Preparing Children for a Bright Future

Founded in 1894, The Children’s Home Society of New Jersey is a nonsectarian, non-for-profit private agency that promotes the welfare of infants, children, adolescents and parents throughout New Jersey and Bucks County, Pennsylvania. As a comprehensive counseling, placement, parenting education and child care agency, CHS of NJ touches the lives of 41,000 children and families each year.

*We save children’s lives and build healthy families.*

**Values**

We value services that work, that are all evaluated, and that help children and parents to help themselves. Our services are delivered with dignity, cultural sensitivity and respect for our clients.

**Vision**

Every child is in a safe, caring, and permanent family. All children and parents have the skills and knowledge they need to help themselves long after our active case involvement has ended.

**Major Service Areas**

- Child Welfare/Permanency
- Clinical/Mental Health
- Early Childhood and Parenting Education
- Maternal/Child Health
- Family & Community
- School Based
- Child Care
- Kinship

How to Contact Us

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Funders

- The Children’s Home Society of NJ
- Children’s Futures
- Division of Child Protection and Permanency
- NJ DCF Children’s System of Care
- Church & Dwight Employee Giving Fund
- Change a Child’s World Foundation

Referral Process

Complete and Return the following forms to
CHS of NJ, 635 South Clinton Avenue,
Trenton, NJ 08611

- FACES Referral Form
- Parents Request for Service Form

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License Adoption Agency in New Jersey and Pennsylvania

The provision of services and referrals of clients are made without regard to race, color, religious creed, disability, ancestry, national origin (including limited English proficiency), age and sex.
What is FACES?

The Families and Children Enhancing Emotional Success (FACES) program provides services to enhance the emotional well being of children ages 0 through 12 and their families. Established in 1998 and managed by The Children’s Home Society of New Jersey (CHS of NJ), FACES has provided services to hundreds of families and children in New Jersey.

Who Qualifies?

Families who reside in Burlington and Mercer Counties with children from birth through five years of age with challenging behaviors.

FACES also serve children from 0 to 17 referred by The Division of Child Protection and Permanency of NJ and the Division of Children’s Behavioral Health Services of NJ.

Program Services

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES INCLUDE

- Play Therapy
- Family Therapy
- Individual therapy
- Parenting Groups
- Classroom Interventions
- Social Skills Groups

How we work with Parents

FACES offers weekly parent support groups to the families receiving services as part of our behavioral health services. This program is a strengths-based program which approaches parents from the perspective that we are there to build upon what they already know as parents. Our goal is to empower parents and help them to grow and change. The parent support group provides our parents with the opportunity to express their fears and concerns in a safe environment, while learning positive parenting strategies to help strengthen their relationship with their children. The family support strategies offered by our program are designed to decrease the incidence of child abuse, while enhancing family resiliency.

How we work with Classroom Teachers

FACES Clinicians provide training and consultation to teachers and classroom staff on pertinent mental health issues, child development, brain development understanding, and classroom behavior management strategies. These services are offered to the classroom staff on a consultation basis for all children receiving behavioral health services.

How We Help

FACES helps children and families through a variety of services designed to promote:

- Healthy emotional development and self-esteem among young children;
- Successful socialization and academic achievement in school settings;
- Strength and stability within families; and
- Enhanced knowledge of positive parenting strategies.

Core Services

FACES works to promote the healthy development of young children by enhancing the emotional well being of children ages 0-12 and their families.

Behavioral Health Interventions:

FACES provides individual and family counseling to remediate or prevent social, emotional, or behavioral problems for children and their families. FACES also provides parent education and classroom interventions (teacher education and behavior management). We believe that very early assessment and intervention produces better emotional and learning outcomes for a child.