

SCARC, INC.  
SERVICES INCLUDE

Residential group homes  
Supportive Living apartments  
Individual Living arrangements

Employment Connections  
Supported Employment  
Day Programs / Employment Centers  
Senior Center & Senior Services  
Harvest Home Foods & Clothing

Transition Services from school to work  
and adulthood

Family Support & Respite Care  
Saturday "Just Us Kids" Respite  
Family Support Vouchers  
Self-Advocacy

Recreation  
Vacation Planning  
Summer Camp  
Special Olympics Sports

Futures & Lifespan Planning  
Representative Payeeship  
Social Security Assistance

Information & Referral Services  
Education Advocacy  
Speakers Bureau  
Volunteer Opportunities

**SCARC's Mission Statement**

SCARC, Inc., an organization serving people with developmental disabilities, is dedicated to the empowerment and support of persons with developmental disabilities and their families. The organization will facilitate partnerships with community resources, assist in maximum community participation, promote individual planning based on choices, preferences and needs, and foster the development of socially valued roles for each person served.

**SCARC, Inc.**

"where good things happen"

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**RESIDENTIAL SERVICES**

*Providing housing for persons with developmental disabilities in the Sussex County community*



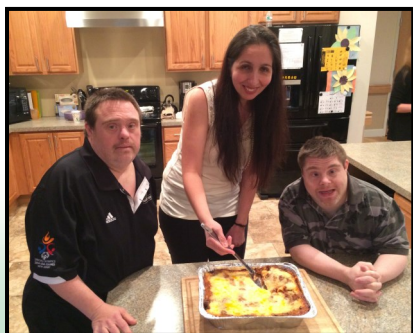
**SCARC is an equal opportunity provider and employer**

## SCARC RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

SCARC has provided residential services to adults with developmental disabilities since 1980. Currently we operate 17 group homes and 12 supportive living apartments in Sussex County. SCARC serves 120 individuals in our residential services.

SCARC's residential programs afford a high quality of life for those who live within our organization. Each residential facility employs trained staff in order to provide the necessary supports that each individual requires. Each individual living in SCARC's residential services participates in an interdisciplinary team to develop an Individual Habilitation Plan which includes goals and objectives to promote and enhance each person's quality of life.

Each of the residents of SCARC homes and apartments participate in activities of daily living, as well as, chores around the house and apartment in order to fully participate in one's living environment.



Most SCARC group homes have been financially underwritten by the New Jersey Division of Developmental Disabilities. Three of SCARC's group homes have been donated by families whose adult child with developmental disabilities reside in the home. Four of our homes were built or purchased with assistance from the US Department of Agriculture, Rural Development agency.

SCARC is an equal housing opportunity organization, and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, religion, gender or income.

SCARC partners with all Sussex County affordable housing programs in order to provide the best services possible to our residents. Many of our residents obtain Section 8 housing subsidies in order to allow them an opportunity for rental assistance.

All individuals who reside in SCARC residential services are eligible for supplemental security income from the Social Security Administration.

All of our group homes and most of our apartments are licensed by the New Jersey Department of Human Resources on an annual basis. All programs are inspected and evaluated each year by SCARC's Safety Committee of the Board of Trustees.

SCARC group homes vary in number of residents depending on the size and location of the home. Many of our residents move directly from their local Sussex County homes into the group home when they enter SCARC's residential system. Other people come from outside the county and from New Jersey developmental centers. Every effort is made to serve people from Sussex County or who have families in Sussex County.

SCARC provides Individualized Living Programs designed to support people who have unique needs to make their community inclusions successful.



More information about SCARC residential services can be obtained by contacting SCARC at its Augusta headquarters.