SMG SVDP RESOURCE GUIDE

MAJOR SECTIONS:

(Revised 4/2/2019 unless otherwise noted in specific section)

Additional Potential Local Sources of Funds

Broad / General Information

Clothing

Communication Services (internet, telephone, television)

Emergency Services (crisis hotlines)

Employment and Training Assistance

Finance Related

Food Resources: Community Meals

Food Resources: Food Pantries

Food Resources: Other Items

Health

Housing Assistance

Housing Utilities

Mental Health

Miscellaneous

Prescription Drug Assistance

Senior Specific Support References

Support Groups

Transportation

Handy References:

- Income / Expense Analysis Form
- Authorization for Release of Confidential Information
- Quick and Easy Budgeting Worksheet
- Voucher(s)

Calvary Church

Limited financial assistance: Partner with SMG SVDP on rent, utilities, food, security deposits, car repairs, etc.

820 Route 113, Souderton 215-723-0963 Ext. 139 Contact Cathy Kanas ckanas@calvary-church.com

Fred's Footsteps Program

Provides interim funds for otherwise financially stable families to help them handle the financial burden of a child's illness or traumatic injury. **Social worker refers family.**

110 Ardmore Ave, Suite B, Ardmore 484-368-3602

info@fredsfootsteps.org (email)
fredsfootsteps.org (website)

Hatfield Pastors Fund

Hatfield Coalition of Churches (H3C) When neighbor is a resident of or attends a Hatfield church the H3C may partner with us. The SVDP President or officers in his/her absence will contact the H3C. **The H3C does not want to deal with individual SVDP members**.

Mary Catherine Reilly mcreil531@aol.com

Prepare a case summary which should be emailed to SVDP President or another officer in his/her absence. Share as much of the family's story as possible. Also include if the family is receiving additional assistance, if the family is affiliated with any of the local food cupboards, what is the total of all bills overdue, who have they contacted besides Hatfield, can they pay the bill next month. Include the full namer and address of the neighbor, to whom to make out the check, the account number and where to sent payment.

Keystone Opportunity Center

Limited financial assistance and limited housing to those living within Souderton Area School District

104 Main Street, Souderton 215-723-5430 http://keystoneopportunity.org

SVDP contact - Linda Chaplin at Ichaplin@keystoneopportunity.org

Additional Potential Local Sources of Funds (rev 4/25/2019)			
Manna on Main Limited rental, utility and medical emergency (prescription assistance for those living within North Penn School			
	Call to make an appointment. 215.855.5454		
	SVDP contact - Teri Martin @ teri@mannaonmain.org AND/OR 215.855.5454 ext #22		
St. Stanislaus Church Outreach	Limited financial assistance to those living in Lansdale Contact Sister Barbara 215.855.3133		
Salvation Army	533 Swede St, Norristown 610.275.4183 Email: david.irwin@usesalvationarmy.org or jessica.irwin@usesalvationarmy.org www.salvationarmyusa.org		

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211

Sponsored by the United Way of Greater Philadelphia & So. NJ. Phone number and web resource for funding health & human services for everyday needs and crisis situations.

Phone #211 www.211SEPA.org

CADCOM

Community Action Development

Montgomery County residents access to resources and services [NOTE: for CADCOM VITA tax preparation service see MISC section]

Commission of Montgomery County, PA

Main office: 1.610.277.6363 Helpline: 1.877.223.2662 www.CADCOM.org

Community Connections (CC) If you need help, but don't know who to call first, call CC.

"One stop services center"

421 West Main Street, Lansdale Contact Annette Widney @ 610.278.1286

AWidney@montcopa.org OR Contact Katelynn Bender @

610.278.2924

KBender@montcopa.org

www.montocopa.org/FormCenter/Community-Connections-32/ Contact-A-Navicate-195

Compass

Pennsylvanians access to health & human service programs

PA Dept of Public Welfare

1.800.692.7462

www.compass.state.pa.us

The Lamb Foundation (LF)

The LF provides affordable housing and support services to senior citizens and adult individuals with mental, physical and developmental disabilities who would otherwise be homeless.

114 North Main Street, North Wales

215-699-5600 215-661-8825 (fax)

info@LambPA.com (email) lambfoundationpa.org

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Legal Aid (LA)

If you need free legal assistance, contact LA.

LA of Southeastern PA: 1.877.429.5994

LA also has walk-in hours at Manna on Main St Wednesdays 2:00pm - 3:30pm

606 E. Main St, Lansdale

Legal Aid: Immigrant legal services

Kristin Taranath BIA Accredited Representative Immigration Legal Services Catholic Social Services 215.854.7015 ktaranath@chs-adphila.org

Consulate -- Immigration, Legal Tannia Aurora Juaregui, 267 603-8165, tai@aurorailaw.com Guadalupe proteccionfia04@sre.gob.mx

Mexican Consulate -- Humberto Cruz. 215-922-4262 ext 510 hcruz@sre.gob.mx

Mitzvah Circle Foundation

Provide high quality clothing, shoes, toiletries, household goods, school supplies baby gear, diapers, toys and more for neighbors in crisis. (they deliver)

1561 Gehman Rd Harleysville 215.828.6647 (Leave a message. They will call back.)

(SVDP ONLY use 267.649.7610) mitzvahcircle.org

Personal Navigator Program (PNP)

If you need medical care, prescriptions or any public assistance (SNAP, LIHEAP, etc) contact PNP. Sponsored by Visiting Nurse Assoc. connecting people to health and human services

Contact Angela Nunez (for North Penn area)
(DO NOT GIVE OUT THIS NUMBER/EXT: 215.572.7880 ext 117)

Neighbor in need should call 1.800.591.8234 to register & schedule an appointment

Location to meet once an appt is scheduled: 2506 N. Broad St, Colmar Note: Angela is on location on Thursdays.

www.vnacs.org

Email: info@vnacs.org

CLOTHING (rev4 For Diaper Resources s	
2nd Ave Thrift Store Lansdale	Inexpensive second hand clothing, and small household items can be obtained.
	Contact conference president for vouchers available in any denomination
	1200 W. Main Street, Lansdale, PA 215.368.7474
Care and Share Thrift Shoppes	Inexpensive used clothing, furniture and household items All items are 1/2 price (a few exceptions apply) the third Friday of each month
	783 Route 113, Souderton
	215.723.0315 www.careandshareshoppes.org/
Liberty Thrift Chara	
Liberty Thrift Store Inexpensive used clothes, furniture and householder	
	979 Bethlehem Pike, Montgomery Twp.
	215.699.1203 www.Libertythriftstores.com
litzvah Circle - For additional information also note Broad/General or section	
Toundation	
	Provides high quality clothing, shoes, DIAPERS , etc
	1561 Gehman Rd Harleysville mitzvahcircle.org
	215.828.6647 (Leave a message. They will call back.) (SVDP ONLY use 267.649.7610)
Peter Becker Thrift Store	Inexpensive used adult clothing
800 Maple Ave, Harleysville	
	215.256.9501 www.peterbeckercommunity.com/getting-involved
Salvation Army Thrift Store	Inexpensive used clothing and household items
	477 N. West End Blvd, Quakertown 215.536.1750

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COMMUNICATION SERVICES (rev 4/25/2019)

Includes Internet, Telephone, and Television Service Information

TELEVISION: Keeping Costs Down

Instead of paying for cable TV and depending on your location, you can access many TV channels OTA (over the air) with the use of a digital TV (or an analog TV with a digital adapter) and an HDTV antenna. Major network TV shows and prime time sports are broadcast live for FREE to anyone who can receive a signal through a digital TV antenna.

Antennas range in price from ~ \$15 to \$110+, indoor or outdoor, and are rated by the distance from the TV Transmitter to the TV; the greater the distance rating on the antenna, the more channels you can receive. Elevation and factors like side of the house & physical obstructions may also effect reception.

Go to www.antennatv.tv; enter your zip code & address to get a list of stations and strength of signal for your residence. Up to 66 Channels from 24 over the air stations are available from parts of Hatfield; up to 52 channels from 17 over-the-air stations may be received from parts of Harleysville. The further from the transmission towers the fewer the stations &/or the stronger the antenna needed.

If you have a newer TV, especially one with a HDMI port, you can cut the cable and watch anything available free on-line by getting a streaming device like Roku, Amazon Fire TV or Apple TV. One must have a paid internet provider for the streaming service to work. While some services require a subscription even with the streaming device (HBO, Stars, etc), there is a lot on the web that is free.

Includes Internet, Telephone, and Television Service Information

INTERNET: Comcast

Comcast (xfinity) is available to households that have school age children in grade K-12 who qualify for National school lunch program. Check website for additional requirements. Comcast will provide broadband to low-income families for \$9.95 per month.

Additionally, Comcast will provide eligible customers with low cost computers and classes.

Contact Comcast at 1.855.846.8376 apply.internetessentials.com

TELEPHONE SERVICE

Obtain free phone, free minutes, free text, and/or data plan

<u>www.assurancewireless.com</u> (provided by Virgin Mobile) www.safelink.com

- Lifeline

Provides discounts on monthly telephone service (wirelive or wireless) for eligible low-income consumers.

The Lifeline Program is a federal program which provides support to telecommunication companies that in turn offer discounts to eligible consumers.

For eligibility requirements (pre-screening tool) and participating telecom companies in PA

www.lifelinesupport.org

For additional info on the program, go to www.fcc.gov

EMERGENCY SERVICES (rev 4/2/2019)

Crisis Hotlines

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Suicide Prevention Hotline: 1-800-452-4189

Adult Protective Services

- Elder Abuse & Protective Services Hotline: 1-800-734-2020
- ref Miscellaneous sheet > Services for the Aging Mental Health: 1-800-452-4189
- Provides services for clients experiencing psychiatric and/or drug/alcohol emergencies.
- Crisis workers provide telephone support, referral information, and comprehensive assessment.

Children's Crisis Support Hotline: 1-888-HELP-414

- The Children's Crisis Support Hotline is available 24 hours a day,
 days a week to children and adolescents in Montgomery County.
- Its purpose is to help children and families manage crisis successfully through individualized crisis response and planning.

Domestic Violence / Abuse

Montgomery County Women's Center Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-800-773-2424

Laurel House Domestic Abuse Hotline: 1-800-642-3150 1-888-883-0770 (tty)

Victims Services Center of Montgomery County (sexual assault): 1-610-277-5200

Bethany Bible	ESL instruction	
Church	75 W. Broad Ct. Mattiald	
	75 W. Broad St, Hatfield 215.855.2449	
	bethanybfc.org/esl	
	Detriarry Dic.org/esi	
Community Service	Support and service assistance in finding employment	
Employment	Contact: Service Director, CSEP Program	
Program (CSEP)	Goodwill Keystone Area	
Land de la contraction de la c	753 Bethlehem Pike, Montgomeryville, PA	
	215.653.7095	
Family Literacy	Family literacy program held at St. Maria Goretti Church.	
	For more information contact	
	Sue Barrow	
	215.380.4434	
	sue.barrowstarfishstudies@gmail.com	
Internet	Easy to use to assist those seeking employment.	
Resources	laka asaa saa	
	jobs.aarp.org	
	careerbuilder.com	
	craigslist.org indeed.com	
	monster.com	
	Indistriction	
Keystone Lessons in ESL, GED and tutoring.		
Opportunity	Check website for additional information.	
Center		
	104 Main Street, Souderton	
	215.723.5430	
	www.keystoneopportunity.org/education	
Lansdale Montco	ESL instruction	
Bible Fellowship	Free English as a second language . Book purchase required.	
	160 E. Main St, Lansdale	

EMPLOYMENT and TRAINING ASSISTANCE (rev 4/25/2019)			
Manna on Main	Programs are open to all with no limitation due to NP residence area.		
	mannaonmain.org > about us > programs		
The new	Common Grounds is a free 14 week food service training to employment program. Contact Sue Jurina ProgramAssistant@mannaonmain.org or 215.855.5454. ext 17		
To the same of the	Getting Ahead in a Just Gettin By World is a 16 week class that invites people living in poverty to investigate solutions to help themselves and others transition out of poverty and instability. Contact Nadia Mummery nadia@mannaonmain.org or 215.855.5454 ext 16		
Office of Vocational Rehabilitation: PA Career Link	Provides vocational rehabilitation services to help individuals with either physical or mental disabilities prepare for, obtain or maintain employment. Provides diagnostic evaluation. Clients may be self-referred.		
	Official website of PA Dept. of Labor & Industry Also links to unemployment benefits compensation www.dli.state.pa.us/		
	Commonwealth Workforce Development System Link to CareerLink site for assistance in resume writing, job searches, etc.		
	pacareerlink.pa.gov 610.270.3429		
SMG BUDGET WORKSHEET	Worksheet is available electronically. Please print a copy for neighbors.		

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FINANCE RELATED (rev 8/31/2019)

American Credit Counseling Institute

For confidential counseling services including foreclosure prevention. Learn ways to manage expenses, etc, avoid eviction and improve credit score.

603 Swede St, Norristown 1.888.212.6741 americancci.org

North Penn Residents: 610.278.1286 Outside NP area: 215.563.5665

Clarifi (Consumer Credit COUNSELING Service of Delaware Valley -CCCSDV)

A financial counseling service (also recommended by Community Connections) for help with financial planning needs: reduce debt, improve credit, manage home, avoid foreclosure, & financial wellness.

To set up an appointment
Log on to <u>clarifi.org</u>. OR
Call 215.563.5665 (main)
(meeting can occur over the phone or in person)

Jenkintown Plaza
101 Greenwood Ave, Suite 340
Jenkintown, PA 19046
(Office is located across the street from the Jenkintown/Wyncote train stop on SEPTA's Lansdale/Doylestown Regional Rail Line)

Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB) (FINANCE RELATED)

For information and to get answers to financial questions. "CFPB makes sure banks, lenders and other financial companies treat you fairly."

www.consumerfinance.gov/askcfpb and hit 'Get Assistance' tab

1.855.411.2372

FINANCE RELATED (rev 8/31/2019)

TAX SERVICES:

(1) CADCOM's VITA Program (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) (1)The program offers free Federal and State tax preparation with secure electronic filing and direct deposit in approx.10 days; along with other related services at their Norristown and Willow Grove sites. Tax preparers are IRS trained and certified.

This free service is offered on location to taxpayers with incomes up to \$32,000 and drop-off service is also available.

For an appointment, call

211 or 610.277.6363, ext 115 (Norristown)

211 or 215.366.5643 (Willow Grove)

211 or 866.964.7922 for **residents in NP or SA School Districts** (Trinity Lutheran Church, 1000 W.Main St, Lansdale)

Taxpayers with incomes up to \$39,000 who wish to prepare their taxes at home using their free web service, can log on to <u>myfreetaxes.com/cadcom</u> for professionally assisted service. They may also be able to assist clients at CADCOM with the online service.

Call 610.277.6363, ext 181

(2) AARP Representative

(2) AARP representative on site to assist in tax preparation. Call to make an appointment

(A) Indian Valley Library, 100 E. Church St, Telford 215.723.9109. OR

(B) Generations of Indian Valley, 259 N.2nd St, Souderton 215.723.8555

SMG BUDGET WORKSHEET

Worksheet available electronically. Please print a copy for neighbors.

Food Resource	es: COMMUNITY MEALS (rev 8/29/2019) eeded, all welcome.		
Christ Covenant	Free community hot breakfasts from 8:30 to 10:00am in the Fellowship Hall, the last Saturday of every month.		
	2200 Mainland Road, Towamencin 215.699.4604		
Emmanuel Lutheran Church	Free community breakfasts on the second Saturdays of each month from 8:30am to 10am.		
Lanadala	69 W Broad St, Souderton		
Lansdale Presbyterian Church	Free dinner sponsored by Food From the Heart: Last Sunday of each month: 1pm		
	450 Oak Park Rd, Hatfield 215.368.1119		
Manna on Main	Free meals 7 days per week at the following times: Mon - Fri: 10am - 12:15pm, 4pm - 5:15pm Sat, Sun: 11am - 12:30pm		
	www.mannaonmain.org		
	606 E. Main Street, Lansdale 215.855.5454		
Souderton Mennonite Church	Starting in the fall on October 9th, 2019, Community meals (free-will offering) are served each week in the Fellowship Hall: Wednesday: 6pm - 6:45pm		
	105 W. Chestnut St, Souderton 215.723.3088		
Zion Mennonite Church (Table of Plenty)	Free lunch Monday, Wednesday and Friday 11am - 12pm		
(Table of Pierry)	Front St & Cherry Rd, Souderton 215.723.3592		
SMG COMMUNITY MEALS LIST	List is available electronically. Please print a copy for neighbors.		

FOOD PANTRIES / FOOD RESOURCES (Revised 4/12/2019)

OPEN TO ALL:

FRESH FOR ALL GRACE BIBLE CHURCH

423 N. Main Street, Souderton 215-723-5430

Days and Hours:

Tues: 1pm - 2pm

Requirements / Remarks:

Residents of any area can use. Fresh fruits and vegetables distribution. May shop once per week.

KULPSVILLE, LANSDALE, SASD or TOWAMENCIN:

SHEPHERD'S SHELF CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

2211 Mainland Road, Kulpsville 215-256-8738

Days and Hours:

Mon, Wed 6:30pm-8pm

Requirements / Remarks:

Resident of Kulpsville, Lansdale, SASD or Towamencin. May shop twice per month

MONTGOMERY COUNTY:

CORNUCOPIA CUPBOARD THE LAMB FOUNDATION

499 E Walnut St (5th St & Railroad) North Wales 215-661-8800 http://www.lambfoundationpa.org/

Days and Hours:

2nd & 4th Mon: 10am-6pm

Requirements / Remarks:

Reside in Montgomery County Must complete intake form at web site May shop once per month

HATFIELD:

(1) EMMANUEL EVANGELICAL CHURCH

100 S Main St, 19440 215-855-2540

Days and Hours:

1st Tue: 5:30pm - 7:15pm 3rd Wed: 5:30pm - 7:15pm 2nd, 4th Thur: 1pm - 2pm

Requirements / Remarks:

Live or attend church in Hatfield Boro or Twp Photo ID and utility bill May shop once per month

LANSDALE:

MANNA ON MAIN STREET

606 E Main St, 19446 215-855-5454 http://www.mannaonmain.org/

Days and Hours:

Thur, Fri: 1pm-3:45pm Mon: 6pm-7:30pm

Wed: 9am-11am, 4:30pm-6pm

Requirements / Remarks:

Must reside in NorthPenn School District but not in Hatfield as they have their own pantries.

Photo ID, utility bill or lease with name & address, and bags to carry food.

Must complete online intake form prior to first visit.

May shop at pantry twice a month.

Online Mkt. shopping available @

www.smartchoice.life/mannaonmain.org

(2) HATFIELD CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

1333 Cowpath Rd, 19440 215-855-3064 http://www.hatfieldcob.org/

Days and Hours:

1st & 3rd Tue: Noon-2pm 3rd Sat: 10am-11:00am 4th Mon: 6:30pm-7:30pm

Requirements / Remarks:

Residents of Hatfield Boro & Twp Photo ID & utility bill May shop once per month

SOUDERTON:

KEYSTONE OPPORTUNITY CENTER

104 Main St, 18964 215-723-5430 http://keystoneopportunity.org

Days and Hours:

Tue, Wed: 10am - 2pm

Thur: 10am - 2pm, 5pm - 7pm

Requirements / Remarks:

Must reside in Souderton Area School FIRST TIME: Valid Photo ID; Proof of residency: license or current utility bill; Proof of income such as: paycheck stub, SSI or disability Statement

Eligible participants can receive food once

per month

Food Resources: OTHER ITEMS (rev 4/12/2019)		
Aid for Friends	Provides home cooked meals to the isolated, handicapped and elderly. Call for eligibility 215.464-2224	
	For SMG info contact Trish Mazeo 215.721.4214 (h) 215.806.7750 (c)	
Meals on Wheels (@Generations of Indian Valley)	To inquire about eligibility to receive meals, call 215.723.8555 (direct line) 259 North 2nd Street, Souderton	
S.H.A.R.E. (@Generations of Indian Valley)	With SHARE (Self Help And Resource Exchange) you can buy food packages worth \$35-\$40 in exchange for only two hours of community volunteer service and \$20. SHARE is open to all without financial restrictions. For more information, sign-up forms, and menus, check outside the Social Services office or call 215-723-1930. To place a SHARE order through Generations, please order by the dates listed in our current newsletter/calendar. generationsofiv.org > social services > other social service assistance 259 North Second Street, Souderton Call Emily Felice from 11am - 2pm 215-723-5841	
SMG FOOD PANTRIES &/or COMMUNITY MEALS	Lists are available electronically. Please print a copy for neighbors.	

HEALTH	(rev 4/25/2019)
Also ref Emer	gency Services sheet for crisis information

GLASSES: New Eyes for the Needy

New Eyes for the Needy purchases new prescription eyeglasses for low income individuals in the U.S. through a voucher program. The voucher typically covers only the cost of single or lined bifocal eyeglasses. **Must be referred by a social services organization.**

For more information refer to www.new-eyes.org/

Health Care Navigator (Obama-care site)

Official site of the Health Insurance Marketplace which allows comparison shopping for health insurance, getting coverage and using coverage.

www.healthcare.gov

HealthMap Vaccine Finder

Community flu and other vaccine locator

Go to website and plug in zip code for locations providing immunizations the individual has indicated.

vaccinefinder.org

Norristown Immigration Clinic

Services available include internal medicine (free immunization vouchers), dental screening, optometry (eye tests), physical therapy, neonatal nursing (prenatal advice), medical equipment, and legal & immigration services.

Open monthly on the first Sunday at 1:00pm - 3:00pm

St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church 714 DeKalb St, Norristown 610.272.1408

HEALTH (rev 4/25/2019)

Also ref Emergency Services sheet for crisis information

Pregnancy Counseling / Support Services (Do not perform nor refer for abortions)

Crossroads Pregnancy Care

Serving women and families dealing with **pregnancy** issues. Testing, counseling, education, support & abortion recovery are all free and confidential, regardless of income, race or religion.

256 Trumbauersville Rd, Quakertown 215.538.7003 www.crossroadspregnancycare.org

North Care Women's Clinic

Will help you navigate your pregnancy, sexual health, and abortion alternatives. Pregnancy testing, ultrasound, and counseling are free.

311 N. Broad St, Lansdale 215.855.2424 www.northcarewomensclinic.org

Montgomery County Clinics

<u>County</u> clinics are for immunizations for those 18 and younger and for the treatment of sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) and tuberculosis (TB)

www.montcopa.org

Norristown Health Clinic 1430 DeKalb St, Norristown 610.278.5145

Pottstown Health Clinic 364 King St, Pottstown 610.970.5040

Montgomery County Eastern Courthouse Annex 102 York Rd, Suite 401, Willow Grove 215.784.5415

HEALTH (rev 4/25/2019)

Also ref Emergency Services sheet for crisis information

Federally Funded Program

Norristown Regional Health Center (MEDICAL & DENTAL, all ages)

Accept all insurance & have a sliding fee schedule available for those who are under/uninsured

1401 DeKalb St, Norristown 610.278.7787

Community Health & Dental Care (MEDICAL & DENTAL, all ages)

Accept all insurance & have a sliding fee schedule available for those who are under/uninsured

11 Robinson St, Pottstown 610.326.7405 (dental) 610.326.9460 (medical)

North Penn VNA Children Clinic (MEDICAL, ages 21 years and under)

For those on Medical Assistance, CHIP or those who do not have health insurance or outpatient coverage

51 Medical Campus Dr, Lansdale 215.855.8296

The Clinic (general MEDICAL, maternity support)

A free clinic associated with Phoenixville Hosp funded through a charitable grant. They provide services to those who do not have health insurance and/or do not qualify for medical assistance (MA). **Good resource for the undocumented.**

143 Church St, Phoenixville 610.935.1134 (must call for an appt)

Housing Assistance (rev 4/12/2019)

Human Services: CODE BLUE

Dept of Health and Code Blue (extreme cold- when air temperature drops to 20 degrees or colder)

> Provides safe warm lodging during the night time hours for those without homes. Dinner & breakfast is also serves to the quests.

(1) Local Code Blue Site (men only):

Trinity Lutheran Church - Luther Hall 1000 W. Main Street, Lansdale 215.368.1710 codeblue@trinitylansdale.com

(2) Local Code Blue Site (women/families): Salvation Army 533 Swede St, Norristown 610.275.4183

Homelessness **Prevention Hotline** (Montgomery County) YOUR WAY HOME

Assisting the homeless in Montgomery County

Emergency housing if facing eviction or homelessness MUST use this contact number for Emergency Shelter information

For information and referrals on all funding, emergency assistance, shelters and subsidized housing

1.877.646.6306

Housing Utilities (rev 4/12/2019)			
British Medical Months	Initial call should be to the utility provider, since major utilities have assistance programs.		
PECO	Contact for discussion of late bill and/or shut off concerns. Asks that we contact her first (do not give her name or number to neighbor) rather than just sending in a payment. Contacts: Larry Singleton (215-841-6557) Maria Adams (215-841-6509) Contact first but also check phone number list:		
PECO and general	Customer Service	1-800-494-4000	
energy related numbers:	Electric Emergencies	1-800-841-4141	
	Credit Department	1-888-480-1533	
	Make Payments by Phone	1-877-432-9384	
	CAP	1-800-774-7040	
	MEAF	1-800-403-6806	
	LIURP (Weatherization)	1-800-675-0222	
	LIHEAP	1-800-344-3574	
PPL	Need help paying a bill. Call 24/7 1-800.358-6623 To set up a payment plan: pplelectric.com > payment assistance program For energy efficiency kits, free in-home survey (WRAP): pplelectric.com > home > ways to save > all rebates > income-		
eligible If further assistance is needed contactLIHEAP			

Housing Utilitie	S (rev 4/12/2019)
LIHEAP - Low Income Energy Assistance Program	Assistance with gas and electric service LIHEAP opens every year Nov 1 to Apr 1 or until money runs out. Apply for LIHEAP asap during the LIHEAP season Apply online @ www.compass.state.pa.us PECO LIHEAP helpline 1.800.344.3574 to apply
	PPL LIHEAP helpline 1.866.857.7095 to apply
KEEPING FRIENDS COOL	Summer cool down program for seniors Prepayment of electric bills for seniors needing assistance with electric to run fans and/or air conditioners.
Christian Christian	Only for seniors whose electric are NOT past due.
0-1603 8-8384	For more information go to Manna on Main www.mannaonmain.org
WATER	Ref: <u>www.CADCOM.org</u> website Assistance through Energy Conservation programs:
SSSS-3 NESS N	PA American Water Program "Dollar Energy" Aqua Program "Helping Hands" 1.877.223.2662 Ext. 118

MENTAL HEALTH Also ref the Emergency Ser	(rev 4/12/2019) vices sheet for crisis information
MAWD Medical Assistance for Workers with Disabilities	Providing health care coverage to workers with disabilities Eligible individuals should contact their local County Assistance Office to apply www.montcopa.org (Montgomery County) www.buckscounty.org (Bucks County)
Mental/Behavioral Health of Montgomery County	Resource for those concerned w/ behavior health. Provides info about behavior and health services, laws, & related news, as well as communication tools and other features. montgomery.pa.networkofcare.org
Mental Health Partnership Of Montgomery County	Providing a self help/mutual support approach to mental health. 210 Stanbridge St, Suite 600 Norristown 267.850.5677 Hours: 9am - 5pm mhp-org.squarespace.com
MERAKEY formally Northwestern Human Services	Developmental, behavioral health provider offering integrated services for children and adults 400 N. Broad St, Lansdale 215.368.2022 merakey.org
NAMI National Alliance on Mental Illness	Providing support, advocacy and education for individuals and family with mental illness 100 W. Main St, Lansdale 215.361.7784 www.nami-montcopa.org

MENTAL HEALTH (rev 4/12/2019)

Also ref the Emergency Services sheet for crisis information

Penn Foundation

Provides to Bucks and Montgomery County residents mental health services; drug and alcohol recovery services; counseling services from a Christian perspective; and early intervention services to help families with children (ages birth to 3) with a 25% delay or high probably of delay in any area of development

NOTE: unless referred, both individuals and families may obtain access to services through the "Open Access Program" (Mental Health Outpatient Services)

NOTE: They do have a WALK IN policy Mon - Thur 8:30am - 2pm

807 Lawn Ave, Sellersville 215.257.6551 (main number)

Wellspring Clubhouse

Outpatient service with the least 'mental health system' look. Provides social, educational, and vocational skills and opportunities to adults recovering from mental illness or co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders.

215.257.4760

Miscellaneous (re Also ref the Emergency	ev 6/6/2019) Services sheet for crisis information
CLEANING SERVICE: North Penn Cleaning Solutions	Will provide cleaning and/or organizing services. Donated or at a discount, noted especially for single mothers or the elderly.
	Contact Farnaz Dar Phone: 215.237.8131(c) or 267.218.8895(office) E-mail: npenncleaningsolutions@gmail.com www.npcleaningsolutions.com
Diaper Resources	The following may be good resources for those in need of diapers:
AT 1857	Mitzvah Circle Foundation (they deliver) More info available in Broad/Summary Information section 215.828.6647 (main number)
Furniture Sources (Internet)	Site which list items that people are giving away or looking for at no cost. Possible site to find furniture items.
	freecycle.org
GLASSES: New Eyes for the Needy	New Eyes for the Needy purchases new prescription eyeglasses for low income individuals in the U.S. through a voucher program. The voucher typically covers only the cost of single or lined bifocal eyeglasses. Must be referred by a social services organization.
AND THE PARTY OF	For more information refer to www.new-eyes.org/
LATIN American Community Action of Montgomery County: ACLAMO	Provides access to economic, educational, health, social and cultural opportunities for low-income individuals and families in Montgomery County, especially those of Spanish-speaking heritage.
Family Center	www.aclamo.org
	Main office: 512 West Marshall St, Norristown, Pa 19401 610.277.2570 Pottstown office: 515 Walnut St, Pottstown, Pa 19464 610.970.2134

Miscellaneous (re Also ref the Emergency S	ev 6/6/2019) Services sheet for crisis information
Legal Aid (LA)	If you need free legal assistance, contact LA.
Profices Styde on you	LA of Southeastern PA: 1.877.429.5994 LA also has walk-in hours at Manna on Main St Wednesdays 2:00pm - 3:30pm 606 E. Main St, Lansdale
Legal Aid: Immigrant legal services	Kristin Taranath BIA Accredited Representative Immigration Legal Services Catholic Social Services 215.854.7015 ktaranath@chsadphila.org
	Consulate Immigration, Legal Tannia Aurora Juaregui, 267 603-8165, taj@aurorajlaw.com Guadalupe proteccionfia04@sre.gob.mx
	Mexican Consulate Humberto Cruz. 215-922-4262 ext 510 hcruz@sre.gob.mx
PET CARE - Pets of the Homeless	Non profit located in Nevada which coordinates pet care with a local vet and helps collect and distribute pet food donations to local food cupboards. https://www.petsofthehomeless.org
	When a pet of a homeless person requires <u>care</u> : Call main number (note they are 3 hours behind us) 1-775-841-7463 Client will be screened for eligibility and if qualify, service will call around area to find a local vet and make payment agreement with them for the cost of caring for the animal. Within a short time a return call will be made to the client with info on the local vet.
	Local chapter of Pets of the Homeless for Montgomery County (also have Facebook page) helps in the collection and distribute pet food donations to local food cupboards. Ask local pantry to call the following if they are interested in participating: Christine Davis contact info: 610-247-3421 or chrismdavis@verizon.net
TRASH SERVICES:	Avoid cost of contract by taking trash directly to Waste

Waste Management

Management site.

Charge: \$3/bag of trash (no matter the size)
: Free - cardboard & 'could-mingled' recycling (glass, metal & all

numbered plastic) Hours of operation: Wednesday 12noon - 4pm, Saturday 7am - 11am

400 Progress Dr., Telford 215.257.2415

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	If neighbor does not qualify for assistance under a government sponsored program, for information on program guidelines and eligible medications offered by pharmaceutical companies consider www.rxassist.org
Medicare	The website has a clearing house of information for many drugs which includes indications and adverse effects but also the website or email address of the manufacturer to allow the patient to determine if the manufacture provides rebates or a cost-sharing program.
	https://www.medicare.gov/pharmaceutical-assistance-program/#P
"Extra Help" also known as "low income subsidy" (LIS)	Certain Medicare recipients with low income and limited resources to pay for Medicare prescription drug coverage may qualify to receive assistance in paying costs such as monthly premiums and annual deductibles related to Medicare Rx costs
	For eligibility, or to enroll, go to www.socialsecurity.gov/prescriptionhelp or call
	1.800.633.4227 (24hrs/day, 7days/wk)
PACE	PACE, PACENET and PACE plus Medicare are Pennsylvania's prescription assistance programs for older adults, offering low-cost prescription medication to qualified residents, age 65 and older. aging.pa.gov
	For information, call: 1.800.225.7223
PA Drug Card	According to their website: FOR THE UNINSURED & UNDER INSURED As a resident of PA, you and your family have access to a statewide Prescription Assistance Program (PAP). Create and print your FREE discount prescription (Rx) drug card (at the site). The card will provide you with Rx medication savings of up to 75% at more than 56,000 pharmacies across the country including Acme Sav-on, Supe Fresh, Pathmark, Target, Kmart, Giant Eagle, Giant, Weis, Genuardi's, Mr. Zs, Scot's Lo-Cost, Martin's, CVS/pharmacy, ShopRite, Walgreens, Walmart, and many more.
	www.padrugcard.com

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Costco	Do not need to be a member to use Costco pharmacy. As enter store tell greeter that you are going to Pharmacy. Check website for services costco.com > pharmacy 740 Upper State Rd, North Wales 215-353-4153
WalMart	Provides 1000 generics at \$4 for a month supply. Check for most up-to-date information at www.walmart.com

Senior Specific	: / Aging Adult Support References (rev 6/6/2019)
Adult Protective Services	Elder Abuse & Protective Services Hotline 1-800-734-2020 (Montgomery County) - also ref Emergency Services
Project HEARTH (Helping Elderly Adults Remain in Their Homes)	Helps older adults (age 60+) to remain independent and in their homes thru in-home counseling and volunteer support services Professional services: in-home counseling Volunteer services: handyman chores, telephone reassurance, friendly visiting, errand & escort service, medical advocacy. Medicare & insurance reimbursement for eligible clients. Low income clients are subsidized by foundation grants. Family Services of Montgomery County fsmontco.org
Keeping Friends Cool	Summer cool down program for seniors Prepayment of electric bills for seniors needing assistance with electric to run fans and/or air conditioners. Only for seniors whose electric are NOT past due. For more information go to Manna on Main www.mannaonmain.org
The Lamb Foundation (LF)	The LF provides affordable housing and support services to senior citizens and adult individuals with mental, physical and developmental disabilities who would otherwise be homeless. 114 North Main Street, North Wales 215-699-5600 215-661-8825 (fax) info@LambPA.com (email) lambfoundationpa.org
Meals on Wheels (@Generations of Indian Valley)	To inquire about eligibility to receive meals, call 215.723.8555 259 North 2nd Street, Souderton

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Montgomery County Aging & Adult Services (MCAAS)	Network of services and programs available for older county residents www.montcopa.org/148/Aging-Adult-Services 610.278.3601 (central office) Ask for Intake Dept.
Prescription Drug	ref Prescription Drug Assistance sheet
St Maria Goretti (SMG) Eldercare Assistance Program	Free services for older adult parishioners includes information on services that will enhance their lives, assisting parishioners in applying for programs, in addition to individual case management. For more Information check SMG Parish website stmariagoretti.net >Menu>Ministries>Eldercare Assistance OR contact geriatric care manager directly Amy Juarez ajuarez@CHS-ADPHILA.ORG 215.721.0199 ext. 225
Transportation	Montgomery County: Partnership TMA For more information go to ptma-mc.org Once on site, go to Programs > Senior Mobility - also ref Transportation sheet

Name	Purpose	Location	Contact
Al-Anon Hotline	For persons with addictions	Varies	215.923.7900 www.sepia.org
Alcoholics Anonymous	For persons with alcohol addiction	Grand View Hospital	215.923.7900
Bariatric Support		Grand View Hospital	215.453.4300
Bereavement	(7) different support groups	Grand View Hospital	Heather Myers 215.453.4398
Resolve Through Sharing	For people who have lost a child prior to, at, or just after birth	Grand View Hospital	Diane Carp 215.896.1208
Breast Cancer Support Group	For women with breast cancer	Grand View Hospital	215.453.4137
Dementia (Heart Strings)	For people with a loved one sufferings from dementia	Peter Becker Community	Alyssa 215.256.9501
Easter Seals of Montgomery County	For parents with children who are disabled	Kulpsville, PA	215.368.7000
Epilepsy Foundation of Eastern PA	For people with epilepsy & their families		215.629.5003
Multiple Sclerosis	For people with MS & their families. Meet 2nd Wedn. of month	Generations in Souderton	Denise Frankli 215.290.5790
Narcotics Anonymous	For those with narcotic addiction	Varies	844.624.3575 eparna.org
Nutritional Consultants	For persons with dietary or nutritional goals	Grand View Hospital	215.923.7900
Parkinson's Support	For people with Parkinson's disease & their families	Arbor Square	Julie Kline 267.677.1204
Geen Parent Support	Provides education for teens who are parents	Grand View Hospital	Maternity Care Coalition 215.348.9770

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Vision Support For people with low vision disorders Peter Becker Community Janette 215.256.9501

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MONTGOMERY COUNTY (MC):

Greater North Penn Area Transportation Management Association nformation about available transportation programs and resources in Montgomery County. NOTE: the special program where a person will be reimbursed for trying SEPTA one time. For more information contact **PARTNERSHIP TMA**

http://www.ptma-mc.org 215.997.9100 or 1.866.507.4857

Within MC there are several options for receiving transportation services:

1. SEPTA's ParaTransit Services

ParaTransit is a door-to-door, ride sharing transportation services provided to riders over age 65 who are pre-registered thru SEPTA's ParaTransit. This ADA service is for people with disabilities who are functionally unable to use regular assessable fixed-route bus service.

Contact SEPTA's Customized Community Transportation Dept (CCT) for more information and to register for the program

CCT unit of the Customer Service & Advocacy Division Mon - Fri 8am - 4pm 215.580.7145 215.580.7712 (TTD) www.septa.org/service/cct/

2. Shared-Ride Program

www.suburbantransit.org

A door-to-door, advance-reservation, ride-sharing service, reduced fare small vehicle transportation program offered on a space-available basis to seniors, individuals with disabilities and low income individuals who reside within the county.

To register for the program and to schedule a ride or obtain additional information, contact the county provider, TransNet 215.542.7433 ride@suburbantransit.org (email)

3. Medical Assistance Transportation Program

A transportation service available to Medical Assistance (MA) consumers in MC which provides transport or reimbursement of transportation expenses traveling to non-emergency MA providers

Check website for users' guide on eligible transport purposes, additional information and application.

www.suburbantransit.org > Medical Assistance Or call Mon-Fri, 8:00am to 4:00pm (Main) 215.542.7433 (Lansdale, Center Point, Harleysville) 610.222.0365

(Souderton, Green Lane, Pennsburg) 215.679.9551

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Bike Share (thru Partnership TMA)

Seasonal program (approx end April thru November, weather permitting)

No charge for bike usage. However, please check the website for more information and the local locations for bike share pods.

www.ptma-mc.org then go to Programs > Free Bike Share

Contact the Mobility Hotline @ 1.866.507.4857

OR email info@ptma-mc.org for questions or to inquire about bike availability