

## What we believe

Every child deserves to grow up feeling safe and loved. In the Lake House Program, we mentor and care for each teen mother and their baby, teaching her how to care for her baby while also ensuring she is healing and meeting her education goals of graduation at our charter school, Thomas Academy.

### **Admissions**

As a program of care at Boys & Girls Homes of North Carolina, we welcome teenage mothers in the custody of DSS who are expecting or have already given birth to live at our facilities, learn to care for their babies and continue their education. Please contact us for Admission.

## Steps:

- Visit Our Campus: Schedule a tour with your social worker to see our facilities.
- Meet Our Staff: Meet our caring Lake House Teaching Parents.
- **Application:** Complete and submit the Admissions application.
- Teen mother-child suites: Each mother gets a private suite for her and her baby.

## Contact Us:

400 Flemington Drive Lake Waccamaw, NC 28450 910-646-3083 admissions@bghnc.org



# The Janet Mitchell Winstead Lake House Program

Caring for teen mothers since 2013

www.boysandgirlshomes.org



# Welcome

The Janet Mitchell Winstead Lake House Program was created in 2013 to provide hope and healing for teen mothers and their babies who are in the custody of the Department of Social Services. Teen mothers can stay with their babies in a fully furnished suite with a bed, crib, changing table and dressers.

# Teaching Family Model of Care

Our Lake House Teaching Parents use the Teaching Family Model of care to help our teen mothers take responsibility for their lives and the life of their child and guide them to hope and healing.



#### Want to Donate?

There are many ways you can support the work of the Lake House Program for Teen Mothers. Civic clubs and local groups have donated baby supplies, homemade quilts and volunteers create programs throughout the year to support and enrich the lives of the mothers and their growing babies.

### **Our Current Needs**

Please check our Lake House Needs List at www.boysandgirlshomes.org

