



Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facilities



Youthville is one of the largest nonprofit, child welfare agencies in Kansas, specializing in foster care, adoption, counseling and psychiatric residential treatment facilities.



Youthville's Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facilities (PRTF) are 24-hour facilities that offer highly structured treatment for youth whose behaviors threaten the safety of themselves or others. There is a residential campus in Newton and in Dodge City that can help treat up to 115 youth.



Currently, there are 34 intensive residential beds for boys and 24 beds for girls on the Newton Campus. There are 37 intensive residential beds, 24 of which are for boys who have sexually aggressive behaviors or sexual issues, and 20 beds for girls on the Dodge City Campus.

Youthville serves children and youth ages 7-18 who need time to address issues and remove barriers to be part of a family again. Each campus has a chaplain to provide spiritual guidance to those seeking that help as well. Child welfare, community providers and parents can utilize Youthville's PRTF. Major health insurances and Medicaid are accepted.

Programs at the Dodge City Campus

The **Therapeutic Animal Program (TAP)** helps children by directly involving them in all phases of animal care so they may experience how to nurture an animal and receive back unconditional attention and love. It allows kids to establish personal goals, develop life skills to form attachments and understand socially-acceptable boundaries. Youth also learn to build faith in themselves and the ability to trust others.

The **Sexual Aggressive Treatment Program (SATP)** is designed to enable participants to understand the destructive impact of their offenses on their victims, families and themselves. They learn responsible means of meeting personal needs and interacting with others. Residents are held accountable for their offenses and work through the cognitive and emotional processes they experienced before, during and after each offense to work on building healthy relationships and their own self perceptions.

The **Sexual Issues Treatment Program (SITP)** treats children with sexual boundary issues as well as children that have been sexually abused and have abused others. Most of these children have either seen or been exposed to sexual abuse/issues or have been exposed to inappropriate sexual boundaries.

Programs at the Newton Campus

The **Expressive Arts Center (XAC)** is a program that incorporates art, music and drama into the children's daily schedule to provide an outlet to express their emotions and issues. Through the program, youth learn to resolve conflicts or problems, increase self-esteem and self-awareness, develop interpersonal skills, manage behaviors, reduce stress and achieve insight.

Locations & Contacts

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Treatment Services

- Individual, Group & Family Therapy
- On-grounds Education
- Medical Services
- Psychiatric Services
- Chemical Dependency Services
- Activity/Milieu Program

Licensure

- Kansas Department of Health & Environment

Accreditation

- Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations

Affiliations

- American Association of Children's Residential Centers
- Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers
- Child Welfare League of America
- Children's Alliance of Kansas

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