



**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				
Dissociation				
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)