

(2) CANNOT OBTAIN IMMEDIATE ACCESS TO BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES THROUGH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS.

(C) (1) THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION MAY INCLUDE:

(I) CRISIS SERVICES IN ALL GEOGRAPHIC REGIONS OF THE STATE; AND

(II) SHORT-TERM BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES IN RURAL AREAS OF THE STATE, WHERE EXISTING FEDERAL AND STATE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES ARE DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT TO BE INADEQUATE OR INACCESSIBLE.

(2) THE SHORT-TERM BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1)(II) OF THIS SUBSECTION:

(I) SHALL BE AVAILABLE ONLY UNTIL A VETERAN IS ABLE TO ACCESS AND OBTAIN ADEQUATE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES THROUGH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS; AND

(II) MAY INCLUDE:

1. SCREENING ASSESSMENTS;
2. INDIVIDUAL, FAMILY, AND GROUP THERAPY;
3. SUBSTANCE ABUSE EARLY INTERVENTION AND DETOXIFICATION SERVICES; AND
4. SUBSTANCE ABUSE MEDICATION-ASSISTED TREATMENT.

(3) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL SEEK REIMBURSEMENT FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS OR OTHER RESPONSIBLE PUBLIC OR PRIVATE PAYER FOR ANY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION.

(D) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ACCOUNT SEPARATELY FOR FUNDS USED TO PROVIDE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES TO VETERANS UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION.