

Lake County, Indiana Resources

2025

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Prevent Child Abuse Lake County,
Geminus,

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After School Programs

Boys & Girls Club	(multiple locations)
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Franciscan Health.

Indiana Afterschool Network 303 Alabama St. #210

	2700 W. 19 th Ave.	Gary.	219-885-5501
	2460 Vermillion St.	Lake Station.	219-963-9200
	6600 Broadway.	Merrillville	219-980-0030
	13000 Fairbanks St.	Cedar Lake.	219-374-5306
YMCA (multiple locations)			
	6532 Indianapolis Blvd	Hammond.	219-845-1507
	601 W. 40 th Place.	Hobart.	219-942-2183
	19380 Clark St.	Whiting.	219-370-5091
	100 W. Burrell Dr.	Crown Point.	219-663-5810

Autism

Indianapolis

Crown Point.

219-738-2100

317-822-8211

Total Spectrum	5281 Fountain Drive .	Crown Point	219-488-3846
Life Strategies	5521 Lincoln Hwy, Suite 101	Crown Point	219-359-3272
Autism Home Serv.	905 W. Glen Park Ave.	Griffith	219-501-1729
AccessAbilities, Inc.	8398 Mississippi St.	Merrillville	219-755-4049
All Pieces Fit, Inc.	8401 Ohio St.	Merrillville	219-525-4572
Behavior & Learning	Solutions. 1477 83rd Ave.	Merrillville	219-472-0628
Hopebridge Autism T	herapy Center 251 W. 84 th Dr.	Merrillville	219-205-3463
Innovations in Learni	ng 8200 Georgia St.	Merrillville	. 219-791-1400

Baby Care/Pregnancy

Women's Center Illiani	1845 E. Summit St.	Crown Point	219-663-5311
Swaddling Clothes Program at Grad	e Lutheran Church.		
	8303 Sheffield Ave.	Dyer	219-865-1137
Paying It Forward	819 W. Chicago Ave.	East Chicago	219-318-3122
Planned Parenthood.	7131 Indianapolis Blvd.	Hammond.	800-769-0045
	8645 Connecticut St.	Merrillville	
North Shore Health Center	6920 Indianapolis Blvd.	Hammond	219-763-8112
	2490 Central Ave.	Lake Station.	
	6091 Broadway.	Merrillville	
Community HealthNet	1021 W. 5 th Ave.	Gary.	219-880-1190
	6100 Broadway.	Merrillville	
	1015 N. Shelby.	Gary.	
	5927 Columbia Ave.	Hammond	
	3503 Martin L. King Dr.	Gary	

12750 St. Francis Dr.

	701 Superior Ave. 24 Joliet St.	Munster. Dyer.	219-922-4200 219-865-2141
Catholic Charities	Pregnancy & Mother Suppor	,	219-554-1774
Methodist Healthcare	600 Grant St.(Northlake)	Gary.	219-886-4000
	8701 Broadway. (Southlake)) Merrillville	219-738-5510
Anew Ministry/ Support N	Notherhood	Demotte, IN.	708-774-9204
The Answer.	705 Colonial Drive.	Hobart, IN.	219-947-2272
Nurse-Family Partnership	Lake County. 385 E. 84th A	Ave. Merrillville, IN.	844-637-6667
Woman's Care Center.	8500 Broadway Suite B.	Merrillville, IN.	219-472-8059
St. Clare Center. Pre	enatal assistance, diaper pant	ry, Fresh Start Market.	
	1121 Indiana Ave.	Crown Point	219-663-2160

Childcare & Family Support

Geminus.	8400 Louisiana St.	Merrillville.

CCDF/ Voucher program		219-757-1957
Childcare Resource &Referral.		219-685-1500
Child Safety	Hotline	886-641-7181
Head Start. (various locations).	headstart@geminus.org.	888-893-6891
Community Partners		219-757-1800

Help with addiction, behavioral, educational, and employment issues; financial hardship, domestic violence, housing, and LGBTQ support.

Best Exceptional Support	bestsupport.org		219-525-1021
Mental Health America of NWI	5311 Hohman Ave.	Hammond	219-937-7733
School City of Hobart Brickies fro	om the Start Parent Educa	ation Hobart	219-942-7263
Teens in Action, Inc	4818 Indianapolis Blvd.	East Chicago	219-397-5117

Child & Adolescent Residential Centers

Columbus Behavioral Center	2223 Poshard Dr.	Columbus, IN	812-376-1711
Franciscan Health St. Francis Cente	r 24 Joliet St.	Dyer.	219-865-2141
Dakar Services	4840 Grasselli Ave.	East Chicago	219-397-1085
Crossroad Child & Family Services.	1825 Beacon St.	Fort Wayne, IN.	260-484-4153
Options Behavioral Health Hospital	5602 Caito Dr.	Indianapolis.	855-820-3801
Midwest Center for Youth & Families	s 1012 W. Indiana St.	Kouts, IN.	888-629-3471
Indiana United Methodist Children's	Home	Lebanon, IN	765-482-5900
Oaklawn, The Children's Campus.	1411 Lincolnway W	Mishawaka, IN	574-259-5666
Michiana Behavioral Health	1800 N. Oak Dr.	Plymouth, IN.	574-936-3784
Wernie Youth & Family Treatment C	enter 2000 Wernie Rd	. Richmond, IN.	765-966-2508
Haven House, Inc	1980 E. Woodmail Dr	Terre Haute, IN	866-644-8880

Counseling

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Also see Mental Health			
Crown Counseling.	1308 N. Main St. C	Crown Point.	219-663-6353
Infinity Counseling and Welli	ness Center, LLC		
	5201 Fountain Dr.	Crown Point	219-472-8277
Life Strategies	5521 Lincoln Hwy. Suite	101 Crown Point	219-359-3272
Main Street Counseling.	119 E. Goldsborough St.	. Crown Point.	219-663-0888
New Leaf Resources	11035 Broadway Suite D	O Crown Point.	219-226-1810
Trinity Counseling Resource	s. 1404-1406 E. Joliet St.	Crown Point.	219-736-8100
Regional Health Systems (m	ultiple locations)		
	3903 Indianapolis Blvd.	East Chicago.	219-769-4005
	4016 Hohman Ave.	Hammond.	
	7783 E. Ridge Rd.	Hobart.	
	8555 Taft St.	Merrillville	
	1441 E. 84 th Place.	Merrillville	
Inner Connections Counselin	ng 3790 Alabama St.	Hobart	219-512-6156
Community HealthNet (multi	ole locations. See under Baby ca	re/ Pregnancy).	219-880-1190
Apostolic Youth & Family.	4840 Broadway.	Gary.	219-887-9691
Edgewater Systems (Medica	l and Mental Health)	•	
· ·	1100 W. 6 th Ave.	Gary.	219-885-4264
Fresh Start Counseling	7108 Calumet Ave.	Hammond.	219-933-7990
· ·	3490 W. 81st. Ave.	Merrillville.	219-736-5990
Purdue Counseling Center	7030 Indianapolis Blvd.	Hammond.	219-989-2923
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Couples Mentoring Youth &F	amily Services		
	2646 Highway Ave. Suite	e 206 Highland	219-301-5088
In Session Counseling.	2842 45 th St.	Highland.	219-228-8799
Light of Hope Wellness &Co	nsultation	· ·	
3	3145 45 th St. Suite A	Highland	331-277-8585
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Choices Coordinated Care S	colutions (child counseling, therap	ov, foster care)	
	7895 Broadway	Merrillville	219-743-3971
The Caring Corner	6111 Harrison St. Suite 222.	Merrillville.	219-884-8484
Foundations Counseling Cer		Merrillville.	219-484-2229
North Star Services	8101 Polo Club Dr.	Merrillville.	219-736-9906
Pillars of Wellness Inc.	244 E. 90 th Dr.	Merrillville.	219-323-3311
Survive and Thrive Counseli		Merrillville	219-281-6053
	2009 W. Glen Park Ave.	Griffith	
Bright Path Support Services	6111 Harrison St. Suite 308	Merrillville	219-796-0518
Promising Futures, Inc.	7870 Broadway Suite E	Merrillville	888-564-5648
Rose Family Counseling Ce		Merrillville	219-888-9992
Anxiety & OCD Behavioral F		-	
,	322 Indianapolis Blvd. #105.	Schererville	219-228-7630
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Mid-America Mental Health.	9335 Calumet Ave Suite C	Munster.	219-595-9494
	7725 Broadway.	Merrillville	219-736-1000
New Harvest Therapy Service	es 7550 Hohman Ave. Suite 500	Munster.	219-852-8558
Samaritan Counseling Center	er. 8955 Columbia Ave.	Munster.	219-923-8110
Chicago Christian Counselin	g Center		
	962 Lincoln Hwy.	Schererville	219-864-4363
Stokes Family Counseling	962 Lincoln Hwy.9321 Wicker Ave. Suite 205	Schererville St. John.	219-864-4363 219-558-0232
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Clothing/School Uniforms/Thrift Stores

Goodwill	909 Joliet St.	Dyer	219-227-8304
	4830 W. Ridge Road	Gary	219-595-0652
	1601 W. 45 th St.	Griffith	219-513-9307
	7868 E. Ridge Road	Hobart	219-962-4848
	2230 W. 93 rd Ave.	Merrillville	219-738-2576
	10021 Earl Drive	St. John	219-588-0714
Salvation Army Store	600 W. 81 st Ave.	Merrillville	800-728-7825
First Presbyterian Church	218 S. Court St.	Crown Point	219-663-2255
Once Upon a Child	1228 N. Main St.	Crown Point	219-663-6319
	29 US 41	Schererville	219-864-1976
Second Life Resale Shoppe	1800 N. Main St.	Crown Point	219-663-5266
Village Discount Outlet	2706 165 th St.	Hammond	866-545-3836
Hearts in Motion	2210 US 41	Schererville	219-924-2446
Brady's This is It	5306 W. 25 th Ave.	Gary	219-844-1130
Saint Paul Clothing Center	1853 Harrison Blvd	Valparaiso	219-462-0074

Disability/Special Needs

Blind Social Center	5195 Jefferson St.	Gary.	219-980-0097
Children's Therapy plus	6504 E. 129 th Ave.	Crown Point	219-662-7654
First Steps	11045 Broadway	Crown Point	219-662-7790
Little Steps Pediatric Therap	y11496 Broadway	Crown Point	219-213-2222
In-Pact, Inc.	12300 Marshall St.	Crown Point	219-662-1905
Lirio Resources	550 E. Burrell Dr.	Crown Point	219-213-2668
Wee Care Therapy	440 Edmond Drive	Dyer	219-322-1715
BDDS (Bureau of Developme	ental Disabilities		
	110 W. Ridge Road	Gary	219-981-5313
Restore Therapy Services	6100 Miller Ave.	Gary	219-427-0196
Social Security Administration	n		

	808 S. Lake St.	Gary	866-593-2911
	418 E. Douglas St.	Hammond	877-512-3859
	1438 E. 85 th Ave.	Merrillville	877-692-3142
All in One Therapy	223 N. Broad St.	Griffith	219-237-4790
Chasing Dreams	703 N. Hobart Ave.	Hobart	219-299-9049
Paladin	4315 E. Michigan Blvd.	Michigan City, IN	219-874-4288
Bridges of Indiana	1304 E. 85 th Ave.	Merrillville	219-648-2995
SuperPsyched Support	8690 Broadway Suite A	Merrillville	219-750-9600
(Educational Consult	ation)		
Tradewinds Services, Inc.	3198 E. 83 rd Place	Merrillville	219-945-0100
Promising Futures, Inc.	7870 Broadway Suite E	Merrillville	888-564-5648
Down Syndrome Association	n NWI		
	2167 Indianapolis Blvd.	Schererville	219-838-3656
All of Me Therapy	8626 Wicker Ave. Suite C	St. John	219-440-7930
In*Source	insource@insource.org	South Bend	574-234-7101
Resilient Hearts Foundation	resilientheartsfoundation@gr	mail.com	

Disaster Relief

Catholic Charities	940 Broadway	Gary	219-886-3549
	3901 Fir St.	East Chicago	219-397-5803
Salvation Army	4800 Harrison St.	Gary	219-887-6588
	513 W. Chicago Ave.	East Chicago	219-398-2939
Red Cross	791 83 rd Ave.	Merrillville	219-756-5360

Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault

St. Jude House and Mobile Unit

12490 Marshall St.

Hotline

Catholic Charities

3901 Fir St.

Catholic Charities3901 Fir St.East Chicago219-397-5803Haven HouseConfidential AddressHammond219-931-2090Fair Haven2645 Ridge RoadHighland219-961-4357Promising Futures758 Madison St.Crown Point888-564-5648

Indiana Coalition Against Domestic Violence

1915 W. 18th St. Suite B Indianapolis 317-917-3685 Hotline 800-332-7385

Crown Point 219-662-7066

800-254-1286

National Coalition Against Domestic Violence

Crisis Center Inc.

600 Grant Suite 750 Denver CO 303-839-1852 101 Montgomery St. Gary 219-938-7070

Sheltered 91 Rise Program Schererville 219-730-2046

Employment

Work One	504 Broadway Suite 401 5209 Hohman Ave.	Gary Hammond	219-981-1520 219-933-8332
	1575 Adler Circle #A	Portage	219-762-6952
Driveco CDL Learning Cent	er 8487 Melton Rd.	Gary	219-419-7180
Snelling Staffing of Griffith	1935 W. Glen Park Ave.	Griffith	219-924-1094
Davis Staffing	7017 Indianapolis Blvd.	Hammond	219-844-4888
Elite Staffing	2835 165 th St.	Hammond	219-316-1980
Inova Staffing Services	5930 Hohman Ave. Suite 102	Hammond	219-228-8126
Staffing Inc.	6942 Indianapolis Blvd.	Hammond	219-803-0338
Staff Source LLC	7205 Indianapolis Blvd.	Hammond	219-989-9675
Integrity Staffing	2034 45 th St.	Highland	219-513-9129
JMJ Talent and Staffing Sol	utions		
	2646 Highway Ave.#147	Highland	219-838-5627
Manpower	9105 Indianapolis Blvd Suite 100	Highland	219-838-2253
Nexus Employment Solution			
	600 81 st Ave.	Merrillville	219-961-2318
	8135 Kennedy Ave	Highland	219-961-2318
Adecco Staffing	115 E. 113 th Ave.	Crown Point	219-947-4219
Accountemps	8001 Broadway Suite 1	Merrillville	219-736-0830
Express Employment Profes			
	132 E. US Hwy 30	Schererville	219-515-2585
	Financial		
Catholic Charities		t Chicago	219-397-5803
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Food

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(Some Food Pantries have eligibility requirements. Please call before going)				
Catholic Charities	940 Broadway	Gary	219-886-3549	
Faith Church Family Market	6729 W. 133 rd Ave.	Cedar Lake	219-374-6309	
Project Love Food Pantry	7124 W. 137 th Ave.	Cedar Lake	219-374-7312	
Community Help Network	550 E. Burrell Dr.	Crown Point	219-805-3717	
First Presbyterian Church	218 S. Court St.	Crown Point	219-663-2255	
St. Mary Catholic Church	321 E. Joliet St.	Crown Point	219-663-0044	
Salvation Army Food Pantry	513 W. Chicago Ave	East Chicago	219-398-2939	
Paying It Forward	(Community Meals T	hursday Nights)		
	819 W. Chicago Ave.	. East Chicago	219-318-3112	
Brother's Keeper Food Pantry	2120 Broadway	Gary	219-882-4459	
Sojourner Truth House	410 W. 13 th Ave	Gary	219-885-2282	
Bethel Temple Food Pantry	110 W. 43 rd Ave	Gary	219-980-0076	
First African Methodist Episcopal (A	ME) Church Food Par	ntry		
	2005 Massachusetts	Gary	219-886-7561	
Our Lady of Grace Food Pantry				
	3011 Condit St.	Highland	219-838-0395	
Operation Care	340 W. 45 th St.	Munster	219-922-6500	
First United Methodist Church	6635 Hohman Ave	Hammond	219-932-5915	
Greater Hammond Community Serv	vices			
	824 Hoffman St.	Hammond	219-932-4800	
Hobart Food Pantry	200 S. Hobart Rd.	Hobart	219-947-7779	
St. Edwards Church (Lowell area re	sidents)			
	216 S. Nichols St.	Lowell	219-696-7307	
Christian Revival Center Food Pant	ry			
	805 W. 57 th St.	Merrillville	219-980-3252	
Faith Temple	7601 Whitcomb St.	Merrillville	219-736-5199	
FOOD Bank of NWI	6490 Broadway	Merrillville	219-980-1777	
New Ebenezer Church	305 E. 68th Place	Merrillville	219-750-9773	
Tradewinds Services, Inc.	3218 E. 84 th Place	Merrillville	219-945-0100	
Winfield Township Food Pantry (Win	nfield residents)			
	10645 Randolph St.	Winfield	219-663-7027	
F	Foster Ca	re		
Josiah White's	8915 Broadway	Merrillville	219-663-8640	
Kids Peace	335 84 th Ave.	Merrillville	219-736-1308	
The Villages of Indiana	8129 Kennedy Ave. #		219-513-9175	
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Furniture/Appliances

Second Life Resale Shoppe 1800 N. Main St. Crown Point 219-663-5266

Habitat for Humanity Restore	6114 W. Ridge Rd.	Gary	219-923-7265	
Thrifty Mac	5185 Broadway.	Gary	219-887-8273	
Furniture Center	223 W. Lincoln Hwy	Merrillville	219-525-5023	
Love, Inc.	1400 Broad St.	Griffith	219-923-2775	
For Residents of Hammond, Munster, Highland & Griffith				
Call on Tuesday/Wednesday 10 am-3 pm or Thursday 1-3 pm				
Five Star Furniture	2757 E. 81 st . Ave.	Merrillville	219-758-1700	
Lions Clubs (Medical equipment, eyeglasses, and Hearing Aids)				

Check web sites and Facebook pages for contact information

Clubs: East Chicago, Crown Point, Hobart, Merrillville, Munster, Schererville

Guardianship

Lake County Juvenile Justice Cent	ter 3000 93 rd St.	Crown Point	219-660-6900
NWI Volunteer Lawyers	651 E. Third St.	Hobart	219-945-0995
Indiana Legal Services	7863 Broadway	Merrillville	219-738-6040

Healthcare

Most Healthcare Centers will help with applying for medical cost coverage.

Northshore Health Center (multiple locations, Dental & Medical)			219-763-8112
· ·	2200 Grant St.	Gary	
	2121 Columbus Dr.	East Chicago	
	1828 165 th St.	Hammond	
	3099 Central Ave.	Lake Station	
	6091 Broadway	Merrillville	
	310 W. 112 th St.	Crown Point	
Community HealthNet. (multiple locations)	ations, Dental & Medic	al)	219-880-1190
	1021 W. 5 th Ave.	Gary	
	3900 Calhoun St.	Gary	
	6100 Broadway	Merrillville	
Reginal Health Systems (multiple lo	cations)		219-769-4005
	3903 Indianapolis Blv	d East Chica	igo
	559 State St.	Hammond	
	4016 Hohman Ave.	Hammond	
	8555 Taft St.	Merrillville	
HealthLinc Community Healthcare (multiple locations)		
	1313 W. Chicago Av	e. East Chicag	o 219-398-9685
EC Harbor	2323 Broadway St.	East Chicago	219-354-8910
EC Harbor West	2106 Broadway St.	East Chicago	219-413-5118
Oak Street Health (multiple locations			
	1310 Broadway	Gary	219-247-1761
	4900 Broadway	Gary	219-261-5447

5818 Columbia Ave. Hammond 219-261-5451

Aliveness Project NWI (HIV) 5261 Hohman Ave. Hammond 219-985-6170 Planned Parenthood (multiple locations) 800-769-0045

7131 Indianapolis Blvd. Hammond 8645 Connecticut St. Merrillville

Methodist Hospital (multiple sites)

Northlake 600 Grant St. Gary Southlake 8700 Merrillville

Breast Care 219-756-4436
Marram Health Center 3229 Broadway Gary 219-806-3000

McAuley Clinic 5530 Hohman Ave. Hammond Dr. John Lanman Clinic (part of Franciscan Health)

5529 Hohman Ave. Hammond. 219-853-7100

219-993-2018

City of Gary Health Department (Immunizations, Lead testing, Nursing) 219-882-5565

Home Care

Restored Hope Services 5930 Hohman Ave Hammond 219-433-0618
BrightStar Care of Lake Cty 9521 Indianapolis Blvd Highland 219-924-0200
Promising Futures, Inc 7870 Broadway Suite E Merrillville 888-564-5648

Housing

Heritage Real Estate Services	9800 Connecticut Dr.	Crown Point	219-525-4018
East Chicago Housing Authority	4444 Railroad Ave	EC	219-397-9974
Gary Housing Authority	578 Broadway	Gary	219-881-6400
Hammond Housing Authority	1402 173 rd St.	Hammond	219-989-3265
Caribou Home Rentals	3619 Calhoun St.	Gary	219-595-5210
Property Boss LLC	5515 W. 41st. Ave.	Gary	219-801-6123
NWI Rental Properties	127 North Broad St.	Griffith	219-922-2229
Reeder Companies	7007 Indianapolis Blv	d. Hammond	219-844-7007
MGM Properties Mgmt.	295 E. 61 st . Ave.	Merrillville	219-381-5312
Rose Real Estate	1846 45 th Ave.	Munster	219-836-2400

Internet

AT&T <u>www.att.com</u>

Comcast <u>www.internetessentials.com</u>

Legal Assistance

Family Court Legal Clinic (in Lake County Superior Court)

15 W. 4th Ave. Gary 219-881-6157 NWI Volunteer Lawyers 651 E. Third St. Hobart 219-945-0995 Indiana Legal Services 7863 Broadway Suite 205 Merrillville 219-738-6040

1078 W. 84th Dr. Lake County Bar Association Merrillville 219-738-1905

McKinney-Vento Act

www.in.gov/doe/home/mckinney-vento-homeless-children-and-youth-program/

LGBTQ

Pride Initiative via Crown Counseling	1308 N. Main St.	Crown Point	219-663-6353
Trans Lifeline			877-565-8860
Trevor Hotline			866-488-7386
Rainbow Serenity		Highland	219-595-2321

Lice Treatment

Lice Clinics of America NWI Lice Perspectives Lice Doctors NWI	1010 Breuckman Dr. 786 McCool Rd. Suite 8 licedoctors.com	Crown Point Valparaiso	219-779-2289 219-617-1142 219-392-4252
	Mentoring		
Crown Counseling Promising Futures	1308 N. Main St. 758 Madison St.		219-663-6353 888-564-5648

Teens in Action, Inc. 4818 Indianapolis Blvd. East Chicago 219-397-5117 African American Achievers Meet at IUN Gary 219-887-2046 225 W. 5th. Ave. City Life Center Gary 219-880-4851 351 W. 11th Computer Skills &Training Center Gary 219-484-7078 Gary Youth Services Bureau 455 Massachusetts St. 219-881-5270 Gary 821 W. 45th Ave. Suite D Girls on the Run Griffith 219-384-8276

Couples Mentoring Youth and Family Services

2646 Highway Ave. Suite 260 Highland 219-301-5088 Girl Coalition of Indiana Indianapolis 317-616-6560 **Bright Path Support Services** 6111 Harrison St. Suite 308 Merrillville 219-796-0518 Faith Temple 7601 Whitcomb St. Merrillville 219-736-5199

Mentoring and Food Pantry

North Star Services 8101 Polo Club Dr. Suite6 Merrillville 219-736-9906 Urban Suns Community Development—Mental Health Services Merrillville 219-614-3009

5382 Broadway

Parenting Education

Crown Counseling	1308 N. Main St.	Crown Point	219-663-6353
New Leaf Resources	11035 Broadway Suite D	Crown Point	219-226-1810
Promising Futures	758 Madison St.	Crown Point	888-564-5648
Moms Taking Charge	100 W. Chicago Ave.	East Chicago	219-354-8089
Apostolic Youth &Family	4840 Broadway	Gary	219-887-9691
Indiana Parenting Institute	504 Broadway Suite 444	Gary	219-886-1111

Mental Health America of NWI	5311 Hohman Ave.	Hammond	219-937-7733
Bright Path Support Services	6111 Harrison St. Suite 308	Merrillville	219-796-0518
The Caring Corner	6111 Harrison St. Suite 222	Merrillville	219-884-8484
New Vista	2614 W. Lincoln Hwy.	Merrillville	219-484-2143
North Star Services	8101 Polo Club Dr. Suite6	Merrillville	219-736-9906
Apostolic Youth & Family Services	4645 Broadway	Gary	219-981-2937

Public Aid

Division of Family Resources (multiple locations) 800-403-0864

1865 Summit St. Crown Point
2200 Broadway East Chicago
661 Broadway Gary
110 W. Ridge Rd, Gary
6525 Columbia Ave. Hammond
1871 E. 37th Ave. Hobart

WIC (Baby formula) (multiple locations)

 1450 E. Joliet St.
 Crown Point
 219-663-9279

 100 W. Chicago Ave.
 East Chicago
 219-397-4577

 5927 Columbia Ave.
 Hammond
 219-931-9527

 6111 Harrison St.
 Merrillville
 219-887-1038

 2490 Central Ave,
 Lake Station
 219-962-4116

Respite Care

Tradewinds Services, Inc. 3198 E. 83rd. Place Merrillville 219-945-0100 Homes of Compassion 354 West St. Suite 1 Valparaiso 219-465-7777

Shelters—No Pets

St. Jude House	12490 Marshall St.	Crown Point	800-254-1286
Brother's Keeper (men only)	2120 Broadway	Gary	219-882-4459
Calumet Township Shelter	1900 W. 41 st Ave.	Gary	219-880-4900
Missionaries of Charity Shelter	509 W. Ridge Rd.	Gary	219-884-2140
The Rainbow-Ark Shelter	445 Massachusetts St.	Gary	219-882-0023
Hammond City Rescue Mission (men only)			
	527 State St.	Hammond	219-932-5085
Haven House	Confidential Address	Hammond	219-931-2090
Alternatives, Inc. (Girls and Boys 10-20 years)			
	101 N. Montgomery	Gary	219-938-7070

Shelters—Accept Pets

Quanada 2707 Maine St. Quincy, IL 217-222-0069 LACASA Center 2805 W. Grand River Avenue Howell, MI 866-522-2725

First Step 44567 Pinetree Drive Plymouth, MI 734-722-6800 Underground Railroad, Inc. 1230 S. Washington Ave. Saginaw, MI 888-399-8385

Support Groups

Sojourner Truth House	410 W. 13 th St.	Gary	219-885-2282
Faith Church	6729 W. 133 rd Ave.	Cedar Lake	219-374-6309
*Mondays 6:30 pm.			Call

Self-Injury of NWI *2nd & 4th Tuesdays 6-8 pm Crown Point 219-201-8994 St. Mary's Church 321 E. Joliet St. Crown Point 219-663-0044 Faith Church 100 W. 81st Ave. Dyer . Call 219-864-0300

*Tuesdays at 7 pm

*childcare available 6:45-9 pm Contact Trish at tmiller@WeAreFaith.org

Living After Loss 219-886-4522

Northlake Methodist Hostipal *Thursday 4-5:30 pm virtual via Zoom ID #869 15318436

Southlake Methodist Hospital *Monday 6-7 pm

Faith Church 8411 Columbia Ave. Munster Call 219-838-3929

*Thursdays at 7pm

The Wounded Healers at St. James the Less Catholic Church

9640 Kennedy Ave. Highland 219-924-5577

Township

Hanover Township	13330 Parrish Ave.	Cedar Lake	219-374-7443
Center Township	1450 E. Joliet St.	Crown Point	219-663-0250
Winfield Township	10645 Randolph St. Suite B	Winfield	219-663-7027
North Township (2)	2100 Broadway	East Chicago	219-398-2435
	5947 Hohman Ave.	Hammond	219-932-2530
Calumet Township	610 Connecticut St.	Gary	219-880-4000
Hobart Township	1421 W. 37 th Ave.	Hobart	219-942-0055
Cedar Creek Township	151 Fremont St.	Lowell	219-696-9713
West Creek Township	18046 White Oak Ave.	Lowell	219-696-9432
Ross Township	26 W. 73 rd Ave.	Merrillville	219-769-2111
St. John Township	1515 Lincoln Hwy.	Schererville	219-865-2705

Transportation

Promising Futures	758 Madison St.	Crown Point	888-564-5648
South Lake County Community Services			
	1450 E. Joliet St. Suite 202	Crown Point	219-663-0627
Dial a Ride	via North Township	Hammond	219-932-2530
NW Indiana Transport	155 W. 86th Ave. Suite D	Merrillville	219-669-0594
Safe Lane's Transportation	417 81st Ave. Suite 214	Merrillville	219-306-5841
HealthVisions Midwest	eashdor@hvusa.org	219-844-2698 ext.120	

Tutoring

Promising Futures	758 Madison St.	Crown Point	888-564-5648
Equip to Excel	1501 Joliet St. Suite 2B	Dyer	708-801-8763
Mom's Taking Charge	100 W. Chicago Ave.	East Chicago	219-392-4225
Gary Youth Service Bureau	455 Massachusetts St.	Gary	219-881-5270
Couples Mentoring Youth &	Family Service		
	2646 Highway Ave. Suite 206	Highland	219-301-5088
Sylvan Learning Center	1070 W. 84th Drive	Merrillville	219-472-9905
	958 US 30	Schererville	219-292-4736
Urban Suns Community Development			
	5382 Broadway Suite G	Merrillville	219-614-3009
The Education Station	1435 Eagle Ridge Dr.	Schererville	219-319-0940
Mathnasium	230 Lincoln Hwy.	Schererville	219-308-1952

Websites

www.autismspeaks.org
www.alateen.org (found under al-anon.org)
www.cause4pawsgary.org Pet food pantry in Gary
www.naindiana.org www.aa.org

www.aanwi.org www.al-anon.org

www.findhelp.org

Mental Health

Also see above sections on Counseling Services and Child/Adolescent Residential Services

Suicide Prevention Hotline:

Dial 988 to reach this hotline. This hotline is a suicide and crisis lifeline in the United States that networks with over 200+ crisis centers that provide 24/7 service at their toll free number (9-8-8). This hotline is for anyone in suicidal crisis or emotional distress. You can also access their website by <u>using this link</u>.

Regional Health Systems:

Dial (219)-769-4005. Regional Health Systems (RHS), formally known as Regional Mental Health, has locations in East Chicago, Hammond, Highland, Hobart and Merrillville. You can reach their website by <u>using this link!</u>

- <u>Psychiatry services</u> include emergency, inpatient, general and youth.
- <u>Counseling</u> includes counseling and therapy services to individuals, couples and families of all ages.
- Emergency Mental Health Services locations/hours:
 - Strawhun Center, open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week 8555 Taft St Merrillville, IN 46410
 - Stark Center, open Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 9:00 PM 3903 Indianapolis Blvd East Chicago, IN 46312

Edgewater Health:

Dial (219) 885-4264. Edgewater is located at 1100 West 6th Avenue Gary, IN 46402. Services include primary care services, mental health & addiction services, and pharmacy. You can reach their website by <u>using this link!</u> Edgewaters mental health services include

- Adult Services
- Children, Youth, and Family Services
- Day Treatment Program for Children & Families
- Community Residential Support Services
- Crisis Stabilization Center

There is also now a second location of Edgewater located at 9855 Lincoln Plz Wy (Unit 5A) Cedar Lake, IN 46303. Their phone number is (219)390-7838. They do not have mental health services at this location, however they did share that they will work with you to connect you with their agency in North county if you go to the Cedar Lake location for help!

Heartland Wellness Center:

Dial (219) 690-7025 to reach their team! Their website can be reached by <u>using</u> this link.

 <u>Behavioral Health</u>: Mental and emotional wellbeing when life becomes overwhelming.

Franciscan Saint Margaret Health-Dyer:

Dial (219) 322-5747 or visit their website by <u>using this link</u>. This facility is located at 24 Joliet Street Dyer, IN 46311. Their emergency room (ER) is open 24/7. Treatments and procedures listed are:

- Adolescent Residential Treatment
- Counseling & Therapy
- EmPATH Emergency Psychiatry
- Inpatient Psychiatric Hospitalization
- Intensive Outpatient Treatment
- Outpatient Psychiatry
- Psychiatric Partial Hospitalization Program

HealthLinc:

Dial (888) 580-1060 to reach their team. HealthLinc's website, which you can access by using this link, states that coping with the stress of our hectic, demanding lives can sometimes be difficult. Our mental frame of mind impacts our physical health just as physical conditions impact our emotions. HealthLinc's behavioral health consultants (BHC's) work alongside the medical providers as part of our care team. They are here to help with:

- Depression
- Anxiety
- Mental Illness
- Medication-Assisted treatment of opioid use disorder
- Making healthy lifestyle choices, including management of chronic conditions such as high blood pressure
- Setting goals and working toward wellness
- And more!

Self-Injury Support Group:

Information on their group can be accessed by http://www.selfinjurynwi.com/ or by reaching out to the coordinator of their three different groups. Self-injury support groups of northwest Indiana is a non-profit organization that offers free and confidential support groups for those who have been using self-injury to cope. Currently, the self-injury support group is located in Highland, Indiana. For their youth group, contact Kay Hennelly at (219)298-9297. For their adult group, contact Chris Singel at (219) 718-5025. For their friends and family group contact Ruth Ogden Halstead at (219) 201-8994.

Addiction

P.A.A.R.I. Program:

Police Assisted Addiction Recovery Initiative (P.A.A.R.I.) is a non-profit organization that the Griffith Police Department (GPD) is partnered with to aid in assisting individuals who are battling addiction. Through our association with this program, GPD provides risk free assistance to anyone committed to overcoming their addiction. For help, or immediate information on the program, please contact any of our on-duty officers or staff 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. This program will assist you with getting into treatment, without the fear of prosecution for criminal reasons.

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 <u>Recovery Center</u> which includes partial hospitalization program, intensive outpatient program, and outpatient program.

Recovery Works:

Dial (219)472-0066 to reach their team. Phone assessment hours are 24/7. Their location is 201 W 89th Ave Merrillville, IN 46410. Their agency provides medically supervised detox, residential treatment, intensive outpatient services, and PHP with housing for men and women struggling with substance use disorders. You can reach

their website <u>by using this link</u>. At this link, there are detailed descriptions of the services they are able to provide.

HealthLinc:

Dial (888) 580-1060 to reach their team. HealthLinc partners with community resources such as law enforcement and emergency medical services to create a safe and supportive environment for successful addiction recovery. Our Mobile Integrated Response Teams (MIRT) works with our medical providers and behavioral health consultants (BHC) to set goals, create a plan and advocate for those experiencing opioid use disorders (OUD). You can reach their website <u>by using this link.</u>
Medicated-assisted treatment services include:

- Collaborative Care
- Counseling
- Behavioral Therapy
- Medication Planning and Management
- And more!

Celebrate Recovery:

Celebrate Recovery is a christ-centered recovery program. There are groups in Munster and Dyer! Their website, which can be accessed at this link, for more information. When utilizing the "find a group" it will provide you with the address, times and contact information for the selected group. The "find help" tab can also help you find online meetings.

Treatment Atlas:

Atlas is a resource to help people find addiction treatment that will meet their needs. You can reach their website by <u>utilizing this link!</u>

Rehab Centers.org:

This free website is a resource for addiction treatment! By going to this link you will find resources throughout Indiana for every stage of a recovery journey. These include treatment options, warning signs, guidance for families, treatment definitions, and a local treatment center

directory. They also offer a 24/7 Confidential REhab Helpline at (866)972-0589!

Addictions.com:

Dial (800)697-7420 to reach their team. Their <u>website</u> provides free mental health and substance abuse resources for people at any stage of their recovery journey, including resources/treatment, warning signs, how to talk to a family member, definitions of different types of treatment and a local treatment center directory!

Clean Slate (Treatment)

8601 Connecticut St.

Merrillville

219-525-3495

Sexual Assault & Human Trafficking

Human Trafficking:

If you need help from law enforcement please contact 911 when it is safe to do so! If you believe a child to be a victim of trafficking contact the Indiana Department of Child Services 24 hour hotline (800)800-5556.

Fair Haven Rape Crisis Center:

Dial (219) 961-4357 to make an appointment. They also provide a 24-hour hotline that you can call, or text, at (219) 218-2552, as soon as it is safe to do so. Or, their toll-free hotline number is (877) 345-2552. Fair Haven's mission is to provide faith-focused services to those affected by sexual violence and trauma. They provide crisis advocacy services and support groups for survivors! You can reach their website by using this link.

Sheltered91:

Dial (219) 730-2046 to reach their team. Their website can be utilized by <u>using this link</u>. Sheltered91 states their mission is to create safe spaces of hope and healing for people who have been, or are at risk of, being sexually exploited through awareness, outreach, prevention, and restoration activities. Their <u>programs</u> offer online and in person clinical therapy, case management, and group therapy.

Veteran Services

VOA Illinois:

Dial (312)564-2314 to reach their team, or at veteranSPACES@voail.org to reach them virtually via email. Although they are an Illinois based program all services are available in Lake and Porter County, IN. You can reach their website by using this link!

Services they provide are:

- Case Management
- Veteran Peer Support
- Support Groups
- Community Education
- Referrals to Counseling and Therapy
- Assistance in navigating VA healthcare system
- · Referrals and assistance accessing
 - Legal Resources
 - Housing Supports
 - o Employment Training
 - Benefits Navigation
 - Income Supports
 - Transportation Assistance
 - Child Care Assistance
 - Social Support Groups
 - Substance Use Disorder Recovery Programming

Adam Benjamin Jr., Veterans' Administration Outpatient Clinic:

Dial (219) 662-5000 to reach their team. Dial (312)569-7225 for mental health care calls. They are located at 9301 Madison St Crown Point, IN 46307. By using this link you can access further information on their agency.

Services they provide are:

- Addiction and substance use care
- Audiology and speech
- COVID-19 vaccines
- Complementary and integrative health
- Laboratory and pathology
- Mental health care
- My HealtheVet coordinator
- Optometry
- PSTD care
- Pharmacy
- Physical medicine and rehabilitation
- Physical therapy, occupational therapy and kinesiotherapy
- Podiatry

- Primary care
- Radiology
- Social work
- Suicide prevention
- Whole health
- Women Veteran care

NWI Veterans Village:

Dial (219)951-0460 for hours of operation and to reach their team! They are located at 839 Massachusetts Street Gary, IN 46402. NWI Veterans Village is a permanent supportive housing program specifically for veterans battling homelessness.

WorkOne-Hammond:

They are located at 5265 Hohman Ave Hammond, IN 46320. Veterans of the military receive priority service and priority matching to new job postings on indianacareerconnect.com. They have a disabled Veterans' outreach program specialists (DVOPS) that provide one-on-one assistance with employment needs, including disabilities and barriers to employment. WorkOne also has local veterans' employment representatives (LVERs) who conduct outreach to employers and engage in advocacy efforts with hiring executives to increase employment opportunities for veterans, encourage the hiring of disabled veterans, and generally assist veterans to gain and retain employment. Their listed hours are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM, and Thursday from 10:00 AM to 4:30 PM.

Child Abuse & Neglect

If a child is in imminent danger, contact 911 immediately. If you have knowledge to believe a child is being abused, or neglected, contact the Indiana Department of Child Services 24 hour hotline at 1(800)800-5556.

Elder Services

Adult Protective Services:

Dial (800)992-6978 to reach their 24/7 hotline. To find out more information about Adult Protective Services (APS) you can <u>utilize this link!</u> It explains the APS process from how to file a report, after a report is submitted and the three aspects that consider an adult to be endangered.

Northwest Indiana Community Action:

Dial (219) 794-1829 to reach their team. NWICA is located at 5240 Fountain Dr Crown Point, IN 46307. They can also be reached via email at director@nwi-ca.com or toll free at (800) 826-7871. You can reach their website by using this link! The services they provide/populations they work with include:

- Resource Connections (Food, rent, utility/water bills, etc.)
- Financial Support & Services
- Older Adults & Persons with Disabilities
- Pregnant Women, Infants, & Children
- Housing Services
- Health & Wellness
- Caregiver Support

Meals On Wheels Northwest IN:

Dial (219) 756-3663 to reach their team. They are located at 8446 Virginia St Merrillville, IN. They can also be reached via email at info@mownwi.org and their website can be viewed by using this link. Their agency has a program to provide meals to people who qualify.

Mom's Meals:

You can reach their team by dialing (800) 972-9189. You can reach them online by <u>accessing this link</u>. Mom's Meals serve clients who are covered under Medicare Advantage Plans, Medicaid plans, Long-Term Services and Supports (LTSS) programs or the Older Americans Act, and by individuals or their caregivers who are looking for a self-pay program. They provide, and deliver, meals directly to your home/address.

Homelessness Prevention/Shelters

Hammond City Rescue Mission:

You can reach their team by dialing (219)932-5085. They are located at 527 State St (#1533) Hammond, IN 46320. Temporary shelter for men that provides food, clothing, and shelter for the men staying there. This is a temporary setting where individuals can be cared for while getting back on their feet.

Brothers Keeper:

Dial (219) 882-4459, or email <u>brotherskeepergary@gmail.com</u> to reach their team! They are located at 2120 Broadway Gary, IN 46407. Brothers' keeper is a shelter for homeless men that is focused on helping men regain their standing.

St. Jude House:

Dial (800) 254-1286 to reach their team on their 24-hour crisis line for support, information and referral. St Jude can provide safe emergency, temporary shelter for victims of domestic violence and/or sexual assault and their dependent children-assistance in pursuing a violence-free life. They also provide counseling and support groups, legal advocacy, community education, and mobile advocacy. For more details their website can be reached <u>by using this link</u>.

Haven House:

Dial (219) 931-2090 to reach their team on their 24-hour crisis line. Haven House is a 24-hour emergency shelter in Hammond, Indiana for domestic violence victims and their dependents. They provide shelter and support services for domestic violence survivors and their children.

Grace Beyond Borders:

DIal (219)392-9932 to reach their team. Their listed hours of operation are Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. They are located at 513 W Chicago Ave East Chicago, Indiana 46312. Grace Beyond Borders promotes providing food, long-term housing, and a safe space to help neighbors get back on their feet.

The Salvation Army:

Dial (219) 838- 0380 to reach their team. You can also learn more online by <u>using this link</u>. They can provide emergency assistance to help with mortgage/rent, utility bills, clothing, hotel vouchers for two days, back to school school supplies in August for grades K-5 and possibly other needs in order to help keep families in their homes.

The Caring Place:

Dial (219) 464-2128 to reach their team, 24 hours a day. You can reach their website by using this link. The Caring Place is a shelter that helps adult victims of domestic violence. Adults can bring their dependent children into the shelter with them. The Caring Place serves female and male survivors of domestic violence, and is ADA-accessible.

Missionaries of Charity:

Dlal (219) 884-2140 to reach their team. Missionaries of Charity is an emergency shelter for women, with or without children (male children age 5 and under). They are located at 509 West Ridge Road Gary, Indiana 46408. They receive intakes Monday-Wednesday 8:30 am - 10:00 pm and Friday-Sunday 8:30 am - 10:00 pm.

Rainbow-Ark Shelter:

Dial (219)886-1600 to reach their team 24/7 hotline. Rainbow-Ark provides emergency and transitional housing, as well as a domestic violence shelter, for persons and families in need. This shelter is for women and children. Dial (219) 883-4155 to reach their team during business hours. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM.

Crisis Center, Inc.:

Dial (219) 938-7070 to reach their team. The Crisis Center: Alternative House is an emergency shelter for boys and girls, ages 10 to 20, who are runaways, homeless, abused or neglected and need help to resolve problems and successfully return home or to an alternative, safe living situation. The Crisis Center is located at 101 N Montgomery St Gary, IN 46403.

Food Resources

Brothers' Keeper:

Dial (219)882-4459, or email at brotherskeepergary@gmail.com, to reach their team. This food pantry is located at 2120 Broadway Gary, IN 46407. Their food pantry hours are:

Monday: 11AM - 3PM
Tuesday: 11AM - 3PM
Thursday: 11AM - 3PM
Friday: 11AM - 3PM

Foodbank of Northwest Indiana:

Dial (219) 980-1777, or email at info@foodbanknwi.org, to reach their team. You can reach their website by using this link. They will have a posted schedule each month for MobileMarket locations on their website. To sign up for reminders on where they will be you can text "Market" to 219-500-6464. There is also a list of their programs on their website which can be found on this link.

Operation Care:

Dial (219) 838-2295 to reach their team! Operation Care is a food and clothing pantry located at 1950 N Griffith Blvd Griffith, IN 46319. The hours of operation are:

Monday: 9:00 AM - 1:30 PM
Wednesday: 9:00 AM - 1:30 PM
Saturday: 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM

The Salvation Army:

Dial (219) 838-0380 to reach their team. The food pantry is located at 8225 Columbia Avenue Munster, IN 46321. The hours of operation are:

Wednesday: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Thursday: 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Friday: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

National Hotline Services

• Suicide Prevention Hotline:

o Call: 988

○ Text: 988

 SAMHSA (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration)

o Call: 1-800-662-4357

National Human Trafficking Hotline

o Call: 1-888-373-7888

SMS: Text INFO to 233733

National Domestic Violence Hotline

o Call: 1-800-799-7233

Text: START to 88788

Online: https://www.thehotline.org/

Indiana Department of Child Services

o Call: 1-800-800-5556

Adult Protective Services

o Call: 1-800-992-6978

Information and Referral Service

o Call: 211

Additional Resources

• Funeral Homes in Lake County, Indiana

 Accessing this link you will find information, to include contact information, for each funeral home in Lake County, Indiana.

Grief Resources

 Golden Hope Ministries, whose website can <u>be found at this link</u>, and are located at 909 E Greenwood Ave in Crown Point, Indiana. They can be reached via email at <u>info@goldenhopemin.org</u> and offer grief support groups.