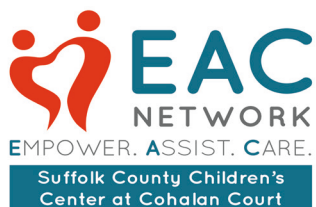


Parent Feedback:

"I appreciate this service more than you know. It has provided a way for me to have my mind at rest, knowing my child is well-cared for. The staff made the transition to the center easy." - C.B.



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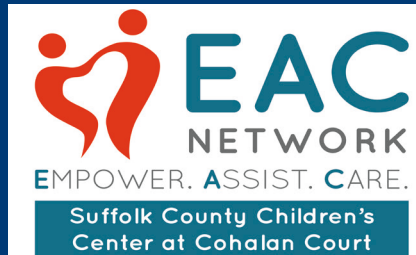
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What is the Suffolk County Children's Center?

EAC Network's Suffolk County Children's Center at Cohalan Court offers an alternative to crowded courtrooms and waiting areas and enables parents with young children to attend to their court business.

How We Do It

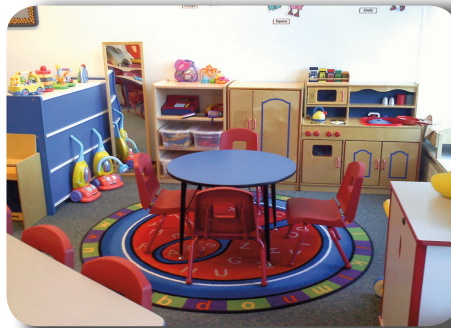
The Children's Center is a safe, secure, and nurturing environment for children ages 6 weeks to 12 years. All are cared for by trained, professional childcare providers and volunteers.

While at the center the children are engaged in supervised free play, arts and crafts, age appropriate computer games, access to a library of children's books and also receive healthy snacks. Our staff promotes literacy by giving a new book to each child who attends the center and encouraging parents to read to their children.



Is there a fee for services?

There is no fee to participate in the program. This program is funded by generously by the NY State Unified Court System, our Cohalan Cares for Kids annual fundraiser, the Connetquot Teacher' Association and private donations.



When is the Center open?

The Children's Center is open Monday through Friday from 9AM-12:40PM and 2PM-4:40PM. The Center is thoroughly cleaned and disinfected after each session. Thus, ensuring quality drop-in childcare in a safe, cleanly, supervised, and creative environment. Caregivers pick up their children when they have completed their court business. Staff will only release children to the individual that signs them into the Center unless court orders state otherwise. Photo identification is required for the emergency contact person.

How You Can Help

The Children's Center is always looking for volunteers to help supervise the children. We need infant-6T clothes, healthy snacks, juice boxes, and bottled water. To volunteer your time, please contact Alexia Evans at (631) 208-5724



Are there any additional services provided?

Yes, community resources that would benefit families are identified, and staff is able to provide families with help in learning about and accessing essential services and programs such as:

- child support information
- visitation information
- counseling programs
- day care/pre-school information
- Early Intervention programs
- domestic violence information
- health insurance
- WIC information

