DMC-ODS Medical Director Training Requirements

This is a clarification of the current Medical Director training requirements and a brief description of these trainings.

Annual Trainings:

- **Continuing Medical Education in Addiction Medicine:** Minimum of five (5) hours of continuing medical education in addiction medicine each year
- **Cultural Competency including CLAS:** Minimum of four (4) hours annually via in-service, or outside trainings
- **Perinatal Services Network Guidelines:** 20-minute webinar (Note: Perinatal Programs only)
- **Youth Treatment Guidelines:** 30-minute webinar (Note: Adolescent and Perinatal Programs only)
- **False Claims Act:** Review of County's 14 slide PPT or comparable training of program's choosing. Written attestation of annual review required to be maintained by program.

Bi-Annual Trainings:

- **Transgender, Gender Diverse or Intersex Cultural Competency Training:** 90-minute webinar via Academy LMS.

One-Time Trainings:

- **ASAM Training*:** Completion of ASAM A, B & C (via CIBHS, California Institute for Behavioral Health Solutions) or completion of ASAM e-training Modules 1 and 2 ("Multidimensional Assessment" and "From Assessment to Service Planning and Level of Care" via the Change Companies) prior to provision of screening/intake, assessment and treatment planning services or prior to supervising staff providing these services.

If a Medical Director provides any direct service to BHS members at a DMC-ODS facility, then there are two (2) additional training requirements as indicated below:

Additional Annual Training:

- **Beneficiary Rights:** 45-minute webinar

Additional One Time Training:

- **Trauma Informed Care:** RIHS 1-hour webinar or program discretion

**Regarding ASAM training, the County relies on the legal entities to develop their own P&Ps around MD training on ASAM, which may include that in lieu of ASAM training, addiction certified MDs may show documentation of ASAM training that may not have been through The Change Companies or CIBHS. The contract between the State and the County requires staff completing assessment/treatment planning to be ASAM-trained prior to providing services. While MDs may not be completing assessment/ treatment planning, they may be making the final LOC determinations (based on information from the staff, if they are involved in that type of supervision).*

For more details and links to these trainings, please review the DMC-ODS Required Training website: https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/bhs/dmc_ods/dmc_ods_provider/dmc_ods_quick_refe rence_training_guide.html