

**BTCS Direct Care Services Staffing RFP  
Q&A**

1. Do the youth attend school?

**Our Answer: Yes.** For the Youth Therapeutic Respite Program, we have school, run by an BTCS Educational Liaison as part of the program. The program provides 2 hours per day of academic activities as coordinated/arranged by BTCS Education Coordinator.

2. Is the school on or off campus?

**Our Answer: On campus.**

3. Will the direct care staff provide additional supervision during instructional time?

**Our Answer: Supportive only if the youth needs to leave school.** Direct care staff are asked to be available to assist when the need for a second person arises, in certain situations, such as youth leaving the classroom to use the restroom, challenging behavior that requires additional supervision, etc.

4. What are the instructional time hours?

**Our Answer: Varies.** Youth are in school a total of 2 hours a day. We have block scheduling where small groups rotate throughout the day between school, counseling, and skills training groups.

5. Is the schooling virtual or in person?

**Our Answer: Could be both, depending on the school.**

6. Will staff be monitoring or reporting on school time and activities?

**Our Answer: School activities such as collecting of assignments, completing assignments and communication with the schools handled by the Education Coordinator.**