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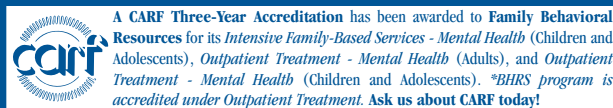
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Family Behavioral Resources

Here, caring is everything

SPECIALIZED AUTISM SERVICES



Family Focused Therapy

Current studies have shown that Autism affects 1 in 110 children, 1 in 70 boys (Center for Disease Control, American Academy of Pediatrics). If your loved one is affected, our Specialized Autism Services can make a difference.

There is hope for tomorrow.

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MISSION STATEMENT

It is the mission of Family Behavioral Resources to be a leader in delivering the highest quality of recovery-oriented mental health services. Services are designed in accordance with FBR's philosophy of care, and delivered through a variety of theoretical approaches and interventions based on evidence-based practice. We are committed to supporting children, families and their surrounding community with quality care which upholds the utmost integrity. *Here, caring is everything.*

OUR PHILOSOPHY

FBR does not embrace one specific method or theory to treat our consumers. We respect children's unique perspectives, culture, learning styles and behavioral needs as well as the family's identification and prioritization of current need areas.

In accordance with guidelines for best practice service provision for children with an ASD diagnosis per the Bureau of Autism Services (BAS) and the Office of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services (OMHSAS), each consumer is afforded the opportunity to consent to the completion of a functional behavioral assessment (FBA) at the on-set of treatment. Information gathered during the FBA is utilized in order to develop a comprehensive and individualized treatment and behavioral intervention plan. An FBA is also available at any time throughout the course of treatment if indicated by a change in consumer behavioral presentation.

WHAT IS AUTISM?

Autism is a broad diagnostic category, which is why it is referred to as a "spectrum disorder." Children within the autism spectrum are diagnosed as having one of the following:

- *Autistic Disorder*
- *Asperger's Syndrome*
- *Pervasive Development Disorder, NOS*
- *Rett's Syndrome*
- *Childhood Disintegrative Disorder*

Although children diagnosed with an ASD are truly unique, there are three areas of impairment associated with this diagnosis: communication, social interaction and stereotypical and repetitive behaviors.

TREATMENT APPROACH

FBR ensures that all therapeutic approaches utilized within the provision of services fall within the framework of Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) and/or research-based behavioral health treatment. Staff work collaboratively with each consumer's family and extended support system in order to identify and implement appropriate intervention(s) to target the individualized needs of each consumer.

Current treatment approaches utilized include modalities based in Applied Behavior Analysis. Examples of such include Applied Verbal Behavior (AVB), Discrete Trial Training (DTT), and Precision Teaching. Our team also trains staff in Picture Exchange Communication System (PECS), Treatment and Education of Autistic and Related Communication-Handicapped Children (TEACCH), and therapeutic play.

SPECIALIZED AUTISM SERVICES

FBR offers comprehensive services to children and families affected by Autism Spectrum Disorders. FBR has developed a specialized Autism Team comprised of individuals who exemplify a level of expertise in the provision of autism services. This team works to ensure and enhance the quality of services, expand the continuum of care for those on the spectrum, and train clinicians to excel in meeting the individual needs of the children we serve. The Autism Team consists of Autism Coordinators (AC), Regional Directors of Autism Services (RDAS), and a Family Support Coordinator.

Each office is supported by either a RDAS or AC that provides clinical oversight of all autism cases served within their identified region/office. This includes, but is not limited to initial assessment and program development, ongoing clinical support for lead clinicians supporting consumers with an ASD diagnosis by conducting weekly Clinical Consultation & Collaboration, providing Clinical Case Consultations and completing Case Reviews.

In addition, the Autism Team is committed to participating in the global quality of autism services at FBR through the development of new trainings, programs, and community outreach efforts. Current outreach efforts include:

- *Family Support Groups*
- *Social Skill / Play Groups*
- *Sibling Groups*
- *Resource Packages / Information Guides*
- *Parent – Professional Workshops*
- *School Trainings and Consultations*
- *H.O.P.E. (Helping Others Potential Expand) for Tomorrow Focus Groups*
- *Summer Therapeutic Activities Programs (STAP)*

Our Family Support Coordinator, Catherine Hughes, is a parent of a child formerly diagnosed on the autism spectrum. She is available for identifying community resources, information, as well as provides caring support for families.

Specialized Autism Services at FBR are under the oversight of our Chief Operating Officer, Rick J. Murray, LSW, BCBA. He is also a member of the Professional Advisory Council for the Advisory Board on Autism and Related Disorders (ABOARD), and is a founding board member for the Greater Pittsburgh Chapter of Autism Speaks.

