



While North Dakota Medicaid currently reimburses applied behavior analysis as a billable service for children diagnosed with autism spectrum disorder, the **North Dakota Association of Behavior Analysis** and its Membership are writing to kindly provide additional information on the usage of applied behavior analysis to both assess and treat common behavioral problems across the lifespan for individuals with a variety of psychological and medical diagnoses.

Peer-reviewed research and case studies have demonstrated that the implementation of behavior analytic treatments have remediated, and effectively treated symptomology related to developmental/dental/medical/psychological/cognitive disorders for pediatric, adult, and geriatric populations. Limiting reimbursement to children diagnosed with autism spectrum disorder may prevent medically-necessary and efficacious treatment that address improvement of symptomology related to specific disorders. Several peer-reviewed journals have published demonstrations of efficacious treatment utilizing behavior analytic principles and techniques to treat a wide-variety of disorders over the lifespan. Such journals include: *Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis*, *Behavior Modification*, *Behavioral Interventions*, *Analysis of Verbal Behavior*, *Autism*, *Autism Research*, *Behavior Analysis in Practice*, *Behavior Analysis: Research and Practice*, *Education and Training in Autism and Developmental Disabilities*, *Journal of Autism and Developmental Disorders*, *Journal of Behavioral Education*, *Journal of Experimental Analysis of Behavior*, *Perspectives on Behavior Science*, *Research in Autism Spectrum Disorders*, *Research in Developmental Disabilities*, and *Clinical Case Studies*. Applied behavior analysis as a treatment has been supported by several organizations that represent individuals across the lifespan for a variety of disorders including *Association of Behavior Analysis International*, *Association of Professional Behavior Analysis*, *American Academy of Pediatrics*, *American Psychological Association*, *National Education Association*, and *Center for Disease Control*.

The **North Dakota Association of Behavior Analysis** and its Membership believe that if age and diagnostic restrictions are removed, thousands of North Dakotans would have access to peer-reviewed and evidence-based practices to habilitate, rehabilitate, and enrich the lives of those who receive the service. Expanding the populations that could receive ABA services could also increase the urgency of developing, creating, and maintaining necessary training programs for potential behavior technicians, paraeducators, nursing and dental assistants, general and special educators, and behavior analysts.

We urgently ask the State to review the scope of behavior analysis and move toward including ABA services across the lifespan and across a variety of diagnoses.

Respectfully,

The North Dakota Association for Behavior Analysis and Its Membership
[Membership signatures attached.]

Applied Behavior Analytic Service Across the Lifespan

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02	4/11/22	Allison Smith	2405 W. Co. Dr. S., Fargo, ND	701-238-3930	1-14-17127	L20	
03	4/11/22	Prueckler	44121 17th St S, Marshall, MN	701-320-6746	L23	1-15-20707	
04	4/11/22	McKenzie Hastad	1520 2nd AVE N West Fargo		1-22-58551		
05	4/11/22	Erica Heck	1520 2nd Ave N, West Fargo		1-20-44751		
06	4/11/22	Gurrock Leith	304 23rd Ave S, Fargo ND		1-20-4478		
07	4/11/22	Jolynn Lentz			1-22-58154		
08	4/11/22	LOREN Houck	4518 E Calgary Ave, Bismarck, ND	58503	L72	1-21-48950	
09	4/11/22	Taylor Hill	1421 N. 17th St Bismarck ND	58501	701-885-9096	1-15-14888	L27
10	4/11/22	Kaitlyn Kudma	2910 Hwy 83 Williston ND	58579	701-527-7709	1-19-38855	L54
11	4/11/22	Matthew Ashburn	324 Spruce St Mapleton, ND	58505	1-21-54303	94	
12	4/11/22	Cristine Deaver	11747 38th St SE Valley City ND		1-09-6409	L4	
13	4/11/22	Bruce Peterson	604 N. 32nd St West Fargo, ND	58067	1-14-4551	L1	
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15	4/11/22	Sara Adams	1421 Stevens Rd SE Osaka, MN	56360	1-19-36580		
16	4/11/22	Jenna Weisz	870 Pleasant Run Ave		1-19-34687	L42	
17	4/11/22	Alyssa Swess	4120 2nd Hillcourt Dickinson, ND	58601	1-14-9538	L68	
18	4/11/22	Teresa Ekron	1063 42nd Ave W West Fargo		1-19-36522	L43	
19	4/11/22	Amanda Cross	764 3rd Ave SW Dickinson, ND	58601	1-20-2020	L70	
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02	4-11-2022	Alexandra Flynn	5929 L.W. Ann St. G.F. ND	701-215-2112	1-21-48688	L80	<i>Alexandra Flynn</i>
03	4-11-2022	Casandra Weathersly	1202 S 12th St Grand Forks ND	763-257-3769	1-21-49202	L79	<i>Casandra Weathersly</i>
04	4-11-22	Dana Schlacht	4440 50th St SE Streets ND 58403	701-602-2199	1-19-37380	L48	<i>Dana Schlacht</i>
05	4-11-22	Bathey Hansen	3170 44th Ave S Grand Forks ND	701-680-8801	1-18-29275	L33	<i>Bathey Hansen</i>
06	4/11/22	Toby Tronct	2500 Chestnut St Grand Forks ND	701-491-2510	1-14-10174	L16	<i>Toby Tronct</i>
07	4/11/22	Jenya Martell	1118 19th St N Fargo ND 58102	(218) 766-0993	1-19-37744	L49	<i>Jenya Martell</i>
08	4/11/22	Jamie Walker-Fuller	317 McTish Ave White Earth, ND	253-389-1874	1-21-48203	L73	<i>Jamie Walker-Fuller</i>
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10	4/11/22	Rachael Peterson	2105 27th St N Hawley MN 56549	218-740-4274		L69	<i>Rachael Peterson</i>
11	4/11/22	Katie Okon	602 1st Ave S Fargo ND 58103			L-9	<i>Katie Okon</i>
12	4/11/22	Ashley Weindacker	15910 71st St Grafton ND				<i>Ashley Weindacker</i>
13	4-11-22	Evan Borisinkoff	2013 Grey Eagle Pass Minot ND			L-29	<i>Evan Borisinkoff</i>
14	4-11-22	Angela Kortvedt	736 46th St S Minot ND	701-730-4598	N/A	L-3	<i>Angela Kortvedt</i>
15	4-11-22	Heidi Schultz	978th St E Hector ND 58047	218-282-373	1-18-38229	L41	<i>Heidi Schultz</i>
16	4-11-22	Holly Johnson	1129 42nd St SE Minot ND	701-240-9595	1-14-15980	L15	<i>Holly Johnson</i>
17	4/11/22	Paul Kolsch	1004 Darwin Rd Grand Forks ND	701-772-1331		Psy 333	<i>Paul Kolsch</i>
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02	4-11-22	Presley Wanner	4906 20th Ave S #325 Fargo, ND		701-306-2101	L71		
03					1-20-46622	L71		
04	4/11/22	Alexis Berg	3025 20th St S Fargo ND	581-0796	320-424-0796	L76		
05	4-11-22	Ambur Burn	2511 Purdue St SE Fargo ND	571-66	1-09-5820	L014		
06	4/11/22	Suzanne Carroll	1014 University Dr S Fargo ND	58103	1-20-45986	L68		
07	4/1/22	Jacquelyn Mahoney	2100 Northwood Dr Bismarck ND	58501	1-16-23308	L37		
08	4/11/22	Syler Reiff	765 Horizon Cir Grand Forks ND	78101	1-19-38333	L91		
09	4/11/22	Rebecca Parsien	403 13th Street NW Mandan ND	58554	701-880-0010	1-21-51334	L85	
10	4/11/22	Jelisa Philipp	1611 18th St Moorhead MN		1-17-28640	L36		
11	4/11/22	Jarrod Erdman	221 38th Ave Cir S Mhd MN		1-9-39460	-		
12	4-11-22	Kim Odegaard	3155 49th St S Fargo ND		58104	L18		
13	4-11-22	Erin Stepling	505 7th Ave W West Fargo ND		58078	L30		
14	4/11/22	Shelby Lund	2828 Dakota Park Cir S Fargo ND		58107			
15	4-11-22	Rum Sedstrom	6665 N. 9th St. Moorhead mn		56560			
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