

Serving Children for Over 100 Years...

Beacon Light Behavioral Health Systems was founded in the early 1900's to provide services to children abandoned or orphaned by the early oil and lumber industries. Throughout its history, the agency has provided quality care to young people. As the needs of our society changed, Beacon Light Behavioral Health Systems evolved into a private, not-for-profit social service agency providing quality, professional behavioral health and educational services to young people.

Beacon Light Behavioral Health Systems' continuum of care includes residential treatment (RTF), treatment foster care (TFC), emergency shelter placement, partial hospitalization programs, alternative education, day treatment, treatment for sexually aggressive youth, outpatient therapy, and residential services for the mentally retarded/developmentally disabled (Ramsbottom Center). Qualified mental health treatment professionals provide individualized treatment planning and care for the children and adolescents served by the agency.



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Beacon Light Behavioral Health Systems
800 East Main Street
Bradford, PA 16701

Specialized Treatment for Offense Prevention (**STOP**)

*An intensive treatment program for
sexually aggressive youth...*

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SAFE

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SOUND

Treatment Principles

SECURE

Facilities

Treatment for Sexually Aggressive Youth

Beacon Light Behavioral Health Systems' Specialized Treatment for Offense Prevention (*S.T.O.P.*) program provides specialized treatment for sexually aggressive youth who have been adjudicated, identified as a perpetrator via a founded CYS investigation, or have admitted to sexual harm and are amenable to treatment. Care provided is research based, and involves comprehensive assessment, including the Jessness Inventory-Revised, Abel Assessment for Sexual Interest or Abel-Blasingame Assessment for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities, Estimate of Risk for Adolescent Sexual Offense Recidivism, Juvenile Sexual Offender Assessment Protocol II, offense specific polygraph examinations, clinical interview, I.Q. testing & academic assessment, and psychiatric/psychological evaluation. Individuals' risk of sexual re-offense is formally assessed every 6-8 months, as well as following any significant event during the course of treatment. *Treatment is also available for individuals identified with mental retardation or developmental disability through adapted curriculum designed for their unique needs.*

Available Placement Options

1st Street Residential Treatment Center (RTC) - This setting is ideal for the first stages of treatment for sexually aggressive youth. The facility features delayed-lock, alarmed doors, 24-hour video surveillance, and round the clock, awake supervision. All staff members have received advanced training in dealing with the complex issues associated with this population. Residents receive individual and group counseling from a team of Master's level clinicians. Additionally, the 1st Street RTC provides the opportunity for on-going observation and assessment by the treatment team.

Traditional Residential Treatment (RTF) - Following thorough assessment and evaluation, residents may transition to our more traditional, yet highly structured, Residential Treatment Facility. Consisting of eight beautiful homes in the Bradford community, staff are trained to deal with problematic behavior, while providing a safe, secure, supportive environment that teaches personal responsibility. Sexually aggressive youth continue to meet with their respective treatment teams, and therapists.

Specialized Treatment Foster Care - Depending on the resident's mental health status and risk of re-offense, Specialized Treatment Foster Care may be an appropriate option. Foster families in this program receive additional training and supervision to deal with the complex situations that initially bring residents into placement. Residents continue to meet with their respective treatment teams for individual and group counseling. Offense prevention is highlighted throughout their stay.

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How do I make a referral???

To make a referral to Beacon Light's treatment program for sexually aggressive youth, please contact:

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Download our admission application:

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