



Billerica Housing Project Billerica, Massachusetts

Project

Renovations to
The John Nelson Parker House
Billerica, MA

Owner

Billerica Housing Authority
16 River Street
Billerica, MA 01821

Architect

Eric Pfeufer
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Cost

\$500,000

Size and Type of Construction

The John Nelson Parker House was restored from a condition of advanced neglect for use as a home for eight people with mental illness. The original program to demolish the existing interior was quickly revised to allow the preservation of original woodwork, fireplace, cabinets, and other finish details.

One wing of the house was completely reconstructed with new bedrooms and bath facilities for the handicapped. Exterior detailing was carefully restored and new landscaping and site structures added. The completed project was enthusiastically hailed as the "flagship" of the many similar programs operated by the services provider.

Types of Space

Mental Health Care