



Brother, Kathy from Burlington:
"My son just loves his Big Brother. They have many things in common so it is not hard for them to find things to do each week."



Marvin, Big Brother from Willingboro: "Having a Little Brother is a lot of fun. We play sports together, go to the library, and work on school projects. I think we will be friends for a long time."



Big Sister in P.A.I.R. program, Cindy from Burlington: "I hope to provide support and encouragement to my Little Sister as she raises her son. We have been matched for almost two years."



from Burlington, waiting to be matched with a Big Brother:
"I want a Big Brother I can talk to. Someone who will ride bikes, go swimming, and play baseball with me."

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Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Burlington County provides the opportunity for youth to achieve personal growth through the development of positive relationships with qualified adults under the guidance of professional staff.

In a nutshell, we match friends - one adult to one child who needs stability and companionship. We offer four basic programs for children and youth, most of whom live with a single parent. In each of these basic programs volunteers are matched with children for one-to-one relationships. Each volunteer commits three to six hours weekly to this relationship for a minimum of one year. In these special friendships emphasis is placed on positive growth for the child, including a strengthened sense of self worth, improved relationships and performance at home, school and in the community.



Karen, Big Sister from Marlton, and Gail, Little Sister from Medford



Floyd, Big Brother from McGuire Air Force Base, and William, Little Brother from Willingboro

The Big Brother/Little Brother program is for boys, ages 7 to 14, who live in a single parent household and who have little or no contact with their father. Big Brothers serve as male role models, friends and confidantes to their Little Brothers.

The Big Sister/Little Sister program is for girls, ages 7 to 14, who are in need of an additional adult friend and support in their life. Little Sisters can be from a single parent or a two parent household, as long as there is a demonstrated need for a Big Sister. Big Sisters provide individual attention, guidance and friendship to Little Sisters.

The Pregnant and Parenting Adolescents In Relationships Program (PAIR) is a Big Sister program for girls up to age 18, who are expecting a child or are already raising a child. A Big Sister can help a teenage mother obtain the assistance she needs to explore her options, set goals, and make crucial life decisions. PAIR relationships include outings with the Little Sister and her baby.

The Couples program matches a Little Brother with a mature, stable couple. Couples are matched with one child. A couples match gives the child two new friends who serve as an example of a stable relationship between a man and a woman.

In addition to the basic services, activities for unmatched children are provided by the Madelyn Miller Fund. Every other month activities are sponsored for any child on the waiting list. The Fund provides an opportunity for children to be matched with a volunteer for one activity. This Fund is exclusive to Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Burlington County.

You can also make a difference in other ways such as donating your time, money or talents. If you want to be a part of a fast growing organization, and help the children of Burlington County to become responsible, productive adults, call the Big Brothers/Big Sisters office in Riverside at 609-461-7401.



Jeff, Big Brother from Florence, and Kevin, Little Brother from Burlington