

Service Policy Manual

Incontinence Supplies

Incontinence supplies may be needed by clients who do not have bladder or bowel control and are of an age that typically developing children do not have such needs.

Incontinence supplies may be purchased by North Bay Regional Center (NBRC) through the Individual Program Plan process. The following apply:

- Client must have a medical condition that affects their ability to achieve continence or
- Client must show no awareness of continence/incontinence other than discomfort or
- Client was continent in the past but has regressed due to illness, hospitalization, psychological loss, or adjustment to environmental changes
- Client must be 3 years of age or over
- Family must use the least costly alternative
- Family must utilize behavior intervention services if appropriate

All generic resources must be exhausted before services are provided.

Services will follow Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act guidelines.

The NBRC Executive Director may review and authorize an exception if warranted by individual circumstances.