

SELF SUFFICIENCY REFERENCE GUIDE

A Community Resources Guide for Residents of Lancaster
County

HOUSING & HOMELESSNESS SERVICES

CHART

The **Community Homelessness Assessment & Referral Team (CHART)** helps individuals and families who are homeless return to stable housing quickly. When needed, will make referrals to emergency shelter and transitional housing programs.

For pre-screening and referral services.....2-1-1

Emergency Shelters

Domestic Violence Services of Lancaster County.....717.299.1249
(call for appointment, women & children)

Water Street Mission.....717.358.2030 210
South Prince Street, Lancaster
(call for availability)

Winter Emergency Shelter.....2-1-1
(several Lancaster County communities operate winter shelter programs from December through March, call for locations)

FOOD AND CLOTHING

Department of Human Services, PA

717.299.7411

832 Manor Street, Lancaster

(SNAP/food stamps)

Lancaster County Council of Churches.....717.291.2261

812 North Queen Street, Lancaster

Lumina Professional Clothing

Bank.....717.394.8412

20 East Clay Street, Lancaster

Office of Aging (seniors).....717.299.7979

150 North Queen Street, Lancaster

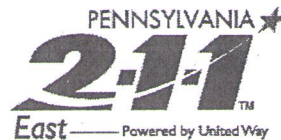
Salvation Army (food only).....717.397.7565

131 South Queen Street, Lancaster

Water Street Ministries (food only).....717.358.2081

210 South Prince Street, Lancaster

WIC (children and wom-



FREE MEALS

Note: Some meals may not operate on holidays or during inclement weather, please call ahead

Breakfast

First United Methodist Church.....717.394.7231

29 East Walnut Street, Lancaster

Monday-Friday, 8:30-9:45 am

First Reformed UCC.....717.397.5149

40 East Orange Street, Lancaster

Saturday, 9 am

Lunch

Crispus Attucks.....717.394.6604

407 Howard Avenue, Lancaster

Monday-Friday, 11 am (no meal provided the 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month)

Note: Photo ID required

St. Anne's Roman Catholic Church...717.392.2225

929 North Duke Street, Lancaster

Monday-Friday, 11:30 am-1 pm

Spanish American Civic Association...717.397.6267

545 Pershing Avenue, Lancaster

Monday-Friday, 12:30-1 pm

Dinner

Spanish American Civic Association...717.397.6267

545 Pershing Avenue, Lancaster

Monday-Saturday, 4-5 pm

East Chestnut Street

Mennonite Church.....717.392.7910

432 East Chestnut Street, Lancaster

Monday, 5:30-6:15 pm

First Reformed UCC.....717.397.5149

40 East Orange Street, Lancaster

Tuesday, 5:30 pm

ALCOHOL/DRUG TREATMENT

Alcoholics Anonymous717.394.3238
Compass Mark717.299.2831
630 Janet Avenue, Lancaster
(drug and alcohol information)
**Lancaster County Drug &
Alcohol Commission**717.299.8023
150 North Queen Street, Lancaster
**Narcotics Anony-
mous**717.393.4546

Outpatient Programs

**Addiction Recovery
Systems of Lancaster**.....717.394.7160
2192 Embassy Drive, Lancaster
Elsie Shenk Outpatient Center717.286.9088
211 East Mifflin Street, Lancaster
Gate House Outpatient.....717.285.2300
465 West Main Street, Mountville
Gerty & Associates
107 East Locust Street, Ephrata.....717.733.8898
**Lancaster Clinical
Counseling Associates**.....717.299.0131
129 East Orange Street, Lancaster

EMPLOYMENT TRAINING/PLACEMENT

**New Choices Career Development Cen-
ter**.....717.869.6363
1016 North Charlotte Street, Lancaster
Office of Aging (ages 55 & up).....717.299.7979
150 North Queen Street, Lancaster
Office of Vocational Rehab.....800.762.6306
**PA Career Link Lancaster Coun-
ty** ...717.509.5613
1016 North Charlotte Street, Lancaster
SACA Tec Centro.....717.509.6679
102 Chester Street, Lancaster

EDUCATION

Lancaster County Career & Technology Centers
Brownstown.....717.859.5100
Snyder & Metzler Roads, Brownstown
Mount Joy.....717.653.3000
432 Old Market Street, Mount Joy
Willow Street.....717.464.7050
1730 Hans Herr Drive, Willow Street
Lancaster Lebanon IU #13717.606.1363
1016 North Charlotte Street, Lancaster
(GED registration/testing)
Literacy Council717.295.5523
24 South Queen Street, Lancaster
SACA Tec Centro717.509.6679
102 Chester Street, Lancaster
(ESL, GED, ABE+)

Child and Family Services

Afterschool Programs

Boys & Girls Club—Jack Walker.....717.397.5514
229 Est Lemon Street, Lancaster
After School Program
**Boys & Girls Club—George Washington Communi-
ty school**717.391.8689
545 South Ann Street, Lancaster
Provides before-school program-Available to current
Washington Elementary School students
Boys & Girls Club—Hill Clubhouse.....717.299.3771
116 South Water Street, Lancaster
After School Program

Recreation Center

Lancaster Recreation Commission.....717.392.2115
525 Fairview Avenue, Lancaster
Head Start Program
Community Action Partnership717.299.7301
601 South Queen Street, Lancaster

SERVICES FOR CHILDREN

Bethany Christian Services
(Safe Families for Children).....717.238.3549
1681 Crown Avenue, Suite 201, Lancaster

Child Care Information Services.....717.393.4004
601 South Queen Street, Lancaster
Children & Youth Agency.....717.299.7925
150 North Queen Street, Suite 111, Lancaster
Mom's House.....717.396.9130
415 South Queen Street, Lancaster

PARENTING AND FAMILY RELATIONS

Catholic Charities (counseling).....717.299.3659
925 North Duke Street, Lancaster
Children & Youth Agency717.299.7925
150 North Queen Street, Suite 111, Lancaster
(suspected child abuse)
COBYS Family Life Center717.435.8139
171 East King Street, Lancaster
(parenting classes/counseling)
Domestic Violence Legal Clinic717.291.5826
35 East Orange Street, Suite 201, Lancaster
MidPenn Legal Services717.299.0971
38 North Christian Street, Suite 200, Lancaster

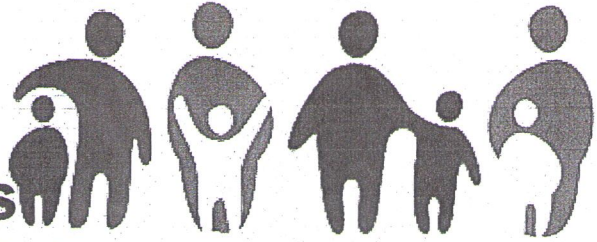
Pennsylvania 2-1-1 East at United Way of Lancaster County

Phone: 2-1-1

Email: 211@UWLanc.org

Web: PA211East.org

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Kinship Support Services

Are you raising a relative's child?

Kinship arrangements are often unanticipated and can result in a range of unique household needs and challenges. Support is available!

Join our community

Attend groups for information specific to kinship caregivers. Network with other kinship caregivers who are going through similar experiences.

Call to register for any of our free programs. Childcare is available on a limited basis. Registration is required.

For information

Call the kinship information line for help in navigating systems and connections to resources in your community.

**Call April Russell
717-435-8139 ext.210**

A free and confidential information line is open Tuesday-Thursday, 9:30-2:30.

Additional sessions and schedule updates will be posted at www.cobys.org/kinship

Kinship Coffee Sessions

Join our monthly educational discussion group; childcare and refreshments available. Sessions provide a different topic each month alongside sharing practical community resources. Topics include: *Setting Boundaries, Healing from Anger, Emotional Wellness* and more.

Lancaster (day):

Wednesdays, 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Lancaster Brethren in Christ Church
1865 Fruitville Pike, Lancaster

2nd Wednesday of the month

Sept 18, Oct 23, Nov 20, Jan 22, Feb 19,
Mar 18, Apr 22, May 20

Quarryville:

Mondays, 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Solid Rock Youth Ministries
34 E. State Street, Quarryville

2nd Monday of the month

Sept 16, Oct 14, Nov 11, Jan 13, Feb 10,
Mar 9, Apr 13, May 11

New Holland:

Mondays, 11:00-12:30

CrossNet Ministries
123 W Franklin St, New Holland, PA

1st Monday of the month

Sept 9, Oct 7, Nov 4, Jan 6, Feb 3, Mar 2,
Apr 6, May 4

Lancaster City (evening):

Tuesdays, 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m.
Fulton Elementary School
225 W. Orange Street, Lancaster

2nd Tuesday of the month

Oct 8, Nov 12, Jan 14, Feb 11, Mar 10,
Apr 14, May 12

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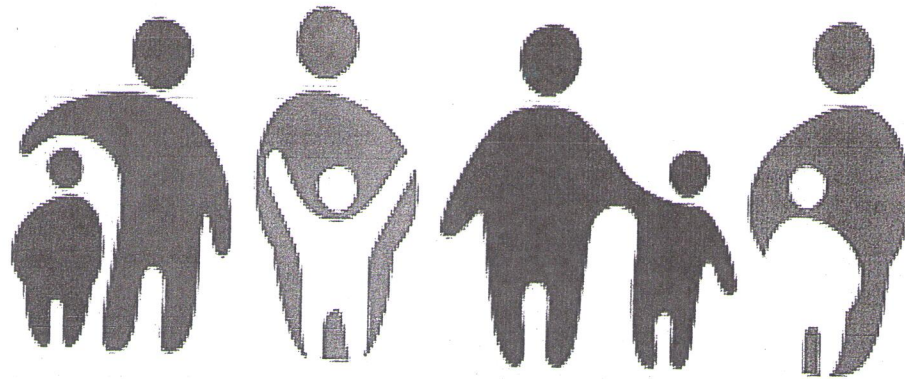
4th Sundays, meal at 3:40, seminar 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Sept 22, Oct 27, Nov 24, Jan 26, Feb 23, Mar 22, Apr 26, May 31

COBYS Family Services
444 Murry Hill Circle
Lancaster, PA 17601



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Email: kinship@cobys.org
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For free transportation to the Kinship Coffee Session at Fulton Elementary school, please contact 717-391-8648.

Additional locations are available; check website for updates.

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LANCASTER COUNTY COMMUNITY RESOURCES



Tabor Community Services helps Lancaster County, PA residents by teaching them the skills they need to solve their housing and financial problems.

LOCATION: 308 E. King St., Lancaster, PA 17602, 717-397-5182



Online services: find a job, create a resume, career resources

In person services: career counseling, job search assistance, workshops

LOCATION: 1016 N Charlotte St., Lancaster, PA 17603, 717-509-5613

A proud partner of the AmericanJobCenter network



The focus is on health, education, and financial stability. A great website or phone call (211) to get information about many resources in the community.

LOCATION: 630 Janet Ave., Lancaster, PA 17601, 717-394-0731



The Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) helps keep families safe and healthy through initiatives that assist families with energy costs. LOCATION: 832 Manor St., Lancaster, PA 17601, 866-857-7095



Dedicated to improving the health of children and families, CHI St. Joseph Children's Health improves access, linkage and coordination of local children's health services and programs while serving as a leading voice in collaborative

efforts to improve the health and well-being of the Lancaster Community. LOCATION: 1929 Lincoln Highway East, Suite 150, Lancaster, PA 17602, 717-397-7625



Ensure your child learns, grows and develops in a healthy setting. From high-quality early learning programs to in-home parent coaching, we are committed to helping your family thrive.

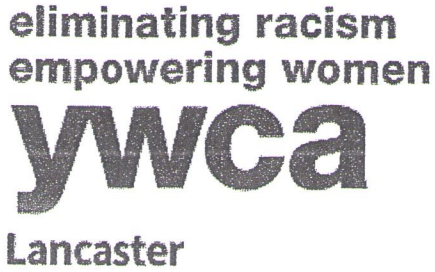
LOCATION: 601 S. Queen St., Lancaster, PA 17603, 717-299-7301



Lancaster Health Center is dedicated to understanding and respecting each patient's unique needs, culture.



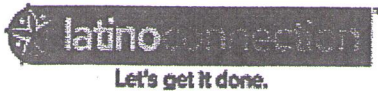
CWS of Lancaster serves the refugee and immigrant communities of central Pennsylvania. We work hand-in-hand with caring churches, organizations and individuals to provide help and homes to refugees, and work to build a community in the U.S. for uprooted people so that they can fashion a better future. LOCATION: 308 E King St, Lancaster, PA 17602, 717-2890



YWCA Lancaster's School Age Child Development program provides a safe place for kids and peace of mind for their families. The program offers care to children 5-12 years of age throughout the year. LOCATION: 110 N Lime St., Lancaster, PA 17602, 717-393-1735



Our mental health services and IDD support programs are as unique as the individuals we serve. From integrated therapy for at-risk children to adult mental health counseling and residential care, we work to empower minds and enrich lives. LOCATION: 320 Highland Ave., Mountville, PA 17554, 717-285-7121



The Latino Connection to be the central place where Latinos/Hispanics go when seeking resources, news, and information as it relates to our community



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DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

Services focus on providing nutritional, medical, and financial assistance to qualifying low income household. LOCATION: 832 Manor St, Lancaster, PA 17603, 717-299-7411