

Respite: Emergency

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. Emergency respite may be provided in the home, at a family care home, or at a respite center.

Agency	Address	Contact	Population Served	Description of Program
ADAPT Community Network	1822 Stillwell Ave. Bronx, NY 10469	Sita Boodram T: 718-652-9790 x294 E: sboodram@adaptcommunitynet.org	Waiver eligible persons with DD. Ages 3 and up, including non-ambulatory & severely & profoundly ID.	Overnight respite up to 30 days/year. Can only stay up to 2 weeks at a time (14 days in emergency situations). Transportation provided for Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens & Staten Island. Wheelchair accessible.
Camp Oakhurst/NYSH	111 Monmouth Rd. Oakhurst, NJ 07755	Charles Sutherland T: 732-531-0215 or 804-467-9319 W: www.nysh.org	Individuals, ages 7-adult, with physical and/or developmental disabilities, including autism	Emergency out-of-home overnight respite at Camp Oakhurst. Available Sept-June (i.e. due to illness, hospitalization or death of a caregiver, housing transitions). Length of stay flexible. Eligibility based on medical needs, available staffing, OPWDD eligibility.
New York Foundling Crisis Nursery	590 Ave. of the Americas 8th Floor New York, NY 10011	T: 212-886-4000 T: Parent Helpline 212-472-8555 T: 24 hours hotline 888-HELP553 W: www.nyfoundling.org/crisis-nursery-helpline	Parents of children, ages 0-10, up to 12 if accompanied by younger sibling. No severe disabilities or serious behavioral issues	Crisis Intervention center-based respite for children of parents and families in crisis. Spanish spoken. No fee.
Sinergia	2082 Lexington Ave. 3 rd Floor New York, NY 10035	Dahiana Valerio T: 212-643-2840 x351 E: dvalerio@sinergiany.org W: www.sinergiany.org	Individuals with DD & their families	Overnight respite. Wheelchair accessible. Spanish spoken.
YAI	460 W. 34th St. 11th Floor New York, NY 10001	T: YAI LINK 212-273-6182 E: link@yai.org W: www.yai.org	People with DD and their families	Emergency Respite Fund: Funds available to reimburse for temporary caregiving for persons with DD during extreme family emergencies such as hospitalization of the parent. Funds can be used for staffing and other necessities related to the emergency.
YAI	319 W. 16th St. 3rd Floor New York, NY 10011	T: YAI LINK 212-273-6182 E: link@yai.org W: www.yai.org	People, ages 4+, with DD who are ambulatory	Out of home overnight respite during extreme family emergencies such as hospitalization of parent. Available when respite house is open for services. Persons must be already deemed eligible by OPWDD services.