

In-Person Care During COVID-19

It has been determined by this provider that the benefits of face-to-face services during the COVID-19 pandemic outweigh the potential risks and can be provided in a manner that adheres to CDC guidelines for families, healthcare professionals and the public. Telehealth, other alternatives or pausing care were not deemed clinically appropriate for the following reason:
(Please list rationale)

This provider agrees to the following to ensure maximum safety for all service participants:

Prior to Practitioner entering the home:

- Practitioner will inquire if the client or anyone in the home (household contacts) had contact with a person who is under current investigation (advised or required to quarantine) for COVID-19.
- Practitioner will inquire if the client or anyone in the home (household contacts) has a fever or respiratory symptoms (such as cough or trouble breathing).
 - *If the answer to either of the above is yes, the Practitioner will notify their supervisor immediately from outside the home and cancel the session.*

At each session:

- Delivery of in-person care will be done safely and in conformance with all applicable local, state and federal infection control requirements and guidance (regarding federal guidance, the CDC website provides current information on how to protect oneself and others from coronavirus).

If the provider cannot ensure that they can safely render in-person care consistent with all applicable infection control requirements and guidance, and telehealth is not an appropriate alternative or the parent declines telehealth visits, services should be paused. If there is a pause of treatment, the BHPN will be notified immediately.

CDC Guidelines for Healthcare Professionals: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/hcp/index.html>

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