

Homeless Prevention

All assistance based on availability of funds

Bergen County Board of Social Services
(201) 368-4317

Security Deposits, Rent, Utilities
TANF, GA, SSI (eligible/ receiving)
218 Route 17 North, Rochelle Park
M - F: 8am - 4:30pm; T: open until 8 pm

Bergen County Housing, Health and Human Services Center
(Housing Authority of Bergen County)
(201) 336-6490

Security Deposits, Rent arrears
120 South River Street, Hackensack
M - F: 9am - 5pm; Must Call for Appointment
<https://habcnj.org>

CarePlus NJ Kinship Program
(201) 398-9110 Ext: 5645

Security Deposits, Rent, Utilities
Grandparents/relatives caring for children
M - F: 9am - 5pm

Center for Food Action
(201) 569-1804

Security Deposits, Rent, Utilities
192 W. Demarest Avenue, Englewood
M - F: 9am - 5pm; T: 9am - 7pm

Greater Bergen Community Action, Inc. Homeless Prevention Program
(201) 488-5100ext. 7041 or 7166
Security Deposits, Rent
294 Union Street, Hackensack
M - F: 9am - 5pm; by appointment only

LIHEAP and Universal Services Fund
Information and Application Process

Low-Income Heat & Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) Utilities
(201) 488-5100
M - F: 9am - 4pm

Jewish Family Service
(201) 837-9090
Rent, Utilities
1485 Teaneck Road, Teaneck
M - F: 9am - 5pm

Never Alone Again Domestic Violence Organization & Resource Center
(201) 289-1718
Sat: 8:30am - 12:30pm; T, W: 11am - 1pm

NJ Buddies
201-489-2900
Security Deposits, Rent, Utilities
People with HIV/AIDS
149 Hudson Street, Hackensack
M - F: 9am - 5pm; by appointment

NJ 2-1-1
Dial 2-1-1 (24/7)
www.nj211.org

Bergen County's United Way, Compassion Fund
Security Deposits, Rent, Utilities
Apply 2-1-1 Only

Social Service Assoc. of Ridgewood and Vicinity
(201) 444-2980
Security Deposits, Rent, Utilities
Residents of Waldwick, Ridgewood, Glen Rock, Ho-Ho-Kus, Midland Park, and Wyckoff
6 Station Plaza, Ridgewood
M, Th: 9am - 3pm; T, W: 9am - 1pm

Emotional Support

BC Department of Health Services
Division of Mental Health Services
(201) 634-2750
Referral to Appropriate Mental Health or Substance Abuse Services.

Mental Health 24/7 Crisis Hotline
(201) 262-HELP (4357)

Mental Health 24/7 Urgent Care Clinic
(201) 957-1800

Clothing

Bergen County Board of Social Services
(201) 368-4317
TANF/GA/SI (eligible/receiving)victims natural disasters
218 Route 17 North, Rochelle Park
M - F: 8am - 4:30pm; T: open until 8pm

H.O.P.E. Individual and Family Services
(201) 310-8110
Including Bergen ex-offenders within 30 days of release
64 Passaic Street Hackensack

Salvation Army
(201) 342-6531
436 Union Street, Hackensack
M - F: 9:30am - 2pm

Women's Rights Information Center
(201) 568-1166
108 West Palisade, Englewood
M - F: 9am - 5pm; by appointment

Shelter

Bergen County Board of Social Services
(201) 368-4200
TANF, GA, SSI (eligible/ receiving)
218 Route 17 North, Rochelle Park
M - F: 8am - 4:30pm; T: until 8pm

Bergen HEARTS Family Shelter Bergen HEARTS Bridge Housing
(201) 634-3060
Call for assessment and referrals.

Bergen County Housing, Health and Human Services Center
(201) 336-6480
Single Men and Women
Assessment prior to shelter entry
120 South River Street, Hackensack

Local Welfare Director
Call the local police station to get the number for Single Men and Women

Center for Hope and Safety Hotline
(201) 944-9600
Battered women

Bergen County Division of Family Guidance Juvenile/Family Crisis Unit Hotline
201-336-7350
All youth under 18 years old

Bergen's Place Youth Center
(201) 336-3951
Youth 11 - 17
200 North Street, Teterboro

Food and Nutrition

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps)
(201) 368-4200
BC Board of Social Services
218 Rte. 17 N, Rochelle Park
M - F: 8am - 4:30pm; T: until 8pm

Prepared Meals
(201) 336-6475
BC Housing, Health and Human Services Center
120 South River Street, Hackensack (Every Day)
Lunch- 11:30am - 12:30pm; Dinner: 5pm - 6pm

Bergen County Office of Food Security
(201) 336-7464
officeoffoodsecurity@bergencountynj.gov
One Bergen County Plaza, 2nd Floor, Hackensack

Scan to find your local food pantry



Finding a Place to Live

A Permanent Place to Stay

Fair Housing Council of Northern NJ

(201) 489-3552

M - F: 9am - 5pm

H.O.P.E. Individual and Family Services

(201) 310-8110

Including Bergen ex-offenders within 30 days of release 64 Passaic Street Hackensack

Center for Hope and Safety Hotline

(201) 944-9600

Advocacy for Present/Former Residents of the Center

Sharing Household Expenses

Women’s Rights Information Center

(201) 568-3942 Ext. 1166

Shared housing for single parent families and others 108 W. Palisade Avenue, Englewood

M - F: 9am - 5pm

Moving Costs

Bergen County Board of Social Services

(201) 368- 4317

TANF, GA, SSI recipients

218 Route 17 North, Rochelle Park

M - F: 8am - 4:30pm; T: open until 8pm

Several Sources Shelter

1-800-662-2678

Housing Authorities

M-F 9am - 4pm

Bergen County

(201) 336- 7600

Cliffside Park

(201) 941- 0655

Edgewater

(201) 943- 6000

Englewood

(201) 871- 3451

Fort Lee

(201) 947- 7400

Garfield

(973) 340- 4170

Hackensack

(201) 342- 4280

Lodi

(973) 470- 3650

Veterans Information

1-855-483-8466

Natural Disaster

The American Red Cross of Northern NJ

Disaster Services Hotline

1-800-507-6058

Legal Guidance

The American Red Cross of Northern NJ

Disaster Services Hotline

1-800-507-6058

Northeast New Jersey Legal Services

Bergen County Division

201-487-2166

190 Moore Street, Suite 100, Hackensack

M - F: 8:30am - 5pm

Community Mental Health Law Project

201-634-2762

Legal and Advocacy for the mentally ill

One Bergen County Plaza, 4th Floor, Hackensack

M - F: 9am - 4:30pm, by appointment

Legal Services of New Jersey

1-888-LSNJ-LAW

Helpful Websites

Apartment Search

www.njhousing.gov

www.newjerseycraigslist.org

Legal Assistance

www.lsnj.org

Program/Services Search

www.nj211.org

Supports Search

www.njhelps.org

Federal Benefits

www.benefits.gov

Employment

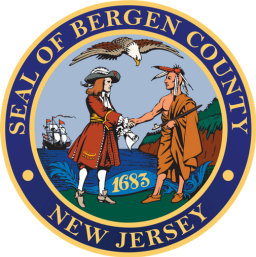
Bergen County Job Center

(Formerly One Stop Career Center)

(201) 329-9600

60 State Street, Hackensack

M - F: 9am - 4pm



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Guide to Emergency
Assistance and
Related Services

If you need a place to sleep, call:

The Homeless Hotline 2-1-1
or visit NJ211.org
or scan the QR code below:



For Emergency Dial 911

One Bergen County Plaza, 2nd Floor
Hackensack, NJ 07601
Phone: (201) 336-7474
www.bergencountynj.gov