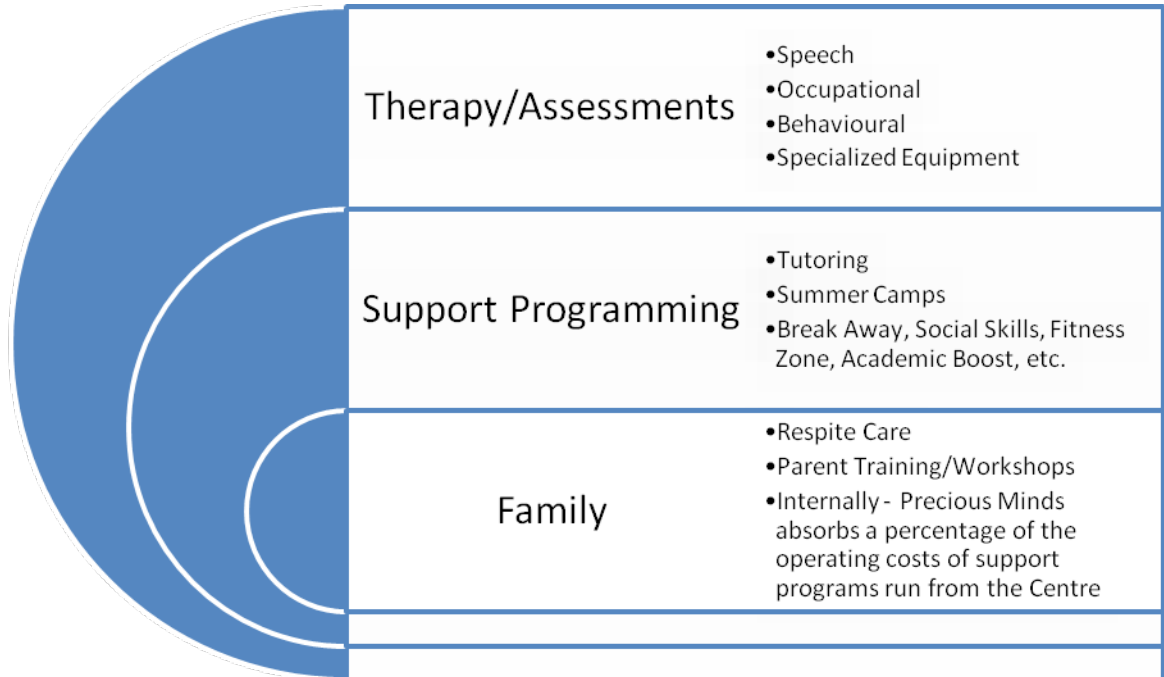


# PRECIOUS MINDS RESOURCE & LEARNING CENTRE – FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

One of our objectives is to contribute to the healthy development of each child. These days, this often comes with a price tag that is very difficult to manage when you consider the regular daily costs of living for the family unity. We want you to know that from the start, we absorb a good percentage of the costs related to all support program offerings at the Centre – for each participant! Now, for additional financial assistance...

## FUNDING CRITERIA for individual requests:

- ✓ THE CHILD/YOUTH BEING CONSIDERED IS BETWEEN THE AGES OF 0 AND 18 YRS.
- ✓ THEY RESIDE IN NORTH DURHAM REGION (RESIDENT OF BROCK, SCUGOG OR UXBRIDGE TOWNSHIP)
- ✓ THE REQUEST FOR FUNDS MUST BE ALIGNED WITH A ‘SUPPORT NEED’ SUCH AS:



- ✓ AN **‘Application for Financial Assistance’** MUST BE FULLY COMPLETED; AS WELL, A NEW APPLICATION FOR EACH ASSISTANCE REQUEST MUST BE COMPLETE
- ✓ APPLICATIONS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN INVOICE/QUOTE FROM THE SERVICE/EQUIPMENT PROVIDER WHICH STATES THE TOTAL COST OF THE SERVICE/EQUIPMENT TO BE PROVIDED LESS FEES TO BE PAID BY FAMILY; \*PLEASE NOTE THAT AFTER PROVISION OF AN APPROVED SERVICE, A ‘FINAL INVOICE’ MUST BE PROVIDED TO PRECIOUS MINDS, SIGNED BY BOTH THE SERVICE PROVIDER AND THE APPLICANT (PARENT/CAREGIVER) AND PAYMENT WILL BE MADE DIRECTLY TO THE PROVIDER. REQUESTS THAT DO NOT FIT THE TYPICAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATION WILL BE CONSIDERED ON A CASE BY CASE BASIS.
- ✓ IT WILL BE CONFIRMED THAT ALL [OTHER SOURCES OF POTENTIAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE HAVE BEEN RESEARCHED AND ACCESSED FOR ELIGIBILITY FIRST](#) (I.E. INSURANCE PLANS, ASSISTIVE DEVICES PROGRAMS, SUPPORT SERVICES AT HOME, ASSISTANCE FOR CHILDREN WITH SEVERE DISABILITY, ETC.) PRECIOUS MINDS IS ABLE TO ASSIST WITH THIS TASK!

- ✓ THE COMPLETED '**Application**' MUST BE REVIEWED BY THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SUB-COMMITTEE BEFORE A RECOMMENDATION FOR FUNDING IS PUT FORWARD AND FUNDING DECISION MADE
- ✓ GENERALLY SPEAKING, IT IS THE INTENT OF THIS SUPPORT PROGRAM TO PROVIDE 50% SUBSIDY TOWARDS APPROVED REQUESTS ; WITH A YEARLY MAXIMUM APPROVED FUNDING OF **\$500/** CHILD.