

Directory of Services

		ADAPT	AHRC	AVSP	CANY	CFS	CPANYS	CR	EDEN II	GRACE	Heart-share	JCC	Lifestyles	NYSID	Rising Treetops	OYM	P to P	Siner- gia	Sprout	VOA	YAI
Adult Afternoon Program	Serves adults for two to three hours a day in the afternoon for a few days per week. Program runs year round			X									X								
After School Program	Serves school-age children and teens for two to three hours per day in the afternoon. (days vary)		X	X		X	X		X			X				X					
Behavior Management/ Counseling	Training for parents and individuals on how to manage difficult behaviors.								X								X			X	X
Behavior Management/ Crisis Intervention Team	Intensive assessment and intervention services for families that are in a crisis situation. These families require in-home training in order to provide them with strategies in managing severe and challenging behaviors								X											X	
Support Groups	Allows for family members to meet with others to discuss issues of concern.																X				
Family Reimbursement	Provides a cash subsidy to families to pay for goods and services that are not funded by other sources. Receipts for goods and services are required. Maximum of \$300 every 12 months.	X	X	X		X								X							
Holiday Respite	Serves children and/or teens during holiday school breaks either at a center or in the community.		X		X				X			X				X					
In-Home Respite	Provides direct care for an individual with a developmental disability in his home while providing relief to the parents. Please see brochure for additional providers.		X	X		X			X	X			X								
Home Modifications	Provides assistance to families with the removal of barriers which limit accessibility. It also includes remodeling to enhance independence for individuals with developmental disabilities within their home.	X																			
Housing Assistance	Assists in landlord/tenant mediation, housing court assistance, tenant rights information, home-finding and homeless prevention services.	X																X			
Information & Referral/ Outreach Services	Provides information on programs and services for individuals and their families.												X								
Overnight Respite	Provides direct care for an individual ranging from 3 years to adults at a designated respite house or an individual's home.	X	X						X		X		X		X						
Weekend/Extended Stay Respite	Respite trips are overnight, out of town mini vacations for adults.		X		X				X				X		X	X					
Recreation Services	Planned social, recreational and leisure activities which are enjoyable and allow opportunities to interact and participate with peers.	X	X	X				X	X	X			X	X		X				X	
Summer Day Camp	Planned social and recreational activities for children and teens either at a site or in the community.		X						X			X	X								
Summer Overnight Camp	Planned social, recreational and leisure activities which are enjoyable and allow opportunities to interact and participate with peers.														X	X			X		
Training	Training and educational activities designed to assist parents in their ability to care for their child at home.								X												X
Transportation	A car voucher program that allows parents to transport their child to important medical appointments and events when there are no alternative means of transportation.													X							

Staten Island

Family Support

Services



Respite & Support Services

For Individuals with Intellectual and
Developmental Disabilities and their
families

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Family Support Directory of Agencies

- *Family Support Services Contract (non waiver)
- **Family Support Services Waiver Respite
- ***Waiver Respite (not through FSS committee)

ADAPT Community Network

- Danielle Raymond: 212-683-6700 ext 1172
- Family Reimbursement*
- Annie Rivera: 212-683-6700 ext 1170
- Home Modifications*
- Wendy DeLeon 212-683-6700 ext 1154
- Housing Assistance*
- Sita Boordram: 718-652-9790 Ext 294
- Freestanding Respite**
 - Emergency Overnight Respite***
- Alicia Angevine 718-436-7600 ext 345
- Saturday Recreation/ Transportation*
 - SI Club DISCO (teens and Young adults)**

AHRC-NYC

- Main Number; 212-780-2500
- Referral and Information:212-780-4491/4493
- After School Program (10-21 Years)**
 - Camp Scholarship Assistance*
 - Evaluations for Non-Medicaid Recipients*
 - Family Reimbursement*
 - Family Respite Weekend at Harriman Lodge**
 - Freestanding Out of Home Respite**
 - Holiday Respite (teens)**
 - Non-Medicaid Case Management*
 - Saturday Recreation**
 - Summer Day Camp (5-15 yrs)**
 - Teen Weekend Recreation**
 - Weekend Hotel Respite (adults)**
 - In-Home Respite***

A Very Special Place, Inc. (AVSP)

- Dina Klein: 718-987-1234
dklein@avspny.org
- After School Program (12-21 years)**
 - Community Center Recreation (18+ years)**
 - Creative Arts Network (5-21 years)**
 - Family Reimbursement*
 - Weekend Recreation (teens)**
 - In-Home Respite***

Cerebral Palsy Associations of NYS (CPANYS)

- Melissa Primiano: 212-947-5770
mprimiano@CPONYS.ORG
- After School Program**

Center for Family Support, Inc. (CFS)

- Main Number: 718-667-4263
Nancy Lombardo ext 111
- After School Program (5-12 Years)**
 - In-Home Respite **
- Monica Morace
- Family Reimbursement*

City Access New York, Inc. (CANY)

- Main—718 285-6548
Leslie Mumm: 347-695-7666
lmum@cityaccess.org
- Holiday Respite (teens)**
 - Weekend Respite (21+)**

Community Resources (CR)

- Barbara Devaney: 718-447-5200 Ext. 206
b.devaney@cr-si.org
- Saturday Recreation Program (18 years+)**

Eden II School for Autistic Children

- Elizabeth Caiazzo: 718-816-1422 Ext. 1076
Family Support ecaiazzo@eden2.org
- After School program (5-21 years)**
 - Evaluations for Non-Medicaid Recipients*
 - Holiday Respite (5-21 years)**
 - In-Home Respite**
 - Overnight Respite**
 - Parent Training— Parents as Partners Program*
 - Summer Day Camp (5-21 Years)**
 - Friday Night Socialization (Teens)**
 - Crisis Respite*
 - Crisis team— Behavior Management*

GRACE Foundation of NY, Inc.

- Julie Gottesman: 718-983-3800
jgottesman@graceofny.org
- Friday Night Socialization— Club LIFE (teens and young adults)**
 - In-Home Respite**
 - Social Skills Classes (4-21 years)*
 - Weekend Recreation/Respite— Gym, Swimming, Bowling (3-21 Years) Little League (12-21 years)**
 - Multiple Additional Respite Programs (ages vary)***

The New York State Office for People with Disabilities (OPWDD) funds Family Support Services (FSS) Programs, which are contracted out to voluntary, not-for-profit agencies to provide the services. The FSS Program serves individuals with developmental disabilities of all ages. A part of the requirement to receive FSS is that the individual applying meets eligibility requirements as established by OPWDD and resides at home with his/her biological or adoptive family.

If you are applying for services for the first time, you need to contact the Staten Island Developmental Disabilities Regional Office (SIDDRO) Front Door at: 718-982-1913. If you have specific questions regarding FSS, please contact the FSS Office at the SIDDRO at 718-982-1903.

Heartshare Human Services of New York, Inc.

- Joyce Levin: 718-422-3268
Joyce.levin@heartshare.org
- Freestanding Out-of-Home Respite**

Jewish Community Center of Staten Island (JCC)

- Jessica Mullins: 718-475-5250
jwalder@sijcc.com
- After School Program (13-21 Years)**
 - Holiday Respite (teens)**
 - Summer Day Camp for Ambulatory & Non-Ambulatory (children and teens)**

Lifestyles for the Disabled

- Annette Raia: 718-983-5351 Ext 258
- Adult After Day Respite Program**
 - Adult Afternoon Recreation (18+ years)**
 - Out of Home Evening & Overnight Respite (adults)**
 - Outreach/Referral & Information*
 - Summer Day Camp for Ambulatory & Non-Ambulatory (14-21 yrs)**
 - In-Home Respite***
 - Recreational Respite After School***

New York Institute on Disability (NYSID)

- Jacqueline Rumolo & Jacqueline Tripodi: 718-494-6457
info@nysidinc.org
- Family Reimbursement*
 - Evaluations for Non-Medicaid Recipients*
 - Family Sports & Recreation Outings*
 - Transportation— Car Voucher Service*

Rising Treetops at Oakhurst

- Lori Schenk: 732-531-0215 ext 212
L.schenck@risingtreetops.org
- Overnight Respite**
 - Emergency Respite***
 - Summer Camp***

On Your Mark, Inc. (OYM)

- Eileen Cunningham: 718-720-9233 ext 5027
Eileen@onyourmark.org
- After School Program (children & teens)**
 - Holiday Respite trips (6 to adult)**
 - Overnight Trips (7 to adult)**
 - Sleep-Away Camp (7+)**
 - Therapeutic Recreation Programs on Saturdays (6+)**
 - Multiple Additional Respite Programs (ages vary)

Parent to Parent (PtoP)

- Joanne Vitale: 718-494-4872
siptp@aol.com
- Asperger's Syndrome Support Group*
 - Father Support Group*
 - Mother Support Group*
 - Sibling Support Group*
 - Individual Behavior Management/Counseling*

Sinergia, Inc.

- Intake: 212-643-2840
- Housing Advocacy*

Sprout, Inc.

- Santiago Bareiro: 212-222-9575
Santiago@gosprount.org
- Overnight Camp (16+ years)*

Volunteers of America, Greater NY, Inc. (VOA)

- Margaret Sacca : 718-984-7900
sielc@voa-gny.org
- Crisis Team/ Behavior Management (3-21 years)*
 - Saturday Recreation (3-6 years)**

Young Adults Institute (YAI)

- Elizabeth Asen: 212-273-6259
projectgrow@yai.org
- Parent Training— Project Grow*

Other In-Home Respite Providers (not FSS awards)***

Person Centered Care Services***

Main #: 718-370-1088

HASC***

Main #: 718-745-7575

SKIP of NY***

Main #: 212-268-5999

Mercy Drive***

Main #: 718-794-9375

Hand in Hand***

Chaya Rennert: 718-336-6073

Prime Support***

Main #: 718-667-8700

Rayim***

Main #: 718-946-7700

Special Care for Families &Children Svc***

Main #: 718-252-3365

Human Care Svcs for Families & Children***

Main #: 718-854-2747

Hamaspik of Kings County, Inc.***

Main #: 718-387-8400

The Good Shephard

Main #: 718-448-0442

CHDFS, Inc.***

Main #: 212-695-4563

Alexandria & Akea's Playhouse***

Main #: 718-442-3009

OHEL Children's Home & Family Services**

Main #: 718-686-3487

The local Family Support Services Advisory Council represents the interests of people with developmental disabilities and family members. This council is comprised of individuals who have a developmental disability and family members, who work in partnership with the SIDDRO to make decisions supporting families and loved ones. If you would like to become a member, please contact Gail Decker or Diane Peruggia at 718-983-5276.

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