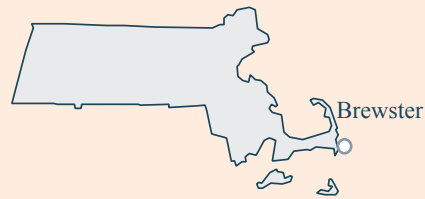
Latham Centers

(Residential Treatment Center)

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NATSAP Member Since: 2012

Airport: Barnstable Municipal Airport - Hyannis, MA (HYA)

The Latham School is a private, non-profit, special education and residential treatment program for children ages 8-22, with intellectual disabilities (IQ 40-70) and behavioral challenges, who are also diagnosed with:

- Prader-Willi Syndrome
- Mood and Anxiety Disorders
- PTSD
- Autism Spectrum Disorders
- Reactive Attachment Disorder

Latham Centers is internationally recognized for our programs for individuals diagnosed with Prader-Willi Syndrome (PWS) -- a rare genetic disorder that most often manifests with an insatiable appetite, behavioral challenges and cognitive limitations.

Our students learn in small classes, with a 7:1:1 ratio, and each student meets regularly with a clinician assigned to monitor their social and emotional progress. Besides its traditional academic year, Latham Centers offers a summer academic and activity component, where students explore the natural wonders of Cape Cod, with instructors in environmental sciences.

Latham Centers offers its services to individuals from all 50 states, plus other countries. Latham Centers has been pre-approved to admit students from the following states:

- Massachusetts
- New Jersey
- New York
- Rhode Island

We also accept students from states that do not have a formal approval process. Recent students have come to Latham Centers from: Alaska, California, Colorado, Florida, Ohio, Virginia, and the U.S. territory of Puerto Rico.

Individual Psychotherapy Available: *Yes*
Accreditation, Licensure: *Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education; Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care; Council on Accreditation*
Professional Affiliations: *NATSAP-Full Member; Massachusetts Association of 766 Approved Private Schools (MAAPS); Prader-Willi Alliance of NY, Inc.; Prader-Willi Syndrome Association (PWSAUSA); Prader-Willi Syndrome Association of New England (PWSANE); and American Association of Children's Residential Centers (AACRC)*