

FAMILY SERVICES & ASSISTANCE

GREAT RIVERS CONSORTIUM: CALL 888-283-0012

PROVIDES SERVICES FOR INCOME ELIGIBLE RESIDENTS FOR BADGERCARE, DAYCARE ASSISTANCE, ENERGY ASSISTANCE, AND FOOD SHARE

WESTCAP FAMILIES TRANSITION PROGRAM: CALL 800-606-9227

PROVIDES SERVICES FOR INCOME ELIGIBLE RESIDENTS FOR JUMPSTART CAR PROGRAM, RENT&UTILITY ASSISTANCE, WINTERIZING, & ADULT EDUCATION ASSISTANCE.

WELL BADGER: CALL 1-800-642-7837

WELL BADGER RESOURCE CENTER IS YOUR CONNECTION TO COMMUNITY, SOCIAL, HEALTH, AND GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS. YOUR ONE-STOP PLACE TO FIND WHAT YOU NEED, WHEN YOU NEED IT.

FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER ST.CROIX VALLEY

CALL: 715-684-4440

OFFERS PARENT EDUCATION TO ALL FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO AGE 6. PROGRAMS INCLUDING, HOSPITAL & HOME VISTIS, SCREENINGS, PLAY & LEARN, BABY & ME CLASSES, AND A YOUNG PARENT PROGRAM.

POLK COUNTY EARLY LEARNING CENTER

CALL: 715-483-3413

PROVIDES SERVICES FOR INCOME ELIGIBLE FAMILES THAT FOCUSES ON SCHOOL READINESS, HEALTH & DENTAL, FAMILY SERVICES, MENTAL HEALTH, AND NUTRITION.

TIFFANY MEYER FAMILY SUPPORT WORKER PROGRAM CALL 715-554-3709 TIFFANY.MEYER@POLKCOUNTYWI.GOV





EARLY CHILDHOOD LEARNING & SUPPORT

LIBRARIES

LIBRARIES OFFER DIFFERENT OPPORTUNITIES SUCH AS STORY TIME, SPECIAL EVENTS, BOOK GROUPS, & MOVIES. STORY TIME IS A GREAT WAY FOR CHILDREN TO LEARN NEW THINGS WHILE BEING READ TO AND PLAY WITH OTHER KIDS.

FREDERIC: 715-327-4979

MILLTOWN: 715-825-2313

CHILD CARE: CALL 715-782-1700

CHILDCARE PARTNERSHIP HELPS FAMILIES FIND SAFE CHILDCARE IN THE AREA.

WI SHARES CHILD CARE SUBSIDY PROGRAM: CALL 1-888-283-0012 HELPS INCOME ELIGIBLE FAMILES PAY FOR CHILDCARE.

BIRTH TO 3 PROGRAM: CALL 715-483-8400

PROVIDES FREE SCREENINGS AND EVALUATIONS FOR CHILDREN BIRTH TO 3 YEARS OLD WHO HAVE DELAYS OR DISABILITIES. CHILDREN WHO HAVE 25% DEVELOPMENT DELAY QUALIFY TO RECEIVE COACHING SERVICES IN THEIR HOME OR DAYCARE.

SCHOOL DISTRICT PROGRAMS

4 YEAR OLD KINDERGARTEN:

PROVIDES A FREE PRESCHOOL PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN WHO TURN 4 YEARS OLD BY SEPTEMBER 1ST. OFFERS A PLAY-BASED PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN TO LEARN IN A FUN AND SAFE WAY.

COMMUNITY EDUCATION:

PROVIDES EDUCATIONAL, SOCIAL, RECREATIONAL, & CULTURAL OPPORTUNITIES TO CHILDREN & ADULTS.

FREDERIC COMMUNITY EDUCATION: 715-327-4221

COMMUNITY REFERRAL AGENCY: CALL 715-825-4414

OFFERS SERVICES FOR VICTIMS & SURVIVORS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND SEXUAL ASSAULT. SERVICES INCLUDE TEMPORARY SHELTER, CRISIS LINE, SUPPORT GROUPS, ADVOCACY, REFERRALS, AND EDUCATION.



MENTAL HEALTH & HOUSING RESOURCES

MENTAL HEALTH & SUICIDE

MENTAL HEALTH TASK FORCE: CRISIS # 888-948-6483

HELPS TO FIND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES IN THE POLK COUNTY AREA.

POLK COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH: CALL 715-485-8400

PROVIDES MENTAL & BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES.

PREVENT SUICIDE WISCONSIN: CALL 800-273-8255

PROVIDES A SUICIDE HOTLINE TO CALL, RESOURCES, WI SUICIDE FACTS, AND WI COALITION INFORMATION.

NORTHWEST CONNECTIONS: CALL 888-552-6642

PROVIDES EMERGENCY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES TO CONTRACTED COUNTIES IN WISCONSIN. NWC'S GOAL IS TO PROVIDE THE LEAST RESTRICTIVE RESPONSE TO CRISIS SIUTATIONS.

THE SALVATION ARMY: THE FAMILY HOUSE SHELTER

CALL 715-338-9413 1150 12TH STREET/COUNTY HWY TT BARRON, WI 54812

THE SALVATION ARMY FAMILY HOUSE IS LOCATED IN BARRON, WISCONSIN. THIS PROGRAM SERVES INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILES WHO ARE EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS. <u>EMERGENY</u> <u>SHELTER</u> IS AVAILABLE 24 HOURS A DAY. EMERGENCY SHELTER PROVIDES HOUSING FOR UP TO 90 DAYS, IF NEEDED.

TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROVIDES A SUPPORT SYSTEM WITH LONG TERM SUPPORT TO BUILD A SOLID RENT HISTORY, FIND PERMANENT HOUSING, & CONNECTING FAMILIES WITH COMMUNITY RESOURCES.

COMMUNITY SHELTER DIRECTORY

FAITH HOUSE - SIREN, WI: CALL 715-349-8744

SALVATION ARMY SHELTER PROVIDING SHELTER TO HOMELESS FAMILIES RESIDING IN BURNETT COUNTY & SURROUNDING AREAS.

NORTHWOODS HOMELESS SHELTER-LUCK, WI:

CALL 715-268-5730 OR 715-554-0137

PROVIDES UP TO 90 DAYS OF STAY FOR HOMELESS FAMILIES & INDIVIDUALS. CAN PROVIDE LONG-TERM HOUSING FOR RESIDENTS THAT HAVE LONG-TERM ISSUES.



COMMUNITY FOOD RESOURCE DIRECTORY

POLK COUNTY WIC PROGRAM: CALL 715-483-8520

- PROVIDES WHOLESOME FOODS FOR PREGNANT WOMEN, NEW MOMS, INFANTS, AND CHILDREN UNDER 5 YEARS OLD.
- BREASTFEEDING SUPPORT
- REFERRALS TO OTHER COMMUNITY SERVICES.

FOOD SHARE PROGRAM (FOODSTAMPS)

GREAT RIVERS CALL CENTER: CALL 888-283-0012 FOR HELP APPLYING, CALL MAUREEN WILSON FOOD SHARE SPECIALIST 715-496-3121

FOOD BACKPACK PROGRAM

ALL STUDENTS CAN RECEIVE A "BACKPACK" FULL OF FOOD WEEKLY. CALL FREDERIC ELEMENTARY OFFICE TO SIGN UP: 715-327-4221

FREE OR REDUCED PRICE SCHOOL LUNCH

FREE OR REDUCED PRICE SCHOOL BREAKFAST & LUNCH ARE AVAILABLE TO LOW INCOME FAMILIES. ALL HOUSEHOLDS RECEIVING FOODSHARE CAN GET FREE MEALS. WIC FAMILIES ARE ELIGIBLE FOR REDUCED OR FREE MEALS. **CONTACT YOUR SCHOOL OFFICE FOR PAPERWORK TO APPLY: 715-327-4221**

FOOD SHELF DIRECTORY

FAMILY PATHWAYS FOOD SHELF: CALL 715-327-4225

1100 WISCONSIN AVE S, FREDERIC, WI 54837 FOR BEST SERVICE, CALL FOR HOURS & APPOINTMENTS LOAVES & FISHES: 300 WEST 3RD AVE, LUCK, WI 54853 RUBY'S PANTRY SURPLUS FOOD BOXES: VISIT WWW.RUBYSPANTRY.ORG FOR TIMES & LOCATIONS.