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I object to lowering the standards for ABA services. Best practices should be followed.

Instead of 'best practice' (a BCBA supervising an RBT that works with your child), this is what is now being proposed. The supervisor of a case for a child with an ASD only needs the following (drum roll please...) 1. A bachelor's degree 2. 4 classes in ABA 3. 6-months experience in ABA 4. Two hours a month of supervision by a BCBA

This is not enough training or education.

I object to new low supervisor standards Lowering standards to increase access to services is going to result in harm to kids.

This is not fair for the kids. They deserve better.

Thank you,
Jennifer Ackroyd

