

## Community Resource Guide

Mount Laurel Preschool Program 2024-2025

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## **Burlington County Agencies**

Burlington County Board of Social Services (Westampton)

(609) 261-1000

Burlington County Board of Social Services is the lead agency in developing and providing access to economic and social services for county residents.

https://bcbss.org/

Burlington County Office of Human Services (Westampton)

(609) 265-5536

Planning, monitoring, coordination, allocation and contracting for State and County funded services including alcohol and drug abuse, human services, and mental health services.

https://www.co.burlington.nj.us/398/Human-Services

Partners for Kids & Families: Burlington ResourceNet

(609) 518-6800

Burlington ResourceNet provides a wide range of information about support, resources, and services for families in Burlington County, NJ. The information is kept as accurate as possible.

https://www.burlingtonresourcenet.org/

## Housing Resources

Including Energy & Utility
Assistance

## Housing Programs (Energy & Utility Assistance)

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

#### 609-835-4329 ext. 3

The Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) by Burlington Community Action Partnership (BCAP), assists eligible low-income households with their heating and cooling energy costs.

https://www.bccap.org/home-energy-assistance/

Payment Assistance for Gas and Electric (PAGE)

#### 732.389.2958

At the Affordable Housing Alliance (AHA), we believe safe, decent, and affordable housing is a fundamental human right. Everyone deserves to feel secure, comfortable, and supported in the place they call home.

https://housingall.org/

## General Assistance (WorkFirst NJ)

#### 800-792-9773

DFD's WorkFirst NJ (WFNJ) provides eligible clients with Emergency Assistance (EA) in certain situations. These benefits include, but are not limited to: essential food, clothing, shelter and household furnishings; temporary rental assistance or back rent or mortgage payments; utility payments (such as heat, water, electric); transportation to search for housing; and moving expenses.

https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dfd/programs/assistance/

## Housing Programs (Energy & Utility Assistance)

## Catholic Charities Homelessness Prevention

#### 609-394-8847 ext. 6128

The Homelessness Prevention Program emphasizes both immediate and longer-term strategies for reducing homelessness and strengthening self-sufficiency. While housing units are not offered at all locations, Catholic Charities Diocese of Trenton helps individuals and families remain housed through rent/mortgage and utilities assistance.

https://www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org/services/housing-food/

Universal Service Fund (USF) by State of New Jersey DCA

#### 866-240-1347

The New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (BPU) has created the Universal Service Fund (USF) program to help make electric and natural gas bills more affordable for low income families. The New Jersey Department of Community Affairs (DCA) administers the USF program.

https://www.nj.gov/dca//dhcr/index.s html TRUE and PAGE Programs by State of New Jersey (NJBPU)

#### 732-982-8710

The Temporary Relief for Utility Expenses (TRUE) Program and the Payment Assistance for Gas and Electric (PAGE) Program were established by the Board to provide relief on natural gas and electric bills for low to moderate income New Jersey households who are experiencing a temporary financial crisis.

https://www.nj.gov/bpu/assistance/programs/

#### Affordable Homes Group

#### (609) 261-4571

1841 Burlington-Mt. Holly Road (Co. Rt. 541) Westampton, NJ 08060

https://www.affordablehomesg roup.com/

## Burlington County Community Action Program

#### (609) 386-5800

718 Route 130 South

Burlington, NJ 08016

http://www.bccap.org/

#### **Burlington Housing Authority**

#### 609-386-0246

800 Walnut Street, Burlington, NJ 08016

https://www.burlingtonha.com/

Oaks Integrated Care- Family
Service- Mount Holly

(609) 267-5928

770 Woodlane Rd.

Mt Holly, NJ 08060

https://oaksintcare.org/

## Habitat for Humanity of Burlington

(856) 439 - 6717

530 Route 38 East

Maple Shade, NJ 08052

https://www.hfhbmc.org/

## Interfaith Hospitality Network: Burlington County

856-638-0110

16 East Main Street

Moorestown, NJ 08057

http://ihnbc.org/

Moorestown Ecumenical Neighborhood Development,

(856)722 - 7070

99 East Second Street

Moorestown, New Jersey 08057-3324

https://mendinc.org/

People First!

609-261-4571

1841 Burlington-Mt. Holly Rd

Westampton NJ 08060-1069

https://www.affordablehomesg roup.com/people-first Salt and Light Company Mt. Holly

(609) 261-4571

1841 Burlington-Mt. Holly Road

(Co. Rt. 541)

Westampton, NJ 08060

https://www.affordablehomesgro up.com/salt--light

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(856) 638 - 0110 99 East Second Street	
Moorestown, New Jersey 08057-3324	
https://www.fpburlco.org/	

## **Food Resources**

Including Financial Assistance & Pantry Programs

## Food Resources (Financial Assistance)

## Eat Well Mobile Grocery Store by Virtua Health

#### 856-246-3176

Virtua Health's Eat Well Mobile Grocery Store offers nutritious foods -- including produce, nonperishables, eggs, and more -- at below-market prices to residents of Camden and Burlington Counties. The Mobile Grocery Store visits a consistent schedule of stops each week; all stops are open to all visitors, with no need to pre-qualify or show identification. Visitors can pay using cash, debit/credit, SNAP/EBT, or Food Bucks.

https://www.virtua.org/about/community-programs/eat-well/mobile-grocery-store

## Eat Well Mobile Farmers Market by Virtua Health

#### 888-847-8823

Virtua Health's Eat Well Mobile Farmers Market offers fresh fruits and vegetables at below-market prices to residents of Camden and Burlington Counties. The Mobile Farmers Market visits a consistent schedule of stops each week; all stops are open to all visitors, with no need to pre-qualify or show identification.

https://www.virtua.org/about/communityprograms/eat-well/mobile-farmers-market

## Food Resources (Financial Assistance)

#### Women, Infant and Children Services Program (WIC)

#### 609-267-4304

WIC - Burlington County Health Department: The Women, Infants and Children Supplemental Food Program (WIC) is designed to promote healthy food habits to low-income pregnant, postpartum, and breastfeeding women and infants and children birth to five years of age.

https://www.co.burlington.nj.us/403/Women-Infant-Children-WIC-Program

## Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

#### 609-261-1000

SNAP- State of NJ Department of Human Services: The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) provides food-purchasing assistance to eligible, low-income individuals and families.

https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/njsnap/

## Food Resources (Pantry Program)

#### Burlington Township Food Pantry

#### (888) 847-3278

Food Distribution Every Wednesday

9:00-11:00 am

1200 Route 130 North (2 doors down from Dollar Tree)

http://www.btfoodpantry.org/do\_you\_n eed\_food.aspx

#### Food Bank of South Jersey

#### 856-662-4884

Coverage Area: This program covers residents of the following counties: Burlington County, NJ, Camden County, NJ, Gloucester County, NJ and Salem County, NJ.

https://foodbanksj.org/zip-code-locator/

#### House of God Church

#### 856-764-1515

The House of God Church's food pantry provides quality food items to households experiencing food insecurity. This program supplies critical nutrition to hungry individuals and families.

58 South Bridgeboro Street

Delran, NJ 08075

## Food Resources (Pantry Program)

#### Community Food Pantry

#### 856-764-6940

Catholic Charities Diocese of Trenton provide three community food pantries that offer supplemental groceries to individuals and families in need of assistance in the community.

450 Veterans Drive

Burlington, NJ 08016

https://www.catholiccharitiestrenton.or g/services/housing-food/

#### Betsy & Peter Fischer Food Pantry

## 856-424-1333 to schedule an appointment.

The JFCS Betsy & Peter Fischer Food Pantries provide non-perishable food and personal care items to food-insecure households in to serve the needs of the community.

6 East Miami Avenue

Cherry Hill, NJ 08034

https://jfcssnj.org/pantry-assistance-requests/

#### Cherry Hill Food Pantry

#### 856-910-9090

Cherry Hill Food and Outreach Council offers a food pantry for the residents in the Cherry Hill, Haddonfield, Marlton, and Mt. Laurel areas every Tuesday and Thursday. They supply groceries for residents that do not have enough food because they lack the resources to purchase it.

910 Beechwood Avenue

Cherry Hill, NJ 08002

https://cherryhillfoodpantry.org/

## Food Resources (Pantry Program)

#### **Extended Hand Ministry**

#### 609-914-4270

The Extended Hand Ministry provides wholesome foods such as canned vegetables, fruits, sauces and beans, as well as rice, beans and cereal to families, persons residing in motels and those who may be living outdoors.

275 Holeman Street

Mount Holly, NJ 08060

https://www.theextendedhandministry.org/food-pantry

#### MooreKids

MooreKids, A New Jersey

Nonprofit Corporation

PO Box 756

Moorestown, NJ 08057

https://moorekids.org/

#### Parish of Sacred Heart

(609) 267-0209

260 High Street, Mount Holly, NJ

08060

https://parishofsacredheart.org/

## Food Resources (Financial Assistance)

RCCG Tabernacle of Peace Food	Interfaith Hospitality Network: Burlington County	
(609) 387-5780		
1003 Sunset Rd. Burlington, NJ - 08016	16 East Main Street  Moorestown, NJ 08057 <a href="http://ihnbc.org/">http://ihnbc.org/</a>	
https://www.rccgtop.org/		

## Clothing Resources

## **Clothing Resources**

Mary's Closet by Epworth United Methodist Church

856-829-1908

501 Morgan Avenue

Palmyra, NJ 08065

https://palmyranjumc.org/ministries/

Clothing Closet and Household Goods Store by Catholic

609-394-8847

801 Burlington Avenue

Delanco, NJ 08075

https://www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org/

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795 Woodlane Road

Human Services Facility

Westampton, NJ 08060

https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dfd/programs/assistance/

## Early Childhood Resources

Childcare

## Childcare Resources

## Burlington Community Action Partnership (BCAP)

(609) 267-7674

718 Rte. 130 So.

Burlington, NJ 08016

(609) 386-5800

https://www.bccap.org/child-ca re-resources/ BCAP's Child Care Resource & Referral Department offers the following services: Assistance paying for the cost of child care Family Child Care Provider Registration, Finding quality child care...

## Early Childhood Resources

Healthcare: Pediatrics, Dental, Clinics, Behavioral Health

## Healthcare (Pediatrics)

Advocare Pediatric Physicians of Burlington County (Mt.

856-234-3797

204 Ark Rd, Suite 209

Mount Laurel, NJ 08054

https://www.advocareppbc.com/

#### Cooper Primary Care Mount Laurel

(856) 638-1990

2963 Marne Highway

Mount Laurel, NJ 08054

https://www.cooperhealth.org/loc ations/cooper-primary-care-mou nt-laurel?utm\_source=google&ut m\_medium=organic&utm\_camp aign=google\_my\_business&utm\_ content=Primary+Care

## CHOP Primary Care Moorestown

856-235-2147

200 Marter Ave, Suite 100

Moorestown, NJ 08057

https://www.chop.edu/locations/primary-care-moorestown?utm\_source=gmb&utm\_medium=organic&utm\_campaign=network\_pc&utm\_content=locations\_primary\_care\_moorestown\_cta\_button\_consumer\_consideration\_all

## Healthcare (Dental)

## The Center for Pediatric Dental Health

856-875-9550

2055 Briggs Rd.

Mount Laurel, NJ 08054

https://www.pediatricdentalhealth.com/

## Growing Smiles Pediatric & Family Dentistry

(609) 257-2439

3107 Route 38, Ste. 2

Mount Laurel, NJ 08054

https://mygrowingsmile.com/

#### Children's Dental Care

(856) 778-1002

2055 Briggs Rd # 101,

Mt Laurel Township, NJ 08054

## **Healthcare (Clinics)**

## Virtua Health Pediatric Mobile Services Program

#### 609-304-0151

Provides children from infancy to age six with 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.

https://www.virtua.org/about/communit y-programs/pediatric-mobile-services

## Burlington County Vaccination Clinic

#### 609-265-5548

Provides vaccinations to residents of Burlington County.

https://www.co.burlington.nj.us/DocumentCenter/View/17367/BCHD-VACCINATION-FRIDAYS

## Healthcare (Behavioral Health)

#### PerformCare NJ

#### 1-877-652-7624

PerformCare is focused on prevention and early intervention by linking a young person with the care they need in the most appropriate setting — the right care in the right place at the right time. Our goal is to help families and caregivers create a more stable and healing environment for children, address barriers to well-being, and maximize youth and family strengths

https://www.performcarenj.org/

## Helplines

PerformCARE\* 1-877-652-7624





## **Emergency Helplines**









NJ Poison Control

Lead Exposure & Testing Burlington County Health Department

NJ PerformCare

1-800-222-1222

609-914-8550

609-265-5548

1-877-652-7624

https://www.njpies.org/

https://www.co.burlington.nj.us/Doc umentCenter/View/17163/Virtua-Le ad-Services-Brochure-2023

https://www.co.burlington.nj.us /290/Health-Department

https://www.performcarenj.org/

#### NJ PerformCare

PerformCare New Jersey is the contracted system administrator (CSA) for the State of New Jersey's Department of Children and Families, Children's System of Care (CSOC). PerformCare New Jersey is the single point of access to a wide array of behavioral health, intellectual and developmental disability services, as well as substance use treatment for youth and families.

PerformCare New Jersey provides youth and their families with the services, resources, tools, and support they need to optimally participate in treatment within their homes, schools, and community settings. We provide the avenue for families to request clinically appropriate, needs-based services with a single phone call any time of the day or night. Hours of Operation: 24 Hours a Day, 7 Days a Week

Our Address: 300 Horizon Drive Suite 306, Robbinsville, NJ 08691-1919

1-877-652-7624 24 hours a day, 7 days a week



## **Emergency Helplines**



New Jersey Domestic Violence Hotline

1 (800) 572-SAFE (7233)



New Jersey Coalition Against Sexual Assault

1-800-601-7200

https://njcasa.org/



Y 1 (800) 835 55

New Jersey Child Abuse Hotline

1-877-NJABUSE

https://www.nj.gov/dcf/reportin g/how/



New Jersey Suicide Prevention Hopeline

1-855-654-6735

http://njhopeline.com/

## **Emergency Helplines**



New Jersey HIV/AIDS/STI Hotline

1-800-624-2377

http://www.njhivstdline.org/



New Jersey REACH (Facing Addiction Task Force)

(844)732-2465

http://www.reachnj.gov/apoteketgene risk.com/>



Environmental Emergencies

(NJ Department of Environmental Protection)

1-877-WARNDEP

http://www.state.nj.us/dep/warndep.ht <u>m</u>

# Resource Search Engines & Additional Resources

Websites, Phone Numbers

Can't find what you are looking for?

Utilize the following resources for additional assistance!





#### 211 (Dial 2-1-1)

NJ 211 is a nonprofit organization that provides the 211 Service to the residents of New Jersey. This is a valuable information and referral service that to make the critical connection between individuals and families seeking health and human services and the community referrals best able to meet their needs.

#### Burlington Resource Net

https://www.burlingtonresourcenet.org/

Burlington Resource Net is a search engine for resources for families and children in Burlington County.



If you are concerned that your preschool child is developing or learning differently, you can call 856-235-3417 to request an evaluation for preschool special education and related services.

#### Child Find

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#### Mount Laurel Preschool Program

https://www.mtlaurelschools.org/Preschooldraft.aspx

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## Want to stay up to date with our little learners?

Be sure to check out our Preschool Newsletter "The Little Leaflet" featured in "The Mount Laurel Leaflet"

#### Featuring:

- Classroom Happenings
- Community Calendar & Events
- Learning Tips
- Health & Safety Updates