



ADMINISTRATIVE RULES OF MONTANA

37.90.416 HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES FOR ADULTS WITH SEVERE AND DISABLING MENTAL ILLNESS: PAIN AND SYMPTOM MANAGEMENT

- (1) Pain and symptom management is defined as a service that provides traditional and nontraditional methods of pain reduction or management.
- (2) Allowable non-traditional or mind-body therapies include:
 - (a) acupuncture;
 - (b) reflexology;
 - (c) massage therapy;
 - (d) craniosacral therapy;
 - (e) hypnosis;
 - (f) biofeedback; and
 - (g) pain mitigation counseling/coaching.
- (3) Allowable traditional therapies include:
 - (a) chiropractic therapy; and
 - (b) nursing services by a nurse specializing in pain and symptom management.
- (4) The service must be prescribed by a licensed health care professional.
- (5) The service must be documented in the member's Person-Centered Recovery Plan and:
 - (a) address the member's chronic or acute symptoms, complaints, or complications indicating the need for services;
 - (b) include the number of authorized sessions; and
 - (c) document the expected outcomes of the provision of the service.
- (6) Services must be provided by a person licensed or certified to provide the service.

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