

**YES Waiver Specialized Therapies  
Links and Descriptions**

<b>Specialized Therapy Type</b>	<b>Waiver-Endorsed Credentialing Programs</b>	<b>Other Programs that may be approved upon request</b>	<b>Notes</b>
Animal-Assisted Therapy	Pet Partners <a href="http://www.petpartners.org">www.petpartners.org</a> ;  Equine Assisted Growth and Learning Association <a href="http://www.eagala.org">www.eagala.org</a> ;  Professional Association of Therapeutic Horsemanship International (Path, Intl) (formally known as NARHA) <a href="http://www.pathintl.org">www.pathintl.org</a> .	O.K. Corral Series <a href="http://www.okcorralseries.com">www.okcorralseries.com</a> .	Handout/Information: <a href="http://www.pawsforpeople.org/wp-content/uploads/2011/07/Benefits-of-Pet-Therapy-5.11.15.pdf">http://www.pawsforpeople.org/wp-content/uploads/2011/07/Benefits-of-Pet-Therapy-5.11.15.pdf</a>  <a href="http://www.eagala.org/GeneralInfo">http://www.eagala.org/GeneralInfo</a>  <i>Note: Hippotherapy will rarely be appropriate for YES Waiver clients as it is used for physical therapy, occupational therapy, or speech language pathology professionals in treatment.</i>
Art Therapy	Certified by Art Therapy Credentials Board (AT-BC) <a href="http://www.atcb.org">www.atcb.org</a> . <a href="http://www.arttherapy.org">www.arttherapy.org</a> ;		Handout: <a href="http://www.arttherapy.org/upload/whatisarttherapy.pdf">http://www.arttherapy.org/upload/whatisarttherapy.pdf</a>
Nutritional Counseling	Texas Board of Examiners of Dietitians (Registered Dietitian, Licensed Dietitian, Provisionally Licensed Dietitian) <a href="http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/dietitian">www.dshs.state.tx.us/dietitian</a> .	International & American Associations of Clinical Nutritionists (Certified Clinical Nutritionist) <a href="http://www.iaacn.org">www.iaacn.org</a> ; <a href="http://www.cncb.org">www.cncb.org</a> .	Information: <a href="http://www.livestrong.com/article/238611-benefits-of-a-nutritionist/">http://www.livestrong.com/article/238611-benefits-of-a-nutritionist/</a>
Music Therapy	Certified by Certification Board for Music Therapists (MT-BC) <a href="http://www.musictherapy.org">www.musictherapy.org</a> ; <a href="http://www.cbmt.org">http://www.cbmt.org</a> .		Handout: <a href="http://www.swamta.com/texas%20task%20force/TexasFactSheet.pdf">http://www.swamta.com/texas%20task%20force/TexasFactSheet.pdf</a>
Recreational Counseling	Certified by the National Council of Therapeutic Recreation Certification (CTRS); Texas Certified Therapeutic Recreational Specialist (TRS/TXC) <a href="http://www.ctractexas.org">www.ctractexas.org</a> ; <a href="http://www.nctrc.org">www.nctrc.org</a> .		Handout: <a href="http://humanservices.ucdavis.edu/resource/uploadfiles/4E%20Recreational%20therapy.pdf">http://humanservices.ucdavis.edu/resource/uploadfiles/4E%20Recreational%20therapy.pdf</a>