

Passaic County Youth Resource Directory

**Mental Health, Behavioral Health, and
Social Service Agencies**

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This directory represents the collaborative effort of the agencies listed and the Passaic County Children's Interagency Coordinating Council (CIACC) Education Partnership Committee for the betterment of children and adolescents in Passaic County. It is not exhaustive nor an endorsement of any organization but is a compilation of the information that was provided voluntarily by each.

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Program Name	Address	Phone, Fax, Email, Website	Contact Person	Services Provided	Population Served	Languages	Fees/Payment Information	Referral Process
Association for Special Children & Families	P.O. Box 494 Hewitt, NJ 07421	Phone: (973) 728-8744	Angela Abdul, Executive Director	Special education advocacy, parent support groups, individual consultations, children's activities	Families with children and young adults, birth to age 26, with full range of disabilities	English, Spanish	No fees in Passaic County	Direct call to facility
Center for Family Resources	12 Morris Road Ringwood, NJ 07456	Phone: (973) 962-0055 Fax: (973) 962-1129	Rebecca Peller	Head Start preschool, Early Head Start childcare, food pantry, rental and utility assistance, parent education, family support groups	Families and their 0 to 5 year-old children	English, Spanish, Arabic	Free to families that meet federal poverty guidelines	Community
Circle of Care for Families and Children of Passaic County, Inc. Care Management Organization (CMO)	3 Garret Mountain Plaza Suite 200 Woodland Park, NJ 07424	Phone: (973) 942-4588 Fax: (973) 942-4688 www.circleofcarecmo.org	Paulina Dutton, Community Relations and Resource Development Director Cynthia Heller, Chief Operating Officer	Comprehensive care management organization (CMO) services for children and families with multiple emotional and behavioral challenges, substance abuse and dual diagnosis (development disabilities/mental health)	Ages 5 to 21 with developmental and intellectual disabilities, behavioral health needs, substance abuse needs	English, Spanish, Arabic	No fee but families must complete Medicaid application to be eligible for services	Call PerformCare (877) 652-7624 Eligibility for CMO services is determined by PerformCare
Daytop New Jersey	80 W. Main Street Mendham, NJ 07945	Phone: (973) 543-5656 or 1(888)4-DAYTOP www.daytopnj.org	Julia Buccini, Community Resource Director	Substance use and co-occurring disorder treatment (residential and outpatient)	Ages 13 to 20	English, Spanish	No fees for treatment component	Call (973) 543-5656 option 2 or 1(888)4-DAYTOP and ask for screening
Division of Child Protection & Permanency (DCP&P)	Central Office 100 Hamilton Plaza, 11 th floor Paterson, NJ 07501 Northern Office	Phone: (973) 523-6090 Phone: (973) 826-6869	Tatiana Rodriguez Jenny Sierra	Child protection services	All ages	English, Spanish	No fees	Call 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

201 Willowbrook Blvd, 4 th Floor Wayne, NJ	783 Riverview Drive Totowa, NJ 07512	Phone: (973) 523-1224 ext.228	Daniel Velasquez	ECAP program works in conjunction with caseworkers from DCP&P who are handling problems of child abuse and neglect. ECAP aides work directly with these families with four main objectives: 1) To enable family to remain intact in their own home 2) To identify and help document child abuse/neglect situations 3) To assure safety to children while DCP&P formulates plan for them 4) To prevent child abuse/neglect by strengthening family life and teaching parenting and home management skills.	Up to age 18	English, Spanish	No fees	Contact agency directly	Contracted through DCP&P for Passaic County
Family Court Juvenile Unit	401 Grand Street Paterson, NJ 07505	Phone: (973) 247-8519	Jill Martorano	Understanding juvenile delinquency proceedings	All ages	English, Spanish	Medicaid	Contact agency between 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M.	Contact agency directly or for One-on-one
Center for Family Services	655 Broadway Paterson, NJ 07514	Phone: (973) 324-7879	Ingrid Vaca- Bullaro	Outpatient Counseling for Children and Families, and Adults	Passaic County families of children with emotional, behavioral,	English, Spanish	Free		
Family Support Organization of Passaic County	3 Garret Mountain Plaza, Suite 204,	Phone: (973) 427-0100 Fax:	James Sawyer, Executive Director	Educate families about community resources, accessing benefits/services for children, systems with which they may be		English, Spanish			

	Woodland Park, NJ 07424	(973) 427-2776	Kathi Champagne, Assistant Director / Outreach Coordinator	involved (such as Juvenile Justice Commission, mental health system, Department of Child Protection and Permanency, Children's System of Care, educational system); offer support groups, trainings, and presentations; direct and one-on- one peer support to parents/caregivers enrolled with local Care Management Organization	developmental, and intellectual challenges and substance misuse needs			peer-to-peer support through Care Management Organization call PerformCare (877) 652-7624
GenPsych	1501 Hamburg Turnpike Wayne, NJ 07470	Phone: (855) 436-7792 Fax: (855) 251-7222 E-mail: accesscenter@ genpsych.com Website: www.genpsych.co in	Jenna Rutherford: (908) 303- 7592	Outpatient Mental Health, Substance Abuse, and Eating Disorder treatment. PHP and IOP levels of care. In-person and virtual options available. No waitlist.	Children, Adolescents, and Adults 8 years and older	English	In-network with all private commercial insurances	Call admissions at (855) 436-7792 or Jenna Rutherford (908) 303-7592
Highlands Family Success Center	1801 Greenwood Lake Tpke Hewitt, NJ 07421	P: (973) 506-6575 F: (973) 506-657 Email: highlandsfsc@gmail.com Kellyh@highlandsfsc.org Website: www.highlandsfsc.org	Kelly Hart	Information and Referrals, Parent Education and Activities, Family Health, Life Skills, Advocacy, Housing, Employment and Strengthening Families/Community Events	All are welcome	English	Free	Contact Agency
Jewish Family Services	110 Main Avenue Passaic, NJ 07055	Phone: (973) 777-7638 Fax: (973) 777-9311	For intake: Sharon Zwickler	Play therapy – child centered, directed, sand tray, family; family therapy; Parenting Journey—12 sessions to help parents tune in to ways they were parented; Kazdin parenting training; family group for	Agers 2 and up, Passaic County residents primarily, will take out of county with insurance	English, Spanish, Hebrew, Yiddish	Medicaid, Medicare, most managed care insurance plans, private pay, sliding scale possible	Family can call for appointment

Jewish Family & Children's Services of Northern NJ	506 Hamburg Turnpike, Suite 102, Wayne, NJ 07470	www.jfsciflifton.com	Amy Trevino, Intake Coordinator	social skills; P.A.L.S. – 6 month therapeutic program for children exposed to domestic violence; advanced practice psychiatric nurse for medication evaluation and follow up, only for clients receiving therapy at the agency; intensive in-home behavioral service; parent resource library for parents of children with special needs; consultations for working with child study teams; parenting group for youth involved in the juvenile justice system; Trauma Center for children	P.A.L.S. program for Passaic County children ages 2 to 12 exposed to domestic violence Transportation available within 10 miles of agency	P.A.L.S. program funded by Division on Child Protection & Permanency (DCP&P, formally DYFS); no charge to children or parents in the program	
McKinney-Vento Education for Homeless Children and Youth (EHCY) Program	540 North Farview Ave, Paramus, NJ 07652	Diahann's Email: diader@bergen.org Diahann's Phone: (201) 343-6000 Ext. 6588 Massiel's Email: massan@bergen.org Massiel's Phone: (201) 343-6000 Ext. 6585 Office Fax: (201) 996-6973	Diahann DeRuggiero, Regional Director Massiel Sanabria, Support Specialist	Outpatient mental health for adults and children, couples and families, support groups, case management, senior services, food pantry The Stewart B. McKinney-Vento Education of Homeless Children and Youth (McKinney-Vento EHCY) program provides homeless students with protections and services to ensure they enroll in and attend school; complete their high school education and be positioned for success after graduation, so they may avoid poverty and homelessness as adults. The New Jersey Department of Education has established a grant program that focuses on providing instructional services that are supplemental to the regular school program. It also focuses on referral services to appropriate community-based organizations	Individuals and families, 0-100	English, Spanish, Hebrew, Yiddish, Farsi	Call (201) 837-9090 to complete intake with Amy Free Contact our office via email or telephone Office Hours: 8:30 AM – 4 PM

<p>Mental Health Center of Passaic The Family Center</p>	<p>111 Lexington Avenue Passaic, NJ 07055</p>	<p>Phone: (973) 471-8006 Fax: (973) 471-1630 www.mhcp.org</p>	<p>Alexandra Descalzi, Director</p>	<p>Home-based/office-based treatment related to abuse and neglect through specialized individual and family counseling and psychiatric services</p>	<p>Children from infancy through adolescence and their families</p>	<p>English, Spanish</p>	<p>Sliding scale based upon income and number in family, private insurance and managed care, Medicaid, Medicare, self-pay</p>	<p>Contact agency</p>
<p>Mental Health Center of Passaic Ida Gurtman Therapeutic Children's Program</p>	<p>35 Orange Avenue Clifton, NJ 07013 1451 Van Houten Avenue Clifton, NJ 07013</p>	<p>Phone: (973) 777-1403 Fax: (973) 777-4021 www.mhcp.org Phone: (973) 473-2775 Fax: (973) 473-3625 www.mhcp.org</p>	<p>Rosanna Rodriguez, Director Jacy Knaggs, Director</p>	<p>Partial care/day treatment</p>	<p>Children ages 2.5 to 6 whose emotional problems interfere with their daily functioning and their families</p>	<p>English, Spanish</p>	<p>Sliding scale based upon income and number in family, private insurance and managed care, Medicaid, self-pay</p>	<p>Contact agency</p>
<p>Mental Health Center of Passaic Partial Care 6-11</p>	<p>1451 Van Houten Avenue Clifton, NJ 07013</p>	<p>Phone: (973) 473-2775 Fax: (973) 473-3625 www.mhcp.org</p>	<p>Jeanine Ruiz, Director</p>	<p>Partial care/on-site, after school intensive therapy</p>	<p>Children ages 6 to 11 at risk of being in psychiatric hospital</p>	<p>English, Spanish</p>	<p>Sliding scale based on income and number in family, private insurance and managed care, Medicaid, self-pay</p>	<p>Contact agency</p>

M & S Psychotherapy and Counseling	1157 Main Avenue Clifton, NJ 07011 320 Lafayette Avenue, Hawthorne NJ 07506	Phone: (973) 341-9869 Fax: (973) 689-7271 www.mnspsych.com	Administrative support staff who answer phone	Individual, couple, and family outpatient therapy; child and adolescent psychiatric evaluation and medication monitoring; child and adolescent psychological evaluation and testing; in-home mentors, behavioral assistants, and therapists through referral from Children's System of Care (PerformCare); adolescent drug and alcohol evaluation via court order from Passaic County Family Court; adolescent psychosocial evaluation and individual/group treatment via court order from Passaic County Family Court	Children, adolescents, adults	English, Spanish	Various insurances, Medicaid	Call office to schedule appointment
NewBridge Adult and Family Services	105 Hamburg Turnpike Pompton Lakes, NJ 07442	Phone: (973) 316-9333 www.newbridge.org	Ed Edwards, Access Coordinator	Outpatient mental health counseling: individual counseling, play therapy, group therapy, family therapy; treatment for co-occurring disorders of mental illness and substance use; psychiatric evaluations and medication monitoring	All ages, people with mental illness, co-occurring disorders of mental illness and substance use disorders, Passaic County residents	English	Sliding fee based upon income, private insurance and managed care, Medicaid, Medicare, self-pay	Contact agency
New Life Recovery	23 Colfax Ave, Pompton Lakes, NJ 07442	Phone: (973) 728-7788 Email: info@newliferecoverycenter.net www.newliferecoverycenter.net	Skip McLaughlin	Outpatient addiction services treatment, intensive outpatient services	Adolescents, adults	English	Medicaid, Aetna insurance, other private insurance if there is an out-of-network benefit, sliding scale	Contact agency
Options Counseling Center	9 West Broadway, 3 rd floor	Phone: (973) 345-1883	Joseph A. Conte, Operations	Adolescent mental health/co-occurring (mental health and substance abuse) half-day partial	Ages 12 to 18 Handicap accessible	English, Spanish	Most third party insurance accepted, Medicaid, sliding scale	Contact agency

Passaic County Children's Mobile Response & Stabilization Services (CMRSS) - Family Crisis Intervention Unit (FCIU)	655 Broadway Paterson, NJ 07514	Phone: (973) 324-7891 Fax: (973) 324-7898 Email: donna.glinkin@centerffs.org	Donna Glinkin	Director	care program, outpatient counseling for adolescents, intensive outpatient counseling program for substance abuse treatment, psychiatric services, multifamily groups, family counseling, transportation available Behavioral crises de-escalation and stabilization, linkage to community services, in-home therapeutic services, advocacy with education and courts, referrals as necessary	All youth in Passaic County up to the age of 21, including those with developmental delays and substance use disorders	English, Spanish, They can address all languages through a language line to assist with translations	No fees for dispatches; Medicaid or related for in-home counseling services	Call PerformCare (24 hours per day, 7 days per week, 365 days per year) (877) 652-7624
Passaic County Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) for Children	415 Hamburg Turnpike, Suite B1 Wayne, NJ 07470	Phone: (973) 832-4002	Erica Fischer- Kaslander		Children in out-of-home placement in Passaic County	All ages	English, Spanish	N/A	Referrals must come from a party to the case (Judge, District Attorney General, Division of Child Protection & Permanency worker, Law Guardian, Biological Parent)

Pathways Counseling Center	16 Pompton Avenue Pompton Lakes, NJ 07442	Phone: (973) 835-6337 Fax: (973) 616-4688 Email: pegb@pathwayscounseling.org	Peg Buczek	Individual counseling for children and parents/guardians	Children ages 5 and older	English	Private insurance, sliding scale available depending on individual circumstances	Contact agency
SERV Centers of NJ, Inc. (Clifton Behavioral Healthcare)	777 Bloomfield Avenue Clifton, NJ 07012	Phone: (973) 594-0125 Fax: (973) 594-0536 www.servbhs.org Email: jpemberton@servbhs.org	John Pemberton, Intake Specialist	Family and individual counseling, psychiatric assessments, medication management	Ages 6 and up with behavioral health and co-occurring disorders (mental health and substance abuse)	English, Spanish	Private, Medicaid, Medicare, sliding scale	By phone or in person
St. Joseph's Regional Medical Center, Outpatient Mental Health Clinic	Children Services: 621 Main Street Paterson, NJ 07505	Children Services: 973-754-5590 Adult Services:	Susan DeAngelo, Director	Psychiatric evaluation; assessment; individual, family and group therapy; medication management	Ages 5 and older; clients who consent to treatment and have DSM diagnosis	English, Spanish, Farsi, Cyacom translation phones for	Fee schedule based on Medicaid/Medicare rates; Charity Care available	Contact agency

<p>St. Joseph's Psychiatric Emergency Services (PES) and Screening Center</p>	<p>Adult Services: 641 Main Street Paterson, NJ 07505</p>	<p>(973) 754-4750 www.stjosephshea.lth.org</p>	<p>Danielle Granados Narine Kaprelian</p>	<p>Phone: (973) 754-2230 Fax: (973) 754-3624</p>	<p>The mission of the PES/Screening Center is to assist any individual in resolving any crisis/conflict associated with psychiatric illness. Staff promptly evaluate clients in order to determine type of treatment required and arrange for the provision of such treatment in least restrictive setting as close to home as possible. The expectation is that the provision of services and relevant supports will result in resolution of the crisis.</p> <p>The PES/Screening Center offers immediate crisis intervention services, which are culturally competent, as well as service procurement to de-escalate client's distress and to help maintain or recover his/her level of functioning. Emphasis is on stabilization so the client can actively participate in the treatment plan.</p> <p>Treatment may take place in the form of face-to-face evaluation in hospital emergency rooms or in</p>	<p>All ages</p>	<p>access to hundreds of different languages, American Sign Language</p>	<p>Off-site English and Spanish (when available) On-site English and Spanish; interpreter/ Language Line for other languages</p>	<p>Medicaid billed only</p>	<p>Call office</p>
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St. Mary's Hospital Adolescent Partial Care Program, AWARE	Seton Center 530 Main Avenue Passaic, NJ 07055	Phone: (973) 470-3176 Fax: (973) 470-3408 Email: ndigiore1@primenhalthcare.com	Nicole Digiore, LPC, ACS, NCC Program Coordinator	the community via mobile outreach, polycom video conferencing, or by telephone. All services are available 24 hours per day, 7 days per week. Duration of treatment varies from person to person but stabilization, referral, and linkage are achieved in every instance.	Ages 11 to 17	English only	Medicaid, private insurance/HMO when in network	Referral can be made directly via phone
St. Mary's Hospital Outpatient	Seton Center 530 Main Avenue Passaic, NJ 07055	Phone: (973) 470-3514 Fax: (973) 470-3513	Naftoli Walfish, CCS LCSW, CCS Program Coordinator	Individual, family and group therapy; psychiatric evaluations; medication education and monitoring; psychosocial assessment	Children 8 to 21 and adults 22 to 80	English, Spanish, Hebrew	Medicaid, Charity Care, private insurance/HMO when in-network.	Call (973) 470-3514

St. Mary's Hospital Psychiatric Community Home	33 Mineral Spring Avenue Passaic, NJ 07055	Phone: (973) 470-3181 Phone: (973) 773-3005 Email: SDastidar1@primehealthcare.com	Santa Dastidar	Residential program for adolescents to receive therapeutic services that will help integrate them back into their communities; provides behavior modification system, group therapy, individual therapy, family therapy, psychiatric services, and community-based activities	Ages 11 to 17	English, Spanish, Portuguese, Creole, French, Gujarati	Medicaid-funded	Through Care Management Organization (CMO) or Children's Crisis Intervention Services Unit
Straight & Narrow, Inc. Family Success Center and Prevention Programs	101 Cedar Street Paterson, NJ 07501	Phone: (973) 333-6240 Fax: (973) 333-6244 Email: fsc@straightandnarrowinc.org blopez@straightandnarrowinc.org	Berenice Lopez, Director	Information and referrals, parenting classes (English and Spanish), Parents Anonymous support group, parent-child activities, monthly workshops	All ages	English, Spanish	Free	Contact agency
Summit Oaks Hospital	19 Prospect St. Summit, NJ 07902	Phone: 908-522-7071 Fax: 908-522-7077 www.summitoakshospital.com	Stacy Chia, Community Liaison	Inpatient acute psychiatric care for children and adolescents ages 5-17	Any youth between the ages of 5-17	English	In-network with all major insurance companies, Medicaid, Medicare, and Tricare all accepted	Contact admissions department directly 24/7 at 908-522-7071
Wayne Counseling & Family Services	1022 Hamburg Turnpike Wayne, NJ 07470	Phone: (973) 694-1234 Fax: (973) 633-0992	Colleen Baird	Outpatient counseling, family counseling, substance abuse counseling	Passaic County and surrounding area	English	Sliding scale, private insurance, Medicaid	Call (973) 694-1234

Youth Consultation Services- Kilbarchan Campus	81 E. 39 th Street Paterson, NJ 07514	Phone: (973) 278-1465 Fax: (201) 968-1824	Lissa Captain	Residential treatment center (RTC), Specialty Program (SPEC), Intensive Residential Treatment Services (IRTS—co-ed)	Ages 12.5 to 20	English, Spanish	Medicaid	Through Perform Care (877) 652-7624
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If you have a need for a child who does not fit the categories above, please call PerformCare toll free at (877) 652-7624 or visit their website at www.performcarenj.org.