



AFFILIATED AGENCIES

ACA has developed a vast network of nearly 100 experienced OPWDD agencies who currently provide Medicaid Service Coordination (MSC) to individuals with I/DD. Our agencies operate in New York City, Long Island, Westchester County, and parts of the Hudson Valley. Below is a full list of the agencies that are partnering with ACA to transition their current MSC Coordinators to provide ACA's enhanced People First Care Coordination starting July 1, 2018.

Affiliated MSC Agencies

A Very Special Place, Inc.	Centro Social La Esperanza, Inc.
A-1 Universal Care, Inc.	CHDFS, Inc.
AABR, Inc.	Chemlu Developmental Disability Center, Inc.
Abbott House	Community Action for Humans Services, Inc.
Abilities, Inc. at the Viscardi Center	Community Mainstreaming Associates, Inc.
ACDS, Inc.	Community Options NY Inc.
ACLD	Community Resource Center for DD (CRC DD)
Adelante of Suffolk County, Inc.	Community Resources & Services for Children
Adult Resources Center, Inc. (dba ARC)	Community Resources-SI
Advocates for Services for the Blind & Multihandicapped	Contemporary Guidance Services Inc.
Ahivim, Inc.	Crossroads Unlimited, Inc.
AllCare Provider Services, Inc.	Daybreak Independent Services, Inc.
AMIC Supportive Families	Developmental Disabilities Institute
Another Step, Inc.	East End Disability Associates, Inc.
Block Institute	Economic Opportunity Council of Suffolk
Bluewell Advocates	Eden II School for Autistic Children
C.A.R.E.S.	Edwin Gould Services for Children
Cardinal McCloskey Services	EPIC Long Island
Carl Fenichel Community Services	Epilepsy Institute
Catholic Charities - Rockville Center	FREE, Inc.
Catholic Charities of Staten Island	Gateway Counseling Center
Catholic Guardian Services	Goodwill Industries of Greater NY
Center for Developmental Disabilities, Inc.	GRACE Foundation
Center for Family Support, Inc.	Guiding Pathways, Inc.
Center for Rapid Recovery	Guild for Exceptional Children
	Halo Network Inc.

HASC Center, Inc.
Head Injury Association, Inc.
Heaven's Hands Community Services, Inc.
Helen Keller Services
Help on the Way, Inc.
Hispanic Counseling Center, Inc.
Independent Group Home Living Program, Inc.
Independent Living Association, Inc.
Institute for Community Living
IRI: Innovative Resources for Independence
Job Path, Inc.
Keon Center, Inc.
Kulanu Academy
Leake and Watts Services, Inc.
Lexington Vocational Services Center, Inc.
Life's WORC, Inc.
Lifestyles for the Disabled
Little Flower Children and Family Services
Makor Disability Services
Maranatha Human Services
Maryhaven Center of Hope, Inc.
Mercy Home for Children
New Horizon Counseling Center
New York Foundling Hospital
OHEL Children's Home and Family Services, Inc.
On Your Mark, Inc.
Person Centered Care Services, Inc.
PLUS Group Homes
Program Development Services
Progressive Social Services, Inc.
QSAC, Inc.
Queens Center for Progress
Rayim of Hudson Valley

Rehabilitation Institute
S.K.I.P. of NY
School for Language Communication and
Development, Inc.
SCO Family of Services
Services for the Developmentally Challenged
Share of New Square
Sheltering Arms Children and Family Services
Shield Institute
Special Care for Families and Children Services
Special Citizens Futures Unlimited, Inc.
St. Dominic's Home
Taconic Innovations
Tender Care Human Services
THRIVE Network
UCPA of Nassau County, Inc.
Unique People Services, Inc.
United Cerebral Palsy of Long Island, Inc.
Urban Resource Institute
WellLife Network, Inc.

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ORGANIZATIONAL BIOGRAPHY: ADVANCE CARE ALLIANCE OF NY INC.

Advance Care Alliance of NY (ACANY) is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit corporation formed in 2014 by three groups representing over 100 experienced, high-quality providers of community-based services to people with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities (I/DD) and their families. Those three groups are: Advance of Greater NY, Alliance Care Network, and Long Island Alliance. Collectively, their member organizations serve nearly 1 in 4 people with I/DD within the private not-for-profit or "voluntary" sector overseen by the Office for People With Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD).

ACANY's mission was initially focused on advocacy: giving small and medium-sized providers (and the individuals and families they serve) a voice in the State's transition to managed care. In late 2017, ACANY applied for and received initial designation as a Care Coordination Organization/Health Home (CCO). With this milestone, ACANY's mission expanded from advocacy to include implementation of New York State's (NYS) vision for specialized managed care designed around the unique needs of people with I/DD and their families. CCOs are the first step in this transition. More specifically, CCOs are a type of Health Home—a new category of provider authorized under the *Affordable Care Act of 2010*. The primary mission of a Health Home is to promote more holistic, person-centered, and coordinated care for people enrolled in Medicaid and/or Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) waiver programs.

As an emerging CCO, ACANY has signed affiliation agreements with 96 Medicaid Service Coordination (MSC) agencies who together serve 24,000+ people with I/DD and their families across the Five Boroughs, Long Island, and the Lower Hudson Valley. A complete list of affiliated organizations can be found under [Affiliated Agencies](#) on ACANY's website. These organizations have committed to work with ACANY to train and equip their Medicaid Service Coordinators (MSCs) to become Care Managers, as that role is defined under the Health Home requirements. Every effort is being made to support continuity of care, recognizing the unique role MSCs play in the lives of the individuals and families they serve.

Prior to applying for designation as a CCO, ACANY was awarded \$8 million in Transformation and Innovation grants under the Balancing Incentives Program sponsored by NYS and the Federal Government. With the support of OPWDD and the Department of Health (DOH), ACANY piloted an urgent care program and a telemedicine program for the benefit of people with I/DD and their families. ACANY also used a portion of the funds to develop a specialized care transitions model for people with I/DD, conduct training, and make other investments in the infrastructure required for success as a CCO.

*For a list of **affiliated agencies**, please see:*
<http://www.advancecarealliance.org/affiliated-agencies/>

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