Partners Organizations Cont'd

- Maryland Crime Victims' Resource Center concerning victims' rights issues, information about court proceedings, individual and family counseling, and assistance with Criminal Injuries Compensation.
- Prince George's County Department of Family Services

The Domestic Violence and Human Trafficking Supportive Services Division provides free and confidential services for victims/survivors of domestic violence and human trafficking. Domestic violence services include resource referrals, safety planning, relocation assistance, advocacy, and assistance with housing applications and navigating the public housing system. Human trafficking services include resource referrals, case management, and education and prevention training. Survivors work with trained advocates.

 Prince George's County Department of Social Services (DSS)

Partners with the community and other service providers to stabilize and strengthen families, protect children, vulnerable adults and encourage self-sufficiency. Generally, DSS is known for assistance with provision of emergency housing, cash, medical and food assistance programs, utility assistance, foster care, adoption services and child and adult protective services.

 Prince George's County Office of Child Support and Enforcement (Off-Site)

Legal support to ensure that children receive child support, including health insurance and work related childcare.

- Prince George's County Police Department Provides law enforcement and criminal investigations.
- Prince George's County Office of the Sheriff
 Service of Protective and Peace Order; Domestic Violence
 Emergency Response and Intervention Services and
 Specialized Victim Advocacy Services.
- Prince George's County Office of the State's Attorney

The Domestic Violence Unit handles both misdemeanor and felony cases involving intimate partner relationships. The unit helps victims of domestic abuse navigate the criminal justice system and assists them with identifying support services.

Sexual Assault Legal Institute (SALI)

Provides legal assistance for administrative hearings, peace and protective orders, family law matters, employment, housing, criminal injuries compensation, and human trafficking.

Partnering Organizations Cont'd

Still I Rise (Lillian's Place)

Provides origin intermention, counseling

Provides crisis intervention, counseling, support groups, emergency shelter, transitional housing, and well-woman education.

• The Next Step

Domestic Violence Education and Volunteer coordination and training.

• Women's Law Center of Maryland

Free legal services in family law, domestic violence, employment law, human trafficking, and all other legal matters related to sexual assault or child sexual abuse.

Hotline Phone Numbers

Police (24 hours) (Emergency) 911

House of Ruth (24 hours) (410) 889-RUTH (7884)

Maryland 2-1-1 (24 hours) Dial 211 (Health and Human Service Resources)

Community Advocates for Family and Youth (CAFY) (301) 390-4092

Family Crisis Center, Inc. (301) 731-1203

MD Network Against Domestic Violence (800) 634-3577

Prince George's County Child Protective Services (301)909-2450

The Sexual Assault Center, Prince George's Hospital

(301) 618-3154



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About the Prince George's County Family Justice Center

The Prince George's County Family Justice Center (PGCFJC) is a "one stop shop," multi-disciplinary service center coordinated by the Family Division of the Circuit Court. The PGCFJC provides a full array of colocated services to victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, human trafficking, elderly abuse, and teen relationship violence.

These services are provided in a beautifully designed secure center where clients and their children will feel safe and comfortable while receiving the necessary services.

No appointments are necessary. Clients are welcome to return to the Center for additional services as often as needed.

There are no fees for these services.

Location

The PGCFJC is located across from the Commissioner's entrance to the Courthouse and has ample free parking.

The PGCFJC is also accessible by public transportation on Bus 20, 21, and/or 51.

Goals of the Prince George's County Family Justice Center

- To stop abuse and create a safer community.
- To provide coordinated, easily accessible help and resources to children and adults exposed to abuse.
- To provide legal assistance to victims of domestic violence, human trafficking, sexual assault, elder abuse, and teen relationship violence.
- To provide safety planning, resources, and services in an environment where clients feel safe, comfortable, cared for, and respected.
- To foster a countywide culture of dignity and respect for all.
- To foster a countywide awareness of violence prevention.



Partnering Organizations

• Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Washington, Immigration Legal Services

High-quality legal services to low income immigrants. Provide immigration eligibility screenings and pro bono lawyer referrals for immigrant victims of domestic violence.

• Community Advocates for Family and Youth (CAFY)

Victim services include case management, court companionship, and witness education. Offers counseling, legal services, emergency safe havens, and other surviving resources and referrals. All services in English & Spanish.

• Courtney's House

Specializes in working with sex trafficked youth and provides direct services.

 Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Center (Prince George's County Hospital) DV/SAC

Offers crisis intervention, advocacy, forensic medical examinations and counseling.

• FAIR Girls

For Human Trafficking Survivors: Emergency Response, 24/7 Crisis Hotline, Limited Emergency Housing (Females Only), Crisis and Long-term Case Management and Counseling, Court Advocacy, Prevention Education, Job Readiness, Art Therapy, and more.

• Family Crisis Center of Prince George's County, Inc.

Offers emergency shelter and counseling services.

- Health Department, Prince George's County Provides behavioral health referrals, HIV and STD services, health and wellness, and medical assistance transportation.
- House of Ruth

Provides domestic violence intervention, emergency shelter, counseling, therapeutic children's services, and legal services.

• Maryland Crime Victims' Resource Center Victims' rights assistance, criminal court accompaniment, support throughout proceedings, legal representation