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#### **PROCEDURE**

# **Application**

This procedure shall apply to all clinical/direct service employees and interns of The Right Door for Hope, Recovery and Wellness.

# 1. Supervision Notes

- 1.1. Supervisors are expected to keep supervision notes for each formal supervision meeting in the designated format.
- 1.2. Supervisors must keep notes on clinical supervision discussions and clinical consultation as qualified by their state licensure or certification and according to their experience.

#### 1.3. Supervision notes address:

- 1.3.1. Clinical Documentation Issues, including quality and completion review, timeliness and a review of model fidelity in relationship with a provided evidence-based practice.
- 1.3.2. Clinical Record Audit review.
- 1.3.3. Policy/procedure review as needed and in relation to the Board of Directors review of policies and as changes in agency procedure occur.
- 1.3.4. Performance issues/Feedback to enhance professional skills.
- 1.3.5. Clinical Outcomes Review

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- 1.3.5.1. Accuracy of assessment and/or referral skills.
- 1.3.5.2. Appropriateness of treatment or service intervention selected relative to the specific needs of each person served.
- 1.3.5.3. Treatment effectiveness as reflected by the person served meeting their goals.
- 1.3.5.4. Risk factors for suicide and other dangerous behaviors.
- 1.3.6. Productivity
- 1.3.7. Staff Development Plan Reviews
- 1.4. Annually, supervision notes should reflect:
  - 1.4.1. A review of the staff development plan,
  - 1.4.2. The Right Door for Hope, Recovery and Wellness Code of Ethics,
  - 1.4.3. And an evaluation.
  - 1.4.4. Supervision issues of ethics, legal aspects of clinical practice, professional standards/ethics (including boundaries) should be documented.
  - 1.4.5. Cultural competency issues should be documented.
- 2. The Right Door for Hope, Recovery and Wellness will provide supervision to all individuals providing direct service.
  - 2.1. Supervision may occur through the supervisor's participation in assessment meetings, treatment/service planning meetings, organizational

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staff meetings, side-by-side sessions with the person served, or one-toone meetings between the supervisor and individual providing direct services.

2.2. Supervision for direct service staff shall occur a minimum of three times per month unless an exception is approved by the CEO.

# 3. Providing Feedback

The Right Door is an agency focused on quality improvement and staff are a vital part of improving agency practices, procedures and the environment. Staff are encouraged to provide their supervisor and/or the Director of Quality Improvement and Compliance constructive feedback. This feedback will be acted on when possible and feasible and will at the very least be acknowledged and appreciated.

- 3.1 Staff can utilize the anonymous feedback form located on the agency website.
- 3.2 Staff can utilize the QI Feedback form on the Intranet

#### 4. Productivity

- 4.1. New staff will have 90 days to build a case load prior to having productivity standards applied to their evaluation.
- 4.2. Supervisors will monitor, provide feedback and implement quality improvement plans to assist staff in meeting productivity.
- 4.3. The CEO will have the final say in changes to productivity standards and will review any requests for modifications to productivity standards.
- 4.4. Productivity is a part of the annual staff evaluation process.

#### References:

CARF Standards: Programs/Service Structure

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