Addiction and Recovery Treatment Services (ARTS):

Medicaid's Substance Use Disorder Treatment Benefit

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Substance use can affect lives differently and it is known that many people who experience issues with substance use benefit from treatment.

Several new treatment approaches are covered by your Medicaid benefit and we are here to help you understand the available options.

Treatment options range from outpatient to inpatient services to include Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) for prescription drugs or other opioids.

You can talk with your primary care doctor about treatment options for substance or alcohol use. Your doctor and/or health care team will work with you to find the best program for you. Or you can contact the ARTS Care Coordinator at your Managed Care Organization.



- ✓ Inpatient Detox
- ✓ Residential Treatment
- ✓ Partial Hospitalization
- ✓ Intensive Outpatient Programs
- ✓ Opioid Treatment Programs
- ✓ Office-Based Addiction Treatment
- √ Case Management
- ✓ Peer Recovery Supports

What is an ARTS Care Coordinator?

ARTS Care Coordinators help Medicaid members navigate addiction and recovery treatment options and other supports. The Virginia Department of Medical Assistance Services (DMAS) partners with Managed Care Organizations (MCOs) to provide care coordination services to support you.

For more information, please refer to the Managed Care Directories located at: https://www.dmas.virginia.gov/for-providers/managed-care/cardinal-care-managed-care/provider-resources/