

Prior to completing a 4418.7 assessment

- History of multiple failed residential placements
- All viable resources within the our catchment area are exhausted
- Clinical Team referrals
- BIT team referrals
- Complete a state wide search- sending referral to all other 20 Regional Centers
- Contact assigned Regional Resource Development Project and discuss referral
- Inform family, individual, and legal representatives
- Legal commitment needs to be generated if 4418 recommends SDC placement

Regional Center's position regarding placement of minors in a State Developmental Center continues to be the same; all efforts and viable alternatives, including out of state placements, are explored and attempted before making a 4418 referral. In the event that there are no other alternatives available, placement into a SDC may occur.