Parent Feedback

Texas Guide By Your Side

The purpose of this form is to provide feedback on your experience with the Guide By Your Side (GBYS) program. Your input will help us improve the program for other parents of children who are deaf or hard of hearing. All of the information you provide will be kept confidential. If you have any questions, or would prefer to fill out a paper copy, please contact the Program Coordinator, Christine Moody, at cmoody@txgbys.org or 1-512-462-5738.

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Part One									
Ple		te the extent to which tements by circling t			ving				
1. It was easy to fir	nd infor	mation about the GBY	S progran	n.					
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true					
2. After requesting	GBYS	services, the Program	Coordina	ator contacted me i	n a timely manner.				
0 Not at all true	1	Somewhat true	3	4 Very true					
3. My Guide contac	cted me	e in a timely manner.							
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true					
4. My Guide provid	led me	with adequate and app	oropriate i	resources to fit my	needs.				
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true					
5. My Guide helped agency (school)		connect with my local	early inte	ervention program o	or educational				
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true	N/A Not applicable				

My Guide helped hearing.	me to c	onnect to other famili	es of childr	en who are deaf o	or hard of
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true	N/A Not applicable
7. My Guide was a g	ood list	ener.			
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true	
8. My Guide was pat	ient.				
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true	
9. My Guide provide	d need	ed emotional support	and guidar	nce.	
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true	N/A Not applicable
10. My Guide provide	ed infor	mation in an objectiv	e and unbia	ased manner.	
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true	
11. My Guide was se	ensitive	to my family's unique	e needs, cu	lture, and context	
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true	
12. I was matched w	ith a G	uide who was a good	fit for my n	eeds.	
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true	
13. Services I receiv	ed from	the GBYS program	met my exp	pectations.	
0 Not at all true	1 Some	2 ewhat true	3	4 Very true	

14. I would recommend the GBYS program to another parent of a child who is deaf or hard of hearing.								
0 Not at all true	1	2 Somewhat true	3	4 Very true				
15. Please take a moment to share any highlights or memorable positive experiences you had while participating in the GBYS program.								
16. Please share any suggestions you have that will help us to improve the GBYS program (parent training, workshops, networking opportunities, etc.)								

17. Please share any additional comments or thoughts regarding this match.

Part Two

Use the rating scale below to answer the following statement. "When thinking about raising my child who is deaf or hard of hearing, I feel able to..."

1 = Not at all true 2 = Hardly true 3 = Moderately true 4 = Exactly true

- 1. Communicate effectively with school staff about my child's abilities and needs.
- 2. Improve the educational outcomes for my child.
- 3. Obtain needed educational and community services for my child.
- 4. Provide activities that allow my child to socially interact with peers.
- 5. Network and share information with other parents.
- 6. Seek support from other parents.
- 7. Make decisions about my child's educational needs.
- 8. Choose between options that have different benefits or drawbacks for my child.
- 9. Find resources to help me make informed decisions.
- 10. Envision and prepare for my child's transition into adulthood.

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