

Hamilton Township Resource Guide for Persons with Special Needs



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*Advancing Opportunities		X		X					X
Allies Inc.	X		X		X		X		X
Alvin E.Gershen Apartments			X						
*Autism Family Services of NJ		X			X	X	X		
*Autism New Jersey		X		X		X			
*Arc/Mercer	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Hamilton AMC 24 Theater							X		
Ashleys Quest				X					
Capital Health	X								
*Carrier Clinic	X								
Children's Specialized Hospital	X	X			X				
Comfort Keepers						X			
*Enable		X	X	X	X	X	X		X
*GBS-CIDP Foundation		X							
Hamilton Area YMCA					X		X		
Hamilton Parents of All Learners		X							
Hamilton Public Library									
Liberty Healthcare Services						X			
MECHA		X							
Mercer Adult Training Center				X		X			X

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Miracle League of Mercer County									
Mobile Meals of Hamilton Twp. Inc.									
NAMI Mercer NJ	X	X			X		X		
*NJ Transit Access Link								X	
Princeton House Behavioral Health	X								
Progressive Center for Independent Living					X		X		X
Project Freedom			X				X		
Pump It Up of Hamilton							X		
Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital	X								
Visitation Home			X	X					
Veteran's Park – Accessible Playground					X				
We Care Health Services						X			

**Agencies not based in Hamilton Twp. but are heavily involved within the community by providing services*

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Advancing Opportunities

1005 Whitehead Road Extension, Suite 1
Ewing, NJ 08638
888-322-1918

www.advopps.org

Advancing Opportunities has been providing quality services, supports, education and advocacy to individuals with disabilities and their families to help them lead full lives. We deliver our services in the community, creating opportunities and welcome environments for people with all types of disabilities.

Allies, Inc.

1262 Whitehorse-Hamilton Square Rd.
Hamilton, NJ 08690
(609) 689-0136

www.alliesnj.org

Allies, Inc. is an accredited statewide nonprofit agency providing assistance in areas of housing, healthcare, employment and recreation for individuals with disabilities to live and work as independently as possible with dignity, respect, and understanding.

Alvin E. Gershen Apartments

1655 Klockner Rd.
Hamilton, NJ 08619
(609) 890-9401

Provides housing for seniors and people with disabilities.

Arc/Mercer

801 New York Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08638
609-989-9211

www.arcmercer.org

The Arc Mercer is committed to empowering all people with developmental and intellectual disabilities to choose and realize their goals. Our programs provide individuals with disabilities exposure to a variety of social, recreational, and vocational opportunities within their community.

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Ashleys Quest

16 Jimarie Ct.
Hamilton, NJ 08620
(609) 581-2564

www.ashleysquest.net

Ashleys Quest serves young adults with disabilities with hands on activities in a fully functioning apartment.

Autism Family Services of New Jersey (AFSNJ) & Caregivers Support

The Family Resource Network
1 AAA Drive, Suite 203
Robbinsville, NJ 08691
877-237-4477

www.autismfamilyservicesnj.org

With after school services such as arts and crafts, physical education, music therapy, respite opportunities and recreational programs, Autism Family Services of New Jersey strives to ensure a better quality of life for people with autism and their families.

Autism New Jersey

The New Jersey Center for Outreach and Services for the Autism Community, Inc.
1450 Parkside Avenue, Suite 22
Ewing, NJ 08638
609-883-8100

www.autismnj.org

Autism New Jersey is a nonprofit agency providing information and advocacy, services, family and professional education, and consultation.

Capital Health

1445 Whitehorse-Mercerville Rd. Suite 103
Hamilton, NJ 08619
(609) 278-6998

www.capitalhealth.org

Offer mental health services for all populations.

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Carrier Clinic

252 County Road 601
Belle Mead, NJ 08502
800-933-3579

www.carrierclinic.org

Carrier Clinic specializes in psychiatric and substance abuse addiction treatment, and provides a complete array of expert care and education for adolescents, adults and older adults on the inpatient and residential levels.

Children's Specialized Hospital

3575 Quakerbridge Road
Hamilton, NJ 08619
609-631-2800

www.childrens-specialized.org

Serves children affected by brain injury, spinal cord dysfunction and injury, premature birth, autism, developmental delays, and life-changing illnesses. Renowned therapeutic programs include physical, speech, and occupational therapy; psychology services; neurodevelopmental physician services; recreational therapy and child life, and a full complement of support services.

Enable, Inc.

13 Roszel Road
Princeton, NJ 08540
609-987-5003

www.enablenj.org

Enable, Inc. is non-profit agency devoted to supporting individuals with disabilities to live full and independent lives by providing services, supports, programs and living arrangements that promote consumer choice and full inclusion into community life.

GBS-CIDP Foundation

104 ½ Forrest Ave
Narberth, PA 19072
610-667-0131

www.gbs-cidp.org

Support group for patients and families who suffer with GBS or Guillain-Barre Syndrome.

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Hamilton AMC 24 Movie Theater

Sensory Friendly Films

325 Sloan Ave.

Hamilton, NJ 08619

(609) 890-4900

www.amctheaters.com/movie-theaters/amchamilton24

The program provides a special opportunity for families to enjoy their favorite films in a safe and accepting environment. The auditoriums dedicated to have their lights up, sound turned down and audience members are invited to get up and dance, walk, shout or sing!

Hamilton Area YMCA

1315 Whitehorse-Mercerville Rd.

Hamilton, NJ 08619

(609) 581-9622

www.hamiltonymca.org

The Hamilton Area YMCA offers variety of Sport, Instructional, and Social programming throughout the year. Some programs include: Summer Day Camp, Afterschool Enrichment classes, Special Olympics Local Training Program, and Inclusive Before/Afterschool Programs throughout Hamilton Twp.

Hamilton Parents of All Learners

hamiltonparentsgroup@yahoo.co

www.hamiltonparentsgroup.webs.com

Hamilton Parents of All Learners is Hamilton Township's district parent advisory group that acts as the liaison between the Hamilton Township Board of Education, the Department of Student Services and parents of children who require individual attention for their individual, educational and social development.

Hamilton Free Public Library

1 Justice Samuel A. Alito, Jr. Way

Hamilton, NJ 08619

609-581-4060

www.hamiltonnjpl.org

The purpose of the Free Public Library of the Township of Hamilton is to support the informational, cultural, educational, and recreational needs of the community. Library services shall be available to all residents who want them. Audio Books and screen reader available for the visually impaired.

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Liberty Healthcare Services

2333 Whitehorse-Mercerville Rd. Unit B
Hamilton, NJ 08619
609-890-0311

www.lhshomecare.org

To provide unsurpassed healthcare focused on the highest standard in patient care, with an emphasis on dependability, training, and compassion.

MECHA

18 E. 6th Ave Hamilton, NJ 08619
(609) 392-2446

www.njmecha.org

Support and resources for all caregivers.

Mercer Adult Training Center

Easter Seals Society of New Jersey
3635 Quakerbridge Road
Hamilton, NJ 08619
609-631-8263

www.nj.easterseals.com

Adult training centers provide day services for adults with significant developmental disabilities. Training in pre-vocational and social awareness skills is provided.

Mercer County Family Support Organization

3535 Quakerbridge Road
IBIS Plaza/Suite 400
Hamilton, NJ 08619
609-586-1200

www.mercerfso.org

The Family Support Organizations (FSO) provides direct family-to-family peer support, education, advocacy and other services to family members of children with emotional and behavioral problems. FSOs are family-run and county-based.

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Mercer County Office for the Disabled

640 South Broad Street
Trenton, NJ 08650
609-989-6468
609-989-6865-v/TTY

www.nj.gov/counties/mercerc/departments/hs/disability.html

The Office for the Disabled serves as a central source of information about services and programs available to Mercer County residents with disabilities to facilitate their full participation in community life.

Mercer County T.R.A.D.E.

300 Scotch Rd
Trenton, NJ 08628
(609) 530-1971

www.nj.gov/counties/mercerc/departments/transportation

It is the purpose of Transportation Resources to Aid the Disadvantaged and Elderly to support eligible County residents who require transportation to maintain their health, improve their financial status, utilize various public and private programs/services and access other community resources.

Miracle League of Mercer County

185 Sawmill Rd.
Hamilton, NJ 08620
609-581-9622

www.miracleleaguemercer.org

The Miracle League of Mercer County is a recreational baseball league offered in the Spring and Fall seasons. Games are played on a 100% barrier free field that allows players that use wheelchairs/walkers to move about freely with obstructions.

Mobile Meals of Hamilton Township Inc.

PO Box 3352
Hamilton, NJ 08619
609-448-4088

www.mobilemealshamilton.weebly.com

Home delivered meals to residents of Hamilton Twp. whose physical, mental or social conditions require a home delivered meal.

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NAMI Mercer New Jersey, Inc.

3371 Brunswick Pike, Suite 124

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

609-799-8994

www.namimercer.org

We provide education and support for individuals and families affected by mental illness, and advocate for lives of quality and respect, without stigma or discrimination.

New Jersey Library for the Blind and Handicapped

2300 Stuyvesant Avenue, CN 501

Ewing, NJ 08618

609-530-4000

800-792-8322

www.njlbh.org

Free public library service providing books in large print, braille, cassette and record formats for persons unable to use regular printed materials due to visual or physical disability.

NJ Transit Access Link

(800) 955-2321

www.njtransit.com

Access Link is a public transportation service developed to comply with the para-transit regulations of the ADA. Access Link service is comparable to the NJ TRANSIT local fixed route bus system. Access Link is for people with disabilities who are unable to use the local fixed route bus. In order to use Access Link, you must first apply for eligibility.

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Princeton House Behavioral Health

300 Clocktower Dr.
Hamilton, NJ 08690
(609) 890-0127

www.princetonhcs.org

Princeton House Behavioral Health, a unit of Princeton HealthCare System, is a leading provider of highly skilled and compassionate behavioral healthcare. We offer relief at times when life becomes clouded by mental illness, emotional difficulties or addiction.

Progressive Center for Independent Living (PCIL)

1262 Whitehorse-Hamilton Sq. Rd., Bldg A, Suite 102
Hamilton, NJ 08690
(609) 581-4500

www.pcil.org

Progressive Center for Independent Living has been empowering the lives of people living with disabilities since 1996. We offer referral and information services, emergency preparedness training, transition services for students, community opportunities, and independent life skills training.

Project Freedom

715 Kuser Rd.
Hamilton, NJ 08619
(609) 588-9919

www.projectfreedom.org

Provides barrier-free housing to enable individuals with disabilities to live independently. Supportive services such as recreation, training and advocacy are provided.

Pump It Up of Hamilton

8 Commerce Way Suite 135
Hamilton, NJ 08691
609-586-5577

www.pumpituphamilton.com

Sensory Nights – An open play session reserved for families with children that have special needs. Offered the 2nd Tuesday of every month.

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Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital

One Hamilton Health Place
Hamilton, NJ 08690
609-586-7900

www.rwjhamilton.org

RWJ Hamilton is an acute care hospital with adult/pediatric emergency services, maternity services and a full range of outpatient services (lab, x-ray, MRI, CT scan, cardiology, ultrasound, OB-GYN, same day surgery, rehabilitation services - physical therapy, occupational therapy and speech therapy).

Visitation Home

P.O. Box 11242
Hamilton, NJ 08620
(609) 838-1187

www.visitationhome.org

Visitation Home is a Catholic shared living residence (open to all faiths) for people with developmental disabilities. The Visitation Home Day Program is an academic and social based program serving adults with developmental disabilities in the Mercer County area.

Veteran's Park - Accessible Playground

2206 Kuser Rd
Hamilton, NJ 08690
609-890-3502

www.hamiltonnj.com

Hamilton Township's Accessible Playground – off Whitehorse Hamilton Square Road (across from Steinert High School). The playground includes wide ramps that are wheelchair accessible, adaptive swings, several slides and climbing areas. The playground is fully inclusive and is open to all.

We Care Health Services

941 Whitehorse Ave. Suite 20
Hamilton, NJ 08610
(609) 581-8400

www.wecarehealthservices.com

Provides a one stop health care services whether it be a Registered Nurse (RN), home health aide (HHA), or a Live-In companion. Each service can be tailored to each individual's needs.

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New Jersey Statewide Web Links

Alliance for the Betterment of Citizens with Disabilities (ABCD): www.abcdnj.org

Arc of New Jersey: www.arcnj.org

Arts Unbound: www.artsunbound.org

Asperger Syndrome Education Network (ASPEN): www.aspennj.org

Brain Injury Association of New Jersey: www.bianj.org

Cerebral Palsy of New Jersey: www.cpofnj.org

Community Health Law Project: www.chlp.org

Disability Rights New Jersey/NJ ADD Network: www.drnj.org

Emergency Preparedness resources from the NJ Council on Developmental Disabilities: www.njcdd.org/EmergencyPreparedness

Epilepsy Foundation of New Jersey: www.efnj.com

Family Support Coalition of New Jersey: www.familysupportcoalition.org

Family Voices of New Jersey: www.spannj.org/familywrap/familyvoices.htm

Find a Ride: NJ public and private transportation: www.njfindaride.org

Mental Health Association of New Jersey: www.mhanj.org

NJ APSE - The Network on Employment: www.njapse.org

NJ Council on Developmental Disabilities/NJ ADD Network: www.njddc.org

NJ Department of Health and Senior Services: www.state.nj.us/health

NJ Division of Developmental Disabilities: www.state.nj.us/humanservices/ddd/

NJ Division of Disability Services: www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dds/

NJ Housing Resource Center: www.state.nj.us/njhrc/

NJ Self Advocacy Project: www.njselfadvocacyproject.org

NJ Statewide Independent Living Council: www.njsilc.org

Special Olympics New Jersey: www.sonj.org

Spina Bifida Resource Network: www.sbatsr.org

Statewide Parent Advocacy Network (SPAN): www.spannj.org