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HOUSING

Catholic Charities Montgomery County Family Center	Offers Case workers who meet with clients and offer a variety of services including housing, food, religious, and more. Available in a variety of languages.	301-942-1790	12247 Georgia Avenue Silver Spring, MD 20902	http://www.catholiccharitiesdc.org/find/services/index.php?id=132
CCCS OF GREATER WASHINGTON, A DIVISION OF MMI	Homebuyer Education Program, Loss Mitigation, Money Debt Management, Mortgage Delinquency and Default Resolution Counseling, Post purchase Counseling, Predatory Lending, Prepurchase Counseling, Renters Assistance, Services for Homeless	800-747-4222	15847 Crabbs Branch Way Rockville, Maryland 20855	http://www.hud.gov/offices/hsg/sfh/hcc/hcs.cfm?webListAction=search&searchstate=MD
City of Gaithersburg Division of Housing and Community Development	Gaithersburg MPDU and Down payment Assistance Program	301-258-6310	31 South Summit Avenue Gaithersburg, MD 20877	http://www.gaithersburgmd.gov
Community Ministries of Rockville	Offers a variety of services for the homeless and the elderly. Also emergency services, basic English classes, health services, and more.	301-637-0730	1010 Grandin Avenue, Suite A1 Rockville, MD 20851	http://www.cmrocks.org/
DHHS- Housing Stabilization Services	Services include: Emergency Services/Prevention Services, Homeless Family Services, Supportive Housing Clinical Team, Temporary Cash Assistance, and Hard to Serve Case Management	Rockville 240-777-4550 Silver Spring 240-777-3075 Germantown 240-777-4448	*1301 Picard Dr Rockville *8818 Georgia Ave Silver Spring *12900 Middlebrook Rd. Germantown, MD	
DHHS- Housing Stabilization Services	Homeless Single Adults	240-777-4000	Crisis Center 1301 Piccard Dr, Rockville, MD	
The Federal Housing Administration (FHA)	FHA provides mortgage insurance on loans made by FHA-approved lenders throughout the USA and its territories. FHA insures mortgages on single family and multifamily homes including manufactured homes and hospitals.	(800)-CALL-FHA	451 7th Street S.W., Washington, DC 20410	http://www.hud.gov/offices/hsg/hsgabout.cfm http://www.hud.gov/offices/hsg/fhahistory.cfm
Habitat For Humanity of Montgomery County, MD Inc.	Seeking to reduce substandard housing in the Montgomery County area. HFH-MC is an affordable homebuyer program.	301-990-0014	9110 Gaither Rd Gaithersburg, MD 20877	www.habitat-mc.org
HHS- Office of Home Energy	Helps low income Montgomery County residents with energy costs	240-777-4450	1301 Piccard Dr. 4 th floor, Rockville, MD 20850	http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/hhstmpl.asp?url=/content/hhs/SpecialNeedsHousing/OHEP2.asp
HHS- Rental Assistance Program	Assist low income Montgomery county residents with rental costs. Homeowners are not eligible. Eligible applicants can receive \$50-\$200 a month, for a maximum of 12 months.	240-777-4400	1301 Piccard Dr., Rockville, MD 20850	http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/hhstmpl.asp?url=/content/hhs/SpecialNeedsHousing/RAPOHEP.asp
Homeownership Preservation Foundation	Homeowner's HOPE™ Hotline has provided answers, education and counseling in foreclosure prevention.	888-995-HOPE		http://www.995hope.org/
Housing & Community Initiatives, Inc.(HCI)	Provides education in housing and financial issues. Offers seminars for first-time home buyers. Helps to gain access to funding resources. ***All of HCI's educational programs are offered at no cost.	301-590-2765	438 N. Frederick Ave., Suite 305 Gaithersburg, MD 20877	http://www.hcii.org
Housing Initiative Partnership	Offers Housing Counselors that help with understanding mortgages, develop a crisis budget, communicate and negotiate with your lender, help submit a loss mitigation package, explanation of foreclosure timeline, provides referrals to other programs	301-916-5946	Upcounty Regional Services Center 12900 Middlebrook Rd Suite 1100 Room #1 Germantown, MD 20874	www.hiphomes.org
Housing Opportunities Commission (HOC)	Works to provide subsidized rental and ownership housing for low and moderate income individuals and families. Services include Housing for People with Disabilities, the Elderly/Seniors, Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS) Program, Homeownership programs, and more.	240-773-9000		http://www.hocmc.org/housing/housing.asp

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HUD	HUD's mission is to increase homeownership, support community development and increase access to affordable housing free from discrimination.	410-962-2520	10 South Howard Street 5th Floor Baltimore, MD 21201-2505	http://portal.hud.gov http://portal.hud.gov/portal/page/portal/HUD
Interfaith Housing Coalition	Offering services including homeless services, housing, family services, clothing centers, and emergency support programs	301-762-8682	114 W. Montgomery Ave Rockville, MD 20850	http://www.iworksmc.org
Maryland department of housing and community affairs	A housing locator service	1-877-428-8844		http://www.mdhousingsearch.org/
Maryland Department of Human Resources	Housing Counseling Program	410-767-7182		http://www.dhr.state.md.us/
Maryland Department of Human Resources	Food Stamps, Emergency Food Assistance, Emergency Assistance to Families with Children, Temporary Cash Assistance, Temporary Disability Assistance Program, Maryland Energy Assistance Program, Maryland's Children's Health Insurance Program, Medicaid, Maryland Pharmacy Assistance Program, and Burial Assistance.	1-800-332-6347		http://www.dhr.state.md.us/
Maryland Mortgage program	Community Development Administration (CDA) mortgage products which have low, fixed interest rates and are available with down payment and closing cost assistance	1-800-638-7781		http://www.mmprogram.com/
Montgomery County Coalition for the Homeless	Offers permanent and transitional housing for the homeless and chronically homeless	Must have referral from DHHS 240-777-1245 (families or individuals) or Family Emergency Services Center 240-777-4550 (only families)	600-B East Gude Drive Rockville, MD 20850	www.mcch.net
Montgomery County Crisis Center	For emergency housing and other emergency services.	240-777-4000 (24 hours)		
Montgomery County Department of Health and Human services	General information including housing assistance and a variety of other services.	240-777-1245		http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/hhstmpl.asp?url=/content/hhs/index.asp
Montgomery County Department of Housing and Community Affairs	Moderately Priced Dwelling Unit (MPDU) Rental Program, MPDU Purchase Program, and Workforce Housing. For existing homeowners- Weatherization and Single Family Home Improvement Loan Program	240-777-3600	101 Maryland Avenue, 4 th floor Rockville, MD 20850	www.MontgomeryCountyMD.gov/Dhca
Montgomery Housing Partnership	Provides affordable housing, community life programs, and strength in neighborhoods.	301-622-2400	View the website for current information on specific properties	http://mhpartners.org/
Neighborhood Service Center	Help with Utility bills, Rent, Food, Health Care, Foreclosure Prevention. Bilingual Staff onsite to assist with applications and referrals to emergency services and other resources.	301-840-4080	602 E. Diamond Ave Gaithersburg, MD 20877	
Rebuilding Together- Montgomery County	Addresses the needs of low-income homeowners, primarily the elderly, disabled, and families with children. Helps residents who have worked to own their own homes but whose failing health or fixed income does not allow them to cover the extraordinary costs of home repair.	301-933-2700	3925 Plyers Mill Road, Suite 202 Kensington, MD 20895	http://www.rebuildingtogethermc.org
Rockville Housing Enterprises (RHE)	RHE provides housing subsidies for low and moderate income families in the City of Rockville. It offers a homebuyer program that places residents into homes using the Housing Choice Voucher Homeownership Program. Credit reviews, budgeting and homeownership readiness are provided to RHE residents. Family Self Sufficiency programs are also available and active	301-424-6265	621 A Southlawn Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20850	http://www.rockvillehe.org
The Fields Apartments	The Fields brand participates in a special tax credit program that allows KSI to provide quality living at affordable rates to those that qualify. This program is for people and families whose household income falls within certain ranges based on 50 or 60 percent of the national median. Ask for the Fields program when contacting.	Central# 1866-692-9587, Silver Spring 301-592-1381, Bethesda 301-718-6110, Rockville 301-315-9311, Gaithersburg 301-948-0636, Germantown 301-540-0800	Various properties throughout the Montgomery County and metropolitan area.	http://www.kettler.com
Upper Montgomery Assistance Network	Offers assistance in Preventing evictions and foreclosures, providing relocation expenses and utility expense assistance	301-926-4422 301-926-4423	P.O. Box 416, Gaithersburg MD, 20877	http://www.uman-mc.org/

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AUTISM SERVICES

Autism Waiver program	The Medicaid Autism Waiver allows eligible children with Autism Spectrum Disorder to receive specific waiver services as well as certain Medicaid services to support them in their homes and communities	MD State Department of Education at 410-767-1446 or the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene at 410-767-5220		http://www.dhmd.state.md.us/mma/waiverprograms/
MARYLAND AUTISM WAIVER LOCAL SCHOOL SYSTEM CONTACTS	Dr. Stan Sirotkin Montgomery County Public Schools	301-279-3445	850 Hungerford Drive, Room 230 Rockville, MD 20850	

ESOL and GED

CASA of Maryland	Beginner level English as a foreign language classes	301-431-4185	734 University Blvd E Silver Spring, MD 20903	http://www.casademaryland.org/
MD Adult Literacy Resource Center	Provides support and leadership to the adult literacy field. Statewide referral hotline center, directing calls to the state grant funded programs that offer ESL/ ESOL Classes, Adult Basic Education (ABE), GED. We are also a lending library. We have materials and resources for the needs of GED students, teachers and researchers.	1-888-GoGEDGo or 888-464-3346	1000 Hilltop Circle Baltimore, MD 21250	www.gogedgo.org
Montgomery Coalition for Adult English Literacy (MCAEL)	Contact about Adult English Literacy opportunities. Website includes a searchable database on websites of adult ESOL and literacy programs throughout Montgomery County	301-881-1338	12320 Parklawn Drive Rockville, MD 20852	http://www.mcael.org/

FOOD RESOURCES

Bethesda CARES	Meal Service	301-907-9244	7728 Woodmont Avenue Bethesda, MD 20814	http://www.bethesdacares.com/index.htm
Lord's Table Saint Martin's Catholic Church	Meal service	301-869-7609	201 South Frederick Ave Gaithersburg, MD	
Manna Food Center	Offers emergency food assistance to families that fall below the self-sufficiency income levels outlined by the Community Action Agency. Clients may pick up food every 30 days and must obtain a referral every time they come to Manna for food assistance from one of their partner agencies. They will receive about 70 pounds of fresh and nonperishable food which often supplies food for 3-5 days.	301-424-1130	9311 Gaither Road Gaithersburg, MD 20877	http://www.mannafood.org
Shepherd's Table	Evening Meal Served Daily 6:00 to 7:30 PM. Also; Eye clinic, Clothing Center, Resource Center	301-585-6463	8210A Colonial Lane Silver Spring, Maryland 20910	

HEALTH

Montgomery County Department of Health and Human Services	Some services offered are: Public Health Service, Children, Youth and Family Services, Aging and Disability Services, and Behavioral Health and Crisis Services.	240-777-1245		http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/hhstmpl.asp?url=/content/hhs/index.asp
Planned Parenthood of Gaithersburg	Health - Specialty Care. Screens for and treats sexually transmitted diseases, reproductive health care.	301-208-1300	19650 Clubhouse Road Gaithersburg, MD	http://www.plannedparenthood.org
Priority Partners	Offers low cost/no cost health insurance plans and health care to low income families.	1-800-654-9728	Priority Partners Johns Hopkins HealthCare LLC 6704 Curtis Court Glen Burnie, MD 21060	http://www.hopkinsmedicine.org/priority_partners

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LEGAL SERVICES

Montgomery County Bar Foundation Pro Bono Program-FREE LEGAL ADVICE CLINICS	The Montgomery County Bar Foundation Pro Bono Program, in partnership with Eastern Montgomery Regional Services, provides free legal advice consultations for low income residents. First and Second Thursdays every month, 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM	301-424-7651, 301-424-7652, 424-7633	301- Eastern Montgomery Regional Services Center 3300 Briggs Chaney Road, Silver Spring, MD 20904
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A Wider Circle	A variety of services including shelter resources	301-608-3504	9159-C Brookville Road Silver Spring, MD 20910	http://www.awidercircle.org/
Adventist Community Services National Office	Offers relief services to individuals and families who are unemployed, working-poor, uninsured and disadvantaged in poverty stricken and urban areas. Also, helps equip community members with skills to become self-sufficient.	301.680.6438 1.877.ACS.2702	12501 Old Columbia Pike Silver Spring, MD 20904	http://www.communityservices.org
Bethesda Cares	Offers eviction prevention assistance, utility assistance, job search center, outreach social worker, meal program, clothing center, medical care, and prescription assistance.	301-907-9244	7728 Woodmont Avenue Bethesda, MD 20814	http://www.bethesdacares.org/
Big Brothers Big Sisters	Big Brothers Big Sisters is dedicated to making a positive difference in the lives of children through professionally supported long-term, One-To-One® mentoring relationships with carefully screened, caring and committed adults	301-330-0436	16 South Summit Ave Suite 200, Gaithersburg, MD 20877	www.bbbsnca.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of America	Club programs and services promote and enhance the development of boys and girls by instilling a sense of competence, usefulness, belonging and influence.	301.353.9600	Germantown, MD 20876	http://www.bgcgw.org/
Catholic Charities Montgomery County Family Center	Offers Case workers who meet with clients and offer a variety of services including housing, food, religious, and many more. Available in a variety of languages.	301-942-1790	12247 Georgia Avenue Silver Spring, MD 20902	http://www.catholiccharitiesdc.org/find/services/index.php?id=132
City of Rockville Department of Recreation and Parks	Financial Assistance including: Rockville Youth Recreation Fund—Ages 18 & under. Scholarships for program fees for residents of the City of Rockville. Senior Assistance Fund - Ages 60 & older. Financial assistance for senior classes, day trips, and Senior Center memberships are available	240-314-8620	Rockville City Hall 111 Maryland Avenue Rockville, Maryland 20850	http://www.rockvillemd.gov/recreation/financial.htm
Community Ministries of Rockville	Offers a variety of services for the homeless and the elderly. Also emergency services, basic English classes, health services, and more.	301-637-0730	1010 Grandin Avenue, Suite A1 Rockville, MD 20851	http://www.cmrocks.org/
Faith Connections	Offering services to the Damascus-Clarksburg area including mentoring for women in parenting, nutrition and life management. Mentoring for families working to emerge from poverty. Support in obtaining GED. Annual collection and distribution of school supplies to needy children. Financial assistance to families facing eviction, foreclosure, utility termination or other financial crisis	24/7 Helpline: 301-482-0522	P.O. Box 28, Damascus, MD 20872	http://www.faith-connections.org/
IMPACT Silver Spring	Working to improve the Silver Spring community through many outreach events involving housing, schools, jobs, etc	301-495-3336	1313 East West Highway Silver Spring, MD 20910-3290	www.impactsilverspring.org
Salvation Army Montgomery County Corps	Offers emergency assistance to Montgomery county residents including nonperishable food, rental assistance for eviction prevention, Furniture/clothing vouchers for Salvation Army thrift store, Utility assistance.	301-515-5354	20021 Aircraft Drive Germantown, MD 20874	http://www.montgomery.salarmydc.org/
The City of Rockville Recreation and Parks Department, Community Services Division	Screening for the Rockville Emergency Assistance Program is done at this location, in addition to Community Ministries of Rockville and the Rockville Senior Center, and they work with people around issues of eviction, foreclosure, utility shut-off, housing, etc. Provides formal counseling services to uninsured or underinsured children along with mentoring programs and youth development programs.	240-314-8310	30 Courthouse Square Rockville, MD 20850	http://www.rockvillemd.gov/residents/ncs/index.html
WUMCO Help, Inc.	Offering assistance to people of Western Upper Montgomery County including rent and mortgage assistance, transportation for medical and social services, long-term coverage assistance of maintenance medicine, emergency & holiday food, and holiday toys	301-972-8481	P.O. Box 247 Poolesville, MD 20837	http://www.wumco.org/