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Facility Schools Directory



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Glossary

Day Treatment- A program that is licensed through DHS as a day treatment and is approved as a Facility School by CDE to operate a school program where students attend during the day and live in the community.

Residential-A program that is licensed through DHS as a residential program and is approved as a Facility School by CDE to operate a school program where students live at the facility.

School only-Refers to a process where a school district places a student in program licensed as a day treatment for educational services only.

DHS-Department of Human Services

DYC-Department of Youth Corrections

Mental Health-refers to Community Mental Health organization such as BHO, ABC, Jefferson Center for Mental Health, etc.

JPO-Juvenile Probation Office

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Facility Schools

- Facility Schools are residential, day treatment and hospital programs that are approved by CDE to receive school finance funding, hire their own teachers and provide educational services to the students placed with them by a public agency.
- There are currently 54 approved facility schools in Colorado.
- Legislation in 208 established the Facility School Unit at CDE, provided funding for the development of a centralized student record system for facility schools and established the Facility Schools Board.
- The Facility Schools Board is charged with adopting graduation requirements and is given authority to issue high school diplomas to students enrolled in facility schools. It is also charged with developing/ adopting curriculum to be implemented by all facility schools and implementing an accountability system for facility schools.

Youth Track-San Luis Valley

Special Education Director: David Molineux

Address: 1317 17th St. #8 Alamosa, CO 81101

Phone: 720-272-9771

email: davidm@jcmh.org

Years of operation: 17

Placing agencies: Department of Human Services

Ages: 12-19

Grades: 6-12

Gender: male

Specialized Program Focus: students with emotional and be-

havioral difficulties; students who dual diagnoses

Avg. number of students: 8

Avg. length of stay: 9 months to 1 year

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Youth Recovery Center at Valley View

Hospital

Special Education Director: David Molineux

Education Coordinator: Rick Burchell

Address: 1906 Blake Glenwood Springs, CO 81602

Phone: 970-384-7481

email: RBurchell@vvh.org

Years of operation: 27

Placing agencies: private, probation, DHS

Ages: 14-18

Grades: 8-graduation

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have both a mental

health diagnosis and substance abuse issues.

Avg. number of students: 10

Avg. length of stay: 42 days (all clients are admitted for only

42 days)

Types of programs: hospital

Summer program options: full day, 5 days a week

Alternative Homes for Youth

Special Education Director: David Molineux

Education Coordinator: Jolynn Baral

Address: 1110 M. Street Greeley, CO 80631

Phone: 970-353-6010 x204

Email: jolynn.baral@ahfy.org

Years of operation: 36

Placing agencies: Department of Human Services, Depart-

ment of Youth Corrections

Ages: 14-19

Grades: 9-12

Gender: male

Specialized Program Focus: students with emotional/behavioral issues including offense specific behaviors

Avg. number of students: 6

Avg. length of stay: 6-12 months

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Arapahoe House Stepwise

Special Education Director: Estelle Pinsky

Address: 8801 Lipan St. Thornton, CO 80260

Phone: 303-469-1580

Email: essiep@msn.com

Years of operation: 19

Placing agencies: school, courts, probation, and all other approved

public and private agencies

Ages: 12-18

Grades: 6-12

Gender: male

Specialized Program Focus: includes those students who have experienced or are experiencing substance abuse, mental health and legal

issues

Avg. number of students: 14

Avg. length of stay: 30-90 days

Types of programs: residential

Summer program options: A traditional summer school option is offered each summer to residents at the facility. A six hour day of instruction is scheduled and students are awarded academic credit for their successful participation in the program. The educational program is an extension of the regular school program offered to all eligible residents. Instruction in all the core academic areas as well as in PE, electives, and Transition Planning ,where and when applicable, is provided. The summer program is six weeks in duration and tends to be is more experientially oriented than the program regularly offered at the facility.

Western Mountain Youth Services

Special Education Director: Kathy Mortensen

Education Coordinator: Richard Tweedell

Address: P.O. Box 1205 Alamosa, CO 81101

Phone: 719-852-9667

email: kmortensen@slvboces.org

Years of operation: 4

Placing agencies: JPO, DHS, private

Ages: 12-18 (up to 21 with a court order)

Grades: 6-12

Gender: Male or Female (only one gender at a time)

Specialized Program Focus: students who are experiencing issues with mental health, substance abuse, ADHD, family, independent living, service learning and restorative justice

Avg. number of students: 6

Avg. length of stay: 90

Types of programs: residential

Summer program options: 7 days a week, academic and thera-

peutic

Turning Point-Weld Day Resource

Program

Special Education Director: Lisa Broeder

Address: 913 11th Ave. Greeley, CO 80631

Phone: 970-567-0940

email: lbroeder@turningpnt.org

Years of operation: 4

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, school districts

Ages: 10-18

Grades: 5-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students with struggle with men-

tal health, drug and alcohol issues

Avg. number of students: 8

Avg. length of stay: 2 months-2 years

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: full day

Aurora Mental Health

Metro Children's Center

Special Education Director: David Molineux

Education Coordinator: Anne Kelly

Address: 10782 E. Alameda Ave. Aurora, CO 80012

Phone: 303-617-2625

Email: annkelly@aumhc.org

Years of operation: 26

Placing agencies: School districts, BOCES, DHS, Aurora, Mental

Health Center

Ages: 7-14

Grades: 1-8

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: Facility school which utilizes Collaborative Problem Solving, Dialectical Behavior Therapy and emphasizes the importance of relationships in working with exceptional stu-

dents with mental health challenges

Avg. number of students: 15

Avg. length of stay: 8-12 months

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: full day, M-Th 10-3 June 10-27, July 8-25

Aurora Mental Health

Hampden Academy

Special Education Director: David Molineux

Education Coordinator: Barb Stewart

Address: 14301 E. Hampden Ave. Aurora, CO 80014

Phone: 303-617-2607

Email: barbstewart@aumhc.org

Years of operation: 26

Placing agencies: DHS, Aurora Mental Health, School

districts

Ages: 12-21

Grades: 7-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: Facility school which utilizes Collaborative Problem Solving, Dialectical Behavior Therapy and emphasizes the importance of relationships in working with exceptional

students with mental health challenges

Avg. number of students: 14

Avg. length of stay: 4-6 months

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: 6 week academic program

Turning Point-Waverly School

Special Education Director: Lisa Broeder

Address: 10431 N Count Road 15 Ft. Collins, CO 80524

Phone: 970-567-0940

email: lbroeder@turningpnt.org

Years of operation: 7.5 years

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC

Ages: 12-21

Grades: 7-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who struggle with

mental health, drug and alcohol issues

Avg. number of students: 12

Avg. length of stay: 5.2 months

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Third Way Center-Lowry

Special Education Director: Linda Lindsay

Education Coordinator: Laurie Ditterline

Address: 9100 E. Lowry Blvd. Denver, CO 80230

Phone: 303-780-9191 x676

email: lditterline@thirdwaycenter.org

Years of operation: 6 years

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, mental health

Ages: 14-20

Grades: 8-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students with significant mental

health needs

Avg. number of students: 24

Avg. length of stay: 3-6 months

Types of programs: residential

Summer program options: full day

Children's Hospital Colorado

Special Education Director: Barb Taylor

Education Coordinator: Karen Okamoto

Address: 13123 E. 16th Ave. B030 Aurora, CO 80045

Phone: 720-777-5796

Email: Karen.okamoto@childrenscolorado.org

Years of operation: 104

Placing agencies: physicians

Ages: 3-21

Grades: K-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who are in the hospital

due to medical issues

Avg. number of students: 6

Avg. length of stay: 7 days

Types of programs: hospital

Summer program options: none

Community Reach Center, Inc.

Special Education Director: Estelle Pinsky

Education Coordinator: Estelle Pinsky

Address: 11285 Highline Drive Northglenn, CO 80233

Phone: 303-853-3400/3459

Email: e.pinsky@communityreachcenter.org

Years of operation: 30

Placing agencies: School districts and all other public agencies

Ages: 5-21

Grades: K-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who need trauma based therapy; must have a mental health diagnosis; must be in special education and have a current IEP

Avg. number of students: 25

Avg. length of stay: Elementary 1.5-2 years/Secondary 1-1.5

years

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: therapeutic program

Third Way Center

Special Education Director: Linda Lindsay

Education Coordinator: Lisa Baylon

Address: 50 W. 50th Denver, CO 80230

Phone: 303-282-8151

email: lbaylon@thirdwaycenter.org

Years of operation: 16 (Third Way was opened in 1970. The

school program began in 1997)

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, mental health

Ages: 15-19

Grades: 8-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have severe mental

health and behavioral issues, teen mothers, drug/alcohol

Avg. number of students: 35

Avg. length of stay: 9 months

Types of programs: residential

Summer program options: full day, 5 days/ wk, 7 wks.

The Joshua School-Boulder

Special Education Director: Barb Taylor

Education Coordinator: Katie Jensen

Address: 7077 Harvest Road Boulder, CO 80301

Phone: 303-974-7732

email: kjensen@joshuaschool.org

Years of operation: opened January 2013

Placing agencies: school districts

Ages: 2 1/2-18

Grades: preschool-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have autism spec-

trum disorders and developmental disabilities

Avg. number of students: 16

Avg. length of stay: 3 years

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: ESY only-full days, 5 day/wk.

Craig Hospital

Special Education Director: David Molineux

Education Coordinator: Kimberly (Kim) Frey

Address: 3425 Clarkson Englewood, CO 880113

Phone: 303-789-6278

Email: kfrey@craighospital.org

Years of operation: 105

Placing agencies: physician

Ages: 14-18

Grades: 8-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who are in the hospital

due to a traumatic brain or spinal cord injury.

Avg. number of students: 2-12

Avg. length of stay: 45-90 days

Types of programs: hospital

Summer program options: flexible, as needed

Creative Perspectives

Special Education Director: Barb Taylor

Education Coordinator: Ryan Daly

Address: 1724 Majestic Drive Ste 109 Lafayette, CO 80026

Phone: 303-935-5200

email: Ryan.Daly@spectracenter.org

Years of operation: 1.5

Placing agencies: School districts

Ages: 5-21

Grades: K-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have autism spectrum disorders and duel diagnoses such as Traumatic Brain

Injury and Pervasive Development Disorder

Avg. number of students: 5

Avg. length of stay: new program; unable to determine yet

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: full day programming including ESY services; focus on academics, individualization and independent living skills.

The Joshua School

Special Education Director: Barb Taylor

Education Coordinator: Kristin Buchanan

Address: 2303 E. Dartmouth Ave. Englewood, CO 80113

Phone: 720-255-6629

email: kbuchanan@joshuaschool.org

Years of operation: 8

Placing agencies: school districts, private pay

Ages: 2 1/2-21

Grades: preschool-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have autism spectrum

disorders and developmental disabilities

Avg. number of students: 25

Avg. length of stay: 3 years

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: ESY only-full days, 5 day/wk.

Tennyson Center-Littleton

Special Education Director: Djuana Osby

Address: 7171 S. Pennsylvania Littleton, CO 80212

Phone: 720-855-3346

email: djuana.osby@tennysoncenter.org

Years of operation: unknown

Placing agencies: school districts

Ages: 5-12

Grades: K-6

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who are abused, neglected and at risk, dual diagnosis classroom and school only

program through Denver Public Schools

Avg. number of students: 7

Avg. length of stay: 6-9 months

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: 9:00-1:00 M-Th for 8 wks

Denver Children's Home

LIFE!

Special Education Director: Debbie Huerta

Education Coordinator: Jackie Bott

Address: 1501 Albion St. 80220

Phone: Debbie Huerta 720-881-3416

Jackie Bott 720-881-3376

email: dhuerta@denverchildrenshome.org

jbott@denverchildrenshome.org

Years of operation: 136 years

Placing agencies: DHS, mental health, school districts, private pay

Ages: 10-18

Grades: 4-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: Educational program for Developmentally disabled youth with mental health issues. Program provides Life Skills training, Independent Living skills training, Functional aca-

demic opportunities, and Essential Social Skills training.

Avg. number of students: 10

Avg. length of stay: 12 months

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Denver Children's Home

Bansbach Academy

Special Education Director: Debbie Huerta

Education Coordinator: Jackie Bott

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Phone: Debbie Huerta 720-881-3416

Jackie Bott 720-881-3376

email: dhuerta@denverchildrenshome.org

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Years of operation: 136

Placing agencies: DHS, mental health, school districts, private

pay

Ages: 10-18

Grades: 4-12

Gender: male and female b

Specialized Program Focus: Provides education and therapeutic services for the severely traumatized youth. All students have a mental health diagnosis and 85% experience a special education

disability.

Avg. number of students: 60

Avg. length of stay: 9.4 months

Types of programs: residential, day treatment, school only

Tennyson Center-CCH

Special Education Director: Djuana Osby

Education Coordinator:

Address: 2950 Tennyson St. Denver, CO 80212

Phone: 720-855-3346

email: djuana.osby@tennysoncenter.org

Years of operation: 108

Placing agencies: DHS, mental health, school districts

Ages: 5-18

Grades: K-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who are abused, neglected and at risk, dual diagnosis classroom and school only program

through Denver Public Schools

Avg. number of students: 85

Avg. length of stay: 6-12 months (depending on program)

Types of programs: residential, day treatment, school only

Summer program options: full day program for 8 weeks, ESY, Challenge by Choice, full days, 4 days a week (special application proc-

ess)

Synergy Outpatient

Special Education Director: Kelly Farris

Address: 1212 S. Broadway, Suite 200 Denver, Co 80210

Phone: 720-283-3611

email: Kelly.farris@ucdenver.edu

Years of operation: 35

Placing agencies: DYC, DHS

Ages: 12-18

Grades: 6-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: drug and alcohol abuse, conduct

disorders and mental health disorders

Avg. number of students: 30 (two staggered groups of 15-17)

Avg. length of stay: 5 months

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: full day, 5 days a week for 7 weeks

Denver Health Medical Center

Special Education Director: Barb Taylor

Education Coordinator: Michelle Chastain

Address: 777 Bannock St. 5 East Adolescent Unit Denver, CO 80204

Phone: 303-717-2370

email: barbtaylor@q.com

Years of operation: 15+

Placing agencies: Mental health holds, E.R. psychiatrists

Ages: 10-17

Grades: 4-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: student who have acute mental

health and behavioral issues

Avg. number of students: 10

Avg. length of stay: 3-10 days

Types of programs: hospital

Devereux Cleo Wallace

Special Education Director: Carrie Lawless

Education Coordinator: Kurt Braginetz

Address: 8405 Church Ranch Blvd. Westminster, CO 80021

Phone: 303-438-2281

email: clawless@devereux.org

Years of operation: 65

Placing agencies: DHY, DYC, mental health, school districts

Ages: 7-20

Grades: 4-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: There are several subprograms within the structure of Devereux Cleo Wallace including students with mental health needs, offense specific, Department of Youth Corrections, high functioning autism, and substance abuse.

Avg. number of students: 124

Avg. length of stay: 9-12 months

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Summer program options: full day

Synergy

Special Education Director: Kelly Farris

Address: 3690 W. Princeton Circle Denver, CO 80236

Phone: 720-283-3611

email: Kelly.farris@ucdenver.edu

Years of operation: 35

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC

Ages: 13-18

Grades: 8-12

Gender: male

Specialized Program Focus: students who have experienced drug and alcohol abuse, conduct disorders and mental health issues

Avg. number of students: 24

Avg. length of stay: 5 months

Types of programs: residential

Summer program options: full day, 5 days a week for 7 weeks

Southern Peaks Regional Treatment

Center

Special Education Director: Merrilee Baker

Education Coordinator: Jesse Oliver

Address: 700 Four Mile Parkway Canon City, CO 81212

Phone: 719-276-7532

email: mxbaker@abraxasyfs.com

Years of operation: 8

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, mental health, Native American com-

munities, out of state agencies

Ages: 10-21

Grades: 5-12 and a program for students who have graduated

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: Students who have offense specific behaviors (males), Native American students, sexually exploited children, behavioral issues (male and female), drug and alcohol treat-

ment

Avg. number of students: 110

Avg. length of stay: 60 days-2 years

Types of programs: residential

Summer program options: Remedial Core Subjects, Recreational and

Vocational Coursework

El Pueblo Boys and Girls Ranch

Special Education Director: Heidi Boswell-Pasic

Address: 1 El Pueblo Ranch Way Pueblo, CO 81006

Phone: 719-404-1179

email: heidi.boswell-pasic@elpueblokids.net

Years of operation: 51

Placing agencies: DHS, school districts, private

Ages: 5-21

Grades: K-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have conduct disorders, mental health diagnoses, dual diagnoses, ASD or drug/

alcohol abuse issues

Avg. number of students: 86-129

Avg. length of stay: 4-6 months

Types of programs: residential and day treatment

Summer program options: no information available at this

time

Excelsior Youth Center

Special Education Director: Jann Clevenger

Education Coordinator: Quixie Jenkins

Address: 15001 E. Oxford Ave. Aurora, CO 80014

Phone: 303-693-1550 x238

email: Jann@excelsioryc.org

Years of operation: 40

Placing agencies: DHS, mental health, court ordered, out of

state agencies

Ages: 11-18

Grades: 5-12

Gender: female

Specialized Program Focus: females – continuum of care includes everything from hospital diversion, respite and short term intensive therapy to residential and day treatment to com-

munity based services

Avg. number of students: 150

Avg. length of stay: CO students-6 months/Out of state-12-18

months

Types of programs: residential, day treatment, intensive short

term, community based, respite

Summer program options: full day (6.7 hours M, T, TH, F and

4.5 hours W)

Shiloh-The Sanctuary

Special Education Director: Kevin Tracy

Education Coordinator: Lawrence Green

Address: 8461 Delaware St. Thornton, CO 80260

Phone: 303-932-9599

email: www.shilohhouse.org; ktracy@shilohhouse.net

Years of operation: 24

Placing agencies: DHS, mental health, school districts, courts

Ages: 11-18

Grades: 5-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students with emotional and behavioral disorders who need mental health support and stabilization; additional short term shelter services are available **for youth in crisis.**

Avg. number of students: 20

Avg. length of stay: 90 days

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Shiloh-Longmont Campus

Special Education Director: Kevin Tracy

Education Coordinator: Jessica Taylor

Address: 745 Hwy. 119 Longmont, CO 80501

Phone: 303-932-9599

email: www.shilohhouse.org; ktracy@shilohhouse.net

Years of operation: 24

Placing agencies: DHS, mental health, school districts, courts

Ages: 10-18

Grades: 5-12

Gender: male

Specialized Program Focus: students with emotional and be-

havioral disorders who need mental health support

Avg. number of students: 22

Avg. length of stay: 180 days

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Summer program options: full day

Family Crisis Center

Special Education Director: Alisa Saliman

Address: 2929 W. 10th Ave. Denver, CO 80204

Phone: 720-944-3765

email: Alisa.Saliman@Denvergov.org

Years of operation: 14

Placing agencies: DHS, courts, voluntary

Ages: 10-21

Grades: 5-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: short term residential care

Avg. number of students: 21

Avg. length of stay: 90-120 days

Types of programs: residential

Family Tree-Gemini House

Special Education Director: David Molineux

Education Coordinator: Meghan Petoskey

Address: 1629 Simms Lakewood, CO 80215

Phone: 303-235-0630

email: davidm@jcmh.org

Years of operation: 31

Placing agencies: DHS, school districts, self referral

Ages: 11-17

Grades: 5-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who need short term

care, run away and homeless young adults

Avg. number of students: 15

Avg. length of stay: 7-30 days

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Summer program options: full day

Shiloh-Littleton Campus

Special Education Director: Kevin Tracy

Education Coordinator: Jessica Taylor

Address: 6400 W. Coal Mine Ave. Littleton, CO 80123

Phone: 303-932-9599

email: www.shilohhouse.org; ktracy@shilohhouse.net

Years of operation: 24

Placing agencies: DHS, mental health, school districts, courts

Ages: 7-18

Grades: 1-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students with emotional and behav-

ioral disorders who need mental health support

Avg. number of students: 40

Avg. length of stay: 180 days

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Shiloh-Adams Campus

Special Education Director: Kevin Tracy

Education Coordinator: Lawrence Green

Address: 7400 Kearney St. Commerce City, CO 80022

Phone: 303-932-9599

email: www.shilohhouse.org; ktracy@shilohhouse.net

Years of operation: 24

Placing agencies: DHS, mental health, school districts, courts

Ages: 5-12

Grades: K-6

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students with emotional and behavioral disorders who need mental health support and stabili-

zation

Avg. number of students: 9

Avg. length of stay: 200 days

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Summer program options: full day

Forest Heights Lodge

Special Education Director: David Molineux

Education Coordinator: Lisa Thoennes

Address: 4761 S. Forest Hill Road P.O. Box 789

Evergreen, CO 80439

Phone: 303-674-6681

email: lisathoennes@forestheightslodge.org

Years of operation: 57

Placing agencies: school districts, private pay

Ages: 8-15

Grades: 2-10

Gender: male

Specialized Program Focus: students who are emotionally dis-

turbed

Avg. number of students: 24

Avg. length of stay: 18-24 months

Types of programs: residential

Gateway-RCCF Program-Delta

Special Education Director: Sonjia Hunt

Education Coordinator: Susan Deforest

Address: 2206 Main St. Austin, CO 81401

Phone: 970-216-6134

email: sonjiahunt61@gmail.com

Years of operation: 10

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, private placements

Ages: 12-21

Grades: 6-12

Gender: male

Specialized Program Focus: students with offense specific

behaviors

Avg. number of students: 12

Avg. length of stay: 8-12 months

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: T-F 6 hrs/day

Serenity Education & Day Treatment

Center

Special Education Director: Linda Lindsay

Education Coordinator: Jeanne Tubbs-Richardson

Address: 3400 S. Fairplay Way Aurora, CO 80014

Phone: 303-699-6373

email: sedtreatment@smithagencyinc.org

Years of operation: 12

Placing agencies: DHS, mental health, school districts

Ages: 6-21

Grades: 1-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have autism related disorders, low emotional and cognitive skills and a mental health di-

agnosis

Avg. number of students: 75

Avg. length of stay: 5 years

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: ESY

Savio House

Special Education Director: Barb Taylor

Education Coordinator: Jon Norlin

Address: 325 King Street Denver, CO 80219

Phone: 303-225-4060

email: ctomjnorlin@saviohoure.org

jnorlin@saviohouse.org

Years of operation: 47

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, school districts

Ages: 12-19

Grades: 6-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have experienced child

abuse and neglect or delinquency

Avg. number of students: 25

Avg. length of stay: 4-6 months

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Summer program options: full day, 5 days a week

Gateway-Grand Junction

Special Education Director: Sonjia Hunt

Address: 835 Colorado Avenue Grand Junction, CO 80501

Phone: 970-216-6134

email: sonjiahunt61@gmail.com

Years of operation: (previously part of Griffith Center) moved to

current location one year ago

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, private placements

Ages: 12-21

Grades: 6-12

Gender: female

Specialized Program Focus: can accept students with offense

specific behaviors

Avg. number of students: 6-7

Avg. length of stay: 8-12 months

Types of programs: residential

Summer program options: T-F 6 hrs/day

Griffith Center-Colorado Springs

Special Education Director: Coyla Dowdell

Education Coordinator: Kathryn Stults

Address: 10 N. Farragut Ave. Colorado Springs, CO 80909

Phone: 719-327-2008

email: Coyla.Dowdell@griffithcenters.org;

kathy.stults@griffithcenters.org

Years of operation: 83-in 1999, Griffith Center merged with

Chins Up Colorado

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, school districts, private

Ages: 5-12 day treatment, 10-19 residential

Grades: K-6 day treatment, 5-12 residential

Gender: day treatment is male and female, residential is male

only

Specialized Program Focus: students who have been diagnosed with an emotional disability, a significant learning dis-

ability or those with offense specific behaviors

Avg. number of students: residential-35-45; day tx 18-36

Avg. length of stay: 6-9 months

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Summer program options: Full days for residential students, day tx students who are approved for ESY also attend a full day

Roundup School & Day Treatment

Special Education Director: Ron Hage

Education Coordinator: Charlie Tomkins

Address: 2121 E. LaSalle St. Suite 100 Colorado Springs, CO

80909

Phone: 719-447-9333 x2036

email: ctomkins@rup.org

Years of operation: 17

Placing agencies: DHS, school districts

Ages: 6-21

Grades: 1-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have a developmen-

tal disability and behavior challenges

Avg. number of students: 24

Avg. length of stay: 3 years

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Summer program options: June 10-July 18, 8:30-2:30, for students who are approved for ESY services from their school dis-

trict

Rocky Mountain Youth Academy

Special Education Director: Nita McAuliffe

Education Coordinator: Stacey Holland

Address: 15357 County Road T La Jara, CO 81140

Phone: 719-274-4349

email: hollandstacy@hotmail.com

Years of operation: 13

Placing agencies: Department of Human Services

Ages: 10-18

Grades: 5-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have emotional and

behavioral difficulties

Avg. number of students: 4

Avg. length of stay: 6-12 months

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: full days, 5 days/wk.

Hand Up Homes for Youth-West

Special Education Director: Linda Lindsay

Education Coordinator: Peggy Payne

Address: 801 Coffman Road P.O. Box 130

Whitewater, CO 81527

Phone: 970-255 8000

email: ppayne@huhfy.com

Years of operation: 14

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, Probation

Ages: 12-20

Grades: 7-12

Gender: males only

Specialized Program Focus: sexually reactive youth

Avg. number of students: 11

Avg. length of stay: 12-15 months

Types of programs: residential

Hilltop Youth Services

Special Education Director: Sonjia Hunt

Education Coordinator: Candice Batterson

Address: 1405 Wellington Ave. Grand Junction, CO 81501

Phone: 970-263-2865

email: candiceb@htop.org

Years of operation: 20

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, private

Ages: 12-18

Grades: 6-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have significant mental health needs and are in need of services regarding physical, emotional and/or sexual abuse, neglect or chemical dependency

Avg. number of students: 12-15

Avg. length of stay: 3 months-one year

Types of programs: Residential

Summer program options: no information available at this time

Reflections for Youth, Inc.-Loveland

Special Education Director: Elisabeth Freys

Education Coordinator: Kristine Goen

Address: 1000 s. Lincoln Ave. Suite 200 Loveland, CO 80537

Phone: 970-344-1390

email: liz@reflectionsforyouth.org

Years of operation: 7

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, school districts

Ages: 11-18

Grades: 5-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have emotional and

behavioral difficulties

Avg. number of students: 32

Avg. length of stay: residential 3-6 months, day treatment 12

months

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Summer program options: full day, 5 days/wk.

Reflections for Youth, Inc.-Brighton

Special Education Director: Elisabeth Freys

Education Coordinator: Kristine Goen

Address: 60 27th Avenue Brighton, CO 80601

Phone: 720-263-3160

email: liz@reflectionsforyouth.org

Years of operation: 2

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, school districts

Ages: 8-19

Grades: 2-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have emotional and

behavioral difficulties

Avg. number of students: 12

Avg. length of stay: 1-1.5 years

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: full day, 5 days/wk.

Jefferson Hills-Aurora

Special Education Director: David Molineux

Education Coordinator: Martha Muth

Address: 1290 S. Potomac Aurora, CO 80012

Phone: 303-597-2228

email: marthm@jcmh.org

Years of operation: 14

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC

Ages: 12-21

Grades: 6-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: Long term residential treatment in

Avg. number of students: 69

Avg. length of stay: 10 months

Types of programs: residential

Jefferson Hills-Lakewood Day Treatment

Special Education Director: David Molineux

Education Coordinator: Jennifer Anderson

Address: 421 Zang St. Lakewood, CO 80228

Phone: 303-996-3849

email: davidm@jcmh.org

Years of operation: 2

Placing agencies: Department of Human Services, school dis-

tricts

Ages: 5-18

Grades: K-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have autism spectrum disorders/students who have emotional and behavioral

issues

Avg. number of students: 18

Avg. length of stay: 9 months

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: full day

(PSI) Cedar Springs-Southgate School

Special Education Director: Ron Hage

Education Coordinator: Bristole Morris

Address: 2135 Southgate Road Colorado Springs, CO 80906

Phone: 719-329-5404

email: ron.hage@uhsinc.com

Years of operation: 19

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC, out of state agencies, private insur-

ance

Ages: 5-18

Grades: K-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have acute psychiatric problems, substance abuse issues, emotional difficulties and Reactive Attachment Disorder.

Avg. number of students: 34 residential, 24 acute unit

Avg. length of stay: 4-8 months in residential, 3 days in acute

unit

Types of programs: residential, acute care

Summer program options: no information available at the time

Prince Street Academy

Special Education Director: Linda Lindsay

Education Coordinator: Pam Weiner

Address: 5524 S. Prince St. Littleton, CO 80120

Phone: 303-761-7991

email: pweiner@admhn.org

Years of operation: 25

Placing agencies: Department of Human Services, mental

health

Ages: 6-18

Grades: K-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus:

Avg. number of students: 14

Avg. length of stay: 9 months

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: no information available at this time

Jefferson Hills-New Vistas

Special Education Director: David Molineux

Education Coordinator: Jennifer Anderson

Address: 421 Zang St. Lakewood, CO 80228

Phone: 303-996-3849

email: davidm@jcmh.org

Years of operation: 2

Placing agencies: mental health

Ages: 5-18

Grades: K-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who need short term cri-

sis stabilization

Avg. number of students: 18

Avg. length of stay: 6-7 days

Types of programs: residential

Laradon Hall

Special Education Director: Kathy Henschke

Education Coordinator: Stephanie Johnson

Address: 5100 Lincoln St. Denver, CO 80216

Phone: 303-296-2400 x6816

email: Kathy.Henschke@laradon.org

Years of operation: 63

Placing agencies: School districts

Ages: 5-21

Grades: K-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students with a dual diagnosis of a developmental disability and psychiatric, behavioral or emotional disorder.

Avg. number of students: 91

Avg. length of stay: 2-2 1/2 years

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: ESY only-June 10-Aug. 2/6.5 hours

per day, 5 days per week

National Jewish Hospital

Kunsberg School

Special Education Director: Kathy Fisher

Education Coordinator: John Reid

Address: 1400 Jackson St. Denver, CO 80206

Phone: 303-398-1104

email: reidj@njc.org

Years of operation: 35 (It became a day school 22 years ago.

The hospital has been serving patients for 100 years)

Placing agencies: physician referral

Ages: 5-14

Grades: K-8

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have a chronic illness such as asthma/allergies, Cystic Fibrosis, Sickle Cell Anemia.

Avg. number of students: 86

Avg. length of stay: 2-3 years

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: full day programming held during

the last three weeks in June

Mount St. Vincent Home

Special Education Director: Ann Weinburger/ Diana Cooper-

Ribner

Education Coordinator: Lori McClurg

Address: 4159 Lowell Blvd. Denver, Co 80211

Phone: 970303-477-7559

email: Imcclurg@msvhome.org; aweinburger@msvhome.org

Years of operation: 130

Placing agencies: DHS, mental health, school district, private

insurance

Ages: 5-14

Grades: K-8

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: students who have emotional and

behavioral needs

Avg. number of students: 58

Avg. length of stay: 9 months

Types of programs: residential, day treatment, school only

Summer program options: full day, 5 days/wk., ESY

Mental Health Center of Denver

Special Education Director: Lynn Garst

Education Coordinator: Barb Taylor

Address: 4141 E. Dickenson Place Denver, CO 80222

Phone: 303-504-6560

email: lynn.garst@mhcd.org

Years of operation: 11

Placing agencies: DHS, ABC, DPS

Ages: 6-14

Grades: 1-8

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: full-day educational and therapeutic services to children with severe emotional, mental or behavioral disorders that prevent them from benefiting from tradi-

tional school settings

Avg. number of students: 24

Avg. length of stay: 7-8 months

Types of programs: day treatment

Summer program options: full day program

Midway Youth Services-Remington

Special Education Director: Eileen Balcerak

Education Coordinator: Erin Spies

Address: 1516 Remington Fort Collins, CO 80524

Phone: 970-484-7447

email: Eileen.Balcerak@unco.edu

Years of operation: 10

Placing agencies: DHS, mental health, private insurance,

school districts

Ages: 10-18

Grades: 4-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: serves students with a range of be-

havioral and emotional issues.

Avg. number of students: 19

Avg. length of stay: 24 hours-9months

Types of programs: residential, day treatment

Summer program options: full day, 5 days a week, experiential

focus

Mountain Crest Behavioral Healthcare

Special Education Director: Barb Taylor (interim)

Education Coordinator: Jackie Klausmeyer

Address: 4601 Corbett Drive Ft. Collins, CO 80528

Phone: 970-207-4866

email: btaylor@q.com

Years of operation: 10+

Placing agencies: DHS, DYC

Ages: 12-18

Grades: 6-12

Gender: male and female

Specialized Program Focus: adolescents with mental health

and substance abuse needs

Avg. number of students: 14

Avg. length of stay: 3 months-1 year

Types of programs: residential