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9 CSR 45-3.090 Behavior Supports

Effective July 1, 2021, [9 CSR 45-3.090 Behavior Supports](#) has been updated. The CSR states: Utilization of a seclusion time-out (or safe-room) procedure requires prior approval from the Chief Behavior Analyst. Request for such approval must include a functional assessment of the target behavior, a BSP, the rationale for the use of the procedure, and data supporting the need for the procedure and that less restrictive interventions were ineffective. The Chief Behavior Analyst must also approve of the designated time-out area or room. (A) Seclusion time-out will become a prohibited procedure as of July 1, 2021.

For more information you may contact your [Area Behavior Analyst](#).

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