Bereavement Resources

Sincere Words

We encourage you to attend grief counseling and support groups. This time is very difficult and challenging, and there is no timeline for grieving. It is essential to understand that gradually in your own time, you can begin to find some solace in what has happened.

Our Services

Delaware County gives its deepest condolences to you and your loved ones during this sensitive time of grief. The Delaware County Office of the Medical Examiner is here to offer you and your family resources and guidance when ready. Our Bereavement Coordinator, Ms. Gion Mallory, can provide specific programs and agencies to assist you further and ease your transition during this time of need. Please do not hesitate to contact her at 484-750-2150.

Grief and Bereavement Support Groups

Children Impacted by Grief

- Youth Empowerment for Advancement Hangout (YEAH) 267-469-3002
 YEAHPhilly – Reaching Philly Teens the Right Way
- *Urban Youth Leadership Academy* 215-204-8917
- *Uplift Center for Grieving Children* 267-437-3123

<u>Uplift Philly – Uplift Center for Grieving Children</u>



Outpatient Agencies in Delaware County

Holcomb Behavioral Services
 126 E. Baltimore Pike, Media, PA

Hotline number 484-444-0412 can gain general information Website-www.chimes.org/about/chimes-family/Holcomb-behavioral-health-systems/ Call to schedule intake appointment for services to begin. Fees might apply office does take select providers

- Thrive Works Counseling
 Hotline 610-808-9923
 Website www.thriveworks.com/media-counseling/ you can find information, fees, providers offered. Call to schedule intake appointment for services to begin. Fees might apply office does take select providers
- Family and Community Service 600 N. Olive Street, Media PA 610-566-7540
- Glen Mills Counseling Center 485 Baltimore Pike, Suite 201, Glen Mills PA Or 210 W. Front St. Media PA 610-656-1424

National Suicide Prevention Hotline

- 1-800-273-TALK
 24-hour hotline, if you or someone you know is considering an act of suicide, experiencing trauma caused by losing a loved one to suicide
- *Mercy Fitzgerald Hospital Crisis Center* 610-237-4210
- Survivors of Suicide, Inc 215-545-2242 www.sosphilly.org
- Crozer Chester Mental Health Crisis Center 610-447-7600

- Healthy Minds (Phila. BHIDS)
 215-685-6444 (24/7)
 https://healthymindsphilly.org/
- NAMI Bucks County PA 215-343-3055 http://namibuckspa.org/
- Center for Grief and Bereavement 610-222-4110 http://bereavementcenter.org/

Suicide Resources (Trained Persons to Help)

- *Greater Philadelphia* 610-649-5250
- Prevent Suicide PA- Delaware County Task Force
 - Delaware County Prevent Suicide PA
- Delco Suicide Prevention Org delcosuicideprevention.org
- Delaware County Crisis Connection 855-889-7827
 24/7 emergency aid



Support Groups for Families impacted by Homicide

- Victim's Compensation Program
 24hour hotline- 610-566-4342
 Possible re-imbursement of expensive. Funeral arrangements, medical bills, etc. Victims Assistance Advocate appointed; attend court appearances, compensation status
- Parents of Murdered Children 484-557-1370
- *Mothers in Charge* 215-228-1718
- *Operation Save our City* 856-745-6045
- *Healing Hurt People* 215-762-1177

- Court Financial Services 610-891-5060
- Network of Neighbors Responding to Violence 267-233-4387
- *AVP's hotline of murder victims* 215-686-8033

Delaware County Mental Health Services

Mental Health Office
 20 S. 69th Street
 Upper Darby, PA 19082
 610-713-2365



