COMMUNITY SERVICES FOR OLDER ADULTS ESSEX/MORRIS/SUSSEX COUNTIES

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ACTIVITIES (EDUCATIONAL, SOCIAL)

JCC MetroWest

Gina Goldman, (973) 530-3448 ggoldman@jccmetrowest.org or Michele Bernstein, (973) 530-3447 mbernstein@jccmetrowest.org jccmetrowest.org

JESPY House (day program, engagement and enrichment services, and athletics & fitness for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities) (973) 762-6909 fbresnick@jespy.org jespyhouse.org

Jewish Vocational Service (day vocational rehab program only with appropriate referral)

Rebecca Shulman, (862) 704-2248 rshulman@jvsnj.org jvs.org

CAREGIVER SERVICES

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest Caregiver Help Line, (973) 637-1740 Caregivers@jfsmetrowest.org

Siobhan Flynn-Higgins, (973) 637-1763 jfsmetrowest.org

JCC MetroWest

(for Littman Memory Center for family caregivers) Michele Bernstein, (973) 530-3447 mbernstein@jccmetrowest.org jccmetrowest.org

CASE MANAGEMENT

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest Nicole Viola, (973) 637-1705 nviola@jfsmetrowest.org; jfsmetrowest.org

JESPY House (daily living skills for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities) (973) 762-6909 fbresnick@jespy.org jespyhouse.org

CHAPLAINCY/SPIRITUAL SUPPORT

(at home and in hospitals and other settings)

Federation

Marian Marlowe, (973) 929-3051 mmarlowe@jfedgmw.org jfedgmw.org/chaplaincy

COUNSELING/ MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

(including Caregiver Support)

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest (973) 765-9050 jfsmetrowest.org

JCC MetroWest

(for Littman Memory Center for family caregivers) Michele Bernstein, (973) 530-3447 mbernstein@jccmetrowest.org jccmetrowest.org

JESPY (clinical services for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities and

their families) Vincent Visioli, LCSW, (973) 762-6909, x433 vvisioli@jespy.org jespyhouse.org

DISABILITY SERVICES

(Residential Services and Day Programs)

JESPY House (day program and residential services for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities) (973) 762-6909 fbresnick@jespy.org jespyhouse.org

JSDD (providing Residential Services, Day Program, Therapeutic Services, Technology Assessments and coordination of services for adults with disabilities and their families) (973) 272-7148 jsdd.org

JCC MetroWest (day habilitation program) Marisa Cohen, (973) 530-3478 mcohen@jccmetrowest.org jccmetrowest.org

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Jewish Vocational Service (vocational evaluation, job placement and in-house vocational rehabilitation program) Rebecca Shulman, (862) 704-2248 rshulman@jvsnj.org jvsnj.org

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest (support coordination)

Danielle Crum, (973) 637-1709 dcrum@jfsmetrowest.org jfsmetrowest.org

DOMESTIC ABUSE

(elder abuse and other domestic abuse)

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest

Rachel Coalition, (973) 740-1233 (domestic violence, initimate partner violence and high conflict relationships) ifsmetrowest.org

FITNESS/EXERCISE PROGRAMS

JCC MetroWest

Pamela Bitner, (973) 530-3994 pbitner@jccmetrowest.org jccmetrowest.org

JESPY House

(group and individual fitness training, and Special Olympics participation for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities)

(973) 762-6909 fbresnick@jespy.org jespyhouse.org

FRIENDLY VISITORS

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest Stephanie Grove, (973) 637-1776 sgrove@jfsmetrowest.org

jfsmetrowest.org

GERIATRIC ASSESSMENT

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest Siobhan Flynn-Higgins, (973) 637-1763 sflynn-higgins@jfsmetrowest.org jfsmetrowest.org

JESPY House (onsite OT/PT services and weekly observation by agency nurse for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities) (973) 762-6909 fbresnick@jespy.org jespyhouse.org

HOLOCAUST SURVIVOR SUPPORTS

(including accessing Claims Conference benefits, social programs, financial support, Russian language services)

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest

Liz Levy, (973) 637-1715 llevy@jfsmetrowest.org

For Russian language services: Masha Penson, (973) 637-1716 mpenson@jfsmetrowest.org

jfsmetrowest.org

HOUSING

Jewish Community Housing Corporation (housing available in Essex and Morris counties)

Assisted Living (973) 929-2725 **Subsidized Affordable** Housing Jewish Federation Plaza,

Lester Senior Housing, Whippany (973) 929-2725

Market Rate Housing

Village Apartments, South Orange (973) 763-0999 CherylK@jchcorp.org West Orange (973) 530-3972 KerryR@jchcorp.org

SOBBFH, South Orange (973) 761-4602 JacquelineM@jchcorp.org

Jewish Service for the Developmentally Disabled (for adults with disabilities) (973) 272-7148 jsdd.org

JESPY House (shared and aging-in-place housing for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities) (973) 762-6909 fbresnick@jespy.org; jespyhouse.org

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INSURANCE COUNSELING

(SHIP - State Health Insurance Assistance)

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest

(for residents of Essex County) Brittany Bynum, (973) 637-1764 bbynum@jfsmetrowest.org jfsmetrowest.org

JOB/CAREER COUNSELING

Jewish Vocational Service

Janet Sewell, (862) 704-2260, Jsewell@jvsnj.org Elisa Udaskin, (862) 704-2292, Eudaskin@jvsnj.org or Rebecca Shulman (for individuals with disabilities), (862) 704-2248, rshulman@jvsnj.org; jvsnj.org

JESPY House (work readiness and employment services for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities) (973) 762-6909 lfiore@jespy.org jespyhouse.org

LUNCH (served to groups)

JCC MetroWest (for Essex County residents) Susan Ochs-Scher, (973) 530-3504 sochsscher@jccmetrowest.org jccmetrowest.org

HOME-DELIVERED MEALS

JCC MetroWest (for Essex County residents) Susan Ochs-Scher, (973) 530-3504 sochsscher@jccmetrowest.org jccmetrowest.org

MEMORY CARE (DAY PROGRAMS)

Littman Memory Center at JCC MetroWest Sharon Gordon, (973) 530-3480 sgordon@jccmetrowest.org jccmetrowest.org

MEMORY CARE (Residential Programs)

Jewish Community Housing Corporation (973) 929-2725 jchcorp.org

MONEY MANAGEMENT

(help writing checks, paying bills, organizing mail)

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest

(for Essex County residents) Taylor Ruszcyk, (973) 637-1742 truszcyk@jfsmetrowest.org jfsmetrowest.org

JESPY House (for adults with

intellectual and developmental disabilities) (973) 762-6909 fbresnick@jespy.org jespyhouse.org

REHAB

Daughters of Israel Mike Maykish (973) 400-3377 mmaykish@daughtersofisrael.org daughtersofisrael.org

SKILLED NURSING HOME

Daughters of Israel Adina Twersky (973) 400-3351 atwersky@daughtersofisrael.org daughtersofisrael.org

SUPPORT GROUPS

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest (groups include bereavement, caregivers, and high conflict) (973) 765-9050 jfsmetrowest.org

JCC MetroWest (Monthly Caregiver Support for family members of Littman Memory Center attendees) Michele Bernstein, (973) 530-3447 mbernstein@jccmetrowest.org jccmetrowest.org

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TECHNOLOGY SERVICES

Life/Home/Tech (Technology solutions and assessments to support greater independence and aging in place)

JSDD

(973) 272-7148 JSDD.org

TRANSPORTATION

Metro Transport

Cindy Denburg, (973) 325-1359 cdenburg@daughtersofisrael.org daughtersofisrael.org

TRAVEL/DAY TRIPS

JCC MetroWest Michele Bernstein, (973) 530-3447 mbernstein@jccmetrowest.org

TRAVEL/OVERNIGHT

JCC MetroWest

Sharon Gordon, (973) 530-3480 sgordon@jccmetrowest.org jccmetrowest.org

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Jewish Family Service of MetroWest Stephanie Grove, (973) 637-1766 sgrove@jfsmetrowest.org jfsmetrowest.org

Jewish Vocational Service

(973) 674-6330 Rebecca Shulman, rshulman@jvsnj.org, or Lynn Sternstein, Isternstein@jvsnj.org jvsnj.org

Jewish Service for the Developmentally Disabled (973) 272-7148 jsdd.org

JESPY House (sports and recreation opportunities to assist with adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities) (973) 762-6909 amuslim@jespy.org jespyhouse.org