

COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO - SUD OUTPATIENT PROGRAMS - FIXED RATE

Fiscal Year 2026-2027

Effective Date: 07/01/2026

SERVICE MODALITY		STATE RATE/ BASE RATE	PROVIDER RATES**					
			Baseline Rate % of State Rate	Baseline Rate % of State Rate		Special Population Modifier % of State Rate (if applicable)	Travel Modifier % of State Rate (if applicable)	Negative Facility Modifier % of State Rate (services in County facility)
Perinatal*			75%	45%		10%	n/a	-2.5%
Individual								
Provider type:								
Alcohol and Drug Counselor	Per Billable Minute	\$ 5.55	\$ 4.16			\$ 0.56		\$ (0.14)
Community Health Worker	Per Billable Minute	\$ 5.16	\$ 3.87			\$ 0.52		\$ (0.13)
LPHA (MFT LCSW LPCC)/Intern or Waivered LPHA (MFT LCSW LPCC)	Per Billable Minute	\$ 6.69	\$ 5.02			\$ 0.67		\$ (0.17)
Licensed Psychiatric Technician	Per Billable Minute	\$ 4.70	\$ 3.53			\$ 0.47		\$ (0.12)
Licensed Vocational Nurse	Per Billable Minute	\$ 5.48	\$ 4.11			\$ 0.55		\$ (0.14)
Medical Assistant	Per Billable Minute	\$ 3.77	\$ 2.83			\$ 0.37		\$ (0.09)
Nurse Practitioner	Per Billable Minute	\$ 12.78	\$ 9.59			\$ 1.27		\$ (0.32)
Occupational Therapist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 8.91	\$ 6.68			\$ 0.89		\$ (0.22)
Other Qualified Practitioner	Per Billable Minute	\$ 5.03	\$ 3.77			\$ 0.51		\$ (0.13)
Peer Support Specialist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 5.28	\$ 3.96			\$ 0.53		\$ (0.13)
Physician Assistant	Per Billable Minute	\$ 11.53	\$ 8.65			\$ 1.15		\$ (0.29)
Psychologist/Pre-licensed Psychologist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 10.34	\$ 7.76			\$ 1.03		\$ (0.26)
Registered Nurse (RN)	Per Billable Minute	\$ 10.44	\$ 7.83			\$ 1.04		\$ (0.26)
Registered Pharmacist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 12.30	\$ 9.23			\$ 1.23		\$ (0.31)
Interpreter Services	Per Billable Minute	\$ 2.19			\$ 2.19			
Licensed Physician (MD)	Per Billable Minute	\$ 25.70		\$ 11.57				
Service:								
Ambulatory Withdrawal Management 1	Per Hour	\$ 339.44	\$ 254.58					
Ambulatory Withdrawal Management 2	Per Hour	\$ 398.33	\$ 298.75					
Interactive Complexity	Per Occurrence	\$ 19.48	\$ 14.61					
Group								
Provider type:								
Alcohol and Drug Counselor	Per Billable Minute	\$ 1.23	\$ 0.92			\$ 0.13		\$ (0.04)
Community Health Worker (CPT98961)	Per Billable Minute (2-4 patients)	\$ 1.72	\$ 1.29			\$ 0.17		\$ (0.04)
Community Health Worker (CPT98962)	Per Billable Minute (5-8 patients)	\$ 0.79	\$ 0.59			\$ 0.08		\$ (0.02)
LPHA (MFT LCSW LPCC)/Intern or Waivered LPHA (MFT LCSW LPCC)	Per Billable Minute	\$ 1.49	\$ 1.12			\$ 0.15		\$ (0.04)
Licensed Psychiatric Technician	Per Billable Minute	\$ 1.04	\$ 0.78			\$ 0.10		\$ (0.02)
Licensed Vocational Nurse	Per Billable Minute	\$ 1.22	\$ 0.92			\$ 0.12		\$ (0.03)
Medical Assistant	Per Billable Minute	\$ 0.84	\$ 0.63			\$ 0.08		\$ (0.02)
Nurse Practitioner	Per Billable Minute	\$ 2.84	\$ 2.13			\$ 0.28		\$ (0.07)
Occupational Therapist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 1.98	\$ 1.49			\$ 0.19		\$ (0.05)
Other Qualified Practitioner	Per Billable Minute	\$ 1.12	\$ 0.84			\$ 0.11		\$ (0.03)
Peer Support Specialist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 1.17	\$ 0.88			\$ 0.11		\$ (0.02)
Physician Assistant	Per Billable Minute	\$ 2.56	\$ 1.92			\$ 0.26		\$ (0.07)
Psychologist/Pre-licensed Psychologist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 2.30	\$ 1.73			\$ 0.23		\$ (0.06)
Registered Nurse (RN)	Per Billable Minute	\$ 2.32	\$ 1.74			\$ 0.23		\$ (0.06)
Registered Pharmacist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 2.73	\$ 2.05			\$ 0.27		\$ (0.07)
Interpreter Services	Per Billable Minute	\$ 0.49			\$ 0.49			
Licensed Physician (MD)	Per Billable Minute	\$ 5.71		\$ 2.57				

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Justice (Adult Drug Court/Re-entry)*										
			75%	45%		5%	5%		-2.5%	
Individual										
Provider type:										
Alcohol and Drug Counselor	Per Billable Minute	\$ 5.55	\$ 4.16			\$ 0.28	\$ 0.28		\$ (0.14)	
Community Health Worker	Per Billable Minute	\$ 5.16	\$ 3.87			\$ 0.26	\$ 0.26		\$ (0.13)	
LPHA (MFT LCSW LPCC)/Intern or Waivered LPHA (MFT LCSW LPCC)	Per Billable Minute	\$ 6.69	\$ 5.02			\$ 0.33	\$ 0.34		\$ (0.17)	
Licensed Psychiatric Technician	Per Billable Minute	\$ 4.70	\$ 3.53			\$ 0.23	\$ 0.24		\$ (0.12)	
Licensed Vocational Nurse	Per Billable Minute	\$ 5.48	\$ 4.11			\$ 0.27	\$ 0.28		\$ (0.14)	
Medical Assistant	Per Billable Minute	\$ 3.77	\$ 2.83			\$ 0.19	\$ 0.18		\$ (0.09)	
Nurse Practitioner	Per Billable Minute	\$ 12.78	\$ 9.59			\$ 0.63	\$ 0.64		\$ (0.32)	
Occupational Therapist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 8.91	\$ 6.68			\$ 0.45	\$ 0.44		\$ (0.22)	
Other Qualified Practitioner	Per Billable Minute	\$ 5.03	\$ 3.77			\$ 0.25	\$ 0.26		\$ (0.13)	
Peer Support Specialist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 5.28	\$ 3.96			\$ 0.26	\$ 0.27		\$ (0.13)	
Physician Assistant	Per Billable Minute	\$ 11.53	\$ 8.65			\$ 0.57	\$ 0.58		\$ (0.29)	
Psychologist/Pre-licensed Psychologist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 10.34	\$ 7.76			\$ 0.51	\$ 0.52		\$ (0.26)	
Registered Nurse (RN)	Per Billable Minute	\$ 10.44	\$ 7.83			\$ 0.52	\$ 0.52		\$ (0.26)	
Registered Pharmacist	Per Billable Minute	\$ 12.30	\$ 9.23			\$ 0.61	\$ 0.62		\$ (0.31)	
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Licensed Psychiatric Technician	Per Billable Minute	\$ 1.04	\$ 0.78			\$ 0.05	\$ 0.05		\$ (0.02)	
Licensed Vocational Nurse	Per Billable Minute	\$ 1.22	\$ 0.92			\$ 0.06	\$ 0.06		\$ (0.03)	
Medical Assistant	Per Billable Minute	\$ 0.84	\$ 0.63			\$ 0.04	\$ 0.04		\$ (0.02)	
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* The specific rates by contract will be provided during the amendment process. The total reimbursement by contract will be based on the total percentage of baseline plus applicable modifiers.

** Rates in Schedule C may be off by 1 cent compared to the above rates due to rounding.

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