



## Behavioral Initiatives

Quality ABA Professionals

# Hello Summer and Hello BI Family!

**Hello BI Families!** Summer is here and we hope everyone is enjoying their favorite **summer activities** while staying safe and keeping cool! We hope that you all had a **fantastic 4th of July** with your families during these new times. Remember: drink water and wear sunscreen when out and about in our **Sunshine State!**

As you all know, we had therapists who unfortunately tested positive for COVID-19 this month. Once confronted with this news, all appropriate measures were taken and we are proud to report that all children and 15 out of 16 staff members tested negative for COVID-19. This means that our safety procedures and protective equipment are **working** and effectively doing what is **needed to prevent** the spread of COVID-19.

## BI's Superstars - June 2020

With all the hard work our kiddos do, this month we decided to ask our awesome BCBA's about how our BI superstars are doing and we were so excited to hear of all the progress all our kiddos had made. Hearing all the good our superstars had done made us think, why not shine a light on their hard work. This month we are giving a shout-out to two superstars who made some big strides in ABA!

### Xzayveon P.

This month Xzayveon started doing motor imitation independently! He is now discriminating pictures in an array of 3 and moved on to non-identical matching. Xzayveon is also able to sit for long periods of time and he is awesome during transitions!

DARE TO BE Remarkable!



### Aiden C.

Aiden started ABA 2 years ago without being able to communicate. He is now able to communicate his wants and needs and in the last month has worked hard to be able to communicate his personal information such as his parents phone number and his date of birth. Aiden has also made great strides in communicating his feelings using his communication device.



I can  
AND  
I will

Never!!  
GIVE UP!!

## Sensory Summer Fun!



### ENGAGING IN SENSORY DIETS

While we spend a bit more time inside these days, that doesn't mean summer fun can't happen!

Though our kiddos are all different and unique in their own ways, most of them love engaging in sensory rich activities. Sensory diets (group of activities specifically scheduled into a child's day) can help assist your child with attention and adaptive responses.

Sensory bags like the one you can see to the left are easy and affordable ways to have your child engage in a sensory activity. Below is a link with all the items you'd need to create a fun ocean themed sensory bag for the summer!

[Ocean Sensory Bag](#)