

H.E.L.P. TEAM MEMBERS

Michael Pillagalli, 6th Grade Counselor
Bernadette Simpson, 7th Grade Counselor
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Erin Matthews, COAD Liaison
Suzanne Simmons, Caseworker
Shannan Criscuolo, School Nurse
Le Roy Whitehead, Principal
Phil Matilla, Asst. Principal
Paige Merten, Asst. Principal
Chris Cromwell, Math Specialist
Margaret Fricker, Speech & Language
Susan Amsterdam-Grossman, Psychologist
Tom Donnell, Health Teacher
Liz Conaghan, Reading Specialist



FUGETT MIDDLE SCHOOL H.E.L.P. TEAM CONTACT NUMBERS

Fugett Main Office	484-266-2900
Guidance Department:	
6th Grade	484-266-2912
7th Grade	484-266-2911
8th Grade	484-266-2914
Caseworker	484-266-2920
School Nurse	484-266-2906

For more information about community resources, please contact Erin Matthew at The COAD Group.

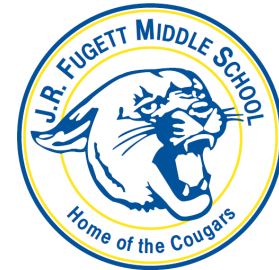
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For Long-Term Prevention



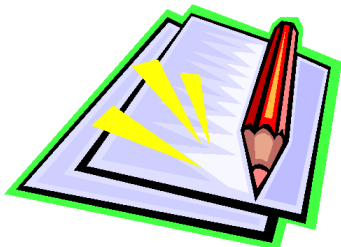
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WHAT IS THE H.E.L.P. TEAM?

The H.E.L.P. Team is an extension of the statewide Student Assistance Program (SAP).

The H.E.L.P. Team is designed to assist school personnel to identify issues, including alcohol, drugs, mental health concerns, and others which pose a barrier to a student's learning and school success.

Anyone may confidentially refer a student to the H.E.L.P. Team. Referral forms are available in grade level counselor's offices and in the nurse's office.



WHO DO WE HELP?

Today's adolescents are often confronted with a variety of problems which interfere with their ability to succeed in school. The problems these young people face include the use of alcohol and other drugs, depression, and other mental health concerns. Family problems involving drugs, alcohol, and mental health concerns also establish barriers to a successful school experience.

The H.E.L.P. Team serves as a confidential resource for the school staff, student body, and parents by providing referral services for assessment and treatment programs. Students identified will be referred to the appropriate in-school and/or community resources for help. The team will provide the student and his or her family with the necessary information to help the student to achieve higher levels of success.

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Chester County Crisis Intervention

24-Hour Hotline 610-918-2100

Toll Free 877-918-2100

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

800-273-8255

Chester County Department of Drug and Alcohol

Services 800-692-1100

Chester County Drug and Alcohol Information and

Referral Line 866-286-3767

Childline (Child Abuse) 800-932-0313

Children and Youth Services 610-344-5800

National Runaway Switchboard 800-786-2929

Crime Victim's Center 610-692-7420

Domestic Violence 888-711-6270

Rape Crisis 610-692-7273

ConnectPoints (Shelter and Housing Needs)

800-935-3181

County Assistance Office 610-466-1000

Alliance for the Mentally Ill 717-238-1514

Chester County Department of Mental Health/Intellectual

& Developmental Disabilities 800-692-1100