

Who We Are

The Deaf Services Program of the Fairfax-Falls Church Community Services Board provides mental health, intellectual disabilities and substance abuse services to residents of Fairfax County and the Cities of Fairfax and Falls Church.

Our program was established in 1988 and is located at the Fairfax-Falls Church Community Services Board's Springfield Mental Health site.

Mission

The goal of the Deaf Services Program of the Fairfax-Falls Church Community Services Board is to provide access to mental health, intellectual disabilities, and alcohol and drug services to persons who are deaf, hard of hearing, late deafened, or deafblind and their families.

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When should you seek help?

If you are experiencing any of the following:

- Intense emotional distress such as anxiety or fear
- Thoughts about hurting yourself or others
- Addictions
- Have been physically or psychologically abused
- Depression that won't go away
- Destructive relationships that interfere with work
- Disturbing thoughts that interfere with your daily life
- Seeing or hearing things that others do not see or hear



Who is eligible for services?

People of all ages who live in Fairfax County and the Cities of Fairfax and Falls Church, Virginia and are deaf, hard of hearing, late deafened or deafblind and their families.



What types of services are available?

Case management and therapy services provided to:

- Individuals (children, adolescents and adults)
- Couples
- Families

Other services include:

- Advocacy
- Medication services
- Crisis counseling
- Case management
- Referral and consultation
- Community education
- Substance abuse education

What else do I need to know?

- Services are confidential.
- There is a charge for services based on ability to pay.

About our staff

Program staff are:

- Graduates of accredited schools
- Fluent in American Sign Language and English
- Familiar with deaf culture
- Knowledgeable about psychosocial aspects of deafness and its impact on family members



Professional ASL interpreters are provided for staff members who do not sign but are working with deaf consumers.

