

# Texas Education Agency

## Noneducational Community-Based Support Services Program

### Allowable and Unallowable Expenditures

#### **Allowable Expenditures**

(Definitions of services can be found in the question and answer document)

- Attendant Care (\$15.00-\$25.00 per hour)
- Psychiatric/Psychological Consultation (\$75.00-125.00 per hour)
- Management of Leisure Time (\$15.00-30.00 per hour)
- Peer Support Group (\$15.00-30.00 per hour)
- Parent Support Group (\$15.00-30.00 per hour)
- Socialization Training (\$15.00-30.00 per hour)
- Individual Support (\$15.00-30.00 per hour)
- Family Support (\$15.00-30.00 per hour)
- Family Dynamics Training (\$75.00-125.00 per hour)
- Respite Care (\$15.00-30.00 per hour)
- Transportation to access approved non-ed services (e.g. to psychiatric/psychological consult) Use current district policy for transportation rates
- Generalization Training (\$15.00-30.00 per hour)

#### **Unallowable Expenditures**

- Direct payment to parents
- Equipment
- Sheltered workshop services
- Babysitting (this includes attendant care when no family member is available or caring for a child while the parent is at work)
- Remodeling/construction of the student's classroom and/or home
- Food
- Transportation to any educational service or any service being provided by another public agency
- Medicine, medical prescriptions, doctor/dentist visits, medication therapy, evaluations
- All special education and related services allowable by IDEA in the implementation of a student's IEP (including adaptive equipment, art therapy, corrective therapy, music therapy, orientation and mobility training, school health services, recreation therapy)

**Students with autism can only be approved for respite care or attendant care.** In-home training or viable alternatives and parent training that support the student's individual educational plan must be paid with educational funds as required by 19 TAC §89.1055(e).