



## **Quick Start Housing and Services Information for**

### **Cameron 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 <a href="mailto:sdhpinfo@inglis.org">sdhpinfo@inglis.org</a>

## PAHousingSearch.com

A Free Service to List and Find Affordable Homes and Apartments across Pennsylvania



### **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.

#### Inglis Self-Determination Housing of PA

SDHPInfo@inglis.org
Information & Referral Request
www.Inglis.org/RHC

#### **Access Modification Program**

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

## ACCESS Home Modification Assistance | Home Improvement & Repair Loans (phfa.org)

Info@crinet.org
https://www.phfa.org/programs/repairs.aspx

#### **Builders Association**

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

None

#### **Fair Housing Resources**

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

#### **HUD Fair Housing Enforcement**

Pittsburgh Office: 412-644-6428

### PA Human Relations Commission Pittsburgh Office

412-565-5395

www.phrc.state.pa.us

### **Fair Housing Law Center**

10 West Cherry Avenue, Washington, PA 15301 724-225-6170 | 877-725-4472 Toll Free https://fhlaw.org/

#### **Habitat for Humanity**

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

#### None

### 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.

### **Cameron and Elk Counties LHOT**

Sarah Grunthaner <u>sgrunthaner@cemhmr.com</u> 814-772-8016, ext. 148

#### **Housing Trust Fund**

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

#### None

#### **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.

#### **Elk County Housing Authority**

PO Box 100, 424 Water St. Extension, Johnsonburg, PA 15845 814-965-2532 https://elkhousing.com/

#### **Rural Housing Office**

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

## USDA Rural Housing Service

359 East Park Drive, Suite 4, Harrisburg, PA 17111

pasfh@usda.gov 717-237-2186

### **Local Service Provider Contact Information**

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

PA Link to Aging and Disability Resource Center

Toll-Free Helpline: 1-800-753-8827

#### Area Agency on Aging (AAAs)

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

#### Office of Human Services

108 Center St., P.O. Box A, Ridgway, PA 15853 800-672-7145 https://ohsaging.com

#### The Arc

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

#### none

#### **Center for Independent Living (CIL)**

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

## **Center for Independent Living Opportunities Life & Independence for Today**

503 East Arch St., St. Marys, PA 15857 lifted@liftcil.org 814-781-3050 V | 814-781-3050 TTY www.liftcil.org

### **Community Action Agency Community Action**

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

### **Northern Tier Community Action**

135 W. 4th St., PO Box 389 Emporium, PA 15834 814-486-1161 www.ntcac.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.

## Cameron and Elk Counties Behavioral & Developmental Programs

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#### **Homelessness Prevention Agency**

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

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#### **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 to the right. Scroll down to the section titled "Transition Preparation" to access the list of Nursing Home Transition Coordination Agencies.

# Transition from Nursing Home to Community Care | Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (pa.gov)

Office of Long-Term Living (OLTL) Nursing Home Transition Helpline: 1-800-833-5196

#### **Acentra Health**

1-888-204-8781

https://paspecializedservices.acentra.com/

#### Office of Vocational Rehabilitation (OVR)

OVR helps people with disabilities achieve employment and independence.

#### Office of Vocational Rehabilitation

199 Beaver Dr., DuBois, PA 15801 814-371-7340 | 814-371-7505 TTY

800-922-4017 \* Voice

www.dli.pa.gov/Individuals/Disability-Services/ovr/Pages/default.aspx

### **United Way**

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

#### None

#### **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.

## James E. Van Zandt Veteran's Administration Medical Center

2907 Pleasant Valley Blvd., Altoona, PA 16602 814-943-8164

www.va.gov/altoona-healthcare/locations/james-e-vanzandt-veteransadministration-medicalcenter

#### Soldier On

425 North Main Street, Building 6, Leeds, MA 01053 info@wesoldieron.org 866-406-8449 https://wesoldieron.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.

#### 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.

#### **Pennsylvania Enrollment Services**

<u>www.enrollnow.net</u> 1-800-440-3989 (toll free) | 1-800-618-4225 (TTY) Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.