September 3, 2025

TO: Members of the Research Review Committee

FROM: Erin G. Brown, Chairperson

RE: Meeting of the Research Review Committee – September 12, 2025

The DDS Research Review Committee will hold a Microsoft Teams meeting (remote/telephonic) on Friday, September 12, 2025, from 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm. **You can access the Microsoft Teams meeting by clicking the “Join Meeting” icon in your invitation**.

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Thank you for your time and cooperation.

CC: Maria Blanciforte, Acting General Counsel

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**Agenda**

1. Administrative matters
2. “Validity Testing of the Refractory Behavior Index (RBI) Assessment Tool;” Lynde Kayser, Ph.D., BCBA-D, LABA Clinician; Ami Donahue, Co-PI, M.A., BCBA, LABA Clinician
3. “Measurement of Sleep Behavior;” Kylan Turner, Ph.D., BCBA-D, LABA Clinician
4. “Programmed Choice in Treatment;” Kylan Turner, Ph.D., BCBA-D, LABA Clinician; Halle Apelgren, Co-PI, M.S., BCBA-D, LABA Clinician
5. “Enhancing Health Outcomes in Residential Care: A Retrospective Analysis of Behavioral and Medical Strategies for Weight Management;” Jessica Conaboy, Ph.D., BCBA-D, LABA Clinician; Olivia Treves, Co-PI, M.S., BCBA, LABA Clinician; Heather Sutherland, Co-PI, M.S., BCBA, LABA Clinician