St. Joseph's Villa Crisis Stabilization Services CCCA Step-Down / Referral Process

(available 24/7, capacity: 8 bed unit & 2 day-placements)

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•	CCCA consults with CSS to inquire if potential client may be appropriate for the CSU: (804) 874-9119
•	CCCA talks with Jurisdictional CSB to determine if there is agreement for
	referral to CSU And notifies the CSB liaison (may be ES, Hospital liaison or a
	Case manager) that the CSB needs to initiate the referral process
•	CSS will gather additional Information which includes but is not limited to:
	Information regarding client behaviors
	Nature of the crisis that led to hospitalization.
	Has a restraint been required since admission?
	Has client required psychotropic PRN medications to address
	behaviors?
	Has client attempted to AWOL? Participated in treatment?
	The reason(s) this client cannot return directly to the community
•	Referral will be staffed with CSU treatment team, CCCA will be informed of
	status within 15 minutes.
Screening	
•	CSB completes CSS Referral Screening Form
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	referral via telephonic or telehealth
•	CSU reviews the Referral Screening Form
Telehealth interview	
•	CSU Conducts Telehealth Interview
•	Once screening has been completed and the client is determined to be
	eligible and appropriate for the program,
•	CCCA will schedule via Zoom/Microsoft Teams a telehealth interview with
	child and CSU clinician. Guardian is encouraged to be present and may be
	contacted by phone.
•	In telehealth interview, CSU will discuss the expectations of child and
	guardian participation in the program along with goals for treatment and
	expectations for discharge from CSU.
• Eligibility	
•	Treatment Team Determines Eligibility
•	In order for a client to be eligible for services the CSB must have a plan and
	actively follow the client while at the CSU and through the process of
	discharge into the community.
•	After telehealth interview, CSU clinician will make final recommendation to
	CSU treatment team and CSB about child's appropriateness for stepdown.
•	If declined, CSU will inform CCCA and CSB.
•	If accepted, CCCA and CSB will be notified, and they will arrange for
	transportation to the CSU for intake.

