Policy Clarifications Medicaid – All PMA- 18877-392

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Subject: Facility code entry for children placed in pediatric facilities

Question: Should a nursing facility code be entered on the Facility/Waiver screen for individuals under

the age of 21 who are residing in pediatric facilities?

Response By: Division of Health Services Date: 4/11/2018

No. Children in pediatric facilities should not have a nursing facility code indicated on the Facility Placement screen in Case Processing (CP) because pediatric facilities are not licensed with the Commonwealth as nursing facilities.

The CAO must use Facility Code 09 – Educational Placement on the Facility Placement screen for children in pediatric facilities. Using Facility Code 09 ensures the individual is enrolled in a physical and behavioral health Managed Care Organization (MCO) in their county of placement.

The following is an approved list of PA pediatric facilities:

- Fox Subacute, Mechanicsburg
- Childway Pediatric Services, Lansdale
- Firely Home for Kids at the following Locations:
 - o Allentown
 - o Harleysville
 - Norristown
 - o Pottsville
- Lynch Homes
- Meyersdale Healthcare and Rehab Center
- Pedia Manor at the following locations:
 - Quakertown
 - o Pipersville
- Pediatric Specialty Care at the following locations:
 - o Philadelphia
 - Doylestown
 - Hopewell
 - Lancaster
 - o Point Pleasant
 - o Quakertown

- Ridgecrest
- Woods Services