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## **Policy for Habilitation Services for EPSDT**

**Habilitation** services are provided in order for a person to attain, maintain or prevent deterioration of a skill or function never learned or acquired due to a disabling condition.

Medically necessary therapy services (Occupational, Physical and Speech/Communication) provided by provider types 12 (Hospitals, Outpatient), 60 (School Based Services) and 34 (Therapy) under the EPSDT program include habilitation services for individuals under the age of 21.