

Ocean County Department of Human Services  
Office for Individuals with Disabilities

# *Resource Guide*

## *2011 Edition*



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[www.co.ocean.nj.us/ocdhs/index.html](http://www.co.ocean.nj.us/ocdhs/index.html)

# INTRODUCTION

## RESOURCE GUIDE OVERVIEW

This guide outlines programs and services that may be of interest to individuals living with a disability and is based on *frequently requested resources*. This guide does not endorse or evaluate resources listed and is intended to provide information that will help individuals consider which resources best fit their needs. Please utilize this guide as an informational resource, however, if you need additional information contact the Office. This guide highlights a small portion of the information that the Office has available to the public. If there are additional services that should be listed in this guide please contact the Office for Individuals with Disabilities at (732)-506-5374.

## OFFICE FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES OVERVIEW

The Office works as an information, advocacy, and referral resource for the residents of Ocean County. Resource information, both public and private, is made available to empower our communities through access to available information and services. All duties of the Office are aimed at improving the quality of life for all residents of Ocean County. The Ocean County Commission for Individuals with Disabilities, the advisory board of the Office, addresses the needs and concerns of individuals with disabilities through education and awareness activities such as informational publications and awareness workshops.

## INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES WEEKLY EMAIL

The Office sends out a weekly email regarding disability news, information and events that are happening in and around Ocean County. To be added to the weekly email list please contact us at (732)-506-5374 or via email to Ryan Reilly, Coordinator, at [rreilly@co.ocean.nj.us](mailto:rreilly@co.ocean.nj.us) or Terri Battaglio, Clerk Typist, at [tbattaglio@co.ocean.nj.us](mailto:tbattaglio@co.ocean.nj.us).

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### **Ocean County Board of Social Services**

1027 Hooper Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08754-0547  
732-349-1500

#### *Northern Satellite Office*

225 Fourth Street  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-370-8854

#### *Southern Satellite Office*

333 Haywood Road  
Manahawkin, NJ 08050  
609-242-6100

[www.co.ocean.nj.us/SocialServices/](http://www.co.ocean.nj.us/SocialServices/)

### **Ocean County Health Department**

175 Sunset Avenue  
PO Box 2191  
Toms River, NJ 08754-2191  
732-341-9700 or 609-978-9715  
[www.ochd.org](http://www.ochd.org)

### **Ocean County Department of Transportation - Ocean Ride**

1959 Route 9 (Rear Building)  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-736-8989  
[www.co.ocean.nj.us/  
TransportationMainPage.aspx](http://www.co.ocean.nj.us/TransportationMainPage.aspx)

### **Ocean County Office of Senior Services**

1027 Hooper Avenue, Bldg. 2  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-929-2091  
[www.co.ocean.nj.us/  
SeniorServicesMainPage.aspx](http://www.co.ocean.nj.us/SeniorServicesMainPage.aspx)

### **Ocean County Veteran's Services Bureau**

1027 Hooper Avenue, Bldg. 2  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-929-2096  
[www.co.ocean.nj.us/  
VeteransBureauMainForm.aspx](http://www.co.ocean.nj.us/VeteransBureauMainForm.aspx)

### **New Jersey Department of Human Services**

PO Box 700  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0700  
609-292-3717  
[www.state.nj.us/humanservices](http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices)

### **New Jersey Commission for the Blind & Visually Impaired**

PO Box 47017  
Newark, NJ 07102  
973-648-3333  
[www.state.nj.us/humanservices/cbvi/  
index.html](http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/cbvi/index.html)

### **New Jersey Division of Disability Services**

PO Box 700  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0700  
888-285-3036  
609-292-7800  
609-292-1210 TDD  
[www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dds/  
index.html](http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dds/index.html)

### **New Jersey Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services**

*Provides Vocational evaluation counseling,  
training, job placement and follow-up  
services to people with disabilities.*  
1027 Hooper Ave., Bldg. 6, 3rd Fl.  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-505-2310  
732-505-2319 TTY

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### **New Jersey Division of Developmental Disabilities (DDD)**

PO Box 726  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0726  
609-631-2200

[www.state.nj.us/humanservices/ddd/index.html](http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/ddd/index.html)

### **Ocean-Monmouth Regional Office**

Juniper Plaza, Suite 1-J  
3499 Route 9 North  
Freehold, NJ 07728  
732-863-4500

### **New Jersey Division of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing**

PO Box 074  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0074  
609-984-7281 V/TTY  
800-792-8339 Toll Free

[www.state.nj.us/humanservices/ddhh/index.html](http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/ddhh/index.html)

### **New Jersey Division of Addiction Services**

PO Box 362  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0362  
609-292-5760

[www.state.nj.us/humanservices/das/index.htm](http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/das/index.htm)

### **New Jersey Division of Mental Health Services**

**50 East State Street**  
PO Box 727  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0727  
609-777-0702

[www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmhs/index.html](http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmhs/index.html)

### **New Jersey Division of Family Development**

PO Box 716  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0716  
609-588-2401

[www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dfd/index.html](http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dfd/index.html)

### **NJ Division of Youth and Family Services**

PO Box 717  
Trenton, NJ 08625  
877-652-2873 (Child Abuse Hotline Only)  
800-835-5510 V/TTY  
(Child Abuse Hotline Only)  
800-331-3937 (Director's Action Line)

[www.state.nj.us/DCF/divisions/dfys](http://www.state.nj.us/DCF/divisions/dfys)

### **Social Security Administration**

2620 Yorktown Blvd.  
Brick, NJ 08723  
800-772-1213  
732-262-7920

190 St. Catherines Blvd.  
Toms River, NJ 08755  
877-255-1497

[www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov)

**ADACO Counseling Center**

1195 Route 70, Suite 2010  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
Phone (732) 367-5515  
[www.adaco.org](http://www.adaco.org)

**AGAPE Counseling Services**

815 U.S. Highway 9  
Lanoka Harbor, NJ 08734  
609-242-0086  
[www.theagapecenter.com](http://www.theagapecenter.com)

**Bayshore Community Health Services**

727 N. Beers Street  
Holmdel, NJ 07733  
732-497-1650, 732-739-5900  
[www.bchs.com](http://www.bchs.com)

**Healy Counseling Associates**

1108 Hooper Avenue, Suite 2  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-797-0400

**Jersey Shore Addiction Services**

1200 Memorial Drive  
Asbury Park, NJ 07712  
732-988-8877

**Lighthouse at Manahawkin**

400 North Main St., Bldg. 1 Suite 2  
Cedar Bridge Plaza  
Manahawkin, NJ 08050  
609-489-0787, 888-743-5748

**Narcotics Anonymous**

1-800-992-0401, 732-933-0462 Helpline

**New Hope Foundation, Inc.**

80 Conover Rd.  
Marlboro, NJ 07746  
732-946-3030  
[www.newhopefoundation.org](http://www.newhopefoundation.org)

**Ocean County Health Department**

175 Sunset Avenue  
PO Box 2191  
Toms River, NJ 08754-2191  
732-341-9700 or 609-978-9715  
732-831-6489 TTY  
[www.ochd.org](http://www.ochd.org)

**Ocean Medical Services, Inc.**

*Provides outpatient methadone treatment.*  
2001 Route 37 East  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-288-9322  
[www.oceanmed.net](http://www.oceanmed.net)

**Ocean Mental Health Services, Inc.**

160 Route 9  
Bayville, NJ 08721  
732-349-5550  
[www.oceanmentalhealth.org](http://www.oceanmentalhealth.org)

**Preferred Behavioral Health**

700 Airport Rd.  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-367-4700  
[www.preferredbehavioral.org](http://www.preferredbehavioral.org)

**Seashore Family Services of Ocean, Inc.**

270 Chambers Bridge Road  
Brick, NJ 08723  
732-920-2700

226 Main Street

Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-244-1600

**St. Francis Counseling Services**

4700 Long Beach Blvd  
Brant Beach, NJ 08008  
609-494-8861  
[www.stfranciscenterlbi.com](http://www.stfranciscenterlbi.com)

## ADVOCACY & LEGAL SERVICES

### **ADAOCAN (Americans with Disabilities Act Ocean County Action Network)**

607 Bayview Drive  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-255-2733  
[dormcd@aol.com](mailto:dormcd@aol.com)

### **Alliance for the Betterment of Citizens with Disabilities (ABCD)**

*Non-Profit Advocacy Group*  
127 Route 206, Suite 18  
Hamilton, NJ 08610  
609-581-8375/609-581-8512 Fax  
[www.abcdnj.org](http://www.abcdnj.org)

### **Americans with Disabilities Act**

*ADA Hotline*  
800-514-0301/800-514-0383 TTY  
[www.ada.gov](http://www.ada.gov)

### **Association for Special Children and Families**

PO Box 494  
Hewitt, NJ 07421-0494  
973-728-8744  
[www.ascfamily.org](http://www.ascfamily.org)

### **Community Health Law Project**

*Legal & advocacy services to the elderly & disabled.*  
1 Main Street  
Eatontown, NJ 07724  
732-380-1012  
732-349-6714 Toms River  
[www.chlp.org](http://www.chlp.org)

### **Disability Rights New Jersey (DRNJ)**

210 Broad Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor  
Trenton, NJ 08608  
609-292-9742/609-633-7106 TDD  
[www.drnj.org](http://www.drnj.org)

### **Equal Employment Opportunity Commission**

*Information regarding discrimination in the workplace.*  
800-669-4000/800-669-6820 TTY  
[www.eeoc.gov](http://www.eeoc.gov)

### **Fair Housing Act**

*Information regarding housing discrimination.*  
888-341-7781  
[www.fairhousingfirst.org](http://www.fairhousingfirst.org)

### **Legal Services of New Jersey**

*Free legal advise for low income persons for civil cases.*  
PO Box 1357  
Edison, NJ 08818  
888-576-5529  
[www.lsnj.org](http://www.lsnj.org)

### **Minorities with Disabilities Coalition**

1213 Wyndhurst Drive  
Plainsboro, NJ 08536  
609-984-3379  
[www.nmdc.us](http://www.nmdc.us)

### **New Jersey Division on Civil Rights**

140 East Front Street  
PO Box 090  
Trenton, NJ 08625  
609-292-4605  
609-292-1785 TTY  
[www.njcivilrights.org](http://www.njcivilrights.org)

### **New Jersey Self Advocacy Project**

985 Livingston Avenue  
North Brunswick, NJ 08902  
732-246-2525 x30  
[www.njsap@arcnj.org](mailto:www.njsap@arcnj.org)

**Public Defender's Office**

*Criminal legal assistance of court approved  
indigent defendants.*

236 Main Street  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-286-6400

**Ocean County Bar Association**

*Lawyer's Referral Service*  
100 Hooper Avenue, PO Box 381  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-240-3666

**Ocean/Monmouth Legal Services**

*Civil legal assistance to eligible low income  
persons.*

599 Rt. 37 West  
Cory Building, 2nd Floor  
Toms River, NJ 08755  
732-341-2727

[www.lsnj.org/omls/index.htm](http://www.lsnj.org/omls/index.htm)

**Surrogate's Office**

*Probating of Wills, Guardianships.*

118 Washington Street  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-929-2011



## **AAA Community Surgical**

163 Route 37 W  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-349-2990

## **Abby Lifts Inc. (Ramps)**

1545 Route 37 W #8  
Toms River, NJ 08755  
732-240-0446  
[www.abbylifts.com](http://www.abbylifts.com)

## **Monmouth Vans Access and Mobility Equipment**

5105 Route 33  
Wall, NJ 07727  
800-221-0034  
[www.monmouthvans.com](http://www.monmouthvans.com)

## **Adaptive Home Therapy, Inc.**

*Evaluations and Recommendations*  
PO Box 1209  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-886-6996

## **AmRamp Inc.**

*Sells and rents wheelchairs, ramps etc.*  
Wendy Gold  
732-446-1951  
[www.amramp.com](http://www.amramp.com)

## **Assistive Technology Advocacy Center**

800-922-7233  
609-292-9742  
[www.drnj.org](http://www.drnj.org)

## **Ocean Home Health**

*Wheelchairs, power chairlifts etc.*  
1000 Airport Road  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-255-8700

## **Catholic Charities—Children and Family Services**

88 School House Rd., Suite 2  
Whiting, NJ 08759  
732-350-4120/732-350-2725 Fax

## **Disability Rights New Jersey Back In Action Assistive Technology Advocacy Center**

800-922-7233  
609-292-9742  
609-633-7106 TTY  
[www.drnj.org](http://www.drnj.org)

## **Elks of Toms River**

*Accepts & lends Wheelchairs, Canes,  
Walkers, Shower seats, etc. (will pick up)*  
600 Washington Street  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-341-9863  
[www.tomsriverelks.com](http://www.tomsriverelks.com)

## **EZ Way, Inc.**

701 E. Washington Street  
PO Box 89  
Clarinda, IA 51632  
800-627-8940  
[www.ezlifts.com](http://www.ezlifts.com)

## **Green Cross Surgical**

2791 Hooper Avenue  
Brick, NJ 08723  
732-477-3222

## **Garden State Scooters**

5105 Route 33  
Wall Twp, NJ  
800-515-8586  
[www.gardenstatescooters.com](http://www.gardenstatescooters.com)

## **Habitat for Humanity**

*Homebuilders for needy families.*

PO Box 1754

Toms River, NJ 08754-1754

732-818-9551

[www.northernoceanhabitat.com](http://www.northernoceanhabitat.com)

## *Southern Ocean County*

Ron Chamberlain

668 Route 9

West Creek, NJ 08092

609-978-9984

[Ronsusan2@msn.com](mailto:Ronsusan2@msn.com)

## **Homes for All, Inc.**

*Build affordable housing for low-income families, provides roof and heating repair/replacement, installs wheelchair ramps, etc.*

7 Hyers Street

Toms River, NJ 08753

732-286-7929

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

## **M.I.T.S. Corp**

*New and Used Accessible Vans*

11448 North Main Street Extended

Glen Rock, PA 17327

800-243-6487

[www.mitscorp.com](http://www.mitscorp.com)

## **MOCEANS Center for Independent Living**

*Accepts & lends wheelchairs, etc.*

1027 Hooper Ave. Building 6 Floor 3

Toms River, NJ 08753

732-505-2310

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

## **Mobility Elevator and Lift Co.**

*Elevators, Wheelchair and Stairway Lifts*

4 York Avenue

West Caldwell, NJ 07006

800-441-4181

[www.mobilityelevator.com](http://www.mobilityelevator.com)

## **NJ State Library Talking Book and Braille Center**

*Talking & large print books, assistive listening equipment, etc.*

2300 Stuyvesant Avenue

Trenton, NJ 08618

609-530-4000

800-792-8322

877-882-5593 TTY

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

## **Performance Vans Inc.**

### **Mobility Service**

1549 Gateway Blvd. Route 45

West Deptford, NJ 08096

856-848-3470

## **O.C.E.A.N. Inc.**

*Head Start, Weatherization, Home Energy Assistance, Gift of Warmth, NJ Shares, Housing, First Time Homebuyers program, Emergency rental and mortgage assistance. All programs are based on available funding.*

40 Washington Street

PO Box 1029

Toms River, NJ 08754

732-244-5333

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

**Cerebral Palsy of New Jersey Advancing Opportunities**

1005 Whitehead Road Extension  
Suite 1  
Ewing, NJ 08638  
888-322-1918  
609-882-0620 TTY

**Rands Pharmacy and Surgical**

1843 Hooper Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-255-3211

**TechConnection**

*Provides assistive technology solutions and resources for those in need.*

35 Haddon Avenue  
Shrewsbury, NJ 07702  
732-747-5310

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

**Trenton Materials Exchange**

*Accepts & donates wheelchairs, etc. (will pick up)*

800 New York Ave  
Trenton, NJ 08638

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

## **Association for Special Children & Families**

*Trainings, Workshops, Support Groups*

PO Box 494

Hewitt, NJ 07421

973-728-8744

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

## **Catastrophic Illness in Children Relief**

*Assistance for families whose children have experienced an illness or condition not otherwise covered by insurance, State or Federal programs.*

NJ Dept. of Human Services

PO Box 728

Trenton, NJ 08625-0728

609-292-0600

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

## **Child Behavioral Health System of Care**

*Program and resource information for children and youth experiencing social, emotional and/or behavioral challenges.*

877-652-7624

[www.state.nj.us/dcf/behavioral](http://www.state.nj.us/dcf/behavioral)

## **Children's Center of Monmouth County**

1115 Greengrove Road

Neptune, NJ 07753

732-922-0228

[www.ccprograms.com](http://www.ccprograms.com)

## **Children's Home Society of NJ**

*Program & resource information for children's special needs including, day care and respite care.*

1433 Hooper Avenue Suite 340 North Wing

Toms river, NJ 08753

732-557-9633

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

## **Children's Specialized Hospital**

*Audiologist Services*

732-914-1100 x3746

*My Hands Can Talk (Sign Language)*

94 Stevens Road

Toms River, NJ 08755

732-914-1100 x3712

[www.childrens-specialized.org](http://www.childrens-specialized.org)

## **FACES (Families for Autistic Children Education and Support Groups)**

PO Box 2341

Ventnor, NJ 08406

609-412-3750

[www.faces-autismsupport.org](http://www.faces-autismsupport.org)

## **Family Resource Associates**

*Home based early intervention for infants, therapeutic recreation programs, assistive technology, family and sibling support*

35 Haddon Avenue

Shrewsbury, NJ 07702

732-747-5310

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

## **Family Support Center of New Jersey**

*Information, referral and educational opportunities*

2516 Rt. 35

Manasquan, NJ 08736

800-372-6510

800-852-7899 TDD

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

## **New Jersey Association for the Deaf-Blind**

*Program and resource information for children and youth who are deaf and/or blind.*

732-805-1912 V/TTY

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

## **New Horizons in Autism**

*Residential, vocational and family support.*

671 Batchelor Street  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-918-0850  
732-918-0091 Fax  
[www.nhautism.org](http://www.nhautism.org)

## **New Jersey Family Care**

*Health Care for low-income uninsured children.*

800-701-0710  
[www.njfamilycare.org](http://www.njfamilycare.org)

## **Ocean County Family Support Organization, Inc.**

34 Manchester Avenue, Suite 202  
Forked River, NJ 08731  
Tel: 1-609-693-4121

## **Ocean County Office of Education**

212 Washington Street  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-929-2079  
[www.co.ocean.nj.us/superintendent](http://www.co.ocean.nj.us/superintendent)

## **Ocean Harbor House**

*Primarily for troubled youths ages 10-21.*

*Services include: temporary housing, counseling, crisis intervention, food and clothing, case management, and outreach.*

2445 Windsor Avenue  
PO Box 622  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-929-0660  
[www.oceansharborhouse.org](http://www.oceansharborhouse.org)

## **Ocean Health Initiatives**

*Federally qualified health center, medical care for low income families.*

301 Lakehurst Rd.  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-552-0377  
101 2nd Street  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-363-6655  
[www.ohinj.org](http://www.ohinj.org)

## **Ocean Partnership for Children**

1610 Route 88 West Suite 303  
Brick, NJ 08724  
732-202-0666x116  
[www.oceanpartnership.org](http://www.oceanpartnership.org)

## **Parents of Autistic Children/POAC**

*Peer Support, trainings, direct services*  
732-785-1099  
[www.poac.net](http://www.poac.net)

## **Children's Progress Unlimited**

*Educational services for preschoolers with Autism*  
732-785-1085

## **Parents of Blind Children - New Jersey (POBC-NJ)**

*Peer Support*  
23 Alexander Avenue  
Madison, NJ 07940  
973-377-0976  
[www.blindchildren@verizon.net](mailto:www.blindchildren@verizon.net)

## **Planned Lifetime Assistance Network of New Jersey (PLAN)**

*Educating families, providing services for individuals with disabilities.*

PO Box 547, Loeser Avenue

Somerville, NJ 08876

908-575-8300

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

## **Special Child Health & Early Intervention Services**

*Program & resource information for children with special health care needs through the Ocean County Health Dept.*

175 Sunset Ave. PO Box 2191

Toms River, NJ 08754

800-342-8738 x7602

732-341-9700 x7602

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

## **Special Needs Advocates for Parents (SNAP)**

*Information and Referral*

30A Veerland Road, Suite 130

Florham Park, NJ 07932

877-348-6497/973-236-9887

## **Special Parent Assistance & Resources for Kids for Life and Education-**

### *Sparkle of NJ*

*Program and resource information for parents caring for children with disabilities.*

201-656-3779

## **State Department of Education: Special Education**

*Implements and monitors State and Federal laws.*

100 Riverview Plaza

Trenton, NJ 08625

609-633-6833

[www.state.nj.us/education](http://www.state.nj.us/education)

## **Statewide Parent Advocacy Network (SPAN)**

*Information and Referral, trainings and workshops.*

35 Halsey Street, 4th Floor

Newark, NJ 07102

973-642-8100

800-654-SPAN

973-642-8080 (Fax)

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

## **VSA New Jersey**

*Art program & resource information for individuals with disabilities.*

703 Jersey Avenue

New Brunswick, NJ 08901

732-745-3885

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

## **Ocean County Women, Infant and Children (WIC)**

Supplemental nutritional program for pregnant women, infants & children. 175 Sunset Ave.,

Toms River, NJ 08754

732-341-9700 & 1-800-342-9738 Toms River x7520 & Lakewood x7108

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

## **2<sup>nd</sup> Floor NJ Youth Helpline**

*Accessible, confidential and anonymous helpline for all NJ youth and young adults, ages 10-24. Available 24 hrs a day.*

888-222-2228

[www.2ndfloor.org](http://www.2ndfloor.org)

## DISABILITY SPECIFIC RESOURCES

### Blind/Visually Impaired

#### **Association for the Multiple Impaired Blind, Inc.**

*Provides housing to adults who have developmental disabilities & are blind or visually impaired.*

909 Cedar Bridge Avenue  
Brick, NJ 08723  
732-262-0082

[www.amib.net](http://www.amib.net)

#### **Eye-Openers of Brick & Pt. Pleasant**

*Peer Support Organization.*

349 Shawnee Drive  
Brick, NJ 08724  
732-892-5117

#### **Eye-Openers of Toms River**

*Peer Support Organization.*

40 Seward Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-244-7057

#### **Garden State Guide Dog Users, Inc.**

*Chapter of NJ Council of the Blind/State affiliated*

153 Franklin Corner Road  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648  
609-912-0657

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

#### **Hawkin Hawkeye's**

*Peer Support Organization.*

201 North 18<sup>th</sup> Street  
Surf City, NJ 08008-5431  
609-494-1725/ 848-448-4724 cell

#### **National Federation of the Blind**

*Peer Support Organization.*

973-743-0075  
[www.nfb.org](http://www.nfb.org)

#### **NJ Association of the Deaf-Blind, Inc.**

*Provides support and services for the deaf-blind, deaf or blind, developmentally disabled and communication impaired.*

24K World's Fair Drive  
Somerset, NJ 08873  
732-805-1912

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

#### **NJ Blind Citizens Association**

*Dedicated to improving the lives of the blind educationally, vocationally, economically and socially.*

18 Burlington Avenue  
Leonardo, NJ 07737  
732-291-0878

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

#### **NJ Commission for the Blind & Visually Impaired**

*Provides services to all ages to develop independent living skills, employment, or address eye health issues.*

1510 Hooper Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-255-0720/732-255-0723

#### **NJ Foundation for the Blind, Inc.**

*Information / Education, Training.*

230 Diamond Spring Road  
PO Box 929  
Denville, NJ 07834  
973-627-0055

#### **The New Jersey State Library Talking Book and Braille Center**

*Assistive listening equipment*

609-406-7179  
888-671-6983 Video Phone  
[www.njsltbbc.org](http://www.njsltbbc.org)

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### **NJ State Talking Library Talking Book Braille Center**

*Talking and large print books, assistive listening equipment and Braille books.*

2300 Stuyvesant Avenue  
Trenton, NJ 08618  
1-800-792-8322  
1-877-882-5593 TTY

### **Ocean County Volunteers for the Blind**

*Provides various services.*

648 C. Pulham Ct.  
Manchester, NJ 08759  
732-350-4365

### **The Seeing Eye**

*Breeds, raises and trains seeing eye dogs.*

PO Box 375  
Morristown, NJ 07963-0375  
973-539-4425  
973-539-0922 (Fax)  
[www.seeingeye.org](http://www.seeingeye.org)

### **Visually Impaired Persons of Whiting At the Pines of Whiting**

*Peer Support Organization.*

539 Route 530  
Whiting, NJ 08759  
732-350-7673

### **Deaf/Hearing Impaired**

### **AT&T Accessible Communications**

*Long Distance Service Center*

800-833-3232 TTY  
800-872-3883 Voice  
*AT&T Customer Care Center*  
800-682-8706 Voice  
800-682-8786 TTY  
[www.att.com/relay/nj](http://www.att.com/relay/nj)

### **American Sign Language Interpreter Referral Service**

PO Box 1161  
Somerset, NJ 08873  
1-800-275-7551  
1-800-275-5599

### **International Hearing Society Hearing Aid Helpline**

*Information on hearing aids and telephone amplifiers*

800-521-5247 Voice

### **National Association of the Deaf Law Center**

8630 Fenton Street, Suite 820  
Silver Spring, MD 20910-4500  
301-587-1789 TTY  
301-587-1788 Voice  
[www.nad.org](http://www.nad.org)

### **NJ Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf**

*Organization for interpreters and translators with event & resource listing.*

PO Box 9900  
Trenton, NJ 08650  
[www.njrid.org](http://www.njrid.org)

### **New Jersey Speech-Language- Hearing Association**

66 Witherspoon Street, Suite 337  
Princeton, NJ 08542  
1-800-906-5742  
[www.njsha.org](http://www.njsha.org)

### **Developmental Disabilities**

### **ARC of Ocean County**

815 Cedar Bridge Avenue  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-363-3335/609-597-4999  
[www.arcocean.org](http://www.arcocean.org)



# DISABILITY SPECIFIC RESOURCES

## **NJ Council on Developmental Disabilities**

PO Box 700  
Trenton, NJ 08625  
609-292-3745  
[www.njddc.org](http://www.njddc.org)

## **NJ Division of Developmental Disabilities**

*Arranges and coordinates needed services to eligible state residents who have severe developmental disabilities.*

732-863-4500 Ocean/Monmouth office  
800-832-9173 State Central office  
[www.state.nj.us/humanservices](http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices)

## **Twenty-One Plus, Inc.**

*Provides opportunities including employment to enhance the quality of life for individuals with developmental disabilities over the age of 21 in Ocean County.*

1130 Hooper Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-240-3118  
732-240-3381 (Fax)

## **LADACIN Network**

*Provides education, therapy, social, residential & support services for people with cerebral palsy & other physical disabilities.*

1701 Kneelely Blvd.  
Wanamassa, NJ 07712  
732-493-5900  
732-493-5980 (Fax)  
[www.ladacin.org](http://www.ladacin.org)

## **UMDNJ Elizabeth M. Boggs Center on Developmental Disabilities**

335 George Street, 3rd Floor, Suite3500  
New Brunswick, NJ 08903  
732-235-9300  
[www.rwjms.umdj.edu/boggscenter](http://www.rwjms.umdj.edu/boggscenter)

## **Mental Health**

### **Brighter Days Self-Help Center**

2008 Route 37 East  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-270-6061

### **CONTACT of Ocean County**

*Education, Advocacy, Support, 24 hr. Crisis Listening Hotline.*

PO Box 1121  
Toms River, NJ 08754-1121  
732-240-6100  
609-693-5834

### **National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)**

#### **Ocean County**

PO Box 1436  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-244-4401  
[www.nami.org](http://www.nami.org)

### **Ocean Mental Health Services, Inc.**

160 Route 9  
Bayville, NJ 08721  
732-349-5550 - Bayville  
609-597-5327 – Manahawkin  
[www.oceanmentalhealth.org](http://www.oceanmentalhealth.org)

### **Preferred Behavioral Health**

700 Airport Rd.  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-367-4700  
[www.preferredbehavioral.org](http://www.preferredbehavioral.org)

### **Psychiatric Emergency Screening Services (PESS)**

*Crisis Services*  
600 River Avenue  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-886-4474

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### **St. Barnabas Behavioral Health Center**

1691 Route 9  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
800-300-0628  
[www.sbch.org](http://www.sbch.org)

### **St. Francis Counseling Service**

4700 Long Beach Blvd.  
Brant Beach, NJ 08008  
609-494-1554

### **Organizations by Alphabetical Order**

#### **Advancing Opportunities**

*Formally* Cerebral Palsy of New Jersey  
1005 Whitehead Road Extension, Suite 1  
Ewing, NJ 08638  
1-888-322-1918  
1-609-882-0620 TTY  
Trenton Office: 1-609-882-4182  
[www.add.org](http://www.add.org)  
[www.advopps.org](http://www.advopps.org)

#### **Alzheimer's Association**

400 Morris Avenue, Suite 251  
Denville, NJ 07834  
800-272-3900 Hotline  
973-586-4300  
[www.alznj.org/nj](http://www.alznj.org/nj)

#### **ASPEN Ocean County Chapter (Asperger Syndrome Education Network)**

1041 Kaitlyn Court  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-473-9630  
732-473-9631 Fax  
[info@aspennj.org](mailto:info@aspennj.org)

#### **Arthritis Foundation**

555 Route 1 South, Suite 320  
Iselin, NJ 08830  
732-283-4300  
[www.arthritis.org](http://www.arthritis.org)

### **Attention Deficit Disorder Association (ADDA)**

P.O. Box 7557  
Wilmington, DE 19803  
1-800-939-1019  
[www.add.org](http://www.add.org)  
[info@add.org](mailto:info@add.org)

### **Bancroft**

425 Kings Highway East  
PO Box 20  
Haddonfield, NJ 08033  
800-774-5516  
[www.bancroft.org](http://www.bancroft.org)

### **Brain Injury Association of NJ**

825 Georges Road, 2nd Floor  
North Brunswick, NJ 08902  
732-745-0200  
732-745-0211 (Fax)  
[www.bianj.org](http://www.bianj.org)

### **Central Jersey Spinal Cord Association**

17 Jefferson Avenue  
New Brunswick, NJ 08903  
732-220-0870

### **Children & Adults with Attention-Deficit/ Hyperactivity Disorder**

8181 Professional Pl., Suite 150  
Landover, MD 20785  
800-233-4050  
[www.chadd.org](http://www.chadd.org)

### **Christopher and Dana Reeve Foundation**

636 Morris Turnpike, Suite 3A  
Short Hills, NJ 07078  
800-539-7309  
[www.paralysis.org](http://www.paralysis.org)  
[www.christopherreeve.org](http://www.christopherreeve.org)

## DISABILITY SPECIFIC RESOURCES

### **Community Access Unlimited**

*Non-profit organization that provides various services to youth and disabled*

80 West Grand  
Elizabeth, NJ 07202  
908-354-3040

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

### **Autism New Jersey**

*NJ Center for Outreach & Services for the Autism Community.*

Horizon Center Business Park  
500 Horizon Drive,  
Suite 530

Robbinsville Twp., NJ 08691  
609-588-8200 & 1-800-4-AUTISM

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

### **Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America**

45 Wilson Avenue  
Manalapan, NJ 07726  
732-786-9960  
800-932-2423

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

### **Cystic Fibrosis Foundation**

2 University Plaza Suite 312  
Hackensack, NJ 07601  
201-457-1800

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

### **Epilepsy Foundation of NJ**

1 AAA Drive Suite 203  
Trenton, NJ 08691  
800-336-5843

[www.efnj.com](http://www.efnj.com)

### **FACES (Families for Autistic Children Education and Support Groups)**

Southern Ocean County

Manahawkin, Michele at 609-978-0470

Northern Ocean County

Brick, Ellen at (732)451-1606

### **Huntington's Disease Society of America**

230 Diamond Spring Rd., PO Box 943  
Denville, NJ 07834  
973-784-4965

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

### **Little People of America**

[www.lpadistrict2.org](http://www.lpadistrict2.org)

### **Lupus Foundation of America, NJ**

150 Morris Avenue, Suite 102  
Springfield, NJ 07081  
800-322-5816

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

### **Muscular Dystrophy Association**

788 Shrewsbury Avenue  
Building. 2, Suite 203  
Tinton Falls, NJ 07724  
732-936-9940  
800-572-1717

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

### **National Multiple Sclerosis Society**

246 Monmouth Road  
Oakhurst, NJ 07755  
732-660-1005

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

### **Neuromuscular & ALS Center**

125 Paterson St., Suite 6100  
New Brunswick, NJ 08901  
732-235-7331

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### **New Jersey Coalition on Women and Disabilities**

#### ***Ocean County Chapter***

1471 Toms River Road  
Jackson, NJ 08527  
732-678-5226

[rustack@optonline.net](mailto:rustack@optonline.net)

### **NJ American Parkinson's Disease Association**

#### ***Parkinson's Information & Referral Center***

PO Box 2026  
Edison, NJ 08818  
Edison, NJ 08818  
732-632-1737

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

### **NJ Institute for Disabilities**

10 Oak Drive  
Roosevelt Park  
Edison, NJ 08837  
732-549-6187

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

### **NJ Polio Network**

PO Box 537  
Martinsville, NJ 08836  
201-845-6860

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

### **NJ Stroke Activity Center, Inc.**

725 Joralemon St., Suite 191  
Belleville, NJ 07109  
973-450-4114

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

### **New Jersey Coalition on Women and Disabilities**

1471 Toms River Road  
Jackson, NJ 08527  
732-678-5226

[rustack@optonline.net](mailto:rustack@optonline.net)

### **NJ Women & AIDS Network**

103 Bayard Street  
New Brunswick, NJ 08901  
732-846-4462

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

### **Ocean County Next Step Action Forum**

455 Mamie Drive  
Brick, NJ 08723  
732-477-1414

### **Ocean County Post Polio Support Group**

PO Box 4515  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-864-0998/732-240-4272

[www.info@tomsrivernjpolio.org](http://www.info@tomsrivernjpolio.org)

### **Spina Bifida Resource Network**

84 Park Avenue, Suite G-106  
Flemington, NJ 08822  
908-782-7475  
908-782-6102 (Fax)

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

### **NJ Center for Tourette Syndrome**

50 Division Street, Suite 205  
Somerville, NJ 08876  
732-972-4459 Helpline  
908-575-7350  
908-575-8699 (Fax)

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

### **United Spinal Association**

75-20 Astoria Boulevard  
Jackson Heights, NY 11370  
718-803-3782

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

# DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RESOURCES

## **Adult Protective Services**

*Provides services to vulnerable adults, 18 years of age and older, who are at risk of, or victims of abuse, neglect and/or exploitation.*

1027 Hooper Avenue Bldg 4  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-349-1500

## **Alternatives to Domestic Violence**

1 Bergen County Plaza  
Hackensack, NJ 07601  
1-201-487-8484 & 1-201-336-7575

## **Coalition Against Rape & Abuse**

PO Box 774  
Cape May Court House, NJ 08210  
609-522-6489  
[www.caracmc.org](http://www.caracmc.org)

## **Domestic Violence Hotline**

*Information to county programs that can provide shelter and counseling.*

PO Box 7070  
Trenton, NJ 08628  
800-572-7233 V/TTY  
[www.womensspace.org](http://www.womensspace.org)

## **Domestic Violence Unit of the Family Court**

*Parties may request temporary and final restraining orders.*

Ocean County Justice Complex  
120 Hooper Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-929-2019 x4919

## **Dottie's House**

*Program designed to aid survivors of domestic violence.*

732-262-2009  
732-295-7380 Main Office  
[www.dottieshouse.org](http://www.dottieshouse.org)

## **Exploited & Missing Children's Advisory Commission**

146 Chestnut Street  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-929-2189

## **NJ Coalition for Battered Women**

1670 Whitehorse Hamilton Square Road  
Trenton, NJ 08690  
609-584-8107  
800-572-7233  
[www.njcbw.org](http://www.njcbw.org)

## **Ocean's Harbor House**

*Short term crisis intervention center designed to serve youth ages 10-17 who are in need of safe shelter, advocacy and counseling services.*

2445 Windsor Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-929-0660

## **Providence House of Catholic Charities**

*Dedicated to helping victims and children of family violence in Ocean County.*

P.O. Box 414  
Whiting, NJ 08759  
732-244-8259 & 732-350-2120  
[www.providencehousenj.org](http://www.providencehousenj.org)

## **Safe Horizons of Somerset**

427 Homestead Road  
Hillsborough, NJ 08844  
908-685-1122 Hotline  
908-359-0003

### **St. Francis Counseling Services Sexual Abuse & Assault Program**

*Provides professional counseling and crisis intervention services for victims of sexual abuse and assault and their families.*

4700 Long Beach Blvd

Long Beach Twp., NJ 08808-3929

732-370-4010 Hotline

609-494-1090 Hotline

609-494-1554

[www.stfranciscenterlbi.com](http://www.stfranciscenterlbi.com)

### **180 Turning Lives Around**

*Provides services to individuals, and families affected by domestic violence & sexual assault.*

1 Bethany Rd., Bldg. 3, Suite 42

Hazlet, NJ 07730

732-264-4111

888-843-9262

888-264-RAPE Sexual Assault

[www.180nj.org](http://www.180nj.org)

## EDUCATION

### **Alpha School**

*The school seeks to empower each student with skills for life, work, and recreation.*

2210 W. County Line Road

Jackson, NJ 08527

732-370-1150

[admin@alphaschool.com](mailto:admin@alphaschool.com)

### **Department of Human Services Regional School - Ocean Campus**

1141 Old Freehold Road

Toms River, NJ 08753

732-505-4180

### **Head Start Programs**

*Federally funded preschool program for children of low income families.*

732-244-5333 x927

### **Kessler Medical Rehabilitation Research and Education Corporation**

1199 Pleasant Valley Way

West Orange, NJ 07052

800-248-3221

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

### **Minding Miracles Learning Center**

*Expanded education for children with developmental disabilities*

90 Spring Hill Road

Matawan, NJ 07747

732-316-4884

[www.mindingmiracles.net](http://www.mindingmiracles.net)

### **New Road School of Ocean County**

810 Towbin Avenue

Lakewood, NJ 08701-5298

732-886-6888

[www.newroadschool.com](http://www.newroadschool.com)

### **NJ Higher Education Student Assistance Authority**

800-792-8670

### **Ocean County Superintendent of Schools**

212 Washington Street

Toms River, NJ 08753

732-929-2078

[www.co.ocean.nj.us/ocschools](http://www.co.ocean.nj.us/ocschools)

### **OPTIONS (Cerebral Palsy Day Care)**

1591 Route 37 West

Toms River, NJ 08755

732-914-1447

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

### **Regional Day School at Jackson**

*Day School for multiply handicapped and emotionally disturbed students and Autistic between 5 and 21 years old.*

890 Toms River Road

Jackson, NJ 08527

732-928-1500

### **State Department of Education**

*Special Education Programs*

PO Box 500

Trenton, NJ 08625

609-633-6833

[www.state.nj.us/education](http://www.state.nj.us/education)

### **St. Francis**

4700 Long Beach Blvd.

Long Beach Township, NJ 08008

*Educational Support Services/GED/ESL*

609-494-8861 x185

### **Toms River Regional School District Special Education Parent Group**

*Support group for parents of special education students in Toms River Regional Schools.*

1144 Hooper Avenue

Toms River, NJ 08753

732-505-5671

[Spedparents@trschoools.com](mailto:Spedparents@trschoools.com)

## **Community Options, Inc.**

*Developing employment and housing opportunities for people with disabilities, utilizing technology and training.*

202 N. Main Street  
Forked River, NJ 08721  
609-693-1700  
609-693-6222 Fax

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

## **JFK Johnson Rehabilitation Institute Vocational Rehabilitation Programs**

*Vocational Evaluation, Independent Living Skills development, paid work experiences, individual and group vocational counseling. Referral from Schools, NJDVRs, CBVI, V.A.*

1608 Route 88., Suite 104  
Brick, NJ 08724  
732-836-1027

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

## **MOCEANS**

*Independent Living Training*

279 Broadway, Suite 201  
Long Branch, NJ 07740  
Independent Living Training  
732-571-4884  
732-571-4878 TTY

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

## **New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development**

P.O. Box 387  
Trenton, NJ 08625  
1-609-292-7060  
[www.state.nj.us/labor](http://www.state.nj.us/labor)  
[www.nj.gov/labor](http://www.nj.gov/labor)

## **NJ Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services**

*Provides vocational evaluation counseling, training, job placement and follow up services to people with disabilities*

1027 Hooper Avenue, Bldg 6, 3rd floor  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-505-2310, 732-505-2319 TTY

## **New Jersey WINS**

*Social Security Work Incentives & Planning Program in addition to Cerebral Palsy of NJ and Family Resource Network /Epilepsy Foundation of NJ, funded by the US SSA.*

35 Beaverson Blvd., Bldg. 11  
Brick, NJ 08723  
866-946-7465 V/TTY

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

## **Plan to Achieve Self-Support (PASS)**

*Social Security Administration work incentive program for individuals seeking to start a business.*

800-772-1213  
800-325-0778 TTY

[www.ssa.gov](http://www.ssa.gov)

## **Ocean County Business Resource Center**

1027 Hooper Avenue, Bldg. 6, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-736-7221

## **Ocean County One Stop Career Center**

1959 Route 9  
Toms River, NJ 08755  
732-240-5995  
1027 Hooper Avenue, Bldg. 6  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-286-5627

[www.wnjp.in.net](http://www.wnjp.in.net)



## **ResCare (VOCA)**

3000 Lincoln Drive E., Suite S.

Marlton, NJ 08053

856-983-3303

[www.rescare.com](http://www.rescare.com)

## **SEARCH Adult Activities**

5100 Megill Road

Farmingdale, NJ 07727

732-938-3003

## **Ticket To Work Incentives**

*Voluntary Social Security Disability*

*Insurance and Supplemental Social Security*

*employment and training program for*

*eligible beneficiaries.*

866-968-7842

[www.yourtickettowork.com](http://www.yourtickettowork.com)

## ENERGY ASSISTANCE

### **Jersey Central Power & Light Customer Service Center**

525 Main Street  
Allenhurst, NJ 07711  
800-662-3115  
800-221-0479 TTY

[www.firstenergycorp.com](http://www.firstenergycorp.com)

### **Home, Heat & Hope-Emergency Services Div.-Catholic Charities**

200 Monmouth Ave., PO Box 364  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-363-5322

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

### **Ocean County Board of Social Services**

1027 Hooper Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-349-1500

### **O.C.E.A.N., Inc.**

*Weatherization & home energy assistance program.*

22 Hyers Street  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-244-9041 732-244-5333

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

### **NJ Division of Community Resources**

101 South Broad Street  
Trenton, NJ 08625  
Assist elderly, disabled, low-income individuals in weatherizing home, improving heating system efficiency & conserving energy.  
609-633-2378

[www.energyassistance.nj.gov](http://www.energyassistance.nj.gov)

### **NJ Lifeline**

Department of Health & Senior Services  
P. O. Box 715  
Trenton, NJ 08625  
800-792-9745

### **NJ Weatherization & Home Energy Assistance Program**

*Heating and cooling assistance to eligible residents.*

800-510-3102

### **St. Francis Center-Human Concerns**

*Offers support to low income families through help with utilities payments.*

4700 Long Beach Boulevard  
Brant Beach, NJ 08008  
609-494-8813 x121

### **Verizon Center for Customers with Disabilities**

P.O. Box 848  
Marlboro, MA 01752  
800-455-1786

## **Ambassador Medical Day Care**

Provides Adult Day Care, Transportation,  
Meals, Full-time nursing staff & activities  
619 River Avenue  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-367-1133

## **Bayada Nurses**

732-818-9898  
[www.bayada.com](http://www.bayada.com)

## **Cerebral Palsy of Monmouth & Ocean Counties, Inc.**

1701 Kneeley Boulevard  
Wanamassa, NJ 07712  
732-493-5900

## **Community Medical Center Home Health Program**

*Visiting Nurse Agency.*  
800-338-3131

## **Comfort Keepers**

*Provides assisted living services in home,  
non medical in home care.*  
864 Route 37 West, Suite 3  
Toms River, NJ 08755  
732-557-0010  
[www.comfortkeepers.com](http://www.comfortkeepers.com)

## **Family Support Center of New Jersey**

*Offers a comprehensive array of free  
services.*  
2516 Route 35 North  
Manasquan, NJ 08736  
732-528-8080  
800-FSC-NJ10 (NJ only)  
[www.fscnj.org](http://www.fscnj.org)

## **First Choice Home Care**

732-240-9333

## **Gentle Care Home Services, Inc.**

1180 Stelton Rd.  
Piscataway, NJ 08854  
732-777-0021

## **Griswold Special Care**

610 Main Street  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-914-9111  
[www.griswoldspecialcare.com](http://www.griswoldspecialcare.com)

## **Home Care for You, Inc.**

933 Lacey Road  
Forked River, NJ 08731  
Tel: 1-609-971-9009  
Website or email:  
[www.homecareforyouinc@yahoo.com](mailto:www.homecareforyouinc@yahoo.com)

## **Home Helpers (Brick, Pt. Pleasant, Bay Head)**

1800 Lanes Mill Road  
Brick, NJ 08724  
732-202-0411

## **Home Helpers (Lakewood, Jackson, Manchester, Toms River, Whiting)**

1000 State Highway 70 East  
Bldg. 9  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-364-7322  
[www.homehelpers.cc](http://www.homehelpers.cc)

## **Home Sweet Home Care, Inc.**

1072 Madison Avenue  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-886-2273

**Ocean County Board of Social Services**

*In home caregiver & education, home modification and personal response.*

1027 Hooper Avenue, Bldg. 4

Toms River, NJ 08753

732-349-1500

**Ocean County Health Department**

175 Sunset Ave., PO Box 2191

Toms River, NJ 08754-2191

732-341-9700

800-342-9738

732-831-6489 TTY Hearing Impaired Only

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

**Personal Assistance Services Program (PASP)**

*Assistance for people with disabilities.*

1027 Hooper Ave., Bldg. 4

Toms River, NJ 08754

732-505-3779

**Visiting Home Care Services of Ocean County**

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Toms River, NJ 08754

732-244-5565

**Young at Heart**

*Adult health & social day care center.*

2125 Route 88

Brick, NJ 08724

732-899-1331

115 Grawtown Road

Jackson, NJ 08527

732-928-9222

## **AIDS Community Care Alternatives**

*Program and Persons with AIDS Program  
Helps individuals with AIDS to remain in the  
community rather than a long-term facility.*

1027 Hooper Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-349-1500

## **American Cancer Society**

1035 Hooper Avenue, Suite 2  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
800-ACS-2345  
866-228-4327 TTY  
[www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org)

## **American Diabetes Association**

Center Pointe II, Suite 103  
1160 Route 22 East  
Bridgewater, NJ 08807  
732-469-7979  
[www.diabetes.org](http://www.diabetes.org)

## **American Heart Association**

1 Union Street, Suite 301  
Robbinsville, NJ 08691  
609-208-0020  
609-208-2906 (Fax)  
[www.americanheart.org](http://www.americanheart.org)

## **American Lung Association**

1031 Rte 22 W Suite 203  
Bridgewater, NJ 08807  
908-685-8040  
[www.lungusa.org](http://www.lungusa.org)

## **American Red Cross Jersey Coast Chapter**

175 Sunset Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08755  
732-349-2131  
800-327-9111

## **Chemed Health**

1771 Madison Avenue  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-364-2144  
[dfriedman@chemedhealth.org](mailto:dfriedman@chemedhealth.org)

## **Hepatitis Foundation International**

504 Blick Drive  
Silver Spring, MD 20904  
800-891-0707  
301-622-4702 (Fax)  
[www.hepfi.org](http://www.hepfi.org)

## **Hyacinth AIDS Foundation**

*Counsels AIDS patients. Provides services  
including case management, client  
advocacy, information & referral, support  
groups, buddy services and emergency  
financial assistance.*

317 George Street, Suite 203  
New Brunswick, NJ 08901  
732-246-0204  
800-433-0254 Voice  
[www.hyacinth.org](http://www.hyacinth.org)

## **NJ AIDS/STD Hotline**

*Provides referrals, general info., testing  
locations and treatment info  
University of Medicine & Dentistry*  
140 Bergen Street  
Newark, NJ 07101  
800-624-2377

## **NJ Chronic Fatigue Syndrome Association, Inc.**

PO Box 477  
Florham Park, NJ 07932  
888-835-3677  
[www.njcfsa.org](http://www.njcfsa.org)

**Dental Database by Matheny Institute**

*Resource for individuals seeking appropriate dental care for those with developmental disabilities.*

Matheny Institute for Research in  
Developmental Disabilities,  
Matheny Medical and Educational Center  
P.O. Box 339  
Peapack, NJ 07977  
908-234-0011 ext. 716  
[www.matheny.org](http://www.matheny.org)

**NJ Dental Association Donated Dental Services**

25 Kennedy Blvd  
Suite 400  
North Brunswick, NJ 08816  
732-296-6717

**NJ Medicaid Program**

800-356-1561

**NJ Medicare Program**

800-MEDICARE  
[www.medicare.gov](http://www.medicare.gov)

**Ocean County Health Department**

175 Sunset Avenue, PO Box 2191  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
Tel: 732-341-9700 & 1-800-342-9738  
TTY: 732-831-6489 (Hearing Impaired Only)  
[www.ochd.org](http://www.ochd.org)

**Ocean Health Initiatives, Inc.**

301 Lakehurst Road  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-552-0377  
101 2nd Street  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-363-6655  
[www.ohinj.org](http://www.ohinj.org)

**Pharmaceutical Assistance to the Aged and Disabled (PAAD)**

800-792-9745

**Pfizer Share Card**

*Prescription Drug Assistance Program.*  
866-776-3700  
[www.pfizersharecard.com](http://www.pfizersharecard.com)

**Scleroderma Foundation**

385 Kings Hwy. N  
Cherry Prof Bldg.  
Cherry Hill, NJ 08034  
866-675-5545  
[www.scleroderma.org](http://www.scleroderma.org)

**Sickle Cell Disease Association of America**

28 Lexington Avenue  
Jersey City, NJ 07303  
201-432-8459

**UMDNJ**

*Dental school providing a dental clinic for public care.*  
110 Bergin Street  
Newark, NJ 07103  
973-972-4242  
[www.umdj.edu/njdsweb](http://www.umdj.edu/njdsweb)

**United States Pharmaceutical Group, Inc. - Nations Health**

*Prescription Drug Assistance Program.*  
800-977-9655  
[www.uspgi.com](http://www.uspgi.com)

## NUTRITIONAL RESOURCES

### **Angel Food Ministries**

*Non-profit, non-denominational organization providing food relief in communities throughout the United State. Located throughout Ocean County.*  
-888-819-3745.

[www.angelfoodministries.com](http://www.angelfoodministries.com)

### **Mom Meals**

*Private pay home delivered meals. Preselected menu or customized available, and over 45 diabetic friendly dishes.*  
866-971-MOMS

[www.momsmeals.com](http://www.momsmeals.com)

### **NJ Anti-Hunger Coalition**

192 West Demarest Avenue  
Englewood, NJ 07631  
1-201-569-1804

[www.njahc@cfanjj.org](mailto:www.njahc@cfanjj.org)

### **Ocean County Board of Social Services**

1027 Hooper Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-349-1500

### **Ocean County Hunger Relief, Inc.**

917-5 Main Street  
Toms River, NJ 08753

732-505-4357

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

### **Ocean County Women, Infant and Children (WIC)**

Supplemental nutritional program for pregnant women, infants & children. 175 Sunset Ave.,  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-341-9700 & 1-800-342-9738 Toms River x7520 & Lakewood x7108

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

### **Presbyterian Church of Toms River**

253 Chestnut St.  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-341-4447

### **Project SHARE**

*Volunteer self-help & resource exchange agency.*

1027 Hooper Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-929-2091

### **The Salvation Army**

1738 Route 37 East  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-270-8393

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

### **The Food Bank of Monmouth and Ocean Counties**

3300 Rt. 66  
Neptune, NJ 07753  
732-918-2600

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

## **Arc of Ocean County**

815 Cedarbridge Avenue  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-363-3335

## **Camp Chatterbox at Children Specialized Hospital**

*Therapy camp for children ages 5-16, who use augmentative and alternative communication devices.*

150 New Providence Road  
Mountainside, NJ 07092  
908-301-5451

[campchatterbox@earthlink.net](mailto:campchatterbox@earthlink.net)

## **Camp Discovery**

1810 Warren Pt. Road  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-341-1000 x8418

## **Camp Reap**

*Summer camp program for children with neurological impairment, learning disabilities or communication difficulties.*

1 Main Street, Suite 413  
Eatontown, NJ 07724  
732-460-1071

## **Chariot Riders, Inc.**

*Therapeutic riding academy.*

3170 Chariot Court  
Manchester, NJ 08759  
732-657-2710

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

## **The Guided Tour, Inc.**

*Travel for persons With Developmental & Physical Challenges*

7900 Old York Road, Suite 111-B  
Elkins Park, PA 19027-2310  
215-782-1370

[www.guidedtours.com](http://www.guidedtours.com)

## **Handicapped High Riders Club**

*Horseback riding program for those with physical and cognitive challenges.*

145 Route 526  
Allentown, NJ 08501  
609-259-3884

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

## **Lightening Wheels (Wheelchair Sports) at Children Specialized Hospital**

150 New Providence Road  
Mountainside, NJ 07092  
888-244-5373 x5424

## **LBI Beach Wheelchair Reservations**

Barnegat Light 609-494-9196  
Beach Haven 609-492-0111  
Harvey Cedars 609-494-2843  
Long Beach Twp. 609-361-1000  
Ship Bottom 609-494-2171  
Stafford Twp. 609-597-1000  
Surf City 609-494-3064

## **Meadowedge Social Club**

550 East Bay Avenue  
Barnegat, NJ 08005  
1-609-698-0080 x 130 or 122  
1-609-698-3543

[www.barnegat.net](http://www.barnegat.net)

## **NJ Office of Recreation/Commission on Recreation for Individuals with Disabilities**

P.P. Box 811  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0811  
1-609-984-6654

[pswartz@dca.state.nj](mailto:pswartz@dca.state.nj)



### **Ocean County Parks & Recreation**

Tel: 732-506-9090

1198 Bandon Road

Toms River, NJ 08753

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

### **Outlaw Soccer**

[outlawsoccer@aol.com](mailto:outlawsoccer@aol.com)

### **Sail Habilitation**

9 Hospital Drive

Toms River, NJ 08753

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

### **Special Olympics**

*Sports competition for developmentally disabled children and adults.*

1324 12th Avenue

Toms River, NJ 08757

732-367-1533

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

### **Starlight Performers**

*Non-profit for disabled adults interested in performing on stage. No special talent required.*

393 Myrtle Street

Cliffwood, NJ 07721

### **Team Randy, Inc.**

*Services: for handicapped and under privileged children.*

888 Briarcliff Road

Toms River, NJ 08753

732-929-1302

### **Toms River East Little Challenger Baseball**

732-929-8671 - Jim Kelly

### **United States Association of Blind Athletes (USABA)**

*Provides athletic opportunities nationwide for people who are blind and visually impaired.*

33 North Institute Street

Colorado Springs, CO 80903

719-630-0422

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

### **VSA New Jersey**

703 Jersey Avenue

New Brunswick, NJ 08901

732-745-3885

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

### **YMCA**

1088 West Whitty Road

Toms River, NJ 08755

732-341-9622

[info@ocymca.org](mailto:info@ocymca.org)

## TRANSPORTATION

### **Access Link**

1 Penn Plaza East, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Newark, NJ 07105  
1-800-955-2321  
TTY- 1-800-955-6765

### **American Cancer Society-Road to Recovery**

1035 Hooper Ave., Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-818-3517 x2324 & 1-800-227-2345  
[www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org)

### **Caregiver's of Central Ocean County, Inc.**

253 Chestnut St.,  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-505-2273  
Medical transportation, grocery shopping, friendly visits, Alzheimer's Respite Care, regular respite care, paperwork and pet therapy.

### **Community Services, Inc. of Ocean County**

225 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
Lakewood, NJ 08701  
732-367-1400 x210.  
[www.csimow.org](http://www.csimow.org)

### **Dial a Ride of Stafford Twp.**

Shopping assistance and transportation  
1-609-597-1400

### **Interfaith Health and Support Services of Southern Ocean County, Inc.**

Strictly medical transportation on a limited basis.  
609-978-3839

### **NJ Transit Office of Special Services**

Provides commuter services through bus route & rail lines in NJ.  
One Pen Plaza East  
Newark, NJ 07105  
1-973-275-5555  
[www.njtransit.com](http://www.njtransit.com)

### **Ocean County Board of Social Services**

Medical Transportation  
1027 Hooper Avenue  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-349-1500  
333 Haywood Rd, Manahawkin, NJ.

### **Ocean Ride**

1959 Route 9 (Rear Building)  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-736-8989  
[www.co.ocean.nj.us/transportation](http://www.co.ocean.nj.us/transportation)

### **Reduced Fare Program - NJ Transit**

*Special rates are available for senior citizens 62 or older & people with disabilities.*

180 Bouden Avenue  
Maplewood, NJ 07040  
973-378-6401  
973-275-5555 Lift equipped buses  
800-772-2287 TTY

### **Wheelchair Getaways**

Accessible van rentals  
21104 70<sup>th</sup> Avenue Court  
Edmonds, Washington State 98026  
1-800-642-2042  
[www.wheelchairgetaways.com](http://www.wheelchairgetaways.com)

## **Community Medical Center Volunteer**

Resource Center  
99 Route 37 West,  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
Volunteers ages 16 yrs & up.  
732-557-8129

[cmcvolunteers@sbhcs.com](mailto:cmcvolunteers@sbhcs.com)

## **Easter Seal Society of New Jersey, Inc.**

25 Kennedy Blvd., Suite 600  
East Brunswick, NJ 08816  
Provide Services for People with Disabilities  
732-257-6662

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

## **Interfaith Health and Support Services of Southern Ocean County, Inc.**

609-978-3839

## **Ocean County Library Homebound Program**

101 Washington St.  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
732-349-6200 ext 5530

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

## **Providence House**

P.O. Box 414  
Whiting, NJ 08759  
732-244-8259

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

## **Retired & Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)**

*Matches individuals 55 & older to volunteer  
positions in non-profit agencies &  
organizations.*  
732-286-5888

## **Southern Ocean County Hospital Volunteers**

609-978-3101

## **St. Dominic's Church**

250 Old Squan Rd.  
Brick, NJ

**Brick residents only.**

732-840-1410

## **United Way of Ocean County**

650 Washington Street  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
732-240-0311

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

### **Where can I go to find transportation?**

Medical transportation services are available through the Ocean County Department of Transportation, and the Ocean County Board of Social Services (Medicaid only). Medical transportation services require advanced notice and each agency has different requirements. Volunteer transportation services are also available to eligible individuals through Caregivers of Central Ocean County, while transportation for eligible individuals for employment purposes is available through the Disability Employment Transportation Service (DETS). New Jersey Transit offers transportation services in Ocean County with a Reduced Fair Program. Applications for the Reduced Fair Program can be accessed through New Jersey Transit Office of Special Services.

### **Who do I contact if I have a problem with discrimination?**

The Americans with Disabilities Act Hotline can help with issues concerning public and private accessibility. The Fair Housing Act has an office that can assist in matters regarding housing discrimination. The Equal Employment Opportunity Commission provides information regarding discrimination in the workplace.

### **Where can I find housing and other housing related assistance?**

The Ocean County Housing Resource Guide can be obtained through the Ocean County Department of Human Services, Office of Senior Services as well as the Board of Social Services. This document is designed to assist with a variety of housing options. The Ocean County Board of Social Services offers rental assistance to those who are eligible however, rental assistance resources are limited. If an individual is in an extreme situation resulting in homelessness, the Ocean County Board of Social Services offers Special Response services to those who qualify.

### **What is Social Security Disability (SSD) and Supplemental Security Income (SSI)?**

SSD can be received at any age if an individual has worked long enough and has a severe impairment that prevents or delays future employment or if a medical condition is terminal. SSI is for individuals 65 or older or disabled who are financially needy.

## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

***Medicare*** - Hospital and medical insurance that helps pay for doctors' fees, outpatient hospital visits and other medical services and supplies to individuals who are 65 or older.

### **Ocean County Board of Social Services** (732-349-1500)

***Medicaid*** - Program that assists in payment of medical services for individuals with disabilities who meet income eligibility requirements.

***Personal Assistance Service Program (PASP)*** - Provides attendant services to physically disabled individuals enabling individuals to be employed, prepare for employment, or live independently in the community.

### **New Jersey Department of Labor & Workforce Development**

(609-292-4605)

***Workers Compensation*** - Benefits available if personal injury is caused to an employee by accident arising out of and in the course of his employment.

***Disability Insurance*** - Under the New Jersey Temporary Disability Benefits Law, benefits may be obtained when an individual cannot work because of sickness or injury not pertaining to work history.

***Unemployment Compensation*** - Provides temporary and partial wage replacement to involuntarily unemployed workers who were recently employed.

***Vocational Rehabilitation*** - Provides evaluation, vocational skills training, counseling, job placement and post employment services to individuals who are disabled and qualify for services.





**Ocean County Department of Human Services**

Jill Perez, Director  
Tracy Maksel, Assistant Director

**Office for Individuals with Disabilities**

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1027 Hooper Avenue  
Building 2, 3rd Floor  
PO Box 2191  
Toms River, NJ 08754  
Phone 732-506-5374  
TTY 732-506-5062



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