

# MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS IN SCHUYLKILL COUNTY

## **Outpatient Therapy Services:**

Outpatient Therapy Services offer individual and family intervention delivered in a clinic setting. These services may also include group and/or play therapy and medication monitoring.

### Access Services

340 Liberty Street  
Orwigsburg, PA. 17961  
570-366-1154

### New Beginnings

1 W. Centre St.  
Mahanoy City, PA. 17948  
570-773-3470

### Child and Family Support Services

2276 West Market St.  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-622-9860

### New Beginnings

1851 West End Ave.  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-622-9101

### Merakey

One Norwegian Plaza  
Suite 200, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-628-3323

### Synergy Counseling Services

123 W. Main St.  
Girardville, PA. 17935  
570-875-2271

### Alternative Consulting Enterprise (ACE)

91 South Progress Avenue  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-622-8330

### The ReDCo Group

16-18 S. Centre St.  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-628-5234

### Clinical Social Worker Associates, Inc.

396 S. Centre St.  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-640-3744

### PA Counseling

437 N Centre St  
Pottsville, PA 17901  
570-728-2600

**Student Assistance Program (SAP):**

The Student Assistance Program identifies students with possible mental health/drug and alcohol problems and provides intervention via a screening. School based services are available paying particular attention to support, aftercare, and re-entry. A SAP contact person is available within all districts at the middle and high school level.

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2276 West Market Street  
Pottsville, PA 17901  
570-622-9860

**Intensive Behavioral Health Services (IBHS):**

IBHS provides child-focused mental health services delivered in non-traditional community settings that can include the home, community and school to build on a child's strengths and attempt to maintain the child within their environment. Services must be determined to be medically necessary by a psychiatrist or psychologist.

Pathways  
208 S. Centre St.  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-622-6417

Access Services  
340 Liberty St.  
Orwigsburg, PA. 17961  
570-366-1154

Youth Advocate Program  
65 N. Lehigh St.  
Frackville, PA. 17931  
570-874-4686

**Family Based Mental Health Services (FBMHS):**

FBMHS offers family-focused, intensive, in-home interventions designed to prevent out-of-home placements.

Salisbury  
2880 Pottsville-Minersville Highway  
Suite 150  
Minersville, PA. 17954  
570-544-9723

Concern  
22-24 North Franklin St.  
Fleetwood, PA. 19522  
610-944-0445

PA Counseling  
437 N Centre Street  
Pottsville, PA 17901  
570-728-2600

### **Parent-Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT):**

PCIT is an evidence-based treatment appropriate for parents of children age 2.5-7 years old. Parents learn the skills of PCIT from in-session, direct coaching by a therapist. As the parent and child interact the therapist gives suggestions to the parent through an earpiece.

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### **Multi-Systemic Therapy (MST):**

MST is an intensive family and community-based treatment for youth with complex clinical, social and educational challenges who have been court-involved, have a history of out-of-home placement, and/or exhibit high-risk behavior.

Community Solutions

2015 W. Hamilton St. Suite 204A

Allentown, PA. 18104

610-435-3343

### **Community School Based Behavioral Health (CSBBH):**

CSBBH Team services are voluntary mental health services for children and teenagers with a severe emotional and/or behavioral problem that interferes with their learning. School-based services differ from other types of behavioral health services because they are usually provided in school. After school and weekends, CSBBH Team services can be provided as needed in your home or in the community.

The CSBBH Team's goal is to teach your child new ways to better manage feelings and behaviors so that he or she can learn and get along better with others. The Service may include individual, group, or family therapy sessions, as well as behavior management planning, crisis intervention, and referrals. Services build on the strengths of your child and family.

CSSBH Team services are different from regular Behavioral Health Rehabilitation Services (BHRS). The team provides services as needed and during specific times when your child has the most difficulty. The team works with your child one-on-one, with another child, in a group, or with your family.

Children's Service Center provides this service for Schuylkill in the following districts:

Minersville (elementary), Pottsville (elementary and middle), Schuylkill Haven (elementary)

**Early Intervention Services:**

Early intervention services are offered to pre-school children that have developmental disabilities. SAM offers service coordination for children ages 0-3. The Schuylkill IU#29 offers services for children ages 3-5.

Early Intervention Service Coordination  
Service Access & Management  
590 Terry Reilly Way  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-621-2700

Schuylkill IU #29  
Early Intervention Program  
17 Maple Ave.  
Marlin, PA. 17951  
570-544-9131 X1222

**Drug & Alcohol Services:**

Drug and alcohol services are provided based on the assessed needs of the client. Services that may be available include assessment, outpatient counseling, and assistance in locating services and facilities outside of Schuylkill County.

Clinical Outcomes Group, Inc.  
437 N. Centre St.  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-628-6990

Gaudenzia at Pottsville  
1 South 2<sup>nd</sup> St., 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-622-6485

Lehigh Valley Counseling Center  
502 S. 2<sup>nd</sup> St.  
St. Clair, PA. 17970  
570-622-5898

Visualize Change LLC  
123 W Main St  
Girardville, PA 17935  
570-875-2271 ext 3

PA Counseling  
437 N Centre Street Pottsville  
570-728-2600

**Community-Based Drug and Alcohol Treatment:**

Community-based drug and alcohol treatment offers individual and family therapy using a team-based approach, case coordination and family support services, parent education, and crisis intervention services. Treatment is offered in the home, school and community.

Crossroads Counseling, Inc.  
501 East Third St.  
Williamsport, PA. 17701 570-323-7535

### **Therapeutic Foster Care (TFC):**

Therapeutic foster care provides out-of-home placement for children and adolescents in foster care settings within the community. Residents receive services based on their need e.g. individual and family therapy, medication monitoring, and therapeutic staff support. Educational services are provided within the local school district. Emphasis is placed on reunification of the child with the family.

Access Services  
34 Liberty Street  
Orwigsburg, PA. 17961  
570-366-1154

Kidspace  
500 N. Centre St.  
Suite 103 C  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-516-9987

Merakey  
One Norwegian Plaza  
Suite 200, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-628-3323

PA Mentor  
610-706-0442

### **Residential Treatment Facility(RTF):**

Residential Treatment Facilities provide out-of-home placement for children and adolescents in unsecured residential settings. All facilities are certified by the Office of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services. Residents receive intensive treatment with stress being placed on recommendations for discharge and return home to family and community. Numerous residential facilities are located throughout the state. A recommendation by a **PSYCHIATRIST** is needed for this placement. This is the highest level of care and all other previously listed services should be tried before this option.

### **Crisis Intervention/Emergency Services:**

Crisis intervention provides intervention on an emergency basis via telephone and mobile crisis workers.

#### **Schuylkill County We Help**

Telephone - 1-877-9WE-HELP  
(993-4357)

Telephone - 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

Mobile - 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

### **Safehaven Crisis Residential Unit:**

Safehaven is a short stay crisis stabilization program for ages 14 and above located in Pottsville.  
(570) 628-4731

**Inpatient Hospitalization:**

Inpatient hospitalization provides high-intensity treatment and interventions to children and adolescents in secured psychiatric hospitals. Several hospital inpatient units in the Eastern portion of the state are used depending upon bed availability and preference. Locally:

Adolescent Institute for Behavioral Health (AIBH)  
Lehigh Valley Health Network  
420 S. Jackson St.  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-621-5551

**Children's Case Management Services:**

Intensive Case Management and Resource Coordination Services provide children and families with in-home support; assessment of strengths and needs; development of a service plan based on identified strengths and needs; linkage to community services and supports and monitoring of progress.

Service Access & Management  
590 Terry Reilly Way  
Pottsville, PA. 17901  
570-621-2700

**Office of Vocational Rehabilitation (OVR):**

OVR offers a number of employment programs and services for those individuals who qualify based on established criteria.

Office of Vocational Rehabilitation  
3602 Kutztown Rd. Suite 200  
Reading,  
PA. 19605  
610-621-5800

**Community Care Behavioral Health:**

Many of the children who have Medical Assistance are now served through the Managed Care Agency, Community Care Behavioral Health Organization (CCBH). This opens the door to the possibility of additional provider agencies outside of Schuylkill County providing services for children. **The number for CCBH is 1-866-878-6046**

**Child and Adolescent Service System Program (CASSP):**

The CASSP team is composed of key persons from all child-serving agencies - The child and family, MH/DS, Children & Youth, Drug & Alcohol, Education, Juvenile Justice, etc. The team meets on a weekly basis to problem solve, address children's issues, and assist in the development of a coordinated service plan. Various issues discussed may pertain to children who are at risk of out-of-home placement, children returning home from out-of-home placement, a child and/or family who is having difficulty accessing services, children involved in two or more non-educational CASSP systems, or issues involving the child's educational placement. A meeting date and time may be requested by any person involved with the child and/or family.

Cara Tran - CASSP Coordinator  
Schuylkill County MH/DS/D&A Administrative Office  
108 S. Claude A Lord Blvd., 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Pottsville, PA 17901-1729