

St. Vincent Family Centers

St. Vincent Family Centers provides a continuum of high quality, specialized services to children with behavioral health needs to help them realize their full potential. By helping children and families, we are strengthening our community one family at a time.

Other Services included:

- Preschool Partial Hospitalization
- School Age Partial Hospitalization
- Extended Day Partial Hospitalization
- Outpatient Treatment for families and children
- Community Psychiatric Supportive Treatment
- Hispanic/Latino Services
- Mental Health Education, Prevention and Consultation
- Medication Management Clinic
- Residential/Respite Services



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St. Vincent's Family Centers Deaf Services is a multi-faceted therapeutic program with inpatient/outpatient services for Deaf and hard of hearing youth from 5 to 18 years. Our commitment to children and families is focused on the development of skills necessary to understand and interact positively in the home, school and community environments. Services are provided in a culturally affirming and linguistically appropriate manner.

Admissions

Children seeking admission for treatment services generally meet the following criteria:

- Exhibit mild/severe/chronic emotional, social and/or behavioral problems.
- Past history of treatment resistance, failed foster care placements and/or multiple acute inpatient stays.
- Limited community/mental health resources to address psychosocial/academic needs prior to seeking treatment with St. Vincent Family Centers.

Many of the presenting issues and long-term problems include:

- Expressive/ receptive language delays
- Academic performance issues
- Poor interpersonal relationships
- Poor self-image/cultural identity issues
- Anxiety/obsessions and compulsions
- Depression/mood swings
- Disobedience/aggression
- Verbal and physical aggression
- History of abuse/neglect

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Who Can Make Referrals?

Referrals are made by parents/caregivers, social service agencies, community mental health agencies, schools, clergy, and other providers in the state of Ohio.

Information and Evaluations

- Psychosocial history
- Psychosocial/Psychiatric evaluation
- Physical exam/Medical screen

Our Staff

The Program Director has completed advanced education and guides the overall direction of the treatment service. Licensed mental health professionals provide individual, group, family therapy and case management. Staff are trained in milieu and crisis intervention in order to provide consistent and culturally appropriate treatment. All staff are ASL fluent with specialized training in serving Deaf and hard of hearing clients.

The Medical Director is a child psychiatrist who works with a team of Registered Nurses to address the medical and psychiatric concerns.

Serving Children Throughout Ohio

Counseling Services

Provision of clinical services stems from individual treatment plans which are formulated with families. Each treatment plan lists the type and frequency of services to be provided to the child and their family.

Psychiatric Services

A pediatric psychiatrist provides evaluations, medication management and consultation with an option of a qualified interpreter to facilitate communication during sessions.

Nursing Services

Nursing Services are available to Deaf Services clientele at the Main Street Campus of St. Vincent Family Centers.

Therapeutic Structured Activities

Clients develop age-appropriate pro-social skills to improve interactions with peers and adults. Components of recreational therapy include: experiential, art therapy, play therapy, and process oriented discussion.

Case Management Services

Consultation and advocacy are provided to assist children and families in accessing and negotiating resources for the maximum benefit of the child and family. Case managers can provide home-based services throughout Ohio depending on the needs of the family.

After-Hours Crisis Intervention

Staff are available to provide assistance to families with a **mental health emergency** during non-office hours (either nights or weekends). To assist our established families, staff are accessed via an after-hours crisis pager.

Interpreting Services

Coordination of qualified interpreters is provided to facilitate communication between hearing and Deaf individuals.

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