

**BERGEN COUNTY SPECIAL SERVICES  
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<b>BEHAVIOR SKILLS CONTINUUM</b>			
<b>BROWNSTONE SCHOOL</b> c/o St. Philip the Apostle School 492 Saddle River Road Saddle Brook, NJ 07663	Mitch Badiner (CO) David Perez (P) <i>Patricia Day</i>	Melissa Brockway (SW) Dr. Lainie Kreindler (Psy) Sandra Oberc (SW) Ann Marie Plaut (L)	201-343-6000 x8675 Fax: 201-291-0782
<b>EVERGREEN PROGRAM</b> c/o Leonia High School 100 Christie Heights Street Leonia, NJ 07605	Mitch Badiner (CO) Kelly Lopez (P) Madeline Loughman (TC) <i>Peggy Bill</i>	Nicole Fried (Psy)	201-302-5200 x5620 Program office 201-302-5200 x5621 CST office Fax: 201-996-6927 201-343-6000 x3502
<b>GATEWAY HIGH SCHOOL</b> 293-295 Main Street Hackensack, NJ 07601	Mitch Badiner (CO) Kelly Lopez (P) Carlos Alvarez (TC) <i>Peggy Bill</i>	Kristin Rainbolt (SW)	201-343-6000 x3502 Fax: 201-342-8888
<b>MANCHESTER PROGRAM</b> c/o Manchester Regional High School 70 Church Street Haledon, NJ 07508	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandi Cortazzo (TC) <i>Erin Hasch</i>	George Kaback (SW)	973-389-2849 Fax: 973-956-2589
<b>NOVA ELEMENTARY</b> c/o Villano Elementary School 100 High Street Emerson, NJ 07630	Mitch Badiner (CO) Kelly Lopez (P) <i>Karen Ryan</i>	Barbara Herband (SW)	201-343-6000 x5800 Fax: 201-262-6334
<b>NOVA NORTH</b> c/o Emerson Jr/Sr H.S. 131 Main Street Emerson, NJ 07630	Mitch Badiner (CO) Kelly Lopez (P) <i>Karen Ryan</i>	Ellen Plaut (SW)	201-343-6000 x5812 FAX: 201-262-5974
<b>NORTH STREET SCHOOL</b> 200 North Street Teterboro, NJ 07608	Mitch Badiner (CO) Gregory Janz (P) <i>Erin Hasch</i>	Reginald Marc (CM)	201-336-3958 Fax: 201-336-3966
<b>VENTURE PROGRAM</b> 293-295 Main Street Hackensack, NJ 07601	Mitch Badiner (CO) Kelly Lopez (P) Carlos Alvarez (TC) <i>Peggy Bill</i>	Kristin Rainbolt (SW) Ann Marie Plaut (L)	201-343-6000 x3502 Fax: 201-342-8888

**COMMUNICATION SKILLS CONTINUUM**

<b>HEARING IMPAIRED PROGRAM (HIP)</b> c/o Godwin/Highland Schools 41 East Center Street Midland Park, NJ 07432  c/o Highland School 31 Highland Avenue Midland Park, NJ 07432	Tara Bohan (CO) Kathleen Lo Cascio (P) <i>Sandra Adler</i>	Ann Baker (L) Debra Kochakji (SW)	201-343-6000 x6480 FAX: 201-670-7488
<b>HEARING IMPAIRED PROGRAM (HIP)</b> 334 Union Street Hackensack, NJ 07601	Tara Bohan (CO) Kathleen Lo Cascio (P) Lisa Stewart (S) Gina Donatien (TC) <i>Anne Schmidt</i>	Gina Donatien (CM)	201-343-6000 x6400 TTY-201-343-5515 Fax: 201-343-7794
<b>SECONDARY HEARING IMPAIRED (SHIP)</b> c/o Midland Park Jr/Sr H.S. 250 Prospect Street Midland Park, NJ 07432	Tara Bohan (CO) Kathleen Lo Cascio (P) <i>Viviana Serrano</i>	Ann Baker (L) Debra Kochakji (SW)	201-343-6000 x6490 201-444-8882 TTY-201-444-9308 Fax: 201-670-6198
<b>SECONDARY HEARING IMPAIRED (SHIP)</b> c/o Hackensack High School 135 First Street Hackensack, NJ 07601	Tara Bohan (CO) Kathleen Lo Cascio (P) Lisa Stewart (S) Gina Donatien (TC) <i>Anne Schmidt</i>	Gina Donatien (CM)	201-343-6000 x6400 Fax: 201-343-7794

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**MULTIPLY HANDICAPPED CONTINUUM**

<b>BLESHMAN REGIONAL DAY SCHOOL</b> 333 East Ridgewood Avenue Paramus, NJ 07652	Tara Bohan (CO) Gail Coe (P) <i>Ann Jones</i>	George Kaback (SW) Elyse Schifrien (SW)	201-343-6000 x6442 Fax: 201-967-0729
<b>BOGOTA PROGRAM</b> c/o Bogota Jr/Sr High School 2 Henry C. Luthin Place Bogota, NJ 07603	Mitch Badiner (CO) Kelly Lopez (P) Madeline Loughman (TC) <i>Karen Ryan</i>	Nicole Fried (Psy)	201-441-4808 x2140 201-343-6000 x5800
<b>VISIONS BECTON</b> c/o Becton Regional High School 120 Paterson Avenue East Rutherford, NJ 07073	Tara Bohan (CO) Robert Mortorano (P) Angela Durso (S) <i>Bernadette Sforza</i>	Lainie Kreindler (Psy)	201-935-3007 x4017/4018/4019/4022 201-343-6000 x8539 Fax: 201-935-5639
<b>VISIONS EMERSON</b> c/o Emerson Jr/Sr H.S. 131 Main Street Emerson, NJ 07073	Mitch Badiner (CO) Kelly Lopez (P) <i>Karen Ryan</i>	Barbara Herband (SW)	201-343-6000 x5800 Fax: 201-262-5974
<b>VISIONS PARAMUS/ELEMENTARY</b> c/o Parkway School 145 East Ridgewood Avenue Paramus, NJ 07652	Tara Bohan (CO) Grisel Espinosa (S) <i>Dora Weber</i>	Kellie Berkoff (SW)	201-343-6000 x6565 Fax: 201-291-0492
<b>VISIONS PARAMUS/MIDDLE SCHOOL</b> c/o Westbrook Middle School 560 Roosevelt Boulevard Paramus, NJ 07652	Tara Bohan (CO) Grisel Espinosa (S) <i>Dora Weber</i>	Kellie Berkoff (SW)	201-343-6000 x6565 Fax: 201-291-0492
<b>VISIONS SADDLE BROOK/HIGH SCHOOL</b> c/o Saddle Brook Jr./Sr. High School 355 Mayhill Street Saddle Brook, NJ 07663	Tara Bohan (CO) Grisel Espinosa (S) <i>Dora Weber</i>	Kellie Berkoff (SW)	201-343-6000 x6565 201-796-1543 Fax: 201-291-0492

**LIFE SKILLS CONTINUUM**

<b>PROJECT SEARCH</b> c/o Hackensack University Medical Center 30 Prospect Avenue Hackensack, NJ 07601	Tara Bohan (CO) <i>Bernadette Sforza</i>	Kellie Berkoff (SW)	201-343-6000 x4079 Fax: 201-996-6974
c/o Holy Name Hospital 718 Teaneck Road Teaneck, NJ 07666	Tara Bohan (CO) <i>Bernadette Sforza</i>	Kellie Berkoff (SW)	201-343-6000 x4079 Fax: 201-996-6974
<b>SPRINGBOARD</b> 321 East Ridgewood Avenue Paramus, NJ 07652	Tara Bohan (CO) Robert Mortorano (P) <i>Bernadette Sforza</i>	JeanMarie Hall (Psy)	201-343-6000 x8539 Fax: 201-262-1138
<b>TRANSITION CENTER @ WOOD-RIDGE</b> 304 Valley Boulevard Wood-Ridge, NJ 07075	Tara Bohan (CO) Robert Mortorano (P) <i>Rocio Cedeno</i>	Rachel Ramiares (Psy)	201-343-6000 x3602 Fax: 201-438-8239

**ADULT SERVICES**

<b>PARAMUS ADULT TRAINING CENTER (ATC) CAREERS THROUGH TECHNOLOGY STEPPING STONES</b> 296 East Ridgewood Avenue Paramus, NJ 07652	Mitch Badiner (CO) Janice D' Aiuto (C) <i>Cindy Schneider</i>	Dr. Simcha Willick	201-343-6000 x6031 FAX: 201-518-9218
<b>WOOD-RIDGE ADULT TRAINING CENTER (ATC) PROGRESSIVE PATHS</b> 304 Valley Boulevard Wood-Ridge, NJ 07075	Mitch Badiner (CO) Janice D' Aiuto (C) <i>Rocio Cedeno</i>	Dr. Simcha Willick	201-343-6000 x3602 Fax: 201-438-8239

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**AUTISM CONTINUUM**

<b>NEW BRIDGES MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL</b> 296 East Ridgewood Avenue Paramus, NJ 07651	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandra Melicharek (P) Marissa Gynn-Ricafort (S) <i>Ann Subrizi</i>	Lori Bornstein (SW) Karen Maas (SW) Lynn Schauchulis (L) Joan Vogel (CM)	201-343-6000 x4591 Fax: 201-996-6970
<b>TRI-VALLEY PROGRAM/BERGENFIELD</b> c/o Lincoln Elementary School 115 Highview Avenue Bergenfield, NJ 07621	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandra Melicharek (P) Sue McHugh (S) <i>Donna Marconi</i>	Kelly O'Grady (SW)	201-385-8600 x1358/1359
<b>TRI-VALLEY PROGRAM/BERGENFIELD</b> c/o Hoover Elementary School 273 Murray Hill Terrace Bergenfield, NJ 07621	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandra Melicharek (P) Sue McHugh (S) <i>Donna Marconi</i>	Kelly O'Grady (SW)	201-385-8600 x1358/1359
<b>TRI-VALLEY PROGRAM/BERGENFIELD</b> c/o Roy W. Brown Middle School 130 South Washington Avenue Bergenfield, NJ 07621	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandra Melicharek (P) Sue McHugh (S) <i>Donna Marconi</i>	Kelly O'Grady (SW)	201-385-8600 x1358/1359
<b>TRI-VALLEY PROGRAM/BERGENFIELD</b> c/o Bergenfield High School 80 South Prospect Avenue Bergenfield, NJ 07621	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandra Melicharek (P) Sue McHugh (S) <i>Donna Marconi</i>	Kelly O'Grady (SW)	201-385-8600 x1358/1359
<b>TRI-VALLEY PROGRAM/DUMONT</b> c/o Grant School 100 Grant Avenue Dumont, NJ 07628	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandra Melicharek (P) Sue McHugh (S) <i>Donna Marconi</i>	Kelly O'Grady (SW)	201-385-8600 x1358/1359
<b>WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</b> 355 East Ridgewood Avenue Paramus, NJ 07652	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandra Melicharek (P) Laure Wisse (S) <i>Jacqui Driscoll</i>	Lori Bornstein (SW) Lisa Diaz (SW) Maureen O'Malley (L)	201-343-6000 x6461 Fax: 201-265-8359
<b>WASHINGTON EMERSON</b> c/o Villano Elementary School 100 High Street Emerson, NJ 07630	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandra Melicharek (P) Jackie Dubil Craig (TC) <i>LuAnn Trause</i>	Karen Maas (SW)	201-343-6000 x5850 201-343-6000 x5802/5803 <i>Classroom</i> Fax: 201-262-4072
<b>WASHINGTON FRANKLIN LAKES</b> c/o Franklin Avenue Middle School 755 Franklin Avenue Franklin Lakes, NJ 07417	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandra Melicharek (P) Jackie Dubil Craig (TC) <i>LuAnn Trause</i>	Lori Bornstein (SW)	201-343-6000 x5850 201-343-6000 x5921 <i>Classroom</i> Fax: 201-848-5190
<b>WASHINGTON HANOVER</b> c/o Bee Meadow Elementary School 120 Reynolds Avenue Whippany, NJ 07981	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandra Melicharek (P) Jackie Dubil Craig (TC) <i>LuAnn Trause</i>	Lori Bornstein (SW)	201-343-6000 x5850 973-637-1562 <i>Classroom</i>
<b>WASHINGTON PASSAIC VALLEY</b> c/o Passaic Valley Regional High School 100 East Main Street Little Falls, NJ 07424	Mitch Badiner (CO) Sandra Melicharek (P) Jackie Dubil Craig (TC) <i>LuAnn Trause</i>	Jackie Dubil Craig (CM) Lynn Schauchulis (L)	973-890-2500 x0021 <i>Program Office</i> 973-890-2500 x0023 <i>Classroom</i> 201-343-6000 x5850
<b>BEHAVIOR DEPARTMENT</b> 296 East Ridgewood Avenue Paramus, NJ 07652	Mitch Badiner (CO) Jackie Dubil Craig (TC) <i>LuAnn Trause</i>		201-343-6000 x5850 Fax: 201-265-1630

**PRESCHOOL CONTINUUM**

<b>BERGEN EARLY LEARNING ALLIANCE (BELA)</b> 284 Hackensack Avenue Hackensack, NJ 07601	Tara Bohan (CO) Sandi Cortazzo (TC) Liz Scolpino (C) <i>Anne Schmidt</i>	Sandi Cortazzo (CM)	201-343-6000 x4663 Fax: 201-487-8467
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**CONTRACTED AND SPECIALIZED SERVICES**

<p><b>CAPE CENTER</b>          540 Farview Avenue          Paramus, NJ 07652</p>	<p>Linda Wieseneck (CO)  <i>Connie Pellechia</i></p>	<p>Diahann DeRuggiero (SW)</p>	<p>201-343-6000 x4076          FAX: 201-996-6973</p>
<p><b>CAREER CROSSROADS</b>          c/o Tara Bohan          540 Farview Avenue          Paramus, NJ 07652</p>	<p>Mitch Badiner (CO)          Tara Bohan (CO)          Patti Wojtowicz (TC)  <i>Ann Jones</i></p>		<p>201-343-6000 x4304          Fax: 201-967-0729</p>
<p><b>EDUCATIONAL ENTERPRISES</b>          540 Farview Avenue          Paramus, NJ 07652</p>	<p>Tara Bohan (CO)          Grisel Espinosa (S)  <i>Michele Griffin</i></p>	<p>Melissa Brockway (SW)          Ann Marie Plaut (L)</p>	<p>201-343-6000 x6541          FAX: 201-291-0492</p>
<p><b>HOSPITAL PROGRAMS</b>          c/o Bergen Regional Medical Center          Pascack Road          Paramus, NJ 07652</p>	<p>Michelle Zilberfarb (CO)  <i>Dora Weber</i></p>		<p>201-967-4281          201-343-6000 x6565          FAX: 201-225-7641</p>
<p><b>MCKINNEY VENTO PROGRAM</b>          327 East Ridgewood Avenue          Paramus, NJ 07652</p>	<p>Michelle Zilberfarb (CO)  <i>Karen Pizek</i></p>	<p>Diahann DeRuggiero (SW)</p>	<p>201-343-6000 x6019          Fax: 201-265-2889</p>
<p><b>SERVICES TO NON-PUBLIC SCHOOLS</b>          327 East Ridgewood Avenue          Paramus, NJ 07652</p>	<p>Michelle Zilberfarb (CO)          Danielle Russo (S)          Christina Brightly (TC)  <i>Karen Pizek</i></p>	<p>Diane Alessandro (L)</p>	<p>201-343-6000 x6019          Fax: 201-265-2889</p>
<p><b>SOUND SOLUTIONS</b>          540 Farview Avenue          Paramus, NJ 07652</p>	<p>Tara Bohan (CO)          Kathleen Lo Cascio (P)          Lisa Stewart (S)  <i>Michele Griffin</i></p>		<p>201-343-6000 x6541          Fax: 201-291-0492</p>
<p><b>SUSPENSION ALTERNATIVE PROGRAM</b>          284 Hackensack Avenue          Hackensack, NJ 07601</p>	<p>Mitch Badiner (CO)          Maria Pesantes (C)</p>		<p>201-343-6000 x2422          Fax: 201-342-1541</p>
<p><b>TRANSITION SERVICES</b>          540 Farview Avenue          Paramus, NJ 07652</p>	<p>Tara Bohan (CO)          Grisel Espinosa (S)  <i>Patricia Dunne</i></p>		<p>201-343-6000 x6501          Fax: 201-291-0492</p>

**CENTRAL ADMINISTRATION**

		<u>201-343-6000</u>	<u>Fax Number</u>
<b>SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS</b>	<b>Dr. Howard Lerner</b> <i>Laura O'Carroll</i>	<b>x4005</b> <i>x4069</i>	Fax: 201-996-7249
<b>ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT FOR CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION</b>	<b>Rich Panicucci</b> <i>Wendy Lawrence</i>	<b>x2046</b> <i>x4053</i>	Fax: 201-996-7246
<b>BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR/BOARD SECRETARY</b>	<b>John Susino</b> <i>Rita Sanzo-Costa</i>	<b>x4056</b> <i>x4081</i>	Fax: 201-996-6978
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<b>COORDINATOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES</b>	<b>Gary Hall</b> <i>Deborah Roensch</i>	<b>x6062</b> <i>x6028</i>	Fax: 201-225-0931
<b>DIRECTORS OF INSTRUCTION</b>	<b>Mitchell S. Badiner</b> <i>Kathy Hayek</i>	<b>x4070</b> <i>x4074</i>	Fax: 201-996-6944
	<b>Tara Bohan</b> <i>Susan Goldstein</i>	<b>x4079</b> <i>x4064</i>	Fax: 201-996-6974
<b>SUPERVISOR OF INSTRUCTION</b>	<b>Michele Zilberfarb</b> <i>Karen Pizek</i>	<b>x6010</b> <i>x6019</i>	Fax: 201-265-2889