



**CERTIFICATION OF THE NEED FOR
INPATIENT PSYCHIATRIC
HOSPITAL SERVICES**

State Form 44697 (R4 / 5-15) / OMPP 1261A
FAMILY AND SOCIAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
OFFICE OF MEDICAID POLICY AND PLANNING

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION NUMBER

Medicare?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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COMPLETED BY PROVIDER	COMPLETED BY HOSPITAL PERSONNEL		
Medicaid Number	Provider Hospital (<i>name, address, city, state and ZIP code</i>)		
PATIENT IDENTIFICATION			
Name (<i>First, Last, Middle</i>)	Gender	Ethnicity	Date of Birth (<i>mm/dd/yyyy</i>)
Admitted from: <input type="checkbox"/> Own Home <input type="checkbox"/> Parent's Home <input type="checkbox"/> Other (<i>designate</i>)			
Date of Admission (<i>mm/dd/yyyy</i>)	Time of Admission <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM	Estimated Length of Stay	

Psychiatric and Medical Evaluation
Primary Psychiatric Diagnosis:
Secondary Psychiatric Diagnoses:
Medical History:
Summary of present medical findings:
Summary of present psychiatric findings:

Functional Capacity	
Can patient take his/her own medication? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Is patient capable of handling his/her own affairs? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Mental Capacity:	
Physical Capacity:	

Prognoses and Recommendations

Summary of recommendations for treatment and expected prognoses after treatment:

INTERDISCIPLINARY TEAM CERTIFICATION

Based upon physical, mental and social evaluations, I certify the above named individual requires inpatient psychiatric treatment. Available alternative community resources do not meet the patient's mental health care needs. The prognoses and recommendations identified are verified as existing or beginning on this date. I further attest that an established written plan of care has been implemented and outlined in the patient's medical record in accordance with the requirements of 405 IAC 5-20-4 and 42 CFR 456.170 et seq.

Signature of Physician Team Member

Date Signed (mm/dd/yyyy)

MEDICAID AGENCY DECISION

APPROVAL

DENIAL

COMMENTS:

Signature of Reviewing Physician

Date Signed (mm/dd/yyyy)