



McCune Residential Facility

Nurturing Parenting Program

While at McCune all residents have an opportunity to participate in the Nurturing Parenting Program. This program is a proven model of parent and youth skill-building techniques that gives families new tools and better strategies for living together.

The curriculum consists of a ten week course that covers key topics to help families learn new ways to relate to each other, and build nurturing skills. Topics discussed include but are not limited to communication, feelings, substance abuse, individual needs, negotiations, anger management, adolescent development, depression, life skills, suicide and AIDS.

The classes begin by separating the parents from the youth and working on concerns and questions from each view point. The last segment of each session consists of the parents and youth rejoining and discussing and practicing techniques that were discussed.