



Quick Start Housing and  
Services Information for

## Mifflin County

This information is provided through a partnership with PHFA and the Regional Housing Coordinator Program of the Self-Determination Housing Project. It is designed to help individuals identify and contact local resources to help with housing and services issues. Updates or corrections may be provided to your local Regional Housing Coordinator (listed below).

### FREE to search FREE to List local housing in PA



## LOCAL HOUSING Provider Contact Information

### **Regional Housing Coordinator Program:**

RHCs work with state agencies, service providers, and housing professionals to improve access to housing for people with disabilities and older Pennsylvanians.

### **Inglis Self-Determination Housing of PA**

[SDHPInfo@inglis.org](mailto:SDHPInfo@inglis.org)  
[Information & Referral Request](#)  
[www.inglis.org](http://www.inglis.org)

### **Access Modification Program:**

This program provides resources to enable eligible persons with disabilities make their home more accessible.

### **ACCESS Home Modification**

#### **Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency**

Home Improvement & Repair Loans

(phfa.org)

General Email: [Info@crinet.org](mailto:Info@crinet.org) Website:  
[Home Improvement & Repair Loans | PHFA Loan Programs](#)

### **Builders Association:**

Voluntary association of area builders; may have housing information or contacts for developers.

### **Builders Association of Central PA**

1356 South Atherton St.

State College, PA 16801

[koshea@centralpabuilders.com](mailto:koshea@centralpabuilders.com)

814-231-8813

<https://www.centralpabuilders.com/>

### **Fair Housing Resources:**

U.S., PA and local organizations offer info about fair housing and respond to complaints.

### **PA Human Relations Commission Harrisburg**

Office: 717.787.9780

333 Market Street, 8th Floor, Harrisburg, PA

17101-2210

Website:

<https://www.phrc.pa.gov/Pages/default.aspx>

### **Mid Penn Legal Services**

213- A North Front St

Harrisburg, PA 17101

Ph: (717) 248-0492, (800) 326-9177

Website: [www.midpenn.org](http://www.midpenn.org)

**Habitat for Humanity**

Organization builds “simple, decent, and affordable” housing using volunteer labor and supplies. Houses are sold at no profit.

**Habitat for Humanity of Mifflin County**

604 Electric Ave, Lewistown, PA  
Ph: 717-247-8067 email: [info@mifflinhabitat.org](mailto:info@mifflinhabitat.org)  
Website: [www.mifflinhabitat.org](http://www.mifflinhabitat.org)

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**Housing Coalition or Local Housing Options****Team:**

Coalitions of housing and service providers organized to resolve local housing issues, including housing for people with disabilities.

**Mifflin Juniata Housing Coalition**

20 N. Wayne St.  
Lewistown, PA 17044  
Hawkins, Susan  
[shawkins@mifflincountypa.gov](mailto:shawkins@mifflincountypa.gov)  
Ph: 717.248.6733 Website: [www.co.mifflin.pa.us](http://www.co.mifflin.pa.us)

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**Housing Trust Fund:**

Potential local source of funds for affordable housing. Funds are distributed as follows: board reviews and approves

**Mifflin County Courthouse**

20 N. Wayne St.  
Lewistown, PA 17044  
Ph: 717.248.0887  
[www.mifflincountypa.gov/planning](http://www.mifflincountypa.gov/planning)

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**Landlord Association:**

Voluntary association of area landlords may offer information about available rentals.

**Rental Property Owners Assoc. of Central PA**

email: [info@carpoa.org](mailto:info@carpoa.org) or  
[sellersent@gmail.com](mailto:sellersent@gmail.com)  
[www.carpoa.org](http://www.carpoa.org)  
[www.proassoc.org/RPOACP](http://www.proassoc.org/RPOACP)

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**Public Housing Authority:**

Housing authorities in PA are operated at the county or local level. Most offer low-income, public housing units and vouchers to subsidize rent for eligible households.

**Housing Authority of the County of Mifflin**

141 S. Pine Rd.  
Lewistown, PA 17044  
Ph: 717.248.2624

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**Rural Housing Office:**

USDA Rural Housing Service operates rental housing, home purchase/repair loans, and other housing programs.

**Cumberland Area Office**

401 E. Louthier St., Suite 304  
Carlisle, PA 17013  
Ph: 717.218.3002  
Website: [www.rurdev.usda.gov/pa](http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/pa)

# Local Service Provider Contact Information

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## **Aging and Disability Resource Centers (ADRCs)**

ADRCs (also called LINKs) promote communication and training for agencies working with older adults and adults with disabilities.

## **PA Link to Aging and Disability Resource Center**

Toll-Free Helpline: 1-800-753-8827

Jessica Glackin, Link Coordinator

[jglackin@cilofyaf.org](mailto:jglackin@cilofyaf.org)

Ph: 717-849-0991 Website: [PA Link to Aging and Disability Resources | Department of Aging | Commonwealth of Pennsylvania](#)

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## **Area Agency on Aging**

AAAs provide info and services for older adults and their caregivers. Services vary by agency.

## **Mifflin-Juniata AAA**

25 Rothermel Dr

Yeagertown, PA 17099

[info@mymjrsc.com](mailto:info@mymjrsc.com)

Toll Free: 1.800.348.2277

Website: <https://mymjrsc.com/>

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## **Center for Independent Living (CIL)**

Each CIL provides 4 core services, including advocacy, information, and referral, peer mentoring, and independent living skills.

## **CIL of Central PA**

3211 North Front St., Suite 100 Harrisburg, PA 17110

717-731-1900 [office@cilcp.org](mailto:office@cilcp.org)

Ph: 800.323.6060 Website: [www.cilcp.org](http://www.cilcp.org)

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## **Community Action Agency**

Community Action Agencies help individuals and families work toward self-sufficiency while strengthening communities.

## **Center for Community Action**

3 West Monument Square

Suite 204

Lewistown, PA 17044

[info@centerforcommunityaction.org](mailto:info@centerforcommunityaction.org) (717)

447-8700, (800) 428-8920

<https://www.centerforcommunityaction.org/>

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## **Mental Health—Housing Specialist**

The MH Housing Specialist provides housing support so peoples with mental illness and co-occurring disorders can be integrated into community living.

## **Juniata Valley Behavioral & Developmental Services**

152 East Market St 105

Lewistown, PA 17044

Ph: 717.242.6467

[www.jvbds.org](http://www.jvbds.org)

**Homelessness Prevention Agency**

This agency provides case management, rental assistance, and transitional/emergency housing.

**Eastern Pennsylvania Continuum of Care  
Huntingdon - Center for Community Action**

20 N Wayne St.  
Lewiston, PA 17044  
Ph: 717.447.5121

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**Nursing Home Transition Team**

A collaborative effort using federal, state, and local resources and partnerships to move people from nursing homes back to their community or to help keep people in their community.

To contact a local Nursing Home Transition Coordination Agency, visit the DHS Nursing Home Transition website using the link to the right. Scroll down to the section titled "Transition Preparation" to access the list of Nursing Home Transition Coordination Agencies.

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**Transition from Nursing Home to  
Community Care | Commonwealth of  
Pennsylvania (pa.gov)**

Office of Long Term Living (OLTL) Nursing  
Home Transition Helpline: 1800-833-5196

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**Office of Vocational Rehabilitation**

OVR helps people with disabilities achieve employment and independence.

**Vocational Rehabilitation Services**

555 Walnut St, 8<sup>th</sup> floor  
Harrisburg, PA 17101  
Ph: 717.787.4013 Website  
[https://www.dli.pa.gov/Individuals/  
Disability-Services/ovr/Pages/default.asp](https://www.dli.pa.gov/Individuals/Disability-Services/ovr/Pages/default.asp)

**Blindness & Visual Services**

1130 12th Ave., Suite 300  
Altoona, PA 16601  
814-946-7330 Voice  
866-695-7673\* Voice  
844-242-1060\* TTY

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**United Way**

Services vary in each community and typically include fund-raising, information, and referral.

**Mifflin-Juniata United Way**

13 E. Third St.  
Lewistown, PA 17044  
mmulvihill@mjunitedway.org  
Ph: 717.248.9636  
Website: [www.mjunitiedway.org](http://www.mjunitiedway.org)  
[VMC Central Pennsylvania](#)

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**VA Homeless Services**

Benefits include an array of services to help veterans live as independently as possible including transition, case management, rehabilitation, and income supports.

**James E. Van Zandt VA Medical Center**

2907 Pleasant Valley Boulevard  
Altoona, PA 16602-4377  
814-943-8164 Or 814-943-8164  
[www.vmcenter.org/](http://www.vmcenter.org/)  
[vmcinfo@vmcenter.org](mailto:vmcinfo@vmcenter.org)

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### **Medicaid – HealthChoices**

HealthChoices is the name of Pennsylvania’s managed care programs for Medical Assistance recipients. There are three programs: Physical HealthChoices, Behavioral HealthChoices, and Community HealthChoices. Each offers quality medical care for your physical health, behavioral health, or your long-term support needs. For more information, please use the link to the right.

### **Medicaid – Waiver Information**

Waivers are part of Pennsylvania’s Medicaid program and provide supports and services to help people to live in their communities instead of a facility like a nursing home. For more information, please use the link to the right.

### **Pennsylvania Enrollment Services Home Page |**

**PA Enrollment Services (enrollnow.net)**

PA Enrollment Services. We can help!

Toll-free number: 1-800-440-3989

TTY: 1-800-618-4225

Hours of operation: Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.