

Application and Admission to Breckenridge Village of Tyler

Admission Requirements:

At the time of admission, the resident must have completed high school, have been diagnosed with a mild to moderate developmental disability, and be in good physical condition. Once admitted, the person may continue in residence as long as he/she is able to benefit from BVT services.

Services:

A description of our services is attached. A physical description of BVT is contained in the attached brochure and on the BVT website (www.BreckenridgeVillage.com).

Application:

Should you decide to apply for admission for your family member or loved one, you will need to send: 1) completed application, 2) physical examination report from a physician (current, within 30 days prior to admission), 3) documentation of current immunizations, including Hepatitis B, with negative testing for tuberculosis, and 4) psychological (current, within one year) and educational evaluations.

Upon receipt of the documents, the BVT admissions committee will review the material and make a preliminary determination as to whether BVT can meet the individual's needs. If so, the individual will either be offered acceptance into BVT or be placed on the BVT interest list for ICF/IID services, or day programming services (dependent upon availability).

Conference:

After acceptance into BVT, both the parent/guardian and the person seeking admission will be scheduled to meet with our staff to discuss the following: 1) assessment to include: reasons for placement, family plans, medical history, etc. 2) financial responsibility, insurance coverage, service planning, etc.

Pre-Placement Visit:

Individuals being considered for placement are invited to stay at BVT for a minimum of three days and participate in the BVT day program. This visit gives an opportunity for BVT staff to evaluate the candidate to determine appropriateness of placement, as well as an opportunity for the resident and his family to determine if BVT can meet their wants and needs.

Decision:

The Program Director of the respective department of which you are applying for services will notify you of the decision. BVT staff may decide one of the following:

- 1) Further evaluation is needed.
- 2) At present, BVT cannot meet the needs of your family member or loved one.
- 3) Your family member or loved one is accepted for placement on a one to three-month probationary basis. (All new residents are accepted on a probationary period only.)