

Title: Facility Authority to Bill and Receive Medicare/Medicaid Funds

Scope: All directors of facilities operated by the Department of Mental Health shall be authorized to contract directly with Medicare/Division of Medicaid for the purpose of billing and receiving funds.

Policy: It shall be the policy of the board of Mental Health that each facility director of a facility operated by the Department of Mental Health shall have the authority to contract directly with the Medicare/Division of Medicaid for the purpose of billing and receiving Medicare/Medicaid funds.

Procedure: I. The director of each facility (Juvenile Rehabilitation Center - Brookhaven, Specialized Treatment Facility for the Emotionally Disturbed, Boswell Regional Center, Central Mississippi Residential Center, East Mississippi State Hospital, Ellisville State School, Hudspeth Regional Center, North Mississippi Regional Center, North Mississippi State Hospital, South Mississippi Regional Center, and South Mississippi State Hospital) shall be granted the authority to enter into contracts with the Medicare/Division of Medicaid for

the purpose of billing and
receiving Medicare/Medicaid funds.

II. This authority shall continue until
specifically revoked by the Board
of Mental Health.

III. Board Approval