



December 2018

Children's Enhancement Project Summary and Discussion



Ground Rules

- Avoid repeat questions
- Everyone has a right to be heard
- Strive for solution-focused comments
- Be respectful
- Some comments may not receive an answer today but all input will be recorded so team can review, respond and post to project website
- Building specifics (restrooms, exits, etc.) can be answered by regional staff



Services



- ▶ Intervention (formerly known as Habilitative Intervention)
 - ▶ Can continue to keep your current DDA
 - ▶ Amount of intervention not based on a budget; based on need
 - ▶ Hours of intervention determined by an assessment completed with your chosen provider
 - ▶ Can choose to access until 21 years of age
- ▶ Supports continue to be determined by a budget
 - ▶ Can choose services through a DDA or Family Directed Services
 - ▶ Continue to write supports plan with Department case manager



Service Names

- ▶ Intervention
 - ▶ Habilitative Skill (formerly HI)
 - ▶ Behavioral Intervention (formerly HI)
 - ▶ Behavioral Consultation
 - ▶ Interdisciplinary Training
 - ▶ Crisis Intervention
- ▶ Supports
 - ▶ Respite
 - ▶ Adolescent Respite (proposed new service)
 - ▶ Habilitative Supports
 - ▶ Family Education
 - ▶ Family Directed Service



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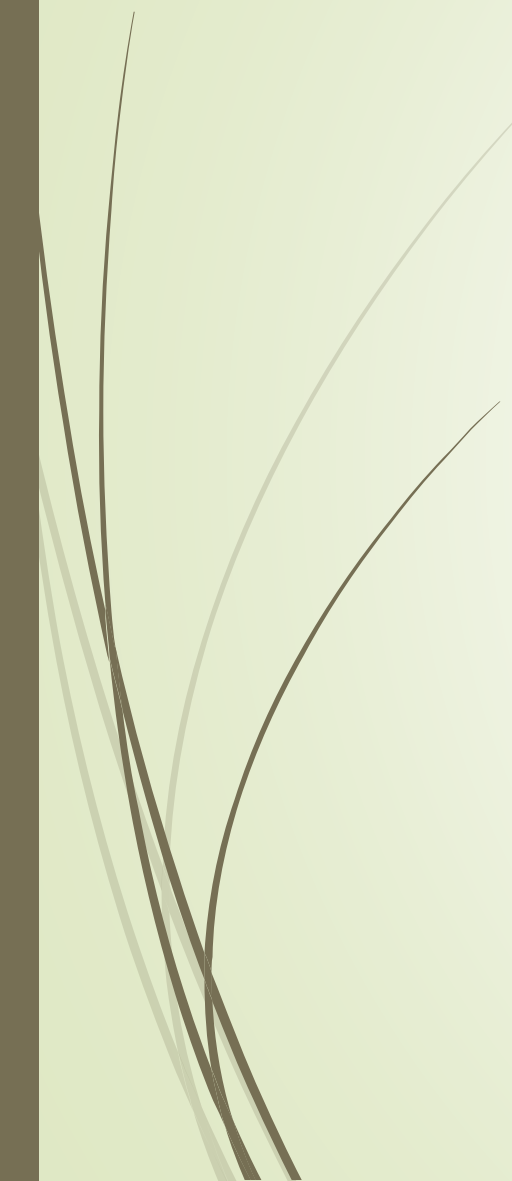


Screening for Intervention Services

- ▶ Because intervention services do not require a developmental disability diagnosis, a screening is used to determine a child has a need for intervention.
- ▶ Screening process will determine if a child has deficits in any of the following area(s):
 - ▶ Self-care, receptive and expressive language, learning, mobility, self-direction, capacity for independent living, or economic self-sufficiency
- ▶ A child age 0-21 whose screening shows a deficit in at least three (3) of the above areas will be able to access intervention services.

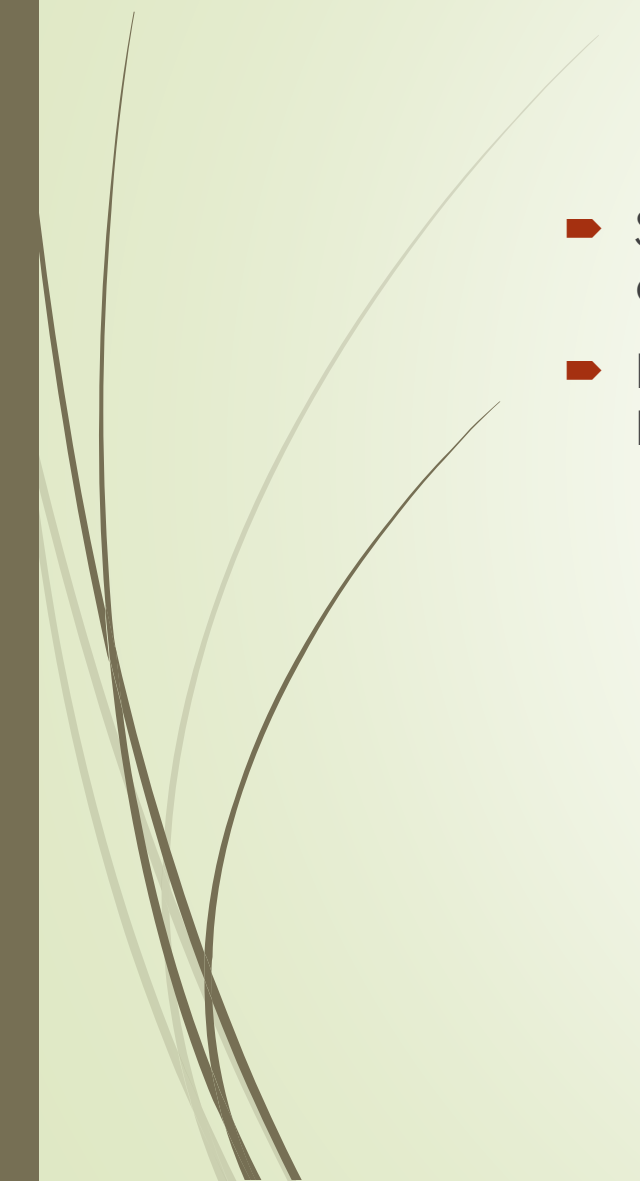


Assessment and Clinical Treatment Plan

- ▶ Similar to the HI Evaluation completed today
 - ▶ Completed with the family by the child's chosen intervention provider
 - ▶ Includes observations, review of records and other services, assessments, etc.
 - ▶ Results in a recommendation of hours of intervention a child needs that is submitted for prior authorization.
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Eligibility for Supports Services

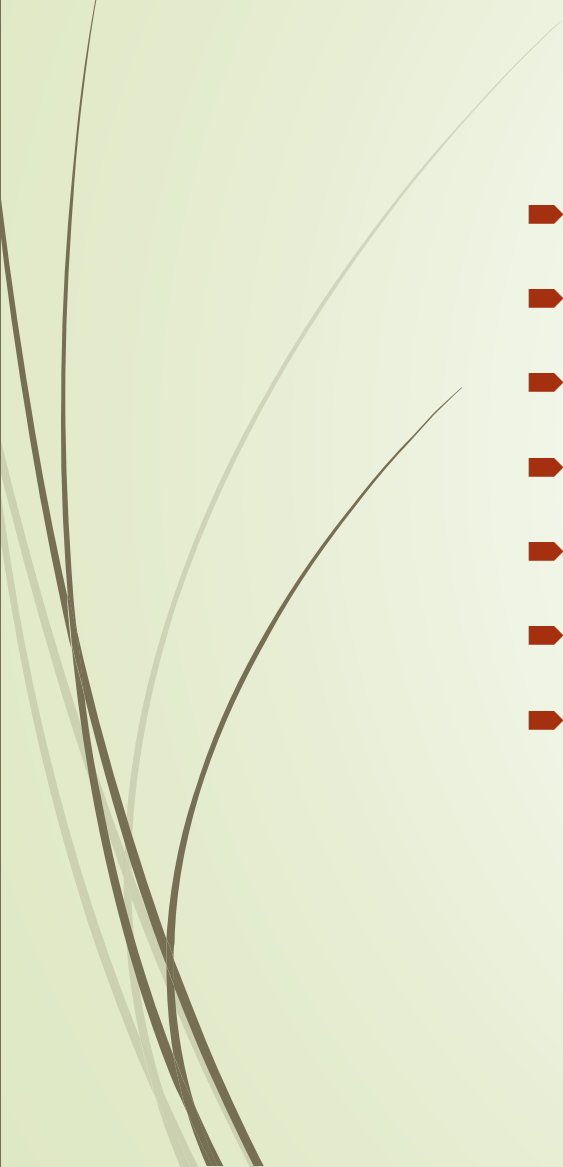
- ▶ Support Services will continue to require a developmental disability diagnosis.
 - ▶ Eligibility will continue to be completed by the Independent Assessment Provider (Liberty Healthcare)
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Providers for Intervention

- ▶ Habilitative Skills Technician
 - ▶ Intervention Specialist
 - ▶ Intervention Professional
 - ▶ School-Based Paraprofessional
 - ▶ Evidence-Based Paraprofessional
 - ▶ Independent Intervention Specialist
 - ▶ Independent Intervention Professional
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Providers for Supports

- ▶ Traditional
 - ▶ Habilitative Supports Staff
 - ▶ Respite Staff
 - ▶ Adolescent Respite Staff
 - ▶ Family Education Staff
- ▶ Family Directed Services
 - ▶ Community Support Worker
 - ▶ Support Broker
 - ▶ Fiscal Employer Agent



Provider Requirements

► Intervention

- Specialist – Bachelor's degree, 1040 hours of experience, and meets competency requirements
 - Can provide habilitative skill, behavior intervention, family training, and interdisciplinary training.
- Professional – Master's degree, 1200 hours of experience, and meets competency requirements
 - Can provide habilitative skill, behavior intervention, family training, and interdisciplinary training.
- Independent Specialist – Bachelor's degree, 1040 hours of experience, meets competency requirements, and holds a Medicaid Provider Agreement.
 - Can provide habilitative skill, behavior intervention, family training, and interdisciplinary training.
- Independent Professional - Master's degree, 1200 hours of experience, meets competency requirements, and a Medicaid Provider Agreement.
 - Master's degree, 1200 hours of experience, and meets competency requirement



Provider Requirements (cont.)

► Supports

- Habilitative Supports Staff – 18 years of age, high school diploma or GED
 - Can provide habilitative supports and DDA respite
- DDA Respite Staff – 16 years of age and employed by DDA
 - Can provide respite within a DDA. Can provide respite or adolescent respite.
- Independent Respite Staff – 18 years of age, high school diploma or GED, enroll as Medicaid provider.
 - Can provide respite in the child's home or the provider's home. Can provide respite or adolescent respite.
- Family Education – Bachelor's degree, 1040 hours, and meets competency requirements
 - Can provide family education, habilitative supports, and respite.



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