

THE COUNSELING SOURCE, INC.

POLICY AND PROCEDURE

TITLE: Pharmacotherapy – Treatment Guidelines and Protocols

PURPOSE: To ensure that safe, quality Pharmacotherapy Services are being provided.

POLICY: The Medical Director will maintain and regularly monitor the treatment guidelines and protocols to ensure adherence to best practices in medication administration and Pharmacotherapy services.

PROCEDURE:

- The Counseling Source, Inc., through the efforts of a qualified physician, allows for prescriptions to be written and given to the client or the client's guardian.
- A "Diagnostic Assessment Form" takes history in reference to medication use.
- All services will be provided by a board-certified child/adolescent psychiatrist.

REFERENCED STANDARDS AND REGULATIONS:

Ohio Department of Mental Health Administration Code 5122
CARF Behavioral Health Standards Manual

EFFECTIVE DATE: 8/23/2004

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