

# The Imani Center

## *Irvington School-Based Youth Services Program*

*Funded by State of New Jersey Department of Children & Families*



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**WHERE HOPE MEETS POSSIBILITY**

# What We Do

## OUR SERVICES AND PROGRAMS:

- Learning Support
- ESL-English as a Second Language
- Counseling - Individual and Group
- Educational Workshops
- Community Service
- Independent Living Program
- APPI- Adolescent Pregnancy and Prevention Initiative
- Parent/ Family Involvement
- Making Achievement Possible (MAP Middle School-Based Program)
- Crisis Intervention
- Community Outreach
- College and Job Preparation
- Recreation
- Referrals
- Resource Information
- Substance Abuse Education
- Special Events and Trips



# Who We Are

The Imani Center strives to help youth stay in school, graduate, continue their education or gain employment with strong skills. Working closely with Irvington High School personnel, this program identifies students who may be at risk for school failure or substance abuse. The center serves youth ages 13-19, and provides services before, during and after school and throughout the summer.

*The Imani Center offers a myriad of services that are available in one place. Our focus and motivation is to help educate all of our youth. We are caring professionals who are "Committed to Helping Adolescents Minds in Pursuing Success." All of our youth are CHAMPIONS.*



# Contact Us

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## Hours of Operation

9:00 AM- 5:00 PM

*Evening hours upon arrangement.*

*There are no fees or eligibility requirements.*

*Services are available in Español and Haitian Creole.*



“Imani” means *Faith*  
in Swahili.

We Have Faith  
in You!



**Family Connections** is a leading New Jersey non-profit with over 30 different programs to support children, adults, and families. Far too many people in our communities face serious challenges—from trauma and mental illness to addiction, domestic violence, and child abuse. Family Connections is here to make sure no one has to face these challenges alone. Across Northern New Jersey, we deliver counseling, social and emotional skills-building, prevention and training initiatives, programs to strengthen family bonding and reunify families, and more.

**Since 1884**, Family Connections has proven that communities thrive when everyone is invested in each other's wellbeing.

### **Our Mission**

Growth happens here every day. With our counseling, skills-building, training and prevention services, people take control of their own healing and foster connections that make our entire community stronger, safer, and healthier.

### **Our Vision**

We see a world where no one faces life's challenges alone—where we all have the opportunities, connections, and resources we need to thrive.

For more information about Family Connections' programs, please visit our website at [familyconnectionsny.org](https://familyconnectionsny.org).

If you have questions or need assistance, please contact Family Connections at (973) 675-3817 or [hope@familyconnectionsny.org](mailto:hope@familyconnectionsny.org).



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