

## OBTAINING SERVICES

In addition to provider based referrals, Families may self-refer their child/family to CRICT.



CRICT is an interagency team that functions as a collaboration of partners dedicated to providing families with the resources necessary to find success. It is an opportunity to have all of the agencies in one place where you can ask questions in a family friendly environment.

## Who We Are

### About Us

Anne Arundel County Partnership for Children, Youth & Families **Local Care Team/CRICT**

CRICT is a forum for families of youth with intensive needs. Our goal is to provide assistance to identify and secure resources that meet the needs of families.

CRICT strives to open doors, brainstorm, share knowledge, advocate, and develop strategies to help families thrive.



**Need help thinking  
outside of the box to  
find resources for  
your family?**

**Systems of Care: 800 485 0041**

**General Office Number: 410 222 7423**

**Executive Director (Anne Arundel County Partnership for Children, Youth & Families) &**

**CRICT Chair: *Dr. Pamela Brown***

***Systems of Care Supervisor: Tracey Cherry***  
410 222 7587

**Local Care Team/CRICT Coordinator & Outreach Manager: *Deirdre Berry*, 410 222 7585,**  
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## CRICT

**(COMMUNITY RESOURCE  
INITIATIVES CARE TEAM)**



**Anne Arundel County Partnership**  
for Children, Youth & Families

**DO YOU OR A FAMILY MEMBER  
NEED ASSISTANCE BUT DON'T  
KNOW WHO TO TURN TO FOR  
HELP?**

**CALL US  
1 800 485 0041**

**CRICT is a unique group of  
Anne Arundel County agencies,  
Community organizations and  
Anne Arundel County Partnership  
Systems of Care Navigators  
that serve families in need of  
services & resources.**

*Knowledge is power!  
Discover available options for  
your family and be a part of the  
solution by coming to the table &  
sharing your voice.*

**Our Local Care Team/CRICT will:**

- Help families with intensive needs access resources.
- Partner with families to problem solve.
- Open doors to make connections to available local and community resources.
- Discuss a request for a Voluntary Placement Agreement for a child.
- Listen to your concerns or worries

**To be eligible for assistance through CRICT you must:**

- Live in Anne Arundel County
- Be willing to participate in the process.

\*\* Meetings occur twice a month, once in Annapolis and once in Glen Burnie.



**How can I find help for my child before it's too late?**

**Are you struggling with a child/teen whose educational, emotional, mental and/or legal issues are putting him/her and your family at risk?**

**Have you sought solutions to ongoing behavioral issues with no resolve?**

**Are you seeking answers to assist your child/teen with behaviors that could lead to serious consequences?  
Are you looking for resources?**

**WE ARE HERE TO HELP....**

***The Anne Arundel County Local Care Team/CRICT strives to support families in order to change futures.***



**You are not alone**

**To make a self-referral to CRICT**

- Call 410 222 7585/7423 or 800 485 0041 to request a referral packet
- Complete referral and case summary form. Please be sure to complete all sections to ensure that all needs are presented to the committee. Include all relevant supplemental information in return packet (educational reports/IEP information; up to date psychological/psychiatric evaluations; court order; hospital discharge summaries; medical reports/recommendations for treatment; etc.)
- Attend a meeting to find services your family needs
- Get an individualized action plan of services

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