



Community activity: D'Asia English enjoys a manicure at a salon near her Bancroft group home.

A CONTINUUM OF RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS

Bancroft offers a range of comfortable, secure residences that help young people with intellectual and developmental disabilities achieve their full potential. Skilled staff members work with each young person to maximize abilities of daily living, self-care, appropriate behaviors, socialization, recreation and more.

Residential programs for youth ages 5 - 21 include:

- **Campus-based residential program:** eight apartments on Bancroft's main campus in picturesque Haddonfield, N.J. This program provides intensive support and supervision, with the goal of preparing youngsters to transition to more independent settings in the community.
- **Community-based residential program:** 13 group homes in the nearby suburban towns of Cherry Hill and Marlton, N.J. The program offers a range of support and supervision, based on the needs of each child.

Residential students typically attend The Bancroft School, a 250-student special education school on the Haddonfield campus.



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CLINICAL EXPERTISE

At Bancroft, each young person's individual training and treatment program is developed and overseen by a team of clinical experts. This interdisciplinary team includes specialists in applied behavior analysis, pediatrics, education, nursing, and psychiatry. Moreover, residential students benefit from an expanded clinical team that includes educational experts from The Bancroft School, in addition to residential clinicians.

The team creates an individualized habilitation plan (IHP) for each child, which includes specific goals for learning and improvement in daily-living skills (such as personal hygiene, cooking and cleaning), community involvement, behavior, communication and more.

Both the school and residential staff work on many of the same objectives, reinforcing concepts at home and at school, and together helping the youngster to achieve his goals.



BANCROFT'S MISSION is to ensure that every person is given opportunities for lifelong learning and fulfillment.

We do this by altering perceptions, and by supporting those with intellectual and developmental challenges and acquired brain injuries in achieving their life goals as valued and respected members of our world.

BEHAVIORAL TREATMENT

Bancroft's pediatric residential programs place a strong emphasis on applied behavior analysis (ABA), a well-proven "best practice" in the developmental disabilities field. ABA enables us to teach new skills through many small, achievable steps, and to replace maladaptive behaviors with appropriate, functional behaviors.

Bancroft's residential and school staff coordinate ABA treatment at the youngster's residence and at school, to enhance learning through consistent and scientifically proven treatments.

HEALTH CARE

Our pediatric residents have quick access to nursing care that meets their unique needs. Campus-based apartments provide 24-hour, on-site nursing, and community-based homes provide 24-hour nursing on-call. Bancroft's chief medical officer – a well-known developmental pediatrician – is the primary-care doctor for each campus resident, and oversees medical care for those served in Bancroft residential programs.

RECREATION AND FUN

Play is vital to kids' health and happiness, so at Bancroft we create many leisure opportunities. Children help plan their own activities and outings, which range from trips to the mall and the movies, to bowling, dining out and visits to local parks, concerts and sports events. Plus, they can take part in the many recreational options provided by The Bancroft School, including extensive Special Olympics programs, school dances and other extracurricular activities.



“ I'm just so impressed with Bancroft. I'm so thankful and grateful there are people who know how to take care of my son, and know how to help him live a healthy and happy life. Bancroft is unique and extraordinary. ”

– **JILL MCDOWELL**, mother of Danny, 19

Those served in the campus program can also walk to local parks, shops and restaurants in Haddonfield's historic, pedestrian-friendly downtown. And community residents have quick, easy access to all manner of recreational options in this dynamic suburban area.

Gaining independence: 71% of young people currently living in Bancroft's community-based residences transitioned from Bancroft's campus-based program.

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