

EightCAP, Inc.

Community Resource Directory



Ionia County 2018

... a Community Action Agency - Daniel Petersen, President

Ionia Satellite Office
5827 Orleans Road, Orleans, MI 48865
Phone: (616) 208-1580
Fax: (616) 208-1574

Administrative Office
904 Oak Drive, Greenville, MI 48838
Phone: (616) 754-9315
Fax: (616) 754-9310
Michigan Relay Center: (800) 649-3777 (Voice and TDD)

EightCAP, Inc. is an equal opportunity employer/program.
Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

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EightCAP, Inc. improves our community by partnering with private, government, and community organizations to deliver programs to low-income residents that alleviate the local causes of poverty and its effects. Programs offered through EightCAP are as follows:

COMMUNITY SERVICES - EightCAP, Inc. Community Services assist income-eligible households with heat and utility assistance, food distributions, transportation vouchers for employment purposes or medical appointments, medical prescription copays, and various needs depending on funding availability. Community Services also offers assistance with Michigan Enrolls, food pantry information and distributions, and referrals to other services not provided by EightCAP. The Emergency Assistance Application is located on our website, www.eightcap.org.

HOUSING PROGRAMS – EightCAP, Inc. Housing Programs assist low-income households with rental assistance, deposit assistance, emergency shelter (hotel/motel vouchers) and limited utility payment assistance. These services are offered through the Emergency Solutions Grant and the Emergency Shelter Program. As the Housing Assessment and Resource Agency (HARA) in the county, EightCAP registers and places homeless households on the Housing Choice Voucher Waitlist with a Homeless Preference Code.

Through the Supportive Services for Veterans Families, services can include; rental assistance, deposit assistance, emergency shelter stays, moving costs, emergency housing services, transportation assistance and limited car repair assistance. These services are available to low-income households, who have served at least one-day active duty and were discharged under any other circumstances than dishonorable.

The Family Rehousing Program and Rapid Rehousing Program is available to literally homeless households (some conditions may apply). These programs may pay up to 18 months of rental assistance and security deposit. They are intensive case management programs where clients work to address barriers that are present and develop skills to retain housing and become self-sufficient.

The HUD Rapid Rehousing Program is an income-based program available to literally homeless households. This program provides intensive case management, as well as up to 24 months of rental assistance and security deposit.



Gratiot County
 525 N. State St., Ste. 2
 Alma, MI 48801
 P: (989) 463-5693
 F: (989) 463-6872

Ionia County
 5827 Orleans Rd.
 Orleans, MI 48865
 P: (616) 208-1580
 F: (616) 208-1574

Isabella County
 310 W. Michigan
 Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858
 P: (989) 772-0110
 F: (989) 775-3907

Montcalm County
 904 Oak Dr.
 Greenville, MI 48838
 P: (616) 754-9315
 F: (616) 754-9310

www.eightcap.org

TTY:711

Commodity Food Distribution Sites & Schedule For October 1, 2017 – September 30, 2018

The **Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP)** is a food program for those who are 60 or over and fall within the income guidelines below. For those who are eligible, a supplemental box of food is delivered monthly at a site(s) in each county. One box is allowed per month. Qualifications require a valid State ID and review of income guidelines.

CSFP Guidelines

Household Size	Yearly	Monthly
1	\$15,678	\$1,307
2	\$21,112	\$1,759
3	\$26,546	\$2,212
4	\$31,980	\$2,665
5	\$37,414	\$3,118
6	\$42,848	\$3,571
For Each Additional Household Member Add:	\$5,434	\$453

Site	Dates	Time
Alma Elks Lodge 610 W. Warwick, Alma	4 th Monday of the Month December distribution will be on the 3 rd Monday.	9:30 – 11:00 am
Gratiot Commission on Aging 515 W. Pine River, Ithaca	4 th Monday of the Month December distribution will be on the 3 rd Monday.	1:00 – 2:00 pm
Ionia Moose Lodge 869 E. Lincoln Ave., Ionia	4 th Tuesday of the Month December & January distributions will be on the 3 rd Tuesday.	10:30 – 11:30 am
Immanuel Lutheran Church 320 S. Bradley, Mt. Pleasant	4 th Wednesday of the Month December distribution will be on the 3 rd Wednesday.	10:00 – 11:00 am
Greenville Armory 319 S. Hillcrest, Greenville	1 st Thursday of the Month	10:30 – 11:30 am
VFW Hall 1101 Ensley, Howard City	1 st Thursday of the Month	1:30 – 2:30 pm

The **Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP)** is a food program for eligible households, regardless of age. Household must be in Gratiot, Ionia, Isabella or Montcalm Counties and use only one site per quarter. Qualifications are a valid State ID and review of the income guidelines.

TEFAP Guidelines

Household Size	Yearly	Monthly
1	\$24,120	\$2,010
2	\$32,480	\$2,707
3	\$40,840	\$3,403
4	\$49,200	\$4,100
5	\$57,560	\$4,797
6	\$65,920	\$5,493
7	\$74,280	\$6,190
For Each Additional Household Member Add:	\$8,360	\$697

Site	Distribution Dates	Time
The Salvation Army 425 Republic Avenue, Alma (989) 463-2864	4 th Tuesday of October, January, April, & July	9:00 – 11:30 am & 1:00 – 3:30 pm
Ionia Church of the Nazarene 83 E. Tuttle Road, Ionia (616) 527-9350	4 th Saturday of October, January, April, & July	10:00 am – 12:00 pm
The Salvation Army 1308 Burch Street, Mt. Pleasant (989) 773-4663	4 th Tuesday of October, January, April, & July	10:00 am – 3:00 pm
Christian Community of Fellowship 8135 Mill Street, Winn (989) 866-2440	4 th Thursday of October, January, April, & July	11:00 am – 1:00 pm
Carson City Community Food Pantry 404 N. Division Street, Carson City (989) 584-6044	4 th Wednesday of October, January, April, & July	10:00 am – 12:00 pm
Greenville Church of the Nazarene 10087 SW Greenville Rd., Greenville (616) 754-7605	4 th Friday of October, January, April, & July	10:00 am – 12:00 pm
Helping Hands Food Pantry 1105 S. Ensley Road, Howard City (231) 937-5177	4 th Wednesday of October, January, April, & July	10:00 am – 2:00 pm

If you miss the initial distribution day, call the pantry for regular pantry hours and TEFAP availability.

Quick Find Phone Numbers

Use the **Quick Find Index** pages as a quick reference for phone numbers. See the Community Resource pages for further agency information.

Abuse	Catholic Charities West Michigan	(616) 855-5923
<u>Child/Adult</u>	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
	Relief After Violent Encounter (RAVE)	(616) 527-3351
<u>Budgeting/Financial</u>	MSU-Extension	(989) 875-5233
	Women's Resource Center	(616) 458-5443
<u>Clothing</u>	Christian Service Center	(616) 527-1530
	Encounter Cares Baby Pantry	(616) 794-5080
	Goodwill Stores-Belding	(616) 794-9845
	Goodwill Stores-Ionia.....	(616) 527-4404
	Goodwill Stores-Portland	(517) 940-4885
<u>Counseling Services/Mental Health</u>	Four Health Family Resource Center	(616) 642-6466
	Mid State Health Network-MSHN	(844) 405-3095
	Relief After Violent Encounter (RAVE)	(616) 527-3351
	River's Edge Drop In Center	(616) 522-9773
	The Right Door	(888) 527-1790
	Two Rivers Counseling	(616) 647-4747
	Viewpointe Counseling.....	(616) 523-6537
<u>Disability/Special Needs</u>	Area Agency on Aging	(616) 456-5664
	Ionia County Intermediate School District-ICISD	(616) 527-4900
	Social Security Administration	(877) 405-7667
	Special Olympics Michigan.....	(989) 774-3911
	The Right Door	(888) 527-1790
<u>Education For Adults</u>	Belding Community Education	(616) 794-4646
	Davenport University.....	(800) 968-9710
	Federal Student Aid-FAFSA	(800) 433-3243
	Heartlands Institute of Technology.....	(616) 527-6540
	Mid-Michigan Migrant & English Language Learners	(616) 794-4753
	Montcalm Community College	(989) 328-2111
	MICAN	(616) 527-4900
	MSU-Extension	(989) 875-5233
	Portland Alternative & Community Education	(517) 647-2987
	Women's Resource Center	(616) 458-5443
<u>Emergency</u>	American Red Cross	(616) 456-8661
	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
	Poison Control Center.....	(800) 222-1222
	Relief After Violent Encounter (RAVE)	(616) 527-3351
	The Salvation Army.....	(855) 929-1640
	Sheriff's Department	(616) 527-5737

Employment Services	Manpower	(616) 527-6688
	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
	Michigan Works-West	(616) 389-8525
	Women's Resource Center	(616) 458-5443
Food	Commission on Aging	(616) 527-5365
	EightCAP, Inc.	(616) 208-1580
	Ionia County Health Department	(616) 527-5341
	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
Furniture/ Household	Christian Service Center	(616) 527-1530
	Enrich	(616) 522-1126
	Habitat for Humanity ReStore	(616) 523-6899
Government (City/ County)	County Clerk.....	(616) 527-5322
	Friend of the Court.....	(616) 527-5310
	Sheriff's Department.....	(616) 527-5737
	State Police	(989) 352-8444
Preschool	EightCAP, Inc/GSRP.....	(616) 208-1580
	Ionia County Intermediate School District	(616) 527-4900
Health	Area Agency on Aging	(616) 456-5664
	Commission on Aging	(616) 527-5365
	Hospice of Michigan.....	(888) 247-5701
	Ionia Area Hospice	(616) 527-0681
	Ionia County Health Department.....	(616) 527-5341
	Lions Club-Saranac.....	(616) 901-5473
	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
	Michigan Enrolls.....	(888) 367-6557
	MiChild/Healthy Kids	(888) 988-6300
	Tri-County Home Works People Care Fund	(877) 421-8956
Homeless/ Housing Services	Area Agency on Aging	(616) 456-5664
	Belding Emergency Fund	(616) 794-1900
	Belding Housing Commission	(616) 794-1740
	EightCAP, Inc. Housing Hotline, ext. 3335	(866) 754-9315
	Habitat for Humanity	(616) 523-6899
	Have Mercy.....	(616) 225-8055
	Ionia Housing Commission	(616) 527-9060
	Ionia/Montcalm (CoC) Local Planning Body, ext.3364.....	(616) 754-9315
	McKinney-Vento Homeless Student Supports	(616) 225-6126
	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
	Michigan State Housing Development Authority-MSHDA.....	(517) 373-9344
	MSU-Extension	(989) 875-5233
	Saranac Housing Commission	(616) 642-9832
	Tri-County Home Works People Care Fund	(877) 421-8956
	USDA Rural Development	(800) 944-8119
	Relief After Violent Encounter (RAVE)	(616) 527-3351

<u>Housing Repair</u>	EightCAP, Inc.....	(989) 463-5693
	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
	Michigan State Housing Development Authority-MSHDA.....	(517) 373-9344
	Tri-County Home Works People Care Fund	(877) 421-8956
<u>Infant/ Child/ Teen Services</u>	EightCAP, Inc./GSRP.....	(616) 208-1580
	Encounters Baby Pantry.....	(616) 794-5080
	Ionia County Health Department.....	(616) 527-5341
	Ionia County Intermediate School District	(616) 527-4900
	McKinney-Vento Homeless Student Supports	(616) 225-6126
	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
	MiChild/Healthy Kids	(888) 988-6300
	MSU-Extension-4H	(616) 527-5357
	Lions Club-Saranac.....	(616) 901-5473
	Special Olympics Michigan.....	(800) 644-6404
The Right Door	(888) 527-1790	
<u>Legal</u>	Dispute Resolution Center	(616) 774-0121
	Elder Law of Michigan	(866) 400-9164
	Farmworker Legal Services	(269) 492-7190
	Legal Aid of Western Michigan	(888) 783-8190
	Michigan Legal Help	See Website
Michigan Migrant Legal Services.....	(616) 454-5055	
<u>Libraries</u>	Alvah N. Belding Memorial Library	(616) 794-1540
	Clarksville Area Library	(616) 693-1001
	Ionia Community Library	(616) 527-3680
	Lake Odessa Community Library.....	(616) 374-4591
	Lyons Township Library	(989) 855-3414
	Orleans Township Library	(616) 761-3111
	Portland District Library.....	(517) 647-6981
	Saranac Public Library.....	(616) 642-9146
<u>Literacy</u>	Ionia County Literacy Council	(616) 389-8529
<u>Medical</u>	American Legion-Belding Post	(616) 794-2841
	American Legion-Saranac Post	(616) 642-9674
	Area Agency on Aging	(616) 456-5664
	Commission on Aging	(616) 527-5365
	EightCAP, Inc.	(616) 208-1580
	Hospice of Michigan.....	(888) 247-5701
	Ionia Area Hospice	(616) 527-0681
	Ionia County Health Department.....	(616) 527-5341
	Lions Club-Saranac.....	(616) 901-5473
	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
	Michigan Enrolls.....	(888) 367-6557
	MiChild/Healthy Kids	(888) 988-6300
<u>Nutrition</u>	Ionia County Health Department.....	(616) 527-5341
	MSU-Extension	(616) 527-5357

<u>Parenting</u>	Adoptive Family Support Network	(616) 458-7945
	Encounter Cares Baby Pantry	(616) 794-5080
	Four Health Family Resource Center	(616) 642-6466
	Great Start to Quality	(877) 614-7328
	Ionia County Health Department	(616) 527-5341
	Ionia County Intermediate School District	(616) 527-4900
	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
	MSU-Extension	(989) 875-5233
	Positive Solutions Informed Choices-PSIC	(616) 755-6077
	Women's Resource Center	(616) 458-5443
<u>Pregnancy Services</u>	Alpha Family Center of Greenville	(616) 225-2265
	Alpha Women's Center	(616) 987-9533
	Ionia County Health Department	(616) 527-5341
	Positive Solutions Informed Choices-PSIC	(616) 755-6077
<u>Schools-Public/Charter</u>	Belding Public Schools	(616) 794-4700
	Flat River Academy	(616) 754-9360
	Heartlands Institute of Technology	(616) 527-6540
	Ionia County Intermediate School District	(616) 527-4900
	Ionia Public Schools	(616) 527-9280
	Lakewood Public Schools	(616) 374-8043
	Portland Public Schools	(517) 647-4161
Saranac Community Schools	(616) 642-1400	
<u>Senior Citizens</u>	Area Agency on Aging	(616) 456-5664
	Commission on Aging	(616) 527-5365
	EightCAP, Inc.	(616) 208-1580
	Portland Area Service Group	(517) 647-4004
	Social Security Administration	(877) 405-7667
<u>Substance Abuse</u>	Alcoholics' Anonymous	(800) 821-3014
	Ionia County Health Department-ICHHD	(616) 527-5341
	Mid State Health Network-MSHN	(844) 405-3095
	Straight Street	(616) 754-7951
	The Right Door	(888) 527-1790
<u>Tax Assistance</u>	Commission on Aging	(616) 527-5365
	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
	United Way Montcalm-Ionia Counties (VITA)	(616) 794-9840
<u>Trans- portation</u>	Commission on Aging	(616) 527-5365
	Belding Dial-A-Ride/Bel-hop	(616) 794-3278
	Ionia Dial-A-Ride/I-Dart	(616) 527-4000
<u>Utility Assistance</u>	Belding Emergency Fund	(616) 794-1900
	Assurance Wireless (free cell phone)	(888) 321-5880
	Dial-In Free (free internet)	(616) 980-4110
	EightCAP, Inc. (heat/utility)	(616) 208-1580
	Lakewood Community Council	(616) 374-8861
	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
SafeLink (free cell phone)	(800) 773-9328	

Utility	The Salvation Army.....	(855) 929-1640
<u>Assistance</u>	Tri-County Home Works People Care Fund (heat/utility)	(877) 421-8956
Volunteer	Commission on Aging	(616) 527-5365
<u>Services</u>	Michigan Department of Health & Human Services-MDHHS	(616) 527-5200
	United Way Montcalm-Ionia Counties.....	(616) 794-9840

Hotline Numbers

ALCOHOL/DRUG ABUSE HELPLINE & TREATMENT	(800) 234-0420
BOYS & GIRLS TOWN NATIONAL HOTLINE	(800) 448-3000 www.boystown.org
CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL & PREVENTION INFORMATION	(800) 232-4636 www.cdc.gov
CENTER FOR MISSING & EXPLOITED CHILDREN	(800) 843-5678 www.missingkids.com
CHILD & ADULT LICENSING COMPLAINTS	(866) 856-0126 www.michigan.gov/mdhhs
CHILD FIND OF AMERICA	(800) 426-5678 www.childfindofamerica.org
CHILD HELP USA INFORMATION CENTER	(800) 422-4453 www.childhelp.org
CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENTS	(877) 464-3324 www.misdu.com
CHILDREN'S SPECIAL HEALTH CARE SERVICES FAMILY CENTER	(800) 359-3722 www.michigan.gov/mdhhs
CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION	(800) 638-2772 www.cpsc.gov
DEPRESSION AFTER DELIVERY	(800) 944-4773 www.postpartum.net
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HELPLINE	(800) 799-7233 www.thehotline.org
EIGHTCAP'S HOUSING & HOMELESS HOTLINE	866-754-9315 X 3335
CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELING SERVICE	(800) 388-2227 www.nfcc.org
FOOD & NUTRITION PROGRAM HELPLINE (SNAP)	(855) 275-6424 www.fns.usda.gov
MOTHERS AGAINST DRUNK DRIVING (MADD)	(800) 623-3435 www.madd.org
MEDICAID HELPLINE (MICHIGAN)	(888) 367-6557

MI-RX DISCOUNT CARD	(800) 259-8016 www.mihealth.org
MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION ON PROBLEM GAMBLING HELPLINE	(800) 270-7117 www.michapg.com
POISON CONTROL	(800) 222-1222 www.aapcc.org
NATIONAL RUNAWAY SAFELINE	(800) 786-2929 www.1800runaway.org
SAFE DELIVERY OF NEWBORNS	(866) 733-7733 www.michigan.gov/mdhhs
SEXUAL ASSAULT HOTLINE	(800) 656-4673 www.rainn.org
SUBSTANCE ABUSE & MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION	(800) 662-4357 www.samhsa.gov
SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE	(800) 273-8255 www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org
THAW FUND	(800) 866-8429 www.thawfund.org
THURSDAY'S CHILD	(800) 872-5437 www.thursdayschild.org
USDA MEAT AND POULTRY HOTLINE	(888) 674-6854 www.fsis.usda.gov
VETERAN'S CRISIS LINE - VETERAN'S AFFAIRS	(800) 273-8255 www.veteranscrisisline.net
VULNERABLE CHILDREN, ADULTS & SENIORS HELPLINE	(855) 444-3911 www.michigan.gov/mdhhs
WE TIP HOTLINE	(800) 782-7463 www.wetip.com

Community Resources

ADOPTIVE FAMILY SUPPORT NETWORK

(616) 458-7945

805 Leonard Street NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503

www.afsn.org

Offers support groups, workshops and general information to all adoptive families in Michigan.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS (AA)

(800) 821-3014

Call Ionia County Health Department for local listings

(616) 527-5341

Provides local listings for educational services for persons with alcohol, drug, or other related concerns. Services are also offered to families and friends of chemically dependent persons.

ALPHA FAMILY CENTER OF GREENVILLE

(616) 225-2265

705 N Hillcrest Street, Greenville, MI 48838

www.alphafamilycenter.org

Hours: Monday & Wednesday 9:00 am - 12:00pm, Tuesday 10:00 am - 7:00 pm, Thursday 11:00 am - 4:00 pm, and Friday Closed. Free and confidential services offered: pregnancy testing; confidential peer counseling; information on adoption and STD's; ultrasounds (restrictions apply); communications in relationships program; abortion information; post abortion classes; financial planning program; Earn-While-You-Learn parenting education program—practical assistance with clothing, diapers, formula, cribs, car seats, and more; sexual integrity program, Bible studies; youth abstinence program, men's fraternity and more. Most services call for an appointment except for pregnancy testing.

ALPHA WOMEN'S CENTER

(616) 987-9533

517 E Main Street, Lowell, MI 49331

www.afclowell.org

Pregnancy care center who, through the help of the community, is able to assist people who are experiencing an unplanned pregnancy and financial hardship. Please call for an appointment.

ALVAH N. BELDING MEMORIAL LIBRARY

(616) 794-1450

302 E Main Street, Belding, MI 48809

www.belding.michlibrary.org

Hours: Monday/Wednesday 9:00 am - 8:00 pm; Tuesday/Thursday 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm and Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; Saturday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm.

AMERICAN LEGION POST

Belding Post 203 - 121 S Broas Street, Belding, MI 48809

(616) 794-2841

Saranac Post 175- 69 N Bridge Street, Saranac, MI 48881

(616) 642-9674

Lends people (Belding and Saranac areas) crutches, wheelchairs and other hospital equipment. A deposit is required but is refundable when items are returned.

AMERICAN RED CROSS

(800) 482-2411(24 hr. Emergency) or (616) 456-8661

1050 Fuller Avenue NE, Grand Rapids MI 49503

www.redcross.org/mi/grand-rapids

American Red Cross offers disaster relief services to families affected by natural or man-made disasters, as well as services to military families, and a wide range of health and safety education courses, such as CPR, First Aid & more. Red Cross also offers blood drives.

AREA AGENCY ON AGING

(616) 456-5664

3215 Eaglecrest Drive NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49525

www.aaawm.org

Nursing Facility Transition (NFT) services support individuals who are currently in a skilled Nursing & Rehabilitation Facility and want to return to their own homes, homes of family or friends, or find other supportive living arrangements.

BELDING COMMUNITY EDUCATION**(616) 794-4646***1975 Orchard Street, Belding, MI 48809*www.bas-k12.org

Provides adult education, alternative education, teenage parent program, adult enrichment program, and G.E.D. classes.

BELDING EMERGENCY FUND**(616) 794-1900***120 S Pleasant Street, Belding, MI 48809*www.ci.belding.mi.us

Applications available at Belding City Hall, Monday – Thursday. Assistance for housing (rentals only) or utility emergencies, no emergency shelter. Must have DHHS decision notice and copy of the bill. Belding School District residents only.

BELDING HOUSING COMMISSION**(616) 794-1740***41 Belhaven Street, Belding, MI 48809*

Information on low-cost government housing and vouchers (Section 8) for Belding/Ionia County.

BELDING PUBLIC SCHOOLS**(616) 794-4700***850 Hall Street, Belding, MI 48809*www.bas-k12.org**CATHOLIC CHARITIES WEST MICHIGAN****After hours: (616) 456-1443****(616) 855-5923***406 N State Street, Suite D, PO Box 480, Stanton, MI 48888*www.ccwestmi.org

Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm. Provides help to stabilize and strengthen families and children of all faiths through individual and family counseling, pregnancy support, adoption and child abuse prevention program. Fees are based on a sliding scale determined by family size and income.

CELL PHONES*Safe Link Wireless*www.safelinkwireless.com **(800) 723-3546***Assurance Wireless*www.assurancewireless.com **(888) 321-5880**

If you receive food stamps, Medicaid, SSI, or have low income you may be eligible for a program that offers free cell phones and minutes. Applications are available at EightCAP, Inc. offices. Visit www.freegovernmentcellphones.net for more information on providers and plans in your area.

CHRISTIAN SERVICE CENTER**(616) 527-1530***301 W Washington Street, Ionia, MI 48846*

Hours: Tuesday & Wednesday 9:00 am - 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm - 4 pm and Saturday 9 - noon.
Collects and distributes donated clothing and household items.

CLARKSVILLE AREA LIBRARY**(616) 693-1001***165 N Main Street, Clarksville, MI 48815*www.clarksville.michlibrary.org

Hours: Tuesday 12:00 pm - 7:00 pm; Wednesday 9:00 am - 7:00 pm; Thursday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm and Friday & Saturday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm.

COMMISSION ON AGING**(616) 527-5365***115 Hudson Street, Ionia, MI 48846*www.ioniacounty.org/commission-on-aging

Provides programs to senior citizens including prescription assistance, respite care, home health aides, homemaker program, home delivered & congregate meals, tax preparation, transportation, caregiver services, Medicare and Medicaid Counseling, Senior Project Fresh program, wellness programs, and an adult activity center.

Davenport University is a private university that offers undergraduate and graduate programs in business, health and technology.

DIAL-A-RIDE

Belding**(616) 794-3278***100 Depot Street, Belding, MI 48809*

Provides transportation services within the Belding area and from Belding to Greenville, and Ionia. Transportation Hours: Monday-Friday 6:30 am - 5:30 pm; Saturday 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
 Transportation Hours to Ionia: 8:30 am & 1:00 pm. Fares (One way): Children, senior citizens, & persons with a disability card \$1.25; Students \$2.00; Adults \$2.50.

Ionia (IDART)**(616) 527-4000***251 E Adams Street, Ionia, MI 48846*

Provides curbside public transportation to Ionia, Easton, and Berlin townships, city of Ionia, and a section of Orange Township. 24-hour notice encouraged, but will take same day phone calls. Transportation Hours: Monday-Friday 6:30 am - 5:00 pm; Saturday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
 Fares (One way): Children, senior citizens (62 years and over), persons with a disability card, and Pre-K Students \$1.50; Students (K-12) \$2.00; Adults and all other passengers \$3.00.
 Children 2 years and under are free with paying adult. Punch cards are also available.

DIAL IN FREE

(616) 980-4110www.dialinfree.net

Provides free dialup internet service to all of Michigan. \$5 charge per call for customer service over the phone or go online for information and sign up for free.

DISPUTE RESOLUTION CENTER OF WEST MICHIGAN**(616) 774-0121 or (800) 873-7658***678 Front Avenue NW, Suite 250, Grand Rapid, MI 49504*www.drcwm.org

Free to low-cost mediation services. Confidential, convenient, and effective. Mediation is a voluntary process that can be used to resolve a wide variety of disputes: parenting time, landlord-tenant, neighbor conflict, employment matters, school matters, divorce, business disputes, or legal cases. Mediation provided in your area. You don't have to drive to Grand Rapids.

EIGHTCAP, INC.**(844) 557-0733 or (616) 208-1580***5827 Orleans Road, Orleans, MI 48865*www.eightcap.org**Administrative Offices****(866) 754-9315 or (616) 754-9315***904 Oak Drive-Turk Lake, Greenville, MI 48838***Community Service****(616) 208-1580****Services Offered:**

- Heat/utility assistance when funding is available
- USDA/Mid-Michigan commodity cards and distribution
- Referrals to food banks, legal services, etc.
- Certified Michigan Enrolls counselor
- Computer Access Station- Use this FREE service to discover other helpful information that goes beyond EightCAP Community Services range of assistance.

Clients will be seen by appointment only for heat/utility assistance. For heat/utility assistance, an Emergency Assistance Application must be filled out and submitted to the mailing address above. The application can be found on our website, www.eightcap.org.

Foster Grandparents
(616) 754-9315 x 3355

Men and women 55 years and older volunteer a minimum of 15 hours a week in public schools, Head Start centers, etc. to work with children and families. The Foster Grandparents are participating in the American Reads Challenge and America's Promise. Participants receive a stipend, mileage reimbursement, annual physical and a meal at their site.

Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP)
(616) 754-9315 x 3369

A state funded preschool program for children who are four years of age or will be four by September 1st of the program year. Children must meet specific income and eligibility criteria.

0-5 Head Start
(616) 754-9315 x 3369

A federally funded child development program serving pregnant women, infants, toddlers, and children thru age 5 years. Participants must meet specific income and eligibility criteria.

Housing Assistance Programs
Housing Hotline
(866) 754-9315 x 3335
ESG (Emergency Solutions Grant)

- Literally homeless or court ordered eviction notice
- Deposit and/or rental assistance
- Call the Housing Hotline for assistance

MSHDA Housing Choice Voucher Homeless Preference

- Literally homeless
- Must be able to prove residency, identity, and age
- Call the Housing Hotline for assistance

ESP (Emergency Assistance Program) Motel Funding

- Literally homeless
- Up to 7 nights per fiscal year
- Call the Housing Hotline for assistance

SSVF (Supportive Services for Veteran Families)

- Assists veterans who have at least one day of active duty
- Discharge other than Dishonorable
- Literally homeless or court ordered eviction notice
- Deposit and/or rental assistance
- General housing stability assistance
- Moving costs, childcare, and/or utility payment assistance
- Call the Housing Hotline for assistance

Senior Companions
(616) 754-9315 x 3361

Senior Companions are volunteers who are 55 years and older, income eligible and understand the challenges and importance of maintaining independence later in life. Senior Companions provide person-to-person, non-medical support to adults with chronic mental illnesses, developmental disabilities, physically frail elderly and those who are homebound. Senior Companions serve a minimum of 15 hours each week. They receive a small non-taxable stipend, reimbursement for meals and mileage, on-duty insurance, annual physical, and monthly trainings. There is no cost to the clients they serve.

Weatherization**(616) 754-9315 x 3420**

- Free program that will help lower your fuel costs and make your home more energy efficient
- Services offered: water heater insulation blanket, low-flow shower head/wall/ceiling/ floor insulation/ventilation, caulking, glass replacement, door sweeps, and weather stripping
- Proof of household income for the last 3 months
- Call for an appointment

ENCOUNTER CARES BABY PANTRY**(616) 794-5080***1213 W State Street, Belding, MI 48809*www.encountercommunitychurch.org

Hours: Second Thursday of every month 9:00 am - 11:00 am & 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm. Free service to families with newborns – 3 years old. Helps provide families with basic needs. Some items that may be available are diapers, wipes, bottles, formula, blankets, toothbrushes, clothing and much more. Availability is dependent on donations. ID required.

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (BELDING AREA SCHOOLS)**(616) 794-4602***1975 Orchard Street, Belding, MI 48809*

Offering an adult education program that includes high school completion, GED preparation, adult basic education, and “English as a Second Language” classes

ENRICH**(616) 522-1126***343 W Main Street, Ionia, MI 48846*www.enrichioniami.org

Resale store hours are Wednesdays & Fridays, 11:00 am – 4:00 pm. Assists low-income families through the Community Circle program. Provides used appliances and furniture for free to families with a need for them. There is also a store where other donated items can be purchased by the public. See website for more information.

FARMWORKER LEGAL SERVICES – MICHIGAN ADVOCACY PROGRAM**(800) 968-4046***3030 S 9th Street, Suite 1A, Kalamazoo, MI 49009*www.farmworkerlaw.org

Farm Worker Legal Services is a division of Legal Services of South Central Michigan, providing free civil legal assistance to low-income persons, including migrant and seasonal farm workers. FLS represents and assists migrant and seasonal farm workers with legal problems in the areas of employment, benefits, housing, education and immigration.

FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA) - FREE APPLICATION**(800) 433-3243**www.fafsa.ed.gov

Information by phone: Monday-Friday 8:00 am – 11:00 pm, Sat & Sun 11:00 am – 5:00 pm.

FLAT RIVER ACADEMY**(616) 754-9360***9481 Jordan Road, Greenville, MI 48838*www.flatriveracademy.org

A tuition-free public school serving students of Michigan in Kindergarten through 12th grade.

FOUR HEALTH FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER**(616) 642-6466***92 N Bridge Street, PO Box 178, Saranac, MI 48881*www.fhfr.com

Business Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm. Evening and weekend hours are available; please call for an appointment. Professional therapists and educators offer a variety of unique services from individual therapeutic consultations to parent education programs for new or struggling parents, couples/marriage counseling, and Healthy Families Program. Certified Parent Coordinator. Most insurance accepted.

FRIEND OF THE COURT**(616) 527-5310***110 E Washington Street, PO Box 47, Ionia, MI 48846*www.ioniacounty.org/friend-of-the-court

Hours: Monday–Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm. The friend of the court office assists the court in custody and parenting time disputes. It enforces court orders when the parents are unable to resolve problems on their own.

GOODWILL RETAIL OUTLET STORESwww.goodwill.org*363 E State Street, Belding, MI 48809***(616) 794-9845***153 W Sprague Road, Ionia, MI 48846***(616) 527-4404***1320 E Grand River Avenue, Portland MI, 48875***(517) 940-4885**

Hours: Monday–Saturday 10:00 am - 9:00 pm & Sunday 11:00 am - 6:00 pm. Offers gently used or new merchandise at a fraction of its original price.

GREAT START TO QUALITY – CENTRAL CENTER**(877) 614-7328***(Child Care and Early Learning Resources)*www.greatstarttoquality.org

Helps link parents and those caring for young children with the resources, supports, and services needed to give Michigan children a Great Start. Great Start CONNECT is an online statewide database of licensed, registered child care and early education programs in Michigan. Families can access this database 24-hours a day, seven days a week to quickly and conveniently search for and contact child care providers who match their needs.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY (HFH)**(616) 523-6899***115 S Depot Street, Ionia, MI 48846*www.ioniahabitat.org

Builds new homes for qualified low-income families. A client enters into a Partnership Interest-Free Mortgage. Families that are approved to purchase a home are required to work with volunteers in the building process. Family must live in Ionia County. You can download an application from the website listed above or pick up an application at Mercantile Bank or Independent Bank at the main downtown offices in Ionia, Belding, and Saranac. Office hours Tuesday – Friday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm. A ReSale Shop is a nonprofit improvement store and donation center. At our ReSale Shop (open to the general public), we sell new and gently used building materials, home improvement items, appliances and furniture at highly reduced prices. ReSale shop hours Wednesday – Friday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm & Saturday 10:00 am – 3:00 pm.

HAVE MERCY**(616) 225-8055***117 W Cass Street, Greenville, MI 48838*www.havemercymi.org

Appointment Hours: Monday - Thursday 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm; Friday 11:00 am - 3:00 pm
Homeless services provider who assist those presently homeless with emergency shelter and necessary supports. Also aid clients in searching for and obtaining permanent housing. Serves Ionia, Montcalm, & Northeast Kent Counties.

HEARTLANDS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**(616) 527-6540***250 E Tuttle Road, Ionia, MI 48846*www.ioniaisd.org/cte

Training center connected to the high school that teaches trades-such as Aviation technology, Child care, Computer network admin, Construction technology, Criminal justice, Culinary arts, Health care foundations which include occupations in medical/dental/vision fields, Machine tool, Mechanics/Diesel technology, and Plant/animal science. Monday – Friday 7:00 am – 3:30 pm.

HOSPICE OF MICHIGAN**(888) 247-5701***Call for local area information.*www.hom.org

Hospice of Michigan provides comprehensive, compassionate comfort care to people with acute chronic illness and support to their loved ones.

HUD-VASH**(269) 966-5600 Ext. 33148**Veterans housing voucher program with HUD and the VA. www.va.gov/homeless/hud-vash.asp**IONIA AREA HOSPICE****(616) 527-0681***601 E Washington Street, Ionia, MI 48846*www.ioniahospice.org

Independent, local, non-profit hospice providing the utmost in compassionate, meaningful end of life care. Provides care, comfort, and support to patients and their families.

IONIA COMMUNITY LIBRARY**(616) 527-3680***126 E Main Street, Ionia, MI 48846*www.ioniacommunitylibrary.org

Hours: Monday-Thursday 10:00 am - 8:00 pm; Friday 10:00 am - 6:00 pm and Saturday 10:00 am - 2:00 pm. Closed on Sundays and holidays.

IONIA COUNTY CLERK**(616) 527-5322***100 W Main Street, Ionia, MI 48846*www.ioniacounty.org/county-clerk

Obtain birth, death, & marriage certificates, as well as conduct voter registration business.

To order an out-of-county Michigan birth certificate visit, www.michigan.gov/mdch.

IONIA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT**(616) 527-5341***175 E Adams Street, Ionia, MI 48846*www.ioniacounty.org/health-department

Seek to help residents live long and healthy lives through the assurance of environmental quality, the access to personal health services and the dissemination of information to make wise health decisions.

Environmental Health Division seeks to protect public health through the application of inspection and permitting activities in the areas of food service, sewage disposal and water supply, housing, nuisance abatement, and solid and hazardous waste elimination. Interaction with the public and with other regulatory agencies provides opportunity for information to be exchanged, and for hazardous situations to be abated.

Personal Health:

Hours for Personal Health are as follows: Monday & Tuesday 8:30am to 4:30pm; Wednesday 11am to 7pm; Thursday 9am to 5pm and Friday 8am to 4pm.

Services Offered:

Women Infants, and Children (WIC) is a Medicaid supplemental nutrition program for pregnant women and children 0 to 5 years of age.

- Eligibility can quickly be determine with a phone call to the WIC Office 616-527-5337.
- Nutritional assessments and services are provided by a Registered Dietitian.
- Supplemental foods include yogurt, milk, cold and hot cereals, cheese, eggs, bean and peanut butter choices and bread.
- Special formulas are available for infants with feeding difficulties
- Within WIC there is a program focusing on breastfeeding provided by an Internationally Board Credited Lactation Counselor that includes classes and support groups to help mothers get started breastfeeding and to continue breastfeeding for as long as possible.
- Fluoride Varnish is a program for Medicaid clients 0 to 3 years of age and will start in October 2017; its purpose is to prevent childhood dental cavities.

General Communicable Disease Control:

- Some infectious disease are required to be reported to the Health Department by physicians and to the State of Michigan Department of Health and Human Services. Staff are knowledgeable and will help with that process. Some examples of reportable diseases are tuberculosis,

hepatitis, rabies, meningitis and others. Staff are available to answer any questions at 616-527-5341.

IONIA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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General Communicable Disease Control: (Continued)

- Lead testing or screening is a program under Communicable Disease CD) and available for children that are 12 months to 6 years of age. The screening test is a “finger poke” and if it is within normal range there is nothing more that needs to be done. If the screening results are high, a follow-up blood test is performed at the hospital and CD staff will assist you in discovering the environmental source of lead, order follow-up routine testing, offer information regarding making your home safer and nutritional tips to help keep your child stay healthy.
- Sexually Transmitted Infections offers testing for Chlamydia, Gonorrhea, and HIV. Chlamydia and Gonorrhea infections of individuals and their partners can be treated at the health department. HIV testing, if positive, requires referrals for further testing and medical care. All services are confidential.

Maternal Infant Health Home Visiting Program:

- This program is supported by Medicaid and/or a Medicaid Health Plan. The Program offers nursing and social work support, and nutritional services to pregnant women regarding pregnancy-related issues.
- After the baby is born, the program offers assistance with parenting skills, assessment of normal growth and development and assistance securing additional resources needed for the family.
- The maternal/infant program is intended to supplement prenatal and infant medical care by identifying health risk factors and delivering prescribed interventions.
- The ultimate goal of the Maternal Infant program is to promote healthy pregnancies and healthy babies.

Hearing and Vision screening for preschool and school aged children:

- Technicians provide both hearing and vision screenings in the schools.
- A Wednesday evening hearing and vision clinic is offered at the Health Department once per month. This Clinic is by appointment, third Wednesday of the month, 5pm – 7pm.
- Any child that fails the screening exams is referred to a licensed eye doctor or an Ear, Nose, and Throat specialist for further evaluation as vision and hearing problems can lead to difficulties both at school and at home.

Children’s Special Health Care Services is a mandated Public Health program for children and youth with special health care needs and their families:

- Experienced staff provide required program services that include information regarding covered medical services including paying specialty medical bills, diagnostic referrals, transportation, family support sources, and knowledge of any additional community resources that could be of assistance to the family. Families of all incomes are eligible to join, including those with other health insurance.
- The goal of CSHCS is to help individuals with special health care needs to have improved health outcomes through appropriate medical care, health education and support.
- CSHCS promotes and incorporates parent/professional collaboration in all program aspects.
- If you have a child with special physical health care needs, please call 616-527-5341, Ext: 442.

Immunizations are available to children and adults at ICHD walk-in clinics.

- Children: A parent or guardian must accompany the child. Medicaid, Medicaid Health Plans and Blue Cross are insurances billed at the Health Department. A full range of CDC recommended vaccines are available to infants, children and teens.

- Adults: Travel vaccines and other adult vaccines are available and Blue Cross can be billed. Charges for adult vaccines vary according to the vaccine. If you have questions regarding the necessary vaccines for a safe and health trip, please call 616-527-5341.

IONIA COUNTY INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT (ICISD) (616) 527-4900

2191 Harwood Road, Ionia, MI 48846 www.ioniaisd.org

A range of services and programs that include parenting support, developmental assessments, and programs for visually and hearing impaired.

Dolly Parton Imagination Library

www.ioniaisd.org

Program for children birth to five years old to receive a free book once per month. Must reside within the Ionia County Intermediate School District (*Belding, Ionia, Lakewood, Portland, and Saranac Schools*) to participate.

Early On (800) 327-5966

www.1800earlyon.org

Families who have concerns regarding their child's speech, language, or development can call for a free evaluation. Serving children 0-3 years old by offering home visits and parent education. Referrals can be made locally at www.ioniaisd.org, click on Early Childhood Programs and then select Early On.

Great Start Collaborative (616) 437-0548

www.greatstartionia.org

A partnership of parents, community leaders, agencies, and organizations in Ionia County working together to support families and promote awareness on the importance of early childhood experiences. Our goal is to ensure children are born healthy and developmentally on track birth to 3rd grade.

Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) (616) 527-4900

www.ioniaisd.org

Michigan's state-funded preschool program for children who turn 4 on or before September 1st of that school year and have factors which may place them at risk of educational failure. To strengthen learning at home and strengthen positive child outcomes, the program provides for active and continuous involvement of families in the learning process. Preschool applications may be found at the web site or check with your local elementary school.

Parent-Child Playgroups (616) 527-4900

www.greatstartionia.org

Literacy based playgroups (in the districts of Ionia, Portland, and Belding) providing child development and resource information for any family with a child age birth to five years.

Share Program (0-3 Special Education Program) (616) 522-1410

An early childhood special education program for eligible children that are newborn to three years old and their families providing developmental assessments, home visiting, playgroups, and a parent group.

Build Up Michigan (888) 320-8384

240 S. Bridge St. Suite 250 Dewitt, MI 48820 www.buildupmi.org

Helps parents and their children, ages 3 through 5, get additional educational support as they begin and continue to learn the skills needed to enter kindergarten. The goal is to refer all children who may be eligible for special education services through Michigan's Administrative Rules for Special Education and the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Part B.

IONIA COUNTY LITERACY COUNCIL (616) 389-8529

301 West Main Street, Ionia, MI 48846

www.ioniacountyliteracycouncil.org

Provides free tutoring services to adults, in Reading, Math, and English as a second language. The schedule and location of individual or small group tutoring is determined by each student and his/her tutor. The Literacy Council also offers opportunities to train as a volunteer tutor.

IONIA COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

(616) 527-5737

133 E Adams Street, Ionia, MI 48846

IONIA HOUSING COMMISSION

(616) 527-9060

667 Union Street, Ionia, MI 48846

Low-Income Public Housing in Ionia only (1-4 bedroom units), Section 8 Voucher Program for all of Ionia County; Income restrictions apply, based on income, tax credits. Elderly (62+), Disabled, individual & family housing. Applications available in person only at the office.

IONIA/MONTCALM (CoC) LOCAL PLANNING BODY

(616) 754-9315

The Continuum of Care (CoC) for Ionia and Montcalm counties exists to identify and address the short-and long-term housing and shelter needs of low-income households. The CoC membership is made up of community-based individuals and organizations operating within Ionia and Montcalm Counties who have a dedicated interest in addressing and alleviating the causes of homelessness. The Housing Assessment Resource Agency (HARA) for the counties is EightCAP and can be reached at (616)754-9315 ext. 3364. If you would like to speak to the CoC Chair, this information can be obtained through the HARA.

IONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

(616) 527-9280

250 E Tuttle Road, Ionia, MI 48846

www.ioniaschools.org

LAKE ODESSA COMMUNITY LIBRARY

(616) 374-4591

1007 4th Avenue, Lake Odessa, MI 48884

www.lakeodessalibrary.org

Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 am - 7:00 pm; Wednesday & Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; Saturday 9:00 am - 12:00 pm. Closed Sunday & Monday.

LAKWOOD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

(616) 374-8861

Providing utility assistance, fire relief, and emergency food pantry to the families in the Lakewood school district.

LAKWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

(616) 374-8043

223 W Broadway Street, Woodland, MI 48897

www.lakewoodps.org

LEGAL AID OF WESTERN MICHIGAN (Ionia & Montcalm Counties)

(888) 783-8190

25 Division S., Suite 300, Grand Rapids, MI 49503

www.lawestmi.org

Legal Aid of Western Michigan (LAWM) is a nonprofit law firm providing free legal advice and representation to low income individuals in a broad range of areas including consumer cases, family matters, housing problems, government benefits, and more. The Counsel and Advocacy Law Line (CALL) is a telephone hotline providing free advice and brief services to low income people and seniors. CALL is available Monday thru Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The person answering the phone will be an attorney licensed in Michigan, who is able to respond to many questions and offer assistance in simple legal matters over the phone. Additional information regarding how to access services at Legal Aid—including our new online application-- is available on our website.

FAMILY LAW – Our primary goals are ensuring safety and maintaining stable family relationships. Cases accepted include:

- Divorce for survivors of domestic violence

- In special circumstances, divorce to insure income maintenance and equitable property division

FAMILY LAW CONTINUED

- Defense of custody for natural custodial parents within divorce, custody, support and paternity cases
- Defense of natural parents' rights in minor guardianship cases
- Personal Protection Order representation

HOUSING – Our primary goals are preventing homelessness, maintaining housing stability and access, and improving housing safety and quality. Cases accepted include:

- Eviction defense
- Representing clients facing loss of a federal housing subsidy or denied access to a federal housing subsidy
- Challenging mortgage foreclosures and predatory mortgage lending and servicing practices
- Challenging land contract forfeitures and option contracts
- Mobile home park litigation
- Tax forfeiture defense
- Challenging unfair housing practices

PUBLIC BENEFITS – Our primary goals are income maintenance, food security and health access.

Cases accepted include:

- Representation in social security benefits appeals, cessation and overpayments cases
- Representation in administrative hearing/appeals regarding denial or loss of cash assistance, food assistance, child daycare assistance, Medicaid/CHIP assistance, home health benefits, unemployment benefits (including fraud assessments), and veteran's benefits.

CONSUMER MATTERS – Our primary goal is protecting client income and resources from scams to creditor abuses and other unfair practices. Cases accepted include:

- Defense of debt collection actions (including garnishment and repossessions)
- Auto purchase and auto insurance cases
- Bankruptcy for eligible debtors with special circumstances
- Litigation regarding consumer purchases, student loans, debt assignments, utilities and collection tactics

TAX – Our primary goal is preserving client income and assets.

- Tax controversies with the IRS

EDUCATION – Our primary goals is ensuring access to education. Cases accepted include:

- Expulsion hearings

INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS – Our primary goal is to remove barriers to employment and housing caused by criminal records or offender registries. Cases accepted include:

- Criminal record expungements
- Sex offender registry removal petitions
- Child abuse registry removal hearings

240 E Bridge Street, Lyons, MI 48851

www.lyons.michlibrary.org

Hours: Monday, 12:00 pm –7:30 pm; Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday 10:00 am - 6:30 pm;

Friday & Saturday 10:00 am - 2:00 pm; Sunday closed.

MANPOWER

(616) 527-6688

429 W Main Street, Ionia, MI 48846

www.manpower.com

Helps to find temporary and permanent job placement.

MCKINNEY VENTO HOMELESS STUDENT SUPPORTS

(616) 225-6126

621 New Street, PO 367, Stanton, MI 48888

Working with the students, families and schools to provide support, safety and success to students and their families experiencing homelessness. Working with agencies, churches and organizations to accomplish stability and school success for these students. “Leading, collaborating and serving to create education without Boundaries.”

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (MDHHS) (616) 527-5200

920 E Lincoln Avenue, Ionia, MI 48846

www.michigan.gov/dhs

Hours: Monday-Friday 7:30 am – 5:00 pm (closed 12:00 – 12:30 pm for lunch)

Food assistance (TANF/SNAP), medical assistance/Medicaid, cash assistance/FIP, child day care funding, State Emergency Relief for shelter and utilities, crisis prevention services, delinquency services, child foster home licensing, foster care placement, employment services, and volunteer services. Please fill out the application on the MDHHS website.

Adult/Child Protective Services

(855) 444-3911

This number is available 24 hours a day 7 days a week to report any incident of suspected child or adult abuse or neglect.

MICHIGAN ENROLLS

(888) 367-6557

EightCAP, Inc. Michigan Enrolls Counselor

(866) 754-9315 or (616) 754-9315, x 3306

Beneficiary Help Line for non-enrollment issues

(800) 642-3195

Call for Medicaid information or to apply for a managed care health plan.

MICHIGAN LEGAL HELP

Free and accurate legal information for simple civil legal matters.

www.michiganlegalhelp.org

MICHIGAN MIGRANT LEGAL SERVICES

(616) 454-5055

1104 Fuller NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503

www.migrantlegalaid.com

Provides legal services to indigent migrant & seasonal farm workers & their families, regardless of their immigration status.

MICHIGAN STATE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (MSHDA)

(517) 373-9344

735 E Michigan Avenue, PO Box 30044, Lansing, MI 48909

www.michigan.gov/mshda

Call to obtain number of local agent. Provides financial and technical assistance through public & private partnerships to create and preserve safe/decent/affordable housing. Rental assistance and homeless solutions Housing Choice Voucher program (Section 8) applications.

MICHIGAN STATE POLICE

(989) 352-8444

10300 Howard City-Edmore Road, Lakeview, MI 48850

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION OFFICE

(616) 527-5357

50 E Sprague Road, Ionia, MI 48846

www.msue.msu.edu

Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 am – 12:00pm and 1:00pm - 5:00pm. Services offered: Food and nutrition planning, 4-H, and budgeting skills. Provides information concerning agriculture and housing foreclosure prevention.

MICHIGAN WORKS! (WEST) SERVICE CENTER

(616) 389-8525

301 W Main Street, Ionia, MI 48846

www.michworks.com

Hours of operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm. Service Center services are open to everyone. Specialized services may be available to dislocated workers, displaced homemakers, unemployed or underemployed adults and youth. Services available include job search preparation and skills, resume preparation, applications, interviewing, labor market information, Pure Michigan Talent Connect www.mitalent.org, career assessment, older workers workshop, occupational training and employment related support services.

MICHILD/HEALTHY KIDS

(888) 988-6300

www.healthcare4mi.com

Provides health insurance for uninsured children of Michigan's working families. Covers regular check-ups, shots, emergency dental care, pharmacy, hospital care, prenatal care and delivery, vision, hearing, mental health and substance abuse services for a \$5 monthly fee.

Go to www.michigan.gov/mibridges to apply online or to print paper application:

- Click on Health
- Click on MICHild Health Insurance Program
- Click on Application for Health Coverage
- Click on Apply by Paper (if need paper application)
- Print your document(s)

MID-MICHIGAN MIGRANT & ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS

(616) 794-4753

Operated by Belding Area Schools, 1975 Orchard Street, Belding, MI 48809

www.bas-k12.org

The program provides supplemental educational services for eligible migrant students and for English Language Learners (EL) in 18 school districts covering most of Montcalm, Ionia, Clinton, and Gratiot Counties. The primary purpose of the program is to provide direct instructional services to eligible students. In addition, the program provides written translations of school documents and classroom communications, spoken interpretation during parent meetings at school, assistance to families in enrolling students in school, and professional support for regular education staff. The program also operates a 30-day summer school for eligible migrant and EL students in the four counties. Transportation provided to the schools in Belding & St. Johns from the four-county area.

MID STATE HEALTH NETWORK (MSHN)

(844) 405-3095

530 W Ionia Street, Lansing, MI 48933

midstatehealthnetwork.org

Coordinating agency for the eight county region of Clinton, Eaton, Gratiot, Hillsdale, Ingham, Ionia, Jackson, and Newaygo, for behavioral health and substance abuse services. Prepaid Inpatient Health Plan.

MONTCALM COMMUNITY COLLEGE - IONIA CENTER

(989) 328-2111

250 E Tuttle Road, Ionia, MI 48846

www.montcalm.edu

Offers Associates Degrees and Certificates in Liberal Arts and Occupational Programs. Job training programs are offered to meet the needs of the changing economy. Provides educational opportunities via credit and non-credit classes, both online and in a traditional classroom setting. In addition to the main campus in Sidney, the college has learning centers in Ionia, Greenville, and Howard City. On-site workplace training can also be arranged. A pool, gym and fitness center, including a climbing wall, is available for a minimal cost on the main campus in Sidney.

MONTCALM IONIA COLLEGE ACCESS NETWORK (MICAN) (616) 527-4900

www.micanonline.org

Provides guidance for individuals interested in education after high school. This can include community college, universities, military, trade/vocational/technical schools, etc. Can help fill out college applications, filing for Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or finding college information.

ORLEANS TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY (616) 761-3111

4296 Palmer Road, Orleans, MI 48865

Hours: Monday and Wednesday 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm; Saturday 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

POISON CONTROL CENTER (800) 222-1222

4707 St Antoine, Suite 302, Detroit, MI 48201

Twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week. Call for any possible poisoning concerns.

PORTLAND ALTERNATIVE AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION (517) 647-2987

1090 Ionia Road, Portland, MI 48875

www.pace.portlandk12.org

Offers alternative education to teens, 8th grade-19 years old. Also offers adult High School completion classes for adults over 20 years old. Virtual school, 7th grade-19 years old.

PORTLAND AREA SERVICE GROUP (517) 647-4004

144 Kent Street, Portland, MI 48875

Food Bank, A.A, Monthly Commodities, Foot Clinic, Casino Bus Trips

Food Bank Hours: Monday 9:30 am - 11:30 am

Proof of income and ID is required.

Provides entertainment (cards, bingo, etc.) social gatherings, lunch, and some medical supplies.

PORTLAND DISTRICT LIBRARY (517) 647-6981

334 Kent Street, Portland, MI 48875

www.pdl.michlibrary.org

Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00 am - 8:00 pm; Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Saturday 9:00 am - 2:00 pm. Closed Sundays.

PORTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS (517) 647-4161

1100 Ionia Road, Portland, MI 48875

www.portlandk12.org

POSITIVE SOLUTIONS INFORMED CHOICES (PSIC) (616) 755-6077

208 W Main Street, Ionia, MI 48846

www.psicionia.org

Hours: Tuesday 1:00pm - 7:00pm & Thursday 10:00am - 2:00pm

Works to lessen the trauma of an unplanned pregnancy by offering emotional support, resources and information. Services include: free pregnancy testing, information about sexually transmitted diseases, abstinence, adoption options, and parenting. Material assistance such as infant-4T clothing, diapers, formula, and a loan of baby furniture is also available. By appointment only. Text HELPLINE to 313131 or call 24 hour option line at 1-800-712-HELP.

RELIEF AFTER VIOLENT ENCOUNTER (RAVE) IONIA/MONTCALM (616) 527-3351

Ionia Safehouse

24-Hour Crisis Line (800) 720-7233(SAFE)

Crisis Response Advocate (616) 527-3351 Ext.231
DARA Coordinator (616) 527-3351 Ext.225
Volunteer Coordinator (616) 225-1995
Outreach Counseling/Greenville Office (616) 225-2118
RELIEF AFTER VIOLENT ENCOUNTER (RAVE) IONIA/MONTCALM CONTINUED

RAVE offers free and confidential services to survivors of domestic and sexual violence. Individual counseling and support groups, Legal advocacy/Resources & Referrals, Safety Planning/Case Management/Crisis Intervention, Education and Prevention for victims, Emergency shelter for domestic and/or sexual assault survivors. **This is NOT a homeless shelter.*

RIVER'S EDGE DROP-IN CENTER (616) 522-9773

302 E Main Street, Suite 2, Ionia, MI 48846 **email:** r.cent@att.com
Hours: Monday-Saturday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. River's Edge Drop-in Center, or REDIC. A community center for adults with mental illness. Must be 18 years or older. You don't have to have a developmental disability to participate in the support groups.

SARANAC COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (616) 642-1400

225 South Pleasant Street, Saranac, MI 48881 www.saranac.k12.mi.us

SARANAC HOUSING COMMISSION (616) 642-9832

203 Parsonage St, Saranac, MI 48881 www.saranachousingcommission.org
Low-Income Public Housing in Saranac only (1-3 bedroom units), Income restrictions apply, based on income, tax credits. Elderly (62+), Disabled, individual & family housing. Applications available by fax, mail, or online.

SARANAC PUBLIC LIBRARY (616) 642-9146

61 Bridge Street, Saranac, MI 48881 www.saranac.michlibrary.org
Hours: Monday 12:00 pm - 7:00 pm; Tuesday & Wednesday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; Thursday 9:00 am - 7:00 pm; Friday and Saturday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm. Sunday closed.

SARANAC LIONS CLUB (616) 901-5473

Contact: Gary Hubbard
Provides aid in helping with eyeglasses and eye exams to members of the community who are in need. Serving the Ionia and Saranac area.

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION (800) 772-1213

1940 Sweeney Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858 (877) 405-7667
730 Water Tower Road, Big Rapids, MI 49307 (800) 772-1213
3045 Knapp Street NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49525 (877) 319-5710
Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm, Wednesday 9:00 am - 12:00 pm. www.ssa.gov
Administers the Social Insurance programs for retirees, adults/children with disabilities, widows & widowers for retirement, disability, and survivor's benefits.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS MICHIGAN (800) 644-6404

111 Hillcrest Street, Greenville MI 48838 www.somi.org
Contact Person: Richard Nostrant, (616-788-7616 cell) Director, Area 6-Montcalm/Ionia Counties. Year-round sports training and competition is provided to children and adults with intellectual disabilities. The minimum age for competition is 8 years-old but training opportunities for young athletes (ages 2 years to 7 years) are also available.

STRAIGHT STREET Living Center (616) 754-7951

THE RIGHT DOOR FOR HOPE, RECOVERY, AND WELLNESS

24-Hr (888) 527-1790

375 Apple Tree Drive, Ionia, MI 48846

www.rightdoor.org

7441 Storey Road, Belding, MI 48809

208 W Bridge Street, Portland, MI 48875

Provides outpatient counseling and therapy for adults, children and adolescents with personal problems, including counseling for mentally impaired and developmentally disabled persons and their families. Psychological testing is also available for diagnosis and evaluation. Cost is based on income; services will not be denied based on ability to pay. Participates with some insurance.

Grandparents Raising Grandchildren

(616) 527-1790

A support group for grandparents (raising grandchildren of all ages) that meets on the second Tuesday of the month, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm, in the conference room at Community Mental Health, 375 Apple Tree Drive in Ionia. No Child Care Provided. The meetings are informal with ample time for conversation and sharing as well as time for presentations and discussions about discipline, school problems, managing stress, legal issues and other topics of parenting young children. This group is the combined efforts of Ionia County Commission on Aging, Ionia County Child and Family Community Council, Ionia ISD and The Right Door (formerly known as Ionia County Community Mental Health).

THE SALVATION ARMY

Call Center (855) 929-1640

The agency carries out a year-round program to assist in meeting emergency needs per funding availability.

TRI-COUNTY HOME WORKS PEOPLE CARE FUND

(877) 421-8956 ext. 1218

7973 E Grand River Avenue, Portland, MI 48875

www.homeworks.org

Provides coverage to certain areas of Ionia County. The mission is the accumulation and disbursement of funds for charitable purposes for the benefit of persons in the Tri-County Electric service area. This shall be accomplished by disbursement of funds to individuals and organizations for food, shelter, clothing, health, and other humane needs for programs or services that benefit a significant segment of a community. See website for more details and application.

TWO RIVERS COUNSELING

(517) 647-4747

307 Kent Street, Portland, MI 48875

www.tworiverscounselingpc.com

Provides adult, teen and family counseling, trauma, grief and loss, & substance abuse services. Also provides services for other addictions including gambling.

UNITED WAY OF MONTCALM-IONIA COUNTIES

(616) 794-9840 or (800) 417-2622

10260 S Sheridan Road, PO Box 87, Fenwick, MI 48834

www.liveunitedm-i.org

Hours: Monday–Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Referrals to local agencies that assist in meeting community needs. Volunteer Connections Program provides volunteer opportunities for both individuals and groups. VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) provides free tax preparation for low-to-moderate income residents in many locations across Montcalm and Ionia Counties.

USDA RURAL DEVELOPMENT

(616) 942-4111 ext. 6

3260 Eagle Park Drive, Suite 107, Grand Rapids, MI 49525

www.rd.usda.gov/mi

Hours: Monday–Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm. Finances direct home loans in rural areas for modest housing to households at or below 80% of the adjusted median income. Provides guaranteed

loans to eligible low and moderate income rural residents for moderately priced housing. Issues loans and grants to very-low income rural homeowners to improve or modernize their home; make their home decent, safe and sanitary; remove health and safety hazards; or to repair or remodel their dwelling to make it more accessible and usable for household members with a disability.

VIEWPOINTE COUNSELING**(616) 523-6537***441 Swartz Court, Ionia, MI 48846*www.viewpointecounseling.org

The team of providers at Viewpointe Counseling offer a wide variety of mental health services. Providing outpatient services in a safe and relaxing setting, where all clients are treated with dignity and respect. Persons of all incomes with private insurance or Medicaid/Medicare are welcomed.

WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTER**(616) 458-5443***678 Front Avenue NW, Suite 180, Grand Rapids MI 49504*www.grwrc.org

Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; Tuesday 9:00 am - 7:00 pm and Friday 9:00 am - 12:00 pm. Gender specific assistance focusing on low-income single mothers, women who are justice-involved, and unemployed/underemployed women facing challenges in the workplace. Services include: career exploration, employability & life skills, education/training, assistance, classes & workshops, mentoring/support groups, business center, professional clothing, and scholarship program.



Community Access Stations

Put your PLAN into ACTION

Community Access Stations offer a place for you to come and make connections with potential employers, landlords, daycare providers or any other human service agency. Located at your local EightCAP, Inc. Office.

<u>GRATIOT COUNTY</u>	<u>IONIA COUNTY</u>	<u>ISABELLA COUNTY</u>	<u>MONTCALM COUNTY</u>
525 N State Street, Ste 2 Alma Phone: (989) 463-5693 Fax: (989) 463-6872	5827 Orleans Road Orleans Phone: (616) 208-1580 Fax: (616) 208-1574	310 W Michigan Street Mt. Pleasant Phone: (989) 772-0110 Fax: (989) 775-3907	906 Oak Drive-Turk Lake Greenville Phone: (616) 754-9315 Fax: (616) 225-8761

Access Stations have the following equipment:



- Computer
- High-Speed Internet
- Printer
- Telephone
- Scanner
- Fax



All of these services are available for you to use during regular office hours.
(Monday - Friday: 8:00 am - 4:30 pm)

Dentists

BELDING FAMILY DENTISTRY

(616) 794-0490

9019 W Belding Road, Suite 2, Belding, MI 48809

www.beldingfamilydentistry.com

Hours: Monday 9:00 am - 6:00 pm; Tuesday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm; Every other Thursday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm. Accepting new patients. Does not accept Medicaid. Participates with Healthy Kids, Delta Dental, Blue Cross Blue Shield, MICHild, and Healthy Michigan Plan.

CEDAR FAMILY DENTISTRY

(517) 394-2226

6250 S Cedar Street, Suite 5, Lansing, MI 48911

Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm. Accepting new patients. Participates with Medicaid and Healthy Kids under 21. This practice does not provide periodontal services.

CHERRY STREET HEALTH SERVICES

(616) 235-7289

550 Cherry Street SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503

www.cherryhealth.org

Accepting new patients, accepts Medicaid, and offers services on a sliding-fee scale-based upon income. Many bilingual staff.

COOPER, MATT DDS

(616) 794-1145

306 E Center Street, Belding, MI 48809

www.matthewcooperdds.com

Participates with Blue Cross Blue Shield, Delta Dental, Healthy Kids, and Healthy Michigan Plan.

Does not accept Medicaid. Monday closed, Tuesday – Thursday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm, Friday 7:00 am – 3:30 pm.

DEXTER, SCOTT DDS Pediatric Dentist

(517) 321-8280

815 Kids Court, Lansing, MI 48917

www.webabyteeth.com

Accepting new patients. Serves children under the age of 10 years. Participates with Healthy Kids, MICHild, and Delta Dental. Does not participate with Medicaid. Mondays 11:00 am – 2:00 pm, Tuesdays – Thursdays 8:30 am – 4:00 pm.

DONATED DENTAL SERVICES OF MICHIGAN

(517) 347-6994

Serves developmentally disabled, physically handicapped, chronically ill or elderly.

Call for an application or more information. You must be uninsured and meet income guidelines.

EASTERN DENTAL PLC

(616) 974-0991

2426 Burton Street SE, Suite 1, Grand Rapids, MI 49546

www.grchildrensdentist.com

Participates with Medicaid for children ages 3-18 years. Participates with MICHild and Healthy Kids Accepting new patients. Also bilingual staff. Monday – Thursday 9:00 am – 4:30 pm.

ELLSWORTH, KATHLEEN

(616) 642-3500

60 N Bridge Street, Saranac, MI 48881

www.doctorkat.com

Participates with MICHild, and Healthy Kids. Pediatric patients only. Monday – Thursday 7:30 am – 1:30 pm.

FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY

(231) 591-2260

200 Ferris Drive, Big Rapids, MI 49307

www.ferris.edu

Open September through April. Reasonable fees. Participates with Medicaid and Delta Dental.

Services provided by student dental hygienists under the supervision of registered dental hygienists and dentists. Services provided: teeth cleaning, sealants, fluoride and x-rays. Adults & Children.

FREEMAN, AARON DDS (616) 374-8053

924 4th Avenue, Lake Odessa, MI 48849

Participates with Healthy Kids, MICHild, and Delta Dental. Does not participate with Medicaid. Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays 8:30 am – 7:00 pm.

GRAND RAPIDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DENTAL HYGIENE CLINIC (616) 234-4237

143 Bostwick NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503, Room 308 Cook Academic Hall

www.grcc.edu

Cash or check only. Population served: everyone. Services provided: simple x-rays, sealants, fluoride, and cleanings. Closed July and August. Appointments last 1.5 – 3 hours.

GRAND VALLEY DENTAL CARE (616) 245-2767

2020 S Division Avenue, Grand Rapids, MI 49507

www.grandvalleydentalcare.com

We participate with Medicaid, Healthy Kids, MICHild and most private insurances for children. We no longer accept Medicaid for clients over 21 years.

IONIA FAMILY DENTISTRY (616) 527-4930

430 Swartz Court, Ionia, MI 48846

www.ioniafamilydentistry.com

Participates with Delta Dental, Healthy Kids and MICHild. Provides a variety of services. Does not accept Medicaid for adults over 21 years. Monday & Tuesday 8:00 am – 7:00 pm, Wednesday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm, Thursday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm.

JOHNSON, CRIST E. DDS (616) 527-3460

330 Lovell Street, Ionia, MI 48846

Participates with MICHild, Healthy Kids, Delta Dental, and Healthy Michigan Plan. Does not accept Medicaid for adults over 21 years.

KINGMA PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY (616) 942-9840

1179 East Paris SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49546

www.pediatrictoothdoc.com

Participates with Healthy Kids. Does not accept Medicaid. Serves infants, children, teens, and special needs. Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm, closed daily 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm for lunch.

KLEIN, JAMES S. DDS (616) 527-3866

502 Skyview Drive, Ionia, MI 48846

Participates with Healthy Kids and MICHild. Does not accept Medicaid for adults over 21 years.

LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE DENTAL CLINIC (517) 483-1458

500 N Washington Square, Lansing, MI 48933 HHS Building, Room 107

www.lcc.edu

Hygiene only, does not accept insurance. Tuesday – Thursday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm.

LICARI, GERALD DDS (616) 374-8828

1032 4th Avenue, Lake Odessa, MI 48849

Participates with Delta Dental, Healthy Kids, and MICHild. Does not accept Medicaid for adults over 21 years.

MAUREN, MIKE DDS (517) 647-0081

9751 East Grand River Avenue, Portland, MI 48875

Participates with Delta Dental. Does not accept Medicaid for adults over 21 years. Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm.

MCCOY, BRADLEY DDS**(616) 794-2430***306 West Main Street, Belding, MI 48809*www.bmccoydds.wixsite.com

Participates with Delta Dental, Healthy Kids, MICHild, and Blue Cross Blue Shield. Does not accept Medicaid for adults over 21 years. Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm.

MCREE, JOHN DDS & THELEN, MORGAN DDS**(616) 642-9471***241 Vosper Street, Saranac, MI 48881*www.Drmcree.com

Participates with Delta Dental, Healthy Kids, and Healthy Michigan Plan. Does not accept Medicaid for adults over 21 years. Monday – Thursday 7:00 am – 5:00 pm, Friday 7:00 am – 3:00 pm.

MILLER, ROGER DDS**(517) 647-7878***811 West Grand River Avenue, Portland, MI 48875*

Participates with Healthy Kids, MICHild, and Delta Dental. Does not accept Medicaid for adults over 21 years.

MONTCALM AREA HEALTH CENTER-Branch of Cherry Street Health Services (616)225-9650*1003 N Lafayette Street, Greenville, MI 48838*www.cherryhealth.org

Dental Emergencies: Monday – Friday, 7:30 am registration. First come, first served basis.

Accepting new patients. Accepts most Medicaid plans, commercial insurance and offers discounted sliding scale fees based on federal guidelines. If you are calling for a Head Start child, please be sure to let them know. Monday – Friday, 8:00 am – 5:00 pm.

MUSCOTT & MUSCOTT DENTAL HEALTH CENTER**(616) 527-6777***2264 South State Road, Ionia, MI 48846*www.muscottandmuscott.com

Accepting new patients. Participates with Premier Delta Dental. Will bill Healthy Kids, MICHild, and Healthy Michigan Plan. Does not accept Medicaid for adults over 21 years. Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm.

MY COMMUNITY DENTAL CLINIC (MCDC)**(616) 523-9169***2542 Heartland Boulevard, Ionia, MI 48846*www.mydental.org

Accepting new patients. Provides dental services to Medicaid enrollees and low-income, uninsured children and adults (Income below 200% of the Federal Guidelines). The non-Medicaid individuals are offered a sliding fee schedule (based on income). Go online or call for more information.

PAYNE, ROBERT M. DDS**(616) 527-2220***412 Brown Boulevard, Suite A, Ionia, MI 48846*www.ioniadental.com

Accepting new patients. Participates with Delta Dental, Healthy Kids, and MICHild.

Does not accept Medicaid for adults over 21 years. No Straight Medicaid. Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm.

SARANAC DENTAL CARE**(616) 642-9478***54 South Bridge Street, Saranac, MI 48881*www.saranacdentalcare.com

Participates with Healthy Kids and Delta Dental. Monday – Thursday 8:00 am -5:00 pm.

SCHNEIDER, JAMI DDS**(517) 647-4511***119 East Bridge Street, Portland, MI 48875*www.119bridgedentalcare.com

Does not participate with Medicaid. Monday 7:00 am – 4:00 pm, Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 am – 5:00 pm, Wednesday 7:30 am – 4:00 pm.

TIFT, DANIEL DDS**(616) 794-2620***302 East State Street, Belding, MI 48809*www.danieltiftdds.com

Participates with Delta Dental. Does not participate with Medicaid. Monday – Wednesday 7:00 am – 6:00 pm.

TRU FAMILY DENTAL**(517) 647-6205***155 Rowe Avenue, Portland, MI 48875*www.trufamilydental.com

Participates with Healthy Kids, MICHild, Delta Dental, and United Concordia.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN DENTAL SCHOOL**(734) 763-6933***Ann Arbor, MI 48101*www.dent.umich.edu

Open to the public, general and specialty care. Fees vary. Most insurances are accepted, including Medicaid. Emergency services available. Call or go online for more information.

Doctors

ADOC MEDICAL CENTER	(616) 527-2370
<i>910 East Lincoln Avenue, Ionia, MI 48846</i> Accepts Molina, Meridian, McLaren, and some other insurances.	www.adocmedicalcenter.com
AMBULATORY CARE CLINIC	(616) 522-9110
<i>3015 South State Road, Ionia, MI 48846</i> Participates with Medicaid. Walk-in clinic.	
BARKER JR, CHARLES R. DO, FAMILY PRACTICE PC	(616) 794-1810
<i>1320 W State Street, Belding, MI 48809</i> Participates with straight Medicaid.	www.drcharlesbarker.com
FAMILY MEDICAL CENTER	(616) 374-8881
<i>1020 Fourth Avenue, Lake Odessa, MI 48849</i> Participates with Medicaid.	
HEART OF THE CITY HEALTH CENTER	(616) 965-8200
<i>100 Cherry Street SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503</i> Participates with Medicaid. Adult internal medicine, counseling, vision, pediatrics, pharmacy.	www.cherryhealth.org
LAKESWOOD FAMILY HEALTH CARE (Spectrum Health Pennock)	(616) 374-7660
<i>4294 Laurel Drive, Suite 1, Lake Odessa, MI 48849</i> Participates with Medicaid.	
MCLAREN – PORTLAND FAMILY CARE	(517) 647-4166
<i>406 Kent Street, Portland, MI 48875</i> Participates with Medicaid.	
SPARROW MEDICAL GROUP - IONIA FAMILY PRACTICE	(616) 523-1600
<i>550 E Washington Street, 2nd Floor, Ionia, MI 48846</i> Participates with Medicaid.	www.sparrow.org
SPARROW MEDICAL GROUP - IONIA WALK-IN CLINIC	(616) 523-1644
<i>550 E Washington Street, 1st Floor, Ionia, MI 48846</i> Diagnose and provide medical treatment for minor conditions, illnesses, and non-emergency care. From allergies to sore throats, sore muscles and earaches, to viral infections plus everything in between.	www.sparrow.org/SMG/Ionia
SPARROW MEDICAL GROUP - PORTLAND	(517) 647-6722
<i>9751 E Grand River Avenue, Suite 1, Portland, MI 48875</i> Participates with Medicaid.	www.sparrow.org
SPARROW MEDICAL GROUP - SARANAC	(616) 642-9408
<i>107 N Bridge Street, Saranac, MI 48881</i> Participates with Medicaid.	www.sparrow.org
SPECTRUM HEALTH BELDING FAMILY MEDICINE	(616) 794-0940
<i>1227 W State Street, Belding, MI 48809</i> Participates with Medicaid.	

SPECTRUM HEALTH BELDING YOUTH CLINIC**(616) 244-1100***318 Bridge Street, Suite 1, Belding, MI 48809*

Serves adolescents 10 – 21 years old from ALL communities. No adolescent turned away due to inability to pay. Participates with Medicaid.

SPECTRUM HEALTH INTEGRATED CARE CAMPUS-IONIA**(616) 775-7500***2776 S State Road, Ionia, MI 48846*www.spectrumhealth.org

Participates with Medicaid.

Eye Doctors

ADVANCED EYECARE PROFESSIONALS**(616) 522-1000***2001 E Blue Water Highway, Ionia, MI 48846*www.aepeyecare.com

Complete Optical Care. Participates with all forms of Medicaid including Straight Medicaid.

GRAND RAPIDS OPHTHALMOLOGY**(616) 527-1640***537 W Main Street, Ionia, MI 48846*www.seeitclear.com

Participates with all different forms of insurances and Medicaid.

L/O EYE CARE**(616) 374-3284***1170 Jordan Lake Street, Lake Odessa, MI 48849*www.loeye.com

Participates with Straight Medicaid and McLaren for exams only. Select eye med plans.

MAYSTEAD, SUZANNE OD FAAO & Kempf, Krystal OD**(517) 647-7515***1311 E Bridge Street, Portland, MI 48875*www.maystead-kempfeyecare.com

Does not participate with Medicaid.

MEIJER OPTICAL-IONIA**(616) 522-0130***2770 S State Road, Ionia, MI 48846*www.meijeroptical.com

Participates with Straight Medicaid, McLaren, and Health Plan of Michigan.

RIEMER EYE CARE**(517) 647-2020***207 E Bridge Street, Portland, MI 48875*www.visionsource-drriemer.com

Participates with Straight Medicaid, McLaren, and Health Plan of Michigan.

RX OPTICAL**(616) 527-9279***3125 S State Street, Ionia, MI 48846*www.rxoptical.com

Participate with Medicaid, Meridian, and McLaren. Offers discount to patients with Medicaid.

VISION SERVICE PLAN**(616) 754-9315 or (866) 754-9315***Contact: EightCAP, Inc. 0-5 Head Start at extension 3384*

A gift certificate will pay for an eye exam and glasses for any child 0-18 years who has not graduated from high school who does not have vision insurance. Available once a year.

WAL-MART VISION & GLASSES**(616) 527-5894***152 W Sprague Rd, Ionia, MI 48846*

Participates with Molina for people under 21 years. Does not accept McLaren Health Plan.

Food Pantries

BELDING

ENCOUNTERING LIVES BABY PANTRY

(616) 794-5080

1213 W State Street, Belding MI 48809

Open second Thursday of the month 9:00 am - 11:00 am and 5:30 pm -7:30 pm.

If you live in Belding, Dial-a-Ride is offering free transportation to the baby pantry during the scheduled morning hours only.

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH-BELDING FOOD PANTRY

(616) 794-2145

409 S Bridge Street (in Gym), Belding, MI 48809

www.saintscjm.com

Open Thursdays 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm. Must have proof of residency/children attending Belding Schools. Food may be accessed once a month.

IONIA

IONIA CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

(616) 527-9350

83 E Tuttle Road, Ionia, MI 48846

Food pantry and clothing Monday 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm. Call ahead for appointments in emergency situations. TEFAP distribution site. Bring boxes.

IONIA SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

(616) 527-6465

721 Elmwood Drive, Ionia, MI 48846

www.ioniami.adventistchurch.org

Food pantry open every second, fourth, and fifth Tuesday from 9:30 am – 2:00 pm. Clothing may be available.

LINCOLN AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH

(616) 527-0970

345 Lincoln Avenue, Ionia, MI 48846

www.lincolnavenuebaptistchurch.com

Open by appointment only, Tuesdays 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm. Call for appointment.

ZION UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(616) 527-1910

423 W Washington Street, Ionia, MI 48846

Food Bank Hours: Wednesday 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm. Office Hours: Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 1:00 pm. Mobile food truck is every second Tuesday at 3:30 pm at the Fair Grounds (except July, which is at Zion Church). Families must bring their own containers. Meals provided on Thursdays at 6:00pm.

LAKE ODESSA

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

(616) 374-8753

767 Fourth Avenue, Lake Odessa, MI 48849

Appointments needed. Please call ahead

MANNA'S MARKET PANTRY

(269) 838-5887

7180 Velte Road, Lake Odessa, MI 48849 (PO Box 18, Woodland, MI 48897) www.mannasmarket.org

Monday 10:00 am – 2:00 pm; Thursday 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm; Friday 10:00 am - 12:00 pm, and 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm. Serves parts of Barry, Eaton, & Ionia Counties; North to I96 corridor, West to Clarksville/Saranac area and East to Portland area. Clothing, food, baby items.

Helps once a month. Must show proof that residence is south of I-96. Proof of income is also required for all individuals in household.

LAKE ODESSA - CONTINUED

PLEASANT VALLEY UNITED BRETHERN

(616) 693-2265

13120 Bell Road, Lake Odessa, MI 48849

Food and baby pantry: Wednesday 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm; and Friday 11:00 am - 1:00 pm.

WEST BERLIN WESLEYAN CHURCH

(616) 693-2668

5110 W Portland Road, Lake Odessa, MI 48849

Call the phone number above to leave a message with your name and phone number. Pantry will call you back with a pick-up day and time.

ORLEANS

SHILOH COMMUNITY CHURCH

(616) 761-3584

8197 Heth Street, Orleans, MI 48865

www.shilohcc.org

Call Monday – Thursday 9:00 am – 4:00 pm to receive food the following Monday. Pantry assistance available 5 times per year.

PORTLAND

EPIC COMMUNITY CHURCH

(517) 647-7750

1455 E Grand River Avenue, Portland, MI 48875

Food pantry is first Saturday of the month, by appointment only, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm. Call to schedule. Emergency needs appointments may be made throughout the month by calling.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

(517) 647-6441

421 E Bridge Street, Portland, MI 48875

Food pantry Tuesdays & Thursdays, by appointment only. Call to schedule.

PORTLAND AREA SERVICE GROUP

(517) 647-4004

144 Kent Street, Portland, MI 48875

Food pantry open Monday 9:30 am – 11:30 am. Proof of income required. Available to Portland Schools residents, once per 6 weeks.

SARANAC

SARANAC COMMUNITY CHURCH

(616) 642-6322

125 S Bridge Street, Saranac, MI 48881

Food pantry is open Thursdays 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm for residents of Saranac and Clarksville, no appointment needed. Families may come once per month.

Meals

BELDING MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION**(616)794-2145***God's Kitchen: 409 S Bridge Street, Belding, MI 48846**Thursday 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm. ID required as proof of Belding residency.*

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**(517) 647-6441***421 E Bridge Street, Portland, MI 48875**Monday 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm. Meals available September-May*

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**(616) 527-1860***105 E Main Street, Ionia, MI 48846**Monday 6:00 pm*

ZION UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**(616) 527-1910***423 W Washington Street, Ionia, MI 48846**Thursday 6:00 pm*

Other Food Resources

National School Meal Program provides free and reduced-priced breakfasts and lunches for children who qualify. Contact the food service department of your local school district.

Senior Meals, congregate meals and home-delivered meals for people age 60 or over. Suggested donation sites in Belding, Clarksville, Ionia, Lake Odessa, Portland, and Saranac. Call (616) 527-5365.

Hospitals

ALEDA E LUTZ VA MEDICAL CENTER <i>1500 Weiss Street, Saginaw, MI 48602</i>	(989) 497-2500 www.saginaw.va.gov
BATTLE CREEK VA MEDICAL CENTER <i>5500 Armstrong Road, Battle Creek, MI 49037</i>	(888) 214-1247 www.battlecreek.va.org
COVENANT MEDICAL CENTER <i>1447 N Harrison, Saginaw, MI 48602</i> <i>700 Cooper, Saginaw, MI 48602</i> <i>515 N Michigan Avenue, Saginaw, MI 48602</i> <i>5400 Mackinaw, Saginaw, MI 48604</i>	(989) 583-0000 www.covenanthealthcare.com
EATON RAPIDS MEDICAL CENTER <i>1500 S Main Street, Eaton Rapids, MI 48827</i>	(517) 663-2671 www.eatonrapidsmedicalcenter.org
FOREST VIEW PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL <i>1055 Medical Park SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49546</i>	(800) 949-8439 www.forestviewhospital.com
HELEN-DEVOS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL <i>100 Michigan NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503</i>	(866) 989-7999 www.helendevoschildrens.org
JOHN D. DINGELL VA MEDICAL CENTER <i>4646 John R Street, Detroit, MI 48201</i>	(313) 576-1000 www.detroit.va.org
MCLAREN CENTRAL MICHIGAN <i>1221 South Drive, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	(989) 772-6700 www.mclaren.org
MCLAREN GREATER LANSING <i>401 W Greenlawn Avenue, Lansing, MI 48910</i>	(517) 975-6000 www.mclaren.org
METRO HEALTH HOSPITAL <i>5900 Byron Center Avenue SW, Wyoming, MI 49519</i>	(616) 252-7200 www.metrohealth.net
MIDMICHIGAN MEDICAL CENTER CLARE <i>703 N McEwan Street, Clare, MI 48617</i>	(989) 802-5000 www.midmichigan.org
MIDMICHIGAN MEDICAL CENTER GRATIOT <i>300 E Warwick, Alma, MI 48801</i>	(989) 463-1101 www.midmichigan.org
MIDMICHIGAN MEDICAL CENTER MIDLAND <i>4000 Wellness Drive, Midland, MI 48670</i>	(989) 839-3000 www.midmichigan.org
MIDMICHIGAN MEDICAL CENTER MT. PLEASANT <i>4851 E Pickard Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	(989) 775-1600 www.midmichigan.org
PINE REST CHRISTIAN MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES <i>300 68th Street SE, PO Box 165, Grand Rapids, MI 49548</i>	(800) 678-5500 www.pinerest.org

SHERIDAN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL <i>301 N Main Street, PO Box 279, Sheridan, MI 48884</i>	(989) 291-3261 www.sheridanhospital.com
SPARROW CARSON HOSPITAL <i>406 E Elm Street, Carson City, MI 48811</i>	(989) 584-3131 www.sparrow.org
SPARROW CLINTON HOSPITAL <i>805 S Oakland, St. Johns, MI 48879</i>	(989) 227-3400 www.sparrow.org
SPARROW SPECIALTY HOSPITAL <i>1215 E Michigan Avenue, 8W Sparrow Hospital Tower, Lansing, MI 48912</i>	(517) 364-1000 www.sparrow.org
SPARROW IONIA HOSPITAL <i>3565 S State Road, Ionia, MI 48846</i>	(616) 523-1355 www.sparrow.org
SPARROW HOSPITAL – ST. LAWRENCE CAMPUS <i>1210 W Saginaw, Lansing, MI 48915</i>	(517) 364-6000 www.sparrow.org
SPECTRUM HEALTH BLODGETT HOSPITAL <i>1840 Wealthy Street SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503</i>	(616) 774-7444 www.spectrumhealth.org
SPECTRUM HEALTH BIG RAPIDS HOSPITAL <i>605 Oak Street, Big Rapids, MI 49307</i>	(231) 796-8691 www.spectrumhealth.org
SPECTRUM HEALTH BUTTERWORTH HOSPITAL <i>100 Michigan Street NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503</i>	(616) 391-1774 www.spectrumhealth.org
SPECTRUM HEALTH KELSEY HOSPITAL <i>418 Washington Avenue, Lakeview, MI 48850</i>	(989) 352-7211 www.spectrumhealth.org
SPECTRUM HEALTH PENNOCK <i>1009 W Green Street, Hastings, MI 49058</i>	(269) 945-3451 www.spectrumhealth.org
SPECTRUM HEALTH UNITED HOSPITAL <i>615 S Bower Street, Greenville, MI 48838</i>	(616) 754-4691 www.spectrum-health.org/united
ST. MARY'S HEALTH CARE (also MERCY HEALTH & MARY FREE BED) <i>200 Jefferson Avenue SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503</i>	(616) 752-6090 www.smmmc.org
VA ANN ARBOR HEALTHCARE SYSTEM <i>2215 Fuller Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48105</i>	(800) 361-8387 www.annarbor.va.gov

Veteran/Military Resources

AMERICAN RED CROSS OF GREATER GRAND RAPIDS

(616) 456-8661

Services to the Armed Forces. Partnering with Congress, the Department of Defense and the Department of Veterans Affairs, our volunteers provide military personnel and their families with a worldwide integrated support network to help them cope with the stress of military life in the following ways: 1) Stay In Touch and Obtain Verification of Emergency Leave Information; 2) Secure Emergency Financial Assistance; and 3) Obtain Counseling, Information, Referrals and Other Social Needs. They also assist with veteran benefit applications.

BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU MILITARY LINE

(800) 684-3222

Has an agreement with the Department of Defense to offer its well-known consumer education and advocacy services to experiences and circumstances unique to the military. As a partner in the Department of Defense (DOD) Financial Readiness Campaign, BBB Military Line® brings BBB services to military personnel (including Reservists and National Guard), retirees, DOD civilians, and their families. Through Memoranda of Understanding with the Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps, and through status as a Coast Guard Qualified Organization, BBB Military Line offers a variety of free services and consumer education to the military via local BBB outreach.

BLUE STAR MOTHERS OF IONIA, KENT AND MONTCALM COUNTIES

(989) 814-0650

Chapter # 188

email: president.deptmi@bluestarmothers.us

We are mothers, stepmothers, grandmothers, foster mothers and female legal guardians who have children serving in the military, guard or reserves, or children who are veterans. We support each other and our children while promoting patriotism. Our organization focuses on our mission every single day and will never, ever, forsake our troops, our veterans or the families of our Fallen Heroes.

BUDDY TO BUDDY

(888) 822-8339

www.buddytobuddy.org

Trained Volunteer Veterans help military service members overcome the stigma around asking for help and link those who are facing challenges throughout the deployment cycle with appropriate resources that will optimize their quality of life. Volunteer Veterans are trained to help veterans and service members address issues ranging from accessing financial, employment, legal, benefit, or educational resources to identifying mental health providers for emotional, substance abuse, or relationship concerns. Services are provided to Michigan service members and veterans, members of Michigan Army National Guard, and reservists residing in Michigan.

FAMILY ASSISTANCE CENTER- GRAND VALLEY ARMORY

(517) 481-7323

Family Assistance is a focal point of information by providing six essential services in times of contingency call up, mobilization, and largescale deployments. Family Assistance is critical in providing help to all military families during long term or short-term deployments. The Grand Valley Regional Family Assistance Center provides assistance and referrals for families in a region of counties including Gratiot, Montcalm, Ionia and Isabella. Contact the Family Assistance Coordinator in the following counties: Gratiot and Isabella Counties-Melissa Alex (517) 481-7323; Ionia County-Stephanie Rogers (517) 481-8850; and Montcalm County-Ami Gould (616) 249-2741.

GOODWILL INDUSTRIES**(231) 206-0127**

Has a Veterans Workforce Investment Program that addresses the unique needs of veterans seeking employment. Serving; Clare, Gladwin, Ionia, Isabella, Mecosta, Montcalm and Osceola Counties. Goodwill assists eligible veterans in a variety of areas relating to job training, placement, and retention with an emphasis on green career fields. Those who have been dishonorably discharged cannot participate.

HUD-VASH**(616) 356-1746**www.va.gov/homeless/hud-vash.asp

Veterans housing voucher program with HUD and the VA.

MICHIGAN VETERANS AFFAIRS AGENCY**(800) 642-4838**www.michiganveterans.com

Serves as the central coordinating point for Michigan veterans, connecting those who have served in the U.S. Armed Forces, and their families, to services and benefits throughout the state. The agency works to identify and break down barriers veterans face in employment, education, health care and quality of life, making Michigan a great place for veterans and their families to call home. The agency aggregates veteran's services currently found in 14 state agencies as well as hundreds of community-based veteran programs to create a no wrong door access to benefits and services.

MILITARY ONESOURCE**(800) 342-9647**www.militaryonesource.com

This service is provided by the Department of Defense at no cost to active duty, Guard and Reserve (regardless of activation status) and their families. It is a virtual extension of installation services.

OPERATION: MILITARY KIDS**(517) 432-7618**

U.S. Army's collaborative effort with America's communities to support children and youth impacted by deployment. Regardless of whether Families are experiencing deployment for the first time, the second time or another in a series of multiple deployments, OMK's goal is to connect military children and youth with local resources in order to achieve a sense of community support and enhance their well-being. In Michigan, Operation: Military Kids is an ongoing community support system for families, particularly children of parents in the National Guard and the Army Reserves. Providing an outlet with recreational, educational and social opportunities for military youth, which helps them to deal with their parents being in a risky atmosphere. OMK is a 4-H program, which joins with the school and community to educate the public about what military children may be experiencing. For more information, call the Michigan Chapter at (517) 432-7618, kmoyes@anr.msu.edu. 4-H Military Liaison B'Onko S. Sadler (517) 432-7618, sadlerbo@msu.edu.

SERVICE TO SOLDIERS LEGAL ASSISTANCE REFERRAL PROGRAM**(517) 371-5140**

Service to Soldiers Legal Assistance Referral Program through Cooley Law School helps service men and women resolve legal problems they face upon return from deployment by matching them with volunteer attorneys across Michigan. Contact-Heather Spielmaker.

SUPPORTIVE SERVICES FOR VETERAN FAMILIES (EIGHTCAP, INC.) (866) 754-9315 x3335www.eightcap.org

Assists with Michigan Veterans' Homeless Prevention & Rehousing efforts in Ionia, Isabella, Gratiot, and Montcalm Counties. (Referred to as the SSVF program)

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VETERANS CRISIS LINE**(800) 273-8255, press 1**www.veteranscrisisline.net

The Veterans Crisis Line connects Veterans in crisis and their families and friends with qualified, caring, Department of Veterans Affairs responders through a confidential toll-free hotline, online chat, or text. Veterans and their loved ones can call 1-800-273-8255 and Press 1, chat online, or send a text message to 838255 to receive confidential support 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and 365 days a year. Support for deaf and hard of hearing individuals is available.

VFW NATIONAL HOME FOR CHILDREN**(800) 313-4200**

Located in Eaton Rapids, Michigan, this organization provides personal information and referral assistance as a gateway to help for any military family. They also offer several programs including military family, veteran family, single parent, and residential.

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