

QUICK START HOUSING AND SERVICES INFORMATION FOR

Delaware County

This information is provided through a partnership with PHFA and the Regional Housing Coordinator Program of the Self-Determination Housing Project. It is designed to help individuals identify and contact local resources to help with housing and services issues. Updates or corrections may be provided to your local Regional Housing Coordinator (listed below).

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LOCAL HOUSING Provider Contact Information

Regional Housing Coordinator Manager:

RHCs work with state agencies, service providers, and housing professionals to improve access to housing for people with disabilities and older Pennsylvanians.

Self-Determination Housing Project

Megan Bolin 261 Old York Rd., Suite 321A Jenkintown, PA 19046 MBolin@sdhp.org

Ph: 610.873.9595 Website: www.sdhp.org

Access Modification Program:

This program provides resources to enable eligible Self-Determination Housing Project persons with disabilities make their home more accessible.

261 Old York Rd., Suite 321A Jenkintown, PA 19046

Ph: 610.873.9595 Website: www.sdhp.org

Builders Association:

Voluntary association of area builders; may have housing information or contacts for developers.

Home Builders Association of Chester & Delaware Counties

1502 McDaniel Dr. West Chester, PA 19380 Laurent@builderpa.com

Ph: 610.692.7733 Website: www.builderpa.com

Fair Housing Resources:

U.S., PA and local organizations offer info about fair housing and respond to complaints.

PA Human Relations Commission

Philadelphia Office: 215.560.2496 Website: www.phrc.state.pa.us

HUD Fair Housing Enforcement Philadelphia Office: 888.799.2085

Housing Equality Center of Pennsylvania

Po Box 558

Fort Washington, PA 19034 info@equalhousing.org

Ph: 267.419.8918 Website: www.equalhousing.org

Habitat for Humanity

Organization builds "simple, decent, and affordable" housing using volunteer labor and supplies. Houses are sold at no profit.

Habitat for Humanity of Montgomery and Delaware Counties

533 Foundry Rd.

West Norriton, PA 19403

Ph: 610.278.7710

Website: www.habitatmontdelco.org

Housing Coalition or Local Housing Options Team:

Coalitions of housing and service providers organized to resolve local housing issues, including housing for people with disabilities.

Homeless Services Coalition

Jessica Fink

Office of Behavioral Health

20 South 69th St.

Upper Darby, PA 19085 FinkJ@delcohsa.org Ph: 610.713.2541

Housing Trust Fund:

Potential local source of funds for affordable housing. Funds are distributed as follows: OHCD makes recommendation to county council

Delaware Co. Office of Housing & Community Development

600 N. Jackson St., Suite 101

Media, PA 19063

OHCD@co.delaware.pa.us

Ph: 610.891.5425

Landlord Association:

Voluntary association of area landlords may offer information about available rentals.

Delaware County Property Investors

PO Box 1812 Media, PA 19063

info@delcopropertyinvestors.com

Website: http://delcopropertyinvestors.com/

Public Housing Authority:

Housing authorities in PA are operated at the county or local level. Most offer low-income, public housing units and vouchers to subsidize rent for eligible households.

Chester Housing Authority

1111 Avenue of the States Chester, PA 19013

Phone: 610.876.5561 Website: www.chesterha.org

Delaware County Housing Authority

1855 Constitution Ave., PO Box 100

Woodlyn, PA 19094

Ph: 610.876.2521 Website: www.dcha1.org

Rural Housing Office:

USDA Rural Housing Service operates rental housing, home purchase/repair loans, and other housing programs.

Lebanon Area Office

2120 Cornwall Rd., Suite 4 Lebanon, PA 17042

sean.mcelroy@pa.usda.gov

Ph: 855.822.1790

Website: www.rurdev.usda.gov/pa

LOCAL SERVICE PROVIDER CONTACT INFORMATION

Local Lead Agency:

PHFA encourages housing providers to partner with these Local Lead Agencies to establish a referral system for targeted rental units. LLAs serve hallidayt@delcohsa.org as a clearinghouse to provide qualified referrals for available units in a timely fashion

Delco Office of Behavioral Health

Tracy Halliday

Ph: 610.713.2365

Aging and Disability Resource Centers (ADRCs)

ADRCs (also called LINKs) promote communication and training for agencies working with older adults and adults with disabilities.

Delaware County LINK

Joanna King

KingJ@co.delaware.pa.us Ph: 610.490.1842

Area Agency on Aging

AAAs provide info and services for older adults and their caregivers. Services vary by agency.

County Office of Services to the Aging (COSA)

206 Eddystone Ave., 2nd Floor

Eddystone, PA 19022

Ph: 610.490.1300 Website: www.delcosa.org

Arc

Arc works to include all children and adults with developmental and intellectual disabilities, working for inclusion in every community.

Delaware County Advocacy & Resource Organization

740 S. Chester Pike, Suite G Swarthmore, PA 19801 info@thearcofdelco.org

Ph: 610.544.6600 Website: www.thearcofdelco.org

Center for Independent Living (CIL)

Each CIL provides 4 core services, including advocacy, information, and referral, peer mentoring, and independent living skills.

Freedom Valley Disability Enablement

3607 Chapel Rd.

Newtown Square, PA 19073 FVDC-CIL@msn.com

Ph: 610.353.6640

Website: https://freedomvalleyenablement.org

Community Action Agency

families work toward self-sufficiency while strengthening communities.

Community Action Agencies help individuals and Community Action Agency of Delaware County

1414 Meetinghouse Rd. Boothwyn, PA 19061 info@caadc.org

Ph: 610.874.8451 Website: www.caadc.org

Mental Health—Housing Specialist

The MH Housing Specialist provides housing sup- Tracy Halliday port so peoples with mental illness and cooccurring disorders can be integrated into commu- Ph: 610.713.2365 nity living.

halliday@delcohsa.org

Homelessness Prevention Agency

This agency provides case management, rental assistance, and transitional/emergency housing.

Community Action of Delaware County

14714 Meetinghouse Rd. Boothwyn, PA 19061 info@caadc.org

Ph: 610.874.8451

Nursing Home Transition Team

A collaborative effort using federal, state, and local resources and partnerships to move people from nursing homes back to their community or to help keep people in their community.

Website: www.dhs.pa.gov/citizens/ alternativestonursinghomes/nht/

To contact a local Nursing Home Transition Coordination Agency, visit the DHS Nursing Home Transition website using the link to the right. Scroll down to the section titled "Transition Preparation" to access the list of Nursing Home Transition Coordination Agencies.

PA Office of Long Term Living

Rachel Sink

ra-pwnhtinfo@pa.gov Ph: 1.800.833.5196

Office of Vocational Rehabilitation

OVR helps people with disabilities achieve employment and independence.

Office of Vocational Rehabilitation

1875 New Hope St. Norristown, PA 19401

Ph: 484.250.4340 Website: www.dli.state.pa.us

United Wav

Services vary in each community and typically include fund-raising, information, and referral.

United Way of Greater Philadelphia and Southern New Jersey

1709 Benjamin Franklin Parkway Philadelphia, PA 19103

Ph: 215.665.2500

Website: http://unitedforimpact.org

VA Homeless Services

Benefits include an array of services to help veterans live as independently as possible including transition, case management, rehabilitation, and income supports.

Veterans Administration Medical Center

1400 Black Horse Hill Rd. Coatesville, PA 19320 Ph: 610.384.7711

Medicaid - HealthChoices

HealthChoices is the name of Pennsylvania's managed care programs for Medical Assistance recipients. There are three programs: Physical HealthChoices, Behavioral HealthChoices, and Community HealthChoices. Each offers quality medical care for your physical health, behavioral health, or your long-term support needs. For more information, please use the link to the right.

Website: www.healthchoices.pa.gov/info/index.htm

Medicaid – Waiver Information

Waivers are part of Pennsylvania's Medicaid program and provide supports and services to help people to live in their communities instead of a facility like a nursing home. For more information, please use the link to the right.

Website: www.dhs.pa.gov/learnaboutdhs/ waiverinformation/index.htm