



Westchester Institute for Human Development (WIHD) is a leading nonprofit organization creating better futures for people with disabilities, for vulnerable children, and for their families and caregivers for 75 years. We are one of a few University Centers for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities (UCEDD) in the nation.

We serve the complex clinical, dental, behavioral, and social service needs of our clients in Westchester County and Lower Hudson Valley. Our professional education, advocacy, and research give rise to better programs and policies for people with disabilities and vulnerable children **nationwide.** 

#### Our core values are:

- Diversity, Equity & Inclusion
- Self-determination
- Transparent Partnerships

# We ensure the safety and well-being of children

#### **Child Welfare Services**

Programs to enhance child safety, well-being, and permanency; including home-based preventive supports, pediatric and educational advocacy services, and clinical assessments

# WIHD's Children's Advocacy Center

Assesses children with suspected sexual and/or physical abuse in a neutral, child-friendly environment



# We conduct national professional education, advocacy & research

#### **Inclusive Communities**

Utilizes the power of documentary films to promote **inclusion**, **acceptance**, **and rights** for people with disabilities

### Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and related Disorders (LEND)

Prepares future leaders for careers in disability-related fields

#### **Research and Dissemination**

Informs the fields of disability and child welfare



# We offer healthcare and support to children and adults with disabilities

Our specialized team and healthcare setting delivers the highest quality person-centered care:



Medical Services: Primary and Specialy Care







Dental Health Services



Assistive Technology and Occupational Therapy

Integrated
Behavioral Health
Services



Speech and Hearing



We educate the community and promote self-advocacy:

### The Community Support Network

Educates caregivers, schools, healthcare providers, and others on services, housing, job readiness, accessibility, and other topics for people with disabilities

### Leadership and Self-Advocacy

Programs empower people with disabilities to share their experiences to promote change and inclusion

## Learn more and get involved!

Various public contracts, private foundations and individuals, and patient insurance fund our services. Our generous partners and supporters allow us to offer high-quality and innovative care. To explore ways to work with us, contact **developmentteam@wihd.org** or **914-493-8993.** 









