The Learning Clinic

(Residential Treatment Center & Therapeutic Day School)

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PROGRAM OUTLINE

Gender: Coed - male and female only, as assigned at birth
Ages: 5 - 22
Grades: N/A
Enrollment: 50
Duration: 4 years
Founded: 1980



Airport: Worcester Airport (ORH)

The Learning Clinic provides a comprehensive program of academic, clinical, and residential components that all support and embrace the school mission. TLC recognizes that every student is unique with varying strengths and weaknesses, and that often their developmental age does not match their chronological age. The program adjusts to personalize and individualize programs to meet the needs of its varied population. The Learning Clinic has an admissions process where potential students are considered to ensure appropriateness of the placement. The program considers individual student needs and develops personalized interventions and lesson plans to support students to make progress on their academic, clinical, and social goals.

Our education program is entirely personalized, and teachers and students create a plan each day, with goals and objectives for each academic and social activity. The Learning Clinic utilizes effective assessments and teaching tools to provide optimal and individual learning environments, with additional support for vocational shadowing and work study.

In addition to teaching and residential staff, we offer counseling and testing to help each child meet the challenges of choosing a career or vocation. Our staff includes clinicians who work with parents, teachers, and house parents to identify treatment goals and to measure progress. The Learning Clinic provides residential care in a home like setting. Families participate in planning home visits on weekends and holidays, with regular community activities a part of each student's schedule.

Note: Our educational services began in September, 1984. Residential services were added in January, 1986.

Accreditation, Licensure: *NEASC - New England Association of Schools & Colleges; Connecticut Department of Children and Families; Connecticut State Department of Education*
Professional Affiliations: *NATSAP - Full Member; Massachusetts Association of 766 Approved Schools (MAAPS); National Association of Private Special Education Centers (NAPSEC)*