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# **About Kids Occupational Therapy**

410-653-3161

11 Keller Road, Suite B

Pikesville, MD 21208

Sensory integration, handwriting, fine motor, social skills, yoga for kids, oral-motor, school readiness and sensory motor.

**Advocates for Success** 

410-627-0428

Contact Janet Palmer M.A., M.Ed. janetpalmer94@gmail.com

Offers social skills groups for children, teens and young adults. There is a maximum of ten people per group and groups will be held on Saturdays in Towson, Md. Interview required prior to group participation.

## Best Buddies Maryland

410-327-9812

101 North Haven Street, Suite 205

Baltimore, MD 21224

Creates opportunities for one-to-one friendships, integrated employment and leadership development for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

# Child and Family Therapy Clinic

Kennedy Krieger Institute

Department of Behavioral Psychology

443-923-7508

Locations in Baltimore and Columbia

The Child and Family Therapy clinic offers group therapy for school aged children (grades K through 12). Our groups aim to improve children's social skills, peer/friend relationships, self-control strategies, ability to handle peer conflict and bullying, and management of emotions. These groups also include a parent support component which meets at the same time as the children's group. Groups typically meet once a week for 8-week sessions periodically throughout the year.

### Frankly Communicating

410-871-2990

12442 Owings Mills Boulevard

Reisterstown, MD 21136

Provides competent, efficient services with a personalized touch designed to meet the needs of the child or adult and their family.

### **International School of Protocol**

410-832-7555

100 West Road, Suite 300

Towson, MD 21204

Provides appropriate conduct for social, academic and work-related disabilities. Provides etiquette and protocol training for children, teens and adults. Classes take place throughout the year.

### Jewish Community Center of Greater Baltimore

410-559-3576

3506 Gwynnbrook Avenue

Owings Mills, MD 21117

The Baltimore JCC's Department for people with special needs provides appropriate social and recreational programs for children, teens and adults with disabilities. Our programs give participants the opportunity to interact with their peers, enhance self-esteem and improve social skills.

# Kennedy Krieger Institute

Department of Social Work Mental Health Clinic

**Group Therapy Program** 

443-923-7600 (option 2 for social work)

716 North Broadway

Baltimore, MD 21205

Offers social skills groups for children through young adult with mild to severe physical and/or other developmental or emotional disabilities. Social Skills Groups for Children: Skill-based groups providing treatment for children and adolescents experiencing difficulty with adult and peer relationships at home and/or at school. Generally groups meet once a week throughout the year.

### Learning and Therapy Corner

410-583-5765

1818 Pot Spring Road, Suite 100

Lutherville, MD 21093

Provides speech therapy, occupational therapy, reading instruction, psychoeducational testing, behavioral consulting and music therapy at their office and/or child's school.

### Lighthouse Inc.

Youth and Family Services Center 410-788-5483 60 Mellor Avenue Catonsville, MD 21228

Offers "Sociabilities" social skills groups for children and their parents.

## Northern County Psychiatric Associates

410-329-2028

2360 W. Joppa Road, suite 223

Lutherville, MD 21093

Provides social skills consultation for individuals and families. A private group, which provides comprehensive mental health services in northern Maryland (Baltimore, Harford and Carroll counties). The associates are experienced in treating a variety of problems across the life cycle.

# **Rebounders Gymnastics**

Timonium Center 410-252-3374 x12 7A West Aylesbury Road Timonium, MD 21093

Gross and fine motor skill activities in a small group setting emphasizing problem solving, social communication, social play and peer interaction. "I Can Do It Too" is a special needs program for children of all ages. It is a sensory, motor, and gymnastics program in a small group setting. The group emphasizes social play and group interaction.

# The Special Kids Company, Inc.

Educational & Behavioral Solutions for Home & School 410-418-5590 115 Bellemore Road Baltimore, MD 21210

The range of services that The Special Kids Company, Inc. offers is not limited to one specific area, but rather a continuum of services that will be sure to meet the needs of the "whole child."