



ECM Overview

Enhanced Care Management is a Medi-Cal managed care benefit for members with highest risk with complex medical and social needs with the goal to improve health and social outcomes. Members enrolled in ECM will primarily receive in in-person case management by ECM provider who serve member's specific population of focus.

Eligibility

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Steps for ECM Screening and Referral Completion

Step 1: Complete the ECM population of focus screening checklist to confirm member eligibility in one or more population of focus.

Step 2: If you determine that member meets the ECM criteria (one or more of the populations of focus), then submit referral form to Health Plan of San Joaquin (HPSJ) via fax at **209-762-4720**.





Referral Details		
Internal Referral: CM TOC CC	RN SW	Other
External Referral: Hospital PCP	CBO SN	F VMRC Other
Referring Person:]	Date:
Phone:	Fax:	
Referring Organization:		
Is the member transitioning their ECM from another plan? Yes No *If yes, complete the following information about previous plan and ECM provider:		
Previous ECM Provider Name:		
Previous Plan Name:	1	Phone:
Discharge date/last date member worked with p	previous ECM P	rovider:
Additional Information:		
Member I	nformation	
Member Name: DOB:		
Member ID:	Phone:	
Current Address:		
Preferred Language:		
Authorized Rep:		Phone:
Parent/Guardian:		Phone:
Additional Information:		
ECM Population of Focus (Check all that apply)		
Adults without Dependent Children/Youth living with them who are experiencing homelessness Families or Children/Youth experiencing homelessness Adults at Risk for avoidable Hospital or ED utilization Adults with serious Mental Health and/or SUD needs Adults living in the community and at risk for LTC	Community Adults with I Adults: Pregn Adults: Birth	g Facility residents transitioning to the Intellectual or Developmental disabilities Inancy & Postpartum I Equity Isitioning from Incarceration





Adults without dependent Children/Youth living with them who are experiencing homelessness

Adults who are:	
	Lacking a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence.
	Having a primary residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings, including a car, park, abandoned building, bus or train station, airport, or camping ground
	Will imminently lose housing in next 30 days
	Living in a supervised publicly or privately operated shelter, designed to provide temporary living arrangements (including hotels and motels paid for by federal, state, or local government programs for low-income individuals or by charitable organizations, congregate shelters, and transitional housing)
	Exiting an institution into homelessness (regardless of length of stay in the institution)
	Fleeing domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and other dangerous, traumatic, or life-threatening conditions relating to such violence
	AND
	Have at least one complex physical, behavioral, or developmental need, with inability to successfully self-manage, for whom coordination of services would likely result in improved health outcomes and/or decreased utilization of high-cost services

Families or Children/Youth experiencing homelessness

Families or Children & Youth who:		
	Lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence	
	Have a primary residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings, including a car, park, abandoned building, bus or train station, airport, or camping ground	
	Will imminently lose housing in next 30 days	
	Live in a supervised publicly or privately operated shelter, designed to provide temporary living arrangements (including hotels and motels paid for by federal, state, or local government programs for low-income individuals or by charitable organizations, congregate shelters, and transitional housing)	
	Are exiting an institution into homelessness (regardless of length of stay in the institution) $\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \$	
	Are fleeing domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and other dangerous, traumatic, or life-threatening conditions relating to such violence	

Children, youth, and families do not need to meet the additional "Complex physical, behavioral, or developmental need" criteria





Adults at risk for
avoidable
hospital or ED
utilization

Adults who must meet <u>one</u> of the following:	
Five or more ER visits in a six-month period	
Three or more unplanned hospital and/or short-term skilled nursing facility stays in a six-month period	

Adults with
serious Mental
Health and/or
SUD needs

Adults who meet the eligibility criteria for participation in, or obtaining services through:		
	Specialty Mental Health Services (SMHS) delivered by mental health plans (MHPs)	
	The Drug Medi-Cal Organization Delivery System (DMC-ODS)	
(or	
	The Drug Medi-Cal (DMC) program	
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) 1	Experiencing at least one complex social factor influencing their health (e.g., lack of access to food, lack of access to stable housing, inability to work or engage in the community, high measure (four or more) of ACEs based on screening, former foster youth, history of recent contacts with law enforcement related to mental health and/or substance use symptoms	
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Meet one or more of the following criteria:		
	Are at high risk for institutionalization, overdose, and/or suicide	
	Use crisis services, EDs, urgent care, or inpatient stays as the primary source of care	
	Experienced two or more ED visits or two or more hospitalizations due to serious mental health or SUD in the past 12 months	
	Are pregnant or postpartum (12 months from delivery)	





Adults Living in the Community & at Risk for LTC	Adults who: Adults who are living in the community who meet the Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Level of Care (LOC) criteria
Institutionalization	or
	Require lower acuity skilled nursing (e.g., time-limited and/or intermittent medical and nursing services, support, and/or equipment for prevention, diagnosis, or treatment of acut illness or injury)
	AND all of the following:
	Actively experiencing at least one complex social factor influencing their health (e.g., lack of access to food, lack of access to stable housing, inability to work or engage in the community, history of Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs), former foster youth, history of recent contacts with law enforcement related to mental health and/or substance use symptoms or associated behaviors)
	Able to reside continuously in the community with wraparound supports (e.g., some individuals may not be eligible because they have high acuity needs or conditions that are not suitable for home-based care due to safety or other concerns)
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Adults: Pregnancy & Postpartum	Adults who: Are pregnant OR postpartum (through 12 months period) AND Qualify for eligibility in any other adult ECM Population of Focus
Adults: Birth Equity	Adults who: Are pregnant OR who are postpartum (through 12 months period) AND Are subject to racial and ethnic disparities (Black, American Indian, Alaska Native, Pacific Islanders)
Adults: Transitioning from Incarceration	Adults who: Are transitioning from a correctional facility (e.g. Prison, Jail, or Youth correctional facility) OR transition from correctional facility within the last 12 months AND
	Have at least one of the following conditions: Mental illness Substance use disorder (SUD) Chronic condition/significant non-chronic clinical condition Intellectual or developmental disabilities (I/DD) Traumatic brain injury (TBI) HIV/AIDS Pregnant or Postpartum