

Service Lines with Programs

Out of Home Placement

RTC-HTP-Residential Treatment Center-Hard to Place-Residential Program in Rhinebeck licensed and funded through the Office of Children and Family Services and Medicaid. Capacity is 38. Referrals come from School Districts or local department of social services.

RTF-Residential Treatment Facility-Licensed by NYS Office of Mental Health and funded through Medicaid. Capacity is 20. Referrals go through a Pre Admission Certification Committee (PACC)

Therapeutic Foster Boarding Home-Foster Home program for children ages 5-21 who need more support than basic foster family care. Referrals come from local departments of social services. There is no cap on the capacity.

Outpatient

Discharge Coordinator- Directs daily operation of record processing to ensure that discharge records are properly received, organized, and forwarded to the appropriate physician for completion. Audits medical records to guarantee compliance with institution standards, procedures and policies.

Dutchess Clinics-4 Outpatient mental health clinics in Dutchess County (Beacon, Poughkeepsie, Hyde Park and Wingdale) with satellites attached to school-based services, as well as satellites with Primary Care Physician offices.

Highbridge Clinic-Outpatient mental health clinic located on Shakespeare Avenue in Highbridge, Bronx NY with satellites attached to school-based services.

Performing Provider System – Astor belongs to 4, two in the Bronx and two in the Hudson Valley, committed to integrated and cost effective care with other medical/community providers.

Pre-admission Screening - Refers to the ERS screening program which we had a contract with OMH, it's been defunded

Stabilization Center – Dutchess County integrated program with other community providers – seeks to provide crisis stabilization and referrals as an alternative to costly and unnecessary emergency room visits.

Tilden Clinic - Outpatient mental health clinic located on Tilden Street, Bronx NY with satellites attached to school based services.

Transitions - Funded by contracts with NYC DOH and Robin Hood - provides follow-up case management and support services from students enrolled in day treatment.

Ulster Clinics - Outpatient (Kingston Ellenville, Dover, New Paltz, with satellites attached to school-based services with Primary Care Physician offices.

Vital Access Provider-(VAP)-\$3.2 Million received from OMH to create structures and processes that provide financial stability for outpatient clinics

Placement Prevention

Families Together – Advocacy –Family Pure Advocate

Family Services Provide mental health, psychological & psychiatric evaluations to assist Family Court Judges in custody, visitation, and parental neglect decision-making

IHBFPS - Intensive Family Preservation

J-RISC—Experienced Licensed Clinical Social Worker works with Probation and provides Functional Family Therapy to a caseload of high-risk youth to prevent future involvement with the justice system

Orange County JD/PINS Diversion--a Preventative Clinical Program designed to provide services for Youth who are at risk for Placement. We have a contract with Orange County Department of Social Services to provide these services to the youth and their families. Some referral sources include CPS, DSS and Probation. Services include, Psychiatric Evaluation, in home family and Individual Therapy, Vocational and Educational Advocacy and Case Management and 24 hr Crisis Management.

SPA Pilot modeled the provision of new Child and Family Treatment and Support Services in the Bronx. Funded by NYSOMH

Care Management

B2H – Agency---The Bridges to Health (B2H) Home and Community-based Medicaid services waiver program is designed to provide children in foster care who have significant mental health or developmental disabilities, or health care needs, with services to help them live in a home or community-based setting.

Bronx Blended Case Management—**now called OMH Health Home Non-Medicaid Care Management**---OMH Health Home Non-Medicaid Care Management State serves Bronx children/youth, up to the age of 21, with Serious Emotional Disturbance who need care management services and who are not eligible for Medicaid and therefore cannot enroll in Health Home.

Case Managers— Provide outreach and enrollment services to an average caseload of 30 children presumed to meet eligibility requirements of New York State's Children's Health Homes program.

Health Home Care Management --- A Health Home is a care management service model whereby all of an individual's caregivers communicate with one another so that all of a patient's needs are addressed in a comprehensive manner. This is done primarily through a "care manager" who oversees and provides access to all of the services an individual needs to assure that they receive everything necessary to stay healthy, out of the emergency room and out of the hospital. Health records are shared among providers so that services are not duplicated or neglected. Health Home services are provided through a network of organizations – providers, health plans and community-based organizations. When all the services are considered collectively they become a virtual "Health Home." Children from birth to age 21 must be enrolled in Medicaid AND meet eligibility criteria by having two or more chronic health conditions (list of chronic conditions) OR one of the following single qualifying conditions:

HIV/AIDS

Serious Emotional Disturbance

Complex Trauma

Potential enrollees must also demonstrate that they would benefit from Health Home Care Management Services. CMA Provider Name has experts on staff that will work with you to determine if a child is eligible. Through a Care Manager at CMA Provider name, a Children's Health Home provides:

Comprehensive Care Management

Care Coordination and Health Promotion

Comprehensive Transitional Care

Individual and Family Support

Referral to Community and Social Support Services

Provided in both the Hudson Valley and Bronx.

Home & Community Based Waiver--- Provides supports and services that enable individuals who would otherwise require an institutional level of care to live at home or in the community. The program is for persons between the ages of 5 and 17 who have complex health and mental health needs. Services include individualized care coordination, family support, crisis response, skill building, and respite care. The waiver is administered by OMH and monitored by OMH's central office and regional offices. Providers develop an individualized service plan for each child and family, and coordinate the mental health and health care services needed to enable individuals to remain in their homes. The program requires the child and family to be involved in all phases of planning and delivering the services.

Who is eligible?

This program is available to Medicaid-eligible children with serious mental illness.

Intensive Case Management – SCM—**now called OMH Health Home Non-Medicaid Care Management**--- OMH Health Home Non-Medicaid Care Management State serves Dutchess County children/youth, up to the age of 21, with Serious Emotional Disturbance who need care management services and who are not eligible for Medicaid and therefore cannot enroll in Health Home.

SCM – Ulster— **now called OMH Health Home Non-Medicaid Care Management**--- OMH Health Home Non-Medicaid Care Management State serves Ulster County children/youth, up to the age of 21, with Serious Emotional Disturbance who need care management services and who are not eligible for Medicaid and therefore cannot enroll in Health Home.

Supportive Case Management---**now called OMH Health Home Non-Medicaid Care Management**--OMH Health Home Non-Medicaid Care Management State serves Dutchess County children/youth, up to the age of 21, with Serious Emotional Disturbance who need care management services and who are not eligible for Medicaid and therefore cannot enroll in Health Home.

Crisis Response

Home Based Crisis Intervention-The Astor Home-Based Crisis Intervention Program (HBCI) designed to prevent psychiatric hospitalization, is an intensive, short-term crisis intervention service and family education program provided through a 12 session evidence-based model. Astor provides this service under contract with the Dutchess County Department of Mental Hygiene. Expanded to Ulster County in 2018.

Mobile Crisis--A collaboration with Dutchess county to provide full-time staff members as part of an outreach team which can assess and refer on an outcall basis, and are also engaged in preventative outreach measures. For children & youth in acute crisis who are in need of immediate mental health assessment & intervention onsite at home, school or at other locations in the community.

Partial Hospitalization-A short term (average length of stay 13 days) clinical program intended for adolescents who may be at-risk for hospitalization, or are transitioning back from a hospital to community based care. Program utilizes groups and individual treatment rooted in DBT. Services offered include: health referral, symptom management, medication therapy, medication education, verbal therapy, case management, psychiatric rehabilitation readiness determination and referral, crisis intervention services, activity therapy, and clinical support services.

School Response Team Referral, training, linkage, and crisis assessment program provided to 5 middle schools in the Bronx funded by NYC DHMH

Early Childhood

Babies Step Forward

Collaboration with Westcop to provide EHS services in a community day care in the City of Poughkeepsie to 14 toddlers and their families.

Behavioral Special Class

A state education funded center-based program for preschool aged children placed by the CPSE. All students also receive comprehensive HS services. Locations in Beacon and Poughkeepsie.

Early Head Start

A federally funded comprehensive child development program for ages 0-3, Serve 195 individuals in Dutchess County. Evaluations both at LRS and in Dutchess County. Provide educational, psychological and related service evaluations for preschoolers.

Therapeutic 1/8/2

State education funded self-contained classroom (1/8/2 ratio) with therapeutic support. Capacity is 8 preschool children. Offered in Poughkeepsie.

Head Start

Comprehensive child development program for 358 pre-school children and their families. Federally funded. Services delivered at 6 center and in the homes.

Little Red School House

OMH and state education funded therapeutic preschool for 40 students.

PDT Preschool

Model changing to state ed funded 1/8/2 with therapeutic support. Capacity is 8 preschool children.

Special Class / Integrated Setting

State education funded integrated preschool program for 40 classified preschool students. Offered at 4 sites. Students and families also receive all HS services.

Universal Pre-K

Offered in our Wingdale site. Both a self-contained UPK classroom and integrated into HS classrooms. Pass through funds from Dover School District. Funding for 35 students.

Education / School-Based Programs

Adolescent Day Treatment- A combination of mental health and special educational services are provided to adolescents, ages 12-21, who reside in school districts in the Hudson Valley and who exhibit a cluster of behaviors and are referred to the program by their school district. Astor provides the licensed Day Treatment component of the Dutchess County BOCES Program.

Astor Learning Center (ALC) This is a special education program that serves children in our RTC and RTF as well as day students from community. Capacity is 80

Bronx Day Treatment Provide DT services to school age children (5-13) located at 2 sites

CBO PROGRAMS School Based Behavioral Health & Training program (SBBHT) provides a range of direct clinical services as well as training and consultation to 25+ schools in the Bronx

Performing Provider System Not a service but a group of DSRIP funded providers who work to prepare agencies for Value based Contracting. Astor belongs to 4 different PPSs 2 in the Bronx and 2 in the Hudson Valley

School Related Services Not a program but an array of training and consultative services under the SBBHT. These supplement direct clinic services provided to a contracted school. Sometimes the contract is with a CBO and other times directly with the NYC DOE