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Hello,

Psychiatric Rehabilitation Service has been shown to benefit autistic individuals. It is imperative that autism spectrum disorder be added as an accepted diagnosis rather than the exception process.

This will also be a benefit to those autistic individuals age 14 to 18, in addition to those over 18. We have seen the results of this services and the positives it's brought to many autistic individuals lives. Please see the article published at this link. Psychiatric Rehabilitation for Autistic Adults: Pilot Program

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Thank you

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