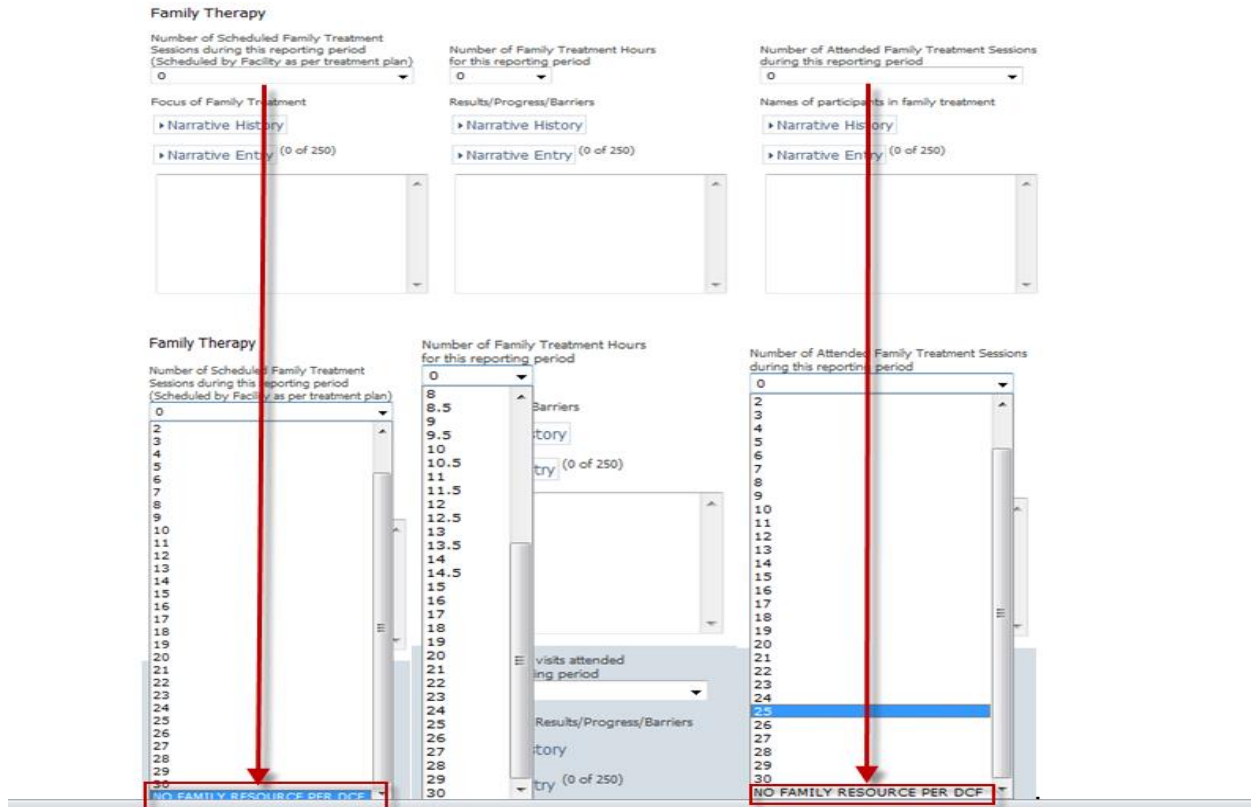
Dear Provider,

This Provider Alert is being sent to inform DCF Residential and Group Homes providers of two minor enhancements to the “Therapy and Home Passes” section of the Monthly Treatment Plan and Progress Report (MTPPR).

1. Providers will notice that the drop down menus for the fields listed below contain a new option for “No Family Resource per DCF”. This selection should only be used after the Congregate Care Provider and DCF have discussed alternative resources and all options in defining family and/or all parties have agreed family participation is not clinically appropriate.
 - Number of Scheduled Family Treatment Sessions during this reporting period
 - Number of Attended Family Treatment Sessions during this reporting period
 - Number of Family visits Scheduled during this reporting period
 - Number of Family visits Attended during this reporting period
 - Number of Home Passes during this reporting period

Please note: The drop-down menus for “Number of Individual Treatment Sessions for this reporting period”, “Number of Group Treatment Sessions for this reporting period” and “Number of Recreational Treatment Sessions for this reporting period” have also been updated and include an option that reads “No Family Resource per DCF”. This is **NOT** to be selected for Individual, Group, or Recreational Sessions and only to be used for Family Treatment Section. Because of the way the system is designed it had to reflect the same changes we made in another section but again is not to be used unless referring to family treatment or visits.

Here are the screenshots notating the new selection



2. The drop down menu options for “Number of Individual Treatment Hours for this reporting period”, “Number of Group Treatment Hours for this reporting period”, “Number of Recreational Treatment Hours for this reporting period” and “Number of Family Treatment Hours for the reporting period” all have been expanded to reflect up to 30 hours of treatment as opposed to previously stopping at >7.

We thank you for your participation. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Provider Relations Department at 1-877-552-8247.

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