



SLVBHG'S TRANSITION TO A COMPREHENSIVE SAFETYNET PROVIDER

***“The secret of change is to focus all of your energy
not on fighting the old, but on building the new”***

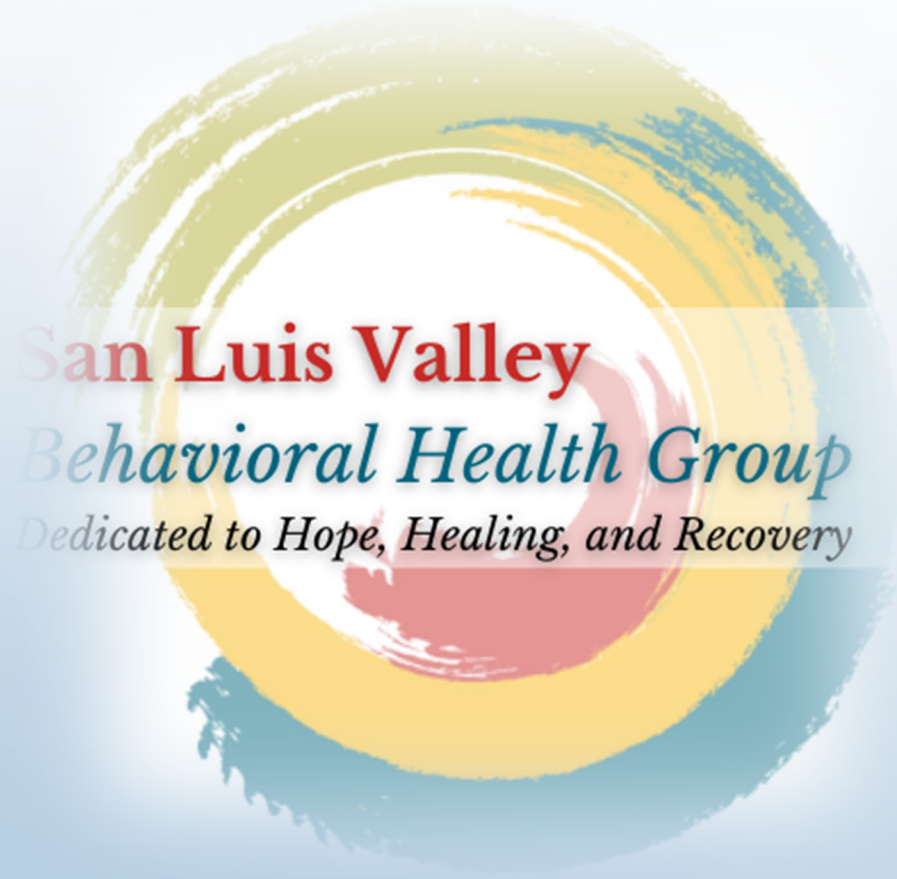
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COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH DEFINITION

- (2) "COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER" MEANS EITHER A PHYSICAL PLANT OR A GROUP OF SERVICES UNDER UNIFIED ADMINISTRATION OR AFFILIATED WITH ONE ANOTHER, AND INCLUDING AT LEAST THE FOLLOWING SERVICES PROVIDED FOR THE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT OF BEHAVIORAL OR MENTAL HEALTH DISORDERS IN PERSONS **RESIDING IN A PARTICULAR COMMUNITY IN OR NEAR THE FACILITY SO SITUATED:**

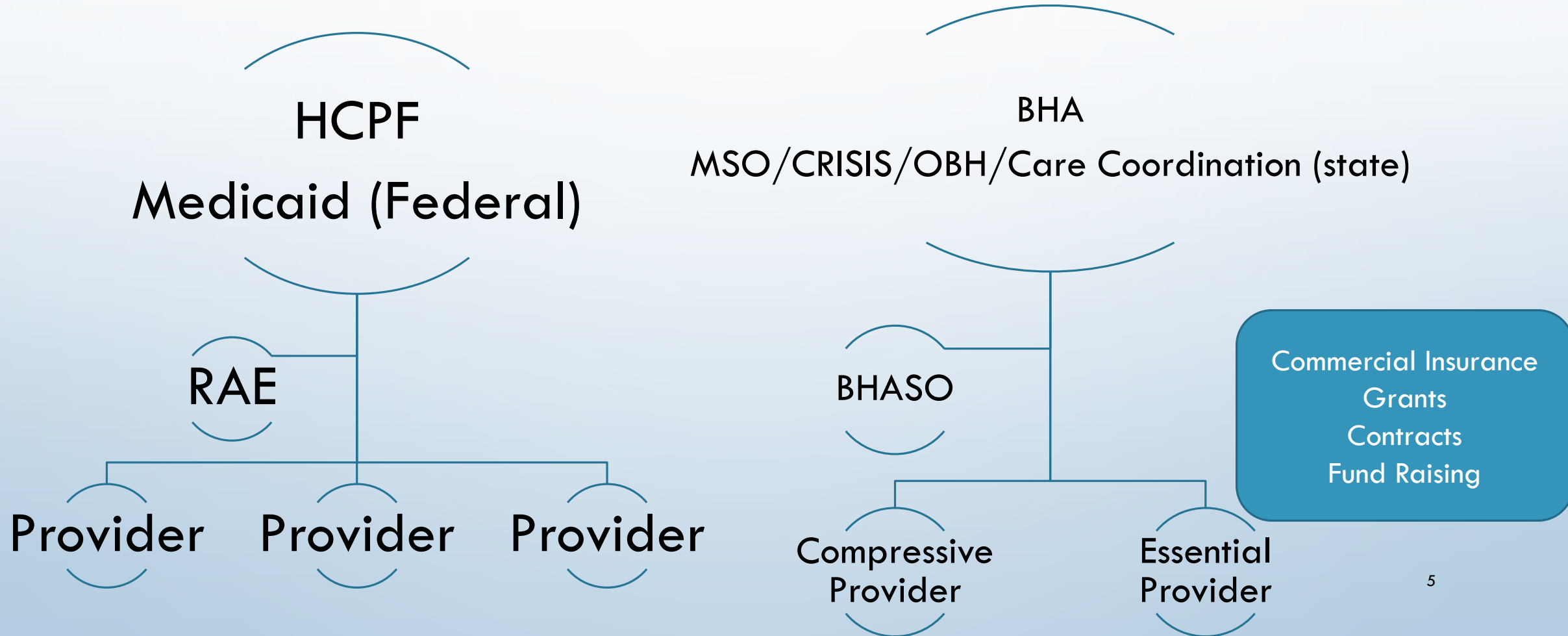
OLD “BUCKETS” OF SERVICE

The logo for San Luis Valley Behavioral Health Group features a circular design with thick, expressive brushstrokes in shades of yellow, green, and blue. A red, flame-like or heart-shaped element is positioned in the center of the circle. The text "San Luis Valley" is written in a red serif font, "Behavioral Health Group" is in a blue serif font, and the tagline "Dedicated to Hope, Healing, and Recovery" is in a smaller, italicized black serif font at the bottom.

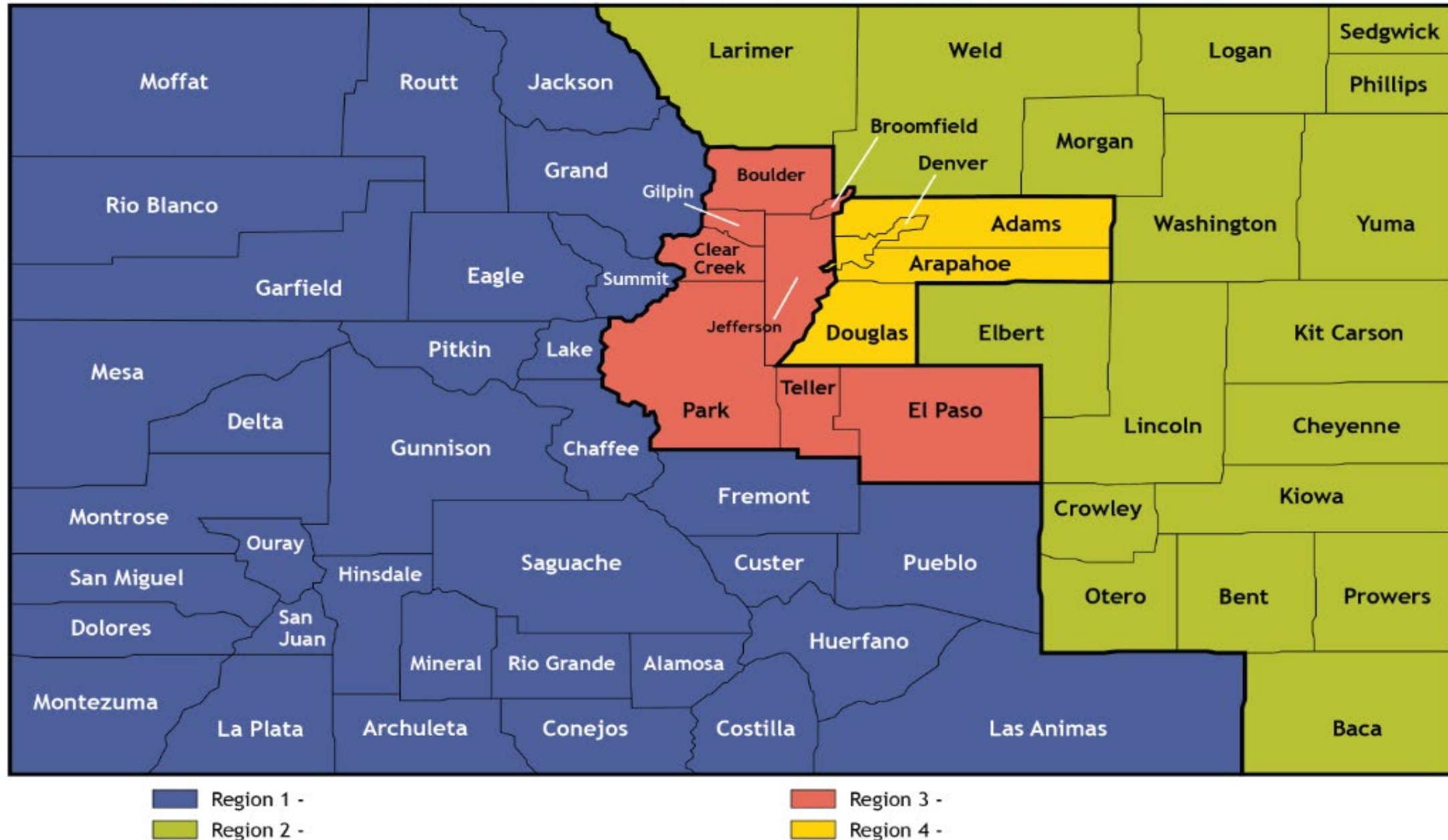
San Luis Valley
Behavioral Health Group
Dedicated to Hope, Healing, and Recovery

- (A) INPATIENT SERVICES;
- (B) OUTPATIENT SERVICES;
- (C) PARTIAL HOSPITALIZATION;
- (D) EMERGENCY SERVICES;
- (E) CONSULTATIVE AND EDUCATIONAL SERVICES.

ALIGNING FUNDING



RAE and Behavioral Health Administrative Service Organizations Regions



SAFETY NET SERVICES

(A) ... THE BHA SHALL ENSURE THAT, AT A MINIMUM, THE FOLLOWING BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SAFETY NET SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE STATEWIDE:

(I) EMERGENCY OR CRISIS BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES;
(II) BEHAVIORAL HEALTH OUTPATIENT SERVICES;
(III) BEHAVIORAL HEALTH HIGH-INTENSITY OUTPATIENT SERVICES;
(IV) BEHAVIORAL HEALTH RESIDENTIAL SERVICES;
(V) WITHDRAWAL MANAGEMENT SERVICES;
(VI) BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INPATIENT SERVICES;
(VII) RECOVERY SUPPORT SERVICES;

(VIII) INTEGRATED CARE SERVICES;
(IX) CLINICAL CASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES;
(X) OUTREACH, EDUCATION, AND ENGAGEMENT SERVICES;
(XI) SCHOOL-BASED SERVICES;
(XII) OUTPATIENT COMPETENCY RESTORATION;
(XIII) CARE COORDINATION;
(XIV) HOSPITAL ALTERNATIVES; AND
(XV) ADDITIONAL SERVICES THAT THE BHA DETERMINES ARE NECESSARY IN A COMMUNITY OR THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

SAFETY NET PROVIDER OPTIONS EFFECTIVE 2024

ESSENTIAL PROVIDER

- REQUIRES BHA APPROVAL
- REQUIRES BHE LICENSURE
- MUST PROVIDE AT LEAST 1 SAFETY NET SERVICE + CARE COORDINATION
- MUST SERVE ALL 17 PRIORITY POPULATIONS UNLESS ALLOWED A NARROW FOCUS
- ENHANCED PAYMENT

COMPREHENSIVE PROVIDER

- REQUIRES BHA APPROVAL
- REQUIRES BHE LICENSURE
- MUST PROVIDE ALL 8 SAFETY NET SERVICES AND SERVE ALL 17 PRIORITY POPULATIONS (WHICH INCLUDE “UNDER-INSURED”)
- ADDITIONAL REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS
- ENHANCED PAYMENT

NO LIMIT ON # COMPREHENSIVE PROVIDERS IN A COUNTY/REGION, NO CATCHMENT AREAS

FOUR PROVIDER TYPES

- BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PROVIDER
 - PRIMARILY (ONLY) MEDICAID PROVIDER (SMALLER PROVIDER) NO BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ENTITY LICENSURE REQUIRED (BUT, IF NOT, MUST HAVE DORA LICENSE)
- ESSENTIAL SAFETYNET PROVIDER
 - PROVIDES ONE OR MORE SERVICE FROM THE LIST OF SAFETYNET SERVICES
- COMPREHENSIVE PROVIDER
 - PROVIDES ALL EIGHT IDENTIFIED SERVICES
- COMPREHENSIVE ESSENTIAL SAFETYNET PROVIDER
 - PROVIDES ALL EIGHT IDENTIFIED SERVICES PLUS ONE OF MORE SERVICE FROM THE LIST OF ESSENTIAL SAFETYNET SERVICES (RESIDENTIAL).

SAFETY NET PROVIDER DEFINITIONS

- **ESSENTIAL SAFETY NET PROVIDER**: A LICENSED BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ENTITY OR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PROVIDER APPROVED BY THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATION TO PROVIDE CARE COORDINATION AND **AT LEAST ONE OF THE FOLLOWING SERVICES**:
 - EMERGENCY OR CRISIS BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES;
 - BEHAVIORAL HEALTH OUTPATIENT SERVICES
 - BEHAVIORAL HEALTH HIGH-INTENSITY OUTPATIENT SERVICES;
 - BEHAVIORAL HEALTH RESIDENTIAL SERVICES;
 - WITHDRAWAL MANAGEMENT SERVICES;
 - BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INPATIENT SERVICES;
 - INTEGRATED CARE SERVICES;
 - HOSPITAL ALTERNATIVES; OR
 - ADDITIONAL SERVICES THAT THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATION DETERMINES ARE NECESSARY IN A REGION OR THROUGHOUT THE STATE

COMPREHENSIVE DEFINITION

- (11) "COMPREHENSIVE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SAFETY NET PROVIDER" MEANS A LICENSED BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ENTITY APPROVED BY THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATION TO PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SAFETY NET SERVICES, EITHER DIRECTLY OR THROUGH FORMAL AGREEMENTS WITH BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PROVIDERS IN THE COMMUNITY OR REGION:



BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ENTITY

- (6) "BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ENTITY" MEANS A FACILITY OR PROVIDER ORGANIZATION ENGAGED IN PROVIDING COMMUNITY-BASED HEALTH SERVICES, WHICH MAY INCLUDE SERVICES FOR A BEHAVIORAL HEALTH DISORDER, BUT DOES NOT INCLUDE RESIDENTIAL CHILD CARE FACILITIES, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 26-6-102 (33), OR SERVICES PROVIDED BY A LICENSED OR CERTIFIED MENTAL HEALTH-CARE PROVIDER UNDER THE PROVIDER'S INDIVIDUAL PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE ACT ON THE PROVIDER'S OWN PREMISES
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COMPREHENSIVE, STANDARDS

27-66-105 STANDARDS FOR APPROVAL. (1) IN APPROVING OR REJECTING COMPREHENSIVE SAFETY NET PROVIDERS FOR ELIGIBILITY FOR ENHANCED SERVICE DELIVERY PAYMENT, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL ADHERE TO THE STANDARDS FOR ESSENTIAL BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SAFETY NET PROVIDERS ESTABLISHED IN SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION, AND THE COMMISSIONER SHALL;

- A. REQUIRE THAT THE TREATMENT PROGRAMS OF THE CLINIC BE UNDER THE OVERALL DIRECTION OF A PSYCHIATRIST OR ADDICTION MEDICINE SPECIALIST WHO IS A PHYSICIAN LICENSED TO PRACTICE MEDICINE IN THE STATE OF COLORADO;
- B. CONSIDER WHETHER THE COMPREHENSIVE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SAFETY NET PROVIDER HAS HISTORICALLY SERVED MEDICALLY NEEDY OR MEDICALLY INDIGENT PATIENTS AND THAT DEMONSTRATES A COMMITMENT TO SERVE LOW-INCOME AND MEDICALLY INDIGENT POPULATIONS WHO COMPRISE A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF ITS PATIENT POPULATION OR, IN THE CASE OF A SOLE COMMUNITY PROVIDER, SERVES THE MEDICALLY INDIGENT PATIENTS WITHIN ITS MEDICAL CAPABILITY;
- C. REQUIRE THE COMPREHENSIVE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SAFETY NET PROVIDER TO WAIVE CHARGES OR CHARGES FOR SERVICES ON A SLIDING SCALE BASED ON INCOME AND DOES NOT RESTRICT ACCESS OR SERVICES BECAUSE OF A CLIENT'S FINANCIAL LIMITATIONS.

COMPREHENSIVE, STANDARDS

D. REQUIRE PROVIDERS TO SERVE PRIORITY POPULATIONS AS DEFINED BY THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATION, TO INCLUDE BUT NOT LIMITED TO INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE BEEN DETERMINED INCOMPETENT TO STAND TRIAL, ADULTS WITH SEVERE MENTAL ILLNESS AND YOUTH WITH SEVERE EMOTIONAL DISTURBANCE;

H. ENCOURAGE THE COMPREHENSIVE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SAFETY NET PROVIDER TO EMPHASIZE THE CARE AND TREATMENT OF INDIVIDUALS RECENTLY RELEASED FROM INCARCERATION AND HOSPITALS OR FACILITIES DIRECTED TOWARD ASSISTING INDIVIDUALS WITH BEHAVIORAL OR MENTAL HEALTH DISORDERS IN THE INDIVIDUAL'S ADJUSTMENT TO AND FUNCTIONING IN THE COMMUNITY;

I. REQUIRE THE COMPREHENSIVE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SAFETY NET PROVIDER TO ADOPT WRITTEN POLICIES AND PROCEDURES ON ACCEPTING, DISCHARGING, TRIAGING, AND DENYING SERVICES TO INDIVIDUALS THAT ALIGN WITH THE STANDARDS DEVELOPED BY THE BHA PURSUANT TO SECTION 27-63-104 (2)(C)(IV);

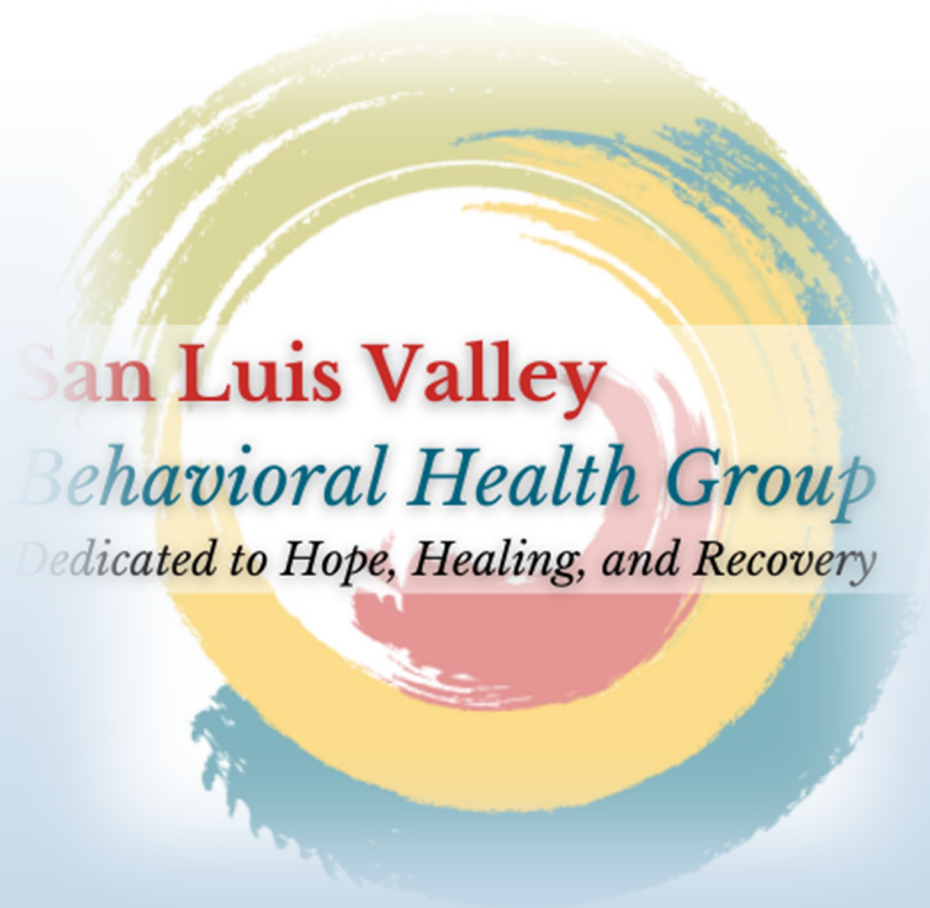
J. REQUIRE A PROCESS FOR TRACKING AND REPORTING DENIALS OF CARE

K. REQUIRE THAT THE BOARD IN CONTROL AND DIRECTION OF THE COMPREHENSIVE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SAFETY NET PROVIDER INCLUDE VOTING MEMBERS THAT HAVE LIVED EXPERIENCE WITH MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER AND PARENTS OF CHILDREN WITH MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS; AND PARENTS OF CHILDREN WITH MENTAL HEALTH DISORDERS AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS.

COMPREHENSIVE SAFETYNET SERVICES

- (A) EMERGENCY AND CRISIS BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES;
- (B) MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE OUTPATIENT SERVICES;
- (C) BEHAVIORAL HEALTH HIGH-INTENSITY OUTPATIENT SERVICES;
- (D) CLINICAL CASE MANAGEMENT;
- (E) OUTREACH, EDUCATION, AND ENGAGEMENT SERVICES;
- (F) MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE RECOVERY SUPPORTS;
- (G) CARE COORDINATION; AND
- (H) OUTPATIENT COMPETENCY RESTORATION.





SLVBHG HAS EXPANDED FOCUSES IN ALL
NECESSARY RECOVERY SUPPORT AREAS, SUCH
AS:

SAFE AFFORDABLE HOUSING, WORKFORCE
DEVELOPMENT, EDUCATION AND VOCATIONAL
SKILLS TRAINING, COPING AND RECOVERY
SKILLS TRAINING, HOLISTIC WELLNESS,
RECOVERY SUPPORT NETWORKS TO
STRENGTHEN COMMUNITIES ABIDING BY THE
PRINCIPALS OF COMMITMENT OF CARE,
FOCUSING ON PREVENTION, INTERVENTION,
TREATMENT, AND RECOVERY



AT SLVBHG WE KNOW THAT TREATMENT
WORKS AND THAT PEOPLE CAN AND DO
RECOVER FROM MENTAL ILLNESS. OUR
WORK ENABLES ADULTS TO LIVE MORE
FULFILLING LIVES, CHILDREN TO BE MORE
RESILIENT AND FAMILIES TO BE HAPPIER AND
HEALTHIER

REGIONAL LOCATIONS

SLVBHG is committed to having services in locations throughout the San Luis Valley to assure community members can receive needed services where they work, live, and play

