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"Can CSA Pay?" ...

New Coordinator Academy

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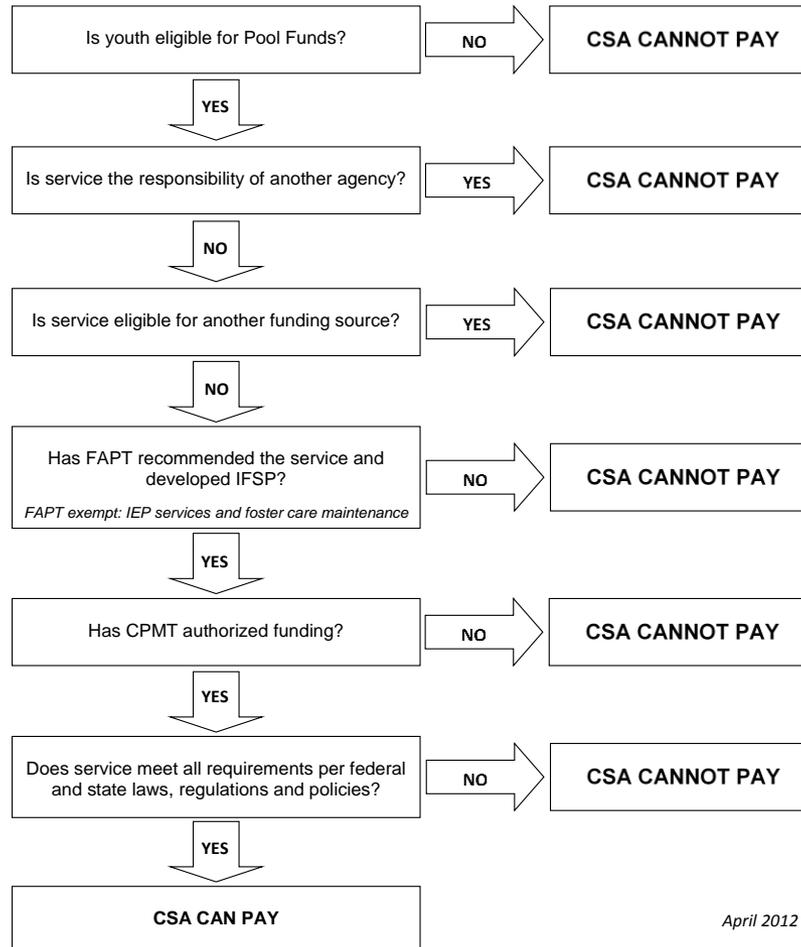
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- The answer to this question is not “guess work” or magic
- It is based upon the requirements established by the Children's Services Act.
- Apply the requirements to determine the answer.



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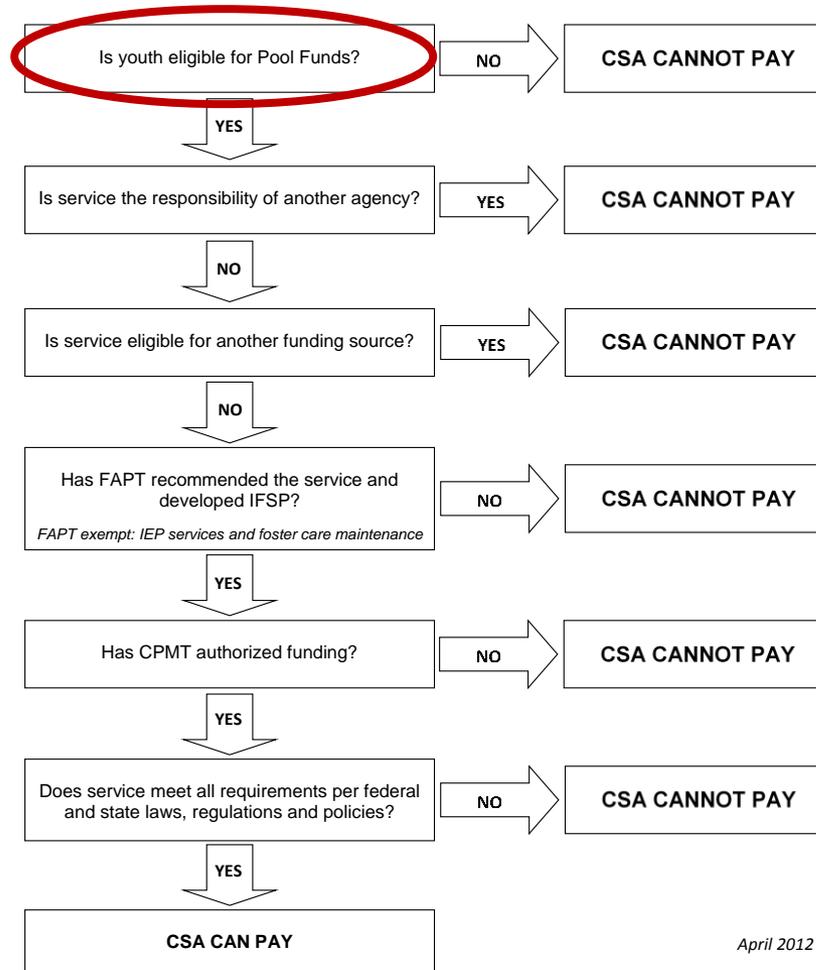


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Is youth eligible for Pool Funds?

NO

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YES
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question)

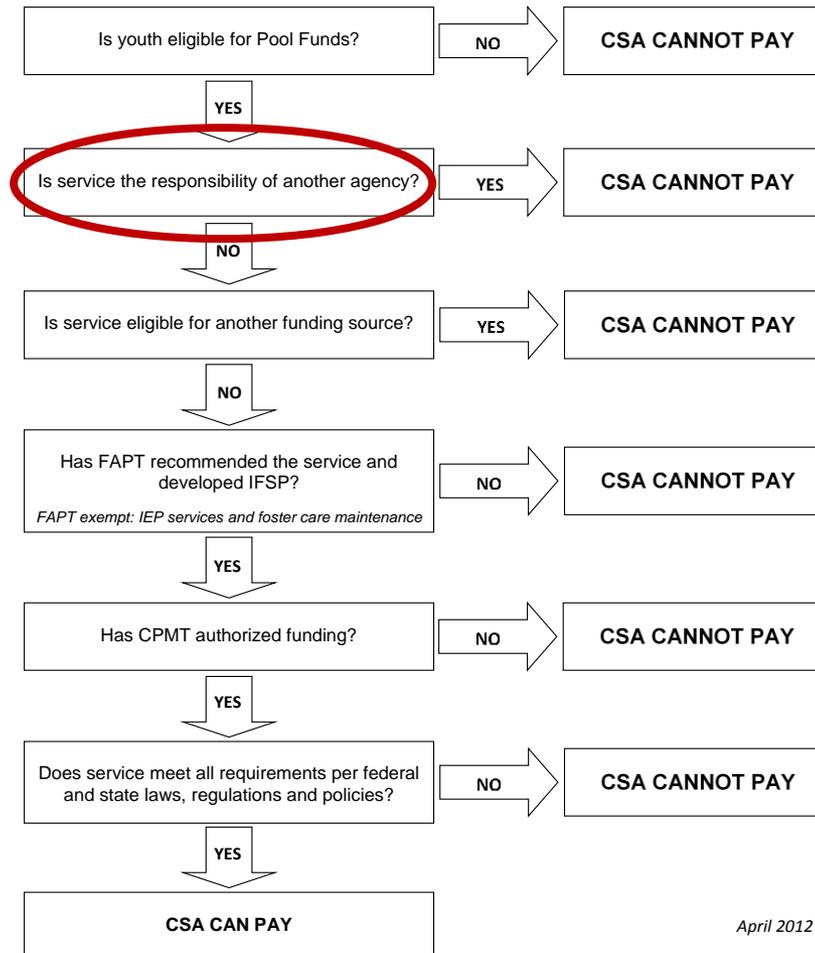
Now what did they
say about
eligibility?



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Is service the responsibility of
another agency?

(Code of Virginia §2.2-5211D)

YES

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NO
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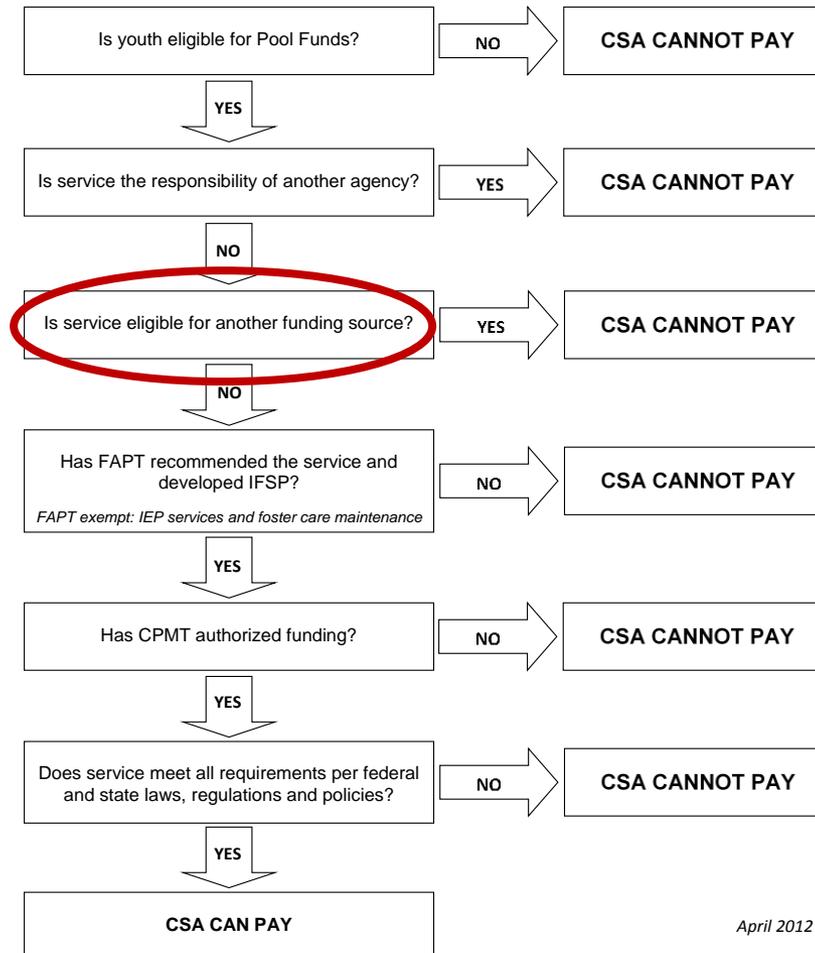
Does this fall within the
routine scope of
responsibility of the
schools, LDSS, DJJ, or the
CSB?



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Is funding available from another source?

(SEC Policy-4.4 ; Appropriations Act Item 274 E.)

YES

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NO
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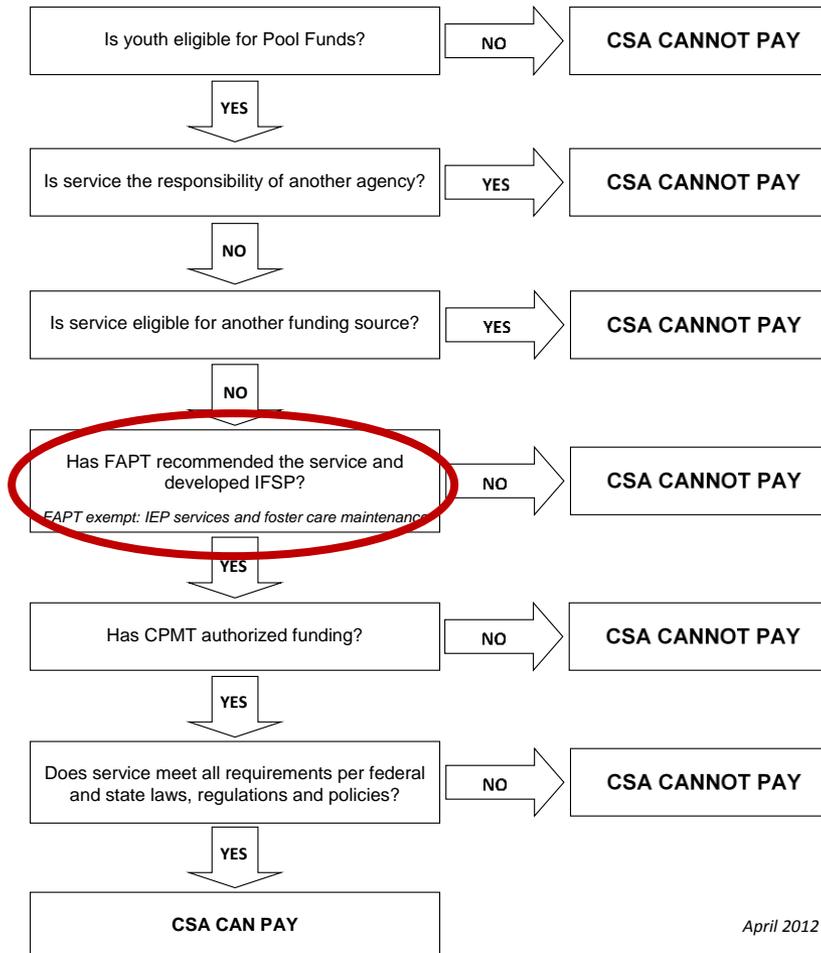
Can this service be funded through another funding stream such as Medicaid or DD Waiver?



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Has FAPT recommended the service and developed the IFSP?

(Code of Virginia § 2.2-5209)

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Foster Care Maintenance if local CPMT policy permits

No

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Yes
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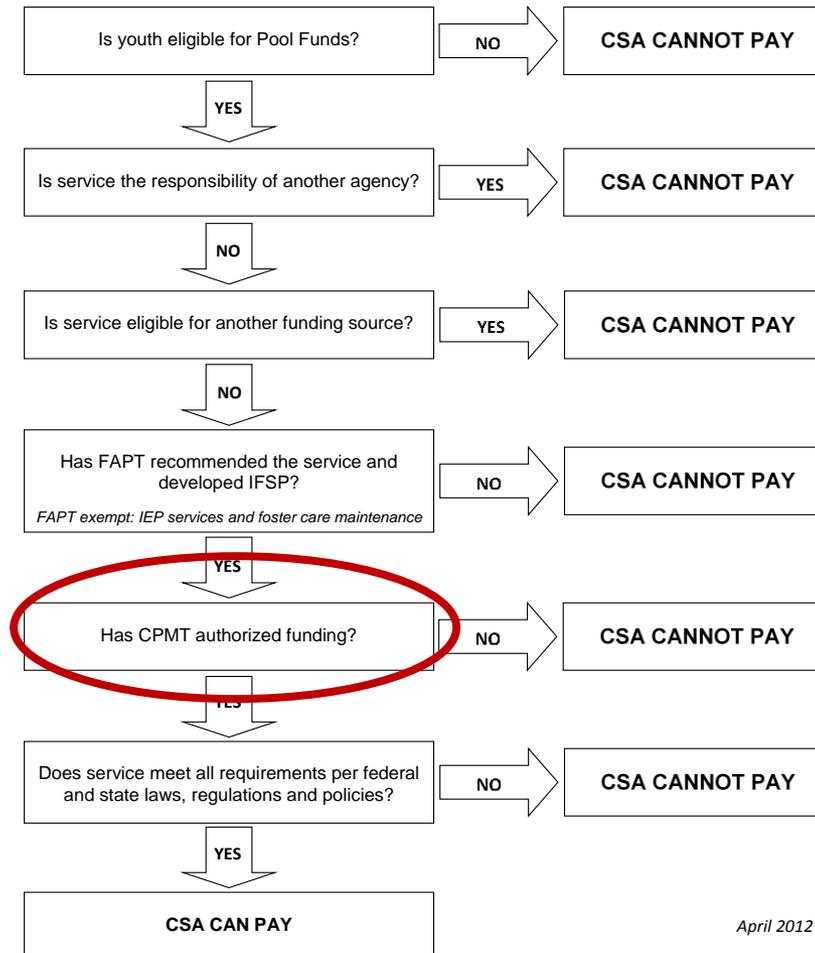
Was this case reviewed by FAPT? Did FAPT recommend these services in the IFSP?



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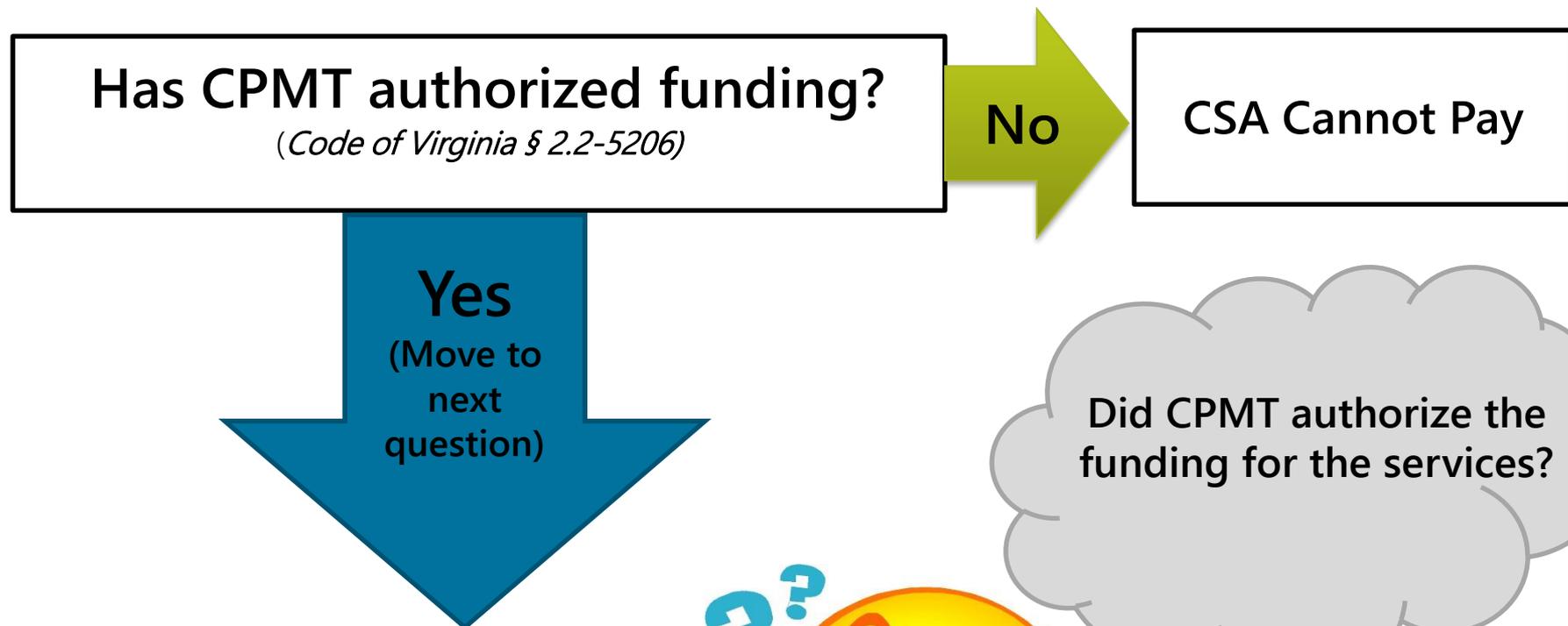


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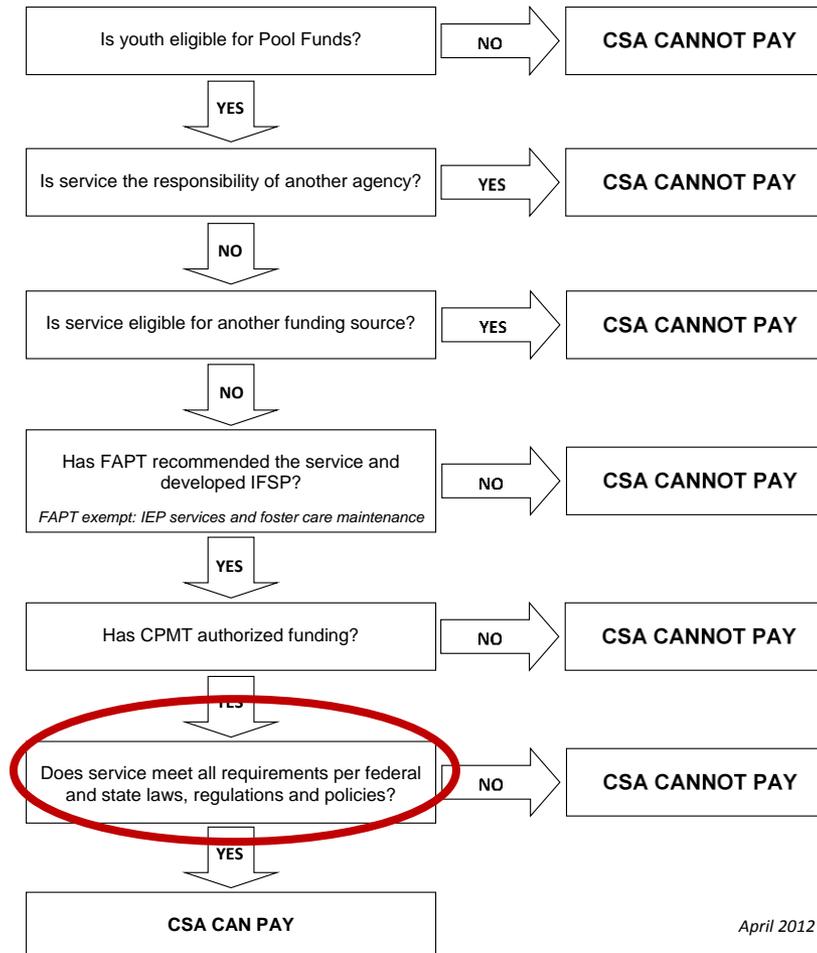
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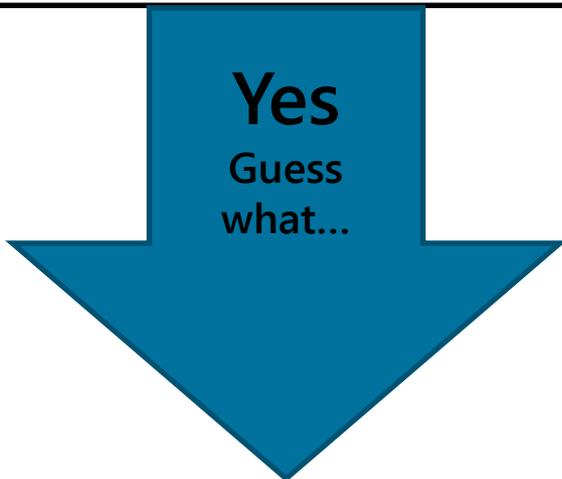
Does service meet all requirements per federal and state laws, regulations and policies?

(Code of Virginia § 2.2-2648)



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Yes
Guess what...



Is the service/placement required to be licensed?
If so, is the service provider licensed?



CSA Can Pay!!!



- If the decision is made that CSA can pay, document reasons and be confident in your decision making!!
- CSA is intended to provide services to youth and families!!!