

# SNAP of Orange County

Service Needs Access Panel

Coordinated by the Orange County Department of Mental Health

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## CONFIDENTIAL AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION

Name of Child or Adult in need of Services: \_\_\_\_\_

### Extent or Nature of Information to be Disclosed:

- A comprehensive standardized measure of intellect (psychological evaluation)**  
**Examples of acceptable tests:**  
Kaufman Assessment Battery for Children  
Leiter International Performance Scale  
Stanford-Binet Scales  
The Wechsler series of Intelligence Scales  
Test of Non-Verbal Intelligence (TONI)  
Other measures are acceptable if they are comprehensive, structured, standardized and have up-to- date general population norms
- Examples of acceptable instruments for children birth to seven years old:**  
  
Battelle Developmental Inventory (BDI)  
Bayley Scales of Infant Ability-Revised  
Differential Ability Scales (DAS)  
Infant-Toddler Developmental Assessment (IDA)  
Kaufman Assessment Battery for Children (K-ABC)  
Stanford Binet Intelligence Scale-Fourth Edition (SB-IV)  
Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children-Third Edition (WISCIII)  
Woodcock Johnson Psycho-educational Battery: Tests of Cognitive Ability-Revised
- A measure of adaptive behavior**  
Examples of acceptable measures:  
AAMR Adaptive Behavior Scale  
Adaptive Behavior Assessment System (ABAS)  
Comprehensive Test of Adaptive Behavior  
Scales of Independent Behavior  
Vineland Adaptive Behavior Scales  
Other measures are acceptable if they are comprehensive, structured, standardized and have up-to- date general population norms
- A current physical examination**
- A specialty report/evaluation** that includes findings leading to the diagnosis of a developmental disability.  
Example: a neurological evaluation of the person that concludes with a diagnosis of autism.
- A social history**, psychosocial or other report that establishes the presence of the disability prior to age 22.

For children, the measures of intellect and adaptive behavior may both be included in the school district's required triennial psychological. If a measure of adaptive behavior was not done as part of the triennial psychological, the school program (i.e., BOCES, Center for Discovery, etc.) or the child's district may complete this upon request.

***If the current triennial psychological is abbreviated, please provide a previous comprehensive triennial psychological along with the current abbreviated psychological. If a new comprehensive psychological is needed, you will be notified***

**Information Being Disclosed From: (Name, Address, of school, agency or other)**

I hereby authorize the release of the above information to the Orange County Department of Mental Health and Hudson Valley Developmental Disabilities Services Office for the purpose of seeking eligibility for specialized programs and services. I understand that the information is confidential and protected from disclosure. I also understand that I have the right to cancel my permission to release information at any time in writing. This authorization will expire one year from the signature date \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (enter expiration date).

Signature of Applicant

Date Signed

Relationship to Applicant

Date Signed

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