APPLICATION FOR INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM
FOR HOMEBOUND OR HOSPITALIZED STUDENTS
HOME AND HOSPITAL PROGRAM
Baltimore County Public Schools
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EMOTIONAL CONDITION - SY 2021-2022

NOTE: All portions of this professional statement must be completed for Home and Hospital instructional services to be considered. All signatures are required for processing.

Student Information

Name of Student: ____________________________
Sex: Male □ Female □
Date of Birth: _____________
Address: ____________________________________________
Zip Code: ___________________
School: ____________________________ Grade: _____

Professional Credentials and Contact Information

Please indicate credentials: (ONLY the 3 mental health providers named below may certify the emotional condition)
□ School Psychologist □ Private Licensed Psychologist □ Private Licensed Psychiatrist
*A Nurse Practitioner, LCSW, LCPC or any other therapist(s) must have the form co-signed by above mentioned medical/mental health professionals. *

Psychologist/Psychiatrist’s Name: ________________________________
License # __________________________ (Please Print) (*For Private Providers Only)
Office Telephone Number: __________________________ Office Fax #: __________________________
Office Address: ________________________________________________________
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Professional Statement

Date Received by Enrollment School: __________
Is the student seen on regularly scheduled visits to your office? Yes ☐ No ☐

If Yes, Frequency of visits: ____________________________ Date of last visit: _______________

Is the student currently on medication? Yes ☐ No ☐

If Yes, Medication(s): ________________________________

Dosages: ________________________________

How does the medication affect school performance?

____________________

Is the student currently in therapy with someone other than you? Yes ☐ No ☐

If Yes, Therapist Name: ____________________________ Office Telephone: ______________

Frequency of visits: ________________________________

Date of last visit: ______________

I. **Diagnosis/Emotional Condition:** Describe in detail the student’s current emotional condition. (*Behavior problems alone do not qualify as an emotional condition: i.e., oppositional defiance, physical aggression)

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II. **Explanation (Specifically explain impact):** How does the emotional condition of the student manifest acutely in the current school setting such that it prevents the student from attending school. (*COMAR mandates that The Home and Hospital Program may not utilized for students awaiting nonpublic placement, nor for students who have been, or are being, disciplinarily removed*)

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III. **Recommended type of program for student:**

☐ **Full Time Emotional** – (*For a student anticipated to be continuously absent for 20 or more school days*) *Must also complete Part IV*

☐ **Chronic/Intermittent** – (*For a student anticipated to be intermittently absent due to a verified emotional condition throughout the school year*) *Do not complete Part IV*

IV. **Anticipated Length of Absence from School:** ____________________ (request must not exceed 60 calendar days) *for a period of absence in excess of 60 calendar days, re-verification is required prior to the 60th calendar day. *

a. For a **General Education** student, a new **Re-verification** statement must be completed by the **expiration date** and be accompanied by SST notes and an updated Action Plan for Re-Entry for the student to receive an extension of the Home and Hospital Program services.

b. For a **Special Education** student, a **Re-verification** statement must be completed by the psychologist/psychiatrist by the **expiration date and** be accompanied by IEP team notes and an updated Action Plan for Re-Entry, in order for the student to receive an extension of the Home and Hospital Program services through the 60th consecutive school day, if required.
Note: A Special Education student, with a verified emotional condition, may not exceed 60 consecutive school days of instruction through the Home and Hospital Program during one school year.

RETURN to SCHOOL
How will time on home teaching and treatment address the student’s emotional condition and facilitate the student’s return to school?

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Please indicate by checking:
☐ Psychiatrist/Licensed Psychologist - I am currently treating the above-named student.
☐ School Psychologist - I have met/consulted with the above-named student/family and/or provider.
☐ Nurse Practitioner, LCSW, LCPC, etc. - I am currently treating the above-named student (*Form must be co-signed by Psychiatrist/Licensed Psychologist*).

NOTE: By signing this statement, I certify that:

• This student is not able to attend the regular day-school program with modifications because of his/her emotional condition.
• I understand that students approved for full-time Home and Hospital Program instructional services with a tutor typically receive 6 hours of instruction per week and that these services are the students’ sole source of instruction—not a supplemental tutoring service.
• Psychologist/Psychiatrist’s Signature: _____________________________
• Date: _____________________________

As the parent/guardian of the above student, I give my permission for my son/daughter to be referred to the Home and Hospital Program and when necessary, for the administrator, or his/her designee, to contact the psychologist/psychiatrist/therapist above in reference to the emotional condition(s) necessitating this referral. I am aware additional medical information may be required, as needed.

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____________________________ Date: _____________________________

E-mail Address: ______________________________________________________

Phone Numbers: (H) __________________ (W) __________________ (C) __________________

For Home and Hospital Use Only
Date Received: __________________
Date Assigned: __________________
Program(s): e-LC_________

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