

HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON SEPTA RESOURCE GUIDE

*A guide of medical, psychological, social, educational and extracurricular
resources in and near-by to Westchester*

*Put together by the Hastings-on-Hudson Special Education Parent Teacher Association.
Please note that this is neither a guide of all available resources in Westchester,
nor an endorsement of services.
We hope this is a helpful tool in your search for resources and support.*

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Resource Guide

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BEHAVIORAL THERAPISTS

CBCW - Center for Cognitive and Behavioral Therapy

<http://www.cognitivebehavioralconsultants.com>

1 North Broadway, Suite 704

White Plains, NY 10601

T: (914) 385-1150

F: (914) 385-1155

Email: info@cognitivebehavioralconsultants.com

CBC of Westchester a private group practice of internationally recognized mental health professionals who specialize in Cognitive Behavior Therapy and Dialectical Behavior Therapy, and provide the highest quality of clinical, consultation, and coaching services. As a group of dedicated clinicians and researchers, we are committed to helping clients identify goals, overcome obstacles, and resolve problems that may be impeding their lives.

Services include: Consultation, diagnostic evaluation, psychological and neuropsychological testing, individual therapy, family therapy, skills training, assertiveness skills, communication skills, emotion regulation skills, mindfulness skills, social skills, interpersonal effectiveness skills.

Dr. Grace Kalfus

www.childbehaviortherapy.org

Child Behavior Therapy Associates, LLP

600 Mamaroneck Ave., #108

Harrison, NY 10528

T: (914) 235-2800

Child Behavior Therapy Associates, LLP is a private group practice of licensed psychologists developed to help children and families cope with normal developmental concerns as well as to provide assessment and intervention services for clinically significant problems. They provide services in Cognitive Behavior Therapy, parenting skills training, play attention, psychological testing, consultation, and behavior therapy and applied behavior analysis.

CAMPS AND SUMMER PROGRAMS

Internet information on camps for children with Autistic Spectrum Disorder: www.acacamps.org (click on "find a camp" and then select "special needs") or call the American Camping Association at 1-800-428-2267 for an annual directory.

Camp Hidden

Sponsored by The Fresh Air Fund, www.freshair.org

Camping Department at The Fresh Air Fund

(212) 897-8979 / 1-800-367-0003

Fishkill, NY

Camp for children with disabilities ranging from Autism to Attention Disorders.

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Camp Huntington

www.camphuntington.com

High Falls, New York

T: (855) 707-2267

Michael Bednarz

mbednarz@camphuntington.com

Special needs residential camp for ages 6-21. This camp offers three programs: 1) Recreation and social skills development for children with learning disabilities, attention deficit disorders, including hyperactivity; 2) Individuals with developmental disabilities; and 3) Participation for children with autism, Asperger's and PDD.

Camp Kiwanis

www.kampkiwanis.org

Taberg, New York

T: (315) 336-4568

kamp@kampkiwanis.org

Inclusion, residential camp for children 8-14 (with and without developmental needs) including full range of activities including: instructional swim, field trips, canoeing, and arts and crafts. Camp offered in one-week sessions.

Camp Ramapo for Children

<http://www.ramapoforchildren.org>

PO Box 266

Route 52/Salisbury Turnpike

Rhinebeck, NY 12572

T: (845) 876-8403, or NYC office (212) 754-7003

office@ramapoforchildren.org

Founded in 1922, Ramapo for Children is a nationally recognized, not-for-profit organization serving children with special needs. Ramapo's mission is to serve children with a wide range of emotional, behavioral and learning disabilities in a dynamic and stimulating outdoor environment, providing educational and recreational experiences that promote social, emotional, physical and intellectual growth.

Eagle Hill School Summer Program

<http://www.eaglehillschool.org/summer-programs/index.cfm>

45 Glenville Road

Greenwich, CT 06831

T: (203) 622-9240

Contact: Academic Program Co-Directors Deane Flood (d.flood@eaglehill.org) or Shannon Milligan (s.milligan@eaglehill.org), or Afternoon Activities Director Brian Dayton (b.dayton@eaglehill.org)

Summer academic & afternoon activity programs for kids 6- to 11-years-old for students of varying interests & skill levels.

JCC of Mid-Westchester

<http://jccmw.org/kids-and-family/special-needs/general-information/>

999 Wilmot Road

Scarsdale, NY 10583

T: (914) 472-3300

The Jewish Community Center of Mid-Westchester offers private and state funded half-day options are available for children 2.5-6 years of age. Integrated programs (for ages 4-12 years) are available through Camp Gadol with specially trained staff.

NYU Summer Program for Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder

www.AboutOurKids.org/content/nyu_summer_program_kids

Located at College of New Rochelle

Dr. Karen Fleiss

T: (516) 358-1811

Summer program designed for children with ADHD.

It is an eight-week, all-day therapeutic clinical program based on research effectiveness.

The program has an outstanding counselor to child ratio, with one counselor for every one to two children. Counselors are undergraduate/graduate students who are selected based on their educational background and experience working with children. Counselors receive specialized training in behavior modification, social skills training and classroom management by our team of clinical psychologists.

Areas of focus include classroom behavior, cooperation, academic performance and social skills, as well as athletic skills. Academic remediation/enrichment is offered for children based on individual learning needs. Parents are also taught specialized parenting skills to enhance parent-child relations.

North East Westchester Special Recreation

www.northeastsspecialrec.org

63 Bradhurst Avenue

Hawthorne, NY 10532

T: (914) 347-4409

F: (914) 347-5054

North East Westchester Special Recreation, incorporated in 1981, is a community-based therapeutic recreation agency serving children and adults with developmental disabilities in the northeast portion of Westchester County. North East is the second largest agency of its kind in the State of New York and has gained local and state-wide attention for the quality and novelty of programs and services. They provide a variety of recreation programming for children and adults with developmental disabilities. Their programs are offered to individuals based on age and ability and are available on weekday afternoons, evenings and Saturdays with programming ranging

Our Victory Day Camp

www.ourvictory.com

Fred Tunick, Director

Dobbs Ferry, New York

T: (203) 329-3394 and 1 800 919-3394

Summer only 914.674.4841

ourvictory@aol.com

Our Victory is a seven-week day camp for children ages 5-12 with special needs such as attention deficit and learning disabilities. They have a 3 to 1 camper-staff ratio and run small groups of 9 with focus on social skills development, as well as traditional day camp activities.

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Southeast Consortium for Special Services

<http://www.secrec.org>

740 West Boston Post Rd. Suite 312

Mamaroneck, NY 10543

T: (914) 698-5232

Southeast Consortium for Special Services provides one-to-one aides for special needs kids at the Scarsdale Rec Camp.

Windward School Summer Program

<http://www.thewindwardschool.org/academics/windward-summer-program>

13 Windward Avenue

White Plains, NY 10605

T: (914) 949-6968 x 1250

Contact: Chris Eberhard, Assistant Head of Middle School and Director of the Summer School

The Windward School Summer Program is designed for students in third through ninth grades who want to improve their skills in reading, writing, study and organizational skills, math or science. Classes are taught by Windward instructors at the School's beautiful Red Oak Lane campus in White Plains.

DEVELOPMENTAL PEDIATRICS

Dr. Stephen Cowan

<http://www.stephencowanmd.com>

The Westchester Center for Holistic Families

491 Lexington Avenue

Mt. Kisco, NY 10049

T: (914) 882-9335

Stephen Cowan MD is a board-certified pediatrician with 25 years of clinical experience working with children. He has a subspecialty in Developmental Pediatrics and has developed a unique holistic approach to evaluating and treating children struggling with chronic physical, emotional and cognitive disorders. Considering the child as a reflection of the inter-related forces of family and environment is the central focus of his practice. This approach respects the inseparability of mind, body and spirit and promotes a deeper understanding of what it means to be healthy.

Dr. Cecelia McCarton

<http://www.mccartoncenter.com>

The McCarton Center

350 East 82nd Street #1

New York, New York 10028

T: (212) 996-9019

The McCarton Center for Developmental Pediatrics is a multidisciplinary center dedicated to assessment, diagnosis and treatment of children with developmental disabilities and special needs. It offers a unique, integrated, approach for children with developmental disorders. Based on its Integrated Model, the McCarton Center provides not only assessment and diagnoses, but also an individual plan for each child. This may combine a variety of therapies including aspects of speech and language therapy, fine and gross motor therapy, sensory integration therapy, socialization with peers, developmental play skills and applied behavior analysis (ABA) therapy.

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DYSLEXIA RESOURCES

Tutoring & Summer Programs:

Camp Dunnabeck (at the Kildonan School)

<http://www.kildonan.org/page.cfm?p=360>

425 Morse Hill Road

Amenia, NY 12501

T: (845) 373-8111

A six-week summer camp (day or sleep away) combining academic tutoring and typical camp activities. Utilizes Orton-Gillingham instructional approach and is one-on-one. Schedules may vary, but typically including reading instruction, study skills and math. For children ages 8 through 16.

Eagle Hill School Greenwich

<http://www.eaglehillschool.org/summer-programs/summer-remedial-program.cfm>

45 Glenville Road

Greenwich, CT 06831

T: (203) 622-9240

Contact: Thomas Cone, t.cone@eaglehill.org

A five-week summer program of small-group instruction typically in reading, writing, math and other classes (schedules may vary). Reading instruction utilizes a multi sensory approach and is typically taught by Eagle Hill teachers. Extended day program is available. For children ages 6 through 14.

Eagle Hill School Hardwick

<http://www.ehs1.org/Page/Summer>

P.O. Box 116

Hardwick, MA 01037

T: (413) 477-6000

F: (413) 477-6837

A five-week sleep away summer camp combining academic tutoring and typical camp activities. Schedules may vary.

EBL Coaching

<http://www.eblcoaching.com/>

New York location:

17 E 89th Street, Suite 1D

New York, NY 10128

T: (212) 249-0147

F: (212) 937-2305

New Jersey Location:

50 E Palisade Avenue, Suite 201

Englewood, NJ 07631

T: (201) 567-8988

After-school and summer tutoring utilizing research-based, multi-sensory, Orton-Gillingham instruction for grades PreK-12. Tutoring is one-on-one, includes focuses on multi-sensory math, study skills, executive functioning skills, reading and writing, dyslexia and learning disabilities education, and early childhood learning skills. Tutoring is available both on-site and in-home.

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Lindamood-Bell Learning Processes

<http://www.lindamoodbell.com/>

2 Overhill Road #340

Scarsdale, NY 10583

T: (212) 644-0650 or 800 300-1818

Scarsdale, NY (and multiple other centers)

Afterschool and summer tutoring in a multi sensory approach. Lindamood-Bell focuses on dyslexia, ADD, auditory processing disorder, hyperlexia and autism. Their tutoring teaches children and adults to read, spell, and comprehend, focusing on the development of language processing skills. Instructional schedules may vary but typically involve intense, daily schedule of one-on-one tutoring.

Summer programs: <http://www.lindamoodbell.com/learning-centers/summer-reading-program/>

New Jersey Dyslexia Centers

<http://childrensdyslexiacenters.org/Home.aspx>

Locations in CT and NJ

T: (877) 861-8518 or (781) 862-8518

A tutor-training program that offers free Orton-Gillingham after-school tutoring to students with Dyslexia. Students must commit to attending all tutoring sessions. Tutors are generally teachers undergoing supervised training in Orton-Gillingham. The program is certified by the International Multisensory Structured Language Education Council (IMSLEC) and the International Dyslexia Association.

Windward School Summer Program

<http://www.thewindwardschool.org/academics/windward-summer-program>

13 Windward Avenue

White Plains, NY 10605

T: (914) 949-6968

A four-week summer program of small-group instruction, typically in reading, math and elective classes. Reading instruction utilizes a multi sensory approach and is typically taught by Windward School teachers.

EDUCATIONAL CONSULTING & TRANSITION SERVICES

Educational Resources Unlimited & Consulting for Special Needs

<http://www.EducationalResourcesUnlimited.com>

<http://www.ConsultingForSpecialNeeds.com>

9 Edgemont Road

Katonah, NY 10536

T: (914) 232-4000

Educational Resources Unlimited, a partnership between Lucy Pritzker, MS of Consulting for Special Needs, and Barbara Posner, MA, has served families seeking alternative education programs for their children for over ten years. They work with students from elementary through high school and postgraduation, and can provide referrals to supportive day/boarding schools for students with learning differences, emotional growth schools, therapeutic boarding schools and residential treatment centers, as well as wilderness programs, hospitalization or rehabilitation placements and postsecondary options.

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EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Backyard Sports

<http://www.byardsports.com>

75 South Broadway, Suite 453

White Plains, NY 10601

T: (914) 304-4052

Backyard Sports provides weekend and after school sports instruction and game play for boys and girls ages 4-16 years old. Programs are designed for every child who desires a positive and healthy sports experience. Many programs will appeal to the "gifted" athlete and promote the idea of elevating the child to "the next level." However, these programs ignore the single most important aspect of the child athlete: their social and emotional needs. Both experts and coaches at the highest level of sports agree that emotional not mechanical development is what is most important during the childhood and adolescent years.

JCC of Mid-Westchester

<http://jccmw.org/kids-and-family/special-needs/general-information/>

999 Wilmot Road

Scarsdale, NY 10583

T: (914) 472-3300

The Jewish Community Center of Mid-Westchester offers enrichment programs such as social skills, Tai Chi, gymnastics, theater, art, music, sports and more that are appropriate for children with ADHD, speech/language delays, learning disabilities, Autism Spectrum Disorder or any social and emotional problems. Sibling work-shops are also available.

JCC on the Hudson

<http://www.jcconthehudson.org/youth-teens/activities-for-youth-teens-with-special-needs/>

371 South Broadway

Tarrytown, NY 10591

T: (914) 366-7898

Contact Mindy, (914) 366-7898, ext. 108

The Jewish Community Center on the Hudson hosts both inclusive and self-contained programs for all individuals with special needs. With handicapped accessible facilities and professional staff, they host classes and programs for children, as well as counseling and support for families. They host a number of activities and programs for children from Kindergarten to high school, including community service, outings, small groups.

Miracle League of Westchester

<http://www.mlwny.org>

15 Fisher Lane, Suite 200

White Plains, NY 10603

The Miracle League of Westchester County's mission is to establish and sustain baseball programs for people (of all ages) with disabilities. Our objective is to provide an opportunity for those individuals to experience the joy and benefits that come from playing our national pastime.

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HEALTH & WELLNESS

Seth Pearl, Optimal Health and Development Center

<http://drsethpearl.com>

2179 Boston Post Road

Larchmont, NY 10538

T: (914) 777-3200

Dr. Seth Pearl is a chiropractor and nutritionist who aims to bring his patients a better and healthier way of life. Dr. Pearl offers chiropractic care, nutritional counseling, corrective exercises, physiotherapy, lifestyle advice and spinal & postural screening. He additionally uses chiropractic techniques with patients with AD(H)D and Autism to take a new approach at enhancing their health and wellbeing.

NEUROPSYCH EVALUATIONS

Center for Autism and the Developing Brain

www.nyp.org/services/center-autism-developing-brain.html

New York Presbyterian Hospital/ Westchester

21 Bloomingdale Rd.

White Plains, NY 10605

T: (914) 997-5848

The Center for Autism and the Developing Brain provides comprehensive care in a single setting for individuals living with autism spectrum disorders (ASD) and other developmental disorders of the brain. It is a collaborative program between New York-Presbyterian, Weill Cornell Medical College, and Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, in partnership with New York Collaborates for Autism. CADB offers a variety of clinical services to children and adults with autism spectrum disorders (ASD) and other developmental disorders. The clinical team at CADB is committed to conducting comprehensive evaluations, providing evidence-based treatment programs, consulting with community providers, all with an eye towards integrating care across the lifespan.

Child Mind Institute

www.childmind.org

445 Park Avenue

New York, NY 10022

T: (212) 308-3118

The Child Mind Institute is dedicated to transforming mental health care for children everywhere. Founded by Dr. Harold S. Koplewicz and Brooke Garber Neidich, our organization is committed to finding more effective treatments for childhood psychiatric and learning disorders, building the science of healthy brain development, and empowering children and their families with help, hope, and answers. The Child Mind Institute does not accept funding from the pharmaceutical industry.

Columbia University Department of Neurology, Clinical Neuropsychology Service
www.columbiaclinicalneuropsych.org

The Neurological Institute of New York
710 West 168th Street
New York, NY 10032

Columbia's Clinical Neuropsychology Service provides comprehensive neuropsychological assessment for children, adolescents, adults, and elderly populations. The Neuropsychology Service welcomes referrals from neurologists, psychiatrists, and other medical professionals from Columbia University Medical Center and the community at large. Their pediatric/Adolescent services include ADHD, learning disorders, genetic disorders and congenital neurologic conditions, developmental delays, seizure disorder/epilepsy, concussion, psychiatric disorders.

NYU Child Study Center
www.aboutourkids.org

1 Park Avenue, 7th Floor
New York, NY 10016
T: (212) 263-6622

The Center was founded in 1997 to improve the treatment of child psychiatric disorders through scientific practice, research, and education, and to eliminate the stigma of being or having a child with a psychiatric disorder. The Center has made major strides towards fulfilling this mission: its research, clinical, educational, and community services have expanded and grown in new directions. In the face of increased threats to security and safety, The Center's work has highlighted the importance of strengthening resilience in all children as a preventive strategy to enhance and protect their psychological well-being. The Center will continue to work for increased awareness of child mental health issues, new knowledge, new treatments, and better care to help give children back their childhood.

NEUROPSYCHOLOGISTS

Dr. Stacy Berrin

1 Taymil Road
New Rochelle, NY 10804
T: (914) 715-7038

stacybs65@aol.com

Works with all types of suspected or known developmental disabilities, psychiatric disorders, brain damage, neurological disorders, and dementia. Welcomes clients with both challenging issues, as well as clients who simply need elucidation and documentation of a well-known difficulty.

Dr. Alexandra DeGeorge

577 1st Avenue
New York, NY 10016
T: (212) 263-2755
F: (212) 263-0990

Alexandra DeGeorge, M.Ed., Psy.D. is a clinical psychologist with expertise in diagnostic assessment and treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorders, cognitive behavioral interventions for children and adolescents with anxiety and mood disorders, and has been intensively trained in Dialectical Behavior Therapy (DBT) for adolescents. Dr. DeGeorge is a psychologist at the Center for Autism and the Developing Brain in addition to her private practice.

(source: <http://weillcornell.org/adegeorge>)

Dr. Fern Leventhal, PhD

5 Boulanger Plaza
Hastings on Hudson, NY 10706
T: (914) 478-8395

Dr. Dana Luck

34 South Broadway
White Plains, NY 10601
T: (914) 997-5151

Dr. Risa Tabacoff

www.daic.org

Developmental Assessment & Intervention Center
83 Adams Street
Bedford Hills, NY 10507
T: (914) 666-7687
F: (914) 666-3666

risatabacoff@aol.com

DAIC offers comprehensive speech/language therapy, corrective strategies, individual, group and family therapy and psychoeducational and neuropsychological testing. DAIC's expert testing reveals specific disorders, areas of concern and giftedness that impact academic, social and emotional development for ages 0 and up, including learning disabilities, Asperger's Disorder, communication difficulties, ADHD, pervasive developmental disorders, giftedness, Oppositional Defiant Disorder, behavior problems, anxiety disorders, OCD, ADD and Dyslexia. First consultations may be free.

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY/SENSORY INTEGRATION

Linda Golden-Marx

20 Leslie Place
New Rochelle, NY 10804
T: (914) 632-2597
OTLingm@aol.com

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PARENT SUPPORT AND ADVOCACY

Marcella Moran, MA, LMHC

www.thekidorganizer.com

111 North Central Ave Suite 410

Hartsdale, NY 10530

T: (914) 522-6798

Marcella Moran, MA, LMHC is a licensed psychotherapist who works with families to develop positive strategies for students who are disorganized. Her services include: psychotherapy, academic tutoring, coaching, ADHD support, college students support, remedial reading/writing.

Linda Richmand, Life Coach

(914) 330-9103

lsrichmand@aol.com

Linda Richmand is a certified Empowerment and Life Coach, specializes in working with adults with ADD (or ADD symptoms) and parents whose children have been diagnosed with ADD and/or Learning Disabilities. She coaches parents to be more effective advocates for their children; to achieve healthy perspectives and realistic expectations; and to learn Life Coaching skills to empower their children at home.

Jennifer Ruoff

CSW, MS Ed

914.591.2225

Jennifer@ruoff.us

Jennifer Ruoff provides counseling for children and families with special needs as well as running bimonthly support group for parents of children elementary age and under with special needs. Jennifer is also a special education advocate, helping parents navigate through the special education system.

Student Advocacy

3 West Main Street, Suite #212

Elmsford, NY 10523-2414

T: (914) 347-7039

<http://www.studentadvocacy.net>

PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY

Dr. Paul Chu

www.ryekids.com

Rye Pediatric Dentistry

130 Theodore Fremd Ave., Suite #M2

Rye, NY 10580

T: (914) 967-0000

care@ryekids.com

Rye Kids is a pediatric dental practice that is specially certified in treating infants, children, young adults, and those with special needs and strives to do so in a calming environment.

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Scarsdale Pediatric Dentists

www.scarsdalepediatricdental.com

777 Old Post Rd

Scarsdale, NY 10543

T: (914) 472-9090

info@scarsdalepediatricdental.com

Scarsdale Pediatric Dentists is a full practice for both typical and special needs children. With all of their dentists trained in the behavioral aspects of children, they are very gentle and child friendly. They specialize in both pediatric dentistry and orthodontics.

PRIVATE SCHOOLS

Eagle Hill School

<http://www.eaglehillschool.org>

45 Glenville Road

Greenwich, CT 06831

T: (203) 622-9240

Eagle School Hill offers children with language-based learning disabilities the opportunity to grow into capable, resourceful students, with a great goal of enabling them to meet challenges they will face as life-long learners. The school offers a language-based, remedial program committed to educating children with learning disabilities. Their curriculum is individualized, interdisciplinary, and transitional in nature. They aim to create an environment that recognizes and embraces diversity, and provides a structured, secure, nurturing environment to support and stimulate the development of their students.

Windward School

<http://www.thewindwardschool.org/>

13 Windward Avenue

White Plains, NY 10605

T: (914) 949-6968

The Windward School is a coeducational, independent day school dedicated to providing a proven instructional program for children with language-based learning disabilities. The multisensory curriculum is designed for students of average to superior intelligence who can benefit from the unique educational experience provided. Through direct instruction in small class settings, a trained staff assists students to improve their language skills. Academic success, combined with opportunities for social and emotional growth within an intentionally diverse and inclusive setting, enables students to understand their learning styles, build confidence, and develop self-advocacy skills. Windward is committed to helping students achieve their full potential in preparation for a successful return to a mainstream educational environment. To meet these goals, the School provides ongoing training to its faculty based on the most current research and shares its expertise with the parent body, other educators, and the broader community.

JCC of Mid-Westchester, Towards Tomorrow Preschool Programs

<http://jccmw.org/kids-and-family/special-needs/general-information/>

999 Wilmot Road

Scarsdale, NY 10583

T: (914) 472-3300

In addition to providing evaluations, SEIT and other related services, the Jewish Community Center of Mid-Westchester's Special Needs Department offers a variety of programs for children 3-6 years of age.

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The “Toward Tomorrow Preschool Program” best serves children who have delays in communication, motor and/or social development, and is licensed by the New York State Department of Education.

PSYCHIATRY - Focus on Children and Adolescents

Dr. Lee Cohen

623 Warburton Avenue
Hastings-on-Hudson, NY 10706
T: (914) 478-1330

Dr. Joseph Damore

81 Cottage Terrace
Bedford Hills, NY 10507
T: (914) 666-0766

Dr. Sharron Dupler

547 Saw Mill River Road
Ardsley, NY 10502
T: (914) 693-5406

Dr. Candida Fink

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4 Stanton Circle
New Rochelle, NY 10801
T: (877) 534-1090

carol@finkshrink.com

Psychiatrist Candida Fink, MD, specializes in child and adolescent psychiatry, with expertise in autism, pediatric bipolar disorder, and mental health issues in school settings. She specifically works with: child and adolescent psychopharmacology, pediatric mood and anxiety disorders, developmental disabilities, and school consultations. She is also the co-author of *The Ups and Downs of Raising a Bipolar Child* and *Bipolar Disorder for Dummies*.

Dr. Kareem Ghalib

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Dr. Kareem Ghalib is board certified in Adult, Adolescent and Child Psychiatry. He completed his psychiatry training at the New York Presbyterian Hospital, the New York State Institute and Columbia University's Department of Psychiatry, where he remains on faculty.

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Mount Kisco, New York 10549

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Dr. Militza Stevanovic

260 Garth Road

Scarsdale, NY 10583

T: (914) 472-5354

Dr. Jonathan Slater

<http://jonathanslater.com>

One Bridge Street

Irvington, NY 10533

T: (914) 591-4040

Dr. Slater maintains a private practice specializing in pediatric psychopharmacology, psychotherapy and the interface between psychiatric and medical illness. He received his B.A. from Harvard University and his M.D. from the Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons and is triple board certified in Psychiatry, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, and Psychosomatic Medicine. He is a Clinical Professor of Psychiatry in Pediatrics at the Columbia University College of Physicians & Surgeons where he has served as the Chief of Pediatric Psychiatry Consultation-Liaison for more than twenty years.

PSYCHOLOGISTS/SOCIAL WORKERS

Sheri Baron, Ph.D

www.SheriBaronPhD.com

185 Millwood Road

Chappaqua, NY 10514

T: (914) 762-2058

Sbaron2001@aol.com

Clinical psychologist who sees patients in practice. Specializes in children with learning disabilities, including autism spectrum disorder.

Robert C. Bartlett, Ph.D.

www.drboobbartlett.com

297 Knollwood Road, Suite 208

White Plains, NY 10607

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Dramatic Pragmatics is known for its “Dramatic Pragmatic” social language groups, which were created to improve language-based social thinking and to empower each student with the tools of social communication. Working on conversational skills, social problem solving, flexibility, cooperative play/teamwork while utilizing age-appropriate, engaging activities, children have fun while they are learning.

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