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NHTD & TBI Waiver Transition Subcommittee

UAS-NY Discussion

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Overview

- Adult Day Health Care
- Assisted Living Program
- *Care at Home Waivers I & II**
- Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program
- Long Term Home Health Care
- Managed Long Term Care
- Medicaid Managed Care
- Nursing Home Transition and Diversion Waiver
- Personal Care
- *Traumatic Brain Injury Waiver**

Usage at a Glance

- 10,000+ staff using the UAS-NY
- 6,500+ assessors
- 330,000+ assessments signed and finalized

Goals of the UAS-NY

- evaluates individuals' health status/strengths and guides the development of plan of care
- assists with program eligibility determinations and identification of program options
- improves care coordination and facilitates service delivery
- improves communication about assessment information and reduces redundancy
- ensures that individuals receive the right care, within the right setting, and at the right time

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Events



Canadian interRAI Conference
October 6 - 9, 2014
Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada
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seamless comprehensive assessment system.**

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Ontario Provincial Police Announce
Implementation of interRAI Brief
Mental Health Screener

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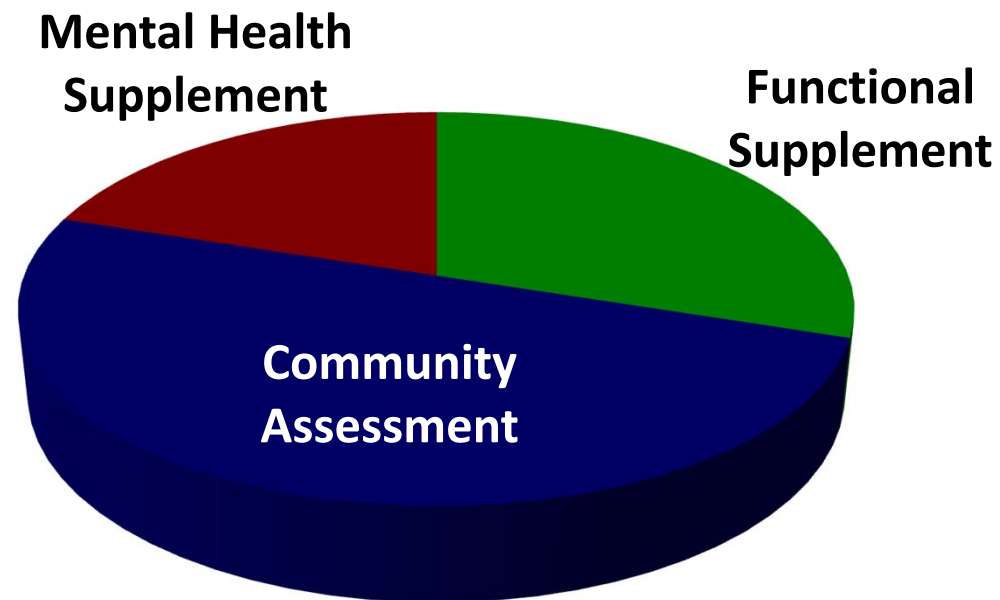
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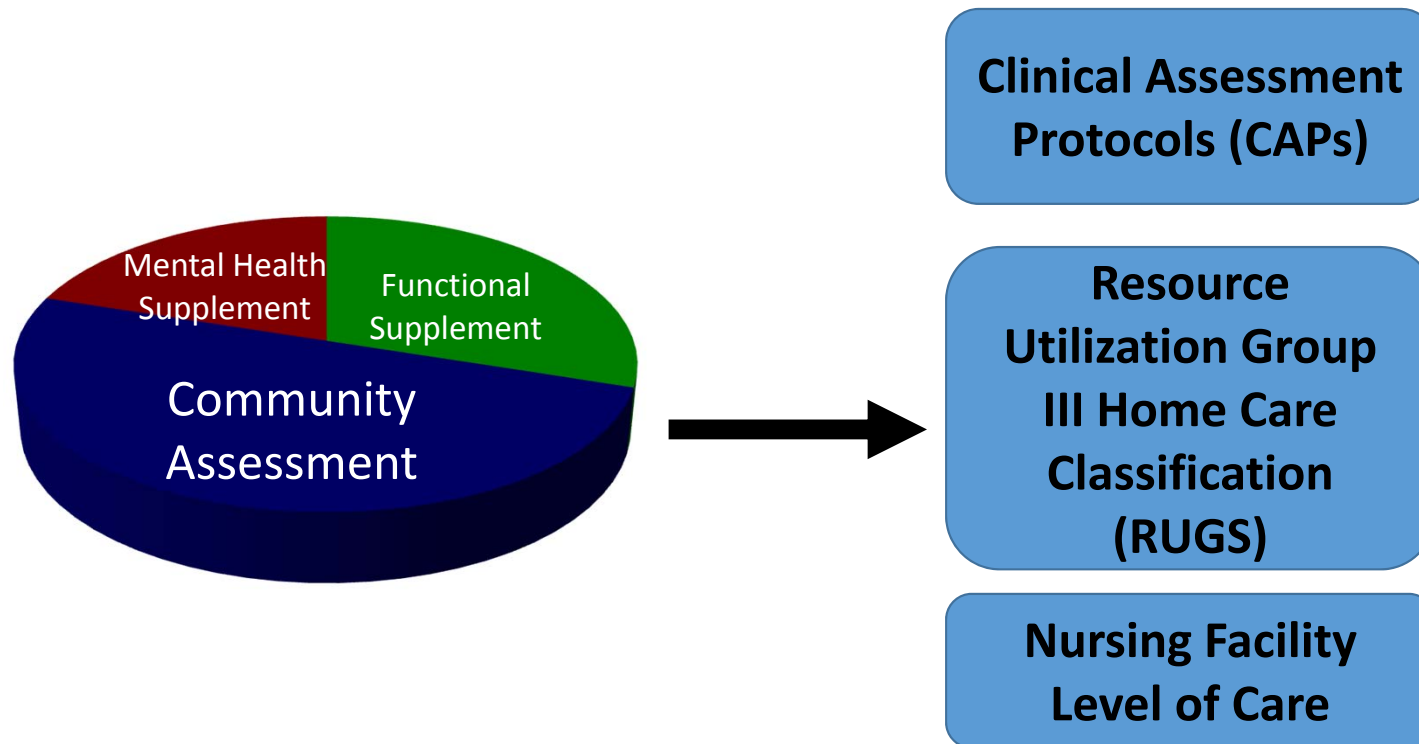


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UAS-NY Community Assessment



Assessment Outcomes



UAS-NY Training

Navigation

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Uniform Assessment System for New York

You are logged in as

Welcome to the Uniform Assessment System for New York (UAS-NY) Training Environment. The purpose of this online training environment is to provide long term care provider staff with the information required to learn about and use the UAS-NY. This site is developed and maintained by the New York State Department of Health, Office of Health Insurance Programs, Division of Long Term Care.

UAS-NY Support Desk

For questions on the UAS-NY Training Environment or any of the content presented in this site, please email the **UAS-NY Support Desk** at uasny@health.state.ny.us or contact us at 518-408-1021 between the hours of 8:30 ~12 and 1 ~ 4.

Course categories

- UAS-NY Fundamental Courses (14)**
- UAS-NY Intermediate Courses (7)**
- UAS-NY Advanced Courses (1)**
- UAS-NY References and Resources (6)**

- 4 required courses to use the Application
- 2 required course on the Assessment
- 18 additional recommended courses and numerous references and resources

Assessing Cognitive Function

- Purpose of course is to enable assessors to:
 - ✓ understand how to respond to the items in the cognitive domain
 - ✓ better assess persons with cognitive impairment
- Course includes a number of activities that include:
 - ✓ more in-depth review of items related to cognition
 - ✓ emphasis on the integration of cognitive assessment into other domains
 - ✓ a review of assessment outcomes
 - ✓ scenarios that reinforce good assessment practices and strategies

Managed Long Term Care Plan Eligibility

Enrollment in a MLTC plan is mandatory for those who:

- ✓ are dual eligible (eligible for both Medicaid and Medicare) and over 21 years of age and need community based long-term care services for more than 120 days.

Enrollment in MLTC plan is voluntary for those who:

- ✓ are dual eligible and are 18 through 21 years of age and need community based long term care services for more than 120 days and assessed as nursing home eligible.
- ✓ are non-dual eligible and over 18 years of age and need community based long term care services for more than 120 days and are assessed as nursing home eligible.

Medicaid Managed Care Plan Eligibility

- All recipients must enrollee in a mainstream plan unless exempt or excluded
- Excluded populations include individuals who are:
 - Dually eligible for Medicare and Medicaid
 - Expected to be eligible for Medicaid < 6 months
 - Spend down medically needed
 - Residing in a nursing home at time of enrollment
 - Receiving hospice at time of enrollment
 - Participants in long term demonstration projects (e.g. Elderplan)
 - Have access to comprehensive private health insurance
 - Under 65 and eligible for the Medicaid Cancer Treatment Program, District 99
 - Receiving services through the Family Planning Benefit Program
 - Residents of State-operated psychiatric facilities
 - District 97, fiscal responsibility of OMH
 - District 98, fiscal responsibility of OPWDD
 - ...plus other exclusions for youth
- Includes long term services and supports for those expected to need services for at least 120 days.

Additional Questions or Comments

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