

DHS News

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Kudos: Shannon Evans and emergency behavioral health team

A resident impacted by the Route 30 landslide in East Pittsburgh gave a glowing report about the help they received from the Allegheny County Department of Human Services and offered a special recognition to Shannon Evans, emergency/risk coordinator.

From the day after the landslide until the recent return home, the emergency behavioral health team assisted residents by providing donations, helping residents to navigate resources, assisting with the transition from temporary to more permanent housing, and supporting behavioral health needs. The group also coordinated a Multi-Agency Resource Center (MARC), a one-stop-shop for residents to directly connect with multiple organizations in one location to receive support and services.