SanWITS Encounter Form Instructions

REQUIRED FORM:

The Encounter Form is a required document in the client's file and is needed before an Encounter can be released to Billing.

WHEN:

An Encounter will be created each time the client receives treatment services.

COMPLETED BY:

Authorized agency representative.

REQUIRED ELEMENTS:

• For instructions on each specific field, refer to CalOMS Data Collection Guide/CalOMS Treatment Data Dictionary.

NOTE:

The County only requires Behavioral Health Services contracted client services to be documented with Encounters. Data entry for Encounters should be completed on a daily basis.

Before an Encounter can be created, the Program Enrollment screen must be completed.

Program Name field information is pre-populated from the Program Enrollment screen. Only the Program added in Program Enrollment will be listed.

Service field drop-down menu values are linked to the Program Name added in the Program Enrollment.

The "Diagnosis for this Service" box contains the principal diagnosis information pre-populated from the Admission Diagnosis screen. This information cannot be edited from the Encounter screen. If you don't have a principal diagnosis, you won't be able to release Encounters.

For Billable Encounters the Administrative Action available will be Release to Billing. For Non-Billable Encounters the Administrative Action available will be Finalize Encounter.





CalOMS Encounter

Provider Id:	
Client Name:	
Client #:	
Data Entry Date:	
Data Entry Int:	
CalOMS Serial #:W	

ENCOUNTER								*R	EQUIRED
*Rendering Staff (Re	ndering staff must	have a valid NPI)							
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*Note Type D	MC Billable	□ County Billable	□ Bed M	/lanager	ment Census No	ote 🗆	Non-Bill	able	
ENC ID (Auto-populate	es)			Creat	ed Date (Auto-p	opulates)			
*Program Name (Auto	o-populates from t	he active Program Enro	ollment)						
*Service (Available va		u are linked to the Prog	ram Name adde	ed in Pro	gram Enrollmen	t and	*Billable		*Disallowed
*Start Date (mm / dd /	, , , , , , , ,			End Da	te (mm / dd / yyy	y) *Requir	ed for Co	nsecuti	ve Methadone Dosing
4								Start .	Time (00:00 am / pm)
*Service Location □ Home				al Subst	ance Abuse Tre	atment Fa	acility	Start	Time (00.00 ani / pini)
□ Homeless shelter □ Non-residential Opi □ Non-residential Sub □ Other Place of Serv	stance Abuse Tr			Provid	ed in Patient's F ed Other than ir ng		Home	End T	ime (00:00 am / pm)
When service is unit-b	ased :							l	
Duration	□ Day	rs 🗆 Hrs 🗀 İ	Min						
When service is durati	ion-based								
Travel Duration		Documentation du	uration		*Тс	otal Servi	ce time		
*Contact Type	□ No Sho □ Face To □ Phone		Community			Emerger Yes No	ісу	Units	f Service /Sessions -populates)
*Visit Type (Linked to \$ AS – Assessment AWM-Ambulatory W BD-Bed Day - Resid CC-Clinician Consu CCO-Care Coordin: CMT-Contingency W	M dential llt ation	CS-Crisis DS-MAT-Dosing ES-Educational S ETA-Engagement GP-Group GPC-Group in Col	/Therapeutic Ac	oups (ctivity (□ IN-Individual (□ LS-LOC Scree □ MD-Methador □ MS-Medicatio □ PE-Patient Ec □ WM-Withdraw	ning ne Dosing n Service lucation	•	(Cour	li-Cal Billable: hty Billable nes = NO)
*Was an interpreter us	sed? (Based on ea	ach service) □ No	o Interpreter Ne	eeded	□ Yes – In	ternal	□ Yes	- Exter	nal
*In what language wa	as the service pro	ovided? (Auto-populate	es from Client P	rofile an	d can be edited)				
□ American Sign Lang □ Amharic □ Arabic □ Armenian □ Braille □ Cambodian □ Cantonese □ Chinese □ Czech □ Dutch □ English □ Fang Yan	uage	□ French □ German □ Greek □ Gujarati □ Hebrew □ Hindi □ Hmong □ Hungarian □ Ilocano □ Indian (General) □ Italian □ Japanese		□ Mal □ Mar □ Mar □ Mie □ Nor □ Oth □ Poli □ Por	ge Print English ay ndarin rathi n wegian er Non-English L sh tuguese	.anguage	□ Sp □ Ta □ Th □ Tig □ Uk □ Un □ Vie	irigna rkish rainian known etnames kama ri	Language se
□ Farsi □ Finnish		□ Korean □ Lakota Sioux		□ Rus □ Sali			□ So		

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*Which	Evidence-Based	Practices	were used?	

□ Motivational Interviewing □ Relapse Prevention □ Other □ None (Should only be used for no show and when there is no contact with the client)

Diagnosis for this Service (*Required to release Encounter)

(Diagnosis auto-populates with the diagnosis information added to the Admission Profile)

(Diagnosis is editable. It must be a Behavioral	Diagnosis; Substance Use related and marked as Principal)	
Primary		
Secondary		
Tertiary		
Secondary Staff		
Supervising Staff		