

Clinton Township School District

Restart and Recovery Plan

The Road Forward

2022-2023 School Year



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*This original plan includes revisions as indicated for Fall 2021 as per “Safe Return.” The “Safe Return” plan includes adherence to all CDC, NJDOE & NJDOH.

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Introduction

In June of 2021, the New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) published “The Road Forward” (NJDOE Guidance) as a collaborative effort to coordinate the return to full time, in person education. This guidance includes a range of strategies that Local Education Agencies (LEAs) should consider implementing to reduce the risks to students and staff from COVID-19 while still allowing for full time, in-person learning. The guidance presents information in the following areas: General Health and Safety, Cleaning Disinfection and Air Flow, Screening, Exclusion and Response, Screening, Exclusion, and Response to Symptomatic Students and Staff, Contact Tracing and Testing.

Clinton Township School District opened the 2021 - 2022 school year with an in person model of instruction. Identifying the reopening plan for that year has been the first priority as is the health and safety of our students. The District will maintain emerging information as it relates to data to guide us with immediate decisions as we move forward. .

The plan addresses the needs of all our students as individuals and identifies the needs of our faculty and staff. Each school will share their specific schedule with the parents and guardians of the students and provide professional learning and training for the faculty and staff to prepare for the opening of school. All students in the school district have been issued a device for instructional use. A review of device needs and access to the Internet have been reviewed during the 2020 - 2021 school year and all families have access and devices. This will continue for subsequent school years.

The hours of operation for each school are posted on the district website and reflect our normal operating hours. Our district is committed to a resumption of normalcy for the school year. Our district will monitor the data. Our decisions will be guided through the collaborative process based on CDC guidance, NJDOH, collaboration with the local DOH, and our local district physician.

Representatives from the Clinton Township School District have attended webinars to gain legal counsel to maintain the rights and privacy of our students and members of the faculty and staff. In consultation with the District’s legal counsel, the District has provided forms and procedures to support both faculty and staff as it relates to individualized medical and personal considerations during this period of time. All questions and answers have been distributed to the faculty and staff to maintain information as it relates to their concerns and questions.

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Philosophy

The Clinton Township School District is prepared and ready to address any emergent situation during the COVID 19 crisis. Our mission is to ensure meaningful and challenging educational experiences in a supportive environment. The current pandemic has posed a great challenge to our larger community and requires us to find the balance between our mission and our obligation to our educational community as a whole. Our children need to learn, to engage, and to interact. We all need to be safe. Health and safety is the priority we share.

Our goal is to support all of our children as well as all members of our educational community. In framing a reopening plan, we will consider the unique needs of our community, best practices for educating our children, CDC guidelines, requirements from the NJ Department of Education, the Governor's Office and the Department of Health. While we have been provided with guidance, our goal is to go beyond the minimal standards required and create a plan that provides all of our stakeholder groups with a safe and impactful learning format.

We acknowledge that while our decisions will impact everyone, they will not always meet the expectations of everyone. While the schools in our state strive to do everything we can for you, our partners, we need our parents to recognize that they are the first line of responsibility in this process. It is essential that anyone that becomes ill, remains at home - for the health and wellness of everyone and ultimately for the continuity of the education of our students.

Framework for Success

Foundation: Health and Safety

1. Health and Safety for ALL who work and learn in our schools
2. What is best for the students' and staff and educational and socially/emotionally needs to be successful
3. Consistency for families, students, and staff

NJDOE Conditions for Learning

Conditions for learning must not only address students' and educators' basic physical safety needs, but also the social and emotional and environmental factors that can impact educators' capacity to teach and students' capacity to learn. These conditions include Health & Safety, Social Emotional Learning and School Climate and Culture, Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS), Wraparound Supports, Food Service and Distribution and Quality Child Care. The Clinton Township School District has formed district and building based response teams as an integral part of a collaborative decision making model. Our District continues to work collaboratively with the Office of Emergency Management (OEM), Hunterdon Medical Center, Hunterdon County Department of Health (HCDOH), and our District physician.

#1 General Health and Safety Guideline

Our District complies with the Center for Disease Control (CDC), state, and local guidelines to provide reasonable accommodations for staff and students at higher risk for severe illness and promote behaviors that reduce spread, such as social distancing, frequent hand washing, and the use of face coverings.

Where possible, the following recommendations should be used to develop a layered approach to help prevent the spread of COVID-19. Schools should implement as many layers as feasible.

1.1 Vaccination

Our district is a PreK-8 district with a mixed population of fully vaccinated, partially vaccinated, and unvaccinated individuals. This requires the layering of preventive measures to protect individuals who are not fully vaccinated. The vaccine is available to the student population over the age of six months

1.2 Communication

Our district officials and local health department maintain close communication with each other to provide information and share resources on COVID-19 transmission, prevention, and control measures and to establish procedures for Local Health Department (LHD) notification and response to COVID-19 illness in school settings.

Understanding that COVID-19 may impact certain areas of the state differently, NJDOH provides information on COVID-19 transmission at the regional level, characterizing community transmission using a color coded system. This information is posted online every week on the NJDOH CDS COVID-19 website and sent out via New Jersey Local Information Network.

Communication will be made available in any language by requesting this through the main office of their school.

District Protocols are posted on the District website and updated as needed.

Internal structures are in place to communicate with faculty and staff through email and internal website postings. A chain of command is in place between the administration, faculty and staff, and external collaborative partners to maintain information, outline protocols, and provide updated information on relevant data.

1.3 Masks

Wearing masks is an important prevention strategy to help slow the spread of COVID-19, especially when combined with everyday preventive actions and social distancing in public settings.

Executive Order 251 was released on August 6th, 2021 and required that all staff, students, and visitors wore a mask regardless of vaccination status in the indoor premises of our school buildings. This Executive Order sunset on March 7, 2022. Due to this change in protocol, masks are optional for all. Medical exemptions are no longer required.

1.4 Maintain Physical Distancing and Cohorting

The Clinton Township School district has returned to full-day, full-time, in person learning to all students for the 2022-2023 school year.

1.5 Hand Hygiene and Respiratory Etiquette

Hand washing and hand sanitizing

- Hand sanitizing stations with alcohol-based hand sanitizers (at least 60% alcohol) will be set up:
 - At entrances and exits of buildings
 - In each classroom (for staff and older children who can safely use hand sanitizer)
 - Outside lunch rooms and bathrooms
- Children ages 5 and younger will be supervised when using hand sanitizer
- Classrooms with sink areas will have stocked stations with soap, water, and alcohol-based hand sanitizers
- Students and staff should wash hands for at least 20 seconds at regular intervals, including before eating, after using the bathroom, and after blowing their nose/coughing/sneezing. Visual reminders will be posted around all sink areas.
- Students and staff will adopt new procedures to sanitize in and out of every room and when moving from one place to another or beginning a new task/activity

Respiratory Etiquette

Our district encourages students and staff to cover coughs and sneezes with a tissue if not wearing a mask.

- Used tissues should be thrown in the trash and hand hygiene as outlined above should be performed immediately.
- Breaks from wearing masks are permitted when students and staff are outside and when maintaining physical distance at six feet.

1.6 Meals

Our district is offering meals in the cafeteria Layered prevention strategies to help mitigate the spread of COVID-19 may be implemented if we have high infection rates. These could include:

- Maintaining student cohorts and limiting mixing between groups, where possible, with assigned seating.
- Targeted cleaning between groups, in addition to the regular cleaning
- Possible outdoor dining at locations at CTMS weather permitting

1.7 Transportation

The district contracts transportation services with local vendors and collaboratively plans for preventative measures and strategies for all vehicles. School buses should be considered school property for the purpose of determining the need for prevention strategies. The recommendations below are designed to mitigate the spread of any disease, such as Covid, colds and Influenza.

- If occupancy allows, maximize physical distance between students.
- Seating charts for all school buses are completed to facilitate contact tracing.
- Open windows to increase airflow in buses and other transportation, if possible. Regularly clean high touch surfaces on school buses at least daily.

#2 Cleaning, Disinfection and Airflow

Cleaning and disinfection remain standard operational procedures throughout the school year. These practices are the best defense to mitigate the transmission of contagious diseases.

2.1 Limit Use of Shared Supplies and Equipment

- Ensure adequate supplies (i.e. classroom supplies, equipment).
- Encourage hand hygiene practices between use of shared items.
- Discourage use of shared items that cannot be cleaned and disinfected.
- Limit use of shared supplies and equipment.
- Bottle fillers are on. Students and staff are encouraged to bring their own reusable water bottles.

2.2 Cleaning and Disinfection

The CTSD will follow standard procedures for routine cleaning and disinfecting with EPA-registered products. This means daily cleaning and disinfecting surfaces and objects that are touched often, such as desks, countertops, doorknobs, computer keyboards, hands-on learning items, faucet handles, phones, and toys.

- Areas will be closed to allow for cleaning, in the event of increased exposure.

- Any person that exhibits COVID-19 compatible symptoms or tests positive for COVID-19 within 24 hours of being in the school building requires that school staff clean and disinfect the spaces occupied by the person.
- Masks and gloves will be used while disinfecting all areas.
- Once the area has been appropriately disinfected, the area will be reopened.

2.3 Improving Airflow

Improve airflow to the extent possible to increase circulation of outdoor air, increase the delivery of clean air, and dilute potential contaminants. This can be achieved through several strategies that include:

- A comprehensive review of our HVAC systems was completed in 2020.
- Additional equipment for air purification has been purchased.
- Music rooms have been equipped with air purifiers.
- Opening windows to refresh with outside air, when appropriate.
- Staff has been directed to hold activities outdoors if weather permits.
- Larger open space areas within the schools are being utilized for larger group sessions.
- Child-safe fans are utilized in strategic locations.
- Upgrades to windows at PMG for the 2022-2023 school year
- Upgrade of HVAC in specific areas for both RVS and PMG

#3 Screening, Exclusion, and Response to Symptomatic Students and Staff

3.1 Parental Screening

Parents/caregivers were strongly encouraged to monitor their children for signs of illness every day as they are the front line for assessing illness in their children. Students who are sick should not attend school. Exclusion criteria for both students and staff has been distributed on a regular basis. The district monitors local and in-district data continually.

3.2 Response to Symptomatic Students and Staff

Our district has adopted the following measures in response to symptomatic students and staff:

- Following district procedures, all absences related to Covid-like symptoms must be reported to the school nurses, per [Attendance Policy 5200](#).
- An area has been identified to isolate anyone that has been identified as having Covid-like symptoms.
- A separate area has been designated for typical visits to the school nurse.
- Hygiene supplies are available, including additional cloth masks, facial tissues, and alcohol-based hand sanitizer.
- School nurses should use Standard and Transmission-Based Precautions based on the care and tasks required.

- Parents have been notified to update all contact information, which will help to ensure student pick up is required within 30 minutes of notification.

3.3 Exclusion

3.3.1 Definition of COVID-19 Compatible Symptoms

Parents should not send students to school when sick. The following symptoms as per the NJDOH, have been shared with parents and staff.

- Symptoms may include: fever (measure or subjective), chills, rigors (shivers), myalgia (muscle aches), headache, sore throat, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, fatigue, congestion, or runny nose.

3.3.2 When Illness Occurs in the School Setting

Children and staff with COVID-19 symptoms or any illness, should be isolated from others and referred to their healthcare providers, until they can be sent home. Ask ill students (or parent/guardian) and staff whether they have had potential exposure to COVID-19.

- Individuals will be sent home and referred to a healthcare provider. Persons with COVID-19-compatible symptoms should undergo COVID-19 testing.
- The Clinton Township School district does not have on site testing at this time.
- Ill individuals who test positive should be reported to the school nurse.
- Ill individuals that test negative should be referred to a healthcare provider, who may consider additional COVID-19 testing.

The CTSD will follow all processes as directed by the NJDOH and NJDOE.

- Regardless of vaccination status, if a student or staff member experiences COVID-compatible symptoms, they should isolate themselves from others.
- CTSD reports weekly student and staff case counts to NJDOH through the Surveillance for Influenza and COVID-19 (SIC) Module in CDRSS as needed.

3.3.3 Exclusion

COVID-19 exclusion criteria for persons who have COVID-19 compatible symptoms or who test positive for COVID-19:

- Person greater or equal to the age of three years old who completed the primary series of COVID-19 vaccine but have NOT received a recommended booster shot when eligible and have tested positive for COVID-19 quarantine for 5 days from the last exposure to the positive case. Can return to school on day 6 with strict mask wearing.

- Persons may come to school if exposed to COVID as long as they test negative and remain asymptomatic. Masking on days 1-5 is encouraged, and recommended for ten days from initial exposure,
- Persons who test positive for COVID-19 but who are asymptomatic should stay home for 5 days from the last exposure to the positive case. Can return to school on day 6 with strict mask wearing.
- Persons who had confirmed COVID-19 within the last 90 days (positive viral test).

The COVID-19 Exclusion List described in NJDOH guidance for Local health departments can be used to determine the need for and duration of school exclusion based on the level of COVID-19 community transmission in their region. In order to facilitate rapid diagnosis and limit unnecessary school exclusion, schools may consider implementing school-based diagnostic testing for students and staff.

Additional information is described in NJDOH quarantine guidance. To that end, excluded individuals who are close contacts of staff or students who tested positive for COVID-19 may be considered for a reduced exclusion period based on community transmission levels as follows:

#4 Contact Tracing

Contact tracing is the process used to identify those who come into contact with people who have tested positive for many contagious diseases – such as measles, HIV, and COVID-19 – and is a long-standing practice in New Jersey and around the world. Staff were trained as contact tracers beginning in July 2020 and continually monitor information on changes to criteria and local health department guidelines. CTSD will only contact trace in accordance with regular contagious disease guidelines.

#5 Testing

The Clinton Township School district will implement testing if guidance from the NJDOH or CDC indicates the requirement during the coming school year.

5.1 Diagnostic Testing - This is not applicable to the Clinton Township School District at this time.

5.2 Screening Testing - This is not applicable to the Clinton Township School District at this time.

Appendices

A. Vaccinations

- a. Staff Google Form survey delivered 9-2021 to determine vaccination status of staff
- b. Initial collection of vaccination status for students in the eligible category is implemented in Fall 2021. Vaccination cards entered into the student health file. At this time, submission of this information for students is voluntary.
- c. CTSD student population is in grades Pre- Kindergarten through Eighth and vaccinations for children six months and older are available at this time.

B. Communication

- a. Ongoing, consistent communication with the local Department of Health in Hunterdon County
- b. Ongoing, consistent communication with the County Superintendent
- c. Ongoing, consistent communication with the Office of Emergency Management
- d. Ongoing, consistent communication with the district physician
- e. Ongoing, consistent communication with the parents, faculty/staff via emails, and at Board of Education meetings

C. Mask Wearing Protocols

- a. Mask wearing is optional.
- b. Masks must be worn for five days upon return on Day 6 following a positive Covid diagnosis.

D. Physical Distancing and Cohorting Protocols

- a. This is not required at this time.

E. Hand Hygiene and Respiratory Protocols

- a. Instruct and model correct handwashing protocols.
- b. Hand sanitizer is available in the classroom and common areas of each school building.
- c. The appropriate use of hand sanitizer is modeled.
- d. Encourage students and staff to cover coughs and sneezes.
- e. Procurement of adequate supplies.
- f. Assist/observe young children to ensure proper handwashing.

F. Provision of Meals

- a. Lunch is served in the cafeteria.
 - i. Assigned seating
 - ii. Routine cleaning between groups

G. Transportation Protocols

- a. Bus windows should be open if reasonable and not a safety risk, to allow for greater air circulation.
- b. Seating charts are completed.

H. Cleaning, Disinfection and Airflow

- a. Protocols for sanitizing after exposure is identified
- b. Water fountains - closed and replaced with bottle filling stations
- c. Hand washing signage placed in relevant locations
- d. Food Service vendors follow all protocols for sanitizing and food handling
- e. Custodial Sanitizing handbook review
- f. Additional air purifiers secured for specific locations
- g. Encourage the opening of windows

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- a. Parental Screening

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Response to Symptomatic Students and Staff

Our district has adopted the following measures in response to symptomatic students and staff:

- Following district procedures, all absences related to Covid-like symptoms must be reported to the school nurses, per Policy 5200.

- Hygiene supplies are available, including additional cloth masks, facial tissues, and alcohol-based hand sanitizer.
- School nurses should use Standard and Transmission-Based Precautions based on the care and tasks required.
- Parents have been notified to update all contact information, which will help to ensure student pick up is required within 30 minutes of notification.

b. Exclusion

Parents should not send students to school when sick. Staff members should not come to work when sick. The following symptoms as per the NJDOH, have been shared with parents and staff.

- The following symptoms: fever (measure or subjective), chills, rigors (shivers), myalgia (muscle aches), headache, sore throat, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, fatigue, congestion, or runny nose.

J. Contact Tracing

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K. Testing

Diagnostic Testing - This is not applicable to the Clinton Township School District at this time.

Screening Testing - This is not applicable to the Clinton Township School District at this time.

L. Student and Staff Member Travel

- a. As of May 17, 2021, there are no published travel restrictions

Additional Resources

Primary Contacts

Area	Lead	Contact Information
Health, Guidance, & Special Services	Jen Paccione	jpaccione@ctsdnj.org
Safety	Mary Postma	mpostma@ctsdnj.org
Curriculum	Joanne Hinkle	jhinkle@ctsdnj.org
Technology	Joanne Hinkle	jhinkle@ctsdnj.org
Instruction, Data, Assessment	Joanne Filus	jfilus@ctsdnj.org
Registration/Withdraw/HomeSchool	Carmella Shaw	cshaw@ctsdnj.org
Building Specific Information		
PMG (PreK-2)	Melissa Goad	mgoad@ctsdnj.org
RVS (3-5)	Mary Postma	mpostma@ctsdnj.org
CTMS (6-8)	Christina Steffner Luke Mason	csteffner@ctsdnj.org lmason@ctsdnj.org

Support Resources

School Counselors

Available during school hours for in-person talks; phone calls; texts; emails; video conferencing

Carole Frey	cfrey@ctsdnj.org
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Child Study Team Members

Available during school hours for in-person talks; phone calls; texts; emails; video conferencing

Kathy Collins	kcollins@ctsdnj.org
Allison Lefebvre	alefebvre@ctsdnj.org

District Response Team Members

	PMG	RVS	CTMS
School Representatives	Heather Stanley	Katie Shea Kelly Hill	Kelly Gallo
Central Office Representatives	Jen Paccione Caitlin Dombrowski	Dr. Stager Joanne Hinkle Mark Kramer	Jennifer Paccione
Building Administration	Melissa Goad	Mary Postma	Luke Mason Sue High
Parent Representatives	Kelley Boyle Craig Marquardt Amanda and Matthew Fernandez Erin Van den Berg	Mitzi Villa Debbie Murawski Sabrina Henneman Alice Lopes Laura Zamrok Angela Pearly Jennifer Cefalo	Amy Marks Frank Esposito Kelly Wolf Ronel Rechen Todd & Kim French

Out-of-District Supports (This is general information offered to the at-large community)

Professional Resources

Hunterdon Behavioral Health (24-hours)
Hunterdon Medical Center, Flemington, NJ
(908) 788-6401
Mobile Crisis (24-hours)
(908) 788-6400

Hunterdon Helpline (24-hours)
908-782-HELP (4357)
1-800-272-INFO (4630)
www.hunterdonhelpline.org
Family Crisis Intervention Unit
Flemington, NJ
(908) 788-6401

SAFE in Hunterdon
Flemington, NJ
908-788-7666
888-988-4033 (24-hour service)
www.safeinhunterdon.org

Tri-County Resources
(Warren, Hunterdon, and Somerset)
www.TriCountyResourcesNet.org
Catholic Charities
Barbara Rouskas
Flemington, NJ
(908) 782-7905

Carrie Genovisi
Flemington, NJ
(908) 616-1182

Dr. Charwin
Frenchtown, NJ
(908) 507-8429

GSAAP - Anxiety Disorders Clinic
Piscataway, NJ
(732) 445-5384

Oldwick Associates
Oldwick, NJ
(908) 439-3456

Sharon Rausenberger
Bloomsbury, NJ
(908) 479-1113

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Clinton, NJ
(908) 235-8337
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(908) 454-7244

Verna M. Hegstrom
Clinton, NJ
(908) 730-8138

Kimberly Leatherdale, LPC, ATR
Somerset Area
(908) 256-4479

Self Care Resources

Mindful Teachers

<http://www.mindfulteachers.org/p/self-care-resources.html>

American Psychological Association

<https://www.apa.org/pi/about/publications/caregivers/consumers/taking-care-you>

American Counseling Association Mental Health Resources

<https://www.counseling.org/knowledge-center/mental-health-resources/>

Hunterdon County Mental Health Resource Directory (2022)

Hunterdon Behavioral Health Acute Partial Hospital Day Hospital Program Flemington, NJ 08822 www.hunterdonhealthcare.org	908 788-6401	The Center for Great Expectations S.T.A.R.T. Program Somerville, NJ 08876 www.cge-nj.org	732-434-8577
Summit Oaks Hospital Summit, NJ 07902 www.summitoakshospital.com	800-753-5223	Fisherman's Mark Lambertville, NJ 08530 www.fishermansmark.org	609-397-1094
<u>Intensive Outpatient Treatment</u>			
Catholic Charities SPIRIT Program Flemington, NJ 08822 www.ccdom.org	908 782-7905	Hunterdon Behavioral Health Older Adults Program Flemington, NJ 08822 www.hunterdonhealthcare.org	908 237-2364
Freedom House Clinton, NJ www.freedomhousenj.org	908 617-5492	<u>Residential Programs</u>	
GenPsych Flemington, NJ www.genpsych.com	855 436-7792	Easter Seals Residential & Supportive Housing www.nj.easterseals.com	908 689-6600
High Point Program Flemington, NJ 08822 www.highpointpartialcare.com	908 788-5979	Acenda Integrated Health (844-422-3632 x9500)	888 4-ACENDA
Summit Oaks Hospital Summit, NJ 07902 www.summitoakshospital.com	800-753-5223	<u>Self Help/Educational/Vocational</u>	
<u>Care/Case Management Programs</u>			
Bridgeway Rehabilitation Inc. www.bridgewayrehab.org Program in Assertive Community Treatment (PACT) Washington, NJ 07882	908 835-8660	Getting Together Self Help Center Hunterdon Behavioral Health Flemington, NJ 08822 www.hunterdonhealthcare.org	908 806-8202
Residential Intensive Support Team (RIST) Annandale, NJ 08801	908 894-5311	Pathways Employment Services Hunterdon Behavioral Health Flemington, NJ 08822 nrmore@hhsnj.org	908 237-2318
Supportive Housing Program Flemington, NJ 08822	908 237-2577	Hunterdon County One Stop Career Center Flemington, NJ 08822 www.careerconnections.nj.gov	908-782-2371
Easter Seals Integrated Case Management www.nj.easterseals.com	908 689-6600	<u>Veterans Services</u>	
		Veteran's Haven North Residential Program Glen Gardner, NJ 08826 www.nj.gov/military/veteranshavennorth	908-537-1999
		Veterans Service Office Hunterdon County Division of Senior, Disabilities and Veterans Services https://www.co.hunterdon.nj.us/aging/VeteransServices.html	908-788-1361

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Mental Health & Substance Use Disorder Resource Guide

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Advocacy

HC Dept. of Human Services Mental Health Office Flemington, NJ 08822 www.co.hunterdon.nj.us	908 788-1372
NJ 2-1-1 NJ-2-1-1	2-1-1
Disability Rights New Jersey Trenton, NJ 08625 www.drnj.org	800 922-7233
Legal Services of Northwest Jersey, Inc. Flemington, NJ 08822 www.lsnwj.org	908 231-0840
Mental Health Association of NJ www.njmentalhealthcares.org	877-294-4356
NAMI Hunterdon National Alliance on Mental Illness www.namihunterdon.org	908 284-0500
National Council on Alcoholism And Drug Dependency (NCADD-NJ) Robbinsville, NJ http://www.ncaddnj.org/	609-689-0599
NJ Association of Mental Health & Addictions Agencies (NJAMHAA) www.njamhaa.org	609-838-5488

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Crisis Services

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 1-800-273-8255
www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org

NJ Suicide Prevention Hopeline 988
NJHopeline.org

NJ Addictions Services Hotline 1-844 REACH NJ (732-2465)

Hunterdon Behavioral Health
 Psychiatric Emergency Services 908 788-6400
 Family Crisis Intervention Unit 908 788-6401
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.hunterdonhealthcare.org

Hunterdon Helpline 1-800 272-4630
 Flemington, NJ 08822 908-782-4357
www.helplinehc.org

Mobile Response & Stabilization Services
 Accessed through calling PerformCare 1-877 652-7624
 (Children and Adolescents)

SAFE in Hunterdon 908 806-0019
 Domestic Violence Hotline 1-888-988-4033
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.safeinhunterdon.org

Children & Family Support Services

Children's System of Care 1-877 652-7624
 NJ youth are referred through PerformCare, the Contract Services Administrator
www.state.nj.us/dcf/families/csc

Catholic Charities 908 782-7905
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.ccdom.org

Acenda Integrated Healthcare 908 806-5195
 Flemington, NJ 08822

Easter Seals 908 689-6600
 Intensive Family Support Services
www.nj.easterseals.com

Family Success Center 908 237-0465
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.hcfc.com

Family Support Organization (FSO) 908 223-1191
 Hunterdon/Somerset/Warren Counties
 Washington, NJ 07882
www.fso-hsw.org

Hunterdon Behavioral Health
 Adolescent IOP Program 908-788-6401
 Intensive Family Support Services ext.3344
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.hunterdonhealthcare.org

Prevention Resources, Inc. 908 782-3909
 Unifying Families/Strengthening Families
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.njprevent.com

Tri County Care Management Organization (Hunterdon/Somerset/Warren) 908 526-3900
 Somerville, NJ 08876
www.tricountycmo.org

Open Door Recovery Center & Prevention Resources, Inc. 908-782-3909
 Njprevent.com
 Flemington NJ 08822

Inpatient Services

Anderson House, A Turning Point Program 973 380-0905
 Whitehouse Station, NJ 08889
[Anderson House | Women's Halfway House in New Jersey \(turningpointnj.org\)](http://AndersonHouse|Women'sHalfwayHouseinNewJersey(turningpointnj.org))

Capital Health System—Fuld 609 394-6000
 Trenton, NJ 08638
www.capitalhealth.org

Carrier Clinic 800 933-3579
 Belle Meade, NJ 08502
www.carrierclinic.org

Freedom House 908 537-6043
 Glen Gardner, NJ 08826
www.freedomhousenj.org

Hunterdon Behavioral Health 908 788-6401
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.hunterdonhealthcare.org

New Hope IBHC 800-705-4673
 Marlboro, NJ 07746
www.newhopeibhc.org

Princeton House Behavioral Health 800 242-2550
 Princeton, NJ 08540
www.princetonhcs.org

Summit Oaks Hospital 800-753-5223
 Summit, NJ 07902
www.summitoakshospital.com

Turning Point Program 973-380-0905
 Paterson, NJ 07513
www.turningpointnj.org

Outpatient Services

Catholic Charities 908 782-7905
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.ccdom.org

***Carrier Clinic** 800 933-3579
 Belle Meade, NJ 08502
www.carrierclinic.org

***Acenda Integrated Healthcare** 908 806-5195
 (Adult and Adolescent)
 Flemington, NJ 08822
[Acenda \(acendahealth.org\)](http://Acenda(acendahealth.org))

***Freedom House** 908 537-6043
 Clinton, NJ
www.freedomhousenj.org

***High Focus Centers** 877 701-0581
 (Adult and Adolescent)
 Branchburg, NJ
www.highfocuscenters.com

***High Point Program** 908 788-5979
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.highpointpartialcare.com

Hunterdon Behavioral Health 908 788-6401
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.hunterdonhealthcare.org

***Prevention Resources, Inc.** 908 782-3909
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.njprevent.com

***Princeton House Behavioral Health** 888-437-1610
 Princeton, NJ 08540
www.princetonhcs.org

*Denotes substance use disorder treatment, in addition to mental health

Partial Care/Partial Hospitalization

GenPsych 855 436-7792
 Flemington, NJ
www.genpsych.com

High Point Partial Care 908 788-5979
 Flemington, NJ 08822
www.highpointpartialcare.com

Private Contractors

- Maschio's Food Service
- DelVal Transportation
- Educational Services Commission (ESC)
- Effective School Solutions
- Work Family Connection
- Therapeutic Interventions
- Tri-County Behavioral Health

Clinton Township Policy References

Policies:

All policies can be found on the district website [here](#).

Policy 9270 Homeschooling and Equivalent Education Outside the Schools

Policy 9120 Communicating with the Public

Policy 5200 Attendance

Policy 2412 Home Instruction

Policy 8468 Crisis Response

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CDC masks optional on buses - March 7, 2022

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