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# News

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## **Human Service Icon Retires**

Crystal Run Village, Inc. announces the retirement of Jeanne Savona, Deputy Executive Director of Programmatic Services. Savona has influenced public policy, public attitude and community action in Orange, Rockland and Sullivan County for 28 years in pursuit of a just, inclusive and quality life for people with intellectual and psychological disabilities.

In the late 1970s, Savona supervised Sullivan Industries, a sheltered workshop program operated by Sullivan ARC in Monticello. She joined Crystal Run Village in 1981 as director of day programs and in 1987 became director of the organization's residential school in Fallsburg. As a member of the Crystal Run Village senior management team she was instrumental in the development of 48 group homes in the Mid-Hudson region and the transitioning of 321 people from the agency's 3 residential schools to community living.

Crystal Run Village, Inc. is an independent non-profit provider of community-based programs for more than 800 adults and children with intellectual and psychological disabilities and their families, living in the communities of Sullivan, Orange and Rockland Counties. With an operating budget of over \$37-million and 840 staff people, the agency provides support in the form of housing, programs for learning and self expression, opportunities for employment, community inclusion and recreation - all for the purpose of an individual's greater independence and contribution as a citizen. Crystal Run Village has been based in Middletown since 1959.