Brave is designed to serve a complex population

Brave is a **100% virtual** outpatient mental health provider offering **therapy & medication management** geared **towards complex members**

Purpose built provider



- Full time / W2 providers
- Longitudinal patient care
- Fast access to care (typically <7 days)

Comprehensive care



- Therapy (individual, group & family/ couples)
- Medication management
- Clinical pathways (including SMI, adolescents (13+) & maternal mental health)
- Therapeutic modalities (CBT, DBT, EMDR)

Easy to use technology



- No app needed
- SMS scheduling & rescheduling for patients
- Web-based video sessions (no download needed)
- Quick online referral form
- Real-time confirmation & notifications to referrers



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We support members through various life stages and health challenges

Our programs are built on a foundation of population-specific evidence-based therapies and then tailored to each individual's needs and goals.

We have developed specialized clinical services for individuals within these populations:

Families & Teens in Adolescents Foster Care Serious Mental Chronic Illness Illness Maternal Mental Transitions of Care Health Assisted Living and Seniors Homebound Suicide Prevention

We guide the member throughout their journey







We make connection to care as easy as possible for patients

- Referrals come through our secure online referral form, EHR, or FAX.
- Brave outreach begins within 1-2 hours via phone, SMS, and email.
- Upon connection, Brave explains the services, process, and technology, and schedules the initial appointment.



Referrers are notified when the appointment is made (or the patient cannot be reached).

We assess patients and help them figure out what they need

- The initial appointment includes a comprehensive biopsychosocial assessment by a clinician.
- The assessment includes PHQ-9,
 GAD-7 and other instruments.
- The clinician creates an individualized treatment plan, which may include a Medication Intake referral for Brave's medication management team.



Referrers are notified when assessment is complete, and if the patient is not admitted.

We have a team-based approach to get them to the right modality

- The **therapist coordinates resources** per the treatment plan.
- Patients may receive medication management.
- Tailored therapies include solution-focused CBT, DBT, EMDR and specialized services.
- Group sessions and/or family and couples counseling may be offered to align with treatment goals.



Referrers are notified as future appointments are scheduled.



Our model improves outcomes



Our proprietary clinical model, comprehensive virtual outpatient services, and tech-enabled engagement gets results

Performance Quality Metrics

25%

73%

37%

71

6.8

7

Average PHQ9/GAD7 Improvement

BH Admission Reduction Treated Rate

Net Promoter Score (Member) Avg Days to First Scheduled Appointment Average Length of Care (Months)

Quality Management at Brave

- Clinical Quality Team ensures we meet the high standards we set
 - Chart review, clinical escalation, HEDIS measure monitoring, training
- Expertise that allows for differentiated care delivery
 - Programmatic expertise (e.g., EMDR, PMAD, DBT)
 - Specialized clinical pathways
- Integrated care between services

Members come to Brave through 3 key pathways

Establishing these 3 referral streams enables Brave to connect with individuals across the different areas of the healthcare ecosystem.

Member facing teams



Member facing teams connect members presenting to the health plan

- Train care managers, care coordinators, patient advocates, etc. to effectively discuss Brave with members fostering engagement in care
- Train managers on effective change management techniques to enable adoption

External providers



External or affiliated providers connect **members presenting to providers**

- Providers identifying need
- Support providers (i.e. PCP, OBGYN, facilities etc.) with fast access when mental health need is identified

Self-referrals



Health plan member engagement connect member intending to self-serve

- Members can self-refer
- Plug into **existing member communication channels** to drive awareness
 - Provider directory, Website, Social media, Newsletters (member & provider),
 Direct mail