

Recovery Support Service Definitions

Recovery Support Services are defined as those services AAIR providers will provide or help to coordinate to make available to clients in recovery from substance abuse that will assist them in the recovery process. No cash, checks, or cash equivalents, including gift cards, may be given to clients.

The following definitions are specific and limited. Providers are not allowed to provide items or services that are not specifically mentioned. If you are not sure whether an item is allowable, please contact the AAIR administration office for direction prior to providing services. No reimbursement will be made by AAIR for non-allowable items or services.

Additionally, please remember no services of any type should be entered into the Voucher Management System until after the service has been provided to the client.

All services/charges must be supported with documentation and/or receipts and retained in the client's AAIR file. **(Documentation requirements are located in the AAIR Provider Guide)**

Recovery Support Eligibility, Needs Assessment & Locator Information

To evaluate and document a client's eligibility, individual recovery support service needs and determine if recovery support services may benefit the client's clinical treatment and/or recovery process. The recovery support services screening tool must be used to determine whether a client meets the criteria for receiving recovery support services without clinical.

Alcohol and Drug testing

To detect biochemical changes associated with excessive alcohol consumption and/or illicit drug use. Testing methods may include, but are not limited to, urine, blood, saliva, and breath alcohol testing.

Childcare, licensed

To provide licensed childcare while a client is attending recovery support activities, services.

Family Services (Single family)

To engage one client and family in the recovery process (e.g. marriage education, parenting, and child development services), face-to-face. **(If more than one family member is an AAIR client, only one client's voucher may be used per session.)**

Family Services (Multiple families)

To engage multiple clients and families in the recovery process (e.g. marriage education, parenting, and child development services), face-to-face. **(If more than one family member is an AAIR client, only one client's voucher may be used per session.)**

Self-Help and Support Groups, provider hosted

Provider hosted self-help and support groups such as Twelve Steps for Christians, Celebrate Recovery, Warrior Down, Medicine Wheel, Fire Starters, etc.

Relapse Prevention/Recovery Coaching

To help clients identify and overcome personal and environmental problems that may prevent successful recovery, face-to-face.

Case Management-Recovery Support

Case management is a service that assists clients to apply for or to obtain community resources, such as income assistance, food stamps, education, housing, medical care, treatment, and vocational preparation. It includes identifying the needs of the individual, gathering information from other sources, such as family members, medical providers and social workers, and developing a specific care plan based on the information collected. The case manager refers and sometimes accompanies the client to the appropriate agency or provider for the assistance, and provides monitoring and follow-up activities to ensure the client follows through on referrals and that the care plan is effectively implemented and adequately addresses the needs of the client.

Spiritual/cultural support (Single client)

To help an individual develop spiritually to enhance or support the substance abuse treatment and/or recovery process, face-to-face. Services must be provided by an enrolled provider who is recognized as a traditional healer/spiritual advisor in the community where services are to be provided. An AAIR Traditional Healer/Spiritual Advisor form must be signed and submitted to the provider organization and AAIR by a tribal chairperson or by the board of directors of an Indian health organization in the community where services will be provided.

Spiritual/cultural support (Multiple Clients, Group Sessions)

To help an individual develop spiritually to enhance or support the substance abuse treatment and/or recovery process, group session. Services must be provided by an enrolled provider who is recognized as a traditional healer/spiritual advisor in the community where services are to be provided. An AAIR Traditional Healer/Spiritual Advisor form must be signed and submitted to the provider organization and AAIR by a tribal chairperson or by the board of directors of an Indian health organization in the community where services will be provided.

Transportation-provider supplied client transportation

Provider supplied transportation for client to & from treatment or recovery support services using a provider vehicle.

Public Transportation for client to and from treatment

Transportation to & from treatment or recovery support services using a form of public transportation such as buses or commuter rail. (Taxis are not allowed)

Transitional/Sober Living Assistance

Transitional and Sober Living assistance provided by a transitional or sober living facility. Facilities that provide a chemical free sober living environment where recovering addicts and alcoholics will be able to maximize the opportunities in their journey back to recovery while maintaining a clean and sober lifestyle.