

Cornerstone Family Programs & Morristown Neighborhood House strengthen communities by helping people build better lives.

Morristown Neighborhood House (MNH) was founded in 1898 as a settlement house that helped immigrants become acclimated to a new culture and has evolved to support the broader community needs. Our core mission is strengthening communities by helping people build better lives. CFP & MNH accomplish this by helping families who are confronting economic challenges, by fostering cross cultural acceptance and socio-economic engagement. In 2013, MNH became a subsidiary of Cornerstone Family Programs, a partnership that allows both agencies to better serve their communities. Over 85% of the families we serve are below the Federal poverty level guidelines. Through programs in Morristown and Dover, on an average day we serve hundreds of children, youth and adults. Currently, we provide the following services/programs:

Children's Services:

- Preschool: Our high-quality early education is offered for students 12 months and walking through five years of age. Five classrooms are in partnership with the Morris School District as a part of their preschool expansion program. We also offer preschool aftercare services and summer programming.
- SMART Afterschool Program: Science, Math, Arts, Reading, and Technology curriculum keeping our K-5th grade students competitive in the classroom.
- Summer Camp: Our nine-week summer camp combines educational activities with FUN making every day a new adventure. Field trips, talent shows, music, dance, recreation and more happen throughout the week.

Youth Services:

- ACT/ SAT - College Prep Class: Affordable, individualized teaching improving access to higher education for low income students
- Nabe Teens @ Work Program: Earn & Learn employment program teaching professional development and on the job training to at risk youth. Paid internships at local corporation are offered to youth to get a more hands on experience.
- Rites of Passage: Teaches youth aged 12-21 respect, responsibility, empowerment, and civic engagement through a culturally relevant lens.
- Teen Mental Health First Aide: Provided for teens aged 15-18 to learn how to recognize and understand mental health challenges in their peers and how to seek help. Facilitated by trained and certified staff.

Adult Services:

- Adult Day Care Center: Keeps seniors independent and socialized and provides respite for their care givers.
- Operation Sisterhood: Helps to Identify, Connect & Engage female veterans to support their emotional and social wellness.
- Friends of the Blind: Pairs volunteers with visually impaired individuals to assist with various needs such as opening the mail, shopping, or companionship.

Community Building:

- Recreation: Varied sports keeping our families fit and engaged in healthy activities.
- Arts: Affordable dance, guitar, and violin classes conducted by professional instructors and in partnership with community organizations
- ECRT: Early Childhood Resiliency Team visits local day care centers to work with staff and families on how to handle challenging behavior in children and supply resource and referrals.

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