

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

HOUSING RESOURCES

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- One-stop housing resource for affordable housing, eviction, emergency, housing, or help paying mortgage to avoid foreclosure
- Call (2-1-1)

The Greentree Shelter

- Emergency family shelter for families facing sudden homelessness
- (240)-858-2749

Montgomery County Department of Health and Human Services

- Provides coordination of services to homeless individuals and families
- (240)-777-0311

Betty Ann Krahnke Center – DV Specific

- Must be referred by the Montgomery County Crisis Center: (240)-777-4000

BASIC NEEDS RESOURCES

So What Else (food pantry and thrift store)

- Contact Megan Joe at (240)-705-4345

A Wider Circle (furniture, household goods, baby items)

- By appointment, call (301)-608-3504 to schedule

Capital Area Food Bank (emergency food assistance)

- (202)-644-9807
- hungerlifeline@capitalareafoodbank.org

SHARE Food Network at Mt. Cavalry Baptist Church (discounted groceries)

- (301)-330-6135

Interfaith Works (food, clothing, vocational services)

- (301)-762-8682
- www.iworksmc.org/assistance

Montgomery County Food Council resource map:

- <https://mocofoodcouncil.org/map/>

IMMIGRATION LEGAL RESOURCES

Gilchrist Immigrant Resource Center

- (240)-777-4960

Ayuda

- (240)-594-0600

Asian Pacific American Legal Resource Center

- (202)-393-3572

Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society

- (800)-442-7714

Montgomery County Bar Foundation Pro Bono Program

- (301)-424-7651

MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

Suicide and crisis lifeline

- Call (9-8-8)

National Alliance on Mental Illness

- Montgomery County helpline: (301)-949-5852
- Monday-Friday from 9am-4pm

Montgomery County Access to Behavioral Health Services

- (240)-777-1770
- Mental health and substance abuse screening program for Montgomery County residents without commercial insurance

House of Ruth 24-Hour Hotline – DV specific

- (410)-889-7884

Montgomery County Abused Persons Program 24-Hour Crisis Services

- (240)-777-4000

Maryland Domestic Violence and Referral Services

- (800)-634-3577

CRIME VICTIMS COMPENSATION

Maryland Crime Victims' Resource Center

- (301)-952-0063

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DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND FAMILY LAW LEGAL RESOURCES

Montgomery County Family Justice Center

- Legal advice and other services (including housing, employment, counseling, and basic needs referrals) for protective orders and family law matters
- (240)-773-0444
- 600 Jefferson Plaza, Suite 500

Victim Assistance and Sexual Assault Program

- Support and court accompaniment during legal procedures and collaboration with the police, state's attorney's office, and other county agencies upon client request
- 24-hour telephone and walk-in crisis counseling, information, and referral
- Assistance in application for income-eligible victims from the Crime Victims' Compensation Fund
- (240)-777-1355
- vasap@montgomerycountymd.gov

Maryland Coalition Against Sexual Assault's Sexual Assault Legal Institute (SALI)

- Provides comprehensive legal services to survivors of sexual violence in both criminal and civil matters
- (301)-565-2277

Montgomery County Circuit Court Family Law Self-Help Center

- Free legal assistance for simple family law matters
- (240)-777-9145
- 50 Maryland Ave, South Tower, room 1500

Child Justice

- Free legal services for Maryland-based cases involving child abuse, child sexual abuse, and/or interpersonal violence
- <https://child-justice.org/work/request-help/>

Montgomery County Office of Child Support

- Questions regarding the status of child support
- (800)-332-6347
- montgomerycountyoffice.childsupport@maryland.gov

Montgomery County Bar Foundation Pro Bono Program

- Legal services for low-income Montgomery County residents in divorce, custody, and adoption cases
- (301)-424-7651

House of Ruth Maryland Legal Services

- Free legal advice for domestic violence survivors regarding protective orders
- (410)-554-8463
- legal@hruthmd.org
- Montgomery County Judicial Center: 50 Maryland Avenue, Room 1500

Maryland Legal Aid

- Can provide free legal services for custody, divorce, or domestic violence cases for those below 125% of the federal poverty income guidelines
- (888)-465-2468

Bar Association of Montgomery County Lawyer Referral Service

- If you are in a situation in which it is important for you to know your legal rights, but are confused about how to find a lawyer, the LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE can assist you by telephone:
- Phone: 301-279-9100 (Telephone intakes only, no walk-ins); Hours: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm, Monday through Friday
- (Spanish Speaking Operator Available)
- For After Hour Referrals, please use our online referral link: <https://barmont.community.lawyer/301-279-9100>