

**PROGRAM INFORMATION** If you have questions about this report, please contact: Elvis Alicea at (859) 498-5230

Hope Hill Children's Home  
700 Hope Hill Road Hope, KY 40334

**Parent Agency:** Hope Hill Children's Home

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**AgencyWebsite:** www.hopehill.org

**Years Operating:** 50

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**Child Caring License(s):** Residential Treatment Institution;

**Child Placing License(s):** None

**Setting:** Rural

**On Site School:** Yes

**Male Operational Bed Capacity:** 0 **County(s) of** Montgomery;

**Female Operational Bed Capacity:** 45 **Program or**

**Either Sex Operational Bed Capacity:** 0 **Foster Homes:**

**Supplemental Information**

Hope Hill is an all female facility that provides a personal and safe therapeutic milieu for young women in crisis. The facility provides a full array of therapeutic services. All of its four cottages are secure units that are designed to meet the needs of girls with history of neglect, physical and sexual abuse, chronic runaway and self-injurious behaviors. Hope Hill has an on-site school with an instructional program featuring individualized curriculum (including GED instruction) designed to meet the unique needs of each student.

**Included/Excluded Populations**

**Gender Accepted:** Female **Age Range Accepted:** 12 to 17 **LOC Range Accepted:** 4 to 5 **Mininum IQ Accepted:** 70

**Client Populations that are Absolutely Excluded**

Life Support Needed; Youth with Child;

**Client History at Admission**

<b>Average Age at Date Updated:</b>	16.0	<b>Average LOC at Intake</b>	4.5	<b>Number IQ 0 - 59:</b>	0
<b>Number of Residents:</b>	43	<b>LOC Unknown:</b>	0	<b>Number IQ 60 - 69:</b>	1
<b>Number of Males:</b>	0	<b>Number LOC 1:</b>	0	<b>Number IQ 70 and above:</b>	0
<b>Number of Females:</b>	43	<b>Number LOC 2:</b>	0	<b>Number IQ Unknown:</b>	42
		<b>Number LOC 3:</b>	1		
		<b>Number LOC 4:</b>	21		
		<b>Number LOC 5:</b>	21		
<b>Number of Current Residents Included in Risk Indicator Percentage</b> 20					
<b>Destroys Property:</b>	25%	<b>Homicidal Threats:</b>	35%	<b>Sexual Acting Out:</b>	10%
<b>Assaults Peers:</b>	35%	<b>Homicidal Gestures/Attempts</b>	5%	<b>Sexual Aggression</b>	
<b>Assaults Care Givers</b>	50%	<b>Suicidal Threats:</b>	40%	<b>With Younger Youth:</b>	10%
<b>Moderate AWOL Risk:</b>	50%	<b>Suicidal Gestures/Attempts</b>	10%	<b>Using Force:</b>	0%
<b>Chronic AWOL Risk:</b>	25%	<b>Substance Use Monthly or More</b>	50%	<b>With those Unable to Consent</b>	5%
<b>Self Abuse:</b>	35%	<b>Fire Setting:</b>	5%	<b>Adjudicated Sexual Offender</b>	0%

**STAFF INFORMATION**

	<u>Number</u>	<u>High School</u>	<u>Some College</u>	<u>BA</u>	<u>MA or Higher</u>
<b>Administration:</b>	9	44%	11%	44%	0%
<b>Case Management Staff:</b>	1	0%	0%	100%	0%
<b>Clinical Staff:</b>	6	0%	17%	0%	83%
<b>Direct Care Staff:</b>	36	58%	22%	19%	0%
<b>Average Number of Months Foster Parents have Fostered for the Agency:</b>	N/A				
<b>Treatment Director:</b>	Mr. Elvis Alicea LCSW				

**Psychiatric Consultation and Internal Medical Staff**

Hope Hill contracts for psychiatric services that occur on campus on a bi-weekly basis. All youth admitted to Hope Hill receive an initial psychiatric evaluation and follow-up consultations on a quarterly or as needed basis. Hope Hill employs a full time Licensed Nurse who conducts health screenings, manages resident medical and health needs, and coordinates efforts in infection control and universal precautions. During weekends and non business hours the Nurse is on-call and available for medical consultation.

SERVICES AND OUTCOMESSafety

<b>Number of Substantiated Abuse Allegations in the Past Year:</b> 0			
<b>Total # of Bedrooms:</b> 18	<b>Percentage of Direct Care Staff Trained in Physical Management</b>	97.2%	
<b>Single Bedrooms:</b> 4	<b>Percentage of Foster Parents Trained in Physical Management:</b>	N/A	
<b>Double Bedrooms:</b> 8	<b>Percent of Foster Families with 2 or more Children:</b>	N/A	
<b>3+ Bedrooms:</b> 6	<b>Percent of Families with 2 or more Children and a Sibling Group:</b>	N/A	
<b>Critical Incident and Physical Management ratios are compiled for the period 3/1/2011 to 2/29/2012</b>			
<b>Deadly Weapon Per 100 Resident Days</b>	0.00	NO INCIDENTS DURING REPORTING PERIOD	Number of Months Data Received: of 12
<b>Serious Injury Per 100 Resident Days</b>	0.00	NO INCIDENTS DURING REPORTING PERIOD	
<b>AWOL Per 100 Resident Days</b>	0.03	WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE	
<b>Suicide Attempt Per 100 Resident Days</b>	0.03	WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE	
<b>Criminal Activity Per 100 Resident Days:</b>	0.00	NO INCIDENTS DURING REPORTING PERIOD	
<b>Injury to Other Per 100 Resident Days:</b>	0.00	NO INCIDENTS DURING REPORTING PERIOD	
<b>Sexual Acting Out Per 100 Resident Day</b>	0.00	NO INCIDENTS DURING REPORTING PERIOD	
<b>Total Critical Incidents Per 100 Resident Days:</b>	0.07	BETTER THAN AVERAGE RANGE	
<b>Physical Managements Per 100 Resident Days:</b>	0.70	WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE	

Permanency

<b>Length of stay and discharge data are calculated on discharges between 3/1/2011 through 2/29/2012</b>				
<b>Measure</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Length of Stay</b>	<b>Outlier</b>
<b>Child Progress toward Permanency Discharges</b>	49	80.3%	254.6	WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE
<b>Progress Discharge to Home Like Placement</b>	47	77.0%	259.8	WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE
<b>Progress Discharge to Less Restrictive Placement</b>	48	78.7%	255.6	WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE
<b>Child Behavioral Difficulty Discharges</b>	7	11.5%	128.0	WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE
<b>Runaway Discharges</b>	1	1.6%	332.0	WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE
<b>Psychiatric Discharges</b>	2	3.3%	262.0	WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE
<b>Agency/System Discharges</b>	5	8.2%	209.4	WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE
<b>Caretaker Incapacity Discharges</b>	0	0.0%		WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE
<b>Caretaker Failure Discharges</b>	0	0.0%		WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE
<b>Caretaker Investigation Discharges</b>	0	0.0%		WITHIN AVERAGE RANGE

Well Being

	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent Internal</b>	<b>Percent External</b>	<b>Does this program have a PCC Foster to Adopt Agreement?.</b>	No
<b>Individual Counseling</b>	44	100.0%	0.0%	<b>Adoptions by the Program's Foster Homes in the Past Year:</b>	N/A
<b>Group Counseling:</b>	44	100.0%	0.0%	<b>Educational Disruptions in the Past Year:</b>	0
<b>Family Counseling:</b>	8	100.0%	0.0%	<b>School Changes in the Past Year:</b>	0

## Describe How the Program Supports Family Connections

Hope Hill supports family reunification by encouraging families to become involved in the treatment planning process and through individual, group and family therapy. When needed family therapy is offered after hours and on weekends. Hope Hill facilitates regular communication between youth and family members, transports youth to their homes for home visits, and provides for on campus family visitation (including no-cost accommodations for approved visiting family members).

## Special Interventions Available Internally

The facility provides specialized individual and group therapy for victims of sexual abuse as well as secure beds for girls with chronic AWOL issues. We have two separate cottages designated for our Substance Abuse Component that provides intensive individual and group therapy with Co-Occurring Disordered clients. Hope Hill provides specialty groups such as Aggression Replacement Training (ART) conducted three times a week, Independent Living, Self Discovery/Empowerment and Dialectical Behavior Therapy (DBT) Groups. Each youth could attend from 3 to 12 groups a week. Hope Hill provides Equine Assisted Counseling for girls who have significant issues forming and maintaining appropriate relationships.

Description of how the program exceeds licensure ratios

Yes, on most shifts and during peak hours the staff to client ratio is 1 to 4.