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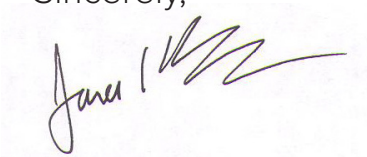
For more than 50 years, Abbott House has built lasting foundations for children, adolescents and adults with complex needs in the Hudson Valley and New York Metropolitan Area. Our children and adolescents come from chronically stressful environments that derail their healthy development and our adults with developmental disabilities have capacities and strengths that are often overlooked. Regardless of their history or circumstance, our aim is to provide an environment of healing, safety and opportunity for those with the most complex human needs.

Research on outcomes and societal costs is clear. Family settings for children and intimate home settings for adults with disabilities are superior to institutional settings. **At Abbott House, our staff and programs are focused on creating a deep, enduring sense of family and home.** We provide our children and adults with the foundational development they need to thrive.

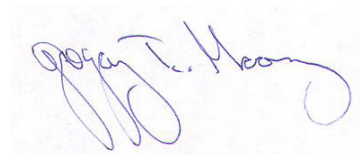
Your Impact Is Clear

Your support helps Abbott House build foundational supports for every child, adolescent and adult that we serve. Through counseling, health care, life skills, academic support, employment training and the like, we help them find their place in the community and the world. **Without you, we could not begin to make a difference.** Our children, adolescents, and adults critically depend on our partnership. In turn, we are grateful for your belief in our work, your commitment and your investment.

Sincerely,



James L. Kaufman, LCSW-R
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Who We Serve

Children, Adolescents and Adults

GENDER

Male	615
Female.....	432
Total.....	1047

AGES

0-4	115
5-9	229
10-15	349
16-19	148
20-22	64
23-39	101
40-50	32
51-65	9

ETHNICITIES

African American ..	347
Asian	17
Hispanic	402
White.....	133
Other.....	90

AREAS SERVED

Dutchess.....	95
NYC	562
Orange	76
Putnum	2
Rockland	50
Sullivan.....	15
Westchester	247

FAMILIES SERVED..... 737

SERVED BY PROGRAM:

Bridges to Health (B2H).....	246
Community Schools.....	143
Family Assessment & Community Enhancement (FACE).....	41
Foster Care/Therapeutic Foster Care	374
Group Homes/Residence	54
Non-Secure Detention Home.....	61
Post Adoption.....	71
Support for Adults with Developmental Disabilities	140

Because of You!

- 1,784 children, adolescents, families and adults with developmental disabilities received support to help heal from trauma, build resiliency, overcome challenges, and strengthen their abilities and families.
- 209 foster families were recruited, trained and supported.
- 100% of adolescent offenders in our Non-Secure Detention program were allowed to return home to their families.
- 100% of our adults with developmental disabilities who no longer have family involvement had formed a new Abbott House family with our staff, volunteers, and mentors.
- 60% of our teens secured summer employment which is almost twice the national average.
- 100% of adolescents and teens received life skills programming.

100% of our children, adolescents and adults brought joy to everyone who supported them!





My daughter, Caitlin, came into her own when she moved into one of Abbott House's residences for adults with disabilities. Her confidence has soared. It has been wonderful to see her blossom.

– Alice (parent)

2016 Financial Overview

REVENUE

Government Grants & Contracts	\$46,040,395
Contributions	\$242,754
Rent Income	\$84,334
Other	\$276,022
TOTAL	\$46,643,505

EXPENSES

Program Services	\$41,619,692
Management & General/Fundraising	\$4,237,261
TOTAL	\$45,856,953



Olympic Gold-Medalist Jackie Joyner-Kersey with kids from our Community Schools Program.

Your donations at work: A special note written by Angel

Dear Rosie,

Thank you for helping me in so many ways. I admire you and your ways of life. I like that you have a spirit of joy and always like to help. Here is a poem for you.

Your favorite color's red, and you like birds too.
You make me happy and I love you!

Rosie works with children in skill building, crisis avoidance and management training and planned respite for families. "It is rewarding in so many ways. I have not only taught children like Angel, but I have learned and continue to learn new things from them during every encounter. That is something they may never realize, and it is truly what makes this the most rewarding experience of my lifetime," said Rosie.

You make a world of difference in helping children,
families, and individuals build a better future!

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Create your own drive/fundraiser

You can do some pretty amazing things to raise money for Abbott House or help collect much needed items to help improve lives. It can be fun, and fit into your life.

Donate

You can offer support to many urgent needs in a number of ways that make a direct impact building promising futures.

Keep in touch

Our work depends on your involvement. Life is busy and we know that your time is valuable. Sign up for our emails and connect with us on social media so you decide when it's good for you to get involved.

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