

Below is a short list of telephone numbers for various agencies. Tutors may wish to give these numbers to their students as needed. In addition the LCMC office has a longer list of agencies that provide help for specific problems. Tutors may call the office to learn about additional resources for helping students with personal problems.

## **Listing of Community Service Agencies**

### **Montgomery County Agencies:**

#### Montgomery County Department of Health and Human Services

Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline	240-777-4417
Spouse Abuse and Neglect Hotline	240-777-4673
Housing Opportunities Commission (affordable housing)	240-773-9000

Montgomery County Police, <b>non</b> -emergency number	301-279-8000
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### **Non-Governmental Agencies in Montgomery County:**

#### Casa de Maryland

310 Tulip Avenue, Takoma Park, MD 20912	301-270-0419
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Casa helps with employment, workers' rights, legal services, health services, advocacy, women's issues, and emergency shelter.

#### Interfaith Works

301-762-8682

Interfaith Works helps with food, clothing, housing, shelters, mentoring families in need, emergency financial assistance, payment for utilities and medicines.

It also helps low-income entrepreneurs start their own businesses.

#### Charles W. Gilchrist Center for Cultural Diversity

11319 Elkin Street, Wheaton, 20902	240-777-4940
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12900 Middlebrook Rd., Germantown 20874	240-777-6950
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The Gilchrest Center is designed for non-English speaking residents of Montgomery County. It focuses on the needs of new immigrants. Programs include ESL classes, Citizenship classes, classes on establishing a small business, cultural programs and legal assistance, as well as extensive Information and Referral system.

#### MedBank

301-628-3422

Med Bank provides prescription assistance for low income individuals.

#### Mercy Health Clinic

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

This Gaithersburg clinic provides low cost health care for the uninsured.

#### Community Clinic

301-216-0880 - Gaithersburg

These clinics provides low cost health care for the uninsured.

301-585-1250 – Silver Spring

301-431-2972 – Takoma Park

Families Foremost Center

301-585-3424

Offers support in the following areas for families either expecting or have a child/re age 4 or under:  
GED/ESL/Adult Education, Parent Education, School Readiness & Family Literacy, Computer Skills, Health Education, Substance Abuse, Service Coordination

Holy Cross Hospital

301-355-7037 – Gaithersburg

240-567-5600 – Silver Spring

The Holy Cross Hospital Health Centers are primary care medical centers providing affordably priced health care services to uninsured adults at least 18 years of age.