Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA)

What is ABA therapy?

Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) uses the principles of learning to teach or improve critical skills needed for independence. LifeScape's ABA therapy program is an intensive intervention that helps children with autism and other developmental disabilities learn new skills using the principles derived from the science of behavior analysis.

Some of the skill areas that might be targeted include the following:

- Language Development
- Social Skills
- Functional Communication Training
- Problematic Behavior Reduction
- Play & Leisure
- Imitation
- Activities of Daily Living
- Toilet Training
- Pre-academic

Who can benefit?

Lifescape's ABA Therapy program is designed for individuals who have a diagnosis of Autism up to eighteen years of age, and their families through ongoing parent training and education.

What to Expect?

- Assessment of current skill levels
- Development of an individualized intervention plan
- Provision of intervention services
- Monitoring of progress and skill acquisition
- Each program designed and supervised by a Masters or Doctoral level Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA or BCBA-D)
- Intervention implemented by a combination of trained technicians, therapists, parents, and BCBA or BCBA-D
- Collaborative training for parents, school, and other stakeholders to ensure generalization across settings.

Benefits

Each program is tailored to meet the child's specific individual needs – with intervention occurring in-clinic.

- Flexible scheduling options
- One-on-one intervention with a Registered Behavior Technician(RBT)
- Group sessions are available with a focus on individual goals
- Data collected each session and reviewed frequently to monitor progress
- ABA therapy utilizes evidence-based practices individualized for the learner *Third party payment may apply, depending upon diagnosis.*





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