

Kansas Administrative Regulations

Kansas Department for Children and Families

Article 10.—Adult Care Home Program

30-10-206. ICF-MR certification and recertification by physicians.

(a) Certification. At the time of admission to an ICF-MR or at the time any ICF-MR client applies for medical assistance under the medicaid/medikan program, a physician or physician extender shall certify that the services must be given on an inpatient basis. Services shall be furnished under a plan established by the physician or physician extender before authorization of payment. Before reimbursement is approved, a screening team designated by the secretary shall review the physician's or physician extender's certification and shall certify that services in an ICF-MR are the most appropriate services available for the individual. The certification of need shall become part of the individual's medical record. The date of certification shall be the date the case is approved for payment and the certification is signed.

(b) Recertification.

(1) Each ICF-MR shall be responsible for obtaining a physician's or physician extender's recertification for each client.

(2) The recertification shall be included in the client's medical record. Recertification statements may be entered on or included with forms, notes, or other records a physician or physician extender normally signs in caring for a client. The statement shall be authenticated by the actual date and signature of the physician or physician extender.

(c) If the appropriate professional refuses to certify or recertify because, in the professional's opinion, the client does not require ICF-MR care on a continuing basis, the services shall not be covered. The reason for the refusal to certify or recertify shall be documented in the client's records. The effective date of this regulation shall be January 30, 1991.

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