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Katie A. Subclass cases: Clarification on some items.

1. **Cannot bill IHBS services when the location of service is Group Home.** On the Katie A. Power Point training (slide 12), "Katie A. Subclass "Reminder"", we need to make a clarification on the 6th bullet point. ICC and IHBS are not to be billed while a client is in a psychiatric hospital or group home unless it is 30 days prior to discharge and **the purpose is for coordinating placement or facilitating a transition to a permanent home environment.** We wanted to further clarify that IHBS can be billed during the 30 day transition period prior to discharge from the group home **but the service location cannot be the group home itself. Instead, the service location must be outside the group home.** If a service is provided at the group home, then the ED must indicate Group Home and IHBS cannot be billed.

   This information can also be found on the 'Katie A. training guide hard copy' under the "Katie A. Subclass "Reminder"" on page 7 and on the DHCS "Medi-Cal Manual for ICC, IHBS and TFC for Katie A. Subclass Members" on page 13.

2. **Only providers billing for ICC or IHBS must do 90 day reviews.** There is some confusion as to who is responsible for completing the 90 day review when a Katie A. subclass case is opened in multiple programs. We want to emphasize that all programs that have identified any client as a Katie A. subclass member should have an MTP and CSP in place indicating ICC and/or IHBS services *if applicable*. All programs billing either ICC or IHBS services for a Katie A. subclass member is required to complete a 90 day review. The 90 day review consists of evaluating the effectiveness of the plan, assessing circumstances and resources, and reworking the plan as needed. Frequent monitoring and adapting of the plan allows for modifications to incorporate approaches that work or refine those that do not. Completing the 90 day review is coded as ICC (90899—151). However, if a case is identified as a Katie A. subclass member and no ICC and/or IHBS services are billed due to psychiatric hospitalization or group home placement, a 90 day review is not required.