



National Supported Education Programs



A Directory of Supported Education Programs and Resources

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Welcome to the NTAC National Supported Education Directory!

The purpose of this directory is to gather a listing of supported education programs serving people with serious mental health conditions across the country.

What is “supported education”?

Supported education is **an approach designed to address the higher education goals of individuals with psychiatric disabilities and/or mental health challenges and support their success in postsecondary settings** like community colleges, technical schools, and universities.

Supported education came into existence after another better-known practice, supported employment, which helps people with mental health conditions find and maintain employment. As this SAMHSA blog explains, “While [Supported Employment] demonstrated success in helping people with psychiatric disabilities choose, get, and keep jobs, a 2011 study on the importance of rehabilitation found that many of those jobs were part-time and low-paying, and did not generally lead to real careers that provided enough income for people to become and remain independent”

(www.samhsa.gov/homelessness-programs-resources/hpr-resources/supported-education-programs). To help people attain the sense of purpose and financial stability that comes from a meaningful career, the concept of support designed specifically to enhance success in educational settings came into being. Higher education opens new horizons in terms of career choice and long-term financial stability, so why not build a bridge to higher education through supported education, just as supported employment created a path to the workplace?

Supported education can look different in different contexts, and there are a variety of approaches to helping students with mental health conditions succeed in higher education. Some programs are embedded within specific colleges or universities, while others are free-standing. Some focus on necessary classroom accommodations, some include linkages to care, and some even involve peer support. Whatever a supported education program looks like, the thing they all have in common is the goal of helping students succeed and enjoy the many benefits that accompany getting a degree or post-secondary certification.

As described in the SAMHSA “Supported Education: A Promising Practice” toolkit (<https://store.samhsa.gov/sites/default/files/d7/priv/sma11-4654-buildingyourprogram-sed.pdf>), there are a few essential principles that all supported education programs share:

- Access to an education program with **positive, forward progress** is the goal.
- Eligibility is based on personal **choice**.
- Supported Education **services begin soon** after someone expresses interest.
- Supported Education is **integrated** with treatment.
- Individualized educational services are offered for **as long as they are needed**.
- Consumer **preferences guide services**.
- Supported Education is **strengths-based** and promotes **growth and hope**.
- Recovery is an **ongoing process** facilitated by meaningful roles.

While every supported education program is different, most offer these core services:

- **Career planning**, including vocational assessment, career exploration, Educational Goal Plan development, course selection, instruction, support, and counseling.
- **Academic survival skills** including information about college and training programs, disability rights and resources, tutoring and mentoring services, time and stress management, and social supports.
- **Direct assistance** including help with enrollment, financial aid, education debt, and contingency funds.
- **Outreach** including contact with campus resources, mental health treatment team members, and other agencies such as vocational rehabilitation.

How do I find supported education programs?

Ideally, it would be easy for anyone that was interested in pursuing higher education to find a supported education program that could meet their needs. However, despite supported education being a promising evidence-based practice, there is currently no comprehensive listing of supported education programs, and no go-to starting point for individuals or families looking for educational supports.

To fill that gap, the five SAMHSA-funded national consumer and consumer-supporter TA centers came together to create this directory of supported education programs and services for individuals experiencing psychiatric disabilities and/or mental health challenges across the United States and outlying territories. It is a great place to start if you are looking for programs that support the educational success of students with serious mental health conditions.

There are **a few things to keep in mind** when using this directory, and when looking for a supported education program:

1. While the programs that came together to create this directory made a concerted effort to identify supported education programs, **the directory is not comprehensive**. There may be programs out there that are not listed here. If

you are aware of any such programs, please let us know so we can add them to the directory! (See details about how to do that below.)

2. **Many colleges, universities, and programs engage in services that can be similar to supported education without actually using the term “supported education”** to describe them. It can be helpful to learn more about the services and accommodations available through a given program, and then consider how well they fit a given student’s needs, as opposed to searching for a program that uses the term “supported education” specifically. If you are looking at a university, college, or post-secondary training program, ask questions about the availability of accommodations like reduced course loads, extra time to complete assignments, the ability to drop courses if needed, and resources and policies around supporting student mental health. (One resource that can be helpful in that assessment is a publication created by The Bazelon Center entitled *Supporting Students: A Model Policy for Colleges and Universities*, which breaks down what the ideal campus mental health environment should look like over several categories. It’s at www.bazelon.org/Where-We-Stand/Community-Integration/Campus-Mental-Health.aspx). The more you know about what you need and what is available, the more likely you are to find the right fit, whether it’s labeled “supported education” or not.
3. **State Vocational Rehabilitation Agencies can be a great resource.** Every state and territory has a “VR” agency that exists solely to help people with all types of disabilities, including those related to mental health conditions, access the supports they need to participate in the workforce. That mandate includes supporting people to obtain the education they need to meet their career goals. You can find a full listing of every state Vocational Rehabilitation Agency on Rehabilitation Services Administration (RSA) website at rsa.ed.gov/about/states.

How do I use the directory?

This directory was created through a combination of a survey and proactive research. Each listing includes a brief description of the program, followed by their responses to our survey questions. If there’s no information listed, that means we didn’t receive a response to that question. For many listings, the short description will include information that answers at least some of those questions. Each listing includes contact information, and the directory is organized by state.

Who created this directory, and how can my program be added to it?

This directory has been created through the joint effort the five SAMHSA-funded National Consumer/Consumer Supporter Technical Assistance Centers:

- The CAFÉ TA Center – cafetacenter.net/
- The Doors to Wellbeing TA National Consumer TA Center – www.doorstowellbeing.org/
- National Empowerment Center – www.power2u.org/index.html
- The Peer Support Coalition of Florida Peer Experience NTAC – www.peersupportfl.org/pentac/
- The YouthMOVE National Peer Center – youthmovepeercenter.org/

All five of these centers are operated by individuals with serious mental health conditions and/or people supporting them and serve that same group. They share a recognition of the value of lived experience, the importance of recovery-based, person-centered approaches to care, and the power of peer support in shaping the national approach to mental health.

If you operate or know of a supported education program that you believe should be included in this directory, please let us know by completing the form at forms.gle/r9MWP9hhydT2qSBU9.

If you believe that any of the programs listed here no longer provide supported education, please let us know about that too!

Where can I find additional information about supported education and how it works?

Here are some resources that provide additional background about supported education:

- SAMHSA Supported Education EBP KIT – <https://mnprc.org/2011/01/08/supported-education-evidence-based-practice-toolkit/>
- MHTTC Supported Education Services
 - Session 1: Exploring a Student's Educational Preferences – <https://mhttcnetwork.org/centers/northeast-caribbean-mhttc/product/supported-education-services-session-1-exploring-students>
 - Session 2: SEd Services that Support Entry into an Educational Program – <https://mhttcnetwork.org/centers/northeast-caribbean-mhttc/product/supported-education-services-session-2-sed-services>
 - Session 3: Supporting Students to Thrive in Higher Education – <https://mhttcnetwork.org/centers/northeast-caribbean-mhttc/product/supported-education-services-session-3-supporting>
- Doors to Wellbeing webinar “Supported Employment and Supported Education: Peer Perspectives, Engagement, and Learning from the Field” – <https://register.gotowebinar.com/recording/1428095597720407297>

- National Empowerment Center webinar "Supporting Neurodivergent Students in Higher Ed & Challenging Discrimination: Human Rights & Social Justice" – <https://youtu.be/nbhHUuwjEzQ>
- CAFÉ TAC online training "Getting a Degree Through Supported Education" – <https://cafetacenter.net/gdtse/>
- CAFÉ TAC video "Supported Education at the University of Utah" – <https://cafetacenter.net/cafe-tac-video-supported-education-at-the-university-of-utah/>
- CAFÉ TAC newsletter "Finding the Right Fit: What to Look For in a College or University" – <http://cafetacenter.net/new/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/focus45.pdf>
- CAFÉ TAC newsletter "The Challenge of Higher Education for Mental Health Consumers—A First Hand Perspective" – <http://cafetacenter.net/new/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/focus47.pdf>
- CAFÉ TAC newsletter "The National Supported Education Database Survey" – <http://cafetacenter.net/new/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/focus-2-5.pdf>
- CAFÉ TAC newsletter "A Model Policy to Support Students with Behavioral Health Needs" – <http://cafetacenter.net/new/wp-content/uploads/2014/08/focus35.pdf>
- Peer Support Coalition of Florida Supported Education Resource Library – <https://members.peersupportfl.org/page/SupportedEducation>
- Oregon Supported Employment Center for Excellence IPS Supported Education Resources – <https://osece.org/supported-education/>
- US Department of Health and Human Services "Feasibility Study for Demonstration of Supported Education to Promote Educational Attainment and Employment among Individuals with Serious Mental Illness: Final Report" – <https://aspe.hhs.gov/reports/feasibility-study-demonstration-supported-education-promote-educational-attainment-employment-among-0>
- National Institutes of Health "Supported education for individuals with psychiatric disabilities: State of the practice and policy implications" – <https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/28182470/>
- BMC Psychiatry "COMmunity PARTicipation through Education (COMPARE): effectiveness of supported education for students with mental health problems, a mixed methods study" – <https://bmcp psychiatry.biomedcentral.com/articles/10.1186/s12888-021-03329-5>
- American Psychological Association "Supported education for students with psychiatric disabilities: A systematic review of effectiveness studies from 2009 to 2021." – <https://psycnet.apa.org/record/2023-59336-001>



DIRECTORY

ARIZONA

Odyssey Services Corporation

The program is a center-based program that provides services to students aged 18 and older to prepare them for the education process or provide them with training for employment search. The program provides assistance with career exploration, educational goal plan development, individual career counseling, and assistance in selecting college courses.

Website: odysseyservicescorp.com/se/

Email:

Phone: (480) 988-1189

Location: 444 South Greenfield Road
Mesa, AZ 85206

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

ARKANSAS

Academics, Community, Career Development and Employment Program (ACCE): Easter Seals

ACCE is a program providing services to students 18 and older. ACCE is a two-semester program that promotes an initiative to provide students with a college experience while also preparing for competitive employment. The program supports students with documented intellectual and developmental disabilities in the state of Arkansas to participate in post-secondary education through guidance in academic success, career development, and employment preparedness.

Website: www.easterseals.com/arkansas/programs-and-services/adult-services/academics-community-career.html

Email: info@eastersealsar.com

Phone: (501) 227-3600

Location: 3920 Woodland Heights Rd
Little Rock, AR 72212

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

CALIFORNIA

ART of Living CORE COURSE

The Art of Living Course serves individuals who are 16 and over who support individuals in self-developmental purposes. The program provides services in high-school equivalency completion and services with vocational assessment, career exploration, educational goal plan development, individual career counseling, and college course selection.

Website: No website
Email: billadamski1950@gmail.com
Phone:

Location: 2522 El Cerco Court
Rancho Cordova, California 95670

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria: The ART of Living CORE COURSE is for anyone 18+. There is also a CORE COURSE for young people.

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+), Minors (< 18)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): Diagnosis not essential.

Cost to participate in the program, if any: Yes. Priced accordingly to the sponsoring agency's budget. Individuals pay according to ability to pay.

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

Recovery Learning Center

Recovery Learning Center is a mental/behavioral health agency that provides services to unhoused individuals and diagnosed youth who are aged 18 and over in classes and support groups in areas of peer support and educational support.

Website: www.t-mha.org
Email: sortega@t-mha.org
Phone: (800) 783-0607

Location: 513 N G St.
Lompoc, California 93436

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria: unhoused individuals, diagnosed, youth, or assisting to other programs.

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): no

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

CONNECTICUT

Department of Mental Health and Addiction (DHMAS):Supported Education

A program in a mental/behavioral agency provides services to students who present a psychiatric disorder and show a desire to further their education. The program promotes recovery from psychiatric and addiction disorders.

Website: portal.ct.gov/DMHAS/Initiatives/Evidence-Based/Supported-Education-Services

Email: ellen.econs@ct.gov

Phone: (860) 418-6770

Location: 410 Capitol Ave
Hartford CT 06134

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

Laurel House

The Laurel House is an educational support program providing services to students presenting mental health conditions who are aged 16 and older. It is a program that provides students with assistance in post-secondary education or GED completion. The program works with high-school students with mental health disabilities as early as possible to ensure a successful transition into post-secondary education or vocational certification.

Website: www.laurelhouse.net/program-services/education/#

Email: contact@laurelhouse.net

Phone: (203) 324-1816

Location: 1616 Washington Blvd.
Stamford CT 06902

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

DELAWARE

Supported Education at the Delaware Technical & Community College

Supported Education at the Delaware Technical & Community College (DTCC) is a program that assists students with disabilities beginning their first year of college. The program provides educational support for transition students enrolled in remedial programs at each of DTCC's four campuses. The program aims to increase community college attendance and success for students during their college experience in remedial courses.

Website: www.dtcc.edu/student-resources/learning-support/disability-services

Email:

Phone: (302) 857-1000

Location: 506 N Cass St, Middletown, DE 19709

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution: Delaware Technical & Community College (DTCC)

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Autism Campus Inclusion (ACI) Summer Leadership Academy

The program serves individuals who are diagnosed with Autism between the ages of 16-24 or are college students by teaching them about student groups, understanding disability policy, and talking to people in power. The program aims to increase graduation rates for autistic college students, as well as providing community, education, and support college advocacy efforts.

Website: autisticadvocacy.org/aci
Email: aoutlaw@autisticadvocacy.org
Phone:

Location: PO Box 66122
Washington, DC 20035

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

FLORIDA

NAMI Collier

NAMI Collier provides services to individuals with serious mental illnesses by connecting students to campus staff to help with their educational attainment.

Website: namicollier.org
Email: Eileen@namicollier.org
Phone:

Location: 6216 Trail Blvd
Naples, Florida 34108

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program: Mental Health

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program exclusively serves transition aged youth in this specified age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): SMi orSzeD

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: No

GEORGIA

Developmental Health Group Cognitive Therapy

The Developmental Health Group Cognitive Therapy serves individuals aged 12-18 from Georgia, New York, and Texas with pending drug-related indictments and/or those suffering from Mental Health diseases due to substance abuse. The Developmental Health Group Cognitive Therapy provides services in career planning, study skills, mentoring, and access to accommodations for academics.

Website: queenchnawest.wixsite.com/wellnesscoach

Email: dhgcognitivetherapy@gmail.com

Phone:

Location: Georgia

Geographic area the program serves: Currently serving only Georgia, New York & Texas

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program: Currently serving individuals with pending drug related indictments and/or those suffering from Mental Health conditions due to substance abuse.

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria: Single Women (with or without children), and Young Adults (all creeds, races and nationalities).

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+), Minors (< 18)

This program exclusively serves transition aged youth in this specified age range: Ages 12 - 18

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): No.

Cost to participate in the program, if any: Yes. Sliding scale fee based on income or Legal Guardians or Parents income.

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

ILLINOIS

Managing Youth with Mental Disorders

Managing Youth with Mental Disorders serves transition-aged youth children in a rehabilitation home where they are given support in career and educational planning and assistance with academic planning.

Website:

Email: firstaidersuganda@gmail.com

Phone:

Location:

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

KENTUCKY

IHOPE

IHOPE serves individuals aged 16-25 receiving benefits of SSI/SSDI with time and stress management, peer support groups, documenting disability for accommodations purposes, and financial aid process.

Website: 4rbhihope.org
Email: mcunningham@sevencounties.org
Phone: (270) 442-7121

Location: 914 E Broadway
Louisville, Kentucky 40204

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Exclusively serves transition aged youth between 16-25

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): SMI/SED/SUD

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

MARYLAND

Sherri L. Allen

Sherri L. Allen connects individuals 18 and older and their families to mental health services in their community.

Website:

Email: sallen@somerset.k12.md.us

Phone:

Location: 281 Woodson School Road
Crisfield, Maryland 21817

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria: Connect Families to mental services in the community

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

MASSACHUSETTS

NITEO

NITEO serves college students 18 and older with a mental health condition with individual coaching to college students with MHC, a semester long program and individual classes that develop skills of resiliency, wellbeing, social connectedness. The services offered are study skills, academic skills, and navigating through campuses.

Website: cpr.bu.edu/cmhep/

Email: clcobb@bu.edu

Phone: (617) 353-3549

Location: 940 Comm Ave West
Boston, Massachusetts 02215

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria: Any college student with a mental health condition from anywhere

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): Yes-it is determined based on self-report of functioning that is disrupted due to MHC

Cost to participate in the program, if any: Yes. A range from \$0-12,500 based on income. We do not allow money to interfere with recovery

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: No

Recovery Education Program

The Recovery Education Program serves adults with serious mental health conditions over the age of 18. The program provides classes in 3 areas of wellness, work/education, and personal developmental/recovery.

Website: cpr.bu.edu/wellness-and-recovery-services/recovery-education-programs/
Email: stephc13@bu.edu
Phone: (617) 353-3549

Location: 940 Comm Ave West
Boston, Massachusetts 02215

Geographic area the program serves: Greater Boston Area

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program: Adults with serious mental health conditions

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program exclusively serves transition aged youth in this specified age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): eligibility is self-report and a medical record

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: No

MICHIGAN

Early Treatment and Cognitive Health

Early Treatment and Cognitive Health serves individuals aged 16-30 who are residing in the mid-Michigan area during time of crisis. The program offers services in career counseling, education goal planning, resume building, and supporting the client in activating a social network.

Website: www.etchwellness.org/
Email: palazzolo@etchwellness.org
Phone: (517) 481-4800

Location: 4572 S. Hagadorn Rd. Ste. 1E
East Lansing, Michigan 48823

Geographic area the program serves: people who are residing in the mid-Michigan area during time of crisis

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program: only individuals served by NAVIGATE Program

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Exclusively serves transition aged youth between 16-30

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): Yes. The participant's eligibility is formulated by a thorough assessment from the prescriber and project director. Eligibility criteria does allow for diagnostic ambiguity, but does formulate a tentative diagnosis from the DSM-V

Cost to participate in the program, if any: Yes. Grant funded. Program does seek insurance reimbursement

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

MINNESOTA

The HOPE Program

The HOPE Program serves individuals who have had psychotic symptoms within the last two years, less than 12 cumulative months on antipsychotic medications, diagnoses of schizophrenia, schizoaffective disorder, or schizophreniform disorder and are interested in learning skills to live a rich and rewarding life. The services offered setting individual educational goals, supporting in finding a fitting academic setting (GED program/post-secondary options) assistance with financial planning, application completion, class /program selection, and academic accommodations.

Website: www.hennepinhealthcare.org/specialty/psychiatry/the-hope-program/
Email: N/A
Phone: (612) 873-5692

Location: 914 South 8th Street
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55404

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria: The HOPE Program serves individuals who are:
•onset of psychotic symptoms within the last two years, •less than 12 cumulative months on antipsychotic medications, •diagnoses of schizophrenia, schizoaffective disorder, or schizophreni

This program serves people in this age range: Exclusively serves transition aged youth between 15-40

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): Diagnoses of schizophrenia, schizoaffective disorder, or schizophreniform disorder

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

NEW JERSEY

Bridgeway LEARN of Central NJ

The Bridgeway LEARN of Central NJ serves residents 18 years of age or older, or attending schools in Essex, Hudson, Middlesex, or Union Counties who have been diagnosed with psychiatric illness. The program assists people with psychiatric disabilities to reach their post-postsecondary academic goals. LEARN of Central NJ helps people graduate from post-secondary education by providing and connecting them with additional supports and services which include navigation through the enrollment process, assisting during the educational endeavor, and career development for transition into the workforce.

Website: www.bridgewaybhs.org

Email:

Phone: (877) 692-5664

Location: 1023 Commerce Ave.
Union, New Jersey 07083

Geographic area the program serves: Serving residents of, or attending school in Essex, Hudson, Middlesex, or Union Counties

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program: Program is specific to students diagnosed with a psychiatric illness

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria: 18 years of age or older. Have a high school diploma or GED. Desire to obtain a career by attending post-secondary school.

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): Yes. SMI is determined based on documentation provided by the individual such as a recent Psychiatric Evaluation report.

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

The Learning Enhancement and Resource Network (L.E.A.R.N.) at Saint Clare's Health

The Learning Enhancement And Resource Network (L.E.A.R.N.) provides services for adults with a psychiatric disability, residing in Morris, Bergen, Sussex, or Passaic Counties, who desire to pursue higher education. L.E.A.R.N. provides information, resources, and support to help program participants gain access to post-secondary, vocational, and certificate programs.

Website: saintclares.com/services/behavioral-health-services/career-services/

Email:

Phone: (973)-625-6000

Location: 25 Pocono Road
Denville, NJ 07834

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

NEW YORK

Academy of Peer Specialist

The Academy of Peer Specialists assists adults 18 and above who have a mental health diagnosis. The services provided to them are vocational assessment, educational goal plan development, and individual career counseling.

Website:

Email: kimblee880@gmail.com

Phone:

Location: 423 Lisbon Avenue
1 Lower Front
Buffalo, New York 14215

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program exclusively serves transition aged youth in this specified age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): Diagnosis of mental health

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

Access CNY

Access CYN's Supported Education Program is a program that helps students 18 and older with mental health diagnoses achieve their educational goals. The program facilitates students with time management, study skills academic accommodations, and class registration. The program also focuses on helping students achieve their GED or high school equivalency diploma.

Website: www.accesscny.org/services/supported-education/

Email: Melanie.Greene@accesscny.org

Phone: (315) 218-0850

Location: 1603 Court St.
Syracuse, NY 13208

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

BluePrint Supported Education

Blueprint Supported Education is a program that serves the 5 boroughs of the state of New York. The program assists students with housing, food insecurity, and healthcare resources if needed. The program helps students advocate for their educational needs to be able to achieve a college, vocational, or high school equivalency diploma. The program helps students with course registration, program transition, study skills, time management, and exploration of personal values and goals.

Website: www.blueprintsed.org/
Email: blueprint@communityaccess.org
Phone: (646) 503-5600

Location: 2090 Adam Clayton Powell Jr Blvd, 12th Floor
New York, NY 10027

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

Community Links

Community Links is a trauma-informed program that provides assistance to students 18 or older with mental health conditions who live in the 5 boroughs of New York City. Community Links helps students complete their college, certification, licensing, or vocational degrees. The program supports individuals who are 18 years or older within the 5 boroughs of New York City with a mental health condition. The program also provides assistance with TASC/GED completion.

Website: balticstreet.org/?page_id=2186

Email:

Phone: (929) 210-9810

Location: 1111 Saint Johns Pl.
Brooklyn NY 11213

Geographic area the program serves: New York City

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

Fountain House - Education Unit / College Reentry

Fountain House assists individuals 18+ with a mental health diagnosis of either major depression, bipolar disorder, schizophrenia, or schizoaffective disorder. The Fountain House Education Unit provides educational support and ongoing academic scholarships. The Fountain House College Reentry program provides young adults, ages 18-21, with college reentry support.

Website: fountainhouse.org
Email: jclinger@fountainhouse.org / anna@collegereentry.org
Phone: (212) 582-0340

Location: 425 W. 47th Street
Education Unit / College Reentry
New York, New York 10036

Geographic area the program serves: New York City, NY

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program: individuals with a mental health diagnosis of either major depression, bipolar disorder, schizophrenia, or schizoaffective disorder

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): see above for 4 accepted mental health diagnoses

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

MHA Peer Training Academy

MHA Peer Training Academy provides services to individuals above the age of 18 with mental health issues. The MHA Peer Training Academy offers a 4-week classroom training and up to a 12-week internship experience that gives people in mental health recovery an opportunity to use and develop their lived experience into a professional supportive role in mental health services.

Website: www.mharochester.org/services/peer-navigation/
Email: eturek@mharochester.org
Phone: (585) 325-3145

Location: 344 North Goodman St.
Rochester, New York 14607

Geographic area the program serves: Monroe County Residents

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program exclusively serves transition aged youth in this specified age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): No, self-identification of a mental health issue is all that is required

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: No

Now We Rise!

Now We Rise! is a program assisting individuals at a transitional age in vocational assessment, career exploration, educational goal plan development, individual career counseling, and assistance in selecting college courses.

Website:

Email: jlitkett@gmail.com

Phone:

Location: 930 West End Ave
NYC, New York 10025

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+), Minors (< 18)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): No

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

Venture House

Venture House is a supported education program that assists youth students with their educational goals in the State of New York. Students must provide their educational goals. The services offered are college preparedness, academic scheduling, and financial aid process.

Website: venturehouse.org
Email: info@venturehouse.org
Phone: (718) 658-7201

Location: 150-10 Hillside Avenue
Jamaica, New York 11432

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

OHIO

From Me 2 U, Inc.

From Me 2 U provide services to youth individuals who need psychosocial rehabilitation or therapeutic behavioral health services. Individuals should be referred by a clinician with a diagnosis. From Me 2 U provide services in areas of career finding, education goals development, and individual career counseling.

Website: www.fromme2uinc.org
Email: me2u@fromme2uinc.org
Phone: (216) 450-6328

Location: 13125 Shaker Square, Suite 101
Cleveland, Ohio 44120 - 2399

Geographic area the program serves: Ohio

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+), Minors (< 18)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): For youth yes if they also need Psychosocial Rehab, or Therapeutic Behavioral Health Services, they should be referred by a clinician with a diagnosis. For college students no.

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

OREGON

Abacus Program

The Abacus program assists participants who must have mental health conditions that cause them to experience challenges with obtaining or maintaining a job or education. The program assists with post-secondary admissions and enrollment, and financial aid paperwork.

Website: hhs.co.yamhill.or.us/communitysupportservices/page/employment-and-education-services

Email: tohd@co.yamhill.or.us

Phone: (503) 472-9371 ext 6897

Location: 625 NE Galloway Street
McMinnville, OR 97128

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

ColumbiaCare Services

ColumbiaCare Services provide services to adults 18 and older who are JCC members with an SPMI diagnosis. Individuals are encouraged to identify their own educational goals and objectives based on personal preferences, strengths, and experiences. The Supported Education Specialist will work closely with the student's program faculty and mental health team to ensure the best access and support are provided for them to achieve their educational goals.

Website: columbiacare.org
Email: naskew@columbiacare.org
Phone: (541) 858-8170

Location: 503 Airport Rd
Suite 101
Medford, Oregon 97504

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria: JCC members with SPMI diagnosis

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): yes, referral and MHA done by QMHP

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

Laurel Hill Center

Laurel Hill Center assists participants of age 18 and above and who are members of the Laurel Hill Center. The participants receive assistance in supporting them with mental health symptoms and accessing classes and supports offered by the school of their choice.

Website: laurel.org
Email: aprilw@laurel.org
Phone: (541) 485-6340

Location: 2145 Centennial Plz
Eugene, Oregon 97401-2421

Geographic area the program serves: Lane County, Oregon

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program: Participants of Laurel Hill Center

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): Yes, diagnosis by prescriber or LMP

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: No

LifeWorks NW

Lifeworks NW provides services to students above the age of 18 who are members of the LifeWorks rehabilitation program. The supported education program works on assisting with the student's academic process toward their career goals. They offer assistance connecting to resources such as financial aid, advising, tutoring, disability resources, and other resources that may help them with their progress toward their goals.

Website: www.lifeworksnw.org
Email: intakereferrals@lifeworksnw.org
Phone: (503) 645-9010

Location: 10700 SW Beaverton Hillsdale Hwy Building 1 Suite 011
Beaverton, OR 97005

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

Options Supported Education

Options Supported Education serves individuals of Josephine and Jackson Counties that are clients of Options. The clients must have a qualifying diagnosis under the Supported Education code. Clients are assisted with college course selection, career exploration, development of educational plans, and tutoring and mentoring.

Website: www.optionsonline.org
Email: jdale@optionsonline.org
Phone: (541) 476-2373

Location: Oregon

Geographic area the program serves: Josephine and Jackson Counties

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program: Must be an Options client

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+), Minors (< 18)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): Must have a qualifying diagnosis under OHA billable codes for H2023 Supported Employment/Education code

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

Marion County Work Solutions & EASA Center for Human Development

Marion County Oregon: Early Assessment and Support Alliance (EASA) is an intervention program assisting individuals from ages 12-27 who have experienced psychosis. The program provides services around psycho-education, supported employment, peersupport, and supported education.

Website: www.co.marion.or.us/HLT/CAPS/resources/Pages/east.aspx#

Email:

Phone: (503) 566-2914

Location: PO Box 14500
Salem, OR 97309

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: 12-27

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

Sequoia Mental Health Services

Sequoia Mental Health Services is a non-profit organization that provides services in peer support, supported employment and supported education. The program connects individuals to resources needed to achieve personal and educational goals.

Website: sequoiamhs.org
Email: rbabcock@sequoiamhs.org
Phone: (503) 591-9280

Location: 4585 SW 185th Avenue
Beaverton, OR 97007

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

PENNSYLVANIA

Education Plus at Horizon House

Education Plus assists participants that have documented psychiatric or learning challenges. Education Plus provides the necessary support for students to earn a post-secondary education certificate or degree. The program provides support services in school completion and obtaining employment opportunity.

Website: www.hhinc.org/behavioral-health-services/employment-and-education-services/

Email:

Phone: (267)-471-4016

Location: New Market West
5901 Market Street, 3rd Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19139

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED):

Cost to participate in the program, if any:

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion:

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

Lower Merion Counseling and Mobile Services

Lower Merion Counseling and Mobile Services provide assistance to individuals 18 and older who have a history of or are currently in treatment for mental health. The services provided are assistance for selecting college courses, career exploration, and development of educational goals.

Website: www.rhd.org/program/lower-merion-counseling-and-mobile-services/
Email: katie.clowney@rhd.org
Phone: (610) 520-1510

Location: 850 W Lancaster Ave
Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania 19010

Geographic area the program serves: Montgomery County, PA residents only, accepts Montco Magellan or Montco County Funding

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program: History of or currently treatment for mental health

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program exclusively serves transition aged youth in this specified age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): Verification of past or current mental health support

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use:

SOUTH CAROLINA

Ivy L Benjamin

Ivy L Benjamin provides services to individuals with specific insurance or receiving SSI/SSDI benefits who are 18 and older. The program offers services in academic skills development, peer support, and cognitive remediation.

Website:

Email: ivybenjamin08@gmail.com

Phone:

Location: 504 S Beltline Blvd Apt E5
Columbia, South Carolina 29205

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program exclusively serves transition aged youth in this specified age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): Yes

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: No

TENNESSEE

OnTrack Tennessee

OnTrack Tennessee provides services to individuals 15-30 who have had their first psychotic episode within the last 2 years of applying. The student receives information gathering to help navigate systems and find resources for individualized support.

Website: www.tn.gov/behavioral-health/children-youth-young-adults-families/on-track-tn.html

Email: OCA.TDMHSAS@tn.gov

Phone: (800) 560-576

Location: 1978 Wilson Pike
Franklin, TN 37067

Geographic area the program serves: Knox County

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Exclusively serves transition aged youth between 15 – 30

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): They have had their first psychotic episode within the last 2 years.

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

VIRGINIA

Thomas N Bannard

Thomas N Bannard provides services to students 18 and older who attend non-profit state schools in Virginia and are in or seeking recovery from substance use disorders. The program also provides services under Collegiate Recovery Programs (CRP) are structured supports for students in recovery from substance use disorders who are seeking a degree in higher education.

Website: recovery.vcu.edu
Email: recovery@vcu.edu
Phone: (804) 828-1360

Location: PO Box 842002
Richmond VA, Virginia 23284

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution: Non Profit Schools in the State of Virginia

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria: Students in or seeking recovery from Substance Use Disorders

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): No

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

WASHINGTON

Peer Washington (Kent)

Peer Washington provides support with barriers to employment, working with a disability, and connecting individuals with work opportunities and resources available to them. Peer Washington assists with skills in time and stress management, requesting academic accommodations, and navigating the campus environment.

Website: www.peerkent.org

Email: info@peerkent.org

Phone: (253) 277-4942

Location: 216 W Gowe St, STE 300
Kent, Washington 98032

Geographic area the program serves: Washington State (4 sites)

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program exclusively serves transition aged youth in this specified age range:

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): no

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: Yes

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: Yes

WEST VIRGINIA

Learning Center, West Virginia Wesleyan College

The Learning Center provides services to students of Wesleyan College who are 18 and older. The services provided are provided by comprehensive advisors that serve as academic coaches for students with disabilities and mental health issues. The students work with the academic coaches on study strategies, chunking assignments, exam analysis, and accommodations.

Website: wwwc.edu/the-learning-center/

Email: dib_a@wwwc.edu

Phone: (304) 473-8000

Location: 59 College Avenue
Buckhannon, West Virginia 26201

Geographic area the program serves:

This program serves clients of this specific agency or program:

This program serves students of this college, university, or institution:

Other inclusion or eligibility criteria:

This program serves people in this age range: Adults (18+)

This program requires participants establish a qualifying “serious mental illness” (SMI) or “serious emotional disturbance” (SED): documentation can be a letter from a practitioner who works with the student and provides diagnosis

Cost to participate in the program, if any: No cost or fees

This program provides assistance with high school equivalency or GED completion: No

This program provides assistance with dual diagnosis or integrated treatment for substance use: No

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www.samhsa.gov

The CAFÉ TA Center
cafetacenter.net/

The Doors to Wellbeing TA National Consumer TA Center
www.doorstowellbeing.org/

National Empowerment Center
www.power2u.org/index.html

The Peer Support Coalition of Florida Peer Experience NTAC
www.peersupportfl.org/pentac/

The YouthMOVE National Peer Center
youthmovepeercenter.org/