

Mental Health Rehabilitation Redesign Billing Guidance

- UnitedHealthcare Community Plan's systems and fee schedules are set up to mirror the Louisiana Medicaid Specialized Behavioral Health Fee Schedule for all codes that reflect reimbursable by Medicaid. To ensure the most accurate processing of your claim please use modifiers as listed on the Louisiana Specialized Behavioral Health Fee Schedule
- Being that the age modifiers, HA/HB are not listed as a modifier for the MHR redesign, they should not be billed for the services listed below. License level/education level is required when a rate is indicated in the applicable license level/education level column on the LDH specialized Behavioral Health Fee Schedule. Modifiers listed in the Modifier column should be billed on the claim accordingly. Using other modifiers not listed within the MHR redesign will cause your claims to deny.
- If you have any questions, please outreach to networkse@optum.com or your assigned Provider Relations Advocate.

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MENTAL HEALTH REHABILITATION REDESIGN							
Effective 1/1/2023, unless noted otherwise							
Code	Description	Modifier	Unit	Universal Rate	Master's Level (HO)	Bachelor's Level (HN)	Grandfathered HS Diploma (HM)
96156	HEALTH BEHAVIOR ASSESSMENT, OR REASSESSMENT - CPST OFFICE *	TG	Visit	\$			
96156	HEALTH BEHAVIOR ASSESSMENT, OR REASSESSMENT - CPST COMMUNITY *	TG, U8	Visit	\$			
H0036	COMMUNITY PSYCHIATRIC SUPPORTIVE TREATMENT - INDIVIDUAL OFFICE		15 min	\$			
H0036	COMMUNITY PSYCHIATRIC SUPPORTIVE TREATMENT - INDIVIDUAL COMMUNITY	U8	15 min	\$			
H0036	COMMUNITY PSYCHIATRIC SUPPORTIVE TREATMENT - PSH INDIVIDUAL OFFICE	TG	15 min	\$			
H0036	COMMUNITY PSYCHIATRIC SUPPORTIVE TREATMENT - PSH INDIVIDUAL COMMUNITY	TG, U8	15 min	\$			
H2017	PSYCHOSOCIAL REHABILITATION - INDIVIDUAL OFFICE		15 min	\$	\$	\$	\$
H2017	PSYCHOSOCIAL REHABILITATION - INDIVIDUAL COMMUNITY	U8	15 min	\$	\$	\$	\$
H2017	PSYCHOSOCIAL REHABILITATION - PSH INDIVIDUAL OFFICE	TG	15 min	\$	\$	\$	\$
H2017	PSYCHOSOCIAL REHABILITATION - PSH INDIVIDUAL COMMUNITY	TG, U8	15 min	\$	\$	\$	\$
H2017	PSYCHOSOCIAL REHABILITATION - GROUP OFFICE	HQ	15 min	\$			
H2017	PSYCHOSOCIAL REHABILITATION - GROUP COMMUNITY	HQ, U8	15 min	\$			
H2017	PSYCHOSOCIAL REHABILITATION PSH GROUP OFFICE	HQ, TG	15 min	\$			
H2017	PSYCHOSOCIAL REHABILITATION PSH GROUP COMMUNITY	HQ, TG, U8	15 min	\$			

* CPST Assessments, CPT code 96156 with the TG modifier, may be provided by Psychiatrists and Licensed Mental Health Professionals (LMHPs). See the Behavioral Health Services provider Manual for details.

Below is the link to the Louisiana Medicaid Specialized Behavioral Health Fee Schedule.

[Medicaid | Department of Health | State of Louisiana | \(lamedicaid.com\)](https://lamedicaid.com)

Billing Tips

U8 Modifier:

- Always use the U8 modifier with the compatible Place of Service (POS) code. Example: U8 cannot be used with POS 11

H2017 and H0036:

- Members may only receive MHR services (H2017 and H0036) from one rendering provider and one MHR Agency in one day, unless one of the MHR services uses the modifier TG.

Act 370:

- Act 370 limits the total number of reimbursable hours of CPST and PSR (H2017 and H0036) to 12 hours (48 units) per rendering provider, per calendar day