



**SHARED VISION**  
PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES  
*Building Healthy Connections*

## Building Healthy Connections Newsletter

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### **Spotlight on:** **Therapy Services for Teens**



We work with teens, as well as their families, to assist them in creating a strong psychological foundation for ongoing development and growth in a caring and supportive environment. We believe parents play a large role in supporting the therapeutic process, and as such, we work to actively involve parents in their child's treatment in ways that feel respectful to the child's individual therapeutic process, while also encouraging parents to collaborate with their child's therapist to continue to support their adolescent.

Some reasons adolescents come to Shared Vision:

- Academic pressures
- ADHD
- Anger
- Anxiety
- Autism
- Body image concerns
- Bullying, cyber-bullying, teasing, or social aggression
- Coping with separation & divorce
- Depression
- Disordered eating
- Family stress or transitions
- Identity exploration
- Life transitions
- Medical illness

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- OCD
- Phobias
- Poor self-esteem
- Relationship/peer problems
- Self-injury
- Sibling Rivalry
- Substance/alcohol use & abuse
- Trauma & loss

If you are interested in therapy services for your teen, **click here for more information** or **contact us today**.

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## Featured Online Groups:

### Parent Support Group: Special Needs



Consider joining our weekly support group for parents of children with special needs. Group meetings will be geared towards helping members discuss their experiences at home, identifying effective means of coping with the overwhelming realities of parenting a special needs child, and most importantly, finding a sense of community among other adults with similar parenting circumstances. Learning that your child has a developmental delay and/or Autism is a challenging and emotional process. Parenting a special needs child as they continue to grow and mature can be even harder. Our weekly support group will be a warm and accepting environment in which parents can receive guidance and realize that they are not alone in their struggles.

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## Teen Girl's Group, Ages 12-15



Navigating relationships as a teenager can be difficult. Our 50-minute teen groups will provide a safe space for teens to discuss their struggles and successes. Leaders help to facilitate group discussions about topics such as bullying, body image, self-confidence, academic achievement, sports, friendships, and more.

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## Social Skills Group, Ages 5-6



Our 50-minute Social Skills Groups have a relational focus that teaches children how to approach others, resolve conflict, and make friends. Our groups aim to help children develop a deeper capacity for relatedness that can be translated into more meaningful relationships, both at home and at school.

Kids in our Social Skills Groups often leave with the following tools:

- Increased patience
- Decreased impulsive behavior
- Confidence to initiate conversation
- Ability to resolve conflict
- Greater awareness of social cues
- Capacity to respond to others with understanding and empathy
- Feelings of connection with peers

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## Other Services We Offer

- Individual, Couples, and Family Therapy
- Comprehensive Diagnostic Evaluations
- Collaboration with Schools
- Consultation to Professionals
- Community Presentations, Seminars, and Training
- Pre- and Post- Adoption Psychological Services
- Developmental & Special Needs Psychological Services



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