

DMHA Registration information Sheet

Based upon your financial situation, household size and need for mental health or addictions services, you can be registered with the Division of Mental Health and Addiction (DMHA) as a way of funding your treatment through Indiana's public mental health and addiction services system.

As a person registered with DMHA you are eligible for a range of services as they are needed. In most cases, the DMHA registration will not cover the entire cost of your care. Aspire Indiana Health, inc. may require a co-payment from you and must attempt to collect from your insurance carriers. Most people with this registration are eligible for Aspire Indiana Health's Sliding Fee Scale.

The State of Indiana, through the Family and Social Services Administration and specifically through the Division of Mental Health and Addiction (DMHA), monitors that the care you are receiving is of the highest quality. Your services are, in part, the result of tax dollars.

As a consumer of publicly funded mental health and addiction services through DMHA, you have certain rights.

- You have the right to the privacy and the confidentiality of your clinical records with the few exceptions built into the Indiana Statute and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).
- You have the right to an appropriate treatment that allows you the opportunity to improve your condition.
- You should have at least an annual review of your treatment.
- You have the right to complain when you feel that one of your rights has been violated or you are not satisfied with the services you are receiving.
- You have the right to have your complaints investigated.
- You have additional patient rights and responsibilities as posted by Aspire Indiana Health in our office locations and on our website.

As a result of this registration, Aspire is required to submit data about you and your treatment to DMHA. This involves electronic file submissions with your demographic information, your assessment information, diagnosis, treatment interventions, and discharge information throughout the course of your treatment.

If you have questions, concerns or compliments about your care, that have not been resolved with Aspire, you may call the toll free consumer service line at 1-800-901-1133. Also, DMHA does surveys of consumers periodically and shares these results with Aspire to improve services.

Finally, DMHA recommends that you become involved in a group that provides support to people with mental health or addiction disorders. Ask your provider about addiction self help groups, Indiana Alliance for the Mentally Ill, Mental Health Association, Depression Bipolar Support groups, Alliance, Key Consumer Group, or other similar support groups.