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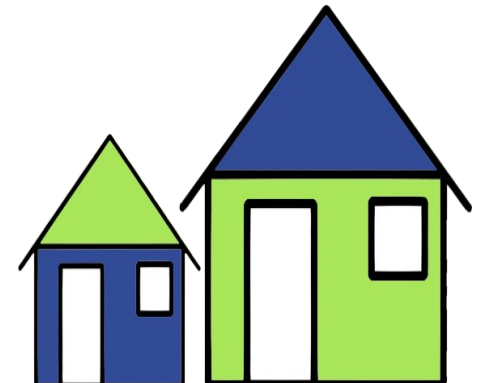
INTEGRATED MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

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COMMUNITY RESIDENTIAL REHABILITATION SERVICES (CRRS)

Arc Human Services Community Residential Rehabilitation Services program provides a stable and supportive setting for persons with serious mental illness.

Residents live in a home-like setting where they receive counseling and rehabilitation appropriate to individual levels of function, which enables the resident to progress at their own pace from the transitional living situation to living independently in the community.

Supervised living allows residents to obtain assistance and support in the least restrictive setting, limiting the need for more restrictive services.

Each resident is assigned a caseworker who oversees the individual's goal plan, progress and functioning, facilitates the attainment of goals, and acts as a liaison with other agencies. Guidance in educational and vocational training opportunities are an important facet of the program.

Residents are referred to social service, vocational, recreational, and medical agencies in the community as appropriate. Follow-up may be provided to clients for six months following termination from the program.

Referrals are accepted from the Base Service Units and authorized by the County. This program is funded primarily under a contract with the Washington County BHDS and Greene County Human Services Program.

Services are provided without regard to race, sex, gender identification, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, religion or lack thereof.

ADMISSIONS CRITERIA

WE DO CONSIDER APPLICANTS WHO ARE:

- ◆ 18 - 65 years of age
- ◆ Residents of Washington County
- ◆ Diagnosed with a primary mental health disorder
- ◆ Active consumers of a Base Service Unit
- ◆ Willing to plan for the future and have an idea of goals they wish to attain
- ◆ Able to foresee independent life in the community
- ◆ Dually diagnosed

WE DO NOT CONSIDER APPLICANTS WHO ARE:

- ◆ In need of an emergency shelter
- ◆ In a mental state which would render them incapable of cooperating in their rehabilitation plan

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

ARC HUMAN SERVICES SERVES PEOPLE OF ALL AGES WITH INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND MENTAL ILLNESS IN A MANNER THAT ALLOWS THEM TO FULFILL THEIR AMBITIONS, PROTECTS THEIR RIGHTS, AND FOSTERS MEANINGFUL RELATIONSHIPS AT HOME, AT WORK, AND IN THEIR COMMUNITIES.

SPECIALIZED HOUSING

Arc Human Services also coordinates with other counties and communities to provide specialized housing to individuals with mental illness. The specialized housing programs are able to address and meet the unique needs of individuals with mental illness.

MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORTIVE HOUSING PROGRAM

Through its contract with Washington County BHDS, Arc Human Services provides consumers with mental illness and/or co-occurring substance abuse disorders with Housing Case Management as well as limited financial assistance to procure and maintain independent living arrangements both alone or in a shared environment according to the consumer's choice. Case managers assist with finding a safe, affordable location, interpretation of leasing agreements and ongoing landlord-tenant negotiations.

A variety of other services are provided when appropriate such as budget counseling, linkage to utility assistance programs and other community resources (food pantries, etc.), acquisition of furniture and other household supplies, life skills training, housing-related crisis intervention and coordination with the Base Service Unit (BSU) and other service providers. Case Managers may offer guidance with moving arrangements and may provide funds toward first month's rents and/or security deposits as well as emergency interventions.

Applicants for Mental Health Supportive Housing Services may qualify for Shelter Plus Care Programs provided through our contract with Washington County Human Services. Consumers participating in the Shelter Plus Care Programs receive similar services to those in the Mental Health Supportive Housing Program.

Referrals to the MH Supportive Housing Program are done through the Base Service Units and authorized by the Washington County BHDS Office.