

# DeKalb County Resource Directory



**DeKalb County  
Community Services Department  
A Community Action Agency  
2550 North Annie Glidden Road  
DeKalb, Illinois 60115  
(815) 758-3910  
[www.dekalbcounty.org/ComSvs/ComSvs.html](http://www.dekalbcounty.org/ComSvs/ComSvs.html)**

This directory was compiled for your use by the DeKalb County Community Services Department that is funded by a Community Services Block Grant through the State of Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

The Department also maintains an information and referral service with additional information. If you don't find a resource in this directory to meet your needs, or require additional information, we encourage you to call us at **(815) 758-3910**. We will make every effort to locate the nearest service.

We hope this directory will be useful to you. We welcome additions, corrections, and suggestions.

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# ALWAYS DIAL 911 IN ANY KIND OF EMERGENCY FIRE, POLICE, OR AMBULANCE!

## EMERGENCY CRISIS INTERVENTION

**BGC Response** (866) 242-0111  
Emergency counseling, information, and referral services.

**Child Abuse Hot Line** (800) 252-2873  
24-hour hotline to report possible child abuse/neglect.

**Elder Abuse, Elder Care Services** (815) 758-6550  
Investigates reported elder abuse and provides information and referrals

**Rape Crisis-Rape Abuse Incest National Network Hotline** (800) 656-4673  
A hotline for victims of rape abuse.

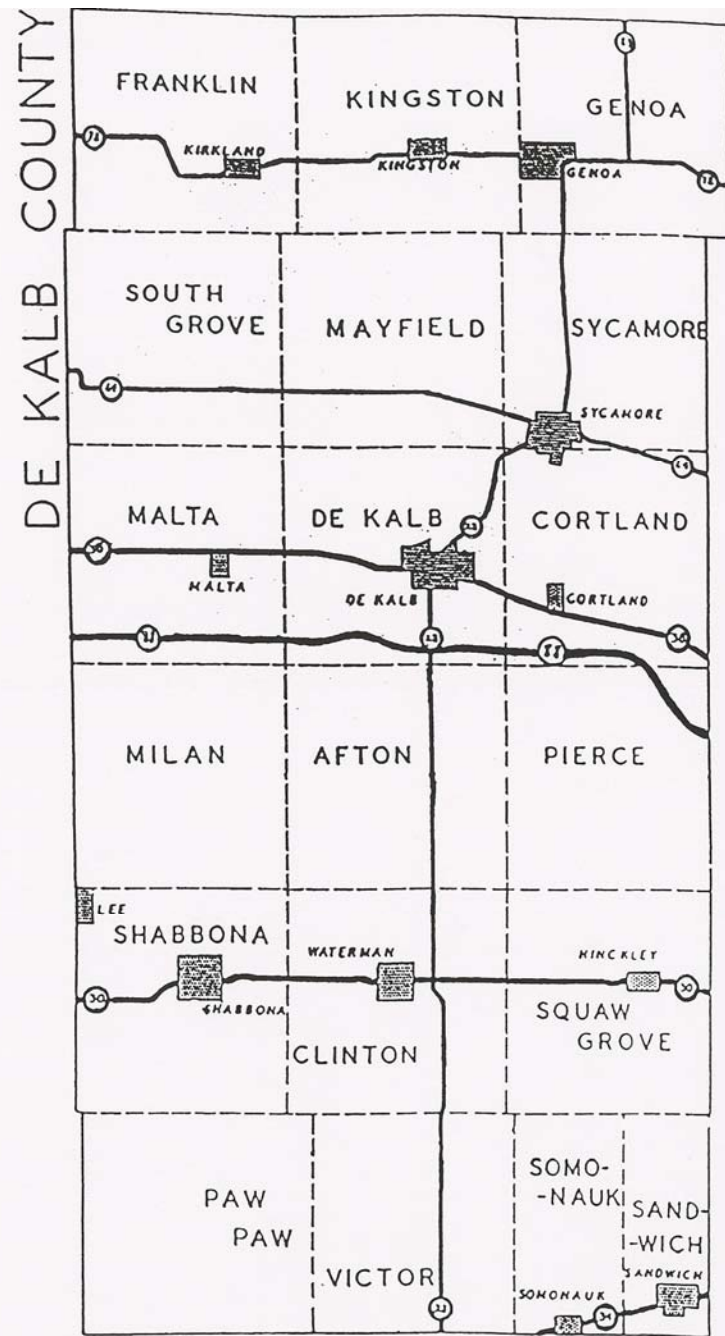
**Safe Passage** (815) 756-5228  
24-hour hotline. Sheltered housing for abused women and children. Other services include: domestic counseling, orders of protection, children services and abuser groups.

**Sexual Assault Abuse Services** (815) 758-7922  
Advocacy for victims and family members.

**Suicide Prevention Services** (800) 784-2433  
24-Hour suicide hot line.

# ZIP CODES FOR DEKALB COUNTY AREA

Amboy	61310
Byron	61010
Clare	60111
Cortland	60112
Creston	60113
Davis Junction	61020
DeKalb	60115
Earlville	60518
Esmond	60129
Genoa	60135
Hinckley	60520
Kingston	60145
Kirkland	60146
Lee	60530
Leland	60531
Lindenwood	61049
Malta	60150
Maple Park	60151
Monroe Center	61052
Oregon	61061
Paw Paw	61353
Rochelle	61068
Sandwich	60548
Shabbona	60550
Somonauk	60552
Sycamore	60178
Waterman	60556



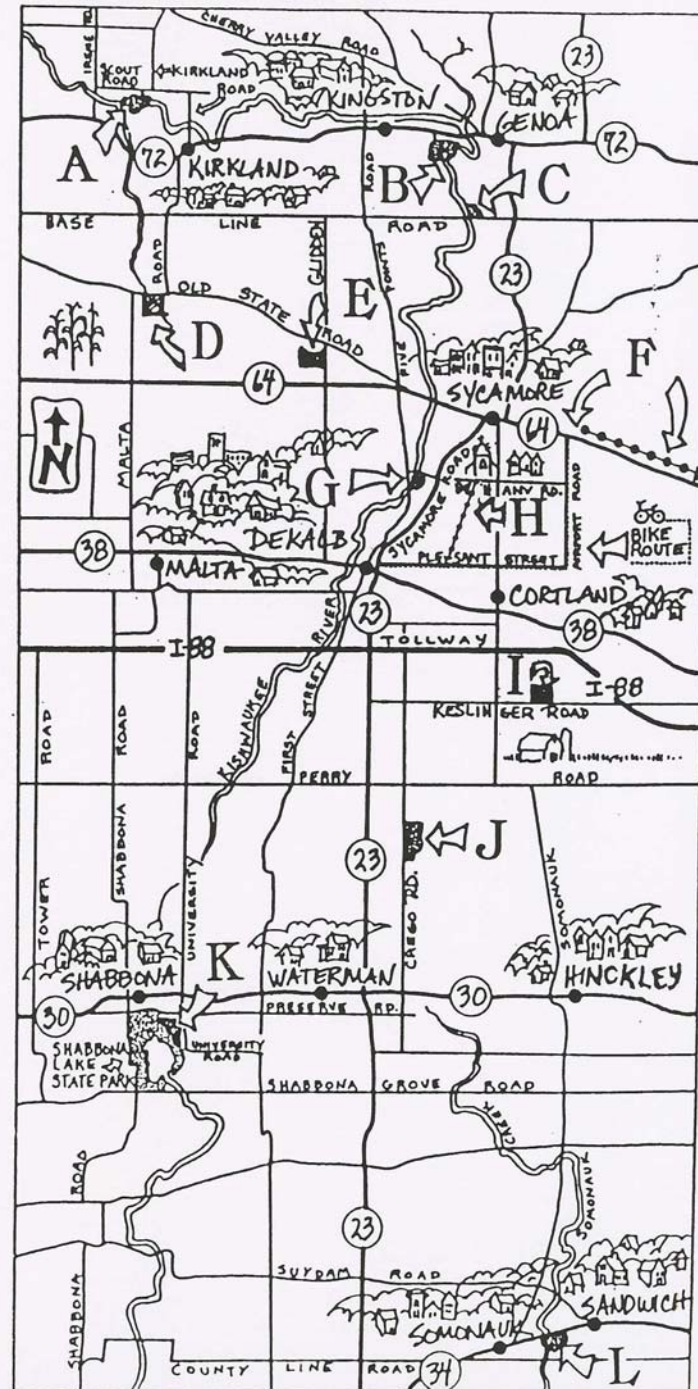
## WELCOME TO YOUR FOREST PRESERVES

The DeKalb County Forest Preserve District was established in 1942 to provide recreational opportunities, to preserve our natural plant and animal life for both public enjoyment and education, and for the protection of our natural heritage. In all seasons, the DeKalb County Forest Preserves offer a wide variety of activities and beautiful settings.

To find the location, reference the letters by each name to the Facilities and Recreation map on the next page.

### FACILITIES

- A MacQueen-48 acres
- B Russell-126 acres
- C Knute Olson, Jr.-26 acres
- D Adee's Woods-10 acres
- E Wilkinson/Renwick Marsh-46 acres
- F Great Western Nature Trail-40 acres
- G Nehring-28 acres
- H Peace Road Trail-2 acres
- I Merritt Prairie-40 acres
- J Afton-240 acres
- K Chief Shabbona-88 acres
- L Sannauk-73 acres



POPULATION SCHEDULES OF DEKALB COUNTY

## Townships, Towns, Villages and Cities

NAME	2000	1990	1980
Afton Township	640	665	605
Clinton Township	1,663	1,521	1,451
Village Waterman	1,224	1,074	943
Cortland Township	6,986	4,637	4,297
Town of Cortland	2,066	963	1,010
DeKalb Township	42,189	38,710	36,375
City of DeKalb	39,018	34,925	33,099
Franklin Township	2,026	1,879	1,891
Village Kirkland	1,116	1,011	1,155
Genoa Township	5,342	4,210	4,195
City of Genoa	4,169	3,083	3,276
Kingston Township	2,577	1,955	1,809
Village Kingston	980	562	618
Malta Township	1,402	1,335	1,484
Village of Malta	969	865	995
Mayfield Township	810	373	413
Milan Township	364	373	413
Paw Paw Township	306	384	398
Pierce Township	473	506	512
Sandwich Township	6,920	5,990	5,743
City of Sandwich	6,059	5,567	5,241
Shabbona Township	1,454	1,379	1,372
Village of Lee	319	319	145
Village Shabbona	929	897	851
Somonauk Township	1,805	1,543	1,610
Village Somonauk	1,295	1,263	1,107
South Grove Township	535	461	532
Squaw Grove Township	2,712	2387	2175
Village Hinckley	1,994	1,682	1,447
Sycamore Township	10,401	8,843	8,549
City of Sycamore	12,020	9,708	9,219
Victor Township	364	413	448
DeKalb County	88,969	77,932	74,624

## ADOPTION

**Adoption Information Center** (312) 346-1516  
 120 W. Madison, Suite 800, Chicago, IL 60602  
 Answers questions and processes placement of children for adoption.

**Adoption Services** (630) 820-3220  
 Catholic Charities-Aurora  
 1700 N. Farnsworth, #18, Aurora, IL 60505

**Children's Home and Aid Society** (815) 962-1043  
 910 Second Ave., Rockford, IL 61104  
 Provides adoption services to children and families.

## ANIMAL WELFARE

**Animal Control** (815) 758-6673  
 DeKalb County Health Department  
 2550 N. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
 Stray dog and rabies control.

**DeKalb County Animal Shelter** (815) 784-5924  
 16173 Baseline Rd., Genoa, IL 60135  
 Provides shelter for stray and abandoned animals.

**T.A.I.L.S. Humane Society** (815) 758-2457  
 2250 Barber Greene Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
 Provides shelter for stray and abandoned animals.

## BUSINESS SERVICES

**Better Business Bureau of Chicago and Northern Illinois** (312) 832-0500  
 330 N. Wabash, Suite 2006, Chicago, IL 60611  
 A non-profit corporation that provides consumer educational information, fosters ethical advertising, and selling practices.

**Business and Industrial Development Center** (815) 825-2086 Ext. 205  
Kishwaukee Community College  
21193 Malta Rd., Malta, IL 60150  
Assistance is offered for business start-ups, business plans, loan sources, management, marketing, cash flow, accounting, and taxes. Also provides in-service training and retraining for employment in private and public companies.

**DeKalb Chamber of Commerce** (815) 756-6306  
164 E. Lincoln Highway, DeKalb, IL 60115  
Working together with businesses, city government, clubs, and organizations to insure a favorable business climate for the entire city of DeKalb.

**DeKalb County Economic Development Corp.** (815) 895-2711  
421 N. California St., Suite 200 Sycamore, IL 60178  
Provides services to promote the economic development of DeKalb County.

**Sycamore Chamber of Commerce** (815) 895-3456  
407 W. State St., Suite 10, Sycamore, IL 60178  
Advocate for local business activities. Also provides current information on local events in the community.

### CHILD ABUSE

**CASA of DeKalb County Inc.** (815) 895-2052  
407 W. State St., Ste. 6, Sycamore, IL 60178  
Train local citizens as advocates for abused and neglected children who have cases pending in the DeKalb County Juvenile Court.

**Children and Family Services, Department of (DCFS)** (815) 787-5300  
760 Peace Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
This agency handles child abuse cases, foster children, day care centers, and day care homes.  
To report Suspected Child Abuse call: (800) 252-2873

**Children's Advocacy Center** (815) 758-8616  
Promote and support a coordinated response to Child abuse.

**Intact Family Services** (815) 899-0137  
Children's Home and Aid Society of Illinois  
1430 DeKalb Ave., Sycamore, IL 60178  
A self-help support group to help parents cope with normal stresses of raising children.

### CHILD CARE

**Community Coordinated Child Care (4C)** (815) 758-8149  
**155 N. Third St., DeKalb IL 60115** (800) 848-8727  
Call 4-C for resource and referral services for all childcare, day care centers, day care homes and preschool programs in DeKalb County. 4-C also administers child care financial assistance programs, parent training programs, and support and technical assistance for childcare providers.

**Two Rivers Head Start** (800) 847-9010  
1661 Landmark Rd., Aurora, IL 60506  
A federally funded preschool Program designed to assist children who need educational, nutritional, social and comprehensive services before attending school.

**Sycamore Head Start Center** (815) 748-3713  
2425 Bethany Rd., D&E, Sycamore, IL 60178

### CLOTHING

**DeKalb Family Thrift Store** (815) 758-3814  
The Salvation Army  
1814 Sycamore Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Resale shop for all household goods and clothing.

**The Blessing Well Clothes Closet** (815) 758-1588  
DeKalb First Church of the Nazarene  
1051 S. Fourth St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Offers free clothing with baby care items and toys.

**The Country Store** (815) 756-2378  
659 E. Lincoln Hwy., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Resale shop operated by the Family Service Agency Guild and staffed by volunteers.

**Goodwill of DeKalb** (815) 756-4200  
1037 S. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Open Closet****(815) 758-1388**

Seventh Day Adventist Church  
 300 E. Taylor St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
 Emergency clothing program providing free clothing to DeKalb County residents who have need.

**COUNSELING****Ben Gordon Mental Health Center****(815) 756-4875**

12 Health Services Dr., DeKalb, IL 60115

100 S. Latham, Suite 204, Sandwich, IL 60548 **(815) 786-7544**

Comprehensive family and individual counseling services; mental health problems, alcohol and other drug dependency, and family or child welfare problems.

**The Center for Counseling****(815) 758-8616**

Family Service Agency

**Sandwich: (815) 786-7079**

14 Health Services Dr., DeKalb, IL 60115

Provides casework services to help families resolve marital and family difficulties. Also provides individual, family, group counseling and divorce mediation.

**DeKalb County Youth Service Bureau (YSB)****(815) 748-2010**

330 Grove St., DeKalb, IL 60115

Provides individual, family counseling, crisis intervention and drug prevention education for youth, ages 8-18 and their families.

**Family Center of NIU****(815) 753-1684**

Wirtz Hall, DeKalb, IL

Family, couple and individual counseling for residents of Northern IL. Sliding fee scale.

**NIU Counseling & Vocational Services****(815) 753-1481****Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic**

3100 Sycamore Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115

Provides vocational assessment, counseling, and guidance to persons with disabilities

**NIU Psychological Services Center****(815) 753-0591**

Psychology/Computer Science Building

They provide a wide range of services including Psychological evaluations and treatment for children, adolescents, and adults on a sliding-fee scale.

**DISCRIMINATION****American Civil Liberties Union****(312) 201-9740**

180 N. Michigan Ave.

Suite 2300, Chicago, IL 60601

The ACLU acts on behalf of the people to defend their constitutional rights.

**DeKalb Human Relations Commission****(815) 748-2093**

200 S. Fourth St., DeKalb, IL 60115

Voluntary group appointed by the Mayor of DeKalb to assess complaints of discrimination as defined by law.

**Guardianship and Advocacy****(815) 987-7657**

4302 N. Main St.

Rockford, IL 61103

The state agency that protects and enforces the rights of the mentally ill, developmentally disabled, physically handicapped and elderly.

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE****Children and Family Services,  
Department of (DCFS)****(815) 787-5300**

760 Peace Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115

This agency handles child abuse cases, foster children and day care.

It also licenses day care centers and homes.

**To report Suspected Child Abuse:****(800) 252-2873****Elder Abuse****(815) 758-6550**

Elder Care Services

330 Grove St., DeKalb, IL 60115

To report suspected abuse, or for information concerning abuse of senior citizens.

**Safe Passage****24-Hour Hotline (815) 756-5228**

P.O. Box 621, DeKalb, IL 60115

Services for victims of domestic violence.

Administration:

**(815) 756-7930**

Abuser:

**(815) 756-5054**

Sandwich:

**(815) 786-6333**

## **EDUCATION**

**Kishwaukee Community College** (815) 825-2086  
21193 Malta Rd., Malta, IL 60150  
This is a two-year community college that provides peer support while students attend credit and non-credit courses including Adult Basic Education, adult literacy training, and English as a Second Language.

**Kishwaukee Education Consortium**  
KEC Office (815) 754-2000  
901 S. Fourth St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
KEC Central (815) 754-9504  
315 N. Sixth St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
A regional vocational and at risk educational delivery system for junior high (middle school) and high school students.

**Northern Illinois University** (815) 753-1000  
1425 W. Lincoln Hwy., DeKalb, IL. 60115  
A state university where students can obtain a variety of undergraduate and graduate degrees in various fields of study.

**Northwestern Illinois Association** (815) 895-9227  
245 W. Exchange St., Suite 4, Sycamore, IL 60178  
Special education cooperative and diagnostic Identification services for visually handicapped, hearing, and orthopedic impaired.

**University of Illinois Extension  
DeKalb County Unit** (815) 758-8194  
1350 W. Prairie Dr., Sycamore, IL 60178  
The purpose is to provide useful, practical, and unbiased information, from the University of Illinois to the people of DeKalb County.

**Waubonsee Community College** (630) 466-7900  
Rt. 47 at Waubonsee Dr.  
Sugar Grove, IL 60542  
A two-year community college that supplies credit and non-credit courses for WCC district residents.

## **EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE**

**American Red Cross** (815) 756-7339  
2727 Sycamore Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides safety first aid, CPR and water safety, services to the military and families, and disaster relief.

**DeKalb County Community Services Department** (815) 758-3910  
2550 N. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115

Block Grant Scholarship  
Grants available annually on a limited basis to income eligible graduates of DeKalb County high schools and permanent residents.

Emergency Intervention  
Provides family development and limited financial assistance to income eligible residents of the county for immediate and crucial needs.

Information Line  
Provides current information and referral service on human service agencies.

Family Development Program  
This program provides case management services for families who have found it difficult to become self-sufficient. A case manager works with the family in overcoming barriers that has hindered their path to self-sufficiency.

**Love Inc.** (815) 217-0082  
DeKalb, IL 60115  
Contact point for social services provided by over 30 churches in the DeKalb/Sycamore area

**SafeLink** (800) 977-3768  
Free phone service for people already receiving governmental assistance. 60-200 minutes of cellular service per month.

**St. Vincent DePaul** (815) 758-5432 Ext. 290  
302 Fisk Ave., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides emergency crisis assistance for those in need.

**The Salvation Army**

830 Grove St., DeKalb, IL 60115

Emergency assistance for families and homeless.

**(815) 756-4308****Township General Assistance**

Listed under TOWNSHIPS

**EMPLOYMENT****Illinois WorkNet Center****(815) 756-4893**

1701 E. Lincoln Hwy., DeKalb, IL 60115

IWNC consolidates all the services career seekers and employers need through its partners. Each provides specialized support at one convenient location. They're here to assist employers in finding skilled, qualified employees and to guide career seekers in securing rewarding, meaningful employment.

Experience Works

Fosters and promotes a variety of career options, including innovative work alternatives, part-time community service opportunities, "second career" training, job search, and placement assistance.

Illinois Department of Employment Security

To provide a job service and labor information for use by employers and individuals to match workers to available jobs.

First Institute

Provides employment focused services based on the needs of local employers. Services include skills assessment, basic skill enhancement, career exploration, vocational training, non-traditional opportunities for women, job search and retention skills, and placement assistance to the economically disadvantaged and dislocated worker.

Kishwaukee College

Offers an array of training programs.

Unemployment Compensation. Illinois Dept. of Employment Security

Benefit Payments for unemployment.

**ENERGY ASSISTANCE****Community Contacts, Inc.****(847) 697-8800**

100 S. Hawthorne St., Elgin, IL 60123

LIHEAP**(815) 758-3835**

The Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program provides a once per program year benefit to eligible households to be used for energy bills.

Illinois Home Weatherization Assistance Program

The Weatherization Program is designed to help eligible residents of DeKalb County save fuel and money, while increasing the comfort of their homes. Measures can include insulation, water heater, new furnace, windows and doors.

**FOOD PROGRAMS****Angel Food Ministries****(815) 758-3973**

First Baptist Church of DeKalb

349 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., DeKalb, IL 60115

Online ordering for use with debit/credit cards available. Cash, check and LINK payments are accepted one unit of food assists in feeding a family of four for about one week or a single senior citizen for almost a month. At \$30 per unit, each month's menu is different than the previous month and consists of both fresh and frozen items with an average retail value of approximately \$60.

**Voluntary Action Center****(815) 758-3932****Senior Nutrition Program**

1606 Bethany Rd., Sycamore, IL 60178

Meals, activities, and educational programs for seniors.

**MEAL SITES**DeKalb High Rise**(815) 748-5994**

507 E. Taylor St., DeKalb, IL 60115

DeKalb Senior Center**(815) 758-1678**

330 Grove St., DeKalb, IL 60115

Chamberlain Park Building**(815) 784-3464**400 N. 2<sup>nd</sup> St., Genoa, IL 60135

Lakeland Restaurant (815) 786-9591  
740 E. Market St., Somonauk, IL 60552

Sycamore High Rise (815) 895-4952  
350 Grant St., Sycamore, IL 60178

**Voluntary Action Center**

**Meals on Wheels** (815) 758-3932  
1606 Bethany Rd., Sycamore, IL 60178

**Sandwich Site** (815) 786-9591  
Meals to seniors and disabled in their homes throughout DeKalb County.

**Food Pantries**

**(Please call individual pantries for days and hours open)**

Emergency food is available at these sites:

Bethlehem Lutheran Church  
"Feed My Sheep" (815) 758-3203  
1915 N. First St., DeKalb, IL 60115

The Blessing Well Food Pantry (815) 758-1588  
DeKalb First Church of the Nazarene  
1051 S. Fourth St., DeKalb, IL 60115

Cornerstone Church (815) 786-6300  
17347 Pratt Rd., Sandwich, IL 60548

DeKalb Area Food Pantry (815) 756-4308  
The Salvation Army  
830 Grove St., DeKalb, IL 60115

Genoa Area Food Pantry (815) 784-5143  
Faith United Methodist Church  
325 S. Stott St., Genoa, IL 60135

Hinckley Area Food Pantry (815) 286-3391  
St. Paul's UCC  
324 W. McKinley, Hinckley, IL 60520

Kingston Food Pantry (815) 784-5427  
301 S. Sycamore St., Genoa, IL 60135

Kirkland Food Pantry (815) 522-3886  
First Lutheran Church  
510 W. South St., Kirkland, IL 60146

Neighbors in Christ Ecumenical (815) 756-5610  
346 S. County Line Road, Lee, IL 60530

New Hope Baptist Church (815) 756-7906  
1201 Twombly Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115

Salem Lutheran Church (815) 895-9171  
1145 DeKalb Ave., Sycamore, IL 60178

Sandwich Our Sharing Pantry (815) 498-2742  
235 S. Green St., Somonauk, IL 60552

St. Vincent DePaul (815) 758-5432 Ext. 290  
320 Fisk Ave., DeKalb, IL 60115

The Store at Harvest Chapel (815) 786-8669  
725 S. County Line Rd., Sandwich, IL 60548

Sycamore Food Pantry (815) 895-9113  
United Methodist Church  
160 Johnson Ave., Sycamore, IL 60178

Vineyard Christian Friendship (815) 748-8463  
215 N. 4th St., #8232, DeKalb, IL 60115  
Food items (canned, boxed, frozen meats). Clients must sign in or call the church office for open dates.

**Food Stamps**

**IL Dept. of Human Services** (815) 895-8667  
1629 Afton Rd., Sycamore, IL 60178  
Eligibility requirements based upon Department of Human Services standards.

**Women, Infants, & Children (WIC)** (815) 748-2402  
DeKalb County Health Department  
2550 N. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
A nutritional program for pregnant women and children under the age of five years.

## **GOVERNMENT SERVICES**

**DeKalb County Clerk** (815) 895-7149  
County Administration Building  
110 E. Sycamore Dr., Sycamore, IL 60178  
Provides birth & death certificates, marriage licenses & certificates,  
voter registration and passports.

**Illinois Drivers License** (815) 756-7781  
Examining Station  
1360 Oakwood St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Issues all types of drivers' licenses.

## **HEALTH SERVICES**

**Alpha Christian Registry** (630) 758-1224  
205 N. Second St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Private duty nursing in the home.

**American Red Cross** (815) 756-7339  
2727 Sycamore Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides safety first aid, CPR and water safety, services to the military  
and families, and disaster relief.

**Carlton Home Health Care** (815) 758-8377  
202 Campbell St., Geneva, IL 60134  
Private nursing and health care. Provides services of Registered  
Nurses, home health aides, and/or physical therapists under care of a  
physician.

**Community Cares Clinic** (815) 752-3253  
3100 Sycamore Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
The Community Cares Clinic, located within NIU's Family Health,  
Wellness and Literacy Center, provides primary care services for area  
residents with and without health insurance.

**DeKalb County Health Department** (815) 758-6673  
2550 N. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Represents the community's overall interest in the matters relating to  
public health.

AIDS/HIV Program  
Anonymous HIV testing and counseling at no charge.  
Community education presentations.

Birth and Death Certificates  
Certified copies of birth and death records.

Environmental Health  
Food establishment, well and septic permits and inspections.  
Solid waste management program. Stray dog and rabies  
control. Clean Indoor Act Enforcement.

Family Planning Program  
Routine exams with birth control method of choice and  
pregnancy testing. Confidential services on a sliding fee scale.

Flu and Pneumonia Vaccine Clinics  
Low-cost flu and pneumonia shots.

Health Education Program  
School and community health promotion and education.  
Health resources library. Community presentations on  
request.

Health Works  
Provides medical case management services to all DeKalb  
County foster children who are wards of the IL Dept. of  
Children and Family Services at no cost.

Healthy Moms/Healthy Kids Program  
Health promotion and family case management program at no  
cost for income-eligible pregnant women and children up to  
age 3.

Home Health Program (815) 787-8900  
Home visits to individuals to provide skilled nursing, personal  
care and rehabilitative therapies. Medicare, Medicaid and  
insurance accepted.

Immunization and TB Program

Childhood and adult vaccines at a reasonable cost. TB testing, diagnosis and treatment when necessary. Surveillance and investigation of reportable communicable diseases.

Lead Program

Low-cost blood screening tests.

Vision and Hearing Screening

Free vision and hearing screening for preschool age children.

Well Child/School Physical Program

Routine exams, immunizations, and health education for infants and children, including required school physicals on a sliding fee scale.

Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)

Supplemental food program providing free nutrition information and food vouchers for income-eligible pregnant and breast-feeding women and children to age five.

**DeKalb County Hospice** (815) 756-3000

2727 Sycamore Rd., Suite 1B, DeKalb, IL 60115  
Support for individuals and families coping with terminal illness.

**DeKalb Evening Lions Club** (815) 756-6550  
Rick Tonozzi, President Cell (815) 751-9828

Financial aid to low-income families for vision testing, treatment and eyeglasses, and hearing aids.

**Doral Dental-All Kids Dental Services** (888) 286-2447

A clearinghouse for dental care for families receiving Public Assistance.

**Illinois Health Connect** (877) 912-1999

Illinois Health Connect is a new health care program of HFS (Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services).

**Mary's Lending Closet** (815) 895-4477

St. John's Lutheran Church  
26555 Brickville Rd., Sycamore, IL 60178  
Durable medical goods (crutches, walkers, commodes, shower chairs, etc.) lending closet for those in need.

**Medicare (Social Security)** (800) 772-1213

Larkin Professional Plaza  
790 Fletcher Dr., Elgin, IL 60120  
Health insurance plan for people 65 years of age and older or disabled.

**NIU Counseling & Vocational Services** (815) 753-1481

**Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic**  
3100 Sycamore Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides comprehensive diagnostic and treatment services for speech, language, and/or hearing impaired individuals.

**RX for Illinois** (877) 793-6745

Helps low-income, uninsured Illinois residents get access to patient assistance programs where they may qualify for free, or nearly free, prescription medicines.

**Tri-County Community Health Center** (815) 753-9010

Kishwaukee Community College Campus  
21193 Malta Rd., Malta, IL 60150  
Affordable primary health care including physical exams, diagnosis and treatment of common illnesses, and health maintenance services.

**HEALTH SERVICES SUPPORT GROUPS**

**American Cancer Society** (800) 227-2345

143 First St., Batavia, IL 60510  
Volunteer health agency that provides information regarding this disease and some services for these patients.

**American Diabetes Association** (312) 346-1805

30 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 2015, Chicago, IL 60602  
A voluntary health group supporting research and education.

**Arthritis Foundation** (800) 735-0096  
29 E. Madison, Suite 500, Chicago, IL 60602  
A voluntary health agency committed to seeking the cause, treatment, prevention and cure of this disease.

**Cancer Support Group** (815) 756-5255  
Kishwaukee Community Hospital  
9 Health Services Dr., Lower Level, DeKalb, IL 60115  
Meetings open to any cancer patients, their families and friends.

**Epilepsy Foundation of North/Central Illinois** (800) 255-6810  
Kishwaukee Community Hospital  
8 Health Services Dr., Suite 1, DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides medical help and information to persons with epilepsy and support services to members of their families.

**Friends Outreach Network** (815) 748-2472  
Various DeKalb/Sycamore locations  
Providing support and advocacy for all HIV+ individuals as well as their friends, families, and significant others. Available 24 hours.

**Illinois Regional Cancer Center** (815) 756-4722  
10 Health Services Dr., DeKalb, IL 60115

**La Leche League** (815) 825-2175  
DeKalb, IL 60115  
Informational meetings and support group for any woman interested in breast-feeding her baby.

**March of Dimes, Northern Illinois** (815) 397-0097  
5411 E. State St., Suite 8, Rockford, IL 61108  
Research and education to prevent birth defects.

**United Leukodystrophy Foundation** (800) 728-5483  
2304 Highland St., Sycamore, IL 60178  
To educate and provide a support network for the leukodystrophy families. For families, patients, and professionals concerned with related disorders.

## HOSPITALS

**Kishwaukee Community Hospital** (815) 756-1521  
1 Kish Hospital Dr., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Valley West Community Hospital** (815) 786-8484  
11 E. Pleasant St., Sandwich, IL 60548

**Edward Hines Jr. VA Hospital** (708) 202-8387  
Fifth & Roosevelt Rd., Hines, IL 60141

## HOUSING-SUBSIDIZED

**Housing Authority of DeKalb County Administration Office** (815) 758-2692  
310 N. Sixth St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides subsidized housing according to HUD guidelines.

### Public Housing Program

Housing for elderly, handicapped and low-income families in DeKalb, Sycamore, Shabbona, Sandwich, and Hinckley.

### Housing Choice Voucher Program

Program to subsidize rent in the private market for low-income families, elderly and the handicapped.

**Apartment complexes that have subsidized units for those who meet income guidelines.**

**Chamberlain Park Apartments** (815) 397-3755  
201 W. Second St. Genoa, IL 60135

**Colonial House Apartments** (815) 756-3408  
1600 N. 14<sup>th</sup> St., DeKalb, IL

**Greenbrier Apartments** (603) 879-0350  
926 Greenbrier Rd., DeKalb, IL

**Gideon Court Apartments** (815) 758-1320  
1325 W. Lincoln Hwy., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Kirkvale Apartments** (815) 522-3178  
206 S. Sixth, Kirkland, IL

**Malta Manor** (630) 904-4157  
306 N. 2<sup>nd</sup> St. Malta, IL 60150

**Sandwich Manor** (815) 786-9497  
216 E. Hall St., Sandwich, IL 60548

**Sycamore Greens** (815) 397-3755  
1117 S. Cross St, Sycamore, IL 60178

**Sycamore Manor** (630) 904-4157  
849 DeKalb Ave. Sycamore, IL 60178

**Sycamore Meadows** (815) 397-3755  
1705 Longwood, Sycamore, IL 60178

**University Village Apartments** (815) 756-3822  
722 N. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Village Green** (815) 397-3755  
226 Railroad Ave., Genoa, IL 60135

**Waterman Garden Apartments** (815) 397-3755  
215 E. Duffy Rd., Waterman, IL

## **HOUSING ASSISTANCE**

**Community Contacts, Inc.** (847) 697-8800  
100 S. Hawthorne St., Elgin, IL 60123

### HOME (Housing Rehabilitation Program)

The purpose of the HOME program is to help homeowners rehabilitate their homes, bringing them into compliance with local housing standards.

### Home Purchase/Rehab/Resale Program

To be eligible for this program through Housing Continuum, Inc., please call the main Community Contacts phone number.

### Illinois Home Weatherization Assistance Program

The Weatherization Program is designed to help eligible residents of DeKalb County save fuel and money, while increasing the comfort of their homes. Measures can include insulation, water heater, new furnace, windows and doors.

**City of DeKalb** (815) 748-2371  
223 S. Fourth St., Suite A, DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides a first time homebuyer program and a housing rehabilitation program.

**DeKalb County Community Services** (815) 758-3910  
2550 N. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Emergency intervention and general information for rent and utilities assistance.

**Hope Haven** (815) 758-5765  
1145 Rushmore Dr., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides emergency shelter and transitional housing for homeless persons year round. Open 7:00pm-7:00am, Monday-Friday and open 24 hours on weekends. Emergency food, shelter and support services.

**St. Vincent DePaul** (815) 758-5432  
302 Fisk Ave., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides emergency housing assistance for those in need.

**The Salvation Army** (815) 756-4308  
830 Grove St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Emergency assistance for families and homeless.

## **INFORMATION SOURCES**

**DeKalb County Community Services- Information Line** (815) 758-3910  
2550 N. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides general information about available human services.

**Elder Care Services** (815) 758-6550  
330 Grove St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Information about services for senior citizens.

## **LEGAL AID**

**Prairie State Legal Services** (630) 232-9415  
201 Houston, Suite 200, Batavia, IL 60510 (800) 942-4612  
Provides civil legal services to low-income persons and elderly who are unable to afford private counsel.

## **LEGISLATORS**

### **President of the United States**

Barack Obama (D) (202) 456-1414  
1600 Pennsylvania Ave.  
Washington, DC 20500

### **U.S. Senators**

Roland Burris (D) (202) 224-2854  
387 Russell Senate Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20510  
230 S. Dearborn, Ste. 3900 (312) 886-3506  
Chicago, IL 60604

Richard Durbin (D) (202) 224-2152  
309 Hart, Senate Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20510  
230 S. Dearborn, Suite 3892 (312) 353-4952  
Chicago, IL 60604

### **U.S. Representative, 14<sup>th</sup>**

#### **Congressional District**

Bill Foster (D) (202) 225-2976  
2304 Rayburn HOB, Washington, D.C. 20515  
27 N. River St., Batavia, IL 60510 (630) 406-1114

### **U.S. Representative, 16<sup>th</sup>**

#### **Congressional District**

Donald Manzullo (R) (202) 225-5676  
2228 Rayburn Building, Washington, D.C. 20515  
415 S. Mulford Rd., Rockford, IL 61108 (815) 394-1231

### **State Senators**

#### **35<sup>th</sup> State Senatorial District**

(All DeKalb County)

J. Bradley Burzynski (R) (217) 782-1977  
309F Capitol Building, Springfield, IL 62706  
1101 DeKalb Ave. (815) 895-6318  
Sycamore, IL 60178

### **State Representatives**

#### **70<sup>th</sup> State Representative District**

(Most of DeKalb County)

Robert Pritchard (R) (217) 782-0425  
200-3N Stratton Bldg., Springfield, IL 62706  
2600 DeKalb Ave. Suite C (815) 748-3494  
Sycamore, IL 60178

#### **69<sup>th</sup> State Representative District**

(Genoa, Kingston, & Part of Franklin Townships)

Ron Wait (R) (217) 782-0548  
219-N Stratton Bldg., Springfield, IL 62706  
411 S. State St., Belvidere, IL 61008 (815) 547-7771

## **LIBRARIES**

#### **Clinton Township Library**

110 S. Elm St., Waterman, IL 60556 (815) 264-3339

#### **Cortland Library**

63 S. Somonauk St., Cortland, IL 60112 (815) 756-7274

#### **DeKalb Public Library**

309 Oak St., DeKalb, IL 60115 (815) 756-9568

#### **Genoa Public Library**

232 W. Main St., Genoa, IL 60135 (815) 784-2627

#### **Kirkland Public Library**

513 W. Main St., Kirkland, IL 60146 (815) 522-6260

#### **Malta Township Library**

101 S. 2<sup>nd</sup> St., Malta, IL 60150 (815) 825-2525

#### **Sandwich District Library**

107 E. Center St., Sandwich, IL 60548 (815) 786-8308

#### **Shabbona Village Public Library**

108 W. Comanche St., Shabbona, IL 60550 (815) 824-2079

#### **Somonauk Public Library**

115 E. DeKalb St., Somonauk, IL 60552 (815) 498-2440

**Squaw Grove Public Library** (815) 286-3220  
100 N. Maple St., Hinckley, IL 60520

**Sycamore Public Library** (815) 895-2500  
103 E. State St., Sycamore, IL 60178

**TEL-MED Tape Library** (815) 748-2964  
Kishwaukee Community Hospital  
1 Kish Hospital Dr., DeKalb, IL 60115

## **MENTAL HEALTH**

**Ben Gordon Mental Health Center** (815) 756-4875  
12 Health Services Dr., DeKalb, IL  
100 S. Latham, Suite 204, Sandwich, IL 60548 (815) 786-7544  
Serves as coordinating agency for helping people with mental health problems, alcohol and other drug dependency, and family or child welfare problems. Services include outpatient-counseling treatment, Youth programs, treatment services for drug and alcohol dependency, crisis intervention and mental health promotion programs.

**BGC Response** (866) 242-0111  
Provides emergency telephone counseling, information and referral 24 hours.

**Emergency & Admissions Service** (815) 756-4875  
Provides crisis intervention, assessment of mental health problems, information and referral.

**Reality House** (815) 756-8501  
631 S. First St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Day treatment and vocational training for the long-term mentally ill.

**Consumer Advocacy Council of DeKalb County** (815) 748-4066  
Provides emergency funds for indigent consumers of mental health services and educates the public on mental health issues.

**National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)** (630) 896-6264  
400 Mercy Ln., Aurora, IL 60506  
NAMI is a grass roots organization whose purpose is to improve conditions for persons with mental illness.

**Suicide Prevention Services** (630) 482-9699  
528 S. Batavia Ave., Batavia, IL 60510 Depression Hotline (630) 482-9696  
Suicide prevention education, counseling, and survivors support groups. **24 Hr. Suicide Hotline (800) 784-2433**

## **NURSING HOMES**

**Bethany Healthcare & Rehab Center** (815) 756-5526  
3298 Resource Parkway, DeKalb, IL 60115

**DeKalb County Rehab & Nursing Ctr.** (815) 758-2477  
2600 N. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Dogwood Health Care Center** (815) 786-8409  
902 E. Arnold Rd., Sandwich, IL 60548

**Pine Acres Care Center** (815) 758-8151  
1212 S. 2<sup>nd</sup> St., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Oak Crest-DeKalb Area Retirement Center** (815) 756-8461  
2944 Greenwood Acres Dr., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Shabbona Health Care Center** (815) 824-2194  
409 W. Comanche Ave., Shabbona, IL 60550

**Willowcrest Nursing Pavilion** (815) 786-8426  
515 N. Main St., Sandwich, IL 60548

## **PREGNANCY**

**A.A.A. Pregnancy Consultation Service** (815) 758-8756  
512 Normal Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
To assist women in choosing among alternatives to abortion in problem pregnancies.

**Children's Home and Aid Society Healthy Family Illinois** (815) 962-1043  
910 Second Ave., Rockford, IL 61104  
Counseling for teenage and young adult pregnancies.

**DeKalb County Health Department** (815) 758-6673  
2550 N. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Pregnancy testing and counseling.

**Lamaze Classes** (815) 756-1521  
1 Kish Hospital Dr., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Information and training for expectant parents. Parents learn breathing and relaxation techniques.

**We Care Pregnancy Center** (815) 748-4242  
403 N. Fifth St. DeKalb, IL 60115  
To assist women in choosing among alternatives to abortion.

## **PUBLIC ASSISTANCE**

**Illinois Dept. of Human Services** (815) 895-8667  
1629 Afton Rd., Sycamore, IL 60178

### Aid to Aged, Blind, or Disabled (AABD)

To meet medical needs of persons 65 or older, and blind or disabled through Supplemental Social Security (SSI)

### Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF)

Provides financial, medical, or food stamp assistance to eligible households.

### Food Stamp Program

Supplements income to meet basic food needs.

**Social Security Administration** (800) 772-1213  
790 Fletcher Dr., Elgin, IL 60120  
Administers the social security retirement, disability and survivor insurance program.

**Township General Assistance**  
Listed under TOWNSHIPS

## **RECREATION**

**DeKalb County Forest Preserves** (815) 895-7191  
110 E. Sycamore St., Sycamore, IL 60178

**DeKalb Park District** (815) 758-6663  
1403 Sycamore Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Genoa Township Park District** (815) 784-5612  
400 E. Second St., Genoa, IL 60135

**Kishwaukee Family YMCA** (815) 756-9577  
2500 Bethany Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Sandwich Park District** (815) 786-8044  
1001 N. Latham St., Sandwich, IL 60548

**Shabbona Lake State Park** (815) 824-2106  
4201 Shabbona Grove Rd., Shabbona, IL 60550

**Sycamore Park District** (815) 895-3365  
940 E. State St., Sycamore, IL 60178

## **REHABILITATION SERVICES**

**Access Services of Northern Illinois** (815) 756-7570  
631 S. First St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides an independent services coordination for people with developmental disabilities.

**Dept. of Human Services/Division of Rehabilitations (DORS)** (815) 758-2471  
1330 Oakwood Ave., DeKalb, IL 60115  
This agency assists the vocationally handicapped to obtain and/or retain employment.

**Division of Specialized Care for Children (DSCC)** (815) 987-7571  
4302 N. Main St., Room 106, Rockford, IL 61103  
Provides diagnostic and remedial services for crippled children who meet medical and income guidelines.

**Genesis House** (815) 784-5146  
350 Sycamore Rd., Genoa, IL 60135  
This is a residential program to further the independence of developmentally disabled persons 18 or older.

**Open Door** (815) 786-8468  
405 S. Wells St., Sandwich, IL 60548  
The Open Door believes that their fundamental contribution is to help the disabled help themselves through workshops and residential services.

**Opportunity House** (815) 895-5108  
202 Lucas St., Sycamore, IL 60178  
Provides rehabilitation services to handicapped adults as well as basic training and residential living.

**RAMP- Regional Access & Mobilization Project** (815) 756-3202  
115 N. First St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Personalized services to persons of any disability and of any age to assist them to live independently.

**Reality House** (815) 756-8501  
631 S. 1<sup>st</sup> St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Day treatment and vocational training for the long-term mentally ill.

### **SENIOR HOUSING**

**Barb City Manor** (815) 756-8444  
680 Haish Blvd., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Colonial House** (815) 756-3408  
1600 N. 14<sup>th</sup> St., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Heritage Woods** (815) 787-6500  
2626 N. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
An assisted lifestyle community for the older adult.

**Housing Authority of DeKalb County** (815) 758-2692  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> St., DeKalb, IL 60115

Civic Apts. (815) 895-5631  
350 Grant St., Sycamore, IL 60178

Golden Years Senior Apts. (815) 758-4396  
507 E. Taylor St., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Oak Crest-DeKalb Area Retirement Center** (815) 756-8461  
2944 Greenwood Acres, DeKalb, IL 60115

**Sandwich Manor** (815) 786-9497  
216 E. Hall St., Sandwich, IL 60548

### **SENIOR SERVICES**

**DeKalb Senior Citizens Center** (Family Service Agency) (815) 758-4718  
330 Grove St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
For DeKalb County residents 60 years or older, and their spouses, for activities and events.

**Elder Care Services** (815) 758-6550  
330 Grove St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Information about services for senior citizens. Reports & investigates cases of elder abuse.

**Family Service Agency of DeKalb** (815) 758-8616  
14 Health Services Dr., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Assisted Living  
Paraprofessionals enter the home and assist Individuals and families with daily living.

**Fox Valley Older Adult Services** (815) 786-9404  
1406 Suydam Rd., Sandwich, IL 60548  
For those over 55 years of age, providing general and recreational, and adult day care programs. Minibuses are available for trips, appointments, shopping, and visiting. Also, MedVac available, however, must be ambulatory. Services provided for outreach, doctor, and medical type of appointments.

**DeKalb Adult Day Care** (815) 758-4286  
126 S. Fourth St., Suite C., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Intouch Home Care of LSSI****(815) 289-1679**

1242 Knolls Ave. South, DeKalb, IL 60115

Lutheran Social Services of Illinois (LSSI) offers affordable home care services in DeKalb County through Intouch Home Care Services. The program's mission is to help seniors maintain their independence and remain in their homes for as long as possible. Our home care assistants have completed 24 hours of service training. Services are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Intouch's trained home care assistants and CNA's provide Lutheran Social Services of Illinois (LSSI) offers affordable home care services in DeKalb County through Intouch Home Care Services. The program's mission is to help seniors maintain their independence and remain in their homes for as long as possible. Our home care assistants have completed 24 hours of service training. Services are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Intouch's trained home care assistants and CNA's provide non- medical services, such as personal care, companionship and supervision, grocery shopping and errands, laundry and transportation to appointments.

**Legacy Corps Program LSS****(815) 289-1679**

Legacy Corps, a program of Lutheran Social Services of Illinois (LSSI), provides volunteers who give respite support for caregivers of seniors or other loved ones who need ongoing attention. Legacy Corps members do not provide any medical or therapeutic services or tasks.

**Northwestern IL Area Agency on Aging****(815) 226-4901**

2576 Charles St., Rockford, IL 61108

Provides financing to purchase training services for older citizens and places employees.

**SEXUAL ASSAULT****Sexual Assault and Abuse Services****(815) 756-5228**

Safe Passage

P.O. Box 621, DeKalb, IL 60115

Confidential assistance to victims of sexual assault or abuse. Provides counseling, support, information, and advocacy. 24hours. Free of charge.

**SUBSTANCE ABUSE****Ben Gordon Mental Health Center****(815) 756-4875**

12 Health Services Dr.

**Substance Abuse Support Groups****(866) 242-0111**

Call BGC Response for information about:

Alcoholics Anonymous

Adult Children of Alcoholics

Alanon

Alateen

Narcotics Anonymous

**Rosecrance****(800) 391-1000**

3815 Harrison Ave., Rockford, IL 61107

This is a private, non-profit, multi-service facility specializing in drug and alcohol problems.

**SUPPORT GROUPS****Conexion Comunidad****(815) 754-0980**

637 N. Eleventh St., DeKalb, IL 60115

A social service agency that provides a variety of programs to assist the Hispanic community.

**DeKalb Area Adoptive Families****(815) 758-4307**303 N. 2<sup>nd</sup> St, DeKalb, IL 60115

A support group for pre- and post-adoptive parents.

**DeKalb Area Women's Center****(815) 758-1351**

1021 State St., DeKalb, IL 60115

Various programming for women including art gallery, library, meditation garden, guest speakers, winter coat drive, and other resources.

**DeKalb County Hospice****(815) 756-3000**

2727 Sycamore Rd., Suite 1B, DeKalb, IL 60115

A support system providing physical, emotional, social and spiritual comfort for individuals and families coping with terminal illness.

**University Resources for Women** (815) 753-0320  
105 Normal Rd., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Offers information, programs and services to women in school or  
“thinking” of returning to school.

## **TAX INFORMATION**

**Illinois Dept. of Revenue** (815) 987-5210  
200 S. Wyman St., Rockford, IL 61101  
Provides information on state income and sales tax. This includes  
circuit breaker and assistance with pharmaceuticals, property tax and  
nursing homes.

**VITA (Tax-Aid)** (815) 895-5250  
Sycamore, IL 60178  
This group is sponsored by AARP and IRS to assist older citizens and  
low-income people make out Federal and state tax forms.

## **TOWNSHIPS**

The office of your township supervisor administers the General  
Assistance program of financial assistance for persons who are not  
eligible for any other federal or state assistance.

**Afton Township** (815) 758-8387  
Gregory Carroll  
13840 S. 1<sup>st</sup> St., Waterman, IL 60556

**Clinton Township** (815) 751-8838  
Janice Knudsen  
8837 Kane Rd., Shabbona, IL 60550

**Cortland Township** (815) 756-1500  
Lydia Johnson  
14 S. Prairie St., Cortland, IL 60112

**DeKalb Township** (815) 758-8282  
Patricia LaVigne  
2323 S. 4<sup>th</sup> St., DeKalb, IL 60115

**Franklin Township** (815) 522-7753  
Michael Exner  
33255 Irene Rd., Kirkland, IL 60146

**Genoa Township** (815) 784-6044  
Arden F. Awe  
322 S. Emmett St., Genoa, IL 60135

**Kingston Township** (815) 784-8359  
Carol E. Stewart  
33601 Five Points Rd., Kingston, IL 60145

**Malta Township** (815) 825-2664  
James Nelson  
508 S. 6<sup>th</sup> St., Malta, IL 60150

**Mayfield Township** (815) 895-9228  
Joseph W. Totman  
26374 Clare Rd. Clare, IL 60111

**Milan Township** (815) 824-2570  
B. John Hopwood  
983 McGirr Rd., Lee, IL 60530

**Paw Paw Township** (815) 246-9737  
Judy Svendsen  
1760 Whitman Rd., Earlville, IL 60518

**Pierce Township** (815) 286-7959  
Lawrence J. Asselborn  
13441 Hinckley Rd. Hinckley, IL 60520

**Sandwich Township** (815) 786-6758  
Norman Troeger  
201 W. Center St. Sandwich, IL 60548

**Shabbona Township** (815) 824-2497  
James A. Johnson  
8705 Shabbona Rd., Shabbona, IL 60550

**Somonauk Township** (815) 498-2296  
William Coultrip  
14466 Suydam Rd., Somonauk, IL 60552

**South Grove Township** (815) 522-6698  
Lawrence L. Smith  
26455 Schafer Rd., Clare, IL 60111

**Squaw Grove Township** (815) 286-7338  
Jean K. Augsburg  
9183 Gov. Beveridge Hwy., Hinckley, IL 60520

**Sycamore Township** (815) 895-3766  
Barbara L. Young  
545 Brickville Rd., Sycamore, IL 60178

**Victor Township** (815) 495-9302  
Raymond Merkel  
802 Leland Rd., Leland, IL 60531

### **TRANSPORTATION**

**Huskie Bus Line** (815) 758-6900  
Veolio Transportation  
1825 Pleasant St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Bus line service for DeKalb residents and students during the NIU academic school year.

**Med-Vac (Voluntary Action)** (815) 758-0818  
1606 Bethany Rd. Sycamore, IL 60178  
Prearranged transportation for medical purposes.

**Trans-Vac (Voluntary Action)** (815) 758-6641  
1606 Bethany Rd. Sycamore, IL 60178  
Local transportation for senior citizens, handicapped and general public.

**Green-Line and Blue-Line City Bus Route** (815) 758-3932  
Fixed bus routes for the cities of DeKalb and Sycamore.

### **VETERANS ASSISTANCE**

**Veterans Affairs, Information & Benefits** (800) 437-9824  
DeKalb Senior Citizens Center (call for dates & times) (815) 758-4718  
330 Grove St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
This program deals with all aspects of federal, state, and local veteran's benefits and other dependents.

**Veterans Assistance Commission** (815) 756-8129  
2550 N. Annie Glidden Rd.  
Provides advocacy, transportation and direct assistance for DeKalb County veterans and their dependents.

### **VOCATIONAL TRAINING**

**Dept. of Human Services/Division of Rehabilitations (DORS)** (815) 758-2471  
1330 Oakwood Ave., DeKalb, IL 60115  
This agency assists the vocationally handicapped to obtain and/or retain employment.

**First Institute** (815) 756-4893  
1701 E. Lincoln Hwy., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides vocational training and placement for people of Kane, DeKalb and Kendall Counties.

**Kishwaukee Community College** (815) 825-2086  
21193 Malta Rd., Malta, IL 60150  
This is a two-year community college that provides peer support while students attend credit and non-credit courses.

**Waubonsee Community College** (630) 466-7900  
Rt. 47 at Waubonsee Dr.  
Sugar Grove, IL 60542  
A two-year community college that supplies credit and non-credit courses for WCC district residents.

### **YOUTH PROGRAMS**

**Boy Scouts of America** (630) 584-9250  
Three Fires Council, Council # 127  
415 N. 2<sup>nd</sup> St., St. Charles, IL 60174  
An organization for males, ages 7 through 20 that provides training, character development, physical and mental fitness.

**DeKalb County Youth Service Bureau (YSB)** (815) 748-2010  
330 Grove St., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Provides individual, family counseling, crisis intervention and drug prevention education for youth ages 8-18 and their families.

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Big Brothers/Big Sisters

Provides stable, caring and positive role models to school aged children and youth.

**4-H/Youth (815) 758-8194**

University of Illinois Extension of DeKalb Co.  
1350 W. Prairie Dr., Sycamore, IL 60178  
A community based program helping youth ages 8-19 develop leadership and basic life skills.

**Girl Scouts of America, Sybaquay Council, Inc. (847) 741-5521**

12 N 124 Coombs Rd., Elgin, IL 60124  
Provides an informal educational program for girls ages 5-17 for community activity.

**Glenwood School for Boys and Girls (847) 464-8200**

41W400 Silver Glen Rd. [www.glenwoodschool.org](http://www.glenwoodschool.org)  
St. Charles, IL 60175  
Glenwood School for Boys and Girls partners with low-income, single-parent families through high quality individualized education and a nurturing boarding program to help academically capable children reach their potential and achieve futures of promise.

**Rosecrance (800) 383-5351**

1601 University Dr., Rockford, IL 61107  
This is a private, non-profit, multi-service facility specializing in drug and alcohol problems of youth.

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AAA Pregnancy Consultation	(815) 758-8756	16
Access Services of Northern IL	(815) 756-7570	17
<b>ADOPTION</b>		<b>05</b>
Adoption Information Center	(312) 346-1516	05
Adoption Services	(630) 820-3220	05
Adult Children of Alcoholics	(815) 758-6655	19
Adult Day Services	(815) 758-4286	18
Adult Education	(815) 825-2086	08
Afton Township	(815) 758-8387	20
Aid to Aged, Blind or Disabled	(815) 895-8667	17
AIDS	(815) 758-6673	11
Alanon	(815) 758-6655	19
Alateen	(815) 758-6655	19
Alcoholics Anonymous	(815) 758-6655	19
Alpha Christian Registry	(815) 758-1224	11
American Cancer Society	(800) 227-2345	12
Am Civil Liberties Union	(312) 201-9740	07
American Diabetes Association	(312) 346-1805	12
Angel Food Ministries	(815) 758-3973	09
Animal Control	(815) 758-6673	05
<b>ANIMAL WELFARE</b>		<b>05</b>
Animal Welfare Shelter	(815) 784-5924	05
Assisted Living	(815) 758-8616	18
Arthritis Foundation	(800) 735-0096	13
<b>B</b>		
Barb City Manor	(815) 756-8444	18
Ben Gordon Mental Health Center	(815) 756-4875	07,16,19
Sandwich	(815) 786-7544	07
Bethany Healthcare & Rehab Center	(815) 756-5526	16
Bethlehem Church Food Pantry	(815) 758-3203	10
Better Business Bureau	(312) 832-0500	05
BGC Response	(866) 242-0111	02,16,19
Big Brothers/Big Sisters	(815) 758-8616	22
Birth and Death Certificates	(815) 758-6673	11
Birth Certificates (DC Clerk)	(815) 895-7149	11
The Blessing Well	(815) 758-1588	06,10

Block Grant Scholarship	(815) 758-3910	08
Blue Line City Bus Route (Sycamore)	(815) 758-3932	21
Boy Scouts of America	(630) 584-9250	21
Breast Feeding	(815) 825-2175	13
Business and Industrial Development Center	(815) 825-2086	06
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Cancer Support Group	(815) 756-5255	13
Carlton Home Health Care	(815) 758-8377	11
CASA DeKalb County Inc.	(815) 895-2052	06
Center for Counseling Sandwich	(815) 758-8616	07
	(815) 786-7079	07
Chamber of Commerce, DeKalb	(815) 756-6306	06
Chamber of Commerce, Sycamore	(815) 895-3456	06
Chamberlain Park Apts.	(815) 397-3755	13
Chamberlain Park Sr. Meal Site	(815) 784-3464	09
<b>CHILD ABUSE</b>		<b>06</b>
Child Abuse Hotline	(800) 252-2573	02,06,07
<b>CHILD CARE</b>		<b>06</b>
Children's Advocacy Center	(815) 758-8616	06
Children's Home and Aid Society-Rockford	(815) 962-1043	05
City of DeKalb (Housing)	(815) 748-2371	14
Civic Apartments	(815) 895-5631	18
Clinton Township	(815) 751-8838	20
Clinton Township Library	(815) 264-3339	15
<b>CLOTHING</b>		<b>06</b>
Colonial House	(815) 756-3408	13,18
Community Cares Clinic	(815) 752-3253	11
Community Contacts	(847) 697-8800	09,14
Community Coordinated Child Care (4C) Toll Free	(815) 758-8149	06
	(800) 848-8727	06
Conexion Comunidad	(815) 754-0980	19
Consumer Advocacy Council of DK Cnty.	(815) 793-2789	16
Cornerstone Church (Food Pantry)	(815) 786-6300	10
Cortland Library	(815) 756-7274	15
Cortland Township	(815) 756-1500	20
<b>COUNSELING</b>		<b>07</b>
County Clerk, DeKalb	(815) 895-7149	11
Country Store, The	(815) 756-2378	06
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DeKalb Area Adoptive Families	(815) 758-4307	19

DeKalb Area Food Pantry	(815) 756-4308	10
DeKalb Area Women's Center	(815) 758-1351	19
DeKalb County Animal Shelter	(815) 784-5924	05
DeKalb County Clerk	(815) 895-7149	11
DeKalb County Community Services Dept.	(815) 758-3910	08,14
DeKalb County Econ. Dev. Corp.	(815) 895-2711	06
DeKalb Co. Forest Preserves	(815) 895-7191	17
DeKalb County Health Dept.	(815) 758-6673	11,17
DeKalb County Hospice	(815) 756-3000	12,19
DeKalb County Rehabilitation and Nursing Center	(815) 758-2477	16
DeKalb County Youth Service Bureau	(815) 748-2010	07,21
DeKalb Family Thrift Store	(815) 758-3814	06
DeKalb High Rise Sr. Food Program	(815) 748-5994	09
DeKalb Human Relations Commission	(815) 748-2093	07
DeKalb Park District	(815) 758-6663	17
DeKalb Public Library	(815) 758-9568	15
DeKalb Senior Center Food Site	(815) 758-1628	09
DeKalb Senior Citizens Center	(815) 758-4718	18
DeKalb Township	(815) 758-8282	20
Dept. of Children and Family Services	(815) 758-5300	06,07
Dept. of Human Services/Division of Rehabilitations (DORS)	(815) 758-2471	17,21
Depression Hotline	(630) 482-9696	16
Diabetes, American Association	(312) 346-1805	12
<b>DISCRIMINATION</b>		<b>07</b>
Division of Specialized Care for Children	(815) 987-7571	17
Dogwood Health Care Center	(815) 786-8409	16
<b>DOMESTIC VIOLENCE</b>		<b>07</b>
Doral Dental-All Kids Dental Services	(888) 286-2447	12
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<b>EDUCATION</b>		<b>08</b>
Edward Hines Jr. VA Hospital	(708) 202-8387	13
Elder Abuse	(815) 758-6550	02,07
Elder Care Services	(815) 758-6550	02,07,14,18
Emergency & Admissions Service	(815) 756-4875	16
<b>EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE</b>		<b>08</b>
Emergency Intervention	(815) 758-3910	08
<b>EMPLOYMENT</b>		<b>09</b>
<b>ENERGY ASSISTANCE</b>		<b>09</b>
Environmental Health	(815) 758-6673	11

Epilepsy Foundation of North Central Illinois	(800) 255-6810	13
Experience Works	(815) 756-4893	09
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Family Center of NIU	(815) 753-1684	07
Family Development Program	(815) 758-3910	08
Family Planning	(815) 758-6673	11
Family Service Agency of DeKalb	(815) 758-8616	07,18,22
First Institute	(815) 756-4893	09,21
First Time Homebuyer Program	(815) 748-2371	14
Flu and Pneumonia Vaccine	(815) 758-6673	11
<b>FOOD PROGRAMS</b>		<b>09</b>
Food Pantries		10
Food Stamps (Human Services)	(815) 895-8667	10,17
4-C Child Care	(815) 758-8149	06
4-H/Youth	(815) 758-8194	22
Fox Valley Older Adult Services	(815) 786-9404	18
Franklin Township	(815) 522-7753	20
Friends Outreach Network	(815) 748-2472	13
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General Assistance (TOWNSHIP)		09,17,20
Genesis House	(815) 784-5146	17
Genoa Area Food Pantry	(815) 784-5143	10
Genoa Public Library	(815) 784-2627	15
Genoa Township	(815) 784-6044	20
Genoa Township Park District	(815) 784-5612	17
Gideon Court Apartments	(815) 758-1320	13
Girl Scouts of America	(847) 741-5521	21
Glenwood School for Boys & Girls	(847) 464-8200	21
Golden Years Senior Apartments	(815) 758-4396	18
Goodwill of DeKalb	(815) 756-4200	06
<b>GOVERNMENT SERVICES</b>		<b>11</b>
Green Line City Bus (DeKalb)	(815) 758-3832	21
Greenbrier Apartments	(630) 879-0350	13
Guardianship and Advocacy	(815) 987-7657	07
<b>H</b>		
Head Start Programs, Two Rivers	(800) 847-9010	06
Sycamore Head Start Center	(815) 748-3713	06
Health Department of DeKalb County	(815) 758-6673	11,17
Health Education	(815) 758-6673	11
<b>HEALTH SERVICES</b>		<b>11</b>
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Health Works	(815) 758-6673	11
Healthy Family Illinois	(815) 962-1043	16
Healthy Moms/Healthy Kids	(815) 758-6673	11
Heritage Woods Assisted Living	(815) 787-6500	18
Hinckley Area Food Pantry	(815) 286-3391	10
HIV	(815) 758-6673	11
Home Health Program	(815) 758-8900	11
Home Program	(847) 697-8800	14
Home Purchase/Rehab/Resale Program	(847) 697-8800	14
Homeless Shelter (Hope Haven)	(815) 758-5765	14
Hospice, DeKalb County	(815) 756-3000	12,19
<b>HOSPITALS</b>		<b>13</b>
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Housing Authority, DeKalb County	(815) 758-2692	13,18
Housing Choice Voucher Program	(815) 758-2692	13
Housing Rehabilitation Program	(815) 748-2371	14
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Huskie Bus Line	(815) 758-6900	21
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IL Dept. of Children & Family Services	(815) 787-5300	06,07
IL Dept. of Employment Security	(815) 756-4893	09
IL Dept. of Human Services	(815) 895-8667	10,17
IL Dept. of Revenue	(815) 987-5210	20
IL Div. of Rehabilitations	(815) 758-2471	17,21
IL Drivers License	(815) 756-7781	11
IL Home Weatherization Program	(847) 697-8800	09,14
IL Worknet Center	(815) 756-4893	09
Illinois Health Connect	(866) 565-8577	12
Illinois Regional Cancer Center	(815) 756-4722	13
Immunization and TB	(815) 758-6673	12
Information Line	(815) 785-3910	08,14
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Intact Family Services	(815) 899-0137	06
Intouch Home Care of LSSI	(815) 289-1679	19
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Kingston Food Pantry	(815) 784-5427	10
Kingston Township	(815) 784-8359	20
Kirkland Food Pantry	(815) 522-3886	10
Kirkland Public Library	(815) 522-6260	15
Kirkvale Apartments	(815) 522-3178	13
Kishwaukee Community College	(815) 825-2086	08,09,21
Kishwaukee Community Hospital	(815) 756-1521	13

Kishwaukee Ed. Consortium (Central)	(815) 754-9504	08
Kishwaukee Ed. Consortium (Office)	(815) 754-2000	08
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La Leche League	(815) 825-2175	13
Lakeland Restaurant Sr. Meal Site	(815) 786-9591	10
Lamaze Class	(815) 756-1521	17
Lead Program	(815) 758-6673	12
Legacy Corps Program LSS	(815) 289-1679	19
<b>LEGAL AID</b>		<b>14</b>
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Leukodystrophy	(800) 728-5483	13
<b>LIBRARIES</b>		<b>15</b>
LIHEAP (Energy Assistance)	(815) 758-3835	09
Lions Club, DeKalb Evening	(815) 756-6550	12
Love, Inc.	(815) 217-0082	08
Lutheran Social Services	(815) 289-1679	19
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Malta Manor	(630) 904-4157	13
Malta Township	(815) 825-2664	20
Malta Township Library	(815) 825-2525	15
March of Dimes	(815) 397-0097	13
Marriage Licenses	(815) 895-7149	11
Mary's Lending Closet	(815) 895-4477	12
Mayfield Township	(815) 895-9228	20
Meals on Wheels	(815) 758-3932	10
Sandwich	(815) 786-9591	10
MedVac	(815) 758-0818	21
Medicare (Social Security)	(800) 772-1213	12
<b>MENTAL HEALTH</b>		<b>16</b>
Milan Township	(815) 824-2570	20
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Narcotics Anonymous	(866) 242-0111	19
National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)	(630) 896-6264	16
Neighbors in Christ Ecumenical (Food)	(815) 824-2359	10
New Hope Food Pantry	(815) 756-7906	10
NIU Counseling & Vocational Services		
Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic	(815) 753-1481	07,12
NIU Psychological Services	(815) 753-0591	07
Northern Illinois University	(815) 753-1000	08
Northwestern IL Area Agency on Aging	(815) 226-4901	19
Northwestern Illinois Association	(815) 895-9227	08
<b>NURSING HOMES</b>		<b>16</b>

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Oak Crest-DeKalb Area Retirement Center	(815) 756-8461	16,18
Open Closet	(815) 758-1388	07
Open Door	(815) 786-8468	18
Opportunity House	(815) 895-5108	18
Our Sharing Pantry (Sandwich)	(815) 498-2742	10
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Park Districts		17
Passports, County Clerk	(815) 895-7149	11
Paw Paw Township	(815) 246-9737	20
Pierce Township	(815) 286-7959	20
Pine Acres Care Center	(815) 758-8151	16
Prairie State Legal Services	(800) 942-4612	14
	(630) 232-9415	14
<b>PREGNANCY</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>PUBLIC ASSISTANCE</b>		<b>17</b>
Public Housing Program	(815) 758-2692	13
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RAMP	(815) 756-3202	18
Rape Crisis Hotline	(800) 656-4673	02
Reality House	(815) 756-8501	16,18
<b>RECREATION</b>		<b>17</b>
Red Cross, American	(815) 756-7339	08,11
<b>REHABILITATION SERVICES</b>		<b>17</b>
Rehabilitations, Division of	(815) 758-2471	17,21
Rosecrance, Adults	(800) 391-1000	19
Rosecrance, Youth	(800) 383-5351	22
RX for Illinois	(877) 793-6745	12
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SafeLink	(800) 977-3768	08
Safe Passage	(815) 756-5228	02,07,19
Administration	(815) 756-7930	07
Abuser	(815) 756-5054	07
Sandwich	(815) 786-6333	07
St. Vincent DePaul	(815) 758-5432 x290	08,10,14
Salem Lutheran Church (Food Pantry)	(815) 895-9171	10
Salvation Army, The	(815) 756-4308	09,10,14
Sandwich District Library	(815) 786-8308	15
Sandwich Manor	(815) 786-9497	14,18
Sandwich Park District	(815) 786-8044	17
Sandwich Township	(815) 786-6758	20

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Senior Citizens Center	(815) 758-4718	09,18
Senior Nutrition Program	(815) 758-3932	09
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Sexual Assault & Abuse Services	(815) 756-5228	02,19
Shabbona Health Care Center	(815) 824-2194	16
Shabbona Lake State Park	(815) 824-2106	17
Shabbona Township	(815) 824-2497	20
Shabbona Village Public Library	(815) 824-2079	15
Social Security Administration	(800) 772-1213	12,17
Somonauk Public Library	(815) 498-2440	15
Somonauk Senior Meal Site	(815) 786-9591	10
Somonauk Township	(815) 498-2296	20
South Grove Township	(815) 522-6698	20
Squaw Grove Public Library	(815) 286-3220	16
Squaw Grove Township	(815) 286-7338	21
Store at Harvest Chapel, The (Food Pantry)	(815) 786-8669	10
<b>SUBSTANCE ABUSE</b>		<b>19</b>
Substance Abuse Support Groups	(866) 242-0111	19
Suicide Hotline	(800) 784-2433	02,16
Suicide Prevention Services	(630) 482-9699	02,16
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Sycamore Food Pantry	(815) 895-9113	10
Sycamore Greens	(815) 397-3755	14
Sycamore High Rise Civic Apartments	(815) 895-5631	18
Sycamore High Rise Sr. Food Program	(815) 895-4952	10
Sycamore Manor	(630) 904-4157	14
Sycamore Meadows	(815) 397-3755	14
Sycamore Park District	(815) 895-3365	17
Sycamore Public Library	(815) 895-2500	16
Sycamore Township	(815) 895-3766	21
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T.A.I.L.S. Humane Society	(815) 758-2457	05
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TEL-MED Tape Library	(815) 748-2964	16
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Tri-County Community Health Center	(815) 753-9010	12
Two Rivers Head Start	(800) 847-9010	06

Sycamore Head Start Center	(815) 748-3713	06
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Unemployment Compensation	(815) 756-4893	09
United Leukodystrophy Foundation	(800) 728-5483	13
University of IL Extension		
DeKalb County Unit	(815) 758-8194	08
University Resource for Women	(815) 753-0320	20
University Village Apartments	(815) 756-3822	14
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Valley West Community Hospital	(815) 786-8484	13
Veterans Administration Hospital	(708) 202-8387	13
Veterans Affairs, Information & Benefits	(800) 437-9824	21
<b>VETERANS ASSISTANCE</b>		<b>21</b>
Veterans Assistance Commission	(815) 756-8129	21
Victor Township	(815) 495-9302	21
Village Green	(815) 397-3755	14
Vineyard Christian Friendship	(815) 748-8463	10
Vision (Lions Club)	(815) 756-3000	12
Vision and Hearing Screening Program	(815) 758-6673	12
VITA (Tax Aid)	(815) 895-5250	20
<b>VOCATIONAL TRAINING</b>		<b>21</b>
Voluntary Action Center	(815) 758-3932	09,10
Voter Registration (DeKalb County Clerk)	(815) 895-7149	11
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Waterman Garden Apartments	(815) 397-3755	14
Waubonsee Community College	(630) 466-7900	08,21
We Care Pregnancy Center	(815) 748-4242	17
Well Child/School Physicals	(815) 758-6673	12
Willowcrest Nursing Pavilion	(815) 786-8426	16
Women, Infants, Children (WIC)	(815) 748-2402	10,12
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YMCA, Kishwaukee Family	(815) 756-9577	17
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Youth Service Bureau, DeKalb County	(815) 748-2010	07,21