

CHILD and FAMILY SERVICES

Specialized Treatment for Children and Youth in Crisis

SOUTH SHORE CENTER OFFERS A FULL RANGE OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES, INCLUDING INTERVENTION, REHABILITATION AND TREATMENT SERVICES.

OUR SPECIALIZED TEAMS INCLUDE PROGRAMMING FOR OR ACCESS TO INTERVENTIONS FOR GRIEF, TRAUMA, SUBSTANCE ABUSE, DEPRESSION, ANXIETY, JUVENILE JUSTICE, PARENT/CHILD RELATIONS, OPPOSITIONAL DEFIANT BEHAVIORS, AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS AND OTHER BEHAVIORAL HEALTH DISORDERS.

WE CAN HELP...

- If you are a parent with a child who suffers from emotional/behavioral or substance abuse issues
- If you are a professional working in private practice, mental health clinics, schools or other agencies with a client referral

A WIDE RANGE OF STRENGTH-BASED THERAPEUTIC SERVICES

We provide primarily home-based intensive therapies and care coordination services for children at risk of psychiatric hospitalization or out-of-home placement. We help the child and family through a team approach that includes psychiatric evaluation, care coordination and intensive family, group and individual therapy. Additionally, we work hand-in-hand with schools to identify and address potential problems while coordinating with other agencies to provide treatment options grounded in evidenced-based practices.

Every effort is made to stabilize the family and keep the child at home, attending his or her school while receiving support and clinical services. Our teams collaborate with several schools throughout Rhode Island allowing for seamless and expedient access, as well as efficient care coordination.

SOUTH SHORE HAS ACCESS TO A CONTINUUM OF SPECIALIZED TEAMS THAT INCLUDE:

- **AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS:** *Clinical services for children and youth with autism spectrum disorders*
- **TRAUMA:** *Treatment for children and youth suffering from trauma*
- **COMPLICATED GRIEF:** *Services for children and youth who are experiencing complicated grief after being impacted by a death loss*
- **CO-OCCURRING DISORDERS:** *Treatment intervention, education and prevention program for youth who are experiencing difficulties with substance abuse and behavioral health*

FAMILY-ORIENTED CARE

We know that when a child suffers, the entire family suffers. That's why our treatment involves the child's family, helping them find ways to relate to each other and cope with existing problems. We provide therapeutic treatment within all relevant settings: the home, school, juvenile justice, primary care and other medical establishments. We believe that every child and family has strengths and resources that can be used to find solutions.

PROFESSIONAL STAFF ON YOUR SIDE

Our highly trained team of psychiatrists, clinicians and case managers works with the family and all key stakeholders to develop an individualized treatment plan based on the family's needs.



For more information or to make an appointment, call (401) 364-7705 or (401) 789-1367.

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