



**FLORISSA IS A PEDIATRIC DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER** for children with developmental, behavioral, learning, social, and emotional needs. A division of Kreider Services, Florissa was established in March 2015.

**KSB Hospital, Sinnissippi Centers, The Autism Program of Illinois, Lee County Health Department**, local special education cooperatives, and parents were instrumental in the development of Florissa.

We have continued to grow to provide needed services in Northwest Illinois.

Kreider Services



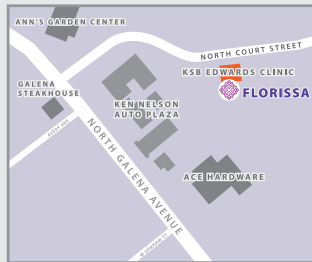
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## Florissa

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*Florissa's entrance is located on the back-side of the building at the lower level entrance of the KSB Edwards Clinic.*



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**Dedication and Expertise  
Guiding Healthy Childhood  
Development**




Services Offered at Florissa ▶





**THE MAIN GOAL OF FLORISSA IS TO PROVIDE** local evaluation, diagnosis, and treatment of children (ages birth to 22). Florissa staff provide a multi-disciplinary evidence-based approach to evaluation and treatment for children with developmental, medical, emotional, learning, social, and behavior difficulties. We seek to help families promote the healthiest outcomes for their children. The ongoing supports and resources available at Florissa are vital to improving the system of care for children in our local communities.


## ■ OUR VISION


*A Collaborative Community Where Children and Families Flourish*


 **EARLY INTERVENTION** is a program of therapies for children birth to 3 years of age who have developmental delays. The sooner they start, the further they will go!


 **SCREENINGS** through the Early Intervention Program utilize autism specific and general developmental measures completed by caregivers to screen for the presence of social, emotional, behavioral, and other developmental concerns.


 **CONSULTATIONS** with caregivers are available to help them better understand their child's strengths and difficulties, current diagnoses, and ways to develop their child's skills.


 **COMPREHENSIVE EVALUATIONS** include best practices for testing for a full range of emotional and behavioral concerns, academic and learning problems, trauma, and inattention. We also provide an multi-disciplinary evaluation for more complex developmental concerns such as autism and FASDs. The assessment team may include a child psychologist, pediatrician, speech/language pathologist, and occupational therapist.

 **GROUP THERAPY** addresses early developmental skills, emotion regulation, communication and social skills. Visit [florissacenter.org](http://florissacenter.org) or contact our office for updates on available groups.

 **DIRECT THERAPIES** for children over the age of 3 include evidence-based interventions for specific concerns.

 **COMMUNITY TRAINING** is offered by our experienced staff and experts in the field across a range of topics to community members, educators, professionals, caregivers and more. Visit our website for a list of sample topics.

 **SUPPORT** for families and caregivers is provided through ongoing family events and sibling events.

 **RESOURCE ROOM** contains books, suggested online resources, learning aids, and visual supports. These resources are available to families, educators, service providers, and anyone else with an interest in strategies to promote child development. Florissa staff can also help with the creation of personalized schedules and visual aids.

99%  
PERCENT

## Improving Care For Children

**FLORISSA SERVES FAMILIES** from 16 counties throughout northwestern Illinois. Florissa consistently receives excellent satisfaction scores from parents and caregivers. When surveyed, **99% Would Recommend Florissa** to friends and family who may need the services offered at Florissa.


## What Our Families Say

*"The doctor and the diagnostic team were incredibly kind, honest, thorough and efficient in the evaluation and reporting process. I am so grateful for their knowledge and expertise. The report and recommendations were beneficial to my child's treatment and care. We have a large team of medical professionals that treat and evaluate my child regularly, and our Florissa evaluation has proven to be the most helpful and thorough."*

*"The staff at Florissa were able to validate what we have known for a long time with our son, and after a long journey of feeling helpless, we finally got the answers and support we needed."*

*"The doctor listened to all of the concerns we had and made our daughter feel comfortable and at ease. We appreciate all of the time and effort she spent with our family. All of the staff we had contact with during our time at Florissa were helpful and kind."*

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