

Specialized Services



Definition

Specialized Services are rendered by the approved providers listed below or a Florida hospital. Services may be delivered outside Florida if credentialed. Online delivery is eligible.

Eligible program: FES-UA

Account Type(s): Business, Personal

Required Service Catalog documentation

- First and last name of the person rendering services.
- A copy of their FLDOH license number.

A specialized services provider must hold one of the following credentials:

- Licensed by the [Florida Department of Health](#) to perform the service
- Approved as a provider by the [Agency for Persons with Disabilities](#),
- Approved as a [Specialized Instructional Services \(SIS\) Provider by the Office of Early Learning](#).

Note: An approved provider must provide services in the specialized area in which they are approved.

Approved services include:

- Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) services by a Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA)
- Speech-Language services by a Florida Department of Health licensed speech-language pathologist (SLP)
- Occupational therapy services by a Florida Department of Health licensed occupational therapist
- Physical therapy services by Florida Department of Health licensed physical therapist
- Spoken language services by a Florida Department of Health licensed listening and spoken language specialist
- Psychotherapy or counseling by a Florida Department of Health licensed psychologist, medical doctor with a specialization in psychiatry, school psychologist, mental health counselor, marriage and family therapist, or clinical social worker
- Vision therapy by a Florida Department of Health licensed Optometrist

Ineligible under Specialized Services

- A service that is not rendered by a provider in the specialized area
 - Example: Occupational therapy services rendered by a psychologist
- Any other therapy or specialized service other than the services outlined above
 - Example: Massage therapy, acupuncture, chiropractic therapy, etc.
- An educational program, home education program, or tutoring
 - These programs and services have different requirements and credentials to be considered eligible. The eligibility requirements are listed below.
- Service catalogs submitted by therapy assistants, interns, or technicians
 - These services must be submitted under a fully credentialed, supervising therapist in order to be approved