Complex Trauma Eligibility Determination Form

Children's Eligibility for Health Home Care Management services on the basis of Complex Trauma is based on three criteria. All three must be present in order for a child to be determined eligible. In addition to eligibility, the child must separately be determined *appropriate* for Health Home Care Management in accordance with current DOH guidance.

Child Name: DOB: Medicaid#:

CMA: Health Home: Date:

I. Complex Trauma Exposure

Based on the Complex Trauma Exposure Assessment (CTEA), has the child been exposed to multiple interpersonal traumatic events, or at least one chronic interpersonal trauma lasting 18 months or more?* Yes No

** For young children (ages 0-5) a determination of "chronic" exposure can be made for periods less than 18 months*

Exposure Category	Present? Y/N	Chronic? Y/N	Comments (onset, duration, description)
Psychological Maltreatment (emotional abuse/neglect)			
Neglect			
Displacement			
Attachment Disruption			
Sex Abuse			
Sex Assault			
Trafficking/Commercial Sexual Exploitation			
Physical Abuse			
Domestic Violence			
Physical Assault/ Interpersonal Violence			
Community Violence			
War / Political Violence			
Stalking / Kidnapping			
Bullying			
Other			

II. Functional Impairments

Based on the use of validated assessment instruments in accordance with the process developed by DOH, and based on at least one face-to-face interview, is the child experiencing functional impairments in at least two of the following categories, or acute impairment in at least one category? Yes No

Impairment Category	Present? Y/N	Acute? Y/N	Instrument / Method	Comments (onset, duration, description)
Physiology / Neurodevelopment				
Emotional Response				
Cognitive Processes				
Impulse Control / Self-Regulation				
Self-Image				
Relationships with Others				

III. Links between Traumatic Exposure and Experience of Functional Impairments

- *In your professional opinion, are the Functional Impairments listed in Section II resulting from, or linked to, the Trauma Exposure described in Section I?* Yes No
- *Are these Functional Impairments best explained as being a result of, or exacerbated by, Complex Trauma, and not as the result of some other diagnosis or developmental delay?** Yes No

**As long as complex trauma is present, the addition of a co-morbid disorder or diagnosis does not disqualify the child.*

Comments:

IV. Eligibility Determination

As a licensed professional acting within my scope of practice, I find that the child referenced herein

- ❑ ***IS***
- ❑ ***IS NOT***

experiencing Complex Trauma in accordance with the definition approved by CMS for Health Home eligibility purposes.

Print Name: Credential: License #:

Signature: Date:

Attachments:

- Referral Cover Sheet
- Medical Consent
- Trauma Exposure Assessment
- Functional Impairment Assessment Materials (list)
- Collateral / Background Materials Provided (list)