

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Location of Services:

5415 County Road 30  
Canandaigua, NY 14424

(585) 394-9510

(866) 408-2550

Fax: (585) 394-5326

Aqua Therapy: Eberhardt Center  
2975 County Road 48  
Canandaigua, NY 14424

### Hours of Operation:

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8:00 - 4:00

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Community-Based Services:  
7:00 am - 11:00 pm 7 days a week

[www.happinesshouse.org](http://www.happinesshouse.org)

### *Did you know...*

- Every 15 seconds one American will sustain a traumatic brain injury.
- 5.3 million individuals in the U.S. are living with a disability as a result of a traumatic brain injury.
- A severely injured person with a brain injury typically requires between five to ten years of intensive rehabilitation with additional long term follow-up needed.
- Brain injuries are the most frequent reason for visits to physicians and emergency rooms.
- People with a traumatic brain injury may experience temporary or permanent difficulties with language, thinking, memory, attention, reasoning, judgement, problem-solving, physical ability and fatigue. Psychological issues related to loss as well as changes in mood and personality may also be experienced.

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# HAPPINESS HOUSE TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY PROGRAM



Providing home and center-based services and supports to adults with traumatic brain injuries who reside in Ontario, Seneca, Wayne and Yates counties

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Happiness House is an approved provider of the New York State (NYS) Department of Health Home and Community-Based Medicaid Services Waiver for individuals with Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI).

The NYS Department of Health provides rent subsidies and housing supports to individuals approved to participate in the NYS TBI Medicaid Waiver when funds are available.



THE TBI PROGRAM IS SUPPORTED BY OUR  
ARTICLE 28  
DIAGNOSTIC & TREATMENT CLINIC  
INCLUDING...

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY  
PHYSICAL THERAPY  
PSYCHIATRIC SERVICES  
PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES  
SPEECH & LANGUAGE THERAPY  
AQUA THERAPY

OTHER SERVICES AVAILABLE THROUGH THE  
WAIVER INCLUDE:

SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAMS  
SPECIAL MEDICAL EQUIPMENT  
& SUPPLIES  
TRANSPORTATION

**BRAIN INJURY PROGRAMS** - Happiness House provides a variety of services to individuals over the age of 18 who have sustained a brain injury. The focus of these programs is to maintain or improve the individual's ability to live in the community.

**INDEPENDENT LIVING SKILLS TRAINING (ILST)**- This service is provided in the individual's home or community. ILSTs assist the individuals to develop a plan of service that meets their specific needs. These plans may address a wide variety of interests in areas such as: employment, transportation, social opportunities, fiscal independence, health and well-being, education and maintaining their home.

**HOME & COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES (HCSS)** - Staff assists individuals with the every day tasks necessary to live successfully and safely. This may include assistance with activities of daily living, companionship, and accessing the community (shopping & entertainment). All HCSS staff are certified Personal Care Assistants. Happiness House is a licensed Home Health Care Services agency.

**SERVICE COORDINATION** - The service coordinator acts as a liaison and an advocate for the individual receiving services and works with them to develop and implement a program to meet their specific needs.

**COMMUNITY INTEGRATION COUNSELING (CIC)** - This service is designed to assist the individual to cope with the stress, grief, frustration and sense of loss that can accompany a brain injury. When appropriate, the individual's family members may also receive counseling.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING SERVICES,  
PLEASE CALL

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*Happiness House is a United Way funded agency and is an affiliate of Cerebral Palsy Associations of New York State. Services are provided in conjunction with the NYS Office of Children and Family Services, the NYSED, the Department of Health, and the Office of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities.*

**POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTION SERVICES (PBIS)** - This service is designed to keep individuals safe in their homes and their communities by providing behavior support services to those who need it. A behavior specialist will assess the individual's needs, then create a support plan, taking into consideration the individual's personal goals. The specialist then trains the individual's support team to implement the plan.

**STRUCTURED DAY PROGRAM (SDP)** - This adult learning environment allows for individualized supports in a group setting. Participants have the opportunity to develop meaningful friendships with other individuals who have a brain injury and are working on their own recovery. Individuals may select pre-vocation, technology, recreation, photography, fitness, cognitive rehabilitation, and project based learning opportunities.

**STEPS TO SUCCESS PROGRAM** - This is a prevocational program designed to meet the needs of individuals whose long term goals are to regain competitive employment and/or regular volunteer placements. STEPS Basics focuses on the essential skills needed in the workforce such as social skills, transferrable work skills, computer skills, and more. STEPS Retention focuses on work relationship skills and includes journaling, small group support, and community activities.



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