
SUSSEX COUNTY



Citizen's Guide **A Directory of Human Services**

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24 Hour Information and Referral

973-209-HELP

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ABUSE, CHILD

Div. of Youth and Family Services (DYFS)	973- 383-8400
Toll Free Number	800- 392-2654
Emergencies, Nights, Weekends	800- 792-8610
CAP (Child Assault Prevention Project)	973- 702-0602
Parents Anonymous	800- 843-5437
Ginnie's House	973- 579-0770

ABUSE, DOMESTIC

DASI (Domestic Abuse Services, Inc.)	973- 579-2386
24 Hour Emergency Hotline Number	973- 875-1211

ABUSE, ELDER

Adult Protective Services (SC DSS)	973- 383-3600
During non-business office hours	973- 209-HELP (4357)

ABUSER, TREATMENT

Decide Program (DASI)	973- 579-2500
Parents Anonymous	800- 843-5437

ADOPTION

Adoption Resource Center	973- 742-0063
Paterson	973- 742-0063
Trenton	609- 292-2121
Sussex Christian Family Services	973- 579-7596
Children's Aid and Family Services, Inc.	973- 285-0165
Adoption Information (DHS)	800- 992-3678
Bethany Christian Services	973- 427-2566
Children's Home Society of NJ	908- 735-9458
National Adoption Center	800- 862-3678

ADULT DAYCARE

Sussex County Adult Day Care/Newton Site	973- 579-6699
Sussex Boro Satellite Site	973- 702-0515

ADULT EDUCATION

G.E.D. (General Education Development Testing Center)	973- 300-2154
Literacy Volunteers of America, S.C.	973- 300-9444
Rutgers Cooperative Extension Services	973- 948-3040

AGRICULTURAL AGENT

Rutgers Cooperative Extension Service	973- 948-3040
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AIDS

AIDS Center-Warren/Sussex/Division	800- 448-9211
AIDS Information Center	973- 948-5400 x64
AIDS Hotline, National	800- 342-AIDS
AIDS Hotline, NJ State Dept. of	800- 624-2377
AIDS Information Clearinghouse	800- 458-5231
AIDS Resource Foundation for Children	973- 483-4250
AIDS Crisis Line (Hyacinth Foundation)	800- 433-0254
AIDS Hotline, Spanish	800- 344-7432
Gay and Lesbian Switchboard	212- 777-1800
American Red Cross (Sussex County Chapter)	973- 579-1600
Planned Parenthood (HIV testing)	973- 383-5218

ALCOHOL OVERDOSE

Newton Memorial Hospital	973- 383-2121
St. Claire's Medical Center - Boonton	973- 635-6150
Poison Control	800- 764-7661

ALCOHOL PROGRAMS

The Center for Prevention & Counseling	973-	383-4787
(Employee Assistance Program ONLY)	973-	383-6576
Sunrise House	973-	383-6300
ALA-CALL: A.A. and Alanon Meetings, Statewide	800-	322-5525
Alanon/Alateen Information Service of No. Jersey	973-	744-8686
Alcohol and Substance Abuse (A.S.A.P.) Program	973-	579-8675
St. Clare's Medical Center Alcohol/Chemical Services		
Variable Stay Rehabilitation Program	973-	316-1896
Adult Medical Detoxification	973-	316-1920
Employment Assistance Program	973-	402-1015
Adolescent Treatment Program (ASATP)	973-	316-1810
Hope House	973-	361-5555
Municipal Alliances, Prev. Ed. Programs	973-	579-0570
S.C. Div. of Community Services	973-	579-0547

ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

Alzheimer's Hotline	800-	424-2494
Visiting Nurses Association of SC	973-	729-7078
The Homestead	973-	948-5400
Barn Hill Care Center	973-	383-5600

ANIMALS

Domestic SPCA	800-	582-5979
SC Friends of Animals Shelter	973-	300-5909
Byram Animal Rescue (BARKS)	908-	575-7577
Noah's Ark	973-	347-0378
West Milford Animal Shelter	973-	728-2859

Wildlife: NJ Fish & Game (bear, coyote, etc.)	908- 735-7040
Avian Wildlife Center	973- 702-1957

ASSAULT, SEXUAL

Sexual Trauma Resource Center (DASI/24hours)	973- 875-1211
Sexual Assault Program (Newton Memorial Hospital)	973- 579-8340
S.C. Prosecutor's Office	973- 383-1570
see also, "Abuse"	

BABYSITTING COURSES

American Red Cross	973- 579-1600
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BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

Joseph T. Quinlan Bereavement Center	800- 882-1117
Grief Recovery Series (Karen Ann Quinlan Hospice)	973- 383-0115
Grief Support Group (Newton Memorial Hospital)	973- 579-8625

BIRTH CONTROL

Planned Parenthood of Northwest New Jersey	973- 383-5218
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BLIND

Blind and Visually Impaired, NJ State Commission	973- 648-2111
Newton Lions Club	973- 383-5373
American Foundation for the Blind	800- 232-5463

BOARDING HOME SERVICES

Sussex County Division of Social Services	973- 383-3600
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BRAILLE MATERIALS

Blind and Visually Impaired, NJ State
Commission 973- 648-2111
See also "Talking Books"

BREASTFEEDING

La Leche League 800- LALECHE
(525-3243)

BUDGET COUNSELING

See "Credit Counseling"

BURIAL BENEFITS

Social Security Administration 800- 772-1213
NJ Dept. of Military and Veteran's Affairs 973- 383-4949
973- 383-1363

BUS LINES

Sussex County Transit System (in-county) 973- 579-0480
Lakeland (out-of-county) 973- 366-0600
See also, "Transportation"

BUSINESS COUNSELING

SCORE (Service Corps. Of Retired
Executives) 973- 300-2143
NJ Small Business Development Center 973- 648-5950
Small Business Administration 973- 645-2434
Skylands Small Business Development
Center 908- 689-9620

CAMPS

Linwood MacDonald 973- 948-7090

Blue Mountain Day Camp	973- 383-8116
Fairview Lake Camps	973- 383-9282
Aldersgate	973- 383-5978

We include in this Directory only non-profit camps. For a listing of all camps accredited by the American Camping Association, including out of Sussex County camps, call: NORWESCP'S Child & Family Resource Service

973- 383-3461

CAMPS, SPECIAL NEEDS

Camp Nejeda (Diabetes)	973- 383-2611
Easter Seal	732- 257-6662
SCARC	973- 383-7442
Camp Gramercy (Cancer, Epilepsy, Seizures)	973- 383-5978
Hope with Heart	201- 791-5800
Camp Super Kids (Asthma)	800- LUNGUSA (586-4872)

For a listing that includes out of Sussex County listings, Call NJ Dept. of Education

973- 579-6996

CAREER PLANNING

New Jersey Employment Services	973- 383-2775
Franklin PROS	973- 209-0795
PIC/Workforce Development	800- 870-3478
Professional Services Group (DOL)	973- 361-1034
One Stop Career Centers	973- 829-8662
Project Self Sufficiency	973- 383-5129
Northwest NJ Regional Women's Center at Centenary College	908- 852-9365

CAREGIVER SUPPORT

Visiting Nurses Association	973- 729-7078
NJ Self-Help Clearinghouse	800- 367-6274
Division of Aging - NJ Resources	800- 792-8820
Kinship Navigator Program	973- 383-3600

CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY

See "Substance Abuse"

CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT

See "Abuse, Child"

CHILD CARE RESOURCES

NORWESCAP (Child & Family Resource Services, Even Start & Child Care Certificate/ Voucher Program)	973- 383-3461
Little Children's World	973- 948-5770
Rainbows of Learning	973- 383-4460
Family Day Care (DHS)	800- 332-9227
Project Self Sufficiency's Little Sprouts	973- 383-5129
KEEP (Sussex County Afterschool Program)	973- 729-6474

Call NORWESCAP's Child & Family Resource Service for a complete listing of all Sussex County child care options. 973- 383-3461

CHILD HEALTH SERVICES

Child Health Conference (Public Health Nursing)	948-5400 x 973- 54
Family Care, NJ (SC DSS)	973- 383-3600
Prime Care Community Health Clinic (NMH)	973- 579-8650

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

Big Brothers/Big Sisters	973- 300-4149
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A Center for Youth	973- 383-4787
Court Appointed Special Advocate	973- 579-0723

CHILD STUDY TEAMS, S.C.

NJ State Department of Education	973- 579-6996
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CHILD SUPPORT

Hotline	800- 621-KIDS (5437)
Family Court (establishment)	973- 579-0630
Probation (enforcement)	973- 579-0600
Sussex County Division of Social Services (intake)	973- 383-3600

CHORE SERVICES

Pass-It-Along	973- 726-9777
Christian Outreach	973- 625-4911
DAWN	973- 361-5666

CIVIL RIGHTS

See "Discrimination"

CLINICS

See "Health Services"

CLOTHING

Harvest Home Clothing Company (SCARC)	973- 383-7000
Grace's Open Door	973- 383-6020
Call Help Line for closest Thrift/Consignment shops.	973- 209-HELP (4357)

COLLEGES

Sussex County Community College	973- 300-2100
Centenary College	908- 852-1400
Financial Aid Hotline (NJ Dept. of Higher Ed)	800- 792-8670

COMMUNICALL/LIFELINE

In-Home Health Service (Newton Memorial)	973- 579-6660
St. Clare's Lifeline Program	888- 343-1991

CONSIGNMENT SHOPS

Call the Help Line for listing of county Consignment Shops.	973- 209-HELP (4357)
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CONSUMER COMPLAINTS

Division of Consumer Affairs	800- 242-5846
	973- 504-6200
Better Business Bureau	609 588-0808
Legal Services Hotline	888- SLNJLAW (756-5529)

CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELING

See "Credit Counseling"

COUNSELING

See "Mental Health Services"

COURT SYSTEM

Criminal Court	973- 579-0696
Family Court	973- 579-0630

NORWESCAP/Superior Court Child Care Center	973- 579-7293
Civil Law Division	973- 579-0678
Special Civil Part	973- 579-0918
Jury Information	973- 579-0700
Jury Commission Clerk	973- 579-0701
Public Defender	973- 383-9445
Worker's Compensation	973- 383-7653
	908- 722-8882

CPR COURSES

American Red Cross	973- 579-1600
American Heart Association	973- 335-1900
Newton Memorial's Education Department	973- 579-8340
St. Claire's CPR Training Center	973- 989-3213

CREDIT COUNSELING

Rutgers Cooperative Extension	973- 948-3040
Consumer Credit Counseling Service of NJ Inc.	888- 726-3260
National Foundation for Consumer Credit Hotline	800- 388-2227

DAYCARE

See "Child Care Resources"

DAYCARE, SENIOR

Sussex County Adult Day Care-Newton Site	973- 579-6699
Sussex Boro	973- 702-0515

DEAF/HARD OF HEARING

S.C. Office on Disability Services	973- 579-9416
TTY/TTD	973- 383-8247

DD/HH (voice/TTY)	800- 792-8339
Speech, Language, and Hearing Association	800- 638-8255

DEBT COUNSELING

See "Credit Counseling"

DENTAL ASSISTANCE

Division of Social Services	973- 383-3600
University Dental Center at Newton	973- 383-7001

DETOX PROGRAMS

The Center for Prevention & Counseling	973- 383-4787
Sunrise House	973- 383-6300
St. Claire's Medical Center	888- 626-2111

DISABILITIES

Sussex County Office on Disability Services	973- 579-9416
TTY/TTD	973- 383-8247
Social Security Administration	800- 772-1213
Vocational Rehabilitation Services, NJ Division of	908- 852-4110
Sussex County Association for Retarded Citizens - SCARC	973- 383-7442
Pos.Abilities of Sussex County, Inc.	973- 383-1008
NJ Assistive Devices Recycling Center	800- 554-2626
DAWN	973- 361-5666
TDD	973- 361-6032
Highlands Workshop, Inc.- Easter Seals	973- 827-9066
Special Education Programs and Services	973- 579-6996
Parent Child Early Intervention Program	973- 579-9672
Pre-school Handicapped Program	973- 579-6996
Special Child Health Services	973- 948-5400 x

United Cerebral Palsy Assoc. of Northwest NJ & Personal Assistance Services Program (PASP)	908- 813-8292
Easter Seals	732- 257-6662
Sussex House (Psychiatric disabilities)	973- 579-8670
See also disability e.g. "Blind, Hearing", etc.	

DISASTER ASSISTANCE

American Red Cross	973- 579-1600
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DISCRIMINATION

NJ Division on Civil Rights	609- 292-4605
Equal Employment Opportunity Commission	973- 645-6383
NAACP (Morris County Chapter)	973- 267-5261
NJ Division on Women	609- 292-8840
Disabled, Discrimination against	800- 922-7233

DISPLACED HOMEMAKERS/SINGLE PARENTS

Project Self Sufficiency	973- 383-5129
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DOGS AND CATS

See "Animals"

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Domestic Abuse Services, Inc. (DASI) 24 hour hotline	973- 875-1211
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DRUG ABUSE

See "Substance Abuse"

EATING DISORDERS

NJ Eating Disorders Helpline	800- 624-2268
St. Claire's Eating Disorders Program	973- 316-1846
Center for Mental Health (Newton Hospital)	973- 383-1533

EDUCATION, CONTINUING ADULT

Literacy Volunteers of S.C.	973- 300-9444 383-6700
Sussex Area Technology Center	973- x228
High Point High School	973- 875-3101
Hopatcong High School	973- 398-8800
Kittatinny Regional High School	973- 383-1800
Lenape Valley Regional High School	973- 347-7600
Newton High School	973- 383-1900
Sparta High School	973- 729-6191
Vernon High School	973- 875-7111

EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

New Jersey State Department of Education	973- 579-6996
Conservation, New Jersey School of Rutgers Cooperative Extension Service	973- 948-4646
G.E.D.-SCCC Testing Center	973- 948-3040
Project Self Sufficiency	973- 300-2154
	973- 383-5129
NJ Dept. of Higher Education Financial Aid Hotline	800- 792-8670
Also, see "Colleges"	

EDUCATION SERVICES, SPECIAL EDUCATION

Early Intervention Program, Parent Child	973- 579-9672
Pre-School Handicapped Program	973- 579-6996
Sussex County Educational Services Commission	973- 579-6980

New Jersey State Department of
Education

973- 579-6996

See also, "Disabilities" and "Headstart"

ELDER ABUSE

See "Abuse, Elder"

ELECTRIC

See "Utility Assistance:"

EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

See "Career Planning"

See "Senior Employment Services"

END-OF-LIFE-CARE

Gentle Passages Care, Inc.

973- 940-2218

ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

Conservation, New Jersey School of

973- 655-7614

EVALUATIONS: Medical, Education, Psychological

Child Development Center (Newton
Memorial Hospital)

973- 579-8686

Center for Mental Health

973- 383-1533

Center for Evaluation & Counseling

973- 300-1900

EVICTON PREVENTION

Homeless Prevention Program

973- 383-0251

S.C. Division of Social Services

973- 383-3600

Legal Services of Northwest Jersey

973- 383-7400

Legal Services Hotline

888- LSNJLAW
(576-5529)

EXTENSION SERVICE

Rutgers Cooperative Extension Service 973- 948-3040

FAMILY PLANNING

Planned Parenthood of Northwest New Jersey 973- 383-5218

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Social Security/SSI 800- 772-1213

TTD 800- 325-0778

Progress of Medicare claims 800- 462-9306

Sussex County Division of Social Services 973- 383-3600

Municipal Welfare (Call your Town or Help Line for the number of the Welfare Director serving your municipality) 973- 209-HELP (4357)

People Help 973- 729-1745

The Salvation Army (Call Help Line: for the name of the volunteer serving your community) 973- 209-HELP (4357)

Dollar to Dreams/NORWESCAP'S IDA Program 908- 454-4850

FINANCIAL PLANNING

Rutgers Cooperative Extension Service 973- 948-3040

Institute of Certified Financial Planners 800- 282-7526

Consumer Credit Counseling Service of NJ, Inc. 973- 267-4324

Northwest NJ Regional Women's Center 908- 852-9365

FIRST AID PROGRAMS

American Red Cross 973- 579-1600

Newton Memorial's Education Department 973- 579-8340

St. Clare's CPR Training Center 973- 989-3213

FIX-IT-PROGRAMS

Christian Outreach Project (summer)	973- 625-4911
Pass-It-Along (volunteers)	973- 726-9777
Emergency Housing Repair Program (DCA)	609- 633-6278
DAWN- Home Modifications	973- 361-5666

FLU SHOTS

See "Immunization Clinics"

FOOD

Sussex County Division of Social Services (Food Stamps)	973- 383-3600
WIC Program	973- 579-5155
Manna House Community Kitchen (Newton)	973- 579-6517
Harvest House Community Lunch Program (Sussex)	973- 764-8500
Meals on Wheels	973- 383-3123
Harvest Home Food Company (SCARC) Augusta	973- 948-6963
Hardyston	973- 209-2449
SHARE Program (Self-Help Resource Exchange)	973- 827-5251
Call the Help Line to see if there is a food pantry serving your town.	973- 209-HELP (4357)

FOOD, SENIOR

Meals on Wheels	973- 383-3123
S.C. Nutrition Project: "The Golden Lunch Bunch"	973- 383-3123
Newton	973- 579-2120

Vernon	973- 764-5454
Sussex	973- 875-9720
Franklin	973- 827-2973

See also all of the listings under "Food",
above

FOOD STAMPS

S.C. Div. of Social Services	973- 383-3600
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FORECLOSURES

See "Mortgage Foreclosure Prevention"

FOSTER HOMES

Foster Care Information	800- 222-0047
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Div. of Youth and Family Services (DYFS)	973- 383-8400
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Children's Aid and Family Services, Inc.	973- 285-0165
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4-H PROGRAMS

Rutgers Cooperative Extension Service	973- 948-3040
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FURNACE: REPAIR/REPLACE

Emergency Housing Repair Program (DCA)	609- 633-6278
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Housing Repair Program	908- 852-2576 x 4
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NORWESCAP, Inc.	973- 383-6020
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GAMBLING, COMPULSIVE

Council on Compulsive Gambling	800- GAMBLER (426-2537)
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GAS

See "Utility Assistance"

GAY & LESBIAN SERVICES

Gay Activist Alliance (Morris County)	973- 285-1595
Gay and Lesbian Switchboard	212- 777-1800

G.E.D.

Adult Basic Education/G.E.D. Preparation (SCCC)	973- 300-2154
Project Self Sufficiency	973- 383-5129

GLASSES

Newton Lions Club	973- 383-5373
The Salvation Army Service Unit (Call Help Line: for the volunteer serving your community)	973- 209-HELP (4357)

HANDICAPPED, PROGRAMS FOR

See "Disabilities"

HEADSTART PROGRAMS

NORWESCAP/Early Head Start	973- 875-8551
Head Start Administration of NORWESCAP, Inc.	908- 454-8830
Branchville	973- 948-2778
Sussex	973- 875-8565
Hopatcong	973- 398-4486

See also, "Education, Special Education"

HEALTH FAIRS

	948-5400 x
Office of Public Health Nursing	973- 54

HEALTH INSURANCE

FamilyCare/KidCare/Medicaid (SC Div. of Soc. Serv.)	973- 383-3600
SHIP (help Medicare enrollees with forms)	973- 579-0557

HEALTH SERVICES

Office of Public Health Nursing:	948-5400 x
Child/Baby/Adult Ser.	973- 54
Newton Memorial Hospital	973- 579-8650
St. Clare's Clinic	973- 702-2925
Planned Parenthood	973- 383-5218
PSS (Women's Health)	973- 383-5129
NJ State Dept. of Health	800- 367-6543
SC Chest Clinic	973- 948-4093

HEALTH SERVICES, IN HOME

Visiting Nurse Association	973- 729-7078
In Home Health Services	973- 579-6660
See also, "Communicall/Lifeline	

HEARING ASSISTANCE

DD/HH	800- 792-8339
S.C. Office on Disabilities Services	973- 579-9416
TTD/TTY	973- 383-8247
Speech-Language-Hearing Association	800- 638-TALK (8255)

HEATING SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT

See "Furnace Repair"

HELP LINES: General Purpose

The Sussex County Help Line	973- 209-HELP
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Call also for numbers of all other county
help lines

(4357)

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

See "G.E.D".

HOME ECONOMIST

Rutgers Cooperative Extension Service 973- 948-3040

HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE (HEA)

People on Food Stamps: S.C. Division of
Social Ser.

973- 383-3600

Everyone else: NORWESCAP

973- 383-6020

HOME REPAIR

Emergency Housing Repair Program
(DCA)

609- 633-6278

609- 633-6129

Housing Repair Program

908- 852-2576 x 4

Christian Outreach Project (summer)

845- 361-4621

DAWN

973- 361-5666

HOMEBOUND COMMUNICATIONS

See "Communicall/Lifeline"

HOME HEALTH CARE

See "Health Services, In Home"

HOMELESS PROGRAMS

Sussex County Div. of Social Services

973- 383-3600

Rental Assistance Program

973- 383-5602

Homelessness Prevention Program

973- 383-0251

Municipal Welfare (Call Help Line for the name & number of the Welfare Director serving your town)	973- 209-HELP
The Samaritan Inn	877- 827-8411 973- 827-8911

For Homeless emergencies after hours/holidays/weekends:

Call the Sussex County Help Line	973- 209-HELP (4357)
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HOSPICE

Karen Ann Quinlan Hospice	800- 882-1117 973- 383-0115
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HOSPITALS

Newton Memorial Hospital	973- 383-2121
St. Clare's Medical Center	
Boonton	973- 316-1806
Sussex	973- 702-2600
Denville	973- 625-6000
Dover	973- 989-3000
Morristown Memorial Hospital	973- 971-5000
St. Anthony Community Hospital	914- 986-2276
Hackettstown Community Hospital	908- 852-5100
Mercy Community Hospital	914- 856-5351

HOTLINES (24-HOUR)

DYFS (child abuse)	800- 792-8610
Domestic Violence (DASI)	973- 875-1211
Center for Mental Health (NMH)	800- 841-4929
AA	800- 322-5525
The Sussex County Help Line, Inc.	973- 209-HELP (4357)

HOUSING

Sussex County Div. of Social Services	973-	383-3600
Single Family Housing Loan Program	908-	852-2576 x 4
Dollars to Dreams	908-	454-4850
Rental Assistance Program (DCA)	973-	383-5602
S.C. Habitat for Humanity	973-	383-8882
Interfaith Hospitality Network	973-	579-1180
SCARC Residential Services	973-	383-7442
Birth Haven (pregnant women)	973-	579-7979
The Samaritan Inn	877-	827-8411
	973-	827-8911

HOUSING, LOW COST SENIOR

Knoll Heights Village and Knoll View	973-	729-4311
Brookside Terrace Apartments	973-	383-6080
Liberty Towers	973-	383-5191
Concetta Towers	732-	329-0414
The Homestead	973-	948-5400

For other options including nursing home placements, in-home care, etc., call:

S.C. Division of Social Services	973-	383-3600
S.C. Division on Aging	973-	579-0555

HUMAN SERVICES AGENCIES/COUNCILS

Sussex County Human Services, Office of	973-	579-9416
Sussex County Council of Service Agencies: Melissa Bishoff, Chairperson	973-	383-5129
United Way of Sussex County	973-	579-3040

HUMAN SERVICES DIRECTORIES - General Purpose

The Sussex County Resource Directory	973-	209-HELP (4357)
The Self-Help Group Directory/NJ Clearinghouse	800-	367-6274

IDENTIFICATION (ID'S)

See "Photo ID's)

IMMIGRATION SERVICES

Immigration and Naturalization	973- 645-4400
Nationalities Service Center	215- 893-8400
International Institute of NJ	201- 653-3888
Jewish Family Service Agency of Central NJ	908- 352-8375

IMMUNIZATION CLINICS

Office of Public Health Nursing	973- 54	948-5400 x
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INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE

VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance for Seniors)	973- 579-0555
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INFORMATION AND REFERRAL, General

The Sussex County Help Line Inc.	973- 209-HELP
Call also for numbers of all other county help lines	(4357)

INPATIENT SERVICES, MENTAL HEALTH

Center for Mental Health (NMH)	973- 383-1533
St. Clare's Children's and Adolescent's Psychiatric Unit	973- 316-1982

INTERVENTION STRATEGIES

See "Alcohol"

JAIL, COUNTY

Keogh-Dwyer Correctional Facility	973- 579-0875
Juvenile Detention Center	973- 948-6000

JOB SERVICES

See "Career Planning" and "Vocational Training, Disabled"

LEGAL ASSISTANCE

Legal Services Hotline	888-	LSNJLAW (576-5529)
NWNJ Legal Services	973-	383-7400
Lawyer Referral (NJ Bar Association)	973-	267-5882
ACLU of NJ	973-	642-2084
Small Claims Court, S.C.	973-	579-0918
Northwest NJ Regional Women's Center	908-	852-9365
Project Self Sufficiency	973-	383-5129
Sussex Senior Legal Services Project	973-	383-7400

LIBRARIES

Main Branch (Frankford Township)	973-	948-3660
Franklin	973-	827-6555
Hopatcong	973-	770-1000
McAfee	973-	827-8095
Newton	973-	383-4810
Sussex	973-	875-3940

LIFEGUARD TRAINING

American Red Cross	973-	579-1600
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LITERACY

Literacy Volunteers of America, S.C.	973-	300-9444
Even Start Family Literacy Program/CCRS	973-	383-3461

LYME DISEASE

Lyme Disease Hotline	800-	792-8831 948-5400
Public Health Nursing	973-	x120

MEALS ON WHEELS

Catholic Family and Community Services 973- 383-3123

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Sussex County Division of Social Services
(Family Care/Kid Care Medically
Needy/Medicaid) 973- 383-3600

Supplementary Security Income (Social
Security Administration) 800- 772-1213

Medicare Information (Part B) 800- 462-9306

Catastrophic Illness in Children Program 609- 292-0600 or
800- 335-FUND
(3863)

Back-in-Action (Assistive Devices) 800- 554-2626

SHIP (Counseling on Health Insurance for
Medicare Enrollees) 973- 579-0555

See also: "Health Services" and specific
disease names, ie, "Lyme", "AIDS", etc....

MEDICAL ASSOCIATIONS/FOUNDATIONS

Organ Donation 800- 528-2971

Alzheimer's Hotline 800- 424-2494

Arthritis Foundation, NJ Chapter 908- 283-4300

Birth Defects Foundation, March of Dimes 973- 882--0700

Blind, American Foundation for the 800- 232-5463

Cancer Information Service/Nat'l Cancer
Institute 800- 237-1225

Foundation for Advancement in Cancer
Therapy 212- 741-2790

Cancer Society, American 973- 383-1334

Cerebral Palsy Assoc. of Northwest NJ 908- 813-8292

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation 973- 331-1400

Diabetes Association, American 800- 342-2383

Epilepsy Foundation 800- EFA-1000

Head Injury, NJ Association for	908- 738-1002
Heart Association, American	
Heart Line for information	800- 634-1242
Multiple Sclerosis Service Operation	973- 948-4481
National Multiple Sclerosis Society	201- 986-7539
Kidney Fund	800- 638-8299
Polycystic Kidney Disease Foundation	800- PKD-CURE (753-2873)
Medic Alert Foundation, International	800- IDALERT (532-5378)
Liver Foundation	800- 223-0179
Lupus Foundation	800- 322-5816
SIDS Institute	800- 232-SIDS (7537)

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

Newton Memorial Hospital's Center for Mental Health, & other programs/at all locations (24 hours)	973- 383-0973
St. Clare's Center for Behavioral Health Services all programs/at all locations (24 hours)	888- 626-2111
Center for Evaluation & Counseling	973- 300-1900
Family Intervention Services	973- 383-4464
North Jersey Counseling Centers	973- 729-1667
NAMI, S.C. (National Alliance for the Mentally Ill)	973- 726-7605
AIM for Success (residential housing)	973- 785-1266
Capitol Care	973- 786-6606
NJ Self-Help Clearinghouse	800- 367-6274
Teen Suicide Hotline (24 hours)	800- 448-3000
NJ Psychiatric Assoc. Referrals	800- 345-0143
National Mental Health Consumers Self- Help Clearinghouse (English and Spanish)	800- 553-4539

See also: "Evaluations: Medical,
Education, Psychological..."

MENTAL RETARDATION

See "Disabilities"

The Arc of NJ 732- 246-2525

MENTORING

Big Brothers/Big Sisters 973- 300-4149

A Center for Youth 973- 383-4787

MISSING CHILDREN

Girls & Boys town Hotline 800- 448-3000

National Runaway - 24 Hour switchboard 800- 621-4000

(TDD) 800- 621-0394

Center for Missing and Exploited Children 800- 843-5678

Covenant House National Crisis Line 800- 999-9999

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE ASSISTANCE

Homelessness Prevention Program 383-5602
973- ext.14

S.C. Division of Social Services 973- 383-3600

NURSING HOMES

For a complete listing of county facilities,
contact S.C. Div. of Social Services 973- 383-3600

Sussex County Office on Aging 973- 579-0555

The Homestead 973- 948-5400

OIL

See "Utility Assistance"

OUTREACH SERVICES, MENTAL HEALTH

Center for Mental Health (NMH) 973- 383-1533

24 hour emergency number	973- 383-0973
Care Point (NMH)	973- 579-8312

OVERDOSE, DRUG/ALCOHOL

St. Clare's/Denville	973- 625-6063
St. Clare's/Sussex	973- 702-2714
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Newton Memorial Hospital	973- 2121x8500

PARENTING SKILLS

Project Self Sufficiency	973- 383-5129
NORWESCAP'S Child & Family Resource Services	973- 383-3461
Sister-to-Sister (Big Brothers/Big Sisters)	973- 300-4149
Child and Family Learning Development Course (NMH)	973- 383-1533
Parents Anonymous	800- 843-5437
	609- 243-9779

PASSPORTS

S.C. Clerk's Office	973- 579-0900
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PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

Visiting Nurse Association	973- 729-7078
In-Home Health Services	973- 579-6660
St. Clare's Senior Services	800- HELP4SR (435-7477)
Div. of Development Disabilities, NJ	973- 927-2600
SCARC	973- 383-7442

PHOTO ID'S

Division of Motor Vehicles	888- 486-3339
S.C. Clerk's Office	973- 579-0900

POISON CONTROL CENTER

Poison Control Center	800- 764-7661
	800- 962-1253

POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER

Veteran: NJ Dept.of Military and Veterans' Affairs	973- 383-4949
WTC: The American Red Cross	973- 579-1600

PREGNANCY TESTING

Planned Parenthood of Northwest NJ	973- 383-5218
Today's Choice Pregnancy Center	973- 579-2272
Birthright	973- 540-1630

PREGNANCY, TEEN

Planned Parenthood of Northwest NJ	973- 383-5218
Prenatal Clinic at Newton Memorial Hospital	973- 579-8450
Birth Haven	973- 579-7809
Today's Choice Pregnancy Center	973- 579-2272
Children's Aid and Adoption Society of NJ	973- 285-0165
Children's Home Society of New Jersey	908- 735-9458
WIC Program	973- 579-5155
PSS (Project Self Sufficiency)	973- 383-5129

PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS-LOW INCOME

Early Head Start/NORWESCAP	973- 875-8551
Head Start/NORWESCAP (with sites in Branchville, Franklin, Hopatcong and Sussex	908- 454-8830
Little Children's World	973- 948-5770
Rainbows of Learning	973- 383-4460
See also "Child Care Resources"	

PRESCRIPTION ASSISTANCE

Pos.Abilities of SC	973- 383-1008
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S.C. Division of Social Service	973- 383-3600
S.C. Office on Aging - PADD	973- 579-0555
S.C. Prescription Savings Program	800- 633-0037

RABIES

S.C. Health Department	973- 579-0379
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RAPE

DASI's Sexual Trauma Resource Center	973- 300-5609
24-hour Hotline	973- 875-1211
Sexual Assault Program/NMH	973- 579-8340
S.C. Prosecutor's Office	973- 383-1570

READING/ADULT LEARNING

Literacy Volunteers of S.C.	973- 300-9444
Even Start Family Literacy Program/CCRS	973- 383-3461
The Literacy Lab/Franklin Pros	973- 209-0795
Also see, "GED./Adult High School Diploma"	

RECYCLING

County Facility: SCMUA Solid Waste Complex/Lafayette	973- 579-6998
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Municipal Facilities: Contact the Recycling/Solid Waste Coordinator or Township Administrator in your municipality.

RENTAL ASSISTANCE

Rental Assistance Program (DCA)	973- 383-5602
S.C. Division of Social Services	973- 383-3600

RESPIRE CARE

Visiting Nurse Association	973- 729-7078
In-Home Health Services	973- 579-6660

St. Clare's Senior Services	800- HELP4SR (435-7477)
Div. of Development Disabilities, NJ	973- 927-2600
SCARC	973- 383-7442
Personal Assistant Services Program (United Cerebral Palsy)	908- 813-8292

RUNAWAYS

See "Missing Children"

SCOUTING

Boy Scouts of America	973- 361-1800
Lenni-Lenape Girl Scout Council, Inc.	973- 248-8200

SENIOR HOUSING, LOW COST

The Homestead	973- 948-5400
Knoll Heights Village/Knoll View	973- 729-4311
Brookside Terrace Apartments	973- 383-6080
Newton Housing Authority/Liberty Towers	973- 383-5191
Concetta Towers	732- 329-0414
See also, "Nursing Homes"	

SENIOR PROGRAMS

Senior Citizen's General Services Info.	800- 792-8820
AARP	800- 424-2277
Social Security Administration	800- 772-1213
NJ EASE:	948-5400 x
Division of Public Health Nursing	973- 54
Division of Social Services	973- 383-3600
Sussex County Office on Aging	973- 579-0555
Sussex County Adult Day Care-Newton site	973- 579-6699
Sussex Boro site	973- 702-0515
VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistant)	973- 579-0555

SHIP (help with medical insurance forms)	973-	579-0557
Medicare (Part B) Information	800-	462-9306
SCARC Senior Center	800-	383-0468
Visiting Nurse Association	973-	729-7078
In-Home Health Services	973-	579-6660
Safe Shores for Senior	973-	383-4787
Senior Care Program of Newton Memorial	973-	579-8499
St. Clare's Friends for Life Program	800-	336-5273
RSVP: Retired & Senior Volunteer Program of SC	973-	209-7487

Transportation for Seniors

CF&Cs Assisted Transportation	973-	383-3123
STOP (Special Transportation for Older Persons)	973-	579--0480
Senior Transportation for residents of:		
Byram	973-	347-3702
Newton	973-	383-3522
Sparta	973-	729-8542
Vernon	973-	764-0053

See also, "Food, Senior" and "Communicaall/Lifeline"

SENIOR EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

Workforce 55+	973-	383-2775
Experience Works!	973-	383-2775
Retired & Senior Volunteer Program	973-	209-7487

SEX EDUCATION

Planned Parenthood of Northwest N.J.	973-	383-5218
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SEXUAL ASSAULT

DASI's Sexual Trauma Resource Center	973-	300-5609
24-hour hotline	973-	875-1211

Child Assault Prevention Project (CAP) of SC	973- 702-0602
Div. of Youth and Family Services (DYFS)	973- 383-8400 800- 392-2654
Emergencies, nights and weekends	800- 792-8610

SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES

Planned Parenthood	973- 383-5218 948-5400, x
Division of Public Health Nursing	973- 54
See also "AIDS"	

SINGLE PARENTING PROGRAMS

Single-Parenting Project (PSS)	973- 383-5129
Child & Family Resource Services	973- 383-3461
Big Brothers/Big Sisters	973- 300-4149
Parents Without Partners (National)	800- 637-7974

SMOKING

Task Force on Tobacco	973- 383-4787
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SPECIAL EDUCATION

See "Educational Services, Special Education"

SUBSTANCE ABUSE

The Center for Prevention & Counseling	973- 383-4787
Sunrise House	973- 383-6300
St. Clare's Chemical Dependency and EAP Services	973- 316-1896
Addiction Specialists Association (ASA)	973- 300-9797
Hope House	973- 579-6617
Alcohol and Substance Abuse Program (ASAP)	973- 579-8675 973- 383-1533
AA's ALA-CALL	800- 322-5525

Narcotics Anonymous	800- 992-0401
Cocaine Hotline	800- COCAINE (262-2463)
High Focus	800- 877-3628
Daytop	973- 539-5764
Alina Lodge	800- 575-6343

SUPPORT GROUP DIRECTORIES

NJ Self-Help Clearinghouse Directory	800- 367-6274
Sussex County Help Line	973- 209-HELP (4357)

SUICIDE

Newton Memorial Mental Health Services	973- 383-1533
24 hour emergency number	973- 383-0973
Teen Suicide Hotline (24 hours)	800- 448-3000

SWIMMING INSTRUCTION

American Red Cross	973- 579-1600
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TALKING BOOKS

Blind and Visually Impaired, NJ State Commission	973- 648-2111
Social Security Administration	800- 772-1213
TTD	800- 325-0778
Recording for the Blind	609- 452-0606
Blind and Handicapped, NJ Library for the	800- 792-8322

TEEN PREGNANCY

See "Pregnancy Testing" and "Pregnancy,
Teen"

TENANTS RIGHTS

See "Legal"

TERMINALLY ILL CHILDREN

Karen Ann Quinlan Hospice	973- 383-0115
Make A Wish	908- 351-5055
Children's Hopes and Dreams	973- 361-7366
Catastrophic Illness in Children Relief Fund	800- 335-FUND (3863) 609- 292-0600

THRIFT SHOPS

Call Help Line for locations in your area:	973- 209-HELP (4357)
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TICK IDENTIFICATION

Rutgers Cooperative Extension Service	973- 948-3040
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TRANSLATION SERVICES

International Institute of NJ	973- 653-3888
Nationalities Service Center	215- 893-8400

TRANSPORTATION

Sussex County Transit System (SCTS: in-county bus service)	973- 579-0480
NJ Transit (bus and rail information)	800- 772-2222
Lakeland (out-of-county bus service)	973- 366-0600
Carpooling	800- 245-POOL (7665)
AMTRAC (Train)	800- 523-8720

TRANSPORTATION, MEDICAL

To AA Meetings	800- 245-1377
STOP (Special Transportation of Older Persons)	973- 579-0480
Cancer patients/ACS	973- 383-1334
AIDS Patients/Hope House	201- 361-7232

TRANSPORTATION, SENIOR

See "Senior Programs"

UNEMPLOYMENT

Dept. of Labor Unemployment Hotline	800- 235-8924
Unemployment Insurance Claims Specialist	973- 383-7653
Newton Employment Office	973- 383-2775
Franklin PROS Office	973- 209-0795

See also "Career Planning"

UTILITY ASSISTANCE

Sussex County Division of Social Services	973- 383-3600
NORWESCAP (HEA Program & NJ Shares)	973- 383-6020
NJ SHARES (GPU & E-town gas assistance programs) via People Help	973- 729-1745
Link-Up-America (telephone)	973- 383-3600
Board of Public Utilities	800- 624-0241

VASECTOMY

Planned Parenthood of Northwest New Jersey	973- 383-5218
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VENEREAL DISEASE

See "Sexually Transmitted diseases"

VETERAN PROGRAMS

NJ Dept. of Military and Veteran's Affairs	973- 383-4949
	973- 383-1363
Veteran's Administration Regional Office (Federal)	800- 827-1000
Veteran's Administration Medical Center at: East Orange	973- 676-1000 ext. 1407

Outpatient Clinic		ext. 1409
Veteran's Administration Hospital at Lyons	908-	647-0180
Agent Orange Commission	609-	292-3006

VISUALLY IMPAIRED

See "Blind" and "Disabilities" and "Eyeglasses"

VOCATIONAL COUNSELING

See "Job Services"

VOCATIONAL TRAINING, PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

Blind and Visually Impaired, NJ State Commission	973-	648-2111
Highlands Workshop	973-	827-9066
Vocational Rehabilitation Services, NJ Div. of	908-	852-4110
SCARC Supported Employment	973-	383-7442
Workforce Development (formerly PIC)	973-	383-1048

VOLUNTEER PLACEMENTS

Pass-It-Along	973-	726-9777
Voluntary Action Center (VAC of Morris County)	973-	538-7200
Palloti Center (Passaic County)	973-	523-1544
RSVP: Retired & Senior Volunteer Program of SC	973-	209-7487

WATER SAFETY

American Red Cross	973-	579-1600
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WEATHERIZATION

NORWESCAP	973-	383-6020
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WEIGHT CONTROL

Overeaters Anonymous	973- 334-1553
	973- 263-0357
Weight Reduction Classes (NMH)	973- 579-8340
Eating Disorder Clinic (St. Clare's)	800- 624-2268
	973- 316-1846

WELL BABY CLINICS

See "Child Health Clinics"

WHEELCHAIRS

Assistive Devices Recycling Center	800- 554-2626
S.C. Office on Disabilities Services	973- 579-9416

WOMEN'S GROUPS

The Woman's Center at SCCC	973- 300-2173
Northwest NJ Regional Women's Center	908- 852-9365
Women's Discovery Center (PSS)	973- 383-5129
NJ Division on Women	609- 292-8840

WORKER'S COMPENSATION

Worker's Compensation	973- 383-7653
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YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Sussex County	973- 300-4149
A Center for Youth	973- 383-4787
Boy Scouts of America	973- 361-1800
Lenni-Lenape Girl Scout Council, Inc.	973- 248-8200
4-H Youth Development Program	973- 579-0985
YMCA, Sussex County	973- 383-8116