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CPT Code	Diagnostic Code	Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC)						
		Medicare			State Medicaid			
		Paid?	Credentials	Paid?	Code	Credentials	Comments	
E & M Codes	99201-99205 New Pt	May be used only with physical health diagnosis	Yes	MD, PA, ANP	Yes	T1015	MD, PA, ARNP	Also report CPT codes.
	99211-99215 Est. Pt				Yes	T1015	MD, PA, ARNP	
			Yes					
Health and Behavior (HABI)	96150 Assessment	Services are secondary to a physical health diagnosis	Yes	Non-physician mental health practitioners Psychologist only at this time; excludes CSW	No			
	96151 Reassessment		Yes		No			
	96152 Individual Int.		Yes		No			
	96153 Group Int.		Yes		No			
	96154 Family + Patient		Yes		No			
	96155 Family w/o Pt		No		No			
Telemedicine	90801- Assess/ Psych.Eval		Yes	-Physician -Nurse Practitioner -Physician Assistant -Clinical Nurse Specialist -Clinical psychologist* -Clinical social worker* *Cannot bill for psychotherapy services that include medical evaluation and management services under Medicare. May not bill or receive payment for: 90805, 90807, and 90809.	Yes	T1015	MD, ARNP	Use "GT" modifier for all Telemedicine
	90804 -09		Yes		Yes	T1015	MD	
	90862 Med Mgmt		Yes		Yes	T1015	MD, ARNP	
	99201 – 99205 New Pt		Yes		Yes	T1015	MD, ARNP	
	99211 -99215 Est. Pt.		Yes		Yes	T1015	MD, ARNP	
	99241-99245		No ¹		Yes	T1015	MD, ARNP	
	99251 -99255		No		Yes	T1015	MD, ARNP	
	F-U Inpt Consul - limited		Yes		No			
	F-U Inpt Consul – intermediate		Yes		No			
	F-U Inpt - Complex Initial 30 min		Yes		No			

¹ Medicare Manual Update, Publication 100-04 notes that CPT 99241-99245 has been discontinued effective 1/1/10. These codes are to be replaced by CPT 99201-99215. Likewise, CPT 99251-99255 has been replaced by G0425-G0427.

	Initial 50 min		Yes		No			
	Initial 70 min		Yes		No			
	Facility Fee		Yes		Yes	Q3014		
Substance Abuse Codes	90804 – 90815		Yes	Physicians and non-physicians such as clinical social worker, & clinical psychologists licensed by the state	Yes	T1015	MD, Psychologist, Clinical Social Worker	FQHC can provide additional services if licensed as a Chemical Dependency facility.
	90847,90853, 90857		Yes		Yes	T1015	MD, Psychologist, Clinical Social Worker	
	AOD Assess		Yes					
	BH Screening		Yes					
	BH Counseling		Yes					
	AOD Group		Yes					
	IOP Services		No					
Mental Health	90801 -90815	Used with BH Diagnosis Codes	Yes	Physicians and non-physicians, such as clinical social workers & clinical psychologists licensed by the state	Yes	T1015	MD, Psychologist, Clinical Social Worker	Expanded services and providers are available to children under 19.
	90847, 90853, 90857,90772, 90862,90865, 90887, 96101		Yes		Yes	T1015	MD, Psychologist, Clinical Social Worker	
	BH Coun&Ther		Yes		No			
	MH Assess		Yes		No			
	Crisis Stab.		No ²		No			
	Two Services in One Day Billable at the FQHC?					Yes – See Note A below for FQHC encounter definition		
Case Mgmt			No		No			

² No separate billing code for crisis stabilization services, however, Medicare does permit a psychiatrist to bill for extended appointments under other CPT codes.

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	96152 Individual Int.		No		No			
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	96154 Family + Patient		No		No			
	96155 Family w/o Pt		No		No			
Telemedicine	90801- Assess/ Psych.Eval		Yes	-Physician -Nurse Practitioner -Physician Assistant -Clinical Nurse Specialist -Clinical psychologist* -Clinical social worker* *Cannot bill for psychotherapy services that include medical evaluation and management services under Medicare. May not bill or receive payment for: 90805, 90807, and 90809. Note: When a CMHC serves as an originating site, the originating site facility fee does not count toward the number of services used to determine payment for partial hospitalization services.	No			
	90804 -09		Yes		No			
	90862 Med Mgmt		Yes		No			
	99201 – 99205 New Pt		Yes		No			
	99211 -99215 Est. Pt.		Yes		No			
	99241-99245		No		No			
	99251 -99255		No		No			
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	F-U Inpt Consul – intermediate		Yes		No			
	F-U Inpt - Complex		Yes		No			
	Initial 30 min		Yes		No			
	Initial 50 min		Yes		No			
	Initial 70 min		Yes		No			
Facility Fee		Yes	No					
Substance Abuse Codes	90804 – 90815		Yes	Physicians and non-physicians such as clinical social worker, & clinical psychologists licensed by the state	Yes	96154 “HF”	MD, PA, ARNP, CDP, MHC, MFT, MSW, Psychologist	CMHC must be licensed as a Chemical Dependency facility. See Note B below for full credential descriptions.

	90847,90853, 90857		Yes		Yes	96153 "HF"	MD, PA, ARNP, CDP, MHC, MFT, MSW, Psychologist	
	AOD Assess		Yes		Yes	H0001	MD, PA, ARNP, CDP, MHC, MFT, MSW, Psychologist	
	BH Screening		Yes		No			
	BH Counseling		Yes		No			
	AOD Group		Yes		No			
	IOP Services		No		No			
Mental Health	90801 -90819		Yes	Physicians, CSW's, clinical nurse practitioners, clinical nurse specialists, and psychologists licensed by States	Yes	CPT	MHP (See Note C below for all MHP credentials)	90805, 90807, 90809, 90811, 90813, 90815, 90817, 90819 Psychiatrist only.
	90821 -90824		Yes		Yes	CPT	MHP	90822, 90824 Psychiatrist only.
	90826 -90829		Yes		Yes	CPT	MHP	90827, 90829 Psychiatrist only.
	90845,90847, 90853,90857, 90865,96101		Yes		Yes	CPT	MHP	Exclude 90865. 96101 Psychiatrist & Psychologist only.
	90862		Yes		Yes	CPT	Psychiatrist	
	Crisis Services				Yes	H2011	MHP	
Case Mgmt					Yes	H0023	MHP	

Sources:

Washington State Health Care Authority, Medicaid Provider Guide - Physician-Related Services
http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/Download/Billing_Instructions/Physician-Related_Svcs/Physician-Related_Services_BI.pdf

Pages B.23-B.26 Telehealth

Pages D.1-D.4 Psychiatric Services

Pages D.4-D.9 Expanded Mental Health Services for Children

Washington State Health Care Authority, Medicaid Provider Guide - Federally Qualified Health Centers

http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/download/Billing_Instructions/FQHC/FQHC_BI.pdf

Page C.1 FQHC Encounter

Page C.11 Chemical Dependency Treatment Programs

Washington State Health Care Authority, Medicaid Provider Guide – Chemical Dependency

http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/download/Billing_Instructions/Chemical_Dependency/Chemical_Dependency_BI.pdf

Washington State Medicaid Plan

<http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/medicaidsp/>

Attachment 3.1-A, Section 13.d.7 Mental Health Rehabilitation Services, pages 41-53.

Attachment 4.19-B, Section XVIII. Mental Health Services, pages 37-41.

Attachment 3.1-A, Section 13.d.2 Alcohol and Drug Treatment Services, Pages 37-40

Notes:

^A. Washington State Health Care Authority, Medicaid Provider Guide - Federally Qualified Health Centers, Page C-1 “An encounter is a face-to-face visit between a client and an FQHC provider of healthcare services who exercises independent judgment when providing healthcare services to the individual client. For a healthcare service to be defined as an encounter, it must meet specific encounter criteria as described below. All services must be documented in the client's file in order to qualify for an encounter. Encounters are limited to one per client, per day except in the following circumstances:

The client needs to be seen on the same day by different practitioners with different specialties; or The client needs to be seen multiple times on the same day due to unrelated diagnoses.”

^B. Washington State Medicaid Plan, Attachment 3.1-A, Section 13.d.2 Alcohol and Drug Treatment Services, page 37.

“Provider qualifications. Alcohol/drug screening and brief intervention services must be performed by the following practitioners who are licensed and/or certified by the Washington State Department of Health (DOH) according to DOH Revised Code of Washington (RCW) and Washington Administrative Code (WAC) in effect as of July 1, 2009, as follows:

- (A) Advanced registered nurse practitioner (ARNP) - chapter 18.79 RCW and chapter 246-840 WAC. Must be licensed in Washington as a registered nurse and graduated from an advanced nursing education program within the last year.
- (B) Chemical dependency professionals (CDP) - chapter 18.205 RCW and chapter 246-811 WAC. Must have an AA in human services or a related field from an approved school or completion of 90 quarter or 60 semester credits. At least 45 quarter or 30 semester credits must be in courses related to the CDP profession.
- (C) Mental health counselor – chapter 18.225 RCW and chapter 246-809 WAC. Must have a Master’s or Doctoral level degree in mental health counseling or a related field from an approved college or university.
- (D) Marriage and family therapist – chapter 18.225 RCW and chapter 246-809 WAC. Must have a Master’s or Doctoral degree in marriage and family therapy or in behavioral science, with equivalent course work from an approved school. American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT) clinical membership meets education requirements.
- (E) Social worker – chapter 18.225 RCW and chapter 246-809 WAC. Must have a Master’s or Doctoral degree from an educational program accredited by the Council on Social Work Education.
- (F) Physician (MD) - chapter 18.71 RCW and chapter 246-919 WAC. Must be a graduate of a school of medicine approved by the Washington State Medical Quality Assurance Commission (WSMQA) and complete two years of postgraduate medical training in a program acceptable to WSMQA.
- (G) Physician assistant (PA) - chapter 18.71A RCW and chapter 246-918 WAC. Must have a Physician Assistant degree from an accredited program and successfully complete the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants (NCCPA) examination.
- (H) Psychologist - chapter 18.83 RCW and chapter 246-924 WAC. Must have a Doctoral degree from a regionally accredited institution.”

^c Washington State Medicaid Plan, Attachment 3.1-A, Section 13.d.7 Mental Health Rehabilitation Services, Provider Qualifications page 42-46.
CMHC Staff Definitions.

“The following is a descriptive list of the employees or contracted staff of community mental health agencies providing care.

- (1) *Mental health professional* means:
 - (A) A psychiatrist, psychologist, psychiatric nurse or social worker as defined in chapter 71.05 and 71.34 RCW;
 - (B) A person with a masters degree or further advanced degree in counseling or one of the social sciences from an accredited college or university. Such person shall have, in addition, at least two years of experience in direct treatment of persons with mental illness or emotional disturbance, such experience gained under the supervision of a mental health professional;
 - (C) A person who meets the waiver criteria of RCW 71.24.260, which was granted prior to 1986.

- (D) A person who had an approved waiver to perform the duties of a mental health profession that was requested by the regional support network and granted by the mental health division prior to July 1, 2001; or
- (E) A person who has been granted a time-limited exception of the minimum requirements of a mental health professional by the mental health division consistent with WAC 388-865-265.

Within the definition above are the following:

- *"Psychiatrist"* means a person having a license as a physician in this state who has completed residency training in psychiatry in a program approved by the American Medical Association or the American Osteopathic Association, and is board eligible or board certified in psychiatry.
- *"Psychologist"* means a person who has been licensed as a psychologist pursuant to chapter [18.83](#) RCW;
- *"Social worker"* means a person with a master's or further advanced degree from an accredited school of social work or a degree deemed equivalent under rules adopted by the secretary;
- *"Child psychiatrist"* means a person having a license as a physician and surgeon in this state, who has had graduate training in child psychiatry in a program approved by the American Medical Association or the American Osteopathic Association, and who is board eligible or board certified in child psychiatry.
- *"Psychiatric nurse"* means a registered nurse who has a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university, and who has had, in addition, at least two years experience in the direct treatment of mentally ill or emotionally disturbed persons, such experience gained under the supervision of a mental health professional. "Psychiatric nurse" shall also mean any other registered nurse who has three years of such experience.
- *"Counselor"* means an individual, practitioner, therapist, or analyst who engages in the practice of counseling to the public for a fee. A "counselor", engaging in the practice of counseling, can include an agency affiliated counselor, certified counselor, or certified adviser. Specific qualifications and licensing/certification requirements are described in chapter 18.19 RCW and chapter 246-810 WAC."