

SMHS Add-On Codes Cheat Sheet

INTERACTIVE COMPLEXITY

- To be used when services are complicated by communication difficulties, NOT a language barrier; reflects increased intensity, NOT increased time
- Staff do NOT enter a duration for this add-on
- Interactive Complexity **cannot** be used with:
 - Psychotherapy for Crisis (primary)
 - Interpretation (add-on)
- Used by Licensed/licensed eligible staff only

INTERPRETATION

- To be used when sign language/oral interpretation (not translation) is needed to address a language barrier
- The duration for this add-on should be equal to the time spent with the 3rd party providing interpretation
- Interpretation **cannot** be used with:
 - Interactive Complexity (add-on) (Note: Interpretation supersedes Interactive Complexity)
- Used for any service code
- Used by any staff member

COLLATERAL

- To be used when the beneficiary's significant support persons are present with the beneficiary and time is focused on supporting the achievement of the beneficiary's treatment goals
- Beneficiary must be present
- The duration should be equal to the number of minutes the beneficiary's significant support person was present and time is spent supporting achievement of goals
- Collateral **cannot** be used with:
 - Assessment (primary)
- Used by Licensed/licensed eligible staff only

EXTENDED SERVICE

- To be used for certain service codes when the duration of service exceeds the maximum allowed service time
- Used by Licensed/licensed eligible staff only

Service Code Description	Extended Service Begin After x Minutes
Assessment	15
Group Psychotherapy	15
Multiple Family Group Psychotherapy	15
Psychiatric Evaluation of Records from Outside System	15
Family Group Psychotherapy	50
Individual Psychotherapy	60
Triage Assessment	30
Crisis Intervention	74
Service Code Descriptions: Psychology	Extended Service Begin After x Minutes
Developmental Screening	15
Brief Emotional/Behavioral Assessment	15
Psych/Neuropsychological Testing Administration	30
Developmental Testing	60
Neurobehavioral Status Exam	60
Psychological Testing Evaluation	60
Standardized Cognitive Performance Test	60
Neuropsychological Testing Evaluation	60