

**Education Service Center Region 12  
Non-educational 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
- Psychiatric/Psychological Consultation
- Management of Leisure Time
- Peer Support Group
- Parent Support Group
- Socialization Training
- Individual Support
- Family Support
- Family Dynamics Training
- Respite Care
- Transportation to access approved non-educational services (e.g. to psychiatric/psychological consult)
- Generalization Training

***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).