ADMINISTRATIVE POLICIES & PROCEDURES

POLICY: MANAGING PATIENTS WITH ADD/ADHD

DESCRIPTION: Describes the policy for the treatment of ADD/ADHD at Lane Community College Health Clinic.

OVERVIEW:
The purpose of this policy is to describe Lane Community College Health Clinic’s response to managing patients with ADD/ADHD.

PROCEDURE:

1) It is the policy of Lane Community College Health Clinic that providers will not diagnose ADD/ADHD.
2) Providers may, at their discretion, prescribe ADD/ADHD medication for patients who have been diagnosed elsewhere by a psychologist, psychiatrist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner. The patient must provide documentation from the diagnosing provider to support the diagnosis which is satisfactory to the Health Clinic provider.
3) If ADD/ADHD medications are prescribed by a Health Clinic provider, a Controlled Medication Agreement/Stimulant and a Risk Notice/Stimulant will be kept in the patient’s record.