Who do we serve?

DDRC's pediatric ABA clinic provides services to children/teens ages 3-20 who have been determined eligible for ABA services through Colorado Medicaid's <u>EPSDT program</u>. Please contact us with questions regarding the Medicaid approval process.

What can ABA help with?

Our team of Board Certified Behavior Analysts (BCBAs) and Registered Behavior Technicians (RBTs) will follow your child's motivation and interests to help them learn.

ABA uses both naturalistic, groupbased teaching strategies as well as one-on-one instruction to address the following skill areas:

- Receptive & expressive language
- Adaptive skills
- Play skills
- Social skills
- Executive functioning
- Learner readiness
- · Behavior management
- Daily living skills

How do you get started?

- 1. Brief Questionnaire We will send you a questionnaire to get an idea of your child's needs and how far along you are with the Medicaid approval process.
- 2. **Initial Intake** We will meet to discuss your child's needs in further detail and begin our initial assessment process consisting of direct observation and a caregiver interview.
- 3. Scheduling We will work with you to determine an appropriate therapy schedule for your child. This is based on medical necessity and insurance approval.
- 4. **Services Begin** Your child will have the opportunity to meet peers and learn new skills at our clinic.







DDRC's Pediatric ABA Clinic

Kids - 20 years old



What is Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA)?

Applied behavior analysis (ABA) is an evidence-based teaching tool that is used to promote socially significant, positive behavior change. ABA therapy uses the science of behavior to teach adaptive skills needed to reach maximum independence.

ABA teaches replacement behaviors for challenging and/or disruptive behaviors that inhibit a child's academic and social development.

ABA emphasizes ongoing maintenance and generalization of learned skills in order to maximize a child's outcomes.



Our Team

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Team of Registered Behavior Technicians (RBTs)

What does a day at our clinic look like?

At our clinic, each child has a one-on-one therapist that leads their session for the day. Your child will be able to learn and practice new skills both with peers and while working one-on-one with their therapist. Each day consists of group-based games, interactive songs, sensory activities, and play, with modifications in place for teens. Children will be grouped with peers of similar ages and skill sets for their sessions.

The clinic is located at 11177 W 8th Ave Lakewood, CO 80215

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No Waitlist!

Start services right away

Comprehensive Treatment

DDRC provides speech and occupational therapy

Parent Training

Focused on your schedule and priorities