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**THE CHILDREN'S CENTER**

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# The Children's Center

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607.547.6426 | 607.433.8055  
Otsego County Family Court Drop-in Daycare

For more information contact OFO at:

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800.986.5463

Monday – Friday  
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM



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## What Is The Children's Center?

The Children's Center is part of the statewide court system that provides drop-in daycare for children ages 6 weeks to 12 years of age whose caregivers have business with Family Court. This free service is open every day the courts are in session.

## What Does The Children's Center Offer?

The Children's Center offers a safe, supportive, literacy-rich environment for children whose caregivers have business with the courts. The center is staffed by trained childcare professionals who provide:

- Age-appropriate activities
- Nutritious snacks
- Information and referrals to community services
- Take-home activities for caregiver and child
- The gift of an age-appropriate book for every child

## How Do Families Access Services?

Families may utilize The Children's Center for any court business on the Otsego County Court Campus, such as:

- Support Court
- Surrogate Court
- Family Treatment Court
- Petition Intake
- Probation Appointments

The Center is located in the Family Court building at 197 Main Street in Cooperstown.

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## The Goals of a Children's Center are to:

- Provide a safe environment for children while their caregivers attend to court business
- Connect families to resources and services
- Foster literacy through the gift of a book

“ The Children's Center is very convenient and a safe place for my children to play. The staff is always helpful and caring. ”

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