



Ascentria  
CARE ALLIANCE

## OUR MISSION

We are called to strengthen communities by empowering people to respond to life's challenges.

## OUR VISION

We envision thriving communities where everyone has the opportunity to achieve their full potential regardless of background or disadvantage.

Together with our partners, we inspire people to help one another reach beyond their current circumstances and realize new possibilities.

## OUR VALUES

Faith In Action:  
Courage • Compassion • Integrity

## About Ascentria Care Alliance

As one of the largest community service organizations in New England, Ascentria Care Alliance empowers people of all backgrounds to rise together and reach beyond life's challenges. With 60 locations throughout the region, we use an innovative client-centered care model to help individuals and families move forward and thrive — physically, intellectually, socially, spiritually and economically.

Through productive collaborations and partnerships, we create measurable, positive impact that enriches our communities. Inspired by our faith-based heritage and guided by compassion, courage and integrity, we envision a world in which everyone can realize their fullest potential and share with others in need.

To learn more, please visit us at [ascentria.org](http://ascentria.org).

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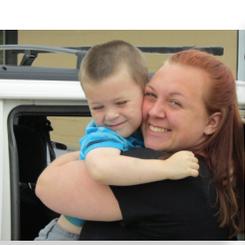
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# Welcome to Ascentria Care Alliance

## Who we are

Ascentria Care Alliance is an umbrella of services, partnerships and collaborations working together to empower individuals and families to become self-sufficient, competent and confident in their ability to move beyond life's challenges and thrive.

## What we do

With locations throughout New England, our goal is to help those in our care achieve full wellbeing. We are transforming our programmatic organization to a more holistic, client-centered model of care with the creation of our first community center in Worcester, Massachusetts. Utilizing a central intake process, new client management system, co-location of services, and collaborative partnerships, we address the full needs of our clients through a convenient, one-stop location. We plan to open new community centers in gateway cities throughout New England.

## Who we serve

Ascentria Care Alliance assists:

- Children, at-risk youth and families
- Persons with developmental disabilities, mental illness and deafness
- Those who are economically disadvantaged
- Refugees, including unaccompanied minors
- Older adults and the elderly

## How can we help you?

**Services for Children and Families** – We provide adoption services, foster care, programs for unaccompanied refugee minors, and a residential teen parenting program.

**Services for New Americans** – Our services include case management, cultural orientation, employment services and ESL instruction. We also offer legal aid, microenterprise development and a farming cooperative.

**Services for Older Adults** – Residential and community-based skilled nursing and rest home care, assisted living, low income housing and specialized Alzheimer's care are available.

**Disability Services** – We offer group home settings and independent housing, where participants learn daily life skills, self-reliance and decision making.

**Good News Garage** – Affordable and reliable transportation options are provided to help our clients move out of poverty and into financial and social stability.

**In-Home Care** – We help families support loved ones with personalized care and assistance that enriches lives and helps maintain the highest possible level of independence and safety.

**Language Bank** – Expert, face-to-face interpretation, translation and ASL services are offered to medical, legal and other professionals for their customers who have limited English proficiency.

**Health Profession Opportunity Project (HPOP)** – HPOP provides opportunities for eligible, low-income adults to train for and find jobs in health care and human services occupations in New Hampshire.

## Making a difference in the lives of others!

**Volunteer your time** – Our volunteers collaborate with us to empower our clients and strengthen our communities. Pro bono tutoring, professional services and skills training are just a few examples of how our volunteers help create real and lasting change in others. We offer a variety of volunteer opportunities throughout New England. Please call us at 774.243.3900 for more information.

**Every gift counts** – Your donation — no matter the size — will make a difference in the lives of others. Whether a struggling teen mom who needs support to succeed in school and care for her baby; a refugee who needs help learning English and finding a job or an elderly person who, with companionship, can remain in her home and community; your compassionate generosity will provide the tools and resources they need to thrive.

For more information, please call our Development Office at 774.243.3900. Thank you!

