

**Office of Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services  
PNMI REFERRAL/APPLICATION**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Consumer Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gender:**  Male  Female  Transgender

**Current Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Marital Status:**  Single  Married  Domestic Partner  Divorced  Widowed

**D.O.B.:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Social Security Number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Income Source** \_\_\_\_\_ **Amount** \_\_\_\_\_ **MaineCare Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Maine Care Status:**  Categorical  Non- Categorical  Applied/Pending \_\_\_\_\_ (date applied)  
 Spend Down \_\_\_\_\_ (amount) \_\_\_\_\_ (deductible dates)  Other Insurance

**Housing Subsidy (BRAP, Shelter + Care, Section 8)?** \_\_\_\_\_ **No/ Applied-Pending** \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)

**Referral Source:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact Person:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Referent E Mail Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Consumer Area Housing Preference (check all that apply):**

- Aroostook  Hancock  Washington  Penobscot  Piscataquis  Kennebec
- Somerset  Knox  Lincoln  Sagadahoc  Waldo  Androscoggin  Franklin
- Oxford  Cumberland  York

**Referral is for (Primary PNMI program choice):** \_\_\_\_\_ **(Secondary Choice)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Reason for referral:**

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**Does the consumer have any special considerations/needs/accommodations to be considered for this referral?**

Yes  No

**If yes, please note:**  Awake night staff  1:1  handicap accessible  medical monitoring

other \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please note any prior living arrangements and/or periods of homelessness. What worked? What didn't?**

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Does the consumer require ADL assistance:       Yes  No

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

**Current Resources/Supports:**

Does the consumer have a guardian?  No  Public  Private  Under Study

Is the guardianship  Full  Limited Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian contact first and last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the consumer want the services being requested?  Yes  No

If no, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Does the consumer have a Rep Payee?  Yes     No

If yes, contact first and last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Rep Payee Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the consumer have a case manager?  Yes  No

If yes, case manager first and last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Case Management Agency and Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the consumer have a Primary Care Physician?  Yes  No

If yes, name of Primary Care Physician: \_\_\_\_\_

PCP Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Family and/or Other Supports (any other pertinent psychosocial information):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What has family involvement been with consumer?

Phone     Visits     Treatment Sessions     Other     Consumer Refuses     Other

Is there a current contact person? (please list name and telephone number): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**LEGAL ISSUES:**

Does the consumer have any current legal issues/charges?       Yes  No

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Does the consumer have any past legal issues?       Yes  No

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Is the consumer involved with pre-trial?  Yes  No

Does the consumer have a probation officer?  Yes  No

If yes, probation officer name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the consumer have conditions of release?  Yes  No

If yes, explain? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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**DIAGNOSIS**

**Primary Diagnosis:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Secondary Diagnosis:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Diagnoses:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Current LOCUS Score:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date Diagnosed:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Name and License Level of Diagnostician:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CURRENT SYMPTOMS:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Suicidal?**      Y     N     If Yes,  Ideation  Plan  Means  Intent  Attempt  Hx of Attempts

**Homicidal?**    Y     N     If Yes,  Ideation  Plan  Means  Intent  Attempt  Hx of Attempts

**Psychosis?**    Y     N     If Yes,  Delusional  Paranoid  Unable to Care for Self  Other

**Hallucinations?** Y     N     If Yes,  Auditory  Visual  Tactile  Olfactory

**Depressed?**    Y     N     If Yes, check signs/symptoms:  Eating  Sleeping  Energy  Isolation  
 Weight Gain  Other somatic or vegetative symptoms

**Are there other areas of risk not previously noted, such as elopement, self-injurious or assaultive behavior that would be helpful to know?** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Does the Consumer have any current Substance Abuse or Dependence Issues?**  Yes     No

**If yes, please check all that apply:**

- Alcohol             Cocaine/Crack       Marijuana     Ecstasy       Over the Counter meds
- Sedatives/Hypnotics    Opiates/Pain Killers (Heroin, Methadone, Oxycontin, Oxycodone, etc.)
- Tobacco    Caffeine    Amphetamine/Methamphetamine    Benzodiazepines
- Other Street Drugs     Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Dates of onset?** \_\_\_\_\_ **Current Amounts?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dates of last use/remission?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Pertinent Substance Use or Dependence History:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**CURRENT AND PRIOR TREATMENT (Mental Health and/or Co-Occurring):**

**Inpatient (please note name of hospital and dates):**

\_\_\_\_\_  
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**Outpatient (please note agency name, provider names, and dates):**

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**Other:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MEDICAL HX AND UPDATES (include relevant lab work and any known allergies):**

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**Has this person ever had a brain injury:  Yes  No**

**If yes, please explain:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Does this person have a history of intellectual disability or cognitive challenges?  Yes  No**

**Medications (both psychiatric and medical/please note current / any recent changes/who prescribes the medications):**

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**Baseline behavior? How do you know when the client is doing well? Hobbies? Interests?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Education History and Current Status:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Vocational History and Current Status:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please list any recent and pertinent assessments that have been done within the past three to six months such as Occupational Therapy, Neuropsychological, Psychosexual, or Psychiatric, or Psychological, including dates and assessor contact information or other relevant information.**

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**To keep this application ACTIVE, please call (as provider or as client) to check in every 90 days. This referral will be considered INACTIVE if no contact (email, call or fax) is made by provider or client with SAMHS to follow up on this application.**

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### **Below is the quoted MaineCare rule for Medical Necessity:**

10-144 Chapter 101 Department of Health and Human Services MAINECARE BENEFITS MANUAL Chapter II  
Section 97 PRIVATE NON-MEDICAL INSTITUTION SERVICES ESTABLISHED

97.02-2 **Medical Necessity** Services in PNMI's must be medically necessary, as evidenced by meeting the medical eligibility criteria set forth in this section. A physician or primary care provider must also document in writing that this model of service is medically necessary for the member, and both the physician and the PNMI provider must keep this documentation in the member's file. For all PNMI services, this documentation must be completed as part of the prior authorization process conducted by the Department and/or its Authorized Agent.

### **Additional PNMI Provider Requirements:**

Accept all Referrals from the Department, in writing to SAMHS staff, within three (3) business days of receipt of Referral.

***Note: Section 277 of the Bates v. DHHS Consent Decree (Consent Decree) does not allow for the denial of a Referral without the Department's approval. Any such denial, which has not been approved, is a violation of this Agreement and may result in termination of this Agreement.***

Contact the individual being Referred and/or the legal guardian within seven (7) business days of receipt of this Referral. Confirm in writing to SAMHS Residential Team, once contact with individual and/or legal guardian has been made. Admit all individuals to the PNMI within thirty (30) calendar days of the receipt of Referral.

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### **CONSENT DECREE COMPLIANCE REFERRAL FORM:**

#### **Client Referred:**

**Primary Service Provider Agency Name (Referred to):**

Name of Residential Treatment Facility, If Applicable:

Address of Discharge Location:

Contact Name:

Contact E-mail:

Contact Phone #:

Accepted Start Date:

Accepted with requested accommodation(s) Start Date:

Accommodation(s) requested:

Declined or cannot accept Decline Date:

#### **Reason:**

Hospital determined patient not ready

Patient refused

Facility is already 100% occupied (no vacancies)

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE FAX THIS PROMPTLY TO:

287-7056 SAMHS



**Which DHHS office(s) should help you? Please check.**

<input type="checkbox"/> Office of MaineCare Services	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services
<input type="checkbox"/> Office for Family Independence and Medical Review Team	<input type="checkbox"/> Office of Child and Family Services
<input type="checkbox"/> Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention	<input type="checkbox"/> Office of Aging and Disability Services
<input type="checkbox"/> Dorothea Dix Psychiatric Center	<input type="checkbox"/> Office of Administrative Hearings
<input type="checkbox"/> Riverview Psychiatric Center	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:

**Whose information is being released? Please print clearly.**

Individual's Name	Date of Birth	Social Security #
Home Address	Town/City	State Zip Code
Telephone ( ) -	Email address	@

**What information should DHHS release? Please check all that apply.**

<p><b>General permission:</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All health information from the DHHS office(s) checked above</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Claims or encounter data (information about visits to health care providers)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Billing, payment, income, banking, tax, asset, or data needed to see if you qualify for DHHS program benefits</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Limit to the following date(s) or type(s) of information: (for example "Lab test dated June 2, 2017" or "Claims from 2015- 2017")</p> <p>_____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____</p>	<p><b>Special permission: Drug/Alcohol Referral or Services</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Include all drug/alcohol information in the release</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Include only the specific drug/alcohol records checked:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Diagnosis and treatment</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Clinical notes and discharge summaries</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Drug/Alcohol history or summary</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment or claims information</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Living situation and social supports</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Medication, dosages or supplies</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Lab results</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____</p>
<p><b>Special permission: Mental/Behavioral Health Services</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Include this information in the release</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I want to review my mental health/behavioral health record before release. I understand that the review will be supervised.</p> <p><b>Please note:</b> Maine law allows us to share this information with other health care providers and health plans to coordinate your care (to help take care of you) so long as we make a reasonable effort to notify you of the release.</p>	<p><b>Special permission: HIV/AIDS Status/Test Results</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Include this information in the release</p> <p><b>Please note:</b> Maine law requires us to tell you of possible effects of releasing HIV/AIDS information. For example, you may receive more complete care if you release this information, but you could experience discrimination if your data is misused. <b>DHHS</b> will protect your HIV data, and all your information, as the law requires.</p>

**Are you asking DHHS to send your information by EMAIL?  Yes.  No**

<p>Although DHHS has privacy and security protections for my information, I understand that email and the internet have risks that DHHS cannot control. It is possible that my emailed information could be read by a third party. I ACCEPT THOSE RISKS and still ask DHHS to send my information by email. INITIAL HERE _____</p>
<p><b>Where should DHHS send your information by email? Please print the email address clearly:</b></p>

**What is the purpose of the release?** Please check or write a response.

<input type="checkbox"/> To coordinate or manage my care	<input type="checkbox"/> For a legal matter, including to provide testimony
<input type="checkbox"/> A personal request	<input type="checkbox"/> To see if I qualify for benefits or insurance
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	

**Please check and print clearly below:**  Send my information to  Get my information from:

Name	Name
Address	Address
City, State, Zip Code	City, State, Zip Code
Phone	Phone
Fax No.	Fax No.

I understand and agree that:

- “Information” may be in written, spoken and/or electronic format.
- This form will expire **one year** from the date below unless I revoke (take back) my permission sooner.
- To take back my permission, I will fill out the Revocation Form found at <http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/privacy/index.shtml> and send it to the office where I receive services. It will not apply to the information that DHHS already released with my permission.
- If I take back my permission or refuse to release some or all of my information, my choice could lead to an improper diagnosis or treatment, or denial of insurance coverage.
- I permit the people and/or offices listed on this form to speak to each other for the purpose(s) on this form.
- Health information from other providers (such as doctors, hospitals, and counselors) in my DHHS file is included in this release.
- Unless I am applying for benefits, DHHS will not base my treatment, payment for services, or benefits on whether I sign this form.
- DHHS offices will keep my information confidential as required by law. If I choose to share my information with others who are not required by law to keep it private, it may no longer be protected by federal confidentiality laws.
- If alcohol or drug treatment or program (substance use disorder) records are included in this release, DHHS will include a notice saying that such information may not be re-released or shared without my written permission.

I am signing this form voluntarily. I have the right to a signed copy of this form if I request one.

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Representative’s authority to sign:** \_\_\_\_\_