

### **Nurse-Family Partnership**

769 Pipestone, PO Box 706, Benton Harbor, MI  
(269) 927-5631

\*Provides a nurse home visiting program

### **Housing**

#### **Emergency Shelter Services**

645 Pipestone, Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(269) 925-1131

\*Serves Homeless women, children & families for 30 days

#### **Housing Commission**

Benton Harbor (269) 927-3544  
Benton Township (269) 927-3541  
Niles (269) 683-2783  
St. Joseph (269) 983-2814

#### **The Link** (269) 927-1422

\*Emergency housing for youth

#### **Polly's Place** Niles (269) 687-9822

#### **Rural Development** (269) 657-7055

\*Home loans & home repairs for low income families that own their home

#### **Southwest MI Community Action Agency**

(269) 925-9077 or (800) 334-7670

\*Programs and options vary throughout the year

#### **Salvation Army** (269) 927-1353

\*Shelter for men ages 18+

### **Parenting Support & Programs**

#### **Riverwood Infant Mental Health**

1485 S. M-139, Benton Harbor, MI 49022 (269) 925-0952  
309 N. 5th St., Niles, MI 49120 (269) 684-4270

\*Provides home based counseling, child development and parenting education to promote nurturing family relationships.

#### **Andrews Community Counseling Center**

Berrien Springs, MI (269) 471-3472

\*Provide free counseling and psychological services to our community

### **Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS)**

\*A program geared specifically for all mothers of young children, newborn to age six.

First Church of God, St. Joseph (269) 983-1524

Central Assembly, Coloma (269) 468-8422

Seventh Day Adventist Church, Niles (269) 683-5998

#### **Lory's Place**

445 Upton Drive Suite 9, St. Joseph, MI (269) 983-2707

\*Provide peer support group services for grieving children and their families

#### **Child and Family Services of Southwest MI**

2450 M-139, Benton Harbor, MI (269) 925-1725

\*Provide pregnancy counseling, infant foster care and adoption. Also offer individual and family counseling.

#### **Gateway Margaret B. Upton Center**

2015 Lakeview, St. Joseph, MI 49085 (269) 983-3981

\*Provide therapy for children with physical and developmental delays as well as parent training and support.

#### **Michigan Alliance for Families**

(800) 552-4821

\*Provide information, support, and education for families with children and adults with disabilities

#### **Parents as Teachers Program**

(269) 471-7725 extension 1168

\*Available to all families from pregnancy to 36 months. Includes parent visits, screening, group events & community resources

#### **Big Brothers Big Sisters**

(269) 684-1100

\*Mentoring programs for youth

#### **Y Uncles (boys) & Y Partners (girls)**

(269) 428-9622

\*Mentoring programs for youth

#### **Parental Stress Line** (800) 422-4453

### **Grandparent Raising Grandchildren & Relatives as Parents Program**

(800) 442-2803 or (877) 660-2725

#### **Parent Help Line** (800) 942-4357

\*Confidential help for parents and children

#### **First Call For Help** (800) 310-5454

\*Day care needs, financial needs, youth needs

### **Free Legal Aid**

1-888-418-1311

### **Poison Center**

1-800-222-1222

### **Transportation**

#### **Dial-A-Ride**

275 E. Wall St., Benton Harbor, MI (269) 927-4461

623 N. Second St., Niles, MI 49120 (269)684-5150

4676 E. Shawnee, Berrien Springs, MI 49103  
(269) 697-0600

Niles/Buchanan (269) 684-5150

#### **Berrien County Public Transportation**

(269) 471-1100 or (800) 654-1827

#### **Medic 1**

Emergencies: (269) 925-2141

Non-Emergencies: (800)557-1212



# Directory of Services

## Early On® Interagency Services for Infants/Toddlers



### **Berrien Regional Education Service Agency**

**711 St. Joseph Avenue  
Berrien Springs, MI 49103  
269-471-7725**

### **Don't find what you need?**

**FIRST CALL FOR HELP**

**1-800-310-5454**

**Or**

**269-925-7707**

**Surf: <http://swmi.info>**

## Day Care and Respite Services

### **Area Agency on Aging-Senior Volunteer Aides and Foster Grandparents Program**

2900 Lakeview, St. Joseph, MI 49085 (269) 983-0177

\*Foster grandparents are available to go into area hospitals and schools

### **Child and Family Services of Southwest MI**

2450 M-139, Benton Harbor, MI 49022 (269) 925-1725  
\* 24 hour crisis help/domestic violence shelter  
www.cfsswmi.org

### **Child Care Resources**

401 Eighth St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(269) 925-5575 or (800) 343-3470

\*Coordinates support services for child care providers & coordinates support services for families looking for child care

### **Berrien County Department of Human Services**

401 Eight St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 934-2000

\*Low income day care program assist in paying day care expenses for families that meet the income requirements

### **Riverwood Community Mental Health**

1485 M-139, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 925-0585

\*Respite worker services

## Food & Clothing Services

### **Benton Harbor Street Ministry**

200 E. Empire, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 925-4333

\*Food bank and spiritual support

### **Neighbor to Neighbor**

9147 US 31, Berrien Springs, MI 49103

(269) 471-7411

\*Food pantry, formula, diapers, furniture, emergency services, thrift store. Open Tue. & Thur.

### **Catholic Community Center**

589 Pearl St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 926-6424

\*Agency referral required

### **Coloma, United Methodist Church**

144 S. Church St., Coloma, MI 49038

(269) 468-6062

\*Food pantry serving North Berrien County.  
Open M-F 9am-12pm

### **Goodwill**

2200 Orchard Crossing, Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(269) 926-8161

918 Silverbrook, Niles, MI 49120 (269) 684-5452

\*Sell infant/toddler clothing, maternity clothing and some baby items

### **Helping Hands**

142 S. Broadway, Cassopolis, MI

(269) 445-8104

\*Food and clothing locker & emergency gasoline

### **First Call For Help**

(269) 925-7707 or (800) 310-5454

### **Pregnancy Care Center**

311 East Main, Niles, MI 49120

(269) 684-6200

\*Free pregnancy testing, options counseling, and parenting classes

### **Red Bud Area Ministries**

708 N. Red Bud Trail, PO Box 341, Buchanan, MI 49107 (269) 695-5083

\*Food pantry, utility & fuel assistance, counseling

### **Salvation Army**

233 Michigan, Benton Harbor, MI 49022 (269) 927-1353  
424 N. 15th St., Niles, MI 49120 (269) 684-2660

\*Provide assistance with food, clothing and furniture. Need proof of income and an I.D.

### **St. Mary's Christian Service Center**

322 Clay Street, Niles, MI 49120 (269) 684-0637

\*Food pantry

### **Soup Kitchen**

233 Michigan St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022 (269) 925-8204

\*Hot meal for free during the noon hour

### **Southwest Community Action Agency**

185 E. Main St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022 (800) 334-7670

\*Food pantry & food program

## Health Services & Clinics

### **Birthright of St. Joseph, Inc.**

2700 Niles Ave., St. Joseph, MI 49085

(269) 983-0700 or (800) 550-4900

\*Pregnancy testing and information

### **Lakeland Family Resource Center**

60. N. St. Joseph Ave., Niles, MI 49120 (269) 683-6859

\*Provide nursing, nutrition and social work services to infants and their families in the home

### **Berrien Springs Hearing Impaired Program**

1 Sylvester Ave., Berrien Springs, MI 49103 (269) 471-8858

### **MI Child**

MI Dept of Community Health (888) 988-6300

\*Children's supplemental health insurance for those who do not qualify for Medicaid and for whom do not have health insurance from an employer

### **Southwest Michigan Community Action Agency**

185 E. Main St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(800) 334-7670 or (269) 925-9077 Ext. 19

\*Sign up for Medicaid for eligible persons under age 21

### **Berrien County Health Department**

769 Pipestone, Benton Harbor, MI 49022 (269) 926-7121  
1205 Front St., Niles, MI 49120 (269) 684-2800

21 N. Elm St., Three Oaks, MI 49128 (269) 756-2008

\*WIC, Immunizations, Children's Special Health Care Services, and Nurse Family Partnership (Pre-natal Services)

### **Berrien County Department of Human Services**

401 Eight St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022 (269) 934-2000

\*Three Medicaid health insurance programs for pregnant women; Healthy Kids for Pregnant Woman, Group 2 Pregnant Women, & MOMS. Healthy Kids is also for children 19 yr. of age and under.

### **Mercy Health Clinic-Maternal Support Services**

960 Agard, Benton Harbor, MI 49022 (269) 927-5165

\*Provide clinic and home based services that include nutritional, social work and nursing assistance for pregnant women. Transportation and mileage reimbursement for medical appointments

### **InterCare Community Health Network**

Infant Support/Maternal Support Services

697 Weld, Benton Harbor, MI 49022 (269) 927-5400

6270 W. Main, Eau Claire, MI 49111 (269) 461-6927

\*Provide nursing, nutrition and social work services to infants and their families in the home

### **Dental Resources**

*(Medicaid providers and also sliding scale fee for those without Medicaid)*

#### Benton Harbor

Dr. Peadbody (269) 927-1375

Harbor Dental (269) 927-1313

#### Berrien Springs

Brite Dental (269) 471-7970

#### Niles

Dr. Rusher (269) 683-1171

#### Eau Claire

Inter Care Community Health Network (269) 461-6927

### **Hearing Impaired TTY**

(800) 649-3777