



**Lakeview Health Services, Inc.**  
**Yates County SPOA**  
**173 Main St.**  
**Penn Yan, NY 14527**  
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Thank you for your interest in referring to SPOA of Yates County. This referral form is for Supportive Housing and/or ACT services. The following information should assist you in choosing an appropriate level of care and sending the required information.

To qualify for housing, the individual must have a primary mental illness diagnosis and meet the SPMI criteria outlined on page 3. In addition, he/she must be willing to participate in the services that are offered.

### **Descriptions of Programs and Services:**

#### **Supportive Housing:**

Lakeview has an independent Supportive Housing Program. This program assists individuals and families in finding and maintaining independent housing in the community. A rent stipend is provided to those who are eligible for the federal Section 8 Rental Assistance program. Staff has contact with individuals on a monthly basis and offers assistance with all housing related needs. This program is transitional, with a primary goal of linkage to Section 8.

#### **ACT (Assertive Community Treatment) Team:**

Elmira Psychiatric Center offers ACT services to individuals who have not been successful in working with clinics and other traditional forms of treatment. The program is designed specifically to serve those with high service needs, such as high use of psych emergency/crisis services and acute psych hospitals; severe symptomology; coexisting substance abuse disorder, and high risk of criminal involvement.

## **Instructions & Checklist:**

- Complete and sign all designated areas. **Page 11, the client's consent to release information, is required in order to process the referral.**
  
- Attach the client's complete psychosocial history and psychiatric assessment, including DSM-V psychiatric diagnoses completed **within the past year**.  
Acceptable documents include initial psych evaluations and updates, clinic or hospital intake, admission, and/or discharge notes, and other history and diagnoses written by a Qualified Mental Health Professional (QMHP).
  
- Attach a current list of medications and dosages.
  
- Please note: this referral is specific for services in Ontario and Seneca Counties only.** For others, please contact the SPOA/SPOE Coordinator in that county for a copy of their referral packet.

Mail completed referral packet to:

**Lakeview Health Services, Inc.  
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Penn Yan, NY 14527  
Phone: (315) 694-7444  
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## NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF MENTAL HEALTH CRITERIA FOR SEVERE AND PERSISTENT MENTAL ILLNESS (SPMI) AMONG ADULTS

To be considered an adult diagnosed with severe and persistent mental illness, “1” below must be met, in addition to either “2, “3, or “4.”

### 1. Designated Mental Illness Diagnosis.

The individual is 18 years of age or older and currently meets the criteria for a *DSM-IV psychiatric diagnosis* other than alcohol or drug disorders (291.xx, 292.xx, 303.xx), organic brain syndromes (290.xx, 293.xx, 294.xx), developmental disabilities (299.xx, 315.xx, 319.xx, or social conditions. ICD-CM categories and codes that do not have an equivalent in DSM-IV are also included mental illness diagnoses.

**AND**

### 2. SSI or SSDI Enrollment due to Mental Illness.

The individual is currently enrolled in SSI or SSDI *due to a designated mental illness*.

**OR**

### 3. Extended Impairment in Functioning due to Mental Illness.

A. Documentation that the individual has experienced *two of the following four* functional limitations *due to a designated mental illness over the past 12 months* on a continuous or intermittent basis:

- i. **Marked difficulties in self-care** (personal hygiene; diet; clothing; avoiding injuries; securing health care or complying with medical advice).
- ii. **Marked restriction of activities of daily living** (maintaining a residence; using transportation; day-to-day money management; accessing community services).
- iii. **Marked difficulties in maintaining social functioning** (establishing and maintaining social relationships; interpersonal interactions with primary partner, children, other family members, friends, neighbors; social skills; compliance with social norms; appropriate use of leisure time).
- iv. **Frequent deficiencies of concentration, persistence or pace resulting in failure to complete tasks in a timely manner in work, home, or school settings** (ability to complete tasks commonly found in work settings or in structured activities that take place in home or school settings; individuals may exhibit limitations in these areas when they repeatedly are unable to complete simple tasks within an established time period, make frequent errors in tasks, or require assistance in the completion of tasks).

**OR**

### 4. Reliance on Psychiatric Treatment, Rehabilitation, and Supports.

A documented history shows that the individual at some prior time met the threshold for 3 (above), but the symptoms and/or functioning problems are currently attenuated by medication or psychiatric rehabilitation and supports. Medication refers to psychotropic medications which may control certain primary manifestations of mental disorder, e.g., hallucinations, but may or may not affect functional limitations imposed by the mental disorder. Psychiatric rehabilitation and supports refer to highly structured and supportive settings (e.g., Congregate or Apartment Treatment Programs) which may greatly reduce the demands placed on the individual and thereby, minimize overt symptoms and signs of the underlying mental disorder.

## Adult SPOA Referral Packet Yates County

SPOA Received Date \_\_\_\_\_

Received By: \_\_\_\_\_

**Programs Requested** (check all applicable; see p. 1 for descriptions)

\_\_\_ Supportive Housing

\_\_\_ Finger Lakes/Mid Lakes ACT Program

**Client Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DOB:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Social Security #:** \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Age:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gender:** \_\_\_ M \_\_\_ F

**Telephone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Medicaid # (If applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Client's County of Origin:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Referral Agency :** \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact Person:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Person to Notify in Case of Emergency:**

**Primary Care Physician:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reasons for referral: Housing and Care Management needs:**

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\_\_\_\_\_

**What is the client's level of acceptance of the need for this referral?**

Accepts     Interested in pursuing further     Resistive     Does not accept

**Living Situation at time of referral:**

- |   |   |   |  |
|---|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lives alone        | <input type="checkbox"/> Lives with parents | <input type="checkbox"/> Lives with other relatives   | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric Center    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Homeless (street)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Lives with spouse  | <input type="checkbox"/> Assisted/supported living    | <input type="checkbox"/> Correctional Facility |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Homeless (shelter) | <input type="checkbox"/> Supervised living  | <input type="checkbox"/> Nursing home/medical setting | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____           |

Length of time in current living situation (move in date) \_\_\_\_\_

Any adult history of homelessness?     Yes     No

Does the client need 24-hour supervision?     Yes     No    If yes, why? \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Residential History \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Marital Status:**

Never Married     Married     Separated     Divorced     Widowed  
 Living with significant other/domestic partner

**Custody Status of Children:** (check all that apply)

No children     Have children all > 18 yrs old     Minor children currently in client's custody  
 Minor children not in client's custody but have access     Minor children not in client's custody – no access

**Ethnicity:**

White (non-Hispanic)     Latino/Hispanic     Black (non-Hispanic)     Native American  
 Asian-Asian American     Pacific Islander     Other or dual (specify):

**Current Educational Level:**

Some grade school 1-8<sup>th</sup> grade     Some HS 9-12<sup>th</sup> grade, but no diploma     GED     HS Grad  
 Some college, but no degree     College Degree     Masters Degree     Not graded  
 Vocational, business training     No formal education     Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Employment Status:**

Employed fulltime     Employed part-time     Not employed     Training program     Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Criminal Justice Status:**

None     Currently incarcerated    Release date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 CPL 330.20     Parole     Probation  
 Released from jail/prison in the last 30 days     Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Probation or Parole Officer: \_\_\_\_\_    Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Current or Last Services** (check all that apply):

No prior service     MH residential     Case Management     Prison, Jail, or Court (nonresidential)  
 State Psychiatric Center (Inpt)     MH outpatient     General hospital  
 Emergency MH     Local MH practitioner     CSP MH program

If no current services, specify date of last services: \_\_\_\_\_

**Outpatient Services Current or Planned: (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY)**

	Current	Planned		Current	Planned
Health			Psychiatrist/Clinic		
Education			Alcohol/Drug Treatment		
Day Treatment Program			AA/NA		
Psychiatric Day Program			Case Management		
Vocational Services			Intensive Case Management		
Community Residence			Family Support Services		
Halfway House			Children's ICM		
Adult Care Facility			Respite Services		
Child Preventative Services			Child Residential Treatment		
Adult Protective Services			Psychosocial Club		
Representative Payee			Transition Management		

**Currently receives Care Management:**  Yes  No

**Receives ACT:**  Yes  No

**Current AOT:**  Yes  No If yes, please attach copy of AOT orders.

**Mental health service utilization in past 12 months:**

\_\_\_\_\_ # Of Psych. ED Visits

\_\_\_\_\_ # Of Inpatient Psych. Admissions \_\_\_\_\_ # of days

\_\_\_\_\_ Admission to Outpatient clinical services (counseling/psychiatry)

Facilities & dates of previous psychiatric treatment and/or hospitalizations:

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**Use/engagement with mental health services:**

Does the client understand and accept the need for prescribed medications?  Yes  No

Rate client compliance with medication regime:

Independent  With Prompting  Needs Assistance  Resistive

Rate client follow through with Mental Health Appointments:

Independent  With Prompting  Needs Assistance  Resistive

Cognitive impairment?  Yes  No

Explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Behavior/circumstances precipitating most recent hospitalization:

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Signs/symptoms of decompensation (please be specific):

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**Does the client have a history of any of the following?**

			If Yes, Dates
Fire setting	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
Sexual offense	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
Violent acts causing injury or using weapons	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
Aggressive /assaultive behavior	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
Suicidal ideation	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
Suicide attempts/gestures	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
Destruction of property	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
Victim of physical abuse	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____
Victim of sexual abuse	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	_____

If you answered yes to any of the above, please describe the circumstances and method:

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Are there any guns or weapons in the client's home?**      Yes      No**Medical Health:** (Check all that apply)

- |   |  |   |   |
|---|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> None               | <input type="checkbox"/> Respiratory disease       | <input type="checkbox"/> Cardiovascular disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes /metabolic      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BMI over 25        | <input type="checkbox"/> HIV/AIDS                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Incontinent            | <input type="checkbox"/> Impaired ability to walk |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing impairment | <input type="checkbox"/> Impaired vision equipment | <input type="checkbox"/> Special medical        | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Medical            |

Number of medical emergency room visits over the past 12 months: \_\_\_\_\_

Explanation of medical/emergency issues:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Known Allergies:

Medications: \_\_\_\_\_

Food: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Are there any specific Emergency Procedures/Protocols to be used by residential staff? What are they?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Substance Use History:**

Does the client have a history of drug/alcohol abuse/dependency?     Yes     No

If yes, at what age did use begin? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of last use: \_\_\_\_\_

**Drugs of Choice:** (check all that apply)

- None                     Cocaine                     Methamphetamines  Prescription drug:  Any IV drug use
- Crack                     PCP                         Inhalant: Sniffing gl  Alcohol                     Heroin/Opiates
- Sedative/hypno  Cannabis                     Hallucinogens             Benzodiazepines  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Frequency of Drug Use:**

none in past mont    1-3 times in past montr    1-2 times/week    3-6 times/week    daily

Longest period of Sobriety:

\_\_\_\_\_

Does the client smoke cigarettes?  Yes     No

**Chemical Dependency Treatment:**    Yes             No

If yes: Services within the past 12 months?  Yes             No

inpatient programs & dates: \_\_\_\_\_

outpatient programs & dates: \_\_\_\_\_

If client is currently in a chemical dependency treatment Program, anticipated discharge date?  
\_\_\_\_\_

Previous chemical dependency treatment:

inpatient programs & dates: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

outpatient programs & dates: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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### FUNDING VERIFICATION FORM

	Case #	Currently Receives Y/N	Amount Receives (#)	Pending Application Submitted Y/N	Unknown
Social Security					
SSI					
SSD					
Public Assistance					
Veteran's Benefits					
Medicare					
Medicaid					
Food Stamps					
Pension					
Wages/Earned Income					
Unemployment					
Private Insurance					
Other 3 <sup>rd</sup> Party Payer					
Trust Fund					
Medication Grant					

**Court mandated expenses/debts** (i.e., alimony, child support, student loans, utility bills).

**Please list all known and amounts:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**If Rep Payee, Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Agency:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Telephone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

## ADULT SINGLE POINT OF ACCESS (SPOA) SERVICES CONSENT TO RELEASE INFORMATION

I hereby authorize the use or disclosure of my protected health information as follows:

1. Client Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last
First
Middle Initial

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

2. The information that may be used or disclosed includes (check all that apply):

- Mental health records
- Alcohol/Drug records
- School or Education records
- Health records
- All of the records listed above

3. This information may be disclosed by:

- Any person or organization that possesses the information to be disclosed
- Any persons from Lakeview Health Services, Safe Harbors, John D. Kelly Clinic, Yates County DSS, Elmira Psychiatric Center, Clifton Springs Hospital & Clinic, Soldiers & Sailors Hospital, Newark-Wayne Hospital, FLACRA, HHUNY & its affiliates.
- The following persons or organizations:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. The information may be disclosed to Yates County SPOA Committee agencies or other community organizations that may contribute to planning for my care.

5. The purpose of disclosure is to assist in my care and to obtain payment for my care from insurance companies, government benefit programs and others participating in the Residential or Case Management services.

6. Permission will be valid during the SPOA application and waiting list process. This permission expires upon completion of SPOA.

7. It is understood that this permission may be revoked. To revoke this permission, a written request should be made to the provider(s) listed above. Information disclosed before permission is revoked may not be retrieved. If action was taken in reliance on this permission, the person who relied on this permission may continue to use or disclose protected health information as needed to complete the work that began because this permission was given.

8. Psychiatric and chemical dependency information is protected under Federal and State Regulations governing confidentiality of protected health information and cannot be disclosed without my written authorization unless otherwise provided for in the regulations. Further release of information is prohibited by law. If the recipient is not a healthcare or medical insurance provider covered by the privacy regulations, the information indicated above could be re-disclosed. Release of HIV-related information requires additional authorization.

**I am the person whose records will be used or disclosed. I understand and agree to this authorization.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name Date Signature

**I am the personal representative of the person whose records will be used or disclosed. My relationship to that person is \_\_\_\_\_ . I understand and agree to this authorization.**

Representative \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name Date Signature

Witness \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name Date Signature