



Resources for Fathers and Families

Volume I



Many of the Fatherhood Resources included in this guide are available in multiple boroughs and offices throughout New York City. Please read carefully and visit the specific website for locations and additional information.

Unless referring clients to facilities that require medical insurance (e.g. drug/alcohol/ mental health treatment, etc.), most of the non-profit organizations within offer free programs and services.

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An aerial photograph of the Bronx, New York, showing a dense urban landscape. The central focus is the Yankee Stadium, a large, circular stadium with a green field and blue seating. To the right of the stadium is a soccer field with a red track. The surrounding area is filled with multi-story buildings, streets, and some greenery. A bright green horizontal bar is visible in the top left corner.

The Bronx

Fathers for Progress Inc.

Contact Information

281 East Burnside Avenue

Bronx, NY 10457

Julson Fabien

Phone: (718) 299-6500 (Ext. 1027)

Website: f4p_sbhs@yahoo.com

<https://www.fathers4progress.org/>

** No insurance is required, this is a referral program for the community.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ Employability Skills Development
- ✓ Family Support (Monthly Events / Activities)
- ✓ Computer Literacy Lab & Continuing Education (ESL Classes)
- ✓ Individual Counseling (by appointment only)
- ✓ Physical Fitness Training
- ✓ Referral Services (Childcare, Employment, Job Training, Mental Health Services, etc.)
- ✓ Referral Program for Ex-offenders
- ✓ Vocational Training (Security Services, OSHA Training, First Aid & CPR Training)
- ✓ Financial Literacy Workshops (Creating a better financial future for self and family)

The Osborne Association

Contact Information

809 Westchester Avenue

Bronx, NY 10455

Julson Fabien

Phone: (718) 707-2600

Website: info@osborneny.org

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com>

Brooklyn, Bronx and Manhattan offices

**This program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ In-prison parenting education, support for in-person and video visits to prisons and jail
- ✓ Community resources for criminal justice affected children and caregivers
- ✓ Community-based substance use disorder treatment as an alternative to incarceration or condition to parole.
- ✓ Mitigation services for defendants and defense attorneys.
- ✓ Reentry services to help formerly incarcerated parents build secure, stable lives.

HERO DADS

(Healthy, Empowered, Resilient, Open)

Contact Information

550 East 142nd Street
Bronx, NY, 10454

Phone: (917) 886-2512

Email: Tarogers@Bronxworks.org

(Email name and contact information of the father)

Locations in the Bronx, Brooklyn and Manhattan

Eligible participants are:

- 18 or older
- Non-custodial parents (or have joint custody)
- The parent of a non-custodial child under 24
- Receiving public benefits, unemployed, at or below 200% of the federal poverty line

Services Provided:

- ✓ Employment services
- ✓ Vocational skills training
- ✓ Parenting and healthy relationships education
- ✓ Child support case management assistance
- ✓ Financial education
- ✓ Peer mentorship
- ✓ Health insurance benefits screening

**This is a free program.*



HEALTHY. EMPOWERED. RESILIENT. OPEN.

Are you...

- ✓ 18 or older?
- ✓ A Non-Custodial Parent with a child younger than 24?
- ✓ Trying to improve your parenting skills?
- ✓ Unemployed or looking for a better job?

text "HERO" to
917.886.2512



@herodadsnyc

You may be eligible to participate in a research study!



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Care Management Company
UNIVERSITY DEL AWARE ASSOCIATES



Dads can do hair. And a lot of other cool things.

HERO Dads can help you strengthen your relationship with your children and build your family's financial security. And best of all, it's FREE.

EARN UP TO \$450

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Bronx Community Health Network

Contact Information

Bronx Community Health Network
One Fordham Plaza, Suite 1108
Bronx, NY 10458

Phone: 718- 405-7720

Website: <https://www.bchnhealth.org>

English/Spanish language

** Medicaid and private insurance accepted.*

(If the client does not have insurance, this organization can assist in coordinating).

Services Provided:

- ✓ Adult and Pediatric Medicine
- ✓ Obstetrics and Gynecology
- ✓ Family Planning
- ✓ HIV Primary Medical Care
- ✓ Behavioral/Mental Health Care
- ✓ Adult and Pediatric Dental Care
- ✓ Dental Preventive: Cleanings, X-rays, oral examinations
Dental Treatment: Fillings, root canal, crown, bridges
- ✓ Vision and Hearing Screening
- ✓ Sexual Health Services for Teens
- ✓ Referrals to Diagnostic and Specialty Services
- ✓ Nutrition Counseling & Health Education
- ✓ Low Cost Pharmacy

Friends to Fathers - (formerly Friends of Island Academy)

Contact Information

424 East 147th Street
Bronx, NY 10455

718- 653-5301

Contact: Robert De Jesus

Email: rdejesus@youthjustice.org

Website: <https://youthjustice.org/services>

Bronx, Brooklyn and Manhattan locations

English/Spanish

**This program and its services are free. Insurance is not required unless the father is asked to participate in mental health evaluation or drug/alcohol treatment.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ This organization works with fathers to address parenting skills, domestic violence issues, and helping them achieve their goals of becoming a healthy, dependable, engaged and supportive parent.

“

The program has opened my eyes. They have provided me with skills to manage my anger and given me the tools to become a better father.

- Michael
Program Participant

contact us

Robert De Jesus
Program Director
Friends to Fathers

(718) 653-5301

Youth Justice Network
Bronx Office
424 E. 147th Street Suite 200
Bronx, NY 10455

rdejesus@youthjustice.org

YOUTH JUSTICE NETWORK

FRIENDS to FATHERS
A Fatherhood Initiative

Friends 2 Fathers

424 East 147th Street, 2nd Floor
Bronx, New York 10455
Tel: (718) 653-5301 – Fax: (718) 653-8229
Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday 8:30am to 5:00pm
www.youthjustice.org

REFERRAL FORM

Friends 2 Fathers' Fatherhood Initiative provides services and support to noncustodial fathers in order to increase their engagement and involvement with their children, improve parenting skills, address domestic violence and anger management and facilitate employment and child support.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Non-custodial fathers who **do not live with the biological child(ren)** involved in their case(s)
Non-custodial fathers who are **18 YEARS AND OLDER**
***** Friends 2 Fathers rejects no one*****

Date: _____
Name of Referring Agency: _____
Name of Referring Contact Person: _____
Referring Agency's Phone #: _____
Name of Father being referred: _____
Father's Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Father's Phone #: _____ Email Address: _____

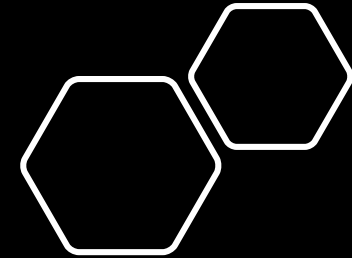
***** Due to the current health crisis, all services are conducted remotely; applicants must have an active email account, a Zoom account, and working knowledge of the ZOOM application.**

Reason for Referral (check all that Apply):

- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| Workshops: | Counseling: | Case Management Services (supportive counseling): |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parenting Skills | <input type="checkbox"/> Peer Support | <input type="checkbox"/> Bi-weekly sessions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Literacy | <input type="checkbox"/> Anger Management | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Career Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Individual | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Violence / Battersers' Accountability Course | *** (MUST BE COURT MANDATED/ORDERED!) ***
*** (26 week course) *** | |
- Please check if applicant prefers services in Spanish.

****As part of the initial assessment the referring agency MUST complete the referral form with the applicant(s) to ensure he knows why, and for what services he is being referred.****
****Parenting skills workshops (20 sessions) are required for all fathers enrolled in any of our services. ****
Please provide the applicant(s) a copy of this referral and instruct him to contact F2F via the email below to set up his intake appointment, and email this form to Mr. Robert DeJesus, Program Director rdejesus@friendsny.org
****F2F is a direct service agency, we do not provide clinical and or legal counsel to the applicants****
*****All services are free of charge ****

DIRECTIONS to FRIENDS 2 FATHERS
TAKE either the 2 or 5 Trains to 3rd Avenue – 149th Street Station.
(Bx2, Bx4, Bx4A, Bx15, Bx21, Bx19, Bx41 Select Bus Service)



“Friends to Fathers” Referral Form

Power of Two / The ABC Program

Contact Information

841 Barretto Street, Bronx, NY 10474

21 Livonia Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11212

Phone: (718) 298-4611

Website: <https://powerof2.nyc/for-families/>

**This is a free program.*

Services available:

- ✓ Power of Two provides comprehensive referrals to health and mental health resources, education programs, housing and food assistance, employment programs, childcare and financial support, among others.



Power of Two Referral Form

Referral Partner

Partner Organization:	Date referred:
Referred by (Name of person making referral):	Office phone:
	Cell phone:
	Email:
Name of Direct Supervisor:	Office phone:
	Cell phone:
	Email:

Family Details

Name of Primary Caregiver:	Relationship of Current Primary Caregiver to the Child:
Gender of Primary Caregiver:	<input type="checkbox"/> Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Parent
Home phone:	<input type="checkbox"/> Grandparent <input type="checkbox"/> Aunt/Uncle <input type="checkbox"/> Godparent
Cell phone:	<input type="checkbox"/> Cousin <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
Email:	
Address:	
Preferred Method of Contacting Primary Caregiver:	<input type="checkbox"/> Home/Cell phone <input type="checkbox"/> Email <input type="checkbox"/> Text
Best Time to Contact Primary Caregiver:	<input type="checkbox"/> Daytime <input type="checkbox"/> Evening <input type="checkbox"/> Weekend
Best Time to Visit Primary Caregiver:	<input type="checkbox"/> Daytime <input type="checkbox"/> Evening <input type="checkbox"/> Weekend

Child Details

Child's Name:	Child's Age (in months):	Child's DOB:
Child's Gender:	PO2 Case ID (for Power of Two Purposes Only):	

Family History

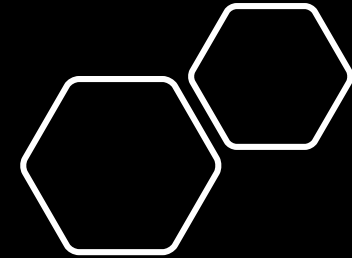
Are There Other Children in The Family:	If Yes, How Many:	Ages of Other Children:
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> 0-3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4-7 <input type="checkbox"/> 8-12 <input type="checkbox"/> 13+

Please include any details that may help us better understand the child and primary caregiver (i.e. how long have you been working with the family?, any particular areas of concern? Any information that you think may be helpful for the Parent Coach to know):

Language spoken in the home:

Will the family be in the greater Brownsville area for the duration of the ABC program (i.e. 10 weeks):
 Yes No

Please save PDF File and send referrals to: referrals@powerof2.nyc



“Power of Two” Referral Form

Rising Ground / Fatherhood Initiative

Contact Information

Reggie Mitchell, Supervisor

Phone: (718) 794-8310

Locations in Brooklyn and the Bronx

Website: Fatherhood@RisingGround.org

<https://www.risingground.org/fatherhood>/<https://www.risingground.org/fatherhood/>

**This program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ Rising Ground is a three month program designed to help fathers obtain greater insight on parenting, while also providing sessions focused on life skills impacting relationships with their children.
- ✓ The program includes twice weekly workshops, domestic violence intervention classes, co-parenting workshops, one-to-one mentoring services, employment assistance, credit repair workshops, and free monthly family activities.



Brooklyn

Coalition for Hispanic Family Services

Contact Information

315 Wyckoff Avenue, 4th Floor

Brooklyn, NY 11237

Phone: (718) 497-6090

Fax: (718) 497-9495

Email: info@hispanicfamilyservicesny.org

<https://www.hispanicfamilyservicesny.org/contact-us/>

English/Spanish language.

Services Provided:

- ✓ Foster Care and Adoption
- ✓ Family Foster Care Treatment
- ✓ Outpatient Child, Adolescent and Family Mental Health Services
- ✓ Children's Community Residence
- ✓ After School & Summer Programs
- ✓ Parenting Support Programs
- ✓ Child Abuse Prevention Workshops

**This program is free.*

The Osborne Association (Brooklyn Office)

Contact Information

175 Remsen Street
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Phone: (718) 637-6560

Email: info@osborneny.org

Website: <https://www.osborneny.org/our-services/children-families>

Brooklyn, Bronx and Manhattan offices

**This program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ In-prison parenting education, support for in-person and video visits to prisons and jails
- ✓ Community resources for criminal justice - impacted children and caregivers
- ✓ Groups for directly-affected young people
- ✓ Civic engagement opportunities
- ✓ Reentry services to help formerly incarcerated parents build secure, stable lives.

Healthy Start Brooklyn - Father Initiative Programs

Contact Information

485 Throop Avenue

Brooklyn NY 11221

844-919-1123

Contact: Emanuel Perez

Phone: (718) 637-5278

Email: Eperez12@health.nyc.gov

Website: <https://growingupnyc.cityofnewyork.us/programs/fatherhood-initiative/>

Classes for Father Initiative Programs are virtual

** This program is free. If the client is referred to additional services outside of the agency, insurance may be required.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ Co-parenting help with the child's guardian
- ✓ Parenting skills classes
- ✓ Employment and educational assistance
- ✓ Child visitation or placement help
- ✓ Assistance with child support
- ✓ Mediation and conflict resolution training
- ✓ Individual and family counseling
- ✓ Father-to-Father mentoring

SCO Family of Services - Brooklyn

Contact Information

1360 Fulton Street, Suite 300

Brooklyn, NY 11216

Phone: (929) 259-1128

Contact: Robert Antico

Website: <https://sco.org/programs/fathers-program/>

**This program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ Parenting skills classes, individual and family counseling, case management, anger management and domestic violence prevention classes, parent advocacy, child support & visitation assistance; educational and employment counseling; Father-to-Father mentoring; family budgeting; mediation and conflict resolution training.

Brooklyn Community Services (BCS)

Contact Information

151 Lawrence Street
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Phone: (718) 310-5600

Fax: (718) 855-1517

Note: Clients must attend two 2-hour sessions weekly for ten weeks. All cohorts will resume in person. Clients can be added to a waiting list, if interested. It is mandated that all referrals include a detailed summary of the case.

Please complete referral form (next slide) and return to this email address: Fatherhood@wearebcs.org.

Services Provided:

- ✓ BCS helps fathers to reconcile the roles of adolescence and fatherhood, surmounting challenges due to unemployment, homelessness, or absence due to incarceration.
- ✓ The Fatherhood Initiative assists in establishing positive, healthy, and supportive relationships with children through individual and family counseling, conflict resolution training, father-to-father mentoring, child support and visitation assistance.



FATHER 2 FATHER REFERRAL FORM
For non-custodial fathers 18 an older

Date: _____

Name: _____ DOB: _____

Age: _____

Street Address: _____ Apt: _____

City / State / Zip Code: _____

Contact No. : _____

Email address: _____

Requested Services:

- Parenting class (required) (20 classes)
Anger Management (8 classes)
Domestic Violence (12 classes)

Additional information: (Provide a DETAILED summary of this case and why the services are being requested.)

Four horizontal lines for providing additional information.

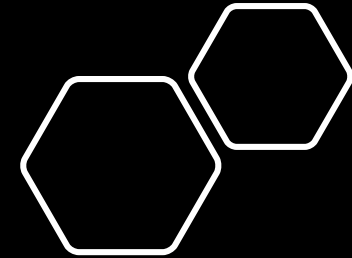
Referral Source:

Contact Person Name /Title: _____

Telephone No: _____

Email Address: _____

Send to: Fatherhood@WeAreBCS.org
929-271-2415
1835 Sterling Place, Brooklyn, NY 11233



Arches - Good Shepherd Services

Contact Information

Phone: 718-919-3938

Arches: Bedford - Stuyvesant

495 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11216

Arches: Brownsville

444 Thomas S. Boyland Street, Brooklyn, NY 11212

Arches: East New York

692 Blake Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11207

Website: <https://goodshepherds.org/program/arches/>

Services Provided:

- ✓ Arches is a group mentoring program for juvenile justice-involved youth ages 16 to 24, with the goal of helping young adults on probation end any further involvement with the criminal justice system
- ✓ The programs for teens to young adults (16 to 24 years old), meet twice monthly, for a 9 month period.

Group members are provided with:

- A hot meal
- Stipends
- Metro Cards
- Resources for Education, Job Certification, & Employment
- Mentors
- 24 hour support - participants are able to contact their mentor via phone when needed.

□ *Arches* partners with many community organizations to match clients with mentors in their neighborhoods.

ARCHES		
Organization	Neighborhood	Address
Good Shepherd Services	Brooklyn Bedford Stuyvesant	410 Gates Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11216
Good Shepherd Services	Brooklyn East New York	345 Adams Street Brooklyn, NY 11201
Good Shepherd Services	Brooklyn Brownsville	444 Thomas Boyland Street, Room 204 Brooklyn, NY 11212
Health People, Inc.	Bronx South Bronx	552 Southern Blvd., 2nd Floor Bronx, NY 10455
The Osbourne Association	Bronx South Bronx	809 Westchester Avenue Bronx, NY 10455
The Children's Village	Bronx Fordham	156 West 164th Street Bronx, NY 10452
Phipps Neighborhoods	Bronx Soundview/Castle Hill	1000 Rosedale Avenue Bronx, NY 10472
Community Mediation Services	Queens Jamaica	89-64 163rd Street Jamaica, NY 11432

Next STEPS - Good Shepherd Services

Contact Information

Next STEPS: East New York

876 Schenck Avenue,

Brooklyn, NY 11207

Phone: (929) 246-6496

Prince Joshua Avitto Community Center
(PJACC)

Service Provided:

- ✓ Next STEPS (Striving Towards Engagement and Peaceful Solutions) is a transformative mentoring intervention offering youth, ages 16 to 24, one-on-one counseling and group mentoring.
- ✓ Using a cognitive behavioral therapy curriculum, the program is designed to help young adults make the attitudinal and behavioral changes necessary to avoid criminal activity and reengage with their education, work and community.

Man Up

Contact Information

797 Van Siclen Avenue

Brooklyn, New York 11207

Phone: (718) 498-2320

Website: <http://www.manupinc.org>



Services Provided:

M.O.M. (Men Only Meetings)

- ✓ Men Only Meetings is the program's way of cultivating and educating the "brotha-hood" on a monthly basis. The men and boys of the organization convene and have manhood development conversations on an inter-generational level. They also plan community activities that promote community service, activism and volunteerism.

F.I.P.A. (Formerly Incarcerated People's Association)

- ✓ MUSA's Formerly Incarcerated People's Association (aka F.I.P.A.) meets regularly throughout the year to study and discuss mass incarceration and the prison industrial complex. One-on-One and group counseling sessions with members of the association are arranged for recently released incarcerated persons. They are established to assist with employment readiness, family reintegration, housing, and other issues that FIPs commonly face when being re-introduced to mainstream society.

Brooklyn DA's Office of Reentry

Contact Information

Phone: (718) 250-3281 (9am to 5pm)

Fax: (718) 488-6692 (Please include cover page)

Email: Reentry@BrooklynDA.org

Mail correspondence to:

KCDA Re-Entry

350 Jay Street

Brooklyn, NY 11201-2908

Visit (9am to 5pm – Appointments preferred but not required)

Re-Entry Programs Office

Municipal Building

210 Joralemon Street, 3rd Floor

(Opposite Borough Hall in Downtown Brooklyn)

Brooklynda.org/reentry/

Services Provided:

The Kings County Reentry Task Force's (KCRTF) programs work with government agencies and community re-entry partners to:

- ✓ Connect persons to services, including substance abuse treatment; anger management; job readiness workshops; high school equivalency degree classes; family services and mentor matching; life skills workshops; HIV/AIDS counseling and testing; health insurance enrollment; and clothing assistance. These programs will also assist in obtaining birth certificates and NY State Identification cards, if needed.
- ✓ Connect persons to off-site services including emergency shelters, job training opportunities, college and CASAC (Credentialed Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Counselor) class enrollment opportunities, and medical services.
- ✓ Individualize case work with consistent follow-up regarding supportive services. This helps to ensure that resources and services are successfully coordinated, utilized, and maintained.
- ✓ Eliminate any obstacles preventing clients from successfully completing parole or probation mandates.

St. Francis College Criminal Justice Reform Post Prison Program

Contact Information

Justice Initiative
180 Remsen street | Brooklyn, NY 11201

Professor Emily Horowitz | (718) 489-5446
Professor Eric Platt | (718) 489-3437

Email: Program Directors
Horowitz (ehorowitz@sfc.edu)
or Platt (eplatt@sfc.edu) to schedule an in-person
interview.

Website: <https://www.sfc.edu/academics/institutes-centers/justice-initiative>

Services Provided:

- ✓ For the formerly incarcerated, education helps reduce the risk of recidivism and opens a career path that can help break the cycle of crime and poverty.
- ✓ Aligned with the mission of St. Francis College; the Franciscan tradition and commitment is to helping underserved and first-generation students earn a degree. The Justice Initiative provides extensive academic, scholarship and mentoring support to formerly incarcerated men and women within a rigorous college program.



Manhattan

NYC Children

Center for Court Innovation

Contact Information

520 8th Avenue
18th Floor
New York, NY 10018
Phone: (646) 386-3100

Website: <https://www.courtinnovation.org/programs>

This organization offers many different programs throughout NYC.

**This program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ Center for Court Innovation (CCI) offers a range of programs to improve the manner in which the justice system works with parents and children.
- ✓ Judges refer non-custodial parents to the program when they appear for child support cases. A resource coordinator assesses each client's individual needs and links them with appropriate services. The resource coordinator monitors the client's participation in the program, and provides the court with regular progress reports.

HRA Office of Child Support Enforcement

Contact Information

150 Greenwich St, 30th Floor

New York, NY, 10007

Phone: (929) 221-4959

Website: <https://www1.nyc.gov/site/hra/help/child-support-services.page>

Services Provided:

- ✓ HRA's Office of Child Support Services (OCSS) serves all parents and guardians (mothers and fathers) regardless of income or immigration status, lifting tens of thousands of New York City children out of poverty every year.

Housing Works Inc.

Contact Information

301 W 37th Street - 5th Floor

New York, NY 10018

Phone: (347) 473-7400

Website:

<https://www.housingworks.org/locations/positive-health-project>

** This program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ All clients enrolled in Housing Works Community Healthcare case management services are eligible for free legal services.
- ✓ Through the HIV Law Project, Housing Works offers free legal assistance in housing, government benefits and immigration to qualified New York City residents living with HIV.

City Dads Group

Contact Information

Website: <https://citydadsgroup.com/city-dads-nyc/>

Email: <https://www.92ny.org/class/boot-camp-for-dads.aspx>

Social groups that meet to play sports, have coffee, etc.

There is also a “new dad boot camp” which is available virtually. (Cost: \$75)

Program goals:

- ✓ Developing parenting partnerships
- ✓ Being supportive of mothers
- ✓ Creating a baby-safe environment
- ✓ Bonding with your baby
- ✓ Managing relatives
- ✓ Balancing work and parenting

Northern Manhattan Perinatal Partnership, Inc. - Central Harlem Healthy Start

Contact Information

127 West 127th, Third Floor
New York, New York 10027

Phone: (212) 665-2600

Website: <https://nmppcares.org/services/ghhs>

** This program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ Fatherhood and parenting workshops with a curriculum focused on effective parenting techniques and practices
- ✓ Weekly meetings with expert co-facilitators of various topics such as men's health, self improvement, computer literacy, personal finances, resume and interview preparation.
- ✓ Job readiness and career advancement events, legal F.Y.I.'s
- ✓ Men's wellness, developmental exercises
- ✓ One-to-One Support: referrals provided for additional services, if needed

Midtown Community Court (Court Innovation)

Contact Information

314 West 54th Street
New York, NY 10019

Phone: (347) 276-897

Websites: UpNext@courtinnovation.org

<https://www.courtinnovation.org/programs/upnext>

**This program is free.*

Services Provided:

This court sponsors UPNEXT, which is an evidence-based job training and family engagement program for unemployed men and/or non-custodial fathers.

- ✓ The program provides selected tools, training, and resources required for participants to successfully compete in today's job market and to connect with their families.

Father's Forward

Contact Information

Father's Forward Inc.

PO Box 953, New York, NY 10037

Phone: (646) 543-0150

Website:

<https://www.fathersforward.org/registration.html#/>

**This program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ A statewide referral association that provides fathers with important information and resources of which they may not be aware.
- ✓ This organization also hold events for fathers and their children in many NYC communities.

Ready, Willing & Able (RWA)

Contact Information

2960 Frederick Douglas Boulevard

New York, NY 10039

Phone: (212) 628-5207

Website: <https://www.doe.org/programs/ready-willing-able/>

Email: info@doe.org

**The program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ At the core of this 12-month residential program is paid work—complemented by holistic social services, career and workforce development training, continuing education, and sobriety support.
- ✓ It is the first program to combine paid work with comprehensive supportive services to help disenfranchised men ascend the economic ladder.

STRIVE

Contact Information

205 East 122nd Street, 3rd Floor
New York, NY, 10035
(entrance on 3rd Avenue)

Website: <https://strive.org/nyc>

*Enrollment for this program is currently paused.
Continue to check for new registrations.*

**This program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ This 3-week program for parents features workshops on healthy relationships, economic stability and responsible parenting, along with job readiness and skills training.
- ✓ Includes activities that allow students to spend time with their children and apply the workshop lessons in a safe, healthy, and nurturing environment with STRIVE staff on hand for support.
- ✓ STRIVE also offers an educational program to assist in determining a career, and help for those who are reentering from incarceration.

Real Dad's Network

Contact Information

P.O. Box 125 Peekskill, New York 10566

Phone: (212) 875-7725

Email: realdadsnetwork@gmail.com

Website: <https://www.realdadsnetwork.org/real-dads-club/>

Services Provided:

- ✓ Monthly Real Dads News to online subscribers
- ✓ Monthly Real Dads Club meetings
- ✓ Annual “Daddy - Daughter Dance”
- ✓ Annual “Celebration of Real Dads Week”
- ✓ Fatherhood workshops
- ✓ Speaking engagements through various media and special events



Queens

Forestdale – “Strong Fathers”

Contact Information

67-35 112th St, Flushing, NY 11375

Phone: (718) 263-0740

Email: fathering@forestdaleinc.org

Website: <https://www.forestdaleinc.org/strong-fathers>

Complete referral form and email (see next slide)

**This program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ Utilizes a Solutions-Based Casework (SBC) case management model
- ✓ Parenting Skills Development - 3 month workshop series
- ✓ Workshops for Male Accountability - Domestic Violence, Anger Management, Abusive Partner Intervention, Emotional Intelligence, Co-Parenting and Child Support
- ✓ Career and financial empowerment counseling, vocational assessment, referrals to community services
- ✓ Partners for HSE preparation and testing, job skills training
- ✓ Co-parenting activities



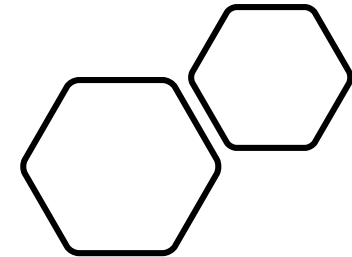
Referral Form

Phone: 718-263-0740
Fax: 718-263-7818
Fathering@forestdaleinc.org

Forestdale Strong Fathers / Sites
67-35 112th Street, Forest Hills, NY 11375
203-07 Hollis Avenue, Hollis, NY 11412

Referral Date: 9/16/21

1. Referring Agency / Program: New York City Administration for Children's Services
2. Referring Worker's Name:
3. Referring Worker's Email:
4. Referring Worker's Phone Number:
5. Referring Worker's Supervisor's Name:
6. Referring Worker's Supervisor's Phone Number:
7. Referring Worker's Supervisor's Email:
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9. Client's Last Name: First Name:
10. Client's Date of Birth: Age: Language:
11. Client's Telephone Number: Emergency Contact Number:
12. Client's Permanent Address:
13. Current Address:
14. Client's Educational Attainment: Less than High School H.S. Diploma / GED
 Some Post-Secondary /College 2-4 Year College Graduate
15. Employment Status: Unemployed Temporary/Part Time Full Time
 Disability / Worker's Comp. / Retirement
If employed, what is the client's work schedule?
16. Is client receiving other services (Mental Health, Substance Abuse, Psychiatric etc...)? Yes No
If yes, please identify services and respective service provider(s):
17. Is client subject to any Orders of Protection? Yes No
If yes, please describe terms of Order of Protection 16a. Court Part
18. Is Client subject to a Visitation Order Yes No
If yes, please describe
19. Is Client subject to Child Support Order? Yes No
20. Client Service Request(s):



- (12 Week) Parenting Skills Training
 (12 Week) *Co-Parenting
 Child Visitation
 (10 Week) Domestic Violence Awareness Program
 (10 Week) Emotional Intelligence Skills Training (10 Weeks)
 (26 Weeks) Abusive Partnership Intervention Program
 Financial Counseling
 Educational Assistance
 Employment/Vocational Readiness

Are Services Mandated? Yes No

If yes, please check by whom: ACS Family Court Criminal Court

21. Please provide a short but detailed statement regarding why client is being referred (e.g., were children present; was anyone arrested; when did incident occur, etc...).

Mother's Name:

Is mother interested in Co-Parenting Services? Yes

No

Child(ren) Information:

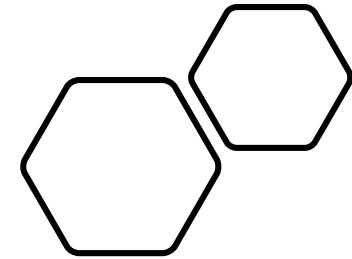
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For Internal Use Only

Case Disposition:

Assigned Fathering Specialist:

Date: June 11, 2022



Fortune Society

Contact Information

Long Island City (Main Office)
29-76 Northern Boulevard
Long Island City, NY 11101

Phone: (212) 691-7554

Website: info@fortunesociety.org

Email: <https://fortunesociety.org/services-that-build-lives/#Family-Services>

Services Provided:

The Fatherhood Initiative program assists noncustodial fathers reconnect with their children. It develops essential parenting skills by helping each participant increase engagement and responsibility in their relationships with their children

- ✓ Provides individual and family counseling assisting fathers to recognize triggers and manage emotions.
- ✓ Offers financial literacy and concrete support
- ✓ Anger Management
- ✓ Assistance with child support
- ✓ Father-to-father mentoring

The CUNY Fatherhood Academy at LaGuardia Community College

Contact Information

31-10 Thomson Avenue
Long Island City, NY 11101

Contact Continuing Education

Phone: (718) 482-7244

Email: ACEreg@lagcc.cuny.edu

Website: <https://www.laguardia.edu/cunyfatherhood/>

Services Provided:

The CUNY Fatherhood Academy at LaGuardia Community College is a free program that can help young fathers:

- ✓ Earn a high school equivalency diploma while focusing on academic and personal success
- ✓ Prepare for college
- ✓ Explore careers and assist with employment opportunities
- ✓ Gain valuable information on rights and responsibilities as a father
- ✓ Learn about parenting, health and financial literacy

Healthy Start Fatherhood Program

Contact Information

90-04 161st Street, Suite 207

Jamaica, NY 11432

Phone (718) 704-5078

Website: <https://www.healthsolutions.org/community-work/family-support/home-visiting-programs/healthy-start/>

**This program is free.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ This fatherhood program provides case management, group support and parenting classes to fathers who are eligible for the Queens Healthy Start Partnership.
- ✓ Healthy Start serves families in Long Island City, Jamaica-Southeast Queens and neighboring communities

Sheltering Arms

Contact Information

107-40 Liberty Avenue

Queens, NY 11417

Phone: (718) 526-2400

(212) 675-1000

Website: <https://shelteringarmsny.org/family-preservation/>

**This program is free.*

Services Provided:

Sheltering Arms prioritizes the safety and health of children in their programs, while working with parents to heal and strengthen family bonds.

- ✓ Targeted therapy
- ✓ Community referrals
- ✓ Home visits
- ✓ Guided parenting workshops.

The Child Center of NY - Healthy Start

Contact Information

37-34 29th Street, Astoria, NY 11101

Phone: (718) 819-5687

There are numerous offices in Queens.
Please call 718-651-7770 for connection to
other locations.

Email: info@childcenterny.org

Website: <https://childcenterny.org/head-start-early-head-start-pre-application/>

Services Provided:

- ✓ The Child Center of NY offers a nationally accredited Early Head Start program for children prenatal to age three.
- ✓ This program offers continuous, intensive and comprehensive child development and family support services for infants, toddlers, low-income pregnant women and their families.
- ✓ Parenting education and supportive positive parent-child relationships are integral to the program.

Fathers Alive in the Hood (FAITH)

Contact Information

Fathers Alive in the Hood, Inc.

P.O. Box 313474, Jamaica, NY 11431

Phone: (347) 620-3248

Website: fathersaliveinthehoodmovement@aol.com

<http://www.fathersaliveinthehood.org/services/>

Although FAITH is located in Queens, any male aged 13+ from other boroughs are welcomed.

Workshops & Services Provided:

- ✓ Fatherhood (What is it like to be a father?)
- ✓ Overcoming obstacles
- ✓ Relationships with women and children/ Domestic Violence
- ✓ Support groups & Counseling
- ✓ Male to Male mentoring
- ✓ Community relations & resources
- ✓ Discovering your purpose and passion
- ✓ Financial Empowerment
- ✓ Participation in Father -Daughter celebrations
- ✓ Boyhood to Manhood Field Trips

At FAITH, a non-profit organization founded by Kenny Carter in 2010, 50 hours of volunteer time is required to join. FAITH takes part in community outreaches during the holidays and more. They partner with ACS to assist in providing Thanksgiving meals, presents to children in foster care during the Christmas holidays, and from November-February, coat drives. FAITH is based on team building, showing how men all need each other. Laptops are available and coding is taught along with other basic computer classes. There is a cooking club as well, although the kitchen is currently under construction. Mr. Carter has introduced meditation and saltwater foot soaks to relieve stress and encourage self-care. He also hopes to have a media room to begin a podcast and become a space to record various genres of music (e.g. spoken word, rap, etc). During fatherhood support meetings, they discuss parental stressors such as “How to Cope as a Father.” These sessions are scheduled from one to two hours each week. FAITH also has a therapeutic punching bag and exercise room. Older men are invited into younger men’s groups to encourage mentorship and “bridging the generation gap.”



FAITH
Fathers Alive In The Hood

Fatherhood
Support
GROUP

COVID
RESTRICTIONS
APPLIED

JOIN US EVERY THURSDAY STARTING DECEMBER 1ST 2022
FROM 5PM TO 7PM / END DATE TBD
LOCATION: 114-02 GUY R BREWER BLVD, (SUITE 215)
JAMAICA NY, 11434



Before fatherhood
THERE WAS
BROTHERHOOD

Topics Range from:
Relationships
Self Defense
Employment
Finances
Child Support/ Custody
Marriage
Divorce
Child/Children
Conflict Mediation
Domestic Violence
Health & Wellness
Matters of a Man's heart

CONTACT PERSON: KENNY CARTER
(347) 620-3248
WWW.FATHERSALIVEINTHEHOOD.ORG



NYC Children



Staten Island

United Activities Unlimited (UAU) - Fatherhood Matters Program

Contact Information

1200 South Avenue, Suite 304
Staten Island, NY 10314

Sr. Case Manager: Vernon “Dyverse” Wooten

Phone: (718) 987-8111

Email: DWooten@unitedactivities.org

<https://unitedactivities.org/fatherhood>

Services Provided:

Through a 10-week father-focused workshop series, Fatherhood Matters equips fathers with knowledge and a skills-based certificate program on effective parenting techniques.

- ✓ Dedicated Fatherhood Matters case managers assist and empower fathers during their journey by providing guidance and support in navigating child support, public benefits, finding and sustaining employment, or arranging child visitation.

Community Health Center of Richmond

Contact Information

439 Port Richmond Ave., Staten Island, NY 10302

Phone: (917) 830-1200 ext.7614

Contact: Marcia Santiago

Email: msantiago@chcrichmond.org

929-474-0071 (General Information number)

**Please note: this program is currently inactive due to low staffing, but will resume soon.*

Services Provided:

The Fatherhood Program at the CHCR is a part of the Healthy Start program. It is geared towards improving infant health and providing resources to parents.

- ✓ Assigned case managers provide topical workshops on infant health, breastfeeding, and resources within the community.
- ✓ This health center also provides parents with Pack and Plays, diapers, books, and other concrete services.

Central Family Life Center - Fatherhood Mentorship Program

Contact Information

59 Wright Street
Staten Island, NY 10304

Phone: (718) 273-8414

Email: info@centralfamilylifecenter.org

Dsmith@centralfamilylifecenter.org

Services Provided:

The Fatherhood program at CFLC helps participants to improve their parenting skills by attending weekly meetings and monthly workshops.

- ✓ This mentorship creates a safe space for fathers to meet and discuss issues such as child support, marriage, interpersonal relationships and coping skills. They have also sponsored several Job Fairs to assist unemployed dads in obtaining employment.

Family Enrichment Centers (FECs)

Co-designed with parent leaders from the community, FECs are home-like spaces where neighbors can connect, network, find support, resources, and build protective factors through events a program offerings. There are currently three FECs, one in in Brooklyn (East New York) and two in the Bronx (Highbridge and Hunts Point). ACS has partnered with communities to open nine more centers throughout NYC by the end of 2023. Several of the programs provide fathers with concrete assistance and any needed supports. They need only walk in.

OUR PLACE - FEC

940 Garrison Avenue
Bronx, NY 10474
(718) 618-5559

Website: <https://ourplacefec.grahamwindam.org>

- OUR (Organizing to be United & Resilient) Place provides access to resources; they are “home like” spaces that resemble a living room with couches, comfortable chairs, and coffee.
- OUR Place includes families in the planning, development, and decision-making of the Center. Community members are invited to voice their ideas and co-design offerings with FEC staff.
- OUR Place creates a social network that connects community members to a hub of support, increasing connections for parents and guardians while also increasing healthy parenting abilities.
- *Micro Approach*
Providing access to computers or assisting with housing applications.
- *Macro Approach*
Providing access to community leaders and local politicians.



Circle Of Dreams – FEC (Highbridge/Bronx)

266 E. 165th St.

Bronx, NY 10456

(718) 975-8618

Website: [Home - Circle of](http://Home - Circle of Dreams/Family Enrichment Center)

[Dreams/Family Enrichment Center](http://Home - Circle of Dreams/Family Enrichment Center)

clubexpress.com

Men's Empowerment Network

The mission of this group is to establish a social support network of males through participation and encouragement of their voice in program conversations. The group determines the monthly meeting schedule.

Services Provided

- Art Committee - promoting healing and stress reduction
- Parent's Group
- Literacy Programs
- Resume Assistance
- Financial Information Sessions



The C.R.I.B. – FEC / Brooklyn

2588 Atlantic Ave
Brooklyn, NY 11207
(646) 968-3399

Website:

https://thecrib.enyfec.org/content.aspx?page_id=0&club_id=848124

➤ The C.R.I.B. (Community Resources in Brooklyn) uses a strengths-based approach to planning that asks empowering questions contributing to collaboration. Together community members discover the best of their neighborhoods, create a dream for the future, and design and walk a path to get there together.

➤ Like all FECs, The C.R.I.B. is a welcoming home-like space where neighbors are able to connect, contribute to their community, find resources, support one another, helping families thrive.

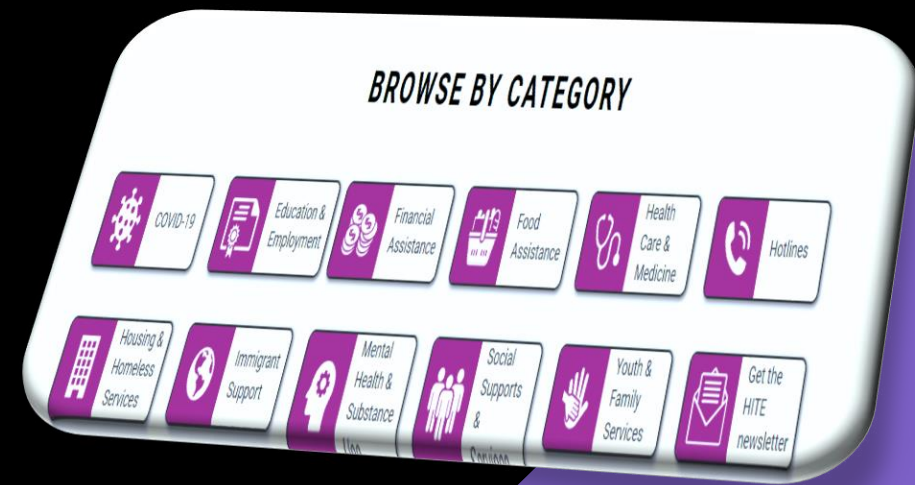
➤ Throughout the year, The C.R.I.B. holds multiple events to encourage family involvement, have fun, and support the community.



Health Information Tool for Empowerment

The Health Information Tool for Empowerment (HITE) is an online directory offering information on more than 6,000 health and social services programs available to low-income, uninsured and underinsured individuals in New York City, Long Island and Westchester.

Free and open to the public , “The HITE Site” assists in connecting users to vital community services quickly and easily.



[HITE | Health and Social Service Resources in New York City and Westchester \(hitesite.org\)](https://hitesite.org)

The OCFS Fatherhood Initiative

- Since 2007, OCFS has worked with the Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA) to bring the agencies together to better serve non-custodial parents, mostly fathers, who want to become more involved in their children's lives, pay child support, and gain the skills that will strengthen their ability to be effective fathers.
- OCFS works with fathers in residential facilities through the Division of Juvenile Justice Opportunities for Youth (DJJOY) Fatherhood Initiative and in communities through Healthy Families New York Home Visiting Programs. In child welfare, OCFS has developed a "Locating and Engaging Fathers Toolkit" to assist local DSS districts in involving fathers in case planning.
- The Locating and Engaging Fathers Toolkit is designed for local child protection jurisdictions to develop and utilize effective strategies for finding absent fathers. Based on the knowledge that children need fathers in their lives, this toolkit provides methods and strategies for agencies and staff to implement for engaging males and helping families promote child safety, permanency and well-being.
- Locating and Engaging Fathers: [Locating and Engaging Fathers videoWebM](#) | [Locating and Engaging Fathers videoMP4](#) | [Locating and Engaging Fathers videoWMV](#)

NYC Department of Youth and Community Development

- “*A Driver's Manual For New Dads*” is a publication focused on helping dads understand what is occurring with their birth partner and how the baby is developing. It promotes prenatal visits, supporting partners and basic care of the newborn. It also lists NY State resources for new dads: [Download A Driver's Manual for New Dads, Spanish / Español, Arabic / العربية, Chinese / 正體字, Russian / Русский язык, Haitian-Creole / Kreyòl ayisyen, Korean / 한국어](#)
- “*The Real Dad's Network*” is a grassroots organization that engages in and sponsors a variety of activities, including skill-building workshops, informational seminars, networking, Father-Daughter Dances, advocacy, – all designed to educate and encourage men to embrace their roles as Dads, husbands and leaders in the family and community.
- “*The Men's Nonviolence Project (MNP)*” seeks to encourage men to take an active role in ending male violence against women. MNP provides information, resources, and connections to inspire and support the involvement of men and boys in preventing domestic violence.
- *The “Office of Child Care”* is a comprehensive online resource designed to quickly link parents, child care providers, researchers, policymakers and the general public with Federal Government sponsored child care and early learning information and resources. This web site is sponsored by the US Department of Health and Human Services, and the national “Administration for Children and Families”.

The Office of Child Support Services (OCSS)

- The Office of Child Support Services (OCSS) places children first by helping parents provide for the economic and social well-being, health, and stability of their children. OCSS serves parents and guardians, regardless of income and immigration status. The program assists tens of thousands of children every year by bringing more income into the home. OCSS collects more than \$700 million a year on their behalf.
- OCSS services include assistance with locating noncustodial parents, establishing parentage, child support and medical support orders, collecting and distributing child support payments, and modifying and enforcing child support orders. Custodial parents receiving cash assistance are required to comply with OCSS pursuant to federal and New York State statutes. All other custodial parents may apply for OCSS services on a voluntary basis.
- Please visit this website for more information including how to apply for child support:
<https://www.nyc.gov/site/hra/help/child-support-services.page>

Domestic Violence Services

Safe and Together Institute

Contact: David Mandel

Email:
<https://safeandtogetherinstitute.com>

Phone: (860) 319-0966

Forestdale, Inc.

67-35 112th Street

Queens, NY

Phone: (718) 263-0740

Website: Fathers2@forestdaleinc.org

Safe Way Forward

Contact: Elizabeth Mota

Email:
Elizabeth.mota@acs.nyc.gov

Phone: (212) 341-3114

Brooklyn Task Force

Contact: Henry Algarin

Email: halgarin@nyctasc.org
k.sullivan@nyctasc.org

A scenic view of a city skyline, likely New York City, featuring a train in the foreground and a large globe sculpture in the background. The scene is set against a backdrop of trees and a body of water.

Citywide Programs for Youth

NYC Children

New York Police Department



- ✓ **NYPD Explorers:** This program is geared for ages 14 to 20.

Explorers are taught the importance of higher education, self-discipline, and respect for diversity and human dignity through training, involvement in community service projects, and other Exploring events.

- ✓ **At Night Lights:**

Precincts link with community organizations such as the YMCA and the Boys and Girls Club each Saturday and the Youth Officers coach sports.

- ✓ **Blue Chips:**

This is a seasonal sports mentoring program. The officer/mentor transports the child from home to practice sports.

- ✓ **Girl Talk:**

This program is in the development stage and has just begun. For girls, female police officers meet with the youth for “girl talk.”

Locations and programs vary throughout the five boroughs.

Website: <https://www.nyc.gov/site/nypd/services/law-enforcement/youth-programs/youth-programs-form.page>

The Y.M.C.A.

Contact Information

- ✓ There are 23 branches in the five boroughs with multiple sites. Please visit this website to find a location in your borough.

<https://ymcanyc.org/locations?type&amenities>

- ✓ Please visit this website to learn about the programs that are offered.

<https://ymcanyc.org/programs/kids-family/teen-programs>

**Please note: Membership Fees may apply*

Services Provided:

The YMCA offers various programs for youth of all ages and include:

- ✓ “My Grown-up and Me” classes
- ✓ Youth and Teen Programs - Partnership with NYPD to conduct “Saturday Night Lights”
- ✓ “Y” Afterschool Programs
- ✓ “Y” Summer Camps
- ✓ Child and parent YMCA swimming lessons

Big Brothers - Big Sisters (BBBS)

To qualify, children must be between the ages of 7 and 17.

There is an interview process. Following this, youth are matched with a screened Big Brother or Sister. There must be a minimum commitment of at least 8 months.

Contact Information

There are various sites in each borough. Please visit this website to enroll a child and find a location for the family:

<https://www.bigsnyc.org/enroll>

** This program is free of charge*

Community Based Mentoring

Serving youth ages 7-17 in all five boroughs. By matching a caring adult mentor, a "Big", to an NYC youth, a "Little", to a youngster, they spend 8 hours a month in the community building their relationship and taking steps toward achieving their S.M.A.R.T. (Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Realistic, and Time-bound) goals.

- ✓ Each mentor match is supported by a Program Manager who for the year manages daily communication between the "Big," "Little," and Parent/Guardian.
- ✓ BBBS also offers work-place mentoring, college and career success workshops, and affinity groups which include "Put Youth First," "Advanced Diversity, Equity & Inclusion; Operate with Integrity," "Engage with Empathy," and "Invest in Learning & Innovation."

The Boys and Girls Club

Contact Information

Locations vary throughout the five boroughs and some are located within schools.

Website: <https://www.bgca.org/programs>

To become a member, an application form must be completed (which must be signed by an adult for youth 18 and younger). The child must visit at least 52 times to become a full member.

** This is a free organization.*

Services Provided:

The Boys and Girls Club offers programs in:

- ✓ Education and Work readiness
- ✓ Career and college readiness programs, which can include college tours.
- ✓ Assistance with Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP) applications.
- ✓ Sports and Recreation. In partnership with the NYPD, “Saturday Night Lights” is available in certain locations for youth interested in sports.
- ✓ Arts, Health & Wellness, and Character Leadership programs.

Getting Out - Staying Out (GOSO)

GOSO's intervention approach is to use education, employment and emotional well-being to guide young men between the ages of 16-24, who have been or are currently at Rikers Island, and have or will be re-entering the community.

Contact Information

201A East 124th Street

New York, NY 10035

Phone: (212) 831-5020

Website: <https://www.gosonyc.org/how-we-help/our-programs/>

Services Provided:

- ✓ GOSO has an on-site high school diploma equivalency program that also assists young men with exploring colleges and or trade schools.
- ✓ GOSO assists in finding young men jobs and /or internships. They also conduct workshops in resume creation.
- ✓ Father's group, individual therapy.
- ✓ GOSO has social workers available to work with every participant to ensure they achieve their goals, maintain independence, and prevent recidivism.

The Brownsville Recreational Center – ENY Brooklyn (NYC Parks & Recreation)

1555 Linden Boulevard
Brooklyn, NY 11212

Phone: (718) 485-4633 / (718) 345-2706

Website: <https://www.nycgovparks.org/facilities/recreationcenters/B270>

To become a member, visit the website above to complete the registration form.

**There is no charge for youth between the ages of 0-24.*



Supportive Youth Based Services

NYC Children

One Hundred Black Men

One Hundred Black Men initiatives focus on education through mentoring, wealth building strategies, fostering economic development and raising awareness of health issues affecting communities of color.

Contact Information

2601 Frederick Douglass Blvd.
New York, NY 10030
Phone: (212)-777-7070

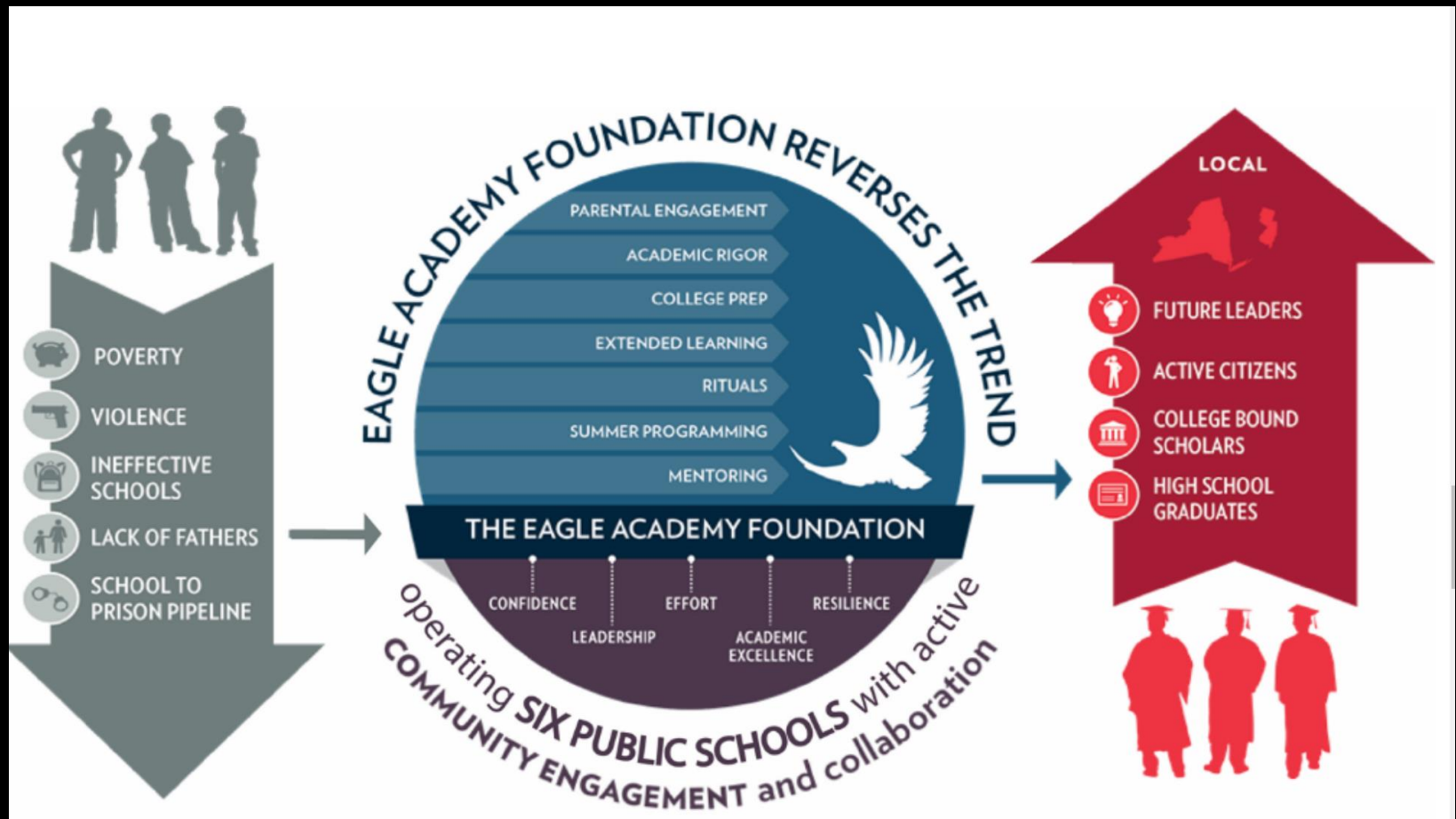
Website: <https://www.ohbm.org/mentorship/>

Email: Office@ohbm.org

Please visit the website for more information and to complete an interest form for the Junior One Hundred.

Services Provided:

- ✓ *The Junior One Hundred*: A youth leadership and career exposure program for students ages 12 to 24. The program focuses on Career Exploration, Character Development, Personal Growth, and Mentorship. The 2022 JOH career tracks included: Business, Medicine, Law, and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math).
- ✓ *Eagle Academy*: New York City's first all-boys public school in over thirty years was founded by OHBM in 2004. It continues to defy an entrenched American mindset by insisting that young black and brown men are not one of America's problems, but instead, one of its greatest assets.



Eagle Academy

Contact Information

31 W 125th St 3rd Floor, New York, NY 10027
(212) 477-8370

Website: <https://www.eafny.org>



**Eagle Scholars are selected through a lottery system operated by the NYC Department of Education. Eagle Scholars are not pre-screened or selected based on testing.*

Services Provided:

- ✓ Enhances educators' capabilities to meet the needs of male students of color.
- ✓ Increases the number of schools with positive cultures and interventions to support the academic achievement and social-emotional flourishing of Black and Latino male students.
- ✓ Influences policy changes with evidenced-based research, strategies and programs for engaging and developing high achieving young men of color.

Eagle Academy Locations

EAGLE ACADEMY - BRONX

4143 Third Avenue Bronx, NY 10457
Principal: Hector Velazquez

EAGLE ACADEMY - BROOKLYN

1137 Herkimer St, Brooklyn, NY 11233
Principal: Rashad Meade

EAGLE ACADEMY - QUEENS

171-10 Linden Blvd Queens, NY 11434
Principal: Dr. Christopher Smith

EAGLE ACADEMY - NEWARK

79 Chancellor Avenue Newark, NJ 07112
Principal: Semone Morant

EAGLE ACADEMY - HARLEM

6 Edgecombe Avenue Harlem, NY 10030
Principal: Frankie Simmons

EAGLE ACADEMY - STATEN ISLAND

101 Warren Street Staten Island, NY 10304
Principal: Jermaine Cameron

PFLAG - NYC

Contact Information

130 East 25th Street, Suite M1
New York, NY 10010

646-240-4288

Email: info@pflagnyc.org

Website: www.pflagnyc.org

PFLAG-NYC is the founding chapter of [PFLAG](#), the nation's foremost family-based organization committed to celebrating LGBTQ+ young people and creating a better future for all.

PFLAG - NYC serves New York City families, schools, and communities in order to increase understanding and acceptance of the LGBTQ+ population.



Services Provided :

Support Groups

- ✓ *Dads Group*- meets on the second Wednesday of every month from 7pm to 8:30pm. This group provides a space for dads to connect with other dads around the topic of their child's and family's coming out process across the range of LGBTQ+ identities. All dads and caregivers in a father-like role are welcome to join.
- ✓ *Black Family Circle* - meets online on the fourth Sunday of every month from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. This group is dedicated to families and individuals who identify as Black and have LGBTQ+ loved ones. It provides a warm and inviting space to gather virtually and find community.
- ✓ *El Amor Hace La Familia*- meets on the second Saturday of every month from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. For Latino families, in collaboration with "Oasis," is a loving group of parents and LGBTQ+ persons that have come together for mutual support.

Visit this site for registration: <https://www.pflagnyc.org/online-registration/>

The Center

Contact Information

208 West 13th Street
New York, NY 10011

Phone: 212-620-7310

Website: <https://gaycenter.org/contact-us/>
<https://gaycenter.org/family-youth/>

Services Provided:

- ✓ The center provides counseling and therapeutic services, financial and legal clinics, activities with LGBTQ+ families, and other community events.
- ✓ The center offers many programs, but is specifically focused on families and youth.

Please visit their website for more information.



The Center is committed to helping members of the LGBTQ+ community enrich their lives through services and programs that support growth and connection.

The Door

Contact Information

121 Avenue of the Americas

New York, NY 10013

Phone: (212) 941-9090

To get connected to programs at the Door text 929-357-0768

Email: resources@door.org

Website: <https://door.org/contact/>

Services Provided:

Reproductive health care and education, mental health counseling and crisis assistance, legal assistance, GED/HSE classes, tutoring and homework help, college preparation services, career development, job training and placement, supportive housing, recreational activities, arts programs, and nutritious meals – all for free, completely confidential, and all under one roof.



Covenant House New York

Contact Information

460 West 41st Street, New York, NY 10036

Phone: (212) 613-0300

Website: <https://ny.covenanthouse.org/programs/>

Covenant House New York is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and 365 days a year.

Services Provided:

- ✓ Doors are open to all young people who need help, regardless of their race, religion, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression.
- ✓ They facilitate services using trauma-informed principles to help homeless youth leave the streets and achieve independence.
- ✓ They provide assistance in health, housing and support services.



Covenant House New York is a safe space

NYC Children

**Services for
Fathers & Youth
with
Developmental
Disabilities &
Special Needs**



YAI

Young Adult Institute and its network agencies offer children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) a comprehensive range of services. Committed to seeing beyond disability. YAI provides opportunities for people to live, love, work and learn in their communities.

Contact Information

220 East 42nd Street, 8th floor

Suite 2500

New York, NY 10017

Phone (212) 273-6100

Email: communications@yai.org

Website: <https://www.yai.org/getting-started>

<https://www.yai.org/services>

Services Provided:

YAI has a wide range of services which support people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) and their caregivers.

- Crisis and behavior support
- Day Services
- Education
- Family Support
- Residential services
- Therapeutic intervention and clinical supports

Include NYC

(formerly known as Resources for Children with Special Needs)

Contact Information

520 8th Avenue, 25th floor

Suite 2500

New York, NY 10018

Website: info@includenyc.org

English: Mon.- Thurs.: (212) 677-4660

or text: (646) 693-3175

Para Espanol: Llame: (212) 677-4668

Texto: (646) 693-3157 WhatsApp: (212) 858-0795

Services Provided:

- ✓ Parent and Family engagement, including a “Help Line” which can assist families in finding citywide services in English, Spanish and over 200 other languages.
- ✓ Include NYC provides information, individual assistance and training to youth, families, and professionals. It does not offer legal advice or representation.

Website: <https://includenyc.org/events/>

Include NYC offers information and referrals, resource guides, educational advocacy, and a host of citywide workshops and trainings for parents and professionals.

includenyc BUILDING AN INCLUSIVE SOCIETY BENEFITING EVERYONE



INCLUDEnyc believes that by empowering and educating young people with disabilities, adult caregivers, and professionals, and engaging the broader community, we can **build an inclusive society that benefits everyone.**



INCLUDEnyc provides timely, empathetic, person-centered, accurate, and clear:

- Direct assistance and training for young people with disabilities and their families and professionals in education, health, and human services
- Community outreach and public awareness



To drive an increase of:

- Knowledge and confidence by young people, adult caregivers, and professionals about disability support and services
- Community awareness and engagement with INCLUDEnyc and disability issues
- Attention on policies supporting young people with disabilities from government officials, public influencers, and allies



Leading to:

- Purposeful actions by young people and adult caregivers to address needs and achieve personal goals
- More robust personal support networks within the community
- Awareness of people with disabilities by the public and media
- Increased inclusion and reduced stigma



And ultimately elevating:

- Access to and utilization of support and services for young people with disabilities and their families
- Education, employment, and community engagement for young people with disabilities
- **Equity and access for everyone with disabilities**

In Conclusion

- Thank you for reviewing and using the resources in this guide to support fathers, children and families.
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