

Ryther Child Center Chemical Dependency Treatment



For Adolescent Boys, Ryther Stands Alone.

Ryther's abstinence-based residential inpatient chemical dependency treatment program is designed specifically for adolescent boys with **co-occurring mental health issues** and has a proven track record of working effectively with youth who have not been successful in other programs or who are transitioning from a different level of care. For these clients, Ryther has found that Experiential Learning is one of the most effective non-medical interventions available today. That is why Ryther built its own onsite professional **Challenge Course** and why experiential learning opportunities, such as Adventure Treks around the state of Washington, are an integral part of the treatment model.

Other unique program components include:

- **Variable length of stay**, with an average of 30-40 days and a maximum of 120 days
- **A Home-like environment** with family-style meals in an open chalet-style cottage, situated on a ten acre campus with playfields, covered sports complex, rock-climbing wall and Challenge Course
- **Individual daily sessions** with Licensed Chemical Dependency Professionals
- A small program, with 11 teens maximum at any one time, and a **1:3 staff to client ratio**
- **Comprehensive family involvement** including weekly visitation, family counseling, monthly Family Day programs, and other support provided by Masters level Case Managers and Therapists
- Regular physical education, health classes, therapeutic art programs and school credits available through integration with Seattle Public Schools
- **Ryther's Professional Staff include:**
 - Two full-time **Masters or PhD level Case Managers**
 - Board certified Psychiatrist**, serving as Medical Director, providing psychiatric assessments and medication management
 - Licensed on-staff Psychologist** for consultation and clinical supervision of staff
 - One full-time **Masters level coordinator** for the Experiential Learning component

Ryther accepts a variety of payment sources , including Private Insurance, Self-Pay, DSHS Medical Coupons, DASA Funding, and CDDA. Ryther is certified as a **Youth Level II Secure Intensive Inpatient Facility** by the Washington State Division of Alcohol and Substance Abuse and is licensed as a **Residential Treatment Facility** by the Washington State Department of Health, and accredited by the Council on Accreditation of Service for Family & Children (COA).

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