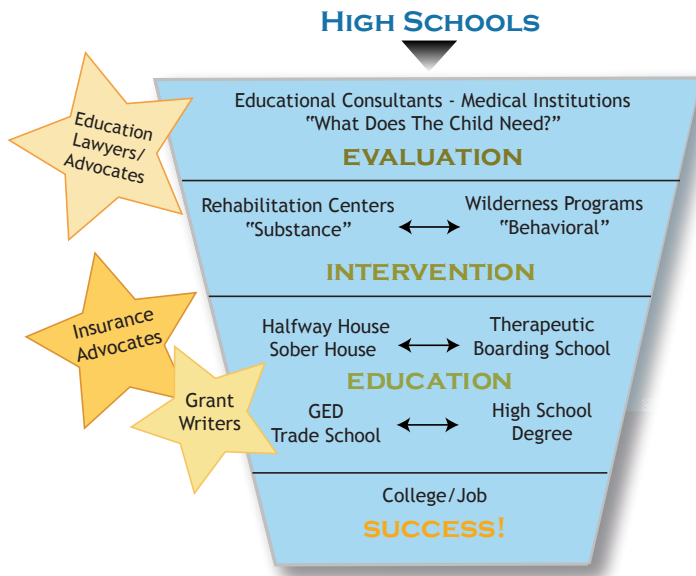


saving teens
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Organization Overview

A light at the end of the tunnel for disadvantaged troubled teens and their families struggling with extreme emotional and substance abuse challenges.



Background: Saving Teens is a non-profit organization formed in April of 2004 to assist underprivileged troubled teens and their parents. We are staffed entirely by volunteers. Our board of directors includes educators, educational consultants, wilderness professionals, mental health experts, and parents.

Our Mission: To provide the funding that enables teenagers in crisis to participate in programs that their economic circumstances would have excluded them from. We also back the families of the children both emotionally and financially to allow them to support the recovery process to its completion.

Our Difference: A methodology that incorporates all the professional disciplines needed to evaluate and disposition the child into an appropriate sequence of programs and schools that has the highest likelihood of long-term results. It begins with a comprehensive evaluation.

A Saving Teens evaluation includes the participation of educators, psychologists, psychiatrists, social workers, and educational consultants working together on a single case. Our partnering with programs at local hospitals like The Adolescent Substance Abuse Program at Children’s Hospital Boston (ASAP) as well as educational consultants provides a well-rounded diagnosis and a complete plan for recovery.

THIS COLLABORATIVE APPROACH CONTINUES THROUGHOUT THE 12 – 18 MONTH RECOVERY AND INSURES THAT THE FUNDS AND SERVICES SAVING TEENS RECEIVES FROM INDIVIDUALS AND ORGANIZATIONS ARE UTILIZED IN THE MOST EFFECTIVE WAY POSSIBLE.

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