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“Having our son supported in Benhaven’s residential services has given us peace of mind that he will be well cared for beyond our lifetimes. His staff maintain the highest professional care standards and are helping him to live a happy and fulfilled life. Most importantly they shower him with respect and love.” Unsolicited Testimonial

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COMMUNITY

Benhaven currently provides many homes with community style living for individuals with autism and developmental disabilities. These homes are located throughout Southern Connecticut neighborhoods, encouraging our residents to become active members of their community.

SERVICES

Benhaven Residence provides comfortable, personalized home living in Department of Developmental Services (DDS) Licensed group homes, called CLA's (Community Living Arrangements). Each home is as unique as our residents. Core Components reflect:

- **Quality:** We are committed to maintaining a high-quality standard for all of our group homes, including well-trained staff; clean, attractive and comfortable living environments; and supportive and inclusive teams.
- **Staff:** Our staff is skilled at identifying people’s interests, strengths, and needs; implementing positive behavioral support strategies. We support people through daily activities and predictable routines; creating warm and friendly home settings; working with families; and helping students and families plan and carry out a successful transition to adulthood.
- **Family Involvement:** Supporting people to maintain positive family relationships is a core value of Benhaven Residence. Families are encouraged and supported to establish regular home or community visit schedules with their family members.
- **Annually,** the Shared Living Home provider will experience the annual license renewal process, with assistance from the Benhaven Shared Living coordinator.

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