

Standard and Design Recommendation Regarding Short Term BRS Programs Recommending 3 Different Levels

#1 – Based on current shelter rate model and hours

Programs Names	BRS Shelter, BRS Shelter/Assessment and Evaluation														
Length of Stay	Up to 90 days														
Setting	Foster/ Proctor Home or Residential														
Populations Served	<p>BRS Shelter – OYA identified a need for BRS Shelter programs to serve youth who are in need of a short term BRS placement, while waiting for a longer term placement. These youth are not in need of assessment to determine level of care.</p> <p>BRS Shelter/ Assessment and Evaluation – DHS identified a need for BRS Shelter/ Assessment and Evaluation programs to serve youth who are in need of a short term placement to better assess/evaluate their needs. These programs will assess if BRS continued services are need for the youth or if returning home is the most appropriate option.</p>														
Rate Model	Current BRS Shelter Rate Model – updated as part of review process														
BRS Hours	26 hours per month – this is based on the new recommendation														
Service Documentation	<p>BRS Shelter: ISP – within 2 days of intake Abbreviated AER – If youth will be in program more than 30 days (may change to 45 days if Licensing rule changes) MSP – within 45 days of placement, if youth is in placement for 45 days</p> <p>BRS Shelter/ Assessment and Evaluation: ISP – within 2 days of intake AER with placement need recommendation– If youth will be in program more than 30 days (may change to 45 days if Licensing rule changes) MSP – within 45 days of placement, if youth is in placement for 45 days</p>														
Staffing Ratio – Residential Programs	<p>This is based on new recommendation</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 33%;">Minimum Daily</th> <th style="width: 33%;"></th> <th style="width: 33%;">Weekly Average</th> <th style="width: 33%;"></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Awake (16 hours)</td> <td>1:7</td> <td>Awake (16 hours)</td> <td>1:5.5</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Asleep (8 hours)</td> <td>1:10</td> <td>Asleep (8 hours)</td> <td>1:10</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>			Minimum Daily		Weekly Average		Awake (16 hours)	1:7	Awake (16 hours)	1:5.5	Asleep (8 hours)	1:10	Asleep (8 hours)	1:10
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Foster Home Ratio	Maximum of 3 BRS clients														

#2 – Based on current basic residential/ TFC rate model and hours

Programs Names	BRS Assessment and Evaluation Program
Length of Stay	Up to 90 days
Setting	Foster/ Proctor Home or Residential
Populations Served	BRS Assessment and Evaluation Program – OYA identified a need for programming for youth who are in need of BRS service and need intensive assessment to determine what level of care would be most appropriate.
Rate Model	Current BRS Basic Residential or TFC Model – updated as part of review process
BRS Hours	47 hours per month – this is based on the new recommendation

Service Documentation	ISP – Within 2 days of intake AER w/ placement recommendations – If youth will be in program more than 30 days (may change to 45 days if Licensing rule changes) MSP w/ transition recommendations – Within 45 days of placement Discharge Summary – Within 15 days of discharge			
Staffing Ratio – Residential Programs	This is based on new recommendation			
	Minimum Daily		Weekly Average	
	Awake (16 hours)	1:6	Awake (16 hours)	1:4.7
	Asleep (8 hours)	1:10	Asleep (8 hours)	1:10
Foster Home Ratio	Maximum of 2 BRS clients			

#3 – Based on current residential rate model and hours

Programs Names	BRS Short Term Stabilization (this model is currently in BRS Rule)			
Length of Stay	7-90 days			
Setting	Residential Only			
Populations Served	BRS Short Term Stabilization – OYA and DHS identify a need for this level of service to for short term placement for youth in crisis. Youth are unstable in current BRS placement and are in need of crisis stabilization services. Often these youth have experienced two or more previous placements and have been unsuccessful. Programs provide services to stabilize the youth’s behaviors and prepare for transition to a longer term BRS placement.			
Rate Model	Current BRS Residential – updated as part of review process			
BRS Hours	47 hours per month – this is based on the new recommendation			
Service Documentation	MSP-S – Within 2 days of intake AER-S – If youth will be in program more than 30 days (may change to 45 days if Licensing rule changes) MSP-S update – Within 45 days of placement, should be updated every 30 days. ATP – As close as possible to 30 days prior to discharge. Not including services provided by program. Discharge Summary – Within 15 days of discharge			
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