

## Treatment: Options For Placement

### Voluntary Placement: Legal Basis

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<b>Policy</b>	The mission of the Department of Children and Families; Working together with families and communities for children who are healthy, safe, smart and strong.
<b>Care and Protection</b>	The Commissioner of the Department of Children and Families, under the provisions of CONN. GEN. STAT. §17a-90, shall furnish protective services or provide and pay, wholly or in part, for the care and protection of children other than those committed by the Superior Court whom, he/she finds in need of such care and protection from the state.
<b>Ensure Services</b>	CONN. GEN. STAT. §17a-6(e), provides that the Commissioner of the Department of Children and Families shall ensure that all children under his/her supervision have adequate food, clothing, shelter and adequate medical, dental, psychiatric, psychological, social, religious and other services.

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