## RMD Bulletin

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## HEALTHY WAY LA ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENT CHANGES

Revenue Management Division (RMD) would like to inform all Contract Providers that there are some changes to the eligibility requirements for the Healthy Way LA (HWLA) Program. The following criteria are <u>NO LONGER REQUIRED</u> for a client to be eligible for HWLA:

- 1) Client is seen within 150 days by a directly operated or contracted provider for medically necessary treatment related to a mental health condition
- 2) Client has had 2 or more visits within the last 12 months to a directly operated or contracted provider

This means that if a new client comes in to a clinic with no prior mental health treatment, has a Department of Mental Health Identification number, and meets all other HWLA criteria, they may be eligible to enroll in HWLA.

■ **Reminder**: Clients who have custody of their child(ren) are not eligible for HWLA.

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If you have any questions or require further information, please contact RMD at (213) 480-3444 or RevenueManagement@dmh.lacounty.gov.

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