

Medina County Community Resources

Agencies, Employment, Food, Health and Medical, Housing, Legal,
Pregnancy, Support Groups and Transportation

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Agencies

Catholic Charities

740 East Washington Street, Suite E4

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-723-9615 Medina, 330-225-7100 Brunswick, 330-336-6657 Wadsworth

Outpatient mental health services; Phone assistance and support line counseling;

Geriatric assessment and care giver information and support

Community Action of Wayne and Medina Counties

820-B W. Lafayette Rd.

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-723-2229 or 800-477-8677

Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm

Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP), Home Weatherization Assistance Program,

Head Start Child Care Center, Moms' Support Group, Dads' Support Group, Child

Safety Seat Program (offers free booster seats) and cash assistance when available

Community Services Center

655 N. Broadway St.

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-725-4690

Food, clothing and cash assistance for prescriptions, utilities and rent when funding is available

Cornerstone Wellness Center, Inc.

120 West Washington St., Suite 3-D

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-722-9326

www.cornerstonenews.com

Medina Food Bank, Mom's and Dad's Support Groups, Community Behavioral Health

Screenings (Depression, Alcohol, Eating Disorders, Sleep Disorders), Community

Consultation and Evaluation, ACT Against Violence, H.E.A.R.T. (Help Every Autistic

Child Reach Tomorrow), Retired and Senior Volunteer Program, Seniors at Risk

Goodwill Industries

3500 Medina Road

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-722-2121

1067 Pearl Road

Brunswick, Ohio 44212

330-225-7544

160 Great Oaks Trail

Wadsworth, Ohio 44281

330-351-4343

Info Link

330-723-2434 Medina
330-273-6552 Brunswick, Hinckley, Cleveland
330-334-0276 Akron/Wadsworth
Information and referral service

Lodi Good Samaritans

104 Medina Street
Lodi, Ohio 44254
330-948-1834

For Lodi, Spencer and Homerville residents; provides help with food and emergencies; thrift shop

Medina County Job and Family Services

232 Northland Dr.
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-722-9283 or 800-783-5070

www.mcjfs.us

- Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting 330-722-9300 x267
- Learning, Earning and Parenting Program (LEAP)
- Links to Success Program – Youth mentoring program
- Children’s Center – Provides life skills programs, supervised visitation, child advocacy, and family reunification
- Assistance Programs – Food stamps, Medicaid, cash assistance
- Help Me Grow – Home visitation program for children up to 3 years of age to promote family focused services to assure that children have the best possible start in life

Oaks Family Care Center

4196 Center Road
Brunswick, Ohio 44212
330-220-7777

www.oaks-family-care.org

123 Banks Street
Lodi, Ohio 44254
330-948-7777

Ohio State University Extension

120 West Washington Street
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-725-4911 Medina, 330-225-7100 x9237 Brunswick, 330-336-6657 Wadsworth
Parenting, nutrition and budgeting classes

Salvation Army

425 W. Liberty St.
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-722-6488

Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Cash assistance for prescriptions, utilities and rent when funding is available; can also provide one night of lodging at a local motel; Project Munch offers free meals from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm the last full week of every month

Social Security Administration

4035 N. Jefferson St.
Medina, Ohio 44256
800-772-1213
Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
www.socialsecurity.gov

United Way of Medina County

704 N. Court St.
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-725-3926, Call 211 or 800-330-4211 (First Call for Help – 24-hour hotline)
www.unitedwaymedina.org or www.211medina.org
Link to health and human services in Medina County that provide food, shelter, counseling and mental health services, recreation and social activities, substance abuse treatment, services for children and families, healthcare

Ways to Work

Greenleaf Family Center in Akron
330-376-9494
Non-profit program providing auto loans to low-income persons with poor or no credit

YWCA of Medina

4046 Medina Road
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-722-0610 or Rape Crisis Hotline at 330-434-7233

Employment**Medina County Workforce Development**

3721 Pearl Road
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-723-9675

Next Step

3711 Pearl Road
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-725-2919
www.jobstop.org
Workforce development and educational services to youth ages 14-21; Services include career planning, job connections, job search and life skill training, academic support and tutoring, mentoring, college preparation, links to occupational skill training, apprenticeships and work experience opportunities

Food**Angel Food Ministries**

330-721-4594 New Hope Christian Fellowship (Medina)
330-725-7730 Living Hope Church (Medina)

330-948-1109 First Congregational Church (Lodi)
330-948-8851 Victory Baptist Church (Lodi)
330-273-1815 Harvest Time Assembly of God (Brunswick)
330-336-4300 FISH (Wadsworth)

www.angelfoodministries.com

High quality food at low cost regardless of income; Purchase \$60 worth of food for \$30

Bread Basket

4838 Windfall Street
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-722-2057

Brunswick Food Pantry

2888 Nationwide Parkway
Brunswick, Ohio 44212
330-225-4966

Hours 1:00 – 3:00 pm the second Tuesday of the month and 6:00 – 7:00 pm every Tuesday

Chestnut Street Baptist Church

119 Chestnut Street
Wadsworth, Ohio 44281
FREE soup kitchen every Friday from 6:00 – 7:00 pm

Coalition of Medina County Food Pantries (Refer to Separate Listing)

Medina County Food Bank

Food distributions will be held from December through April at the Medina County Fairground's Community Center on the 2nd Thursday of each month from 9:00 am – 12:00 pm or until supplies run out; Families must be eligible; Food will be distributed on a first come, first served basis; Please bring your own bags

Medina County WIC

4800 Ledgewood Drive
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-723-9629 or 888-723-9688
Nutrition education, breastfeeding assistance, referrals and supplemental food

St. Vincent DePaul Society

260 Broad Street
Wadsworth, Ohio 44281
Serving residents in Wadsworth City and Wadsworth Township; Mondays and Thursdays from 6:30 – 8:00 am

Salvation Army and Project Munch - Medina

425 West Liberty Street
Medina, Ohio 44255
330-722-6488

Hot meals served Sunday and Saturday through Saturday the last full week of every month from 4:00 – 6:00 pm; Free bread and pastries Monday, Thursday and Friday from 9:00 – 11:00 am; For transportation call 330-723-9670

Salvation Army – Brunswick

2888 Nationwide Parkway
Brunswick, Ohio 44212
330-273-9176
Monday through Friday 1:00 – 5:00 pm

Salvation Army – Seville

First Baptist Church
22 East Main
Seville, Ohio 44273
330-769-2435
Serving Seville and Westfield Center

Second Baptist Church

451 Bronson Street
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-722-0073

Seventh Day Adventist Community Services Center

655 North Broadway
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-725-4690

Seville Community Food Pantry

6 Spring Street
Seville, Ohio 44273
330-769-2836
Tuesdays and Thursdays 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Health and Medical

Adolescent Health Clinic

Medina County Health Department
4800 Ledgewood Dr.
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-723-9688
Dental and health services; low cost, sliding fee scale when appropriate, Medicaid

Akron Children's Hospital

One Perkins Square
Akron, Ohio 44308
330-543-4747 Partial Hospitalization Program, 330-543-8845/8844 Inpatient Program
www.akronchildrens.org
Adolescent programs; partial hospitalization and intensive outpatient

Ask Children's (Children's Hospital Medical Center of Akron)

330-543-2000 or 800 358-5437

For medical questions

Battered Women's Shelter

704 N. Court St.

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-723-9610, 24-Hour Crisis Hotline 877-414-1344, Support Groups 330-723-9610

Shelter services, court services, safe havens, support groups

Cancer Information Service

800-422-6237

Provides information, referrals and education

Counseling and Treatment Facilities (Refer to Separate Listing)

- Mental Health and Chemical Dependency
- Hospitalization/Inpatient
- Intensive Outpatient
- Case Management
- Outpatient Therapy – Individual, groups and/or family therapy

DOVE Program – Developing Options for Violent Emergencies

Summa Health System

St. Thomas Hospital

444 N. Main St.

Akron, Ohio 44310

330-379-9743 or 877-742-3683

www.summahealth.org

Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence Services

Integrity Verification

735 North Court St., Ste. D

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-725-3866

Drug Testing

Medina County Health Department

4800 Ledgewood Drive

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-723-9688 or 888-723-9688

www.medinahhealth.org

Monday through Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm

Provides a wide range of services to protect health and prevent disease

Medina County Health Department Dental Clinic

4800 Ledgewood Drive

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-725-8794 or 888-723-9688

www.medinahhealth.org

Routine oral health care services; cleanings, fillings, sealants and emergency services; Medicaid and private insurance accepted, services charged on a sliding fee for patients without health insurance

Medina County Health Department at Lodi Resource Center

119 Bank Street

Lodi, Ohio 44254

330-723-9688 or 888-723-9688

www.medinahealth.org

Immunizations, physicals, STD testing, well-child check-ups

Medina County Prescription Help Program

144 North Broadway

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-722-9217

Assists Medina County residents with access to free medication

Medina Health Ministry

425 West Liberty St., Ste. 1

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-764-9300

Clinic hours by appointment only

Provides medical services including diagnosis, treatment and help with prescriptions for individuals with no insurance

Ohio's Best Rx

866-923-7879 or 866-9BESTRX

www.ohiobestrx.org

A prescription drug discount card program designed to help lower the cost of medications for eligible Ohioans of any age; There is no application or enrollment fee and applying is easy

Poison Control Center

800-222-1222 (24-hour hotline)

Rape Crisis Center of Medina County

704 N. Court St.

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-764-8635 or 24-Hour Hotline 877-906-RAPE (7273)

Smoking Cessation Programs

Mayo Clinic Cessation Program

Brian Nowak, Mayo Clinic Tobacco Treatment Specialist

Medina County Drug Abuse Commission (MCDAC) Professional Building

120 West Washington Street, Suite 3-B

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-722-9623

Free service; Learn the most effective steps to quit tobacco use; design your own Personalized Quit Plan; Receive professional support and encouragement

Freedom from Smoking @ WRH Health System
330-334-2824 or 800-828-1789 x2824

Fresh Start Family Program @ Medina General Hospital
330-721-5057 or 330-721-5985

Tobacco Cessation Counseling @ Medina County Health Department
330-923-9688 (Dawn) or 888-723-9688

Ohio Tobacco Quitline
1-800-QUIT-NOW or 800-784-8669

Stewart's Caring Place
Support and Education to Those Touched by Cancer
2955 W. Market St., Ste. R
Akron, Ohio 44333
330-836-1772
www.stewartscaringplace.org

YWCA of Medina Rape Crisis Hotline
330-434-7233

www.medinahealth.org/promo/stepuptohealth

Housing

Battered Women's Shelter
704 N. Court St.
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-723-9610, 24-Hour Crisis Hotline 877-414-1344, Support Groups 330-723-9610
Shelter services, court services, safe havens, support groups

Liberty Plaza
253 Abbeyville Rd.
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-723-3300
Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
Subsidized housing – solely based on income

- Must pass credit and criminal background check

Metropolitan Housing Authority
850 Walter Rd.
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-725-7531
There is a 2-3 year waiting list for Section 8 housing
Apartments available in Brunswick – New Manhattan Place and Southwick Place

- Must be 18 years of age
- Must live in Medina County at time application is filed

- No criminal record

Operation Homes (Refer to Listing)

Organized through the Medina Metropolitan Housing Authority

330-725-7531 or call your local police department after hours

Arranges for homeless families and individuals to sleep in host churches; provides free meals, transportation and day care services

Legal

Community Legal Aid Services

120 West Washington Street, Suite 2-C

Medina, Ohio 44256

800-998-9454

Family Law Resource Center

99 Public Square, 2nd Floor

Medina, Ohio 44256

www.medinadomesticrelations.org

330-725-9150

Medina County Lawyer Referral Service

93 Public Square

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-725-9794 or 330-336-6657

Referral to local attorneys

Medina County Child Support Enforcement Agency

142 Highland Dr.

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-722-9398 or 800-706-2732

Medina County Juvenile Court

Probate and Juvenile Court

93 Public Square

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-725-9709

www.medinacountyjuvenileprobatecourt.com

Drug court, delinquency, unruly and traffic

Medina County Victim Assistance Program

72 Public Square

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-723-9547 or 24-Hour Emergency Services at 330-725-6631

Criminal Intervention, Hospital Advocacy, Criminal Justice Advocacy, Court Advocacy, Referrals and Additional Assistance

Pregnancy

Birthcare

620 East Smith Road
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-722-1190

Provides baby food, formula, infant/toddler clothing up to size 4T, car seats, cribs and mattresses, strollers, high chairs and other baby equipment

Community Pregnancy Center

1058 Wooster Road West
Barberton, Ohio 44203
330-825-1900 or 300-395-HELP (24-hour Help Line)
www.communitypregnancycenter.org

Pregnancy testing on site; counseling, friendship and support; provides maternity, children's and baby clothes, baby furniture, formula and diapers; Referrals for additional assistance; Services available for Medina County residents

Crisis Pregnancy Center

105 East Market Street
Akron, Ohio 44308
330-434-1004

Provides pregnancy testing and counseling, maternity and newborn clothing, some formula

D.A.D. (Depression After Delivery)

800-944-4773

Medina Hospital Prenatal Clinic

1000 East Washington Street
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-721-5332 Medina, 330-225-1000 Brunswick, 330-336-1000 Wadsworth
www.medinahospital.org

Provides care for pregnant women who are currently on Medicaid or Care Source

Oaks Family Care Center

4196 Center Road
Brunswick, Ohio 44212
330-220-7777

123 Banks Street
Lodi, Ohio 44254
330-948-7777

www.oaks-family-care.org

Free pregnancy tests, counseling and advising, educational classes and support groups; Provides maternity clothes, baby food, formula, diapers, infant/toddler clothing up to size 6T, cribs and mattresses, strollers, high chairs and other baby furnishings

Planned Parenthood

Plaza 71
2747 Medina Road
Medina, Ohio 44256
330-723-1300

3200 Greenwich Road #87
Norton, Ohio 44203
330-825-4543

www.plannedparenthood.org

Provides pregnancy testing

WRH Health System Women's Center

195 Wadsworth Road (Located on 3rd floor in Founder's Hall, Suite 301)
Wadsworth, Ohio 44281
330-334-1504 or 800-828-1789

www.wrhs.org

Provides prenatal care by physicians and midwives; Centering Pregnancy program available, call 330-331-1800 or 330-331-1810 for more information

Support Groups

Al-Anon/Alateen

888-4AL-ANON (888-425-2666)
Monday through Friday 8:00 am – 6:00 pm

www.al-anon.org

Support for individuals and families affected by someone else's drinking and/or alcoholism.

Alcoholics Anonymous

www.aa.org

Support for individuals who want to stop drinking, get sober, stay sober and help other alcoholics achieve sobriety.

Akron Intergroup Council
775 North Main
Akron, Ohio 44310
330-253-8181
www.akronaa.org

Cleveland District Office
1701 East 12 Street
Reserve Square – Lower Commons
Cleveland, Ohio 44114
216-241-7387
www.aacleveland.com

Lorain County Intergroup
577 Broadway
Lorain, Ohio 44052
440-246-1800

Mom's and Dad's Support Groups

330-723-2229 Tracie Hanzel

Family growth support program; Provides support, educational speakers and mental health professionals to help guide individuals in making guided decisions in life; free child care provided, parent-child activities and dinner; Meets at the Medina County Human Services building (246 Northland Drive, Medina) on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of every month from 5:30 pm – 8:30 pm

MOMS (Moms Offering Moms Support)

Momsclubofmedinaeast@live.com (If you live east of State Route 3)

momsclubofmedina@hotmail.com (If you live west of State Route 3)

www.momsclubofmedinaeast.org

Teen Moms Support Group

330-352-2398 Rachel

Support before and after the birth of your baby; Weekly meetings to help teen moms and pregnant teens make good choices for their future and the future of their child; Transportation provided for all Teen Moms events

Transportation

Medina County Public Transit

144 N. Broadway

Medina, Ohio 44256

330-723-9670 Medina, 330-225-7100 Brunswick

Medina County Job and Family Services Transportation for Medicaid Health Care Appointments

330-722-9300 or 800-783-5070 (Ann Kemp)

Medicaid health care plan participants may be eligible for transportation for health care appointments, paid for by their Medicaid Plan for dental visits, prenatal care appointments, primary care office visits, specialist appointments, childhood immunizations, WIC appointments and redetermination visits with Job and Family Services case workers; Participants must have no other means of transportation; All plans provide up to 15 round-trips or 30 one-way trips per 12-month period