



January 22, 2025

P-2024-Rate Reform-002 REV

TO: REGIONAL CENTER EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: SERVICE CODE CROSSWALK

<u>The P-2024-Rate Reform-002 letter issued on November 21, 2024 hereby is revised as</u> <u>displayed below as strikethroughs.</u>

As recommended in the 2019 Rate Study, rate reform includes standardization of service requirements and service codes. Each service description is tied to a service code, with subcodes for all associated variations. Some service codes will remain unchanged, others will be adjusted to incorporate multiple service codes or subcodes, and some will be phased out.

Below is a list of the service codes that will be phased out and the service codes to consider as a possible match to the services currently being provided. This list does not include all options and other service descriptions to which services actually delivered may align.

Behavior Services

Existing Service Code	Service Codes to Consider
048 - Client/Parent	612 - Behavior Analyst
Support Behavior	613 - Associate Behavior Analyst
Intervention Training	615 - Behavior Management Assistant
(can no longer be used	616 - Behavior Technician - Paraprofessional
unless the Department	620 - Behavior Management Consultant
approves an exemption)	Other

Day Services

Existing Service Code	Service Codes to Consider
055 - Community Integration Training Program (can no longer be used unless the Department approves an exemption)	531 - Day Services
	532 - Behavioral Day Services
	533 - Medical Day Services
	520 - Independent Living Program
	952 - Supported Employment-Individual, Job Development
	952 - Supported Employment-Individual, Job Coaching
	950 - Supported Employment-Group
	Other

Day Services - continued

Existing Service Code	Service Codes to Consider
	531 - Day Services
063 - Community Activities Support Services <i>(can no longer be used</i>	532 - Behavioral Day Services
	533 - Medical Day Services
	520 - Independent Living Program
	952 - Supported Employment-Individual, Job Development
unless the Department	952 - Supported Employment-Individual, Job Coaching
approves an exemption)	950 - Supported Employment-Group
	Other
505 - Activity Center	531 - Day Services
(transitioning to new codes and can no longer be used)	532 - Behavioral Day Services
	533 - Medical Day Services
	Other
510 - Adult Development	531 - Day Services
Center (transitioning to new codes and can no longer be used)	532 - Behavioral Day Services
	533 - Medical Day Services
	Other
515 - Behavior Management Program (transitioning to new codes and can no longer be used)	531 - Day Services
	532 - Behavioral Day Services
	533 - Medical Day Services
	Other

Specialized Therapeutic Services

Existing Service Code	Service Codes to Consider
103 - Specialized Health, Treatment, & Training Services (can no longer be used unless the Department approves an exemption)	Other
115 - Specialized Therapeutic Services (Ages 3 to 20) (transitioning to new codes and can no longer be used)	117 - Specialized Therapeutic Services 612 - Behavior Analyst
	613 - Associate Behavior Analyst
	615 - Behavior Management Assistant
	616 - Behavior Technician - Paraprofessional
	620 - Behavior Management Consultant
	Other

Training and Support Services

Service Codes to Consider
520 - Independent Living Program
635 - Independent Living Specialist
Other
520 - Independent Living Program
635 - Independent Living Specialist
Other
896 - Supported Living Services as a bundled service
within the hourly rate

Other Services

Existing Service Code	Service Codes to Consider
025 - Tutor Services-	680 - Tutor
Group	
(transitioning to new	
codes and can no longer	Other
be used)	
028 - Socialization	531 – Day Services
Training Program	
(can no longer be used	Other
unless the Department	Other
approves an exemption)	

Regional centers and providers must work together to identify the service description(s) that best reflects the services actually being provided. Additional information regarding service descriptions and requirements may be found on the Department's website <u>here</u>. Regional centers may contact the Department for consultation at <u>ratesquestions@dds.ca.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

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