

Get to know your Qualified Mental Health Specialist

Griffen Zemrock, BA

Meet Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health's Griffen Zemrock, who is a Qualified Mental Health Specialist covering the Alliance City School district.

Griffen, who graduated from Marlington High School, went on to earn his bachelor's degree in psychology with a minor in human development and family studies from Kent State University.

Griffen said, the best part of his job is, "being able to serve the youth and their families in the community."

Hobbies: Enjoys music, caring for plants and reading

Favorite book: All Quiet On the Western Front Favorite movies: The Preincess and the Frog

A Qualified Mental Health Specialist works with clients to:

- Resolve conflict with others
- Manage emotions including anger, minor social or performance anxiety, disappointment, frustration, occasional sadness
- Coping with change, uncertainty, death, loss
- Positive parenting strategies and support
- Linkage to mental health services and other indicated medical/support services
- Linkage to natural and community supports
- Reinforcement and rehearsal of skills taught in therapy.

A therapist is indicated when the presentation of symptoms warrants a clinical (medical) diagnosis and are leading to impairment of daily functioning:

- Significant anxiety
- Depression
- Significant oppositional/conduct behavior
- Trauma
- Suicidal ideation or self-harm behaviors
- Homicidal ideation or harming others
- Substance abuse
- Resolve the complex roots of each individuals client's unique struggles



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Services at a Glance

Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health (C&A)

MISSION STATEMENT: Working together to be the premier resource for emotional and behavioral health services and products that help children, youth, and families successfully meet life's challenges.

Ages Served: Birth – 24 years old

Locations: Services may be offered in homes, schools, C&A's four Stark County offices, and other community locations throughout Stark County.

Services and Programs Available:

Prevention and Consultation Services Comprehensive Diagnostic Assessment

Individual and Family Therapy Trauma Focused CBT

Psychiatric Evaluations and Medication Management Qualified Mental Health Specialists (QMHS)

Substance Abuse Treatment Services Peer Mentoring Services

Dialectical Behavior Therapy Transitional Aged Youth Services

Trauma Informed Day Treatment MST and MST-PSB

Early Childhood Consultation and Treatment Parenting Skills Development
Sexually Inappropriate Behavior Remediation Intensive Home-Based Services

Concerns Addressed (include but are not limited to):

Trauma including physical abuse, sexual abuse, bereavement, grief and loss

Depression/Mood Disorders Emotional regulation/anger management

Anxiety Oppositional and conduct disorders

Substance Use/Abuse/Dependence Suicidal Ideation
Disruptive behaviors Self-injury behaviors
Autism Spectrum Disorders Sexual behavior problems

Psychotic disorders Court/Legal Involvement

Divorce, separation, and loss ADHD
Parent/child relationship issues LGBTQ
Social/relationship issues Bullying

School difficulties