The Delaware Parent-Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT) Roster

What is the Delaware PCIT Roster?

Family members, professionals and members of the public can use this roster to find a trained specialist in the treatment of young children with acting out behavior. PCIT is a unique, short-term training approach whereby the PCIT therapist works with the child and family to directly coach the parent/caregiver in building better relationships with the child and learning skills to change negative parent-child behavior patterns.

The roster is a publicly available listing of trainees and successful program graduates of the **Division of Prevention and Behavioral Health Services' (DPBHS)** clinical training program designed to train mental health professionals with at least a master's degree and experience to use the Parent-Child Interaction Therapy intervention. DPBHS, through PCIT developer and expert trainer, Cheryl McNeil, Ph.D. and Josh Masse, Ph.D., trains clinicians in this intervention to provide effective treatment for young children with acting out behaviors such as refusing to follow rules, aggression, biting, hitting, throwing objects and having tantrums.

PCIT is an evidence-based intervention designed to change defiant and aggressive behavior in young children and to prevent future antisocial behaviors. In PCIT, the emphasis is on improving the quality of the parent-child relationship and changing parent-child interaction patterns. Parents are taught specific skills to establish a nurturing and secure relationship with their child while increasing their child's prosocial behavior and decreasing negative behavior. The treatment model uses highly specified, step-by-step, live-coached sessions with both the parent/caregiver and the child to change behavior. Goals are:

- Improvement in the quality of the parent-child relationship;
- Decrease in child behavior problems with an increase in positive pro-social behaviors;
- Increase in parenting skills, including positive discipline; and
- Decrease in parenting stress.

PCIT is listed as an evidence-based practice on the U.S. Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration website: the National Registry of Evidence-based Programs and Practices (NREPP) with a quality of research rating of 3.2 on a scale of 4.0. The link to that website for PCIT is: <u>http://www.nrepp.samhsa.gov/</u>. Information on this practice may also be found the website of the National Child Traumatic Stress Network - <u>www.nctsn.org</u>.

Disclaimer: As a public service, the Division of Prevention and Behavioral Health Services of the Delaware Children's Department has developed this roster which contains a list of trainees and graduates of its PCIT training program. Neither DPBHS nor its providers nor its funders provide official endorsement of the clinicians included on our roster. This listing of clinicians is available for information purposes only; this listing is not meant to replace consultation with your physician or mental health professional. The views and opinions of clinicians listed on this site do not necessarily state or reflect those of DPBHS or the State of Delaware.

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Unless otherwise indicated, ALL clinicians on this roster accept third party payment as well as Medicaid Managed Care as payment for services.

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