

# A Journey of *Possibility*



**Bancroft®**  
One world. For everyone.

**PROGRAMS AND SERVICES  
FOR CHILDREN**





## UNLOCKING THE *Potential* In Each Child

Merging clinical excellence and compassionate care to help children live their best lives.

Every child deserves the opportunity to access the services they need to help them thrive. Through innovative programs supported by evidence-based treatment, Bancroft offers a range of services aimed at unlocking the potential of children living with autism, intellectual and developmental disabilities and co-occurring behavioral and physical health challenges.



Specializing in the treatment of profound autism, our reputation for excellence is infused in Bancroft's commitment to maximizing potential, overcoming challenges and preparing children for a successful transition to adulthood. Services include:

- Special education
- Residential treatment
- Transition planning
- Diagnostic evaluations
- ABA for skill building and treatment of challenging behaviors
- Therapeutic intervention such as speech, psychology and physical therapy
- Therapeutic intervention for profound autism



We meet each child where they are, supporting their distinct needs and challenges to maximize his or her abilities, address areas of opportunity and ultimately help them connect to family, school and community.



## THE BANCROFT SCHOOL NETWORK

# Meeting the Needs of Each *Student*

Bancroft schools offer an integrated classroom model that gives educators essential support in the classroom, leading to better outcomes and increased independence for students.

### Bancroft® Preschool & Early Education Program

**Moorestown, NJ**  
Helps children ages 3  
to 11 develop new skills  
while reducing disruptive  
behaviors

### THE Bancroft® SCHOOL

**Mt. Laurel, NJ**  
Empowers children and  
youth with autism and  
I/DD disabilities, ages  
12 to 21

### **KOHLER ACADEMY** A Bancroft® School

**Mountainside, NJ**  
High-quality education  
and therapeutic services to  
children and young adults

### THE Bancroft® SCHOOL Voorhees Pediatric Facility

**Voorhees, NJ**  
NJ Department of  
Education-approved private  
school within a pediatric  
specialized-care facility

## Beyond the Classroom

Bancroft's clinicians, teachers and paraprofessionals go beyond the classroom when working with students. Through extracurricular activities, engagement with families, leveraging technology and an innovative environment of professional development and expertise, we provide a dynamic and hopeful path toward the future.

## Enrichment and Recreation

Students at Bancroft's schools are empowered by teachable moments throughout each and every day. Academic instruction extends beyond traditional subjects to include daily living, social skills and experiential learning. Art, adaptive physical education and enrichment activities are an integral part of the Bancroft experience.

## Leveraging Technology and Augmenting Communication

Bancroft leverages technology so children have access to a variety of support, including communication devices to amplify their voice and virtual reality technology to simulate real-world situations and improve social and cognitive skills.

## Family Engagement

Families are essential to their child's success at Bancroft, participating as a member of their child's treatment team. Open lines of communication, progress updates and abundant opportunities to visit programs and schools are all ways in which families partner with us on their child's care.



# SPECIAL EDUCATION AS *Extraordinary* as Your Child



Bancroft is a leader in innovative, outcomes-driven special education that provides students with the tools and support they need to succeed.

## Customized Student-Centered Education

Integrated classroom models provide teachers with essential resources to deliver on each child's IEP. Through a carefully choreographed mix of communication, behavioral, educational, and vocational programming, we help each student achieve the highest level of independence possible.

## Integrated Clinical and Therapeutic Specialists

Our expert and experienced team acts as an integral part of every classroom learning environment.

- Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) therapy
- Occupational therapy
- Speech and language therapy
- Physical therapy
- Onsite school nurses
- School psychologist
- Dedicated social workers and transition planning
- Augmentative communication and assistive technology



## Transition

Students begin to prepare for adult life beginning at age 14, when they are encouraged to work on academic, behavioral, and social skills in the classroom and participate in hands-on job exploration. Students can practice their skills on campus at the campus store and greenhouse and in the community through volunteer work and job skills development. Transition preparation becomes the primary focus of the school day upon a student turning 18.

As students progress from education entitlements to eligibility-based services at age 21, we help families navigate through the transition process to position each graduate to access adult services.



## RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT

### Living with *Hope*



Through Bancroft's residential treatment programs, we commit to families that their child will receive the expert and individualized care they deserve.

#### **Lindens Neurobehavioral Stabilization Program**

The Lindens is a renowned intensive treatment program for youth facing severe and disruptive behaviors. Using Applied Behavior Analysis, we work to reduce the frequency, duration and intensity of problem behaviors. Located on the Welsh Campus in Mt. Laurel, New Jersey, the Lindens Program offers a secure yet home-like setting.

#### **Campus Residential Treatment Program**

Located on the Welsh Campus, children receive therapeutic support with daily living skills, socialization and integration with the school. Bancroft partners with educational and vocational outlets, community resources, and families to prepare children to thrive in more independent environments and transition into adulthood.

#### **Community Residences**

Our group homes are located in neighborhoods in southern New Jersey and provide children with a supported environment in which they work on daily living skills, receive allied therapies and engage in community activities. Children enjoy abundant opportunities for socialization through many community-based activities.



**Bancroft Raymond & Joanne  
Welsh Campus, Mt. Laurel, NJ**

#### **This 80-acre campus provides the opportunity for:**

- Enhanced learning through an autism and I/DD friendly school building design that minimizes distractions and maximizes accessibility
- Instructional kitchens for the development and practice of daily living skills
- Activity pool, gymnasium and outdoor space for physical education, recreation, Special Olympic teams and activities
- Supported student-run businesses and innovative vocational training programs
- Health center and staff training facility
- Welcoming space for families to visit, play and connect



## BANCROFT CENTER FOR AUTISM

### A Resource for Clinical *Expertise*



Bancroft brings its deep experience and exceptional expertise to clinic-based autism treatment and services at its new Center for Autism.

#### Diagnostic Assessments

Early diagnosis is a critical first step in ensuring children receive the supportive services they need to live their best lives. Bancroft neuropsychologists provide comprehensive diagnostic assessments to get to the answers families are looking for and to provide treatment recommendations.



#### Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) Center of Excellence: Collaborate, Integrate, Innovate

The ABA Center of Excellence is dedicated to advancing the treatment of autism and other intellectual and developmental disabilities through:

- Clinical expertise
- Research and partnerships
- Advanced training
- Innovation
- Professional development

Bancroft's Center of Excellence promotes clinical excellence through ongoing professional development of our clinical experts, oversight, and the dissemination of research, information and best practices among the team and in the community.

#### Severe Behavior Day Treatment Program

This unique program offers intensive outpatient treatment for children and young adults who are living with autism and experiencing severe and challenging behaviors that are interrupting their daily lives, impeding learning and preventing engagement in the community.

Supervised by doctoral-level clinicians, therapies are provided by licensed Board Certified Behavior Analysts (BCBAs) and Registered Behavior Technicians who together work with each child to reduce severe behaviors and help them return to school, community and family.







Bancroft has been changing lives for over 140 years by making critical impacts through a legacy of pioneering growth, person-centered programming and a diverse team of compassionate experts.

## Our *Mission*

Bancroft profoundly impacts children and adults living with disabilities by delivering high-quality services to empower them to realize their best life.

## Our *Vision*


Bancroft sets the standard of excellence in services for people with disabilities and professionals in the field through a culture of learning, innovative treatment and transformational research, all leading to outstanding outcomes.


## *Support* Us

As a non-profit service provider, our mission relies on the philanthropic support of others to positively impact the lives of those in our care. To learn more about how to support Bancroft visit [bancroft.org](http://bancroft.org).



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