

The Marsh Foundation Community Engagement Plan



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FOUNDATION
Serving children and families since 1922

Serving children and families since 1922, The Marsh Foundation is a not-for-profit children's services agency that provides behavioral treatment in a variety of settings. The mission of The Marsh Foundation is to inspire hope, to teach and to care for children and families. Services include gender specific group homes, foster care, an intensive treatment program and independent living. Located in Van Wert, Ohio, the organization's group homes are licensed for up to 36 children ages 7 - 17, offers an on-campus school for grades 2 - 12 and provides a variety of clinical services to group home residents, foster children and community members.

All of the group homes are located on The Marsh Foundation's campus in Van Wert.

The Marsh Foundation
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P.O. Box 150
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The Marsh Foundation prides itself on increasing community involvement and communication regarding our services for our youth and families. We understand that there may be times that situations occur in the community that may require personal communications. We believe that personal communication is often the best means to handle a concern/question/matter. Therefore, The Marsh Foundation encourages community members to communicate with the agency by contacting:

The Public Relations/Marketing Specialist
Phone: (419) 238 - 1695 ext. 233
Email: info@marshfoundation.org

Upon receipt of the concern or relevant information, the public relations/marketing specialist will forward the concern/information to the appropriate director:

- School Principal
- Executive Director of Child & Family Services, or
- Executive Secretary/Treasurer

The concern or relevant information will then be addressed within 5 business days after the appropriate director has been notified. Documentation reflecting that the communication was attended to will be maintained by the Public Relations/Marketing Specialist.

A copy of this protocol will be provided to an individual upon request, and can be found on our agency website at www.marshfoundation.org. Additional information as well as a complete agency contact list can also be found on our website.