

For information about connecting to YAI services, go to yai.org/link or call us at 212.273.6182 - age range and eligibility requirements vary

MANHATTAN

Center for Speciality Therapy: FREE psychological and psychosocial evaluations
Crisis Intervention
Emergency Respite Reimbursement
Family Reimbursement
In Home Behavior Management
Manhattan Star Academy: Private School
Parent and Caregiver Support Group
Parent Training: Behavior Management
Parent Training: Sexuality and Relationships
Parent Training: Parents with Special Needs
Skills Building: Transition to Independence for Young Adults on the Autism Spectrum
Social Skills Group for Children with Autism
You and I: Social and Networking Skills

BRONX

Parent Training: Behavior Management

STATEN ISLAND

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QUEENS

Afterschool Program
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BROOKLYN

Ballet Yoga Group for Children on the Autism Spectrum
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Parent Training: Parents with Special Needs
Social Skills Group for Children on the Autism Spectrum

ALL REGIONS

Free Education Workshops: For people with disabilities, caregivers and professionals
Independent Living Program
NYSTART: Crisis Prevention and Response for People with Developmental Disabilities
Premier HealthCare: Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, Dental and Ophthalmology
Social, Camping and Recreation Services
Supportive Employment Services
Autism Assessments, Neuropsychologicals
Resources and Supports Workshop: Learn about the I/DD System & Services
Residential: Contact YAI LINK for information on our residential waiting list



Transition to Independence

For young adults, ages 17 - 21 on the autism spectrum,
who reside in Manhattan

Yoga & Mindfulness

Mondays

Engage in calming physical and mental activities that promote movement, relaxation, self-awareness, stress reduction and socialization.

Life Skills

Wednesdays

Develop and enhance life skills that focus on judgement, decision making, risk-taking, problem-solving and self-advocacy. Group topics include money management, community safety, self-care, relationships, and more!

Kitchen Skills

Fridays

This course introduces cooking fundamentals like measuring, safety, and knife skills that are necessary in being able to prepare meals independently.

Groups available in the late afternoon and evening

For more information, please call:

YAI LINK at [212.273.6182](tel:212.273.6182) or email link@yai.org

Must meet NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene program criteria.

This project was funded by the New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene through a contract with Public Health Solutions.



2017 Annual Family Summit

Wednesday, April 26 *(please note date change)*

New York Academy of Medicine

1216 Fifth Ave.

9 AM - 1 PM



SAVE THE DATE!

professionals

families

self-advocates

and all interested individuals

The Summit will feature a variety of panels and presentations on disability services and supports on topics ranging from advocacy, technology to education by key leaders in the field.

For More Information Contact:

Family Connect

718-436-7979 ext. 704

familyconnect@ucpnyc.org

CURRENT PROGRAM OPENINGS

Call (718) 728-8476 for inquiries

JANUARY 2017



Quality Services for the Autism Community
Serving New York City and Long Island

QUEENS

1. Early Intervention (In-Home): Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
2. Early Intervention Service Coordination: Johanna Arteaga ext. 1317
3. Early Intervention (Center Based) : Joe Traegler 1521
4. Early Intervention Evaluations: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
5. SEIT: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
6. SETSS: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
7. Day Habilitation: Farzana Karim ext. 1233
8. Social Skills Group – High Functioning Autism: Dila DeSena ext.1418
9. Medicaid Service Coordination: Farzana Karim ext. 1233
10. Parent Training: Babina Chhetry ext. 1015
11. Family Reimbursement (Goods & Services): Annie Washington ext. 1219
12. CPSE Evaluations: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
13. Evaluations for individuals without Medicaid (Psychological/Psychosocial): Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
14. Preschool Centerbased Openings: Larisa Muratov ext. 1500
15. Supplemental Day Hab: Johnny Nunez ext. 1222
16. Non-Medicaid Service Coordination: Andrew Toscano ext. 1268
17. Self Advocacy: Broker Services Jacqueline del Orbe ext.1229
18. Day School: Todd Merritt ext. 1420

BROOKLYN

1. Early Intervention (In-Home) contact: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
2. Early Intervention Service Coordination: Johanna Arteaga ext. 1317
3. Early Intervention Evaluations: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
4. SEIT: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
5. SETSS: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
6. Medicaid Service Coordination: Farzana Karim ext. 1233
7. Non-Medicaid Service Coordination: Andrew Toscano ext. 1268
8. CPSE Evaluations: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
9. Preschool Centerbased Openings: Larisa Muratov ext. 1500
10. Housing Advocacy: Andrew Toscano ext. 1268
11. Family Reimbursement (Goods & Services): Annie Washington ext. 1219
12. Self Advocacy: Broker Services Jacqueline del Orbe ext.1229

THE BRONX

BRONX

1. Medicaid Service Coordination: Farzana Karim ext. 1233
2. SEIT: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
3. SETSS: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
4. Early Intervention (In-Home) : Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
5. Early Intervention Service Coordination: Johanna Arteaga ext. 1317
6. Early Intervention Evaluations: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
7. CPSE Evaluations: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
8. Day Habilitation: Farzana Karim ext. 1233
9. Waiver Respite: Johnny Nunez ext. 1222
10. Respite After School: Johnny Nunez ext. 1222
11. Self Advocacy: Broker Services Jacqueline del Orbe ext.1229
12. Day School: Todd Merritt ext. 1420

MANHATTAN

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1. Social Skills Group - High Functioning Autism: Rocio Chavez ext.1414
2. Parent Support Group: Annie Washington ext. 1219
3. Early Intervention (In-Home): Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
4. Early Intervention Service Coordination: Johanna Arteaga ext. 1317
5. Early Intervention Evaluations: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
6. SEIT contact: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
7. Medicaid Service Coordination: Farzana Karim ext. 1233
8. Family Reimbursement (Goods & Services): Annie Washington ext. 1219
9. Waiver Respite: Johnny Nunez ext. 1222
10. SETSS: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
11. CPSE Evaluations: Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
12. Preschool Centerbased Openings: Larisa Muratov ext. 1500
13. Day Habilitation: Farzana Karim ext. 1233
14. Respite After School: Johnny Nunez ext. 1222
15. Self Advocacy: Broker Services Jacqueline del Orbe ext.1229

LONG ISLAND

1. Sibling/Parent Support Group and Parent Training: Cherisse Hutcherson ext 1430
2. Day Habilitation: Farzana Karim ext. 1233
3. SEIT (Nassau only): Rhodie Volpe ext. 1512
4. Medicaid Service Coordination: Farzana Karim ext. 1233
5. Self Advocacy: Broker Services Jacqueline del Orbe ext.1229

STATEN ISLAND

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1. Self Advocacy: Broker Services Jacqueline del Orbe ext.1229
2. Medicaid Service Coordination: Farzana Karim ext. 1233

Westchester County

WESTCHESTER

1. Self Advocacy: Broker Services Jacqueline del Orbe ext.1229
2. Medicaid Service Coordination: Farzana Karim ext. 1233



Quality Services for the Autism Community
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Are you 60+ and on the autism spectrum or the aging parent of a child with autism?

SENIORS WITH AUTISM PROJECT

QSAC IS PROUD TO INTRODUCE OUR NEW SENIORS WITH AUTISM PROJECT

Made possible with support from The Fan Fox and Leslie R. Samuels Foundation

We are building a network of resources specifically for seniors with developmental disabilities. Currently, we are taking referrals for persons 60 years of age or older who have an autism spectrum disorder (Medicaid eligibility is not required). Qualified participants are also eligible to receive case management support for their aging parents or guardians.

ABOUT QSAC'S AGING PROJECT

QSAC's Aging Project focuses on supporting aging individuals in New York City who have autism spectrum disorder or aging parents who have a child with autism. The program can support individuals with or without Medicaid. Individuals participating in the program will receive supportive counseling, benefit and entitlement counseling (including Food Stamps, Medicaid, Medicare, Social Security, SCRIE, and HEAP), housing advocacy, safety calls to individuals and their aging family members, referrals and linkages to community services, and crisis interventions. In addition, participants will receive assistance and guidance with long-term planning both for individuals with autism as well as their parents/guardians (e.g. Special Needs Trusts, residential planning for an individual with autism, etc.).

AGING PROJECT CONTACT

For referrals, questions about the project, or if you're interested in being a part of our Resource Network for aging individuals with autism and their families, please contact Patrick Paglen.

Patrick Paglen, LMSW
(718) 728-8476, ext. 1242
ppaglen@qsac.com





JANUARY 2017
AHRC PROGRAM VACANCIES
www.ahrcnyc.org

RECREATION OPPORTUNITIES: (Contact the Referral and Information Center at (212) 780-4491 or 4493 for all).

****City Teens Program**:** A new socialization program in the community for more independent teens ages 12 – 21, must have IDD diagnosis but not be eligible for OPWDD services. Mostly open to teens from Brooklyn but can accommodate a few from other boroughs. Meet Sundays during the school year in Union Square for fun activities around the city. **Overnight**

Weekend Respite Program: Available for people in S.I. and Queens for independent travelers and individuals that are able to self-medicate. Enjoy trips to upstate New York from Friday through Sunday to discover area attractions and seasonal activities. All individuals must be in the HCBS waiver. No cost, transportation provided. **Manhattan and Queens Saturday**

Recreation and socialization programs: Operates Saturdays from October to May, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Transportation is provided, must be in the HCBS waiver. Current openings in both the children's program (ages 6 – 12 years) and adult program (18+). **Staten Island openings in Saturday recreation and socialization programs:** Operates Saturdays from

October to May, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Transportation provided, must be in HCBS waiver. Current openings in both children (ages 6 – 12) and teens (13- 19). Openings in programs for independent travelers. **Super Saturdays**, operates in Manhattan but open to all boros; **Basketball program** in Brooklyn, but open to all boros, and on Wednesday nights in the Bronx, but open to all boros. **Restaurant Club and Bowling, only open to those in Staten Island currently.** Must have ID or DD diagnosis but do not have to be in the waiver. Call Sam Emsell for more information at 212-780-2596. Limited **Afterschool**

in Queens, Manhattan, and Brooklyn: (for children). Must be in the HCBS waiver and in the area of the program. Limited openings **Manhattan and Brooklyn** (teens). **Overnight School Holiday Respite for Brooklyn children and teens:** (ages 10 – 17) waiver program, openings for February and spring school vacation weeks.

OVERNIGHT/EMERGENCY In-Home Respite Hourly Waiver Services to families residing in the boroughs of **Queens** and **Manhattan.** *Emergency respite* is temporary care of an individual with developmental disabilities provided on an emergency basis due to a family situation of extreme urgency, such as the hospitalization of a family member or unexpected travel plans. Emergency respite may be provided in individual's home or a family care home. *Overnight respite* is a service that provides relief to a caregiver who is responsible for the primary care and support of an individual with a developmental disability. When a family member or Family Care provider has to deal with such things as illness, emergency, and caregiver vacation; emergency respite services can ensure that your loved ones are safe and their needs are met. A caregiver must reside with the individual in the same household and be a primary caregiver. An eligible person should be OPWDD eligible. Eligibility must be established before a referral can be made. An eligible person should have a current Level of Care (LOC) determined and be enrolled in a HCBS Waiver program. If you believe that your families or individual(s) might benefit from Overnight or Emergency In- Home Respite, please contact, Luba Zborovskaya at 212-780-2340 and/or Yulia Yaroshevskaya, Intake Field Supervisor at 212-780-4482.

IN-HOME RESPITE: Waiting list for people ages 3 and over in Brooklyn, Manhattan, Staten Island, the Bronx, and immediate opportunities in Queens. Require proof of developmental disability. **COMMUNITY HABILITATION:** Waiting list for people from birth (with EI Service Coordination) and up in all 5 boros. Person must meet eligibility for Medicaid Waiver. Contact the Referral and Information Center at (212) 780-4491 or 4493.

EMPLOYMENT and BUSINESS SERVICES:

TechnoStart: Program in S.I. for individuals with I/DD. 12 week pre-vocational training program. Program helps individuals 18 years and older to gain computer and office skills, and obtain certification in Microsoft Office Specialist. Job placement services and benefits assistance provided. Contact Mark Emsak or Anna Chakryan at 718-981-3452.

Pathway to Employment: The Pathway to Employment program offers individuals already enrolled in a waiver service an opportunity to discover their employment interests and improve their skill set. Participants will experience 3-4 job roles in the community through volunteer sites, receive job readiness training and personalized vocational discovery throughout this 1 year service with the goal of transitioning to paid employment. Contact Mark Emsak or Candi Genovese at 718-981-3452 .

Brooklyn Day Hab without walls: Day Hab without walls program target towards employment. Some of the services and activities provided are: resume preparation workshops, interview preparation, personal hygiene skills, self care, socialization skills, money management, mobility training, life skills training, reading and writing, anger management, relaxation techniques, proper nutrition, healthy exercise and recreational type activities. Additionally, individuals volunteer at different sites and participate in diverse community events. Contact Christopher Michael 212-895-3376.

Staten Island Day Hab without Walls: Day Hab without walls program explores the world of work through daily activities out in the community. Some of the services and activities provided are: resume preparation workshops, interview preparation, personal hygiene skills, self care, socialization skills, money management, mobility training, life skills training, reading and writing, anger management, relaxation techniques, proper nutrition, healthy exercise and recreational type activities. Additionally, individuals volunteer at different sites and participate in diverse community events. Contact Mark Emsak or Candi Genovese at 718-981-3452.

Senior Retirement Services: Day Hab Without Walls program for individuals over age 55, must be a Bronx resident. Contact Ana Kuharik at 718 944-5099.

Bronx and Staten Island Day Hab Without Walls: This program offers the opportunity for community activities including volunteering and social outings. The premise is to prepare people to move out of Day Hab and into employment. Contact Ana Kuharik, 718-944-5099 (Bronx) and Gina Gioe, 917-807-5142 (Staten Island).

Youth Careers Training Programs: OSY Pre-Vocational training program for NYC residents with DD or LD and/or low income; 18–24 years old. 15 weeks of training combines classroom instruction with internship at major NYC institutions. Upon successful completion, program enrollees will obtain nationally recognized CMI Certification in Janitorial. There are three cycles during the year with first one scheduled to start in August 2016. The program offers job placement and job supports after graduation. This is integrated program great for developing relationships and preparing for employment.

Brooklyn: Alla Gertsik, 212-895-3310; Bronx, Cristina or Yona, 718-944-5099, Staten Island, Anna Chakryan at 718-662-1432.

Staten Island Young Adult Internship Program: DYCD- 14 weeks of a paid internship program for young adults from 16-24 years old, who are out of school and out of work. Internship opportunities include; clerical, retail, culinary and maintenance. 350 hours of paid internship followed by job placement. Call Anna Chakryan 718-662-1432 or Natalya Sarukhanova at 718-981-3452.

HIRE - Supported Employment, placement in jobs dependent on applicant's skills and abilities

Brooklyn – Sofiya Nibelitskaya, 212-895-3325

Queens – Derek Johnson, 646-210-0066

Bronx – Wayne Thomas, 718-944-5099

Staten Island – Pamela Sosa (718) 981-3452

Manhattan – Isis Clark - 212-634-8673

Job Connection Center-Psycho-social Clubhouse (Brooklyn): A small innovative program, with highly trained and experienced staff, specifically designed to support individuals who are dually diagnosed (IDD/MI) in obtaining and maintaining a job. Call 212-895-3370.

ADULT DAY SERVICES: A variety of programs where individuals become valued community members in different ways, including volunteering, shopping, visiting local attractions, etc. The programs offer many life enhancing experiences in the arts, travel training, and vocational services. There are also programs that operate solely in the community, and in higher education programs in cooperation with local colleges. For more details, call Central Intake at 212-780-4493/4491.

Emergency Respite (Family Support Service): for Queens and Brooklyn residents - Emergency respite is temporary care of a person with a developmental disability provided on an emergency basis due to a family situation of extreme urgency, such as, but not limited to the hospitalization of a family member, unexpected travel plans or relief needed for the caregiver due to special circumstances. Emergency respite may be provided in the eligible person's home or an alternate location where the service of care can be provided. The person providing the service does not have to reside in the home of the person eligible for this service, nor does the service have to occur in the borough of the person's OPWDD registration. Call 212-895-3478 or 917-715-8035.

Nicosia Family Reimbursement: The service provides the opportunity to be reimbursed for purchased services and goods, and the possibility of purchasing services and goods that are not funded through any other sources. The goods and services have been deemed appropriate to meet the needs of the person being served. Criteria for grant: Reside in the 5 Boroughs and Eligibility. Call 212-895-3478 or 917-715-8035.

Intensive Behavioral Services Program in the Bronx which provides Intensive Behavioral Services for individuals who live in non-certified or Family Care Homes and present with substantial challenging behaviors that put them at risk of placement in a more restrictive living environment. The service involves in home behavior management evaluation and treatment by psychologists who specialize in Functional Behavioral Assessment and Intervention. For information about the application or questions, contact Lisa Adorno at 718-643-2566.

Queens Intensive Parent Training: This family support program serves ID/DD parents who reside in Queens, who are living in the community and raising their children. This service provides education, parent training, intensive case management, and advocacy to help the parent improve their parenting skills and help keep children in the home with the parent(s). Criteria: reside in Queens County; parent must be ID/DD. Call Annette Spallino 212-780-2592.

Non-Medicaid Service Coordination: The service includes information and referral services, outreach, parent networking and service access assistance for individuals and their families. Service Coordinator is able to make connections with diagnostic, residential, habilitative, educational, vocational, medical and recreational services. In addition, the Service Coordinator can assist with accessing benefits and entitlements, such as Medicaid and SSI. Criteria for program enrollment: - reside in the five boroughs, No Medicaid and Eligibility. Call 212-895-3478 or 917-715-8035.

Article 16 Clinic Services: Ongoing vacancies in Manhattan for psychological and psychosocial evaluations, individual and group counseling and nutrition services. Ongoing vacancies in the Bronx for individual and group counseling, psychological, and psychosocial evaluations at the 2488 Grand Concourse Clinic. Services are available in English, Spanish, and Mandarin. Anyone interested in these programs should contact Clara Cordero at (212) 780-2387.

REHAB Services: Immediate openings for physical, speech, and occupational therapy. Call Robin Phillips at (212) 780-2762 for more information on how to request services.

FREE Psychological/Psychosocial Evaluations: AHRC Article 16 Clinic is offering Psychological Evaluations and Psychosocial Evaluations for individuals who are developmentally disabled that do not have Medicaid and are residents of the five boroughs of NYC. Services are available in English, Spanish, and Mandarin. For more information or to make a referral call AHRC Central Intake at 212-780-4493 or 212-780-4491.

OVERNIGHT RESPITE (out of home – NOT EMERGENCY; emergency above): Guests must be age 8 and up, and must be weight bearing if non-ambulatory. Cannot be seriously medically involved where extra nursing staff would be necessary. Staten Island is the only wheelchair accessible respite facilities. *Families should apply for respite before the need arises; the application has to be approved beforehand.* Contact the Referral and Information Center at (212) 780-4491 or 4493.

RESIDENTIAL: Anticipated and immediate openings in all boroughs. Details vary depending on the setting. **If you have any questions please contact: 212-780-4457. If you would like to make a referral, please contact 212-780-4491/4493.**



New York Service for
the Handicapped
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OUT-OF-HOME OVERNIGHT RESPITE AT CAMP OAKHURST

FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS WITH PHYSICAL
AND/OR DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

Why overnight respite at Camp Oakhurst?

Families caring after a relative with disabilities in their own home need period breaks. They can get one, while their relative with disabilities enjoys a 2-12 night stay at Camp Oakhurst. Respite sessions are scheduled year-round, and in the summer take the form of a sleep away camp. On a limited basis, emergency respite care is also available.

What will happen at an overnight respite?

Clients stay in barrier-free heated and air conditioned cabins with age appropriate groups. Care and supervision provided by trained experienced staff living on-site is provided 24/7. Clients have access to a full program of adapted recreational activities, including trips off-camp.

Does my family qualify for overnight respite?

Individuals who live in New York City or New Jersey and have a physical and/or developmental disability, including autism, may qualify for state-supported respite. Even if not eligible for state-supported respite, clients may apply and attend all sessions. Registration starts with an application and includes a personal interview with a staff member.

How long are respite periods and how can I get there?

There are separate sessions for children and adults. Registered families receive a yearly calendar of scheduled respite and summer camp sessions. They vary in length from a weekend to 3, 4, 5, 7 or 12 night sessions. Some families get to and from Oakhurst on their own, others receive central site transportation from NYC in lift- equipped vehicles.

What does it cost?

There is no fee for those qualifying for state-supported respite. Others pay a fee that may be scaled according to income and family size.

When should I apply?

Applications are received throughout the year. Confirmation for a particular respite session depends on space and transportation needs. Call us or visit www.nysh.org for applications and a schedule.

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NEW YORK SERVICE FOR THE HANDICAPPED CAMP OAKHURST

New York Service for the Handicapped provides services at Camp Oakhurst to enhance the quality of life for children and adults with special needs, including autism and physical and intellectual disabilities, and provide respite for their families through a year-round camp experience, based in Monmouth County, NJ.

Camp Oakhurst, established in 1906, is an independent nonprofit social service agency with offices in New York City and Oakhurst, New Jersey. The camp is located on a scenic 15-acre site, about one mile from the Atlantic Ocean. Clients live in barrier-free modern cabins, surrounded by tall trees, grass and fresh air, with all the counselors, support and adapted facilities it takes to make their stay at Camp Oakhurst a fun and memorable experience. Camp Oakhurst helps clients discover new abilities and new strengths, that helps foster more independence and self-confidence.

Camp Oakhurst's services include:

- Summer sleep-away camp for children and adults with physical and/or developmental disabilities
- Out-of-home overnight respite for children and adults with physical and/or developmental disabilities
- Out-of-home overnight respite and summer camp for youth diagnosed with autism
- Emergency overnight respite care for children and adults with physical and/or developmental disabilities, including autism.

For more information, please contact our NYC or Oakhurst, NJ offices:

1140 Broadway, Suite 903
New York, NY 10001
Tel. 212 533-4020
info@nysh.org

111 Monmouth Road
Oakhurst, NJ 07755
Tel. 732 531-0215
info@nysh.org

[Need An Emergency Respite?](#)

24-hour emergency respite services are available by calling 732-531-0215 during normal business hours M-F or 804-467-9319 nights and weekends.

We ask that you give us a minimum of two hours notice so that we may schedule appropriate staff.



Info@nysh.org

www.nysh.org

[Facebook.com/campoakhurstnj](https://www.facebook.com/campoakhurstnj)

CAMP OAKHURST

Phone: 732.531.0215

Fax: 732.531.0292



Camp Oakhurst Staff:

Charles Sutherland, Director of Services & Operations

Lori Schenck, Assistant Director of Services

Donna Albanese, Placement Coordinator

**CAMP
OAKHURST
2016-2017**

111 Monmouth Rd. Oakhurst, NJ 07755

RESPIRE

Schedule



N.Y.S.H.

The mission of NYSH is to enhance the quality of life for children and adults with special needs, including autism and physical and intellectual disabilities, and provide respite for their families through a year round camp experience, based in Monmouth County, NJ.

Camp Oakhurst's vision is to be a preeminent resource to provide safe, accepting, and accessible service that allow its clients to gain confidence, reach their potential, and build a community of friends while enjoying all that camp has to offer.

Traditional Adult Respite

Wed-Wed 9/28- 10/5	7 Days	Pirate Pool Bash
Mon-Mon 10/17-10/24	7 Days	Green Meadows Farms Pumpkin Patch
Wed-Wed 11/2-11/9	7 Days	Amish Country
Mon-Mon 11/14-11/21	7 Days	Under the Stars Camp fire
Friday-Wed 12/2-12/7	5 Days	Mount Airy Lodge Casino Trip
Mon-Mon 12/12-12/19	7 Days	Broadway At Camp Oakhurst
Mon- Mon 1/23-1/30	7 Days	A Night at Camp Cinemas
Friday- Friday 2/3-2/10	7 Days	Super Bowl Bash
Friday- Friday 3/3-3/10	7 Days	CAC Meeting
Wed-Wed 3/15-3/22	7 Days	Irish Dance Party
Mon-Mon 3/27-4/3	7 Days	Flea Market, Englishtown, NJ
Wed-Mon 4/19-4/24	5 Days	Hoe-Down-Barn Party
Wed-Wed 5/3-5/10	7 Days	Smokey Joes Party
Wed-Wed 5/17-5/24	7 Days	Cape May Zoo
Wed-Wed 5/31-6/7	7 Days	BBQ/Pool Luau

Traditional Youth Respite

Fri-Wed 10/7-10/12	5 Days	Green Meadows Farm Festival
Sat-Mon 11/26-11/28	2 Days	Fall Thanksgiving Feast
Tues-Fri 12/27-12/30	3 Days	New Year's Bash
Fri-Mon 1/13-1/16	3 Days	NFL Playoffs Party
Mon-Fri 2/20-2/24	4 Days	Sweetheart Dance
Mon- Fri 4/10-4/14	4 Days	Blue Claws Game Trip



Day Respite Care

Day Respite care is available for school-age children after school, on many weekends, and school breaks. Homework help is available, along with therapeutic recreational activities. Limited transportation after school is available.

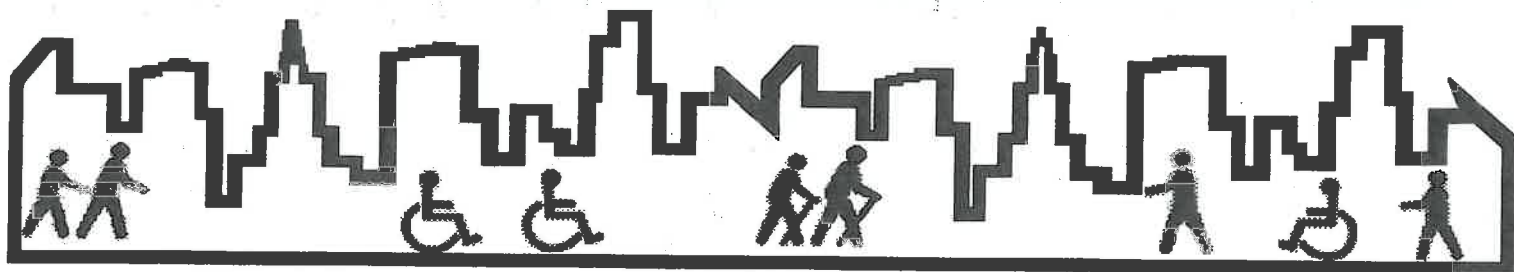
For more information, email info@nysh.org or call 732-531-0215.

Autism Respite

Fri-Sun 10/7-10/9	2 Days
Fri-Sun 10/28-10/30	2 Days
Fri-Sun 11/11-11/13	2 Days
Sat-Mon 11/26-11/28	2 Days
Fri-Sun 12/2-12/4	2 Days
Tues-Fri 12/27-12/30	3 Days
Fri- Sun 1/6-1/8	2 Days
Fri- Mon 1/13-1/16	3 Days
Mon-Fri 2/20-2/24	4 Days
Fri-Sun 3/17-3/19	2 Days
Mon-Fri 4/10-4/14	4 Days
Fri-Sun 4/21-4/23	2 Days
Fri-Sun 5/19-5/22	3 Days

Additional sessions may be made available throughout the season. Respite may be cancelled or re-scheduled due to inclement weather.

MANHATTAN FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICES ADVISORY COUNCIL



For family members of people with developmental disabilities and self-advocates with developmental disabilities!

Join with other Manhattan family members and individuals to build a better life for people with developmental disabilities and their families. **Developmental disabilities** include intellectual disabilities, autism, cerebral palsy, epilepsy, and neurological impairments.

Come and Be Empowered:

- Learn about the many services that can help your family
- Help us advise the state and city about needed services
- Meet other family members and people with disabilities
- Advocate with us for more and better services

Spanish or Cantonese interpretation provided if requested by January 9. Contact Margaret at 212-799-2042 or Margaret.puddington@gmail.com to request interpretation.

Sexuality Issues—Your Worries Addressed!

Sure, we want our children to lead normal lives, but some aspects can be scary for parents. Come and learn from **Connie Senior**, Assistant Coordinator of Sex Education, YAI, an expert on sexuality issues affecting individuals with developmental disabilities. Connie will discuss how to promote appropriate sexual behavior, teach skills, and decrease inappropriate behaviors. This is an opportunity to speak frankly and get your questions answered!

Wednesday, January 18, 2017

10:00 AM – 12:00 NOON

CENTER FOR FAMILY SUPPORT

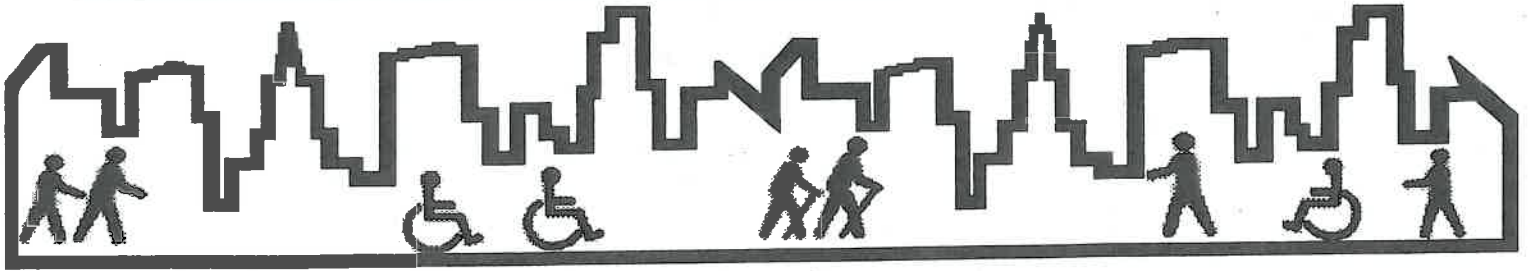
**333 SEVENTH AVENUE (AT 28TH STREET), 9TH FLOOR
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10001**

SUBWAY: 1 TO 28TH STREET. 2, 3, A, C, E, N, R, Q, B, D, F TO 34TH STREET. BUS: DOWNTOWN: 7, 20 TO 28TH STREET/7TH AVENUE; 4 TO 32ND STREET/7TH AVENUE. UPTOWN: 20 TO 28TH STREET/8TH AVENUE; 5, 7 TO 28TH STREET/6TH AVENUE. CROSSTOWN: 23 TO 23RD STREET/7TH AVENUE; 34, 34A TO 34TH STREET/7TH AVENUE.

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED

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MANHATTAN FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICES ADVISORY COUNCIL



Padres de niños con discapacidades de desarrollo:

Reunase con otras familias y individuos de Manhattan para construir una vida mejor para las personas con discapacidades de desarrollo y sus familiares. **Discapacidades de desarrollo** incluyen: discapacidad intelectual, autismo, parálisis cerebral, epilepsia, e impedimento neurológico.

Venga y Sientase Poderosa:

- Aprenda sobre muchos servicios que le pueden ayudar a su familia.
- Ayúdenos a aconsejar al estado y la ciudad sobre los servicios necesarios.
- Forme una red de comunicación con otras familias y individuos.
- Abogar con nosotros para más y mejores servicios.

Si necesita interpretación durante la reunión es necesario avisarle a Margaret al 212-799-2042 or Margaret.puddington@gmail.com antes de 9 de enero del 2017.

Preguntas Sobre La Sexualidad—¡Sus Preocupaciones Atendidas!

Por supuesto, queremos que nuestros hijos lleven una vida normal, pero algunos de los aspectos de la vida, en sí, pueden ser aterradores para los padres. Venga y aprenda de la mano de **Connie Senior**, asistente coordinadora de educación sexual de YAI, una experta en temas de la sexualidad que afectan a individuos con discapacidades de desarrollo. Connie nos hablará y nos enseñará cómo inculcar conductas sexuales apropiadas y cómo disminuir las inapropiadas. ¡Aproveche, esta es una oportunidad para hablar con franqueza y que sus preguntas sean finalmente respondidas!

MIÉRCOLES, 18 DE ENERO DEL 2017

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

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