DIRECTORY OF HIV/AIDS SERVICES

IN MIDDLESEX, SOMERSET

AND HUNTERDON COUNTIES
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## EMERGENCY AND INFORMATIONAL HOTLINES

### Addictions Treatment / Prevention

- **Adult Children of Alcoholics**  
  1-800-344-2666

- **Addictions Hotline of New Jersey**  
  1-800-238-2333

- **Alcoholics Anonymous Central NJ**  
  1-609-888-3333

- **Narcotics Anonymous**  
  1-800-992-0401

- **National Clearinghouse of Drug and Alcohol Information**  
  1-800-729-6686

### Disabilities

- **Division of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing**  
  1-800-792-8339

- **Division of Disability Services**  
  1-888-285-3036

- **NJ Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired**  
  1-732-255-0720

- **NJ Library for the Blind and Handicapped**  
  1-609-292-9742

- **NJ Protection and Advocacy**  
  1-800-922-7233

### Children and Youth

- **Child Abuse**  
  1-800-792-8610

- **Middle Earth Runaway Hotline**  
  1-800-834-3890

- **New Jersey Care**  
  1-800-701-0710

- **Parents Anonymous**  
  1-800-843-5437

### Emergency / Crisis / Self-Help

- **Domestic Violence Statewide Hotline of NJ**  
  1-800-572-7233

- **Poison Control Center**  
  1-800-962-1253

- **Resource for Women and Families**  
  1-800-322-8092

- **Self-Help Clearinghouse**  
  1-800-367-6274
## Entitlement Hotlines

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<td>1-212-807-6655</td>
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## Women

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<td>Sister Connect (warmline for women living with HIV)</td>
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ADDICTION SERVICES

ADDICTIONS HOTLINE OF NEW JERSEY
Contact Community Helplines
P.O. Box 8465
Cherry Hill, NJ 08002

Phone: (856) 795-5073 / (800) 238-2333
Fax: (856) 795-2103

Contact: Diane Jackson, Executive Director
Website: www.njdrug hotline.org

Description of Organization:
Information and referral services for people with substance abuse issues, their families and friends. 24-hour, toll free hotline for anyone with access to a NJ telephone.

Services Provided:
Confidential information and referral concerning substance abuse, for detox, outpatient and inpatient treatment, all treatment modalities; as well as information on all 12 step programs Alcoholics Anonymous, Al-Anon, Alateen, Narcotics Anonymous, Nar-Anon, Nicotine Anonymous, C.O.D.A., etc.

Hours: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Fees: None.

Methods of Application: Telephone

Languages Spoken: 140 languages spoken through AT&T Language Line; TTY services for the deaf.

ALCOHOL & OTHER DRUG ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS FOR STUDENTS
Hurtado Health Center
Rutgers University
11 Bishop Place
Rutgers University
New Brunswick, NJ 08901-1180

Phone: (732) 932-7976
Fax: (732) 932-1223

Description of Organization:
Provides prevention/education services to high-risk students and treatment for chemically dependent Rutgers students. Goal is early intervention with alcohol and drug related problems.

Services Provided:
Assessment; consultation; individual counseling and group counseling. Prevention education, group and substance free housing. Also provides referral services for medical care, psychological and psychiatric evaluation.

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30am - 4:30pm with some evening hours.

Fee/Insurance Accepted: Services are for Rutgers students only. No fees charged.

ANDERSON HOUSE
P.O. Box 134
Whitehouse Station, NJ 08889

Phone: (908) 534-5818
Fax: (908) 534-8871

Web Site: www.andersonhouse.org
Email: andersonhouse@andersonhouse.org

Description of Organization:
Residential program for women recovering from alcohol and drug addiction.

Services Provided:
Halfway house for women.

Hours: 24 hours.

Fees: No insurance. Self pay or funded by the county or state.

Method of Application: Telephone.

Languages Spoken: English

CARRIER CLINIC
252 Route 601
Belle Mead, NJ 08502

Phone: (908) 281-1538 / (800) 933-3579
Fax: (908) 281-1679

Contact: Access Center: (800) 933-3579
Description of Organization:
Private non-profit behavioral health care system offering intensive treatment programs for a full range of psychiatric and addiction disorders.

Services Provided:
Carrier offers specialized inpatient psychiatric and dual-diagnosis care for adolescents, adults and older adults, and inpatient/outpatient addiction care for adults. Residential and special education services are provided for adolescents.

Hours: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and self-pay.

Methods of Application: Telephone or write for information.

Languages Spoken: Primarily English.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES SOMERSET COUNTY
550 US Highway 22
Bridgewater, NJ 08807

Phone: (908) 722-1881
Fax: (908) 704-0215

Services Provided:
Substance abuse evaluations, individual and group counseling; mental health services for individuals, groups and couples; financial counseling and limited assistance with utilities and rent.

Hours of Operation:
Monday – Thursday: 9:00am – 9:00pm; Friday: 9:00am – 5:00pm

Fees/Insurance Accepted:
Sliding Scale. Medicaid and Third Party Insurance accepted.

CRAWFORD HOUSE, INC.
362 Sunset Road
P.O. Box 255
Skillman, NJ 08558

Phone: (908) 874-5153
Fax: (908) 874-4733

Email: lleyhane@crawfordhouse.org
Web Site: www.crawfordhouse.org
Contact: Linda Leyhane, Executive Director

Description of Organization:
A private non-profit agency that provides transitional living programs for indigent New Jersey women recovering from alcoholism and drug addiction. Program is based on the 12-step recovery model of Alcoholics Anonymous.

Hours of Operation: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Fees:
The program is available to women free of charge upon admission. After initial 4-week program orientation period, residents seek and obtain part-time employment, and contribute to the cost of their treatment on a sliding scale.

Methods of Application:
Self referral or referrals from other treatment settings.

Languages Spoken: English.

DAMON HOUSE
Office Address:
107 Joyce Kilmer Avenue
New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Residential Program:
105 Joyce Kilmer Avenue
New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Phone: 732-828-3988, 732-828-6002
Fax: 732-828-2710

Email: mverderosa@damonhouse.org
Contact: Marlene Verderosa, Ass't Executive Director

Description of Organization:
Residential treatment center for addiction.

Services Provided:
Individual and group counseling; AIDS testing and counseling; psychological evaluation; vocational counseling; family therapy; and basic adult education; in-house weekly AA and NA
groups. Transportation for residents to and from meetings and appointments.

Hours: Office: Monday – Friday, 9:00am to 5:00pm. Residential is 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Phone is answered 24 hours a day.

Fees: $200 non-refundable intake fee, which may be waived. Applications taken for municipal welfare.

Methods of Application: Telephone or agency referral.

Languages Spoken: English.

**EPIPHANY HOUSE**  
1110 Grand Avenue  
Asbury Park, NJ 07712

Phone: (732) 775-0720  
Fax: (732) 502-0065

Web Site: [www.epiphanyhouse.org](http://www.epiphanyhouse.org)

Description of Organization: Halfway house treatment modality for treating chemically dependent women and their children.

Services Provided: Treatment facilities in Long Branch and Asbury Park. Supportive services include: parenting and life skills education, vocational assessment and referral to vocational training. Childcare available at no charge; transportation available.

Hours: 7 days a week, 24 hours a day.

Fees: 65% of cash grant from social services and food stamps - $450 per month.

Methods of Application: Telephone or write for information.

Languages Spoken: English

**NEW BRUNSWICK COUNSELING CENTER**  
320 Suydam Street  
New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Phone: (732) 246-4025  
Fax: (732) 246-1214

Description of Organization: Outpatient addiction treatment clinic for individuals and families confronted with substance use disorders.

Services provided: Outpatient counseling program; drug screening; alcohol abuse/dependency; intoxicated driver program; methadone maintenance/opiate detoxification; AIDS counseling and education; HIV Testing/Risk Reduction Counseling; support group and referral services.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 6:00am -7:00pm.

Fees: Medicaid; $35.00 per week; $135.00 Methadone Maintenance admission fee; $200 Methadone detox fee; 40 HIV + fee waived treatment slots.

Methods of application: Telephone or write.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

**HUNTERDON DRUG AWARENESS PROGRAM**  
8 Main Street  
Flemington, NJ 08822

Phone: (908) 788-1900  
Fax: (908) 788-3836

Contact person: Glenn Duncan

Services Provided: Outpatient addictions counseling; individual, group, couples families, co-dependency counseling; prevention/education programs.

Fees/Insurance Accepted: Sliding scale, insurance, cash, check.
Description of Organization:
Residential or outpatient treatment of both adults and adolescents for substance abuse and compulsive gambling. Program based on 12-step modality of treatment.

Services provided:
Individualized treatment plans; individual, group, and family therapy; detoxification program; specialized adolescent care program; and aftercare.

Hours:
24 hours a day, 7 days a week -residential and detox (adult and adolescent) -variable hours. Aftercare (by appointment).

Fees:
Private insurance, scholarships and sliding scale.

Methods of application:
Self- or provider referral. Telephone or write.

Languages spoken:
English and Spanish.

NEW JERSEY REGIONAL HEMOPHILIA PROGRAM
Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
1 Robert Wood Johnson Place
P.O. Box 19, MEB 378
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903-0019

Phone: (732) 235-7681
Fax: (732) 235-7115

Contact:
Robin Schwartz, Program Coordinator
M. Frances Maceren, RN, Nurse
Lisa Cohen, MSW, LCSW - Social Worker

Description of Organization:
The Hemophilia Program provides comprehensive multidisciplinary care to patients of all ages with Hemophilia and bleeding disorders only. Provides direct medical and psychosocial care to persons with Hemophilia infected with the HIV virus (with or without AIDS).

Services provided:
Infectious disease treatment; nutrition; mental health; dental; drug treatment; orthopedic services; risk reduction is taught to persons with Hemophilia and their partners/spouses.

Access to complete roster of all consultants associated with Robert Wood Johnson Medical School. Treatment for all episodic bleeding problems and emergencies is provided at the Treatment Center during working hours and through the Emergency Department at all other times.

Hours:
Monday -Friday, 8:30am -4:30pm; 24 hours emergency service.

Fees:
Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale.

Methods of application:
Telephone or write.

Languages spoken:
English, Spanish and other foreign language translators throughout the hospital.

OPEN DOOR, INC.
2-4 Kirkpatrick & New Streets
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

Phone: (732) 246-4800
Fax: (732) 246-4860

Description of Organization:
Intensive outpatient substance abuse program aimed at low income and under served populations including women, homeless persons, African-Americans, Hispanics, children of substance abusers and incarcerated individuals.

Services provided:
Intensive 90-day outpatient substance abuse treatment program with access to support groups such as AA, NA, Al-Anon and Nar-Anon. A drug and alcohol prevention, intervention and treatment programs. Drug and alcohol assessment and referral program to indigent adolescents and adults.

Hours:
Monday -Friday, 10:00am -9:00pm.
Saturday, 9:00am-1:00pm

Fees: Based upon income/ sliding scale.
RARITAN BAY MEDICAL CENTER
METHADONE PROGRAM
500 Convery Boulevard
Perth Amboy, New Jersey 08861

Phone: 732-442-7030
Fax: 732-442-7030

Contact: Mindy Bernstein

Description of Organization: Methadone treatment services to adults, 18-70 years old.

Services provided: Methadone treatment; counseling services; urine screening and medical evaluation.

Hours: Monday - Friday, 6:00am - 2:30pm. Saturdays: 7:00am to 10:30am.

Fees: $155 1st week; $55 per week thereafter.

Methods of application: Telephone or in person.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

SOMERSET TREATMENT SERVICES
118 West End Avenue
Somerville, NJ 08876

Phone: (908) 722-1232
Fax: (908) 722-0223

Services Provided:
Outpatient addiction services including counseling, intensive outpatient program, case management, methadone services and psychiatric care.

Hours of Operation:
Monday & Friday: 9:00am - 4:30pm
Tuesday - Thursday 9:00am - 8:00pm
Saturday 7:30am - 9:00pm

Fees/Insurance Accepted: Medicaid

SOMERSET COUNCIL ON ALCOHOLISM
AND DRUG DEPENDENCY
34 West Main Street Suite 307
Somerville, NJ 08876

Phone Number: (908) 722-4900
Hotline: (800) 322-5525 (24 hours)
Fax Number: (908) 526-7564

Contact Person: Sharon Lutz

Email Address: Scadd307@aol.com

Web site: www.somersetcouncil.com

Services Provided:
Provides current information and education on all aspects of alcohol and drug dependency. Advocacy, consultation and technical assistance with human service providers. Training and program development for teachers, nurses, police officers, clergy and health care providers.

UNIVERSITY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CARE
(UMDNJ) -PISCATAWAY
Box 1392
671 Hoes Lane
Piscataway, New Jersey 08855-1392

Phone: 732-235-5500
Fax: 732-235-4216

Description of Organization: Mental health care facility - crisis intervention only.

Services provided:
Inpatient hospitalization; outpatient psychotherapy; child/adolescent services; emergency services; prevention services; substance abuse services; medication; diagnostic programs; school based programs; outreach programs; TEAM program; programs for women and their children; and social problem solving program. Childcare and transportation may be available for some programs.
Hours: Vary.

Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale.

Methods of application: Telephone Access Center at (800) 969-5300.

Languages spoken: All, including sign.
CASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES

AIDS COMMUNITY CARE ALTERNATIVE PROGRAM (ACCAP)
Bureau of Home and Community Services
5 Quakerbridge Plaza, CN 712
Trenton, NJ 08625
Phone: (609) 745-2055

Services Provided:
Provides the following Medicaid Services: physician, pharmaceutical, in-patient hospital services, case management, private duty nursing, substance abuse treatment, personal care service, durable medical equipment, physical therapy, speech therapy, occupational therapy, counseling and hospice care.

Hours:
Monday – Friday, 8:30am – 4:30pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of Application:
Contact the Middlesex County Board of Social Services if receiving Social Security Disability or the Middlesex County Medicaid Office if currently receiving Medicaid benefits under SSI.

Languages Spoken:
English and Spanish

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK - HUNTERDON
10 East Main Street
Flemington, NJ 08822
Phone: 908-782-2490
Fax: 908-782-5513

Contact Person: Geleer Donovan, Executive Director

Description of Organization:
Temporary Housing for Homeless. not emergency shelter.

Services Provided:
Shelter, Counseling, Transitional Case Management

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm

Languages Spoken:
English

JERSEY SHORE UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER
1944 State Route 33, Suite 204
Neptune, New Jersey 07754-0397
Phone: (732) 776-4271
Fax: (732) 776-4648
Email: chornish@meridianhealth.com

Contact: Carleen Hornish, ACRN


Services Provided:
Medical and social case management, support groups, counseling, HIV testing, HIV education and in-service training's.

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30am-5:00pm.

Fees: Medical insurance.

Method of Application: Telephone or Referral.

Languages spoken: Telephone or Referral

JEWISH RENAISSANCE FOUNDATION
149 Kearny Ave.
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 324-2114
Fax: (732) 324-0256
E-mail: JRF@ao1.com
Web Site: WWW.JRFMED.org

Description: Non-profit organization meeting the needs of the undocumented, uninsured, and indigent populations.

Services Provided: Includes school youth services, out of school services; pre- and post-test counseling for HIV/AIDS and case management through Robert Wood Johnson Medical School.

Hours: 9:00 AM -5:00 PM Office
5:00 pm-10:00pm Field
Saturday, Sunday variable
Languages Spoken: Spanish and English

NORTH JERSEY COMMUNITY RESEARCH INITIATIVE (NJCR)
393 Central Avenue
Newark, New Jersey 07103
NJCR@NJCR.org

Phone: (973) 483-3444
Fax: (973) 485-7080

Contact:
Brain McGovern, Director of Social Services
Henry Iwuala, Support Services Manager
Cory Rosmarin, Research Director

Description of Organization:
Community based AIDS service organization. Provides access to HIV clinical trials and comprehensive HIV social services. Clinical trials are available at different sites throughout Northern, Central and Southern New Jersey:

Services provided:
NJCR offers case management, food pantry, prescription assistance, support groups (men's, women's, gay men's and HIV and substance abuse; Spanish speaking available); transportation, HIV prison discharge planning; medical case management; clinical trials. Counseling for mental health, nutrition, substance abuse, and treatment education, homeless outreach; prevention/risk reduction presentations; referrals to HIV counseling and testing, and case management services.

"Prevention 4 Positives" program for people infected with HIV / AIDS to develop a positive outlook on living with the virus, individual support, teaches how to communicate, practice safe sex, and negotiate condom use.

HIV/AIDS counseling and testing is free and confidential. Pre- and post-test counseling and HIV testing.

Hours: Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8:30am-4:30pm; Wed. 8:30am-7:30pm

Fees: None.

Methods of application:
Telephone. Walk-ins are welcome, appointments are preferred.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

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ROBERT WOOD JOHNSON AIDS PROGRAM
UMDNJ -Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
1 Robert Wood Johnson Place, CN 19
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903

Phone:
Office: 732-235-7894
Clinic: 732-235-7061
Appointments: 732-235-6230 (press 7)
Fax: 732-235-7419

Contact:
Roseann Marone, RN, BSN, MPH -Program Coordinator
Debbie Subers, RN, BSN
Lisa Cerrachio, RNC
Mary Jones, RN
Judy Kenny, RN
Gail Burack, RN
Blanca Jackson, RN –Nurse Educator

Description of Organization:
Ryan White Title IV Regional Network Site. This is a multidisciplinary team with doctors, social workers, nurse case managers and a psychologist.

Services provided:
HIV specialty care, family case management, HIV testing and counseling for children and adolescents. Pediatric Infectious Disease Physicians on-call 24-hrs.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 8:30am -4:30pm.

Fees: Medicaid, private insurance, sliding scale and charity care.

Methods of application: Telephone for appointment.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.
RYAN WHITE HIV CARE CLINIC
SOMERSET MEDICAL CENTER
100 Rehill Avenue
Somerville, NJ 08876

Phone: 908-685-2444
Fax: 908-685-2544

Email: kbayait@somerset-healthcare.com

Contact:
Lisa Pittarelli, MD
Chas White, BSW
Kathleen Bayait, LPN

Services Provided:
Comprehensive medical care, nutritional counseling, social services, case management, support groups for infected/affected, HIV counseling and testing (1st and 3rd Thursday of each month).

Hours:
Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:30pm
Doctor's Hours: Mon., Thurs., Fri.

Fees/Insurance Accepted:
None (Ryan White Funded) Medicaid and Third Party Insurance Accepted

Languages Spoken:
English

VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION OF CENTRAL JERSEY
746 Livingston Avenue
North Brunswick, New Jersey 08902
Phone: (732) 565-4540
Fax: (732) 828-4807

Description of Organization:
Certified provider of home health care and community-based services in Middlesex and Monmouth counties; HIV Home Care Program in Middlesex, Monmouth and Somerset Counties. Ryan White Community based management in Middlesex, Somerset, Hunterdon counties.

Services provided:
Community health nursing, home health aides; hospice; physical and occupational therapy; speech and language therapy; Community Care for the Elderly and Disabled Program, HIV Home Care Program; AIDS Community Care Alternative Program; WIC Program; Mobile Outreach Clinic Program; Ryan White Title I Community Based Case Management Program and Traumatically Brain Injured Program.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 8:30am -4:30pm; 24 hour on call.

Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale.

Methods of application: Telephone, write, or walk-in.

Languages spoken: English, Spanish and translators available for other languages.
CHILDREN’S PROGRAMS

AIDS RESOURCE FOUNDATION FOR CHILDREN
182 Roseville Avenue
Newark, NJ 07107

Phone: (973) 483-4250
Fax: (973) 483-1998

Web Site: www.aidsresource.org

Contact: Faye A. Zealand, Director

Description of Organization:
Non-profit corporation that provides support services to children with HIV and their families. At the St. Clare’s Homes, infants and toddlers from birth to twelve years receive loving care in a home-like atmosphere from trained child health care workers. Children thus reside in a safe, warm and healthy environment until appropriate foster homes can be found or until they can be re-united with their families.

Services Provided:
Transitional residences for children, comprehensive support services, summer camp and educational programs. Haller House location includes: support groups with meal and child care provided on site; bereavement counseling; family counseling; foster parent training; transportation; clothing and toy distribution; Boy and Girl Scouts and Cub Scouts; a newsletter and Information and Referral Services. Community Support Program includes: discharge planning; an aftercare plan; respite care and emergency placement.

Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 5:30pm.
Fees: None.

Methods of Application:
Referrals to St. Clare’s are made through DYFS, hospitals and the community. Contact the Administrative Office Case Management Department.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish.

CAMP HEARTLAND
4425 N Port Washington Road. Suite #107
Milwaukee, WI 53212

Phone: 800-724-HOPE / 414-272-1118
Fax: 414-272-9916

E-mail: helpkids@campheartland.org

Description of Organization:
Camp Heartland Project is a charitable, non-profit organization dedicated to helping children infected of affected by AIDS/HIV by providing recreational opportunities, support and AIDS education.

Service Provided:
Camping programs for children impacted by HIV/AIDS; 24 hour medial services provided (during sessions); AIDS awareness and educational programs presented throughout the United States.

Hours: Sessions held during summer.

Fees: Currently free of charge.

Methods of Application: Telephone followed by registration forms.

Language Spoken: English and Spanish.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

St. John of God Community Center
24 Abeel Street
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
Phone: (732) 745-9800
Fax: (732) 745-9107

Trinity Health Center
271 Smith Street
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 826-9160
Fax: (732) 826-8342

Middlesex Child Care Voucher Program
271 Smith Street
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 826-9160
Fax: (732) 826-8342

Homeless Hotline
89 Truman Drive
Edison, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 247-3270
Transitional Housing
933 State Street
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 826-7711

Connections
26 Safran Avenue
Edison, NJ 08837
Phone: (732) 738-1323

Contact:
Sharon Oshatz – Health Center Director
Marilyn Wightman – Homeless Hotline Program
Michelle Suskind – Child Care Voucher Program
Amy Zissman – Case Worker, Connections

Description of Organization:
Catholic Charities is a multi-service agency providing a wide range of human services to individuals, families and communities.

Services Provided:
Health Center for clients with no health insurance. Shelter, food, prescription assistance and emergency rent/utility assistance when funding is available. Childcare subsidy for low-income families. Child/youth adult match program.

Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 5:00pm.

Fees:
Sliding scale fee for Health Center, co-payment for childcare and rental agreement for Transitional Housing Program.

Methods of Application: Telephone or walk-in.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish.

FISHERMAN’S MARK
89 North Main Street
Lambertville, NJ 08530
Phone: (609) 397-0194
Fax: (609) 397-7486

Contact Person: Barbara Petty

Services Provided:
Food distribution, phone and fax service, vocational and financial counseling, child care, counseling, GED classes.

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm
Also by appointment

Fees: None
Languages Spoken:
Spanish, Russian, French

NEW JERSEY DIVISION OF YOUTH AND FAMILY SERVICES
Main Office
P.O. Box 717
Trenton, NJ 08625-0717
Phone: 800-331-3937 / 609-292-6920

Contact:
Ask for intake unit when calling.

Description of Organization:
Component of the State Department of Human Services, DYFS is New Jersey’s comprehensive social services agency for children, families and adults. Goal is to preserve families and protect children from harm. Adoption planning for Active Protective Services for birth parents willing to surrender their newborns.

Services provided:
In the area of HIV: specialized foster care, group homes for children, case management.

Office Hours:
Monday -Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm.

Hotline Hours: 24 hours per day

Fees:
None.

Methods of application:
Telephone or write.

Languages spoken:
Numerous.

NEW JERSEY STATE WIDE NETWORK OF PEDIATRIC HIV TREATMENT CENTERS
The New Jersey Pediatric HIV Family Centered Care Network consists of seven centers located strategically throughout the State. The primary purpose of the Network is to provide comprehensive, coordinated, family centered
care to HIV infected/affected children and their families. These agencies focus their efforts on building a Family Centered Care Network with the ability to arrange for or directly provide outreach, testing, counseling, medical management, social support and follow-up services; provide family case management to facilitate family access to appropriate health care services; and provide access to clinical trials for HIV infected children through clinical trial sites.

Centers:

FXB Center  
University of Medicine and Dentistry  
ADMC # 4  
30 Bergen Street  
Newark, NJ 07103  
Contact: Peter Oates, MSN  
Phone: (973) 972-0400  
Fax: (973) 972-0396

Cooper Hospital/University Med. Center  
Department of Pediatrics  
3 Cooper Plaza, Suite 200, Rm. 241  
Camden, NJ 08103  
Phone: (856) 342-2001  
Fax: (609) 963-2499

Jersey City Medical Center  
AIDS Health Services  
50 Baldwin Avenue  
Jersey City, New Jersey 07304  
Contact: Nora Holmquist, L.C.S.W.  
Phone: (201) 915-2295  
Fax: (201) 915-2213

Robert Wood Johnson Medical School  
Department of Pediatrics  
Division of Immunology, Allergy & Infectious Disease  
1 Robert Wood Johnson Place  
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903,  
Contact: Roseanne Marone, RN, MPH  
Phone: (732) 235-7383  
Fax: (732) 235-7419

St. Joseph Hospital & Medical Center  
703 Main Street  
Paterson, New Jersey 07503  
Contact: Sr. Fran Demarest  
Phone: (973) 754-4713  
Fax: (973) 279-3618

Newark Beth Israel Medical Center  
Infectious Disease/Pediatrics Family  
Treatment Center, Ground Floor  
166 Lyons Avenue  
Newark, New Jersey 07112  
Contact: Maryellen Wiggins, RN, ACRN  
Phone: (973) 926-8004 - Pediatrics  
Phone: (973) 926-5212 - Adults  
Fax: (973) 923-4672

Jersey Shore Medical Center  
Department of Pediatrics, A-240  
1945 Corlies Avenue  
Neptune, New Jersey 07753  
Contact: Carleen Brewer-Hornish, RN  
Phone: (732) 776-4271  
Fax: (732) 776-4648

New Jersey Department of Health  
Special Child & Adult Health Services  
P.O. Box 364  
Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0364  
Phone: (609) 292-1078  
Fax: (609) 292-3580

PUERTO RICAN ASSOCIATION FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT, INC.  
100 First Street  
Perth Amboy, New Jersey 08861  
Phone: (732) 442-1081  
Fax: (732) 826-3082  
Contact: Iris Gomez, Latino Youth HIV Prevention Program Coordinator

Description of Organization:  
P.R.A.H.D., Inc. is dedicated to serving the needs of Middlesex County, by developing human potential and promoting self sufficiency through the implementation and operation of programs designed to improve the social, economic, health and education status of our community through the provision of appropriate services and leadership.

Services provided:  
Latinos United for Prevention and Education (L.U.P.E.): Youth HIV Prevention Program provides HIV and AIDS prevention education seminars to Latino youth and their families as well as prevention case management (one-to-one preventive counseling). Other services include: Day Care Center; Latch Key Program; Resources for Independent Living; Chore
Companion, Safe Kids Program, Blindness Prevention Program and Senior Citizens Program; HOY program (health-oriented youth program).

Hours:
Latchkey, 3:00pm-6:00pm
Day Care, 7:30am-5:15pm
Others, 9:00am-5:00pm

Fees: Sliding Scale for Latch Key Program.

Method of application: Telephone, write, fax or walk-in.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

RESOURCE CENTER FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
427 Homestead Road
Hillsborough, NJ 08844

Phone: (908) 359-0003
Hotline: (866) 685-1122
Fax: (908) 359-8881

Contact Person: Marilyn Kelly, Director of Outreach Services.

Email Address: www.rcwtf.org

Description of Organization:
The lead agency in Somerset County serving victims of domestic violence.

Services Provided:
Provides supportive and educational services to victims of domestic violence and their children; counseling, 24 hour shelter, legal advocacy, transitional housing program and support groups; community education, volunteer education.

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm (Outreach Center)

Fees/Insurance:
Free service

Languages Spoken:
English, Spanish

SALVATION ARMY
NEW BRUNSWICK
287 Handy Street
P.O. Box 69
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903

Phone: (732) 545-1477
Fax: (732) 545-3606

Description of Organization:
The Salvation Army is a Religious/Charitable organization founded in London, England in 1865 and active in the United States since 1878.

Services provided:
Food, clothing, temporary shelter, prescription assistance, utility assistance, spiritual counseling. We also have an after school program and a state licensed summer day camp.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 9:00am -4:30pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application: Telephone the caseworker to make an appointment.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

SALVATION ARMY
PERTH AMBOY
433 State Street
P.O. Box 613
Perth Amboy, New Jersey 08861:

Phone: (732) 826-7040
Fax: (732) 826-3450

Contact: Captain Ismael Correa or Captain Santa Correa.

Description of Organization:
The Salvation Army is a Religious/Charitable organization founded in London, England in 1865 and active in the United States since 1878. The Salvation Army in Perth Amboy began in 1886 and has been serving the people of Perth Amboy and the surrounding communities since then.

Services provided:
Food, clothing, temporary shelter, prescription assistance, utility assistance, spiritual counseling. We also have an after school
program and a State licensed Summer Day Camp.

Hours:
Office and regular assistance hours are from Monday-Friday 9:00am -5:00pm. Program hours vary.

Fees:
The only program that carries a fee is the Men's Shelter and that is on a sliding scale.

Methods of application: Walk-in and referrals from other agencies.

Languages spoken: English, Spanish, and Polish.
CIVIL RIGHTS

OFFICE OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT
Civil Rights Division
U.S. Department of Justice
P.O. Box 66118
Washington, D.C. 20035-6118

800-514-0301 / 202-514-0301 (Voice)
800-514-0383 / 202-514-0381 (TDD)

Comprehensive resources, information and guides about the Americans with Disabilities Act from the U.S. Department of Justice. Your first contact for all ADA related information.

NEW JERSEY PROTECTION AND ADVOCACY, INC.
210 South Broad Street, Third Floor
Trenton, NJ 08608

609-292-9742 / 800-922-7233 (Voice)
609-633-7106 (TDD)

New Jersey Protection and Advocacy (NJP&A) is the consumer-directed, non-profit organization that serves as New Jersey’s designated protection and advocacy system for people with disabilities in the state. In partnership with individuals with disabilities and their families, NJP&A works to protect and advance the rights of people with disabilities. NJP&A provides information and referral and a broad range of advocacy services, including legal representation in numerous cases in state and federal courts.

COUNSELING SERVICES

CARRIER CLINIC
252 Route 601
Belle Mead, NJ 08502

Phone: (908) 281-1538, (800) 933-3579
Fax: (908) 281-1679
Contact: Access Center: (800) 933-3579

Description of Organization:
Private non-profit behavioral health care system offering intensive treatment programs for a full range of psychiatric and addiction disorders.

Services Provided:
Carrier offers specialized inpatient psychiatric and dual-diagnosis care for adolescents, adults and older adults, and inpatient/outpatient addiction care for adults. Residential and special education services are provided for adolescents.

Hours: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and self-pay.

Methods of Application: Telephone or write for information.

Languages Spoken: Primarily English.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES SOMERSET COUNTY
550 US Highway 22
Bridgewater, NJ 08807

Phone: (908) 722-1881
Fax: (908) 704-0215

Services Provided:
Substance abuse evaluations, individual and group counseling; mental health services for individuals, groups and couples; financial counseling and limited assistance with utilities and rent.

Hours of Operation:
Monday – Thursday: 9:00am – 9:00pm; Friday: 9:00am – 5:00pm
Fees/Insurance Accepted:
Sliding Scale. Medicaid and Third Party Insurance accepted.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES
MENTAL HEALTH/COUNSELING SERVICES
288 Rues Lane
East Brunswick, NJ 08816
Phone: (732) 247-6100
Fax: (732) 651-9834

271 Smith Street
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 826-9160
Fax: (732) 826-8342

26 Safran Avenue
Edison, NJ 08837
Phone: (732) 738-1323
Fax: (732) 732-3896

Contact: Telephone the location for appointment and information.

Description of Organization: Non-profit multi-services.

Services Provided:
Individual therapy, couple therapy, family therapy, and group therapy; psychiatric evaluation; medication monitoring; clinical case management; and advocacy. Educational programs for the HIV community and significant others. Day programs include group therapy, recreation and socialization. Referrals to appropriate community services.

Hours: Monday – Thursday, 9:00am – 9:00pm; Friday, 9:00am – 5:00pm; Saturday, 9:00am – 4:00pm.

Fees: Medicaid, private insurance and sliding scale.

Methods of Application: Telephone or walk-in.

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, Hungarian, Hebrew and American Sign.

FISHERMAN’S MARK
89 North Main Street
Lambertville, NJ 08530
Phone: (609) 397-0194
Fax: (609) 397-7486

Contact Person: Barbara Petty

Services Provided:
Food distribution, phone and fax service, vocational and financial counseling, child care, counseling, GED classes.

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm
Also by appointment

Fees: None
Languages Spoken:
Spanish, Russian, French.

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK-HUNTERDON
10 East Main Street
Flemington, NJ 08822

Phone: 908-782-2490
Fax: 908-782-5513

Contact Person: Geleer Donovan, Executive Director

Description of Organization:
Temporary Housing for Homeless. not emergency shelter.

Services Provided:
Shelter, Counseling, Transitional Case Management

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm

Languages Spoken:
English

JERSEY SHORE UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER
1944 State Route 33, Suite 204
Neptune, New Jersey 07754-0397

Phone: (732) 776-4860
Fax: (732) 776-4648
Email: chornish@meridianhealth.com
Contact: Carleen Hornish, ACRN
Services Provided:
Medical and social case management, support groups, counseling, HIV testing, HIV education and in-service trainings.
Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30am-5:00pm.
Fees: Medical insurance.
Method of Application: Telephone or Referral.
Languages spoken: English

JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES OF SOMERSET, HUNTERDON, AND WARREN
150A West High Street
Somerville, NJ 08876
Phone: (908) 725-7799
Fax: (908) 725-0284

Services Provided:
Individual, couples and marital issues; family group counseling, support services to the elderly and their families; divorce mediation; refugee resettlement; family life education; food pantry; information and referrals.
Hours of Operation:
Monday- Thursday 9:00am-5:00pm
Friday 9:00am-4:00pm
Evenings and Saturdays by appointment.
Fees/Insurance:
Sliding scale, cash or check
Languages spoken:
English, Hebrew, Yiddish

NEW JERSEY REGIONAL HEMOPHILIA PROGRAM
Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
1 Robert Wood Johnson Place
P.O. Box 19, MEB 378
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903-0019

Phone: (732) 235-7681
Fax: (732) 235-7115

Contact:
Robin Schwartz, Program Coordinator
M. Frances Maceren, RN, Nurse
Lisa Cohen, MSW, LCSW - Social Worker

Description of Organization:
The Hemophilia Program provides comprehensive multidisciplinary care to patients of all ages with Hemophilia and bleeding disorders only. Provides direct medical and psychosocial care to persons with Hemophilia infected with the HIV virus (with or without AIDS).

Services provided:
Infectious disease treatment; nutrition; mental health; dental; drug treatment; orthopedic services; risk reduction is taught to persons with Hemophilia and their partners/spouses.
Access to complete roster of all consultants associated with Robert Wood Johnson Medical School. Treatment for all episodic bleeding problems and emergencies is provided at the Treatment Center during working hours and through the Emergency Department at all other times.

Hours:
Monday -Friday, 8:30am -4:30pm; 24 hours emergency service.
Fees:
Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale.
Methods of application:
Telephone or write.
Languages spoken:
English, Spanish and other foreign language translators throughout the hospital.

RARITAN BAY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER
570 Lee Street
Perth Amboy, New Jersey 08861
Phone: (732) 442-1666 -24 hours emergency coverage.
Fax: (732) 442-9512
Contact:
Sylvia Zanoni, LCSW - HIV Program Coordinator.
Laurie Sneider, LCSW - Clinical Coordinator.

Description of Organization: Comprehensive community mental health center.

Services provided:
Individual, group and family counseling; Partial care day treatment programs; sheltered workshops; psychiatric evaluation, thrift shop; Hispanic AIDS support group; psychoeducational groups; self-help groups; information and referral to appropriate community resources.

Hours:
Tuesday - Thursday, 8:15am - 8:15pm, Monday and Friday, 8:30am - 4:15pm.

Fees:
Medicaid, Medicare, Ryan White Grant, private insurance, and sliding scale.

Methods of application:
Telephone and ask to speak to telephone screener or coordinator.

Languages spoken: English, Spanish and Hindu.

UNIVERSITY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CARE (UMDNJ) - PISCATAWAY
Box 1392
671 Hoes Lane
Piscataway, New Jersey 08855-1392

Phone: 732-235-5500
Fax: 732-235-4216

Description of Organization: Mental health care facility - crisis intervention only.

Services provided:
Inpatient hospitalization; outpatient psychotherapy; child/adolescent services; emergency services; prevention services; substance abuse services; medication; diagnostic programs; school based programs; outreach programs; TEAM program; programs for women and their children; and social problem solving program. Childcare and transportation may be available for some programs.

Hours: Vary.
The Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services (DVRS) provides services to individuals of employable age with disabilities through its district offices. Eligibility generally is based on the presence of a mental or physical disability that is an obstacle to employment, and a reasonable expectation that the Division’s services will help the individual become employable. Vocational rehabilitation counselors work with the individuals and their families to develop and carry out a plan for training and placement. If financial need is established, the Division will purchase other rehabilitative services from private providers, such as further evaluation or counseling, training at a vocational center or technical school and on-the-job training. For more information, please contact DVRS at the main number or website above, or contact your local district office, as below:

Middlesex District Office:
506 Jersey Avenue
P.O. Box 2672
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
732-937-6300 (Voice)
732-545-8147 (TDD)
732-937-6358 (Fax)

Monmouth District Office:
60 Taylor Avenue
Neptune, NJ 07753
732-775-1799 (Voice)
732-775-1711 (TDD)
732-775-1666 (Fax)
FOOD BANKS / MEAL PROGRAMS

ANGEL FOOD MINISTRIES
Faith Exchange Fellowship
1915 Old Georges Road
North Brunswick, NJ 08902

Phone: (732) 297-9559

Description of Organization:
Angel Food Ministries is a program that provides approximately $75 worth of food for a donation of only $25. You must pay the fee before the cut-off date each month, and they accept case, money orders and food stamps.

Services provided:
Nutritious food for a minimal fee every month.

Hours of operation:
Mon.-Fri. 9-5

Fees: $25; call for additional prices on extra packages.

Methods of Application:
Call for more information and enrollment.

ELIJAH'S PROMISE
Soup Kitchen:
18 Neilson Street
New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Office:
211 Livingston Ave.
New Brunswick, NJ
Phone: (732) 545-9002
Fax: (732) 545-1996

Contact:
Yvette Molina
Lisanne Finston

Description of Organization:
A coalition of congregations, businesses, groups and individuals seeking to reduce hunger in the New Brunswick area.

Services Provided:
Prepared meals; basic health screening and referrals; information and referral assistance.

Hours:
Lunch: Monday – Friday, 11:00am – 12:15pm.
Dinner: Monday – Friday, 6:00pm – 7:00pm.
Saturday/Sunday: 3:30pm – 4:30pm

Fees: None

Methods of Application: Phone or walk-in during operating hours.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish.

FISHERMAN'S MARK
89 North Main Street
Lambertville, NJ 08530

Phone: (609) 397-0194
Fax: (609) 397-7486

Contact Person: Barbara Petty

Services Provided:
Food distribution, phone and fax service, vocational and financial counseling, child care counseling, GED classes.

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm
Also by appointment

Fees: None

Languages Spoken:
Spanish, Russian, French

FLEMINGTON AREA FOOD BANK
P.O. Box 783
110 Broad Street
Flemington, NJ 08822

Phone: (908) 788-5568
Fax: (908) 782-0950

Services Provided:
Food distributed to Hunterdon County residents

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Thursday 9:00am-11:30am
Saturdays 9:30am-11:00am
FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP FOOD BANK
60 Millstone Road
Somerset, NJ 08873
Phone: (732) 246-0009

Services Provided: Emergency food distribution and working wardrobe clothing primarily to residents of Franklin Township, Somerset County.

Hours of Service (not Operation): Monday-Thursday Noon-3:00PM; Saturday 10:00AM-Noon.

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00AM-3:00PM; Saturday 10:00AM-Noon.

MEALS ON WHEELS IN GREATER NEW BRUNSWICK
100 Livingston Avenue
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901
Phone: (732) 249-3488
Website: http://www.mowgnb.com

Description of Organization:
Home delivered meal program.

Services provided:
A hot meal and a cold meal delivered to the frail elderly and homebound in the city of New Brunswick and the town of Highland Park, Monday through Friday.

Hours:
Monday -Friday, 9:30am -1:00pm

Fees:
Suggested donation: $7.00 per day. NOTE: No one is denied because of inability to donate.

Methods of application:
Telephone or write.

Languages spoken:
English.

SALVATION ARMY
NEW BRUNSWICK
287 Handy Street
P.O. Box 69
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903
Phone: (732) 545-1477
Fax: (732) 545-3606

Description of Organization:
The Salvation Army is a Religious/Charitable organization founded in London, England in 1865 and active in the United States since 1878.

Services provided:
Food, clothing, temporary shelter, prescription assistance, utility assistance, spiritual counseling. We also have an after school program and a State licensed Summer Day Camp.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 9:00am -4:30pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application: Telephone the caseworker to make an appointment.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

SALVATION ARMY
PERTH AMBOY
433 State Street
P.O. Box 613
Perth Amboy, New Jersey 08861:
Phone: (732) 826-7040
Fax: (732) 826-3450
Contact: Major Washington or Major Catherine Navarro.

Description of Organization:
The Salvation Army is a Religious/Charitable organization founded in London, England in 1865 and active in the United States since 1878. The Salvation Army in Perth Amboy began in 1886 and has been serving the people of Perth Amboy and the surrounding communities since then.

Services provided:
Food, clothing, temporary shelter, prescription assistance, utility assistance, spiritual
counseling. We also have an after school program and a State licensed Summer Day Camp.

Hours:
Office and regular assistance hours are from Monday-Friday 9:00am -5:00pm. Program hours vary.

Fees:
The only program that carries a fee is the Men's Shelter and that is on a sliding scale.

Methods of application: Walk-in and referrals from other agencies.

Languages spoken: English, Spanish, and Polish.

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**SAMARITAN HOMELESS INTERNSHIP PROGRAM (S.H.I.P.)**
87 West High Street
Somerville, New Jersey 08876

Phone: (908) 725-3260
Fax: (908) 725-2582

Contact:
Tom O'Leary, Executive Director

Description of Organization: Community based organization.

Services provided:
Emergency housing and rental assistance; drug/alcohol abuse treatment services; HIV/AIDS education/prevention; PWA food pantry; emergency nutritional programs, and, holiday food baskets.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 9:00am -5:00pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application: Telephone or write.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

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**SOMERSET COUNTY FOOD BANK**
P.O. Box 149
Bound Brook, NJ 08805

Phone: (732) 560-1813
Fax: (732) 748-0622

Services Provided:
Staple foods distributed to people of low economic means, also special needs

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday 9:00am-3:30pm
Saturday 10:00am-12:00pm
ENTITLEMENTS

AIDS COMMUNITY CARE ALTERNATIVE PROGRAM (ACCAP)
Office of Home and Community Services
11 Quakerbridge Plaza, P.O. Box 712
Trenton, NJ 08625
Phone: (609) 588-2620

Services Provided:
Provides the following Medicaid Services: physician, pharmaceutical, in-patient hospital services, case management, private duty nursing, substance abuse treatment, personal care assistance service, durable medical equipment, physical therapy, speech therapy, occupational therapy, counseling and hospice care.

Hours:
Monday – Friday, 8:30am – 4:30pm.

Methods of Application:
Contact the Division of Disability Services Office of Home and Community Services if receiving Social Security Disability (SSD) or Supplemental Security (SSI). If you have no Medicaid coverage, contact the Board of Social Services.

Languages Spoken:
All languages available through Language Line service.

AIDS DRUG DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM (ADDP)
12B Quakerbridge Plaza
Hamilton Twsp., NJ 08619

Mailing Address:
ADDP
P.O. Box 722
Trenton, NJ 08625-0722

Phone: (609) 588-7038
Fax: (609) 588-7037
Hotline: (877) 613-4533

Contact: Cheryl Kurtz Mills, Principal Claims Reviewer

Description of Organization:
ADDP helps eligible New Jersey residents pay for over 100 of the most current and effective HIV/AIDS related medications. New medications are added to the list periodically.

Fees: None.

Method of Application: Complete ADDP application form.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish.

HEALTH INSURANCE CONTINUATION PROGRAM (HICP)
50 East State Street 3rd Floor
P.O. Box 363
Trenton, New Jersey 08625 -0363

Phone: (800) 353-3232 / (609) 292-9199
Fax: (609) 984-6495

Contact: Rosemary Ross-Tucker, Coordinator

Web Site:
http://www.state.nj.us/health/aids/keepins.htm

Description of Organization:
HICP is special program for NJ residents with HIV/AIDS. It allows clients to keep their health insurance when they can no longer work or when they can only work part time. HICP pays monthly insurance premium payments for health insurance, including family insurance that covers your spouse and/or children.

Services provided:
HICP will pay for COBRA recipients for the duration of allowable benefits -18-29 months. HICP will pay premium payments for private, individual policies.

Fees: None.

Method of application:
Obtain and complete an application. Request an application from HICP, Ryan White HIV Care Consortia Resource Centers, HIV Clinics, Physicians and/or case managers. Return application to: NJ Dept. of Health & Senior
Services, HICP-3rd Floor, 50 East State Street, P.O. Box 363, Trenton, NJ 08625.

Languages spoken: English.

HUNTERDON COUNTY BOARD OF SOCIAL SERVICES
Community Services Building
6 Gauntt Place
PO Box 2900
Flemington, New Jersey 08822-2900

Phone: (908) 788-1300

Description of Organization:
Provides a broad range of financial, food stamp, medical and social service programs for county residents.

Services Provided:
This counter board of social services administers various entitlement and other programs, including homeless services, TANF, child care programs, various Medicaid Waiver programs, homemaker programs and other programs for county residents. Contact the office for additional information.

Methods of application: Telephone, write or walk-in.

Languages spoken: Various.

MEDICAID DISTRICT OFFICE
MIDDLESEX AND UNION COUNTIES
45 Kilmer Road
Edison, New Jersey 08817

Phone: (732) 777-6977

Description of Organization:
Provided health-related and financial assistance to the poor, elderly and disabled persons.

Services provided:
Assess and enroll SSI clients in the AIDS Community Care Alternatives Program (ACCAP). Helps ineligibility problems; makes referrals.

Hours:
Monday -Friday, 8:00am -4:30pm.

Fees:
None.

Methods of application:
Telephone, write or walk-in.

Languages spoken:
English and Spanish.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY BOARD OF SOCIAL SERVICES
181 How Lane
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

Phone: (732) 745-3500
Fax: (732) 745-4558

252 Madison Avenue
Perth Amboy, New Jersey 08861

Phone: (732) 324-5500
Fax: (732) 324-5548/49

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Description of Organization:
Provides broad range of financial, food stamp, medical and social services programs for county residents.

Services provided:
Temporary assistance for Needy Families (TANF); food stamps; institution and community Medicaid programs; adult protective services; home services; medical transportation, emergency housing assistance (TANF and SSI recipients).

Hours:
Monday -Friday, 8:30am -4:15pm.
Closed for lunch 12:00pm-12:45pm

Fees:
None.

Methods of application:
Telephone or write for an appointment.

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**PHARMACEUTICAL ASSISTANCE TO THE AGED AND DISABLED (PAAD)**

12 D Quakerbridge Plaza
Hamilton Twp., NJ 08619

Mailing Address:
PAAD
P.O. Box 715
Trenton, NJ 08625

Phone: 800-792-9745
Fax: 609-588-7122
Hotline: 800-792-9745

Professional Contact:
Jennifer Barron (609)-588-3460

Description of Organization:
State funded program to help eligible New Jersey Residents pay for prescription medicines and some pharmacy items. Eligibility: New Jersey residents must be 65 years of age or at least 18 years of age and receive Social Security Title II Disability benefits; annual income less than $22,572 if single or less than $27,676 if married (2007).

Services Provided:
Use of PAAD to obtain prescription medicine or pharmacy item for a $5.00 co-pay.

Hours:
Monday – Friday, 8-5

Fees:
Private insurance or self-pay; Medicaid disqualifies applicant for PAAD benefits.

Method of application
Write, fax

Languages spoken:
English and Spanish

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**SENIOR GOLD PROGRAM**

12-D Quakerbridge Plaza
Hamilton, NJ 08619

Mailing Address:
P.O. Box 715
Trenton, NJ 08625

Phone: 800-792-9745
Fax: 609-588-7122
Hotline: 800-792-9745

Description of Organization:
Senior Gold is a prescription drug discount program for elderly and disabled New Jersey residents who are 65 years of age or at least 18 years of age and receive Social Security Title II Disability benefits with limited income.

Services Provided:
Senior Gold provides access to prescription medicine or at a significant discount. The cardholder will pay a co-payment, and annual out-of-pocket cost.

Hours:
Monday – Friday, 8-5

Fees:
Private insurance or self-pay; PAAD and Medicaid disqualifies applicant for Senior Gold benefits.

Method of application:
Telephone, write or fax.

Languages spoken:
English and Spanish

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**SOMERSET COUNTY BOARD OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

73 East High Street
Somerville, NJ 08876

Phone: (908) 526-8800

Description of Organization:
Provides a broad range of financial, food stamp, medical and social service programs for county residents.

Services Provided:
This counter board of social services administers various entitlement and other programs, including homeless services, TANF,
child care programs, various Medicaid Waiver programs, homemaker programs and other programs for county residents. Contact the office for additional information.

Methods of application: Telephone, write or walk-in.

Languages spoken: Various.

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**WIC (Women, Infants and Children)**

VNA OF Central Jersey

888 Main Street

Belford, NJ 07718

Phone: 732-471-9305
Fax: 732-471-9303

Contact:
Robin McRoberts - Manager
Corinne Hernandez – Ass’t Program Mgr

Description of Organization:
Serves to improve the nutritional health of low-income pregnant and breast feeding women, infants and children up to age 5 who reside in catchment area and are at nutritional risk.

Services provided:
Funds (checks) for specialized nutritious foods, infant formulas, specialized formulas and certain supplemental food products. Nutritional assessment and education.

Hours:
Edison - 2nd Mon. & Tues., 4th Thurs., 8:30am -4:30pm.
Perth Amboy – Mon.-Fri. 8:30am -4:30pm.
New Brunswick – Mon.-Fri. 8:30am -4:30pm.
Jamesburg - 4th Tues., 8:30am -2:00pm.
Carteret -1st & 3rd Thurs., 8:30am -4:30pm.
South Amboy -2nd Thurs., 8:30am -4:30pm.
Piscataway -3rd Mon., 8:30am-4:30pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application: Telephone to schedule appointment:
New Brunswick: 732-249-3513
Perth Amboy: 732-376-1188
Monmouth County: 732-471-9301

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.
HIV/AIDS TESTING

EDISON TOWNSHIP HEALTH DEPARTMENT
Administrative Building
100 Municipal Blvd.
Edison, NJ 08817
Phone: (732) 248-7277
Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:00am – 4:00pm.
Medical Facility
80 Idlewild Road
Edison, NJ 08817
Phone: (732) 248-7277
Fax: (732) 248-7237
Testing on Mondays only, from 4:30-6PM, with $25 fee ($20 for residents).

ERIC B. CHANDLER HEALTH CLINIC
HIV Services Program
277 George Street
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
Clinical Staff: (732) 235-6724
HIV Counseling and Testing: (732) 235-6767
Fax: (732) 235-6726
Monday, Wednesday, Friday
8am – 5pm
Tuesday, Thursday
8am – 8pm
Saturday
8am – 1pm
Free HIV counseling and testing is available during all Health Center hours of operation except Saturdays, by appointment.
Interpreter services are available in: English, Spanish, French, Portuguese, Creole and Pakistani.

HUNTERDON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT
8 Gauntt Place
Flemington, N J 08822
Mailing Address: PO Box 2900
Flemington, NJ 08822-2900
Phone: 908-806-4739
Contact Person:
Diane Attanasio, Public Health Representative
Melissa Alles, Counselor/Tester
Email Address: HIVALADY@yahoo.com
Services Provided:
HIV testing and Counseling. Referral to medical services and limited case management.
Hours of Operation:
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:30am-4:30pm
Wednesday 1:00pm-8:00pm
Hours by appointment only.
Fees/Insurance Accepted:
None
Languages Spoken:
English and Spanish

HYACINTH AIDS FOUNDATION
317 George Street
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901
25 Craig Place
North Plainfield, NJ 07060
Phone: (732) 246-0204
Hotline: (800) 433-0254 TDD
Fax: (732) 246-4137
Testing is done Mon.-Fri. 9AM-5PM, by appointment. Free and anonymous/confidential.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
Health Education Division
711 Jersey Avenue
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
Phone: 732-745-8860
Fax: 732-745-8484
Testing is done on an appointment only basis; please call for times.
HIV/AIDS counseling and testing is free and confidential; call for hours and appointment. Pre- and post-test counseling and HIV testing.

Office hours: Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8:30am-4:30pm; Wed. 8:30am-7:30pm

PRIDE CENTER OF NEW JERSEY
1048 Livingston Avenue
New Brunswick, NJ 08902
Phone: 732-235-7114

Every 1st and 3rd Thurs. 5:30pm-8:30pm
By appointment; confidential; bilingual counseling; no fee.

RARITAN BAY MEDICAL CENTER
530 New Brunswick Avenue
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: 732-324-5346

Mon.-Fri. 9:00am-5:00pm
By appointment; confidential; no fee.

ROBERT WOOD JOHNSON AIDS PROGRAM
UMDNJ -Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
1 Robert Wood Johnson Place, CN 19
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903
Phone: (732) 235-7114

Call for appointment; testing is free and confidential.

RYAN WHITE HIV CARE CLINIC
SOMERSET MEDICAL CENTER
100 Rehill Avenue
Somerville, NJ 08876
Phone: 908-685-2444
Fax: 908-685-2544

Testing is done on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month; free and confidential. Call for appointment.

SAINT JOHN OF GOD HEALTH CLINIC
24 Abeel Street
New Brunswick, NJ 08902
Phone: 732-235-7071
Every 1\textsuperscript{st} and 3\textsuperscript{rd} Monday, 2:00pm-4:00pm
By appointment or walk-in; confidential; no fee; bilingual counseling.

\begin{center}
\textbf{WOMEN'S HEALTH AND COUNSELING CENTER}
71 Fourth Street
Somerville, NJ 08876
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Phone: (908) 526-2335
Fax: (908) 526-7023

Serves women; testing by appointment. Call for more information.

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\textbf{WOODBRIDGE HEALTH DEPARTMENT}
2 George Frederick Plaza
Woodbridge, NJ 07095
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Phone: 732-855-0600, ext. 5011

Testing done every Thursday from 1:15-2:15, no appointment necessary. Resident pays $20; non-resident pays $25.
HOSPICE SERVICES

BARBARA E. CHEUNG MEMORIAL HOSPICE
One Roosevelt Drive
Edison, NJ 08837

Phone: (732) 321-9335
Fax: (732) 321-0836

Contact:
Deborah Honore, RN, Program Manager

Description of Organization:
Home and in-patient hospice services. Freestanding 6 bed inpatient facility. Home care available to all who qualify.

Services Provided:
Palliative care for terminally ill adults.

Hours or Operation: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Fees/Insurance Accepted:
Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and self-pay.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish

HAVEN HOSPICE
65 James Street
P.O. Box 3059
Edison, New Jersey 08818-3059

Also:
Muhlenberg Regional Medical Center
Park and Randolph Streets
Plainfield, NJ 07061

Phone: 732-321-7769
Fax: 732-205-1478

Contact:
Pamela H. Bonning, RN, BSN - Manager/Director of Nurses
Pamela Christy, RN-Coordinator

Description of Organization--Not for profit hospice care provided in the home care setting, long term care setting, and the inpatient hospice of the Mary Ann Hale Pavilion

Services:
Physical, psychosocial, spiritual, and social comfort needs provided to the terminally ill and their families by the hospice interdisciplinary team. Team members include nurses, chaplain, social workers/counselors, certified home health aides, volunteers, dietary consults, occupational, speech and physical therapies.

Area served: Union, Middlesex, and Somerset counties

Fees: Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance, self pay

Methods of application--Physician referral. agency, hospital

Hours of Operation:
Office hours--8:30am -4:30pm and 24/7 for oncall hospice patient emergencies

Additional services: counseling, bereavement, support groups, children's bereavement series to hospice and appropriate community referrals

Education: Education available to community groups, places of worship, long term care facilities, civic and social organizations, hospitals, physician offices, and most other interested audiences

Language: interpreters, telephone interpreters, and sign language available.

HUNTERDON HOSPICE
2100 Wescott Drive
Flemington, NJ 08822

Phone: 908-788-6600
Fax: 908-788-6651

Contact Person: Anne Boyle, RNCHPN, Director

Description of Organization: Hospice

Services Provided: Promotion of quality of life to patients of all ages, and families suffering from a terminal illness. Pain and symptom management, community resources and support, spiritual care and comfort, bereavement services by an interdisciplinary team of physicians, nurses, social work, home health aides and volunteers.

Hours of Operation: 24 hours / 7 days a week.
Office hours: Mon-Fri 8:30 am – 4:30 pm.
Reimbursement: Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance. No one is turned away for inability to pay.

VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION OF CENTRAL JERSEY
HOSPICE PROGRAM
1100 Wayside Road
Tinton Falls, New Jersey 07712

Phone: (732) 493-2220
Fax: (732) 493-4256

Contact: Kathleen McConnell, RN- Director

Description of Organization:
Hospice care for patients at home or in nursing homes during the final stages of their lives.

Services provided:
Skilled nursing; social work; clergy; home health aides; volunteers; durable medical equipment and pharmacy; other disciplines as needed.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 8:30am -4:30pm; 24 hour on call.

Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale.

Methods of application: Telephone or write.

Languages spoken: English.
HOUSING SERVICES

AGAPE HOUSING FAMILY SHELTER PROGRAM
122-128 East Main Street
Somerville, NJ 08876

Phone: (908) 707-9753
Fax: (908) 707-9430

Description of Organization:
Homeless shelter

Services Provided:
Homeless shelter offering case management, advocacy, daily living skills, housing, employment services.

ALTERNATIVES, INC.
600 First Avenue
Raritan, NJ 08869

Phone: (908) 685-1444
Fax: (908) 685-2660

Web Site: www.alternativesinc.org

Email: lkovich@alternativesinc.org

Contact Person: Lynn Kovich

Description of Organization:
Social Service Agency providing housing, support services to individuals with special needs.

Services Provided:
Residential supports for developmentally disabled, mentally ill, or homeless individuals and families. Employment training.

Hours of Operation: 24-hour services

Fees/Insurance:
DDD/County Qualified

CATHOLIC CHARITIES
St. John of God Community Center
24 Abeel Street
New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Phone: (732) 745-9800
Fax: (732) 745-9107

Trinity Health Center
271 Smith Street
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 826-9160
Fax: (732) 826-8342

Middlesex Child Care Voucher Program
271 Smith Street
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 826-9160
Fax: (732) 826-8342

Homeless Hotline
89 Truman Drive
Edison, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 247-3270

Transitional Housing
933 State Street
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 826-7711

Connections
26 Safran Avenue
Edison, NJ 08837
Phone: (732) 738-1323

Contact:
Sharon Oshatz – Health Center Director
Marilyn Wightman – Homeless Hotline Program
Michelle Suskind – Child Care Voucher Program
Amy Zissman – Case Worker, Connections

Description of Organization:
Catholic Charities is a multi-service agency providing a wide range of human services to individuals, families and communities.

Services Provided:
Health Center for clients with no health insurance. Shelter, food, prescription assistance and emergency rent/utility assistance when funding is available. Childcare subsidy for low-income families. Child/youth adult match program.

Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 5:00pm.

Fees: Sliding scale fee for Health Center, co-payment for childcare and rental agreement for Transitional Housing Program.

Methods of Application: Telephone or walk-in.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish.
CRAWFORD HOUSE, INC.
362 Sunset Road
P.O. Box 255
Skillman, NJ 08558

Phone: (908) 874-5153
Fax: (908) 874-4733
Email: lleyhane@crawfordhouse.org

Web Site: Crawfordhouse.org
Contact: Linda Leyhane, Executive Director

Description of Organization:
A private non-profit agency that provides transitional living programs for indigent New Jersey women recovering from alcoholism and drug addiction. Program is based on the 12-step recovery model of Alcoholics Anonymous.

Hours of Operation: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Fees:
The program is available to women free of charge upon admission. After initial 4-week program orientation period, residents seek and obtain part-time employment, and contribute to the cost of their treatment on a sliding scale.

Methods of Application:
SEIF referral or referrals from other treatment settings.

Languages Spoken: English.

EPIPHANY HOUSE
1110 Grand Avenue
Asbury Park, NJ 07712

Phone: (732) 775-0720
Fax: (732) 502-0065

Web Site: www.epiphanyhouse.org

Description of Organization:
Halfway house treatment modality for treating chemically dependent women and their children.

Services Provided:
Treatment facilities in Long Branch and Asbury Park. Supportive services include: parenting and life skills education, vocational assessment and referral to vocational training. Childcare available at no charge; transportation available.

Hours: 7 days a week, 24 hours a day.

Fees: 65% of cash grant from social services and food stamps - $450 per month.

Methods of Application: Telephone or write for information.

Languages Spoken: English.

THE ERIC JOHNSON HOUSE
44 South Street
Morristown, NJ 07960

Phone: (973) 326-9636
Fax: (973) 539-4725
Email: House1.ejh@verizon.net

Web Site: www.theericjohnsonhouse.org
Contact: Laurie Litt-Robbins

Description of Organization:
Transitional housing program for homeless people with HIV/AIDS.

Services Provided:
Housing; meals; transportation; case management; substance abuse counseling; mental health counseling; supportive services; on site laundry room and kitchen.

Hours: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Fees: 30% of individual's income per month (up to $300.00).

Methods of Application: By referral only.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish.

HOMESHARING PROGRAM OF SOMERSET COUNTY
People Care Center
120 Finderne Ave.
Bridgewater, NJ 08807

Phone: (908) 526-4663
Fax: (908) 526-6342

Contact Person: Shuey Horowitz, Executive Director
Email Address: Sharing@ecliRse.net

Web site Address: http://www.homesharing.org

Services Provided:
For those who want or need to share a home for economic, services or companionship reasons or who need help in finding affordable housing.

Hours of Operation:
Monday- Friday: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Fees/Insurance Accepted:
Sliding scale

HUNTERDON COUNTY DIVISION OF HOUSING
P.O. Box 2900
8 Gauntt Place
Flemington, N J 08822

Phone: 908-788-1336
Fax: 908-806-4896

Contact Person: Janet Previte

Services Provided:
Rental assistance for income eligible.

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday: 8:30am-4:30pm

HOUSING COALITION OF CENTRAL JERSEY
100 Bayard Street, 3rd floor
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901-2584

Phone: (732) 249-9700
Fax: (732) 249-4121

Contact: Clients can speak with receptionist for referral to appropriate counselor.

Description of Organization:
Private non-profit organization whose mission is to assist low and moderate income households to obtain or maintain adequate housing.

Services provided:
Landlord tenant counseling; fair housing counseling and investigation; permanent housing placement; pre-purchase counseling; default counseling; reverse mortgage for the elderly; homesharing information and referrals to all housing related programs.

Hours:
Monday -Friday, 9:00am -5:00pm. Other hours by appointment.

Fees: None

Methods of application: Telephone or write.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK-HUNTERDON
10 East Main Street
Flemington, NJ 08822

Phone: 908-782-2490
Fax: 908-782-5513

Contact Person: Geleer Donovan, Executive Director

Description of Organization:
Temporary Housing for Homeless. not emergency shelter.

Services Provided:
Shelter, Counseling, Transitional Case Management

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm

Languages Spoken:
English

MIDDLESEX COUNTY HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
Middlesex County Administration Building
Room 200, JFK Square
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
www.co.middlesex.nj.us

Phone: 732-745-3025
Fax: 732-745-4117

Contact:
John A. Sully -Executive Director

Description of Organization:
Operates U.S. Department of HUD programs for nineteen participating municipalities.

Services provided:
Section 8 rental assistance; Community Development Block Grant (CDBG); HOME Investment Partnerships; pay all or part of a household's rent; make and administer grants for eligible CDBG activities including housing (not to individuals); make and administer HOME Grants and loans for housing projects; assist/provide loans for housing rehabilitation; provide first-time homebuyer assistance with down payments/closing costs.

Hours: Mon. - Fri., 8:30am -4:15pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application:
Telephone or write.

Languages spoken:
English and Spanish

NEW JERSEY HOUSING RESOURCE CENTER
http://www.njhousing.gov

Online tool for finding and listing affordable housing, helping people with disabilities locate housing options, and obtaining housing information. Online only; run by the Department of Community Affairs, the Division of Disability Services and the Housing and Mortgage Finance Agency.
OZANAM MEN'S SHELTER
Catholic Charities
20-22 Abeel Street
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

Phone: 732-729-0850
Fax: 732-545-0239

Contact:
Wesley R. Moore, Area Director
Bruce V. Carey, Case Manager
Cindy Solis-Haines, Case Manager

Description of Organization: Residential shelter for homeless men.

Services provided:
Case management; mental health counseling; referrals to appropriate agencies. Residents should be able to get to appointments, jobs, etc., independently. Building is handicapped accessible.

Hours: Office –Mon. –Fri., 9:00am -5:00pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application: In Person.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

OZANAM SHELTER FOR WOMEN & FAMILIES
Catholic Charities
89 Truman Drive
Edison, New Jersey 08837

Phone: (732) 985-0327
Fax: (732) 985-2449

Contact:
Carmen Fernandez, Program Director
Catholic Charities in Edison, Monday through Friday during business hours or, the Shelter Staff during nights, weekends or holidays.

Description of Organization:
Temporary shelter for adult women and families of Middlesex County who are currently homeless. Private rooms provided for families and a dormitory facility is provided for single women. All rooms are air-conditioned and blankets and linens are supplied. Length of stay is initially two weeks.

Services provided:
Breakfast, lunch, dinner and snacks are served to all residents; mental health counseling; health evaluations; assistance with job searches and permanent housing; case management to assist with school registration for children; training in parenting, nutrition, health and budgeting and other educational programs may be available.

Hours: 24 hours a day; 7 days a week.

Fees:
None. However, residents are encouraged to save 50% of their income, which is applied toward a permanent housing situation.

Methods of application: Telephone.

Languages spoken: English, Spanish and Sign.

RAINBOW HOUSE PROGRAM
1301 West State Street
Trenton, New Jersey 08618

Phone: (609) 394-6747
Fax: (609) 396-5848

Contact:
Tracie D. Bass, MSW

Description of Organization:
A 12 bed long term group home for adolescent females who are HIV+ or living with AIDS. All referrals must be under 21. They may be alone, be pregnant, or have a child.

Services provided:
Medical care, counseling, educational planning, parenting skills, independent living skills, referrals to community resources, recreation, HIV / AIDS education, and experiential speakers.

Hours:
24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Fees:
None

Methods of application:
Telephone.

Languages Spoken:
English
SAMARITAN HOMELESS INTERNSHIP PROGRAM (S.H.I.P.)
87 West High Street
Somerville, New Jersey 08876

Phone: (908) 725-3260
Fax: (908) 725-2582

Contact:
Tom O'Leary, Executive Director

Description of Organization: Community based organization.

Services provided:
Emergency housing and rental assistance; drug/alcohol abuse treatment services; HIV/AIDS education/prevention; PWA food pantry; emergency nutritional programs, and, holiday food baskets.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 9:00am -5:00pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application: Telephone or write.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.
INFORMATION SERVICES

DIVISION OF DISABILITY SERVICES (DDS)
Office of Information and Assistance
P.O Box 700
Trenton, NJ 08625

Phone:  888-285-3036 (press 2)
TDD:  609-292-1210
Fax:  609-292-1233

Description of Organization:
One-stop, single point of entry for all disability related information in New Jersey.

Services Provided:
Information and referral to appropriate agencies for individuals with all types of disabilities, including HIV/AIDS.

Hours:  Mon.-Fri. 9AM-5PM.

Fees:  None.

Methods of application: N/A – call for information.

Languages spoken:  All languages spoken via Language Line.

HYACINTH AIDS FOUNDATION
317 George Street
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

25 Craig Place
North Plainfield, NJ 07060

Phone: (732) 246-0204
Hotline: (800) 433-0254 TDD
Fax: (732) 246-4137

E-mail: hyacinth@eclipse.net

Contact:
Riki E. Jacobs, Executive Director
Paula Toynton, Director of Education
Sheila Trapp, Regional Manager
Axel Torres Marrero, Director of Public Policy
Rev. Gerald Bailey, Project Coordinator for Middlesex and Somerset Cty.
Diana Santiago, Director of Prevention
Veronica Sanders, Director of Correctional Services

Description of Organization:
Community based organization designed to help improve the quality of life for people living with and affected by HIV / AIDS, to slow the spread of the epidemic and to serve as a critical voice in the Public debate surrounding HIV/AIDS.

Services provided:
Toll free hotline; counseling and testing site; legal services, prevention case management, support groups; buddies, recreation newsletter, experiential speakers bureau; treatment advocacy; volunteer training program, “AIDS in the Workplace” training; provider education demonstration project; and Correctional services.

Hours:
Office: Monday -Friday 9:00am-5:00pm
Hotline: Monday -Friday, 10:00am -8:00pm,

Fees: None.

Methods of application: Telephone, write or walk-in.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

INFO LINE OF CENTRAL JERSEY
PO Box 159
Milltown, NJ 08850

Phone Number:
211 from Middlesex County
Toll-Free: (888) 908-4636
Office: (732) 418-0200
Fax: (732) 418-0458

Web Site: www.info-line.org

Email Address: help@info-line.org

Contact Person: Steven Nagel

Description of Organization:
Provides information on Health and Human Services for Middlesex County

Services Provided:
24 hour referral information.
JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES OF SOMERSET, HUNTERDON, AND WARREN
150A West High Street
Somerville, NJ 08876

Phone: (908) 725-7799
Fax: (908) 725-0284

Services Provided:
Individual, couples and marital issues; family group counseling, support services to the elderly and their families; divorce mediation; refugee resettlement; family life education; food pantry; information and referrals.

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Thursday 9:00am-5:00pm
Friday 9:00am-4:00pm
Evenings and Saturdays by appointment.

Fees/Insurance:
Sliding scale, cash or check

Languages spoken:
English, Hebrew, Yiddish

MIDDLESEX COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
Health Education Division
711 Jersey Avenue
New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Phone: (732) 745-8860
Fax: (732) 745-8484

Contact:
Teri J. Manes, MHS, CHES
Julie Gottstein, RN, BA
Twy1a Page, BS

Description of Organization:
The Middlesex County Health Department conducts public health programs in compliance with the Minimum Standards of Performance for Local Health Departments in New Jersey. The goal of the Health Department is to assure a healthy environment and healthy lifestyle for all residents of its twenty-one contracting municipalities.

NEW JERSEY WOMEN AND AIDS NETWORK (NJWAN)
103 Bayard Street 3rd floor
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

Phone: (732) 846-4462
Warmline: (800) 747-1108 “Sister Connect”
Fax: (732) 846-2674

E-mail: njwan@aol.com
Website: http://www.njwan.org/

Description of Organization:
Independent, multicultural, statewide membership organization of over 600 agencies and individuals. Members are women with HIV, service providers, educators, health, legal, medical professionals, women’s advocates, policy makers and community members. NJWAN has initiated an urgent and vital campaign to safeguard the rights of women infected with HIV and to prevent further transmission of HIV and increased accessibility of information and services to women.

Services provided:
Newsletters, database concerning women, annual conference on HIV / AIDS, Speakers Bureau and training, publications, information and referrals. Provides support and assistance.
Sister Connect provides friendly non-judgmental people to talk to and can provide a regular "phone buddy". All calls are confidential. Sister Connect also has a peer treatment-education component that trains women living with the virus to educate other women on HIV treatment issues.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 9:00am -5:00pm; can vary. Sister Connect: Monday -Friday, 9:00am -5:00pm.

Fees: None for women living with HIV. All others - dues and publication rates.

Methods of application: Telephone or write.

Languages spoken: English.

Information and referral; community outreach; coordinate barrier free component of MCMAP program.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 8:30am -4:15pm.

Fees: None.

Method of application: Telephone or write.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

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**OFFICES FOR THE DISABLED**

**(by county)**

**Hunterdon County:**
8 Gauntt Place
P.O. Box 2900
Flemington, NJ 08822

Phone/TDD: 908-788-1372
Fax: 908-806-4204

**Middlesex County:**
Middlesex County Administration Building
JFK Square, 5th fl.
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

Phone/TTY: (732) 745-4013
Fax: (732) 296-7971

**Somerset County:**
92 East Main Street
P.O. Box 3000
Somerville, NJ 08876

Phone: (908) 704-6334
TDD: (908) 704-6359
Fax: (908) 704-1629

Description of Organization:
Clearinghouse of information and services serving both disabled and non-disabled residents of the above counties.

Services provided:

**PROJECT INFORM**

205 13th Street, Suite 2001
San Francisco, California 94103-2461

Phone: 800-822-7422 / 415-558-9051
Fax: 415-558-0684

Email: support@projectinform.org

Web site: www.projectinform.org

Contact: Skip Emerson, Jonathan Goldman

Description of Organization:
National, non-profit, community-based HIV/AIDS treatment information and advocacy organization.

Services provided:
The organization serves HIV positive individuals, their caregivers, and their healthcare and service provider through its national, toll-free treatment hotline, the PI Perspective and other information publications, educational Town Meetings, on-line services and research and drug access advocacy programs.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 9:00am -5:00pm (Pacific Standard Time).

Hotline Hours: Monday -Friday, 10:00am -4:00pm (Pacific Standard Time)

Fees: Free. Donations are strongly encouraged.

Methods of Application: Telephone, e-mail or write.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.
LEGAL SERVICES

CENTRAL JERSEY LEGAL SERVICES, INC.
317 George Street Suite 201
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
313 State Street, Suite 308
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 249-7600 (New Brunswick); (732) 249-7966 (Perth Amboy)
Fax: (732) 324-6253
Web Site: www.LSNJ.org/CJLS

Description of Organization:
Free civil legal assistance to low-income residents of Middlesex County.

Services Provided:
Legal assistance by way of advice, negotiation, litigation or administrative advocacy.

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 5:00pm.

Fees/Insurance Accepted: None

Methods of Application:
Telephone, correspondence or in person.

COMMUNITY HEALTH LAW PROJECT
185 Valley Street
South Orange, NJ 07079

Phone: (973) 275-1175
Fax: (973) 275-5210
TTY: (973) 275-1721

E-mail: chlpinfo@chlp.org
Website: www.chlp.org

Services Provided:
The essential mission of CHLP is to provide legal and advocacy services to people with disabilities. We serve consumers of mental health services, people with physical disabilities, HIV/AIDS, developmental disabilities, and visual impairments. CHLP attorneys and advocates represent clients in matters involving Social Security benefits, welfare, food stamps, and other entitlements; housing habitability and landlord-tenant disputes; consumer protection and debt collection; child support, visitation, and domestic violence; Medicaid, Medicare, and other health insurance issues. CHLP represents approximately 3,500 clients a year in over 5,000 cases and serves many more people by providing information and referrals.

Hours: Mon.-Fri. 9AM-5PM

Fees: Call for information.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish.

HYACINTH AIDS FOUNDATION
317 George Street
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

25 Craig Place
North Plainfield, NJ 07060

Phone: (732) 246-0204
Hotline: (800) 433-0254 TDD
Fax: (732) 246-4137
E-mail: hyacinth@eclipse.net

Contact:
Riki E. Jacobs, Executive Director
Paula Toynton, Director of Education
Description of Organization:
Community based organization designed to help improve the quality of life for people living with and affected by HIV/AIDS, to slow the spread of the epidemic and to serve as a critical voice in the Public debate surrounding HIV/AIDS.

Services provided:
Toll free hotline; counseling and testing site; legal services, prevention case management, support groups; buddies, recreation newsletter, experiential speakers bureau; treatment advocacy; volunteer training program, “AIDS in the Workplace” training; provider education demonstration project; and Correctional services.

Hours:
Office: Monday - Friday 9:00am-5:00pm
Hotline: Monday - Friday, 10:00am -8:00pm, except Thursdays: 9:00am – 8:00pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application: Telephone, write or walk-in.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.
MEDICAL SERVICES

AIDS COMMUNITY CARE ALTERNATIVE PROGRAM (ACCAP)
Bureau of Home and Community Services
5 Quakerbridge Plaza, CN 712
Trenton, NJ 08625

Phone: (609) 745-2055

Services Provided:
Provides the following Medicaid Services: physician, pharmaceutical, in-patient hospital services, case management, private duty nursing, substance abuse treatment, personal care service, durable medical equipment, physical therapy, speech therapy, occupational therapy, counseling and hospice care.

Hours:
Monday – Friday, 8:30am – 4:30pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of Application:
Contact the Middlesex County Board of Social Services if receiving Social Security Disability or the Middlesex County Medicaid Office if currently receiving Medicaid benefits under SSI.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish

BROADWAY HOUSE FOR CONTINUING CARE
298 Broadway Avenue
Newark, NJ 07104

Phone: (973) 268-9797
Fax: (973) 483-0210, (973) 268-2828

Email: broadway@mindspring.com

Contact: Gloria Horton – Director of Social Services.

Web site: www.Broadwayhouse.org

Description of Organization:
74 bed skilled nursing facility licensed as a long term care facility serving post acute needs of persons who are 18 years or older and living with AIDS.

Services Provided:
Skilled nursing; physical, occupational, speech and complimentary therapies; long term antibiotic therapy; social services; drug counseling and methadone therapy.

Hours: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and self-pay.

Methods of Application:
Referrals through hospital, home care discharge planning or private sources.

Languages Spoken: English, Spanish, French, Italian and Tagalog.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES
MULTIPLE SITES / SERVICES

St. John of God Community Center
24 Abeel Street
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
Phone: (732) 745-9800
Fax: (732) 745-9107

Trinity Health Center
271 Smith Street
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 826-9160
Fax: (732) 826-8342

Middlesex Child Care Voucher Program
271 Smith Street
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 826-9160
Fax: (732) 826-8342

Homeless Hotline
89 Truman Drive
Edison, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 247-3270

Transitional Housing
933 State Street
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 826-7711

Connections
26 Safran Avenue
Edison, NJ 08837
Phone: (732) 738-1323
Contact:
Sharon Oshatz – Health Center Director
Marilyn Wightman – Homeless Hotline Program
Michelle Suskind – Child Care Voucher Program
Amy Zissman – Case Worker, Connections

Description of Organization:
Catholic Charities is a multi-service agency providing a wide range of human services to individuals, families and communities.

Services Provided:
Health Center for clients with no health insurance. Shelter, food, prescription assistance and emergency rent/utility assistance when funding is available. Childcare subsidy for low-income families. Child/youth adult match program.

Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 5:00pm.

Fees:
Sliding scale fee for Health Center, co-payment for childcare and rental agreement for Transitional Housing Program.

Methods of Application: Telephone or walk-in.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish.

ERIC B. CHANDLER HEALTH CLINIC
HIV Services Program
277 George Street
New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Clinical Staff: (732) 235-6724
HIV Counseling and Testing: (732) 235-6767
Fax: (732) 235-6726

Contacts:
Militza Suarez, MD – Director
(732) 235-6705
Edwin Chinery – Program Coordinator
(732) 235-6711

Health Center schedule of operations:
Monday, Wednesday, Friday
8am – 5pm
Tuesday, Thursday
8am – 8pm
Saturday
8am – 1pm

Free HIV counseling and testing is available during all Health Center hours of operation except Saturdays.

HIV Services clinic schedule of operations:
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 8am – 11am
First and Second Thursday of the month 4pm – 8pm

Fees:
Medicaid, Medicare, Private Insurance and Sliding Scale

Patients are seen by appointment only.
New patients must bring identification, proof of income/residence and Private Insurance or Medicaid ID card.

Interpreter services are available in:
English, Spanish, French, Portuguese, Creole and Pakistani.

HIV HOME CARE PROGRAM
Department of Health
Division of AIDS Prevention
50 East State Street
Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0363

VNACJ Community Services
746 Livingston Avenue
North Brunswick, New Jersey 08902

Phone: (732) 565-4540
Fax: (732) 828-4807

Contact:
VNA of Central Jersey for information on qualification and application procedure.

Description of Organization:
Home and community based care program under Title II of the Ryan White C.A.R.E. Act Grant that provides service to help individuals remain in the home with support provided under the guidance of a case management system.

Services provided:
Funding for home care services which include: case management; skilled and routine nursing; home health aide/homemaker; Personal Care Attendant; physical therapy; occupational therapy; medical social workers; psychiatric nurse specialists; durable medical equipment; diagnostic testing; IV pharmaceuticals and
supplies; medical day care treatment; respiratory therapy.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 8:30am - 4:30pm

Fees: None.

Methods of application: VNA of Central Jersey - by referral only.

Languages spoken: English

JERSEY SHORE UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER
1944 State Route 33, Suite 204
Neptune, New Jersey 07754-0397

Phone: (732) 776-4271
Fax: (732) 776-4648
Email: chornish@meridianhealth.com

Contact: Carleen Hornish, ACRN


Services Provided:
Medical and social case management, support groups, counseling, HIV testing, HIV education and in-service trainings.

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30am-5:00pm.

Fees: Medical insurance.

Method of Application: Telephone or Referral.

Languages spoken: English

MIDDLESEX COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT
SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASE CLINIC
711 Jersey Avenue
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

Phone: 732-745-3157
Fax: 732-745-4359

Contact: D. Gash, MS, APRN – Director of Nursing
R. Karasiewicz, RN, BC – Ass’t Supervisor
L. Wilson, RNC, BSN – Clinical Manager
C. Lackey – Public Health Investigator

Description of Organization:
Communicable disease prevention and control for Middlesex County residents.

Services provided:
Diagnosis and treatment; lab tests; medication for treatment of STDs; HIV counseling, testing and prevention; follow-up of reportable diseases. Must be 18 years old for HIV testing or be accompanied by parent or guardian.

Hours:
Office: Mon-Fri. 8:30am-4:15pm (call for appointment).

Fees:
None.

Methods of application:
By appointment only

Languages spoken:
English, and Spanish by appointment
NEW JERSEY REGIONAL HEMOPHILIA PROGRAM
Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
1 Robert Wood Johnson Place
P.O. Box 19, MEB 378
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903-0019
Phone: (732) 235-7681
Fax: (732) 235-7115
Contact:
Robin Schwartz, Program Coordinator
M. Frances Maceren, RN, Nurse
Lisa Cohen, MSW, LCSW - Social Worker

Description of Organization:
The Hemophilia Program provides comprehensive multidisciplinary care to patients of all ages with Hemophilia and bleeding disorders only. Provides direct medical and psychosocial care to persons with Hemophilia infected with the HIV virus (with or without AIDS).

Services provided:
Infectious disease treatment; nutrition; mental health; dental; drug treatment; orthopedic services; risk reduction is taught to persons with Hemophilia and their partners/spouses. Access to complete roster of all consultants associated with Robert Wood Johnson Medical School. Treatment for all episodic bleeding problems and emergencies is provided at the Treatment Center during working hours and through the Emergency Department at all other times.

Hours:
Monday -Friday, 8:30am -4:30pm; 24 hours emergency service.

Fees:
Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale.

Methods of application:
Telephone or write.

Languages spoken:
English, Spanish and other foreign language translators throughout the hospital.

RARITAN BAY MEDICAL CENTER
EARLY INTERVENTION PROGRAM
530 New Brunswick Avenue
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
Phone: (732) 324-5022, (732) 324-5350
Fax: (732) 324-4838
Contact:
Sandra Nilsson, ACRN
Elizabeth Revill, RN
Gladys Jimenez, LPN
Vivian Lynch, RN
Nelida Gonzalez, ACRN
Email: snilsson@rbmc.org

Description of Organization:
Comprehensive medical care and treatment program focusing on clinical management of HIV infection.

Services Provided:
Inpatient and outpatient medical care; case management services; counseling services; referrals to community agencies and subspecialty clinics. Prevention case management; HIV counseling and testing site.

Hours: Clinic hours: Tuesday, 12:00pm – 5:00pm; Wednesday, 8:30am-12:00pm; Friday, 8:30am-11:00am; Office hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30am – 5:00pm.

Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale.

Methods of Application: By appointment.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish.

RARITAN BAY MEDICAL CENTER
METHADONE PROGRAM
500 Convery Boulevard
Perth Amboy, New Jersey 08861
Phone: 732-442-7030
Fax: 732-442-7030
Contact: Mindy Bernstein

Description of Organization:
Methadone treatment services to adults, 18-70 years old.
Services provided:
Methadone treatment; counseling services; urine screening and medical evaluation.

Hours:
Monday -Friday, 6:00am -2:30pm. Saturdays: 7:00am to 10:30am.

Fees: $155 1st week; $55 per week thereafter.

Methods of application: Telephone or in person.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

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ROBERT WOOD JOHNSON UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL
One Robert Wood Johnson Place
P.O. Box 2601
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903-2601
Phone: (732) 828-3000

Description of Organization:
Comprehensive full service community teaching medical center.

Services provided: Medical, surgical, pediatric, and maternity services; emergency room department; specialized outpatient clinics; social work services.

Hours: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale for ambulatory care.

Methods of application: Telephone, write, or walk-in.

Languages spoken: Employee language pool is extensive.

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ROBERT WOOD JOHNSON AIDS PROGRAM
UMDNJ -Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
1 Robert Wood Johnson Place, CN 19
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903
Office: 732-235-7894
Clinic: 732-235-7061
Appointments: 732-235-6230 (press 7)

Fax: 732-235-7419

Contact:
Roseann Marone, RN, BSN, MPH -Program Coordinator
Debbie Subers, RN,BSN
Lisa Cerrachio, RNC
Mary Jones, RN
Judy Kenny, RN
Gail Burack, RN
Blanca Jackson, RN –Nurse Educator

Description of Organization:
Ryan White Title IV Regional Network Site. This is a multidisciplinary team with doctors, social workers, nurse case managers and a psychologist.

Services provided:
HIV specialty care, family case management, HIV testing and counseling for children and adolescents. Pediatric Infectious Disease Physicians on-call 24-hrs.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 8:30am -4:30pm.

Fees: Medicaid, private insurance, sliding scale and charity care.

Methods of application: Telephone for appointment.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

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RYAN WHITE HIV CARE CLINIC
SOMERSET MEDICAL CENTER
100 Rehill Avenue
Somerville, NJ 08876
Phone: 908-685-2444
Fax: 908-685-2544
Email: kbayait@somerset-healthcare.com

Contact:
Lisa Pittarelli, MD
Kathleen Bayait, LPN

Services Provided:
Comprehensive medical care, nutritional counseling, social services, case management, support groups for infected/affected, HIV counseling and testing (1st and 3rd Thursday of each month).
SAINT PETER'S UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL
254 Easton Avenue
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

Phone: 732-745-8600
Fax: 732-745-8929

Contact:
Barbara Ghigliotty, MSN, APN, Nurse Practitioner and HIV Perinatal Coordinator:
Ext. 7903
Mary Munoz, BSN, RN, CARN and Perinatal Addictions Coordinator:
Ext. 7065
Maryann Awadalla, MSN, RN and High Risk Prenatal Coordinator:
Ext. 8186
Marianne LeRose, RN
Colposcopy/urogynecology
Ext. 6780

Description of Organization:
Comprehensive full service community teaching hospital.

Services provided:
Medical, surgical, pediatric, and high-risk maternity services; emergency department; 40 specialized outpatient clinics, social work services for inpatients and outpatients.

Hours: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Fees:
Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale for ambulatory care.

Methods of application: Telephone, write or walk-in.

Languages spoken: Employee language pool is extensive.

SAINT JOHN'S HEALTH CENTER
24 Abeel Street
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

Phone: (732) 745-9800
Fax: (732) 745-9107

Description of Organization:
Complete family health services to low-income uninsured or under insured residents of the New Brunswick area.

Services provided:
HIV Primary Health Care; well baby exams; immunization; adult physical exams; diagnosis and treatment of illness; Pap tests; cholesterol screening and treatment; blood pressure treatment and screening; nutrition counseling; referrals to specialists; diagnosis and treatment of sexually transmitted infections; screening for diabetes, anemia, lead poisoning, vision and hearing.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 9:00am -5:00pm; Tuesdays, 5:00pm -8:00pm.

Fees: Sliding scale fee.

Methods of application: Telephone, write, or walk-in during business hours.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION OF CENTRAL JERSEY
746 Livingston Avenue
North Brunswick, New Jersey 08902

Phone: (732) 565-4540
Fax: (732) 828-4807

91 Main Street
Woodbridge, New Jersey 07095
Phone: (732) 634-6110
Fax: (732) 634-4785

Description of Organization:
Certified provider of home health care and community-based services in Middlesex and Monmouth counties; HIV Home Care Program in Middlesex, Monmouth and Somerset Counties. Ryan White Community based management in Middlesex, Somerset, Hunterdon counties.
Services provided:
Community health nursing, home health aides; hospice; physical and occupational therapy; speech and language therapy; Community Care for the Elderly and Disabled Program, HIV Home Care Program; AIDS Community Care Alternative Program; WIC Program; Mobile Outreach Clinic Program; Ryan White Title I Community Based Case Management Program and Traumatically Brain Injured Program.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 8:30am -4:30pm; 24 hour on call.

Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale.

Methods of application: Telephone, write, or walk-in.

Languages spoken: English, Spanish and translators available for other languages.

WOODBRIDGE HEALTH DEPARTMENT
2 George Frederick Plaza
Woodbridge, NJ 07095
Phone: (732) 855-0600, ext. 5011

Description of Organization:
Provides testing, counseling, case management and medical services to residents of Woodbridge.

Services Provided:
Vision and hearing screening, physical examinations, health counseling, immunizations, flu shots, hypertension screening, PAP clinic, STD clinic, HIV screening and counseling.

Hours: Vary.
Fees: $10 for health conferences (physical exam, health counseling, immunizations), $10 for STD clinic services, $15 or Medicare for PAP clinic.
SECONDARY ISSUES AND OTHER DISABILITIES

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY
Middlesex County Unit
846 Main Street
Fords, NJ 08863

Phone: (732) 738-6800
Fax: (732) 738-8984

Web Site: www.cancer.org

Description of Organization:
Support for cancer patients and their families.

Services Provided:
Homecare; transportation; equipment load – wheelchairs, shower chairs, canes, etc.; support groups for patient, family and friends; wig bank, free literature and other services.

Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 5:00pm.

Fees: Sliding scale where applicable.

Methods of Application: Telephone or write.

Languages Spoken: English and Spanish

CANCER CARE, INC.
141 Dayton Street
Ridgewood, NJ 07450

Satellite Offices: Millburn, Princeton & Somerville

Phone: (800) 813-4673
Fax: (201) 444-0978

Web Site: www.cancercare.org

Email: njinfo@cancercare.org

Contact: Kathy Nugent, LCSW, Director of Social Services.

Description of Organization:
Cancer Care is a non-profit social service organization providing information, referral, psychological counseling, financial assistance, and education for people with cancer, their families, and bereaved relatives.

Services Provided:
Free individual, family and group counseling for cancer patients, families and friends, and bereaved relatives. Services by phone, in person or on-line. Financial assistance for home care, child care, transportation to treatment, and pain medication for those eligible. Information, referral and education.

Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 5:00pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of Application: Telephone or Internet.

Languages Spoken: English or Spanish

THE CANCER INSTITUTE OF NEW JERSEY
195 Little Albany Street
New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Phone: (732) 235-6777
Fax: (732) 235-7355

Description of Organization:
Offers a variety of services to adult cancer patients and their families.

Services Provided:
Ambulatory care; oncology services; various support groups; clinical trials; referrals to doctors; concrete services and conseling.

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30am – 5:00pm.

Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and self-pay.

Methods of Application: Telephone or write.

Languages Spoken: English/Spanish, and Auracom services available.

THE HEMOPHILIA ASSOCIATION OF NEW JERSEY
197 Route 18 South, Suite 206 North
East Brunswick, New Jersey 08816
Contact:
Elena Bostick, Executive Director
Julie E. Trenkel, MA – Ass’t Executive Director

Email Address: hemnj@comcast.net

Description of Organization: Community based organization.

Services provided:
Counseling; support groups; public education; literature; direct financial assistance to needy persons with hemophilia; camperships for children with hemophilia; scholarships to needy and deserving students with hemophilia; referrals to appropriate medical facilities; peer support network dealing with hemophilia and HIV issues. The services expand to include men and women with other bleeding disorders.

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 5:00pm

Fees: None for services; family membership fee $20.00 a year.

Methods of application: Telephone or write.

Languages spoken: English.
**SUPPORT GROUPS**

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES DAY GROUP**
Edison Family Service Center
26 Safran Avenue
Edison, NJ 08837

Phone: (732) 738-1323
Contact: Jackie Rosa

Group for HIV positive men and women. Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10AM-1PM, includes lunch and recreational activities.

**ERIC CHANDLER CLINIC**
HIV Services Program
277 George Street
New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Phone: (732) 235-6724
Fax: (732) 235-6726

Support group meets weekly – call for more information.

**HYACINTH AIDS FOUNDATION**
317 George Street
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

25 Craig Place
North Plainfield, NJ 07060

Phone: (732) 246-0204
Hotline: (800) 433-0254 TDD
Fax: (732) 246-4137

E-mail: hyacinth@eclipse.net

Call for support group times and locations.

**JERSEY SHORE UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER**
1944 State Route 33, Suite 204
Neptune, New Jersey 07754-0397

Phone: (732) 776-4271
Fax: (732) 776-4648

Email: chornish@meridianhealth.com
Contact: Carleen Hornish, ACRN

Call for support group times.

**NORTH JERSEY COMMUNITY RESEARCH INITIATIVE (NJCRI)**
393 Central Avenue
Newark, New Jersey 07103

Phone: (973) 483-3444
Fax: (973) 485-7080

Website: NJCRI@NJCRI.org

Contact:
Brian McGovern, Director of Social Services
Henry Iwuala, Support Services Manager
Cory Rosmarin, Research Director

Call for support group times and locations.

**RARITAN BAY MEDICAL CENTER**
530 New Brunswick Avenue
Perth Amboy, NJ 08861

Phone: (732) 324-5022, (732) 324-5350
Fax: (732) 324-4838

Support group meets weekly, Mondays at 6:30. Call to register before attending.

**RYAN WHITE HIV CARE CLINIC**
**SOMERSET MEDICAL CENTER**
100 Rehill Avenue
Somerville, NJ 08876

Phone: 908-685-2444
Fax: 908-685-2544

Email: kbayait@somerset-healthcare.com

Contact:
Lisa Pittarelli, MD
Kathleen Bayait, LPN

Call for support group times and locations.

**SAINT JOHN OF GOD HEALTH CLINIC**
24 Abeel Street
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
Phone: (732) 235-7071

Every first and third Monday, 2PM-4PM

By appointment or walk-in; confidential; bilingual counseling; no fee.

SAINT PETER’S FAMILY HEALTH CENTER
123 How Lane
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
Phone: (732) 745-6642

Every first Thursday, 1:30-4PM

By appointment or walk-in; confidential; bilingual counseling; no fee.

WOODBRIDGE HEALTH DEPARTMENT
2 George Frederick Plaza
Woodbridge, NJ 07095
Phone: (732) 855-0600, ext. 5011

Every Thursday, 1:15-2:15PM, except last Thursday of the month, 4:30-6PM.

No appointment necessary; confidential STD testing for $10 fee.
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

MIDDLESEX COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (MCAT)
711 Jersey Avenue
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

Phone: 732-745-7456 / 800-221-3520
TDD/TTY: 732-745-8905
Fax: 732-296-0320

Contact: Steve Fittante
Website: co.middlesex.nj.us/index.asp

Description of Organization:
Department of Transportation

Services provided:
Middlesex County HIV Care Consortium Cart
provides transportation to Ryan White funded programs.

Hours:
Monday -Friday, First pick up 8:00am, limited service from 3:30pm-10:00pm.

Fees: Rides are free of charge and available on a first come, first serve basis. Provide at least 7 working days notice to schedule a ride. $1.50 per one-way trips for competitive and non-competitive employment and evening and weekend social/recreational trips. Donation policy is now in effect, but is not mandatory.

Methods of application:
Telephone; please contact Joan Kuntne: 732-296-8124 for application.

Languages spoken:
English.

NEW BRUNSWICK DIAL-A-RIDE
17 Joyce Kilmer Avenue
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901

Phone: 732-745-5161
Fax: 732-296-9757

Contact:
Melissa Mantuano or Hope F. Vega

Description of Organization:
Free curb-to-curb transportation to medical, mental health, and physical therapy appointments for disabled, senior citizen, and low-income New Brunswick residents.

Services provided:
Transportation for eligible clients including elderly; van is wheelchair accessible. All reservations must be made 48 hours in advance or sooner.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 8:00am -04:00pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application: All intake information is taken over the phone.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.
UTILITY ASSISTANCE

PUERTO RICAN ACTION BOARD
90 Jersey Ave
P.O. Box 240
New Brunswick, NJ 08930-0240
Phone: (732) 828-4510
Fax: (732) 828-4546
Contact:
Nancy Rosato, Executive Director
Irma Sandoval, Deputy Director

Description of Organization:
The Puerto Rican Action Board is a nonprofit community-based organization established in 1971 with the purpose of developing action systems to address community needs, coordinate available community resources and administer programs that improve the quality of life of all families in the central New Jersey area.

Services provided: Multi-service program, Better Housing Program, Youth Development Program, Latino Scholars Program, Student Re-Engagement Program, Healing Through the Arts, Artists Mentoring Against Racism Summer Program, Bilingual/Multi-cultural Daycare and Preschool Program, Middlesex County Weatherization Assistance Program, Home Energy Assistance Program, NJ SHARES; childcare; job training and placement opportunities; housing counseling, construction and weatherization of homes; community advocacy, and community development activities. These social services are provided to economically disadvantaged individuals and families throughout the central New Jersey area.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 8:30am -4:30pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application: Telephone or write for information.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

SALVATION ARMY
NEW BRUNSWICK
287 Handy Street
P.O. Box 69
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903
Phone: (732) 545-1477
Fax: (732) 545-3606

Description of Organization:
The Salvation Army is a Religious/Charitable organization founded in London, England in 1865 and active in the United States since 1878.

Services provided: Food, clothing, temporary shelter, prescription assistance, utility assistance, spiritual counseling. We also have an after school program and a state licensed summer day camp.

Hours: Monday -Friday, 9:00am -4:30pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application: Telephone the caseworker to make an appointment.

Languages spoken: English and Spanish.

SALVATION ARMY
PERTH AMBOY
433 State Street
P.O. Box 613
Perth Amboy, New Jersey 08861:
Phone: (732) 826-7040
Fax: (732) 826-3450
Contact: Major Washington or Major Catherine Navarro.

Description of Organization:
The Salvation Army is a Religious/Charitable organization founded in London, England in 1865 and active in the United States since 1878. The Salvation Army in Perth Amboy began in 1886 and has been serving the people of Perth
Amboy and the surrounding communities since then.

Services provided:
Food, clothing, temporary shelter, prescription assistance, utility assistance, spiritual counseling. We also have an after school program and a State licensed Summer Day Camp.

Hours:
Office and regular assistance hours are from Monday-Friday 9:00am -5:00pm. Program hours vary.

Fees:
The only program that carries a fee is the Men's Shelter and that is on a sliding scale.

Methods of application: Walk-in and referrals from other agencies.

Languages spoken: English, Spanish, and Polish.
VISION AND HEARING SERVICES

COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED (CBVI)

Central Office:
P.O. Box 47017
153 Halsey Street, 6th fl.
Newark, NJ 0101

Phone: 973-648-2111
Fax: 973-648-3389

Description of Organization:
CBVI provides a wide range of educational services for children, vocational rehabilitation services for older teens and adults, and independent living services for people of all ages in New Jersey who are blind or visually impaired.

Services Provided:
CBVI has a number of services, including some specialized services.

Office Hours: Mon.–Fri. 9AM–5PM

Fees: Dependent upon program; some are free, some require a share cost.

DIVISION OF DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING (DDHH)
P.O. Box 074
Trenton, NJ 08625-0074

Phone/TTY: 800-792-8339 / 609-984-7281
Fax: 609-984-0390

Description of Organization:
DDHH serves people in New Jersey who are deaf or hard of hearing by providing advocacy, employment and vocational opportunities, and by assisting with a wide variety of social, legal, medical, educational and recreational issues.

Services Provided:
See above; also, DDHH administers New Jersey’s primary sign language interpreter referral service, provides assistance through an information and referral hotline and publishes a monthly newsletter. Distributes Text Telephone equipment and Voice Carryover Phones to assist individuals in their daily activities.

Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. 9AM-5PM
Fees: None.

Languages Spoken: English and American Sign Language, primarily – other language interpretation available through Language Line.

NEW JERSEY LIBRARY FOR THE BLIND AND HANDICAPPED
2300 Stuyvesant Avenue
P.O. Box 501
Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0501

Phone: 800-792-8322 - English
800-582-5945 - Spanish
877-882-5593 - TTY

Fax: 609-530-6384

Website: www.njlibh.org

Contact:
Faith Lundgren, Director

Description of Organization:
Library for NJ residents with visual impairment or physical disabilities.

Services provided: Reading material for visually impaired and physically handicapped. Material in large print, on cassette and record, and in Braille.

Hours:
Monday-Friday, 9:00am-4:30pm; Saturday, 9:00am-3:00pm.

Fees: None.

Methods of application:
Telephone or write.

Languages spoken:
English and Spanish.

WOODBRIDGE HEALTH DEPARTMENT
2 George Frederick Plaza
Woodbridge, NJ 07095
Phone: (732) 855-0600, ext. 5011

Description of Organization:
Provides testing, counseling, case management and medical services to residents of Woodbridge.

Services Provided:
Vision and hearing screening, physical examinations, health counseling, immunizations, flu shots, hypertension screening, PAP clinic, STD clinic, HIV screening and counseling.

Hours: Vary.
Fees: $10 for health conferences (physical exam, health counseling, immunizations), $10 for STD clinic services, $15 or Medicare for PAP clinic.
KEY PROGRAMS FOR
PEOPLE WITH HIV/AIDS

This section of the Resource Guide will provide you with an overview of some common programs that may be of interest to individuals with HIV/AIDS. Please note that this section should only be used as a guideline, and if you want additional information about any of these programs, please contact the program staff directly for assistance.

THE AIDS COMMUNITY CARE ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM (ACCAP)

What is ACCAP?

The AIDS Community Care Alternatives Program (ACCAP) is a Medicaid waiver program created to help eligible individuals remain in or return to the community rather than be cared for in a nursing facility or hospital setting. ACCAP can serve up to 750 individuals at any one time and is statewide.

How do I qualify?

Participants must be in need of institutional care and meet, at minimum, the nursing facility level of care. Children between the ages of 13 and 18 and all eligible adults must have a diagnosis of AIDS, and children under the age of 13 must have a diagnosis of AIDS or HIV positive. There are income criteria as well as disability determination criteria; please contact the program staff to discuss your eligibility.

What services can I receive?

Potentially coverable services include case management, private-duty nursing, personal care assistant services and hospice care.

How do I apply?

To apply, contact the Division of Disability Services, Office of Home and Community Services, if receiving Social Security Disability (SSD) or Supplemental Security (SSI), at 609-588-2620. If you have no Medicaid coverage, contact your local Board of Social Services.

For additional information, please contact:

AIDS COMMUNITY CARE ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM (ACCAP)
Office of Home and Community Services
11 Quakerbridge Plaza, P.O. Box 712
Trenton, NJ 08625
THE AIDS DRUG DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM (ADDP)

What is ADDP?
The AIDS Drug Distribution Program provides life-sustaining and life-prolonging medications to persons who are HIV positive or who have AIDS and have no other source of payment for these drugs.

How do I qualify?
Residency: You must be a New Jersey resident 30 days prior to the date of your application.

Income: You must be a person with an annual income of no more than $30,000 per year. An additional $10,000 per year is allowed for each dependent, such as a wife or child, up to a maximum of $70,000.

Medical Certification: You must present a letter from a physician that certifies the medical necessity of receiving the covered medication(s).

Consent: You must sign a consent form which attests to the accuracy of the information and allows for verification.

Other Insurance: If you have other forms of reimbursement such as Medicaid, PAAD, or private insurance, you may not be eligible for our program unless you have received the maximum benefits allowable under these plans.

What drugs are covered?
A wide range of FDA approved medications for the treatment of HIV and AIDS are covered. Your doctor or clinic will tell you which of the approved drugs are appropriate for you.

Where do I get my medications?
You can get your medications free of charge from any Medicaid participating pharmacy or pharmacist in New Jersey.

How do I apply?
You can obtain your application through the AIDS Hotline at 1-800-624-2377.

For additional information, please contact:

ADDP
CN 722
Trenton, NJ 08325-0722
609-588-7038
ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS OVERVIEW

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
1-800-510-312

LIHEAP helps low-income people pay their winter heating bills. You may qualify even if you heat is included in the rent, as long as your income does not exceed the chart below. You must apply between the first of November and the last day of March.

MAXIMUM MONTHLY GROSS INCOME* LEVELS FOR 2006-2007
(*before taxes)

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Universal Service Fund (USF)
1-800-240-1347

USF helps make energy bills more affordable for low-income customers. If you are eligible, USF can lower the amount that you must pay for your gas and electric bills. Income guidelines are the same as LIHEAP, as above. USF accepts applications all year.

You may be eligible for both LIHEAP and USF, and you may apply with a single application. Further information as well as applications can be obtained online at: http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dfd/Lowincomeengyassist.html. NOTE: You must send your application to the appropriate county agency. Please see below for the intake agency nearest to you.

Hunterdon County

NORWESCAP, Inc.
350 Marshall Street
Phillipburg, NJ 08865
1-888-454-4778
Monday – Friday, 8am – 4:30pm

Middlesex County

Puerto Rican Action Board
P.O. Box 240
New Brunswick, NJ 08903
1-732-828-4541
Monday – Friday, 9am – 1pm
New Jersey Lifeline Credit Program
1-800-792-9745
(TTY: 1-609-588-7160)

This program provides a $225 yearly credit on your electric or gas bill for customers 65 years of age or older, or for disabled adults over the age of 18 who receive a Social Security Disability benefit. Income must not exceed $22,572 per year for a single person or $27,676 for a married couple. If you received Supplemental Security Income (SSI), your Lifeline benefit is in your monthly SSI check. Applications are accepted all year. Call the above toll-free number for more information and to receive and application, or visit them online at: http://www.oru.com/programsandservices/specialneedsandassistance/lifelinecredit.html.

NJ SHARES
1-866-NJ-SHARES (657-4273)

NJ SHARES helps you pay your energy bills if you are going through short-term financial problems. To qualify, you must show a history of paying your bills on time and that something happened that keeps you from paying now. If you receive LIHEAP and/or USF, you are not eligible for NJ SHARES. This program is available all year.

PSE&G Equal Payment Plan (EPP)
1-800-436-PSEG (734)

EPP lets PSE&G customers pay the same amount each month for gas and electric bills. Call the toll-free number for more information or to sign up for the program.
HEALTH INSURANCE CONTINUATION PROGRAM (HICP)

What is HICP?

The New Jersey Health Insurance Continuation Program (HICP) is a special program for New Jersey residents with HIV or AIDS. This program allows you to keep your health insurance when you can no longer work or when you can only work part time. If you qualify, HICP will pay the monthly payments (premiums) for your health insurance, including family insurance that covers your spouse and/or children.

If I Don't Have Health Insurance, Will the Program Buy it for Me?

No. The New Jersey HICP will only be used to pay for insurance that you already have and are in danger of losing.

Who is Eligible?

An individual can earn up to $51,050 annually. An additional $17,400 is allowed for each household dependent. Income guidelines are updated in March each year. In addition, your family cash assets (such as bank accounts) must total no more than $25,000.

How Do I Apply?

You can request an application from the New Jersey HICP office by calling 1-800-353-3232. The completed application must be returned to the New Jersey HICP Office. You will be required to provide a medical statement, certifying that you have HIV/AIDS, a confidentiality release, an authorization form, income and asset information, and information about your existing coverage. All required forms can be found on the website (http://www.state.nj.us/health/aids/keepins.htm).

How Long Will This Help Be Available?

The program will pay your health insurance premiums as long as you continue to be eligible for the program. The law requires that you act within 60 days of leaving your job or of changing to part-time work if you wish to continue your health insurance coverage. If you think you may qualify and need help making insurance payments, YOU MUST ACT NOW. Apply for the Health Insurance Continuation Program (HICP).

Call HICP 1-800-353-3232

or write to:

New Jersey Department of Health and Senior Services
Health Insurance Continuation Program
PO Box 363
Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0363
The NJ WorkAbility Program offers full New Jersey Medicaid health coverage to people with disabilities who are working, and whose earnings would otherwise make them ineligible for Medicaid.

Eligibility Guidelines

- Be between the ages of 16 and 64
- Work part time, full time or be self-employed and have proof of employment
- Have a permanent disability determined by the Social Security Administration (SSA), or the Disability Review Team at the Division of Medical Assistance & Health Services (DMAHS)
- Have an earned income no more than $49,020 per year for eligible individuals, or no more than $66,012 per year for eligible couples (both with permanent disability, both working)
- Have an unearned income (pensions, child support, interest, etc.) up to $817.00 per month for eligible individuals, or up to $1,100.00 for eligible couples
- Have less than $20,000 in liquid assets as an individual, or less than $30,000 as a couple

NJ WorkAbility does not consider Social Security Disability benefits or Railroad Retirement System Benefits received by an individual on their own account when determining eligibility. Retirement accounts (IRA or 401) and the value of an owned home or car are not considered when reviewing assets.

For additional information about NJ WorkAbility or if you would like to apply, please call the Division of Disability Services toll free at 1-888-285-3036 and then press 2, between 9:00 am and 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday.
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