

Clinician Directory

A Guide of Local Resources
for Adolescents and Families

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Note: Information was provided directly from therapists and counselors who treat adolescents and families. It is not inclusive of all Sussex County providers, only those who replied to request inclusion. Please email jenn@centerforprevention.org with any changes or questions.

Name of Agency- Action Arts Center- Creative Arts Therapy

Clinician Name- Allyn Sitjar

Credentials/Licensures- MA, RDT, LCAT

Address- 43 Main Street, Suite 101, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 201-415-5329 (Cell/Text) 973-726-0695 (Office)

E-mail- Actionartscenter@gmail.com

Website- www.actionartscenter.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage-

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Trauma, domestic violence, PTSD, Social Anxiety, Depression, Bi-polar, Lack of Impulse Control, Anger Management, Bullying, Conflict Resolution, Peer Communication, Social skills for children and teens with Autism, Aspergers, Individuals looking to develop greater skills and resources to creatively manage life's stresses and challenges.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within a day

Office hours- Monday-Thursday & Sundays, 10:30 AM- 7:30 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- Action Arts Center specializes in Creative Arts Therapy for children, adolescents, and adults. We offer drama therapy, art therapy, music therapy, movement therapy, play therapy, sand tray therapy, and the use of writing and journaling. We are also certified in Girls Circle/Boys Council workshops.

Action Arts Center also offers Professional Theatre Training Classes.

Creative Arts Therapy involves the intentional use of music, art, movement, or drama within a therapeutic relationship to facilitate growth and healing. Through engagement within creative experiences, people of diverse ages, abilities, cultures, and backgrounds are supported in developing their own creative potential. Expressive pathways are formed through which people can move toward greater health, well-being, and capacities for living a full and meaningful life. Creative Arts Therapists are Board Certified within their own disciplines and are bound by professional codes of ethics. Each discipline has a strong and growing body of research, which informs best practices.

Name of Agency- Advanced Behavioral Counseling of NNJ, LLC

Clinician Name- Deborah Drumm and Doreen Rasp

Credentials/Licensures- APN, PMHNP

Address- 55 Newton- Sparta Road, Suite 104, Newton, NJ 07860

Phone- 973-579-9394

E-mail- abcdebdrumm@yahoo.com, doreenrasp123@gmail.com

Website- www.deborahdrummapn.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Medicare: will bill out of network if person has coverage

Is sliding scale available- Call

Counseling specialty- Mood disorders, Bipolar, Depression, Anxiety, etc. Working with ages 18 and up. Doreen with treat adolescence through adulthood. Medication management. Treating the “whole” person, focusing on wellness, health and improved immunity.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 1 week

Office hours- T & F, W- evening 1-2 Saturdays a month

Psychiatric affiliate- Atlantic Health- Newton Medical Center. Bridgeway Rehabilitation Services

Comments- Also does aromatherapy and herbal treatments as well as psychopharmacology. I am a Board Certified Advanced Practice Psychiatric-Mental Health Nurse.

Name of Agency- Affiliated Psychotherapists

Clinician Name- Marvin Chartoff

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Psychologist, Licensed Professional Counselor, Licensed Alcohol and Drug Counselor

Address- 21 Main Street, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-729-5535

E-mail- acenterforchange@gmail.com

Website- www.acenterforchange.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage-In-Network Provider for all insurance companies including BC/BS, Aetna, Cigna, United Health Care, Optum, QualCare, Multi Plan, ValueOptions, Magellan, and Medicare

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Child and Adolescent Counseling, Drug and Alcohol Counseling and Evaluation, Marital and Family Counseling, Parenting Skills Training

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 24 Hours

Office hours- M-F 9 AM- 8 PM, Sat 9 AM- 1 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- As In-Network Providers for most insurance companies, we are committed to providing quality care at the convenience of the client at reasonable fees.

Name of Agency- Alexandra Miller, Live Well Psychology Center, LLC

Clinician Name- Alexandra Miller

Credentials/Licensures- Psy.D. (Psychology), Ed.S. (Marriage and Family Therapy),
Clinical Pharmacology Post Doc Masters (Pending)

Address- 48 Woodport Road, Suite 22, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-726-5200 Text only-908-399-2773

E-mail- alexandra7777@me.com, boverland314@gmail.com

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- In Network for BCBS and Aetna.

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- CBT expertise, Family Systems expertise, Addiction
treatment, addiction prevention, At-risk youth

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Varies

Office hours- Varies

Psychiatric affiliate- Collaborate with many

Comments- Patients describe me as warm and knowledgeable. I am also a mother
of four and a healthy, happy individual. It's a privilege to be working in this
wonderful field. Live Well Psychology Center offers psychological testing through
Lucille Verina, specifically for Autism/Developmental Delays, Learning Disabilities
(Dyslexia/Dysgraphia/Dyscalculia) and ADHD.

Other Staff Members:

1. Brittany A. Wool, LPC
2. Lucille Verina, Psy.D.

Name of Agency- Andrey Byers, LCSW

Clinician Name- Andrey Byers

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW

Address- 46 Main Street, Suite 401 Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-726-4809

E-mail- acbyers@embarqmail.com

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Aetna

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Adults, Teens, Marital-Anxiety/Mood/Personality Disorders,
School Phobia

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 2 weeks

Office hours- MW 9 AM- 9 PM, Th 9 AM- 12 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments-

Name of Agency- Atlantic Behavioral Health/Newton Medical Center
Clinician Name- Four outpatient therapists treating children and adolescents
Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Psychologists and Licensed Clinical Social Workers
Address- 175 High Street, Newton NJ 07860
Phone- 1-888-247-1400
E-mail- mary.stanley@atlanticealth.org
Website- www.atlanticealth.com/newton
Can you do school risk assessment- Yes
Insurance coverage- All Insurances, Medicaid, Charity Care, Medicare
Is sliding scale available- No
Counseling specialty- Adolescent DBT (Dialectical Behavior Therapy), Voices Group and Cognitive Behavior Therapy
Are emergency services available- Yes
How quickly can patients be seen- Immediately
Office hours- MWF 8 AM- 5 PM T&Th 8 AM- 9 PM.
Psychiatric affiliate- Newton Medical Center
Comments-

Name of Agency- Beth Answorth

Clinician Name- Beth Answorth

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW, Psychotherapist, School Social Worker, Mental Health Screener, Clinical Social Work Supervisor

Address- 25 Main Street, Rear Suite A, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-729-9515

E-mail- bethansworthlcsw@gmail.com

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Most commercial insurances accepted, Out-of-Network

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Adolescent issues: Harassment, intimidation/bullying, relationship, social skills. Parenting concerns/ family problems/ divorce/ single parenting. Mental health (Post Psychiatric Hospitalization needs; Depression, Anxiety, ADHD, etc) Learning Disabilities/Developmental Disabilities/Asperger's Syndrome, School Behavior Issues. Chronic Medical Illness, Terminal Illness for patient and caregiver; families. Bereavement, grief and ongoing loss. LGBTQ issues. Christian counseling, spirituality issues.

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours-

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments-

Name of Agency- Highlands Psychological Services LLC

Clinician Name- Bonnie Dirkson

Credentials/Licensures- LPC, NJ School Psychologist, School Guidance Counselor, Early Childhood Certification, Elementary School Certification, Teacher of the Handicapped

Address- 5 Fenwick Road, Augusta, NJ 07822

Phone- 973-715-7671

E-mail- bonniedirkson@embarqmail.com

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Cigna, BC/BS, Aetna, and others

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- As an LPC, I do counseling in every area except substance abuse, but would consider childhood anxiety a specialty.

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 24 hours

Office hours- Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 4 PM- 8 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- Dr. Jain of Highlands Psychiatric

Comments- Small private practice out of home office

Name of Agency- Cardinal Counseling, LLC

Clinician Name- Stephanie Iacopelli

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC), Approved Clinical Supervisor (ACS)

Address- 122 Main Street, Suite 204, Newton, NJ 07860

Phone- 973-940-8953

E-mail-

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Out of Network

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Children, Adolescents, Adults, Parenting and Family Issues

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 1 week

Office hours- Day, Weekend, and Evening Hours are Available

Psychiatric affiliate- None. Referrals will be provided to clients in need

Comments- Ms. Iacopelli has worked in the field of mental health and behavioral health for 30 years and has extensive training and experience in the areas of child abuse and neglect, trauma, severe and persistent mental illness, co-occurring disorders, psychiatric crisis intervention, and extensive experience with juveniles involved in the juvenile justice system. She works with clients based on their individual needs by utilizing a variety of orientations and therapies. She approaches therapy from a strength-based and goal-oriented perspective.

Name of Agency-

Clinician Name- Carly Herschman, LCSW

Credentials/Licensures- Certified School Social Worker, Licensed Clinical Social Worker

Address- 2 West Hanover Avenue, Suite 203, Randolph, NJ 07869

Phone- 862-432-8649

E-mail- carly.herschman@gmail.com

Website- <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/therapists/carly-herschman-randolph-nj/285992>

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Out of Network Provider

Is sliding scale available-

Counseling specialty- Focus on working with children, adolescents and adults with a variety of issues including depression, anxiety, stress and relationship conflicts utilizing a variety of psychotherapeutic approaches to meet client needs.

Are emergency services available-

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 1 week

Office hours- Monday- Friday after 3 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- Works with several psychiatrists

Comments-

Name of Agency- Center for Evaluation and Counseling, Inc (CEC)

Clinician Name- Jessica Large, MA, Ed.S, LPC, ACS

Credentials/Licensures- LPC and LCSW mental health professionals on staff

Address- 191 Woodport Road, Suite 209, Sparta, NJ 07871

Address- Morris County- 1719 Route 10 East, Parsippany, NJ 07054

Phone- 973-829-6960

E-mail- jessica.large@centerforeval.org

Website- www.centerforeval.org

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Aetna, Cigna, Concern, Horizon Blue Cross/Blue Shield, United Healthcare, ValueOptions

Is sliding scale available- Yes (for private insurance clients and supervised visitation)

Counseling specialty- CEC provides outpatient mental health counseling services for children, adolescents, adults, family and couples. Private insurance clients welcomed. CEC conducts forensic, cognitive, psychosexual, psychological risk, fire setter evaluations and substance abuse assessments. CEC's Therapeutic Supervised Parenting Program (TSPP) provides services to children from birth to age 18 who are caught in the middle of custody/parenting disputes who may be "at risk" of harm by non-custodial parents or where mutual parenting arrangements are not available. Parenting sessions must be court ordered.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 5 business days

Office hours- M-Th 9 AM- 8 PM, F 9 AM- 5 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments-

Name of Agency- Center for Mindful Change, LLC

Clinician Name- Kathryn A. Griffiths, MSW, LCSW, BCD

Caitlin Zarro, MA, LPC, ACS

Beth Schulaka, MSW, LCSW

Credentials/Licensures- MSW, LCSW, BCD, MSW, LSW, MA, LPC

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550 West Main Street, Boonton, NJ 07005

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laura@centerformindfulchange.com, cait@centerformindfulchange.com,

beth@centerformindfulchange.com

Website- www.centerformindfulchange.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- In- Network for Medicare, Out-of- Network for other
insurance plans

Is sliding scale available-Yes

Counseling specialty- Families, parenting help, children, adolescents, couples,
anxiety, depression, trauma, EMDR, hypnosis, weight, substance abuse, LGBTQI
issues, performance enhancement, attachment issues, panic disorders.

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 24 Hours

Office hours- Flexible, M-F 8 AM- 9 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- Yes

Comments- The Center for Mindful Change, LLC is dedicated to counseling and
coaching others so they can find their path to mindfulness, reflection, recovery
and a well attended life or career.

Name of Agency- Center for Prevention and Counseling

Clinician Name- see below

Credentials/Licensures- see below

Address- 61 Spring Street, Newton NJ 07860

Phone- 973-383-4787

E-mail- rachel@centerforprevention.org

Website- www.centerforprevention.org

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Medicaid, Grant funding or Self Pay

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Adolescents, Adults, Addiction, Recovery, Specialized Treatment Groups (Co-Occurring Disorders, Gender Specific, Anger Management and Trauma)

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7-10 days

Office hours- Varied, morning, afternoon, & evening appointments available

Psychiatric affiliate- None on staff, will refer out if necessary

Comments- The Center is staffed by a range of professionals who can treat substance use disorders, and mild to moderate co-occurring mental health disorders.

1. Rachel Wallace, LCSW, LCADC- Director of Clinical Services
2. Jenn Boyle, Counselor Intern
3. Heather Dunn, MSW
4. Deborah Kopko Vitale, LPC, LCADC
5. Ava LaMorte, CADC
6. Jane Lupo, CADC
7. Kristina Adamson-Thompson, Counselor Intern
8. Kim Westley, Counselor Intern
9. Natalie Yanoff-Smith, CADC
10. Jecksenia Chaparro, Counselor Intern
11. Carlos Hidalgo, Counselor Intern

Name of Agency- Center for Prevention and Counseling

Clinician Name- Gina Marra

Credentials/Licensures- MA, LPC, TAG Coordinator

Address- 61 Spring Street, 1st Floor, Newton, NJ 07860

Phone- 973-383-4787

E-mail- gina@centerforprevention.org

Website- www.centerforprevention.org

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Program is free

Is sliding scale available- Program is free

Counseling specialty- The TAG program provides free individual and group psychoeducation, along with case management services to “at risk” or court involved adolescents ages 12 to 21 in Sussex County. Psychoeducational groups include Anger Management/Conflict Resolution, Job Readiness, Life Skills, and Positive Youth Development.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can clients be seen- Within 3 days

Office hours- M- Th 9 AM- 8 PM, F 9 AM- 5 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments-

Name of Agency- Christine Koenig-Webber, LCSW

Clinician Name- Christine Koenig-Webber

Credentials/Licensures- MSW, LCSW

Address- 122 Main Street, Suite 101 Newton, NJ 07860

Phone- 862-377-5072

E-mail- chrissyjkoenig@gmail.com

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Cigna, Oxford, United Health Care and Out-of Network Benefits

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Individual (children, adolescents, and adults) and family therapy in these areas: anxiety, depression, child/adolescent trauma, family conflict, behavioral modification, parenting skills training, social skills training, anger management, peer conflicts, self-esteem issues, divorce issues, self-harm. Therapeutic techniques used include cognitive-behavioral therapy, solution-focused therapy, and play therapy.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- I have experienced working with children and families in many settings including schools, non-profit child welfare agencies, outpatient mental health agencies. I try very hard to be flexible with scheduling for busy families, after school, evening and weekend appointments are available.

Name of Agency- Christopher Belz, Psy.D.

Clinician Name- Christopher Belz, Psy.D.

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed (NJ and NY) Clinical Psychologist

Address- 350 Sparta Ave, C-8 Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 908-812-3532

E-mail- chris.belz@gmail.com

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Cigna and Medicaid

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Dialectical Behavioral Therapy with ages 12+ with anxiety, depression, peer and family relationship difficulties, for parenting support, academic problems, anger issues, psychosis, trauma, coping with physical health problems

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 2 weeks

Office hours- Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday by appointment

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments-

Name of Agency- Coordinated Treatment Solutions, LLC

Clinician Name- James Cuccio

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Social Worker

Address- 904 B2- 909 A2 Pompton Avenue, Cedar Grove, NJ 07009

Phone- 973-239-4848

E-mail- coordinatedtreatment@gmail.com

Website- www.facebook.com/CoordinatedTreatment

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- None

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Children and Adolescents

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- M-Th 8:30 AM- 9:30 PM, F 8:30 AM- 5 PM, Sat by appointment

Psychiatric affiliate- Dr. Ellen Platt

Comments- My services are part of the spectrum of psychiatric counseling, and behavioral services offered by Coordinated Treatment Solutions, LLC for children and adolescents with developmental disabilities and mental health disorders.

Name of Agency- Coordinated Treatment Solutions, LLC

Clinician Name- Ellen Platt

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Physician

Address- 904 B2- 908 A2 Pompton Avenue, Cedar Grove, NJ 07009

Phone- 973-239-4848

E-mail- coordinatedtreatment@gmail.com

Website- www.facebook.com/CoordinatedTreatment

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Medicare

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Psychiatry (child, adolescent, & adult); individual, group, and family psychotherapy

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- M-Th 8:30 AM- 9:30 PM, F 8:30 AM- 5 PM, Sat by appointment

Psychiatric affiliate- Dr. Ellen Platt Psychiatric Services

Comments- My services are part of the psychiatric counseling and behavioral services offered by Coordinated Treatment Solutions, LLC, for children and adolescents with developmental disabilities and mental health disorders.

Name of Agency-

Clinician Name- Debra Koss

Credentials/Licensures- Board Certified Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist

Address- 46 Main Street- Suite 201, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-726-4137

E-mail-

Website- www.drdebkoss.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes, but only for clients currently under my care

Insurance coverage-Out of Network Provider

Is sliding scale available-

Counseling specialty- Board Certified Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist

Are emergency services available- Yes, but only for clients currently under my care

How quickly can patients be seen-

Office hours- Monday- Friday

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments-

Name of Agency- Dominic J. Carbone, PhD/Private Practice

Clinician Name- Dominic J. Carbone, PhD

Credentials/Licensures- Psychologist, Psychotherapist, Cognitive Behavioral, NJ, NY and PA

Address- 46 Main Street, Suite 401 Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 917-544-9361

E-mail- DominicJCarbonePhD@gmail.com

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Yes

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Individuals, Family, Couples, Anxiety, Depression, PTSD, Sexuality, & GLBTQ issues

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- Thursdays all day

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- I work using CBT, EMDR, & REBT

Name of Agency- Emily Brislin, PsyD

Clinician Name- Emily Brislin, PsyD

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed (NJ and PA) Clinical Psychologist

Address- 350 Sparta Ave, C-8 Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-975-3641

E-mail- emily.e.brislin@gmail.com

Website- www.dremilybrislin.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- BC/BS PPO, Cigna, United HealthCare, Medicare

Is sliding scale available- No

Counseling specialty- Cognitive Behavioral Therapy with ages 16+ including depression, anxiety, relationship difficulties, academic problems; Neuropsychological evaluations for ages 16+ including ADHD evals and learning disabilities.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 2 weeks

Office hours- Tuesday/Thursday by appointment

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments-

Name of Agency- Empowerment through Self Psychological Counseling, LLC

Clinician Name- Tamara Siegel, MA, LPC

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Professional Counselor

Address- 58 Big Spring Road, Franklin, NJ 07416

Phone- 973-713-7055

E-mail- tamara@empowermentthroughself.org

Website- www.empowermentthroughself.org

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- A variety of insurances are accepted, please call to confirm

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- I treat clients experiencing oncology related issues, anxiety disorders and social phobias, depressive disorders, academic underachievement, anger management, chronic impulsivity, coping skills, emotional disturbance, sleep disorders, self-esteem issues, interpersonal/relationship issues, career problems and challenges, obsessive-compulsive disorders, post-traumatic stress disorder, parenting issues, grief, eating disorders, sexual abuse, family conflicts/issues and more.

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- I provide quick availability

Office hours- Monday-Friday 9 AM – 6:30 PM/ Saturday 9 AM – 3 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- I am a Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC) who utilizes a client-centered approach, meaning I want to know your history, feelings and emotions, while fostering strategies for self-realization. In this way counseling becomes an assisting process, rather than dependence association. I strive for the client to find their own way, but at the same time I recognize when direction, guidance and information are needed. The therapeutic relationship that I develop with the client is our foundation from which to build.

My counseling environment is safe, non-judgmental, confidential and in a private setting. During a counseling session there is: self-expression, exploration, reflection and clarification of feelings, better understandings of self and others, the realization of options and consideration of all choices, and helping to create and make changes for a better life.

Name of Agency- Eric S. Herschman

Clinician Name- Eric S. Herschman

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Psychologist #3085/Certified School Psychologist

Address- 46 Main Street, Suite 201 Sparta, NJ 07871, 2 West Hanover Ave, Suite 203, Randolph, NJ 07869

Phone- 973-983-8321

E-mail- escjeh@optonline.net, drericherschman@gmail.com

Website- www.drericherschman.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- None

Is sliding scale available- No

Counseling specialty- Child/Adolescent, ADHD, Parenting/Child Management, Mood Disorders, Depression, Anxiety, Phobia, Asperger's/Autism, ODD, Conduct Disorder, Reactive Attachment Disorder, etc.

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- MWF 2:45 PM- later

Psychiatric affiliate- Yes for children, adolescents, and adults

Comments- Parenting specialist

Name of Agency- Family Intervention Services

Clinician Name- Ingrid Vaca-Bullaro, LPC

Credentials/Licensures- All clinicians are licensed LSW, LAC, LPC or LCSW

Address- 55 Mill Street, Newton, NJ 07860

Phone- 973-940-0105

E-mail- ivaca-bullaro@fisnj.org or kacosta@fisnj.org

Website- www.fisnj.org

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Yes- Medicaid provider for Families with Children under the age of 18

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Children/Family Therapy

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 2 weeks

Office hours- M-F 9 AM- 5 PM, Evening Hours Available and Saturday (limited)

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments- Sussex County Outpatient Program is open to any child and their family who have Medicaid (NJ Family Care). Services include:

- Assessment & Evaluation
- Individual, Group and Family Therapy
- Psycho Education Services
- Psychiatric Services via APN for Evaluations and Medication Monitoring
- Linkage and follow-up

Name of Agency- First Light Counseling

Clinician Name- Edward Blevins

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC), Licensed Clinical Alcohol and Drug Counselor (LCADC), Approved Clinical Supervisor (pending)

Address- 25 Main Street, Rear Suite A, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 908-669-4976

E-mail- edwardcblevins@gmail.com

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- I accept deferred payment through out of network benefits, allowing your families to receive services without expending their limited resources while waiting for reimbursement.

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Children and families, substance use, HIB (victim and aggressor), anxiety, anger management, social skills development, grief, and school avoidance

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 48 hours

Office hours- By appointment

Psychiatric affiliate- No, but good connections for adolescent medication management.

Comments- I'm a genuinely warm and empathetic counselor with 25 years of school based and 12 years of agency and private practice based experience. I am very comfortable providing clinical services for individuals with special needs, as well as for the general population.

Name of Agency-Ginnie's House Sussex Children's Advocacy Center

Clinician Name- Shawn Welty, Community Resource Specialist, MDT
Coordinator/Clinician and Natalia Olarte, Child and Family Therapist

Credentials/Licensures- LPC, LCSW

Address- 4 High Street, POB Box 3156 Newton NJ 07860

Phone- 973-579-0770

E-mail- info@ginnieshouse.org

Website- www.ginnieshouse.org

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- No fee for services

Is sliding scale available- No fee for services

Counseling specialty- Childhood sexual abuse and trauma

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 24-48 hours

Office hours- M-F 9 AM- 5 PM and other appointments as warranted

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- Ginnie's House provides free trauma informed mental health services and forensic medical evaluations when child abuse is suspected, disclosed or reported. We also provide psychoeducational support to non-offending caregivers. We work both internally and with a variety of agencies to create a safe and comforting environment for children. We also provide free education in the community for prevention of childhood sexual abuse, consultation with school staff and resources for the community as needed.

Name of Agency- Holistic Therapy by Design LLC

Clinician Name- Lori Petry

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW

Address- 30 Moran Street, Newton, NJ 07860

Phone- 973-903-1038

E-mail- lspetrylcsw@aol.com

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Aetna, Value Options and Victims of Crime Compensation

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Adolescents and trauma

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- 24-48 Hours

Office hours- Flexible

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments-

Name of Agency- Hollander Counseling and Consulting, LLC

Clinician Name- Angela Hollander

Credentials/Licensures- MSW, LCSW

Address- Offices in Newton and Mountain Lakes

Phone- 973-519-3369

E-mail- angelahollanderlcsw@gmail.com

Website- www.hollandercounselingandconsulting.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Yes, call to confirm

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Adolescents, adults, families, trauma & resiliency, depression, anxiety, mood disorders, personality disorders, life transitions, managing conflict, LGBTQI topics, workplace issues, behavioral manifestations such as self-injury, suicidal ideations, school issues and conduct issues.

Are emergency services available- On occasion

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 2 days

Office hours- Days, Evenings, Some weekends

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- Please call for a free phone consultation

Name of Agency- Howard M. Gooblar, Ph.D.

Clinician Name- Howard M. Gooblar

Credentials/Licensures- NJ Licensed Psychologist

Address- 270 Sparta Avenue, Suite 203 Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-729-7628

E-mail- h.gooblar@gmail.com

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage-BC/BS

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Parenting

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- M-Th

Psychiatric affiliate- Debra Koss, M.D.

Comments- In private clinical practice in Sparta since 1982 specializing in child psychology, emphasizing parental approach to children's problems. Affiliated with Dr. Debra Koss for child psychiatric care when needed.

Name of Agency- Inner-Peace Counseling

Clinician Name- Anne Nedelka

Credentials/Licensures- LPC

Address- 55 Newton-Sparta Road, Suite 104

Phone- 973-600-9032

E-mail- innerpeace@earthlink.net

Website- www.innerpeacecounseling.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Yes

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- CBT, DBT

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 2 weeks, sometimes immediately

Office hours- Monday-Friday 2 PM- 9 PM, some Saturdays available

Psychiatric affiliate- Deborah Drumm, APN for adults Lisa Koutler NYU

Hackensack for children and adolescents

Comments-

Name of Agency- Jeanne Smetana

Clinician Name- Jeanne Smetana

Credentials/Licensures- NJ Licensed Clinical Social Worker, Certified School Social Worker

Address- 46 Main Street, Suite 201, Sparta NJ 07871

Phone- 973-729-9522 ext. 1

E-mail-smetanalcsw@gmail.com

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Out-of-Network

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Children, Adolescents, Families. Full continuum of mental health disorders. Parenting and family problems. Learning disabilities, developmental disabilities, school and behavioral problems. Collaborations with CST, Guidance, and SAC.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 2 weeks

Office hours- Mondays and Wednesdays

Psychiatric affiliate- Dr. Debra Koss

Comments-

Name of Agency- Jill Burns, LCSW

Clinician Name- Jill Burns

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW

Address- 529 Route 515, Suite 204 Vernon, NJ 07462

Phone- 973-764-4304

E-mail- jpburns@ptd.net

Website- therapists.psychologytoday.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Aetna, BC/BS, Concern, Magellan Behavioral Health, AmeriHealth, Cigna, Empire BC/BS, and out of network insurance

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- I work with children (ages 5 and up), adolescents, and adults dealing with life stressors, stressful relationships, family issues, school issues, work issues, peer relationships, depression, anxiety, anger management, co-dependency, grief/loss.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 1 week

Office hours- Day, Evening, and Weekend hours are available

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- I work with children, adolescents and adults in helping them to achieve balance in their lives. In addition to working in the counseling profession for 14+ years, I have a background in the in-home family counseling, domestic violence, and adolescent residential treatment work.

Name of Agency- Judy Spinney

Clinician Name- Judy Spinney

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW, RPT-S

Address- 225 Route 23, Hamburg, NJ 07419

Phone- 973-827-6465

E-mail- jspinney@ptd.net

Website- www.judyspinney.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage-

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Trauma focused CBT for documented sex/child abuse or witness to violence

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 5 days

Office hours- T, F, Sat

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments-

Name of Agency- Kris H. Imbrie

Clinician Name- Kris H. Imbrie

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW, DVS

Address- 3 Theater Center, Sparta NJ 07871

Phone- 973-729-3722

E-mail- kipie52@gmail.com

Website- www.healingforchange.vpweb.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Accept all insurances with Out-of-Network benefits

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Children, Adolescents, Trauma, Domestic Violence, EMDR certified Level II, Energy Psychology

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- MWF 11 AM- 7:30 PM, Sat 9 AM- 4 PM

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments- I specialize in "difficult" students. I believe many students have been effected by traumatic experiences in their lives and are struggling to manage very difficult residual dysregulated feelings in their bodies. My approach is 3 pronged: #1 Traumatic resolution work, #2 Body Awareness, #3 Developing a personal "Toolkit" to handle those difficult feelings. These methods may help to avoid the pitfall of the psychiatric diagnosis and medication cycle. This work is especially important for young people who might tend to use substances, cutting, sexual acting out etc.... to deal with their overwhelming feelings. Empowering them now with effective tools can help give them a leg up to a healthy, productive and satisfying future.

Name of Agency-

Clinician Name- Kristy Lavin

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW

Address- 529 Route 515, Suite 204 Vernon, NJ 07462

Phone- 973-250-2367

E-mail- klavintherapy@yahoo.com

Website- www.psychassocnj.com

Can you do school risk assessment-

Insurance coverage- Aetna and Horizon Blue Cross/Blue Shield-PPO

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Child/adolescent, Family, Abuse, Trauma, Post-traumatic stress and Substance abuse in families

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen-

Office hours-

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments-

Name of Agency- Lakeside Counseling Associates, LLC

Clinician Name- Danah Rumble and Melissa Pirnos

Credentials/Licensures- LPC, LCSW, LCADC, LMFT, PhD

Address- 350 Sparta Avenue Suite C-2A, Sparta, NJ 07871 and 30 Moran Street, 2nd Floor, Newton NJ 07860

Phone- 973-726-4533- Sparta 973-862-6066- Newton

E-mail- drumble@lakesidecounselingassociates.com
mpirnos@lakesidecounselingassociates.com

Website- www.lakesidecounselingassociates.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes, and same day

Insurance coverage- Aetna, Cigna, Optum, Horizon, Medicare, Tricare, BCBS, EAPs

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- We treat all age groups including: children, adults and the geriatric population. We provide individual, groups, family and couples therapy. Treatment includes a variety of issues including but not limited to the following: depression, anxiety, trauma, PTSD, ADD, ADHD and ODD.

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Promptly, same day for risk assessments, 24-48 hours for other appointments.

Office hours- Monday- Sunday 9 AM – 9 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- Dr. Ahmad, from Hamilton Behavioral provides medication management to children and adults at one of Lakeside's locations. Call Lakeside Counseling Associates to schedule the initial visit

Comments- We have 20 different providers that vary with different specialties to treat children, adults and families.

Name of Agency- Lauren Cardinale

Clinician Name- Lauren Cardinale

Credentials/Licensures- CMS-CHT, FIBH, CPC

Address- 51 US Highway 206, Suite 101 Augusta, NJ 07822

Phone- 973-418-2170

E-mail- lauren@laurencardinale.com

Website- www.laurencardinale.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- No

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Hypnotherapy- Pain Management, Trauma, Medical Issues

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 48 Hours

Office hours- Monday through Friday by appointment

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- I work with my clients using hypnotherapy to help self-regulate pain more easily, neutralize traumatic experiences, reduce stress and anxiety, and aid in the body healing itself more rapidly. With the changes in protocol for Schedule II controlled substances, self-regulation through complementary modalities is a key component for success- when provided by a hypnotherapist with the proper training. I specialize in pain management and a variety of medical issues, such as cancer, overactive bladder and rheumatoid arthritis, and work as an adjunct to my clients' conventional medical treatment as directed by a physician or therapist.

Name of Agency-

Clinician Name- Lauren Palumbo, LPC

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Professional Counselor

Address- 409 Main Street, Chester, NJ

Phone- 908-505-8770

E-mail- laurenpalumbolpc@gmail.com

Website- See profile on psychology today website- therapist finder

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Out of network provider, I do all of the billing and accept deferred payment from the insurance company

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Anxiety, depression, social/peer issues, life transitions. I see adolescents, college students and adults, utilizing CBT and a mindfulness approach

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Usually within one week

Office hours- Wednesdays and Thursdays 4-8, Saturdays 9-2

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- Certified School Counselor

Name of Agency- Leslie B. Malnak

Clinician Name- Leslie B. Malnak

Credentials/Licensures- MSW, LCSW, LCADC

Address- 67 Route 15 South, Lafayette, NJ 07848

Phone-973-586-2548

E-mail- lesliemalnak@gmail.com

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Out of Network only

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Adolescents, Substance abuse, Family

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 3 days

Office hours- During the school year M, W, Th, F afterschool and Sat mornings.

Flexible in summer

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- I have the ability to do urine testing. I have a number of self-harm clients. I do not work with eating disorders. I am also available to speak/do trainings on substance abuse, parenting, self-care and other topics.

Name of Agency- Sapphire Counseling, LLC

Clinician Name- Lois Ferguson

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Professional Counselor, Disaster Response Crisis Counselor

Address- 10 Poplar Tree Lane, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-534-9807

E-mail- sapphircounseling@outlook.com

Website- profile available on psychologytoday.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- In-Network with Cigna. Out-of-Network with Blue Cross/Blue Shield and Aetna. I will also work with clients eligible for Victims of Crime Compensation Office funding.

Is sliding scale available- No

Counseling specialty- Crisis intervention, Trauma treatment, Crime victims, Anxiety, Depression

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- Hours vary and are flexible

Psychiatric affiliate- None. Referrals will be provided to clients in need.

Comments- I work with both adults and children ages 5+

Name of Agency- Mark Imbrie

Clinician Name- Mark Imbrie

Credentials/Licensures- Psy.D.

Address- 288 Newton Sparta Road, Newton, NJ 07860

Phone- 973-579-4934

E-mail- mark@originalskateboards.com

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Yes, call to check coverage

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- I enjoy working with families, older children and teenagers, serious psychiatric challenges, trauma

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 2 weeks

Office hours- T- Sat. Some evenings

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments-

Name of Agency- Mark Littman, MA

Clinician Name- Mark Littman

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC)

Address- 952 Mt. Benevolence Road, Newton NJ 07860

Phone- 973-300-5338 (Main Office), 973-632-6617 (Cell Phone)

E-mail- marklittman1@gmail.com

Website- www.marklittman.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Aetna, Cigna, Out-of-Network, EAP

Is sliding scale available- Determined on a case by case basis

Counseling specialty- Adolescent, Family, Parenting, Couples, Mid-Life Crisis, Pet Therapy and Hypnosis

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Usually within 2 days

Office hours- M-Th 9 AM- 8 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- Referral to local psychiatrists as needed

Comments- Please visit www.marklittman for detailed information about my practice.

Name of Agency- Mary Jane Aulicino, MSW, LCSW, LLC

Clinician Name- Mary Jane Aulicino

Credentials/Licensures- MSW, LCSW, Certified EMDR therapist

Address- 46 Main Street, Suite 106, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-534-9481

E-mail- mjaulicinolcsw@yahoo.com

Website- maryjaneaulicino.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- BC/BS NJ and Out of Network

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Children through adults- Recent or long term/complex trauma, behavioral issues, attachment wounds, parenting, anxiety, depression, grief and loss. I utilize EMDR therapy and IFS (internal family systems) models to create an integrative and individualized approach to treatment.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within week

Office hours- 9 AM – 8 PM, Weekend hours available

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments-

Name of Agency-Mindful Living Counseling Services, LLC

Clinician Name- Mary Helen Kellam

Credentials/Licensures- NBCC, LPC

Address- 17 Woodport Road, Suite 2D, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 201-317-4539

E-mail- mindful.living.counselor@gmail.com

Website- www.mindfullivingcounselingservicesnj.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Cigna, Qualcare, United Health and Out of Network for other insurances

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Self injury, suicide prevention, anxiety, depression, grief/loss, couples counseling, adults and adolescents. I am Trauma, CBT and DBT informed.

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within a few hours

Office hours- By appointment every day of the week except Saturday and Sunday

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- I have approximately 17 years of experience in the field of counseling. I have worked as a High School Counselors for 13 years along with having experience working with students with disabilities at the community college level and have previous agency counseling experience as well.

Name of Agency- MJC Institute

Clinician Name-

Credentials/Licensures-

Address- 190 Main Street, Ogdensburg, NJ 07439

Phone- 973-827-1646

E-mail- mjcphd@earthlink.net

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Yes

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Children, Adolescents, and Adults

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- M-Sat Morning, Afternoon, and Evening hours available

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments-

1. Deborah Arundel, LCSW
2. Brooke Kennedy Cashion, LPC- leabrooke@hotmail.com
3. Margaret J. Castagna, LPC
4. Sara Mendez Emma, LCSW- sara23@hotmail.com
5. Jane Esposito, LPC, Licensed school psychologist-
dr.janeesposito@gmail.com
6. Susan Prager, LPC

Name of Agency-Meaningful Living, LLC

Clinician Name- Monica Camarate

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Professional Counselor and National Certified Counselor

Address- 10 Poplar Tree Lane, Sparta NJ 07871

Phone- 973-670-6145

E-mail- mmbcam@yahoo.com

Website- psychologytoday.com Find a Therapist listing

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Aetna, Cigna, BC/BS, Magellan, Concern EAP

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Preschool aged children to adolescents and adults. Couples and families. Experience with attachment related problems, behavioral problems, anxiety, social issues, parenting, at risk youth.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- M-F 8 AM – 8 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- Certified in Adoption Counseling from Rutgers University and Certificate in Trauma- Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy from the FIS Training Institute.

Name of Agency-

Clinician Name- Myra J. Rowland, LPC

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Professional Counselor

Address- 110 Mudtown Road, Sussex, NJ 07461

Phone- 973-702-0066

E-mail- myrajrowland@yahoo.com

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Some Accepted

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- I specialize in children and adolescents as well as women's issues and marriage and family counseling

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Often times that day

Office hours- Open based on clients needs

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments-

Name of Agency-

Clinician Name- Nelson L. Hadler

Credentials/Licensures- MSW, LCSW, LCADC, CCS

Address- 25 Main Street, Sparta NJ 07871

Phone- 973-713-7957

E-mail- nelsontdi@aol.com

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- With notice

Insurance coverage- Self Pay

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Adult, adolescent, family, substance use, co-occurring and other life issues

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Usually within 7 days

Office hours- As arranged

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments- Also treating co-dependency and offering consults to individuals and loved ones matching the clients

Name of Agency- NewBridge Counseling

Clinician Name- See description below

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW, LPC, LSW, APN

Address- 70 Sparta Avenue, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-316-9333

E-mail- services@newbridge.org

Website- www.newbridge.org

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Most insurances accepted, including NJ FamilyCare and Medicare

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Children, adolescents, adults and seniors. Focus on mental health and co-occurring disorders; individual, family, group, psychiatric services; trauma-focused, wellness and recovery; and medication monitoring.

Are emergency services available- Yes, through the after-hours call system

How quickly can patients be seen- 7- 21 days

Office hours- M-Th 9 AM – 9 PM, F 9 AM – 5 PM. Weekends by appointment

Psychiatric affiliate- APN on staff for adults; NewBridge child/adolescent psychiatrist available for consults.

Comments- Access to services is through the NewBridge Access Department (phone number above). A specialist speaks with each person seeking assistance to understand their immediate need, and to connect them with a clinician to arrange the initial meeting. NewBridge Counseling in Sparta is staffed by four clinicians who hold credentials in the mental health and addictions fields, and one psychiatric advanced practice nurse.

Name of Agency- New HOPE Counseling Services, LLC

Clinician Name- Lisa Frisbie

Credentials/Licensures- MEd, SAC, LAC

Address- 25 Main Street, Rear Suite, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-903-3215

E-mail- newhopecounselingservicesllc@gmail.com

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Out of Network Provider

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Assisting adolescents and teens to make healthy decisions and forge positive relationships, with extensive experience in the issues of; school (behavior and academic), peers, body image, grief and loss, divorced/blended families, and the impact of being affected by a friend or family member's harmful substance use.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within several days

Office hours- Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments- I am currently a Licensed Associate Counselor working under the supervision of Edward Blevins of First Light Counseling, LLC. I have 30 years of experience in the school setting working with young adults ages 11-19 as a Health Educator, Student Assistance Coordinator, Guidance Counselor, and HIB Specialist.

Name of Agency-Newton Medical Center- Psychiatric Emergency Services

Clinician Name- Denise Merusi-King

Credentials/Licensures- M.A., Certified Mental Health Screener

Address- 175 High Street, Newton NJ 07860

Phone- 973-383-0973

E-mail- denise.merusi-king@atlanticealth.org

Website- Atlantic Health System > Behavioral Health > Crisis Intervention

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Yes

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Psychiatric Emergency Risk Assessment

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Immediately

Office hours- 24 Hours

Psychiatric affiliate- On staff

Comments-

Name of Agency- North Jersey Counseling Associates, LLC

Clinician Name- Deborah Kopko Vitale, MS, PhD, HS-BCP, BCC, MFT, NCC, LPC

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Professional Counselor, Marriage and Family Therapist, Addiction Counselor

Address- 804 Rt. 517, Glenwood, NJ 07418

Phone- 973-764-8845

E-mail-

Website- northjerseycounseling.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Blue Cross Blue Shield, Cigna, Multiplan

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Individual, Couple and Family Therapy, Mental Health, Trauma and Co-Occurring

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 1 week

Office hours- Call for appointment

Psychiatric affiliate- Referrals are made to Newbridge Services, Newton Mental Health and Debra Drumm, APN

Comments-

Name of Agency- Paul Rockwood, Ph.D

Clinician Name- Paul Rockwood

Credentials/Licensures- Ph.D, LCSW, LMFT

Address- 350 Sparta Ave. C-8, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-729-1966

E-mail- prockwo@gmail.com

Website- www.drpaulrockwood.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes. I worked on CST and as a Crisis Counselor for many years in the school setting

Insurance coverage- I am on numerous panels

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Adolescents exhibiting behavior problems, substance abuse, Asperger symptoms, social skills issues, and IEP-504 issues: Marriage and Family Therapy

Are emergency services available- Can be called or texted 24/7

How quickly can patients be seen- Patients can be seen within 24 hours or same day, if necessary

Office hours- Monday- Thursday 12PM- 9 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- D. Drumm, J. Blanchard, and L. Suckno

Comments- I have been working with children, adolescents and families all my career in the public school setting, mental health settings and in my private practice. I utilize principals of Cognitive, Reality and Family Systems therapy.

Name of Agency- Psychological Associates of Northern NJ, LLC

Clinician Name- Jamie Walsh, Roberta Fallig

Credentials/Licensures- Staff members are licensed and permitted psychologists, clinical social workers, school psychologists, testing specialists, drug and alcohol counselors, etc

Address- 39 B Newton/Sparta Road, Andover Twp., NJ 07860,
254 B Mountain Avenue, Suite 202 Hackettstown, NJ 07840

Phone- 908-979-1144 ext. 24

E-mail- jwalshmsw@gmail.com

Website-www.psychassocnj.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Yes

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- The practice addresses a wide variety of issues and serves all age groups. The contact person will be able to guide clients to a therapist that would best fit their needs.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours-

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments-

Name of Agency- Gia N. Leo, LCSW, LCADC LLC & Psychological Associates of North Jersey

Clinician Name- Gia N. Leo

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW, LCADC

Address- 25 Main Street (Rear Entrance A), Sparta, NJ 07871 and 39, Suite C, Newton Sparta Road, Newton, NJ 07860

Phone- 862-268-3101

E-mail- gianicole20@gmail.com

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Aetna, Medicare, and Out of Network Plans (cost deferment for out of network if necessary)

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Substance Use, Trauma, Depression, Anxiety, Bipolar Disorder, OCD, Anger Management, Impulse Control, ADHD, Self-Harm Behaviors

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Varies (Available via text or call)

Office hours- Varies (Saturday Availability)

Psychiatric affiliate- ABC of Northern NJ, New Bridge (when available), Dr. Lee Suckno

Comments- I do not work with children under the age of 10. Drug screening is available at a low cost.

Name of Agency-

Clinician Name- Rosemary A. Menger, LPC, LCADC

Credentials/Licensures- LPC, LCADC

Address- 21 Main Street, Sparta NJ 07871

Phone- 908-852-1324 (Office), 973-903-9483 (Cell)

E-mail- rmenger@centurylink.net

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Yes

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Counseling- children, adolescents, adults, marital therapy

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 24-48 Hours

Office hours- M-F 9 AM- 6 PM, Saturday 9 AM- 2:30 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- I have several I will refer to if necessary

Comments-

Name of Agency- Highland Psychiatric Associates and J&J Healthcare

Clinician Name- Sanjeevani Jain

Credentials/Licensures- MD

Address- 70 Sparta Avenue, Suite 206-208, Sparta, NJ 07871, and 1575 Route 517, Building B, Suite 300 Hackettstown, NJ 07840

Phone- 973-729-2991- Sparta 908-852-4084- Hackettstown

E-mail- highlandpsychiatric@gmail.com Sparta location and sanjeevanijainmd@gmail.com Hackettstown location

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- QualCare

Is sliding scale available- No

Counseling specialty- Psychiatric evaluation, diagnosis, and medication management, ADHD testing. Children, adolescents, and adults

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 24 Hours

Office hours- M-F Morning, Afternoon, and Evening appointments available

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments-

Name of Agency- Shirley de Knegt-Kuzik

Clinician Name- Shirley de Knegt-Kuzik

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW, LCADC

Address- 39 Newton-Sparta Road, Bldg C, Suite #2, Newton, NJ 07860

Phone- 973-945-1322

E-mail- sdeknegtkuzik@gmail.com

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Yes, most insurances accepted

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Mental health/Substance abuse

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 2 days

Office hours- T-Th 9 AM- 9 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments-

Name of Agency- St. Clare's Hospital

Clinician Name- Nina Kooper

Credentials/Licensures- MA, CSW Operations Manager Behavioral Health Evaluation and Referral Services and Case Management Departments

Address- 130 Powerville Road, Boonton, NJ 07005

Phone- 888-626-2111 for appointments or call Nina Kooper at 973-316-1977

E-mail- ninakooper@primehealthcare.com

Website- www.saintclares.org

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Yes. Not in network with United Health Care, Optum, Oxford, GHI, PHS, NJ Carpenters Health Fund and some TriCare up to this date.

Is sliding scale available- No

Counseling specialty- Intakes for children through geriatric population

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Most same day appointments for level of care evaluation or risk assessment for schools or within 24 hours

Office hours- 8:30 AM – 6 PM Closed holidays and weekends

Psychiatric affiliate- On Staff

Comments- We now have 100 school contracts in Morris, Sussex and Essex Counties to do risk assessments.

Name of Agency-Strength for Change, LLC

Clinician Name- Paul DePinto and Bernie Ivin

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW, LPC

Address- 22 Howard Blvd. Suite 101, Mount Arlington, NJ 07856

Phone- 973-770-7600

E-mail- strengthforchange@verizon.net

Website- www.strengthforchange.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Out-of-Network

Is sliding scale available- No

Counseling specialty- Adolescents and Adults struggling with a wide array of life difficulties including depression, anxiety, substance abuse, ADHD/ODD and personality issues.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- M-F 9 AM- 10 PM, weekend appointments available

Psychiatric affiliate- Katherine Feingold, Lee Suckno, Bruce Friedma, and Salvatore Moreno

Comments- Please visit our website for detailed information on clinicians and services.

Name of Agency- Summit Behavioral Health (Formerly Treatment Dynamics)

Clinician Name- Stephanie Kresch

Credentials/Licensures- All of our clinicians are masters level and most are dually licensed.

Address- 256 Columbia Turnpike, Suite 100 N, Florham Park, NJ 07932

Phone- 973-593-0090

E-mail- stephaniekresch@summithelps.com

Website- summitbehavioralhealth.com

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage-

Is sliding scale available- Possibly

Counseling specialty- Substance abuse, adolescents, co-occurring disorder, multiple levels of care

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 5 days

Office hours- M-F 9 AM -9 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- David Goldbloom

Comments- Adult and adolescent treatment. Full continuum of care, individual, family, IOP, PHP, on site psychiatrist. Transportation available for adolescents.

Name of Agency-

Clinician Name- Dr. Susan Herschman

Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Psychologist and Certified School Psychologist

Address- 2 West Hanover Avenue, Suite 203, Randolph, NJ 07869

Phone- 973-983-8321 **Fax-** 973-983-2680

E-mail- susanherschman@gmail.com

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Out of Network Provider

Is sliding scale available- No

Counseling specialty- Conducts psychological testing, individual, couple and family psychotherapy. Specializes in work with children, adolescents and parenting/child management. Works with anxiety, depression, stress, school refusal/avoidance, anger, mood disorders, gender issues and family conflict.

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 1 week

Office hours- Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday after 3 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- Works with several psychiatrists

Comments-

Name of Agency- Sussex County Child and Family Counseling

Clinician Name- Charles J. Carroll

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW

Address- 101 Main Street, Suite 1 Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-729-6333

E-mail- cjcarrolljr@yahoo.com

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- Aetna, Cigna, Horizon BlueCard, ValueOptions, others

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- ADHD, anxiety, depression, social skills development

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 2 days

Office hours- M-F 9 AM- 9 PM, Sat 8 AM- 2 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- Stand up! Social skills development for boys program designed in part to address issue of peer-to-peer bullying in schools. Since 2002 well over 100 boys have participated with consistently positive feedback from parents, school personnel and the boys themselves.

Name of Agency- The Family Center for Behavioral Health

Clinician Name- Bob DeYoung

Credentials/Licensures- Ph.D.

Address- 311 Pennsylvania Ave, Matamoras PA 18336

Phone- 570-491-4117

E-mail-

Website- www.drbobdeyoung.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage-

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Anxiety/Depression, Addictions, Trauma, Families/Marriage

Are emergency services available-

How quickly can patients be seen-

Office hours- M-F 9 AM-8 PM, Sat 8 AM- 2 PM

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments-

Name of Agency- Tree House Therapy Services, LLC
Clinician Name- Gina Adone, PsyD and Jessica Platt, PhD
Credentials/Licensures- Licensed Clinical Psychologists
Address- 225 Route 23 North, Hamburg NJ and 50 Wilson Drive, Sparta NJ
Phone- 973-864-2800
E-mail- gmlamana@yahoo.com
Website- www.treehousetherapy.org
Can you do school risk assessment- Yes
Insurance coverage- Medicaid for children only, rest are Out of Network
Is sliding scale available- Yes
Counseling specialty- Children and families, trauma and women's health
Are emergency services available- Varies
How quickly can patients be seen- Varies
Office hours- Varies
Psychiatric affiliate- None
Comments-

Name of Agency-Tri-County Behavioral Care

Clinician Name- Multi-Specialty Group Practice with 2 locations and 15 providers

Credentials/Licensures- LCSW/LPC

Address- 172 Woodport Road Suite E, Sparta, NJ 07871 and 3155 Route 10 East Suite LL 100, Denville, NJ 07834

Phone- 973-691-3030

E-mail- kellyc.tcbc@gmail.com

Website- www.tbcllc.org

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- We accept all private insurance including Medicare. We do not accept Medicaid as we are a private practice and therefore not allowed on the Medicaid panel.

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Child, Teen, Adult, Couple, Family, Group

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 48 Hours

Office hours- 9 am – 9 pm M-Th, 9 am – 6 pm Friday. Saturday hours available

Psychiatric affiliate- N/A.

Comments- TCBC is a multispecialty group practice with 2 locations. We are easily accessible in Sussex and Morris Counties. Our therapists are highly training in their area of expertise. They are warm, welcoming and ready to meet the needs of their clients. Our dedicated administrative staff assists clients with scheduling needs. We are able to schedule clients in the same week they call. We also handle all of the insurance needs to take the guess work out of the equation. TCBC also has an IIC division through the Childrens System of Care to provide Intensive In-Community Psychotherapy. Our IIC serves children and families in Morris, Sussex, Warren, Hunterdon, Somerset, Bergen, Passaic and Union Counties.

Name of Agency- True Colors for Creative Therapy LLC

Clinician Name- Jennifer Whitlock and Heather Kosen

Credentials/Licensures- MA, LPC, ACS

Address- 93 Main Street, Newton NJ 07860

Phone- 973-222-3750

E-mail- jen@jenwhitlock.com

Website- www.jenwhitlock.com

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Aetna, MHN, Value Options, Horizon BC/BS PPO, and QualCare

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Teenagers, Gender Variant, and LGBT youth. True Colors Center for Creative Therapy provides expressive therapies, such as art therapy, psychodrama and play therapy.

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 1 day

Office hours- M-F 11 AM- 9PM, Sat 11 AM- 2 PM, Other times available upon request

Psychiatric affiliate- None

Comments- Currently offering groups for Gender Variant and Transgender youth and a separate group for their parents; Social Confidence for teen girls (for social anxiety issues) and for Parents of Teens. Contact me for details.

Name of Agency-Vernon Counseling Services

Clinician Name- Patricia DeCoste

Credentials/Licensures- LPC, LCADC

Address- 529 Route 515, Suite 204, Vernon, NJ 07462

Phone- 973-557-6242

E-mail- patdecoste@gmail.com

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- No

Insurance coverage- We take insurance or self-pay

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Adolescents, Adults, Families. Mental health issues including depression, anxiety, OCD, trauma, self-injury, school refusal, substance abuse issues including evaluations and co-dependency issues. EMDR certified.

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen-

Office hours-

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments-

Name of Agency-Vernon Counseling Services

Clinician Name- Lois Reinhardt

Credentials/Licensures- RN, LPC/NCC

Address- 529 Route 515, Suite 204 Vernon, NJ 07462

Phone- 973-764-5000 ext. 1

E-mail- Irein@ptd.net

Website- None

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- All major insurances

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Family therapy, individual child and adult therapy, EMDR

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- Within 7 days

Office hours- M-F 9 AM- 9 PM, Sat on request

Psychiatric affiliate- Yes

Comments-

Name of Agency-Willow Tree Therapy Services, LLC

Clinician Name- Multiple clinicians with varying degrees

Credentials/Licensures- PhD, LCSW, LPC, LMFT

Address- 43 Main Street, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 908-246-0553

E-mail- willowtreetherapy2@gmail.com

Website-

Can you do school risk assessment- Yes

Insurance coverage- Out of network, but we have sliding scale and will courtesy bill

Is sliding scale available- Yes

Counseling specialty- Family, Couples, Children, Adolescents: Substance Use, DBT for self-injury, etc.

Are emergency services available- Yes

How quickly can patients be seen- 24-48 hours

Office hours- Vary

Psychiatric affiliate-

Comments-

Name of Agency-Youth Advocate Program

Clinician Name- various

Credentials/Licensures- LAC/LSW; LPC/LCSW

Address- 350 Sparta Ave, Sparta, NJ 07871

Phone- 973-729-3617

E-mail-

Website- yapinc.org

Can you do school risk assessment- no

Insurance coverage- Medicaid

Is sliding scale available- Yes for those with no mental health insurance coverage

Counseling specialty- Some clinicians are certified in TF-CBT (trauma); all can provide family therapy/individual therapy

Are emergency services available- No

How quickly can patients be seen- Usually with 1 week

Office hours- M-Th 9 am – 8 pm; Fri varies; Sat 8 am – 2 pm

Psychiatric affiliate- No

Comments- We work with children as young as age 5 and also provide services to adults

Sussex County Resource Numbers For Adolescent Substance Abuse Treatment

Ambulance/Police/Overdose	911
Helpline (NJ Residents)	211
ALCOHOL HOTLINE: AA & Alanon meetings statewide (24 hours)	800-238-2333
Al-Anon/Alateen Information Service of Northern NJ	973-744-8686
Capitol Care	973-426-1440
Carrier Clinic (detox/in-patient)	800-933-3579
Children's Mobile Response (Crisis)	1-877-652-2873
Center for Prevention and Counseling <i>(For Evaluations/Referral/Counseling/Drug Screens)</i>	973-383-4787
DAYTOP Adolescent Services- Mendham, NJ (in and out-patient)	973-543-5656
Hackettstown Community Hospital (adolescent/adult services)	908-850-6810
High Focus, Parsippany, NJ (adolescent/adult services)	800-877-3628
Lighthouse (in-patient, adolescent)	800-852-8851
Narcotics Anonymous	800-992-0401
National Help Lines	800-662-HELP (4357)
New Bridge Services (adolescent/adults services)	888-746-9333
New Life Recovery of West Milford (adolescent)	973-728-7788
Newton Medical Center Behavioral Health (adolescent/adult services)	973-383-1533
Newton Psychiatric Emergency Services	973-383-0973
St. Clare's (adolescent, alcohol/chemical dependency)	888-626-2111 or/973-316-1889
Summit Oaks (adolescent in-patient)	800-753-5223/908-522-7071
Sunrise House	973-383-6300
Sussex County Division of Community and Youth Services	973-940-5200 ext. 1383
Sussex County Narcotic Task Force	973-948-2345
Sussex County CLEAR (Community Law Enforcement Addiction Recovery, 18 yrs.+)	1-844-SC-CLEAR
Tough Love (P.U.R.E.—Parents Universal Resource Experts)	954-260-0805
Treatment Dynamics (adolescent out-patient)	973-940-7306
White Deer Run- Allenwood, PA (adolescent program)	800-255-2335

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973-383-4787; info@centerforprevention.org; www.centerforprevention.org