

Jasper County Health and Human Service Resource Directory

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Introduction

The purpose of this resource directory is to provide information about a broad range of available services. Resources/services are listed in three different formats: Alphabetical Index, Categorical Index, and Resource Listing. Every effort has been made to identify all governmental, not for profit agencies, and organizations in Jasper County providing programs and services on a regular basis. Inclusion in this directory does not constitute an endorsement of the organization and the omission does not indicate disapproval. Agencies wishing to be considered for inclusion or need to update their program or agency information should contact:

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If someone is in immediate danger, call 911

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2-1-1 Resource and Referral Hotline

2-1-1 is an easy to remember three digit phone number that provides information for basic health, human services, or community resources that is free, confidential, and available 24/7. Simply dial 2-1-1 on your phone.

Service Categories: General Assistance, Hotlines and Websites

Phone: 2-1-1

Website: www.211iowa.org

Aging Resources of Central Iowa

Aging Resources of Central Iowa is a non-profit organization that provides information and assistance to individuals age 60 and older and their families. Aging Resources offers community, nutrition, and case management services, as well as access to community resources. Agency contracts with local providers to help provide services to individuals living in a community setting to allow them to remain in the least restrictive environment.

Service Categories: Senior Services

115 North 2nd Avenue East
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-5835

Fax: 641-792-5833

Website: www.agingresources.com

Hours: 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM Monday – Friday

AIDS Information Hotline

The AIDS hotline answers questions and provides information about resources related to HIV/AIDS treatment.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance, Hotlines and Websites

Phone: 1-800-448-0440

Website: www.aids.gov

Al-Anon Hotline

The Al-Anon hotline provides information about Al-Anon and Alateen meetings. Al-Anon helps family and friends of alcoholics cope with the effects of living with a problem drinker. Alateen is the recovery program for young people.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Substance, Hotlines and Websites

Phone: 1-888-4AL-ANON

Website: www.al-anon.alateen.org

Alzheimer's Association (Greater Iowa Chapter)

The Alzheimer's Association provides vital services and support to individuals, families, and care partners through the advancement of research, enhancing care and support for all affected by the disease, and reducing the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health.

Service Categories: Senior Services

1730 28th Street

West Des Moines, IA 50266

Phone: 515-440-2722

Email: greateriowa@alz.org

Website: www.alz.org/greateriowa

American Red Cross- Iowa Rivers Chapter

The American Red Cross is a non-profit organization that provides services for victims of disasters and fires, emergency communications between deployed military personnel and loved ones in Jasper County, and disaster preparedness courses in community and school settings. The Red Cross also offers health and safety trainings, including CPR, First Aid, Babysitter's Training, Pet First Aid, Lifeguard Certification, Water Safety Instructor, and Basic First Aid for youth.

Service Categories: Education – Trainings, Emergency Services

709 South Center Street

Marshalltown, IA 50158

Phone: 641-753-3317

Fax: 641-753-7120

Email: info@iowarivers-redcross.org

Website: <http://iowarivers-redcross.org>

Hours: 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Thursday
8:30 AM – 3:30 PM Friday

Americans With Disabilities (ADA) Hotline

ADA specialists provide information regarding the Americans With Disabilities Act, answer specific questions, offer free ADA materials, and assist with filing complaints.

Service Categories: Disability and Home Based Services, Hotlines and Websites

Phone: 1-800-514-0301

Website: www.ada.gov

Angel Food Ministries

Angel Food Ministries is a non-profit, non-denominational, organization that provides high quality food choices at a reduced rate to all residents of Jasper, Marshall, and Marion Counties. The program is hosted by volunteers at the First United Methodist Church in Newton. There are no qualifications, minimums, income restrictions, or applications. Participants choose the food, pay at the time the order is placed, and pick up at a later, predetermined, date. Each month's menu is different and consists of both fresh and frozen items.

Service Categories: Food Assistance

210 North 2nd Avenue East
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-521-7245

Email: newtonafm@hotmail.com

Website: www.angelfoodministries.com

Hours: 5:00 PM – 6:00 PM on alternating Monday evenings.
(Monday varies. Check website or call for specific schedule)

Apples of Gold Center for Learning

Apples of Gold helps students cultivate their potential and harvest success in academics while developing personal confidence by providing organizational skills, ACT preparation, subject tutoring, math and reading remediation, and intervention for Dyslexia.

Service Categories: Education – Support Services

209 W. 2nd Street N.
Newton, IA 50208

Website: www.applesofgold.biz

Phone: 641-521-5337

Aurora Heights Elementary School

310 E. 23rd Street S.
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-7324

Fax: 641-792-7701

Website: www.newton.k12.ia.us

Basics and Beyond High School

Basics and Beyond provides an alternative educational environment for Jasper County students.

600 N. 2nd Avenue W.
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-1700

Website: www.newton.k12.ia.us

Baxter Clinic – Skiff Medical Center

The Baxter Clinic offers family medical services, specialist referrals, sports physicals, full laboratory services, daily pharmaceutical delivery, pre-employment physicals, pre-operative physicals, routine physicals, health fairs, well-baby checks, and health education.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance

208 E. Buchanan Street
Baxter, IA 50028

Phone: 641-227-3045

Website: www.skiffmed.com

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:00 Monday

8:00 AM – 6:00 PM Tuesday

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Wednesday

8:00 AM – 6:00 PM Thursday

8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Friday

Baxter Community School

202 E. State Street
Baxter, IA 50028

Phone: 515-227-3102

Fax: 641-227-3217

Website: www.baxter.k12.ia.us

Baxter Early Learning Center

Baxter Early Learning Center provides child care for children ages 6 weeks to 12 years. Programs offered include 3 and 4 year old preschool, before and after school programming, and a summer school age program. A nutritional breakfast, lunch, and snack are provided to all children.

Service Categories: Child Care, Education - Preschools

110 N. High Street
Baxter, IA 50028

Phone: 641-227-3811

Fax: 641-227-3217

Website: https://sites.google.com/site/baxtercsd/

Hours: 6:00 AM – 6:00 PM Monday – Friday

Baxter Police Department

203 S. Main Street
Baxter, IA 50028
Phone: 641-227-3594

Service Categories: Law Enforcement and Crime Prevention

Berg Elementary School

1900 N. 5th Avenue E.
Newton, IA 50208
Phone: 641-792-7742
Fax: 641-792-7779
Website: www.newton.k12.ia.us

Berg Middle School

1900 N. 5th Avenue E.
Newton, IA 50208
Phone: 641-792-7741
Fax: 641-792-7779
Website: www.newton.k12.ia.us

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Iowa (Jasper County Office)

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Iowa is a non-profit organization that provides children facing adversity with strong, professionally supported, one-to-one relationships with adult volunteers. Big Brothers Big Sisters provides school and home based mentoring opportunities for all youth in Jasper County.

Service Categories: Youth Mentoring

205 1st Avenue West- Suite B
Newton, IA 50208
Phone: 641-792-4077
Fax: 641-792-5152
Website: www.bbbsia.org
Hours: 7:30 AM - 4:30 PM Monday-Friday
(evenings and weekends by appointment)

Boy Scouts of America, Mid-Iowa Council

Boy Scouts of Mid-Iowa Council serves youth in Jasper County and central Iowa. Scouting acts as a compass, to guide young people on the road to adulthood. Scouting teaches citizenship, physical fitness, community service, and strives to develop character and leadership skills in youth.

Service Categories: Youth Development Programs

1659 E. Euclid Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50316-009
Phone: 1-800-999-SCOUT
Jasper County Contact Phone: 515-954-5050

Website: www.midiowacouncilbsa.org

Campfire USA

Camp Fire USA Heart of the Hawkeye Council offers before- and after-school care in Prairie City, as well as full day, school-break and summer day camping programs supporting the child care needs of families. Children participate in indoor and outdoor age appropriate small group activities where they can explore personal interests, learn to make healthy choices, develop social skills, and have fun.

Service Categories: Child Care

5615 Hickman Rd
Des Moines, IA 50310
Phone: 515-274-1501
Website: www.campfireusaia.org

Capstone Behavioral Healthcare

Capstone Behavioral Healthcare is a non-profit organization that provides assistance in Central Iowa through psychiatric services and medication management, mental health, substance abuse and chemical dependency counseling, supported independent living, residential, and representative payee services, prevention and awareness education, and a 24/7 crisis hotline. Capstone serves individuals five years of age and older, and accepts most types of insurance coverage, as well as county funding for individuals who meet requirements for services.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Substance, Counseling, Disability and Home Based Services, Housing, Mental Health

306 North 3rd Avenue East
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-4012

24/7 Crisis Line: 641-792-4012

Fax: 641-791-0697

Website: www.capstonebh.com

Hours: 8:00 AM – 5:30 PM Monday
8:00 AM – 8:00 PM Tuesday
8:00 AM – 5:30 PM Wednesday
8:00 AM – 5:30 PM Thursday
8:00 AM – 3:00 PM Friday

Child Abuse 24 Hour Reporting Hotline

If a child under the age of 18 is suspected of being abused or neglected, call the Child Abuse Hotline. Please be ready to provide identifying information about the whereabouts of the child. Callers may remain anonymous.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Domestic and Child, Hotlines and Websites

Phone: 1-800-362-2178

Website: www.dhs.state.ia.us

Child Care Resource & Referral of Central Iowa

CCR&R of Central Iowa works to connect families with quality early care and education options and facilitate professional development opportunities for the adults who care for and educate our youngest Iowans.

Service Categories: Child Care Referral

Phone: 800-722-7619

Website: www.centraliowachildcare.org

Hours: 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Clearview Recovery, Inc.

Clearview Recovery, Inc. is a non-profit organization that provides long term residential substance abuse treatment to women, pregnant women, and women with children. Clearview Recovery strives to assist clients develop long term sobriety skills. Many clients live in the facility with their children, and whole family wellness services are offered through collaboration with community providers.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Substance, Counseling

501 North Sherman
Prairie City, IA 50228

Phone: 515-994-3562

Fax: 515-994-3564

Email: clearviewclndirector@msn.com

Website: www.clearviewrecoveryinc.org

Hours: 24/7

Colfax Clinic – Skiff Medical Center

Colfax Clinic offers services including family practice medical care, physicals, full laboratory services, minor surgical procedures, casting and fracture management, medical care for all ages, preventative health, wellness promotion, on site physical therapy, and medical aesthetics (Botox, dermal fillers, VIVITE, Latisse, chemical peels, Obagi, Clinique Medical).

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance

107 N. Walnut Street
Colfax, IA 50054

Phone: 515-674-4186

Website: www.skiffmed.com

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Monday
8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Tuesday
8:00 AM – 6:30 PM Wednesday
8:00 AM – 12:30 PM Thursday
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Friday

Colfax Community Preschool, Inc.

Colfax Community Preschool is a non-profit organization that serves children age three to five from the Colfax-Mingo school district and surrounding communities. Colfax Community Preschool provides children with both formal and informal activities to develop their social, emotional, physical, and intellectual abilities during the vital years before attending public school.

Service Categories: Education - Preschool

31 East State Street

Colfax, IA 50054

Phone: 515-674-9154

Email: colfaxcompreschool@aol.com

Hours: 4 & 5 Year Olds

8:00 – 11:35 AM Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

12:30 – 3:00 PM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

3 Year Olds- 9:00 – 11:30 AM Monday, Wednesday

Colfax-Mingo Elementary School

20 W. Broadway Street

Mingo, IA 50168

Phone: 515-674-3465

Fax: 515-674-4396

Website: www.colfax-mingo.k12.ia.us

Colfax-Mingo High School

204 N. League Road

Colfax, IA 50054

Phone: 515-674-4111

Website: www.colfax-mingo.k12.ia.us

Colfax-Mingo Middle School

307 W. Mohawk Drive

Mingo, IA 50168

Phone: 641-363-4282

Website: www.colfax-mingo.k12.ia.us

Colfax Police Department

1 W. Howard Street

Colfax, IA 50054

Phone: 515-674-9668

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday

Service Categories: Law Enforcement and Crime Prevention

Comfort Keepers

Comfort Keepers is an organization that helps people live full, independent, and dignified lives within the comfort of their own home while helping them maintain the highest level of independent living.

Service Categories: Senior Services

101 1st Avenue E.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-1399

Website: www.comfortkeepers.com

Department of Human Services (DHS)

The Department of Human Services serves elderly, disabled, and low-income families in Jasper County by providing assistance with child care, nursing facilities, and waiver programs. DHS is comprised of social workers who protect the safety of children and elderly, as well as maintenance workers who determine eligibility for programs including food assistance, family investment, and Medicaid for families, children, elderly, and disabled individuals.

Service Categories: Child Care, Child Protective Services, Disability and Home Based Services, Food Assistance, Health, Senior Services

115 N. 2nd Avenue E – Suite H

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-1955

Fax: 641-792-5830

Website: www.dhs.state.ia.us

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday

Diamond Trail Children's Center

Diamond Trail Children's Center provides a safe, dependable, caring environment for children by offering preschool programming, as well as before and after school activities, and full time summer programming.

Service Categories: Child Care, Education – Preschools

301 East Street

Lynnville, IA 50153

Phone: 641-527-2200

Website: www.diamondtrailcc.weebly.com

Email: diamondtrail@netins.net

Hours: 6:30 AM – 5:30 PM Monday – Friday

DMACC – Newton Campus

600 N. 2nd W.

Newton, IA 50168

Phone: 641-791-3622 1-800-362-2127

Website: www.dmaccc.edu

Domestic Violence – Iowa Hotline

Certified Domestic Violence Advocates are available 24/7 to offer crisis support, help victims find safe solutions statewide, answer questions, and provide resource referrals.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Domestic and Child, Hotlines and Websites

Phone: 1-800-942-0333

Website: www.cfiowa.org

Domestic Violence Alternatives Sexual Assault Center (DVA/SAC)

DVA/SAC is a non-profit agency empowering and advocating for domestic violence and sexual assault victims and their families, as well as working towards offender accountability. Free and confidential services include a safe shelter, individual peer counseling, medical and criminal justice advocacy, expert witness testimony, personal advocacy with agencies and other professionals, assistance with immigration issues, support groups, outreach to rural communities, and information and referrals to other agencies. DVA/SAC also provides staff trainings and in-services, and presentations and trainings to school faculty, students, community and agencies.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Domestic and Child, Advocacy, Counseling, General Assistance, Legal Aid, Shelter

108 W. 3rd Street S.
Newton IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-3446

Fax: 641-791-2593

24/7 Crisis Line: 1-800-779-3512

Email: dvasac@marshallnet.com

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM (outreach office hours)
24/7 access to crisis line, advocacy and shelter.

Drake University Head Start

Drake University Head Start offers comprehensive child development programs to three and four year olds in Jasper County. Programs are child focused with the goal of increasing the school readiness of young children in low-income families.

Service Categories: Education; Education - Preschool

700 North 4th Avenue East
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 515-271-4749

Website: www.drakeheadstart.org

Hours: **Morning Hours:** 8:30 AM – 12:00 PM
Afternoon Hours: 12:30 AM – 4:00 PM
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday

Elderly Nutrition

Jasper County Elderly Nutrition is a non-profit organization providing clients age 60 and older and their spouse, regardless of their age, nutritious well-balanced meals to help them remain independent as long as possible. Services include home delivered meals, on site meals in Colfax, Monroe, and Newton, holiday, emergency, and weekend meals, and Iowa Farmer's Market. Participants are encouraged to donate for their meals based on income.

Service Categories: Food Assistance

2401 1st Avenue East
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-7102

Fax: 641-792-7202

Website: www.co.jasper.ia.us

Hours: (Office) 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday-Friday

Noon meals served Monday-Friday

Weekend meals are available to clients on the Elderly Waiver.

Emerson Hough Educational Center

Emerson Hough Educational Center is the site of three and four year old community preschool, Head Start, and Heartland AEA Agency 11.

Service Categories: Education; Education - Preschool

700 N. 4th Avenue E.
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-3982

Fax: 641-792-1504

Website: www.newton.k12.ia.us

Employee and Family Resources (EFR)

EFR provides culturally relevant gambling, substance abuse, and employee assistance services including prevention, assessment, referral, case management, professional development, and communication accessibility to youth, adults, and families in Jasper, Marion, Polk, Warren, Dallas, and Madison counties.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Substance, Family Support Services, Gambling Support Services

505 5th Avenue – Suite 930
Des Moines, IA 50309

Phone: 515-288-9020

Fax: 515-288-4534

Website: www.efr.org

First Step

First Step is a volunteer operated non-profit organization offering assistance filing government paperwork to clients with limited reading abilities. Other services include financial advice, and a very limited number of protective payees. Residents of Jasper County may qualify for a utility deposit through and application and approval process.

Service Categories: Financial Assistance

120 1st Street N. – Suite 305
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-7084

Hours: 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Four Oaks Family and Children's Services

Four Oaks is a non-profit child welfare, juvenile justice, and behavioral health agency whose mission is to assure children become successful adults through a family based treatment philosophy. Four Oaks works with local school districts to provide creative, school-based programs to meet the needs of at risk students.

Service Categories: Counseling, Education – Support Services, Family Support Services

703 East 11th Street North
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-7272

Fax: 866-302-4340

Website: www.fouroaks.org

Hours: 7:30 AM – 3:30 PM Monday-Friday

Gay and Lesbian National Hotline

The Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender National Hotline offers confidential telephone and email peer-counseling to callers of all ages regarding coming-out issues, relationship concerns, HIV/AIDS, and safer-sex information.

Service Categories: Advocacy, Hotlines and Websites

Phone: 1-800-THE-GLNH

Website: www.glnh.org

Girl Scouts of Greater Iowa

Girl Scouts is a non-profit organization dedicated solely to girls – all girls – where, in an accepting and nurturing environment, girls build courage, confidence, and character for success in the real world. In partnership with committed adults, girls develop qualities that will serve them all their lives – like strong values, social conscience, and conviction about their own potential and self-worth.

Service Categories: Youth Development Programs

10715 Hickman Road
Des Moines, IA 50322

Phone: 1-800-342-8389

Website: www.girlscoutsiowa.org

Goodwill Industries of Central Iowa – Newton Center

Goodwill Industries strives to help people with disabilities and other barriers to gain employment and independence to become more fully contributing members of society. By collecting donations of clothing and household items, Goodwill thrift stores are able to fund job training and placement programs for people with disabilities and other barriers.

Service Categories: Affordable Clothing Assistance,
Disability and Home Based Services

118 1st Avenue E.
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-7472

Website: www.dmgoodwill.org

Hours: 9:00 AM – 9:00 PM Monday – Friday

9:00 AM – 6:00 PM Saturday

12:00 PM – 5:00 PM Sunday

Habitat for Humanity

Jasper County Habitat for Humanity partners with volunteers and sponsors from the community to provide affordable housing for low-income, working, families who have lived or worked in Jasper County for at least one year. Homes are sold to partner families for the value of materials and other limited expenses with 20 – 30 year loans at 0% interest.

402 1st Avenue E.
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-8600

Email: jaspercountyhabitat@gmail.com

Website: www.jasperhabitat.org

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Tuesday, Thursday

Haven of Hope

Haven of Hope is a church-sponsored non-profit home that assists families and individuals in need of short-term emergency shelter (one to three days) whether they are homeless, transient, have suffered a catastrophe such as a fire or flood or for other reasons. It is supported by local churches, agencies, businesses and individuals who are dedicated to supporting people facing adversity.

Service Categories: Shelter

Phone: 641-792-7300

Heartland Area Education Agency – Region 11

Heartland Area Education Agency (AEA) works in partnership with public and accredited private schools to provide educational services, programs and resources for improving student achievement and building cultural competence. Heartland AEA staff members serve children from birth to age 21, families, educators and communities.

Service Categories: Education – Support Services

700 N. 4th Avenue E.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-4870

Fax: 641-792-4518

Website: www.aea11.k12.ia.us

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday

Heartland Public Transit

Heartland Public Transit offers door to door transportation within Jasper County to all residents. To schedule transportation, call office at least 24 hours in advance. Rides are \$5.50 each way, with a reduced rate offered to passengers with fixed incomes. Payment is due at the time of service.

Service Categories: Transportation

2401 1st Avenue East

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-787-0366

Fax: 641-787-0367

Website: www.heartlandseniorservices.com

Office Hours: 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday – Friday

Trips Within Newton: 6:30 AM – 6:00 PM Monday – Friday

8:00 AM – 6:00 PM Saturday

9:00 AM – 6:00 PM Sunday

Trips Outside Newton: 7:00 AM – 5:30 PM Monday – Friday

Hephzibah House

Hephzibah House is a residential discipleship program that offers support classes to women in transition. Classes and support groups are also available to women in the community. Services are fee based and contingent on an application and interview process.

Service Categories: Transition Support Services

721 E. 4th Street N.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-1232

Email: info@hhnewton.org

Website: www.hhnewton.org

Home Instead Senior Care

Home Instead Senior Care provides non-medical services to help seniors remain safely in the comfort of their own home while providing support to the family and friends who care for them. Services offered include companionship home helpers, personal services, respite and Alzheimer's care, and short term recovery.

Service Categories: Senior Services

207 1st Avenue W.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-1800

Fax: 641-792-2728

Website: www.homeinstead.com

House of Mercy - Newton Center

House of Mercy is an outpatient treatment center that serves adults, adolescents, and children with substance abuse and mental health needs. Services include outpatient substance abuse assessment, outpatient chemical dependency treatment, OWI assessments, and mental health and expressive arts therapy.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Substance, Counseling, Mental Health

200 N 8th Avenue East

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-0717; 515-643-6514

Fax: 641-792-0730

Website: www.houseofmercydesmoines.org

Hours: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday – Friday

(Some evening hours by appointment, as well as evening treatment groups)

Inspirations Child Care and Preschool

Inspirations Child Care and Preschool provides a quality child care and preschool experience to help children develop spiritually, cognitively, socially, physically, and emotionally. They serve children ages 6 weeks to 10 years of age in a licensed center. Transportation is provided to and from preschool from local in-home centers for 4 year olds.

Service Categories: Child Care, Education – Preschools

12629 S. 92nd Avenue E.
Sully, IA 50251

Phone: 641-594-3355

Email: inspirationschildcare@yahoo.com

Hours: 6:30 AM – 5:30 PM Monday – Friday

Iowa Compass Hotline

The Iowa COMPASS hotline provides information and referrals about disability related services and programs.

Service Categories: Disability and Home Based Services,
Hotlines and Websites

Phone: 1-800-779-2001

Website: www.iowacompass.org

Iowa Comprehensive Human Services (ICHS)

ICHS provides employment services to disadvantaged individuals primarily age 14-21 in Jasper County. Assistance is offered to low income youth to complete a GED or high school diploma. Services also help to remove barriers so participants are able to successfully complete their life plan and become self sufficient. Participants are assisted with transportation, temporary day care, tutoring, and financial aid for emergency situations. Services based on income level.

Service Categories: Education – Support Services,
Employment Services

1111 9th Street Suite 260
Des Moines, IA 50314

Phone: 515-245-7800

Fax: 515-245-7803

Website: www.ichsyouthemployment.org

Hours: 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday – Thursday
8:00 AM – 2:00 PM Friday

Iowa Gambling Treatment Program

The Iowa Gambling Treatment Program offers the following services to individuals with a gambling addiction: assessment and evaluation, individual or group counseling, transitional housing, distance treatment, financial counseling, financial aid, confidentiality, and emergency assistance.

Service Categories: Gambling Support Services, Hotlines and
Websites

Phone: 1-800-BETS-OFF

Website: www.1800betsoff.org

Iowa Healthy Family Hotline

Iowa Healthy Family Hotline provides health information and referrals for pregnancy, immunizations, and other family related issues.

Service Categories: Family Support Services, Healthcare
Services and Medical Assistance,
Hotlines and Websites, Pregnancy
Support Services

Phone: 1-800-369-2229

Iowa Legal Aid

Iowa Legal Aid offers free legal assistance in civil legal issues such as housing, domestic violence, public benefit program denials, utility shut-offs, tax problems and consumer issues, to low-income persons.

Service Categories: Abuse & Prevention – Domestic,
Advocacy, Hotlines and Websites,
Housing, Legal Aid and Lawyer Referral,
Senior Services, Utility Assistance

Main Office:

1111 9th Street – Suite 230
Des Moines, IA 50314

Phone: 800-532-1275

Website: www.iowalegalaid.org

Hours: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM Monday-Friday

Jasper County Outreach:

Red Rock Area Community Action Program
115 North 2nd Avenue East Suite A
Newton, IA 50208

Hours: 3rd Friday of every month – 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Legal Hotline for Older Iowans (60 and over)

Phone: 800- 992-8161

Iowa State University Extension

(Jasper County Office)

Iowa State University Extension aims to help individuals in Jasper County become their best by providing programs, resources, and educational opportunities in six different areas: Agriculture and Natural Resources, Business and Industry, Communities, Continuing Education, Families, and 4H and Youth Development.

Service Categories: Advocacy, Education – Trainings, Family Support Services, Youth Support Services

550 North 2nd Avenue West
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-6433

Fax: 641-791-0769

Email: xjasper@iastate.edu

Website: www.extension.iastate.edu/jasper

Hours: 7:30 AM – 4:30 PM Monday- Thursday
7:30 AM – 1:00 PM Friday

Iowa State University Extension (ISUE) Early Care and Education

ISUE Child Care and Education offers services to child development home providers, child care centers, preschools, and parents seeking information about child care options in the county. Provides assistance recruiting new child care providers, assist early childhood programs in meeting DHS regulatory requirements, and offer trainings on a wide range of early childhood topics.

Service Categories: Child Care Support Services, Education - Trainings

550 North 2nd Avenue West
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-6433

Fax: 641-791-0769

Website: www.extension.iastate.edu/jasper

Hours: 7:30 AM – 4:30 PM Monday-Thursday
7:30 AM – 1:00 PM Friday

Jasper County Community Services – General Assistance

Jasper County Community Services - General Assistance serves low income residents of Jasper County. Services include interim assistance for individuals applying for Social Security Disability, crisis funds to avoid utility disconnect or eviction, and a one-time fill for certain medications.

Service Categories: Disability and Home Based Services, General Assistance, Prescription Assistance, Rent Assistance, Utility Assistance

115 North 2nd Avenue East
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-2609

Fax: 641-787-1302

Email: ga@co.jasper.ia.us

Website: www.co.jasper.ia.us

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Monday – Friday
(Walk-Ins welcome)

Jasper County Community Services – Mental Health

Jasper County Community Services – Mental Health offers funding for inpatient or outpatient mental health services to residents of Jasper County. Applicants must have a primary diagnosis of mental illness, chronic mental illness, or mental retardation.

Service Categories: Financial Assistance, Mental Health

115 N 2nd Avenue East
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-2304

Fax: 641-787-1302

Email: cpc@co.jasper.ia.us

Website: www.co.jasper.ia.us

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Monday – Friday

Jasper County Council for the Prevention of Child Abuse (JCCPCA)

JCCPCA is a non-profit organization providing child abuse prevention programs to enable family growth and development. Sexual abuse prevention programs are presented to kindergarten, third, and fifth graders in all Jasper County schools.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Domestic and Child

8866 West 122nd Street North
Mingo, IA 50168

Phone: 641-831-4531

Fax: 641-363-4575

Website: www.jccpca.org

Hours: 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday - Friday

Jasper County Empowerment

Jasper County Empowerment is a non-profit organization that supports programming for children ages 0-5 with a focus on early care, health and education. The Jasper County Empowerment Board provides funding to several area service providers, and also makes funding available to assist low-income families of Jasper County with the cost of preschool tuition. Families can contact the preschool of their choice for application information.

Service Categories: Education - Preschool,
Education - Support Services

Phone: 641-521-8856

Email: jasperempc@iowatelecom.net

Jasper County Free Medical Clinic

The Free Medical Clinic offers free walk-in service for illness, minor injury, employment physicals, patient assistance program enrollment, and chronic disease management.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance

300 N. 4th Avenue E.
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-787-3157

Hours: 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM Thursdays

Jasper County Home Care Aides

Jasper County Home Care Aides are trained to provide compassionate, intermittent services to help people remain in their own homes. Services offered include assistance with light housekeeping, laundry, food preparation, with personal care, improving home safety, companionship, and court ordered child and protective service.

Service Categories: Disability and Home Based Services,
Senior Services

115 N. 2nd Avenue E.
Newton, IA 50208
Phone: 641-787-9224
Fax: 641-791-4022

Jasper County Public Health Services

Jasper County Public Health Services is committed to excellence in providing compassionate, personalized public health care. This organization offers a variety of health services including blood pressure, foot care, and immunization clinics, disaster planning, communicable disease follow up, health promotion visits, and lifeline services.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance

204 North 4th Avenue East
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-5086

Fax: 641-791-4813

Website: www.skiffmed.com

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday

Jasper County Sheriff's Department

2300 Law Center Drive
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-5912

Service Categories: Law Enforcement and Crime Prevention

Jasper County Veteran Affairs

Jasper County Veteran Affairs offers assistance with the following claim forms: compensation, pension, burial, headstone application, education, dependency and indemnity, eligibility verification report, healthcare, insurance, and home loans. Indigent veteran assistance is also available for housing, food, and utilities.

Service Categories: Veteran Services

115 N. 2nd Avenue E.
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-7933

Fax: 641-792-9903

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Monday – Friday

Jasper/Poweshiek/Tama

Decategorization Project (JPT Decat)

JPT Decat is a non-profit organization that serves Jasper County youth using a community based approach to aid in the protection of children and enhancing the lives of at risk youth. Programs include Supporting Youth through Nurturing Communities (SYNC), Aggression Replacement Therapy and after school programming through the Newton YMCA, and Individualized Assistance through the Central Iowa Juvenile Detention Center.

Service Categories: Youth Support Services

115 North 2nd Avenue East

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-2632

Fax: 641-792-5830

Hours: 7:30 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday

Kid Assist

Kid Assist is a non-profit equipment loan program serving children, youth, and adults with disabilities in Jasper County. Through the loan of equipment such as walkers, bath and toileting aids, adapted bikes, low-tech switches and toys, bedside tables, adapted swim aids, swings, and other types of positioning aids for sitting and standing individuals with disabilities have the opportunity to experience an improved quality of life.

Service Categories: Disability and Home Based Services;
Equipment Loan Services

5158 West 58th Street North

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-521-1153

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday

Kindercare Learning Center

Kindercare Learning Center is designed to be a home away from home for children where they can develop academically and socially. Through balanced and wholesome meals, child health and safety, and group and age-appropriate learning Kindercare promotes the success of each child.

Service Categories: Child Care, Education – Preschool

202 North 3rd Avenue West

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-4233

Fax: 641-787-9227

Website: www.kindercare.com

Hours: 6:00 AM – 6:00 PM Monday – Friday

Lawyer Referral Services Hotline

Call this number to be referred to a local lawyer.

Service Categories: Hotlines and Websites, Legal Aid

Phone: 1-800-532-1108

Website: www.iowafindalawyer.com

Lutheran Services in Iowa

Lutheran Services in Iowa offers respite care, remedial/instructional support, and Supported Community Living (SCL) services.

Service Categories: Disability and Home Based Services

1714 N. 4th Avenue E. – Suite B

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-1541

Fax: 641-792-1542

Website: www.lsiowa.org

Lynnville Medical Center –

Grinnell Regional Medical Center

Services offered by the Lynnville Medical Clinic include family care services, women's health and well child checks, preventative screenings, diagnostic screenings and treatments, sports, annual, and DOT physicals, health education, and laboratory services.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance

303 E. Street

Lynnville, IA 50153

Phone: 641-527-2929

Website: www.grmc.us

Hours: 8:00 AM – 2:30 PM Monday

8:00 AM – 2:30 PM Tuesday

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Wednesday

8:00 AM – 2:30 PM Thursday

8:00 AM – 2:30 PM Friday

Lynnville-Sully Community School District

12476 Highway F-62 E.

Sully, IA 50251

Phone: 641-594-4445

High School – Extension 1

Elementary and Middle School – Extension 2

Website: www.lynnville-sully.k12.ia.us

Medline Plus

Medline Plus is a website offered by the National Institute of Health for patients and their family and friends. The site is produced by the National Library of Medicine and offers information about diseases, conditions, and wellness issues.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance, Hotlines and Websites

Website: www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/

Mid-Iowa Community Action, Inc. (MICA)

MICA is a private, non-profit, organization serving children and families affected by poverty in Jasper County. MICA's foundational programs include Early Head Start, Women, Infants, and Children (WIC), Maternal and Child Health, Weatherization, Energy Assistance, and Family Development.

Service Categories: Family Support Services, Food Assistance, Housing, Pregnancy Support Services, Rent Assistance, Utility Assistance

1001 S. 18th Avenue
Marshalltown, IA 50158

Phone: 641-792-0394

Website: www.micaonline.org

Monroe Clinic – Skiff Medical Center

Services offered by the Monroe Clinic include family practice medical care, sports physicals, referrals to specialists, full laboratory services, daily pharmaceutical delivery, pre-employment, pre-operative, and routine physicals, health fairs, well-baby checks, and health education.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance

206 E. Marion Street
Monroe, IA 50170

Phone: 641-259-3305

Website: www.skiffmed.com

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Monday

8:00 AM – 6:00 PM Tuesday

8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Wednesday

8:00 AM – 6:00 PM Thursday

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Friday

Monroe Elementary School

400 N. Jasper Street

Monroe, IA 50170

Phone: 641-259-2314

Fax: 641-259-2944

Website: www.pcmmonroe.k12.ia.us

Monroe Medical Clinic –

Pella Regional Health Center

Monroe Medical Clinic is a doctor office providing healthcare and healing services with Christian compassion.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance

100 E. Sherman Street

Monroe, IA 50170

Phone: 641-259-2155

Website: www.pellahealth.org

Hours: 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday – Friday

Monroe Police Department

107 N. Monroe Street

Monroe, IA 50170

Phone: 641-259-2311

Service Categories: Law Enforcement and Crime Prevention

National Alliance on Mental Illness Helpline

The National Alliance on Mental Illness Helpline offers general information about mental illness, referrals to local affiliates and support groups, and volunteer support.

Service Categories: Hotlines and Websites, Mental Health

Phone: 1-800-950-6264

Website: www.nami.org

National Council on Alcoholism and Drug

Dependence Hope Line

The National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence hotline offers referrals to local affiliate offices, as well as provides information about alcoholism and drug dependence.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Substance, Hotlines and Websites

Phone: 1-800-622-2255

Website: www.ncadd.org

National Mental Health Association Hotline

Information and literature regarding mental illness is provided to professionals and the general public.

Service Categories: Hotlines and Websites, Mental Health

Phone: 1-800-969-6642

Website: www.nmha.org

National Pregnancy Hotline

The National Pregnancy Hotline provides compassionate guidance and counseling to any woman or girl facing pregnancy. Services offered include assistance finding medical, legal, or psychological help, shelter, education, and adoption guidance as desired.

Service Categories: Hotlines and Websites, Pregnancy Support Services

Phone: 1-800-848-5683

Website: www.nationallifecenter.com

National Runaway Switchboard

The National Runaway Switchboard is a 24-hour crisis line serving teenagers thinking of running away or who have run away and want to return home. Also provides information to adults about how to help someone who may be at risk of running, and to teachers to pass along to students about youth homelessness and life on the streets.

Service Categories: Hotlines and Websites, Youth Support Services

Phone: 1-800-RUNAWAY

Website: www.1800runaway.org

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

The Lifeline network is a suicide hotline available to anyone in suicidal crisis or emotional distress providing crisis counseling or mental health referrals.

Service Categories: Hotlines and Websites, Mental Health

Phone: 1-800-273-TALK

Website: www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org

Newton Christian School

1710 N. 11th Avenue E.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-1924

Website: www.newtonchristianschool.com

Newton Clinic

Newton Clinic services include chronic disease management (diabetes, high blood pressure, etc.), acute illness (strep throat, sinus infection, etc.), behavioral health problems (anxiety, depression, etc.), well child and adult exams, sports physicals, pediatric care, family planning exams, immunizations, prenatal and OB services, laboratory services and EKG's, X-rays, stress tests, endoscopies and colonoscopies, splinting and casting, vasectomies, and referrals to other physicians as needed.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance

300 N. 4th Avenue E.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-2112

Website: www.newtonclinic.com

Hours: 7:30 AM – 6:00 PM Monday – Friday
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM Saturday

Newton Police Department

The Newton Police Department is a non-profit organization dedicated to the highest standards of excellence in professional law enforcement. Services offered through the police department include: Citizens Police Academy, school resource officer, neighborhood watch, domestic violence awareness and cell phones, drug abuse and personal protection information, vacation watch, and travel safety. The department strives to provide comprehensive program and education services.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Domestic and Child, Advocacy, Law Enforcement and Crime Prevention

101 West 4th Street South

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-0850

Fax: 641-791-0721

Website: www.newtongov.org

Hours: 7:30 AM – 5:00 PM Monday – Friday (Main Office)
Police patrol 24/7

Newton Schools Administration Offices

807 S. 6th Avenue W.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-0186

Website: www.newton.k12.ia.us

Newton Senior High School

800 E. 4th Street S.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-5797

Website: www.newton.k12.ia.us

Newton Workforce Center

The Newton Workforce Center assists clients with claims for unemployment insurance, registers clients for job search assistance, accepts job orders from employers and places them on the internet, administers proficiency testing including WorkKeys, helps with the Work Opportunity Tax Credit program, provides services to military veterans, conducts job seeking classes, administers the PROMISE JOBS program, and works with school districts on various levels of School-to-Work issues.

Service Categories: Employment Services

600 N. 2nd Avenue W.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-5100

Fax: 641-791-5110

Website: www.iowaworkforce.org

Hours: 8:30 – 4:30 Monday – Friday

Newton YMCA

The YMCA is a non-profit organization that serves all of Jasper County through a variety of programs. Programs include sports and recreation for youth and adults, fitness facilities and classes, swimming lessons, youth and teen activities, dance, gymnastics, arts and crafts, summer camps, and sports camps. Child care and preschool programming is available through the YMCA Child Care Center. Financial assistance is available based on true financial need.

Service Categories: Child Care, Family Support Services

1701 South 8th Avenue East

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-4006

Fax: 641-791-3355

Website: www.newtonymca.org

Summer Hours (June 1 – September 30):

5:00 AM – 8:00 PM Monday – Friday

6:00 AM – 1:00 PM Saturday

1:00 PM – 5:00 PM Sunday

Winter Hours (October 1 – May 31)

5:00 AM – 9:00 PM Monday - Thursday

5:00 AM – 8:00 PM Friday

6:00 AM – 7:00 PM Saturday

1:00 PM – 5:00 PM Sunday

Noah's Ark Preschool

Noah's Ark Preschool serves children ages three to five and their families by supporting and developing children's academic, socio-emotional, physical, and religious growth. Noah's Ark is structured and operated as a school with primary emphasis on supporting children's learning and development. Students must be three years old by September 15 to be enrolled in the preschool program, or four years old by September 15 to be enrolled in the pre-kindergarten program.

Service Categories: Education – Preschools

902 East 15th Street South

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-2083

Email: noahsarkorg@aol.com

Hours: Pre-Kindergarten: 8:15 AM – 11:15 AM

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Pre-Kindergarten: 12:00 PM – 2:45 PM

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

Preschool: 8:15 AM – 10:45 AM Tuesday, Thursday

(Noah's Ark follows an August – June schedule similar to public schools)

Optimae LifeServices, Inc.

Optimae LifeServices provides home based services and counseling primarily to individuals with intellectual disabilities or mental illness, as well as behavioral health, home health services, and 24 hour residential sites. Optimae offers comprehensive, customer driven, services which encourage choice, empowerment, and community integration.

Service Categories: Counseling, Disability and Home Based Services, Mental Health

1422 1st Avenue East
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-787-9133

Fax: 641-787-9135

Website: www.optimaelifeservices.com

Hours: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday – Friday
(and by appointment)

Parents As Teachers

Parents as Teachers is a program offered by Jasper County Council for the Prevention of Child Abuse that provides information, support, and encouragement parents need to help their children develop optimally from prenatal to age 5.

Service Categories: Education – Support Services, Family Support Services, Abuse and Prevention – Domestic and Child.

8866 West 122nd Street North
Mingo, IA 50168

Phone: 641-831-4531

Fax: 641-363-4575

Website: www.jccpca.org

Hours: 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday - Friday

Park Centre – A Wesley Life Community

Park Centre is a retirement community offering both independent and assisted living options. On site amenities include a full time wellness instructor, fitness center, swim spa, creative arts studio, library, coffee shop, and The Bistro café.

Service Categories: Senior Services

500 1st Street N.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-5000

Website: www.wesleylife.org

Peck Child Development Center

Peck Child Development Center is a private non-profit organization licensed by the state of Iowa to provide quality child care services to children ages two to ten years. Peck Child Development Center offers full time, part time, and school age before and after school care. Other services include preschool and summer school-age programming.

Service Categories: Child Care, Education – Preschools

513 East 5th Street North
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-7228

Fax: 641-792-1528

Hours: 6:00 AM- 5:30 PM Monday-Friday

Planned Parenthood of the Heartland

Planned Parenthood of the Heartland is a leader in providing accessible and confidential reproductive health care, as well as education and advocacy that is responsive to the needs and rights of families and individuals. With the belief that all men, women, and families have the right to excellent health care, no one is ever turned away.

Service Categories: Advocacy, Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance, Pregnancy Support Services

615 North 2nd Avenue West
Newton, IA 50028

Phone: 877-811-7526

Website: www.ppheartland.org

Hours: 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Prairie City Elementary School

309 E. Plainsmen Road
Prairie City, IA 50228

Phone: 515-994-2377

Fax: 515-994-3280

Website: www.pcmmonroe.k12.ia.us

Prairie City Monroe High School

400 E. Highway 163
Monroe, IA 50170

Phone: 641-259-2315

Fax: 641-259-2317

Website: www.pcmmonroe.k12.ia.us

Prairie City Monroe Middle School

407 E. Plainsmen Road
Prairie City, IA 50228
Phone: 515-994-2686
Fax: 515-994-3342
Website: www.pcmunroe.k12.ia.us

Prairie City Police Department

203 E. Jefferson Street
Prairie City, IA 50208
Phone: 515-994-2649
Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday

Service Categories: Law Enforcement and Crime Prevention

Pregnancy Center of Central Iowa

The Pregnancy Center offers free and confidential support to those facing an unplanned pregnancy. Free services include pregnancy testing, options counseling, information, practical assistance, and referrals.

Service Categories: Pregnancy Support Services

200 N. 8th Avenue E. – Suite C
Newton, IA 50208
Phone: 641-792-3050
Email: pcci@pcpartner.net
Website: www.pcciowa.com
Hours: 1:00 – 5:00 Monday – Thursday

Progress Industries

Progress Industries is a private non-profit organization providing residential and vocational services for children and adults with mental and physical disabilities in Central Iowa. Services offered include home and community based services, supported community living, intermediate care facility for persons with mental retardation, pre-vocational work services, psychological rehabilitation for people with mental illness, supported employment, and day habilitation program. Referrals are accepted through the Department of Human Services and private pay.

Service Categories: Disability and Home Based Services, Employment Services

2409 North 5th Avenue East
Newton, IA 50208
Phone: 641-792-6119
Fax: 641-792-0337
Website: www.progressindustries.org
Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday
(administrative offices, vocational training center, day habilitation, and supported employment services)

Quakerdale

Quakerdale is a non-profit organization helping youth and families overcome challenges and live better lives through preventative services, life learning, and Christian ministry. Quakerdale professionals and friends help children overcome challenges, support families, resolve conflict in times of crisis, and restore youth and their families to health and functionality. Services offered include in-home or in-office counseling and skill development, mental health assessments, family team meetings, functional family therapy, and equine therapy.

Service Categories: Counseling, Family Support Services, Mental Health, Youth Support Services

*Services and assessments available on-sight in Jasper County

Marshalltown Office (Serves Jasper County)

1909 Summit
Marshalltown, IA 50158
Phone: 641-752-3912
Fax: 641-752-3639
Website: www.quakerdale.org
Hours: 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday – Friday (Office)
(Services by appointment, call to schedule)

Rape, Abuse & Incest National Hotline (RAINN)

RAINN anonymously and automatically connects sexual assault victims with the nearest rape crisis center and a counselor who is able to respond to the call.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Domestic and Child, Hotlines and Websites

Phone: 1-800-656-HOPE

Website: www.rainn.org

Red Rock Area Community

Action Programs, Inc. (RRACAP)

RRACAP is a non-profit organization addressing the needs of low income and disadvantaged residents of Jasper County. Programs offered through RRACAP include: homeless prevention, low income home energy assistance, food vouchers, emergency crisis intervention, emergency rent and utility assistance, low cost weatherization, senior living program, and legal aid.

Service Categories: Advocacy, Counseling, Food Assistance, Housing, Legal Aid and Lawyer Referral, Rent Assistance, Utility Assistance

115 North 2nd Avenue East Suite A
Newton, IA 50208
Phone: 641-792-3008
Fax: 641-792-3512
Website: www.iowacommunityaction.org
Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday

Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)

RSVP develops a variety of opportunities for volunteers age 55 and over who are willing to share their experience, abilities, and skills for the betterment of their community and themselves. Volunteers have opportunities to be involved with the Heart Literacy Program helping elementary students with reading, providing transportation for citizens to vital appointments, the Tax Assistance Program helping low and fixed income citizens prepare tax forms, making Seniors Against Investment Fraud presentations to fellow seniors, warning siren monthly reporters, as well as additional opportunities with Jasper County Elderly Nutrition, Neal Smith Wildlife Refuge, and many more.

Service Categories: Education – Support Services, Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance, Senior Services, Tax Assistance Service, Transportation

550 N. 2nd Avenue W.
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-6433

Fax: 641-791-0769

Hours: 7:30 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Thursday
7:30 AM – 1:00 PM Friday

Salvation Army

The Salvation Army provides emergency assistance with rent and utilities for low-income residents of Jasper County who have received utility disconnects or rental evictions. It also offers emergency overnight accommodations, prescriptions, food, clothing, and household assistance. Other services include food baskets at Easter, Thanksgiving, and Christmas, and back-to-school supply and Christmas toy drives. The Salvation Army also accepts donations at their thrift store.

Service Categories: Affordable Clothing Assistance, Emergency Services, Food Assistance, Prescription Assistance, Rent Assistance, Utility Assistance,

301 N. 2nd Avenue E.
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-6131

Fax: 641-792-5427

Hours: 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Monday – Friday
1:00 PM – 4:00 PM Monday – Friday

Salvation Army Loan Closet

The Loan Closet accepts donations of previously used medical equipment (wheelchairs, beds, crutches, etc.). Equipment is sanitized and loaned to those who are unable to purchase new equipment.

Service Categories: Disability and Home Based Services, Equipment Loan Services

424 S. 2nd Avenue E.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-6131

Hours: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

Share Preschool

Share Preschool assists parents in the development of their children by offering preschoolers a Christian setting in which to grow, learn, and to develop physically, intellectually, spiritually, emotionally, and socially.

Service Categories: Education – Preschools

1115 S. 8th Avenue E.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-8639

Email: a2z@sharepreschool.com

Website: www.sharepreschool.com

Skiff Home Care

Skiff Home Care is committed to excellence in providing compassionate, personalized home health care. Services include home health aide, home health care-skilled nursing, physical, speech, and occupational therapy, and medical social worker services. Medicare clients must be homebound, and insurance providers must approve home visits.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance, Senior Services

204 North 4th Avenue East

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-5086

Fax: 641-791-4813

Website: www.skiffmed.com

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday
(Nurse on call 24/7)

Skiff Hospice

Skiff Hospice is committed to providing excellent care to residents of Jasper County with a life limiting or terminal illness. They care for patients in their home, nursing home, or inpatient unit assisted living center. Skiff Hospice offers bereavement support services and bereavement packets to adults, teens, and children who have experienced a loss, and volunteer training and follow up sessions.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance, Senior Services

204 North 4th Avenue East
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-787-3074

Fax: 641-787-3094

Website: www.skiffmed.com

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Monday- Friday
(On call nurse during remaining hours and holidays)
Monarch Wing open for service 24/7

Skiff Medical Center

Skiff Medical Center strives to meet community needs by providing compassionate and personalized health care services.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance

204 N. 4th Avenue E.
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-1273

Website: www.skiffmed.com

Sully Christian School

12629 S. 92nd Avenue E.
Sully, IA 50251

Phone: 641-594-4180

Website: www.sullychristian.org

Sully Medical Clinic – Pella Regional Health Center

Sully Medical Clinic is a doctor office providing healthcare and healing services with Christian compassion.

Service Categories: Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance

704 Third Street
Sully, IA 50251

Phone: 641-594-3150

Website: www.pellahealth.org

Hours: 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday – Friday

Teen Challenge of the Midlands

Teen Challenge of the Midlands is a Christian non-profit organization that offers a 12 month, residential discipleship program for men and women with life controlling addictions. The program includes mentoring classes, Graduate Equivalent Degree (GED) support, and work study opportunities. Admission is based on eligibility requirements. Teen Challenge also provides assistance to local churches in establishing and operating ministries for individuals and families in need of support.

Service Categories: Abuse and Prevention – Substance, Counseling

900 North League Road
PO Box 185
Colfax, IA 50054

Phone: 515-674-3713

Fax: 515-674-4463

Website: www.tcmid.org

Hours: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday – Friday (office hours)

Thomas Jefferson Elementary School

112 Thomas Jefferson Drive
Lambs Grove, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-2498

Fax: 641-792-2716

Website: www.newton.k12.ia.us

United Way of Jasper County

The United Way of Jasper County is a non-profit organization that offers free FamilyWise prescription discount cards to residents of Jasper County. Cards may be used at participating pharmacies throughout the county for all prescriptions not covered by insurance.

Service Categories: Prescription Assistance

113 1st Avenue W.
Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-1684

Fax: 641-792-0169

Website: www.unitedwayofjaspercounty.org

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Monday – Friday

USDA Rural Development

USDA Rural Development works to deliver quality programs that will increase economic opportunity and improve the quality of life for Iowans. The agency's direct and guaranteed rural credit programs help families find affordable housing, assist businesses, and allow communities to build or improve facilities.

Service Categories: Housing

Albia Office (Serves Jasper County)

1709 S. B Street.

Albia, IA 52531

Phone: 641-932-3031

Fax: 641-932-3370

Website: www.rurdev.usda.gov/ia

Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 AM Monday – Friday

Visiting Nurse Services of Iowa

Visiting Nurse Services of Iowa provides medical and social services to women, children, adults, seniors, families, and communities in Jasper County. Nursing services include home visits, family support, parent education, transportation, and flu immunizations.

Service Categories: Family Support Services, Healthcare Services and Medical Assistance, Senior Services

1111 9th Street – Suite 320

Des Moines, IA 50314

Phone: 515-288-1516

Fax: 515-288-0437

Website: www.vnsdm.org

WesleyLife Home Care

WesleyLife is a non-profit organization. WesleyLife's mission: Guided by Christian compassion, they support the independence, health and well-being of older adults wherever they call home. WesleyLife home care provides services including housekeeping, med reminders, nursing, personal cares and errands. When you have a need for ongoing or day-to-day support in order to remain independent at home, WesleyLife Home Care is a great option.

Service Categories: Senior Services

501 E. 2nd Street N.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-4547

Website: www.wesleylife.org

WesleyLife Home Health

WesleyLife is a non-profit organization. WesleyLife's mission: Guided by Christian compassion, we support the independence, health and well-being of older adults wherever they call home. WesleyLife Home Health is a Medicare-certified service provided in the comfort and convenience of your home. When skilled care is required and ordered by your physician, look to WesleyLife Home Health.

Service Categories: Senior Services

501 E. 2nd Street N.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-4547

Website: www.wesleylife.org

Willowbrook, a Wesley Life Adult Day Care Center

Willowbrook is a non-profit organization guided by Christian compassion, supporting the health and well being of older adults. Offering services to primarily older adults, and anyone over 21 years old who meets the criteria. Willowbrook provides wellness monitoring by a registered nurse, and programming that stimulates the mind and encourages the spirit. Medicaid certified, and accepting of all income levels. VA funding is available.

Service Categories: Senior Services

501 East 2nd Street North

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-791-4500

Fax: 641-791-4529

Website: www.wesleylife.org

Hours: 7:30 AM to 5:30 PM Monday-Friday

Woodrow Wilson Elementary

801 S. 6th Avenue W.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-7311

Fax: 641-792-0186

Website: www.newton.k12.ia.us

YMCA Child Care Center

YMCA Child care Center provides an environment to make early learning years a success with care for children six weeks to five years

Service Categories: Child Care, Education – Preschools

2713 N. 4th Avenue E.

Newton, IA 50208

Phone: 641-792-7021

Website: www.newtonymca.org

Young Hearts Children's Center

Young Hearts Children's Center provides children with an opportunity to discover the world around them through creative play and exploration in a safe and caring environment. Children engage in dramatic play, creative art, math, science, small and large motor skills, language development, and music on a daily basis.

Service Categories: Child Care

31 East State Street

Colfax, IA 50054

Phone: 515-674-9225

Fax: 515-674-9192

Email: younghearts@qwestoffice.net

Hours: 6:00 AM – 5:30 Monday - Friday

(Closed on major holidays)