



Jeffrey Clark Community Resources

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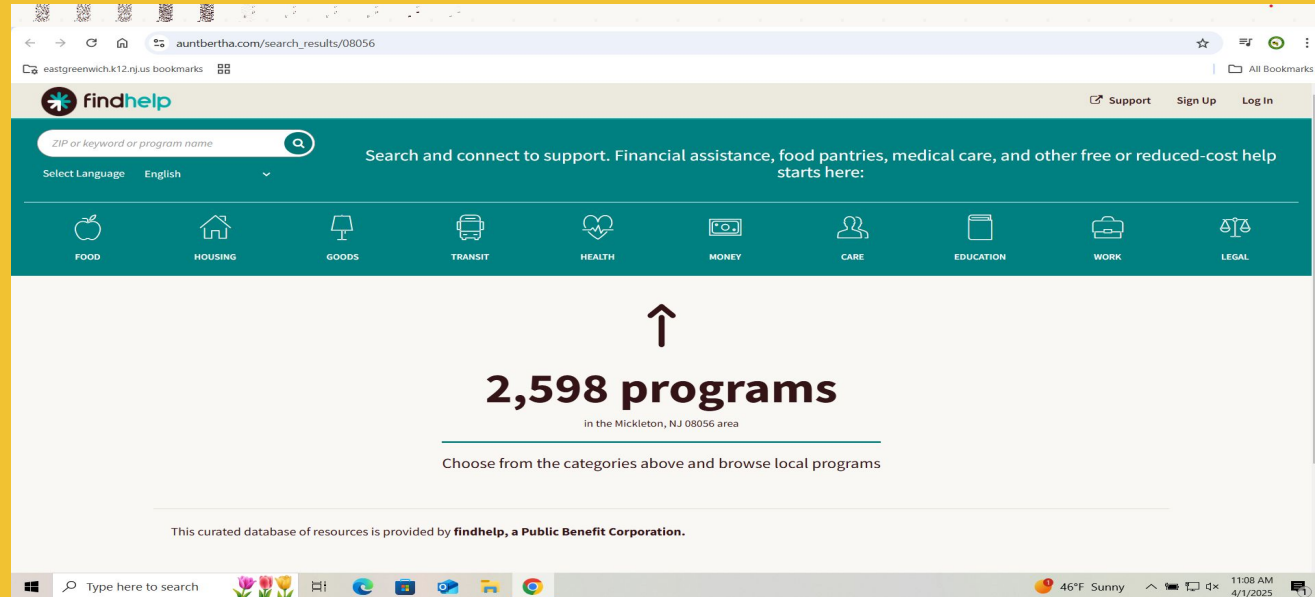
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Aunt Bertha

Aunt Bertha is a Website that has resources for

- Food
- Housing
- Goods
- Transit
- Health
- Money
- Care
- Education
- Work
- Legal



Gloucester County Social Services

DCPP Gloucester County EAST

309 Fries Mill Road

Echo Plaza Unit 10

Sewell, NJ 08080

856 582 1238

866 753 8124

DCPP Gloucester County WEST

215 Crown Point Rd

West Deptford, NJ 08086

856 853 5525

800 847 1741

GCSS Emergency Assistance:

856 256 2257

856 256 2113

Catholic Charities

- 1200 Delsea Dr # 1, Westville, NJ 08093
- Phone: 1-856-845-9200
- Help pay for utilities and rental assistance
- Food pantry

Catholic Charities: Gloucester County

(856) 845-9200

Westville

The services offered through Catholic Charities Family and Community Services Centers are available to all, regardless of religious denomination, race, gender, or immigration status.

FOOD PANTRY

Call us to make an appointment.

We are always in need of donations of non-perishable food items and diapers! Visit our Wish List tab for more information.



SNAP (FOOD STAMPS) ENROLLMENT AND NUTRITION EDUCATION

Contact us to learn more about our nutrition education program or schedule an appointment to enroll for SNAP benefits.

UTILITY AND RENTAL ASSISTANCE

Catholic Charities provides utilities and/or rental assistance to relieve a temporary financial crisis or to prevent homelessness. Contact us to see if funds are currently available and to schedule an appointment to determine eligibility.

HOUSING COUNSELING

A case worker can help you budget and utilize available resources to maintain housing. Contact us to schedule an appointment.

VETERAN SERVICES

Assistance for veterans who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless. Case management services, information and referrals. Call the representative for your county for information and to determine eligibility. Contact information by county available on the Veteran Services webpage.

ASSET DEVELOPMENT

Open a matched savings account towards the costs of purchasing a home, starting a business, or furthering education. Financial coaching and education provided. Visit the asset development webpage for a listing of all programs and contact information.

Food Resources

- [Food Pantries, Emergency food, Food Delivery, Help pay for food etc](#)
- Virtua Health - Offers discounted groceries
[Mobile Grocery Store](#)





Food Resources



Women, Infant and Children Services Program (WIC)

The Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Nutrition Program of Gloucester County provides services and food vouchers to pregnant or post-partum women, infants, and children under five years old free of charge to eligible local residents.

[More Information](#)

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

New Jersey's Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, SNAP, provides food assistance to families with low incomes to help them buy groceries through a benefits card accepted in most food retail stores and some farmers markets. Eligibility is set by several factors, such as income and resources. You can use your SNAP benefits to stretch your food budget and buy nutritious foods that can keep you and your family healthy.

[More Information](#)

Housing

- Help Pay for housing, Help find housing, Housing Advice, Maintenance and repairs, residential housing, temporary shelter

[More Information](#)



Housing/Homelessness

Mckinney Vento Act


East Greenwich McKinney-Vento Act Liaison


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KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

The McKinney-Vento Act






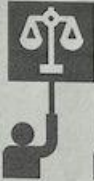
IS YOUR FAMILY TEMPORARILY STAYING IN:

- someone else's house or apartment due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason?
- a hotel or motel?
- a shelter?
- a car, park, campground, abandoned building, or other inadequate space?



Your local school district's homeless liaison may be able to help!

If your family is staying in these living situations, your children have the right to receive extra services and supports in school under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act. These include:



- Staying in the same school, even if you move, and receiving free transportation to and from that school if it is in your best educational interest to stay
- Immediate enrollment, even if you don't have the documents that are typically required for enrollment
- Receiving free school meals
- Connecting younger children to early childhood services
- College readiness assistance for high school students
- Referrals to the community for help with other needs



Please reach out to the homeless liaison to see if your child may be eligible.



[INSERT LIAISON NAME AND CONTACT INFORMATION]

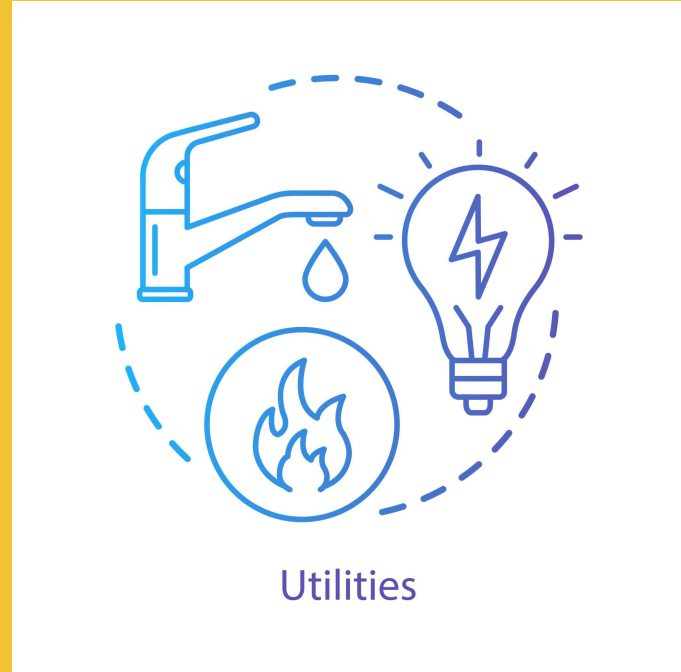


If you are unable to reach the liaison, please contact your McKinney-Vento Homeless Education State Coordinator: schoolhouseconnection.org/homeless-directory

SCHOOLHOUSECONNECTION.ORG/MCKINNEY-VENTO-ACT

Utilities

- Catholic charities
- [Pay Assistance for Utilities](#)



Mental Health/Addiction

- Addiction Treatment Services
[More Information](#)





Mental Health



StopoverdoseNJ

In January 2023, Governor Murphy announced a nation-leading program to allow anyone 14 years or older to acquire naloxone anonymously and at no cost at participating pharmacies across New Jersey. This website provides information on using naloxone and for pharmacies to participate.

ReachNJ

ReachNJ is a central call-in line for New Jersey residents who are looking for help with a substance use disorder (SUD). Each call to ReachNJ is answered by a live person in the first 30 seconds. Trained staff will screen callers to identify their exact needs, are able to provide referrals to supportive services and a seamless connection to a local treatment provider. ReachNJ serves NJ residents of all ages regardless of insurance status or ability to pay.

[Click Here for More Information](#)



Mental Health



Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services

Psychiatric advance directives are a legal instrument that may be used to document a competent person's specific instructions or preferences regarding future mental health treatment. Psychiatric advance directives can be used to plan for the possibility that someone may lose capacity to give or withhold informed consent to treatment during acute episodes of psychiatric illness. The Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services currently contracts with a vendor to manage and maintain a voluntary, secure internet-based registry for Psychiatric Advance Directives (PADs) for New Jersey residents. There is a web-based registry, available 24/7.

988 Suicide and Crisis lifeline

988 is the nationwide 3-digit dialing code for Mental Health Crisis and Suicide Prevention. 988 connects people to the existing National Suicide Prevention Lifeline. Compassionate, accessible care and support will be available for anyone experiencing mental health-related distress, thoughts of suicide, mental health or substance use crisis. People can also dial 988 if they are worried about a loved one who may need crisis support.

[More Information](#)



Mental Health



- **Mental health Night at Jeffrey Clark**
(Follow the school website for updates on the next Mental Health Night)
-Discussing different mental health topics such as anxiety with fun activities. Create a worry bear, worry stones, and even watch a movie (inside out). There are new and fun activities.



- **Care Solace**

East Greenwich Township School District partnered with Care Solace to support the well-being of students, staff, and their family members. Care Solace is a complimentary and confidential care coordination service that can help you quickly find mental health or substance use treatment options matched to your needs regardless of circumstance.

If you would like to use Care Solace to help you find a provider:

Call 888-515-0595 available 24/7/365 in any language.

Visit www.caresolace.com/eastgreenwich and either search on your own OR click “Book Appointment” for assistance by video chat, email, or phone.

[Click Here for More Info](#)

Perform Care

NJ Children's System of Care (CSOC)

1-877-652-7624

Open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

- Behavioral Health
- Intellectual/ Developmental Disabilities Services
- Substance Use Treatment

receive therapy and behavioral services in your home

[Click Here for more Info](#)



Behavioral Specialists & Counseling

South Jersey Psychology and Counseling

844-365-7676

**CHOP's Department of Child & Adolescent
Psychiatry and Behavioral Science**

215-590-7555

Meridian Counseling Services

856-751-0505

Acenda Integrated Health

856-8818689

Pati Boguski, MA, LPC

609-560-3300

Bonita Blazer, PhD

856-234-1270

Sensational Kids

856-810-5777

Pediatric Mobile Services Program



Virtua's Pediatric Mobile Services provides children from infancy to age six in communities throughout South Jersey with health services they need.

The fully-equipped program on wheels offers a range of services, including dental and developmental screenings, blood lead level testing, lead poisoning education, flu shots, back-to-school physicals, vision and hearing screenings, health education, community resources, and referrals to specialized services.

Call 609-304-0151 to schedule an appointment

[Check Schedule and Locations Here](#)



Family Programs

The Arc Gloucester

- Serves families with children 0-6
- Family Intervention Program
- Parenting programs
- Supported Employment
- Camp Sun 'N Fun

1555 Gateway Blvd
West Deptford, NJ 08098
856-848-8648

Mosaic Family Success Center

- Free activities

110 East High Street
Glassboro, NJ

Developmental Pediatricians (there may be a waiting list)

Nemours Dupont Hospital for Children

856-345-1401

Cooper University Healthcare

856-342-2001

St. Christopher's Hospital

215-427-5531

Childrens Hospital of Philadelphia

800-TRY-CHOP

Health Coverage

Immigrant information

Children under 19 can qualify for NJ FamilyCare regardless of their immigration status. Pregnant women who are lawfully present can qualify, regardless of the date that they entered the United States. In general, immigrant adults must have Legal Permanent Resident status in the United States for at least five years in order to qualify for NJ FamilyCare. Some immigrant adults can qualify if they are lawfully present, regardless of when they entered the US.

Immigrants age 19 and 20 who are lawfully present and have very low income can also qualify.

“Lawfully present” status includes, but is not limited to:

- A lawful permanent resident
- A refugee
- An asylee
- A Cuban-Haitian entrant
- An undocumented resident whose deportation is being withheld by USCIS
- An Amerasian immigrant
- A child of an honorably discharged US military veteran
- A child of a member of the US military
- Certain American Indians born in Canada are treated the same as a US citizen for the purpose of Medicaid eligibility.
- An immigrant paroled for over one year.
- An applicant under the Violence Against Women Act

Health Coverage

MEDICAL EMERGENCY PAYMENT PROGRAM (MEPP)

MEPP covers emergency services, including labor and delivery, for New Jersey residents age 19 and older who do not qualify for NJ FamilyCare because they do not meet the U.S. Citizenship or immigration requirement.

Immigration statuses that qualify for MEPP include, but are not limited to:

- Undocumented
- Non-immigrant (student, temporary worker)
- Adults who do not qualify for NJ FamilyCare because they have not been a Lawful Permanent Resident for 5 years

For more information on what services are covered, income guidelines, and how to apply, visit the [MEPP page](#).

Hotline Numbers

COUNTY HOTLINES/SAFE HOUSES

Camden County Women's Center Hotline	856.227.1234
Providence House of Burlington County Hotline	1.800.360.7711
SERV Gloucester County Safe House Hotline	1.866.295.7378
Cumberland County Women's Center Hotline	856.691.3713
Atlantic County Women's Center Hotline	609.646.6767
Cape May County Women's Center Hotline	609.522.6489

HOTLINES

NJ Domestic Violence Hotline	800.572.7233
New Jersey Child Abuse Hotline	877.652.2873
National Domestic Violence Videophone for deaf survivors	855.812.1001 or text LOVE15 to 22522
NJ Coalition Against Sexual Assault	609.631.4450
NJ Coalition for Battered Women	609.584.8107
Narcotics Anonymous Hotline	800.992.0401
Alcoholics Anonymous Hotline	856.486.4444

LEGAL AID

Rutgers Law Domestic Violence Clinic	856.225.6425
Camden Center for Law and Social Justice	856.583.2950
South Jersey Legal Services	1.800.496.4570
Victim's Crime Compensation Board	1.877.658.2221

SUPPORT GROUPS & COUNSELING SERVICES

Center for Family Services	877.922.2377
Hispanic Family Center (<i>ofrece servicios en español</i>)	856.963.0270
Oaks Integrated Crisis Services	856.428.4357
CARE's Institute - Center for Child Support	856.566.7036

SHELTERS

Volunteers of America	856.963.0430
Camden County Board of Social Services	856.225.8800
Adult Male Homeless Shelter	1.800.786.5080

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Catholic Charities	856.342.4100
Food Stamps	856.225.5143
Welfare: Emergency Financial Assistance	M-F 8am-5pm: 856.225.8800 Evenings/Weekends 1.800.786.5080

Divorce



Do you need help navigating the difficult conversations with your little ones?

Learn what to do and say before, during, and after your divorce.

We have additional resources, please reach out privately if you are interested.

If you have any questions or any ideas you would like to share with the rest of the community please do not hesitate to email me

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