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## MEMORANDUM

**To: All Providers**

**From: Ann Kern, Provider Services Network Manager**

**Date: 1/13/2014**

**Subject: Provider Manual**

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The Provider Manual has been updated to include additional information pertaining to Mental Health Benefits for Medi-Cal members. The following sections have been updated.

- **Section 2. The Role of the Primary Care Provider**
  - Page 15: A subsection was added pertaining to the Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) for Alcohol Misuse.
  
- **Section 3. Medi-Cal Program**
  - Pages 22-23: A subsection was added outlining the Alliance Medi-Cal Mental Health Benefits.
  - Page 37: A subsection was added describing Mental Health Services Requiring Prior Authorization.

The Provider Manual is available on the Alliance Provider website at <http://www.ccah-alliance.org/Providers.html>.

For additional information from our contracted Managed Behavioral Health Organization, Beacon Health Strategies, please contact Beacon at (855) 765-9700. If you have additional questions please contact your Provider Services Representative at (831) 430-5504 or (800)700-3784 ext. 5504.