

THE CHILDREN'S HOME OF EASTON

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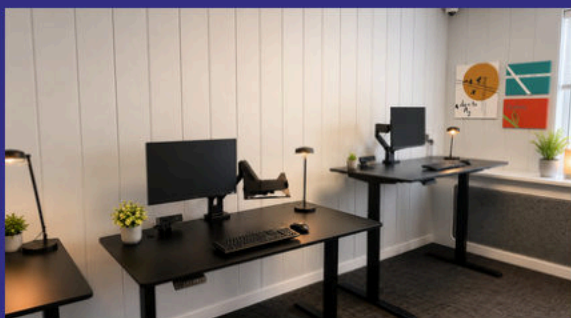
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BUILDING SKILLS.
BUILDING CONFIDENCE.
 PREPARING YOUTH FOR WHAT'S NEXT.

A Team Approach

The campus program provides a daily, high structured curriculum monitored by the entire direct care team designated for each cottage.



A STEPPING STONE TOWARD INDEPENDENCE

WE ENCOURAGE YOUTH TO VIEW OUR OLDER YOUTH, INDEPENDENT LIVING PROGRAM AS A VALUABLE NEXT STEP TOWARD ACHIEVING INDEPENDENCE.

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Campus Program



A structured, trauma-informed environment designed to help youth build skills, confidence, and independence.

WHAT WE OFFER

Programs and services available include:

- INDEPENDENT LIVING LESSONS
- DAILY LIFE SKILLS
- PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT
- RECREATION AND STATE-OF-THE-ART COMPUTER LAB AND CALMING RESET ROOM
- HEALTH & WELLNESS ACTIVITIES
- VOLUNTEER AND COMMUNITY PROJECTS
- PSYCHIATRIC SERVICES AND MEDICATION MANAGEMENT THROUGH OUR PARTNERSHIP WITH ST. LUKE'S PENN FOUNDATION
- MORE THAN 100 SECURITY CAMERAS ARE LOCATED THROUGHOUT OUR CAMPUS, BOTH INSIDE OUR BUILDINGS AND ACROSS OUTDOOR AREAS



TIMELY ACCESS TO PSYCHIATRIC CARE

Through our partnership with St. Luke's Penn Foundation Mental Health Services, youth referred to The Children's Home of Easton have timely access to psychiatric evaluations and medication management when needed.

This coordinated approach helps ensure mental health needs are identified and addressed quickly, supporting greater stability, continuity of care, and each youth's overall well-being.

EDUCATION WITHOUT INTERRUPTIONS

Our collaboration with the Wilson Area School District ensures that youth placed in our care experience zero interruptions in their education. By utilizing the Wilson Online Program, we provide residents with a seamless transition into a fully accredited, flexible digital curriculum tailored to their individual academic needs until an appropriate community school placement is secured.

MORE THAN A DAILY ROUTINE

Youth have opportunities to practice real-life skills, participate in wellness and community activities, access behavioral health supports, and prepare for their next chapter.



A PLACE TO FEEL AT HOME

Take a look inside! Scan below to tour our boys' and girls' cottages and see the spaces designed to provide comfort, stability, and a sense of home.



Life Skills Training includes, but is not limited to:

- Basic skills
- Personal safety
- Financial literacy – focusing on the ability to manage personal finances and making appropriate decisions
- Education and employment options – youth are made aware of all options regarding furthering their education via vocational skills, employment, military, etc.
- Driving
- Civic responsibility
- Physical and mental health care
- Social media
- Youth must complete the following trainings: Medication Administration, LGBTQ Sensitivity Training, Fire Safety Training, Red Cross First Aid and CPR, Child Victims of Human Trafficking: Module 1 and Module 2, and Child Protective Services Laws.



Contact Us

Director of Older Youth
610-258-2831, x 145

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Older Youth Specialized Settings Program

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About Us



The Children's Home of Easton's Older Youth Specialized Settings Program is designed to provide effective support for youth as they transition from adolescence to young adulthood. The program is for youth, ages 16–21 years old and is offered in our Zigmund Hall Building located on campus. Youth live in furnished individual efficiency apartments and are required to be enrolled in school, and or employed. These youth have access to CHE staff 24 hours a day.

What is the Process? ✨

- If the youth is suitable for placement, a pre-placement interview will be arranged with the youth and the referring agency caseworker along with a tour of CHE and Zigmund Hall.
- The youth is required to present a letter stating why they would like to participate in the program, identifying both short and long-term goals in addition to strengths and areas of improvement. Youth must be willing to participate in the program and adhere to all requirements and expectations.
- If the pre-placement interview goes well, a second interview will be scheduled with the CHE Executive Director.
- The youth is further evaluated as to his/her ability to utilize the program and benefit from independent living.

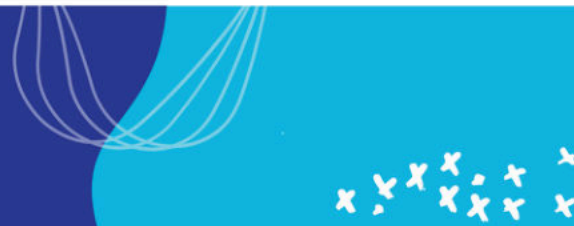


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Expectations of Youth

- Verbalize a desire to adhere to program requirements with a personal commitment from the youth
- Must have sufficient self-control, working toward a higher level of independence
- Maintain a healthy and clean-living environment within their apartment
- Required to have their own cell phone to communicate with agency staff
- Required to order their own food, cleaning products and personal care items through a contracted food service company which is covered by CHE
- Employed youth are required to save a percentage of their earnings
- Youth are provided a monthly bus pass when sign-outs are approved
- Expected to take the bus to and from work, school, and activities.
- Expected to participate and be compliant with court ordered services



BECOME A FOSTER PARENT!

We believe all children deserve compassion and respect. Given the right tools and support system, children can reach their full potential.

- Foster parents are financially compensated (tax free!)
- The Children's Home of Easton provides support for the family's needs.
- We are able to accommodate both regular foster care and foster-to-adopt placements.
- Families receive 24/7 Community Support Network access.



OUR INFORMATION

The Children's Home of Easton is a non-profit organization that has been providing services to children and families since 1885.

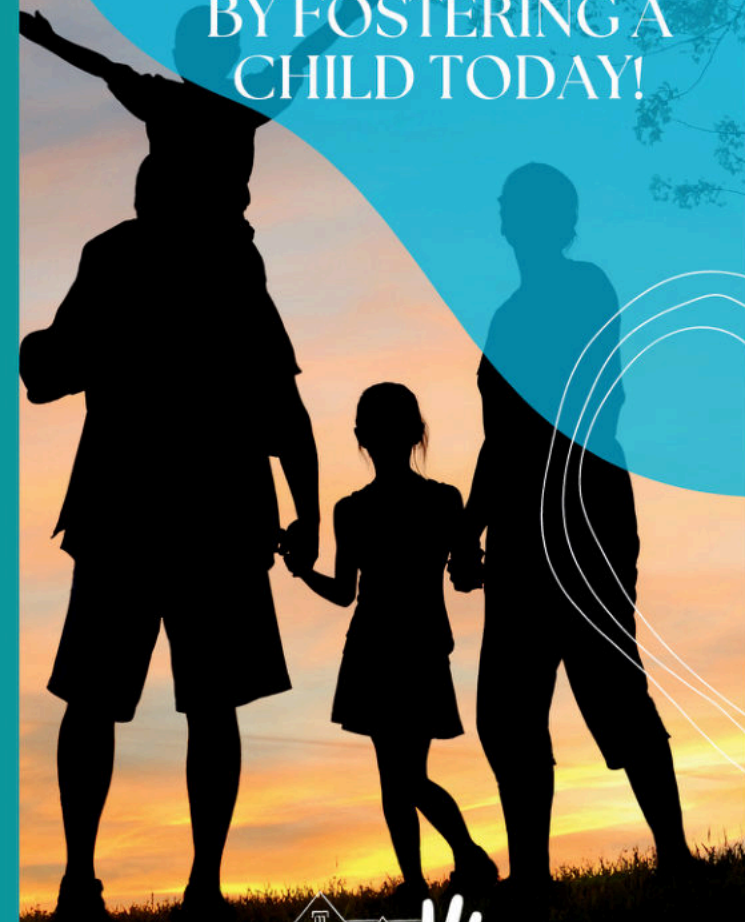


Please visit our website at:
www.thechildrenshome.org
For more information, please contact:
Director of Foster Care
& Adoption Services
610-258-2831, ext. 151



Foster a Future

BY FOSTERING A CHILD TODAY!



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WHO ARE THE KIDS?

Every child's situation is unique! For whatever reason, they cannot live with their families at this time. That's where foster parents play a big role! Every child deserves a safe and nurturing place to live, and foster parents help create as much normalcy as possible in the most abnormal situations.

WHO ARE THE FOSTER PARENTS?

Foster parents are regular people, just like you! Some may own a home, while others rent. Some have children, while others do not. Some are married, and some live alone.

The one thing that they all have in common is opening their hearts and homes to help a child in need.



IT'S EASY TO BECOME A FOSTER PARENT!

- Be at least 21 years old & a PA resident
- Pass all clearances, background screenings, and medical examination
- Training is provided by The Children's Home of Easton, and is designed to accommodate your schedule!

24/7 COMMUNITY SUPPORT NETWORK

Upon completion of your application process, you will become part of our Community Support Network. This 24/7 support group tackles all of the challenges that come along with fostering. We help guide you through obstacles and celebrate victories with you. Virtual check-ins are held quarterly to discuss specific topics.



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Services Provided:

- Individual therapy for children, adolescents, and adults
- Family therapy
- Couples therapy

Serving school-age children to adulthood.

HOW TO MAKE A REFERRAL

Call our Clinical Case Manager to make your referral. The Following is information to have available at time of referral:

- An active Medical Assistance Access card.
 - Indicate the reason or need for services.
 - Consumer information, such as contact information and any history of previous services.
- Call 484-541-5379



Visit our on-site Clinic!

Call for information
or an appointment
484-541-5379

**Our goal is to build,
strengthen, and preserve
every family's full potential.**

**We are dedicated to creating
family solutions while
teaching and remaining true
to our four pillars:**

**compassion
respect
integrity
perseverance.**

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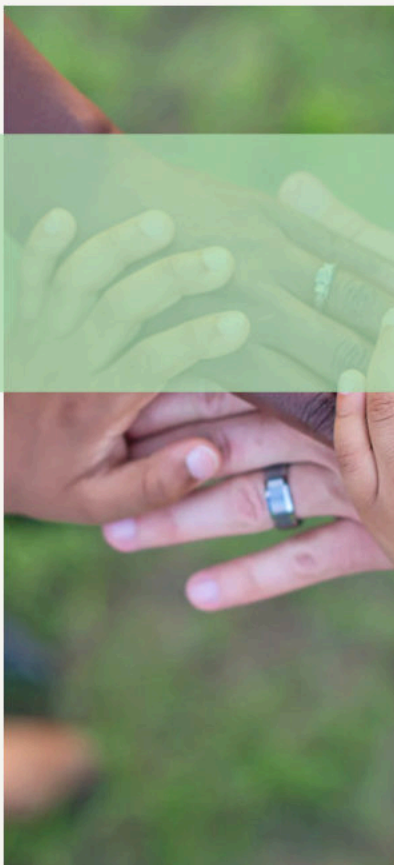
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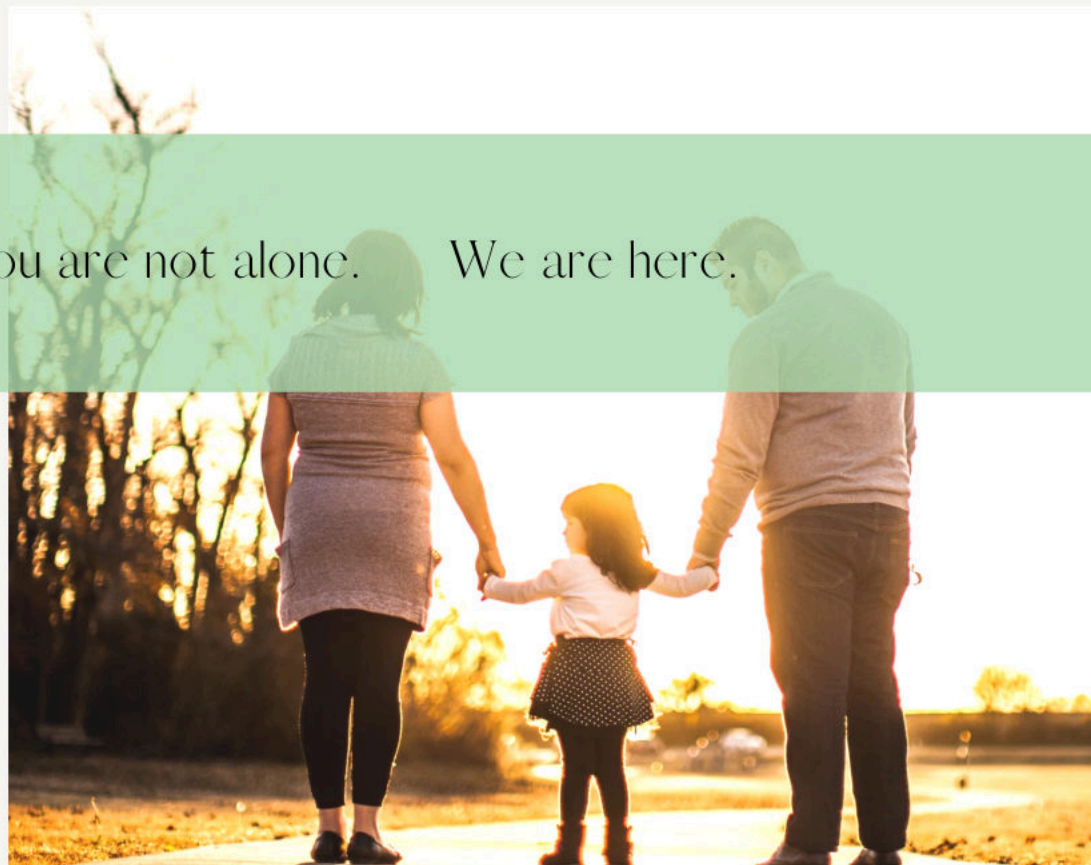
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You are not alone. We are here.

Firmstone Family Services Behavioral Health Clinic provides a friendly atmosphere with therapists helping you reach your treatment goals.

We serve those in our surrounding community, not only Children's Home residents!



Firmstone Family Services: A Division of The Children's Home of Easton

We reached out to our surrounding area and heard the need for additional mental health services for youth and families in Northampton County and the Lehigh Valley.

We partnered with CONCERN Professional Services and opened a satellite outpatient clinic on our CHE campus. Firmstone Family Services Behavioral Health Clinic will provide trauma-informed outpatient therapy services to medical assistance recipients in Northampton and Lehigh Counties.



Specialties Include:

- Adjustment issues
- Anxiety
- Depression
- Family Conflict
- Grief & loss
- LGBTQ
- Life transitions
- Parenting support
- Self-harming behaviors
- School-related issues
- Stress management
- and more

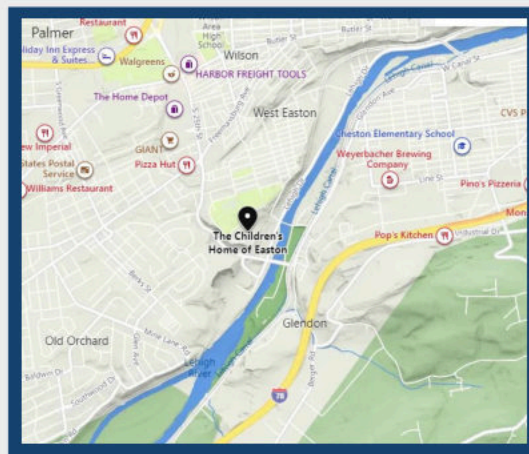


Reunification is our goal.

Los entrenadores
de visita también
hablan español.

Contact Us

**We are conveniently located on the campus
of The Children's Home of Easton.**



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BAUMANN COTTAGE
**SUPERVISED
VISITS**



**ASSISTING
FAMILIES WITH
REUNIFICATION**

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- Visitation services are provided at Baumann Cottage for families with the goal of reunification.
- We are committed to providing parents and children with a home-like setting for their visits in hopes to provide a sense of normalcy as they navigate through the child welfare system.
- Baumann Cottage has four visit areas to choose from in the home, as well as a deck and a field within close proximity to the cottage that are perfect for outside interaction.
- Our experienced visit coaches are certified in Nurturing Parenting, are trauma-informed, and bilingual in English and Spanish.

***It is our belief that providing this
type of setting will aide in building
and maintaining relationships
between children and their parents.***

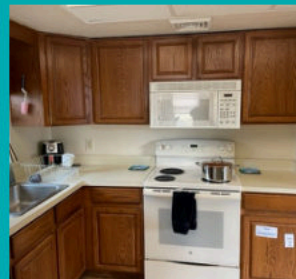
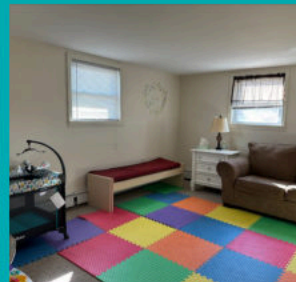
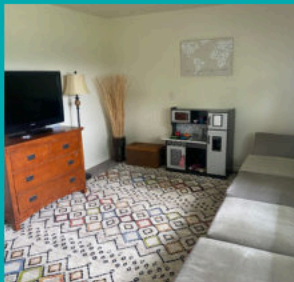
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Our goal is to build, strengthen, and preserve every family's full potential. We are dedicated to creating family solutions while teaching and remaining true to our four pillars: compassion, respect, integrity and perseverance.



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FOUR VISIT AREAS TO
CHOOSE FROM,
PROVIDING A HOME-LIKE
SETTING FOR COMFORT
AND CONNECTION.**



Our Mission

Providing parents and children with a home-like setting for their visits.

Our Hope

We look forward to serving families and hope that facilitating visits here will help families reach their ultimate goal of reunifying with their children!

Contact us for more information!
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Supporting Children & Families in Our Community



For more than 140 years, The Children's Home of Easton has been dedicated to helping children, youth, and families build brighter futures. Through our Campus Group Home Program, Foster Care, Older Youth Program, Community Behavioral Health Clinic and Supervised Visits, we provide compassionate, trauma-informed care that meets individuals where they are and helps them thrive.

OUR PROGRAMS & SERVICES

Campus Group Home



Safe, supportive residential treatment for youth who cannot remain at home. Our campus provides structure, education, life skills, therapeutic supports, and opportunities for growth.

Older Youth Independent Living



Helping teens and young adults prepare for independent living through life skills training, education, employment support, financial literacy, and housing readiness.

Foster Care



Providing caring foster homes while working toward reunification whenever possible. When reunification is not possible, we help children find permanent, nurturing families through adoption.

Behavioral Health Clinic



Firmstone Family Services Behavioral Health Clinic provides outpatient mental health counseling with licensed providers for children, youth, adults, and families within our community.

Supervised Visits



Provides a safe, nurturing, and supportive environment where children in foster care can safely participate in supervised family visits, helping to strengthen and maintain healthy family connections.

CARE THAT CHANGES LIVES



OVER 140 YEARS OF
SERVICE



TRAUMA-INFORMED,
COMPASSIONATE CARE



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Annual Report

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