

# WHAT NEW RESIDENTS CAN EXPECT

- Restoration of family relationships
- A loving, caring, and accepting environment
- 15 months of structured program

Clinical counseling

Required participation in daily program



Men and women of all ages attend and graduate from Teen Challenge New England & New Jersey!

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15 Month Faith Based
Drug and Alcohol Program

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# WHAT IS TEEN CHALLENGE?

Teen Challenge is a 15 month Christian residential drug and alcohol recovery program for men and women 18 years and older. There are eight centers across the New England states and New Jersey. The program has a strong faith-based approach and offers spiritual, academic, and vocational training that equips individuals to return to society as responsible citizens.

A large number of our graduates have experienced complete recovery from drug and alcohol addiction. They have told us the key to their success was developing a relationship with God and putting into practice all that they had learned while in the 15 month program. We believe that God has a great purpose for everyone and we're thankful for every opportunity to help everyone discover their purpose – and live it to the very fullest.

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

Teen Challenge New England & New Jersey provides adults and families with an effective and comprehensive Christian faith-based solution to drug, alcohol, and other life-controlling problems.



## PROGRAM STRUCTURE

The residential component of Teen Challenge is a five-phase, 15-month minimum Christian disciple-ship program. Each phase of the program has a purpose with certain goals set for the student to achieve as they progress, and a customized curriculum, with biblical and life changing principles, which each student must complete before graduating the program.

We believe that through character quality studies, scripture memorization, biblical application and self-examination, our students can experience a changed life. It is our mission that every student who graduates our program leaves with a GED or HiSet diploma. We offer Aftercare Planning and Development with five different track options to help our student's transition back into society with success. We recommend one of the five following exit plans for higher rates of success; college, trade schools, employment and careers, ministry and missions, or TCNE & NJ Apprentice program (optional six months geared towards one specific field of learning)

## PROGRAM STRUCTURE

### **15 MONTH PROGRAM**

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To introduce the student to the curriculum and become accustomed to the rules of the program

PHASE 2 (3 Month Min.)

program

To establish the student in the foundations of the Christian faith, and to begin the discipleship process.

PHASE 3
(3 Month Min.)

To give the maturing student further practical opportunities to use the biblical principles taught in Phase 2 in a less structured environment.

PHASE 4 (3 Month Min.)

To give the mature student an atmosphere of minimal supervision where they can continue to apply the principles learned in Phase 3 while assisting staff in their duties.

PHASE 5
(3 Month Min.)

To make the transition from student to graduate and implement the Aftercare Plan.

#### GRADUATION

APPRENTICESHIP
(6 Months)

To further the development of the graduate by allowing them to work under staff and learn specific skills that will help them with future employment.

# ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Age 18 and older
- Evidence of a sincere desire to change
- Willing to consider a Christian treatment approach

\*This should not be viewed as an exhaustive list of eligibility requirements

## APPLICATION PROCEDURE

For information on how to apply to Teen Challenge New England & New Jersey please call a local center. Contact information is on the back of this brochure.