

*Kinship Care: a relative, other than a parent,  
who is raising children.*

## Kinship Care



# LOCAL RESOURCE GUIDE

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Raising a child is a rewarding lifelong commitment. Choosing to raise a relative's child for the good of that child's welfare and the collective family is immensely challenging, but also admirable.

The number of intergenerational families like yours is rising. Nationwide, more than seven million children live with grandparents, where some one in five of those grandparents serve as primary caretakers – an increase of more than 30 percent within the last 20 years alone, according to the U.S. Census Bureau. And these tallies don't include the countless uncles, aunts, cousins and older siblings who, despite considerable additional financial and emotional burdens, choose to step into that breach when parents walk away.

These are people filled with unconditional love for our next generation – people like you.

Yet, despite these statistics, the tools to make these efforts easier too often are not apparent. I created this resource guide to connect you with the appropriate local, state and national resources that are available to help and empower you and your family.

I want to thank you for making the commitment to take on parental responsibilities for a child or multiple children. I know it is a challenge but your unconditional love will have a lasting positive impact on that child.

Sincerely,

*Anthony H. Williams*

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## Behavioral Health/Mental Health

**Dept. of Behavioral Health Community Behavioral Health**..... 1-888-545-2600  
**Intellectual Disability Services**.....215-685-4677

**Project Share – Mental Health Association of Southeastern PA**.....215-751-1800

1211 Chestnut Street  
 Philadelphia, PA 19107

*Services Available: General information and referrals.*

**Community Behavioral Health (C.B.H.)**..... 1-888-545-2600

**Mental Health or Substance Abuse Emergencies**.....215-685-6440

Hours: 24 Hours/7 Days Week

*Services Available: Language services. The behavioral health system connects recipients of medical assistance (MA) to adults, child and adolescent mental health and substance abuse services. Clients must go through C.B.H. C.B.H. gives approval for treatment, and help with appointments, transportation, and emergencies.*

**Catholic Social Services**.....215-329-5660

Counseling Program  
 4400 North Reese Street

Philadelphia, PA 19140

*Services Available: emergency food, parenting classes and clothing.*

### Important Phone Numbers

**Suicide Hotline**.....215-626-4420

**Behavioral Health Special Initiative**.....215-546-1200

**Inpatient/Outpatient Mental/Shelter at 801 Market Street (no insurance)**

**Joseph J. Peters Institute (jjp.org)**.....215-701-1560

100 South Broad Street, 17th Floor  
 Philadelphia, PA 19110

*Services Available: Provides treatment in the area of sexual abuse; part of PHMC's Specialized Health Services component*

## Children and Family Resources

**CAP4Kids (The Children's Advocacy Project)** was developed in 2005 as a way for health-care providers, social workers, child advocates and parents and teens to find reliable, up-to-date information on community resources to help improve and enhance the lives of children and families. Each CAP4Kids city has its own content with local community resources organized into easy to locate Parent Handouts. They allow parents and families to find resources on a wide range of topics, ranging from after school programs and camps, to education resources or resources for children with special needs. There are resources for pregnant mothers, infants, school-aged children and teens.

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St. Christopher's Hospital for Children

Developer of Cap4Kids [www.cap4kids.org/philadelphia](http://www.cap4kids.org/philadelphia)

email: [capp4kids@lists.drexel.edu](mailto:capp4kids@lists.drexel.edu)

### Children's Crisis Treatment Center - Child Stability and Well Being

**Program (CSAW-PIP)**.....215-496-0707

1080 North Delaware Avenue, Suite 600

Philadelphia, PA 19125

*The goal of Child Stability and Well Being Program (CSAW-PIP) is to increase stable living situations for children involved with child welfare agencies. CSAW-PIP staff are located on site at designated child welfare agencies cross the city of Philadelphia. We train staff and caregivers at these agencies in*

research informed, interactive parenting skills (Child Adult Relationship Enhancement (CARE), offer a research proven therapeutic intervention to families with children 2-8 years old (Parent Child Interaction Therapy PCIT) and provide on-site consultation. CSAW-PIP is an effective program because it reaches people through multiple pathways and meets them where they are. By being on site at designated child welfare agencies, CSAW-PIP clinicians are more available for therapeutic interventions and to help staff and caregivers. The CARE training helps caregivers to not only learn useful information and skills, but also practice these skills during the training. Currently, CSAW-PIP is for families with children 2-10 years of age. We are co-located at Bethanna Foster Care Agency, Jewish Family and Children Foster Care Agency, and the following Community Umbrella Agencies (CUA): NET and APM. The program will be expanding to each of the new CUAs as they roll out. PCIT is also offered to children not involved in the child welfare system at CCTC's main building.

**Turning Points for Children.....**215-875-8200  
415 S. 15th St.  
Philadelphia, PA 19146

*Provides critical resources, life skills and supportive partnerships needed to create stronger families and children. Programs include: Time Out for Teens and Tots – Parenting Program, Family Empowerment Services – Preventative Services, Kids N’ Kin – Supporting Kinship Families, Families and Schools Together (FAST) – Parent Education and our Food and Wellness Network (FAWN) – Community food pantry and education. We also have several referral based programs for families involved with DHS including Family Finding, In-Home Protective Services and Emergency Family Needs Fund.*

**SCAN: Supportive Child/Adult Network, Inc.....**215-477-2199  
4950 Parkside Ave., Suite 200  
Philadelphia, PA 19131  
[www.scanpa.org](http://www.scanpa.org)

*Services available: multidisciplinary approach to prevent, treat and stop the cycle of child abuse and neglect, through the provision of family-based services and community education; home-based and multidisciplinary conducting several treatment options simultaneously within one family including substance abuse and recovery, child abuse, daycare services, child development and psychological counseling, and intergenerational support services for grandparents raising their grandchildren.*

**NATIONAL NURSING CENTERS CONSORTIUM (a PHMC affiliate)**  
1080 North Delaware Avenue, 3rd Floor, Suite 300D  
Philadelphia, PA 19125  
[www.nncc.us](http://www.nncc.us)

**Central call line for both programs.....**215-287-2114  
*Services available: Philadelphia Nurse Family Partnership is a Nurse Home Visiting Program for first time Mothers before 28th week of pregnancy. Mabel Morris Home Visiting Program for Pregnant – Parenting Mothers who have children up to 5 years of age.*

## Clothing & Food

**Church of the Advocate.....**215-236-0568  
2121 North Gratz Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19121

*Hours: Soup kitchen, Monday – Friday, Noon to 2 p.m.*

**Grands As Parents (GAP) .....**215-236-5848  
*Services Available: Emergency Food & Clothing*

**Turning Points for Children.....**215-875-8200  
*Services Available: Emergency Food and Formula Network*

**FAWN (Food and Wellness Network).....267-236-1558**

A program of Turning Points for children Contact: Alison Floyd..267-236-1558

*Services Available: Emergency Food and Formula Network*

**Share Food Program.....215-223-2220**

(www.sharefoodprogram.org)

**St. Vincent's Parish Hall.....215-438-1514**

109 East Price Street

Philadelphia, PA 19144

*Services Available: Emergency food bags available 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. Monday to Friday. Must live in 19144, 19138, 19150, 19119 (Feeding at the church on Saturday and Sunday from 12 p.m. for anyone)*

## **Day-Care/Subsidized/After-School Program/Camp**

**Child Care Information Services for Philadelphia.....1-888-461-5437**

*Services Available: Referrals & Subsidies for daycare summer camp. (Intake Phone)*

**North.....215-763-0100**

Eligibility: 19121, 19122, 19123, 19125, 19130, 19132, 19133

**Northwest.....215-842-4820**

Eligibility: 19118, 19119, 19126, 19127, 19128, 19129, 19138, 19140, 19141, 19144, 19150

**South Philadelphia, Center City.....215-271-1201**

Eligibility: 19102, 19103, 19106, 19107, 19112, 19145, 19146, 19147, 19148

**West/Southwest.....215-382-4762**

Eligibility: 19104, 19131, 19139, 19142, 19143, 19151, 19153

**Northeast.....215-333-1560**

Eligibility: 19111, 19114, 19116, 19120, 19124, 19134, 19135, 19149, 19152, 19154, 19136, 19137, 19149

**Elwyn Seeds Preschool Early Intervention.....215-222-8054**

4025 Chestnut Street

Philadelphia, PA 19104

*Services Available: Speech and language therapy, special instruction, occupational therapy, physical therapy, vision and hearing services, identified family services. Other services as deemed necessary by the IEP team. (For preschool kids ages 5 and up)*

**Child Link .....215-731-2110**

Philadelphia Health Management Corporation

260 South Broad Street, 18th Floor

Philadelphia, PA 19102-5085

*Services Available: Resources for children from birth to three years old of age with developmental delays or disabilities.*

**Grandma's Kids Program.....215.204.3105**

1700 North Broad St., Suite 412

Phila., PA 19121

*Services Available: After school programs and free family support services for kinship families at 4 sites around the city. Call for details.*

**Tutoring Services: contact your local school for tutoring information**

## Dental Care

**District Health Center # 3** .....215-685-7500

555 South 43rd Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19104

Hours: Monday – Friday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

*Services Available: Dental care offered to children and adults. Free family medical care for adults and children, prenatal and family planning, pharmacy, laboratory.*

**District Health Center # 5**.....215-685-2930

1900 North 20th Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19121

Hours: Monday – Friday 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

*Services Available: Dental care for children only, every day. Free family medical care for adults and children. No-cost or sliding scale fees available.*

**University of Pennsylvania Dental School**.....215-898-8962

4001 Spruce Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19104

Hours: Pediatric Dental Care: Monday - Friday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Adult Main Clinic: Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

*Services Available: Dental care for children and adults*

## Department of Human Services

**24 hour Child Abuse Hot Line**.....215-683-6100

*To report possible child abuse; suspected physical or sexual child abuse or severe neglect are investigated within 24 hours; all others investigated promptly.*

**Community-Based Prevention Services (CBPS)**.....215-683-4000

*Services Available: Community-based, voluntary services for children and families at risk of abuse, neglect or delinquency, including services for children and families not in DHS system. All of the services/programs offered through CBPS can be accessed by calling the Information Referral and Support Services (IRSS) staff. Services can be stopped at any time.*

- One time emergency monetary support.
- Case management for families.
- CAPTA services to pregnant or parenting mothers receiving substance abuse treatment
- Child Care eligibility.
- Specialized community and family support services, such as respite care and kinship.
- Domestic violence and sexual assault services.
- Education Support Center for children in DHS care.
- Housing Services to aid clients in finding stable housing.
- Intensive Prevention Services/Violence & delinquency prevention – intensive early intervention for high or at risk youth.
- After school activities (Out of School Time) for ages 5 - 21 referrals.
- Parenting education.
- Positive Youth Development programs – wide range of contracts with agencies that provide cultural, athletic, life skills, community services and other socialization and recreational programs for children and youth.
- Truancy prevention & intervention, for families involved in Regional Truancy or Family Court.
- Referrals also made for counseling; clothing, food, energy, furniture and housing assistance; lead poisoning testing, camp facilities, well baby care, HIV/AIDS screening, employment, tutoring, medical care, family advocacy, day care, mental health services, health insurance, mentoring/tutoring.

**Commissioners Action Response Office (CARO)**

*Services Available: for customer service complaints (4DHS)*.....215-683-6000

## Employment Services for Caregivers & Youth

<b>Free Library of Philadelphia</b> .....	215-686-5436
1901 Vine Street, 2nd Floor Philadelphia, PA 19103	
<b>(P.H.D.C) Job Center</b> .....	215-448-3000
1234 Market Street Philadelphia, PA 19107	
Contact: Mirtha Reyes • 17th floor.....	215-686-3000
<i>Services Available: provides job information, job placement, education opportunities, social services, weatherization, adoption, and counseling.</i>	
<b>Philadelphia Unemployment Project</b> .....	215-557-0822
1201 Chestnut Street, Suite 702 Philadelphia, PA 19107	
<i>Services Available: provides information, referrals and advocacy for low income and unemployed people about mortgage and utility assistance, rental assistance, job placement and training and access to health and hospital care. Bring resume if available.</i>	
<b>Team Pennsylvania Career Link</b> .....	215-560-5465
990 Spring Garden Street Philadelphia, PA 19123	
Hours: Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.	
<i>Services Available: Employment training and aptitude tests.</i>	
<b>Urban Affairs Coalition</b> .....	215-851-0110
1207 Chestnut Street Philadelphia, PA 19107	
www.uac.org	
<i>Services Available: Adult employment project &amp; jobs bank, Delaware Valley mortgage plan, dislocated worker program, summer youth employment programs, job placement for the homeless, workforce advisory council. Requirements: Summer youth employment programs: ages 14-21 and an appointment.</i>	

## Financial Assistance

<b>Financial Assistance</b>	
Philadelphia State Office Building.....	215-560-2900
Alden District.....	215-560-4800
Boulevard District.....	215-560-6500
Center District.....	215-560-3600
Delaney District.....	215-560-3700
Elmwood District.....	215-560-3800
Federal District.....	215-560-4400
Girard District.....	215-560-3500
Hill District.....	215-560-5200
Jefferson District.....	215-560-6600
Kent District.....	215-560-5400
Lehigh District.....	215-560-4600
North District.....	215-560-4000
Nursing Home District.....	215-560-5500
Ogontz District.....	215-560-5000
Ridge District.....	215-560-4900



Snyder District.....	215-560-4300
Tioga District.....	215-560-4700
Unity District.....	215-560-6400
Vine District.....	215-560-2301
West District.....	215-685-2424
<b>BenePhilly</b> .....	1(800) 236-2194 or 215-207-9100

Two Logan Square, Suite 550  
Philadelphia, PA 19103  
www.bdtrust.org

*For Seniors over sixty, staff not only determines what state and federal benefits seniors are eligible for, but actually follows through and enrolls the seniors; Benefits Data Trust (BDT), "The BenePhilly Enrollment Center", is a free one-stop shop for Philadelphia seniors to receive assistance with up to 5 public benefit applications over the phone (PACE/PACENET, Medicare Part D, Property Tax and Rent Rebate, LIHEAP Energy Assistance and SNAP Food Stamps). Hours: M - F, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.*

**Clarifi**.....215-563-5665  
1608 Walnut Street, 10th Floor  
Philadelphia, PA 19103  
*Provides a supportive environment for learning that leads to Lifelong Financial Literacy.*

## Housing

**AchievAbility**.....215-746-8750  
Van Lohr Apartments  
2125 South 61 Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19139

*Services Available: Subsidized housing, low-cost rental and case management. Van Lohr Apartment house has 25 female-headed families in this Section 8 Project. Families are selected through PACH's tenant management process. Requirements: Single parents only, must have custody or legal guardianship.*

**Office of Emergency Shelter and Services (OESS)**.....215-686-6782  
1315 Cherry Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19107

*Intake office: 141 North Juniper Street. Services Available: Intake Service, Mental Health Service, Outreach Service, Emergency Shelter Services, Case Management Service, Adult Protective Services, State Emergency Food Distribution Program, OESS Housing Services, Emergency Response Services, Eviction Prevention Services, Transition Housing Services, Shelter Plus Care, Permanent Housing Services and Housing Inspection Services.*

**El Concilio**  
**Council for Spanish Speaking Organizations of Philadelphia, Inc.**.....215-627-3100  
705-09 North Franklin Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19123  
www.elconcilio.net

*Services include pre-purchase assistance, credit counseling and repair, utility and other emergency assistance, foreclosure prevention, and more.*

**People Emergency Center** .....215-382-7522  
*Services Available: emergency shelter for women and teens with custody of their children.*

### Important Housing Phone Numbers

Philadelphia Housing Authority.....	215-684-4400
Section 8 Certificate Programs.....	215-684-4300
Rat Control.....	215-685-9000

**New Courtland Center Post Village Apartments**.....215-387-7707  
 55 North 40th Street 1- 888-530-4913  
 Philadelphia, PA 19104

*Services available: 1, 2, & 3 bedroom apartments designed for individuals and families, located in the Powelton section of West Philadelphia. Rent is capped at 30% of resident's monthly income, with work and life-related services on site, such as computer training, job placement, health & wellness and after-school program. Intergenerational families welcome, as long as resident signing lease is age 18 years or older.*

### **City of Philadelphia Office of Supportive Housing**

*Services available: Emergency housing placement and services for families with children, at the following locations:*

- *for families of children of single women: Appletree Family Center, 1430 Cherry Street, 215-686-7150/51, M-F: 7 a.m. - 3 p.m. and Salvation Army, Eliza Shirley House, 1320 Arch Street, 215-568-5111.*
- *for families with children of single women seeking placement after 4 p.m.: Salvation Army -Red Shield Family Residence, 715 N. Broad St., Phila. 215-787-2887.*
- *for individual or family seeking financial assistance and/or having been displaced or made homeless and residents with court ordered evictions: Emergency Assistance & Response unit, 5252 N. 13th St. Phila. — M-Th, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.; walk – ins only - no phone calls. Info line: 215-685-9087*

**H.E.L.P. Philadelphia**.....215-473-7451  
 4910 Wyalusing Avenue  
 Philadelphia, PA 19131

*A transitional housing program for women and their children; part of PHMC's Specialized Health Services component.*

## **Legal Assistance**

**Education Law Center**.....215-238-6970  
 1315 Walnut Street  
 Philadelphia, PA 19107

*Services Available: The Education Law Center is a public interest law firm that provides free legal advice to parents, students, and organizations concerned with the public elementary and secondary school system in Pennsylvania.*

**Women's Law Project**.....215-928-9801  
 125 South 9th Street, Suite 300 (fax) 215-928-9849  
 Philadelphia, PA 19107

*Services Available: Telephone counseling, referral services providing legal information on such topics such as divorce, child/spousal support, custody, domestic violence, and employment discrimination. Services are free.*

**Disability Rights Network of PA**.....215-238-8070  
 The Philadelphia Building, 1315 Walnut Street, Suite 500 (fax) 215-772-3126  
 Philadelphia, PA 19107-4798

*Services Available to assist adults and children with disabilities on issues relating to education, employment, transportation, public accommodations, and government services.*

**SeniorLAW Center**.....215-988-1244  
 100 S. Broad Street, Suite 1810 Intake number 215-988-1242  
 Philadelphia PA 19110

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

*Services Available: Free legal advice, information, extended representation and advocacy for seniors sixty and older residing in Philadelphia.*

**Pennsylvania SeniorLAW Helpline**.....1-877-727-7529

*Services Available: Free legal advice, information and referral services for seniors sixty and older residing in any county of Pennsylvania.*

**Philadelphia Legal Assistance.....215-981-3800**

42 S. 15th Street, 5th Fl.  
Philadelphia, PA 19102

*Services Available: Free legal services available to financially eligible people in Philadelphia, regarding welfare, medical assistance, unemployment, foreclosure, bankruptcy, and family law (only via phone intake at 215-981-3838). Walk-in intake available Mondays & Wednesdays, 9 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.; Telephone intake available Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:30 a.m. - noon.*

**Support Center for Child Advocates.....215-925-1913**

1900 Cherry Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19103

*Services Available: free legal assistance and social service advocacy for abused and neglected children in Philadelphia County.*

**Community Legal Services**

**Center City Office.....215-981-3700**

1424 Chestnut Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19102

**Center North Central.....215-227-2400**

3638 N. Broad Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19140-4136

*Services Available: Free legal services available to financially eligible people in Philadelphia.*

**Medical**

**Wilson Park Medical Center.....215-329-5660**

2520 Snyder Avenue  
Philadelphia, PA 19145

*Services Available: Center provides internal medicine, pediatric medicine, obstetrics, gynecology, alcoholism counseling, complete range of dental services, and foot care.*

**Woodland Avenue Health Center.....215-726-9807**

5000 Woodland Avenue  
Philadelphia, PA 19143

*Services Available: Speech and language therapy, special instruction, occupational therapy, physical therapy, vision and hearing services, identified family services. Other services as deemed necessary by the IEP team. (For preschool kids ages 5 and up)*

**Planned Parenthood of Southeastern Pennsylvania .....215-351-5500**

1144 Locust Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19107

*Services Available: Reproductive health care for women, teens, and men including birth control, emergency contraception, walk-in pregnancy testing, counseling and referrals, gynecological exams, STD testing, HIV testing.*

**Philadelphia Health Care Centers.....215-685-6790**

Center #1 • 1400 Lombard Street, Philadelphia, PA 19146.....215-685-6570

Center #2 • 1720 S. Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19145.....215-685-1803

Center #3 • 555 S. 43rd Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104.....215-685-7500

Center #4 • 4400 Haverford Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19104.....215-685-7600

Center #5 • 1900 N. 20th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19121.....215-685-2933

Center #6 • 321 W. Girard Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19123.....215-685- 3808

Center #9 • 131 E. Cheltenham Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19144.....215-685-2253

Center #10 • 2230 Cottman Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19149.....215-685-0639

Strawberry Mansion Health Center.....215-685-2424  
2840 Dauphin Street, Philadelphia, PA 19132

## **Important Phone Numbers**

Poison Control Center.....	215-386-2100
Philadelphia Health Department Human Resources.....	215-685-5675
Lead Poisoning Prevention.....	215-685-2313
Children’s Health Insurance Program.....	1-800-986-KIDS

## **Community Court Nursing Center.....215-683-1584**

Nurse Center at Community Court

1401 Arch Street, 2nd Floor

Philadelphia, PA 19102

*A nurse-managed health center for people brought before Community Court; part of PHMC’s Specialized Health Services component.*

## **New Courtland LIFE Program.....267-335-1500 (LIFE = Living Independently for Elders).....1-888-530-4913**

5457 Wayne Avenue

Philadelphia, PA 19144

*Services available: All needed medical and supportive services, including care and services to seniors with chronic care needs, enabling them to maintain their independence in their homes; aged 55 and older and are certified to need nursing home care.*

*PHA partners with two LIFE providers, Mercy LIFE and NewCourtland LIFE, to offer the program on site at two PHA senior properties – the Pratt Apartments at Greater Grays Ferry Estates and Germantown House. For more information about the LIFE programs, contact the LIFE Centers:*

## **Mercy LIFE program.....215-339-4747**

*Mercy LIFE is a nationally recognized Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) that offers older adults a total solution for long-term care. Our program provides medical and social services, at home and at the Mercy LIFE Day Centers, helping older adults maintain their independence.*

## **Mercy LIFE at Moore Street (Conswiller B. Pratt Apartments)**

3001 Moore Street

Philadelphia, PA 19145

## **Mercy Life at Broad Street**

1930 S. Broad Street

Philadelphia, PA 19145-2304

## **Mercy LIFE at Hancock**

3240-64 N. Hancock Street

Philadelphia, PA 19140

## **LIFE UPenn (Penn School of Nursing).....215-573-7200**

508 Chestnut Street

Philadelphia, PA 19139-3608

*Live in zip codes 19103, 19104, 19121, 19130, 19131, 19139, 19142, 19143, 19151 or 19153*

## **Congreso Health Center.....215-765-2272**

216 West Somerset Street

Philadelphia, PA 19133

*Provides primary health care, health promotion and wellness services.*

## **Mary Howard Health Center.....215-592-4500**

125 S. 9th Street

Philadelphia, PA 19107

*Philadelphia’s only primary care center for the homeless; part of PHMC’s Specialized Health Services component.*

<b>PHMC Care Clinic</b> .....	215-825-8220
11200 Callowhill Street, Suite 101 Philadelphia, PA 19123 <i>A health center for people living with HIV/AIDS; located in St. Joseph's hospital; part of PHMC's Clinical Services and Quality Management department.</i>	
<b>PHMC Health Connection</b> .....	215-765-6690
1035 West Berks Street Philadelphia, PA 19122 <i>A nurse-managed health center in North Philadelphia; part of PHMC's Specialized Health Services component.</i>	
<b>Rising Sun Health Center</b> .....	215-279-9666
5675 North Front Street Philadelphia, PA 19120 <i>A nurse-managed health center in Philadelphia's Logan/Olney neighborhood; part of PHMC's Specialized Health Services component.</i>	

## Other Contacts

### In-Home Services

Kids n' Kin @ Turning Points for Children.....215-875-8200

**Philadelphia Corporation for Aging**.....215-765-9040

*For seniors 60+ who need direct and referral services; and for information on senior centers throughout the city.*

**United Way of SE Region**.....215-568-3750

**211** (dial 2-1-1) *Hotline connects people with important health and human services in their communities – for everyday needs and crisis situations.*

**Recreation**.....215-685-2708

[www.phila.gov/parksandrecreation](http://www.phila.gov/parksandrecreation)

## Repairs & Energy Assistance

**Philadelphia Housing Development Corporation**.....215-448-2160

1234 Market Street

Philadelphia, PA 19107

*Services Available: grants and low interest loans for Weatherization; Basic Systems Repair Program for emergency repairs of electrical, plumbing or structural problems posing health and safety threats; Adaptive Modification Program for free major house adaptations for the physically disabled; Heater Hotline, for free heater repairs.*

**Energy Coordinating Agency of Philadelphia, Inc.**.....215-988-0929

1501 Cherry Street

Philadelphia, PA 19102

*Services Available: This group provides referrals to various fuel assistance, weatherization, and energy-related home repair programs.*

### Important Phone Numbers

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP).....311

or

215-684-6100

PGW Weatherization Program: North Philadelphia .....215-235-1000

215-923-4223

- Rebuilding Together Philadelphia (RTP)**.....215-568-5044  
*Services Available: Free home repairs by a corps of volunteers to eligible homeowners in North and West Philadelphia.*
- Senior Housing Assistance program (SHARP)** call PCA.....215-765-9040  
*Services Available: Grants for home repairs for Philadelphia residents age 60 or older.*
- Philadelphia Home Improvement Loan (PHIL)**.....215-854-6515  
*Services Available: Provides low interest loans for home improvements or repairs: call the Redevelopment Authority.*

## Respite

- The Family Friends Kinship Program**.....215-204-3199  
Temple University  
1700 N. Broad Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19122  
*Services Available: Respite days, in-home respite, information, referral and counseling.*
- Sally Watson Center**.....215-844-6931  
5128 Wayne Avenue  
Philadelphia, PA 19144  
*Services Available: 24 Hour emergency childcare center for children 0-5. Hotline and counseling services available, as well as other programs. Crisis or emergency child care for 30 days. Call for details.*
- Baring House**.....215-386-0251  
3401 Baring Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19104  
*Services Available: 24-hour emergency childcare center for children 0-5. Hotline and counseling services available, as well as other programs. Emergency child care for 30 days. Call for details.*

## Support Groups

- CLDA – Nana's Legacy**.....267-456-0789  
*A Grandparent and Kinship Program  
(A Program of Resources for Human Development, Inc.)  
3721 Midvale Avenue, 1st floor  
Philadelphia, PA 19129  
Services Available: Support group that meets the second Saturday of each month from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Children meet the second Saturday, ages 2 - 13. Other programs available. Call for details.*
- Grands as Parents (G.A.P.s)**.....215-236-5848  
African American United Fund Building  
2227 N. Broad Street, Suite 103  
Philadelphia, PA 19132
- Grand Central, Inc.–Kinship Care Resource Center**.....215-557-1554  
1211 Chestnut Street, Suite 200  
Philadelphia, PA 19107  
*Meeting held the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of every month. Open to all relative caregivers.*
- Second Time Around Parents (Media, PA)**.....610-566-7540 #227
- Supportive Older Women’s Network (SOWN)**.....215-487-3000 #24  
*11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Children meet the second Saturday, ages 2 - 13. Other programs available. Call for details.*

**Center in the Park.....215-848-7722**

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

e-mail: [info@centerinthepark.org](mailto:info@centerinthepark.org)

*Visit us on Facebook or stop by 5818 Germantown Avenue in Historic Vernon Park - Mon-Fri.  
8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.*

*Center in the Park is a community center that promotes positive aging and fosters community connections for older adults (55+) whose voices are critical instruments in shaping its activities and direction. CIP is accredited by the National Institute of Senior Centers, a unit of the National Council on Aging as a provider of excellent programs, activities and services for its active membership of more than 5,000 older adults and its 1,000 homebound clients.*

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### ♥ Philadelphia Housing Authority

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### ♥ Philadelphia Nurse Family Partnership – NNCC

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### ♥ SeniorLAW Center

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cmcabe@seniorlawcenter.org  
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### ♥ Support Center for Child Advocates

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### ♥ Supportive Older Women's Network

GrandFamily Resource Center  
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### ♥ Temple Intergenerational Center:

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