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Federation News: Coalition Formed In Suit Against Government

Cuts in Mental Health Benefits for Federal Employees Blue Cross Severely Curtails Outpatient Payments

Reported by Marsha Wineburgh, CSW

Washington: The National Federation has joined in a suit with the American Psychiatric Association, National Association of Private Psychiatric Hospitals, American Psychological Association and others against the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) and the Federal Government regarding the drastic cuts in mental health benefits in Federal Employee Health Benefits (FEHB) Program. This group provides health insurance coverage for all federal government employees.

Major Cuts

Larger than usual cuts by Blue Cross/ Blue Shield in benefits were expected in 1982, but the actual changes were disastrous for mental health coverage. As of January 1, 1982 outpatient treatment is to be reimbursed at 70% of the usual and customary rates for high option subscribers (75% for low option subscribers). However, each high option beneficiary is entitled to reimbursement for only the first 50 outpatient visits (25 for low option), including visits to physicians for non-mental health treatment. In other words, if a high option subscriber sees his/her family physician twice during the year, his dermatologist 8 times, that leaves only 40 outpatient mental health visits eligible for reimbursement. Although, superficially, this appears equitable, since outpatient visits apply equally to mental and physical health services, there is in fact a disproportionate impact because each is a different mode of treatment. Unlike mental health treatment, there are few physical health problems which are treated on a weekly or more frequent basis.

This plan more recently provides that Blue Cross/Blue Shield will pay 100% of all outpatient services (other than mental

health) after the employee has incurred \$1000 of coinsurance payments (\$2500 for low option). This has been clarified to mean that once a subscriber has used up his/her 50 outpatient visits (25 for low option), no further reimbursement will be paid for outpatient care for any kind of health service.

Finally, Blue Cross/Blue Shield has reduced *inpatient* mental health coverage to 60 days per year (30 days for low option). In 1981, 365 days were covered.

Double Bind

We are fighting on two fronts simultaneously—in Congress and in court. Our national lobbyist, Ken Adams, advises that only Congress can provide a long-term solution to the problem of discrimination in reductions of mental health benefits in the FEHB program. If Congress amends the law to require explicitly equal coverage for mental and physical health, federal employees' benefits will be free of compromises and trade-offs which occur during the annual contract negotiations between FEHB insurance carriers and OPM.

Meanwhile, in court, Judge Thomas Flannery, on December 23, 1981, refused to issue an injunction to stop Blue Cross/Blue Shield and the Federal Government from implementing the outpatient and inpatient mental health benefit cuts described above. Judge Flannery's ruling was appealed on February 22. Adams says, "its difficult to be optimistic about getting relief from the courts in the absence of a stronger, more explicit statement by Congress in the form of amendments to the statute." This litigation, however, has established the National Federation as a legitimate voice on mental health

New Administration Begins ————

Newly elected State Society officers, who will serve for 1982-1983 include:

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issues in Washington; this in itself is an important victory.

Medicare Update-S.2242

Senator Don Riegle (D.-Mich.) has introduced a revised version of S.123 (the Inouve Bill permitting direct Medicare and Medicaid reimbursement to qualified clinical social workers, psychologists, psychiatric nurse practioners). Several influential senators indicated last year that they supported expanding the range of Medicare/Medicaid providers to include non-physician mental health professionals, but they were concerned about the cost of increasing the reimbursement ceiling to \$1000 (as \$.123 provides). With Senator Inouye's agreement, the bill was revised and was introduced as S.2242. We are now renewing efforts to enlist cosponsors. National Federation will be convening a meeting with the other supporting mental health groups to develop a coordinated push for additional sponsors as well as to develop witnesses for committee hearings on this bill.



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IN COMMITTEE...

Chapter Development

In January 1982 Kenneth J. Herrmann, Jr. and other CSWs held their first organizational meeting, which resulted in the formation of the Western New York Chapter. The group's petition for recognition as a chapter was approved by the State Executive Board on February 27. The formation of this chapter represents the culmination of three years of dedicated work by Kenneth J. Herrmann, Jr., Donna Rohlf, former chapter development chair, and Marsha Wineburgh, president of the Society for the past two years.

This new chapter greatly expands Society membership in the upstate region, covering the counties of Monroe, Genesee, Orleans, Wyoming, Wayne, Ontario, Erie, Chautauqua, Cattaraugus, Allegheny, Livingston and Steuben. Anyone interested in joining this chapter may contact Kenneth J. Herrmann Jr., CSW, 2614 East Main Road, East Pembroke, NY 14056.

The Society continues to seek the development of new chapters in the less populated areas of the upper and western parts of the state and offers active support in these efforts,

Bobba J. Moody, CSW

Parity

The intensive efforts of a small band of Society members who sped to Albany on March 8 and 9 to lobby for the Society's Parity Bill, A.4538-A, helped passage of the bill through the Assembly Insurance Committee. The bill was picked up immediately by the Assembly Ways and Means Committee, where it rests now.

Those who traveled to Albany deserve special recognition. A vote of thanks from all of us to: Helen Krackow, Barbara Pichler, Cindy Costello, Carolyn Bersak, Gloria Egan, Gary S. DeFraia, Joseph A. Ventimiglia and Marsha Wineburgh.

Working with Martin Steadman and Barry Mallin, these members talked to legislators and gave the bill a mighty push.

What You Can Do

There is now an immediate need for letters of support and for more personal visits to legislators. Each of the Society's chapters has a parity committee chair or person acting as liaison for legislative matters. Get in touch with your chapter's representative and offer your help.

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Kenneth J. Herrmann, Jr., 716-395-2324

The following is a guide for drafting an individualized letter. (Don't hesitate to ask friends, businessmen, union/fellow employees to write.):

I (we) urge you to support the passage of Bill A.4538-A (in the Assembly) or Bill S.3542-A (in the Senate), a bill to amend sections 162 and 253 of the Insurance Law, to provide for reimbursement under group health insurance contracts for mental health services rendered by duly qualified clinical social workers. Passage of this bill will result in greater access to quality mental health care and freedom of choice to consumers.

My experience in working as/with (su-

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pervising and/or teaching) clinical social workers has been that they are well trained and competent to provide psychotherapy.

The bill will also correct the inequitable and discriminatory system of reimbursing only the patients of psychiatrists and psychologists, while preventing reimbursement to patients of clinical social workers for the same services.

No new insurance mandates are proposed; this bill merely adds qualified clinical social workers to the list of those eligible for reimbursement.

Write:

Assemblyman Arthur J. Kremer—Chairman Assembly Ways and Means Committee Legislative Office Building—Room 923 Albany, NY 12248 Urge support of A.4538-A Senator Martin S. Auer—Chairman

Senate Insurance Committee Legislative Office Building—Room 947 Albany, NY 12247

Urge support of S.3542-A

Time is important—don't delay!

Marsha Wineburgh, CSW

Referral Service

Representatives of chapter referral service committees have been meeting to discuss efforts to increase referrals in the communities at the chapter level. These meetings provide a forum for exchange of information and discussion of ideas as to generating additional referrals.

Chapters have undertaken various means to gain referrals: standard listing in the telephone book, public relations programs, contact with groups that might find a listing of qualified therapists useful to their membership (professionals, corporations), magazine/ newspaper publicity, radio/TV spots. This committee urges all members of referral panels to report which efforts have been successful. Eleanor Periman, CSW

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LEGISLATIVE EXCHANGE

Report by Barry K. Mallin, Esq., Legislative Advocate

With the reconvening of the legislature in January, efforts by Society lobbyists and parity committee members resulted in the re-introduction of the Society's bill with even more sponsors than last year.

The addition of Sen. Thomas Bartosie-wicz (D.-Brooklyn) brought the number of Senate sponsors to 15. In the Assembly, A. Pinny Cooke, (R.-Rochester); Jerrold Nadler, (D.-New York City); and Carol A. Siwek, (R.-Buffalo) all joined as sponsors, raising the number in the lower house to 12. Sponsors of the bill cut across both major political parties and come from every area of the state.

After its re-introduction in February, the measure was referred to the respective insurance committees of both houses. The bill came before the Assembly Insurance Committee on March 9. An intensive two-day lobbying campaign took place in Albany on March 8 and 9. The Society's lobbyists, joined by members from the Metropolitan, Mid-Hudson and Queens chapters, converged in Albany.

More than 30 legislators and legislative aids were seen during the two-day period.

The turnout of members in Albany was the largest in recent years. These lobbying efforts helped push the bill through the Assembly Insurance Committee, the first of several hurdles that must be cleared before the measure reaches a floor vote. The bill has now been referred to the Assembly Ways and Means Committee, the next pressure point requiring intensive effort.

Society members are urged to coordinate plans through their local chapters and through the parity committee to visit members of the Assembly Ways and Means Committee and the Senate Insurance Committee. Arthur J. Kremer, (D.-Long Beach, Nassau County), is chairman of the Assembly committee; Martin S. Auer, (R.-Syracuse) is chairman of the Senate Insurance Committee. Six senators from Brooklyn sit on the Senate Insurance Committee, indicating a crucial need for Society members from that borough to join in organized efforts to visit these Brooklyn legislators.

Face-to-face meetings with legislators or their staff counsel are the most effective means for generating support and overcoming opposition to the bill. Opposition has surfaced from the New York State Conference of Blue Cross and Blue Shield Plans and from the Business Council of New York State. These groups have presented identical, but unsubstantiated, claims regarding the fiscal impact of the

bill. We have submitted to the legislature documentation compiled by the State Insurance Department refuting these claims. However, the best way to get our message across is through contacts by constituents in local districts. Copies of our memorandums are available to all Society members seeking background information in preparation for meeting with local legislators.

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Survey, Evaluation Provokes Controversy Over Psychoanalytic Training

The article, "Psychoanalytic Training—In Whose Hands?" by Crayton Rowe, MSW, which appeared in the December 1981 issue of this Newsletter, has elicited strong controversy. The following comments are among those recently received at the editorial office.

Committee Report

A New York State Society position paper on psychoanalytic training for clinical social workers, prepared by the committee, was approved by the Board of the Society on December 5, 1981. This represents the first such position paper in the history of our profession. It will allow clinical social work to keep pace with psychology and medicine in setting training standards for psychoanalysis.

The administrative director of the American Academy of Psychoanalysis has informed this committee that that organization has decided not to pursue the formation of a national body of accreditation for psychoanalysis at this time. The proposed formation of this organization had previously been reported in this *Newsletter*.

Thanks go to Martin Pollens for his continuing work in negotiating a malpractice insurance package for members. Evidence is now clear that the current social work malpractice policy will not cover the practice of psychoanalysis.

Follow-up on Evaluation Report:

It appears that the research on the psychoanalytic training institutes included in the mailing of the December Newsletter has gained considerable attention. The committee has received numerous favorable comments for its efforts in alerting clinical social workers to the under-representation of clinical social work instructors and supervisors in training institutes.

Special thanks go to Harriet Pappenheim for her work in pulling together the information and statistics received from the institutes. Thanks also to all those members who continue to be interested and active in correcting the inequities which have for so long undermined the attempts of the clinical social worker to achieve parity.

Crayton E. Rowe, CSW

To Crayton Rowe:

This is ... to protest being left out of your recent report on advanced training programs. I have received numerous phone calls from members of SCSWP, colleagues, graduates, staff and students questioning this "oversight."

The concern expressed is particularly poignant in that the focus of your research is at the heart of the reason why we exist—By, For and About Social Workers. Our administrative, faculty, supervisory staff is 99% social work psychotherapists' and psychoanalysts' training social work psychotherapists and psychoanalysts.

We feel an acknowledgment of this fact and an explanation of this oversight is due us ... if there is to be any credibility given to your ... research.

Marlene Menifee, CSW Executive Director The Psychoanalytic Institute for Clinical Social Work New York, NY

To the Editor:

The report by Crayton Rowe which evaluated training institutes in your last



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issue (Dec. 1981, Vol. XII, No. 3) did not distinguish between institutes that train for psychoanalysis and those (the majority, I believe) that train for psychotherapy. Granted, the distinction may be blurred, but in so doing the certificate programs in family and individual therapy at the Hunter College School of Social Work Program in Advanced Clinical Social Work were not listed. Had we been, we could have been graded 100%; students and faculty are graduate social workers only. And, unlike all of the institutes listed, our program is university based, approved by the New York State Department of Education and the Board of Higher Education.

After reading Crayton Rowe's dismaying report on "Psychoanalytic Training—In Whose Hands?", shouldn't social workers start looking closer to home? As I look at our advanced training program here at Hunter, the grass is definitely greener!

Phyllis Caroff, DSW-Professor Program Director Post Masters Program in Advanced Clinical Social Work Hunter College School of Social Work New York, NY

Rowe Censured by Freudian Society

Crayton E. Rowe, chair of the

Society's committee on psychoanalysis and past president of the New York State Society, National Federation and National Registry, was censured by the New York Freudian Society for his article "Psychoanalytic Training—In Whose Hands?" and the committee's "Report of an Evaluation of Advanced Training Institutes, Number 2." Rowe's article appeared in December 1981 issue of this Newsletter. The Report was distributed to the membership at that time.

Rowe, a member of the Board of the New York Freudian Society, was said to have 'gone beyond the accepted behavior of a board member' of the Freudian Society and was accused of conflict of interest and of damaging the reputation of the organization. It was reported that no advance notice was given that such action was under consideration.

Comment from the President:

Needless to say, we were distressed and concerned by the "censure" of one of our distinguished members by the New York Freudian Society. That organization's response to Crayton Rowe's project was within its perogative, of course. And although we hardly applaud their action, we accept fully their right to interpret his work any way they see fit.

In our mind, however, standing up to be counted is an act of courage. Crayton, you have fully earned our commendation and support for your stand. Bravo! The Society is behind you and any other member of our organization who is willing to expose the inequities which continue to face our profession. It is only through this kind of willingness to probe and disclose that we will finally realize our ultimate goal—parity for social workers!

Margaret M. Isbell—CSW President

ANNUAL MEETING MAY 1st

The Annual General Membership Meeting for 1982 will take place on Saturday, May 1st, at the Gramercy Park Hotel, Lexington Avenue at 21st Street. A buffet lunch at noon will precede the meeting, which begins at 1:30.

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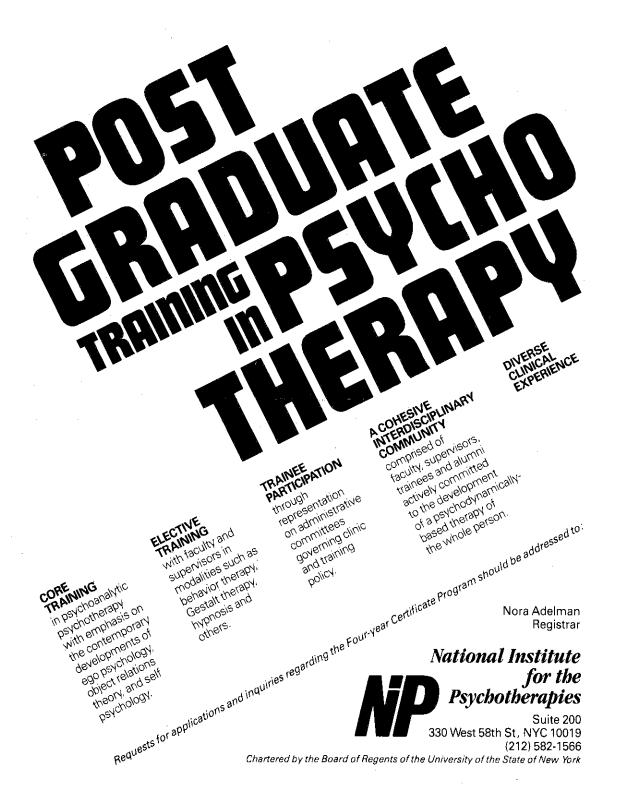
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Executive report

Rocky Roads and New Directions

The first quarter of the new administration's year has passed swiftly. Those of us taking hold for the first time have replaced our original trepidations with determination and fortitude. These attributes, coupled with the savvy and expertise of our more seasoned officers, place us in full gear as we move toward our goals with a minimum of detours.

Many of the Society's objectives over the years already have been achieved. We are a group of highly specialized and fully trained practitioners whose standards, skills and dedication are well recognized within a variety of professional enclaves. We may not be loved by all, but they know we are here. And here to stay! From a handful of people with vision, our Society has developed a membership whose positive influence stretches to every part of the state and beyond.

We still have a long way to go.

Beyond the professional level, too large a segment of the general public remains unenlightened as to who we are or why we are. Too often, social workers remain erroneously associated with the old line welfare worker (who no longer exists even within the confines of the Department of Social Services). Too frequently the social worker's image is a chilly one indeed. Such false perceptions must be corrected. The Society can go far toward this elusive goal by reaching out and telling our story from every level of experience. No chapter is too small not to polish up its public relations tools and relay the message. Moving toward this goal is primary and should be an integral part of the Society's functioning at every level—persistent and unwavering.

Other goals, however, are at least in sight. Through the unstinting efforts of our officers, chairpersons, members and professional team, the "Parity" legislation for which we have pressed with such vigor and determination is today one step closer to becoming law.

One step, perhaps. But we're walking tall!

Margaret M. Isbell President

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QUEENS

The chapter has successfully provided, during monthly meetings, a combination of business and a clinical presentation by a chapter member.

At 10:30 Sunday morning, May 2, the chapter will meet with Gerard Reardon to discuss DSM III. This is an open meeting and the professional community is invited. This program will take place at the Queens Children's Psychiatric Center, 74-03 Commonwealth Boulevard, Bellerose, NY; the charge is \$5. For reservations call or write Shirley Sillekens, CSW, 139-29 166th Place, Jamaica, NY 11434, 212-539-6887.

PERSONAL NEWS: Our best wishes to Gemma Colangelo! She has opened a new office at 2 East 85th Street, New York City, 212-772-7310.

Haruko Brown, CSW

ROCKLAND

On May 18 Carla Kandel will discuss "The Home/Career Conflict for Women. For further information call Eileen Steckler.

A membership drive is under way, and prospective members have been attending the chapter bi-monthly meetings. A wine and cheese party will be held on April 16 to encourage these prospective members to become active ones.

Carla Kandel, CSW

STATEN ISLAND

The chapter will host a brunch for local legislators on Sunday, May 16, to discuss current issues in clinical social work; prospective members are invited. Crayton E. Rowe, past president of the State Society and National Federation, will speak on "The Reclamation of the Heritage of Clinical Social Work." Marsha Wineburgh, immediate past president of the Society and current chair of the parity committee, will present a legislative update on parity issues.

WESTCHESTER

Two programs are scheduled in May: On May 8 Robert Butter will speak on "Follow-Up Treatment of the Severely Disturbed Individual." On May 23, a fund-raising brunch will take place at the home of Marjorie Zeidman in Mamaroneck; representatives of various training institutes in Westchester County will describe their institute's programs; the cost is \$25.

This chapter will jointly sponsor a 2-day program with NASW. Bill Hartman will present a "Learn at Lunch" program entitled "DSM-III Demystified" on April 21 and May 12 at the White Plains Library.

Plans are under way by our program committee for our Fall Institute on the subject of "Adolescent Depression and Suicide." James F. Masterson, M.D., will be the keynote speaker on October 16, 1982.

Three continuing education courses are currently under way. "Psychotherapy

with Borderline Personality," instructor, Abby Blair; "Child and Adolescent Therapy: Theory and Practice," instructor, Marvin Sicherman; "Planned Short-Term Therapy," instructor, Robert Feurst.

Rita Benzer, CSW

Because of the unprecedented number of advertisers and consequent limitation on editorial space, Chapter Update has been edited to include only upcoming events. Past activities of chapters could not be included in this issue.

Second International Conference

The Second International Conference on Clinical Social Work, Central Issues in Education for Psychodynamic Social Work Practice: Continuity and Change, will take place at Smith College In Northampton, MA, July 27 to August 1.

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