

CHOICES

We Will Meet You Where You Are

PASS: Positive Alternative to Student Suspension



Choices PASS program provides students who are suspended for drug and alcohol and other non-violent offenses a treatment focused program with embedded academic support. Most students attend PASS for 3-5 days. Students are able to stay for up to ten consecutive days and may repeat throughout the year as needed.



The PASS Program is located at
108 Grove Street in Worcester.

Hours for the program are
9:00 am-2:00 pm, Monday-Friday
508-455-5053

A key feature of the PASS program is a clinical assessment with follow up recommendations for support and intervention. Students return to school with a written plan following a re-entry meeting with Choices staff and key school personnel. Follow up will also take place once the student transitions back into school.

Choices is the 4th PASS Program in Massachusetts after Beverly, Haverhill and Cape Cod.

Choices charges districts 75 dollars per day per student. Students will receive treatment and intervention by licensed clinical staff, psycho-social groups and two hours of school tutoring provided by a licensed educator each day.

Once referred, students are typically able to attend PASS within 24 hours.



To refer a student, please visit our web site at www.4choices.org or contact Matt Hjorth, Program Director
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