

### Important Stakeholder Updates:

Register for May 19 CTS LOC Vignette Review | Quarterly Webinar Materials | Community Services FAQ | Review New Online Resources



#### EVENT ANNOUNCEMENT: CTS LOC - Vignette Review | 10 a.m. CT on Tuesday, May 19

Through your feedback, we're thrilled to host a **special session focused on the clinical decision support model application**. Join Maximus, in conjunction with our HHS partners, on the morning of Tuesday, May 19 for a comprehensive vignette review. During this time, Maximus will review a series of vignettes for ND levels of care (e.g., TFC, QRTP, and PRTF) and walk attendees through key components of the assessment and application of the clinical decision support model.

**Click the link below to register in advance** for this informative session. Once registered, you will receive a confirmation email containing details on how to join the meeting.

- [ND CTS LOC: Vignette Review | Tuesday, May 19 from 10 a.m. - 11 a.m. CT](#)

### REVIEW: Quarterly Stakeholder Webinar Slides

The North Dakota CTS LOC team would like to thank everyone who attended the recent Quarterly Stakeholder Webinars. If you were unable to attend, or would like a refresher on the topics presented, **be sure to review the presentation slides for each group below**.



- [Quarterly Webinar for Custodial Agencies \(Zones, DJS, and Tribal Nations\) | Slides](#)
- [Quarterly Webinar for State Operated Behavioral Health Clinics \(SOBHC\) and Community Partners | Slides](#)
- [Quarterly Webinar for Treatment Providers \(PRTFs, QRTPs, and Nexus TFC\) | Slides](#)

Additionally, we hope you'll **click the button below to complete a brief survey**, and read on for an important Q&A highlight.

Click Here to Take the Survey



## RESOURCES: One-Page Guide for Schools and Educators and Clinical Documentation Refresher Video

A new resource **has been added to the Toolbox for SOBHCs, Hospitals, and Schools**, entitled [One-Page Guide for Schools and Educators](#).

The team also wishes to highlight the training video entitled [Clinical Documentation for ND CTS LOC Referrals](#). This refresher should be your **go-to reference when submitting clinical documentation** for ND CTS LOC referrals.

**Be sure to review these resources at your earliest convenience**, and keep in mind that you can always access the most up-to-date versions of Stakeholder resources on the [North Dakota CTS LOC Resources site](#).

## FAQs: Frequently Asked Questions



### In rural areas, what if there are no community services available?

There are Behavioral Health Clinics in all eight regions of North Dakota, and outreach services are available in most areas. In addition, most providers now offer telehealth options to help bridge the gap. Please refer to the Behavioral Health Division's page for resources and search options for services:

- [Behavioral Health | Health and Human Services North Dakota](#)

If you have a child who was placed at TFC and was recently recommended a standard community setting, TFC should help locate appropriate resources for the child and family. The aftercare support should help coordinate appropriate community services and supports.

### Does the Admission Exception request form apply to all levels of care?

Yes. If a child needs an extension, up to 14 days, to admit to a TFC, QRTP, or PRPF placement, [this form will need to be completed and submitted to Maximus for NDHHS's review](#).

## SUPPORT: Your ND Children's Treatment Services LOC Help Desk



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