

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES  
ADULT MENTAL HEALTH AND RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS  
CENTRAL REFERRAL FORM**

**SEND TO:** Catholic Charities  
Central Referral Office  
290 Front Street  
Binghamton, New York 13905

**Phone:** (607) 723-9991  
**Fax:** (607) 773-7891

*Catholic Charities offers a wide range of Mental Health Services and Residential Services for adults with a mental health diagnosis requiring assistance to live successfully in the community. Use this referral form to refer an individual to one or more services.*

*This referral form and the consent for release of information will begin the initial screening process for all services requested on the form. Once received, referrals will be routed to all services checked.*

- Acceptance into any Catholic Charities Adult Mental Health and Residential Programs will not be contingent upon participation in other Catholic Charities Services.
- Requesting a program does not assure acceptance in that program.

***Incomplete referrals may not be routed until all information is received and may be returned to the referral source for completion for such items as an incorrect or missing release of information or if a program request is absent.***

- Please include as much detail as possible to assist with best serving the consumer.
- Certain services will require additional information and assessments. You will be notified if that is necessary.
- Specific questions regarding requested programs may be directed to the identified program at 723-9991, Residential Services at 723-1804, or Four Seasons Club at 773-1184.

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**A Short Introduction to Releases of Information (ROIs)**

**Which release do I need?**

- Use the Single Entry Committee release if you are referring the client for Case Management or Residential services.
- Use the Catholic Charities release if you are referring the client to Four Seasons, or Transportation.

**What do I need to fill in?**

Complete one release with your organization's name and address in the white box next to the Single Entry Committee or Catholic Charities box. This authorizes your organization to disclose information regarding the client to Single Entry or Catholic Charities (depending on which release is used).

Complete a second release for the client's current mental health provider or any other facility where relevant client records may be obtained: enter the facility name and address in the white box next to the Single Entry Committee or Catholic Charities box. This authorizes Single Entry or Catholic Charities (depending on which release is used) to obtain information from the named facility.

**Who signs?**

The client must sign the document where indicated, print his/her name where indicated, and date it.

A person who witnessed the client signing the document must sign the document, and should include title and date. This should not be an immediate family member. A document that does not include a witness signature is not valid.

**What to attach?**

With a signed release of information naming your organization or facility, you may attach or enclose relevant records originating with your facility.

**Your assistance in getting signed releases** from the client allows us to request records and is greatly appreciated because it enables us to serve the client more quickly and efficiently.

**Please check the Box(es) for Program(s) Requested.**

✓	Programs	Referral Packet Pages 1-3	Releases of Information		Psychiatric Assessment/Evaluation	Form OMH 143a	Community Support Services Functional Assessment Worksheet	CSS Transportation Program Form
			Single Entry Case Management/ Residential Services	Catholic Charities				
<input type="checkbox"/>	SPOE Case Management Services	X	X		X			
<input type="checkbox"/>	ACT	X	X		X			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Residential Services Certified Program	X	X		X			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Supported Housing Independent Living Program	X	X		X			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Seasons	X		X	X	X	X	
<input type="checkbox"/>	CSS Transportation Program	X		X		X	X	X

Agency Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Referral date \_\_\_\_\_  
**Referring Person (Print):** \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Ext \_\_\_\_\_

**1. Consumer Information**

Consumer Name: Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_  
 Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. # \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_ Highest Level of Education Completed \_\_\_\_\_  
 Marital Status: ☐ Single ☐ Married ☐ Divorced ☐ Separated ☐ Widowed Veteran: ☐ No ☐ Yes  
 Emergency Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Relationship to Person: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ethnicity: ☐ White ☐ Native American ☐ Other; specify  
☐ African-American/Black ☐ Latino/Hispanic  
☐ Asian/Asian American ☐ Pacific Islander

**2. Financial Status: (Monthly)** ☐ SSI \$ \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ SSD \$ \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ VA \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Public Assistance \$ \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Medicare #: \_\_\_\_\_ Medicaid CIN#: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Private Ins.: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Managed Care Insurance Provider: ☐ Excellus ☐ Fidelis ☐ CDPHP ☐ United Healthcare ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rep-Payee Services Needed: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown  
 Current Rep-Payee: ☐ No ☐ Unknown ☐ Yes Name \_\_\_\_\_

**3. DSM-IV Diagnosis:** (Code and Description required. Include current psychiatric and chemical addiction diagnoses.)

	Code	Description
Axis I	____ . ____	_____
	____ . ____	_____
Axis II	____ . ____	_____
	____ . ____	_____
Axis III	____ . ____	_____
Axis IV	____ . ____	_____

AOT Candidate: ☐ Yes ☐ No      Current AOT Client: ☐ Yes ☐ No  
 To be completed by **State Psychiatric Center** only: **SPC Long Stay** ☐ Yes ☐ No

**4. Health Care Providers:**

A. Primary Care Physician Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_

B. Outpatient Psychiatrist's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_

C. Current Therapist Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_

D. Current Case/Care Management Services: ☐ Yes ☐ No  
 (If yes, list agency): \_\_\_\_\_

**5. Psychiatric Treatment (Include Forensic):**

A. Inpatient History: (include dates and facility names)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

B. Outpatient History: (include dates and facility names)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**6. Chemical Dependence**

History of Substance/Alcohol Abuse: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown

A. Inpatient History: (include dates and facility names)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

B. Outpatient History: (include dates and facility names)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**7. Conditions that require special services?** ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**8. High Risk Alerts:** (Check if history of the following)

- |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Suicide /Attempts       | <input type="checkbox"/> Assault                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent Crisis Requiring Readmission |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Suicidal Threats        | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Issues                | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-compliance with Medication        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fire Setting            | <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate Sexual Behavior | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-compliance with Appointments      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Violent                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Self-Injurious Behaviors      | <input type="checkbox"/> Victim of Physical/Sexual Abuse       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> History of Homelessness | <input type="checkbox"/> Currently Homeless            |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____   |  |  |

If checked, provide dates and a brief explanation:

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**9. Criminal Justice System.** (Check if current or past history of the following - Provide name of Probation/Parole Officer if current.)

- |   |   |  |
|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conviction of a Crime  | <input type="checkbox"/> Probation, expires _____           | <input type="checkbox"/> CPL Status, expires _____         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Charges Pending        | <input type="checkbox"/> Parole, expires _____              | <input type="checkbox"/> Order of Condition, expires _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Currently Incarcerated | <input type="checkbox"/> Order of Protection, expires _____ |  |

Provide details; please include dates if known: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**10. Cultural Issues** (for example, Language, social interaction, dietary restrictions): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**11. Reason for Referral/Treatment Team Recommendations:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**12. Consumer Statement/Expectations:** What are you hoping to receive from these services? What do you need help with?

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

This statement completed by: ☐ Consumer ☐ Family Member ☐ Advocate ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

☐ I participated in completing this form. ☐ Consumer did not participate. ☐ Referral completed without consumer present.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Consumer (Print) Signature Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Witness (Print) Signature Date

**CONSENT FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION  
FOR SINGLE POINT OF ENTRY FOR CASE MANAGEMENT & RESIDENTIAL SERVICES**

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290 Front Street, Binghamton, New York 13905

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