

## Serving Children for Over 100 Years...

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Ramsbottom Center, Inc. is the intellectual/developmental disability and Autistic services division of Beacon Light Behavioral Health Systems. Formerly known as the Children's Home of Bradford, Beacon Light Behavioral Health Systems was founded in 1903 as the Beacon Light Mission.

In the early 1970's, the Children's Home of Bradford constructed three cottages on its main campus, and established Ramsbottom Center Inc, through a generous donation from the estate of Mrs. Grace Ramsbottom.

In 1982, Ramsbottom Center, Inc. became licensed as a private Intermediate Care Facility for the Mentally Retarded (ICF/MR). When the programs of the Children's Home of Bradford were unified under the new name of Beacon Light Behavioral Health Systems, Ramsbottom Center, Inc. became the ID/DD Services and Autistic division.

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800 East Main Street  
Bradford, PA 16701

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## The Grace Ramsbottom Autism Center for Excellence

*a program of*



# Ramsbottom Center, Inc.

*Providing care and treatment  
for individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorders*



## Help

## Hope

## Healing



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## What is G.R.A.C.E.?

The Grace Ramsbottom Autism Center for Excellence is the combination of our most successful and time proven approaches to dealing with the epidemic of autism that has come to prevalence in our world. Nearly 1 in every 110 children will be diagnosed with an Autism Spectrum Disorder and providing high quality, results driven care is our mission. The center provides for both the assessment and treatment of autism related disorders, with a family focused, individualized approach to care.

## What is involved?

The Autism Center provides diagnostic and assessment services for children and adolescents from 18 months to 21 years of age. The assessment process takes a three stage approach which initially involves a medical and developmental history interview, assessment using GAR-M-CHAT, and identifying needs. Following the initial stage, a Functional Behavioral Analyst will observe your child in their natural setting, completing behavioral observations and administering achievement tests as needed. Lastly, if deemed appropriate, the Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule (ADOS) will be administered. ADOS is considered the gold standard for diagnosing autism related disorders.

## How is it different?

Given our many years of service to families caring for children with autism, we've assembled a team of highly trained, professional staff with over 100 years of combined experienced. The team includes:

- Licensed Psychologists
- Board Certified Functional Behavior Consultants
- Master's Level Behavioral Specialists
- Master's Level Mobile Therapists
- Experienced Service Coordinators

Your child's treatment team will work closely with you to develop an individualized plan for success which may include in home services, support in the classroom, and other options to improve daily functioning, social interaction and verbal/non-verbal communication.

Visit us on the web: [www.beacon-light.org](http://www.beacon-light.org)

Call us Toll-Free: 1-888-714-5428

## How do I make a referral???

To refer your child or loved one for evaluation and/or treatment, please contact:

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Phone: 1-888-714-5428  
Email: [jcarrol@beacon-light.org](mailto:jcarrol@beacon-light.org)

All services are funded through either medical assistance or private insurance (Act 62).

If you need help in obtaining benefits, please contact us to discuss a variety of options.



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