

Parent Coaching: Terms of Agreement

By registering for AANE parent coaching you are accept the following terms of agreement:

AANE parent coaching is designed to provide parents, guardians, grandparents or other caregivers (e.g. "the client") of children, teens or adults time-limited individualized sessions that focus on prioritizing needs, planning and problem solving, personal skill building and offering resources and support. AANE parent coaches are not advocates, mediators, therapists, or crisis responders.

Coaching is not a replacement for therapy. The client understands that successful coaching requires a collaborative approach between client and coach. In the coaching relationship the coach facilitates, guides and supports skill development and planning; the client is responsible for implementing the plan.

All information discussed between coach and client will remain confidential unless something is potentially illegal, unethical or a threat to any individual. AANE parent coaches, who are also social workers, are mandated reporters. The client understands there is no legally privileged communication in the coaching relationship.

All coaching session hours require pre-paid registration and appointment. Coaching sessions may be in person at AANE in Watertown, MA or mutually agreed upon community location, by telephone, or video-conferencing. Coaching sessions may include parents, guardians, grandparents and other caregivers. Either coach or client may cancel and reschedule sessions in the event of illness or emergency by email or phone. 24-hour notification of cancellation is required for all other reasons in order to reschedule the session.