Tippecanoe Valley High School

Student Assistance Plan

Q. What is the Tippecanoe Valley High School (TVHS) Student Assistance Plan (SAP)?

A. It is a new benefit provided by TVHS that provides TVHS students two (2) free prepaid sessions of counseling at any Bowen Center outpatient location. Services may also be provided at a school site if possible.

Q. Who has access to this program?

A. All TVHS students grades nine (9) through twelve (12) have two (2) free sessions. There is no co-pay, deductible, or pre-authorization required.

Q. Is parental consent required?

A. Yes. Parental consent is required for any child under the age of 18. After the initial two counseling sessions parents may decide if they would like to continue to invest in treatment. There is no obligation to continue.

Q. Where are the Bowen Center offices?

A. Bowen Center has locations in the following cities: Warsaw, Wabash, Plymouth, Huntington, Angola, Auburn, Fort Wayne, LaGrange, Syracuse, Columbia City, and Albion. Services may be provided at Tippecanoe Valley High School or Burket Educational Center as needed.

Q. How are students referred?

A. 1) Parents may refer their children directly to the Bowen Center. 2) Students may refer themselves with the consent of their guardian. 3) TVHS may refer students after communication and consent from their guardian(s).

Q. If I use counseling sessions through the TVHS Student Assistance Plan is TVHS informed?

A. All sessions are private and confidential. Privacy laws protect student information unless you give written consent to release student information.

Q. Can I use my free counseling sessions during summer break?

A. Yes. Students have access to their two (2) prepaid sessions at any time during the calendar year.

Q. How do I schedule counseling sessions?

A. Simply call 1-800-342-5652 to the Access Center and state, "I am the parent of a TVHS student and would like to schedule counseling sessions for my child through the Student Assistance Plan." If you have more questions please call Bowen Center Director James Troutner at 1-800-342-5653.

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