



## **Comprehensive Care Connection (C<sup>3</sup>) Program**

Compass provides comprehensive crisis behavioral health and substance abuse services for patients receiving treatment in hospitals throughout Arizona. This emergent care is initiated at the hospital during a crisis event and is maintained, post discharge, to support the patient in symptom stability and to assist in establishing a smooth transition into ongoing behavioral health care.

**An emergency condition exists when a person's health and safety are at risk, or when the person is at risk of harming others, as a result of their mental condition. Medical necessity in psychological terms means that the person may be experiencing any of the following:**

- ❖ Altered mental status
- ❖ Psychosis
- ❖ Intoxication
- ❖ Is a danger to self or others (suicidal or homicidal ideations alone are enough to consider the person as having an emergent psychological condition, the person does not need to express a plan, means or intent)

### **Hospital Based Services**

Compass offers a variety of services for patients, within the hospital setting, to address clinical needs and support hospital staff providing the best possible patient care:

- ❖ Crisis screening and assessment
- ❖ Intervention and Stabilization
- ❖ Medication Consultation
- ❖ Treatment and discharge planning coordinated with the treatment team
- ❖ Coordination of care for patients needing specialized aftercare or transfer to a higher level of care

### **Aftercare Services**

As part of our commitment to the best possible patient care, Compass has established a transitional care program to assist our patients in maintaining symptom stability, once they have left the hospital, while we support them in establishing ongoing outpatient support services and resources. These aftercare services include:

- ❖ Psychiatric Consultation with a medication review
- ❖ Outpatient Counseling
- ❖ Transitional Case Management

**To arrange for crisis services, call 602-633-6222**