

Re: CCHSS 16, Restraint as a Last Resort Policy & Restraint (Interim) Procedure

The CCHSS 16.0 requires certain steps related to restraints are visible on the care plan including service authorizations. This visibility ensures that the appropriate measures were taken when implementing the use of restraints.

CCHSS Information Guide: <a href="https://open.alberta.ca/dataset/c3e8d212-d348-42e0-b29c-5a264c8cb568/resource/8c9af77e-ca21-4f73-b3ee-a63c6b980073/download/continuing-care-health-service-standards-2018.pdf">https://open.alberta.ca/dataset/c3e8d212-d348-42e0-b29c-5a264c8cb568/resource/8c9af77e-ca21-4f73-b3ee-a63c6b980073/download/continuing-care-health-service-standards-2018.pdf</a>

Restraint Policy: <a href="https://extranet.ahsnet.ca/teams/policydocuments/1/clp-prov-restraint-hcs-176.pdf">https://extranet.ahsnet.ca/teams/policydocuments/1/clp-prov-restraint-hcs-176.pdf</a>

Restraint interim Procedure: <a href="https://extranet.ahsnet.ca/teams/policydocuments/1/clp-prov-restraint-cont-care-hcs-176-01.pdf">https://extranet.ahsnet.ca/teams/policydocuments/1/clp-prov-restraint-cont-care-hcs-176-01.pdf</a>

Documentation needs to occur in the following areas/interventions.

### 1. Admission Assessment

Complete the RAI HC or appropriate comprehensive assessment on admission, annually (or at appropriate intervals) and upon significant change.

Complete the CAPs/RAI-HC Outcome Analysis documentation and check off that the OMAHA Systems Problem of either Cognition or Mental Health needs to be added to your Care Plan.



If admission assessment is not required as the restraint is being initiated on an established client start at #2.

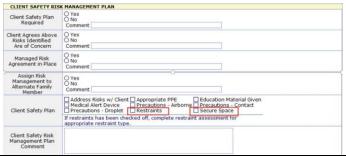
Note: Track the behavior using the Behavior Tracking Tool for a minimum of 3 days prior to implementing a restraint.



## 2. Lifetime Account: Safety Risk Assessment

In the Client Safety Risk Management Plan section:

Check off Restraints and/or Secure Space



3. Program Account: PRG Care Plan: Process Plans of Care

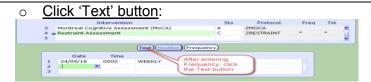
In addition to the regular care planning process, complete the following steps:

#### **Add OMAHA Problem**

If not already present, add the applicable Omaha problem (Cognition and/or Mental Health) that reflects the need for addressing Restraints and/or Secure Space.

- Under <u>Behaviour Outcome</u> add:
  - o CC: Restraint Monitoring and/or CC: Secure Space Monitoring
    - For <u>Environmental</u> Restraint, <u>Mechanical</u> Restraint and <u>Secure</u> <u>Spaces</u> (i.e. Half Door) the **Frequency** will be 'Q2H' at minimum or more frequently as required based on client need.
- Under <u>Status Outcome</u> add:
  - Restraint Assessment.
    - Enter Frequency the frequency entered will depend on the type of restraint being used (refer to Restraint (Interim) Procedure – link page 1). For example:
      - Pharmacological restraint is assessed weekly for a minimum of one month, and then monthly thereafter.
      - Other restraints frequencies (e.g. lap tray, bedrail) are based on professional judgement).
      - In the event of multiple restraints, use the frequency with the shortest time interval.





 List the Restraint(s) in the text box and indicate the date the order was obtained and the reassessment date, as per the following:
 "Order for Restraint obtained DD/MM/YYYY. Reassess annually or as needed".

Note: An order is not needed for Secure Space, but is still required for Restraints.



This text will display in the worklist next to the intervention. View by clicking the text bubble.



### 4. Restraint Assessment

Note: The Restraint Assessment will also be used for Secure Space documentation.

Document on the Restraint assessment comprehensively on admission, annually (or at appropriate intervals) and upon significant change. Ensure the following is documented:

- Rationale for Restraint Use/Secure Space
- Root Cause for Restraint Use/Secure Space
- Actions taken to address root cause
- Frequency of Risk Associated with Identified Behavior/Need
- Likelihood of Risk identified/Comment
- Alternatives to restraints trialed/Comment
- Consultations (if applicable)
- Date Restraint discussed with Family/Guardian/Comment and document teaching provided to client/alternate decision maker around Restraints/Secure Space.
- Restraint (Secure Space) Need review Comment
  - If the Interdisciplinary Team (IDT) conversation regarding Restraint/Secure Space need or continuation was previously captured



in the Case Management intervention, reference this Case Management intervention date. For example, "see Case Management intervention October 3/2018 for details of IDT conversation/decision".

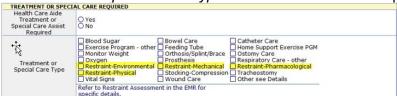
- If this conversation/decision is not in the Case Management intervention, enter details (including date) in this section.
- Restraint Assessment Occurrence for applicable restraint type.
  - Enter or update 'Date of Restraint Order' (need to obtain order within 72 hours) and 'Review Date for Restraint' sections.
  - Under Frequency/Conditions of Restraint Use, for <u>Environmental</u> and <u>Mechanical Restraints</u> document "Initial monitoring was every 15 minutes within the first hour as per AHS procedure".

## 5. Daily Living Support Plan

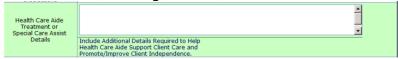
#### a. Documentation for Restraints

**Treatment and Special Care Section:** 

• Treatment and Special Care Type - select which restraints apply to the client.



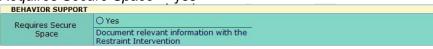
 Health Care Aide Treatment or Special Care Assist Details - add a comment with specific instructions to the HCA regarding monitoring. For example, comfort rounds, toileting, nutrition, need to move.



#### b. Documentation for Secure Space

**Behavior Support Section:** 

a. Requires Secure Space - 'yes'



b. *Identified Behaviors* – select the behaviors supported by Secure Space and select See Behavior Support Plan.



c. HCA Idenfitied Behaviors Assist Detail - add Comment with Staff Considerations and Monitoring Requirements. For example: In a Secure Space, Client wanders constantly while awake, please observe visually client's location on the unit at least every 2 hours. Provide diversion activities between meals (specifying which activities they are).

Health Care Aide
Identified
Behaviors Assist
Details
Include Additional Details Required to Help
Health Care Aide Support Client Care and
Promote/Improve Client Independence.

### 6. Behavior Support Plan Comm

Document Behavior(s)/Moods(s) comprehensively and ensure to include staff considerations for prevention and management.

#### 7. Service Authorizations

- For Restraints:
  - Add CC: Restraint Monitoring to your SA for the purpose of the Care Plan provided to Site
    - o Duration: minimum 5 min (0.08) (based on professional judgement)
    - Frequency from Care Plan will be 'Q2H' at minimum interval or more frequently as required based on client need.
- For Secure Space:
  - Add CC: Secure Space Monitoring to your SA for the purpose of the Care Plan provided to the Site
    - o Duration: minimum 5 min (0.08) (based on professional judgement)
    - Frequency from Care Plan will be 'Q2H' at minimum interval or more frequently as required based on client need.

Note: This would not be applicable in Home Living Community. Please ensure you document in Case Management regarding teaching provide around monitoring of Restraints.