



## DASNY Bronx Mental Health Residential Center

A new Crisis Center Residences is being designed as a part of a new Residential Village for the Bronx Mental Health Campus. The residences will provide for short term housing for those with mental illness who have been living in the community but are experiencing a housing crisis. The occupants will typically continue with the daily activities in which they had been engaged prior to experiencing the housing crisis.

The project encompasses the design and construction of a new 20 Bed Crisis Center Residence and a new 24 bed Crisis Center Residence at the Office of Mental Health's Bronx Psychiatric Center campus in New York City. The facility is organized as a two completely separate residences with shared support services. The shared service spaces are located in a first floor centralized area separating the two residential (2-story) wings. There are mechanical rooms located on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor and in the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor. Each bedroom wing shares a group of individual toilet rooms. In the 20 bed center, there are 9 bedrooms, a clean linen room on the first floor and 11 bedrooms, a living room, quiet room and interview room on the second floor. In the 24 bed center, there are 11 bedrooms, and a clean linen room on the first floor and 13 bedrooms, a living room, quiet room and interview room on the second floor. In each crisis center there is an office / treatment suite, a dining room and retherm pantry, a communal laundry room and a kitchenette at the first floor. Each crisis center floor is designed with a central staff area.

AG, as part of the AE team, is commissioned to design similar residential living units and a program building. The new facility will be provided for the mentally retarded and developmentally disabled consumers at the Bernard Fineson DC Campus. Each residential building will be an Intermediate Care Facility (ICF).

A fully BIM (Revit) project, AG provided Mechanical and Plumbing engineering services in pursuit of LEED Silver Certification.

### **Location:**

Bronx, NY

### **Owner:**

Dormitory Authority  
State of New York

### **Services Provided:**

Mechanical  
Plumbing

*LEED Silver Certification*



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