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PURPOSE

To define practice standards for San Mateo County Behavioral Health staff and staff of community based contract agencies.

POLICY

The Director of Behavioral Health has the authority to determine practice standards within each county, so long as that determination does not violate state and federal laws and regulations. The attached matrix is the core document establishing these practice standards for San Mateo County.

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