Turn Center *Group 10*

7 Population Served

- Serve from a broad area Tx, NM, OK (out of state patients are not able to use Medicaid)
- Children 0-21 (4-7 years old mostly, 16-18 years old make up 5%)
- 350-400 children outpatient, 800 children in school
- Majority of kids have autism. Many patients also have feeding issues and ADD/ADHD

7 Services Provided

- Occupational therapy
- Speech therapy
- Physical or mental disabilities
- Behavioral therapy
- Flexible payment: Medicaid, self pay, commercial pay
- Children usually stay on an individual basis
- Pool for aquatic therapy

Clients' Health Needs

- Speech therapy
- Physical therapy
- Delays in learning (especially after covid)
- Counseling for families and can refer to other clinics in the area
- Used telehealth as a response to COVID
- Need volunteers for events and sports programs
- Can be improved: behavior problems, increase productiveness as a nonprofit, increase school contracts, want to hire a nutritionist

Clients' Health Information Needs

- Provide home program 1-2 per week
- Work on goals at home and teach kids self advocation
- With autism work to teach them to self regulate and interact with others

Advice for Physicians

Pediatricians can refer MD DO or NP

- Physicians can help by assessing whether children need outpatient vs help at school
- Remember to think outside the box, PT for more seemingly minor things that are short term
- Know that there is a broad scope of things they teach to help kids become self sufficient
- Communicate with the center, evals and going beyond that
- Collaborating is up to the physician so try to be involved in the patients progression

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