



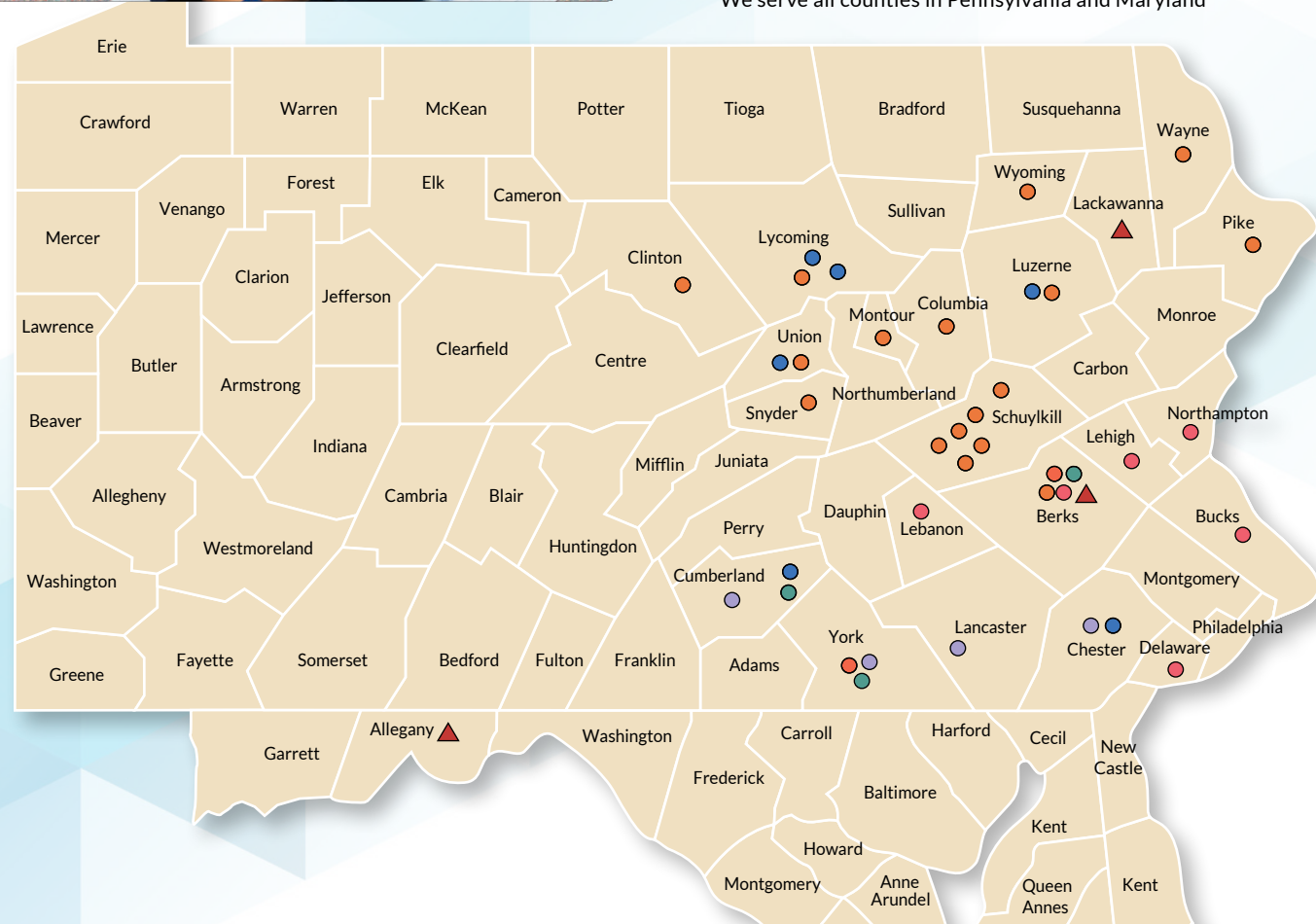
Housing Services

Diakon Housing Services - Having served older adults since the 1940s, Diakon today operates affordable senior rental assistance housing in Pennsylvania and Maryland. In the summer of 2024, Diakon entered into an agreement to combine its senior living operations—including its continuing care retirement communities—with Lutheran Senior Services (LSS). Focused on providing innovative services, Diakon continues to support seniors through Diakon Community Services and plans to expand its rental assistance housing offerings in the future.

Service Map

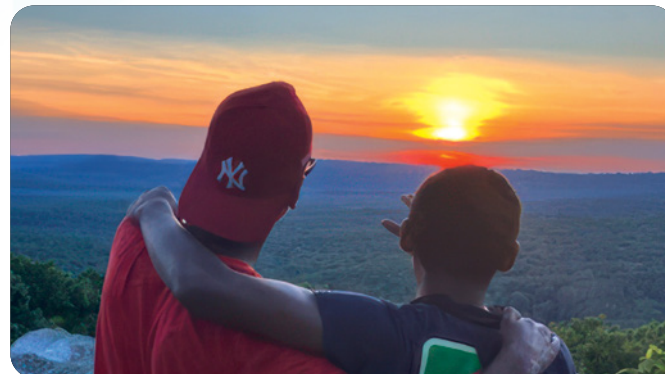
- ▲ Diakon Housing Services
- Office/Program Site for Diakon Services for Children, Youth, Families, & Communities

We serve all counties in Pennsylvania and Maryland



Services for Children, Youth, Families, & Communities

Many Diakon programs directly continue the organization's over 155-year heritage of care and concern for children and youth, their families, and their communities. With sites in numerous regions of Pennsylvania, these programs—including adoption, foster care, services for at-risk youth, and family and individual counseling—change the lives of people facing many challenging circumstances—more ways Diakon's Many Hands, guided by One Heart, make a difference.



The Mission of Diakon

In response to God's love in Jesus Christ, Diakon will demonstrate God's command to love the neighbor through acts of service.



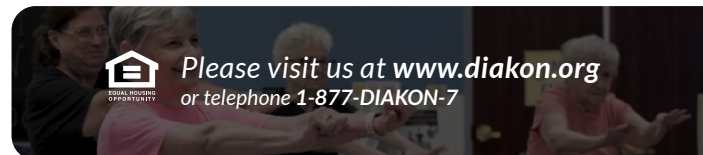
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Make a Donation

**Make a difference today with a one-time or recurring tax-deductible donation!
Your generosity can change lives.**

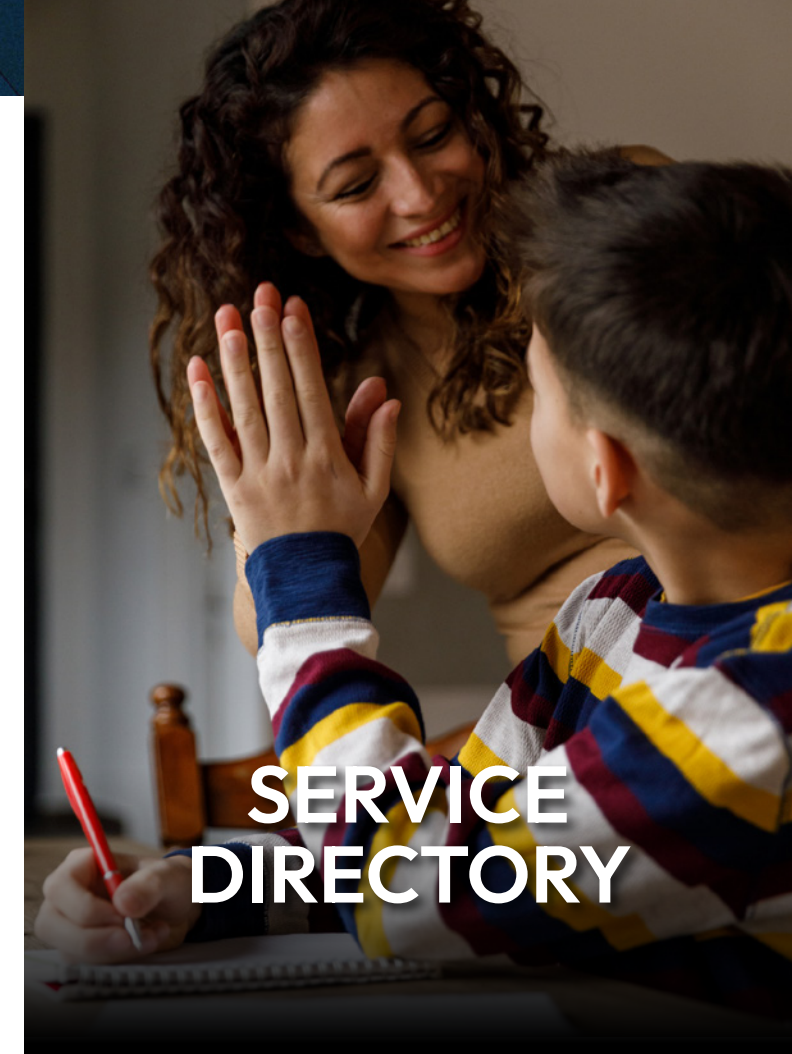
Donations can be made online at diakon.org/giving. Our user-friendly platform ensures a seamless and secure donation process.

If you want to donate by check, please make your check out to Diakon and mail it to: One South Home Ave., Tipton, PA, 19562, attention Office of Advancement



Diakon does not discriminate in admissions, the provision of services, or referrals of clients on the basis of race, color, religious creed, disability, marital status, ancestry, national origin, sexual orientation, age, or sex.

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Diakon



www.DIAKON.org



Services for Children, Youth, Families & Communities

Adoption & Foster Care

Foster care services and support groups, foster-to-adopt, Pasos (foster care for unaccompanied children), kinship, and Triple P

5000 Ritter Road
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055-0707
(717) 795-0320

One South Home Avenue
Topton, PA 19562-1317
(610) 682-1504

836 South George Street
York, PA 17403-3124
(717) 845-9113



Community Services

Offering various programs and services for seniors, including adult learning, wellness programs, Medicare health insurance counseling, Meals on Wheels, senior community center, and volunteer opportunities.

Administration Office
2020 W. Norwegian St.
Pottsville, PA 17901
1-800-621-6325

ADULT LEARNING & WELLNESS PROGRAMS

Living & Learning After 50
Offering events, classes and trips that are geared toward those who are 50 and older and have a desire to enjoy life-enriching experiences in Schuylkill County
(570) 624-3018

Health & Wellness Programs
570) 624-3017
(570) 624-3010

MEALS ON WHEELS

Deliver meals to homebound seniors w/in Schuylkill County.
(570) 624-3010

SENIOR COMMUNITY CENTERS

Socialization, recreation, education and congregate dining

Mahanoy City Senior Community Center
138 West Center Street, Box 167
Mahanoy City, PA 17948-2606
(570) 773-0738

Pottsville Senior Community Center
201 North Center Street
Pottsville, PA 17901
(570) 628-3513

Schuylkill Haven Senior Community Center
340 Haven Street
Schuylkill Haven, PA 17972
(570) 385-5611

Tremont Senior Community Center
139 Clay Street
Tremont, PA 17981-1708
(570) 695-3500

PA MEDI
Health Insurance Counseling for people with Medicare.

Schuylkill County
2020 W. Norwegian St.
Pottsville, PA 174901
(570) 624-3029

Columbia & Montour Counties
702 Sawmill Road, Suite 2
Bloomsburg, PA
(570) 624-3029

Luzerne & Wyoming Counties
93 N. State Street
Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701
(570) 624-3029

Pike County
150 Pike County Boulevard
Hawley, PA 18428
(570) 775-5550 Ext. 1313

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP programs

Berks County
One South Home Avenue
Topton, PA 19562-1317
(610) 682-1351

Pike & Wayne Counties
337A Park Place
Hawley, PA 18428-1140
(570) 390-4540

Columbia & Montour Counties
702 Sawmill Road, Suite 2
Bloomsburg, PA 17815
(570) 784-9272 Ext. 3144

Clinton County
47 Cooperation Lane
Mill Hall, PA 17751
(570) 419-5941

Lycoming County
435 West Fourth Street
Williamsport, PA 17701
(570) 419-7858

Northumberland, Union & Snyder Counties
7495 Westbranch Highway
Lewisburg, PA 17837
(570) 419-8044

PEER COUNSELING

Connects with individuals 60+ to check on their well-being and provide resources as needed to support their emotional, mental, and physical health in Luzerne County.

Behavioral Health Services

Family-Based Mental Health for Problematic Sexual Behaviors

Intensive community-based services for youth with problematic sexual behaviors

Family Based Mental Health
Intensive family therapy and community-based services for high-risk youth

School Based Counseling

Mental health and substance abuse counseling for students in select school districts

Clinic-Based Services

Mental health and substance abuse counseling services for youth, adults and families. Individual, group and family counseling offered. Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) for substance abuse and psychiatric services

Children's Review Team

Care is coordinated across child-serving systems to make sure youth and families receive comprehensive, collaborative support, aiming to reduce the need for or length of residential treatment placements. From intake through discharge and follow-up, we facilitate timely referrals, empower the family, and promote continuity of care.

Capital Region
(717) 795-0330
1-866-700-6868

Office locations:
Mechanicsburg, Lancaster & York

Upper Susquehanna Region
(570) 322-7873
(570) 728-0500
(Williamsport/Montoursville)

(570) 524-9477 (Lewisburg)

Family Reunification & Preservation Services

Diakon Family Reunification & Preservation Services

Family reunification is an intensive service designed to support children and youth in out-of-home placements, such as foster or residential care, who have the primary goal of returning to their biological families. Diakon's home-based, intensive family preservation program works to prevent placement by equipping families with tools, therapy, and support to maintain a safe and stable home environment.

Other programs provide early, in-home, and school-based interventions that strengthen families, promote stability, and help children thrive—whether by building parenting skills, addressing truancy, or supporting children with disabilities. Through programs like Stepping Stones, Resource Navigation, Positive Parenting, and Court Parent Support, families receive personalized guidance, access to resources, and advocacy to reduce risk and keep children safely at home.

Diakon Family Finding & Family Engagement

Serving youth referred by the county's Children, Youth & Families agency, works to promote permanency by identifying supportive networks and lasting connections that help youth safely remain with or return to their family, while also building sustainable relationships that support their long-term well-being.

Adams County Office
836 S George Street
York, PA 17403
Phone: 215-872-6649

Berks County Office
One South Home Avenue Topton, PA 19562-1317
Phone: 215-872-6649

Bucks & Montgomery County Office
Redeemer Lutheran Church
2100 York Rd.
Jamison, PA 18929

Delaware County Office
501 Chester Pike
Norwood, PA 19074

Lebanon County Office
5000 Ritter Road
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055
Phone: 215-872-6649

Lehigh and Northampton Counties Office
1933 Hanover Ave.
Allentown, PA 18109

Pregnancy Services

Counsel and support to pregnant women and their families

One South Home Avenue
Topton, PA 19562-1317
(610) 682-1504
1-888-582-2230

Youth Services

Community- and wilderness-based services for court-adjudicated youth at risk.

CENTRAL PA REGION

The Weekend Alternative Program (WAP)

WAP is an alternative to more extensive out-of-community placements or as a first response for youth who have begun to head down the wrong path in life, the Weekend Alternative Program operates Friday through Sunday.

The Bridge Program – Central Region

A community-based mentor services. Offers a seven-day community -based alternative and diversion for pre- and post-adjudicated and dependent youth by working collaboratively with county agencies, schools, youth, families and the community.

Center Point Day Program

A community-based program that features individualized programming for students who struggle in a traditional school environment.

Wilderness Greenhouse & Native-Plant Nursery

Provides space for students to learn, grow and develop life skills. Our 15,000-square-foot greenhouse not only houses our horticultural program but also serves as a sort of living machine, recycling and filtering the wilderness center campus wastewater to protect the quality of the Little Dogwood, a small tributary to the Yellow Breeches Creek.

Pathways Forward

Designed for young adults ages 18 through 25. Its focus is on pre-trial, first-time felony offenders who have been assessed by their home county as potentially able to benefit from a second chance and thus avoid the burden of a felony charge on their record.

Group Adventure Challenge & Team Development

For all ages and open to the public, providing group team building activities.

571 Mountain Road
P.O. Box 10
Boiling Springs, PA 17007-0010
(717) 960-6700

SOUTHEAST PA REGION

Bridge

Community-based mentor services, offering a seven-day community-based alternative and diversion for pre- and post-adjudicated and dependent youth by working collaboratively with county agencies, schools, youth, families and the community. Bridge provides community-based support to address individual needs and environmental factors that may lead to at-risk behaviors.

The PREP Programs

Evening reporting programs for after-school and evening programming that offer pro-social and an employability evening reporting model for community connection with pre- and post-adjudicated delinquent and dependent male and female youth ages 13–19.

The Bridge & PREP Programs – Chester & Delaware counties

107 South 17th Avenue
Coatesville, PA 19320-2546
(610) 291-7731

The Bridge Program – Lancaster County
(610) 291-7731

York Bridge & PREP Programs
836 S George Street
York, PA 17403
(610) 291-7731

Housing Services

Diakon operates affordable housing communities for seniors in Pennsylvania and Maryland.

Frostburg Heights

100 Honeysuckle Lane
Frostburg, MD 21532-2030
(301) 689-2268

Lutherwood

One Lake Scranton Road
Scranton, PA 18505-2265
(570) 346-3009

Luther Meadows & Heilman House

Luther Meadows
30 Home Road
Topton, PA 19562

Heilman House
45 Home Road
Topton, PA 19562
(610) 682-1450

