

Latham Centers, Inc. is a non-profit Cape Cod based agency that provides educational, residential and vocational training and support to individuals with disabilities. We serve 50 children in our special education, residential school in Brewster. We also serve 50 adults in 11 residences scattered around the Cape, Wareham and Plymouth.

Latham has a volunteer oversight committee that helps review our human rights practices. The Human Rights Committee is comprised of at least 5 members including a parent of a service recipient, an individual who receives services, an attorney, a social worker and a nurse. We currently have a vacancy for the volunteer attorney position. The role can also be filled by a law student or a paralegal and can be someone currently practicing or retired (current license not required). The attorney role is to give a quality check to our policies and procedures relating to human rights as well as any behavior plans put in place.

The Human Rights Committee meets 4 times a year, from 5:00 to 6:30 pm currently online via. Zoom Teleconferencing. The next meeting date is tentatively scheduled for Jan20, 2021. Please contact Rebecca Amaral, Human Rights Coordinator for Latham at 508-237-2684 if you might be interested in learning more about this volunteer activity. Thank you.