

DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

Mid-Cycle Review Final Report

Provider Community Autism Resources

Provider Address 40 A Dean Street, Taunton

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Date(s) of Review 25-SEP-25 to 29-SEP-25

| Mid-Cycle Scope and results : | | | | | |
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| Service Grouping | Licensure level and duration | # Indicators std. met/ std. rated at Mid-Cycle | Sanction status prior to Mid-Cycle | Combined Results post-Mid-Cycle; | Sanction status post Mid-Cycle |
| Employment and Day Supports 1 Locations 7 Audits | Defer Licensure | 2/4 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Eligible for new business <input type="checkbox"/> Ineligible for new business. | 2 Year License with Mid-Cycle Review 26/30 (86.67%) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Eligible for New Business (80% or more std. met; no critical std. not met) <input type="checkbox"/> Ineligible for New Business (<=80% std met and/or more critical std. not met) |

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Summary of Ratings

Employment and Day Supports Areas Needing Improvement on Standards not met:

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| Indicator # | L8 |
| Indicator | Emergency Fact Sheets |
| Area Need Improvement | For five individuals required components were missing from the EFS. Medical diagnoses, significant behavioral characteristics, likely response to search and relevant capabilities, limitations and preferences. The agency needs to ensure all required components are included in the EFS. |
| Status at mid-cycle | The agency reviewed all 7 EFS's and crossed reference to current diagnoses. 7 of the 7 EFSs had all required components. |
| #met /# rated at mid-cycle | 7/7 |
| Rating | MET |

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| Indicator # | L38 |
| Indicator | Physician's orders |
| Area Need Improvement | The agency has a medical protocol in place that requires the administration of a rescue medication for seizures. However, there are no MAP-certified or licensed staff available to administer the medication if needed. This gap in staffing presents a significant risk in emergency situations where immediate medical intervention is required. The agency needs to ensure that it has the ability to implement any physician's orders as prescribed. |
| Status at mid-cycle | No individuals required medical protocols. This indicator was not reviewed. |
| #met /# rated at mid-cycle | |
| Rating | NOT RATED |

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| Indicator # | L55 |
| Indicator | Informed consent |

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| Area Need Improvement | Of the six individuals with photo consents, two had not completed the consent form fully to determine if they consented to the use of their photo and for what purposes. The agency needs to ensure that when photo consents are utilized they clearly identify if the individual is consenting to the use of photographs and for what purpose. |
| Status at mid-cycle | No individuals sampled required any photo consents. This indicator was not reviewed. |
| #met /# rated at mid-cycle | |
| Rating | NOT RATED |

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| Indicator # | L86 |
| Indicator | Required assessments |
| Area Need Improvement | For three individuals the ISP assessments were not submitted 15 days prior to the ISP. The agency needs to ensure ISP assessment are submitted within required timelines. |
| Status at mid-cycle | For four individuals the ISP assessments were not submitted 15 days prior to the ISP. The agency needs to ensure ISP assessment are submitted within required timelines. |
| #met /# rated at mid-cycle | 0/3 |
| Rating | NOT MET |

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| Indicator # | L87 |
| Indicator | Support strategies |
| Area Need Improvement | For four individuals the ISP support strategies were not submitted 15 days prior to the ISP. The agency needs to ensure ISP support strategies are submitted within required timelines. |
| Status at mid-cycle | For three individuals the ISP support strategies were not submitted 15 days prior to the ISP. The agency needs to ensure ISP support strategies are submitted within required timelines. |

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| #met /# rated at mid-cycle | 1/5 |
| Rating | NOT MET |

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| Indicator # | L88 |
| Indicator | Strategies implemented |
| Area Need Improvement | For four of six individuals the support strategies identified in the ISP were not being implemented. The agency needs to ensure that ISP support strategies are implemented and progress towards meeting the goal is tracked. |
| Status at mid-cycle | The agency demonstrated that ISP support strategies are implemented and progress towards meeting the goal is tracked, reviewed and modified as needed for 7 out of 7 individuals. |
| #met /# rated at mid-cycle | 7/7 |
| Rating | MET |