

Rensselaer County Parent Resources

Rensselaer County Unified Services

Department of Mental Health

1600 7th Avenue, Troy, NY 12180

518-270-2800

518-270-2723 FAX

518-686-0694 Hoosick Falls Center

518-463-8869 Rensselaer Center

Services include:

Outpatient Substance Abuse Prevention, Intervention and Treatment Services

Unified Services for Children & Adolescents

Forensic Services

Rensselaer City Center Outpatient Treatment

Court Consultation

Hoosick Falls Satellite Outpatient Treatment

Intensive Case Management (Adult & Child)

Private Proprietary Homes for Adults (PPHA)

Adult Home Supportive Case Management

Supportive Case Management (Adult & Child)

Student Assistance & Preventative programs

MICA Services & Outreach (Mental Illness and Chemical Addiction)

Clinic Plus – mental health screening for youth

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Unified Services for Children and Adolescents

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Provides comprehensive mental hygiene care to youngsters aged birth to 18 (if still in school) and their families. Multi-disciplinary teams provide:

comprehensive assessment

diagnostic evaluation

individualized treatment planning

medication monitoring

individual, family, and group therapy.

Staffing includes child Psychiatrists, Psychologists, Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner, Licensed Certified Social Workers, and a Rehabilitation Counselor. Specialized services include parenting groups and sexual abuse evaluation and treatment. Counseling, medication and case management services are provided to developmentally disabled children and their families. Sites include Troy, Rensselaer, Berlin, and Hoosick Falls.

Commission on Economic Opportunity

2331 Fifth Avenue, Troy, New York, 12180

518-272-6012

www.ceo-cap.org

Programs are designed to meet the ever-changing needs of the community and fall under five core service areas:

- Community Connections

- Education Opportunities

- Financial Empowerment

- Healthy Homes

- Wellness Support

Services offer a variety of tools to support the well-being of people in the community:

- Case management

- Education

- Crisis intervention

- Peer support groups

- Advocacy

- Referrals and connections to other services and organizations

Parson's Child & Family Center

60 Academy Road, Albany, NY 12208

518-426-2600

518-447-5234 (fax)

General Inquiries: communications@parsoncenter.org

Web Site Inquiries: russomm@parsoncenter.org

Rensselaer County Single Point of Access (SPOA) designee

518-270-2875

- Individualized Care Coordination

- Crisis Response Services

- Intensive In-home Services

- Respite Care

- Family Support Services

- Skill Building Services

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Capital Region

1698 Central Avenue, Albany, NY 12205

(518) 862-1250

info@bbbscr.org

<http://www.bbbscr.org>

- Individual Mentoring

- Community-based Mentoring

- Site-Based Mentoring

Parent Network of the Capital Region (PNCR)

1190 Troy-Schenectady Rd., Latham, NY 12110

518-640-3320

518-640-3401 (FAX)

Provide parents with the knowledge, skills, resources and support to effectively advocate for their children and to facilitate productive relationships between parents and school districts for the benefit of students with disabilities. Services are free-of-charge to parents, service providers, disability organizations and schools.

Parent to Parent of NYS

500 Balltown Road

Schenectady, NY 12304

518-381-4370

800-305-8817

518-393-9607

www.ptopnys.org

e-mail: info@ptopnys.org

Information on Special Education and IDEA for families of children with disabilities and professionals who support them.

Provides:

- Parent Training & Information Centers (PTIC)

- Individualized assistance with special education concerns

- Workshops and presentations on important special education topics as they relate to the students, families, and professionals working with students

- Family to Family Health Information – a family-staffed organization that assists families of children and youth with special health care needs and the professionals who serve them

Rensselaer County Youth Services

1600 7th Avenue, Troy, NY 12180

518-270-2958 **Not sure of #**

518-270-2956 FAX

Provide assistance with:

- Adoption

- Child Support

- Child Protective Services

- Day Care

- Foster Care

- Mandated Preventive Services

- Unified Family Services

- Youth – Summer Programs/Employment

Legal Aid Society of Northeastern New York

55 Colvin Avenue, Albany, NY 12206

518-462-6765 Administrative

518-427-8352 Fax

www.lasnny.org

info@lasnny.org