



## **Elk Grove Township Adult and Family Counseling Program**

Offers

### **Screenings for Youth**

Elk Grove Township Adult and Family Counseling Program offers comprehensive ADHD and Mental Health Screening for youth ages 6-21. Objective tests used in the screen include the BASC-3 which evaluates social, emotional, and behavioral functioning, the TOVA (Test of Variables of Attention) visual computerized test, and the CAPS (Clinical Attention Profile Scale). A mental health professional implements these measures and interviews the child and family and gathers information from the schoolteachers. The results of the BASC-3, TOVA, CAPS, and clinical mental health interview are compiled, and the therapist writes a report with recommendations. The counselor meets with the parents to review the findings and at that point, a copy can be sent to the school if requested. Parents may also take the findings to their pediatrician for further consultation regarding medications or other treatment options

Children are referred for screenings by school personnel (teachers, school social workers, school psychologists) or parents who suspect the child may have an attention deficit, emotional, or behavioral challenge.

For Further Information contact the Adult and Family Counseling Program at Elk Grove Township

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