



*The Department of Services for Children, Youth  
and Their Families*

*Division of Prevention & Behavioral Health Services  
"Resilient Children and Families Living in Supportive Communities"*

# **GUIDE TO PROGRAMS AND SERVICES**

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# PREVENTION PROGRAMS

## **Promoting Safe and Stable Families – (PSSF)**

The Promoting Safe and Stable Families Program (PSSF) is a community-based family support and preservation program which provides consultation services to families who are “at risk or in crisis” due to one or a combination of stressors that may lead to child maltreatment.

The consultation process engages and guides parents and their family through a self-assessment tool, supporting the identification of potential and presenting risk factors. The family engages in the completion of a family drive planning process to address their core concerns and needs, identifying formal and informal support systems to successfully accomplish the family established goals increasing the family protective factor in providing safe and stable family environment. DPBHS contracts with *First State Community Action Agency (New Castle, Kent & Sussex County)*, Connection in Sussex County, Jewish Family Services of Delaware in New Castle County, and two Neighborhood House sites (Wilmington & Middletown), in order to provide this program within a community-based setting statewide. \*Funded by Title IVb, Subpart 2.

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## **Delaware Fatherhood & Family Coalition – (DFFC)**

Delaware Fatherhood & Family Coalition is an extension of the Promoting Safe and Stable Families Program and the Responsible Fatherhood Initiative created specifically to give a voice to fathers and the importance of their involvement for the well-being of their children. The DFFC believes in the power of fatherhood and families where children’s safety is not at risk.

The DFFC is an advocacy coalition with diverse and unified membership. The DFFC infrastructure was created to develop platforms to address social barriers and challenges that prevent fathers from being involved in raising their child (ren). The membership is made up of parents, community leaders, grass-root, service, state, interfaith and community-based organizations. The coalition connects multiple sectors of the community in a comprehensive approach, continuously develops partners, trains and educated to achieve real outcomes. \*Funded by Title IVb, Subpart 2.

***\*For more information contact: [admin@dfcdads.org](mailto:admin@dfcdads.org) or (855) 733-3232***

## **Child Development Watch – (CDW)**

Early intervention program for children ages birth to 3. The program’s mission is to enhance the development of infants and toddlers with disabilities or developmental delays and to enhance the capacity of their families to meet the needs of their young children.

***\*For more information contact: (Kent & Sussex Counties 302-424-7300; New Castle County (302) 283-7140)***

### **The Intensive Family Consultation Service – (IFC)**

Intensive Family Consultation is an intervention services designed to support families who are experiencing more complex issues in their lives. These multiple complex needs are associated with **parent /child conflict, substance abuse, family instability associated with homelessness, single parent stressor and isolation, blended family stressors, unresolved mental health needs, absence of supports and resources, etc.** IFC Services uses a team approach to assist the family in creating opportunities to acquire competencies that will permit them to mobilize supports necessary to cope, adapt, and grow in response to life’s many challenges and empower families by giving them the tools needed to . . .

- Care for and protect their children
- Improve their family functioning
- Build connections to various support networks within their community
- Self-Advocate

IFC Services are provided statewide by the DPBHS staff.

***\*For more information contact: Carmella Giddins-Jones (302) 892-6419***

### **Separating and Divorcing Parent Education Program (SDPE)**

On July 18, 1996, Delaware passed a law mandating divorcing parents with children up to age 17 to attend a parenting education course. Additionally, this course will specifically provide information regarding domestic violence, its prevention and effect upon children. For reference, see attached, Senate Bill 288, Title 13, Section 1507 of the Delaware Code, subsection (h) as signed by the Governor Thomas R. Carper. All programs must be certified by the Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families, Division of Prevention and Behavioral Health Services (DPBHS). The law also states that persons with a history of domestic violence must complete a program specifically addressing those issues. The goal of this program is to help educate parents of the effects upon their children of divorce/separation and to help both parties minimize the harmful effects on their children, whenever possible.

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### **Substance Abuse Block Grant (SABG)**

\*Supports funding for universal and targeted substance abuse prevention services. ***Please contact Yvonne Bunch (302) 633-2513 for more information on the SABG.***

#### **University of Delaware: Botvin Life Skills**

The Botvin Life Skills Training Program is free for Delaware students 8-14 years old. This comprehensive and exciting program facilitated by the University of Delaware provides children and adolescents with the confidence and skills necessary to successfully handle challenging situations. Program sessions are delivered

statewide at self-identified schools and community centers. The Botvin Life Skills Program is always seeking additional sites to deliver this program and offers train the trainer as well. Interested schools and community centers can contact, Lindsay Hughes, Extension Educator, directly at (302)856-2585 x 523.

**West End Neighborhood House:**

This program is designed to build and strengthen the capacity of community partners to create, safe, healthy drug-free communities. They implement a comprehensive prevention effort to promote wellness and reduce alcohol, tobacco, and other drug abuse in New Castle County through the use of the All Stars curriculum, Lunch and Learns and large scale events, like the Teen Summit, which is coordinated by area youth. Bellevue Community Center serves as the New Castle County site and West End Neighborhood House is the City of Wilmington site. Local communities and potential partners can contact West End Neighborhood House directly for more information at (302) 658-4171.

**Lunch and Learn Program (WENH)**

West End Neighborhood House's Lunch and Learn Program is held during the scheduled lunch periods within the school's cafeteria. Tables are set up exhibiting and disseminating factual information pertaining to alcohol and other abusive substances. Lunch and Learn is a beneficial program for the schools, as it does not take away from the normal classroom time or having to conduct extracurricular activities that can be costly; it is intended to spread positive prevention messages to the students.

The Lunch and Learn Program is informative and interactive. The program ensures that information and brochures concerning the effects of alcohol in the mind and body are distributed. Discussions pertaining to binge drinking, laws, and risky behaviors are just a few of the topics that are mentioned. The Lunch and Learn Program impacts the student body, giving the student the opportunity to engage in discussions without being embarrassed and explore perspectives, since what they have learned from their friends may not be safe or factual. Please contact West End Neighborhood House directly for more information at (302) 658-4171.

**Youth Prevention Frontliners Committee (WENH)**

West End Neighborhood House and Bellevue Community Center are increasing involvement and engagement in area youth through the Youth Prevention Frontliners Committee. The Prevention

Frontliners are students that support adult staff in schools to lead and promote student advocacy groups. This helps the youth to build something that is their own, providing leadership and life skills as well as recognition for committee members. It also creates an increase in reception of prevention messaging if they are providing their voice to peers through media and at gatherings such as the Annual Teen Summit. Please contact West End Neighborhood House directly for more information at (302) 658-4171.

**Open Door: Prime for Life**

Open Door, Inc serves the lower New Castle County area and collaborates with area schools, youth serving organizations and appropriate partners to implement the evidence based invention, Prime for Life. It is designed to prevent or reduce alcohol use amount young people in grades 8-12 by presenting alcoholism in a public health model, highlighting ways to reduce risk to disease and avoiding impairment related problems. Please contact Open Door directly for more information at (302) 731-1504.

**New Castle Prevention Coalition: Ripple Effects**

The New Castle Prevention Coalition focuses its efforts on the city of Wilmington, including the Route 9 corridor, which has seen a dramatic upswing in the use of heroin. They promote the prevention of substance abuse through the evidenced based program Ripple Effects. It aims to reduce substance use for middle and high school aged youth. They have a partnership with Colonial to offer their programming as an alternative to out of school suspension. Ripple Effects is a student-focused interactive, software-based adaptive intervention which enhances social-emotional competencies and improve outcomes related to substance abuse. Please contact New Castle Prevention Coalition directly for more information at (302) 275-0829.

**Kent Sussex Community Services: Prime for Life**

Kent Sussex Community Services implements the evidence based practice of Prime for Life in Kent and Sussex counties. Their overarching goal is to delay onset or reduce alcohol and drug use for youth. To realize that goal, they use evidence based programming and develop strong and sustainable community partnerships. Please contact Kent Sussex Community Services directly for more information at (302) 735-7790.

### **Resource Center (Pamphlets and Brochures)**

Universal intervention services are provided through the Division of Prevention and Behavioral Health Resource Center which disseminate thousands of informational pamphlets on topics including, but not limited to: child development, separation and divorce/successful co-parenting strategies, parenting skills/tips, fatherhood, stress, drug and alcohol prevention, skill building, substance abuse, bullying, mental health, coping, budgeting, child abuse, violence prevention, and a host of other topics. These materials are distributed to individuals and organizations across the state free of charge. A resource order form is provided to the individual or organization that desires to receive some materials, typically through email or fax.

The Resource Center reached out to more than 65 agencies in Delaware to assist them in building their resource areas by delivering informational pamphlets. These agencies represent schools, daycares, Head Start and early childhood centers, community centers, hospitals, universities and colleges, faith-based organizations and state organizations. Some of the organization/agency names include: Elsmere Police Department, Boys & Girls Club, Catholic Charities, Family Court, Christiana Care, Big Brothers & Big Sisters, New Beginnings, etc.

The Resource Center continues to contract with the Channing-Bete Company to manage the inventory of booklets and to direct ship materials to individuals and organizations throughout the state. The Resource Center is currently putting forth a stronger effort towards the awareness of alcohol, tobacco, prescription drug, and other drug prevention.

***\*For more information contact: Christopher Miller (302) 892-6440***

### **Families and Centers Empowered Together – (FACET)**

(FACET) is a family engagement, family support and empowerment program located in six diverse Early Learning Centers. The program is designed to strengthen families through educational and life-enhancing /stress relieving activities, and other support services within the community. These non-threatening, family enhancing activities and support services are chosen by the parents themselves through a parent council designed to promote their involvement and give them control over the program. Through FACET, families of preschool age children are strengthened through activities designed to build community relationships, improve parenting skills, increase self-esteem and a sense of control, and reduce stress. FACET follows the belief that to do the best we can for children; we must support and strengthen their families and communities. The formula is simple: parents who possess a sense of fulfillment not only feel good about themselves and their family life, but also become better parents.

There are four FACET Providers in New Castle County which include The Kingswood Community Center, The Latin American Community Center, Mary E. Herring Child Care Center, and The Little Futures Learning Academy. Each of these sites are located in the City of

Wilmington. In Kent County, the FACET Provider Sites include The Tender Hearts Learning Center, and The Children's First Learning Center.

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### **Project LAUNCH**

Delaware Project LAUNCH (Linking Actions for Unmet Needs in Children's Health) aims to promote the wellness of young children from birth to 8 years by addressing the physical, social, emotional, cognitive, and behavioral aspect of their development. The coordination of child-serving systems and the integration of behavioral and physical health services drive this work to ensure children are thriving in safe, supportive environments and entering school ready to learn. Additionally, the work advances Delaware's shared vision for the wellness of young children as outlined in *Sustaining Early Success: Delaware's Strategic Plan for a Comprehensive Early Childhood System*.

Delaware Project LAUNCH focuses on neighborhoods that are feeder patters for Warner Elementary and Shortlidge Academy. These Communities long identified with multiple environmental risk factors and gaps in services and supports for youth children, birth to 8 years, and their families. These communities are areas of high poverty have experienced high crime and violence and have few, if any high quality early care and education programs.

There are five core prevention and promotion strategies identified by SAMHSA for Project LAUNCH:

- ❖ Screening and assessment in a range of child-serving settings
- ❖ Integration of behavioral health into primary care
- ❖ Mental Health consultation in early care and education
- ❖ Enhanced home visiting with a focus on social and emotional well-being
- ❖ Family strengthening and parent skills training

*\*For more information contact: Mary Moor (302) 781-3212 or Mindy Webb at (302) 668-5468*  
**Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation – (ECMHC)**

ECMHC is a free service and partnership with providers of early care and education programs that is effective in addressing and supporting young children's social and emotional development in early care and education settings (2-5 years old). All consultants are licensed mental health professionals with experience working in early learning settings.

*For more information please contact Mary Moor (302) 781-3212*

### **Youth Suicide Prevention Initiatives**

Under the Garret Lee Smith (GLS) grant we are trainings professionals on the Suicide Prevention and Resource Center's (SPRC) curriculum called Assessing and Managing Suicide RISK (AMSR), presenting at workshops to school personnel and the public on suicide, trained family crisis therapists in elementary schools on suicide prevention, working on a campaign to reduce stigma and provide social marketing on texting. This effort integrates suicide screening into

primary care medicine practices, and working with the Behavioral Health Consultants in middle schools on risk screening for suicide using a web based tool.

For a Risk Assessment call the **Child Priority Response Hotline: 1-800-969-4357 (HELP) – 24 hours/day, 7 days/week**

*\*For general information, referral and routine intake please call 1-800-722-7710*

### **Behavioral Health Consultants (BHC's)**

The Behavioral Health Services initiative was designed to allow licensed mental health professionals (BHC's) to provide brief mental health services to students in middle schools throughout Delaware. The BHC Program is a 12-Month Program. Services provided by the BHC's include the following:

- Assist with Crisis Referrals
- Complete Risk Assessments
- Complete Brief Mental Health Screenings
- Facilitate Referrals for Mental & Behavioral Health Services
- Provide Brief Individual Counseling Sessions (3-5 sessions)
- Facilitating Group Therapy Sessions
- Providing Family Therapy Sessions
- Conducting Home Visits and Engaging Families
- Collaborating with School Personnel in meeting the Youth's needs.

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## MIDDLE SCHOOL BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CONSULTANTS

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## AFTERSCHOOL AND SUMMER PREVENTION PROGRAMS

AGENCY/PROGRAM NAME	DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM
<p><b>Duffy's H.O.P.E</b>  <b>(New Castle County)</b>  <b>100 W. 10<sup>th</sup> Street</b>  <b>Wilmington, DE 19801</b></p> <p>Allen "Duffy" Samuels  (302) 652-3532</p>	<p>Ambassador Program utilizes the Phoenix Curriculum. Program provides mentoring, academic support, gang violence support, social enrichment, gardening program. Also, group counseling, career readiness, field trips.</p>
<p><b>Christina Cultural Arts Center The HeArt Under the Hoodie</b>  <b>(New Castle County)</b>  <b>705 N. Market St.</b>  <b>Wilmington, DE 19801</b></p> <p>Lynetta Fletcher  (302) 607-1866 EXT: 23</p>	<p>Youth Violence Prevention Program links Urban Improv-a 14 year old evidence-based school drama program operating in Boston, MA with after school arts and yoga/mindfulness activities. A 27 week interactive, improvisational drama curriculum teaches decision making conflict negotiation, cooperation and leadership skills. Outcome- Emotional literacy and protective assets development. Real life practice via drama is critical to skill building focused on decision making, impulse control and conflict resolution.</p>
<p><b>YMCA</b>  <b>Teen Prevention Programs</b>  <b>(New Castle County)</b>  <b>351 George Williams Way</b>  <b>Newark, DE 19702</b></p> <p>Nicole Freedman  (302) 571-6927</p>	<p>After School program aim is to reduce violence, suicide and high-risk behaviors among youth. Services are provided on the East Side of Wilmington and offer YMCA youth memberships. Transportation is provided from P.S DuPont and Bayard Middle School. Services are Monday thru Friday. They provide academic support and group discussions. Summer Leadership Camp is for youth 13-17. Youth have access to recreation and other activities with the free membership.</p>
<p><b>Latin American Community Center</b>  <b>(Reading is Fundamental) (New Castle County)</b>  <b>403 N. Van Buren Street</b>  <b>Wilmington, DE 19805</b></p> <p>Shawn Stevens  (302) 442-7706</p>	<p>Reading is Fundamental literacy program with 125 unduplicated children grades K-5.</p>
<p><b>The PAL of Delaware</b>  <b>S.A.V.E. Suicide and Violence Education</b>  <b>(New Castle County)</b>  <b>1800 Philadelphia Pike</b>  <b>Wilmington, DE 19809</b></p> <p>William Harden  (302) 750-1002</p>	<p>Evidence-based curriculum focusing on violence and suicide prevention education, cyber bullying prevention, homework support, healthy snacks, cooking classes, art, sports and fitness activities. Educates parent youth risk for suicide. Program 5 days per week and after school. Reading support to youth.</p>
<p><b>Peter Spencer Family Life Foundation</b>  <b>(New Castle County)</b>  <b>812 N. Franklin Street</b>  <b>Wilmington, DE 19806</b></p> <p>Frances Livingston  (302) 658-3838</p>	<p>Children's Defense Fund Freedom School is a practice approach to improving educational outcomes for children. High quality academic Enrichment, Parent &amp; Family Involvement, Social Action and Civic Engagement, Intergenerational Servant Leadership, Nutrition, Health and Mental Health awareness.</p>

<p><b>Hilltop Lutheran (New Castle County) 1018 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Street Wilmington, DE 19805</b></p> <p>Matthew Johnson (302) 293-3198</p>	<p>Summer and afterschool enrichment programs for youth ages 10 to 18 in a high risk community in Wilmington. Program includes basketball, Safe Haven Game Room and Teen Center, Girls night out, dance group, focused media, and job readiness training. Programs are Monday- Friday 5:30 to 9pm. Girls night out. Reading is Fundamental</p>
<p><b>Boys &amp; Girls Clubs of Delaware - T.I.T.A.N (Teens Inspired To Act Now) Program (All Counties) 1601 N. Spruce Street Wilmington, DE 19802</b></p> <p>Stuart Sherman (302) 743-9935</p>	<p>Greater Newark Boys and Girls Teen Town Halls TITAN Nights, Teen Scene Events, Teen Trips, Friday Night Open GYM.</p>
<p><b>PAL of Wilmington Life SAVERS Program (New Castle County) 3707 N. Market Street Wilmington, DE 19802</b></p> <p>Wilbert Miller (302) 764-6170</p>	<p>Evidence-based curriculum focusing on violence and suicide prevention education, cyber bullying prevention, homework support, healthy snacks, cooking classes, are, sports and fitness activities. Educates parent youth risk for suicide. Program 5 days per week.</p>
<p><b>West End Neighborhood House (New Castle County) 710 N. Lincoln Street Wilmington, DE 19805</b></p> <p>Wesley Davis (302) 658-4171 EXT. 108</p>	<p>After School and Summer enrichment programs with recreational activities. EBP Carrera model. Include mental health, education, sports, adolescent health.</p>
<p><b>The Kingswood Community Center (New Castle County) 621 N. Market Street Wilmington, DE 19801</b></p> <p>Glorita Nunally (302) 764-9022</p>	<p>Attract an increased number of youth off the streets with artistic, cultural and sports-skill building tracks. Organized Sports Programs, the Arts Cultural Experience. Performing Fashion Shows, Music making, writing workshops, gardening and many other experience. Also Reading is Fundamental.</p>
<p><b>Providence Service Corporation of Delaware Youth Empowerment Programs (New Castle County, and Kent Counties) 304 S. Harrison Street Wilmington, DE 19805</b></p> <p>Coley Harris (302) 573-5073</p>	<p>Youth Empowerment Program (YEP) is a community-based violence and suicide prevention program that decreases risk factors through increased knowledge, skill, providing pro-social activities, physical development and academic supports to at-risk-youth.</p>
<p><b>Children &amp; Families First Seaford and Wilmington (New Castle and Sussex Counties) 809 N. Washington Street Wilmington, DE 19801</b></p> <p>Sue Weimer (302) 777-9790</p>	<p>After School Boys Council Girls Circle at Seaford and Bayard Middle School</p>

<p><b>Kuumba Academy (New Castle County) 1200 N. French Street Wilmington, DE 19801</b></p> <p>Sally Maldonado (302) 660-4750</p>	<p>Providing reading support to youth.</p>
<p><b>University of Delaware 4H (Kent and Sussex Counties) 150 Academy Street Newark, DE 19716</b></p> <p>Douglas Crouse (302) 831-2997</p>	<p>Program offers academic assistance, programs on substance abuse, violence prevention, suicide prevention, bullying, and recreational activities.</p>
<p><b>YMCA of Delaware - DOVER GIFT Afterschool Prevention Program (Kent County) 1137 S. State Street Dover, DE 19901</b></p> <p>Sheri Minear (302) 346-9622</p>	<p>High School Females GIFT (Girls in Fitness Together) Free memberships to YMCA. Decrease violence and bullying among girls.</p>
<p><b>DEMCO (Delaware Multicultural and Civic Organization) Reading Instruction Program (Kent County) 403 W. Division Street Dover, DE 19904</b></p> <p>Michael Casson (302) 346-5308</p>	<p>Harcourt Trophies Reading program and will use a variety of other assessments to address reading gaps in youth.</p>
<p><b>Inner City Cultural League (Kent County) 39 South West Street Dover, DE 19904</b></p> <p>Reuben Salters (302) 883-2180</p>	<p>Afterschool and Summer Cultural Enrichment activities that include theater, music, and drama.</p>
<p><b>Big Brothers Big Sisters Afterschool Mentoring Services (All Counties) 6 Larch Avenue Wilmington, DE 19804</b></p> <p>Mary P. Fox (302) 998-3577</p>	<p>Mentoring for LGBT Community</p>
<p><b>YMCA Waves Rehoboth 20080 Church Street Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971</b></p> <p>Lauri Weeks (302) 296-9622 EXT. 103</p>	<p>Provide free memberships, academic support, and create opportunities for leadership</p>

**Boys & Girls Clubs of Delaware  
(Sussex County)  
115 N. Race Street  
Georgetown, DE 19947**

Reading is Fundamental literacy program with 125 unduplicated children grades K-5.

**Wilmington Extended Hours Summer Programs**  
**Extended Hours run from June 15<sup>th</sup> to September 30<sup>th</sup>**

<b>Provider</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Contact</b>	<b>Hours offered</b>
<b>Wilmington Pal</b>	3707 Market Street Wilmington DE 19805	Kenny Jackson (302)764-6171	<b>Tuesday 8pm-10pm Thursday 8pm-10pm Saturday 8pm-10pm</b>
<b>Kingswood Community Center</b>	2300 Bowers Street Wilmington, DE 19802	Gail Sterling (302)464-9022	<b>Tuesday Open till 11:00pm Wednesday Open till 9:00pm Friday Open till 9:00pm</b>
<b>H. Fletcher Brown Boys and Girls Club</b>	1601 N. Spruce Street Wilmington, DE 19802	Rachel Kane (302)656-1386	<b>Tuesday thru Friday 6:30pm to 9:30pm</b>
<b>Walnut Street YMCA</b>	1000 N. Walnut Street Wilmington, DE 19801	Claire Carey (302)472-9622 X218	<b>Tuesday 7:00pm to 9:00pm Thursday 7:00pm to 9:00pm Saturday 9:30am to 9:00pm</b>
<b>Neighborhood House</b>	1218 B Street Wilmington, DE 19801	Cynthia Williams (302)652-3928	<b>Monday 6:30p.m. to 8:30p.m. Fridays 6:30p.m. to 8:30p.m. Saturday 6:30p.m. to 8:30p.m.</b>
<b>Latin American Community Center</b>	403 N. Van Buren Street Wilmington, DE 19805	Ed Martinez (302)655-7338	<b>Wednesday Thursday Friday 5:30pm to 8:30pm</b>
<b>William Hicks Anderson Community Center</b>	501 N. Madison Street Wilmington, DE 19801	Sean Baker (302)571-4266	<b>Friday 8-10pm Saturday Noon-4pm Sunday 11am-3pm</b>
<b>Hilltop Lutheran Neighborhood Center</b>	1018 West 6 <sup>th</sup> Street Wilmington DE 19802	Matthew Johnson (302)656-3224	<b>Tuesday thru Friday 5:30pm-9:00pm</b>
<b>Fraim's Boys &amp; Girls Club</b>	669 S. Union Street Wilmington DE 19805	Rachel Kane (302)655-4591	<b>Tuesday thru Friday 6:30pm to 9:30pm</b>
<b>West End Neighborhood House</b>	710 N. Lincoln Street Wilmington, DE 19805	Antwain Flowers (302)658-4171	<b>Thursday 5:30pm to 10:30pm Friday 5:30pm to 10:30pm Saturday 4:00pm to 6:00pm</b>

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