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**Volunteer with CONTACT's NJ 988 & Listening Line Program
at the Lawrence Headquarters Branch of the MCLS**

Lawrenceville — Discover how the simple act of listening can make a profound difference at the Lawrence Headquarters Branch of the Mercer County Library System on Monday, June 29th from 6:30 – 7:30 pm. In this presentation from CONTACT of Mercer County, NJ, the Executive Director Tony Ciavolella will introduce the vital work of the NJ 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline and the CONTACT Listening Line & Reassurance Program. Learn what it means to be a trained volunteer listener, the skills taught through CONTACT's comprehensive training, and the meaningful impact volunteers have across New Jersey. No experience is required—just compassion and a willingness to help others.

Advanced registration is appreciated for all events. Please register online on LibCal at <https://mcl.org/>. The Lawrence Headquarters Branch of the Mercer County Library System is located at 2751 Brunswick Pike, Lawrenceville, NJ. For more information about the library's programs, call 609-883-8292, e-mail lawprogs@mcl.org or visit www.mcl.org.

This program is sponsored by the Friends of the Lawrence Library. For more information about the Friends of the Lawrence Library, please stop by the Lawrence Reference Desk. The Friends of the Lawrence Library help support programs such as book sales, book clubs, contests, crafts, events (such as this one), guest speakers, parties and workshops for adults, as well as character greetings, crafts, entertainers, events, parties and more for youth at the Library. Join the Friends of the Lawrence Library today!

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