

TEEN AfterSchool CONNECTIONS

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Location

Respite Care Home
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Time

Monday - Friday
2:30 - 5:30 p.m.

TEEN After School Connections provides after school care that is fun, safe and supportive for teenagers with a variety of disabilities. The program offers opportunities to develop appropriate peer relationships and socialization skills. Teens work on homework, prepare and eat snacks, play games, create arts and crafts projects, watch movies, listen to music and enjoy one another's company. Staff focus on creating an atmosphere that encourages age appropriate interactions and involvement.

The **TEEN After School Connections** program is designed for children ages 13-18. Teens must be Medicaid Waiver eligible to participate in the program. Limited transportation is provided from school to the program for teens in the Utica School District. Families are responsible for providing transportation from the program home.

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