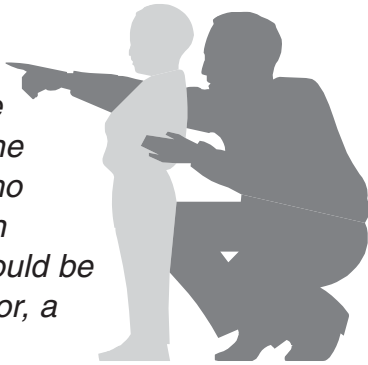


"Children must have at least one person who believes in them. It could be a counselor, a teacher, a preacher, a friend. It could be you. You never know when a little love, a little support, will plant a small seed of hope."



*- Marian Wright Edelman
"The Measure Of Our Success"*

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History and Philosophy

Turner Family Support Center (TFSC) was developed by Rumford Group Homes, Inc. and operates as a responsive crisis stabilization program to increase support services and minimize the need for expensive and unnecessary hospitalizations. Services are offered in a manner sensitive to cultural, gender, and racial differences.

Mission Statement

The mission of Turner Family Support Center is to provide crisis stabilization as an alternative to psychiatric hospitalization. TFSC also provides step-down services for kids who are leaving a psychiatric placement and are transitioning back to their families/communities. TFSC offers both short term and community based services, which respect the dignity of youth and families.

Program Description

TFSC is a two-tiered hospital diversion program for children, ages 5-18 years old that are experiencing crisis. It is the goal of Turner Family Support Center to enhance the families' natural support system to assist them in dealing with crisis in the least intrusive manner. We are designed to be:

- Child Centered
- Strengths Based
- Solution Focused
- Supportive
- Family Focused
- Educational
- Community Based

TFSC's purpose is to intervene and assist children and families with developing coping strategies and adaptive skills for use during crisis. The TFSC program serves children and families in the following ways:



Short Term Crisis Stabilization Home:

- Admissions 24 hours/7-days week
- Crisis Stabilization
- Medication Administration & Monitoring
- Therapeutically Structured Environment
- Supportive Living Environment
- Behavior Management
- Qualified Residential & Clinical Crisis Staff

Crisis Support to Families at Home

- Home-Based Crisis Support Services
- Short-Term
- Assists with Linkages to needed resources
- Advocates for Children and Families
- Conflict Resolution
- Family Involvement
- Qualified In-Home Crisis Support Staff

