



## BUILDING FUTURES, EMPOWERING LIVES



**WELCOME TO UNITED COURAGE,**  
where we believe every child deserves the opportunity to thrive. As leading providers of children's Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) in New York State, we offer comprehensive support tailored to a child and youth's wellness and development. Together, we will find the courage and strength to overcome any challenge.



## WE'RE HERE TO HELP

To apply for services, please contact us  
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**CHILDREN'S  
HOME & COMMUNITY-BASED  
SERVICES (HCBS)**



## OUR MISSION

We are dedicated to supporting children and youth through personalized care and services customized to their unique needs, strengths, and preferences.

## SERVICES WE OFFER

### RESpite (PLANNED & CRISIS)

Short-term relief for caregivers and families where children and youth are cared for in a safe and supportive environment.

### CAREGIVER/FAMILY ADVOCACY & SUPPORT SERVICES

Resources and guidance for caregivers, families, children and youth to help them make informed choices and engage in family and community life.

### COMMUNITY HABILITATION

Individualized services and support related to the child and youth's acquisition, maintenance, and enhancement of skills.

### PREVOCATIONAL SERVICES

Training and support to help youth (age 14 and older) develop proper work habits and behaviors, preparing them for volunteer or paid work opportunities.

### SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT

Ongoing support and coaching to help youth (age 14 and older) find employment, maintain a steady job, and meet personal career objectives.

### DAY HABILITATION

Structured activities that encourage self help, socialization, skill building, and community engagement, provided at our dedicated centers.

# FAQS

## What is HCBS? How do they help children, youth and caregivers?

HCBS stands for Home and Community-Based Services. United Courage supports children, youth, and parents in need, providing them with services and resources that enable them to thrive.

## Where do services and planning meetings take place?

Services are provided in the child and youth's home or in integrated community settings. Parents and caregivers have the option to meet in-person at our office location, their home or preferred community location, or virtually.

## Who qualifies for these services?

Children and youth ages 0-21 who meet the following criteria:

- Have developmental, medical, mental health and/or substance use needs
- In need of extra care at home and in the community
- Wish to avoid the risk of going to a hospital or long-term care facility

## What counties do you serve?

We provide services in the following NY Counties: Bronx, Kings, New York, Nassau, Orange, Queens, Richmond, Rockland, Suffolk, Sullivan, Ulster, & Westchester.