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## **MEMORANDUM:**

Date:

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To:

CSAs and RRP providers

From:

Daryl Plevy, Deputy Director of MHA

Subject:

Use of H0002 code for RRP Assessments

## Code H0002 (Rehabilitation Assessment)

This memo from Mental Hygiene Administration is a clarification of an announcement made in June 2011 at a Residential Specialist meeting that CSAs no longer authorize code H0002 for assessments of PRP and RRP.

The code H0002 can be used for both the Residential Rehabilitation Program (RRP) and Psychiatric Rehabilitation Program (PRP) Assessments conducted by the RRP and PRP provider. The assessments for RRP are completed during the initial screening after a referral to the RRP program has been made by the Core Service Agency (CSA).

This service does NOT require an authorization. A claim for the assessment payment is filed by the provider. This code can be billed, by the same RRP provider for the same consumer a maximum of twice in a 12 month period. A different provider may bill during that same period as the consumer might be referred to several providers until they are accepted by a program.