

Act 503: Changes to Community Psychiatric Support and Treatment and Psychosocial Rehabilitation Services

Louisiana Department of Health released a revision to Informational Bulletin 22-22 regarding ACT 503 which covers community psychiatric support and treatment (CPST) and psychosocial rehabilitation (PSR) services effective January 1, 2023.

The following programs are not covered by Act 503 legislation:

- Assertive Community Treatment (ACT)
- Functional Family Therapy (FFT) and Functional Family Therapy Child Welfare (FFTCCW)
- Homebuilders
- Multi-Systemic Therapy (MST)

Effective January 1, 2023, any individual rendering any of the other components of CPST services for a licensed and accredited provider agency shall be a fully licensed mental health professional, a provisionally licensed professional counselor, a provisionally licensed marriage and family therapist, a licensed master social worker, a certified social worker, or a psychology intern from an American Psychological Association approved internship program.

Additional information can be found at the following link: Informational Bulletin 22-22

Questions?

For answers to specific coverage or claims questions, please call the Provider Call Center at 866-675-1607.