

LinkU

Find health, food, housing, and more, anywhere.

ABOUT LinkU

LinkU is the free online resource and referral guide customized for the residents and community providers of DC, Maryland, and Virginia (DMV). The LinkU network connects people seeking help to verified social care providers that assist with food, housing, mental health and all other medical and social support services. As an added benefit, medical providers and community-based organizations can become "LinkU staff members", which allows them to search for resources on behalf of the people they are serving. It also allows them to access advance features on the platform to manage their own agency listing.

LinkU Staff features include:

- Organizational contact information and service offerings
- Referral and outcome tracking tools
- The online Needs Assessment Tool
- Appointment scheduling
- Agency reporting and evaluation

LinkU Track Record:

Since the launch of LinkU in 2019, this community resource has provided the residents of the DMV and staff alike with information and referral pipelines for over 8,000 local programs addressing Social Needs:

- Users: Over 14,000 users in 2022, and over 42,000 all time (since 2019).
- Searches: Over 20,000 program searches in 2022, and nearly 80,000 all time.
- Referrals: Over 1,000 referrals sent in 2022, and over 3,500 all time.

Visit LinkU:

- **Staff Site:** <https://staff.linkudmv.org/login> (intended for those working on behalf of another person)
- **Public Site:** <https://linkudmv.org/> (intended for residents to search on their own.)

