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Telepractice Waiver Update

The recently issued Telepractice Waiver is updated to clarify that, during the duration of the declared disaster emergency, **telephonic** delivery is an acceptable means of service delivery for Telepractice by OASAS programs.

Providers should bill for telepractice services exactly the way they bill for a service provided by other means, with the only addition being the modifier for each type of service. Additional guidance on billing and practice will be forthcoming through a Frequently Asked Questions document.

Please follow the previously issued guidance and attestation process found at the links below:

Telepractice Waiver Guidance

OASAS General Counsel guidance on the waiving of certain state regulations to provide telepractice services amidst COVID-19 outbreak. Complete and return the attached [attestation form](#) to begin providing services.

Telepractice Attestation

Complete this attestation and return it to certification@oasas.ny.gov to begin [providing telepractice services amidst the COVID-19 outbreak](#).