

Avatar Corrections

Quick Guide

If you make a mistake, you can request to have your document reverted back to draft, deleted, or in the case of some progress notes, we can make changes for you.

Copy and paste your correction request into an email, fill out the template, and then send it to askqi@santacruzcounty.us

Progress Note Deletion and Revert to Draft Template

(fill out completely and send to AskQI@santacruzcounty.us)

Client name & number:
Episode number & name:
Service Date:
Data Entry Date and Time*:
Direct Time:
Primary Service code:
Add-On Code:
Add-On Minutes:
Is the episode still open (Y/N):
Clinician:
Action requested (delete, revert to draft, edit service, etc.):
Reason:
Is this a group note? (Y/N): N

*We might need the data entry date/time to distinguish your note from others in the chart. If your note is unique, then we don't need this information.

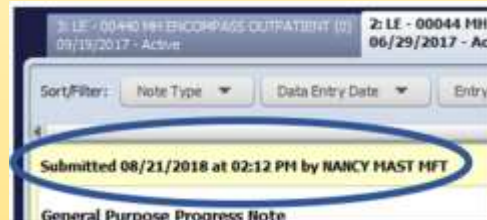
Group Progress Note Deletions (We cannot revert group notes to draft.)

For group note deletions we need information on the entire group, so that we can change the Group Count for the remaining notes.

Client name & number:
Episode number & name:
Service Date:
Data Entry Date and Time*:
Direct Time:
Primary Service code:
Add-On Code:
Add-On Minutes:
Clinician:
Action requested (delete):
Reason:
Is this a group note? (Y/N): Y
Group Count

Even though you made a mistake, you must finalize your notes so that we can delete them.

Sometimes, we might need the submit date and time to delete a note. Find the submit date and time in the client's chart in the Chart View.



Progress Notes must be finalized and co-signed for us to correct. We cannot correct draft notes or notes pending co-signature.

If the problem with your progress note is with the text only, consider using **Append Documents** to add information to the end of your progress note. It might avoid having to revert your note to draft. See the [Avatar Clinicians Manual](#) for more information.

Service Charge Deletion Template

(fill out completely and send to AskQI@santacruzcounty.us)

Client name & number:
 Episode number & name:
 Date(s):
 Service code:
 User:
 Reason:

Service Request and Disposition Log Deletion and Revert to Draft Template

(fill out completely and send to AskQI@santacruzcounty.us)

Program:
 Client name & number:
 Date of SRDL:
 Clinician:
 Reason:

Treatment Plan Deletion and Revert to Draft Template

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Plans that are not valid can be deleted. If you need a treatment plan deleted, follow these instructions. If the plan is signed/finalized, it cannot be deleted or reverted to draft.

Treatment Plan Form (pick one):
 SC SUD Treatment Plan
 SC MH Episodic Treatment Plan
 SC MH Short Term Treatment Plan

Client name & number:
 Episode number & name:
 Plan Type:
 EXACT Plan Name:*
 Authorization Start Date:
 Clinician:
 Action requested (revert to draft, other correction):
 Reason:

*Plan name must be exact. We don't want to delete the wrong plan!

PLEASE, double check your template before sending to ask.qi@santacruzcountyca.gov. This makes it easier for us to process your request and it will get done faster.

Re-Opening Episodes

(fill out completely and send to AskQI@santacruzcountyca.gov)

The most common reason to reopen an episode is to complete progress notes and other documentation. Don't forget to close your episode once you have completed your notes.

Episode Reopening Template

Client number:

Client name:

Episode name and number:

Reason for reopening the episode:

If you are requesting a reopening to complete notes, once you have completed your notes, use the Discharge form (or Pre-Admit Discharge form) to close the episode ASAP.

Deleting Episodes

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If there is no data in an episode, it can be deleted entirely. Before you send in your request, close the episode to prevent other Avatar users from adding information to it.

Episode Deletion Template

Client number:

Client name:

Episode name and number:

Reason for deleting the episode:

Program Transfer

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Request a program transfer to switch an episode between Sequestered and non-Sequestered.

Program Transfer Template

Client number:

Client name:

Episode name and number:

Change Episode name to:

Reason:

Scanned Document Deletions

(fill out completely and send to AskQI@santacruzcountyca.gov)

Client name & number:

Document Category or Form Name*:

Document Description (be EXACT)**:

Document Date:

Episode:

Reason:

*e.g. CLN – Outside Records or MED – Lab Results

**This is the name the scanned document was given, e.g. 112510 Lab Result.

If you need help, talk to your supervisor, your agency's QI staff, or contact County Behavioral Health QI at [AskQI@ santacruzcountyca.gov](mailto:AskQI@santacruzcountyca.gov)

For more detailed information about corrections, see the Avatar Clinicians Manual on the On the Santa Cruz County Health Services Avatar Information Resources Pages [Avatar Clinicians Manual](#) on the On the Santa Cruz County Health Services Avatar Information Resources Pages.

Other Documents

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We can revert many other types of documents (but not all) back to draft.

Form Type (e.g. Psychosocial Assessment, CANS/ANSA):
 Client name & number:
 Episode number & name (if applicable):
 Date of form or note:
 Date and time submitted:
 Action (delete or revert to draft):
 Clinician:
 Reason:

Document Rerouting Template

(fill out completely and send to AskQI@ santacruzcountyca.gov)

If you have routed a document for co-signature to the wrong person, we can reroute the document to the correct person.

Unfortunately, if you forgot to route it completely, we cannot make changes. In this case, request that the document get put back to draft and then you can route it.

Document Type:
 Plan Type (for treatment plans):
 Client number:
 Client name:
 Episode name/number:
 Date: (Service date, assessment date, etc...):
 EXACT Plan Name (for treatment plans):
 Data Entry Date and Time:
 Clinician's name and user number:
 Reason for rerouting:
 Action (Route from A to B):

You can delete many draft documents yourself, including assessments and service request and disposition log entries.

- 1) Act as if you are opening a new document Home Console (not the chart).**
- 2) Select the episode (if applicable).**
- 3) On the next screen, CLICK ONCE on the document row to highlight it. Do not open.**
- 4) Click "Delete" at the bottom of the page.**