

**Region 10 Head Start/Early Head Start
Kaufman County Community
Resource Directory
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"Helping Families Succeed"



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211 is a dialing code that provides free access to health and human service information in your community. 211 information and services include, but are not limited to:

- *Basic Human Needs
- *Physical & Mental Health
- *Employment Assistance
- *Children, Youth & Family
- *Support for Older Americans & Persons with Disabilities

You may also check their website: www.hhsc.state.tx.us/help/index.html

ACES (THE ASSOCIATION FOR CHILDREN FOR ENFORCEMENT OF SUPPORT)

(214) 553-5935

Mailing Address: PO Box 820072, Dallas, TX 75382 <http://www.cestexas.org/>

Location: Lake Highlands United Methodist Church, 9015 Plano Road (one mile South of LBJ at the corner of Plano Road and McCree) in the Fellowship Hall.

Services: A nonprofit organization dedicated to educating you on how to collect your support. Provide education, advocacy, outreach, & counseling programs. Spanish-speaking member at the meetings is available to translate.

Hours: Check website for meeting dates

Fee: \$20 yearly membership fee; Meetings are free

AIDS SERVICES OF NORTH TEXAS

<http://www.aidsntx.org/>

Locations:	Rural Office	Reeves Services Center
	2820 Stanford Street	102 South First Street
	Greenville, TX 75401	Rockwall, TX 75087
	(903) 450-4018	(800) 974-2437
	(903) 455-3737 (Fax)	

Services: Offers a wide variety of medical support services to help decrease the spread of HIV.

Hours: Appointment needed

ALL SMILES DENTAL CENTER

<http://www.allsmilesdentalcenters.com/>

Location: Mobile Dental Unit, Kaufman Salvation Army
8:00 am – 4:00 pm every other Saturday
Children and adults

Fee: Accepts Medicaid, PPO and Cash

Appointment: Call Lisa Buchanan (214) 342-5757 or Linda McCoy (972) 932-6515

AMERICAN RED CROSS

Locations: Smith County American Red Cross
320 East Rieck Road, Tyler, TX 75703
Serving Henderson & Kaufman Counties

(903) 581-7981
(903) 675-2301

Terrell Branch
109 Tejas, Suite 700, Terrell, TX 75160
Serving Kaufman, Rockwall & VanZandt Counties

(972) 563-1030

Services: Disaster relief services, social services, health and safety training. Assists Henderson, Kaufman & Van Zandt Counties.

ANDREWS CENTER

Locations: 6901 Highway 19 South, Athens, TX 75751 Athens (903) 675-8541
2323 West Front, Tyler, TX 75702 (Main Location) Tyler (800) 374-6058
Services: Counseling and other psychiatric services <http://www.andrewscenter.com/>
Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday
late visits available by appointment only

THE APARTMENTS AT SEVEN POINTS

Location: 225 Wood Street, Seven Points, TX 75143 (903) 432-3681
Fee: \$30.00 application

ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION NORTH TEXAS CHAPTER

Location: 4300 MacArthur Avenue, #245, Dallas, TX 75209-6524 (800) 442-6653
(214) 826-4361
<http://www.arthritis.org>
Services: Offers self-help courses, aquatic & land exercise programs, support groups & professional education for people with arthritis. Educational materials available. Scholarships available.
Hours: 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday
Contact: Jeff Savage, Program Director

BAYLOR COLLEGE OF DENTISTRY

Location: 3302 Gaston Avenue, Dallas, TX 75246 (214) 828-8440
(214) 828-8100
Services: Dental Clinic. Call for more information. Social Services (214) 828-8353
Fax (214) 828-8958
Contact: Leeanna Bartlett, Director of Social Services <http://www.tambcd.edu>
Fees: Varies depending on services

BAYLOR INSTITUTE FOR REHABILITATION

Location: 909 North Washington Avenue, Dallas, TX 75246 (214) 820-9300
Contact: Judith Waterson, Executive Director
Cindy Nell, Director of Social Work
Services: A full range of rehabilitation services for persons with spinal cord injuries, brain injuries, cerebrovascular accidents & amputations. Also treats a variety of orthopedic & neurological disorders.

BUCKNER'S CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES

Location: 5200 South Buckner Boulevard, Dallas, TX 75227 (214) 328-3141
<http://www.bucknerchildren.org/>
Services: Residential services, adoption services and foster care
Hours: 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday
Contact: Don Zablonky
Fee: None

CAMP SWEENEY (Southwest Diabetic Association)

Location: PO Box 918, Gainesville, TX 76241 (940) 665-2011
<http://www.campsweeney.org/>
Services: Residential summer camp for youths with diabetes. Provides medical management training for diabetic youths ages 6-18. Bilingual scholarships available. United Way Agency. Financial aid and 1st time camper scholarships available.
Hours: 8:30 am – 5:30 pm
Fee: \$19.50 for three (3) weeks. Scholarships and interest free payment plan.

CARING FOR CHILDREN FOUNDATION OF TEXAS, INC.

(800) 258-5437

Location: 901 South Central Expressway,
3-H-N, North Bldg., Area C, Richardson, TX 75080
Services: Free immunization from birth to 18.
Hours: Schedule varies, call for service in your area.
Contact: Debbie Cox, Program Coordinator

(972) 766-1792

<http://www.carevan.org/>

CENTRAL DALLAS MINISTRIES

(214) 823-8710

Location: 409 North Haskell, Dallas, TX 75246

Fax (214) 824-5355

<http://www.centraldallasministries.org/>

Services: The program provides medical services to patient typically without a primary care physician and would not seek medical care except in the case of an emergency. Available dental services are extractions, filling & cleanings. Bring picture ID, Social Security card, proof of household income and proof of address.
Hours: Call for an appointment or visit website for clinic hours.
Contact: Dan Umphress
Fee: Varies

CHILD CARE AWARE

(800) 424-2246

<http://www.childcareaware.org/en/>

Services: Parents are given information about childcare services in their area.
Hours: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday

CHILD CARE LICENSING

(214) 583-4122

Texas Department of Family and Protective Services

<http://www.dfps.state.tx.us/>

Location: 8700 North Stemmons Freeway, Dallas, TX
Services: Maintains lists of current State of Texas licensed Day Care Homes, Group Day Homes and registered family homes providing child care.
Hours: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday
Fees: None

CHILD CARE SERVICES (CCS)

<http://www.twc.state.tx.us/customers/serpro/serpro.html>

Henderson County
Located in Texas Workplace Office
4100 Troup Highway, Tyler, TX 75703
(800) 676-8283

Kaufman County
Located in North Central Texas Workforce Office
1300 Teasley Lane, Denton, TX 76205
(800) 234-9306

Van Zandt County
Located in Texas Workforce Office
410 Troop Highway, Tyler, TX 75703
(800) 676-8283

Services: Childcare for children ages 0-13 in centers, family day homes, or group homes. Qualifying families are considered to receive childcare subsidies from several different services. Call to complete an application over the phone.
Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday
Fee: Sliding scale

CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES

(800) 252-5400

(TEXAS DEPT. OF FAMILY & PROTECTIVE SERVICES)

Location: 115 South Murchison, Athens, TX 75751 **Athens (903) 675-5632**
Services: Provides 24-hour phone line for the state agency responsible to protect children from suspected abuse, neglect, abandonment, and/or exploitation. Provides investigation of problems, family counseling, case management, & if necessary, foster homes & adoptive services. Individuals may report suspected abuse and remain anonymous.
Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday

CHILDREN'S MEDICAL CENTER OF DALLAS

(214) 456-7000

Location: 1935 Medical District Drive, Dallas, TX 75235 <http://www.childrens.com/>
Services: Acute care hospital & clinics that deal exclusively with a variety of diseases and disorders among children birth to age 18.
Fee: Sliding scale, Medicaid & private insurance

CHILDREN'S MEDICAL CLINICS OF EAST TEXAS

(972) 932-1319

Location: 1011 West Grove #100, Kaufman, TX 75142
Hours: 7:30 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday
After Hours: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm Monday thru Friday Kid's Only
9:00 am – 1:00 pm Saturday & Sunday Kid's Only
Services: Provide medical services for children

CIVIL RIGHTS HOTLINE

(800) 368-1019

<http://www.hhs.gov/ocr>

Services: Report abuse of civil rights on basis of race, national origin, disability, or age.

COMMUNITY SERVICE INC. – ENERGY ASSISTANCE

Must call 1-800 number for location and appointment times.

Corsicana Administrative Services

(800) 831-9929

Services: Housing, utilities, adult education expenses. First come, first served.

Hours: Kaufman County Terrell, TX *By Appointment Only**
Van Zandt County Canton, TX *By Appointment Only**
Henderson County Athens, TX *By Appointment Only**

Fee: None

COMMUNITY SERVICES WEATHERIZATION PROGRAM

Location: PO Box 612, Corsicana, TX 75151

(800) 831-9929

(903) 872-2407

Services: Provides home repair to save on energy costs (windows replaced, roofs patched, door weather stripping, etc.) labor and materials provided. Priority given to the elderly, disabled and families of five or more. Available throughout Northeast Texas but some areas have a waiting list. You may apply if you own or rent (with landlord approval).

Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday

Contact: Tom Boyd

Fee: Based on income

CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELING SERVICE

Location: 3960 Broadway Boulevard, Suite 115, Garland, TX 75043 (972) 278-6602
3939 US Highway 80 E, Suite 323, Mesquite, TX 75150 (972) 681-2227
Services: Agency provides education & counseling on money management, budgeting, and wise use of credit. Assists in debt management & planning an individualized debt repayment program
Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday – Friday
Fee: \$20.00 fee for budget counseling

CONTACT COUNSELING & CRISIS LINE

Adult (972) 233-2233
Teen (972) 233-TEEN
Spanish (972) 233-2428

<http://www.contactdallas.org/>

Contact crisis Line is a free and confidential service available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

President: Benaye Rogers
Services: Free 24-hour comprehensive telephone prevention, crisis intervention, emergency Transportation and referrals by trained volunteers who successfully complete a 60-hour course. Provides crisis skills training for youth groups & workshops on crisis prevention/intervention & suicide prevention for adults.
Hours: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday

CRANDALL/COMBINE LIBRARY

(972) 427-8170

Location: 13385 FM 3039, PO Box 128, Crandall, TX 75114
Library Director: Donna Gillespie
Hours: 7:30 am – 4:30 pm Monday & Wednesday
7:30 am – 7:00 pm Tuesday & Thursday
7:30 am – 3:30 pm Friday
9:00 am – 1:00 pm Saturday

CRANDALL/COMBINE COMMUNITY CENTER

(972) 427-8020

Location: 500 West Lewis/FM 3039, Crandall, TX 75114
Director: Kristin Reznicek

EAST TEXAS CRISIS CENTER

Hotline (800) 333-0358
Henderson, Van Zandt, Wood & Rains Counties (903) 675-2137
Smith County (903) 509-2526

Counties Served: Henderson, Rains, Smith, Van Zandt, Wood and Kaufman <http://etcc.org/>
Services: Provides safety, shelter, and education for victims of family violence, sexual assault and other violent crimes. Also provides advocacy for women and children of abuse through support groups, counseling and financial assistance.

EAST TEXAS MEDICAL CENTER, Seven Points

(903) 432-4445

Location: Highway 334 East, Seven Points, TX 75143 <http://www.etmc.org/sevenpoints.htm>
Services: Immunizations, medical exams
Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Thursday
8:00 am – 1:00 pm Friday

EASTFIELD COLLEGE

Main Campus Number (972) 860-7100
Continuing Education (972) 860-7113
Financial Aid (972) 860-8398

Location: 3737 Motley Drive, Mesquite, TX 75150 <http://www.efc.dcccd.edu/>
Services: Traditional academic courses, technical and occupational training, counseling and community services. Will be required to take an assessment test. Call for more information.
Hours: 8:00 am – 7:00 pm Monday thru Thursday
9:00 am – 4:30 pm Friday

ELLEN BROOKS WEST MEMORIAL LIBRARY

(972) 564-7027

Location: 800 Highway 741 South, Forney, TX 75126

FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

(903) 887-4711

Location: 107 Spring Valley, Gun Barrel City, TX 75156
Services: Provide financial assistance with utility bills and other social services needs. Assistance provided **ONLY** every four (4) months.
Hours: Business hours: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday – Friday
Financial assistance: 10:00 am – 1:00 pm Monday – Thursday
Director: Gail Hitt

FAMILY VIOLENCE LEGAL HOTLINE

(800) 374-4673

Hours: 8:30 am -7:00 pm Monday thru Friday <http://www.women-law.org/>

FARMERSVILLE FAMILY MEDICAL CENTER

(972) 782-6131

Location: 111 North Johnson, Farmersville, TX 75442
Services: Bilingual. Full service medical care, 1st immunizations. Patients must have a well check-up on first visit for child.
Hours: 8:00 am -5:00 pm Monday thru Friday
Fee: Private insurance, Medicaid, sliding scale (proof of income required)

FINANCIAL AID WEBSITES

<http://www.fastweb.com/>

Free scholarship search with a database of over 275,000 scholarships.

www.finaid.org

Free comprehensive guide to financial aid.

www.collegenet.com

500,000 private sector awards and a searchable database of 4,600 colleges.

www.collegeboard.org

This site contains scholarship, career and college searches, as well as SAT registration.

www.collegeedge.net/

This site also has career and college info.

www.ed.gov

Department of Education.

www.fafsa.ed.gov

Free application for Student Aid. The information you provide on your FAFSA determines if you are eligible for financial aid.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF MABANK

(903) 887-3921

Location: Highway 193 & Mt. Vernon, Mabank, TX 75147

http://fbcmabank.com/Home_Page.html

Services: Provides food and limited financial assistance for families in need.

Must have an appointment

Hours: 8:00 am – 9:00 am Monday thru Friday

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(903) 887-3691

Location: 501 South Third Street, Mabank, TX

Services: Assist Mabank, Kaufman and Henderson families with limited financial assistance for utility bills. Call for appointment.

Hours: 8:30 am – Noon Monday thru Friday

1:00 pm – 4:00 pm Monday thru Friday

9:00 am – 11:00 am Saturday Clothes Closet

Contact: **Can speak with anyone at above listed number**

FOOD PANTRY, INC.

(903) 677-1600

Location: 715 East Corsicana Street, Athens, TX 75751

Services: Assists with food for families in need every three (3) months.

Henderson County Residents Only.

Hours: 8:30 am – 12:00 pm Monday thru Friday

Fee: None

FORNEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

(972) 564-2233

Services: 100 US Highway 80, PO Box 570, Forney, TX 75126

Fax (972) 564-3677

Bank of America Building

<http://forneychamber.com/>

PO Box 570, Forney, TX 75126

Hours: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm Monday thru Friday

FORNEY ISD SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES ARRANGEMENT

(469) 762-4157

Location: 600 South Bois d'Arc, Forney, TX 75126

Services: Provides assessment for children suspected of having a disability and special education services for children ages 3-21 who have been identified as having a disability.

Children with hearing impairments or visual impairments may receive services from birth. (Forney, Kemp, Royse City, Crandall and Scurry/Rosser ISD's).

Contact: Tracy Black

FORNEY RELIEF FUND

(972) 564-3357

Location: 1003 FM 741, Forney, TX 75126

Services: Provides financial assistance for families. Operated through 1st Baptist Church in Forney. May receive assistance one time within 18 month period.

Forney Residents Only.

Hours: 8:00 am – 4:30 pm Monday thru Friday

Contact: Tammy Zamora

GALAXY COUNSELING CENTER

(972) 272-4429

Location: 1025 South Jupiter, Garland, TX 75042 <http://www.galaxycounseling.org/>
Services: Bilingual, child, family and individual counseling, marital counseling, anger management, support groups, sexual abuse victims' support group.
Hours: 9:00 am – 9:00 pm Monday thru Thursday
9:00 am – 5:00 pm Friday
9:00 am – 3:00 pm Saturday
Fee: Sliding scale – accepts Medicaid.

GLEN OAKS HOSPITAL (Mental Health and Chemical Dependency)

(800) 443-1109

<http://www.glenoakshospital.com>

(903) 454-6000

Location: 301 East Division Street, Greenville, TX 75402
Services: Emotional, drug and alcohol problems. 24 hour emergency services. Will see children, adolescents and adults.
Fee: Insurance and Medicaid.

GOLD EYE CLINIC

(903) 723-3250

Location: 501 East Kolstad Street, Palestine, TX 75801 <http://www.goldeyeclinic.com/>
Services: Eyeglasses at cost and exam.
Fee: \$50.00 flat fee for eye exam and glasses and \$80.00 flat fee for eye exam and contacts.

GOVERNOR'S CITIZEN ASSISTANCE OFFICE

(800) 252-9600

Governor Rick Perry

(512) 463-2000

Location: Room 200 State Capitol Building, Austin, TX 78711 www.gov.statetx.us
Services: If you do not know from what government agency to seek help, this agency will refer you to the correct number.
Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday

GUN BARREL CITY POLICE

(903) 887-7151

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

Locations:	Cedar Creek Habitat PO Box 1424 Mabank, TX 75147	(903) 887-5055	Ellis County Habitat PO Box 157 Waxahachie, TX	(972) 937-2797
	Garland Habitat 1110 Main Street Garland, TX 75040	(972) 272-8550	Navarro County Inc. Habitat 101 North 14 th Street Corsicana, TX 75110	(903) 872-4690
	Rockwall Habitat PO Box 4 Rockwall, TX 75087	(972) 771-6909		

Services: Christian ministry that builds quality, affordable homes in partnership with deserving families of all faiths.

HELP HOTLINE

(903) 675-4357

Location: 309 Royal Street, Athens, TX 75751
Services: Information and referral line for **Henderson County Residents Only.**
Hours: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm Monday thru Thursday
9:00 am – 12:00 pm Friday
Fee: Long distance call from Forney.

HOUSE OF REFUGE – CORSICANA

(903) 874-3421

Location: 627 West Collin Street, Corsicana, TX 75110
Services: Women’s Shelter
Hours: 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Emergency 24 hours
Fees: Donations

HUD (U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT)

www.hud.gov

Public Housing Authority Division Dallas **(214) 951-8300**
Public Housing Authority Division Ft. Worth **(817) 336-4830**
Southwest Alliance HUD Housing Division **(972) 388-0026**

<http://www.southwestalliance.com/>

Services: Bilingual. Supervises government subsidized housing through local Housing Authorities. Sells low cost homes. Handles complaints about local housing.
Hours: 8:00 am – 4:30 pm Monday thru Friday

IMMIGRATION & CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT

Toll-Free(800) 375-5283

Location: 8101 North Stemmons Freeway, Dallas, TX 75247 www.ice.gov

Must have green card for five years before applying for citizenship.

IMMUNIZATION CLINICS

<p>Athens - Texas Department of Health 708 East Corsicana (903) 675-7742 1st, 2nd, 3rd, & 4th Wednesday of the month 8:00 am – 11:00 am & 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm **Bring Shot Records**</p>	<p>Canton - WIC Office 237 South Trades Day Blvd., Canton, TX (903) 567-6732 Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday by Appointment ONLY Come to this location only if a client at local WIC Office</p>
<p>ETMC Seven Points (903) 432-4445 (By appointment)</p>	<p>Mabank - Fire Department 111 East Mason, Mabank, TX 4th Tuesday 10:00 am – 11:30 am & 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm</p>
<p>Kaufman - Department of State Health Services 3001 South Washington, Kaufman, TX (972) 932-2038 1st & 4th Monday, 1st & 3rd Thursday, 2nd Thursday **Call for Appointment**</p>	<p>Kaufman - WIC Outreach Services 100 Old Rail Road #E & 7, Kaufman, TX (972) 932-1961 9:00 am – 3:00 pm every Tuesday **Call Monday morning for a appointment**</p>
<p>Terrell - Church of Christ Fellowship Hall 407 North Rockwall & Brin Street Terrell, Texas 3rd Tuesday 10:00 am – 11:30 am & 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm</p>	<p>Terrell - Outreach Services 718 West Moore, Suite 102 (972) 524-3890 Monday – Thursday 8:00 – 11:30 am and 1:00 – 5:00 pm</p>

INDIGENT HEALTH CARE PROGRAMS <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/cihcp/default.shtm>

Location: Henderson County (903) 677-6372
206-C North Murchison, Athens, TX 75751
Contact: Linda Battles, CIHCP Coordinator
Call for appointment to complete application.

Location: Kaufman County (972) 932-4331
Annex 100 North Washington, Kaufman, TX 75142
115 North Adelaide, Suite 304, Terrell, TX 75160
Contact: Vicky Garner, CIHCP Director
Hours: Kaufman 8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Terrell 8:30 am – 5:00 pm

Location: Van-Zandt County (903) 567-1023
121 East Dallas Street, Suite 201, Canton, TX 75103
Contact: Sharon Smith, CIHCP, Coordinator

INFORMATION & REFERRAL OF GREATER DALLAS (800) 548-1873

Location: 400 North St. Paul Street, Suite 200, Dallas, TX 75201
Services: Provides information and referrals to services throughout the Dallas-Ft. Worth Metroplex and surrounding communities. Services not available in smaller towns may be offered closer to the Dallas area. The Community Council of Greater Dallas operates phone service.
Hours: 24 Hours
Fee: None

KAUFMAN COUNTY LIBRARY (972) 932-6222

Location: 3790 South Houston Street, Kaufman, TX 75142

KART (Kaufman Area Rural Transportation) (972) 563-5875

Location: 200 South Virginia, Terrell, TX 75160
Services: Public transportation provider in Kaufman & Rockwall Counties. Will take people to jobs, shopping, senior centers, errands, friends, and to the doctor. Call number for travel times, fees and other services not listed.
Hours: 8:00 am - 5:00 pm (extended hours for early am and late pm trips)
Fee: Call for more information.

KAUFMAN CHRISTIAN HELP CENTER (972) 932-8866

Location: 400 Terrell Highway, Kaufman, TX 75142 www.kaufmanhelp.org
Services: Kaufman County Residents Only. Offers Christian counseling, limited financial assistance, Food Pantry and Angel Food Ministries. Provides grocery relief (\$25.00/box) and financial support.
Hours: Center: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm Monday thru Thursday
Food Pantry: 10:00 am – 11:30 am for handicapped and 60 years or older
11:30 am – 12:30 pm for new applications
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm for those 59 years and younger
Contact: Melinda Polk, Executive Director

KAUFMAN COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS SERVICES, INC.

(903) 498-2140

Location: 300 North Dallas Street, Kemp, TX 75143
 Services: Provides assistance for TXU electric bills only. Must call and schedule an appointment.
 Hours: 8:00 am – 4:00 pm Monday thru Friday
 Contact: Flo Graham to schedule appointments.
 Fee: Long distance call.

KAUFMAN SALVATION ARMY

(972) 962-1345

Location: 305 West Fair Street, Kaufman, TX 75142
 Services: Financial and emergency assistance through Community Services. Bring Driver's License and Social Security Card(s) for yourself and children in the household.
 Hours: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Monday thru Friday
 Director: Brenda Smith - 972/962-1345

LAKELAND MEDICAL ASSOCIATES

(903) 887-7992

Location: 100 Municipal Drive, Suite 100, Gun Barrel City, TX 75156 Fax **(903) 887-7996**
 Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Thursday
 8:00 am – 2:00 pm Friday and Saturday
 Fee: Accepts Medicaid and CHIP.

LAKES REGIONAL MHMR

Crisis Phone (800) 443-1831

Location: 400 Airport Road, PO Box 747, Terrell TX 75160 **Main Number (972) 524-4149**

LEGAL AID OF NORTHWEST TEXAS

(972) 923-3344

Main Location: 310 West Jefferson, Waxahachie, TX 75165 **(866) 614-3344**
 Services: Serves Ellis and Kaufman Counties. Must call the above number to schedule an appointment at the below locations. Provide legal counseling for low-income residents of North Texas in the areas of divorce, paternity, child support, custody, wills, home ownership, landlord/tenant, social security/SSI, unfair sales practices, Medicaid, and other civil matters. Bring proof of income, ID, and residency paperwork.
 Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday
 Fee: Varies

OTHER LOCATIONS

<p>Waxahachie Office 310 West Jefferson, Waxahachie, TX 75165 8:30 am – 11:30 pm - Tuesdays</p>	<p>Kaufman Public Library 710 South Houston, Kaufman, TX 10:00 am – 1:00 pm - 4th Wednesday</p>
<p>Terrell Community Center 115 North Adelaide, Terrell, TX 1:30 pm – 4:30 pm - 1st & 3rd Wednesday 8:30 pm – 11:30 am - 2nd & 4th Tuesday</p>	<p>Hulsey Public Library 301 North Rockwall, Terrell, TX 75160 4:30 pm – 7:30 pm 1st & 3rd Monday</p>

LEGENDARY OAKS APTS.

(903) 887-3503

Location: 208 South Legendary Lane, #909, Gun Barrel City, TX
 Hours: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Thursday
 By Appointment Friday & Saturday
 Fee: \$30.00 application

THE LIBRARY AT CEDAR CREEK LAKE

(903) 432-4185

Location: 410 East Cedar Creek Parkway
Seven Points, TX 75143-0711

<http://www.cedarcreeklibrary.com/>

Hours: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday, Wednesday & Friday
9:00 am – 7:00 pm Tuesday & Thursday
9:00 am – 1:00 pm Saturday

LOCAL HOUSING AUTHORITIES

Kemp 400 North Dallas Plaza, Kemp, TX 75143
Hours: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Monday thru Friday
Contact: Melinda Oliver

(903) 498-8211

Mabank 200 East Jack Street, Mabank, TX 75147
Hours: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Monday thru Friday
Contact: Brenda Miller-Blue

(903) 887-4220

Terrell
Contact: Debbie Zajac

(972) 551-6670

Services: Local Housing Authorities oversee government subsidized low-cost housing and helps Section 8 applicants locate safe, decent and sanitary housing.

LONE STAR LEGAL AID

(800) 733-8394

Location: 110 North College, Suite 302, Tyler, TX 75702
Counties Served: Henderson, Rains, Smith, Van-Zandt and Wood
Service: Offers civil legal assistance to low-income families.
Hours: 8:00 am – 12:00 pm Monday thru Friday
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday

(903) 595-4781
Fax (903) 595-3370

MABANK ISD SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

(903) 880-1331

Location: 310 East Market Street, Mabank, TX
Services: Provide assessment services for children 3-21 suspected of having a disability. (Children with vision and/or hearing problems may be eligible for services beginning at birth). Provide individualized services for children with disabilities ages 3-21.

MANNA FOOD BANK

(903) 567-6107

Location: 17766 FM 1255 near Highway 64, Canton, TX
Hours: 9:00 am – Noon 12:30 pm – 2:30 pm Monday, Wednesday & Friday
Services: Food assistance for residents of **VAN ZANDT COUNTY ONLY!**
Fee: None

MEDICAID HOTLINE

(800) 252-8263

MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM

(877) 633-8747

Location: 4501 West Business Highway, Tyler, TX
Services: Give at least two working days notice. Make appointment after 8:00 am, but no later than 2:00 pm
Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday

MEDICARE HOTLINE

(800) MEDICARE
(800) 633-4227

<http://www.medicare.gov/>

NORTH CENTRAL WORKFORCE CENTER

Location: 109 Tejas Drive, Suite 300, Terrell, TX 75160
Services: Employment assistance and job placement
Hours: Tuesday – Thursday 10 am – 2 pm

(972) 563-7271
Fax (972) 563-7274
www.workintexas.com

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, GREG ABBOTT

Main Office: 300 West 15th Street, Austin, TX 78701
MIng Address: PO Box 12548, Austin, TX 78711

(512) 463-2100
Main Office (800) 252-8011
<http://www.oag.state.tx.us/>

Kaufman County

Location: 2249 West Beltline Road, Lancaster, TX 75146
MIng Address: PO Box 1147, Lancaster, TX 75146

(972) 218-7678
(888) 688-7235
Fax (972) 218-7692

Henderson and Van Zandt Counties

Location: 200 North Broadway Avenue, Suite 200, Tyler, TX 75702
Services: The Attorney General enforces state consumer protection laws; collects court ordered child support; and administers the Crime Victim's Compensation Fund.
Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday

(903) 533-0390
(800) 687-8257
Fax (903) 533-1191

POISON CONTROL CENTER

Services: Provides 24-hour poison information and recommends treatment for poison exposure.

(800) 222-1222

PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL OF KAUFMAN

Location: 850 Highway 243 West, Kaufman, TX 75142

(972) 932-7200

PRIMARY CARE ASSOCIATES

Location: 801 West Main, Gun Barrel City, TX 75156
Services: Provides medical services for families. X-ray and lab onsite.
Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday
Contact: Dr. Ben Embry

(903) 887-6252

PROFESSIONAL FAMILY COUNSELING CENTER

Location: 417 North Gun Barrel Lane, Gun Barrel City, TX 75156
Hours: **BY APPOINTMENT ONLY!** Wednesday and Friday
Services: Individual, marital, family and behavior therapy for adults and children.
Fee: Sliding scale/Medicaid
Contact: Rhonda Horton

(903) 887-3123

PROMISE HOUSE

Location: 224 West Page, Dallas, TX 75208
Hours: By appointment only.
Services: Transitional living for older homeless teens (age 14-20) and for homeless parenting teen moms and their children
Contact: Harriett Boorhem, Executive Director

(866) 941-8578
24 Hrs. (214) 941-8670

RAPE CRISIS CENTER OF NORTHEAST TEXAS

Location: 3005 Joe Ramsey Boulevard E, Suite A, Greenville, TX 75402
Services: Advocacy for rape victims including accompaniment to hospital, police station and court appearances. Crisis intervention counseling and support groups provided.
Hours: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday Phones answered 24/7.

(903) 450-1005

REGION 10 EDUCATION SERVICE CENTER

(972) 348-1700

Locations: 400 East Spring Valley Road, Richardson, TX 75083
904 Abrams Road, Richardson, TX 75081

Services: Region 10 Education Service Center serves as the grantee for the Head Start programs in Kaufman County (except Terrell ISD and Kaufman ISD). Region 10 works with the local schools to provide a high quality Head Start program. In addition, Region 10 provides various services to support school districts in Dallas, Collin, Grayson, Fannin, Rockwall, Hunt, Kaufman and Ellis Counties.

Hours: 8:00 am – 4:30 pm Monday thru Thursday
8:00 am – 3:00 pm Friday

RIKER C. HULSEY PUBLIC LIBRARY

(972) 551-6663

Location: 301 North Rockwall Street, Terrell, TX 75160 <http://www.cityofterrell.org/library.htm>

SCOTTISH RITE HOSPITAL

(214) 559-5000

Family Resource Center (referrals to community resources for anyone) **(214) 559-7573**

Location: 2222 Welborn, Dallas, TX 75219 <http://www.tsrhc.org/>

Services: Clients must call to receive application. Application will need to be signed by family doctor including a diagnosis or doctor can call the hospital directly.

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

(800) 772-1213

Location: 2300 Dunson Drive, Balch Springs, TX 75180 <http://www.ssa.gov/>

Services: Disability, retirement, survivors benefits.
Frequently busy, keep calling.

Hours: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm Monday thru Friday

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

(972) 943-3734

St. Ann Catholic Church

Services: Disaster relief and information/referral program. Will assist with any needs if funds are available. Kemp and Mabank residents.

SUICIDE PREVENTION SERVICE

(877) 934-2131

Call from anywhere. Centers are based in Terrell and Athens.

Services: Provides 24-hour phone crisis intervention & counseling for people who feel they have no option but death. Trained personnel are available to help during a difficult time.

Fee: None

SSI HELPLINE

(800) 772-1213

<http://www.socialsecurity.gov/disability/>

TELEPHONE ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

(800) 464-7928

Services: LINK UP AMERICA (Southwestern Bell & GTE)
Provides basic installation at half the normal cost and will spread out any additional charges over four months. If you move and wish to transfer your service, call about this program. To qualify you must receive: TANF, food stamps, SSI or WIC.
Maximum benefit is \$30.00. Call above number for application.

Hours: 8:00 am – 7:00 pm Monday thru Friday

Fee: None. Call to see if you qualify.

TERRELL STATE HOSPITAL

(972) 563-6452

Location: 1200 East Brin Street, Terrell, TX 75160

Fax (972) 551-8302

MIng Address: PO Box 70, Terrell, TX 75160

Services: Provide clinical services, diagnosis, treatment, hospitalization and rehabilitation to persons with mental illness.

Hours: 24 hours

Fee: Varies

TEXAS BAPTIST HOME FOR CHILDREN

(972) 937-1321

Location: 629 Farley Street, Waxahachie, TX 75165

PO Box 309, Waxahachie, TX 75168

Services: Child placement, foster care, adoptions (statewide), Christian counseling. Serves Johnson, Ellis, Navarro, Henderson and Kaufman Counties.

Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Thursday

8:00 am – 4:30 pm Friday

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

YOU MUST USE THE OFFICE FOR THE COUNTY IN WHICH YOU LIVE!

Kaufman County 200 East Mulberry, Kaufman, TX 75142

(972) 932-9160

Henderson County 101 West Baker, Athens, TX

(903) 675-9141

Van Zandt County 555 Highway West 243, Canton, TX

(903) 567-4147

Services: Provide services to families in need of TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) program, determines eligibility for food stamps and Medicaid for children and the disabled. One application for all three services may be filed by mail.

Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Fee: None

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

(972) 932-0288

Location: 100 North Washington, PO Box 339
Kaufman, TX 75142

<http://www.txdps.state.tx.us/>

TEXAS SOCIAL SERVICES

(972) 838-5798

Fax (214) 722-2240

<http://www.texassocialservices.org/>

Email: tom.buchanan@texassocialservices.org

Services: Provides counseling to children ranging in age from 4 to 18 who are having behavioral issues in the classroom, at home, and in the community.

Contact: Tom Buchanan

Fee: Free, but a child must be referred through school, doctor, police/probation department or other referring source. Take Medicaid

TEXAS WORKFORCE WEBSITE

www.twc.state.tx.us

TEXAS WORK SOURCE CENTER – PROJECT RIO

(972) 288-2703

Location: 3402 North Buckner Boulevard, Suite 308, Dallas, TX

Fax (972) 288-4332

Services: Project RIO stands for Re-Integration of Offenders. <http://www.texasworkforce.org/>

Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday

Contact: Isabelle Rosenzweig

Fee: None

TRI-COUNTY LIBRARY

(903) 887-9622

Location: 132 East Market, PO Box 1770, Mabank, TX 75147 <http://tricitylibrary.org/>
Hours: 9:00 am – 5:30 pm Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
9:00 am – 7:00 pm Tuesday
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM Saturday
Contact: Carla Stout

TRINITY VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Main Number (903) 675-6200
Adult Education (903) 675-6212
Financial Aid Office (903) 675-6212
Terrell (972) 563-9573
Palestine (903) 729-2325

Location: 100 Cardinal Drive, Athens, TX
1200 East Highway 20, Terrell, TX
2970 North State Hwy. 19,
PO Box 2530, Palestine, TX
Services: Adult basic education, GED preparation, Associate Degrees, technical training, and counselors to help potential students design the best education plan for their interests. Financial aid available to qualified students of all ages.
Hours: 8:00 am – Noon Adult Education
1:00 pm – 4:30 pm Office
Fee: Long distance call from Forney. Talk to a counselor at no charge.

U.S. CITIZENSHIP & IMMIGRATION SERVICES

<http://www.uscis.gov/portal/site/uscis>

Hours: 8:00 am – 6:00 pm Monday thru Friday **(800) 375-5283**

WOMEN IN NEED (WIN)

(903) 455-4612

Location: 3302 Stonewall, Greenville, TX **24 Hour Hotline (903) 454-4357**
Services: Provide shelter and support for battered women and their children. Other services include counseling, financial assistance, food and clothing.
Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday
Shelter is open 24 hours.
Counties Served: Any county (shelter)
Fee: None

WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS EAST TEXAS

Locations: 1760 North Trade Day Blvd., Canton, TX 75103 **(903) 5674706**
Fax (903) 567-6490
205 North Murchison, Suite 101, Athens, TX 75751 **(903) 677-3521**
Fax (903) 677-1749
Hours: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Monday thru Friday
Services: Provides career counseling, referrals to job training, and employment opportunities. Must complete a registration form on the computer. No appointment needed.