

## About Us

Hannah's House is a local, community- supported nonprofit mental health therapy and resource center dedicated to prevention, providing treatment, and reducing the stigma associated with mental health care by providing assistance and treatment close to home.

Hannah's House is fortunate to have a dedicated Board of Directors with diverse members of the community including health professionals, educators, professionals and family members.



Painting by Candy Barr

### About Hannah

Hannah's House was founded in 2010 by the family and friends of Hannah Bedford, a young Mad River Valley resident who lost her battle with mental illness in 2009. She was a gifted artist, musician, athlete, college graduate and Reiki master whose symptoms began manifesting in high school and became progressively worse in her twenties. Her family was inspired to found Hannah's House to assist other families and their Hannah.

## Staff

Hannah's House assures local access to a team of three friendly, licensed therapists who are available by appointment. They provide a variety of tailored therapies including psychotherapy, neurofeedback, and play therapy in an approachable, comfortable setting.



**Nicole Krotinger, LCMHC**, is our founding therapist. She specializes in counseling children, adolescents, adults and families.  
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**Melissa G. Marcellino, LCMHC, NCC** brings us extensive experience with adults, adolescents, families, and groups.  
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**Gary Frankel, LICSW**, works with adolescents, adults and families that are experiencing anxiety, depression, substance abuse and identity issues.  
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**Barbara Christie-Garvin** joined Hannah's House in 2013 to assist our growth as a community resource as a part time Executive Director.  
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## Services

*Hannah's House promotes mental health by three key service strategies: **access, education, and alternative therapies.***

### Access to quality mental health care

- Providing office space for therapeutic services
- Collaboration with community resources
- Need-based financial assistance
- Addition of new office affiliation in Waterbury

### Education & community resources

- Educational programming, groups and workshops
- Weekly workshops at local middle & high schools
- Parent Education and Seminars
- Facilitated Support Groups
- Community Resource Room with lending library
- Free consultations

### Alternative therapies

- On-site neurofeedback brain training sessions
- Scholarships for alternative therapies
- Referrals for adjunct therapeutic services
- Partnerships with local organizations

## Resources

Hannah's House offers free scheduled open hours for the community on Fridays from 10:00-11:00 a.m. Counselors will be available in both Waitsfield and Waterbury to speak with those seeking information, resources, or referrals for themselves or others regarding mental health and wellness.

For more information, call Hannah's House at 802-496-9715.



## Support Hannah's House

Hannah's House Inc. is a 501(c)3 non-profit therapy center funded entirely by donations from friends, family, our community in the Mad River Valley and beyond, local businesses, fundraisers like the Mad Marathon, and grants from foundations and corporations.

### How to Donate:

**By Mail:** Hannah's House, Inc.  
P.O. Box 217, Waitsfield, VT 05673

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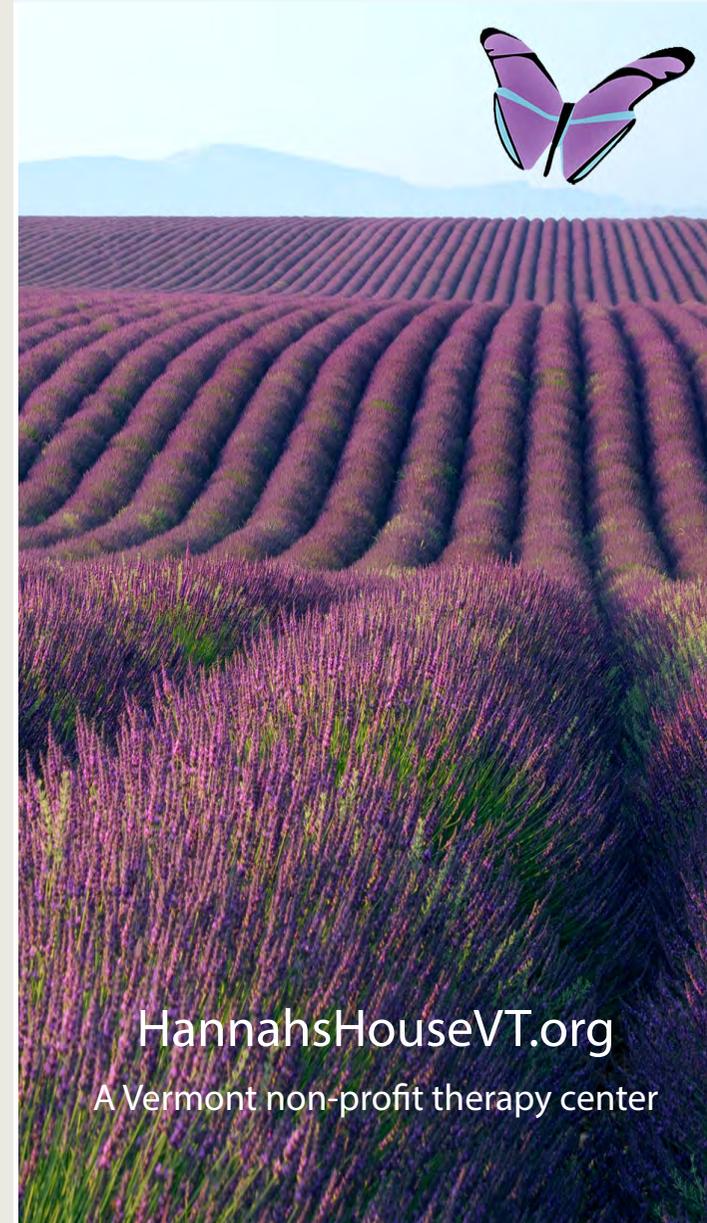
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for Children, Teens, Adults and Families*



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