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MEMORANDUM

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TO: BPA Network Providers
FROM: Bethany Gadzinski, Chief
RE: New IDAPA Rule

As you know, the new IDAPA Rule – 16.07.20 - went into affect on May 1st. This new Rule made significant changes to the State funded substance use disorder treatment and recovery support system. You can see the entire new Rule at:

<http://adm.idaho.gov/adminrules/rules/idapa16/0720.pdf>

Below I have identified the major changes:

1. **Case Management** – Clinical Case Management is a separate treatment service in the new Rule. Intensive and basic case management continue to be an RSS. For those providers providing case management to Medicaid clients, the clinician must be a designated qualified professional (QP). (16.07.20.455 and 16.07.20.745)
2. **QP vs. QSUDP** – For those clinicians currently working in the system, April 30th was the last date the Department was taking information in regards to the grandfather clause. If a clinician did not send in their information, or the information was incomplete, they now fall under the new QSUDP qualification (16.07.20.218)
3. **Supervisory staff** – Under the new Rule you only need two supervisory staff – a Treatment Supervisor and a Clinical Supervisor. (16.07.20.215 and 16.07.20.216)
4. **Fee's** – There is now a fee for both treatment and RSS providers for the initial approval and for renewals.(16.07.20.130.01 and 16.07.20.135.01)
5. **Satellite Locations** – Services can be provided at a satellite location without a supervisor being on site. The clinician providing the treatment must have a minimum of two years direct client treatment experience. (16.07.20.215.03)
6. **Criminal Background Check** – All clinicians and volunteers who have direct access to clients must pass a clinical history and background check. (16.07.20.009)
7. **CPR and First Aid** - Requirement to have a minimum of one (1) CPR and First Aid trained staff on site during business hours is effective. (16.07.20.210.l)

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have questions or concerns at:

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