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Community-Based Mentoring Programs

Mentoring occurs in the community. It is usually up to the Mentor and the Mentee to determine when and where they will meet, depending on program guidelines. Matches usually meet on evenings or weekends.

Children's Home Society- MODEL Mentoring

Mentees: 6-12 years old, from single-parent households
Mentors: 21+ years old, must pass MVR
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Margie Norton
Phone: 561-868-4445 **Email:** Margie.Norton@CHSFL.org

Children's Healing Institute- Parent Aide Mentoring

Mentees: Parent with at least one child under 12 in home
Mentors: 21+ years old, with driver's license and transportation
Type: Family Mentoring
Geographic Area: Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Kerry Debay
Phone: 561-687-8115 **Email:** kdebay@ChildrensHealingInstitute.org

American Association of Caregiving Youth- Mentor a Caregiving Youth (M.A.C.Y)

Mentees: 11-18 years old, caregivers to a family member
Mentors: 21+ years old, driver's license, transportation, must pass MVR
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Marcy Bezark
Phone: 561-391-7401 **Email:** Amanda@AACY.org

Children's Home Society- Project 18 Mentoring

Mentees: 13-21 years old, in Foster Care or relative care
Mentors: 21+ years old, with transportation, must pass MVR
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County (Glades)
Volunteer Contact: Brenda Coleman
Phone: 561-868-4323 **Email:** Brenda.Coleman@CHSFL.org

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Palm Beach and Martin Counties, inc. - Mentoring Children of Incarcerated Parents (MCIP)

Mentees: Youth with a parent/guardian currently or formerly incarcerated. Youth must be enrolled prior to 14th birthday.
Mentors: 18+ years old, must pass MVR
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: Palm Beach and Martin Counties
Volunteer Contact: Tiffany Cristoforo
Phone: 561-727-3450 **Email:** info@MentorBig.org

Path to College - Best and Brightest Mentoring Program *(also falls under school-based)*

Mentees: 10th-12th graders, academically high-achieving, from low-income backgrounds
Mentors: College graduates who are current professionals
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: Central Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Desiree Webb
Phone: 352-246-5553 **Email:** Desiree@PathtoCollege.org

Ruth and Norman Rales Jewish Family Services- Community Mentoring

Mentees: 6-18 years old, single-parent home or have limited local family
Mentors: 21+ years old, driver's license and transportation, must pass MVR
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: South Palm Beach County (Boca Raton - Delray Beach)
Volunteer Contact: Cheryl Abramson
Phone: 561-852-3329 **Email:** CherylA@RalesJFS.org

Talented Teen Club- Hands on Mentors *(also falls under school & site-based)*

Mentees: Middle-school and high-school youth
Mentors: 25-60 years old, professionals in trades and/or entrepreneurs
Type: Group
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Shawn HoHing King
Phone: 561-649-1234 **Email:** Shawn_King@TalentedTeenClub.org

Alpert Jewish Family Services- Mentoring 4 kids

Mentees: 6-14 years old, single-parent home, raised by grandparents, or a two-parent household when one parent has a chronic illness.
Mentors: 25+ years old, driver's license and transportation, must pass MVR
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: North Palm Beach County (Boynton Beach - Jupiter)
Volunteer Contact: Jennifer DiSilvestro
Phone: 561-238-0285 **Email:** Jennifer.DiSilvestro@AlpertJFS.org

Florida Atlantic University, Center for Autism and Related Disabilities- iRISE2 Mentoring *(also falls under site-based for group mentoring)*

Mentees: 11-21 years old, diagnosis of Autism Spectrum Disorder, higher functioning individuals with ability to excel in academic and vocational settings.
Mentors: 21+ years old, driver's license
Type: One-to-One, Group
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Darius Murray
Phone: 561-213-6936 **Email:** DMurra23@FAU.edu

Rico's Scholarship Foundation- Matching Mentor

(also falls under site-based and school-based for group mentoring)

Mentees: Middle-school and high-school youth
Mentors: 21+ years old with professional experience
Type: Group, One-to-One
Geographic Area: North, Central, and West Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Andrew Joseph
Phone: 561-307-8781 **Email:** RicosScholarshipFoundation@Yahoo.com

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Mentors: 21+ years old, with transportation, must pass MVR
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Brenda Coleman
Phone: 561-868-4323 **Email:** Brenda.Coleman@CHSFL.org



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<p><u>T. Leroy Jefferson Medical Society</u> Mentees: College students of color, interested in field of medicine Mentors: Medical professionals with state license in good standing Type: One-to-One, Group Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County Volunteer Contact: Laurel Dalton Phone: 561-318-0814 Email: info@TLJMedicalSociety.org</p>	<p><u>Dare To Be A Girl</u> Mentees: 3rd-5th grade girls Mentors: 20-30 years old, female, actively working toward or in a career Type: Group, One-to-One Geographic Area: North Palm Beach County Volunteer Contact: Rhodena Mesadiou Phone: 772-224-1054 Email: DareToBeAGirl16@gmail.com</p>
<p><u>Connect to Greatness, Inc.- The Boys to Men Leadership Academy</u> Mentees: 6th grade, African-American males Mentors: 25+ years old, driver's license Type: Group Geographic Area: Western Palm Beach County (Glades) Volunteer Contact: Hikeem Banks Phone: 561-293-5097 Email: balancedlivingmentorship@yahoo.com</p>	<p><u>Pathways to Prosperity- Circles Palm Beach County</u> Mentees: 18+ years old, employed or enrolled in school Mentors: 25+ years old, established professional Type: One-to-One Geographic Area: North, Central and South Palm Beach County Volunteer Contact: Ontario Johnson Phone: 561-632-2706 Email: oj@p2ppbc.org</p>
<p><u>Balanced Living Mentorship</u> Mentees: 11-18 year old males Mentors: 18+ years old Type: Group, One-to-One Geographic Area: South Palm Beach County Volunteer Contact: Casssondra Corbin-Thaddies Phone: 561-502-0504 Email: C2Ginc561@gmail.com</p>	<p><u>Inner City Innovators- Hope Dealer Mentoring</u> Mentees: 15-24 year old males affected by gun violence Mentors: 25+ years old Type: Group, One-to-One Geographic Area: Inner City West Palm Beach Volunteer Contact: Ricky Aiken Phone: 561-674-7652 Email: info@innercityinnovators.org</p>

School-Based Mentoring Programs

Mentoring occurs at the Mentee's School. It is usually during the Mentee's lunch period or after-school, but in some programs matches may meet during class time.

<p><u>Community Partners- Mentoring at Highland Elementary</u> Mentees: 2nd-5th graders at Highland Elementary Mentors: 18+ years old, available after-school Type: One-to-One Geographic Area: Lake Worth Volunteer Contact: Millie Ramos Phone: 561-202-0557 Email: MRamos@CP-CTO.org</p>	<p><u>Community Partners- Mentoring at Pioneer Park Elementary</u> Mentees: 2nd-5th graders at Pioneer Park Elementary Mentors: 18+ years old, available after-school Type: One-to-One Geographic Area: Belle Glade Volunteer Contact: Curtis Holley Phone: 561-755-3384 Email: CHolley@CP-CTO.org</p>
<p><u>Community Partners- Mentoring at Lake Worth Middle School</u> Mentees: 6th-8th graders at Lake Worth Middle School Mentors: 18+ years old, available after-school Type: One-to-One Geographic Area: Lake Worth Volunteer Contact: Rebeca Arreaga Phone: 561-385-5334 Email: RArreaga@CP-CTO.org</p>	<p><u>Community Partners- Mentoring at Pahokee Elementary</u> Mentees: 2nd-5th graders at Pahokee Elementary Mentors: 18+ years old, available after-school Type: One-to-One Geographic Area: Pahokee Volunteer Contact: Stacy Corona Phone: 561-906-4456 Email: scorona@CP-CTO.org</p>
<p><u>Mental Health Association of Palm Beach County- Listen to Children</u> Mentees: Elementary and middle school students Mentors: 21+ years old, availability during mentee's lunch Type: One-to-One Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County Volunteer Contact: Patty Oranburg Phone: 561-832-3755 Email: poranburg@mhapbc.org</p>	<p><u>Youth Empowered to Prosper- Young Women Who Win</u> <i>(also has community-based program for 18-25 year olds)</i> Mentees: 12-18 years old Mentors: 25+ years old, professionals <i>(may consider high school students as)</i> Type: One-to-One Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County Volunteer Contact: Lisa Cobb Phone: 201-606-1585 Email: info@YE2P.org</p>
<p><u>Take Stock in Children- Glades School Climate Change & One-On-One Youth Mentoring</u> Mentees: Low-income middle & high-school students, focus on college- Mentors: 18+ years old, with driver's license, availability during mentee's lunch</p>	<p><u>Big Brothers Big Sisters of Palm Beach and Martin Counties, Inc. - Bigs Inspiring School Success</u> Mentees: Students in select Palm Beach and Martin County elementary schools Mentors: 14+ years old</p>



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Type: One-to-One, Group
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Kimberly Briard
Phone: 561-307-5485 **Email:** KBriard@TakeStockPalmBeach.org

Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: Palm Beach and Martin Counties
Volunteer Contact: Tiffany Cristoforo
Phone: 561-727-3450 **Email:** info@MentorBig.org

Scholar Career Coaching

Mentees: 11-12th grade ESOL students who are college-bound
Mentors: 21+ years old, professionals, retirees & graduate students.
Type: Group
Geographic Area: South and Central coastal Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Lynne Gassant
Phone: 561-972-8210 **Email:** info@ScholarCC.com

Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies- Caps and Cribs

Mentees: Pregnant or parenting high-school girls (teen moms)
Mentors: 18+ year old, female, parent (preferably available during lunch)
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Jennifer Silliman
Phone: 561-843-6964 **Email:** JSilliman@HMHPBC.org

Bi-Wi (Because I'm Worth It)

Mentees: Elementary age girls in West Palm Beach & Riviera Beach
Mentors: 21+ years old, professionals, retirees & graduate students.
Type: Group
Geographic Area: West Palm Beach/Riviera Beach
Volunteer Contact: Dr. Glenice Glover
Phone: 561-596-8773 **Email:** biwidrglover@gmail.com

Area Agency on Aging- Foster Grandparent Program

Mentees: Youth attending Title 1 elementary schools in Palm Beach County
Mentors: 55+ adults living in
Type: Group
Geographic Area: Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Sara Humphries
Phone: (561) 684-5885 x 59232 **Email:** Shumphries@youradrc.org

Suits for Seniors

Mentees: Middle/High School students in Palm Beach County
Mentors: 21+ years old, professionals, retirees & graduate students.
Type: Group
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Jervontae "Tae" Edmonds
Phone: 321-604-7590 **Email:** info@Suitsforseniors.org

Site-Based Mentoring Programs

Mentoring occurs at a local community center, faith-based institution, workplace or other community site location. Matches usually meet at the same time and day each week either

COMPASS- Mentoring Program

Mentees: 12-18 years old, LGBTQ+ youth
Mentors: 25-75 years old, professionals, LGBTQ+ preferred
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: Lake Worth
Volunteer Contact: Amanda Canete
Phone: 561-533-9699 **Email:** Amanda@CompassGLCC.com

Milagro Center- Mentoring Miracles & Junior Team Leadership

Mentees: 5-18 years old (elementary, middle and high school aged programs)
Mentors: 16+ years old with driver's license
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: Delray Beach
Volunteer Contact: Jennifer Tompkins
Phone: 561-279-2970 **Email:** JTompkins@MilagroCenter.org

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Palm Beach and Martin Counties, Inc. - School to Work

Mentees: 11th-12th grade students with access to transportation
Mentors: Employees at companies willing to have students work 16
Type: Workplace One-to-One
Geographic Area: Palm Beach and Martin Counties
Contact for Companies Interested in Partnership: Lottie Cherilus
Phone: 561-296-0916 **Email:** LCherilus@MentorBig.org

Oasis Community Development Center- Community Mentoring (each age-group meets at a different time and location throughout the community)

Mentees: 5-18 years old
Mentors: 21+ years old with driver's license and transportation, Christian
Type: Group
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Tiffany White
Phone: 561-444-7089 **Email:** Tiffany.White@OasisCommunityDC.org

Student ACES

Mentees: 10th-12th grade Student Athletes
Mentors: 21+ years old
Type: Group
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Rebecca Tucker
Phone: 561-309-0306 **Email:** Rebecca@StudentACESforleadership.com

Boys and Girls Clubs of Palm Beach County- Team Teen Mentoring

Mentees: 12-18 years old
Mentors: 21+ years old with professional or academic experience
Type: Group
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Deborah Leach-Scampavia
Phone: 561-683-3287 ext.1117 **Email:** DLeach@BGCPBC.org



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Gulfstream Goodwill Industries- Going the Distance Mentoring Program

Mentees: 13-22 years old, touched by the juvenile justice system
Mentors: 21+ years old with driver's license, must pass MVR
Type: One-to-One
Geographic Area: All of Palm Beach County
Volunteer Contact: Joseph Haynes
Phone: 561-848-7200 ext. 2285 **Email:** JHaynes@GulfstreamGoodwill.org

Florence Fuller Child Development Center

Mentees: 5-12 years old, experiencing varying challenges
Mentors: 18+ years old
Type: Group, One-to-One
Geographic Area: Boca Raton
Volunteer Contact: Olga Bearhope
Phone: 561-391-7274 ext.136 **Email:** Volunteers@FFCDC.org