

Self-Determination Housing of Pennsylvania presents

HOUSING & COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES: SOUTHEAST REGION





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INTRODUCTION

Self-Determination Housing of Pennsylvania (SDHP) is a statewide organization with more than 24 years of experience, leading an array of accessible housing initiatives in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Since its creation in 1994, SDHP has continuously been motivated by our mission to promote self-determination in housing for low-income individuals with disabilities and older adults.

SDHP works towards these goals in a number of ways, by:

- 1. Bridging the information gap between the housing and disability/older adult communities
- 2. Promoting partnerships that enable people with disabilities/older adults to choose and control their housing
- 3. Increasing access to affordable, accessible, and integrated housing

SDHP collected these resources with the following three priorities in mind:

- 1. Housing
- 2. Disability Services
- 3. Other Community Resources/Supports

We hope that you find this information useful as you continue to serve and advocate for your clients.



REGIONAL BREAKDOWN

SDHP created this resource guide to cover the entirety of Pennsylvania, dividing the counties within the state into six separate regions. They are as follows:

Northeast: Bradford, Carbon, Lackawanna, Luzerne, Monroe, Pike, Sullivan, Susquehanna, Wayne, and Wyoming counties

Northwest: Butler, Clarion, Clearfield, Crawford, Erie, Forest, Jefferson, Lawrence, Mercer, Venango, and Warren counties

North Central: Cameron, Centre, Clinton, Columbia, Elk, Lycoming, McKean, Montour, Northumberland, Potter, Snyder, Tioga, and Union counties

Southeast: Berks, Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Lancaster, Lebanon, Lehigh, Montgomery, Northampton, Philadelphia, and Schuylkill counties

Southwest: Allegheny, Armstrong, Beaver, Fayette, Greene, Indiana, Washington, and Westmoreland counties

South Central: Adams, Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Fulton, Huntingdon, Juniata, Mifflin, Perry, Somerset, and York counties

This is the Southeast Regional Resource Packet.

^{*} Click on any Southeast County to go directly to that page.



STATEWIDE RESOURCES

HOUSING

Housing Alliance of Pennsylvania | housingalliancepa.org

309 Florence Ave, Suite 914N Jenkintown, PA. 19046 (215) 576-7044

Provides fair housing information and investigation services

Cumulative List of Supporting Housing and Shelters | shelterlistings.org

Lists homeless Shelters, Supportive Housing, Low Income, Halfway, Transitional, Day Shelters, etc.

PA Housing Search | pahousingsearch.com

Helps with finding housing, with an option to filter for accessibility and income limits

DISABILITY SERVICES

PA Link to Aging and Disability Resources | aging.pa.gov

Toll-free helpline: 1-800-753-8827

Connects older adults and people with disabilities to supports and care

PA ABLE Savings Program | paable.gov

(855) 529-2253 | info@paable.gov

Allows people with disabilities to save for expenses without interfering with their benefits

TechOwl PA | techowlpa.org

(800) 204-7428 | atinfo@temple.edu

Offers assistance paying for technology as well as technology lending and trainings

PA Assistive Technology Foundation (PATF) | patfus

1004 West 9th Avenue, 1st Floor

King of Prussia, PA. 19406

(484) 674-0506 | patf@patf.org

Offers loans to help cover the costs of technical assistance, free consumer credit reports, etc.

Disability Rights Network of PA | disabilityrightspa.org

(215) 238-8070 | <u>atinfo@temple.edu</u>

Helps people with disabilities in many areas such as abuse and neglect, ADA compliance issues, etc.



STATEWIDE RESOURCES CONT.

Depart. of Labor: Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services

1524 North 6th Street

Harrisburg, PA. 17102

(800) 233-3008 (audio phone) | (717) 831-1928 (videophone) | dli.pa.gov/individuals/disability-services Provides services, technology, sign language interpreters, information on laws related to access, etc.

AHEDD | ahedd.org

3300 Trindle Rd.

Camp Hill, PA. 17011

(717) 763-0968 | inforequest@ahedd.org

Provides employment services throughout Pennsylvania to people with disabilities

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

Pennsylvania Coalition Against Domestic Violence (PCADV) | pcadv.org

3605 Vartan Way, #101

Harrisburg, PA. 17110

(717) 545-6400

Gives information about abuse, 24/7 hotline, online chat, safety planning and connect to resources

Pennsylvania Legal Aid Network | palegalaid.net

118 Locust Street

Harrisburg, PA. 19101

(717) 236-9486 | palawhelp@palegalaid.net

Gives legal aid and provides resources and referrals

Comcast Internet Essentials | www.internetessentials.com

(855) 846-8376

Allows for home Internet access for \$10/month for qualifying low-income individuals

PA Council of Mediators | www.pamediation.org

(610) 526-1802 | info@pamediation.org

Assists in finding a mediator to reach agreements between landlords and tenants without court

Clean Slate PA | mycleanslatepa.com

Helps sealing eligible criminal records to prevent them from appearing on background checks



STATEWIDE RESOURCES CONT.

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT CONT.

Aunt Bertha- the Social Care Network | findhelp.org

Provides referrals for a number of community resources by zip code

Pennsylvania Health Law Project | phlp.org

Helpline: 1-800-274-3258 | staff@phlp.org

Offers free legal services to people having trouble getting or keeping health coverage

PA Compass | www.compass.state.pa.us/compass.web

Helpline: 1-800-692-7462 | 1-800-451-5886 (for hearing impaired)

Allows people to apply for health and human service programs (SNAP, TANF, WIC, child care, etc.)

PA Aging: Elder Abuse | aging.pa.gov

24-hour Hotline: 1-800-490-8505

Accepts reports of emotional, financial, physical, and/or sexual abuse of older adults

Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF) | va.gov/homeless/SSVF

1-800-692-2411

Provides housing search assistance, placements, security deposits, and rental assistance

Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape (PCAR) | pcar.org

24-hour Hotline: 1-800-490-8505

Works to end sexual violence and advocates for the rights and needs of sexual assault victims

PA Public Utility Commission | www.puc.pa.gov

1-800-692-7380

Oversees the 7000 utility entities and details locations where services for utilities can be found

Pennsylvania Statewide Independent Living Council | pasilc.org

(717) 364-1732

Lists local "Center for Independent Living" organizations by county

2-1-1 | www.pa211.org

1 (855) 567-5341

Connects to resources in local communities (e.g. utilities, housing, after school groups, etc.)



BERKS COUNTY

HOUSING

Berks County Housing Authority | www.berksha.org

1803 Butter Lane Reading, PA. 19606 (610) 370-0822

Reading (City) Housing Authority | www.readingha.org

400 Hancock Boulevard Reading, PA. 19611 (610) 775-4813

DISABILITY SERVICES

Abilities in Motion | www.abilitiesinmotion.org

(888) 376-0120 | info@abilitiesinmotion.org

Threshold Rehabilitation Services | www.trsinc.org

1000 Lancaster Ave. Reading, PA. 19607 (610) 777-7691 | trsmail@trsinc.org

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

Berks Community Action Program | www.bcapberks.org/our-services.html

645 Penn St. Reading, PA. 19601 (610) 376-6571

Helping Harvest | helpingharvest.org//food-assistance/

117 Morgan Dr. Reading, PA. 19608 (610) 926-5802

SafeBerks | www.safeberks.org

(610) 372-9540



BUCKS COUNTY

HOUSING

Family Service Association of Bucks County | www.fsabc.org

7301 New Falls Road Levittown, PA. 19055

(215) 949-1727; Hotline: 1-800-810-4434

Housing CoC of Bucks Co

www.hcocbc.com/#!bucks-county-housing-link/cws0

Submit email here

(610) 377-6400

Bucks County Housing Authority

buckscountyhousingauthority.org

350 South Main Street, Suite 205, Doylestown, PA. 18901 (215) 348-9469

DISABILITY SERVICES

Bucks County Center for Independent Living | buckscil.org

(215) 781-5070

Person Directed Supports

www.persondirectedsupports.com

1541 Alta Drive, Suite 202 Whitehall, PA. 18052 (610) 841-4401

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

Legal Aid of Southeastern PA | www.lasp.org

(877) 429-5994

Full List of Food Pantries in Bucks County

www.bcoc.org/i-need-help-with/food-2/food-pantries-and-hours

Bucks County Opportunity Council | www.bcoc.org

100 Doyle St. Doylestown, PA. 18901 (215) 345-8175



CHESTER COUNTY

HOUSING

Chester County Housing Authority | www.haccnet.org

30 West Barnard Street, Suite 2 West Chester, PA. 19382 (610) 436-9200

Home of the Sparrow | www.homeofthesparrow.org

969 Swedesford Rd Exton, PA. 19341 (610) 647-4940 | info@homeofthesparrow.org

Housing Partnership of Chester County | housingpartnershipcc.com/index.html

41 W Lancaster Ave. Downingtown, PA. 19335 (610) 518-1522

DISABILITY SERVICES

Freedom Valley Disability Enablement Center (CIL) | freedomvalleyenablement.org

3607 Chapel Road Suite B Newtown Square, PA. 19073 (610) 353-6640

Home Modification Program | housingpartnershipcc.com/home-modification-program.html

(610) 518-1522 | hpcc.info@verizon.net

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

Legal Aid of Southeastern PA | www.lasp.org

(267) 419-8918

Chester County Food Bank | chestercountyfoodbank.org

(610) 873-6000

Chester County Community Resource Guide 2020

https://www.chesco.org/DocumentCenter/View/4275/Community-Resource-Guide-August-2020?bidId=



DELAWARE COUNTY

HOUSING

Community Action Agency of Del County

1414 Meetinghouse Rd. Boothwyn, PA. 19061 (610) 874-8451 | info@caadc.org

Dept. of Human Services - Office of Behavioral Health - CoC | www.delcohsa.org

20 S. 69th St. 3rd Floor. Upper Darby, PA. 19082 (610) 713-2365 | humanservices@delcohsa.org

Delaware County Housing Authority | www.dchal.org

1855 Constitution Avenue Woodlyn, PA. 19094 (610) 876-2521

DISABILITY SERVICES

Del County Advocacy & Resource Organization www.delcoadvocacy.org

740 S. Chester Rd, Ste G Swarthmore, PA. 19081 (610) 544-8916

Office of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities delcohsa.org

20 South 69th St., 4th Floor Upper Darby, PA. 19082 (610) 713-2400 | humanservices@delcohsa.org

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

Del Co Interfaith Food Assistance Network (DIFAN)

600 N Olive St. Media, PA. 19063 (610) 566-7540 delcohsa.org/adultfamily/DIFAN.pdf



LANCASTER COUNTY

HOUSING

Tabor Community Services | www.tabornet.org

28 Penn Square, Suite 200 Lancaster, PA. 17603 (717) 394-0793

Lancaster County Housing & Redevelopment Authorities | www.lchra.com

1055 W. Main Street Stroudsburg, PA. 18360 (570) 421-7770

DISABILITY SERVICES

Disability Empowerment Center | decpa.org

941 Wheatland Ave, Suite 201 Lancaster, PA. 17603 (717) 394-1890

The Arc of Lancaster and Lebanon Counties | www.thearclancleb.org

116 W Airport Rd. Ste A Lititz, PA. 17543 (717) 394-5251

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

Live Food Map- United Way of Lancaster County

assetmap.steamecosystem.org/united-way-of-lancaster-county/map/Food

MidPenn Legal Services | www.midpenn.org

116 W Airport Rd. Ste A Lititz, PA. 17543 (717) 394-5251



LEBANON COUNTY

HOUSING

Housing Authority of the County of Lebanon | www.lebanoncountyhousing.com

39 N. 12th Street Lebanon, PA. 17046 (717) 273-1630

No Wrong Door County Resource Guide

https://www.iu13.org/images/uploads/documents/ECSES/No_Wrong_Door-2019-interactive.pdf

DISABILITY SERVICES

Disability Empowerment Center | decpa.org

941 Wheatland Ave, Suite 201 Lancaster, PA. 17603 (717) 394-1890

The Arc of Lancaster and Lebanon Counties | www.thearclancleb.org

116 W Airport Rd Ste A Lititz, PA. 17543 (717) 394-5251

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

DV Intervention of Lebanon County | www.dviolc.org

Hotline: (717) 273-7190

Lebanon County Christian Ministries | www.lccm.us

250 S 7th St. Lebanon, PA. 17042 (717) 272-4400 | <u>info@lccm.us</u>

The Caring Cupboard | www.caringcupboard.org

131 North Railroad St. Palmyra, PA. 17078 (717) 838-9493



LEHIGH COUNTY

HOUSING

Lehigh County Housing & Redevelopment Authorities | www.lehighcountyha.org

635 Broad Street Emmaus, PA. 18049 (610) 965-4514

Bethlehem (City) Housing Authority | bha645.homestead.com

645 Main Street, 4th Floor Bethlehem, PA. 18018 (610) 865-8300

DISABILITY SERVICES

Lehigh Valley Center for Independent Living | www.lvcil.org

713 North 13th Street Allentown, PA. 18102 (610) 770-9781

The Advocacy Alliance | theadvocacyalliance.org

744 North 19th Street Allentown, PA. 18104 (610) 435-2700

Disability Friendly Community of the Lehigh Valley | www.dfclv.org

contact@dfclv.org

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

North Penn Legal Services | www.northpennlegal.org

559 Main Street, Suite 200 Bethlehem, PA. 18018 (610) 317-8757

Full List of Food Resources for Lehigh County

https://www.needhelppayingbills.com/html/lehigh_county_food_banks.html



MONTGOMERY COUNTY

HOUSING

Your Way Home | yourwayhome.org

2-1-1 or 1-866-964-7925

Montgomery County Housing Authority | www.montcoha.org

104 West Main Street, Suite 1 Norristown, PA. 19401 (610) 275-5720

DISABILITY SERVICES

Freedom Valley Disability Enablement | freedomvalleyenablement.org

3607 Chapel Road Suite B Netown Square, PA. 19073 (610) 353-6640

The Arc Alliance | thearcalliance.org

3075 Ridge Pike Eagleville, PA. 19403

(610) 265-4700; Toll Free: (877)-4TheArc

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

Women's Center of Montgomery County | awomansplace.org

Hotline: 1-800-773-2424

Montco Anti-Hunger Network | www.montcoantihunger.org

Submit email here

Community Action Development Commission | www.cadcom.org

113 East Main St.
Norristown, PA. 19401
1-877-223-2662 | info@cadcom.org



NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

HOUSING

The Third Street Alliance for Women & Children | thirdstreetalliance.org

41 N. 3rd St. Easton, PA. 18042 (610) 258-6271

Northampton County Housing Authority | www.northamptoncountyha.org

15 S. Wood Street #222 Nazareth, PA. 18064 (610) 759-8488

DISABILITY SERVICES

Person Directed Supports | www.persondirectedsupports.com

1541 Alta Drive, Suite 202 Whitehall, PA. 18052 (610) 841-4401

Northampton County Area Agency on Aging | www.northamptoncounty.org

Human Services Building 2801 Emrick Blvd. Bethlehem, PA. 18020 (610) 829-4540

Lehigh Valley Center for Independent Living | www.lvcil.org

713 North 13th Street Allentown, PA. 18102 (610) 770-9781

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

Turning Point of Lehigh Valley | www.turningpointlv.org

444 E. Susquehanna St. Allentown, PA. 18103

(610) 797-0530; Hotline: 1 (610) 437-3369

Northampton Area Food Bank | northamptonareafoodbank.org

(610) 262-8030



PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

HOUSING

Central Intake for Homeless Services - OHS | philadelphiaofficeofhomelessservices.org

24/7 hotline: (215) 232-1984; 1-877-222-1984

Philadelphia Housing Authority | www.pha.phila.gov

2013 Ridge Avenue Philadelphia, PA. 19121 (215) 684-4174

Tenant Union Representative Network (TURN) | rturn.net

100 South Broad St, Suite 800 Philadlephia, PA. 19110 (215) 940-3900 | turn@ourturn.net

DISABILITY SERVICES

Liberty Resources | libertyresources.org

112 N 8th St, Suite 600 Philadelphia, PA. 19107 (215) 634-2000 | info@libertyresources.org

Legal Clinic for the Disabled | lcdphila.org

(215) 587-3158 | legalinfo@lcdphila.org

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

Community Legal Services | clsphila.org

1424 Chestnut St. Philadelphia, PA. 19102 (215) 981-3700

Philadebundance | www.philabundance.org

3616 South Galloway St. Philadelphia, PA. 19148 (215) 339-0900

Senior Law Center | seniorlawcenter.org

(215) 988-1242



SCHUYLKILL COUNTY

HOUSING

Servants to All www.servantstoall.org

4 South Centre Street Pottsville, PA. 17901 (570) 728-2917 or (570) 900-1161

Schuylkill Housing Authority | www.schcoha.org

245 Parkway Schuylkill Haven, PA. 17972 (570) 385-3400

DISABILITY SERVICES

Anthracite Region Center for Independent Living | anthracitecil.org

8 West Broad Street, Suite 228 (Markley Building) Hazleton, PA. 18201 (570) 455-9800

The Arc of Schuylkill County | thearc.org/chapter/the-arc-of-schuylkill-county

143 Steins Rd. Ashland, PA. 17921 (570) 875-1200 | krfarley@geisinger.edu

OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES/SUPPORT

Turning Point of Lehigh Valley | www.turningpointlv.org

444 E. Susquehanna St. Allentown, PA. 18103

(610) 797-0530; Hotline: 1-610-437-3369

Helping Harvest | helpingharvest.org

(610) 926-5802