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# MARY CARIOLA CHILDREN'S CENTER FAST FACTS 2008

## MISSION

Mary Cariola Children's Center provides the highest quality individualized services for children with developmental delays and especially for those with complex or multiple disabilities. The Center is dedicated to excellence in family-centered educational, residential, therapeutic and community support services and to developing program initiatives for emerging populations of children with special needs.

## A LEADER IN PROGRAMMING FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

Mary Cariola is a private, non-profit agency and is regarded as a leader in providing education, residential programs and other services for children with disabilities. The Center was the first in the nation to have a sensory room for children and opened the state's first group home for children with significant behavior management needs.

## AGENCY INFORMATION

Budget (2007-2008) \$22,423,936  
Number of Staff 599  
• Full-time – 361 • Part-time – 238

### Special Services Offered:

- Orthopedic Consult
- Nursing
- OT/PT
- Behavior Therapy
- Telemedicine
- Psychological Consult
- Adapted Physical Education
- Music Therapy
- Pre-vocational Program (PALS)
- Snoezelen Room
- Medication Consult
- Speech Therapy
- Social Work
- Dietary Consult
- Treatment Intensives

## DAY PROGRAM

Number of School Districts Referring Students	40
Number of Counties Served	10
Number of Students Served	549
Number of Center-Based Classrooms	58

• Preschool – 12 • School Age – 46

**Primary Funding Mechanism and Source(s)**

<b>PROGRAM</b>	<b>MECHANISM</b>	<b>ESTABLISHED BY</b>	<b>PAID BY</b>
• Preschool ( <i>birth-2 yrs.</i> )	Fee for service	NYS Health Dept.	Home County
• Preschool ( <i>3-5 yrs</i> )	Annual Tuition Rate	NYS Education Dept.	Home County
• School Age ( <i>5-21</i> )	Annual Tuition Rate	NYS Education Dept.	Home School Dist.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE  
RESIDENTIAL & MEDICAID SERVICE COORDINATION PROGRAMS**

The **Residential Program** provides full-time care in a family setting to small groups of children with multiple disabilities and behavior management needs. The program’s five residential facilities located throughout the county serve 38 children with six to nine children in each home.

**Medicaid Service Coordination** provides outreach to children with disabilities in the community and their families. Medicaid Service Coordinators work with these children and their families to identify and secure services from community resources to assist the child and their family.

*Medicaid is the primary funding source for both programs through the Office of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities (OMRDD).*

<b>Number and Location of Residences</b>	<b>Number of Residents</b>
➤ <b>Residence I</b> 2575 Browncroft Blvd. ( <i>Penfield</i> ) ( <i>Opened in 1979</i> )	8 residents
➤ <b>Residence II</b> 2245 English Rd. ( <i>Greece</i> ) ( <i>Opened in 1981</i> )	9 residents
➤ <b>Residence III</b> 6239 Pittsford-Palmyra Rd. ( <i>Fairport</i> ) ( <i>Opened in 1984</i> )	9 residents
➤ <b>Residence IV</b> 549 Rush-Scottsville Rd. ( <i>Rush</i> ) ( <i>Opened in 1991</i> )	6 residents
➤ <b>Residence V</b> 700 Bailey Rd. ( <i>West Henrietta</i> ) ( <i>Opened in 2005</i> )	6 residents

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<b>PROGRAM</b>	<b>MECHANISM</b>	<b>ESTABLISHED BY</b>	<b>PAID BY</b>
• Residential	Per child/Per diem	OMRDD	NYS Medicaid
• Medicaid Svc. Coordination	Per child/Per month	OMRDD	NYS Medicaid

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