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*Providing Behavioral Healthcare and Developmental Disabilities Services*

## Application for Residential Services

Thank you for your interest in the Behavior Treatment and Training Center (BTTC). The BTTC provides short-term Residential Services to Medicaid eligible children who meet the following criteria.

- 1) **Age:** 8 years old to 17 years old. Each child must have a legally authorized representative for consent purposes (example: parent, guardian, or managing conservator).
- 2) **Diagnosis:** A diagnosis of Mental Retardation, Autism, or Pervasive Developmental Disorder is required. An adaptive behavior level of II, III, or IV is required for individuals who are diagnosed with Autism or Pervasive Developmental Disorder.
- 3) **Behavior:** Behavior must threaten continued residence in the family home or group home, pose imminent risk of injury, or severely disrupt current programming or services in the community.
- 4) **Service Area:** All Texas Counties.
- 5) **Discharge Site:** Prior to admission, each family must agree to take the child back in the home.
- 6) **Family Involvement:** Family must be willing to make a time commitment to learn and practice specific skills necessary for the child's behavior to continue improving even after discharging from the BTTC. This will involve regular meetings at the BTTC.
- 7) **Payment:** Child should be receiving Medicaid benefits or be able to meet all financial and medical criteria to qualify for Medicaid once admitted without Medicaid.

Please complete the following application for services as thoroughly as possible and attach all appropriate documentation as noted. For assistance in completing this application, contact your service coordinator from the Mental Retardation Authority. For information about the BTTC, email Peter Khwatenge at [peter.khwatenge@texanacenter.com](mailto:peter.khwatenge@texanacenter.com) or Tracy Woods at [tracy.woods@texanacenter.com](mailto:tracy.woods@texanacenter.com). You may also call Peter or Tracy at 1-800-304-6047

### **Residential applicants must enclose copies of the following:**

1. ICAP Computer Printout and copy of ICAP booklet (completed by local MRA).
2. Determination of Mental Retardation (completed by local MRA).
3. Psychiatric Hospitalizations Discharge Reports.
4. Copy of current month's Medicaid form letter.
5. Copy of current private health insurance card: (front & back).
6. Copy of birth certificate.
7. Copy of Social Security card.
8. Immunization Records (including Hepatitis B series vaccine).
9. Legal documents (if caregiver is not the natural parent or if child has joint custody).
10. One recent close up picture of the child (showing chest and face).
11. One recent picture of child showing the full body.

**Once a child is accepted into the residential program, the following information shall be needed. Do not send the items below with the application:**

1. DMR Update – not older than 3 Months at time of admission (completed by MRA).
2. Hard copy of permanency planning tool (PP) for children.
3. Copy of the approved Permanency Plan from the care screen 249. Do not complete at time of application. (Completed by local MRA).
4. Proof of current TB skin test (not older than 1 year at time of admission).
5. Documentation of current tetanus shot (not older than 10 years).
6. Copy of current physician's orders for all medication(s) the child is taking. PRN medications are not permissible.
7. Current of Medicaid form letter.
8. Copy of private health insurance card (front & back).
9. Current school ARD/IEP objectives.



**What is the most severe problem behavior(s)?**

**Problem Behavior**

**Definition**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

**Critical Situations (For the Most Serious Problem Behaviors)**

Problem	When did this problem begin?	How often does it happen?		
		Daily	Weekly	Monthly
# 1 Above				
# 2 Above				
# 3 Above				

Describe the situation in which the **most serious** problem behavior is **most likely** to occur.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Describe the situation in which the **most serious** problem behavior is **least likely** to occur.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Is he/she most likely to hit other children, parents, teachers, strangers or does he/she hit all of the persons listed here equally?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Negative Effects of Most Severe Problem Behaviors**

Are there any places you cannot take your child because of his/her problem behavior? If yes, list & briefly explain what has happened:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Restraint (physically holding child to prevent injury to self or others):**

Has restraint been used for these problem behaviors? \_\_\_ YES \_\_\_ NO. If yes, what type of physical restraint?

How often is it used? \_\_\_\_\_

Has personal restraint been used in the home? \_\_\_ YES \_\_\_ NO

Has personal restraint been used at school or group? \_\_\_ YES \_\_\_ NO

What happens soon after the restraint? \_\_\_ Child resumes original activity \_\_\_ Child is allowed to rest

\_\_\_ Child is given something \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Does child have a behavior management plan?  YES  NO. If yes, who developed the plan? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ . When was plan developed? \_\_\_\_\_.

What consequences are delivered for misbehavior?  Time out  Loss of privilege  Extinction  
 Other consequences: \_\_\_\_\_

What reinforcers do you use for appropriate behavior? \_\_\_\_\_

How effective is the behavior management plan?  Very effective  Marginally effective  Not effective at all.  
 Used to work but not any more: Why do you think the plan no longer works? \_\_\_\_\_

**Medical Treatment:**

Have any of these problem behaviors caused anyone to seek medical treatment for injury?  YES  NO. If yes, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

**Police Involvement:**

Have any of the problem behaviors caused anyone to call the police or law enforcement to intervene?  YES  
 NO. If yes, explain. \_\_\_\_\_

Has child ever been arrested?  YES  NO. If Yes, did child see a judge?  YES  NO

Is child on probation?  YES  NO. If Yes, how long is the probationary period? \_\_\_\_\_ Months.

What is the offense child is charged with? \_\_\_\_\_

**Hospitalization:**

Have these problem behaviors caused the child to be admitted to a Psychiatric Hospital or other facility?  YES  
 NO. If yes, what behavior? What are the places and dates.

Name of Hospital	Date Admitted	Date Discharged

**Program Discharge:**

Has any of the problem behaviors caused a school, hospital, or residential program to discharge him/her?  YES  
 NO If yes, give names and dates.

Name of Program	Date Discharged	Reason for Discharge

**Functional Skills**

Please circle **one item** for each question to tell us what your child does.

1. Talks or communicates with:  
 Non-verbal signs or gestures / single words / 2-3 words / complete sentences
2. Eating:  
 Eats with fingers / uses utensils / prepares own food
3. Toileting:  
 Needs toilet training / uses toilet when prompted / self-initiates
4. Teeth Brushing:  
 Needs total assistance / needs slight assistance / brushes teeth independently



Name of Current Psychiatrist: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the child take his/her own medications? \_\_\_ YES \_\_\_ NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Can the child swallow pills? \_\_\_ YES \_\_\_ NO, Explain how medications are given & the child's cooperativeness: \_\_\_\_\_

Please List psychotropic drugs that have been tried in the past and the reason(s) for discontinuation: (Attach separate paper as needed).

Medication Name	When Used	Reason Medication was Discontinued

**Tell Us About the Current Health Problems or Complaints:**

Does child have seizures? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If Yes, Date of last seizure? \_\_\_\_\_

Type of seizures: \_\_\_\_\_ How long does seizures last? \_\_\_\_\_ Seconds. How often do seizures occur?: \_\_\_\_\_ /day/week/month/year: circle one. What do you do when child has a seizures? \_\_\_\_\_

Is child under the care of a Neurologist? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No.

Name of Neurologist: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Does child have diabetes? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If Yes, list the medications being given to child: \_\_\_\_\_

Does child have hypertension? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If Yes, is child on medication? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If Yes, list medications: \_\_\_\_\_

Does child have Asthma? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If Yes, List medications: \_\_\_\_\_

Does child have any heart condition? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If yes, give the cardiologist's name and telephone #:

Cardiologist Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Does child have any other medical/health problems? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If Yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the child have dental problems? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of last dental visit. \_\_\_\_\_ Results: \_\_\_\_\_

Has the child been hospitalized (for health reasons) in the last two years? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No

If Yes, Date hospitalized? \_\_\_\_\_. For how long? \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for hospitalization: \_\_\_\_\_

Has the child had any surgeries? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If Yes, When? \_\_\_\_\_

Type of surgery: \_\_\_\_\_

Has child had any significant weight **Gain** or **Loss** in the last 12 months? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. Explain the weight Gain or Loss: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the child on a special diet? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If Yes, Type of diet: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the child have physical limitations? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**This Section For Female Applicants Only:**

Has the child begun her menstrual cycle? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. Year cycles begun: \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, are the menstrual cycles normal? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If No, Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the child on any form of birth control? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If Yes, what form of birth control? \_\_\_\_\_

Is Child able to care for personal hygiene during menstruation? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No. If no, how much assistance does she need? \_\_\_\_\_. Who assists her? \_\_\_\_\_

**Complete This Section for All Applicants:**

List all the allergies the child has:

Food Allergies	Medication Allergies	Other Allergies

Does Child have Hearing Problems? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No. If Yes, does child wear hearing aids? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No.

Does Child have Visual Problems? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. Does child wear prescription glasses? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No.

Date of Last Visual Examination: \_\_\_\_\_

Does Child Have Gait or Ambulation Problems? \_\_\_ Yes. \_\_\_ No. If Yes, Explain. \_\_\_\_\_

**Information on the person completing the form:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ -- \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ -- \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Training Preference:**

I/We agree to attend training sessions at the BTTC on the following schedule: \_\_\_ Weekly \_\_\_ Bi-Weekly \_\_\_ Monthly

I/We agree to attend a minimum of 40 hours of training during my/our child's stay as follows: \_\_\_ 2 Hrs. \_\_\_ 3 Hrs.

\_\_\_ ½ Day \_\_\_ Full Day \_\_\_ Other Schedule (explain) \_\_\_\_\_ per training session.

If the person completing this application form is other than the parent or Legally Authorized Representative (LAR), the LAR must read the application and sign below acknowledging the accuracy of the information in the application.

I/We acknowledge the information contained in this application to be accurate to the best of my recollection and that I am seeking **short term residential services for my child.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to child: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail Completed Form to:**

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