

Community Resource Directory 2019-2020

For assistance connecting with the resources below or other family needs
contact Kathy Batistich , VVSD Community Outreach Coordinator at 815-886-2700 x6068//batistichkm@vvsd.org

Crisis Line and area resource link: www.willfinduhelp.org

Emergency Housing Assistance

For families in need of emergency shelter call Morning Star Mission: [815-722-5780](tel:815-722-5780)

Will County Food Pantry Interactive Map - Link is available on the VVSD Homepage

Free Internet Services

Families can receive 60 free days of internet from Comcast. The contact information to begin that process is <https://www.internetessentials.com/covid19> or (855) 846-8376 for English or 855-765-6995 for Spanish.

COVID-19 Resources and Supports:

<https://dsc.uic.edu/browse-resources/covid-19-resources-and-supports-for-families/>

Online Mental Health Resources

[National Suicide Prevention Lifeline](http://www.nationalsuicidepreventionlifeline.org) 1-800-273-8255

NAMI HelpLine for assistance with mental health resources and support

(National Alliance of Mental Illness)

NAMI Crisis Line: (800) 950-6264 Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., www.nami.org

www.7cups.com Free **online text chat** with a trained listener for emotional support and counseling. Also offers fee- for-service online therapy with a licensed mental health professional. Service/website also offered in Spanish.

www.emotionsanonymous.org An international fellowship of people who desire to have a better sense of emotional well-being. EA members have **in person** and **online weekly meetings** available in more than 30 countries with 600 active groups worldwide. The EA is nonprofessional and can be a complement to therapy.

www.supportgroupscentral.com Offers **virtual support groups** on numerous mental health conditions - free or low-cost. Website also offered in Spanish.

www.support.therapytribe.com Free, **online peer support groups** offering members facing mental health challenges and/or difficult family dynamics a safe place to connect. Support groups include Addiction, Anxiety, Depression, HIV/AIDS, LGBT, Marriage/Family, OCD and Teens.

<https://online.supportgroups.com/> Website featuring 200+ **online support groups**.

www.forlikeminds.com **Online mental health support network** that allows for individuals to connect with others who are living with or supporting someone with mental health conditions, substance use disorders, and stressful life events.

www.18percent.org Offers a free, peer-to-peer **online support community** for those struggling with a wide range of mental health issues.

www.psychcentral.com Offers online mental health resources, quizzes, news, an "Ask the Therapist" function, and **online support communities**.

Directorio de Recursos Comunitarios 2019-2020

SPANISH

Para asistencia contactando con los recursos listados abajo o cualquier otra necesidad de su familia, contacte a Kathy Batistich ,
VVSD Coordinador de Apoyos Comunitarios a través de 815-8862700 x6068//batistichkm@vvsd.org

Línea para atención a crisis: www.willfinduhelp.org

Asistencia para Refugio de Emergencia

Para familias necesitadas de refugio de emergencia llamar a Morning Star Mission: [815-722-5780](tel:815-722-5780)

Mapa Interactivo de Despensa Alimenticia del Condado de Will - La liga está disponible en la página de internet the VVSD

Servicios de Internet Gratuitos

Familias pueden recibir 60 días de acceso gratuito al internet cortesía de Comcast. La información de cómo iniciar el proceso se obtiene en <https://www.internetessentials.com/covid19> o llamando al teléfono (855) 846-8376 para inglés o 855-765-6995 para Español.

Recursos por Internet para Salud Mental [National Suicide Prevention Lifeline](http://www.nationalsuicideline.com) 1-800-273-8255

NAMI Línea Telefónica para asistencia con recursos y apoyos para la salud mental (National Alliance of Mental Illness) NAMI Crisis Line: (800) 950-6264 Lunes-Viernes, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., www.nami.org

www.7cups.com **Chat por internet gratuito con un consejero entrenado para apoyo y consejería emocional.** También ofrece terapia por internet (con costo) facilitada por un terapeuta licenciado en el área de salud mental. Ambos servicios también se ofrecen en Español.

www.emotionsanonymous.org Una asociación internacional de individuos que desean tener un mejor entendimiento del bienestar emocional. Miembros de EA tienen **reuniones en personal o por internet** disponibles en más de 30 países con 600 miembros activos. El EA no es profesional pero puede ser un buen complemento a la terapia.

www.supportgroupscentral.com Ofrece **grupos de apoyos virtuales** para varias condiciones de salud mental, gratis o a bajo costo. El sitio de internet se ofrece en Español.

www.support.therapytribe.com **Grupos gratuitos de apoyo voluntario por internet** que ofrecen un espacio seguro a aquellos que sufren problemas de salud mental y/o problemas familiares para conectar. Los grupos de apoyo incluyen Adicciones, Ansiedad, Depresión, HIV/AIDS, LGBT, matrimonio/familia, Comportamientos de Compulsión/Obsesión o Adolescencia.

<https://online.supportgroups.com/> Página de internet con mas de 200 **grupos de apoyo**.

www.forlikeminds.com **Red por Internet de Apoyos a la Salud Mental** que permite a individuos conectar con otros que están viviendo con o apoyando a alguien que padece de problemas de salud mental, abuso de sustancias, y eventos estresantes.

www.18percent.org Ofrece **apoyos comunitarios gratuitos por internet de persona a persona para aquellos lidiando con una gran variedad de enfermedades mentales.**

www.psychcentral.com Ofrece recursos por internet de salud mental, cuestionarios, noticias, una función de "Pregúntale al Terapeuta" y **comunidades de apoyo por internet.**

Please call in advance to ensure the agency is currently open

ADDICTIONS

Agape Missions	815-723-1548
Family Guidance Center	815-730-7521
Stepping Stones	815-744-4555
Will County Addiction Services	815-727-8521

CHILD CARE

Catholic Charities' Head Start & Early Head Start (Spanish)	815-724-1148
Child Care Resource & Referral	815-741-1163
Hill Memorial Center	815-723-0942
Spanish Community Center	815-727-3683
Vilaseca Day Care Center	815-727-1467

COUNSELING

Agape Missions	815-723-1548
Aunt Martha's Youth Services	815-768-8750
Catholic Charities	815-723-0331
Community Service Council (Northern Will County)	815-886-5000
Crisis Line of Will County	815-722-3344
DCFS	815-730-4000
Groundwork (Domestic Violence) 24/7	815-729-1228
Guardian Angel	815-729-0930
Hartgrove Hospital	773-413-1700
Heart Haven Outreach	630-226-8403
Lutheran Social Services of IL	847-635-4600
MidAmerican Psychological Institute, P.C.	815-735-0732
The Salvation Army	815-726-4834
Warren Sharpe Community Center	815-722-2727
Will County Mental Health	815-727-8521
Will County Youth Services	815-727-5065
Disability Resource Center	815-729-0162

CRISIS HOTLINES

AIDS Hotline - IL Dept. of Public Health	800-243-2437
Alcohol Abuse Hotline	800-252-6465
American Red Cross 24 Hour	877-597-0747
Birthright of Joliet	815-725-3411
Child Abuse	800-252-2873
Child Help USA - National Child Abuse Hotline	800-422-4453
Crisis Line of Will County	815-722-3344
Dept. of Children & Family Services	815-730-4000
Disaster Distress Hotline	800-985-5990
Drug & Alcohol Hotline	800-662-4357
Focus Treatment Center (drug, alcohol, eating disorder)	800-675-2041
Guardian Angel	815-729-0930
Military Communication Line	877-272-7337
Narcotics Anonymous 24/7	708-848-4884
Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration	877-726-4727

EDUCATION

JJC - Division of Adult & Family Education	815-729-9020
American Red Cross	630-378-0344
Catholic Charities' Head Start & Early Head Start (Spanish)	815-724-1148
Dept. of Children & Family Services	815-730-4000
Fountainbrook Library - Bolingbrook	630-759-2102
GED Hotline	800-321-9511
Joliet Junior College (City Center)	815-727-6544
Joliet Public Library	815-740-2660

EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING

Catholic Charities Daybreak Center	815-774-4663
Cross Paths - Joliet	779-707-0444
IL Dept. of Employment Security	815-740-5100
IL Dept. of Rehab Services (DORS)	815-730-4200
Joliet Job Corps	815-727-7677
Prison Release Ministry	815-730-8541
Spanish Community Center	815-727-3683
Warren Sharpe Community Center	825-727-2727
Workforce Center of Will County	815-727-4444

FAMILY SERVICES

Agape Missions	815-723-1548
Birthright of Joliet	815-725-3411
Cornerstone	815-727-6666
Child & Family Connections	815-730-2617
Catholic Charities Daybreak Center	815-744-4663
Lutheran Social Services	847-635-4600
Salvation Army	815-726-4834
Senior Services Center of Will County	815-723-9713
Southwest Suburban Immigrant Project	630-296-6755
Spanish Community Center	815-727-3683
Pregnancy Resource Center	815-744-7755
Warren Sharpe Community Center	815-722-2727

FINANCIAL SERVICES

Catholic Charities Daybreak Center	815-774-4663
Center for Community Concerns	815-722-0722
Child Care Resource & Referral - Will County	815-741-1163
Daybreak Center	815-774-4663
Dept. of Human Services (Resource Center)	815-740-5350
Social Security Administration in Joliet	815-783-7302
Veterans Assistance Commission of Will County	815-740-8389
Will County Center for Community Concerns	815-722-0722

FOOD PANTRIES/NUTRITION

Catholic Charities' Daybreak Center	815-774-4663
The Compass Church	630-739-2824
DuPage Township	630-759-1317
Northern Illinois Food Bank	815-846-1041
Salvation Army	815-726-4834
Seventh Day Adventist Church	630-739-1038
Spanish Community Center	815-727-3683
West Suburban Pantry	630-512-9921
W.I.C. - Women, Infants, Children-Joliet	815-727-8524

HOMELESS/EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS

Will County Regional Office of Education	815-740-4787
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HOUSING ASSISTANCE

Bridge Communities (DuPage Co.)	630-545-0610
Community Service Council of Northern Will County	815-886-5000
Catholic Charities' Daybreak Center	815-774-4663
Housing Authority of Joliet	815-727-0611
MorningStar Mission	815-722-5780
Veterans Assistance Commission	815-740-8389
Will County Center Community Concerns	815-722-0722

Will County Regional Office of Education 815-740-8360
 University of Illinois Cooperative Extension 815-727-9296
 Disability Resource Center 815-729-0162
 White Oak Library - Romeoville 815-552-4200
 Workforce Center of Will County 815-727-4444

Willfindhousing.org 815-722-3344

LATCH KEY CHILDREN'S PROGRAM
 Crisis Line of Will County 815-723-3434

LEGAL
 Chicago Coalition for the Homeless 312-641-4140
 Prairie State Legal Services 815-935-2750
 Public Defender's Office 815-727-8666
 Will County Bar Association 815-726-0383
 Will County Clerk's Office 815-740-4615
 Will County Office of Prairie State Services 815-727-5123

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES
 Boys & Girls Club 630-629-5160
 Camp Fire USA 630-759-1317
 DuPage Township 815-741-7275
 Joliet Park District 815-942-4450
 Rainbow Council Boy Scouts of America 815-723-3449
 Trailways Girl Scouts

MEALS
 Catholic Charities' Shepard's Table 815-774-4663
 Daily
 11:00am-12:30pm
 Blessing Table at 2nd Baptist Church 815-726-3731
 Thursday's
 12:00pm-4:30pm
 MorningStar Mission 815-722-5780
 Mon-Sat
 7-8am, 12-1pm, 5-6pm
 Sunday
 7-8am & 5-6pm ONLY

MEDICAL
 Adventist Bolingbrook Hospital 630-312-5000
 Agape Missions - HIV/AIDS 815-723-1548
 Christian Health Center 630-783-2832
 Div. of Specialized Care for Children 800-322-3722
 IL Dept. of Rehab Services (DORS) 815-730-4200
 Linden Oaks 630-527-7225
 Presence St. Joseph Medical Center 815-725-7133
 Silver Cross Hospital 815-300-1100
 VNA 630-892-4355
 Will County Community Health Center 815-727-8670
 Will County Health Department 630-679-7000
 Will County Health Dept. Immunization Clinic 815-740-8143
 Will-Grundy Medical Clinic 815-726-3377

TOWNSHIP/COUNTY OFFICES
 Channahon 815-467-2569
 Crete 708-672-8279
 DuPage 630-759-1317
 Homer 708-301-0522
 Joliet 815-726-4781
 Lockport 815-726-6056
 Manhattan 815-478-5154
 New Lenox 815-485-6431
 Plainfield 815-436-8308
 Troy 815-744-1968
 Wheatland 630-717-0092
 Will 815-722-5515

TRANSPORTATION
 Metra 815-723-2244
 Pace Heritage Bus 815-723-3259
 RTA (schedule service info) 815-836-7000

RECREATION CENTERS
 Bolingbrook Rec Center 630-783-6529
 Romeoville Rec Center 815-886-6222

VITAL STATISTICS
 Cook County 866-252-8974
 DeKalb County 815-895-7149
 DuPage County 815-895-7194
 Kane County 630-232-5950
 Will County Clerk's Office 815-740-4615

RESALE STORES/CLOTHING
 Goodwill Bolingbrook: 123 S Weber Rd. 630-771-0474
 Goodwill Joliet: 308 Hennepin Dr. 815-609-9740
 MorningStar Mission Treasure Chest 815-725-6702
 2221 W. Jefferson, Joliet
 St. Vincent de Paul: 307 N. Chicago, Joliet 815-722-1140
 Salvation Army: 300 3rd Avenue, Joliet 815-726-4834
 Unique Thrift Store: 2155 W. Jefferson, Joliet 815-730-8099

VOTER REGISTRATION
 Will County Clerk's Office 815-740-4615

SHELTERS
 Catholic Charities' Daybreak Center 815-744-4663
 611 Cass St., Joliet
 Guardian Angel Domestic Violence 815-729-0930
 Lamb's Fold Women's Center 815-723-5262
 153 S. Ottawa, Joliet
 MorningStar Mission 815-722-5780
 350 E. Washington, Joliet

