

MOC RESOURCE GUIDE

ASE/Peer Educators

Youth directed education on safe sex & relationships for teens & adults.

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Coordinated Family & Community Engagement (CFCE)

Supports parents as their child's first teacher through a number of parent child activities including: local play groups, developmental screenings, and early literacy programs.

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Family Resource Center (FRC)

Evidence Based Parent Education Classes; CANS Assessments and Family Support Plan Development for Children Requiring Assistance (CRA) Support Groups (e.g., Autism, Latino, Grandparents); Information & Referral; Parent Cafes.

Contact
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Fitchburg Community Connections Coalition (FCCC)

Child abuse prevention through informal education programs & support of local associations & organizations.

Contact
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Housing

Shelter services, re-housing services, rental subsidies, & case management. Supportive Housing for Disabled Homeless.

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Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA)

We prepare income tax returns for free for taxpayers with no more than \$64,000 of income. Some may be eligible for very large refunds. We also assist those with tax issues such as examinations / enforced collections or who has been the victim of fraud or identity theft.

www.mocinc.org/vita

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Youth Innovation Center

Youth Innovation Center (Fitchburg).

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CARE Program

HIV/AIDS Assistance, (Nutrition, Medical, Housing etc.), and Medical Food Pantry.

Contact
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The Counseling Center at MOC

Outpatient mental health services including individual psychotherapy and medication management.

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Energy Services

WAP (Weatherization), HEARTWAP (Burner Repair/Replacement), AMP (Appliance Management Program), DOE WAP (Department of Energy).

Contact
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Financial Empowerment Center

One-on-one and group financial coaching/ counseling and workshops aimed at credit repair and building wealth.

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Fuel Assistance (LIHEAP)

Helps homeowners and renters pay home heating bills and past due balances on utility bills. Financial assistance is available for income-eligible households to help pay home heating bills between November 1 - April 30 of each year.

www.mocinc.org/fuelassistance

Contact
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Walk-Ins
165 Mill Street
Leominster

Parents as Teachers

Home visiting program providing child development support including screenings, parent education and Information & Referral.

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Women, Infants & Children (WIC)

Supplemental foods, health care referrals, and nutrition education for low-income mothers, infants and children up to age five. Classes on infant feeding and encourage and support breastfeeding by connecting breastfeeding moms to peer counselors. Classes that teach soothing techniques for new babies.

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Child Care & Head Start

Childcare and pre-school programming for 0-5 years, part day and full day options available. Wraparound childcare for school-age.

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Elder Nutrition Services

Meals on Wheels and Congregate Meals for age 60+.

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Emergency Utility & Rent Assistance

Assistance with utility and rent. Information & Referrals.

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FIRST Steps Together

Dual support in parenting and recovery for parents experiencing substance use disorder.

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Homework Help Center

After school and summer programming for youth ages 6-13 years on site at Green Acres in Fitchburg.

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JOBS4YOUTH

Assists eligible youth ages 14 through 19 in finding and maintaining paid employment in the public, private, and non-profit sectors.

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Secure Job Initiative

Classes, workshops, and one-on-one support for unemployed or underemployed individuals. Work readiness training, job placement assistance, job coaching, and financial literacy.

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Youth Parent Program (YPP)

Supports ages 14-24 who are parents or pregnant with parenting, life skills and education including returning to high school, completing a GED, vocational training, or post-secondary learning.

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