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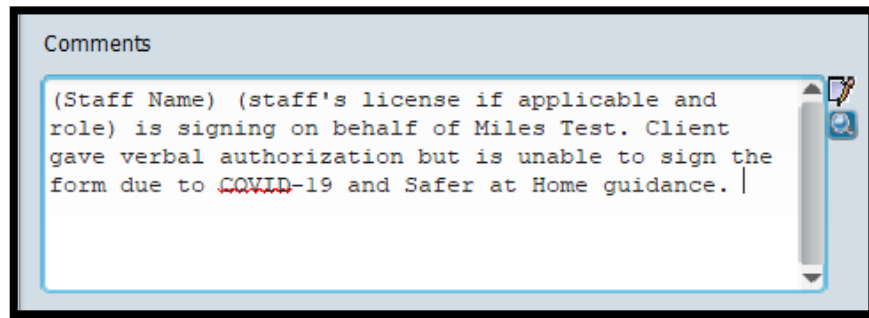
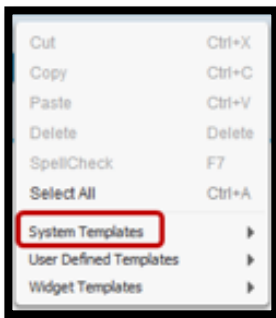
IBHIS Change for May 12, 2020

Take a moment to review the production change below as they may affect how you use IBHIS.

FORM UPDATE

Authorization for PHI Disclosure

Due to the COVID-19 public health emergency, [QA Bulletin 20-01](#) issued guidance on obtaining verbal consent and agreement. In order to assist practitioners in documenting verbal authorization for PHI disclosure, the Authorization for PHI Disclosure form was updated to include a free text Comments field where staff can indicate that verbal authorization was obtained. A new System Template for this form is also available by right clicking in the field and selecting "System Templates," then "COVID-19."



The System Template will automatically pull in the client's first and last name. Staff completing this form will have to enter in their own name, license # if applicable, and role in client's treatment (e.g. therapist, case manager, psychiatrist, etc.).

Note: The Authorization for PHI Disclosure Report will be updated to pull information from the Comments field.