

Welcome to BEATS, Inc! It is our mission to provide the highest level of therapy specializing in equine assisted therapy to help you reach your goals. Enclosed is the necessary paperwork to get started, including the physician's prescription, medical history form, insurance information form, and release. You will need to have each of these forms completed in full and signed prior to starting. Please also bring your current PT, OT, SLP evaluations if applicable.

The insurance information form can be faxed ahead of time so that we can verify benefits. Fees for therapy are \$200 per hour and are billed to insurance as applicable. Or a reduced rate is also offered for private pay and you will be given all notes and billing to submit yourself. There is a barn fee of \$100/month that is the responsibility of the client and is not billable to insurance. Please see the enclosed information regarding the barn fee.

We are located at 75 Red Gate Trail in Canton and have an enclosed arena so sessions are held year round. You will be required to wear a helmet. We have helmets to borrow and know of several resources for inexpensive ones if you prefer. Please dress appropriately for the weather. Shorts are fine in warm weather. In cold weather please use layers and avoid bulky clothing that inhibits movement or obscures posture. Also, avoid nylon pants as they are slippery.

Please give as much notice as possible if you need to cancel your session as changes affect our volunteer scheduling as well as horse scheduling. While the primary focus is utilizing the horse's movement, therapy will include off horse activities and assessment as appropriate.

Please help us in enforcing the rules of the barn for the safety of everyone at the facility.

1. Children need to stay with an adult at all times.

2. Please stay in our area of the barn. Children can play on the swing set if an adult is present. For your comfort, there is also a lounge overlooking the arena. Children must be supervised and please help in keeping that common area clean.

- 3. There are to be no loud noises or horseplay.
- 4. Please do not feed or pet any horses without permission.
- 5. Please do not use a flash camera without permission.
- 6. Please respect the other patrons that share this facility with us.

Please fill out the insurance verification form and fax this to our biller, Cheryl, at 866-430-3367 or email it to her at cherylzig4@gmail.com. There are two forms (prescription and medical history) that need to be signed by your doctor and either faxed to 678-494-6616, emailed to bethany@beats-inc.org or brought to your first visit. Once we verify benefits and you have your paperwork signed by the doctor we can get scheduled! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 404-644-3917. I look forward to meeting you!

Sincerely,

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Bethany Nugent, MSPT, HPCS

I have received and read the above document

Parent/Guardian Of:

Date: