

ALLEGHENY COUNTY-OFFICE OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
MENTAL HEALTH RESIDENTIAL ADMISSION CHECKLIST

- Allegheny County Residential Referral form

- A Signed Psychiatric Evaluation stating the current diagnosis. Must be current within 6 months of admission into an LTSR, 1 year for CMHPCH, CRR apartment, CRR Group Home, PCH, and 2 years for Supportive Housing.

- A Signed Physical Exam. Must be current within 6 months of admission into an LTSR, CRR Apartment, CRR Group Home, PCH and 2 years for Supportive Housing. MA-51 must be completed within 60 days prior to admission for CMHPCH. Physical exam must be signed by a physician and not physician's assistant.

- LTSR Only: An LTSR Certificate must be signed and dated by psychiatrist at the time of referral and updated again within 30 days before admission. Individuals must qualify for voluntary treatment under section 201 or involuntary treatment under section 304, 305, or 306 is required. A copy of commitment form is required. Evidence of a severe psychosocial disability as a result of serious mental illness is also required.

- CMHPCH & PCH: An MA-51 must be signed by doctor 60 days prior to admission. A Diagnostic Medical Evaluation (DME) is required as well as the Preadmission Screening Form to be completed 30 days prior to admission. The Personal Care Home Assessment is to be completed by the PCH 15 days after admission.