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Introduction

Meaningful performance expectations are part of a CQI process developed and supported by the Department and CSBs that will monitor CSB progress in achieving those expectations to improve the quality, accessibility, integration and welcoming, person-centeredness, and responsiveness of services locally and to provide a platform for system-wide improvement efforts. Generally, performance expectations reflect requirements based in statute, regulation, or policy. The capacity to measure progress in achieving performance expectations and goals, provide feedback, and plan and implement CQI strategies shall exist at local, regional, and state levels.

Implementing the CQI process will be a multi-year, iterative, and collaborative effort to assess and enhance CSB and system-wide performance over time through a partnership among CSBs and the Department in which they are working to achieve a shared vision of a transformed services system. In this process, CSBs and the Department engage with stakeholders to perform meaningful self-assessments of current operations, determine relevant CQI performance expectations and goals, and establish benchmarks for goals, determined by baseline performance, to convert those goals to expectations.

The Department and the CSB may negotiate CSB performance measures in Exhibit D of the performance contract reflecting actions or requirements to meet expectations and goals in the CSB's CQI plan. As this joint CQI process evolves and expands, the Department and the Virginia Association of Community Services Boards will utilize data and reports submitted by CSBs to conduct a broader scale evaluation of service system performance and identify opportunities for CQI activities across all program areas.

CSB Administrative Requirements provides further clarification for those implementation activities, so that each CSB can be successful in designing a performance improvement process at the local level. The CSB will comply with the performance expectations and goals. Additionally, supplementary information about STEP-VA quality and accountability process development and expectations can be found in the documentation provided by the Department. If the CSB cannot meet certain performance expectations and goals, it shall provide a written explanation and submit to the performancecontractsupport@dbhds.virginia.gov mailbox. The CSB shall have a plan for complying with the identified expectation or goal, including specific actions and target dates. The Department will review this plan and negotiate any changes with the CSB.

The CSB and Department agree to implement, monitor, and take appropriate action on the following performance measures.

I. Exhibit B Performance Measures

A. Continuity of Care for State Hospital Discharges

1. **Measure:** Percent of individuals for whom the CSB is the identified case management CSB who keep a face-to-face (non-emergency) mental health outpatient service appointment within seven calendar days after discharge from a state hospital.
2. **Benchmark:** At least 80 percent of these individuals shall receive a face-to-face (non-emergency) mental health outpatient service from the CSB within seven calendar days after discharge.
3. **Monitoring:** The Department shall monitor this measure through comparing AVATAR data on individuals discharged from state hospitals to the CSB with CCS data about their dates of mental health outpatient services after discharge from the state hospital and work with the CSB to achieve this benchmark utilizing the process document provided by the Department if it did not meet it.

B. Residential Crisis Stabilization Unit (RCSU) Utilization

1. **Measure:** Percent of all available RCSU bed days for adults and children utilized annually.
2. **Benchmark:** The CSB that operates an RCSU shall ensure that the RCSU, once it is fully operational, achieves an annual average utilization rate of at least 75 percent of available bed days.
3. **Monitoring:** The Department shall monitor this measure using data from CCS service records and CARS service capacity reports and work with the CSB to achieve this benchmark if it did not meet it.

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C. Regional Discharge Assistance Program (RDAP) Service Provision

1. **Measure:** Percentage of the total annual state RDAP fund allocations to a region obligated and expended by the end of the fiscal year.
2. **Benchmark:** CSBs in a region shall **obligate at least 95 percent and expend at least 90 percent** of the total annual ongoing state RDAP fund allocations on a regional basis by the end of the fiscal year. The benchmark does not include one-time state RDAP allocations provided to support ongoing DAP plans for multiple years.
3. **Monitoring:** The Department shall monitor this measure using reports from regional managers and CARS reports. If CSBs in a region cannot accomplish this measure, the Department may work with the regional management group (RMG) and participating CSBs to transfer state RDAP funds to other regions to reduce extraordinary barriers to discharge lists (EBLs) to the greatest extent possible, unless the CSBs through the regional manager provide acceptable explanations for greater amounts of unexpended or unobligated state RDAP funds. See Exhibit C for additional information.

D. Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) Program Provision

After the implementation phase of ACT in their Exhibit D, CSBs shall comply with this CQI process for ACT performance measures.

1. **Measure:** The ACT team is of a sufficient size to consistently provide for necessary staffing diversity and coverage.
2. **Benchmark:** Team staffing is dependent on the program size and the maximum individual to team member ratio (psychiatric care providers and program assistants excluded from ratio calculation). Three program sizes may be implemented: small, mid-size, and large ACT teams:
 - a. **Small teams:** serve a maximum of 50 individuals with at least six staff (excluding psychiatric care provider & program assistant) for a ratio of 1 team member per 8 or fewer individuals;
 - b. **Mid-size teams:** serve 51-74 individuals with at least eight staff (excluding psychiatric care provider & program assistant) for a ratio of 1 team member per 9 or fewer individuals; and
 - c. **Large teams** serve 75-120 individuals with at least 10 staff (excluding psychiatric care provider & program assistant) for a ratio of 1 team member per 9 or fewer individuals.
 - d. Movement onto (admissions) and off of (discharges) the team may temporarily result in breaches of the maximum caseload. Therefore, teams shall be expected to maintain an annual average not to exceed 50, 74, and 120 individuals, respectively.
 - e. To maintain appropriate ACT team development, each new ACT team is recommended to titrate ACT intakes (e.g., 4–6 individuals per month) to gradually build up capacity to serve no more than 100–20 individuals (with a 1:9 ratio) and no more than 42–50 individuals (a 1:8 ratio) for smaller teams.
3. **Outcomes:** Given the provision of High-Fidelity ACT team services, it is expected that individuals will reduce the amount of time spent in institutional settings and become more integrated within their own community.
4. **Monitoring:** The Department shall monitor this measure using data from the CCS consumer and service files, the ACT data system, and through ACT fidelity monitoring using the Tool for Measurement of Assertive community Treatment (TMACT).

E. Provision of Developmental Enhanced Case Management Services

1. **Measures:** Percentage of individuals receiving DD Waiver services who meet the criteria for receiving enhanced case management (ECM) services who:
 - a. Receive at least one face-to-face case management service monthly with no more than 40 days between visits
 - b. receive at least one face-to-face case management service visit every other month in the
 - c. individual's place of residence.
2. **Benchmark:** The CSB shall provide the case management service visits in measures 1.a and b to **at least 90 percent** of the individuals receiving DD Wavier services who meet the criteria for ECM.

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3. **Monitoring:** The Department shall use data from CCS consumer, type of care, and service files to monitor these measures and work with the CSB to achieve this benchmark if it did not meet it.
 - a. The CSB agrees to monitor the percentage of adults (age 18 or older) receiving developmental case management services from the CSB whose case managers discussed integrated, community-based employment with them during their annual case management individual supports plan (ISP) meetings. The Department agrees to monitor this measure through using CCS data and work with the CSB to increase this percentage. Refer to State Board Policy (SYS) 1044 Employment First for additional information and guidance. Integrated, community based employment does not include sheltered employment.
 - b. The CSB agrees to monitor the percentage of adults (age 18 or older) receiving developmental case management services from the CSB whose ISPs, developed or updated at the annual ISP meeting, contained employment outcomes, including outcomes that address barriers to employment. The Department agrees to monitor this measure through using CCS data and work with the CSB to increase this percentage. Employment outcomes do not include sheltered employment or prevocational services.
 - c. The CSB agrees to monitor and report data through CCS about individuals who are receiving case management services from the CSB and are receiving DD Waiver services whose case managers discussed community engagement or community coaching opportunities with them during their most recent annual case management individual support plan (ISP) meeting. Community engagement or community coaching supports and fosters the ability of an individual to acquire, retain, or improve skills necessary to build positive social behavior, interpersonal competence, greater independence, employability, and personal choice necessary to access typical activities and functions of community life such as those chosen by the general population; it does not include community opportunities with more than three individuals with disabilities.
 - d. The CSB agrees to monitor and report data through CCS about individuals who are receiving case management services from the CSB and are receiving DD Waiver services whose individual support plans (ISPs), developed or updated at the annual ISP meeting, contained community engagement or community coaching goals.
4. **CSB Performance Measures:** The CSB and Department agree to use the CSB Performance Measures, developed by the Department in collaboration with the VACSB Data Management, Quality Leadership, and VACSB/DBHDS Quality and Outcomes Committees to monitor outcome and performance measures for CSBs and improve the CSB's performance on measures where the CSB falls below the benchmark. These performance measures include:
 - a. intensity of engagement of adults receiving mental health case management services,
 - b. Individuals, including children (ages 6-17) and adults (ages 18 or over) who received a suicide risk assessment in the last 12 months
 - c. adults with SMI who are receiving mental health case management services who received a complete physical examination in the last 12 months,
 - d. Initiation and engagement, in substance use disorder services for adults and children who are 13 years old or older with a new episode of substance use disorder services.
 - e. Individuals receiving targeted case management services who received a primary care screen at the CSB in the last 12 months,
 - f. Individuals over the age of 3 prescribed an antipsychotic by a CSB prescriber who receives regular metabolic screening, and
 - g. 6-month change in DLA-20 scores for youth (ages 6-17) and adults (age 18 or over).

F. Same Day Access

1. **Measures:** Percentage of individuals who received a SDA assessment and were determined to need a follow-up service who:
 - a. Are offered an appointment at an appropriate service within 10 business days; an
 - b. Attend a scheduled follow-up appointment within 30 calendar days.

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2. **Benchmarks:** The CSB shall offer an appropriate follow-up appointment to **at least 86 percent** of the individuals who are determined to need an appointment.
 - a. At least 70 percent of the individuals seen in SDA who are determined to need a follow-up service will return to attend that service within 30 calendar days of the SDA assessment.
3. **Monitoring:** The Department shall monitor through the use of data from CCS monthly submission and other established data collection tools agreed upon by the Department and CSB.

G. Substance Use Disorder Treatment Engagement

1. **Measures:** Percentage of individuals 13 years or older with a new episode of substance use disorder services who initiate services within 14 days of diagnosis and attend follow up services within 34 days.
2. **Benchmarks:** The CSB shall aim to have **at least 50 percent** of SUD clients engage in treatment per this definition of engagement.
3. **Monitoring:** The Department shall monitor through the use of data from CCS monthly submission and other established data collection tools agreed upon by the Department and CSB.

H. Outpatient Primary Care Screening and Monitoring

1. Primary Care Screening -**Measures**
 - a. **Objective 1:** Any child diagnosed with a serious emotional disturbance and receiving ongoing CSB behavioral health service or any adult diagnosed with a serious mental illness and receiving ongoing CSB behavioral health service will be provided or referred for a primary care screening on a yearly basis.
 - b. For the implementation of Objective 1, “ongoing behavioral health service” is defined as “child with SED receiving Mental Health Targeted Case Management or adult with SMI receiving Mental Health Targeted Case Management”. These clients are required to be provided with a yearly primary care screening to include, at minimum, height, weight, blood pressure, and BMI.
 - c. This screening may be done by the CSB or the individual may be referred to a primary care provider to have this screening completed. If the screening is done by a primary care provider, the CSB is responsible for the screening results to be entered in the patient’s CSB electronic health record. The CSB will actively support this connection and coordinate care with physical health care providers for all service recipients.
2. **Objective 2:** Screen and monitor any individual over age 3 being prescribed an antipsychotic medication by CSB prescriber for metabolic syndrome following the American Diabetes Association guidelines. The population includes all individuals over age 3 who receive psychiatric medical services by the CSB.
3. **Benchmark:** CSB and DBHDS will work together to established.
4. **Outcomes:** To provide yearly primary care screening to identify and provide related care coordination to ensure access to needed physical health care to reduce the number of individuals with serious mental illness (SMI), known to be at higher risk for poor physical health outcomes largely due to unidentified chronic conditions.
5. **Monitoring:** CSBs must report the screen completion and monitoring completion in CCS monthly submission to reviewed by the Department.

I. Outpatient Services - Outpatient services are considered to be foundational services for any behavioral health system. The DBHDS Services Taxonomy states that outpatient services may include diagnosis and evaluation, screening and intake, counseling, psychotherapy, behavior management, psychiatry, psychological testing and assessment, laboratory and ancillary services.

1. **Measures:** CSBs shall provide an appointment to a high quality CSB outpatient provider or a referral to a non-CSB outpatient behavioral health service within 10 business days of the completed SDA intake assessment, if clinically indicated.

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- a. All CSBs will establish a quality management program and continuous quality improvement plan to assess the access, quality, efficiency of resources, behavioral healthcare provider training, and patient outcomes of those individuals receiving outpatient services through the CSBs. This may include improvement or expansion of existing services, the development of new services, or enhanced coordination and referral process to outpatient services not directly provided by the CSB.
- b. Expertise in the treatment of trauma related conditions are to be established
2. **Benchmark:** CSBs should provide a minimum for outpatient behavioral healthcare providers of 8 hours of trauma focused training in treatment modalities to serve adults, children/adolescents and their families within the first year of employment and 4 hours in each subsequent years or until 40 hours of trauma-focused treatment can be demonstrated.
3. **Monitoring:** The CSB shall complete and submit to the Department quarterly DLA-20 composite scores through CCS as well as provide training data regarding required trauma training yearly in July when completing federal Block Grant reporting.

J. Service Members, Veterans, and Families (Rev.7.1.2021)

1. **Training**
 - a. **Measures:** Percentage of CSB direct services staff who receive military cultural competency training
 - b. **Benchmark:** Is provided to 100% of CSB staff delivering direct services to the SMVF population. Direct services include, but are not limited to, those staff providing crisis, behavioral health outpatient and case management services.
2. **Presenting for Services**
 - a. **Measures:** Percentage of clients with SMVF status presenting for services
 - b. **Benchmark:** Is tracked for 90% of individuals presenting for services
3. **Referral Destination**
 - a. **Measures:** Percentage served referred to SMVF referral destination
 - b. **Benchmark:** Of those served by the CSB who are SMVF, at least 70% will be referred to Dept. of Veterans Services (DVS), Veterans Health Administration facilities and services (VHA), and/or Military Treatment Facilities and services (MTF) referral destination
4. **Columbia Suicide Severity Rating Scale**
 - a. **Measure:** Percentage of SMVF for whom suicide risk screening using the Columbia Suicide Severity Rating Scale brief screen is conducted
 - b. **Benchmark:** Is conducted for 60% of SMVF for Year 1 (July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022)
5. **Monitoring:** CSBs must report all data through its CCS monthly submission.

K. Peer and Family Support Services

1. **Certification and Registration**
 - a. **Measure:** Peer Supporters will obtain certification and registration (Board of Counseling) within 18 months of hire.
 - b. **Benchmark:** 80% of Peer Supporters will become a Peer Recovery Specialist within one year of hire.
2. **Unduplicated individuals receiving Peer Services**
 - a. **Measure:** Total number of unduplicated individuals receiving Peer Services will continue to increase.
 - b. **Benchmark:** Total number of unduplicated individuals receiving Peer Services will continue to increase 5% annually. Year 1 will allow for a benchmark and this percentage will be review going into year two.
3. **Individual contacts (repeat/duplicated) receiving Peer or Family Support Services**
 - a. **Measure:** Total number of individual contacts (repeat/duplicated) receiving Peer or Family Support Services will increase annually for individual and group.
 - b. **Benchmark:** Total number of individual contacts for Peer or Family Support Services will increase 5% annually (only applies to service codes and locations where Peer and/or Family Support Services are delivered). Year 1 will allow for a benchmark and this percentage will be review going into year two for individual and group.
4. **Peer Support Service units (15-minute increments)**

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- a. **Measure:** Total number of Peer Support Service units (15-minute increments) provided will increase annually for individual and group.
 - b. **Benchmark:** Total number of Peer Support Service units (15-minute increments) provided will increase 5% annually (only applies to service codes and locations where Peer and/or Family Support Services are delivered). Year 1 will allow for a benchmark and this percentage will be review going into year two for individual and group.
5. **Closing Programs**
- a. **Measure:** CSBs will inform DBHDS when Recovery oriented peer services programs are closing,
 - b. **Benchmark:** SCB will inform Office of Recovery Services (ORS) Director within 30 days prior to Recovery oriented peer services programs are set to close.
6. **Monitoring:** CSBs must report data through its CCS monthly submission.
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II. CQI Performance Expectations and Goals

A. General Performance Goal and Expectation

1. For individuals currently receiving services, the CSB has a protocol in effect 24 hours per day, seven days per week (a) for service providers to alert emergency services staff about individuals deemed to be at risk of needing an emergency intervention, (b) for service providers to provide essential clinical information, which should include advance directives, wellness recovery action plans, or safety and support plans to the extent they are available, that would assist in facilitating the disposition of the emergency intervention, and (c) for emergency services staff to inform the case manager of the disposition of the emergency intervention. Individuals with co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders are welcomed and engaged promptly in an integrated screening and assessment process to determine the best response or disposition for continuing care. The CSB shall provide this protocol to the Department upon request. During its inspections, the Department's Licensing Office may examine this protocol to verify this affirmation as it reviews the CSB's policies and procedures.
2. For individuals hospitalized through the civil involuntary admission process in a state hospital, private psychiatric hospital, or psychiatric unit in a public or private hospital, including those who were under a temporary detention or an involuntary commitment order or were admitted voluntarily from a commitment hearing, and referred to the CSB, the CSB that will provide services upon the individual's discharge has in place a protocol to assure the timely discharge of and engage those individuals in appropriate CSB services and supports upon their return to the community. The CSB monitors and strives to increase the rate at which these individuals keep scheduled face-to-face (non-emergency) service visits within seven business days after discharge from the hospital or unit. Since these individuals frequently experience co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders, CSB services are planned as co-occurring capable and promote successful engagement of these individuals in continuing integrated care. The CSB shall provide this protocol to the Department upon request. During its inspections, the Department's Licensing Office may examine this protocol to verify this affirmation as it reviews the CSB's policies and procedures.

B. Emergency Services Performance Goal and Expectation

1. When an immediate face-to-face intervention by a certified preadmission screening evaluator is appropriate to determine the possible need for involuntary hospitalization, the intervention is completed by a certified preadmission screening evaluator who is available within one hour of initial contact for urban CSBs and within two hours of initial contact for rural CSBs. Urban and rural CSBs are listed in the current Overview of Community Services in Virginia at www.dbhds.virginia.gov/OCC-default.htm.
2. Every preadmission screening evaluator is hired with knowledge, skills, and abilities to establish a welcoming environment for individuals with co-occurring disorders and performing hopeful engagement and integrated screening and assessment.
3. Pursuant to subsection B of § 37.2-817 of the Code of Virginia, a preadmission screening evaluator, or through a mutual arrangement an evaluator from another CSB, attends each commitment hearing, initial (up to 30 days)

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or recommitment (up to 180 days), for an adult held in the CSB's service area or for an adult receiving services from the CSB held outside of its service area in person, or, if that is not possible, the preadmission screening evaluator participates in the hearing through two-way electronic video and audio or telephonic communication systems, as authorized by subsection B of § 37.2-804.1 of the Code of Virginia, for the purposes of presenting preadmission screening reports and recommended treatment plans and facilitating least restrictive dispositions.

4. In preparing preadmission screening reports, the preadmission screening evaluator considers all available relevant clinical information, including a review of clinical records, wellness recovery action plans, advance directives, and information or recommendations provided by other current service providers or appropriate significant other persons (e.g., family members or partners). Reports reference the relevant clinical information used by the preadmission screening evaluator. During its inspections, the Department's Licensing Office may verify this affirmation as it reviews services records, including records selected from a sample identified by the CSB for individuals who received preadmission screening evaluations.
5. If the emergency services intervention occurs when an individual has been admitted to a hospital or hospital emergency room, the preadmission screening evaluator informs the charge nurse or requesting medical doctor of the disposition, including leaving a written clinical note describing the assessment and recommended disposition or a copy of the preadmission screening form containing this information, and this action is documented in the individual's service record at the CSB with a progress note or with a notation on the preadmission screening form that is included in the individual's service record. During its inspections, the Department's Licensing Office may verify this affirmation as it reviews services records, including records selected from a sample identified by the CSB for individuals who received preadmission screening evaluations, for a progress note or a copy of the preadmission screening form.

C. Mental Health and Substance Abuse Case Management Services Performance Expectation

1. Case managers are hired with the goal of becoming welcoming, recovery-oriented, and co-occurring competent to engage all individuals receiving services in empathetic, hopeful, integrated relationships to help them address multiple issues successfully.
2. Reviews of the individualized services plan (ISP), including necessary assessment updates, are conducted with the individual quarterly or every 90 days and include significant changes in the individual's status, engagement, participation in recovery planning, and preferences for services; and the ISP is revised accordingly to include an individual-directed wellness plan that addresses crisis self-management strategies and implements advance directives, as desired by the individual. For those individuals who express a choice to discontinue case management services because of their dissatisfaction with care, the provider reviews the ISP to consider reasonable solutions to address the individual's concerns. During its inspections, the Department's Licensing Office may verify this affirmation as it reviews ISPs, including those from a sample identified by the CSB of individuals who discontinued case management services.
3. The CSB has policies and procedures in effect to ensure that, during normal business hours, case management services are available to respond in person, electronically, or by telephone to preadmission screening evaluators of individuals with open cases at the CSB to provide relevant clinical information in order to help facilitate appropriate dispositions related to the civil involuntary admissions process established in Chapter 8 of Title 37.2 of the Code of Virginia. During its inspections, the Department's Licensing Office may verify this affirmation as it examines the CSB's policies and procedures.
4. For an individual who has been discharged from a state hospital, private psychiatric hospital, or psychiatric unit in a public or private hospital or released from a commitment hearing and has been referred to the CSB and determined by it to be appropriate for its case management services program, a preliminary assessment is initiated at first contact and completed, within 14 but in no case more than 30 calendar days of referral, and an individualized services plan (ISP) is initiated within 24 hours of the individual's admission to a program area for services in its case management services program and updated when required by the Department's licensing regulations. A copy of an advance directive, a wellness recovery action plan, or a similar expression of an

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individual's treatment preferences, if available, is included in the clinical record. During its inspections, the Department's Licensing Office may verify these affirmations as it reviews services records.

5. For individuals for whom case management services will be discontinued due to failure to keep scheduled appointments, outreach attempts, including home visits, telephone calls, letters, and contacts with others as appropriate, to reengage the individual are documented. The CSB has a procedure in place to routinely review the rate of and reasons for refused or discontinued case management services and takes appropriate actions when possible to reduce that rate and address those reasons. The CSB shall provide a copy of this procedure to the Department upon request. During its inspections, the Department's Licensing Office may examine this procedure to verify this affirmation.

D. Co-Occurring Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Performance Expectation

The CSB ensures that, as part of its regular intake processes, every adolescent (ages 12 to 18) and adult presenting for mental health or substance use disorder services is screened, based on clear clinical indications noted in the services record or use of a validated brief screening instrument, for co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders. If screening indicates a need, the CSB assesses the individual for co-occurring disorders. During its on-site reviews, staff from the Department's Office of Community Behavioral Health Services may examine a sample of service records to verify this affirmation.

E. Data Quality Performance Expectation

1. The CSB submits 100 percent of its monthly CCS consumer, type of care, and services file extracts to the Department in accordance with the schedule in Exhibit E of the performance contract and the current CCS Extract Specifications and Business Rules, a submission for each month by the end of the following month for which the extracts are due. The Department will monitor this measure quarterly by analyzing the CSB's CCS submissions and may negotiate an Exhibit D with the CSB if it fails to meet this goal for more than two months in a quarter.
2. The CSB monitors the total number of consumer records rejected due to fatal errors divided by the total consumer records in the CSB's monthly CCS consumer extract file. If the CSB experiences a fatal error rate of more than five percent of its CCS consumer records in more than one monthly submission, the CSB develops and implements a data quality improvement plan to achieve the goal of no more than five percent of its CCS consumer records containing fatal errors within a timeframe negotiated with the Department. The Department will monitor this affirmation by analyzing the CSB's CCS submissions.
 - a. The CSB ensures that all required CCS data is collected and entered into its information system when a case is opened or an individual is admitted to a program area, updated at least annually when an individual remains in service that long, and updated when an individual is discharged from a program area or his case is closed.
 - b. The CSB identifies situations where data is missing or incomplete and implements a data quality improvement plan to increase the completeness, accuracy, and quality of CCS data that it collects and reports.
 - c. The CSB monitors the total number of individuals without service records submitted showing receipt of any substance use disorder service within the prior 90 days divided by the total number of individuals with a TypeOfCare record showing a substance use disorder discharge in those 90 days. If more than 10 percent of the individuals it serves have not received any substance use disorder services within the prior 90 days and have not been discharged from the substance use disorder services program area, the CSB develops and implements a data quality improvement plan to reduce that percentage to no more than 10 percent.
3. The Department will monitor this affirmation by analyzing the CSB's CCS submissions.

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F. Employment and Housing Opportunities Expectation

The CSB reviews and revises, if necessary, its joint written agreement, required by subdivision A.12 of § 37.2-504 or subsection 14 of § 37.2-605 of the Code of Virginia, with the Department of Aging and Rehabilitative Services (DARS) regional office to ensure the availability of employment services and specify DARS services to be provided to individuals receiving services from the CSB.

1. The CSB works with employment service organizations (ESOs) where they exist to support the availability of employment services and identify ESO services available to individuals receiving services from the CSB. Where ESOs do not exist, the CSB works with other entities to develop employment services in accordance with State Board Policy 1044 (SYS) 12-1 to meet the needs of employment age (18-64) adults who choose integrated employment.
2. Pursuant to State Board Policy 1044, the CSB ensures its case managers discuss integrated, community-based employment services at least annually with adults currently receiving services from it, include employment-related goals in their individualized services and supports plans if they want to work, and when appropriate and as practicable engage them in seeking employment services that comply with the policy in a timely manner.
3. The CSB reviews and revises, if necessary, its joint written agreements, required by subdivision 12 of subsection A of § 37.2-504 or subsection 14 of § 37.2-605 of the Code of Virginia, with public housing agencies, where they exist, and works with planning district commissions, local governments, private developers, and other stakeholders to maximize federal, state, and local resources for the development of and access to affordable housing and appropriate supports for individuals receiving services from the CSB.
4. The CSB works with the Department through the VACSB Data Management Committee, at the direction of the VACSB Executive Directors Forum, to collaboratively establish clear employment and stable housing policy and outcome goals and develop and monitor key housing and employment outcome measures.