Insurance Coverage of Behavior Intervention Services for Transitionally Aged Youth and Adults

**Early Support Program for Autism**
A joint program between *Stanford Children’s Health* and *Children’s Health Council* to provide supportive services at no cost to families of children and adults with confirmed or suspected autism

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Resource Lists:
• **Parents Helping Parents**
• **Autism Speaks**
• **BACB Certificant Registry**

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• California’s autism mandate: [AB 796](#)
• Medi-Cal services
  • Behavioral Health Treatment FAQ
  • Behavioral Health Treatment All Plan Letter 18-006

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From **DDS**:
**Behavior Management Services**: “Services that provide a variety of health care professionals to address behavioral challenges in various settings. For some of these services the primary funding sources are Medi-Cal or private insurance.”

**Client/Parent Support/Behavior Intervention Training**: “Services to train the consumers' support system that assists the consumer to improve his/her behavior.”

**Crisis Team - Evaluation and Behavioral Intervention**: “Crisis support teams who can mobilize in the community when a consumer is in short-term behavioral crisis.”

From **DDS**:
“[The Self Determination Program] will provide consumers and their families with more freedom, control, and responsibility in choosing services and supports to help them meet objectives in their Individual Program Plan.”

From **Disability Voice United**:
“Self-determination is a voluntary regional center program that provides participants with an individual budget, which they can use to purchase the services and supports they need to implement their person-centered plan (PCP) and Individual Program Plan (IPP). For example, participants and families may purchase services from traditional providers or local businesses, hire support workers directly, or negotiate unique arrangements with groups and individuals in their communities.”