

Childhelp brings the light of love and healing into the lives of countless abused and neglected children.

Sara O'Meara and Yvonne Fedderson founded Childhelp in 1959, establishing it as the leading national non-profit dedicated to helping victims of child abuse and neglect. Childhelp's core approach focuses on intervention, treatment and prevention while strengthening communities through legislation and education.

**MISSION**

Childhelp exists to meet the physical, emotional, educational and spiritual needs of abused, neglected and at-risk children. We focus our efforts on advocacy, prevention, treatment and community outreach.

**PHILOSOPHY**

Childhelp credits its success to its founders' visionary beliefs, which are the heart of the organization:

- Childhelp believes that every child has a unique contribution to make to the world. We do everything within our power to help each child heal and develop self-esteem to reach their God-given potential.
- We believe unconditional love is the foundation upon which all healing begins. The entrance of each Childhelp facility features the words "All Who Enter Here Will Find Love."
- These children, who have seen the worst that life has to offer, deserve the best that we can provide while they are in the care of Childhelp.

**ALICE C. TYLER VILLAGE OF CHILDHELP**

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Funding accepted by Medicaid, TRICARE and Private Insurance.



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PROVIDING HEALING SERVICES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS, AGES 5-14  
A PSYCHIATRIC RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITY

# ABOUT US

## ALICE C. TYLER VILLAGE OF CHILDHHELP

is a private, nonprofit, psychiatric residential treatment facility located in Northern Virginia. The Village provides a clinically sophisticated therapeutic program utilizing an interdisciplinary approach specializing in the treatment of children and adolescents with mild to severe trauma or neglect, psychiatric disorders, and neurodevelopmental disorders.



Our unique location on a 270 acre horse farm provides a nurturing treatment setting with a variety of therapy resources. Children live in separate home-like cottages based on age and gender. Each child has daily opportunities to pursue a variety of recreational activities: horseback riding, community outings, hiking and biking trails, ropes course, team sports, and a children's choir.

Childhelp's Village takes a holistic approach to serving children. In addition to meeting their physical, emotional and educational needs, we also seek to address the spiritual needs.

With a full-time Chaplain on staff, regular, voluntary non-denominational services and literature are available as well as the use of nature through gardening, animal care and nature study.



\*Recreational activities are at the discretion of the Activities Department based on availability and season.



# WHAT WE OFFER

## ASSESSMENT

- Psychiatric Evaluation
- Physical Examination
- Educational Assessment
- Recreational Assessment
- Nutritional Assessment
- Psychological and Neuropsychological Testing

## PSYCHIATRY/MEDICAL

- On-site Board Certified or Eligible Child Psychiatrists
- 24-hour Nursing Care

## THERAPY

- Individual Therapy
- Family Therapy
- Group Therapy
- Art Therapy
- Daily Milieu Therapy
- Experiential Therapy Techniques
- Trauma Focused Therapy and Intervention
- Evidenced-based Treatment Interventions
- Equine Assisted Therapy
- Animal Assisted Therapy
- Music Therapy
- Family Engagement
- Play Therapy



## EDUCATION

- Licensed Private Day School
- Multi-modal approach using individualized instruction
- 1:3 Classroom Ratio
- Certified in Special Education
- Grades K-8

## EXCLUSIONARY CRITERIA

- Require 24-hour assisted medical care
- Actively suicidal or homicidal
- Active sexual perpetrators

## DOCUMENTS REQUESTED FOR ADMISSION DECISION

- Psychological Evaluation including full-scale IQ
- Psychiatric Evaluation (as applicable)
- Current IEP or Current Education Information
- Current Behaviors and Medications
- History of Medications
- Other documentation as required by DMAS or Insurance Company's

## INTERDISCIPLINARY TREATMENT TEAM

- Board Certified or Eligible Child Psychiatrists
- Registered Nurse
- Licensed or License-eligible Therapists
- Art Therapist
- Special Education Certified Teachers
- Occupational Therapist, Speech Language Therapist
- Registered Dietitian
- Certified Therapeutic Recreational Specialist
- Music Therapist
- Equine Therapist Certified in Eaqala

## FACILITY ACCREDITATION/LICENSURE

- The Joint Commission
- Virginia Department of Behavioral Health & Developmental Services
- West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources
- Commonwealth of Virginia Department of Education