

Because You Matter

At Gemma Services, we cherish each individual and ensure people of all ages have the tools they need to feel supported as they face life's challenges.

Using individualized, datainformed support, we cultivate a culture of learning and healing to help members of the Gemma community know they matter.



A Place for Hope and Healing

RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT PROGRAM

Our Residential Treatment Program provides 24/7 clinical treatment and trauma-focused care for **youth ages 6 to 14** who have experienced loss, trauma and significant challenges, and whose behaviors are presently too unsafe for them to live in the community.



Our goal is to help them heal and learn new skills so they can live successfully in a home setting. Our skilled and caring staff are dedicated to helping children feel valued and embrace an evidence-based and individualized approach. Each child's family and caregivers are included as full partners in the care and treatment of their children, as possible. Residential services are offered in Plymouth Meeting.

OUR IMPACT

During Fiscal Year 2022-2023, thousands of children and families participated in Gemma's programs, including:



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children and adolescents participated in our Residential Treatment Program.



842

children and teens received Outpatient Mental Health Services



children & families
received behavioral health
or prevention services in
their homes, schools, and
communities.



127

children with Autism Spectrum Disorders received Applied Behavior Analysis Services.



234

students attended Martin Luther School.



345

children, teens, and young adults participated in our Foster Family Care and Adoption Programs.

EDUCATION



AT **gemma** SERVICES

Martin Luther School (MLS) is an Approved Private School located in Plymouth Meeting that uses a holistic educational approach to assist students in grades K through 12 who need an out-ofdistrict placement with additional support

to address learning, emotional, and behavioral challenges.

Martin Luther School has a low student-to-teacher ratio with certified teachers, emotional and behavioral support, 21st century learning opportunities, and related services such as speech and occupational therapy.

We believe in the unlimited potential of each of our students. Central to Martin Luther School is a strong focus on literacy and core academic subject areas. Our school is a Restorative Practices school that promotes healthy relationships and positive discipline inside and outside of school.



ACCOMPANYING PEOPLE OF ALL AGES IN THEIR COMMUNITIES

We provide mental health, child welfare, and prevention services for individuals in their homes, schools, and communities.

Our goal is to help people of all ages feel supported so they can shine.

Community Based Programs Include:



These programs are provided through our Philadelphia locations and, in some cases, via Telehealth.

- Adoption & Permanency Services are provided for children and adolescents who have experienced loss, separation, abuse, neglect, and other trauma. These services are for children who have been placed in homes of foster or kinship families because their legal families are unable to care for them at this time.
- Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) services are based on the science of learning and behavior and involve the process of implementing basic behavioral interventions to create meaningful behavior changes. ABA services are provided in home and school settings for individuals diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorders. Services include assessments and 1:1 interventions to help them improve their behavioral, social, communication, and adaptive skills.
- Family Based Mental Health Services (FBMHS) is an intensive, data-informed, and family-focused approach to support children, adolescents, and their families. Services are provided in their homes and communities. The primary goal of FBMHS is to assist families with maintaining their child in the home and keeping families intact, rather than an out-of-home placement for the child. FBMHS provides intensive individual and family therapy, as well as case management to support a family at home and in the community by a two-person team.
- Family Empowerment Center (FEC) is a short-term, voluntary prevention program providing inhome case management, parenting support, and skills-based training for families in Philadelphia. The FEC program connects families with community resources and helps to strengthen and stabilize parents and caregivers who need additional support.

- Family Support Program (FSP) is a home-visiting program that is designed to help families with children ages 2–5 years old access additional support. This prevention program partners with parents and caregivers to strengthen their skills and provide the best care for their children.
- Foster Family Care includes services for youth from Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia Counties who cannot reside in their own homes presently. The program works with families, county agencies, educators, and others involved in the life of a child, teen, or young adult to identify the best possible home for their unique needs.
- Intensive Behavioral Health Services (IBHS)
 offer intensive support in home and school
 settings for people up to age 21 experiencing
 serious emotional or behavioral issues or skill
 deficits. IBHS programming is designed to give
 each community member the tools they need to
 face challenges with a greater sense of strength
 and resilience and improve overall behavioral
 functioning.
- Outpatient Mental Health Services include individual therapy, family therapy, and medication management for children and teens, ages 2 to 18. Credentialed therapists use evidence-based practices including Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT) and Parent Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT). Our team of clinicians is dedicated to the progress and healing of all those we accompany through life's challenges. Services are provided in our Philadelphia locations and via Telehealth.

About Gemma Services

Our Vision

We envision a world where every person knows they matter.

Our Mission

Gemma accompanies people of all ages through life's challenges using individualized, data-informed support.

Our Commitment to Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion

Gemma will courageously build an organization that ensures equity, justice, and inclusion for every member of our community.

Our Values

Unlimited

Nimble

Inspired

Transparent

Effective

Diverse



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Pormed in 2019 by the merger of Silver Springs – Martin Luther School and the Village, Gemma represents more than 300 years of accompanying people as they navigate life's challenges so they know they matter. Today, Gemma provides adoption and permanency services, foster family care, mental health programs, a special education school (Martin Luther School), and prevention programs for thousands of individuals each year.

Gemma is always looking for mission-minded individuals to join our team. Gemma is committed to equal employment opportunities. Please visit our website or contact **hr@gemmaservices.org** to learn more.

There are many ways to support our mission. Please contact us at info@gemmaservices.org or (610) 825-4440 ext. 3206, or visit our website for more information.

Our Locations

Plymouth Meeting — Main Campus

- Martin Luther School
- Residential Treatment

512 West Township Line Rd Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462

General Inquiries: (610) 825-4440

Philadelphia — Mt. Airy

- Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA)
- Family Based Mental Health Services (FBMHS)
- Foster Family Care
- Intensive Behavioral Health Services (IBHS)
- Outpatient Mental Health Services

7301 Germantown Ave Philadelphia, PA 19119

ABA/IBHS Intake & Referrals: (267) 297-5170

FBMHS Inquiries: (215) 730-2270

New Foster Parent Inquiries: (215) 901–7134 Outpatient Intake & Referral: (215) 730–2326 Outpatient Reception: (215) 247–1427

Philadelphia — Southwest

- Adoption & Permanency Services
- Family Based Mental Health Services (FBMHS)
- Family Support Program (FSP)
- Foster Family Care
- Outpatient Mental Health Services
- Prevention Programs

Preheim Center 6517 Chester Ave Philadelphia, PA 19142

Reception: (215) 730-2240

Please call Reception for FSP Inquiries
FBMHS Inquiries: (215) 730–2270
Foster Parent Inquiries: (215) 901–7134
Outpatient Intake & Referral: (215) 730–2326