Respite Care Needs Assessment

This assessment will be used to determine eligibility for Respite Care. A complete evaluation with specific details, frequency of care, and supporting documentation by your Physician/Provider is necessary to determine eligibility and level of need. A separate form is required for each enrolled **Exceptional Family Member applying for Respite Care.**

Patient Name:	Patient Age:
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Patient Diagnosis/Diagnoses (including severity):

Provider Name and Specialty:_____ Date:_____

Provider Instructions: Please complete all applicable sections for your patient.

DETAILS	PHYSICIAN/PROVIDER INPUT*
1. Medical or Adaptive Equipment needed- Specify	
type(s)	
2. Surgical intervention to sustain life in last 12 months	
OR surgical intervention for limbs, eyes, hearing	
within last 6 months	
3. Skilled care intervention and frequency	
4. Visual or hearing impairment-specify complete or	
partial impairment	
5. Requires assistance with ADLs for prescribed	
medical needs- specify complete or moderate	
6. Therapy frequency (daily, weekly, monthly)-specify	
type (ST, OT, PT, Mental Health, etc)	
7. Medications- include route and frequency	
8. Special dietary needs and delivery systems	
(IV/TPN/tube feeding)	
9. IQ	
10. Verbal Status/Adaptive Equipment for	
communication	
11. Safety concerns (elopement behavior, risk to	
others, etc.) and/or self-injurious behavior in past year	
12. Special Education Requirements (IEP, 504,	
behavior plan, alternate school placement) and/or ABA	
services	

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13. Immunocompromised-indicate if moderate or severe	
14. Number of ER, Urgent Care, or hospitalizations in past year	
15. Potential to require rapid emergency care	
16. Other conditions/concerns that can adversely affect life	

*PHYSICIAN/PROVIDER INPUT AND/OR JUSTIFICATION

Provider Signature:_____

Date:_____

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