

FUNCTIONAL BEHAVIORAL ASSESSMENT

Client Name:	Client MR#:	Medicaid#:
Referring Agency:	Caregiver:	Date of Birth:
Date of Assessment:		Age:
Date of Report:	Person Completing Form:	

Functional Behavioral Assessment

The functional behavioral assessment (FBA) is for the purpose of helping to understand the function of a client's behavior and the behavior intervention plan (BIP) is to provide strategies and interventions when (1) behavior problems interfere with the function's during activities of daily living (ADL's), (2) behavior problems interfere with others, or (3) when the client has to be removed to another placement.

DATA SOURCES:

Documentation of previous behavioral problems	□ Discipline records (frequency and conduct –
	while in school, etc.)
□ Written documentation of previous assessments	Behavior checklist
produced by counselors, caregivers and/or	
administrators	
Observations observations by:	Observations provided by other services
	provider(s)
Evaluations provided by the school district or	□ Additional information from outside agencies
Metrocare	
Behavior Intervention Plan developed	Information from client
on:	
Caregiver/Parent information	□ Attendance
	Formal Observation:
Other:	

BEHAVIORS REPORTED:

Place a check mark in the C column for parent observed behaviors. Place a check mark in the A column for agency observed behaviors. There may be a checkmark in both columns for same behavior. (Limit to three primary concerns)

Caregiver Observed Behavior	Agency Observed Behavior	Behaviors Observed
		Disruptions.
		Where?
		Verbal aggression
		Physical aggression
		Tardiness/late for activities
		Task refusal
		Refusal to follow directions
		Drug/weapon related
		Alleged felony offense
		Other:

Behavior Problem:

WHAT TYPICALLY HAPPENS BEFORE THE PROBLEM BEHAVIOR OCCURS (Antecedents):

Caregiver Observed Behavior	Agency Observed Behavior	Behaviors Observed
		Request/directive from caregiver
		Redirected from inappropriate activity
		Engaged in academic activity
		Client was in less structured setting (i.e. hallways, cafeteria)
		Noncompliance
		Provocation by peers
		Off task behaviors:
		Sensory overload
		Other:
		Other:

		Other:			
		After praise in front of others			
		After earning a reinforcer			
		When peer is reinforced			
		Large group activity			
		Whole group activity			
		Small group activity			
		Emotionally upset or anxious			
		With unfamiliar people (i.e. new caregiver)			
		When peer is corrected			
		Other:			
Additional Information:					

WHAT TYPICALLY HAPPENS AFTER THE PROBLEM BEHAVIOR OCCURS:

Caregiver Observed Behavior	Agency Observed Behavior	Behaviors Observed
		Positive social reinforcement from
		others:
		Removal/discontinuation of the
		undesirable activity/object
		Obtains desired item or activity
		Withdraw requirement for
		compliance
		Corrective feedback
		Removal from the current
		situation/area
		Sent to the caregiver
		Detention/removal / Partial
		removal
		Suspension from the
		program/agency
		Suspension/emergency removal
		Verbal reprimand
		Removal of privileges/activity
		Time out
		Restraint:
		Ignored
		Called caregiver
		Police called
		Directed to task
		Sent to cool-off

	Area cleared of other people
	Other:

Additional Information:

REINFORCERS USED IN THE PAST YEAR AND EFFECTIVENESS:

Use the chart to enter the effectiveness rating

- (1) seems to work effectively (2) worked initially but not now (3) works inconsistently
- (4) made the behavior increase
- (5) made no difference

Effectiveness		Effectiveness		Effectiveness	
	Tangible items		Point/token		Earned
			system		activities/
					Privileges
	Sensory-based		Behavior chart		Public social
					attention
	Job		Verbal praise		Private social
	responsibility				attention
	Reward		Other:		Other:
	system				
	Other:		Other:		Other:
Additional Information:					

CONSEQUENCES USED IN THE PAST YEAR AND EFFECTIVENESS:

Use the chart to enter the effectiveness rating

(1) seems to work effectively (2) worked initially but not now (3) works inconsistently

(4) made the behavior increase

(2)	worked initially but he	π
(5)	made no difference	

Effectiveness		Effectiveness		Effectiveness	
	Ignored		Redirected		Verbal
	behavior				correction
	Time-out		Private		Removed from
			correction only		group
	Failed to earn		Detention		Restitution
	Reinforcers				
	Physical		Suspension		Called police
	intervention				
	Emergency		Visually based		Removed a
	removal		System		reinforcer
					that was
					already
					earned
Additional Inform	ation:				

FUNCTION OF BEHAVIOR:	CN	ES	RV	AT	SS
Disruption of room/area:					
Verbal aggression					
Physical aggression					
Tardiness/Late to activities					
Absences from program/day habilitation					
Task refusal					
Refusal to follow directions					
Drug/weapon related					
Alleged felony offense					
Other:					

Legend: CN=Control ES=Escape RV=Revenge AT=Attention seeking SS=Sensory stimulation

CLIENT INFORMATION/INPUT: Summarize information provided by the student

BEHAVIORAL STRENGTHS:

LIST OF CURRENT MEDICATIONS TAKEN AND WHAT THEY ARE TREATING (use an additional sheet of paper if needed):

	NAME OF MEDICATION/(DOSAGE)	REASON FOR MEDICATION (DIAGNOSIS, IF POSSIBLE)
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LIST OF CURRENT DIAGNOSES (please check all that apply):

Alcohol/Substance Abuse	Anxiety Disorder	Attention Deficit / Hyperactivity Disorder (ADD/ADHD)
Bipolar Disorder	Depression	Eating Disorders
Obsessive-Compulsive	Posttraumatic Stress	Schizophrenia
Disorder	Disorder	
Social Anxiety Phobia	Insomnia Disorder	Narcolepsy
Adjustment Disorder	Delusional Disorder	Dysthymic Disorder
Hoarding Disorder	Kleptomania	Major Neurocognitive
_		Disorder
Minor Neurocognitive	Panic Attack	Parkinson's Disease
Disorder		
Intellectual Disability	Learning Disability	Unspecified Psychotic
		Disorder
Pyromania	Reactive Attachment	Somatic Symptom
	Disorder	Disorder
Narcissistic Personality	Borderline Personality	Antisocial Personality
Disorder	Disorder	Disorder
Avoidant Personality	Dependent Personality	Stuttering
Disorder	Disorder	_
Tourette's Disorder	Transient Tic Disorder	Social (pragmatic)
		Communication Disorder
Selective Mutism	Autism	Conduct Disorder
Attachment Disorder	Autism Spectrum	Other:
	Disorders (formerly	
	Asperger's & Rhett's)	
Other:	Other:	Other:

RESULTS AND INTERPRETATIONS OF EXISTING DATA AND FUNCTIONAL BEHAVIORAL ASSESSMENT (*Do not complete the section below*):

Based on the existing data and information

☐ Yes	□ No	Further assessment information is needed before completing the Functional Behavioral Assessment or developing a Behavior Intervention Plan. The following data are requested:
🗌 Yes	🗌 No	The client's behavior interferes with social interaction, ability to interact with others, and/or affects his ability to be independent. If YES, a Behavior Intervention Plan should be developed/reviewed/revised.

Names of personnel contributing to the Functional Behavioral Assessment.

Name

Name	Position
Name	Position
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