

Monmouth ACTS: Positive Youth Development Hub

Agency and/or Role	Focus
KYDS Konscious Youth Development and Service	Youth prevention, mindfulness, emotional regulation, mentorship
Garden State Equality	LGBTQ advocacy, education, and support
Monmouth County Youth Services Commission	Advisory and planning body regarding issues related to youth at risk or involved in Family Court.
Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County	After school programs, recreation, character and leadership, career development, education
YMCA of Greater Monmouth County	Academic preschool, before and after school-age programs, Kindergarten enrichment programs and summer camp programs, family success center, behavioral health services for youth and adults
Second Life Bikes	Second Life Bikes aims to provide the surrounding communities with the opportunity to purchase a mechanically refurbished bicycle at a reasonable cost, to buy parts and accessories, and to have their own bicycles repaired. Youth work 15hrs in exchange for a bicycle.

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Big Brothers Big Sisters of Monmouth County	Create and support one-to-one mentoring relationships that ignite the power and promise of youth.
RWJ Barnabas Institute for Prevention and Recovery Communities that Care	This initiative uses data to create a community action plan for Long Branch and implement programs that decrease risk factors and increase protective factors to improve youth outcomes and reduce problem behaviors.
Monmouth County Division of Workforce Development	Provides services to both in school and out of school youth, ages 16-24, who face barriers to employment.
Family and Children's Service of Monmouth County	Provides an array of community services addressing homelessness, neglect, abuse and exploitation, health and respite care, financial instability due to physical, developmental, or mental disabilities, and childhood literacy and obesity.
Monmouth Cares	Care Management Organization of Monmouth County
Brookdale Community College GED & Career Pathways	GED and career support for youth transitioning into adulthood
Special Child Health Services	Case management services for youth with intellectual, developmental, or mental health challenges

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Monmouth County Youth Partnership	Youth Leadership program for youth 13-18 who have emotional/behavioral challenges.
Catholic Charities Monmouth/Ocean Children & Family Services	Mental health services for youth
MC Division of Behavioral Health	Information and referral
Mental Health Association of Monmouth County	Family crisis intervention unit, mental health support, and advocacy
NJ Division of Child Protection & Permanency (DCPP)	Prevention and intervention for child abuse and neglect
Prevention First/Monmouth County Prevention Coalition	Substance use prevention and education, Strengthening Families Program, Youth Time to Shine
Monmouth County Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives	Alternatives to juvenile incarceration
Amanda's Easel Art Therapy 180 Turning Lives Around	Art therapy program for youth and families who have been impacted by domestic violence
Yoga Peace Kula	Yoga, meditation, mindfulness, wellness