



## Behavioral Health Carve-in to Medicaid Advantage Plus Plans Effective January 1, 2023

Dear MAP Plan Member:

This is an important notice about your Medicaid managed long term care plan benefits. Please read it carefully.

Starting January 1, 2023, Hamaspik Medicare Choice (HMO SNP) will cover additional behavioral health (mental health and addiction) services. You may have had some of these services before, and now you can use your Hamaspik Medicare Choice plan ID card to get these services. The services your plan will cover now include:

### Adult Outpatient Mental Health Care

- **Continuing Day Treatment (CDT):** Provides seriously mentally ill adults with the skills and supports necessary to remain in the community and be more independent. You can attend several days per week with visits lasting more than an hour.
- **Partial Hospitalization (PH):** A program which provides mental health treatment designed to stabilize or help acute symptoms in a person who may need hospitalization.

### Adult Outpatient Rehabilitative Mental Health Care

- **Assertive Community Treatment (ACT):** ACT is a team approach to treatment, support, and rehabilitation services. Many services are provided by ACT staff in the community or where you live. ACT is for individuals that have been diagnosed with serious mental illness or emotional problems.
- **Mental Health Outpatient Treatment and Rehabilitative Services (MHOTRS):** A program that provides treatment, assessment, and symptom management. Services may include individual and group therapies at a clinic location in your community.
- **Personalized Recovery Oriented Services (PROS):** A complete recovery-oriented program if you have severe and ongoing mental illness. The goal of the program is to combine treatment, support, and therapy to aid in your recovery.

## **Adult Outpatient Rehabilitative Mental Health And Addiction Services For Members Who Meet Clinical Requirements. (These are also known as CORE.)**

**Community Oriented Recovery and Empowerment (CORE) Services:** Person-centered, recovery program with mobile behavioral health supports to help build skills and promote community participation and independence. CORE Services are available for members who have been identified by the State as meeting the high need behavioral health risk criteria. Anyone can refer or self-refer to CORE Services.

- **Psychosocial Rehabilitation (PSR):** This service helps with life skills, like making social connections; finding or keeping a job; starting or returning to school; and using community resources.
- **Community Psychiatric Supports and Treatment (CPST):** This service helps you manage symptoms through counseling and clinical treatment.
- **Empowerment Services – Peer Supports:** This service connects you to peer specialists who have gone through recovery. You will get support and assistance with learning how to:
  - live with health challenges and be independent,
  - help you make decisions about your own recovery, and
  - find natural supports and resources.
- **Family Support and Training (FST):** This service gives your family and friends the information and skills to help and support you.

## **Adult Mental Health Crisis Services**

- **Comprehensive Psychiatric Emergency Program (CPEP):** A hospital-based program which provides crisis supports and beds for extended observation (up to 72 hours) to individuals who need emergency mental health services.
- **Mobile Crisis and Telephonic Crisis Services:** An in-community service that responds to individuals experiencing a mental health and/or addiction crisis.
- **Crisis Residential Programs:** A short term residence that provides 24 hours per day services up to 28 days, for individuals experiencing mental health symptoms or challenges in daily life that makes symptoms worse. Services can help avoid a hospital stay and support the return to your community.

## **Adult Outpatient Addiction Services**

- **Opioid Treatment Centers (OTP)** are OASAS certified sites where medication to treat opioid dependency is given. These medications can include methadone, buprenorphine, and suboxone. These facilities also offer counseling and educational services. In many cases, you can get ongoing services at an OTP clinic over your lifetime.

## **Adult Residential Addiction Services**

- **Residential Services** are for people who are in need of 24-hour support in their recovery in a residential setting. Residential services help maintain recovery through a structured, substance-free setting. You can get group support and learn skills to aid in your recovery.

## **Adult Inpatient Addiction Rehabilitation Services**

- **State Operated Addiction Treatment Center's (ATC)** provide care that is responsive to your needs and supports long-term recovery. Staff at each facility are trained to help with multiple conditions, such as mental illness. They also support aftercare planning. Types of addiction treatment services are different at each facility but can include medication-assisted treatment; problem gambling, gender-specific treatment for men or women, and more.
- **Inpatient Addiction Rehabilitation** programs can provide you with safe setting for the evaluation, treatment, and rehabilitation of substance use disorders. These facilities offer 24-hour, 7-day a-week care that is supervised at all times by medical staff. Inpatient services include management of symptoms related to addiction and monitoring of the physical and mental complications resulting from substance use.
- **Inpatient Medically Supervised Detox** programs offer inpatient treatment for moderate withdrawal and include supervision under the care of a physician. Some of the services you can receive are a medical assessment within twenty-four (24) hours of admission and medical supervision of intoxication and withdrawal conditions.

We are in the process of updating your member handbook to reflect this change. The revised handbook will be available on our website at: [www.hamaspik.com](http://www.hamaspik.com).

**Hamaspik Medicare Choice is here for you.** Please call member services at 888-426-2774 if you:

- have any questions about this letter;
- do not have access to a computer to view the handbook update; or
- want the handbook update mailed to you, when released.

TTY users, please call 711. Our staff are available from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm to assist you.

Sincerely,

Hamaspik Medicare Choice

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Hamaspik Medicare Choice is a Medicare Advantage and Prescription Drug Plan (HMO D-SNP) with a Medicare Contract and a Medicaid Advantage Plus (MAP) plan with a New York State contract. Enrollment in Hamaspik Medicare Choice depends on contract renewal. This information is not a complete description of benefits. For a complete list of covered services and other important information, review your Evidence of Coverage or call 888-426-2774. TTY users, please call 711.

## **Non-Discrimination Notice**

Hamaspik Medicare Choice complies with applicable federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex. Hamaspik does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

Hamaspik Medicare Choice:

- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as qualified sign language interpreters and written information in other formats (large print, accessible electronic formats, other formats).
- Provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as qualified interpreters and information written in other languages.

If you need these services, contact Hamaspik Medicare Choice's Member Services telephone number listed for your ID card. From October 1 to March 31, you can call us 7 days a week from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. From April 1 to September 30, you can call us Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. A messaging system is used after hours, weekends, and on federal holidays. TTY user should call 711.

If you believe that the Hamaspik Medicare Advantage plan has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you

can file a grievance by calling the number on your ID card and telling them you need help filing a grievance. Hamaspik's Member Services is available to help you.

You can also send your grievance to:

Hamaspik Medicare Advantage

Attn: Grievance and Appeals

58 Route 59, Suite 1

Monsey, NY 10952

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>.

You can also file a grievance or by mail or phone at:

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

200 Independence Avenue SW, Room 509F, HHH Building

Washington, DC 20201

1-800-368-1019 (TTY: 1-800-537-7697).

Complaint forms are available at:

<http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>.

## Hamaspik Medicare Choice Multi-Language Interpreter Services

**English:** We have free interpreter services to answer any questions you may have about our health or drug plan. To get an interpreter, just call us at: 1-888-426-2774. (TTY, call 711.) Someone who speaks English/Language can help you. This is a free service.

**Spanish:** Tenemos servicios de intérprete sin costo alguno para responder cualquier pregunta que pueda tener sobre nuestro plan de salud o medicamentos. Para hablar con un intérprete, por favor llame al 1-888-426-2774. (TTY 711.) Alguien que hable español le podrá ayudar. Este es un servicio gratuito.

**Chinese Mandarin:** 我们提供免费的翻译服务，帮助您解答关于健康或药物保险的任何疑问。如果您需要此翻译服务，请致电 1-888-426-2774。(TTY 711) 我们的中文工作人员很乐意帮助您。这是一项免费服务。

**Chinese Cantonese:** 您對我們的健康或藥物保險可能存有疑問，為此我們提供免費的翻譯服務。如需翻譯服務，請致電 1-888-426-2774。(TTY 711) 我們講中文的人員將樂意為您提供幫助。這是一項免費服務。

**Tagalog:** Mayroon kaming libreng serbisyo sa pagsasaling-wika upang masagot ang anumang mga katanungan ninyo hinggil sa aming planong pangkalusugan o panggamot. Upang makakuha ng tagasaling-wika, tawagan lamang kami sa 1-888-426-2774. (TTY 711) Maaari kayong tulungan ng isang nakakapagsalita ng Tagalog. Ito ay libreng serbisyo.

**French:** Nous proposons des services gratuits d'interprétation pour répondre à toutes vos questions relatives à notre régime de santé ou d'assurance-médicaments. Pour accéder au service d'interprétation, il vous suffit de nous appeler au 1-888-426-2774. (TTY 711) Un interlocuteur parlant Français pourra vous aider. Ce service est gratuit.

**Vietnamese:** Chúng tôi có dịch vụ thông dịch miễn phí để trả lời các câu hỏi về chương sức khỏe và chương trình thuốc men. Nếu quý vị cần thông dịch viên xin gọi 1-888-426-2774 sẽ có nhân viên nói tiếng Việt giúp đỡ quý vị. Đây là dịch vụ miễn phí. (TTY 711)

**German:** Unser kostenloser Dolmetscherservice beantwortet Ihren Fragen zu unserem Gesundheits- und Arzneimittelplan. Unsere Dolmetscher erreichen Sie unter 1-888-426-2774. (TTY 711) Man wird Ihnen dort auf Deutsch weiterhelfen. Dieser Service ist kostenlos.

**Korean:** 당사는 의료 보험 또는 약품 보험에 관한 질문에 대해 드리고자 무료 통역 서비스를 제공하고 있습니다. 통역 서비스를 이용하려면 전화 1-888-426-2774 번으로 문의해 주십시오. 한국어를 하는 담당자가 도와 드릴 것입니다. 이 서비스는 무료로 운영됩니다. (TTY 711)

**Russian:** Если у вас возникнут вопросы относительно страхового или медикаментного плана, вы можете воспользоваться нашими бесплатными услугами переводчиков. Чтобы воспользоваться услугами переводчика, позвоните нам по телефону 1-888-426-2774. (TTY 711) Вам окажет помощь сотрудник, который говорит по-русски. Данная услуга бесплатная.

**Arabic:** إننا نقدم خدمات المترجم الفوري المجانية للإجابة عن أي أسئلة تتعلق بالصحة أو جدول الأدوية لدينا. للحصول على مترجم بمساعدتك. هذه خدمة مجانية فوري، ليس عليك سوى الاتصال بنا على [1-2774-426-888]. سيقوم شخص ما يتحدث العربية. (TTY 711)

**Hindi:** हमारे स्वास्थ्य या दवा की योजना के बारे में आपके किसी भी प्रश्न के जवाब देने के लिए हमारे पास मुफ्त दुभाषिया सेवाएँ उपलब्ध हैं. एक दुभाषिया प्राप्त करने के लिए, बस हमें 1-888-426-2774 पर फोन करें. कोई व्यक्ति जो हिन्दी बोलता है आपकी मदद कर सकता है. यह एक मुफ्त सेवा है. (TTY 711)

**Italian:** È disponibile un servizio di interpretariato gratuito per rispondere a eventuali domande sul nostro piano sanitario e farmaceutico. Per un interprete, contattare il numero 1-888-426-2774. (TTY 711) Un nostro incaricato che parla Italianovi fornirà l'assistenza necessaria. È un servizio gratuito.

**Portugués:** Dispomos de serviços de interpretação gratuitos para responder a qualquer questão que tenha acerca do nosso plano de saúde ou de medicação. Para obter um intérprete, contacte-nos através do número 1-888-426-2774. (TTY 711) Irá encontrar alguém que fale o idioma Português para o ajudar. Este serviço é gratuito.

**French Creole:** Nou genyen sèvis entèprèt gratis pou reponn tout kesyon ou ta genyen konsènan plan medikal oswa dwòg nou an. Pou jwenn yon entèprèt, jis rele nou nan 1-888-426-2774. (TTY 711) Yon moun ki pale Kreyòl kapab ede w. Sa a se yon sèvis ki gratis.

**Polish:** Umożliwiamy bezpłatne skorzystanie z usług tłumacza ustnego, który pomoże w uzyskaniu odpowiedzi na temat planu zdrowotnego lub dawkowania leków. Aby skorzystać z pomocy tłumacza znającego język polski, należy zadzwonić pod numer 1-888-426-2774. (TTY 711) Ta usługa jest bezpłatna.

**Japanese:** 当社の健康 健康保険と薬品 処方薬プランに関するご質問にお答えするために、無料の通訳サービスがあります。通訳をご用命になるには、[1-888-426-2774]にお電話ください。日本語を話す人 者が支援いたします。これは無料のサービスです。 (TTY 711)