e-START
Hillside Children's Center

The School Based Clinical Services-Enhanced (e-START) program is collaboration between Hillside Children’s Center and Monroe #1 BOCES. The program is designed for middle school (grades 7 – 8) and secondary students (grades 9 – 12), who are in the average to above average range for intelligence, but have emotional challenges that have made it difficult for them to attend and function successfully in their regular community school. Students are referred to e-START by the Committee on Special Education in their local school district.

The overall goal of the program is to provide a supportive environment that will enhance the youth’s ability to experience educational success as well as learn strategies for managing mental health challenges. As a public school, BOCES has the academic responsibilities to provide Common Core and State outlined curriculum to students but also retain the unique resources and expertise to coordinate additional layers of mental health support. These layers help to ensure the safety and security that these psychiatrically fragile students and family systems require in order to fully engage in academic endeavors.

ABOUT THE SERVICE

- E-START consists of five 6:1:1 high school classrooms that serve a total of 30 students, and one middle school 6:1:1 classroom.
- The classrooms are located in the Carlton Webster Building in Rush Henrietta.
- Students receive instruction in the core content areas, directly from e-START teachers.
- Electives are provided both at e-START and through BOCES Multi-Occupational and EMCC (Eastern Monroe Career Center) programs.
- Hillside clinicians are embedded within the program and provide individual and group counseling.
- Psychiatric Consultation is provided through BOCES. Youth that require more intensive psychiatric services are connected to community providers.
CONTACT INFORMATION

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FACILITY

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SUPPORTED BY

Local School Districts

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Gender:  Male and female
Grades:  7-12

RESIDENTS OF

Monroe and surrounding counties

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