

# LOCAL NEWS

The **Westchester Institute for Human Development (WIHD)** has received the prestigious Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH) recognition from the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA).

NCQA's PCMH Recognition Program is the most widely adopted PCMH evaluation program in the country. The PCMH model puts patients at the forefront of care. PCMHs build better relationships between people and their clinical care teams. Research shows they improve quality, the patient experience and staff satisfaction, while reducing healthcare costs.

To earn this recognition, WIHD received a score of 94.5 out of 100 in a process that took over a year. The recognition is valid for two years.