

# Licensed Marriage & Family Therapist - 124 Caring for Students

Procedure Code	Description	Time Requirement
	Evaluations	
96112:HA	Developmental Testing w/Interpretation & Report	First Hour
96113:HA	Developmental Testing w/Interpretation & Report	Each add'l 30 mins
96127:HA	Brief Emotional/Behavioral Assessment	Not Required
96130:HA	Psychological Testing/Evaluation	First Hour
96131:HA	Psychological Testing/Evaluation	Each add'l Hour
97151:HA	Behavior Identification Assessment	Each 15 mins
H0031:HA	Mental Health Evaluation	Not Required

## INSIGHT-ORIENTED VERSUS INTERACTIVE COMPLEXITY THERAPY

- 1. Insight Oriented Therapy is behavior-modifying and/or supportive conversation between therapist and client.
- 2. **Interactive Complexity Therapy** incorporates physical aids to overcome barriers to therapeutic treatment:
- A. Maladaptive Communication (i.e. high anxiety, reactivity, repeated questions, or disagreement).
- B. Emotional or Behavioral Conditions inhibiting implementation of the treatment plan.
- C. Mandated reporting such as in situations involving abuse or neglect.
- D. Use of play equipment, devices, interpreter, or translator required due to inadequate language expression.

	Therapy/Treatments	
90832:HA	Individual Therapy – Insight	16-37 mins
90832+90785:HA	Individual Therapy – Complex Interactive	16-37 mins
90834:HA	Individual Therapy – Insight	38-52 mins
90834+90785:HA	Individual Therapy – Complex Interactive	38-52 mins
90837:HA	Individual Therapy – Insight	At least 53 mins
90837+90785:HA	Individual Therapy – Complex Interactive	At least 53 mins
90846:HA	Family Therapy w/o Student	At least 26 mins
90847:HA	Family Therapy w/Student	At least 26 mins
90853:HA	Group Therapy other than family – Insight (2-8 Students)	Not Required
90853+90785:HA	Group Therapy other than family – Complex Interactive (2-8 Students)	Not Required
97155:HA	Individual Adaptive Behavior Treatment using an established plan	Each 15 mins
97156:HA	Family Adaptive Behavior Treatment using an established plan	Each 15 mins
97158:HA	Group Adaptive Behavior Treatment using an established plan (2-8 Students)	Each 15 mins
H0004:HA	Behavioral Health Counseling	Each 15 mins
H2011:HA	Crisis Intervention	Each 15 mins
S9484:HA	Crisis Intervention	Each 60 mins



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	Case Management/Care Coordination	
T1016:HA	Case Management/Care Coordination	Each 15 mins

### Coordination of Care with Outside Providers (healthcare agencies or community):

- To make a referral to connect the student with services or activities that would help them reach their identified goals
- Assistance in finding and connecting to necessary resources other than covered services to meet basic needs

### • Family Contacts:

- Communicating with the student's family to identify the student's needs, review the student's progress towards goals, gather family input, or connect the family with area resources that would help the student reach their identified goals
- Services provided to assist parents/guardians in understanding the nature of the student's diagnosis
- o Services provided to assist parents/guardians in understanding the behavioral health needs of the student
- Services provided to assist parents/guardians in understanding the student's development

#### School Team Meetings:

- o Other activities that address and or support the student in reaching their identified goals
- o Attending school team meetings in regard to your student's progress or needs
- Providing consultation services to other school staff on ways to best support your student with his needs and help the student reach their identified goals
- Monitoring and modifying covered services

### Non-Billable Code

- Consult Only Use for logging students with consult-only services listed in the Programs & Services section of their IEP
- Monitoring Use for logging students with monitoring service listed in the Accommodation section of their IEP
- Behavior Plan Meeting use to log students with a behavior plan
- Communications Use to log communications with parents, other providers, staff
- Attendance Use to log when a student is missing therapy(ies) due to absences
- No School Day Use to document snow days or other no school day
- Record-Keeping Use for any student record-keeping purposes you want to track
- Student Observation Use to document time observing students for evaluation purposes

## SERVICE DETAIL (DAILY):

- 1. <u>Describe</u> what actually occurred on the date of service. Ensure that the Service Detail Note (daily note) is sufficiently detailed to allow reconstruction of what transpired for each service billed.
- 2. Describe the "medical' goal of the service.
- 3. Indicate the result of the therapy session (student's response).
- 4. Avoid discussing academic issues or attendance.

**Example of Service Note Detail:** Care Coordination (T1016:HA): Met with the school team, student, and mother to discuss behavior plan and behavior progress. The student continues to have behavior problems related to arguing, not following rules, and what the team terms general oppositionality. Discussed changes to her point sheet including a check-in/check-out system as well as a self-reflective point sheet for her rating matching teachers. Will follow up with the team regarding implementation and data analysis.



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## MONTHLY SUMMARY (PROGRESS) NOTES:

- 1. Summarize (evaluate) the student's monthly progress toward your medical/health-related goal.
- 2. Include any changes in medical/mental status and changes in treatment with rationale for change.
- 3. Service Detail (Daily) Notes and Monthly (Progress) Summary Notes must not match.

**Example of Summary Note:** Student is making limited progress toward her behavior goals. Still having issues with not following the rules and general oppositionality. We will work on adding changes to her breaks, including appropriate locations and appropriate ways to get what she wants such as food and water. We will re-evaluate her positive behavior support plan next month.

**RECORD KEEPING:** Keep copies of all supporting documentation related to this service for a period of 8 years (FY+7) regardless of the change in ownership or termination of participation in Medicaid.