



Quick Start Housing and Services Information for Mercer County

This information is provided through a partnership with PHFA and the Inglis Self-Determination Housing of PA— Regional Housing Coordinator Program. It is intended to be an initial resource to housing services; therefore, it is not an all-inclusive document. We encourage the use of PA 211 for additional information.

*Updates or corrections may be provided to sdhpinfo@inglis.org

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Local Housing Provider Contact Information

Regional Housing Coordinator Program

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Inglis Self-Determination Housing of PA			SDHPinfo@inglis.org		www.inglis.org/RHC

Access Modification Program

This program provides resources to enable eligible persons with disabilities to make their home more accessible

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency (PHFA)			info@crinet.org		https://www.phfa.org/programs/repairs.aspx

Builders Association

Voluntary association of area builders. May have housing information or contact for developers.

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Mercer County Builders Association	3580 Innovation Way, Suite 104, Hermitage, PA 16148		eo@mercercountybuilders.com	724-475-4834	https://www.banwpa.com/

Fair Housing Resources

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
PA Human Relations Commission Harrisburg Office	301 Fifth Ave, Suite 390, Pittsburgh, PA 15222			412-565-5395	https://www.pa.gov/agencies/phrc.html
Fair Housing Law Center operated by Summit Legal Aid (SLA)	10 West Cherry Avenue, Washington, PA 15301		info@summitlegal.org	724-225-6170 Toll Free: 1-877-725-4472	http://www.fhlaw.org

Habitat for Humanity

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE

Housing Coalition or Local Housing Options Team (LHOT)

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Mercer County Housing Coalition	MCHC Meeting 3 rd Tuesday of the month @ 9:00 a.m. Regional Council Bldg. 2495 Highland Rd, Hermitage, PA 16148	Anna Marie Shears	AnnaMarie.Shears@mcbhc.org	724-662-1550	

Housing Trust Fund

Potential local source of funds for affordable housing. Funds are distributed as follows: board reviews and approvals.

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency	211 North Front Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101		Jperry@phfa.org	717-780-1881	https://phfa.org

Public Housing Authority

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Mercer County Housing Authority	80 Jefferson Ave, Sharon, PA 16146		pasfh@usda.gov	724-342-4000	https://mchchoices.com/

Rural Housing Office

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Pennsylvania Rural	359 East Park Drive, Suite 4, Harrisburg, PA 17111		pasfh@usda.gov	717-237-2186	https://www.rd.usda.gov/pa

Development State Office					
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Aging and Disability Resource Centers (ADRCs)

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
PA Link to Aging and Disability Resource Center				Toll-Free Helpline: 1-800-753-8827	
PA Link	111 Sunnyview Circle, Suite 101, Butler, PA 16001	Brittany Gilfillan, Lead Link Coordinator	BBuzzeli@co.butler.pa.us	724-282-3008	https://www.butlercountypa.gov/

Area Agency on Aging (AAAs)

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Mercer County Area Agency on Aging, Inc	133 N. Pitt Street, Mercer, PA 16137	Admin@mercercountyaging.org	724-662-6222	814-723-3763 Toll free: 1-800-281-6545	https://mercercountyaging.org/

The Arc

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
The Arc of Mercer County	850 N. Hermitage Road, Hermitage, PA 16148		Mcar@mercercarc.org	724-981-2950 724-981-2950	https://www.mercercarc.org/

Center for Independent Living (CIL)

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Disability Options Network	831 Harrison Street, New Castle, PA 16101		Info@disabilityoptionsnetwork.org	724-652-5144	https://www.doninc.org/

Community Action Agency Community Action Agencies help individuals and families work toward self-sufficiency while strengthening communities

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Community Action Partnership of Mercer County	215 South Water Street, Sharon, PA 16146		capmc@capmercerc.org	724-342-6222 TTY 724-342-2714 888-508-5216	https://www.capmercerc.org/

Mental Health—Housing Specialist

The Mental Health Housing Specialist provides housing support so peoples with mental illness and co-occurring disorders can be integrated into community living.

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Community Counseling Center	2201 E State Street,	Elizabeth Purdy	Epurdy@cccmer.org	724-699-8633	https://www.cccmer.org/

	Hermitage, PA 16148				
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Homelessness Prevention Agency

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Community Counseling Center	2201 E State Street, Hermitage, PA 16148		Charden@cccmer.org	724-981-7141 Ext 310	https://www.cccmer.org/

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Office of Long-Term Living (OLTL)	Commonwealth of Pennsylvania			Toll-Free Helpline: 1-800-833-5196	https://www.pa.gov/services/dhs/transition-from-nursing-home-to-community-care

Office of Vocational Rehabilitation (OVR)

OVR helps people with disabilities achieve employment and independence.

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Office of Vocation Rehabilitation	3200 Lovell Place, Erie, PA 16503			814-871-4551; Voice 814-871-4535 TTY 800-541-0721* Voice 888-217-1710* TTY 814-240-2477	https://www.pa.gov/

United Way

United Way services vary in each community and typically include fund-raising, information, and referral.

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
United Way of Mercer County	960 S Hermitage Road, Hermitage, PA 16148		uwmcinfo@uwmercercounty.org	724-981-1884	https://uwmercercounty.org/
Grove City Area United Way	P.O. Box 388 Grove City, PA 16127		gcunitedway@zominter.net	724-458-4527	

VA Homeless Services

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

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs	135 E. 38th Street, Erie, PA 16504	Summer Clapper LCSW HUD-VASH Coordinator	Summer.Clapper@va.gov	724-406-9795	

Community Action Partnership of Mercer County (CAPMC)	215 S. Water Avenue, Sharon, PA 16146	James Reardon, Veterans Advocate	Jreardon@capmercer.org	724-979-0233	www.capmercer.org
Soldier On				1-866-406-8449	https://www.wesoldieron.org/
Veterans Leadership Program			info@vlpwpa.org	844-VLP-VETS (844-857-8387)	https://www.veteransleadershipprogram.org/

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.

ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS	CONTACT	EMAIL	PHONE	WEBSITE
Pennsylvania Enrollment Services				1-800-440-3989 (toll free) 1-800-618-4225 (TTY)	http://www.enrollnow.net

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 enroll now link above.