



## Quick Start Housing and Services Information for Wayne 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](mailto:sdhpinfo@inglis.org)

### 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](mailto:SDHPInfo@inglis.org)  
[Information & Referral Request](#)  
[www.Inglis.org/RHC](http://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](http://phfa.org))

#### Builders Association

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

#### Wayne Pike Building Industry Association

106 Shook Rd., Suite 103  
Hawley, PA 18428  
[info@waynepikebia.com](mailto:info@waynepikebia.com)  
Ph: 570.226.4941  
Website: <http://www.waynepikebia.com/>

#### Fair Housing Resources

U.S., PA and local organizations offer info about fair

#### North Penn Legal Services

559 Main Street, Ste 200

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housing and respond to complaint.

Bethlehem, PA 18018

Ph: 570.317.8757 press 2

F:610.317.8778

<https://www.nplspa.org/who-we-are/locations/stroudsburg-office.html>

**PA Human Relations Commission Philadelphia**

Office: 215-560-2496 | 215-560-3599 TTY

Website: [www.phrc.pa.gov](http://www.phrc.pa.gov)

**HUD Fair Housing Enforcement**

Philadelphia Office:

Ph: 888.799.2085

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**Habitat for Humanity**

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

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**HFH Wayne County Pennsylvania**

PO Box 407

Honesdale, PA 18431

Website: <https://www.hfhwcpa.org>

Email: [mb.hfh18431@gmail.com](mailto:mb.hfh18431@gmail.com)

Ph: (570) 470-0930

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**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.

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**Wayne County Human Services**

Heather Miszler

[Hmiszler@waynecountypa.gov](mailto:Hmiszler@waynecountypa.gov)

925 Court St.

Honesdale, PA 18431

Ph: 570.253.6758

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**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.

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**Wayne County Housing Authority**

130 Carbondale Rd.

Waymart, PA 18472

Ph: 570.488.6069

Website: <http://wchahousing.com>

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**Rural Housing Office**

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

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**Pennsylvania Rural Development State Office**

359 East Park Drive, Suite 4

Harrisburg, PA 17111

Ph:717-237-2186

Email:[pashfh@usda.gov](mailto:pashfh@usda.gov)

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## Local Service Provider Contact Information

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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.

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**PA Link to Aging and Disability Resource Center**

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

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**Area Agency on Aging (AAAs)**

Provide info and services for older adults and their

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**Wayne County Area Agency on Aging**

Mary Ursich 323 Tenth St.

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caregivers. Services vary by agency.	Honesdale, PA 18431 <a href="mailto:MUrsich@waynecountypa.gov">MUrsich@waynecountypa.gov</a> Ph: 570.253.4262 Website: <a href="http://www.waynecountypa.gov/149/Agency-on-Aging">www.waynecountypa.gov/149/Agency-on-Aging</a>
<b>The Arc</b> Arc works to include all children and adults with developmental and intellectual disabilities, working for inclusion in every community.	<b>The Arc of NEPA Maryclaire Kretsch</b> 115 Meadow Ave. Scranton, PA 18505 <a href="mailto:mckretsch@thearcnepa.org">mckretsch@thearcnepa.org</a> Ph: 570.346.4010
<b>Center for Independent Living (CIL)</b> Each CIL provides 4 core services, including advocacy, information, and referral, peer mentoring, and independent living skills.	<b>Northeast PA CIL</b> 1142 Sanderson Ave, Suite 1 Scranton, PA 18509 Ph: 800.344.7211 Website: <a href="http://www.mycil.org">www.mycil.org</a>
<b>Community Action Agency Community Action</b> Agencies help individuals and families work toward self-sufficiency while strengthening communities	<b>Wayne Trehab</b> 100 4th Street, Suite 20 Honesdale, PA 18431 Ph: 570-253-8941 <a href="https://trehab.org/wayne-county/">https://trehab.org/wayne-county/</a>
<b>Mental Health—Housing Specialist</b> The Mental Health Housing Specialist provides housing support so peoples with mental illness and co-occurring disorders can be integrated into community living.	<b>Housing Specialist</b> Colleen Cawley <a href="mailto:ccawley@cmpmhds.org">ccawley@cmpmhds.org</a>
<b>Homelessness Prevention Agency</b> This agency provides case management, rental assistance, and transitional/emergency housing.	<b>Eastern PA Continuum of Care</b> Mary Penny (she/her) Eastern PA CoC Coordinator DMA - Diana T. Myers and Associates, Inc. 570-704-6412
<b>Nursing Home Transition Team</b> 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.	<b>Transition from Nursing Home to Community Care   Commonwealth of Pennsylvania</b> ( <a href="http://pa.gov">pa.gov</a> ) Office of Long-Term Living (OLTL) Nursing Home Transition Helpline: 1-800-833-5196  <b>Wayne County Area Agency on Aging</b> Mary Ursich 323 Tenth St. Honesdale, PA 18431 <a href="mailto:MUrsich@waynecountypa.gov">MUrsich@waynecountypa.gov</a> Ph: 570.253.4262 Website: <a href="http://www.waynecountypa.gov/149/Agency-on-Aging">www.waynecountypa.gov/149/Agency-on-Aging</a>
<b>Office of Vocational Rehabilitation (OVR)</b> OVR helps people with disabilities achieve employment and independence.	<b>Vocational Rehabilitation Services</b> 8 W. Market St., Suite 200, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701 570-826-2011 Voice 570-820-4848 TTY 800-634-2060* Toll Free within US Voice Website: <a href="https://www.dli.pa.gov/Individuals/Disability">https://www.dli.pa.gov/Individuals/Disability</a>

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**United Way**

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

**United Way of Lackawanna and Wayne Counties**

Ph: 570.343.1267

Website: [www.uwlc.net](http://www.uwlc.net)

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**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.

**Wilkes-Barre VA Medical Center**

Crystal Arcarese

1111 East End Blvd.

Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711

[Crystal.Arcarese@va.gov](mailto:Crystal.Arcarese@va.gov)

Ph: 570.824.3521 ext. 7742

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**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.

**Pennsylvania Enrollment Services**

[www.enrollnow.net](http://www.enrollnow.net)

1-800-440-3989 (toll free) | 1-800-618-4225 (TTY)

Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

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**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.

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