# THE CENTENNIAL BRIEFING



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Our mission is to achieve excellence in the provision of behavioral health services that lead to optimal health and well being

#### DOCUMENTATION TIPS 2 DOCUMENTING IN THE PROGRESS NOTE

#### CLIENT APPRECIATION

### Tip #2:

Reason for Visit/Presenting Concern: The reason for visit or presenting concern must align with the particular treatment plan goal selected, and should include information about symptoms being addressed. Example: "Client presents today to continue addressing anxiety symptoms which are impacting her ability to work." "Client presented for scheduled appointment" is NOT a valid Reason for Visit.

#### Tip #3:

Description of Service and Specific Interventions Used: The therapeutic intervention(s) utilized must be described as well as the rationale for their use. Example: "We reviewed the client's Anxiety Journal entries from previous week to better understand specific triggers for anxiety symptoms. We practiced two grounding techniques (Counting Breath, Environmental Scan) that client can use when triggered and client demonstrated ability to perform these techniques independently." "Discussing an issue" is not a Therapeutic Intervention! Hint: If the activity described in the session is akin to something that client could do with a neighbor or friend, it is not a Therapeutic Intervention.

Keep watching each week for more TIPS!

## LIMON REMODEL



The Limon office completed a project that involved new flooring and paint in the waiting room. The look brings a nice fresh atmosphere for our clients.



