

RYAN WOODS AUTISM FOUNDATION

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EDUCATIONAL & RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES / SPORTS; MUSIC & ART: DISABILITIES - PROGRAM: RWF
AFTER SCHOOL / RWF SUMMER PROGRAM

DESCRIPTION:

Our 501(c)(3), nonprofit charitable organization is DCF credentialed; DPH licensed [70113] and C4K provider; DDS provider [pending approval] with a wonderful record of dealing with behavioral health, experts in socialization and life skills of children and youth on the autism spectrum and other related special needs. We provide job development and placement as well. We earned our DPH license (License #70113) from the State of Connecticut Department Public Health to enroll all school-aged children [5 years through 21] in both of our after-school and summer programs. We are open during spring break and when schools are closed for the convenience of our families. Transportation can be arranged through us or your Husky provider because we are a clinical site. RWF exposes children and youth to many field trips as well as structured core activities and homework assistance. We encourage you to consider enrolling your child in our community programs.

Ages: Two categories – ages 5-12 and 13-22 with autism / Asperger's / other Special Needs and disabilities.

Activities focus on building relationships along with communication, social and life skills. Program runs from September to June, M-F: 2-6 pm during school and June-August, M-F: 1-5pm during the summer.

STAFF CREDENTIALS

- Program Director with 12 years of experience in dealing with children on the autism spectrum, Asperger's and other Special Needs
- Head Teacher, certified in the state of Connecticut, Cambridge University, Masters degree; ABA certified; 12 years experience with ASDs; currently Special Education Teacher in the state of Connecticut
- Educational Attorney & RWF General Counsel, practicing in NY; certified to practice in CT
- Educational Consultant; Talhaht Mannan, M.Ed; M. Ece
- Dental Consultant, Dr. Gloria Perry
- Clinician, Kristin Pleines, MSW
- Health Consultant, Stephanie Knutson, RN
- Human Services senior-level college interns majoring in: psychology; social work; forensic science; early childhood from Wesleyan University; Middlesex Community College
- Founder, Executive Director - 46 years of executive-level administration [private sector]; 5 years [nonprofit – ASDs and Galveston Board of Education, Galveston, TX]

FEE: Set Fee

PAYMENT: Third party; Private Pay; Autism Speaks Scholarship Funding; RWF Scholarship Funding

APPLICATION: By appointment

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