

Welcome! Prior to starting services with **READY SET GO THERAPY**, we ask that you to provide us with some information. This information will help us to better understand your child, and to most effectively meet the needs of your child and your family. In this packet, you will also find a description of our services and policies. Enclosed are the following:

- Registration Form
- Notice of Privacy Policies and Procedures
- Privacy Policies and Procedures Receipt and Consent
- Parent Policies
- Service Agreement
- Release of Information
- Sensorimotor History
- A Sensory Profile or Sensory Processing Measure Parent Questionnaire, if appropriate. Please answer each question/test item to the best of your ability, as we are unable to score the assessment if any item is left unanswered. This questionnaire should be completed prior to your child's evaluation.

Please keep the Notice of Privacy Policies, Parent Policies and Procedures, and a copy of the Service Agreement for your records. Please complete the remaining forms, and fax, mail, scan and email, or drop off the forms prior to your child's first appointment at:

350 Gate 5 Road Sausalito, CA 94965 Fax: (415) 963-4243 info@readysetgotherapy.com

Providing this information as soon as possible prior to your child's session will help us to prepare appropriately for the first meeting with your child. If no one is in the office when dropping off forms, you may leave the forms in the black mailbox facing you after you enter the building. If you have any questions, please call us at (415) 339-8800. We look forward to meeting you!

Registration Form



Sausalito, CA 94965 Phone 415-339-8800 Fax 415-963-4243 info@readysetgotherapy.com

THIS FORM MUST RETURNED PRIOR TO THE FIRST APPOINTMENT

PERSONAL INFORMATION Child's Name: _____ Date: ____ Referred by: _____ Birthdate: _____ Age: ____ School: ____ Grade: ____ Teacher: ____ Parent name: _____Address: _____ Parent name: Address: Parents' occupations: Phone #'s: List name/ type (cell/home/work): E-Mail Addresses: Other family members in household (include sibling ages); other caregivers (include contact information): **MEDICAL INFORMATION** Medical Diagnosis (if applicable):______ Date given: _____ By (name of professional):_____ Allergies: Dietary Restrictions: Medications: Please list any known precautions or physical conditions (seizures, heart problem, asthma, muscle/bone disorder): Person Responsible for Payment: Pediatrician: Name of Insurance Provider (for coding purpose): ______ ADDITIONAL INFORMATION Current Service(s)/Provider Name Start Date Past Service(s)/Provider Name Start/End Date **Primary Concerns:**



Notice of Privacy Policies and Procedures

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PLEASE RETAIN THIS FORM FOR YOUR RECORDS

READY SET GO THERAPY, INC. respects the confidentiality of its clients (child and legal parent/caregiver) and will maintain the privacy of your health information by all applicable federal and state laws. Ready Set GO Therapy will implement the following privacy policies and procedures:

Treatment: We may use and disclose your child's health information as part of assessment and intervention procedures. If a non-parent caregiver is present at your child's therapy session, consent is implied to discuss basic components of the treatment session, answer questions, and provide recommendations and/or home program suggestions. If you prefer to limit communication with a non-parent caregiver in your child's session, please let your therapist know. With written consent, we may use and disclose your child's information with other professionals working with your child. If a parent/legal guardian would like Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. to consult with other caregivers/professionals/persons, he or she shall sign and submit a Release of Information form for that function.

Communication

We send written reports via our secure email system. Day to day communication via email is not secure. If you prefer to communicate via phone, please let your therapist know.

Healthcare Operations

We may use your child's information for appointment reminders (i.e. texts, voice mail, email, reminder cards). We may use and disclose your child's health information to obtain payment for services we provide. Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. is a teaching facility. Your child's information may be used for the education of occupational therapy students and members of the community. Students, volunteers, and supplementary staff will sign a confidentiality agreement to adhere to the privacy policies and practices as outlined in this document. The quality of a child's therapy session is of primary importance. Students and volunteers will observe or participate only if this can be done without interfering with a child's session. For educational purposes your child's information may be used without consent, *only* with name and identifying information excluded. Occasionally persons within the community (for example, new parents or related services) may request to visit the facility. Such visits will be conducted with consideration that your child's session is the primary priority.

READY SET GO THERAPY, INC. uses photography and video at times during treatment sessions. Images and recordings may be shared with parent/guardian or with clients as part of the therapeutic process. You may opt out of the use of photography or video in your child's sessions by signing an opt-out form.

Your Authorization:

You may give us written authorization (Release of Information) to use your child's information or disclose it to anyone for any purpose. If an authorization is provided to us for any individual or entity you may revoke the authorization in writing at any time.

Marketing

READY SET GO THERAPY, INC. uses photography and video of clients for promotional and educational purposes. You may opt out of the use of your child's videos or photos for such purposes by signing an opt-out form.

Required by Law

We may be required to provide information to law officials under certain circumstances. We are mandatory reporters. We may be obligated to use or disclose your child's information if we believe that your child is a possible victim of abuse, neglect, domestic violence, or the possible victim of other crimes.

National Security

We may be obligated to use or disclose your child's information as required for national security: to military authorities or armed forces personnel, to authorized federal officials as required for lawful intelligence, counter-intelligence, and other national security activities, or to correctional institution or law enforcement official, having lawful custody of health information of inmate or patient under certain circumstances.

We reserve the right to change our privacy practices at any time. If we change the privacy practices, we will issue a revised notice of privacy practices. If you wish to obtain an additional current copy of our privacy practices, you may obtain it at any time by contacting Jamie Close or Leigh Burkey at Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. This Notice takes effect December 1, 2018 and will remain in effect until replaced.

Privacy Policies and Procedures Receipt and Consent



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I,Print Name of Legal Parent/Guardian	, acknowledge that I have received and reviewed a
copy of READY SET GO THERAPY , INC. 's Not I consent to READY SET GO THERAPY , INC. 's	·
treatment/intervention, billing, and healthcare opera Privacy Policies and Practices.	itions according to the terms outlined in the Notice of
Signed,	
Signature of Legal Parent/Guardian	Date
Photo and Video Opt Out	
	or its officers, employees, or agents, to use recordings , or family as part of the therapeutic process.
Signature of Parent or Guardian	Date
I <i>do not</i> authorize Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. or its images of my child, purposes.	officers, employees, or agents, to use recordings or, or family for promotional and/or educational
Signature of Parent or Guardian	 Date



Parent Policies

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Rates for Services:

FOR NEW CLIENTS

*A non-refundable down payment of \$150 is required to reserve your first session.

Comprehensive Evaluation Package: \$625 for a 2-hour evaluation including standardized testing (as appropriate), clinical observations, and parent interview. This evaluation is intended to determine whether occupational therapy is appropriate for your child, as well as to assess foundational skills and deficits, and to provide a more comprehensive understanding of how to best address your child's needs. The evaluation includes a comprehensive written report including the findings, accommodations, and a home program. Additional testing, when necessary and/or requested, will be completed at a rate of \$160 per hour. The remaining balance is due upon completion of the evaluation. A parent conference will be required following completion of the evaluation.

Alternative Evaluation Options:

Outside Evaluation: A current evaluation is required for ongoing therapy. An occupational therapy evaluation completed at another facility within the past one year is acceptable. If this option is chosen, first therapy session will be \$320, which includes review of previous reports and a parent conference to establish and discuss the goals of therapy and the intervention plan.

For Children Under 3 years-old: \$160 per hour for evaluation, written report, and parent conference. Evaluation will include standardized testing (as appropriate), clinical observations, and parent report. This evaluation is intended to determine whether occupational therapy is appropriate for your child, as well as to assess foundational skills and deficits, and to provide a more comprehensive understanding of how to best address your child's needs.

Telehealth Evaluation Package: \$450. This option is available only when an in-person evaluation is not feasible. This package includes 2 one-hour telehealth sessions which includes clinical observations via activities guided by the therapist and executed by the parent/caregiver and child, as well as parent interview and questionnaires. A written report will be provided, including the findings, accommodations, and a home program. A parent conference will be required following completion of the evaluation.

Full-Service Evaluation Package with School Consultation: \$945, inclusive of a comprehensive evaluation plus a 1 hour classroom observation, consultation with the teacher, travel time, and written recommendations. A parent conference will be required following completion of the evaluation.

Targeted Home Program Package: This service is \$320 and for the first session and development of a home program and/or recommendations to address a specific area of concern. The first session includes 1hour of direct clinical observations. We generally recommend 4-12 follow-up treatment

sessions billed at \$160/hour which are scheduled as a recurring weekly appointment time. The focus of follow-up sessions is to refine and practice the home program to and boost progress towards the goal. The home program will be developed over the first few sessions and reviewed in a meeting with parents. *Note: This option is not appropriate for regular ongoing treatment intervention, or to address more than one area of concern.*

FAQ:

How should I prepare for my first session?

- Complete the Welcome Packet forms and Questionnaires and return them to the RSGT office
- Provide RSGT with any outside evaluations or reports
- Be sure to confirm the first session and pay the deposit
- Relax, and know that you are good hands! We look forward to working with you!

How should I explain to my child why we are going to OT?

First, rest assured that you are probably are more concerned about this than your child. Children have open minds. While therapy has a history of being stigmatized, this is a thing of the past. Our current society is learning to understand that everyone learns in different ways and has different areas of strengths and weakness, and this is okay! In fact, we are learning to celebrate each other's difference as a means of enrichment. The way that you explain "why" is different based on each individual situation. Here are some tips:

- A sample way to present this is: "The teachers at RSGT are very good at helping kids learn new ways to (write/get ready for Kindergarten/calm their bodies/etc.), and they help a lot of kids to do this."
- Focus on the positive. Avoid telling a child that they need OT because they are "bad" at something or "have a problem with (X,Y,Z)". We do not want to a child to feel that they are failing. Instead focus on how this class teaches new things, as above.
- Rest assured that once your child meets their therapist, it will be clear that they are understood and that they feel safe. Most kids leave eager to return!

FOR EXISTING CLIENTS

These services are available after completing an occupational therapy evaluation:

Fixed Schedule: Individual sessions are scheduled at a consistent time each day(s) of the week for ongoing therapy. This is typically the recommended scheduling approach, as it contributes to the fastest rate of progress.

Flexible Schedule: When consistent weekly sessions are not feasible, sessions can be booked on a session by session basis, based on your own schedule and therapist availability.

Individual Treatment Sessions: \$160 per hour. Treatment sessions are inclusive of a 55-minute session, plus 5 minutes for set-up and clean-up. Treatment sessions are typically completed on-site at our clinic. Telehealth sessions are also used to enhance support at home and as an alternative option when on-site sessions are not feasible.

Note: Consultation with Parents and other Professionals is considered to be a critical component of therapy and leads to faster progress. Parent conferences are recommended and will be scheduled at 3 months to revisit recommendations and address specific problem areas.

Phone/Email/Telehealth Consultations: In order to best serve your child, we intend to keep open communication with families, and to collaborate with other caretakers and professionals involved in your child's life. There will be no extra charge for a phone or email consultation lasting up to 15 minutes. \$160/hour will be charged for phone conferences or emails lasting more than 15 minutes and will be pro-rated based on length of time in 15-minute increments.

Travel Fee: \$30 + tolls incurred for up to 30 minutes of travel. Additional travel time pro-rated at \$160/hour.

Off-site Consultations: Home or community-based consultations will be provided at \$160/hour plus travel fee.

School Consultations: \$320 plus travel fee. Includes an hour of combined classroom observation and teacher consultation, and written recommendations, meeting, or materials. Follow up conversations with school staff are recommended and will be charged at a rate of \$160/hour prorated based on length of time.

<u>Progress Reports:</u> Progress reports and goal updates are completed every 6 months and will be charged at a rate of \$160/hour, pro-rated on length of time to complete (typically 30 to 60 minutes). Please let us know if your insurance plan has specific requirements in order to receive coverage. If you prefer to receive the progress report in place of your child's regularly-scheduled session, please let Ready Set GO Therapy know in advance.

<u>Updated Individualized Home Programs</u>: Updated individualized home programs will be developed, upon request, at a rate of \$160/hour.

Other fees

There is a \$30.00 fee for returned checks, in addition to any fees charged to us by our financial institution. A late fee of \$20 along with a 4% interest charge may be applicable if payment is not received within 30 days of billing date.

Cancellations

Consistency is critical to your child's progress. Our therapists are committed to meeting your family's goals. We do understand that conflicts or illness occasionally occur. If your child or another household member develops a contagious illness and has potentially exposed other children at our facility to the illness (for example conjunctivitis, chickenpox, head lice, or impetigo), Ready Set GO Therapy should be notified at once. We expect cancellations to be rescheduled. When a therapist must cancel, we will offer make-up sessions. The following cancellation policies apply:

- Telehealth sessions are a viable alternative when in-person sessions are not feasible and can bring added value. Please contact Ready Set GO Therapy if you would like to schedule a telehealth session in place of an in-person session.
- Cancellations with less than 24 hours notice will be charged a non-refundable fee of \$160. In the event of short-notice cancellations, the Therapist will use the child's session time to support your child's goals by replacing the time with a parent conference if possible, or by creating home program, materials, parent education, or other means to support your child's goals.
- All other cancellations will be charged at \$40 unless rescheduled within 2 weeks.
 Cancellations are discouraged and make-ups are dependent on therapists' availability.
 Make-up sessions require flexibility, as they may not match family's ideal availability or may

be scheduled with an alternative skilled and qualified therapist. Ready Set GO Therapy therapists are trained and prepared to work with each others' clients in the case of therapist cancellations and make-up sessions. We have found that sharing clients brings added benefits such as new perspective and collaboration among therapists, as well as increasing a child's flexibility.

- If there are 3 or more cancellations per trimester, you will be asked to change to our "Flexible Schedule" model. This allows for you to book treatment sessions based on your own schedule and the availability of therapists.
- Cancellations must be made by phone or confirmed in writing. Verbal cancellations made during a session are not documented and must be followed up via phone or email to 415-339-8800 or info@readysetgotherapy.com

Holidays

Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. will be closed for New Year's Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas. If you plan to be out of town on one of the following holidays, you will not be charged for cancellations, as long as advanced notice is given.

Martin Luther King Jr Day President's Day Memorial Day 4th of July Labor Day Day after Thanksgiving Christmas Eve Day after Christmas New Year's Eve

If you would like a session on a holiday, please let us know as some therapists may be able to accommodate this. Ready Set GO Therapy does not follow the school holiday schedule. Please contact us if you are unsure if we are open.

Payment

Payment is due on a monthly basis. If your child's last name starts with A-L, you will be billed in the middle of each month. If your child's last name starts with M-Z, you will be billed at the end of each month. Payment options include credit (we accept Master Card, Visa, and American Express), debit, or check. Cash will also be accepted if exact change is given, as we do not keep cash readily available as change. Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. does not bill insurance. However, we will provide information needed to assist in receiving reimbursement, based on your individual policies. Please inform Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. if any additional information is requested by your individual insurance policy. Charges are non-negotiable as agreed upon in service agreement. If payment is not made within one month of billing date, your child will no longer receive services until the account is up to date and charges may apply.

*Note: Rates are subject to change. A minimum of 2 weeks advanced written notice will be provided.

Additional Considerations:

At your child's treatment session

Sessions are 55 minutes long with 5 minutes for preparation and transition. **Pick-up is required at 50 minutes into the session to provide an opportunity for discussion and home program recommendations in the final 5 minutes of the session.** If a non-parent caregiver is responsible for pick-up, parents may request a 50-minute session in which the therapist uses the last 5 minutes to send a recap of the session. Therapists have very tight schedules and do not have the flexibility to have extended conversations without prior notice during a regular therapy day. Communication is important; if there are questions or comments that need to be discussed, the parent may request to have a shortened session with a private conference or set up an additional parent conference appointment.

To ensure everyone's safety, please do not allow children onto the mats or other equipment without the direct supervision of a therapist during your child's scheduled therapy session.

In addition, for the safety of your child, **Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. asks that you are prompt in picking up your child at the end of his or her session. Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. is not responsible for supervising your child before the session has started, or after the session has ended. You will be charged at the regular therapy rate for late pick-ups.** If anyone other than the parent will be picking up your child, please notify Ready Set GO Therapy. We cannot accommodate children who are dropped off early for therapy sessions. Please make sure your child is supervised at all times prior to and after the therapy appointment.

During Telehealth treatment sessions, a parent or caregiver must be present at home, and must confirm their physical address at the beginning of each session. At least one emergency phone contact must be provided, in addition to primary caregiver contact information. In most cases, the parent must be present throughout the session to provide physical assistance and support to the child and to gather necessary equipment.

Attire

Clothing that is well fitted to the child's body, casual (active wear), and seasonable will be appropriate. Your child may be invited to participate in messy play. Shoes are not permitted on areas with mats.

Pets

Service animals are permitted. Other pets are not allowed in the building due to potential sensitivity of children in the facility.

Emergency and Disaster Preparedness

In the case of evacuation due to a natural disaster or emergency, our established nearby meeting place is across the street, in front of Anchorage Restaurant (475 Gate 5 Rd # 105, Sausalito, CA 94965). If this location is not safe, our established meeting place is in front of Mollie Stones (100 Harbor Dr, Sausalito, CA 94965).

In the case of catastrophic emergency, we may be forced to cancel sessions. We will attempt to contact you as quickly as we are able to safely do so.

Discontinuing Services

The decision to discontinue services should be a collaborative decision between the family and the therapist, and typically occurs once a child's needs are able to be met through an established home program and/or other services within the community. If you decide to discontinue services or are

unable to continue sessions at your child's current time, a **2-week notice to discontinue is required** to avoid a cancellation charge.

Right to Refuse or Discontinue Services

Interpretation, recommendations, and treatment plans are based, in part, on the history and information that you provide Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. If information about your child's medical/educational history, interventions, and needs are withheld, misrepresented, altered, or omitted, Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. reserves the right to terminate the services. Services may be refused or discontinued due to non-payment of services, aggressive behavior, lack of progress, lack of cooperation, or a poor match between the needs of the family and skills of the therapist.

Therapists

We hand select our Occupational Therapists through an intensive application and hiring process and we have complete confidence that each therapist will uphold our high standard of practice.

Ready Set GO Therapy, Inc. takes pride in providing the highest quality service to your family and your child. If you have any questions, concerns, or feedback, please contact us.

Service Agreement For Occupational Therapy Services

Print name



I understand and agree to the following rates Service Rates:	
Evaluation = Evaluation w/School Consultation = Telehealth Evaluation = Targeted Home Program = 1st session, outside evaluation = Treatment session =	\$625 \$945 \$625 \$320 \$320 \$160 includes 55 min. session, planning, and documentation
Phone/Email consultation = Off-site consultation = Travel fee=	\$160/hour pro-rated based on length of time in 15-minute increments. No charge if less than 15 minutes. \$160/hour + travel fee \$30 + tolls for up to 30 minutes of travel Additional travel time pro-rated at \$160/hour
School consultation = Progress reports = Written home program=	\$320 + travel fee \$160/hour \$160/hour
	24 hours notice will be charged at \$80
1 cancellation for illness can lIf there are 3 or more cancella	charged at \$40 unless rescheduled within 2 weeks be made at no charge per trimester ations per trimester, you will be asked to change to our "Flexible for you to book treatment sessions based on your own schedule and
* ALL cancellations must be made by	phone or in writing
Late pick-ups= Returned Check= Late Payments =	\$160/hour pro-rated on length of time \$30 + any bank fees \$20 & 4% interest on outstanding balance of 30 days or more
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Relationship

Release of Information



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I hereby authorize the exchange of medical, psychosocial, educational, and developmental information regarding. Print Child's Name Date of Birth READY SET GO THERAPY, INC. Between: 350 Gate Five Road Sausalito, CA 94965 415-339-8800 info@readysetgotherapy.com And: (Please list all applicable) Contact Information Name Relationship Name Relationship **Contact Information** Name Relationship **Contact Information** Relationship **Contact Information** Name This consent is valid and in effect for two years, unless written request to renew or withdraw this form is provided. Authorized by: Parent Name (print)_____ Signature_____ Date

Sensorimotor History



Please complete the following form to help us gain more information to determine the needs of your child: Child's Name: Date: Person completing form: Relationship to child: Significant medical history including major illness, accidents or incidents, and date of occurrence: **Developmental History Birth History** Circle All Applicable: Full term Premature Breech Caesarian Difficult labor Forceps Suction Birth weight: List any complications or other significant information regarding prenatal period/birth. This information is important in our understanding of how to best approach intervention for your child, as it can impact sensory and motor development: **Developmental Milestones** Difficulty Sleeping Circle All Applicable: Reflux/GI issues Colic Limited Self-Soothing Torticollis Give approximate age of mastery, if known: Rolling over: ______1-2 words: ______Using Sentences: _____ Potty Training: Day: _____ Night: _____ Establishment of Regular Sleep/Wake Cycles:______Falling Asleep Independently: _____ Did your child master a smooth and symmetrical crawl for a minimum of 1-2 months? Yes / No If no, please describe: Do you notice any asymmetry in your child? Yes / No Describe: Does your child sleep well? Yes / No Describe:

About Your Child:
Please describe your child's morning and evening routines (including level of assistance required):
What is your child's level of independence and/or ability to tolerate participation in dressing/undressing and
completing self-care and grooming tasks (brushing teeth, bathing, washing/brushing hair):
Please describe mealtimes with your child. Include all relevant information, including where your child eats,
whether he/she eat meals with the rest of the family, and level of assistance required for self-feeding:
Please describe the level of safety awareness your child exhibits at home and within the community:

Please list any concerns you have (if any) related to your child's social skills and interactions:
Is your child able to play independently? What are your child's favorite activities?
What things does your child seem to fear or avoid, if any?
Please list any questions or concerns that you would hope this screening/evaluation would answer?
Do you have any tips or strategies to suggest when working with your child?
What are your child's greatest strengths?
Is there anything else that you would like for us to know about your child?