



STATE OF CONNECTICUT



DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH & ADDICTION SERVICES

DDaP NEWSLETTER

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Recent highlights and updates to the July 2010 DDaP implementation are listed below, and posted on the DMHAS web site in the New Data Collection System Updates section found at the following link: <http://www.ct.gov/dmhas/cwp/view.asp?a=2900&q=334736>

Please find below important new information regarding DDaP implementation:



1. **System Changes:** This week a new release of DDaP will include the following changes. An email notification will be sent when the changes have been made.

- **Insurance Type** - Three new insurance types have been added. They are fields #31, #124, #128 and #132 in the file.

16 - Medicaid LIA

17 - Medicare Part A

18 - Medicare Part B

- **Insurance Rules**— The rules not allowing duplicate policy numbers and policy end dates in the future are being removed.
 - **Undischarging Clients**— Functionality is being added to allow discharged clients to be “undischarged”
2. **Address Information for Homeless Clients**— When entering data for clients that are homeless, please use “Homeless” for Address1 and the city, state and zip code of the agency/program that the client is admitted to.
3. **File Submission** - Providers planning to submit a file should send their August file (containing July data) to Maria Cabrera at maria.cabrera@po.state.ct.us. We will submit the initial file into our test system and return the file results to you. This will allow the providers the opportunity for last minute adjustments.
4. **DDaP Conference Calls** - DDaP conference calls are held each Tuesday at 9:30 and 10:30 for DDaP updates and to address provider questions.

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