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Community 101
Mercer County Resource Binder

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WELCOME TO THE COMMUNITY 101 RESOURCE BINDER!

Purpose of the Resource Binder:

To provide you with information about resources in the county that will help you plan and prepare your return to the community.

How is the Resource Binder Organized?

This resource binder provides a partial listing of service and support services that are available in the local county. There are sections for employment, education, housing, medical and behavioral health services, public benefits, legal services, food and clothing, social support, transportation, and miscellaneous services. For each listing, there is an address, telephone number, hours of operation, and often a short description.

How to Search the Resource Binder?

Search by topic and within a topic for the services that match your needs or interests. If for example, you want information about employment and you have a physical disability, see pages in the employment section that describe agencies providing employment services to people with disabilities.

To search more effectively once you're released, write down the names and addresses of web-based search resources, specifically: NJHelps (<http://www.njhelps.org/>) and 2-1-1: I Need Help (<http://www.nj211.org/search.cfm>). These are very helpful search sites that can target the service agencies that can best respond to you, as well as provide you with copies of applications and guidance on completing them.

Warning:

The service community is constantly changing – agencies move, people switch jobs, application forms and procedures are modified, and eligibility requirements change. We did our best to provide you with accurate information but it becomes dated as soon as the ink is dry on the paper. For this reason, it is important to write down information about many different agencies when using this binder and make sure you copy down the name, address, and telephone number of the agency. When you are released, check this information by using the local yellow pages or better yet visiting your local library (which has public access to computers). More and more information is available on the internet and it is organized in ways that make your search easier and faster.

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DIRECTORY OF COUNTY AGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS AND SERVICES

Program	Agency	Phone
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food Stamps • Work First New Jersey (TANF) • Medicaid • Work First New Jersey (General Assistance) • NJ WorkAbility 	Mercer County Board of Social Services 200 Woolverton St. Trenton, NJ 08650	Phone: 609-989-4320 Fax: 609-989-0405
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NJ FamilyCare 	NJ FamilyCare Help Line	Phone: 1-800-701-0710
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Jersey Cares for Kids (Child Care Assistance) 	Child Care Connection 1001 Spruce St. Suite 201 Trenton, NJ 08638	Phone: 609-989-7770 Fax: 609-989-8060
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Low Income Home Energy Assistance (LIHEAP) 	Low Income Energy Assistance Program Mercer County Adm. Bldg. Rm. 422 640 South Broad St. Trenton, NJ 08625	Phone: 609-989-6959 Fax: 609-989-0306
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kinship Navigator program (Assistance for Relative Caregivers) 	Kinship Care Children's Home Society 635 South Clinton Ave. Trenton, NJ 08611	Phone: 1-800-396-4518 Fax: 609-394-5769
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adult Family Care • Assisted Living • Community Care Program for the Elderly and Disabled (CCPED) • Jersey Assistance for Community Caregiving (JACC) • Caregiver Assistance Program (CAP) 	Mercer County Office on Aging 640 S. Broad Street PO Box 8068 Trenton, NJ 08650	Phone: 609-989-6661
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women, Infants, and Children Services 	Concerned Citizens of Ewing WIC Program 80 West Upper Ferry Road Fisk Professional Center, 2 nd fl Ewing, NJ 08628	Phone: 609-498-7755
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lifeline 	NJ Division of Senior Benefits	Phone: 1-800-792-9745

- Senior Gold Prescription Discount Program
 - Pharmaceutical Assistance to the Aged and Disabled (PAAD)
 - Hearing Aid Assistance to the Aged and Disabled (HAAAD)
- and Utilization Management
P.O. Box 715
Trenton, NJ 08625

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- AIDS Drug Distribution Program
- NJ Division of Senior Benefits and Utilization Management
P.O. Box 722
Trenton, NJ 08625
- Phone: 609-588-7038 or 1-877-613-4533

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- Community Resources for People with Disabilities (CRPD) Waiver
 - AIDS Community Care Alternatives Program
 - Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) Waiver Program
- NJ Division of Disability Services
P.O. Box 700
Trenton, NJ 08625
- Phone: 1-888-285-3036

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- Social Security Program
 - Social Security Card
 - Disability Benefits
 - Retirement Benefits
 - Survivors Benefits
 - Medicare
 - Extra help with Medicare
 - Prescription Drug Plan Costs
- Social Security Office
2nd Floor
635 South Clinton Ave.
Trenton, NJ 08611
- Phone: 1-800-772-1213
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Notice: Information from the Directory downloaded on 06/08/11 from:
 Mercer County: <http://www.state.nj.us/counties/mercer/>
 Social Security Office Locator: <https://s044a90.ssa.gov/apps6z/FOLO/fo001.jsp>
 New Jersey Helps: <http://mynjhelps.org/>
 Mercer County WIC: www.wicmercer.org
 The Children's Home Society of NJ: www.chsofnj.org

GENERAL INFORMATION AND SEARCH RESOURCES

Resource Center (<http://www.njaonline.org>)

New Jersey Association on Correction

143 Remsen Ave.

New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Phone: (732) 247-2770

Fax: (732) 247-0869

The Resource Center is New Jersey Association of Correction's oldest non-residential program, and serves as a **walk-in center for ex-offenders**. The goal of the Resource Center is to assist clients in remaining crime-free and productive in the community. Issues of major importance to recently released inmates are employment, housing and adjustment to community standards. Staff works with clients in order to remove these barriers and assist in their adjustment. Short-term case management services are provided to assist clients with emergency needs, community stabilization, and general assistance in becoming productive citizens in the community.

Project Reunion, a program of the Resource Center, is a parenting skills program designed to address the serious problems experienced by women and their children when they are separated by incarceration or court order due to abuse or neglect. The goal of this program is to maintain and/or strengthen the parent/child relationship. Services consist of parenting skills training, structured parent/child visitation, feedback sessions and supportive services to the children and their caregivers. The program is available to female inmates at the Middlesex County Adult Corrections Center (MCACC) and women in the community who have been referred by DYFS, Family Court or other relevant agencies. Resource Center staff transports children to the MCACC or agency from which the referral originated on a weekly basis.

2-1-1: I Need Help (<http://www.nj211.org>)

2-1-1 creates one easy access point to the health, human services, community resources, and government assistance people need every day as well as in times of crisis. You may search our database on line (<http://www.nj211.org>), call 2-1-1 from your telephone, or chat LIVE with a 2-1-1 specialist.

In the appendix, there is a diagram of what the search screen looks like.

NJ Helps (<http://www.njhelps.org>)

What NJ Helps can do:

NJ Helps is a **free** and **easy** guide for you to determine what programs and assistance for which you and your family may be eligible. NJ Helps will tell you where to go for help and what to bring with you, after you have answered a few basic questions. NJ Helps can also provide you with contact information and links to valuable resources available throughout the State.

What NJ Helps CANNOT do:

NJ Helps **cannot** guarantee that you qualify for these programs. You must still apply for help by contacting and filling out the required forms for each program.

NJ Helps knows about the programs listed below. NJ Helps can tell you whether your family might be able to get help from any of these programs. Click on the program name for a description of the program. Click on the "Continue" button to begin to screen for eligibility.

In the appendix, there is a diagram of what the website screen for NJ Helps "Results Based on the Information You Provided" looks like.

NJ Success (<http://njsuccess.org/>)

Welcome to NJ Success! It is an interactive database of community resources for people leaving prison can be used in several ways. Click on the region of New Jersey where you would like to search for resources to move to the search screen – or use the links at the left of your screen.

The NJ Success site is a collaboration by the members of the Prisoners Self Help Legal Clinic and the Prisoners and Their Families Project. The site is now a project of the New Jersey Association on Correction, created with financial support by the Fund for New Jersey.

In the appendix, there is a diagram of what the website screen for "NJ Resources for People Leaving Prison" looks like.

End Hunger NJ (<http://www.endhungernj.org/>)

End Hunger NJ is a project of NJ Hunger Prevention Committee. The Hunger Prevention Advisory Committee, through its Food Security subcommittee, created this website to fulfill the primary goal of nutrition education. The website will increase clients' access to hunger related resources and nutrition education materials including:

- What is a Food Pantry
- What is a Soup Kitchen
- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)
- Emergency Food Provider resources (food banks, soup kitchens, pantries, and shelters);
- Access to the Food Stamp Screening Tool;
- Links to 211 (211 is a telecommunication resource referral system for social services);
- Nutrition Education links and materials including fact sheets providers could easily download for their clients;
- Recipes;
- Information on Food Safety and Food Handling;
- Links to other providers such as Women Infant and Children (WIC), County Welfare Agencies, Municipal Welfare Agencies, and the Department of Agriculture
- Links to County Cooperative Extension offices
- Links to the Food Policy Institute
- Transportation information to/from county agencies, food banks, soup kitchens and other establishments

In the appendix, there is a diagram of what the website screen for "Search- Food Assistance" looks like.

MercerResourceNet.Org

Resources for Mercer County Children and Families

Phone: (609) 584-0888 (for Capitol County Children's Collaborative, sponsor and developer organization)

Web site: www.mercerresourcenet.org

MercerResourceNet is a free web tool providing a wide range of information about support, resources, and services for families in Mercer County. The information in ResourceNet is kept as accurate as possible. Updates are made as new information becomes available, so keep checking the site as needed. Searchable life categories include: Arts-Culture, Child Care/After School, Clothing/Supplies/Furniture, Crisis/Safety/Domestic Violence, Developmental Needs, Education, Employment/Work, Facebook, Financial Assistance, Food Pantries and Assistance, Housing/Shelter, Legal & Advocacy, Non-specific, Physical Health/Medical, Preparing for Adulthood, Psychological/Psychiatric Evaluations, Psychological/Emotional Well-Being, Recreation/Social, Self-help/Support, Spiritual, and Transportation. The site allows you to quickly search within specific cities, within a certain mile radius of a zip code, or within all Mercer County cities for each category. More detailed searches allow you to choose the specific program or service, the language in which it is offered, and the payment type accepted. Other relevant information on the site includes a list of web site links, news and events, and articles and handouts for various categories.

Notice: Information from General Information downloaded on 06/01/11 from:

NJ Association for Corrections: <http://www.njaonline.org/12.html>

NJ 211: <http://nj211.org/search.cfm>

NJ Helps: <http://www.mynjhelps.com/>

NJ Success: <http://njsuccess.org/?geo=4&topic=welcome&id=0>

End Hunger NJ: <http://www.endhungernj.org/index.htm>

MercerResourceNet: <http://www.mercerresourcenet.org>

EMPLOYMENT

New Jersey provides employment assistance through **One Stop Career Centers**. These Centers are located within counties and are funded to provide information about and assistance related to employment and supportive services. There are often multiple One Stop Career Centers in a county. Below, you will find the location of Centers in your home county and a description of the services they provide.

Note: These One Stop Career Centers are information resources, not employment centers. People who visit these Centers often express frustration with the limited assistance they provide and by their limited information about specific jobs opportunities. Do NOT expect that these Centers will help you find a job. Use these Centers to get information. Then, use the information to find yourself a job. Remember that community-based programs often look better on paper than they act in practice.

One Stop Career Center Services:

Adult Basic Education

Apprenticeship Training

Career Assistance

Career Counseling

Child Care

Financial Aid/Training Grants

GED Preparation and Testing

Housing and Rental Assistance

Income Assistance

Job Fairs

Job Readiness Preparation

New Jersey Youth Corps

Professional Services Group

Self-Employment Assistance Program

Transportation

Workforce Learning Link

Other Support Services

- Disability-Related Services
- Ex-Offender Services
- Health- and Nutrition-Related Assistance
- Helplines
- Special Services, Resources, and Emergency Need

Mercer County One-Stop Career Center

26 Yard Ave., 1st Floor

Station Plaza 4

PO Box 954

Trenton, NJ 08625-0954

Phone: (609) 989-6523 or (877) 989-AJOB

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:30 am to 5:00 pm, Tuesday to 8:30 pm

Special Populations/Prisoner Reentry Specialist: Amy Hibbs

New Jobseeker Orientation: Mondays and Wednesdays at 8:45 am and 1:15 pm, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8:45 am only

FORGE – Female Offender Reentry Group Effort

FORGE serves as a “single” entry point resource center for female offenders under criminal justice supervision. It began in 2004 at Essex County community College in partnership with the New Jersey State Parole Board. The program now operates in three other counties in New Jersey.

Services:

Adult Basic Education/GED Classes
Anger Management/Conflict Resolution
Support Group
Community Workshops
Computer Training
Employment Readiness Training
Family Programs
Financial Management Counseling
Information and Referrals
Life Skills Workshops
Supportive Counseling

In addition, FORGE assists female offenders with acquiring:

- Birth Certificate
- Emergency Housing
- Motor Vehicle Identification
- Placement in Educational or Training Programs
- Referrals to DVR, Drug Counseling, and Planned Parenthood
- Registration with the Dept. of Labor
- Social Security Card
- Welfare and Food Stamp Referrals

Mercer County FORGE located at:

Ujima Ministries
1001 Pennington Avenue
Ewing, NJ 08618

Contact: Kim Copeland, (609) 882-2098

WorkFirst NJ General Assistance

Phone: (609) 989-4491

Services: Provides cash assistance and medical coverage to adults age 18 years and older who met eligibility requirements and reside in the following Municipalities:

Ewing Township
Hamilton Township
Hightstown
Hopewell Boro
Hopewell Township

Lawrence Township
Pennington Boro
City of Trenton
Washington Township

*Note: Those convicted of felony drug distribution on or after August 22, 1996 are permanently ineligible to receive cash assistance.

FEDERAL BONDING PROGRAM

What Is Fidelity Bonding?

- Insurance to protect employer against employee dishonesty
- Covers any type of stealing: theft, forgery, larceny, and embezzlement
- In effect, a guarantee of worker job honesty
- An incentive to the employer to hire an at-risk job applicant
- A unique tool for marketing applicants to employers
- DOES NOT cover "liability" due to poor workmanship, job injuries, work accidents, etc.
- Is NOT a bail bond or court bond needed in adjudication
- Is NOT a bond needed for self-employment (contract bond, license bond or performance bond)

Why Is Fidelity Bonding Needed for Job Placement?

- Employers view ex-offenders and other at-risk job seekers as potentially untrustworthy workers, thereby, denying them job-hire
- Insurance companies will not cover risky job applicants under commercial Fidelity Bonds purchased by employers to protect themselves against employee dishonesty
- Anyone who has ever "committed a fraudulent or dishonest act" is deemed NOT BONDABLE by insurance companies, a situation leading to routine denial of employment opportunities for such persons
- Being NOT BONDABLE is a significant barrier to employment possessed by the hardest-to-place job applicants; this barrier can be eliminated only by The Federal Bonding Program
- Job bonding enables the employer to "obtain worker skills without taking risk"
- Persons who are NOT BONDABLE can ultimately become commercially BONDABLE by demonstrating job honesty during the 6 months of bond coverage under the Federal Bonding Program (such commercial bonding will be made available by the Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America; referred to hereafter as TRAVELERS)

Who Is Eligible for Bonding Services?

- Any at-risk job applicant is eligible for bonding services, including: ex-offenders, recovering substance abusers (alcohol or drugs), welfare recipients and other persons having poor financial credit, economically disadvantaged youth and adults who lack a work history, individuals dishonorably discharged from the military, and others
- Anyone who cannot secure employment without bonding
- All persons bonded must meet the legal working age set by the State in which the job exists
- Self-employed persons are NOT ELIGIBLE for bonding services (bondee must be an employee who earns wages with Federal taxes automatically deducted from paycheck)
- Bonds can be issued to cover already employed workers who need bonding in order to (a) prevent being laid off, or (b) secure a transfer or promotion to a new job at the company
- Bonding coverage can apply to any job at any employer in any State

Individuals Seeking Bonding

The Federal Bonding Program provides fidelity bonding for the first six months of employment for hard-to-place job applicants. If you are seeking bonding services and/or a job you should call the following toll-free number for 1. The location of the workforce office/one-stop center nearest your home and, 2. The telephone number of the State Bonding Coordinator for your state. In those states without a state bonding coordinator, callers will be referred to the nearest career center/ one-stop center for employment assistance.

Call toll free: 1.877.US2.JOBS (1.877.872.5627)

ON-THE-JOB TRAINING (OJT)

A subsidized employment opportunity that includes training. This exciting program is designed to assist eligible New Jersey job seekers find employment.

OJT has a proven track record of meeting the needs of both job seeker and employer. You would be hired by a private or public employer and receive training that provides knowledge and skills essential to perform the job adequately. If you make satisfactory progress during this training period, you will be retained by the employer as a regular employee.

Find out if you may be eligible for OJT, and how it can help you in your job search.

Learn more, contact the **One-Stop Career Center** in your area.

WORK OPPORTUNITY TAX CREDIT (WOTC) PROGRAM

This is a one year federal program which offers tax incentives for employers to hire individuals from certain targeted groups, such as: low-income and/or welfare individuals, ex-felons, individuals with disabilities, veterans who have received food stamps, and summer youth. Hiring workers from any of the targeted groups can earn an employer a WOTC of up to \$2,400 for the first year of employment. The number of new hires who can qualify employers for these tax credits is unlimited. The WOTC replaces the Targeted Job Tax Credit (TJTC). For more information, call 1-800-792-8881 or (609) 292-8112.

EMPLOYMENT SERVICES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES

Vocational Rehabilitation Services

Mercer County Office

28 Yard Avenue, P O Box 0959
Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0959
Phone: (609) 292-2940

Qualifications:

Any physical or mental impairment that is a substantial impediment to employment may qualify an individual for vocational rehabilitation services.

Client Services:

1. Vocational Counseling & Guidance – Providing assistance to the consumer in handling the job search issues that impact employability, job maintenance strategies, and developing the overall techniques needed to be successful in a work environment.
2. Placement Services - Development of job leads both with and for the consumer and support during the job search; could include On the Job Training (OJT), Supported Employment (SE) or Time Limited -Placement and Coaching (TLPC)

3. Job Seeking Skills - Guidance in work search activities such as resume writing, interviewing skills, job search organization
4. Supported Employment - Through referral to an SE provider, one-on-one assistance in job searching, interviewing, applying for jobs; followed by coaching on the job to facilitate learning job duties and adjusting to the work environment; followed by periodic follow-up to ensure job retention
5. Time Limited Placement and Coaching - The first two categories of Supported Employment Services without periodic follow-along
6. Job Accommodations - Guidance on changing the worksite's physical environment or adding equipment that will allow an individual to do more work tasks independently, effectively, and safely
7. Skills Training - Vocational school, technology or trade School, business school, etc.
8. College Training - 2 or 4 year programs leading to a degree
9. Physical Restoration - Equipment or therapies which improve physical or cognitive functioning so that a person is able to work; examples could be physical, occupational, or speech therapy; cognitive therapy which includes those modalities; prosthetics or orthotics such as artificial limbs, braces, special shoes, hearing aides, and eyeglasses (in some instances)
10. Emotional Restoration Services – Short-term individual, group or other types of counseling to reduce symptoms of mental health problems and improve work-tolerance and the ability to get and keep a job.
11. Mobility Equipment
12. Driver Training - Assessment of driving ability and equipment needed to drive safely; assistance in purchasing driver training lessons if needed to reach a specific work goal.
13. Vehicle Modification
14. Home Modifications – services if needed to reach a specific work goal

Service Cost:

- **No Cost Services**
Diagnostic evaluation, vocational counseling and guidance, job placement, supported employment services, on-the-job training, job coaching, and work adjustment training in a community rehabilitation program are services provided at no cost to the consumer.
- **Services with Cost**
Expenses for medical services, training, books, supplies, tools, and equipment are based on an individual's ability to pay. DVRS financial criteria are less restrictive than those of many other agencies. Counselors are required to locate "comparable benefits", that is, identical services available from other sources.
Note: DVRS cannot pay for services and costs an individual incurred prior to being determined eligible.

Local Vendor Services in Mercer County

Extended (sheltered) Employment Services

These programs are designed to provide long term employment by the community rehabilitation program for a client/worker who is presently unable to work in the competitive labor market. An individual is frequently paid less than minimum wage based upon time studies identifying his/her ability.

ARC of Mercer County

600 New York Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08638
Phone: (609) 393-2483
Fax: (609) 396-3599
Web site: www.mercerarc.org

Services: Provides primarily janitorial, fulfillment (factory work) and food service training

Supported Employment Services

These are on-going support services provided to an individual in a competitive integrated market. This program is intended for those who require intensive individual training on or off the work site and who, once they have learned the job and other routines will require long term follow along services, on the job site and/or off the job site.

Allies, Inc., Mercer County Office

2277 State Highway 33
Suite 415
Hamilton, NJ 08690
Phone: (609) 584-5522
Web site: www.alliesnj.org

ARC of Mercer County

600 New York Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08638
Phone: (609) 393-2483
Fax: (609) 396-3599
Web site: www.mercerarc.org

Association for the Advancement of Mental Health (AAMH)

819 Alexander Road
Princeton, NJ 08540-6303
Phone: (609) 452-2088
Web site: www.aamh.org

Christopher House

10 Southard Street
Trenton, NJ 08609
Counties Served: Mercer
Phone: (609) 396-4557
Fax: (609) 393-3302

Community Enterprises, Inc.

707 Alexander Road
Building 2, Suite 208
Princeton, NJ 08540
Phone: (609) 951-9900
Fax: (609) 951-9112

Opportunities for All

P.O. Box 8617
Princeton, NJ 08542
Phone: (609) 452-9753
Fax: (609) 452-9519
Web site: www.opp4all.com

Pre-Vocational Evaluation Services

This is a comprehensive, individualized and systematic process in which an individual, in partnership with the evaluator and DVRS counselor, learns to identify vocational options consistent with his or her abilities, capabilities, preferences and interests and to develop employment goals and objectives.

ARC of Mercer County

180 Ewingville Rd.
Ewing, NJ 08638
Phone: (609) 393-2483
Fax: (609) 396-3599
Web site: www.mercerarc.org

Work Adjustment Training Services

This is a comprehensive, individualized service that assists persons seeking employment to develop or reestablish skills, attitudes, personal characteristics, work behaviors, and/or functional capacities, to achieve the identified integrated employment outcome.

ARC of Mercer County

180 Ewingville Rd.
Ewing, NJ 08638
Phone: (609) 393-2483
Fax: (609) 396-3599
Web site: www.mercerarc.org

Other Employment Resources in Mercer County

GreatER Expectations (New Jersey Association on Correction)

986 S. Broad St.
Trenton, NJ 08611
Phone: (609) 396-8900
Fax: (609) 396-8999
Web site: www.njaonline.org

Services: In-house computer training, resume prep, job interview skills and job retention techniques.

Notice: Information from Employment downloaded on 06/01/11 from:
New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development
One Stop Career Centers: http://lwd.dol.state.nj.us/labor/wnpjpin/wnpjpin_index.html
Vocational Rehabilitation: <http://lwd.dol.state.nj.us/labor/dvrs/DVRIndex.html>
Mercer County Website: <http://www.state.nj.us/counties/mercer/>

EDUCATION

There are a variety of education assistance programs available within your county. Programs vary in their eligibility requirements and fee schedules. We recommend that you identify programs that interest you from the list and descriptions below and then, upon release, visit the program's website and make appointments for a consultation if they offer services that meet your needs and interests.

Remember: Do your homework before you make an appointment. Frustration and disappointment can be avoided by contacting only those programs that match your interests and needs. Do your homework first!

Learning Resources in Mercer County

Adult Basic Education Directory

Classes in: Adult Basic Education (ABE), English as a Second Language (ESL) and General Educational Development (GED) Test preparation.

For more information, contact the New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Workforce Readiness & Literacy at (609) 943-5921. Call individual programs for information on classes offered, fees and/or time schedules.

Christ Church Community Center 331 Hamilton Avenue	Trenton, NJ 08609 Phone: (609)394-8926
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Services: Free ESL Program, call to register. Classes have been on Sundays at 1:00 pm in the past but as of June 7, 2011, the Center was trying to get students and a volunteer to teach the class so time is subject to change. There are no requirements.

East Windsor Community Education 5 Kent Lane	East Windsor, NJ 08520 Phone: 609-443-7804
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Hours: Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 3:30 pm

Services: Adult & Community Education Courses; Computer Training in Spring & Fall. No referral or appointment required.

Hamilton Neighborhood Service Center, Inc. 169 Wilfred Ave.	Hamilton, NJ 08610 Phone: 609-393-6480
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Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00am - 4:30pm

Services: Information and referrals, youth and senior services, transportation, employment, education, income maintenance, health, notary, food pantry, emergency services, crisis intervention, work site for community service. For Low income & otherwise disadvantaged residents of Hamilton. No referral or appointment required.

Literacy Volunteers / Mercer County

3535 Quakerbridge Rd., Suite 104
Hamilton, NJ 08619
Phone: (609) 587-6027

Fax: (609) 587-6137
Program Director: Cheryl Kirten
E-mail: lvmercercer@verizon.net

Services: Adult Basic Education and English as a Second Language classes, for a one-time registration fee of \$20. Students are matched with tutors, but please call ahead of time because there can be a long waiting list (as of 6/20/11 they were taking no more new students for a full year).

Latinas Unidas

140 East Hanover St.
Trenton, NJ 08608
Phone: (609) 396-8291, ext. 406
Fax: (609)989-8696

Program Director: Cecy Jimenez Weeast
E-mail: cweeast@ywcatrenton.org
Web site: www.ywcatrenton.org

Services: ESL classes

Lutheran Social Ministries of NJ

189 S. Broad St. – P.O. Box 30
Trenton, NJ 08601

Phone: (609) 393-4900
Fax: (609) 393-1111

Services: ESL classes, along with civics and citizenship classes for immigrants and refugees.

Martin House

794 East State St.
Trenton, NJ 08609
Phone: 609-989-8143

Hours: Mon-Fri 9am-5pm; GED Tue-Thu 6-8pm; ESL: Mon-Thu 9-10:30am; Mon & Thu 5-6:30pm

Services: Adult Basic Education, GED, Literacy. No referral or appointment required.

Mercer County Community College

ABE/GED Office
James Kerney Campus
N. Broad & Academy St.s

Trenton, NJ 08608
Phone: (609) 570-3185
Web site: www.mccc.edu
E-mail: ged@mccc.edu

Services: Adults at or above the age of 16 (minors must complete a certificate of consent) can take ABE and GED classes to improve their basic skills, prepare for, and earn a high school diploma in an adult environment. Classes are offered in English and Spanish and cover the following areas: Language Arts/Writing; Social Studies; Science; Language Arts/Reading, and Mathematics. MCCC also offers ESL classes, both credit and non-credit, for levels from Pre-Beginner to Advanced.

**Mercer Street Friends
Adult Basic Education Program**

222 N. Hermitage Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08611

Phone: (609) 989-1925 ext. 7162
Program Director: Gay Egan
Web site: www.mercerstreetfriends.org

Services: They will assess your literacy level with a TABE (Test of Adult Basic Education) Test and plan your instruction with you. The curriculum includes reading, writing, conversation skills, mathematics, social studies and science. In addition, they discuss smart eating and menu planning, money management and parenting strategies. They also practice basic computer skills, and prepare you for the NJ Department of Motor Vehicles permit test. They can develop your resume and help with your job search, too!

Salvation Army – Trenton
575 E. State St.

Trenton, NJ 08601
Phone: 609-599-9373

Services: Day center for homeless - walk-in - open 8am-4pm 7 days/week; Life skills & alternative work experience - must be referred by municipal/county welfare caseworker; GED thru Mercer County College

**Trenton Area Soup Kitchen (TASK)
Adult Education Program**
72½ Escher Street

Trenton, NJ 08609
Phone: 609-695-5456
Website: <http://www.trentonsoupkitchen.org/>

Services: The TASK Adult Education Program provides one-on-one tutoring in basic literacy, math, GED preparation, and computer skills. We offer a welcoming environment and individual attention for adult students (18 years and older).

Tutoring times are:

- Mondays - Fridays, 9 to 11 a.m.
- Mondays - Thursdays, 2 to 4 p.m.
- Mondays and Wednesdays, 4 to 5:30 p.m.

The **TASK Computer Center** offers structured computer classes (Microsoft Office, basic and advanced) as well as one-on-one tutoring. Patrons also are welcome to use the computer center during meal times for Internet access and resume preparation.

Trenton Public Library

120 Academy St.
Trenton, NJ 08608
Phone: 609 392-7188, ext. 13 or 14

Hours: Library hours are Monday through Thursday, 9:00 am to 8:00 pm, Friday and Saturday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm. Hours for classes may differ each time they are offered, please call for specific class times and to register. Last known dates and times were 10:00 am to 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm on June 22, July 13, and August 13. Funding for classes is not consistent, however, so please call in advance

Services: Free computer classes are offered in the computer room for Microsoft Word & Excel, PC Basics, Microsoft PowerPoint, E-Mail Basics and Internet Basics. Please call to register, no referral or appointment required

West Windsor-Plainsboro Board of Education

346 Clarksville Rd
Princeton Junction, NJ 08550
Phone: (609) 716-5030

Fax: (609) 716-5035
Program Director: Marci Rubin, ext. 5033
E-mail: marci.rubin@ww-p.org
Web site: www.ww-p.org

Services: English as a Second Language classes are offered for free through grant funding.

Workforce Learning Link in Mercer County

Available at One-Stop Career Centers and community-based sites throughout the state, the Workforce Learning Link is a holistic initiative created in partnership with the New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development (LWD) and NJN Public Television to provide adult learners instruction in reading, writing, and math; communication; financial literacy; job search; and employability and life skills.

The Workforce Learning Link is designed to deliver workforce training programs and services directly to welfare registrants, dislocated workers and other job seekers identified by the LWD, the New Jersey Department of Corrections and other agencies. Using digital television technology, streaming video, computer software, the Internet, and print materials, NJN provides interactive training services that allow participants to address individual employment-related issues at their own pace.

The core components of the Workforce Learning Link are:

- GED Connection
- JOBCAST
- Life and Work in New Jersey
- Mavis Beacon
- New Jersey Works in Brief
- NJFLAN

Mercer County One-Stop Career Center

26 Yard Ave., 1st Floor
Station Plaza 4
PO Box 954
Trenton, NJ 08625-0954
Phone: (609) 989-6523 or (877) 989-AJOB

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:30 am to 5:00 pm, Tuesday to 8:30 pm

Special Populations/Prisoner Reentry Specialist: Amy Hibbs

New Jobseeker Orientation: Mondays and Wednesdays at 8:45 am and 1:15 pm, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8:45 am only

Vocational and Technical Education Programs in Mercer County

Gentle Healing School of Massage

1274 South River/Cranbury Road
Cranbury, NJ 08512
Phone: (609) 409-2700
Website: <http://www.gentlehealingschool.com/>

Programs: 600-hour Massage Therapy Program

Applicants may enroll for either full-time/day classes and complete the certification program in six months, or enroll for part-time/evening classes and complete it in one year. High school diploma or GED is required to apply.

Mercer County Technical School

1085 Old Trenton Road
Trenton, NJ 08690
Phone: (609) 586-5144
Website: <http://www.mcts.edu>

Programs:

Adult Evening- technical and Apprentice training opportunities for adults. Programs fall under one of five general categories: Trade and Industrial; Apprenticeship Training; Technical; Computer-Related; or Personal Enrichment/Avocational. Specific programs include: Auto Body Technology; Automotive Mechanics (General); Automotive Technology; Blueprint Reading; Machine BPR Tolerancing; Carpentry; Carpentry for the Home Owner; Access; Excel; Word; Introduction to Computers; CAD I; CAD II; Cosmetology; Creative Cooking; Entrepreneurial Training Institute; Manicuring; Diesel/Truck Technology; Electrician; Electricity for the Homeowner; Electronic Fundamentals; Fiber Optics; Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC); Industrial Maintenance Mechanic; Landscape Maintenance and Design; Machine Shop Practice; Machine Tool and Die; Basic Industrial Math; Math II – Construction Trades; Math II – Machine Trades; Millwright; Network Cabling; Pipe Fitter/Steamfitter In-Plant; Plumbing; Pneumatics-Industrial; Refrigeration-Blue Seal; Sheet Metal; Small Engine Repair; Stationary Engineering; Introduction to Water and Wastewater Operations; Very Small Water Systems; Wastewater Collection Systems-Advanced; Wastewater Treatment-Industrial Advanced Wastewater Operations; Welding

Health Career Center - Located at 1070 Klockner Road -- Licensed Practical Nursing, Part-time Practical Nursing (both may have a 2-4 year waiting list), Medical Assistant, Health Technology, Massage Therapy, Electrocardiography, Venipuncture

Colleges and Universities in Mercer County

Mercer County Community College

Web site: www.mccc.edu

James Kerney Campus

North Broad & Academy Streets
Trenton, NJ 08608
Phone: 609-586-4800, ext. 6685 ext. 6670

West Windsor Campus

1200 Old Trenton Rd.
West Windsor, NJ 08550
Phone: 609-890-9248

Types of Programs:

Mercer offers a variety of **non-credit courses and certificates*** (meaning you take the class to learn the information but do not get any class credit for it) for real-life applications, such as: Arts & Humanities; Business Management; Computers; Construction; Culinary; Design (Interior/Fashion); Education & Human Services; Finance; Fitness & Recreation; Health Professions; Horticulture; Language and ESL; Online Training; Personal Development; Writing; and Youth Programs

***Note:** some of these are offered as online classes

MCCC also offers **Certificates** (18-36 credits) in: 3-D Animation; Administrative Support; Architectural Technology; Aviation Flight Technology: CFI; Catering Management; Computer-Aided Design; Computer Science; Electronics Engineering Technology; Engineering Science; Fire Science Technology – Code Enforcement or Officer/Administrator; Funeral Service; Heating, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning; Information Technology – Database Administration, Network Engineering Technology, or Project Management; Medical Office Assistant; Microcomputer Applications; Ornamental Horticulture; Paralegal; Paraprofessional Classroom Educator; Photography and Digital Imaging; Professional Baking; Professional Cooking; Small Business Employment Readiness; Small Business Management; Solar/Energy Technology; Travel Agent; and Web Design

MCCC offers **Associates degrees** (up to 66 credits) in: Accounting; Administrative Professional; Advertising and Graphic Design; Architectural and Building Construction Technology; Architecture; Automotive Technology; Aviation Customer Relations; Aviation Flight Technology; Aviation Management; Banking and Financial Services; Biology; **Business Administration****; Business Studies; Business Software Applications; Chef Apprenticeship; Chemistry; Civil Engineering Technology; Communication; Communication: Speech and Theatre; Computer Science; Criminal Justice – Corrections or Law Enforcement; Culinary Arts; Culinology; Dance; Digital Film; Digital Media Arts; Early Childhood Education/Special Education Assistant; Education; Electronics Engineering Technology; Energy Utility Technology; Engineering Science; Entertainment Technology; Exercise Science; Fashion/Apparel Design; Fire Science Technology; Funeral Service; Funeral Service Preparatory; Game Design; Health Science; Heating, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning; Hotel, Restaurant and Institution Management; Illustration; Information Systems; Information Technology; Insurance and Financial Services; Laboratory Technology; **Liberal Arts****; Mathematics; Medical Laboratory Technology; Microcomputer Systems Administration; Music; Nursing. Nursing (Cooperative Program); Ornamental Horticulture; Paralegal; Physical Therapist Assistant; Physics; Plant Science; Radio; Radiography; Respiratory Therapy; Social Service; Technical Studies; Television; Theatre; and Visual Arts

****Note:** These degree programs can be completed in two years at the Evening Weekend College, for students who have to work during the day

Finally, through partnerships with Fairleigh Dickinson University, Felician College, and William Paterson University, MCCC is able to offer Bachelor's and Master's degrees. **Bachelor's degrees** are available in: Business Administration (concentration in Management); Communication Studies; Criminal Justice; Early Childhood Education/Elementary Education; Individualized Studies (specializations in Business & Technology and Hospitality Management); Liberal Studies; and Psychology. A **Master's degree** is available in Hospitality Management.

The College of New Jersey

2000 Pennington Road

Ewing, NJ 08628

Phone: (609) 771-1855

Website: <http://www.tcnj.edu>

Types of Programs:

TCNJ offers **Bachelor's degrees** in the following areas: Art Education; Art History; Communication Studies; Digital Arts; Fine Arts; Graphic Design; Interactive Multimedia; Music (Performance and Teacher Preparation); Accountancy; Business Administration (specializations in Finance, Interdisciplinary Business, International Business, Management, and Marketing); Economics; Biomedical Engineering; Civil Engineering; Computer Engineering; Electrical Engineering; Engineering Science (specializations in Biomedical Engineering and Engineering Management); Mechanical Engineering; Technological Studies; Criminology; English (Journalism and Professional Writing); History; International Studies; Philosophy; Political Science; Psychology; Sociology; Spanish; Women's and Gender Studies; Early Childhood Education; Education of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing/Elementary Education; Elementary Education; Special Education/Elementary Education; Health and Exercise Science (Teacher Preparation option); Nursing; Biology; Chemistry; Computer Science; Mathematics (Statistics option); and Physics

TCNJ offers the following graduate degrees: an **Education Specialist degree** in Marriage and Family Counseling; and **Master's degrees** in: School Counseling; Clinical Mental Health Counseling; Marriage, Couples and Family Counseling and Therapy; English; Elementary Education; Early Childhood Education; Education of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing; Secondary Education – English, Social Studies, Mathematics, Biology or Physical Science, Technology Education, and Health and Physical Education; Special Education; Teaching English as a Second Language; Reading; Educational Leadership; Teacher of Students with Blindness or Visual Impairment; Family Nurse Practitioner; Adult Nurse Practitioner; Neonatal Nurse Practitioner; and Clinical Nurse Leader

Princeton University

Princeton, NJ 08544

Phone: (609)258-3060

Website: <http://www.princeton.edu>

Types of Programs:

Princeton offers a **Bachelor's Degree** and **Doctorate of Philosophy** in the following areas: Anthropology; Architecture; Art and Archaeology; Astrophysical Sciences; Chemical and Biological Engineering; Chemistry; Civil and Environmental Engineering; Classics; Comparative Literature; Computer Science; East Asian Studies, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology; Economics; Electrical Engineering; Engineering and Applied Science; English; French and Italian; Geosciences; German; History; Mathematics; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering; Molecular Biology; Music; Near Eastern Studies; Operations Research and Financial Engineering; Philosophy; Physics; Politics; Psychology; Religion; Slavic Languages and Literatures; Sociology; Spanish and Portuguese Language and Cultures;

The following programs only offer a **Bachelor's Degree**: Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs

The following programs only offer a **Doctorate of Philosophy**: Applied and Computational Mathematics; Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences; East Asian Art and Archaeology; History of Science; Neuroscience; Plasma Physics; Population Studies; Quantitative and Computational Biology; Public Affairs

Additionally, the following programs offer a **Master's Degree**: Architecture; Chemical and Biological Engineering; Chemistry; Civil and Environmental Engineering; Electrical Engineering; Engineering and Applied Science; Finance; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering; Near Eastern Studies; Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering; Operations Research and Financial Engineering; Public Affairs; Public Policy

Rider University

2083 Lawrenceville Road

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

Phone: (609) 896-5000 or 800-257-9026

Website: <http://www.rider.edu/>

Applicants with a high school diploma and college credit should apply as a transfer student. Applicants with a GED and no college credit should apply to the College of Continuing Studies (phone number is (609)896-5297).

Types of Programs:

Rider offers **Undergraduate Certificates** in the following areas: Bilingual Education; Business Basics and Business Plus; Business Forensics; Early Childhood/Elementary Education Dual Licensure; English as a Second Language; Forensic; Pre-Medical Studies; Psychology Teacher; and Public Relations

Rider also offers **Bachelor's degrees** in the following areas: Accounting; Advertising; American Studies; Art (Fine Arts); Arts Administration; Behavioral Neuroscience; Biochemistry; Biology; Business Administration; Business Economics; Chemistry; Computer Information Systems; Dance; Economics; Elementary Education; English; Entrepreneurial Studies; Environmental Science; Finance; French; Geosciences; German; Global Studies; Global Supply Chain; Management; Graphic Design; History; Human Resource Management; International Business; Integrated Sciences and Math; Journalism; Management & Leadership; Marketing; Marine Sciences; Mathematics; Music (Fine Arts); Music Education; Music Education/Vocal; Performance; Music Theater; Organ Performance; Philosophy; Political Science; Pre-Allied Health; Pre-Law; Pre-Med, Pre-Dental, Psychology, Public Relations, Radio & Television, Russian, Sacred Music, Secondary Education, Sociology, Spanish, Speech and Interpersonal, Communication, Theater, Theory and Composition, Undeclared Business, Undeclared Liberal Arts, Voice Performance, Web Design & Multimedia

Finally, Rider offers **Graduate degrees** in the following areas: Choral Conducting; Community Counseling; Composition; Curriculum and Instruction; Director of Counseling Services; Educational Administration and Leadership; Educational Specialist in Counseling Services or in School Psychology; Executive MBA; Teacher Certification Program; Master of Accountancy; Master of Arts in Teaching; Master of Business Administration; Piano Accompanying and Coaching; Piano Pedagogy and Performance; Piano Performance; Voice Pedagogy and Performance; Voice Pedagogy; Music Education; Organ Performance; Organizational Leadership; Principal Certificate; Reading/Language Arts; Sacred Music; School Business Administration; School Business Administrator Certification; School Counseling; Special Education Programs; Supervisor of Instruction; and Teacher of Students with Disabilities

Strayer University- Lawrenceville Campus

3150 Brunswick Pike, Suite 100

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

Phone: (609) 406-7600

Website: <http://www.strayer.edu/lawrenceville>

Types of Programs:

Strayer offers **Bachelor's degrees** in the following areas: Accounting; Information Systems (Concentrations in Computer Security, Database Developer, Database management, Homeland Security, and Internetworking Technology); and Business Administration (Concentrations in Management, Acquisition & Contract Management, Banking, Finance, Hospitality and Tourism Management, Human Resource Management, Legal Studies, Marketing, and Retail Management).

Strayer also offers a **Master's degree** in Business Administration, with a concentration in Accounting, Acquisition, Finance, Health Services, Hospitality and Tourism Management, Human Resource Management, Information Systems Management, International Business, Management, Marketing, Professional Studies, Project Management, and Public Administration.

Thomas Edison State College

101 West State Street

Trenton, NJ 08608

Phone: (888) 442-8372

Website: <http://www.tesc.edu/>

Types of Programs:

Thomas Edison State College awards **Undergraduate Certificates** in the following areas: Accounting; Computer-Aided Design; Computer Information Systems; Computer Science; Electronics; Finance; Fitness and Wellness Services; Gas Distribution; Human Resources Management; Labor Studies; Marketing; Operations Management; Public Administration

The College offers **Online Certificates** in the following areas: Fitness Business Management; Personal Fitness Training and Advanced Personal Fitness Training; Personal Training & Group Exercise Training for Older Adults; Women's Exercise Training and Wellness; Posture Specialist Certificate; Medical Transcription; Medical Transcription Editing; Medical Office Assistant Specialist; Medical Billing and Coding Specialist; Pharmacy Technician; Family Nutrition; Functional Family Nutrition; School Nutrition & Wellness; Paralegal Studies; Nurse Paralegal Studies; Healthcare Law; SHRM Learning System; SHRM Global Learning System; Workforce Career Coach Facilitator; Introduction to the Teaching Profession; ABCs of Nonprofit Accounting; Grantsmanship for Nonprofits; and General Building Code.

The College also awards **Associate Degrees** in the following areas: Applied Science; Arts; Human Services; Applied Science and Technology; Business Administration; Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Bachelor Degrees are offered in the following areas: Arts; Science; Applied Science and Technology; Business Administration; Health Sciences; Human Services; Nursing; and Organizational Leadership

Graduate Certificates are offered in the following areas: Clinical Trials Management; Homeland Security; Human Resources Management; Nursing; Online Learning and Teaching; Organizational Leadership; Project Management; Public Service Leadership; and Educational Leadership

Master Degrees are offered in the following areas: Educational Leadership; Liberal Studies; Applied Science and Technology; Human Resources Management; Management; Management – Public Service Careers; and Nursing

*Note: You need to be at least 21 to apply to this school. Inmates are sometimes allowed to apply/enroll while still incarcerated, so be sure to call for more information.

Notice: Information for Education was downloaded on 06/01/11 from:
New Jersey Resources for People Leaving Prison: <http://njsuccess.org/>
Department of Labor and Workforce Development:
http://lwd.state.nj.us/labor/wnpjpin/wnpjpin_index.html
State of New Jersey Commission on Higher Education:
http://www.state.nj.us/highereducation/colleges/schools_county.htm
Workforce Learning Link: <http://www.njn.net/workforce/index.html>
Technical Schools and Colleges: <http://www.technical-schools-guide.com/new-jersey-technical-schools.html>

HOUSING

Housing assistance is provided by federal, state, local governments and community groups. It is important to understand what assistance is provided by government and community agencies **and** whether your conviction prevents you from accessing types of assistance.

In general, public housing assistance (Section 8 housing) is NOT available to people convicted of a felony conviction within the past five years. Some people are permanently ineligible for public housing. These include anyone the housing authority believes is using drugs, subject to state sex offender registration laws, or convicted of manufacturing methamphetamines on public housing property. People with recent felony convictions may NOT live in Section 8 housing occupied by family or friends without putting them at risk of eviction.

Private landlords can legally ask you about your past criminal history, can and do conduct background checks prior to renting, and can decline renting to you because of your felony conviction. Hiding your background is harder now with electronic background checking and if withheld, it can be grounds for eviction.

General Resources in Mercer County

Mercer County Board of Social Services

200 Woolverton St.

Trenton, NJ 08650

Phone: 609-989-4320 or 1-800-564-1595

Website: <http://www.mcboss.org/>

This agency provides emergency assistance to TANF/WFNJ eligible families who are in a state of homelessness or who are imminently homeless and who have not had a realistic capacity to plan for emergency. The agency provides economic and social services to individuals and families residing in Mercer County based upon financial need.

New Jersey Department of Community Affairs Division of Housing and Community Resources

PO Box 806

101 South Broad Street

Trenton, NJ 08625

Website: www.state.nj.us/dca/divisions/dhcr/

Email: dhcr@dca.state.nj.us

This statewide agency offers many programs that strengthen and revitalize communities through the delivery of affordable housing, supportive services and the provision of financial and technical assistance to communities, local government and community based organizations.

Services:

- **Housing Assistance** (This office oversees programs that prevent homelessness and help people move out of temporary shelters and into stable permanent housing. The office administers housing assistance programs such as the Homelessness Prevention Program (HPP), the Housing Choice Voucher Section 8 Program (Section 8) and the

State Rental Assistance Program (SRAP). *For more information call: (609)633-0973).*

Programs: *Family Self-Sufficiency; Homelessness Prevention; Shelter Housing Exit Program (SHE); Shelter Support/Emergency Housing Grant; Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher; State Rental Assistance Program: Section 8 Single Room Occupancy – Moderate Rehabilitation; and Section 8 Homeownership Program*

- **Housing Production** (This office assists in the development of affordable housing units for income-eligible families. *For more information call: (609)633-2378*)
Programs: *Neighborhood Preservation Balanced Housing; HOME – CHDO Production (Community Housing Development Organizations); HOME Housing Production Investment Fund; and Office of Housing Advocacy)*
- **Energy Assistance** (Low-income eligible households that are having a difficulty paying their heating and cooling bills can contact this office for financial assistance and help in weatherizing their homes. *For more information call: (609)633-2378*).
Programs: *Home Energy Assistance (HEA and LIHEAP); Universal Service Fund (USF) and Weatherization Assistance (WAP)*
- **Community Services** (This office distributes federal funds to community agencies that help income-eligible households with health, education, employment, and housing needs. It also oversees the Office of Recreation which distributes state funding, certifies professionals, offers conferences, and provides technical assistance on recreation. This Office also manages the Individual Development Account (IDA) program which works toward empowering working families to save money to buy a home, create a job, or attend higher education. *For more information, call: (609)292-2213*).
Programs: *Community Services Block Grant (CSBG); Housing and Community Development Scholars; New Jersey Individual Development Accounts (IDA); and Recreation*
- **Neighborhood Programs** (This office manages a comprehensive group of programs funded under the Lead Hazard Control Assistance Fund designed to educate the public about the dangers of lead-based paint and to eliminate lead-based paint hazards in housing. The Office also administers a variety of other federal and state-funded programs, such as the Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) which provide funding to municipalities to help with economic development, housing rehabilitation and neighborhood revitalization. *For more information, call: (609)633-6182*).
Programs: *Community Development Block Grant; Emergency Lead Poisoning Relocation; Lead Education/Outreach; Main Street New Jersey; Neighborhood Preservation; and Neighborhood Revitalization Tax Credit.*

When contacting the Division of Housing and Community Resources via the mail, please include the name of the program that you are inquiring about on the envelope.

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development of New Jersey

Newark Field Office
1085 Raymond Boulevard, 13th Floor
Newark, NJ 07102
Phone: (973)622-7900

Website: <http://www.hud.gov/local/index.cfm?state=nj&topic=offices>

Services: This agency provides homeless prevention assistance, information on shelters and emergency shelter as well as other social resources. This agency will help connect you to community resources in your County. It does not provide direct services to people in need.

Shelters and Emergency Housing in Mercer County

HomeFront, Inc.

1880 Princeton Avenue

PO Box 6094

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

Phone: (609)989-9417 (Office hours M-W & F 9-5, R 12-8)

Website: www.homefrontnj.org

Services:

Emergency Housing (This program is located at HomeFront's Family Preservation Center and other residences. It provides a safe haven with private family rooms and three nutritious hot meals each day. Through a comprehensive regimen of programs and services, it helps homeless families break the cycle of poverty.)

Lifeline Emergency Shelter, Inc.

300 South Clinton Avenue

Trenton, NJ 08609

Phone: (609)392-7665

Services:

Family Shelter for women and children only, no men. Only requirement is that potential clients have to call. They do not provide food but help clients find permanent housing.

Rescue Mission of Trenton

98 Carroll Street

PO Box 790

Trenton NJ 08604

Phone: (609)-695-1436

Website: www.rescuemissionoftrenton.org

Services:

- **Emergency Shelter** (Serves **single men and women**. While a client is in the shelter, staff members work to link the person to community programs that will address the pressing needs and issues contributing to their homelessness. The Emergency Services Program can house 54 men and 23 women; during the winter emergency period (approximately November to April) the bed capacity more than doubles to 135 men and 29 women. Clients receive breakfast, dinner, snacks, clothing, winter coats, and personal hygiene necessities. The shelter is open every day 4:00pm to 8:00am.)

This agency provides other basic social services to individuals who are in need of assistance. Please contact this agency or visit its website for more information.

Womanspace

(for women and women with children)

HOTLINE: (609)394-9000

1212 Stuyvesant Avenue

Trenton, NJ 08618

Website: www.womanspace.org

Services:

Emergency Shelter (provides confidential, secure, short-term emergency shelter for victims of domestic violence) for women and children only.

Housing and Transitional Housing Programs in Mercer County

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton

132 N. Warren Street

Trenton, NJ 08608

Phone: (609)394-2172 (Office hours M-F 9-5)

Website: www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org

Programs:

- **Housing and Residential Assistance Services** (provides decent housing for homeless families with children. Case managers work with consumers to obtain permanent housing. The program also provides workshops on home budgeting, parenting, and self-esteem building.)
- **Transitional Housing Assistance (Project Homestretch)** (provides decent housing for homeless families with children. Case managers work with consumers to obtain permanent housing. The program also provides workshops on home budgeting, parenting, and self-esteem building. Program acceptance is by referral from the Board of Social Services only.)
- **Transitional Residential Program** (provides temporary housing, counseling, daily living skills training and support to help consumers with mental illness move successfully into stable and independent living. *This program is located at: 41 Steinert Avenue, Hamilton NJ 08619. For more information, call (609)890-2528.*)
- **On My Own Supportive Housing Program** (assists Mercer County adults who have serious mental illness to achieve and maintain independent living setting of their choice. *This program is located at: 41 Steinert Avenue, Hamilton NJ 08619. For more information, call (609)890-2527.*)

HomeFront, Inc.

1880 Princeton Avenue

PO Box 6094

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

Phone: (609)989-9417 (Office hours M-W & F 9-5, R 12-8)

Website: www.homefrontnj.org

Services:

- Transitional Housing (HomeFront owns and manages a number of units of transitional housing where families who complete the shelter program are able to live in their own apartment while they get back on their feet. Here clients are cared for with the same “wraparound” services as provided at the Family Preservation Center)
- Affordable Housing (HomeFront owns and manages 60 units of permanent, low-income, affordable housing in Mercer County. It also continues to provide its clients with a comprehensive program of support and guidance, to help them remain employed and self-sufficient. It is a unique and innovative personal approach that helps the agency end homelessness one family at a time.)

Home Finders Service (HomeFront assists in locating acceptable, affordable apartments to help its clients look for a home. It helps clients assess their housing needs and financial limits.)

Lutheran Social Ministries of New Jersey

6 Terri Lane

Burlington, NJ 08016

Phone: (609)699-4132 or (609)394-5115 or (609)386-7171

Website: www.lsmnj.org

All housing options under Lutheran Social Ministries require an application, paperwork, and multiple forms of identification. This is long-term housing, not on an emergency or crisis basis.

Services:

- **Stepping Stones Commons** – Provides single room housing for 64 homeless men and women with multiple needs, funded under Section 8. *The program is located in Trenton, NJ. For more information, call: (609)394-5115.*
- **Cadwalader Apartments** – Offers affordable housing; with 21 apartment units available at either Stuyvesant Ave. or W. State St. in Trenton, NJ. *For more information, call (609)394-5115.*
- **Chestnut Monmouth Apartments** – Offers affordable housing; with 13 one, two, and three bedroom apartments throughout 4 renovated homes at Chestnut Ave and Monmouth St. in Trenton, NJ. *For more information, call (609)394-5115.*
- **Elwood Driver Townhomes** – Offers affordable housing; with 19 townhomes available at Sweets and Fountain Avenues in Trenton, NJ. *For more information call: (609)394-5115*
- **Mott Centre Street Apartments** – Offers affordable housing; with 22 apartment units available at 660 Center St., Trenton, NJ. *For more information call: (609)394-5115*
- **West Hanover Street Apartments** – Offers affordable housing; with 17 apartment units available. *The program is located in Trenton, NJ. For more information call: (609)394-5115 or (609)699-4136.*
- **Circle F Senior Apartments** – Offers affordable senior housing; with 69 apartment units available. *The program is located in Trenton, NJ. For more information call: (609)394-5115*

Oxford House

Website: www.oxfordhouse.org

Oxford House Carnegie

(for men)

68 Erdman Avenue
Princeton, NJ 08540
Phone: (609)924-2911
Houses 9 Beds

Oxford House Kingston

(for men)

31 Carnegie Drive
Princeton, NJ 08540
Phone: (609)356-0701
Houses 8 Beds

Oxford House is a self-run, self-supported recovery house concept and system of operation for individuals recovering from alcoholism and drug addiction. Oxford Houses assure an alcohol and drug-free living environment. They are democratically self-run by the residents who elect officers to serve for terms of six months. There are no resident counselors in an Oxford House.

A recovering individual can live in an Oxford House for as long as he/she does not drink alcohol, does not use drugs, and pays an equal share of the house's expenses. The average stay is about a year, but many residents stay three, four or more years. There is no pressure on anyone in good standing to leave.

Any recovering alcoholic or drug addict can apply to get into any Oxford House by filling out an application and being interviewed by the existing members of the House. The application is considered by the membership of the House and if there is a vacancy and if 80% of the members approve, the applicant is accepted and moves in. It costs roughly \$125/week, for a total of \$500/month.

Rescue Mission of Trenton

98 Carroll Street
PO Box 790
Trenton NJ 08604
Phone: (609)-695-1436
Website: www.rescuemissionoftrenton.org

Services:

- **Robinson Place** (A permanent supportive housing for **single men** who receive supportive services to assist them in maintaining independent living licensed by the State of New Jersey, Department of Community Affairs. Residents are involved in the Work Therapy/Life Skills Program and receive services including: counseling, medical supervision, meals, and transportation while continuing to enjoy the family environment that has contributed to their sobriety and improved standard of living.)

- **Vince's Place** (Provides residential addiction treatment services to homeless, indigent clients and those with specific legal issues. A full array of services are offered including group and individual counseling, medical supervision, educational and vocational assistance, meals and transportation. Vince's Place has three specialized units: (1) **The Long-Term Program** is a 180 day residential addiction treatment program that receives referrals from three main sources – general/"walk-in" referred by the emergency shelter and self-referrals; drug court; and referrals from the State Parole Board or Department of Corrections; (2) **Halfway House** is for individuals who need time to transition into treatment or out of treatment with focus on obtaining life skills and employment; and (3) **Extended Care** for individual who have been or are expected to be in residence for over one year. *For admission or referrals, call (609)815-3975.*)
- **Homeless Assessment and Referral Program** (This project is designed to house homeless individuals while they are in the process of obtaining housing and other supportive services or searching for a job. The program offers extended, supportive housing to adult, **single men** who are experiencing homelessness and are in need of assistance in obtaining social services and benefits in addition to living accommodations.)

The Martin House

827 East State Street

Trenton, NJ 08609

Phone: (609)396-5579

Website: www.martinhouse.org

Services:

The **Doorway to Hope** program is transitional housing that provides shelter and adds a program component to families throughout their stay at the facility. It provides assistance in developing a plan that will help participants prepare for independent living as well as assistance in seeking permanent housing. The program serves 17 families at a time in individual apartment units, which can stay for up to 12 months (although extenuating circumstances can sometimes warrant another six-month extension). Thirteen families are mother and children, and four are for couples or two-parent households. Other program elements include: life skills education (home maintenance, safety awareness, parenting, nutrition, budgeting, HIV/AIDS education, enrichment, and community awareness); individual counseling; family counseling; education/job training/employment; permanent housing search/assistance; advocacy and referrals; as well as aftercare and follow-up. Clients must be referred to the program by the Mercer County Board of Social Services.

Volunteers of America

Amani House

518-520 Martin Luther King Blvd.

Trenton, NJ 08618

Phone: (609)393-3168

Website: www.voadv.org

Services:

Amani House is a 25-bed transitional housing facility for **single homeless men**. The goals are to enable the clients to become self-sufficient and to find and keep permanent employment and housing. Amani House was developed by Volunteers of America Delaware Valley in a partnership with the City of Trenton to help the large population of homeless men in Trenton. The Mercer County Board of Social Services refers residents. Amani House provides these otherwise homeless men with a stable living environment for up to one year, although the actual length of stay depends on funding (i.e., from Board of Social Services).

Amani House is a supportive housing program that provides a secure environment, assessment and counseling, service/treatment planning, workshops, intensive case management and emotional support. During the day, residents attend programs at other agencies in the area such as job readiness training and substance abuse meetings. Residents are also required to attend two (2) in-house workshops a week such as nutrition, budgeting, resume writing, relationships or computer skills. During their stay, they are encouraged to find employment and/or participate in vocational or educational training. In addition, residents must also attend a weekly house meeting, maintain a clean living environment and prepare their own meals excluding dinner.

Womanspace

(for women and women with children)

HOTLINE: (609)394-9000

1212 Stuyvesant Avenue

Trenton, NJ 08618

Website: www.womanspace.org

Services:

Residential Housing Services (provides an essential stabilizing factor for families who have experienced domestic violence. Womanspace housing programs foster independence and self-sufficiency for domestic violence victims and their children. Clients for this program are accepted from the agency's shelter and counseling programs. Womanspace offers three housing programs: two transitional housing programs and one supervised living program. Barbara's House is a short-term residential program for 28 days, and Next Step offers a 1 - 2 year longer-term residential program. Both transitional programs address emotional needs, financial stability, resolution of legal concerns, and child care options. The programs also focus on educational goals or job readiness skills as the women work toward self sufficiency. The Womanspace Residential Awareness Program (WRAP) is a long-term supportive living program for developmentally disabled women and their children. Womanspace is the only DV agency in New Jersey to offer more than one type of transitional housing program as well as a supervised apartment program for women with developmental disabilities.)

YWCA of Trenton

Dunham Hall

1908 Riverside Drive

Trenton, NJ 08608

Phone: (609)396-2413

Website: www.ywcatrenton.org/dunhamhall.html

Services:

Dunham Hall is a 90-bed SRO (single room occupancy) residence that **provides transitional and permanent housing to low-income and homeless women**. We offer a housing model that recognizes the importance of securing safe, affordable, and stable housing as the initial step in the journey to achieving self-sufficiency. Our resident population consists of women with a history of mental illness, domestic abuse, substance abuse, HIV/AIDS and chronic homelessness. Without our residence and on-site social services, these women would wander the streets of Trenton, exposing themselves to crime and immense health risks.

The goal of Dunham Hall, which is sponsored by the YWCA Trenton, is to improve the personal and social functioning of women whose disabilities and other issues impede their ability to live independently in the community. To address the varied and complex social services needs of homeless women, Dunham Hall offers a comprehensive case management and referrals to community-based networks.

Homeless Prevention Assistance in Mercer County

Crisis Ministry of Princeton and Trenton

123 E. Hanover Street

Trenton NJ 08608

Phone: (609)396-9355

Website: www.thecrisisministry.org

Services:

The **Financial Assistance Office** is open Monday – Thursday 9:00am to 12:00pm as well as Wednesday 9:00am to 12:00pm and 2:00pm to 4:00pm. It provides short-term financial assistance to those in crisis. Assistance includes rent payments to avoid eviction; utility payment to avoid loss of services; and financial assistance for medical transportation. Funds are available the first of the month. Clients must bring photo identification and proof of address. To receive services, clients must bring rent receipt, eviction notice, shut-off notice, prescription, or referral by medical social worker. There is no waiting list for food, but review is required for financial assistance.

Rise, A Community Service Partnership

116 North Main Street

Hightstown NJ 08550

Phone: (609)443-4464

Website: www.rise-community-services.org

Services:

Rise currently does not offer housing due to a lack of funding, but is currently working on getting funding to restore emergency financial assistance for shelter, utility payments, rental assistance, arbitration, and medication to assist families and individuals in need. Interested clients should bring their eviction notice.

Salvation Army Drop-In Center

575 E. State Street
PO Box 60
Trenton NJ 08601
Phone: (609)599-9373

Services:

The **Day Center for the homeless** is open Sunday through Saturday 8:00am to 4:00pm. The center offers a place to hang out, relax, and play games. It also offers a 14 station computer learning center as well as life skills and job readiness classes. There are no requirements for the Center itself or the skills training. There is no overnight stay, and no food is provided.

Trenton Division of Community Relations and Social Services

16 East Hanover Street
Trenton, NJ 08608
Website: www.trentonnj.org

Unreachable by telephone, but on the web site the city of Trenton advertises the following programs and services.

Services:

- Federal Emergency Management Assistance (FEMA) – provides financial assistance to Mercer County residents with either one month's back rent, shelter placement, or first month's rent.
- Alternative Homeless Housing Assistance Program (AHHA) – provides financial assistance to working families or individuals with either one-month's back rent or first month's rent.
- City Relocation Program – provides financial assistance to participants whose home has been condemned or claimed inhabitable by City Inspectors
- Landlord and Subsidized Housing Network – liaison between participants and housing referrals. Advocate for participants and provide help to get all necessary documents required to prevent eviction, move in or emergency placement.

Notice: Information for Housing was downloaded on 06/01/11 from:

New Jersey Helps 211: <http://www.nj211.org/search.cfm>

Shelter Listings: <http://www.shelterlistings.org/>

Department of Housing and Urban Development Homes and Communities:

<http://www.hud.gov/local/nj/homeless/shelters/salem.cfm>

NJ Department of Community Affairs: <http://www.state.nj.us/dca/divisions/dhcr/>

The Agape Center: <http://www.theagapecenter.com/Treatment-Center/New-Jersey.htm>

HEALTH AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

Medicaid provides medical assistance programs to individuals who are both categorically and financially eligible. Medicaid categories are limited to very low income families with dependent children, pregnant women, children to age 21, individuals age 65 and older, or individuals determined blind or permanently disabled. Individuals must be residents of New Jersey and they are required to be a citizen of the United States or be lawfully admitted for permanent residence for at least five years. Pregnant women and children and other qualified aliens may be exempt from the 5 year requirement. The financial requirements vary for each program. Medicaid eligibility can be utilized in conjunction with other community programs and waivers as well as nursing home placement for senior and disabled individuals. For questions about Medicaid eligibility, call 1-800-356-1561.

Individuals that may not qualify for Medicaid programs can explore alternatives such as:

The Medically Needy segment of New Jersey Care...Special Medicaid Programs which provides limited coverage to aged, blind or disabled individuals who do not qualify for other Medicaid programs due to excess income or resources. This program features a spenddown provision in which documented medical expenses can be used to reduce monthly income to meet the program limits. More information would be available at the local County Welfare or Board of Social Services agency.

New Jersey Hospital Care Payment Assistance Program, provides free or reduced-charge care to patients who receive inpatient and outpatient services at NJ acute care hospitals. For more information contact 1-800-367-6543 or the business office of the local hospital.

Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC) provide limited health care services to clients on a sliding scale basis. For more information about FQHCs, locations and services, access their website at njpca.org or call (609) 689-9930.

Pharmaceutical Assistance to the Aged and Disabled (PAAD) and the Senior Gold Prescription programs can assist qualified seniors and disabled individuals with prescription coverage. See the NJ Helps Program list or call 1-800-792-9745 for more information.

If you are HIV+ or have AIDS, you may also be eligible for the **AIDS Drug Distribution Program (ADDP)**, which provides help paying for AIDS medication for people who don't have other ways of paying. You can apply for this program before you are released. To apply, contact the Aids Drug Distribution Program at (609)588-7038 or toll free 1-877-613-4533, Monday – Friday 9:00am to 5:00pm.

Free Health Services in Mercer County

Henry J. Austin Health Center*

321 N. Warren St.
Trenton, NJ 08618
Phone: (609) 989-3599
Web site: www.henryjainstin.org

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm and Saturdays 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Services: Free flu shot vouchers, to be redeemed at CVS pharmacies (**Note:** these are not always offered, please call first for more information).

John O. Wilson Hamilton Neighborhood Center, Inc.

169 Wilfred Avenue
Hamilton, NJ 08610
Phone: (609)393-6480
Web site: www.jowilsonnsc.org

Hours: Screenings are the third Thursday of each month, and shots are from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm on designated dates. Call for more information and to make an appointment

Services: Free health screenings and flu/pneumonia shots

West Windsor Community Farmers' Market

Vaughn Parking Lot
Princeton Junction Train Station
2 Wallace Road
Princeton Junction, NJ 08550
Phone: (609) 577-5113
Web site: www.westwindsorfarmersmarket.org

Hours: Every Saturday (seasonal) from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Services: Free blood pressure screenings from health care providers from Princeton HealthCare System

Free or Low Cost Medical Care in Mercer County

Henry J. Austin Health Center*

112 Ewing St.
Trenton, NJ 08609
Phone: (609) 278-6344
Web site: www.henryjainstin.org

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, appointments encouraged

Services: Adult medicine; gynecological care; social services; HIV testing and treatment

Note: the Ewing Street Austin location will be opening a new location in December 2011, in which they will house a broader range of services, including dental services, on-site behavioral health care, and pediatrics.

Henry J. Austin Health Center*

317 Chambers St.
Trenton, NJ 08609-2603
Phone: (609) 392-2635
Web site: www.henryjainstin.org

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Services: Adult medicine; pediatrics; back-to-school immunizations and physicals; obstetric/gynecological care, and HIV counseling and testing in expanded hours

Henry J. Austin Health Center*

321 N. Warren St.
Trenton, NJ 08618
Phone: (609) 989-3599
Web site: www.henryjainstin.org

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm and Saturdays 9:00 am to 1:00 pm, appointments encouraged

Services: Fast track; pediatrics; adult medicine; obstetric/gynecological care; social services; podiatry; eye care; behavioral health care; nutritional services; lab; on-site independent pharmacy; dental services; HIV and Hepatitis C testing and treatment; senior care

Trenton Area Soup Kitchen (TASK)**Medical services**

72½ Escher Street
Trenton, NJ 08609
Phone: (609) 695-5456
Web site: <http://www.trentonsoupkitchen.org/>

Services: TASK works closely with a number of area health care providers to meet the needs of patrons. Nurses from the Henry J. Austin Health Care Center and Robert Wood Johnson Hospital at Hamilton visit us regularly. These providers offer blood pressure screening, HIV testing and counseling, and other medical support services during our regular meal times (Monday through Friday from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm, and Monday through Thursday 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm).

***Note:** The Henry J. Austin Health Centers are **Federally Qualified Health Centers** that provide **low-cost**, not free, medical care. In order to set up an appointment you must bring photo identification, proof of address, proof of income or “no income”, proof of dependents, proof of medical/dental coverage, and your Social Security card. Please call one of the locations or the general phone number (609-278-5900) for more up-to-date information, as the Austin Health Center may offer free services (such as flu shots) seasonally.

Centers for Primary Health Care in Mercer County

New Jersey’s Centers for Primary Health Care (CPHC) offer a wide range of health care services for the entire family. You don’t need health insurance to get care at a center. Centers serve the uninsured and underinsured, as well as patients with Medicaid, Medicare and private insurance. If you’re uninsured, your bill will be based on your ability to pay. No one is ever turned away for lack of funds.

- Services provided by the centers include:**
- Pediatric Services/Well Baby Care
 - Women’s Health/Prenatal Care
 - Adolescent Health
 - Internal and Family Medicine
 - Geriatrics
 - Foot Care
 - Mental Health
 - Dental Care
 - Social Services
 - Case Management
 - Nutritional Counseling (WIC)
 - Health Education
 - Evaluation for Sexually Transmitted Diseases
 - HIV/AIDS Counseling and Testing
 - HIV/Hepatitis C Medical Care
 - Eligibility for Medicare/Medicaid
 - Laboratory Services
 - Referrals for Specialty Care
 - Pharmacy Services
 - Outreach and Marketing
 - Patient Transportation

HENRY J. AUSTIN HEALTH CENTER

Phone: (609) 278-5900

Web site: www.henryjaustin.org

3 locations (please see above listing for services provided by each location):

112 Ewing St. Trenton, NJ 08609	317 Chambers St. Trenton, NJ 08609	321 N. Warren St. Trenton, NJ 08618
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Free or Low Cost Dental Clinics in Mercer County

Many of the clinics have financial and/or residency requirements. Patients should be advised to call for an appointment and ask about required documentation regarding income or residency.

Program	Day/Hours	Requirements	Payment Method(s)	Services
Dental Lifeline Network (800) 829-4619 <i>(Federally Qualified Health Center)</i>	Call for locations and hours of operation.	Need-based, Permanent disability, Medically at risk and/or 65 years or older	Not Applicable (but there is often a waiting list for free services)	Provides one-time free dental services, based on financial eligibility

Donated Dental Services 1 Dental Plaza PO Box 2117 Edison, NJ 08818 (732) 549-8909	Call for locations and hours of operation.	Need-based, serious disability, any age	Free for those who can't pay, any payment clients can make is encouraged	Provides free, comprehen- sive dental care
Henry J. Austin Health Center 321 N. Warren St. Trenton, NJ 08618 (609) 278-5943	Monday through Friday 7:30 am – 3:30 pm Saturday 9:00 am – 1:00 pm	5 years and up	Family Care Medicaid Private Insurance Self-Pay Sliding Scale	Preventive Restorative Oral Surgery <i>(simple)</i> Endodontics
<i>(Federally Qualified Health Center)</i>				
Henry J. Austin Health Center 112 Ewing St. Trenton, NJ 08609 (609) 396-9600	Monday through Friday 7:30 am – 4:30 pm	3 years and up	Family Care Medicaid Private Insurance Self-Pay Sliding Scale	Preventive Restorative Prosthetic Oral Surgery <i>(simple)</i>
<i>(Federally Qualified Health Center)</i>				
Southern Jersey Family Medical Centers, Inc. 238 E. Broadway Salem, NJ 08079 (856) 935-	Call for locations and hours of operation.			

Some dentists accept Medicaid. Please re-check with a particular dentist when making an appointment since Medicaid status changes frequently.

For a list of participating dentists, call the NJ Medicaid Dental Bureau at 1-800 356-1561. Or visit the NJ Medicaid website and click on Provider Directory.

Website: www.njmmis.com

The **Medical Assistance Customer Center** for Medicaid clients (not enrolled in an HMO) in Mercer county is located at:

1 Port Center, Suite 401
2 Riverside Drive
Camden, NJ 08103

Mental Health Centers in Mercer County

County Mental Health Boards

A body of 7-12 County residents appointed by the County's board of chosen freeholders that reviews progress in the development of comprehensive community mental health services in the County and makes recommendations to the local agencies, the community mental health board, and the Department of Human Services.

Mercer County Mental Health Board

640 South Broad Street

Trenton, NJ 08650

Phone: (609) 989-6574 or (609) 989-6529

Screening/Crisis Centers

Sometimes an individual is in emotional crisis and cannot wait for a regular appointment to receive services. To provide services in such situations, Screening/Crisis Centers were established in each County. Emergency services are provided 24-hours a day, seven-days a week, and are typically located in General Hospitals. An individual may walk in without an appointment, or the individual may be brought to the screening center by a parent, friend, spouse, police, mental health worker, or any other concerned individual. If the person in crisis is unable or unwilling to come to the center, a mobile outreach team can be sent to the person.

Primary Screening Center for Mercer County

Located at: Capital Health, Fuld Campus

750 Brunswick Avenue

Trenton, NJ 08638

HOTLINE: (609) 396-4357

Web site: www.capitalhealth.org

Deaf Enhanced Short Term Care Facilities

All deaf and hard of hearing persons will be served on an equal basis at all DMHS funded program. A deaf enhanced short term care facility has more experience and training in communication with the deaf. The deaf individual has the option of receiving service at the nearest STCF or electing to be transferred to a deaf enhanced short term care facility.

Capital Health, Fuld Campus

750 Brunswick Avenue

Trenton, NJ 08638

Phone: (609) 394-6000

Web site: www.capitalhealth.org

Deaf Enhanced Screening Centers

All deaf and hard of hearing persons will be served on an equal basis at all DMHS funded programs. A deaf enhanced emergency screening center has specially trained

personnel and resources to assist in effective communication with deaf or hard of hearing clients or family members during a psychiatric crisis. When a deaf or hard of hearing person seeks service at any emergency screening center, they are offered the choice of receiving service at their local facility or being transferred to an enhanced center.

Capital Health, Fuld Campus

750 Brunswick Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08638
Phone: (609) 396-4357
Web site: www.capitalhealth.org

Homeless Services

This program provides services to individuals suffering from serious mental illness; or suffering from serious mental illness and from substance abuse; and are homeless or at imminent risk of becoming homeless.

Greater Trenton Behavioral Healthcare

314-316 East State Street
Trenton, NJ 08608
Phone: (609) 396-6788, ext. 232
Web site: www.gtbhc.org

Integrated Case Management Services

Consumer-centered services provided predominantly off-site in the consumer's natural environment. Personalized, collaborative and flexible outreach services are designed to engage, support and integrate consumers, 18 years of age or older who are severely and persistently mentally ill, into the community of their choice and facilitate access to needed mental health, medical, social, educational, vocational, housing and other services and resources.

Greater Trenton Behavioral Healthcare

314-316 East State Street
Trenton, NJ 08608
Phone: (609) 396-4258
Web site: www.gtbhc.org

Intensive Family Support Services (IFSS)

Comprises a range of supportive activities designed to improve the overall functioning and quality of life of families with a mental ill relative. These support activities may include psychoeducation groups, single family consultation, respite services, family support groups, systems advocacy and referral/service linkage. Services may be delivered in the family's home, at an agency, or at a community location convenient to the family.

Greater Trenton Behavioral Healthcare

1001 Spruce Street

Trenton, NJ 08638
Phone: (609) 396-6788. ext. 236
Web site: www.gtbhc.org

Intensive Outpatient Treatment and Support Services

Community based ambulatory treatment alternatives for adults who have serious and persistent mental illness. Access to the service is intended to provide an option for Designated Screening Programs and other acute care and hospital referral sources to assure that appropriate, intensive, community based, recovery-oriented outpatient services are readily accessible. These programs provide a comprehensive outpatient service package that addresses the needs of individuals with an exacerbation of the symptoms of mental illness and/or a co-occurring substance abuse disorder through services that include comprehensive assessments, Wellness and Recovery Action Plans (WRAPS), Medication Administration and Education, Individual Therapy, Structured Group Therapy, Illness Management and Relapse Prevention Groups, Family psycho-education, the provision of, or arrangements for, physical health care and direct linkage to ongoing clinical and support services as identified in the WRAP. Such outpatient services are designed and implemented in a manner which reflects recovery as an overarching value as well as an operational principle.

Greater Trenton Behavioral Healthcare

2550 Brunswick Pike
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648
Phone: (609) 396-8877
Web site: www.gtbhc.org

Outpatient

Services provided to clients who possess a psychiatric diagnosis, including clients who are seriously and persistently mentally ill, but excluding substance abuse and developmental disability unless accompanied by treatable symptoms of mental illness. Periodic therapy, counseling and supportive services are generally provided at the provider agency for relatively brief sessions (between 30 minutes and 2 hours).

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton

39 North Clinton Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08608
Phone: (609) 394-9398
Web site: www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org

Family Guidance Center, Consumer Credit Counseling Service

1931 Nottingham Way
Hamilton, NJ 08619
Phone: (609) 587-7044
Web site: www.fgccorp.org

Greater Trenton Behavioral Healthcare

Berminham Clinic

832 Brunswick Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08638
Phone: (888) 866-9565

Web site: www.gtbhc.org

Partial Care & Partial Hospitalization

Comprehensive, structured, non-residential health services provided to seriously mentally ill adult clients in a day program setting to maximize client's independence and community living skills. Partial Care programs provide or arrange services necessary to meet the comprehensive needs of the individual clients.

Association for the Advancement of Mental Health

819 Alexander Road
Princeton, NJ 08540
Phone: (609) 452-2088, ext. 230
Web site: www.aamh.org

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton

10 Southard Street
Trenton, NJ 08609
Phone: (609) 396-4557
Web site: www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org

Family Guidance Center, Children's Day School/Treatment

1925 Pennington Road
Ewing, NJ 08618
Phone: (609) 882-1898
Web site: www.fgccorp.org

Greater Trenton Behavioral Healthcare

314-316 East State Street
Trenton, NJ 08608
Phone: (609) 396-5344
Web site: www.gtbhc.org

Program of Assertive Community Treatment (PACT)

Comprehensive, integrated rehabilitation, treatment and support services to those individuals most challenged by the need to cope with serious and persistent mental illness, as evidenced by repeated hospitalizations and to those individuals identified as at serious risk for psychiatric hospitalization. PACT, provided in vivo by a multi-disciplinary service delivery team, is the most intensive program element in the ambulatory continuum of community mental health care. Services to an individual may vary in type and intensity, but treatment has no predetermined end.

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton

47 North Clinton Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08609
Phone: (609) 394-5285
Web site: www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org

Residential Services

A program for mentally ill adults in community residences owned or leased by the provider or through service agreements providing support and encouragement in the development of life skills required to sustain successful living within the community. Clients live in the most normalized, least restrictive environment possible to promote individual growth and safety. Programming focuses on empowering the client's use of generic community supports to meet physical, psychological and social needs to promote an improved quality of life and emotional well being.

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton

41 Steinert Avenue
Hamilton Township, NJ 08619
Phone: (609) 890-2527
Web site: www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org

SERV/Mercer

532 West State Street
Trenton, NJ 08618
Phone: (609) 394-0212
Web site: www.servbhs.org

Self-Help Centers

Community-based centers providing DMHS subsidized activities designed to encourage consumers to interact with their peers to promote mutual support in dealing with common problems, and social interaction in a non-clinical setting.

Reach Out/Speak Out

2100 E. State St. Extension
Hamilton, NJ 08619
Phone: (609) 989-0255

Short Term Care Facilities

Acute care adult psychiatric units in a general hospital for the short term admission of individuals who meet the legal standards for commitment and require intensive treatment. All admissions to STCF's must be referred through an emergency or designated screening center. STCF's are designated by DMHS to serve a specific geographic area, usually a county.

Capital Health, Fuld Campus

750 Brunswick Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08638
Phone: (609) 394-6049, ext. 6996
Web site: www.capitalhealth.org

St. Francis Medical Center

601 Hamilton Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08629
Phone: (609) 599-5180 or (609) 599-5183
Web site: www.stfrancismedical.com

Supported Employment Services

Competitive work in integrated work settings for mentally ill individuals for whom competitive employment has not traditionally occurred or has been interrupted or intermittent as a result of a severe disability and who, because of the nature and severity of their disability, need intensive supported employment services and extended support services.

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton

10 Southard Street
Trenton, NJ 08609
Phone: (609) 393-8912
Web site: www.catholiccharities.org

Supportive Housing

Supportive housing is designed to ensure consumers of mental health services, a choice of permanent, safe, affordable housing. Supportive housing offers individuals opportunities for involvement in community life. Emphasis is placed on the development and strengthening of natural supports in the community.

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton

41 Steinert Avenue
Hamilton Township, NJ 08619
Phone: (609) 890-2527

Collaborative Support Programs of NJ

615 Hope Rd., Bldg. #4
Eatontown, NJ 07724
Phone: (732) 460-1280

Web site: www.catholiccharities.trenton.org

Web site: www.cspnj.org

Systems Advocacy

Legal assistance provided to mental health clients, either through agency referrals or self-referral, by a network of DMHS-funded legal service agencies. Assistance may include advice and guidance, case coordination, and court representation for issues such as government entitlements, housing, evictions, employment, etc.

Community Health Law Project

225 East State Street, Suite 5
Trenton, NJ 08608
Phone: (609) 392-5553
Web site: www.chlp.org

Voluntary Unit

A unit within a hospital which provides transitional intensive short term treatment for the care of adult patients affected with acute or chronic mental illness on a voluntary basis. These units may be intermingled on STCF (short term care facility) units. Individuals under this status voluntarily admit themselves for a STCF for stabilization and treatment. However, a STCF shall agree to make every effort to discharge the person to appropriate voluntary outpatient services before making a referral to a State or county hospital.

Capital Health, Fuld Campus

750 Brunswick Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08638
Phone: (609) 394-6049, ext. 6996
Web site: www.capitalhealth.org

Other Mental Health Centers in Mercer County

Ewing Residential Center (DYFS)

1610 Stuyvesant Ave.
Ewing, NJ 08618
Phone: (609) 530-3350

Services: Residential care for children with behavioral health needs and/or social service needs

Family & Children's Services of Central New Jersey

Family Guidance Centers

Phone: (609) 586-0668
Web site: www.fgccorp.org
4 locations:

169 S Main St.
Hightstown, NJ 08520-3341
Phone: (609) 448-0056

120 John St. Ste 6
Princeton, NJ 08542
Phone: (609) 924-2098

946 Edgewood Ave.
Trenton, NJ 08618
Phone: (609) 393-1626

2300 Hamilton Ave.
Hamilton, NJ 08618
Phone: (609) 587-0744

Services: Outpatient mental health services, substance abuse treatment, financial counseling, housing counseling, family preservation services, and a special education school for children with behavior disorders

University Medical Center at Princeton

Attn: Behavioral Health
253 Witherspoon St.
Princeton, NJ 08540
Phone: (609) 921-7700 or (609) 497-4000

Services: Same-day surgical Center; specialized, acute rehabilitation and outpatient physical, occupational and speech therapy

Princeton House Behavioral Health

4 locations:

300 Clocktower Drive
Suite 101
Hamilton, NJ 08690
Phone: (609) 688-2788
Fax: (609) 683-3289

741 Mt. Lucas Road
Princeton, NJ 08540
Phone: (609) 497-3343
Fax: (609) 688-3771

Services:

Partial hospitalization and intensive outpatient

Services:

Partial hospitalization and intensive outpatient

1000 Herrontown Road
Princeton, NJ 08540
Phone: (609) 497-2673
Fax: (609) 279-9116

905 Herrontown Rd
Princeton, NJ 08540
Phone: (609) 497-3300
Fax: (609)497-3370

Services:

Inpatient and outpatient electroconvulsive therapy

Services:

Substance abuse treatment and outpatient electroconvulsive therapy

Trinity Counseling Service

22 Stockton St.
Princeton, NJ 08540
Phone: (609) 924-0060
Fax: (609) 924-7436

Web site: www.trinitycounseling.org

Services: (Outpatient care) Assessment of children and adults; bereavement and caregiver counseling; family consulting and marriage counseling; and wellness workshops

VA NJ Health Care System

Trenton Clinic
171 Jersey St Bldg 36
Trenton, NJ 08611
Phone: (609) 989-2355

Service Setting: Outpatient Care

Notice: Information from "Health/Mental Health" taken on 06/09/11 from:

NJ Resources for People Leaving Prison: <http://www.njsuccess.org>

US Department of Health and Human Services: <http://www.hhs.gov/resource/index.html>

NJ Department of Health and Senior Services: <http://www.nj.gov/health/>

NJ Department of Human Services: <http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices>

NJ Primary Care Association: <http://www.njpca.org/default.aspx>

Department of Health, Centers for Primary Health Care:

<http://web.doh.state.nj.us/apps2/fhs/cphc/cphcList.aspx>

NJ Department of Health Services, Mental Health Services:

http://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dmhs/news/publications/mhs/directory_by_county.html#11

SOCIAL SECURITY PROGRAMS

Social Security Card

Applications for social security cards are processed by your local Social Security office. You can process the application by mail or in person.

Medicare Benefits

Your Medicare card will come in the mail up to three months before your 65th birthday. If you do not receive it in a timely manner, you should call the Social Security Administration at 1-800-772-1213 or visit them on the internet at www.ssa.gov. Either way, you will get assistance and can have the Medicare card sent to you.

If you are not receiving Social Security, you will need to sign up for Medicare. This is an easy process and you can do this a couple of ways. You can call Social Security Administration at 1-800-772-1213. They will take the information over the phone to get the process underway and then they will send you some paperwork in the mail.

If you prefer, you can go to your local Social Security office and apply in person. The advantage to this is that there is an individual there who will walk you through the entire process. Either way, it is your choice. You cannot sign up on line for Medicare only.

To sign up for both Medicare and Social Security Retirement Benefits together you can apply online at www.ssa.gov, or by phone at 1-800-772-1213, or go in person to your local Social Security office. Either way, you should be able to easily get enrolled for Medicare benefits without extra effort or worry.

Disability Benefits

Social Security Disability (SSDI) applications are processed in person at a local Social Security office, by telephone, mail, or over the Internet. Supplemental Security Income (SSI) applications are processed only at the local Social Security office. A large amount of paper work is involved in completing a SSDI or SSI application. Making an appointment at the local office is advised. After filing an application, it takes, on average, three to five months to determine whether you were approved. For more information on how to apply for SSDI or SSI or to get your claim started, visit the [Social Security Disability web site](http://www.ssa.gov), http://ssa-custhelp.ssa.gov/cgi-bin/ssa.cfg/php/enduser/std_adp.php?p_faqid=326

Applications for SSDI or SSI require proof of disability and SSI requires proof of income need. Qualification for either program provides health insurance through Medicaid or Medicare.

People are not eligible for either SSDI or SSI while in jail or prison. SSI applications can be processed within 30 days of release. Along with an SSI application, applicants must complete a Statement of Claimant (SSA 795), which asks: do you have any outstanding warrants and if on parole/probation, are you in violation. Answering 'yes' to either question must be addressed before the application will be processed.

Applications for Social Security Disability (SSDI, SSI) in New Jersey are processed by local Social Security offices. From the list below, find the one closest to you and call first to make sure that that office serves your area. Applying for SSDI or SSI is as simple as calling the 800 number and making an appointment at one of these local offices. If you have difficulty getting to the office it can be done by making a phone appointment.

WorkFirst New Jersey (WFNJ)

The state's welfare reform program, WorkFirst NJ, emphasizes work as the first step toward building a new life and a brighter future. Our goal is to help people get off welfare, secure employment and become self-sufficient, through job training, education and work activities.

WFNJ provides temporary cash assistance and many other support services to families through the *Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)* program.

New Jersey is one of only a few states that also provide cash benefits and support services to individuals and couples with no dependent children, through our *General Assistance (GA)* program.

Services under WFNJ are limited to five years. After that, clients may be eligible for the [Supportive Assistance to Individuals and Families \(SAIF\) program.](#)

Under the supervision of the NJ Division of Family Development (DFD), the 21 county welfare agencies administer the TANF program. These agencies also administer the WorkFirst NJ General Assistance (GA) program - which provides welfare services for individuals and couples without children -in most cases, although about one-third of New Jersey's 566 municipalities maintain their own welfare offices to serve those clients. For more information, contact the **Mercer County Office** of Social Services.

Mercer County Board of Social Services

200 Woolverton Street

P.O. Box 1450

Trenton, NJ 08650

Phone: (609) 989-4320 or 1-800-564-1595

Fax: (609) 394-6638

NOTE: If you were convicted of an offense involving distribution or sale of drugs after August 22, 1996, you cannot receive cash benefits under GA or TANF. If you were convicted of an offense after that date that only involved possession of drugs, you may be able to get benefits if you completed or are enrolled in a licensed drug treatment program, or completed a program in prison and are drug free (you will have to submit to drug testing). If you apply for welfare and the case worker asks about your criminal background, you should answer truthfully and to the best of your knowledge. If you lie, you may be found ineligible and could also be prosecuted.

The state also provides financial assistance and services to people who cannot work, due to a disability or other reason. People who are disabled may qualify for the federal [Supplemental Security Income](#) (SSI) program.

Supplemental Security Income (SSI)

The Federal Social Security Administration administers the Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Program, under which persons age 65 years and older, or those who are blind or disabled (including children); receive maintenance payments from that agency and supportive services (including emergency assistance and payment for burial) through the county welfare agencies. For eligible individuals, a state supplement is provided in order to increase the net countable income up to the state standard for the respective living arrangement. In addition, there can be instances of persons residing in title XIX (Nursing Home) facilities who receive a \$40 personal need allowance.

Legal Services/SSI Initiative

Work First NJ (WFNJ) recipients who may be eligible for federal SSI benefits can now get free legal help. The Division of Family Development has established an agreement with Legal Services of New Jersey (LSNJ) to assist these recipients in either filing for SSI benefits or appealing a denial of benefits.

The project primarily targets WFNJ recipients who currently receive a medical deferral from work requirements for at least 12 months, or those who are participating in the Emergency Assistance Pilot for the Long-Term Chronically Impaired. Recipients may call the LSNJ toll-free number 1-877-LSNJSSI (1-877-576-5774) for assistance.

Social Security Offices in Mercer County

Hours: Monday – Friday: 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM (except federal holidays)

Social Security Office	Phone Numbers	Local Areas of Coverage
Social Security Office 3310 State Route 66 Neptune, NJ 07753	Toll-Free 1-800-772-1213 TTY 1-800-325-0778	Allentown
Social Security Office 52 Charles St. New Brunswick, NJ 08901	Toll-Free 1-800-772-1213 TTY 1-800-325-0778	Cranbury, Skillman
Social Security Office 2 nd Floor 635 South Clinton Ave. Trenton, NJ 08611	Toll-Free 1-800-772-1213 TTY 1-800-325-0778	Chesterfield, Hightstown, Hopewell, Lambertville, Pennington, Princeton, Princeton Junction, Titusville, Windsor, Trenton, Lawrence Township

Food Stamps

Provide a monthly sum to buy food. If you were convicted after August 22, 1996 of a drug distribution or sales offense, you may still be able to get Food Stamps if you have completed or are enrolled in a licensed drug treatment program, or completed a program in prison and are drug free (you will be tested). The same goes for possession offenses.

Veterans Benefits

If you were receiving veteran's benefits, either for disability or a pension, and you were incarcerated for more than 60 days, you will have to get reinstated after you are released.

If you were not receiving benefits and you are a veteran, you may be eligible for benefits or for some of their other programs and services, including health care. You can contact the VA for questions about benefits at 1-800-827-1000; the health benefit number is 1-877-222-VETS. The VA Benefit Administration is located at 20 Washington Pl., 3rd Floor, in Newark, 1-973-645-1441 (regional office) or Camden County Department of Veterans Affairs, Lakeland Complex, 3 Collier Dr, PO Box 1535, Blackwood, NJ 08012 1-856-374-5801.

Notice: Information from "Social Security Program" taken on 06/01/11 from:

Social Security: <http://www.socialsecurity.gov/>

US Department of Health and Human Services: <http://www.hhs.gov/resource/index.html>

LEGAL SERVICES

Mercer County Bar Association

1245 Whitehouse-Mercerville Rd.

Hamilton, NJ 08619-3894

Phone: (609) 585-6200

Fax: (609) 585-5537

Web site: www.mercerbar.com

E-mail: cbrennan@mercerbar.com

Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

The Mercer County Bar Association (MCBA) is a not-for-profit organization based in Mercer County, New Jersey. Incorporated in 1901, the MCBA boasts membership of over 1,200 members. Membership is available to lawyers who live and/or practice in Mercer County. The MCBA is governed by a Board of Trustees.

The Association is committed to being actively involved in the community through a variety of programs. Members can choose to participate in a variety of committees and sections. They have developed programs and activities for both MCBA members and the general public.

The Association provides the Mercer county community with the **Lawyers C.A.R.E.** program, in which attorneys provide free fifteen-minute consultations on the following topics:

Family Law

Real Estate Law

Landlord/Tenant Law

Personal Injury Law

Wills and Estates

Bankruptcy

Criminal Law and Municipal Court Law

Immigration

The **Lawyers C.A.R.E.** program occurs on the second Thursday of each month, from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm, and rotates among the following community locations (for a complete schedule please call or visit the Bar Association web site):

Ewing Branch

61 Scotch Road

Ewing, NJ 08628

Phone: (609) 882-3130

Lawrence Branch

2751 Brunswick Pike

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

Phone: (609) 882-9246

Mercer County Connection

Hamilton Square Shopping Center

Highway 33 at Paxson Avenue

Hamilton, NJ 08690

Phone: (609) 890-9800

Twin Rivers Library Branch

276 Abbington Drive East Windsor, NJ

08520 Phone: (609) 443-1880

Mercer County Courthouse

P.O. Box 8068
Trenton, NJ 08650-0068
Phone: (609) 571-4000

Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Civil Courthouse

175 S. Broad St.
Trenton, NJ

Criminal Courthouse

209 S. Broad St.
Trenton, NJ

General Equity

210 S. Broad St.
Trenton, NJ

Central Jersey Legal Services

198 West State Street
Trenton, NJ
Phone: (609) 695-6249

Website: www.lsnj.org/cjls

Central Jersey Legal Services is a nonprofit law firm. The agency offers free legal help in civil (non-criminal) cases for low-income residents of Mercer, Middlesex and Union Counties. If you have a legal problem and cannot afford an attorney, Central Jersey Legal Services is here to help.

Services: The problems listed below are some of the most common types of cases that are handled. There are other legal problems with which they can help. Call the office nearest you to find out if your problem qualifies for assistance.

- **Housing problems-** Eviction, foreclosure, rent collection, tenant repair issues, Section 8 and other public housing problems, and housing discrimination.
- **Family matters-** Help for victims of domestic violence, divorce, child custody, support and visitation.
- **Consumer problems-** Bankruptcy, collections, credit access, utility billing/shut-offs, unfair sales practices, and consumer fraud.
- **Public benefits and employment-** Benefits such as TANF, GA, SSI/SSD, and Food Stamps. Unemployment, improper job terminations, employment discrimination, and pay or benefits withholding.
- **Health & education-** Medicaid/Medicare, Charity Care, prescription drug coverage, private insurance, and access to health care. School placement, special education, residency, and bullying.
- **Senior citizens-** Powers of attorney, wills, guardianships, nursing homes and other health care issues.

Lutheran Social Ministries of New Jersey

Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Program
P.O. Box 30, Trenton, NJ 08601
189 South Broad Street
Trenton, NJ 08601
(609) 393-4900
Web site: www.lsmnj.org

Services: Provides legal services and referrals, either for free or for a nominal fee, to indigent individuals in immigration removal proceedings

Community Health Law Project (CHLP)

225 East State Street
Trenton, NJ 08608
Phone: (609) 392-5553
Website: www.chlp.org
Email: Trenton@chlp.org

Services: Provides legal and advocacy services, training, education, and related activities to persons with disabilities and the elderly and to organizations representing their interests. CHLP serves consumers of mental health services, people with physical disabilities, HIV/AIDS, developmental disabilities, and visual impairments. Services are free to income eligible, except for certain SSD cases. Their attorneys and advocates represent clients in matters involving the problems listed below.

- **Social Security benefits**
- **Welfare, food stamps, and other entitlements**
- **Housing habitability and landlord-tenant disputes; foreclosure defense**
- **Consumer protection and debt collection**
- **Child support and domestic violence**
- **Medicaid, Medicare, and other health insurance issues.**

Office of Public Defender

210 South Broad St.
Trenton, NJ 08625
Phone: (609) 292-4081
Fax: (609) 777-0892

Deputy Public Defender: Vernon Clash Esq.

Services:

The New Jersey Office of the Public Defender provides constitutionally mandated legal representation for adults and juveniles charged with criminal offenses who are unable to afford private lawyers. Once you have been found by the court to be eligible for public defender services, you are guaranteed certain rights as a public defender client. You also have certain responsibilities as a client including an obligation to pay reasonable costs of your representation.

Once the court has decided that you do not have enough money to hire your own lawyer, and that you are therefore entitled to the services of a New Jersey Public Defender, you have the following responsibilities:

- Pay a \$50 administrative fee. This fee is payable at the time of your initial meeting with a public defender lawyer or investigator. It may be paid by check or money order (made out to the Office of the Public Defender) or in cash. If you are unable to pay, a deferred payment schedule can be arranged.
- Meet as soon as possible with your lawyer. Discuss with the lawyer the facts and circumstances surrounding the charges against you. Your recollection of the events can be vital to your defense.
- Make a commitment to assist your lawyer in gathering all necessary documents and other information that may help your case. Remember that all communications--written or oral--with police, prosecutors, the probation department, inmates or anyone else in the criminal justice system should be made through your lawyer.
- Advise your lawyer of your current residence. You must notify your lawyer or your county public defender office of any change in your address or phone number during the course of your representation.
- In addition to the administrative fee, you must by law pay the Office of the Public Defender for the reasonable costs of defender services once your case is completed. Public defender fees are for work such as interviews and investigations done outside the courtroom, plus other costs such as those for transcripts and expert witnesses. If you cannot pay the full amount at one time, a payment schedule can be arranged. Periodic bills will be sent to you until all costs are paid. The office also is required by law to place liens on your property to meet unpaid bills. State income tax refunds and Homestead rebates also can be withheld after two-years, under the Set-Off Individual Liability (SOIL) program. You will be required to sign a reimbursement form which signifies your agreement to pay these costs; however, failure to sign this form does not relieve you of your obligation to reimburse the Office of the Public Defender.

Office of Witness Advocacy

Mercer County Prosecutor's Office

P.O. Box 8068

Trenton, New Jersey 08650

Phone: (609) 989-6428

Fax: (609) 278-2707

Services:

In each of the 21 county prosecutors' offices there is a County Office of Victim Witness Advocacy. The job of each office is to help crime victims and to make sure that a victim's rights are protected. These offices are staffed with trained professionals who are Victim Witness advocates.

Trenton Area Soup Kitchen (TASK)**Legal services**

72½ Escher Street

Trenton, NJ 08609

Phone: 609-695-5456

Website: <http://www.trentonsoupkitchen.org/>

Services: TASK has relationships with attorneys from Dechert LLP in Princeton, which offers legal services to our patrons pro bono. Dechert attorneys come to TASK twice a month to meet with patrons who are screened by our social worker. If Dechert is able to assist them, patrons' cases are assigned to attorneys at the law firm who have agreed to participate in this program. Common legal situations include landlord/tenant disputes and receipt of benefits.

Notice: Information from "Legal" taken on 06/01/11 from:

New Jersey Resources for People Leaving Prison: <http://njsuccess.org>

Office of Public Defenders: <http://www.state.nj.us/defender>

New Jersey Judiciary: <http://www.judiciary.state.nj.us/mercer/index.htm>

FOOD AND CLOTHING

Many communities contain food and clothing resources that assist individuals and families on a regular basis. It is important when visiting these resource facilities to come prepared with the proper required documents. Many request proof of residency, income, identification and/or a letter of referral. Listed below are examples of documents often accepted to satisfy eligibility requirements.

Proof of Identification:

Drivers License or Identification Card; Passport; Birth Certificate; Social Security Card; Naturalization Certificate; Official Hospital/Doctor Birth Records; Marriage Records; Documentation of Recent Incarceration

Proof of Residency:

**Avoid Using Proof of Residency Documents with a PO Box Address*

Leasing Contract or Mortgage Statement; Utility Bill (Gas, Electric, Cable); Drivers License or Identification Card; Bank Statement; Postmarked Envelope, Postcard, or Magazine

Proof of Income:

Recent Paycheck Stub; Letter from Employer on Company Letterhead (Signed and Dated); Income Tax Return; Letter from Department of Labor; Documentation of Recent Incarceration; Unemployment Record;

Proof of Identification:

Drivers License or Identification Card; Passport; Birth Certificate; Social Security Card; Naturalization Certificate; Official Hospital/Doctor Birth Records; Marriage Records; Documentation of Recent Incarceration

How to Acquire a Referral:

A simple way to prove need for social services is to contact the local county Department of Social Services. There is a directory of all of New Jersey's Department of Social Services Offices listed within the *Community 101 Resource Binder*. The Department will provide you with documentation accepted many places to verify eligibility for local resources.

Also, many resource locations accept referral letters from any social services agency, churches, schools (if you have children), and counselors. If a Food Bank/Pantry requires a referral, call and ask them about who else they accept letters from.

Note: If You Need to Receive Services Others

Many food pantries request that you provide additional documentation if you need to acquire food or clothing resources for additional family members, such as children, who live with you. This includes social security cards or birth certificates of each person/child.

For more assistance on locating additional Food Pantries and Thrift Stores in your area, along with assistance in getting a *referral* call:

The National Aid, Inc.
5926-A Main St.
Mays Landing, NJ 08330
Phone: (609) 625-9345

General Resources in Mercer County

Mercer County Board of Social Services

2000 Woolverton St.
Trenton, NJ 08650
Phone: (609)989-4320 or 1(800)564-1595
Fax: (609)989-0405
Web site: mcboss.com
E-mail: cwamboss@xbp.dhs.state.nj.us

Services: Food Stamps, Work First New Jersey (TANF), Medicaid, Work First New Jersey (General Assistance), NJ WorkAbility

Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, open until 8:30 pm on Tuesdays

Food Pantries in Mercer County

Bethel Seventh Day Adventist Church

207 Hillcrest Avenue
Trenton, NJ
Phone: (609)393-2224

Services: Food pantry

Hours: The third Sunday of the month, from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

Eligibility: Must be a Mercer County resident, need to bring photo identification as well as proof of address and proof of income.

Bromley Neighborhood Civic Center

1801 East State Street
Hamilton, NJ
Phone: (609)587-8100

Services: Food pantry, provides one box of food per three household members per month

Hours: Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30 am to 11:30 am and 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Eligibility: Must be resident of a certain area of Hamilton (other Hamilton residents are served by John O. Wilson Center, see entry below), bring photo identification, proof of address and proof of income or assistance

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton

132 N. Warren Street

Trenton, NJ 08608

Phone: (609)394-8847.

Website: www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org

Services: Food pantry, provides one three-day supply of food per household member per month

Hours: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9:00 am to 12:30 pm

Eligibility: Must be a resident of Mercer County, bring photo identification

Celestial Church of Christ

46 Weber Avenue

Ewing, NJ

Phone: (609)771-9227

www.celestialchurch-vog.com

Services: Food pantry

Hours: First and third Sunday of the month, 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Eligibility: Bring some form of identification

Concerned Citizens of Ewing, Inc.

320 Hollowbrook Drive

Ewing, NJ

Phone: (609)882-0856

Web site: ccofewing.org

Services: Food pantry

Hours: Monday through Friday, 9:30 am to 1:30 pm

Eligibility: Must be a Ewing resident; must bring a valid Driver's License, Social Security Card, proof of address and proof of income or assistance; can only visit the pantry once a month

Crisis Ministry of Princeton and Trenton, Trenton Location

123 E. Hanover Street, Trenton NJ 08608

Phone: (609)396-9355

Web site: www.thecrisisministry.org

Services: Food pantry and free farmer's market

Hours: Pantry: Monday through Thursday 9:00 am to 12:00 pm during the last three weeks of each month, and 9:00 am to 12:00 pm on the second Saturday of each month; Market: Fridays from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Eligibility: The Crisis Ministry serves: people of all backgrounds; older and disabled people with incomes from \$500 to \$800 per month; families experiencing long-term unemployment; working families with children with one or two parents with incomes ranging from \$800 to \$2,500 a month; individuals or families receiving assistance of \$140 to \$500 per month

Crisis Ministry of Princeton and Trenton, Princeton Location:

61 Nassau Street, Princeton NJ 08542

Phone: (609)921-2135

Web site: www.thecrisisministry.org

Services: Food pantry

Hours: Monday through Thursday, 1:30 pm to 4:00 pm

Eligibility: The Crisis Ministry serves: people of all backgrounds; older and disabled people with incomes from \$500 to \$800 per month; families experiencing long-term unemployment; working families with children with one or two parents with incomes ranging from \$800 to \$2,500 a month; individuals or families receiving assistance of \$140 to \$500 per month

East Trenton Center

601 North Clinton Avenue

Trenton, NJ 08638

Phone: (609)393-8009

Web site: <http://habitatta.org/Habitattaorg.aspx>

Services: Food pantry and clothing distribution (when available)

Hours: Monday through Wednesday during the last three weeks of each month, and Friday (just for produce items); summer hours are 10:00 am to 1:00 pm, winter hours are 11:00 am to 1:00 pm

Eligibility: Must be a Mercer County resident and bring photo identification, services are provided on a “first come, first serve” basis

Faith Baptist Church

2111 Kuser Road

Hamilton Twp. NJ 08690

Phone: (609)585-9186

Web site: fbcchurch.org

Services: Food pantry

Hours: Every third Saturday of each month, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm; call for an appointment

Eligibility: Anyone on SNAP automatically qualifies, but call first

HomeFront, Inc.

1880 Princeton Avenue

PO Box 6094

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

Phone: (609)989-9417

Web site: www.homefrontnj.org

Services: Food pantry

Hours: Tuesday 12:00 pm to 8:00 pm and Monday and Thursday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Eligibility: Must be a Mercer County resident and bring photo identification

Jewish Family and Children Services of Greater Mercer County

707 Alexander Road; Suite 102

Princeton, NJ 08540

Phone: (609)987-8100 x118

Web site: www.jfcsonline.org

Services: Kosher food pantry and other social services

Hours: Tuesday and Wednesday 8:45 am to 5:00 pm

Eligibility: Must call for an appointment

John O. Wilson Hamilton Neighborhood Center, Inc.

169 Wilfred Avenue

Hamilton, NJ 08610

Phone: (609)393-6480

Web site: www.jowilsonnsc.org

Services: Food pantry (provides one box of food per month), along with other programs, services, and activities

Hours: Monday 10:00 am to 12:00 pm and Wednesday 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Eligibility: Must be a resident of a certain area of Hamilton township (other Hamilton residents will be served by Bromley Neighborhood Civic Center, see entry above), must bring Social Security Card, photo identification, and proof of income or assistance, and then fill out an application

Lawrence Community Center

295 Eggerts Crossing Road

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

Phone: (609)883-3379

Web sites: www.homefront.org/lcc.cfm, <http://www.lawrencecomctr.com/>

Services: Food pantry, clothing distribution (when available), emergency shelter, and computer room

Hours: Food Pantry: The first and third Thursday of the month, 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm; Computer Room: Monday through Friday from 9:00 am to 8:00 pm

Eligibility: Must be a Mercer County resident, and must bring photo identification, social security card, proof of residence, proof of income, and a public service bill with proof of address or a copy of release form; also provide birth certificates for children in the household who are under the age of 18

Mercy House Outreach Ministry at Divine Mercy Parish

201 Adeline Street

Trenton, NJ

Phone: (609)396-0853

Web site: www.divinemercoftrenton.org

Services: Food pantry and clothing distribution

Hours: The third Saturday of each month from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Eligibility: There are no requirements

**Mount Carmel Guild
Emergency Assistance Services**

73 North Clinton Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08638
Phone: (609)392-3402
Web site: www.mcgtrenton.org

Services: Emergency food pantry (three to five day supply of food every thirty days)

Hours: Summer hours: Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 9:30 am to 11:30 am and 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm, Thursday from 9:00 am to 11:00 am and 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm (except the second Thursday of the month when the program will be closed), and Friday from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. Regular hours: Call for assistance Monday through Friday, from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm; walk-in hours are on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, from 9:30 am to 11:30 am and 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm

Eligibility: Must be a Mercer County resident, bring a photo identification for all household members, as well as a bank statement, rent receipt, proof of income or general assistance, etc.

New Bethel Holy Kingdom Faith Ministries

25 Weber Avenue
Ewing, NJ
Phone: (609)883-3979 or (609)882-9747

Services: Food pantry

Hours: Every third Friday of the month, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Eligibility: Must be a Mercer County resident and bring photo identification with proof of address and income

New Covenant United Methodist Church

1965 South Broad Street
Hamilton, NJ
Phone: (609)393-4725
Web site: www.newcovenantumc.net

Services: Food pantry

Hours: Every third Wednesday of the month, from 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Eligibility: No requirements

Princeton Deliverance Center

301 Southard Street
Trenton, NJ 08609
Phone: (609)392-9161
Web site: www.princetondeliverance.org

Services: Food pantry and clothing distribution (when available)

Hours: Wednesday 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm and Friday 9:00 am to 12:00 pm, closed the first week of each month

Eligibility: Bring photo identification, but the pantry tries to provide food for everyone

Rise, A Community Service Partnership

225 Franklin Street

Hightstown NJ 08550

Phone: (609)443-4464

Website: www.rise-community-services.org

Services: Food pantry

Hours: Monday through Wednesday 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Eligibility: Must bring photo identification, social security card, and proof of income and residency; once eligibility is determined, patrons can visit the pantry twice a week (every Monday, three Tuesdays out of the month, and Wednesday on any week that they don't go on Tuesday)

Sacred Heart Church

343 South Broad Street

Trenton, NJ

Phone: (609)393-2801

Web site: www.trentonsacredheart.org

Services: Food pantry

Hours: The Tuesday before the fourth Sunday of the month, from 1:15 pm to 5:15 pm

Eligibility: Must bring photo identification

Samaritan Baptist Church

531 Dr. Martin Luther King Blvd.

Trenton, NJ

Phone: (609)393-0016

Services: Food pantry

Hours: Saturdays from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm, except for the first Saturday of the month when it is closed

Eligibility: No requirements

St. Raphael's Holy Angels

151 Gropp Avenue

Hamilton, NJ

Phone: (609)585-3848

Website: www.straphael-holyangels.com

Services: Food pantry

Hours: Two Saturdays a month from 9:00 am to 11:00 am; usually open the first and third Saturdays of the month, but dates are subject to change so please call in advance. The last confirmed schedule included the following dates from 2011: June 25, July 9 and 23, August 6 and 20, September 3 and 17, October 8 and 22, November 5 and 19, and December 3 and 17

Eligibility: Must be a resident of Mercer County and bring photo identification, proof of address, and proof of income or assistance

Trinity Cathedral Food Pantry

801 West State Street
Trenton, NJ 08618
Phone: (609)392-3805
Website: www.TrinityCathedralNJ.org

Services: Food pantry
Hours: Every other Saturday from 9:00 am to 11:00 am (last known date: June 11, 2011)
Eligibility: Must be a Trenton resident

United Progress, Inc.

162 West State Street
Trenton, NJ
Phone: (609)392-2161

Services: Food pantry
Hours: Monday through Wednesday and Friday, from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm
Eligibility: Must be a Mercer County resident, bring Social Security card for yourself as well as for any underage children, along with proof of income and proof of address

Soup Kitchens and Other Meal Programs in Mercer County

First Baptist Church of Trenton

128-140 Centre Street
Trenton, NJ 08611
Phone: (609)393-8810
Web site: www.firstbaptisttrenton.org

Services: Soup kitchen
Hours: Monday through Wednesday, 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm
Eligibility: No requirements

HomeFront, Inc.

1880 Princeton Avenue
PO Box 6094
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648
Phone: (609)989-9417
Web site: www.homefrontnj.org

Services: Delivery of donated hot meals, which are prepared by area congregations and community groups
Hours: Call for mealtimes
Eligibility: Must be a Mercer County resident and call/apply for meals

Jerusalem Baptist Church

150 North Clinton Avenue
PO Box 3833
Trenton NJ 08609
Phone: (609)631-0355

Services: Soup kitchen and clothing distribution (when available)

Hours: The first Saturday of the month (for months with four Saturdays) or the third Saturday of the month (for months with five Saturdays). The meal is served 11:00 am to 1:00 pm

Eligibility: No identification is needed, and there are no requirements, but call first for clothing distribution

Mercy House Outreach Ministry at Divine Mercy Parish

201 Adeline Street
Trenton, NJ
Phone: (609)396-0853
Web site: www.divinemercoftrenton.org

Services: Soup kitchen

Hours: Thursday from 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm

Eligibility: There are no requirements

Rescue Mission of Trenton

98 Carroll Street
PO Box 790
Trenton NJ 08604
Phone: (609)-695-1436
Web site: www.rescuemissionoftrenton.org

Services: Soup kitchen and clothing distribution (when available), as well as other social services

Hours: Sunday 11:30 am to 1:00 pm and the fifth Saturday of each month from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

Eligibility: No identification is needed, and there are no requirements, but call first for clothing distribution

Sacred Heart Church

343 South Broad Street
Trenton, NJ
Phone: (609)393-2801
Web site: www.trentonsacredheart.org

Services: Soup kitchen

Hours: The fourth Sunday of the month from 12:30 pm to 2:00 pm

Eligibility: Must bring photo identification

St. Mary's Cathedral**Loaves and Fishes**

Perry and North Warren Streets

Trenton, NJ 08618

Phone: (609)466-9290 or (609)396-8447

Services: Soup kitchen

Hours: Last two Saturdays of the month, from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm

Eligibility: No requirements

Trenton Area Soup Kitchen (TASK)

Site Location: *72 ½ Escher Street; Trenton NJ 08609*

Mailing Address: *PO Box 872; Trenton NJ 08605*

Phone: (609)695-5456

Website: www.trentonsoupkitchen.org

Services: Soup kitchen and distribution of hygiene products, in addition to other basic social services

Hours: Monday through Friday, midday meal from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm, and Monday through Thursday, dinner is served from 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm. Children receive breakfast bags at the midday meal, in addition to dinner bags for Friday at the Thursday dinner

Eligibility: Patrons should be residents of Mercer County and bring photo identification, although everyone is welcome and the kitchen does their best to serve everyone. Each patron is eligible to receive a hygiene bag once per month

Trinity Cathedral Food Pantry

801 West State Street

Trenton, NJ 08618

Phone: (609)392-3805

Website: www.TrinityCathedralNJ.org

Services: Soup kitchen (partner with TASK)

Hours: Thursday from 5:00pm to 6:30pm

Eligibility: No requirements

Ujima Ministries, Women's Center and Mercer County FORGE

1001 Pennington Avenue

Ewing, NJ 08618

Phone: (609)882-2098

Website: www.ujimaministries.org

Services: "Breakfast Club"

Hours: Second and fourth Mondays of the month at 9:45 am

Eligibility: No requirements

Thrift Stores in Mercer County

Goodwill industries of Southern New Jersey and Philadelphia

1628 N. Olden Avenue

Ewing, NJ

Phone: (609)392-2865

Web site: www.goodwillnj.org

Services: Thrift store

Hours: Monday through Saturday, 9:00 am to 9:00 pm, and Sunday 10:00 am to 6:30 pm

Rise, A Community Service Partnership

114 Rogers Avenue

Hightstown NJ 08550

Phone: (609)448-2702

Web site: www.rise-community-services.org

Services: Thrift store

Hours: Monday and Tuesday 10:00 am to 3:00 pm and Wednesday through Saturday 10:00 am to 7:00 pm

Salvation Army

436 Mulberry Street

Trenton, NJ 08638

Phone: (609)599-9803

Web site: www.salvationarmyusa.org

Services: Thrift store

Hours: Monday through Saturday, 8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Salvation Army

15 State Highway 33

Hamilton, NJ 08619

Phone: (609)890-9664

Web site: www.salvationarmyusa.org

Services: Thrift store

Hours: Monday through Saturday, 9:30 am to 6:30 pm

The Martin House

804 East State Street

Trenton, NJ 08609

Phone: (609)989-0271

Website: www.martinhouse.org

Services: Thrift store, also provides special food and clothing distributions during the holidays and winter season

Hours: Friday 2:00 pm to 6:00 pm and Saturday 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

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New Jersey Resources for People Leaving Prison: www.njsuccess.org
New Jersey Anti-Hunger Coalition: www.njahc.org
End Hunger NJ: www.endhungernj.org
MercerResourceNet: www.mercerresourcenet.org
Mercer Street Friends: www.mercerstreetfriends.org

SOCIAL SUPPORT RESOURCES

New Jersey Self Help Clearinghouse (www.njgroups.org)

The Clearinghouse has information on over 4,500 self-help group meetings throughout New Jersey. They cover a broad range of subjects including most illnesses, addictions, bereavement situations, disabilities, abuse victims, parenting problems, family issues, and many more.

Call for Mutual Aid Self-Help **1-800-FOR-MASH** (367-6274)

Hours: Monday – Friday 8:30am to 5:00pm

Types of Groups:

- Addictions
 - Alcohol
 - Drugs
 - Dual Diagnosis
 - Gambling
 - Over-Eating
 - Tobacco Addiction
 - Professionals in Recovery
 - General Addiction
 - Faith-Based/Sponsored
 - Sex and Love Addiction
 - Over Spending
 - Cluttering/Hoarding
 - Just for the Families and Friends of those with Addictions
- Adult Children
- Bereavement
- Caregivers
- Cultural – Language Specific
- Disability
- Economic Downturn/Financial
- Faith-Based
- Men Only
- Older Adults
- Parenting
- Siblings
- Wellness and Recovery (Mental Health)
 - Addictions
 - Physical Health (AIDS/HIV+, Chronic Illness, Diabetes, Eating Disorders, Epilepsy, Heart Disease, Liver Disease, Respiratory Disease, Diet, Weight Loss Surgery and many more)
 - Financial
 - Spiritual and Personal Well-Being
 - Mental Health (General Mental Health, Anxiety, Depression and Bipolar Disorder, Mental Health Consumers, Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder, Trichotillomania (Compulsive Hair Pulling), Self-Abuse, and Schizophrenia)
 - Relationships (Anger, Child Abuse Survivors, Co-Dependency, Dysfunctional Families, and Domestic Violence, Sexual Abuse)
- Women
- Youth

Addiction Hotline: 1-800-559-9503

Call for: residential inpatient, detox, extended care, and interventions

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)

Alcoholics Anonymous® is a fellowship of men and women who share their experience, strength and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help others to recover from alcoholism. The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking. There are no dues or fees for AA membership; we are self-supporting through our own contributions. The primary purpose is to stay sober and help other alcoholics to achieve sobriety.

Call 1-866-920-1212 for support group meetings near you.

Central Jersey Intergroup

348 Farnsworth Avenue

Bordentown, NJ

Phone: (609) 298-7785 (office)

(609) 298-7795 (hotline)

Website: <http://www.centraljerseyintergroup.org/>

Narcotics Anonymous (NA)

Narcotics Anonymous is an international, community-based association of recovering drug addicts with more than 43,900 weekly meetings in over 127 countries worldwide.

Call 1-800-992-0401 or (732) 933-0462 for support group meetings near you.

New Jersey Statewide Narcotics Anonymous

Website: www.nanj.org

Council on Compulsive Gambling of New Jersey

This organization provides information, education and referral services for persons with a gambling problem and those affected by them. It offers free or low cost treatment for clients. **Call 1-800-GAMBLER (or 1-800-426-2537)**

Website: www.800gambler.org

Support Groups, Programs and Services in Mercer County

This is not a comprehensive list of social support resources in Mercer County. Please contact the New Jersey Self-Help Clearinghouse to identify and locate other local social support agencies. In addition, program and group meeting schedules may change. You *may* want to contact the agency to confirm the information, prior to attending.

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton

132 N. Warren St.
Trenton, NJ 08608
Phone: (609) 394-2172
Web site: www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org
E-mail: info@cctrenton.org

Programs:

- Familia Latina – provides substance abuse prevention services primarily within the Latino community. Services are provided in both English and Spanish. This program is located at 39 North Clinton Ave., Trenton, NJ, (609) 394-9398 or 1-800-360-7711
- The Guidance Clinic – provides psychotherapy and counseling for people with behavioral, emotional, psychiatric and substance abuse concerns. This program is located at 39 North Clinton Ave., Trenton, NJ, (609) 394-9398 or 1-800-360-7711
- El Centro (The Family Resource Center) – is a multi-family community support and building program, specifically focused on meeting the needs of Latino families in Mercer County. Services include: information, referrals and advocacy; individual and family counseling; women and men support groups; AA Recovery Group; youth programs; Adult Basic Education; medical services; computer classes; ESL classes; and more.
- PACT (Program Assertive Community Treatment) – Community-based intensive mental health and recovery service for the most seriously and chronically disabled mentally ill adults. PACT is made up of three teams: Team 1: 1340 Parkway Ave., Suite 11, Ewing, NJ 08628, (609) 882-4772; Team 2: 47 N. Clinton Ave., Trenton, NJ 08609, (609)396-8787; and Team 3: 47 N. Clinton Ave., Trenton, NJ 08609, (609) 396-9777

DBSA (Depression and Bipolar Support Alliance) Princeton

Depression, Mood disorders

University Medical Center at Princeton
Lambert House, Room 1
Franklin Ave.
Princeton, NJ
Phone: (732) 735-3410 (Bob)
Website: <http://www.dbsanewjersey.org>

Meeting Time: Tuesday and Wednesday,
7:30 pm to 9:15 pm
An informal forum for education, support and socialization among patients diagnosed with depression, bipolar disorder or related mood disorders, their families and friends, and interested others. Building is handicapped accessible.

Double Trouble in Recovery 12-Step

Chemically addicted and psychiatric illness

Reach Out/ Speak Out Self-Help Center
 2100 E. State St. Extension
 Hamilton, NJ
 Phone: (609) 816-2439 (Helen)

Meeting Time: Friday, 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm
 Support and encouragement for those who are chemically addicted and are also in recovery from a psychiatric illness.

GROW

Depression, Anxiety, Mental Health Problems

Reach Out/Speak Out Self-Help Center
 2100 E. State St.,
 Hamilton, NJ
 Phone: (732) 295-1545 (Caroline)

Meeting Time: Thursday at 6:00 pm
 Mutual support group to prevent and recover from depression, anxiety and other mental health problems. A caring and sharing community to attain emotional maturity, personal responsibility, and recovery.

Pregnancy and Postpartum Support Group

Depression, anxiety

Mary Jacobs County Library
 Route 518
 Rocky Hill, NJ
 Phone: (609) 683-1000 (Joyce, day)
 (908) 752-3797 (Terry)
 (732) 248-4921 (Gail, eve.)
 Email: joycevenis@yahoo.com

Meeting Time: The third Saturday of the month, from 10:30 am to 12:00 pm
 Professionally-run. Support for pregnant and new mothers adjusting to emotional issues such as blues, depression, and anxiety. Families welcome. Building is handicapped accessible. Pre-registration required (but no fees), please call before attending.

Intensive Family Support Services (IFSS)

Family members/care givers

Professionally-run. Support for family members and caregivers of any adult with a mental illness. Guest speakers, phone help and literature.

Lawrenceville:

Lawrence Rd. Presbyterian Church
Meeting Time: Monday, 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm
 1039 Lawrence Rd.

NAMI Mercer
Meeting Time: (*varies*) 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm
 Lawrence Commons
 3371 Brunswick Pike, Suite 124
 (*Use entrance in back of building*)

Contact: Amanda Lynn Salzman
 Phone: (609) 396-6788 ext. 206

Trenton:

Kingbury West Tower
Meeting Time: Thursday, 11:30am -1:00pm
 1 Kingsbury Square

Kingsbury West Tower
 (*SPANISH*)
Meeting Time: The first and third Thursday of the month, 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm
 1 Kingsbury Square

Contact: Josie Reyes
 Phone: (609) 396-6788 ext. 227

NAMI Connection

Psychiatric Disorders

NAMI Mercer, Lawrence Commons
3371 Brunswick Pike, Suite 124
Lawrenceville, NJ
Phone: (609) 799-8994
Website: <http://www.namimercer.org>

Meeting Time: Monday, 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm
Peer-led mutual support for anyone age 18+ with any type of psychiatric disorder, to include

schizophrenia, schizo-affective disorder, bipolar disorder, depression, obsessive-compulsive disorder, post-traumatic stress disorder, any anxiety disorder, borderline personality disorder, other personality disorders and various eating disorders. Also welcomes people who are exploring issues around whether or not they live with a mental illness. Building is handicapped accessible. Pre-registration required, call before attending.

New Perspectives

Psychiatric Disorders

Unitarian Universalist Church
Washington Crossing, NJ
Phone: (609) 818-0177 (David Hughes)
Email: david.hughes419@att.net
Web site: www.hughes13.com

Meeting Time: Every other Monday at 7:30 pm
Mutual support for persons with depression, bipolar disorder, anxiety, or panic attacks

Parent Support Group

Parents of adolescents

Anchor House
482 Centre Street
Trenton, NJ
Phone: (609) 396-8329

Meeting Time: Monday, 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Professionally-run. Support and information for parents of adolescents. Opportunity to share ideas, concerns, strategies, learn helpful parenting skills and techniques. Building is handicapped accessible.

Reachout/ Speak Out

Mental Health Consumers

Reachout/ Speak Out Self-Help Center
2100 E. State St. Extension
Hamilton, NJ
Phone: (609) 586-2551
Email: hwilliams@cspnj.org

Consumer-run self-help center that offers mutual support and socialization for mental health consumers. Advocacy, education, social activities, and referrals. Call for more information.

Wellness and Recovery

Mental Health Consumers

Lawrence Commons
3371 Brunswick Pike, Suite 124
Lawrenceville, NJ
Phone: (609) 799-8994 (day)

Meeting Time: The first Monday of the month, 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm
Professionally-run. Opportunity for mental health consumers to share wellness and recovery techniques. Use back entrance in back of building. Please call before attending.

Women's Depression

Depression

The Clearinghouse
Phone: 1-800-367-6274

A group for women with depression in Mercer and Monmouth counties. If you are interested in joining the group please call for more information.

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NJ 211: <http://nj211.org/search.cfm>

New Jersey Self-Help Group Clearinghouse: <http://www.njgroups.org>

The Agape Center: <http://www.theagapecenter.com/Treatment-Centers/New-Jersey.htm>

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES



Access Link

NJ TRANSIT funds paratransit services in Mercer County for people whose disabilities prevent them from using the existing bus service. Access Link provides curb-to-curb transportation on a next day reservation basis from locations within 3/4 of a mile of existing bus routes. Users must first apply and meet certain eligibility requirements.

Other Special Services on NJ TRANSIT

NJ TRANSIT has lift-equipped and kneeling buses and accessible rail stations. Check bus timetables for trips marked “W” to see which trips use lift-equipped buses. For commuter routes call NJ TRANSIT (at least 24 hours in advance) to schedule a lift-equipped bus, which permits a wheelchair to be brought on board. Kneeling buses enable the front steps to be lowered for people who have difficulty negotiating steps.

Reduced Fare Policy for Seniors and Passengers with Disabilities

Senior Citizens (62 to 64 years of age): are eligible for reduced fares on-board NJ TRANSIT buses and trains during the hours of 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM and 7:00 PM to 6:00 AM on weekdays, and all day on weekends and holidays. Simply show the driver/conductor your *Reduced Fare Card*.

Senior Citizen 65 and older and Passengers with Disabilities: can travel on-board buses and trains at a reduced fare *at all times* except on trains as noted in the shaded area of the rail timetable (peak commute hours). Simply show the driver your NJ TRANSIT *Reduced Fare Card* or *Medicare Card*.

For further information on obtaining a *Reduced Fare Card*,

- Call 1 (973) 378-6401
- Stop by one of NJ TRANSIT's Customer Service Offices located at **Newark** or **New York** Penn Stations, **Hoboken** Terminal or the **Port Authority Bus Terminal**
- Ask your ticket agent

NJ TRANSIT Accessible Service Information Hot Line:
Northern New Jersey: 1 (800) 772-2222
Southern New Jersey: 1 (800) 582-5946



SEPTA Accessible Services

SEPTA offers a variety of accessible services for persons with disabilities and senior citizens. Presently, all suburban county bus routes are accessible via an "on-call" program. Approximately 56% of our city bus fleet is wheelchair accessible and approximately 32% have wheelchair lifts and computerized stop announcements to assist persons with physical, visual and hearing disabilities. By the year 2004 the entire SEPTA city bus fleet will be 100% accessible.

SEPTA also provides accessible service for persons with disabilities who can not use regular public transit service for some or all of their mobility needs, as well as senior citizens 65 years of age and older. For more information about these services, select the appropriate icon or call SEPTA's Customized Community Transportation Customer Service Hotline at 580-7145, TDD-580-7712.

Mercer County Transportation Resources to Aid the Disadvantaged and Elderly (T.R.A.D.E)

TRADE provides transportation services to transportation-disadvantaged Mercer County Residents who are:

- Senior Citizens (60+)
- Persons with disabilities
- Economically disadvantaged

All trips are grouped into the following categories:

- Subscription: trips to employment, dialysis, nutrition sites, rehabilitation sites, radiation, etc., which are provided on an ongoing basis.
- Demand Response: trips to doctors' appointments, out-patient clinics, beauty parlors, or shopping, which are provided on an as-needed basis.

How do I schedule a reservation?

- Call (609) 530-1972, Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, up to 14 days prior to the date of your scheduled appointment.
- Demand Response appointment time slots are available from 9:30 AM to 1:30 PM.
- Appointment time slots for the Princeton/Hightstown area are available from 11:00 AM - 1:30 PM. Princeton/Hightstown residents can call toll free at (609) 275-2929.
- Identify yourself and whether you have registered with TRADE. If you are not registered, please be prepared to provide the operator with the following information:
 - Name and Address
 - Home telephone number
 - Date of birth
 - Emergency contact person with phone number
 - Disabilities (wheelchair, cane, etc.)
 - Total family income
 - Total residents in household

Mercer County Board of Social Services Transportation Initiative

200 Woolverton St.

Trenton, NJ 08650

Phone: 609-989-4320 or 1-800-564-1595

Website: <http://www.mcboss.org/>

Work Pass - All WFNJ recipients that are participating in an approved work activity are eligible to receive monthly bus passes or daily tickets in order to get to their activity site.

"Get A Job, Get A Ride"- NJ Transit provides one free monthly bus pass to TANF participants that are terminated from assistance due to employment.

Extended Work Pass - TANF recipients that are terminated from assistance due to employment are eligible to receive bus passes for 6 months. After the third month, there is a 50% co-pay.
MCBOSS Roads to Success Program

Purchase of Cars - MCBOSS will assist qualified TANF or Post-TANF recipients in purchasing a quality used car. The recipient must meet specific guidelines and will be required to pay a co-pay for the car.

Car Repair - Participants that have a car but it is in need of repairs to make it road ready, are eligible to receive assistance in this area. Repairs cannot exceed \$750.

Obtain Drivers License - Participants that have never had a valid driver's license will be assisted in obtaining one. Recipients will be taught driving skills by a licensed car driving school. There is no cost to the participant for this program.

Restoration of Drivers License - Participants that have had their license suspended or revoked will receive assistance in paying fines and fees in order to restore their driving privileges. Only certain fines and fees will be eligible for reimbursement.

Insurance Premiums - Participants that do not have automobile insurance may receive assistance under this provision. Early Employment Initiative participants are eligible to participate in the Roads to Success program. They are also eligible for bus passes for six months.

For additional information contact the agency.

New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission

New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission

Phone: 1-888-486-3339 or (609)292-6500

Website: www.state.nj.us/mvc

Bakers Basin

3200 Brunswick Pike
Route 1 North
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

Hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 8:00 am to 7:30 pm, Wednesday and Friday 8:00 am to 4:30 pm, and Saturday 8:00 am to 1:00 pm

Services: Titles, licenses, registration, abstracts (certified, five-year), vehicle inspection (restricted hours), vision and knowledge tests, CDL written test, basic, CDL and motorcycle/MOPED road tests (restricted hours)

Trenton

120 S. Stockton & Front St.
Trenton, NJ 08611

Hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 8:00 am to 7:30 pm, Wednesday and Friday, 8:00 am to 4:30 pm, and Saturday 8:00 am to 1:00 pm

Services: Titles, licenses, registrations, abstracts (certified, five-year), scheduled driver conferences, walk-in (restoration, surcharge; restricted hours)

Special Automobile Insurance Policy (SAIP)

(http://www.state.nj.us/dobi/division_consumers/insurance/saip.htm)

This is an initiative to help make auto insurance coverage available to drivers who are likely to go uninsured because of limited financial resources. People who are currently enrolled in *Federal Medicaid with hospitalization* are eligible for the SAIP. (Not all Medicaid programs qualify for the SAIP policy). The SAIP can be obtained at most insurance agencies. If you are not sure how to get one, you can call the Personal Automobile Insurance Plan (PAIP) customer service number at **1-800-652-2471**, or go online to www.nj.gov/cgi-bin/dobi/paip/paipmenu.cgi. An insurance producer can determine if you are eligible from the number on your Medicaid ID card. Such drivers can obtain a medical coverage-only policy at a cost of \$365 a year. Clients can pay either all up front for \$360 or a total of \$365 in two installments.

The policy covers emergency treatment immediately following an accident and treatment of serious brain and spinal cord injuries up to \$250,000. It also provides a \$10,000 death benefit. It does not cover outpatient treatments such as doctors' visits covered by Medicaid, damage you may cause to other persons or property (liability coverage), or damages to your own car (collision and comprehensive coverage). You cannot get a policy if your drivers' license or registration is revoked or suspended.

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NJ Resources for People Leaving Prison: <http://njsuccess.org/>

NJ Department of Banking and Insurance:

http://www.state.nj.us/dobi/division_consumers/insurance/saip.htm

NJ Motor Vehicle Commission: <http://www.state.nj.us/mvc/>

LSNJ Law: www.lsnjlaw.org/english/governmentaid/resources/transporation/index.cfm

OTHER

Libraries are great places to find informational, recreational and cultural materials. Also, many of the libraries have computers that are open to the public.

How to acquire a library card:

For most libraries you will need to register in person for a membership. Make sure to bring with you proof of current residency within the county. To prove residency you may present a New Jersey driver's license, a New Jersey Motor Vehicle registration, a utility bill, a property tax bill, a lease agreement, and so on. Please note some libraries may have additional requirements for acquiring a membership. To be prepared call the library to find out the specifics of getting a library card for their branch before going.

If you are unable to obtain a membership many libraries will still let you use the facilities and its resources. Contact the library to find out their policies regarding using the library without a library card.

Open Borrowing Program:

The Open Borrowing Program is an expansive new program that enables library users to borrow in person at any participating public library in Passaic, Bergen, Morris, Middlesex, Sussex, and Warren County. Just get a green sticker on your library card from your home library to verify participation and good standing, this will allow you to have access to materials held by libraries throughout northern New Jersey. Borrow in-person and return materials to any participating library.

Lawrence Headquarters Branch

2751 Brunswick Pike
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648
Phone: (609) 882-9246 or
(609) 989-6922

Hightstown Memorial Branch

114 Franklin St.
(Corner of Franklin & Main)
Hightstown, NJ 08520
Phone: (609) 448-1474

Robbinsville Branch (Formerly Washington Branch)

42 Allentown-Robbinsville Rd.
Robbinsville, NJ 08691
Phone: (609) 259-2150

Ewing Branch

61 Scotch Road
Ewing, NJ 08628
Phone: (609) 882-3148

Hollowbrook Branch

320 Hollowbrook Dr.
Trenton, NJ 08638
Phone: (609) 883-5914

Twin Rivers Branch

276 Abbington Dr.
East Windsor, NJ 08520
Phone: (609) 443-1880

Hickory Corner Branch

138 Hickory Corner Road
East Windsor, NJ 08520
Phone: (609) 448-1330

Hopewell Branch

245 Pennington-Titusville Rd.
Pennington, NJ 08534
Phone: (609) 737-2610

West Windsor Branch

333 North Post Rd.
Princeton Junction, NJ 08550
Phone: (609) 275-8901

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Mercer County Library System: <http://webserver.mcl.org/branches/brnchmn.html>

APPENDIX

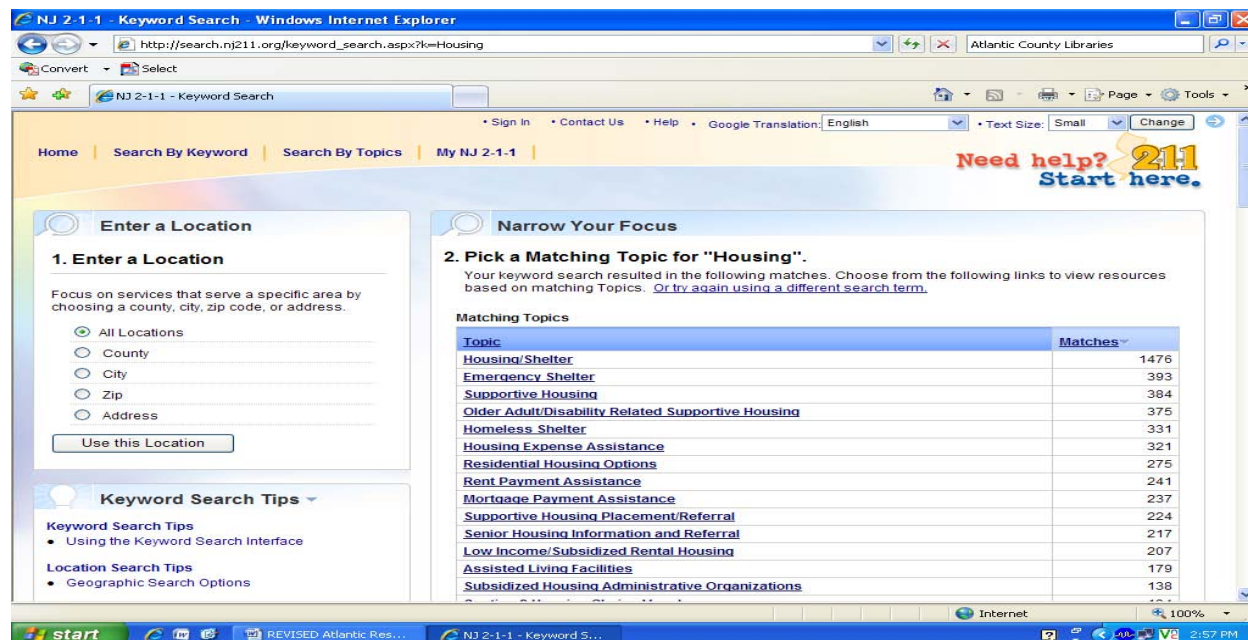
A. GENERAL INFORMATION AND SEARCH RESOURCES

2-1-1: I Need Help (<http://www.nj211.org>)

Here is what the website screen for NJ 211 “I Need Help” looks like:

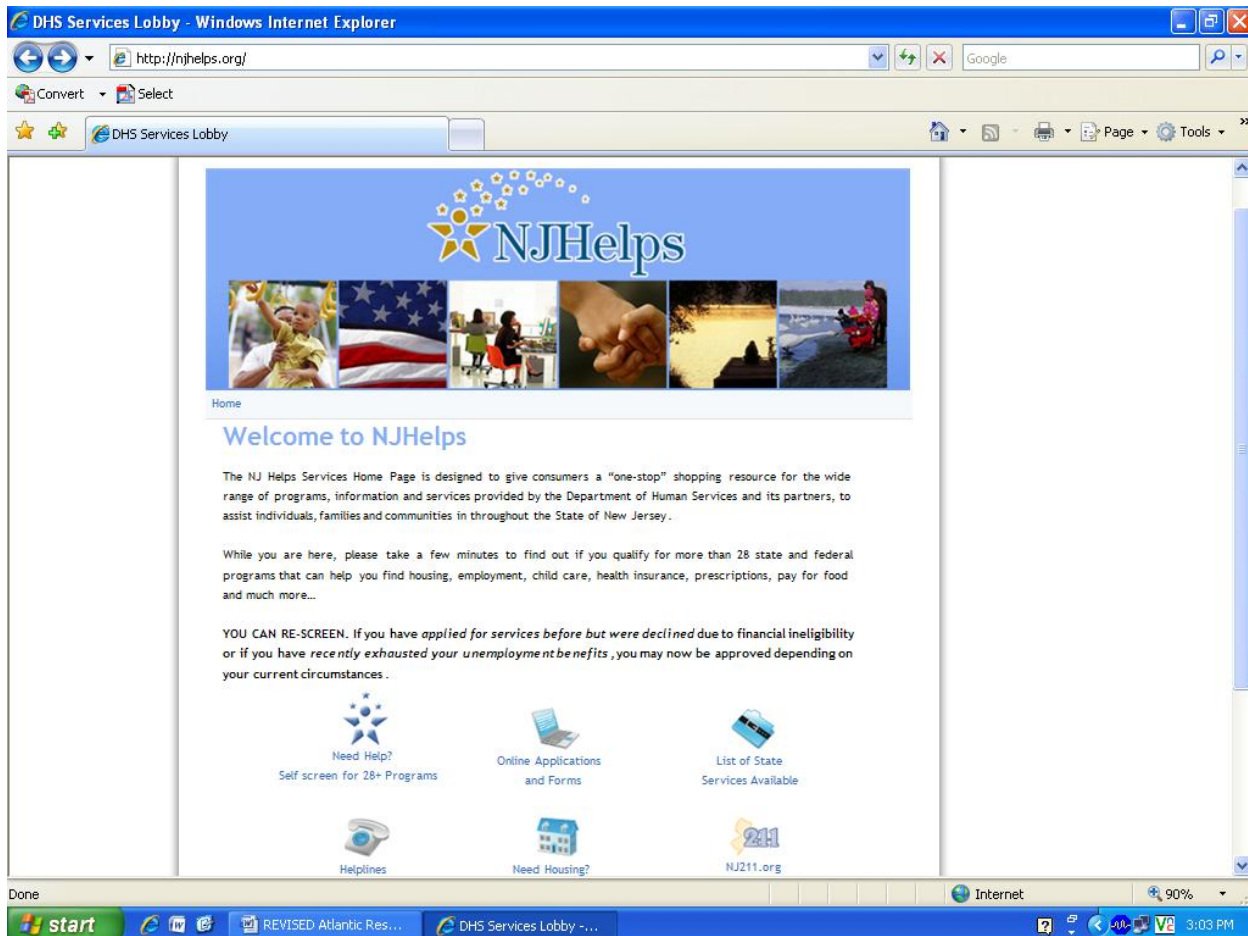


After entering the type of assistance you need, click the “Search Now” button. This will take you to a second page in which you can refine your search by location of services and specific types of services: Here is what the following page will look like:



NJ Helps (<http://www.njhelps.org>)

Here is what the website screen for NJ Helps "List of Programs" looks like. On the website screen, click on the links for more information.



List of Programs

NJ Helps knows about the programs listed below. *NJ Helps* can tell you whether your family might be able to get help from any of these programs. Click on the program name for a description of the program. Click on the "Continue" button to begin to screen for eligibility.

Food and Nutrition

- [Food Stamps](#)
- [Women, Infants, and Children Services](#)
- [EndHungerNJ](#)

Child and Family Resources

- [Work First New Jersey \(TANF\)](#)
- [New Jersey Cares for Kids \(Child Care Assistance\)](#)
- [Kinship Navigator program \(Assistance for Relative Caregivers\)](#)
- [Federal Earned Income Tax Credit](#)
- [NJ Earned Income Tax Credit](#)
- [Catastrophic Illness in Children Relief Fund](#)

Income Support for Adults

- [Work First New Jersey \(General Assistance\)](#)

Health Insurance

- [Medicaid](#)
- [NJ FamilyCare](#)
- [Medicare and Medicare Savings](#)

Need Help Finding Affordable Housing?

- [New Jersey Housing Resource Center](#)

Need Help Paying Your Mortgage or Preventing Foreclosure?

- [NJ Home Ownership Preservation Effort \(NJ HOPE\)](#)

Utility Assistance

- [Low Income Home Energy Assistance \(LIHEAP\)](#)
- [Lifeline](#)
- [The Universal Service Fund \(USF\)](#)

Seniors and People With Disabilities

- [Senior Gold Prescription Discount Program](#)
- [Pharmaceutical Assistance to the Aged and Disabled \(PAAD\)](#)
- [AIDS Drug Distribution Program](#)
- [Hearing Aid Assistance to the Aged and Disabled \(HAAAD\)](#)
- [Adult Family Care](#)
- [Assisted Living](#)
- [Community Care Program for the Elderly and Disabled \(CCPED\)](#)

- [Community Resources for People with Disabilities \(CRPD\) Waiver](#)
- [Jersey Assistance for Community Caregiving \(JACC\)](#)
- [Caregiver Assistance Program \(CAP\)](#)
- [NJ WorkAbility](#)
- [AIDS Community Care Alternatives Program](#)
- [Traumatic Brain Injury \(TBI\) Waiver Program](#)

Employment and Training Assistance

- [One Stop Career Center](#)
- [Workforce Investment Act Training Programs](#)
- [Workforce Development Partnership Training](#)
- [Self Employment Assistance](#)
- [New Jersey Youth Corps](#)

NJ Success (<http://njsuccess.org/>)

Here is what the website screen for NJ Success “NJ Resources for People Leaving Prison” looks like:

New Jersey Resources for People Leaving Prison

All New Jersey

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Emergency

Also Visit...
Northern New Jersey
Central New Jersey
Southern New Jersey
Newark Success

Welcome to NJSUCCESS! This interactive database of community resources for people leaving prison can be used in several ways. Click on the region of New Jersey where you would like to search for resources to move to the search screen – or use the links at the left of your screen.

If you want to search for resources in the Newark area, visit [NewarkSuccess.org](#).

NJSUCCESS shows information about programs and services, and where we have direct experience, evaluations of those programs made by former prisoners.

We need your help to let us know how these programs and services worked for you and for those you know. Use this link to send us your experience in trying to get what you needed after release.

Send Email to [NJSUCCESS](#)

Get back the vote in NJ: Find out how to reclaim your right to vote in New Jersey after a conviction at <http://www.achu-nj.org/issues/elections/voting>. If you have difficulty getting registered to vote, call the American Civil Liberties Union of New Jersey at (973) 642-2084.

Map of New Jersey counties: Sussex, Passaic, Bergen, Warren, Morris, Essex, Hudson, Somerset, Union, Hunterdon, Middlesex, Mercer, Monmouth, Burlington, Camden, Gloucester, Ocean, Salem, Atlantic, Cumberland, Cape May.

End Hunger NJ (<http://www.endhungernj.org/>)

Here is what the website screen for End Hunger NJ “Search- Food Assistance” looks like:

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "End Hunger NJ - Windows Internet Explorer" with the address bar displaying "http://www.endhungernj.org/Forms/ProvidersSearch.aspx". The website header features the "End Hunger NJ" logo and the text "a project of the New Jersey Hunger Prevention Advisory Committee". Below the header, there are two tabs: "Home" and "Need Help?". The main content area is titled "Search - Food Assistance" and contains three search options: "Find a Meal (Soup Kitchen)", "Find Groceries (Food Pantry)", and "Meal and Groceries (Soup Kitchen/Food Pantry)". Each option has a corresponding checkbox. To the left of the search forms is a map of New Jersey with county names labeled: Sussex, Passaic, Warren, Morris, Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Hunterdon, Somerset, Union, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Burlington, Camden, Gloucester, Ocean, Salem, Atlantic, Cumberland, and Cape May. Below the search forms are input fields for Name, City, Zip, County (a dropdown menu), and Phone, each with a "Search" button. A "Go" button is located at the bottom of the search section. A note at the bottom of the search area reads: "Note: Please call the Food Pantry or Soup kitchen first, to determine when they are open and if food is available." The browser's taskbar at the bottom shows the Start button, several open applications including "REVISED Atlantic Res...", and the system tray with the time "3:04 PM".

Other Important Numbers to Have at Your Finger Tips:

Emergency/Fire/Police
911

Family Crisis Intervention
(908) 298-7800

NJ Easy Access Single Entry
(NJ EASE)
(908) 527-4872

ALA Substance Abuse Hotline
(800) 322-5525

Family Health Line
(800) 328-3838

NJ Organ & Tissue Sharing
Network
(800) 742-7365

Battered Women
(908) 355-HELP

HIV Hotline
(800) 624-2377

Parents Anonymous/Family
Helpline
(800) 843-5437

Central Jersey Legal Services,
Inc.
(908) 354-4340

Literacy
(800) 228-8813

Planned Parenthood of
Mercer Area: 1-800-230-
7526 (PLAN)

Child Abuse
(800) 792-8610

Mental Health
Association
(908) 272-0300

Prevention Links for Substance
Abuse
(732) 381-4100

Consumer Protection
(800) 242-5846

Nar-Anon/Families of Addicts
(800) 322-5525

Project Protect Domestic
Violence Hotline
(908) 355-4357 (HELP)

CONTACT of Mercer County
Hotline
(609) 896-2120

Narcotics Anonymous
(800) 992-0401

Self Help Groups
(800) 367-6274

Domestic Violence (Statewide)
(800) 572-SAFE

National Runaway Crisis Line
(800) 621-4000

Social Security Administration
(800) 772-1213

Drug Hotline
(800) 225-0196

NJ Board of Public Utilities
(800) 624-0241

Women's Referral Center
(800) 322-8092

Eye Bank
(800) 653-9379

NJ Division of Disability
Services
(888) 285-3036

B. SOCIAL SERVICES FOR OLDER ADULTS

Read the Directory of Services for Older Adults and Caregivers from Mercer County Office on Aging.

C. EDUCATION

How to Qualify for a New Jersey High School Diploma

There are different ways to qualify for a New Jersey State-endorsed High School Diploma:

Take and successfully pass the GED by (1) earning the minimum passing score on each of the tests; and, (2) earning a total score of 225.

To qualify for a local district diploma, attend an adult high school and graduate. Adult high schools offer adults the opportunity to obtain a high school diploma. Adult high schools are schools offering supervised instruction in the day or evening to allow adults to complete the requirements for a locally issued state-endorsed diploma. Students are held accountable for the Statewide assessment in effect at the time they meet all other graduation requirements.

Courses are varied to meet the educational needs of adults. For each student in an adult high school program, an educational plan is developed reflecting:

1. Past academic record;
2. An analysis of past experiences for which credit may be awarded;
3. Graduation requirements; and
4. A proposed schedule of courses leading to completion of the requirements for graduation

How to Prepare for the GED Test

There are many ways to help you prepare for the GED test.

Enroll in a free local adult education program. Your academic strengths and will be assessed to determine if you are ready to take the GED test or if you need more instruction.

If you cannot attend a local program, tune in to the GED on TV broadcast on the New Jersey Network, two times a day, from 5:30am-6:00am and 1:30-2:00pm. The program is aired in English on Monday, Tuesday, Saturday, and Sunday; and in Spanish on Wednesday and Thursday. *If you are interested in the GED on TV program, call 1-800-345-7587.*

Take advantage of online GED preparation and instruction. For a complete list of online distance learning resources for GED preparation or digital high schools, go to www.back2college.com.

Additional Online Preparation, Instruction, and Practice Tests Available at:

www.back2college.com/library/adult.htm

www.projectplus.org

www.gedpractice.com

www.4tests.com

www.gedonline.org

The **fx-260 Solar calculator** will be used for the Mathematics Test. You may want to purchase the fx-260 Solar calculator for your practice use. Calculators can be purchased from:

ACE/GED Distribution Center, Department 191

Washington, DC 20055-0191

Phone: (301) 604-9073

**Shipping and handling fees apply*

Notice: Information GED testing acquired on 06/01/11 from:
Bergen County Pathways to Literacy Directory:
<http://www.bergenwib.org/pdf/PathwaysToLiteracy.pdf>
Burlington County Literacy Directory:
<http://www.bcls.lib.nj.us/literacy/directory.pdf>

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1	New Jersey									1
2	NJ DCA Section 8 vouchers	101 S Broad St, PO Box 051	FAM	R	21,125 vouchers	NJ Dept of Community Affairs	(609)	292-4080	vouchers	2
3	NJHMFA Section 8 vouchers	637 S Clinton, PO Box 18550	FAM	R	539 vouchers	NJ Housing & Mortgage Finance Agency	(609)	278-7400	vouchers	3
4	East Windsor									4
5	Center for Innovative Family Achievements		SPC	R	4	Center for Innovative Family Achievements	(609)	394-2507	MtL	5
6	Community Options	intentional blank	SPC	R	8	Community Options Inc	(609)	951-9900	Section 202 / MtL	6
7	Eden Acres 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Eden Institute (Princeton)	(609)	426-8656	MtL	7
8	Eden Acres 3	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Eden Institute (Princeton)	(609)	426-8656	MtL	8
9	Eden Acres 4	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Eden Institute (Princeton)	(609)	426-8656	MtL	9
10	Enable Inc	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Enable Inc	(609)	987-5003	MtL	10
11	Habitat for Humanity				4	East Windsor Township	(609)	443-4000	MtL	11
12	St James Senior Village	719 St James Pl	AGE	R	110	St James Senior Village	(609)	448-5320	HMFA / Section 8 / MtL	12
13	Wheaton Pointe	Lanning Blvd	AGE	R	84	Wheaton Pointe	(609)	448-7738	Section 202 / MtL	13
14	Windsor Meadows townhouses / Oakwood homes				36	East Windsor Township	(609)	443-4000	MtL	14
15	Ewing									15
16	Allies Inc group home 1	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Allies Inc	(609)	689-0136	MtL	16
17	Allies Inc group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Allies Inc	(609)	689-0136	MtL	17
18	Community Options Inc group home 1	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Community Options Inc	(609)	951-9900	MtL	18
19	Community Options Inc group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	5	Community Options Inc	(609)	951-9900	MtL	19
20	Community Options Inc group home 3	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Community Options Inc	(609)	951-9900	MtL	20
21	Enable group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Enable Inc	(609)	987-5003	MtL	21
22	Ewing consumer group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Catholic Charities (Trenton)	(609)	394-5181	Section 202	22
23	Ewing supervised apt	intentional blank	SPC	R	6	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	Section 202 / MtL	23
24	Family Focus	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Princeton Child Development Inst	(609)	924-6823	MtL	24
25	Mercer County ARC group home 1	intentional blank	SPC	R	7	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	MtL	25

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26	Mercer County ARC group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	6	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	MtL	26
27	Park Place	1460 Parkside Av	AGE	R	126	Park Place	(609)	771-4392	HMFA / Section 8 / MtL	27
28	SERV group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	8	SERV Centers of New Jersey Inc	(609)	883-6519	MtL	28
29	Triad House, youth group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	6	Triad House	(609)	771-4221	MtL	29
30	Ujima Village	1001 Pennington Rd; POB 7217	AGE	R	52	Ujima Ministries	(609)	882-0788	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	30
31	VOCA Corp, group home 1	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	MtL	31
32	VOCA Corp, group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	MtL	32
33	Hamilton									33
34	Hamilton Twp Housing Authority	2090 Greenwood Av		R	222 vouchers	Hamilton Township Housing Authority	(609)	890-3675	vouchers	34
35	Alvin Gershen Apts	1655 Klockner Rd	AGE	R	161	Hamilton Senior Housing	(609)	989-8500	HMFA / Section 8 / tax credits / MtL	35
36	Center for Innovative Family Achievements	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Center for Innovative Family Achievements	(609)	394-2507	MtL	36
37	Enable group home 1	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Enable Inc	(609)	987-5003	MtL	37
38	Enable group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Enable Inc	(609)	987-5003	MtL	38
39	Hamilton starter homes (Capstone infill)	117 3rd Av / Assunpink Blvd	FAM	S	13	Hamilton Township	(609)	890-3674	MtL	39
40	Hamilton supervised apt	intentional blank	SPC	R	6	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	Section 202 / MtL	40
41	Home Front group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	8	Home Front	(609)	989-9412	MtL	41
42	Home Front group home 4	intentional blank	SPC	R	8	Home Front	(609)	989-9412	MtL	42
43	Home Front group home 5	intentional blank	SPC	R	8	Home Front	(609)	989-9412	MtL	43
44	McCorristin Square Apts	75 & 99 Leonard Av	AGE	R	70	McCorristin Square	(609)	584-2226	HMFA / tax credits/ Bal Hsg / MtL	44
45	Mercer County ARC group home 1	intentional blank	SPC	R	6	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	MtL	45
46	Mercer County ARC group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	6	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	MtL	46
47	Mercer County Veterans Center	intentional blank	SPC	R	5	Mercer County Hsg & Community Development	(609)	712-3872	MtL	47
48	Options Inc	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Community Options Inc	(609)	951-9900	MtL	48

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49	Pond Run 1 / Hamilton Senior Housing	9 Lamont Av	AGE	R	160	Hamilton Senior Apts	(609)	890-9400	HMFA / Section 236 / MtL	49
50	Pond Run 2 / Alvin Gershen Senior Apts	1655 Klockner Rd	AGE	R	161	Pond Run 2	(609)	683-9740	HMFA / tax credits / Section 8	50
51	Project Freedom group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	8	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	Section 202 / Bal Hsg	51
52	Project Freedom group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	8	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	Section 202 / Bal Hsg	52
53	Project Freedom of Hamilton	intentional blank	SPC	R	48	Project Freedom of Hamilton	(609)	588-9919	tax credits / MtL	53
54	Red Oak Manor / Hamilton Manor	2300 S Broad St	FAM	R	174	Hamilton Affordable Housing LLC	(609)	888-0535	tax credits / MtL	54
55	ResCare of NJ group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	MtL	55
56	Siloam Homes (scattered sites)	120 Rte 156	FAM	R	8	Home Front (Lawrenceville)	(609)	989-9417	HMFA	56
57	Society Hill 1, 2, & 3 condominiums	scattered sites	FAM	S	80	Piazza & Associates	(609)	786-1105	MtL	57
58	Vintage Court	25 Lamont Av			6	Hamilton Township	(609)	890-3674	MtL	58
59	Hightstown									59
60	Hightstown Housing Authority	131 Rogers Av				Hightstown Housing Authority	(609)	448-2268		60
61	Hightstown group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Center for Innovative Family Achievements	(609)	394-2507	MtL	61
62	Hightstown Homes	131 Rogers Av	mixed	R	100	Hightstown Housing Authority	(609)	448-2268	Public Housing	62
63	Holly House boarding home		SPC	R	16	E Chamberlain	(609)	448-9893	Bal Hsg / MtL	63
64	Hopewell Borough									64
65	Accessory apartment program				1	Hopewell Borough	(609)		MtL	65
66										66
67	Brandon Farms - Bakers Mill	Schrewsbury Ct	FAM	S	38	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	MtL	67
68	Brandon Farms - Drakes Mill	Brandon Farms	FAM	S	100	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	MtL	68
69	Center for Innovative Family Achievements	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Center for Innovative Family Achievements	(609)	394-2507	MtL	69
70	Hopewell Gardens Apts	725 Denow Rd	FAM	R	149	Hopewell Gardens	(609)	737-6538	MtL	70
71	Lawrence									71

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72	Allies Inc group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	6	Allies Inc	(609)	689-0136	MtL	72
73	Avalon Bay	Quakerbridge Rd			53	Lawrence Township	(609)	844-7076	MtL	73
74	Brookshire Senior Apts / Bramblewood	100 Forrest Ridge Dr	AGE	R	117	Brookshire Senior Apts	(609)	882-3530	HMFA / Bal Hsg / MtL	74
75	Carriage Park at Lawrence condominiums	3000 Colts Cir	AGE	R	42	Carriage Park at Lawrence	(609)	883-2144	MtL	75
76	Center for Innovative Family Achievement	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Center of Innovative Family Achievements	(609)	737-6464	Section 202 / MtL	76
77	Community Options Inc group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Community Options Inc	(609)	951-9900	MtL	77
78	Community Options Inc group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Community Options Inc Lawrence Township Affordable	(609)	951-9900	MtL	78
79	Eagles Chase condominiums	513 Eagles Chase Dr	FAM	S	41	Hsg Board	(609)	844-7076	MtL	79
80	Eden Acres	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Eden Acres Inc	(609)	426-8656	MtL	80
81	Eggerts Crossing Village / Lawrence Housing	175 Johnson Av	FAM	R	100	Eggerts Crossing Village	(609)	883-7111	HMFA / Section 236	81
82	Heritage Village Apts at Lawrence	1970 Brunswick Av	AGE	R	63	Community Investment Strategies	(609)	298-2229	Bal Hsg / MtL	82
83	Hillcrest group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	5	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	Section 202 / Bal Hsg / MtL	83
84	Lawrenceville consumer group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	NAMI Mercer County	(609)	799-8994	Section 202	84
85	Lawrence Plaza Senior Apts	2350 Princeton Pike	AGE	R	161	Lawrence Plaza Senior Apts	(609)	883-5407	HMFA / tax credits / MtL	85
86	Lawrence Square Village 1 & 2 condos	Quakerbridge Rd	FAM	S	160	Lawrence Township Affordable Hsg Board	(609)	844-7076	MtL	86
87	Liberty Green / South Village	Foutayne Ln	FAM	S	64	Lawrence Township Affordable Hsg Board	(609)	844-7076	MtL	87
88	Mercer Alliance for the mentally ill	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Catholic Charities Diocese of Trenton	(609)	890-2527	MtL	88
89	Mercer County ARC group home 1	intentional blank	SPC	R	5	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	MtL	89
90	Mercer County ARC group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	MtL	90
91	Mercer County ARC group home 3	intentional blank	SPC	R	6	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	MtL	91
92	Morris Hall Assisted & Residential Living	2381 Lawrenceville Rd	SPC	R	10	Morris Hall	(609)	896-0006	MtL	92

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93	Project Freedom at Lawrence	intentional blank	SPC	R	54	Project Freedom Inc (Lawrence)	(609)	278-0075	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	93
94	SERV group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	SERV Centers of New Jersey Inc	(609)	883-6519	MtL	94
95	St Johns Community Service	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	St Johns Community Service	(609)	586-8005	MtL	95
96	Steward Crossing Way Apts	Stewards Crossing Way	FAM	R	36	Lawrence Township Affordable Hsg Board	(609)	844-7076	MtL	96
97	Stonerise	1 Village Ct	FAM	S	12	Lawrence Township Affordable Hsg Board	(609)	844-7076	MtL	97
98	The Gatherings condominiums	1001 Princess Rd	AGE	S	22	Lawrence Township Affordable Hsg Board	(609)	844-7076	MtL	98
99	Tiffany Woods	scattered sites	FAM	S	24	Lawrence Township Affordable Hsg Board	(609)	844-7076	MtL	99
100	Town Run East Apts / Avalon Run	1113 Town Ct South	FAM	R	31	Town Run Apts	(609)	799-3388	MtL	100
101	Town Run West Apts / Avalon Run	1112 Town Ct South	FAM	R	64	Town Run Apts	(609)	799-3388	MtL	101
102	Traditions at Federal Point	Federal Point Blvd; Traditions Way	AGE	S	28	Lawrence Township	(609)	844-7076	MtL	102
103	Pennington									103
104	Pennington Point	1 Woolsey Ct	FAM	R	5	Pennington Point	(609)	737-7480	MtL	104
105	Princeton Borough									105
106	Princeton Housing Authority	50 Clay St				Princeton Housing Authority	(609)	924-3448		106
107	100-4 Leigh Av	100-4 Leigh Av			5	Princeton Borough Nonprofit Housing	(609)	497-7634	MtL	107
108	Elm Court / Princeton Community Housing	300 Elm Rd	AGE	R	89	Elm Court	(609)	921-0929	Section 202 / Bal Hsg / MtL	108
109	Hageman Homes	50 Clay St	FAM	R	50	Princeton Housing Authority	(609)	924-3448	Public Housing	109
110	Hamilton Av condos	scattered sites	FAM	S	6	Princeton Borough Nonprofit Housing	(609)	497-7634	MtL	110
111	John & Clay Sts condos	John & Clay Sts	FAM	S	5	Princeton Borough Nonprofit Housing	(609)	497-7634	MtL	111
112	Kathleen M Edwards condos	Maclean St	FAM	S	3	Princeton Borough Nonprofit Housing	(609)	497-7634	MtL	112
113	Lloyd Terrace	177 Spruce Circle	AGE	R	100	Princeton Housing Authority	(609)	924-3448	Public Housing	113
114	Maple & Franklin Terrace	Franklin Terrace	FAM	R	20	Princeton Housing Authority	(609)	924-3448	Public Housing	114

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115	Mary Louise Stephenson Burton condos	1, 2, 4 Shirley Ct	FAM	S	3	Princeton Borough Nonprofit Housing	(609)	497-7634	MtL	115
116	Princeton Borough scattered sites	scattered sites	FAM	R / S	4	Princeton Borough	(609)	497-7634	MtL	116
117	Princeton consumer group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Mercer Alliance for Mentally Ill	(609)	777-9766	Section 202	117
118	Princeton Township									
119	7 Leigh Av	7 Leigh Av			1	Princeton Township	(609)	882-2029	MtL	119
120	Acorn Glen assisted living	775 Mt Lucas Rd	AGE	R	5	Acorn Glen	(609)	430-4000	MtL	120
121	Griggs Farm (phases 1-4)		FAM	S / R	162	Princeton Community Housing Corp / Griggs Farm	(609)	924-3822	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	121
122	Habitat for Humanity Leigh Av	Leight Av	FAM	S	3	Habitat for Humanity	(609)	393-8009	MtL	122
123	Harriet Bryan House / Elm Ct 2	310 Elm Rd	AGE	R	61	Harriet Bryan House	(609)	683-8858	MtL	123
124	Karin Court	Karin Ct	FAM	R	16	Princeton Housing Authority	(609)	924-3448	Public Housing / MtL	124
125	Princeton Community Village / Holly House	Bunn Dr	FAM	R	71	Princeton Community Village Center for Innovative Family Achievements	(609)	921-1686	HMFA / Section 236 / Bal Hsg / MtL	125
126	Princeton group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	4		(609)	394-2507	Section 202 / MtL	126
127	Redding Circle / Redding Terrace	Redding Circle	mixed	R	100	Princeton Housing Authority	(609)	924-3448	Public Housing	127
128	Washington Oaks at Princeton condominiums	111-434 Brickhouse Rd	FAM	S	60	Princeton Township affordable housing coordinator	(609)	688-2029	MtL	128
129	Robbinsville									
130	Community Options Inc group home 1	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	Community Options Inc	(609)	951-9900	MtL	130
131	Community Options Inc group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	2	Community Options Inc	(609)	951-9900	MtL	131
132	Community Options Inc group home 3	intentional blank	SPC	R	2	Community Options Inc	(609)	951-9900	MtL	132
133	Eden Acres Inc group home 1	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Eden Acres Inc	(609)	426-8656	MtL	133
134	Eden Acres Inc group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Eden Acres Inc	(609)	426-8656	MtL	134
135	Foxmoor / Andover Glen	Hutchinson Rd	FAM	S	32	Robbinsville Township	(609)	259-7082	MtL	135
136	Foxmoor / Hampton Chase	Hutchinson Rd	FAM	S	33	Robbinsville Township	(609)	259-7082	MtL	136

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137	Foxmoor / Miry Crossing	Hutchinson Rd	FAM	S	37	Robbinsville Township	(609)	259-7082	MtL	137
138	Foxmoor / Miry Crossing 2	Hutchinson Rd	FAM	S	6	Robbinsville Township	(609)	259-7082	MtL	138
139	Foxmoor / Notting Hill	Hutchinson Rd	FAM	S	54	Robbinsville Township	(609)	259-7082	MtL	139
140	Foxmoor / Wyndham Pl		FAM	S	22	Robbinsville Township	(609)	259-7082	MtL	140
141	Mercer County ARC group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	4	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	MtL	141
142	Project Freedom 1	intentional blank	SPC	R	30	Enable Inc	(609)	448-7802	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	142
143	Project Freedom 2		SPC	R	5	Enable Inc	(609)	448-7808	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	143
144	Trenton									144
145	Trenton Housing Authority	875 New Willow St				Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	278-5042		145
146	144-6 Academy St	144-146 Academy St	FAM	R	5	Latino Community Land Trust	(609)	695-1401	MtL	146
147	210 E Hanover St Apts		FAM	R	6	Latino Community Land Trust	(609)	695-1401	Bal Hsg	147
148	640 Martin Luther King Blvd	640 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd	FAM	R	5				MtL	148
149	Academy Place	248 Academy St; 125 Olive St	FAM	R	40	Academy Place	(609)	396-7455	tax credits / Bal Hsg	149
150	Amani House transitional housing for men	intentional blank	SPC	R	24	Volunteers of America	(609)	393-3168	tax credits	150
151	American Red Cross motel	intentional blank	SPC	R		American Red Cross	(609)	538-8166		151
152	Anchor House runaway youth shelter	intentional blank	SPC	R		Anchor House	(609)	396-8329	HMFA / Section 8 / Bal Hsg	152
153	Architects Housing	215 E Front St	AGE	R	123	Architects Housing	(609)	695-1099	Hsg	153
154	Artisan Mills Apts	600 Artisan St	FAM	R	31	Artisans Mills / Pennrose Properties	(609)	394-8143	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	154
155	Artisan Way		FAM	R	5	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	coah (609)		tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	155
156	Bellevue Ct		FAM	S	11	Isles Inc housing programs	(609)	341-4700	HOME / MtL	156
157	Bellevue Ct		FAM	S	11	Isles Inc housing programs	(609)	341-4700	HOME / MtL	157
158	Bellevue Plaza Apts	447 Bellevue Av	FAM	R	90	Bellevue Plaza Apts	(609)	394-5284	Section 221	158
159	Belvidere Sq				8	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	MtL	159
160	Belvidere Sq				13	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	MtL	160

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161	Bernice Munce Towers	260 N Willow St	FAM	R	116	Bernice Munce Towers	-609	637-0896		161
162	Better Community Housing / Martin House	scattered sites	FAM	S	14	Better Community Housing / Martin House	(609)	989-8143	Bal Hsg	162
163	Better Community Housing / Martin House	scattered sites	FAM	S	20	Better Community Housing / Martin House	(609)	989-8143	Bal Hsg	163
164	Broad St Bank Apts	143-9 E State St	FAM	R	26	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	MtL	164
165	Brookville Commons Apts	321-31 Clearfield Av	FAM	R	42	Brookville Common Apts	(609)	396-7512	MtL	165
166	Brunswick Village Apts	833 Brunswick Av	FAM	R	110	Brunswick Village Apts	(609)	599-1515	Section 221	166
167	Cadwalder Apts	1056 Stuyvesant Av & 1115 W State St	FAM	R	21	Lutheran Social Ministries	609	394-5115	tax credits / Bal Hsg	167
168	Campbell Homes	110 Prospect Village	FAM	R	81	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	989-9168	Public Housing	168
169	Carroll St Housing (RCA)	Carroll St	FAM	S	24	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	Bal Hsg / MtL	169
170	Carroll St Housing, phase 2	Carroll St	FAM	S	12	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	Bal Hsg / MtL	170
171	Carteret Arms	333 W State St	FAM	R	264	Carteret Arms	(609)	396-4888	MtL	171
172	Cathedral Square Senior Housing	26 W Hanover St	AGE	R	100	Cathedral Square Apts	(609)	392-1111	Section 202	172
173	Catholic Charities motel	intentional blank	SPC			Catholic Charities	(609)	538-8156		173
174	Charles Miller Homes	125 Lincoln Av	FAM	R	256	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	278-5000	Public Housing	174
175	Chestnut Monmouth Family Apts	Chestnut Av & Monmouth St	FAM	R	13	The Gershen Group Mgt Co	(609)	586-6900	tax credits / Bal Hsg	175
176	Church St housing	1-16 Church St	FAM	S	16	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	Bal Hsg / MtL	176
177	Circle F Senior Apts	720 Monmouth St	AGE	R	69	Circle F Apts	(609)	394-5115	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	177
178	Cityside Apts	179-83 Brunswick Av	FAM	R	107	Cityside Apts	(609)	292-8537	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	178
179	Cityside Apts	179-83 Brunswick Av	FAM	R	126	Cityside Apts	(609)	695-0966	Bal Hsg / MtL	179
180	Clinton Park Townhouses / Clinton Court	70-84 N Clinton Av	FAM	R	26	Clinton Park	(609)	695-3500	HMFA / Bal Hsg / MtL	180
181	Donnley Homes	924 Southard St	FAM	R	376	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	278-5007	Public Housing	181
182	Doorway to Hope Inc transitional housing	intentional blank	SPC			Doorway to Hope Inc	(609)	396-5579		182
183	East Hanover St Apts	210 E Hanover St	FAM	R	22	Pennrose Mgt	(609)	394-8152	tax credits / Bal Hsg	183
184	Elwood Driver Homes	Sweets & Fountain Aves	FAM	R	19	Lutheran Social Ministries	(609)	394-5115		184

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185	Escher St transitional housing	50 Escher St	SPC	R	100	Escher St transitional housing	(609)	392-4599	tax credits / MtL	185
186	Esperanza Apts / Wood St Housing	10 Wood St	FAM	R	46	Esperanza Apts	(609)	396-2690	HMFA / tax credits / Section 8 / Bal Hsg	186
187	Ferry St Mews 1 & 2	Ferry St area	FAM	S	48	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	MtL	187
188	Frazier Courts	1, 4, 6, & 8 Frazier St	FAM	R	60	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	278-5007	Public Housing	188
189	George W Page Homes	924 Southard St	FAM	R	159	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	278-5007	Public Housing	189
190	Grand Court Villas	507 Grand Av	FAM	R	63	Grand Court Villas	(609)	396-6753		190
191	Grant & Sheridan	Grant & Sheridan Sts	FAM	S	20	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	Bal Hsg / MtL	191
192	Greenwood Theatre Townhomes (RCA)	Greenwood Av	FAM	S	23	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	Bal Hsg / MtL	192
193	Hanover St Apts	177-79 W Hanover St	FAM	R	17	Lutheran Social Ministries (Burlington Twp)	(609)	386-7171	tax credits	193
194	Homefront	621 Brunswick Av			12	Homefront	(609)	989-9423	MtL	194
195	Humboldt Sweets Apts	scattered sites	FAM	R	34	Lutheran Social Ministries	(609)	394-5115	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	195
196	Humboldt Sweets homeownership	scattered sites	FAM	S	54	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	394-5115	Bal Hsg / MtL	196
197	Independence Gardens / Trenton Prospect House	70 Independence Way	AGE	R	110	Independence Gardens	(609)	394-1300	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	197
198	Isle, HOPE 3		FAM	S	34	Isles Inc housing programs	(609)	341-4700	Bal Hsg	198
199	Isles phase 4		FAM	S	6	Isles Inc housing programs	(609)	341-4700	Bal Hsg / HOME	199
200	Isles presevation project		FAM	R	20	Isles Inc housing programs	(609)	341-4700	Bal Hsg	200
201	J Connor French Towers	630 W State St	AGE	R	151	French Towers Outreach	(609)	394-2513	Public Housing	201
202	James J Abbott Apts	490 Hoffman	AGE	R	108	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	989-5219	Public Housing	202
203	Josephson Apts	237 Oakland Av	AGE	R	152	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	278-5007	Public Housing	203
204	JP Affordable Housing	Trenton, Southard, & S Willow Sts	FAM	S	26	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	Bal Hsg / MtL	204
205	Kerney Homes	369 Union St	FAM	R	102	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	278-5000	Public Housing	205
206	Kingsbury Twin Towers / John Fitch	1 Kingsbury Square	FAM	R	364	Kingsbury Village Apts	(609)	599-1111	HMFA / Section 236	206
207	Lafayette House	777 W State St	FAM	R	89	Lafayette House	(609)	393-2255		207
208	Lamberton St Redevelopment	Ferry, Lamberton, & Union Sts	FAM	R	26	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	HMFA / tax credits / Bal Hsg	208
209	Leewood at North Willow Green	N Willow St & Pennington Av	FAM	S	35	Leewood Real Estate Group	(609)	695-3300	MtL	209

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210	Leonard Building / Service Ctr Hsg	intentional blank	SPC	R	12	SERV Centers of NJ	(609)	406-0100	Section 202	210
211	Lifeline Emergency Shelter	intentional blank	SPC	R		Lifeline Emergency Shelter	(609)	392-7665		211
212	Lincoln Homes	207 Old Rose St	FAM	R	118	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	278-5019	Public Housing	212
213	Lincoln House womens shelter	intentional blank	SPC	R	19	Lincoln House	(609)	392-5300		213
214	Locust St Housing		FAM	S	10	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	Bal Hsg	214
215	Luther Arms	323 S Broad St	AGE	R	150	Luther Arms	(609)	392-5628	Section 202	215
216	Luther Towers	487-9 W State St	FAM	R	205	Luther Towers	(609)	695-7755	Section 236	216
217	M Joan Cousin Housing	216-20 Perry St & 213-29 Allen St	FAM	R	40	M Joan Cousin Housing	(609)	695-4475		217
218	Monument Crossing 1 & 2 townhouses	N Broad St	FAM	S	47	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	MtL	218
219	Mott Centre St Apts	660 Center St	FAM	R	22	Lutheran Social Ministries	(609)	394-5115	tax credits / MtL	219
220	Mt Carmel Guild transitional housing	intentional blank	SPC	R		Mt Carmel Guild	(609)	392-3402		220
221	Mt Zion Urban Renewal / Perry St Senior Housing	131 Perry St	AGE	R	40	Mt Zion AME	(609)	695-4472	tax credits / Bal Hsg	221
222	New Clinton Apts	70-84 N Clinton Av	FAM	R	26	New Clinton Apts	(609)	695-3500	tax credits	222
223	North 25 Housing	260 N Willow St	AGE	R	233	North 25	(609)	394-8687	HMFA / Section 8 / Bal Hsg	223
224	North Ward Development		FAM	S	15	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	Bal Hsg	224
225	North Warren 1, 2, & 3	225 & 250 N Warren St	FAM	R	9	Franklin Capital Corp	(609)	695-3500	MtL	225
226	Oakland Park Apts / Roger Grdns	224 Coolidge Av	FAM	R	271	Oakland Park / Rogers Gardens	(609)	695-1940	HMFA / Section 221 & 8	226
227	Patriot Village	360 Pennington Av	FAM	R	37	Patriot Village	(609)	218-6088	tax credits	227
228	Pellettieri Homes	615 S Clinton Av	AGE	R	69	Pellettieri Homes	(609)	394-8143	HMFA / tax credits / Bal Hsg	228
229	Perry St emergency shelter	intentional blank	SPC	R	17	Community Response	(609)	392-4364	MtL	229
230	Perry St Senior Apts / Mt Zion urban renewal		AGE	R	40	Mt Zion Urban Renewal	(609)	695-0966	tax credits / Bal Hsg	230
231	Prospect Village Homes	110 Prospect Village	FAM	R	120	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	278-5007	Public Housing	231
232	Regency Apts	1315 W State St	FAM	R	36	Regency Apts	(609)	695-7800		232
233	Rescure Missio of Trenton, mens & womens shelter	intentional blank	SPC	R		Rescure Mission of Trenton				233

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234	Reservoir & Frazier Sts redevelopment	Reservoir & Frazier Sts	FAM	S	30	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	MtL	234
235	Riverside Gardens	Lenape & Riverside Avs	FAM	R	40	Riverside Gardens	(609)	989-7540		235
236	Rowan Towers	620 W State St	FAM	R	196	Rowan Towers	(609)	394-0687	HMFA / Section 236 & 8	236
237	S J Haverstick Homes	5 Eisenhower Av	FAM	R	112	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	278-5007	Public Housing	237
238	South Village Senior Apts 1	312 Lalor St	AGE	R	132	South Village Senior Apts	(609)	394-8655	Section 221	238
239	South Village Senior Apts 2	312 Lalor St	AGE	R	203	South Village Senior Apts	(609)	393-4513	Section 221	239
240	Southwest Village 1 & 2 (RCA)	Spring & Passaic Sts	FAM	S	43	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	Bal Hsg / MtL	240
241	Stepping Stones Commons SRO	intentional blank	SPC	R	64	Lutheran Social Ministries	(609)	989-9262	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	241
242	Stockton Arms	224 Coolidge Av	FAM	R	33	Stockton Arms	(609)	393-6044	HMFA	242
243	Stockton St Apts	125 Olive St	FAM	R	26	Pennrose Mgt	(609)	394-8152	HMFA / Bal Hsg	243
244	Stuyvesant Av restoration		FAM	R	19	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	Bal Hsg	244
245	The Aleda	202-4 E Hanover St	FAM	R	38	Latino Community Land Trust	(609)	695-1401	tax credits / Bal Hsg	245
246	Thompson St (RCA)	Thompson St	FAM	S	10	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	MtL	246
247	Titus Mews townhouses	Titus & Pennington Avs			10	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	396-5313	MtL	247
248	Trent Center East Apts	511-37 Greenwood Av	AGE	R	229	Trent Center East	(609)	394-0093	Section 202 / Bal Hsg	248
249	Trent Center Project Freedom	547 Greenwood Av	AGE	R	52	Project Freedom at Trent Center	(609)	396-7633		249
250	Trent Center West	465 Greenwood Av	AGE	R	246	Trent Center West	(609)	392-5222	HMFA / Section 236	250
251	Trenton consumer group home 1	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Collaborative Support Programs of NJ	(732)	780-1175	Section 202	251
252	Trenton consumer group home 2	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	Collaborative Support Programs of NJ	(732)	780-1175	Section 202	252
253	Trenton group home for developmetally disabled	intentional blank	SPC	R	8	NJ Community Services Office (Mercer)	(609)	292-4500	Section 202	253
254	Trenton Prospect House	70 Independence Ln	AGE	R	110	Trenton Prospect House Ln	(609)	394-1300	Bal Hsg / MtL	254
255	Trenton transitional housing	scattered sites	FAM	R	20	Catholic Charities	(609)	394-8879	HMFA / tax credits	255
256	Trenton Waterworks housing		FAM	R	22	Volunteers of America	(609)	278-1868	MtL	256
257	Trenton YWCA, single room occupancy / Dunham	127 Academy St	FAM	R	90	YWCA (E Hanover, Trenton)	(609)	989-9332	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	257
258	Villages at Delaware Run / Champale redevelopment	1080 Lambert St	FAM	S	84	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	HMFA	258

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259	Volk St housing		FAM	S	8	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	Bal Hsg	259
260	Volunteers of America, single room occupancy		SPC	R	14	Volunteers of America	(609)	278-1868	Bal Hsg	260
261	W Hanover St Apts	W Hanover St	FAM	R	17	Lutheran Social Ministries	(609)	394-5115	MtL	261
262	Warren St Apts	225, 227-35, 250, & 256 N Warren St	FAM	R	30	Clinton Court & Warren St Apts	(609)	695-3500	tax credits / Bal Hsg / MtL	262
263	Warren St Apts (RCA) / N Warren 1, 2, 3	227-35 N Warren St	FAM	R	17	New Clinton Apts LP	(609)	695-3500	MtL	263
264	West End / Montgomery Pl		FAM	S	17	Trenton Housing & Economic Development	(609)	989-3607	MtL	264
265	Willow & Southard Sts		FAM	S	16	NJ Housing Affordability Service	(609)	278-7505	Bal Hsg	265
266	Woodrow Wilson Homes	5 Eisenhower Av	FAM	R	219	Trenton Housing Authority	(609)	278-5007	Public Housing	266
267	Youthbuild House / Academy St		FAM	R	5	Isles Inc housing programs	(609)	341-4700	Bal Hsg / MtL	267
268	Kens Place	intentional blank	SPC	R	6	Volunteers of America	(609)	656-9143		268
269	West Windsor									269
270	Avalon Watch	Clarksville Rd	FAM	R	103	Piazza & Associates	(609)	786-1100	MtL	270
271	Bear Creek assisted living	291 Village Rd East	AGE	R	10	Bear Creek assisted living	(609)	301-4241	MtL	271
272	Dempsey House, Eden group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	7	Eden Acres Inc	(609)	426-8656	MtL	272
273	Elements at West Windsor		AGE	S	6	Piazza & Associates	(609)	786-1100	MtL	273
274	Enable, United Cerebral Palsy group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	5	Enable Inc	(609)	987-5003	Bal Hsg / MtL	274
275	SERV group home	intentional blank	SPC	R	3	SERV Centers of New Jersey Inc	(609)	883-6519	MtL	275
276	The Gables at West Windsor	Rt 571 & Alexander Rd	AGE	R	85	The Gables	(609)	799-8885	Section 202 / MtL	276
277	The Hamlet at Bear Creek	Village Rd East	AGE	R	61	Piazza & Associates	(609)	786-1100	HMFA / tax credits / MtL	277
278	The Mews at Princeton	Bear Brook Rd	FAM	R	175	Piazza & Associates	(609)	786-1100	MtL	278
279	Village Grande at Bear Creek	100 Grande Blvd	AGE	R	61	Piazza & Associates	(609)	786-1100	tax credits / MtL	279
280	Walden Woods (HOME)	Bear Brook Rd	FAM	S	16	Piazza & Associates	(609)	786-1100	HOME / MtL	280
281	Windsor Haven condominiums	Bear Brook Rd	FAM	S	37	Piazza & Associates	(609)	786-1100	MtL	281
282	Windsor Ponds condominiums	Village Rd West	FAM	S	39	Piazza & Associates	(609)	786-1100	MtL	282

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283	Windsor Woods	Bear Brook Rd	FAM	S	16	Piazza & Associates	(609)	786-1100	MtL	283
284	Windsor Woods 2	Bear Brook Rd	FAM	R	50	Leasing office	(609)	452-2104	MtL	284

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How to Use the Guide

This is a directory of Affordable housing developments in New Jersey. It does not include all affordable units, only those built under certain federal or State initiatives. The apartments and houses in this guide are listed in alphabetical order by county. Each county section lists the official name of the municipality where the developments are located. The name in the guide is the formal name of the political jurisdiction. (For example, Kendall Park is a place name for an area in a municipality known by the formal name South Brunswick Township, Middlesex County.) The proper municipal names appear in this Guide in alphabetical order.

Under the column heading "development/aka" is the name of the development. The "aka" refers to "also known as" and shows other names the developments may go by or once had. The next three columns are street address, municipality, and zip code.

For some developments with many street addresses, the phrase "scattered sites" appears. Other types of housing serve people with special needs, physical or mental disabilities. These include shelters, transitional housing, group homes, supervised apartments, nursing homes, and assisted-living complexes. The people who live there have medical or other special needs. Due to the sensitive nature of this type of housing, the phrase "intentional blank" may appear as the street address.

Again, "municipality" refers to the formal name of the political jurisdiction where the housing is located.

These are site addresses, not mailing addresses. Sometimes they are one and the same, but not always. A mailing address can be a local place name or a postal address, but the guide shows only the official name of the local political jurisdiction that is the site of the development.

Whether or not the development serves a specific group of people is indicated under the column heading "type." There are several housing types. "Family" units are unrestricted and open to any household that meets the income limits. "Senior" describes age-restricted dwellings. Generally, you must be 62 years or older to live in these facilities. "Sr/disabled" units are for the aged or infirm. "Disabled" refers to units for people with medical or physical impairments. These include group homes for the developmentally disabled administered by the county Association for Retarded Citizens (ARC). "Both" indicates the developments have a mix of housing for families, as well as seniors or people with disabilities. "Special hsg" refers to shelters, transitional housing, nursing homes, or other housing for people with special hsg" refers to shelters, transitional housing, nursing homes, or other housing for people with special needs. Under "**tenure**," you will find if the units are for rent or for sale.

The next column, "**agent**," has a contact for the development. Sometimes this is an owner or developer. Other times it is a property manager, government agency, or a representative from a church or nonprofit organization.

Agents have more specific information on the availability of housing and the process you must go through to rent or buy. Their telephone numbers follow. Many developments have the Housing Affordability Service (HAS) in the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs as a rental or sale agent. You may want to begin your search with the HAS because it represents so many developments in the State. The telephone number is (609)278-7505. This agency will send you an application form, or you can download one from their Web Site.

The last column in the directory is very important. It shows an abbreviated name of the program or programs that fund the developments. You need to know a little about them because they set the rules that determine whether you qualify to live in the development.

Blanks in the directory indicate information was not available at the time of publication. Sometimes the information changes or is incorrect. If you come across mistakes or find information that is missing, please contact John Lago at the Department of Community Affairs at (609) 292-7898.

Program Descriptions

Federal or State programs fund most of the housing in this Guide. Nearly all of the developments have income restrictions, and federal and State programs have different income guidelines. Income standards vary by county and household size. Most of the housing must be affordable to households with moderate or low incomes. Low-income households earn 50 percent or less than the median family income for the county where the affordable development is located. Moderate-income households earn between 50 and 80 percent of the county median. Some federal programs give priority to extremely low-income households with earnings at or below 30 percent of median county income. Some programs serve households at or below 60 percent of median, which is why these figures appear in the federal standards.

Keep in mind most developments have waiting lists. Don't be discouraged. Program rules may give housing administrators some flexibility to help families meeting certain conditions, such as the loss of a home, substandard living conditions, or burdensome rents. Because need is a factor, you may get housing in a short period of time.

Rental agents and program administrators have more details about the programs listed below. These descriptions are provided to give you a general overview.

Public Housing

The largest group of affordable units in this Guide is public housing. Housing authorities administer this federal program. New Jersey has about 100 housing authorities. A list appears in Appendix A.

Housing authorities get federal funds to build and run public housing developments. Most have rental units, but some have houses for sale. Rents and sale prices depend on household income and can be no more than 30 percent of adjusted earnings. People who live in public housing earn less than 80 percent of median family income. Federal rules require housing authorities to keep a certain percentage of these units for very low-income households, earning 50 percent or less than median family income. Some housing authorities must reserve units for extremely low-income households with earnings at or below 30 percent of median. Use federal income standards to determine eligibility.

Housing authorities may have waiting lists. This depends on local conditions. Public housing authorities may give priority to people who live or work in the communities they serve. The people who operate these authorities are an excellent resource. They know the local housing market and are aware of other programs and opportunities that might be available. This is why a good place to start your search is with your local housing authority.

Section 8

Section 8 rental assistance from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) comes in two varieties: tenant-based and project-based assistance. Both help low- and moderate-income households pay affordable rents, which are defined as no more than 30 percent of adjusted income on shelter and utility costs. The amount of subsidy covers any excess costs. Use federal income standards to determine eligibility.

Section 8 tenant-based assistance, known as a housing choice, voucher, or certificate program, is extremely important. Nationally and in New Jersey, it is one of the largest sources of housing assistance, helping the greatest number of households. But because vouchers are tied to people, not buildings, they cannot be listed in a directory, such as this Guide. Still, this is a vital source of assistance. In New Jersey, many public housing authorities have housing voucher programs. A list appears in Appendix A. The authorities shown with an asterisk have voucher programs. The New Jersey Department of Community Affairs also has Section 8 vouchers. For more information, contact the field offices shown in Appendix B.

HMFA

The New Jersey Housing and Mortgage Finance Agency (HMFA) has many housing programs funded from the sale of bonds. Some provide mortgage assistance and closing costs to homebuyers. Others help homeowners repair the houses they have. While these are important initiatives, this type of assistance is not in the Guide. All HMFA developments shown in the Guide are multifamily apartments built with State assistance. Many also got Section 221 or Section 236 mortgage assistance from HUD. If a development received both HMFA and federal funds, use federal income standards. Otherwise, use State income standards. Low- and moderate-income households qualify for HMFA-funded developments. For more information on HMFA's homebuyer or rehabilitation programs call (609) 278-7400. Those looking to buy a house or condominium should consider calling HMFA to see about the availability of homebuyer assistance programs. The agency has a mortgage hotline: 1-800-NJ-HOUSE, or 1-800-654-6873.

Tax Credits

Enacted in 1986, this federal program provides tax benefits to private and nonprofit developers of affordable apartments. At least 20 percent of the units must be affordable to people with earnings at or below 50 percent of median county income; 40 percent must be affordable to those with income at or below 60 percent of the county median, as defined by the federal guidelines.

Urban Home Ownership Recovery Program (UHORP)

The Urban Home Ownership Recovery program is a State initiative administered by HMFA. It provides assistance to developers to help build for-sale housing for low- and moderate-income households, as defined by the State income standards.

Section 221 and Section 236

These two federal programs provided below-market-rate mortgages to private and nonprofit developers of rental housing for low- and moderate-income families, as defined by the federal income standards.

Section 202 and Section 811

Both of these federal programs fund special-need housing. The 202 program is for elderly residents 62 years of age or older, while the 811 program serves residents 18 years of age or over with a physical or developmental disability or a chronic mental illness. Most of these

developments are for low-income households, through a smaller number are reserved for moderate-income families, as defined by the federal standards.

Section 207, 213, 223, and 231

Some of the developments in the guide were built under these sections of national housing legislation. These programs may have units available to low-and moderate-income families. Use the federal standard to determine eligibility.

HOME

The HOME Improvement Partnership program (HOME) is a federal program that supports housing rehabilitation and production. HOME funds go to states and local governments and can be used for a variety of purposes, including rental assistance, housing production and rehabilitation, and first-time homebuyer programs. Eligibility may be extended to households with incomes at or below 60 percent of median county income.

Farm Home

Sometimes referred to as the 515 multi-family rental programs, "Farm Home" is a federal program administered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Farmers Home Administration. The multifamily housing program provides assistance to for-profit and nonprofit developers of rental units in small towns and rural areas. These developments are affordable to family and senior households with low or moderate incomes. Federal income standards apply.

The New Jersey Department of Community Affairs administers the Balanced Housing program, which supports both housing rehabilitation and production. Only those newly built or substantially rehabilitated units funded under this State program appear in the guide. If a Balanced Housing development also received federal aid, use federal income standards to determine eligibility. Otherwise, use the State income standards.

MtL

This abbreviation stands for "Mount Laurel" development. MtL housing can exist anywhere in New Jersey. It gets its name from the south Jersey municipality sued for having zoning laws that limited the supply of affordable housing. The New Jersey Supreme Court ruled all municipalities have a constitutional obligation to have zoning laws that meet their fair share of regional affordable housing needs. MtL housing is so designated by localities themselves or by the Council on Affordable Housing (COAH), a State agency created to help towns adopt housing plans that meet present and future housing needs.

Mount Laurel housing covers a wide range of housing. The units may be for sale or rent. They can be for the elderly, disabled, or families and may be funded by any one of the federal or State programs described above. Some Mount Laurel developments, however, get no public subsidy. Developers build them as part of market-rate developments. Some MtL units are funded by regional contribution agreements (RCAs) whereby a community agrees to provide assistance to another to meet regional housing need. All Mount Laurel units have income restrictions and must be affordable to low-and moderate-income households. If federal funds were used to finance these developments, use federal guidelines to determine eligibility. If State programs financed these developments or if they are part of a market-rate development with no federal subsidy at all, use State income standards

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1102-0008	A	1548 PARKWAY AV	WEST TRENTON	9	GIANCARLI ANGELA	000-000-0000
1103-0002	A	1445 NOTTINGHAM WAY	HAMILTON TWP	10	LIGHTCAP EVERT	609-890-0184
1103-0004	A	324 WHITEHEAD RD	HAMILTON TWP	14	YOUNG PAMELA	609-394-4073
1103-0015	A	2280 HAMILTON AVENUE	HAMILTON	5	COUNTY OF MERCER	609-989-6858
1104-0001	A	278 ACADEMY ST	HIGHTSTOWN	9	RANDOLPH JR NORMAN	609-426-0956
1110-0001	A	205 NASSAU ST	PRINCETON	10	ZEITLER SANFORD	609-942-2040
1111-0002	A	127 ACADEMY ST	TRENTON	91	DUNHAM HALL URBAN RENEWAL LP	609-396-8291
1111-0003	A	366 BRUNSWICK AV	TRENTON	5	MCKINZEY CHARLES	609-695-6962
1111-0013	A	1207-9 S CLINTON AV	TRENTON	20	RAINTREE HOLDINGS LLC	732-773-8630
1111-0037	A	221 EAST HANOVER ST	TRENTON	19	NEVIUS LEROY	609-394-6717
1111-0056	A	342 S OLDEN AV	TRENTON	10	NARAYAN SATENDRA	732-901-1134
1111-0057	A	120 ROBBINS AV	TRENTON	10	159 RIDGE LLC	732-905-1231
1111-0058	A	102-104 PENNINGTON AV	TRENTON	7	FITZGERALD BOBBIE	609-883-8238
1111-0073	A	1241 GREENWOOD AV	TRENTON	8	1241 GREENWOOD LLC	732-672-6455
1111-0132	A	738 W STATE ST	TRENTON	13	JONES HENRY	732-988-3414
1111-0246	A	553 S BROAD ST	TRENTON	14	MATTSON HAROLD	609-731-1755
1111-0255	A	467 HAMILTON AV	TRENTON	5	JONES HENRY	732-988-3414
1111-0273	A	86 E PAUL AV	TRENTON	10	ANDERSON CLIFTON	908-875-7629
1111-0289	A	1020 HUDSON ST	TRENTON	8	UNITED REDEVELOPMENT, LLC	732-431-0500
1111-0290	A	300 ROEBLING AV	TRENTON	5	ROEBLING AVE., LLC	732-863-0458
1111-0466	A	301 CHESTNUT AV	TRENTON	6	JACOB MAJOR	609-392-7448
1111-0471	A	1009 N OLDEN AV	TRENTON	8	REYES PROPERTY MANAGEMENT LLC	609-689-4982
1111-1030	A	320 CALHOUN ST.	TRENTON	5	BRAY DONALD	609-883-7514
1111-1063	A	306 CHESTNUT AVENUE	TRENTON	1	SMITH JOHN	732-370-4600

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1104-0010	C	117 DEY ST	HIGHTSTOWN	18	CHONIELALL CHARLIE	609-448-9893
1110-0005	C	930 GREAT ROAD	PRINCETON	85	TENACRE FOUNDATION	609-921-8900
1111-0115	C	98 CARROLL ST	TRENTON	50	RESCUE MISSION OF TRENTON INC	609-695-1436
1111-0325	B	518-520 MARTIN L KING BLVD	TRENTON	25	VOL. OF AMERICA DEL. VALLEY I:	609-393-3168
1111-0339	C	910 GREENWOOD AV	TRENTON	5	MCCLURE JANIE	609-695-6335
1111-0470	C	50 ESCHER ST	TRENTON	220	BALANCED HOUS. CORP/ EMET RLTY.	201-225-0988
1111-1015	C	56 ESCHER STREET	TRENTON	24	UNITED PROGRESS INC	609-392-2822
1111-1021	D	1219 W STATE STREET	TRENTON	5	FREEDOM HOUSE INC	908-581-5020
1111-1047	C	830 CARTERET AVENUE	TRENTON	5	JONES SHIRLEY	609-392-3918
1111-1052	B	428 CENTRE STREET	TRENTON	5	STIMSON CHARISE	609-802-4057
1111-1053	B	51 EDGEWOOD AVENUE	TRENTON	6	DAUGHTERS OF ZION, INC.	609-396-7198
1111-1074	C	653 W. STATE STREET	TRENTON	5	FLAGHOUSE	--
1113-0007	C	181 WASHINGTON	W.WINDSOR	16	POTOMAC HOMES PRINCETON, LLC	201-368-7070

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1106-1001	F	23 FEATHERBED LANE	HOPEWELL	23	FEATHERBED LANE REST HOME	609-466-1450
1111-1038	F	1331 WILLIAM ST	TRENTON	14	TRENTON DELIVERANCE CENTER	609-394-9597

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1111-0393	1	509 N CLINTON AVENUE	TRENTON	16	COMMUNITY RESPONSE, LLC	609-989-4724
1111-0395	3	201 WHITTLESEY ROAD	TRENTON	25	WOMANSPACE INC	609-394-0136
1111-0396	2	98 CARROLL ST	TRENTON	71	RESCUE MISSION OF TRENTON INC	609-695-1436
1111-0402	1	16-18 LINCOLN AV	TRENTON	24	COMMUNITY RESPONSE, LLC	609-989-4724
1111-1017	3	320 SULLIVAN WAY	WEST TRENTON	254	HOMEFRONT	609-883-7500
1111-1020	3	509 PERRY STREET	TRENTON	100	COMMUNITY RESPONSE, LLC	609-989-4724

**NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
OFFICE OF COMMUNITY PROGRAMS (PO Box 863, TRENTON, NJ 08625)
RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITY RELEASE PROGRAMS/HALF-WAY HOUSES**

FACILITY	FACILITY DIRECTOR / SUPERVISOR	REGIONAL DIRECTOR	REGIONAL	CONTRACT PERIOD	DPO#	#CONTRACT BEDS	GENDER
BALLINGTON HOUSE (VOA/N) 421 Westminster Avenue Elizabeth, NJ 07208 UNION COUNTY	SAHIB BROWN, Acting Director (908) 351-1010 (908) 351-9521 FAX (732) 827-2454 Regional (732) 827-2440 FAX	Richard Motta, CEO Rosemarie Pratt, Division Director Franklin Diaz, Director of Program Operations Sahib Brown, MHS, CADC, Program Director, Project OASIS	EJSP	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	5	29	MALE Work Release
BO ROBINSON ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT CENTER (EHCA) 377 Enterprise Avenue Trenton, NJ 08638 MERCER COUNTY	MARK SALAGA, Director (609) 695-7050 (609) 421-2041 (609) 695-7052 FAX	John Clancy, Chairman/CEO Robert Mackey, Senior Vice President	GSYCF	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	6	222*	MALE ASSESSMENT CENTER Correctional Treatment
BO ROBINSON, ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT CENTER (EHCA) 377 Enterprise Avenue Trenton, NJ 08638 MERCER COUNTY	MARK SALAGA, Director (609) 695-7050 (609) 695-7052 FAX	John Clancy, Chairman/CEO Robert Mackey, Senior Vice President	GSYCF EMCF for specialty clinics.	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	6	94*	FEMALE ASSESSMENT CENTER Correctional Treatment
BROUGHTON HOUSE (NJAC) 344 Summer Avenue Newark, NJ 07104 ESSEX COUNTY	SHEILA TRAPP, Acting Director (eff. 4/14/11) (973) 497-7089 (973) 497-7359 FAX	James Hemm, Exec. Director Angel Perez, Deputy Director	NSP	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	9	27	MALE HIV+/MICA
CLINTON HOUSE (NJAC) 21 North Clinton Avenue Trenton, NJ 08609 MERCER COUNTY	JAMES MCGOVERN, Director (609) 396-9186 (609) 396-0099 FAX	James Hemm, Exec. Director Angel Perez, Deputy Director Dir. of Correction Services Helena Tome, Southern Regional Director	GSYCF	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	6	40	MALE Work Release
CURA, INC. 53 Spruce Street Newark, NJ 07102	JESSIE GUTIERREZ, Director (973) 622-3570 (8am-4pm) (973) 645-4383 (4pm-8am) (973) 621-8330 FAX	Gloria Plaza, President/CEO	NSP	7/1/10-6/30/12	9	38	MALE SPANISH SPEAKING Correctional Treatment

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FENWICK HOUSE (NJAC) 369-371 Market Street Paterson, NJ 07501 PASSAIC COUNTY	LOLA PATTERSON, Program Supervisor (973) 278-7205 (973) 278-7316 FAX	James Hemm, Exec. Director Angel Perez, Deputy Director	NSP EMCF for specialty clinics & mental health appts. ADTC for videoconferencing with the SPB.	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	1	50	FEMALE Correctional Treatment
FIELD HOUSE (VOA/N) 45 Lenox Avenue East Orange, NJ 07018 ESSEX COUNTY	JOHANNA THOMAS-PETIT, Acting Service Director as of 3/13/11 (973) 414-0086 (973) 678-0823 FAX (732) 827-2454 Regional (732) 827-2440 FAX	Richard Motta, CEO Rosemarie Pratt, Division Director Franklin Diaz, Director of Program Operations Sahib Brown, MHS, CADC, Program Director, Project OASIS <i>*Note: Johanna will be using Zaimah's email address for correspondence</i>	EJSP	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	2	32	MALE Work Release
FLETCHER HOUSE (VOA/DV) 517-519 Penn Street Camden, NJ 08102 CAMDEN COUNTY	NIHINLOLA (LOLA) OYESANMI, Program Director (856) 964-5100 (856) 338-6960 x 15 (856) 964-9283 FAX	Patricia McKernan, Chief Operations Officer of Behavioral Health and Re-entry Services 856-854-4660 ex. 124	GSYCF	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	7	75*	MALE Work Release
GARRETT HOUSE (VOA/DV) 509 Cooper Street Camden, NJ 08102 CAMDEN COUNTY	NIHINLOLA (LOLA) OYESANMI, Program Director (856) 964-6966 (856) 964-4989 FAX	Patricia McKernan, Chief Operations Officer of Behavioral Health and Re-entry Services 856-854-4660	GSYCF EMCF for specialty clinics.	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	7	35*	FEMALE Correctional Treatment
THE HARBOR (EHCA) 300 Frelinghuysen Ave. Newark, NJ 07114 ESSEX COUNTY	THOMAS BRADY, Director (973) 297-1771 (973) 353-0943 FAX	John Clancy, Chairman/CEO Robert Mackey, Senior Vice President	EJSP	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	9	234	MALE Correctional Treatment
HOPE HALL (VOA/DV) 676 Fairview Street Camden, NJ 08104 CAMDEN COUNTY	ALBERT BOSHER, Program Director (856) 963-6166 x 18 (856) 963-6659 FAX	Patricia McKernan, Chief Operations Officer of Behavioral Health and Re-entry Services 856-854-4660	GSYCF	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	7	157*	MALE Correctional Treatment
TALBOT HALL ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT CENTER (EHCA) 100-140 Lincoln Highway Kearny, NJ 07032 HUDSON COUNTY	SHEILA LEONARDO, Director (973)589-1114 (973) 589-4101 FAX	John Clancy, Chairman/CEO Robert Mackey, Senior Vice President	NSP	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	3	500	MALE ASSESSMENT CENTER Correctional Treatment
TULLY HOUSE (EHCA) 28 Peerless Place Newark, NJ 07114 ESSEX COUNTY	DARRYL HOOPER, Director (973) 297-1771 (973) 242-2214 FAX	John Clancy, Chairman/CEO Robert Mackey, Senior Vice President	EJSP	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	9	340	MALE Correctional Treatment

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COLUMBUS HOUSE (FEMALE) BUILDING II 50 Fenwick Street Newark, NJ 07114 ESSEX COUNTY	JENNIFER NEILSEN Director (973) 622-1400 x 6208 (973) 648-8645 FAX	Diane DeBarri, President/CEO Richard Fogarty, Regional VP Dominick Forte, Sr. Director of Programs	NSP EMCF for specialty clinics.	10/1/10-9/30/11	9	65	FEMALE
COLUMBUS HOUSE (MALE) BUILDING II 50 Fenwick Street Newark, NJ 07114 ESSEX COUNTY	JENNIFER NEILSEN Director (973) 622-1400 x 6208 (973) 648-8645 FAX	Diane DeBarri, President/CEO Richard Fogarty, Regional VP Dominick Forte, Sr. Director of Programs	NSP	10/1/10-9/30/11	9	50	MALE
FEMALE TREATMENT BUILDING II 50 Fenwick Street Newark, NJ 07114 ESSEX COUNTY	HENRY IWUALA, Director (973) 622-1400 x 6228 (973) 648-8645 FAX	Diane DeBarri, President/CEO Richard Fogarty, Regional VP Felicia Conner, Sr. Director of Programs	NSP EMCF for specialty clinics.	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	9	25	FEMALE Correctional Treatment
MALE WORK RELEASE BUILDING I 50 Fenwick Street Newark, NJ 07114 ESSEX COUNTY	KENNETH WALLER Director (973) 622-1400 x 6260 (973) 623-2039 FAX	Diane DeBarri, President/CEO Richard Fogarty, Regional VP Felicia Conner, Sr. Director of Programs	NSP	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	9	164	MALE Work Release
MALE TREATMENT BUILDING I 50 Fenwick Street Newark, NJ 07114 ESSEX COUNTY	HENRY IWUALA, Director (973) 622-1400 x 6288 (973) 623-2039 FAX	Diane DeBarri, President/CEO Richard Fogarty, Regional VP Felicia Conner, Sr. Director of Programs	NSP	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	9	135	MALE Correctional Treatment
THE KINTOCK GROUP BRIDGETON							
KINTOCK BRIDGETON I 4 South Industrial Blvd. Bridgeton, NJ 08302 CUMBERLAND CO.	DESEREE BAER (HEME), Director (856) 459-2700 (856) 459-9352 FAX	Diane DeBarri, President/CEO Gretchen Wiseman, Senior Vice President	SWSP	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	10	230*	MALE Correctional Treatment
KINTOCK BRIDGETON 2 3 West Industrial Blvd. Bridgeton, NJ 08302 CUMBERLAND CO.	MARCOS DEJESUS, Director (856) 459-2750 Ext. 2608 (856) 459-2727 FAX	Diane DeBarri, President/CEO Gretchen Wiseman, Senior Vice President	SWSP	7/1/10 - 6/30/12	10	115*	MALE Work Release

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Angel Food Ministries

WHAT IS ANGEL FOOD MINISTRIES?

Angel Food Ministries provides families with approximately \$65 worth of quality nutritious food for \$30.

- Each month's menu is different and consists of fresh, frozen, and packaged food.
- There are no purchase limits for boxes of Angel Food.
- There are no restrictions, conditions, or forms to fill out. The program is open to one and all.

ABOUT THE VALUE

Comparison shopping nationwide in various grocery stores has revealed that the average retail value for the same food items would be approximately \$65. Generally, one box of Angel food assists in feeding a family of four for about one week or a single senior citizen for almost a month.

ABOUT SPECIALITY BOXES

Each month, Angel Food Ministries also offers "specialty boxes" of steak, chicken, pork or other foods. These boxes can be purchased in addition to the basic \$30 box. This bonus program provides additional food choices at a greater value.

FOOD STAMPS

Angel Food Ministries participates in the Food Stamp Program. Payment can also be made in cash.

PURCHASING ANGEL FOOD

Orders are placed in advance and payment is made at the time that you place the order. Contact your closest host site for ordering and pick-up information.

HOST SITES

ASBURY PARK Jersey Shore Rescue Mission
701 Memorial Dr
732-988-0242

Triumphant Life Church
1003 Asbury Ave.
732-774-0303

ATCO City of Light Ministries
615 Jackson Road
856-768-0022

BELLEVILLE River of Life Assembly of God
174 Holmes St
973-759-0726
973-528-2600

Silver Lake Baptist Church
166 Franklin Street
908-337-8467
973-751-2247

BLOOMFIELD New Light Baptist Church
89-91 Dewey Street
973-338-5888

BOONTON Evangel Church of God
218 Cornelia St
973-265-4857
973-265-4857

BRANCHVILLE Branchville United Methodist Church
8 Broad Street
973-948-3749

BROWNS MILLS Tabernacle of Praise
271 Ridge Rd
609-735-7797

BURLINGTON Destiny Family Worship Center
34 West Broad Street, 2nd Flr.
609-386-3142
856-495-6479

CAMDEN Temple Of Christ AME Zion Church
1250B Yorkship Square
845-326-6621

CAPE MAY Seashore Community Church of the Nazarene
446 Seashore Road
609-886-6196

CENTERVILLE HCM Family Life Deliverance Center
652 Old York
908-369-3999
973-418-6206

CHERRY HILL Impacting Your World Christian Center
2901 W Chapel Ave
856-406-4061
215-438-7838

CHESTER Beyond the Walls Inc.
480 Route 24
908-879-2880

CLARK It Is Well Living Church
2 Denman Avenue
732-921-3746

CLIFFWOOD Cliffwood Community Church of Christ
218 Bishop James H. Clark Place
732-588-5264

CLIFFWOOD BEACH New Light Baptist Community
Church
233 Center Street
732-566-0233

DEPTFORD The Victory Group
Victory in Christ Christian Cent
856-853-2688

DOVER The Garden Chapel
89 Washington Avenue
973-361-8877
973-361-8877

EAST ORANGE Yes Lord Ministries
10 South Oraton Parkway
973-399-0416 x2

EATONTOWN Calvary Chapel Coastlands
178 Main Street
732-544-2225

EGG HARBOR TOWNSHIP Shore Fellowship Church
1049 Ocean Heights Ave.
609-646-4693

ELIZABETH Union Baptist Church
1088 East Grand Street
908-289-0790

ELMER Elmer Presbyterian Church
107 Chestnut St.
856-358-1113

ENGLISHTOWN Community Refuge Church of Christ
4 Sobeckho Road
732-804-2682
732-446-2230

FARMINGDALE Cross Point Baptist Church
462 Squankum Yellow Brook Rd.
732-995-7548

FREEHOLD Grace Lutheran Church
200 Park Avenue
732-462-5122

West Monmouth Baptist Church
255 Rte 33 Business
732-688-2451

GARFIELD Friendship Baptist Church
154 Gaston Ave.
973-546-0950

GLASSBORO New Philippian Baptist Church
711 Heston Road
856-863-3009

HACKENSACK Jackson Temple Church of God in Christ
54 Fair Street
201-471-1702

Rhema Worship Center International
156 Passaic St
201-457-1390
732-693-3677

Trinity Baptist Church
218 Passaic Street
201-487-3656
201-951-9304

HACKETTSTOWN Trinity United Methodist Church
212 Moore Street/213 Main Street
908-852-3020

HAINESPORT Christian Faith Assembly
810 Marne Hwy
609-267-4436

HOBOKEN HOPES, Inc.
532 Jackson Street
201-876-2935 x10

HOPATCONG Venture crew 192/ Westside United
Methodist Church
16 Maxim Drive
973-770-0155

IRVINGTON Deliverance Jesus Is Coming Church
801 Springfield Avenue
973-763-2722

JACKSON Hope Cathedral
46 Bennetts Mills Road
732-928-9072

Women of Purpose Ministries
19 North County Line Rd
732-534-0506

JERSEY CITY Continuous Flow Christian Center
168 Monticello Avenue
201-451-9993

Mt. Calvary Baptist Church of Jersey City
93-99 Linden Avenue
201-435-1223
201-435-1145

Trumpet Family Ministries
178 Monticello Avenue
201-780-3834

LINDENWOLD Bethany Baptist Church
1115 Gibbsboro Rd
856-784-2220 x317

LUMBERTON Lighthouse Tabernacle
716 Main Street
609-267-2657

Share the Love Ministries Church
111 Municipal Drive
609-261-4044
609-261-4044

MANTUA The United Methodist Church of Mantua
201 Mantua Blvd.
856-468-2711
609-221-6926

MAYS LANDING Saint Vincent De Paul
114 Cape May Ave
609-476-4195

MIDDLESEX Christian Life Church & Compassion NJ
272 Lincoln Blvd
732-560-5800

MIDDLETOWN Middletown Assembly of God
628 Palmer Ave.
732-977-9767

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MILLVILLE Cumberland County Community Church
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MONMOUTH JUNCTION South Brunswick Christian
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MONTCLAIR Trinity Temple Community
Development Corp
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MOORESTOWN Restoration Life Christian Center, Inc.
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MORRISTOWN Market Street Mission
9 Market Street
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MT. LAUREL Bethesda Fellowship
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856-426-7911

NEWARK Beulah Grove Baptist Church
59-63 Springdale Avenue
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505 South 15th Street
973-824-2006

Newark Gospel Tabernacle
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NEWTON Project Self Sufficiency
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OCEAN CITY Cornerstone Ministries
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ORANGE Horizons Community Development
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PATERSON Koinonia & Christian Ministries
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PENNSAUKEN Living Faith Ministries of
Camden Cty, NJ Inc.
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PERTH AMBOY Cathedral Community Development
Corporation
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PITTSBORO Mount Moriah Missionary Baptist Church
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PLAINFIELD Visions of God Family Worship
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PLEASANTVILLE Apostolic Tabernacle Church
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RAHWAY Agape Family Worship Center
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RED BANK Bethel Christian Center
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SALEM First Baptist Church of Salem, NJ
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TOMS RIVER Christ Episcopal Church - CECCC
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609-268-3022

WAYNE Wayne Presbyterian Church
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