

26 recidivism of involuntary commitments under the Baker Act by law
27 enforcement, reduce the time burden of law enforcement
28 completing follow-up work with persons after commitment under
29 the Baker Act, provide additional crisis intervention services,
30 assist persons with engagement in mental health care, and give
31 persons another option for mental health crisis intervention
32 other than the use of law enforcement.

33 (b) A community mobile support team crisis counselor
34 shall, at a minimum:

35 1. Provide follow-up care to individuals in the community
36 that law enforcement has identified as needing additional mental
37 health support.

38 2. Conduct home visits to assist a person with connecting
39 with the appropriate aftercare services in his or her community
40 following his or her discharge from a Baker Act receiving
41 facility.

42 3. Provide support to aid a person during the transition
43 period from his or her release from commitment under the Baker
44 Act to connection with aftercare services.

45 4. Provide brief crisis counseling and assessment for
46 additional needs.

47 (c) A community mobile support team shall offer, at a
48 minimum, all of the following services:

49 1. Crisis assessment.

50 2. Community-based crisis counseling.

51 3. In-person, follow-up care after involuntary commitment
 52 under the Baker Act by a law enforcement officer.

53 4. Assistance with accessing and engaging in aftercare
 54 services.

55 5. Assistance with obtaining other necessary community
 56 resources to maintain stability.

57 6. Coordination of safety planning.

58 (d) A community mental health center contracted by a
 59 managing entity to provide a community mobile support team must:

60 1. Collaborate with local law enforcement offices in the
 61 planning, development, and program evaluation processes.

62 2. Require that services be made available 7 days a week.

63 3. Establish independent response protocols and
 64 memorandums of understanding with local law enforcement
 65 agencies.

66 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.