

Kid's Castle Resource Booklet



A directory of resources and services for families in
Southeastern Wisconsin

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Kid's Castle - Preschool

4211 Green Bay Road

Kenosha, WI 53144

Phone: 262-657-7413

Abuse and Neglect

Wisconsin Department of Children and Families

To report a case of child abuse or neglect. Information about mandatory reporting, signs of abuse, and CPS process.

Web site: <https://dcf.wisconsin.gov/reportabuse>

Kenosha County Department of Human Services

8600 Sheridan Road Ste 200

Kenosha, WI 53143

Office Hours: 262-697-4500

After Hours: 262-657-7188

Women and Children's Horizons

Organization dedicated to advocating for victims of sexual and domestic abuse. Services include providing shelter, education, training, and healing services to victims as well as to their families and the community. 24 Hour Helpline available for those in need.

2525 63rd Street

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-656-3500 Mon - Fri 8:30am - 5:00pm

800-853-3503 (toll-free)

262-652-9900 (local)

Web site: <https://wchkenosha.org/>

Disability Rights Wisconsin

Provides information regarding the care and rights of individuals in group homes, nursing homes, IRIS, and Family Care and Partnership of ages 18-59. Services include help with complaints or questions with any of following agencies

800-928-8778

Web site: <https://disabilityrightswi.org/>

Kenosha County Child Advocacy Center

Provides assessments to children who may have been harmed. Goal is to protect children from abuse and provide resources to help them heal. Services include child abuse assessment, referral, case tracking and data collection, professional and community education, and foster care health checks.

6809 122nd Avenue

Kenosha, WI 53142

262-653-2266

Web site: <https://childrenswi.org/>

Advocacy and Community Programs

A.N.G.E.L. Inc

Organization that provides financial and emotional support to individual children and families with an autism spectrum disorder. Services use compassionate guidance and therapies of the family's choice. Supplies support groups, social events, fundraising efforts, possible grants, and membership.

Web site: <http://www.angelautismnetwork.org/>

Kenosha Achievement Center (KAC)

Creates opportunities for the personal growth and success of people with special needs. Provides a supportive and enriching environment that fosters each child's social, emotional, cognitive, language and physical development.

1218 - 79th Street

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-658-9500

Fax: 262-764-0751

Web site: <https://thekac.com/>

WisconSibs

Serving siblings of people with disabilities along their lifelong journey through peer support programs, education and networking opportunities, leadership development, and more. Programs include workshops, summer programs, social events, fundraising events, training, etc.

211 E Franklin Street

Appleton, WI 54911

920-968-1742

Web site: <https://wisconsibs.org/>

The Friendship Circle of Wisconsin

Organization for children with special needs and neuro-typical children. Provides support, friendship, and opportunities to include children with all varying abilities in our community.

8649 N Port Washington Road

Fox Point, WI 53217

414-755-5855

Web site: https://www.fcwi.org/templates/articlecco_cdo/aid/3727496/jewish/Inclusion-Club.htm

Kenosha Women's Network

Nonprofit organization to promote and encourage the individual and professional growth of members. Members are typically women aspiring to do business with other women in the business, professional, and political community.

P.O. Box 1062

Kenosha, WI 53141-1062

Web site: <https://www.kenoshawomensnetwork.org/>

United Way Kenosha County

Focus on education, health, and financial stability to create the building blocks for a good quality life.

5500 6th Ave, Ste 210

Kenosha, WI 53140

262-658-4104

Web site: <https://www.kenoshaunitedway.org/>

Building Our Future

Helping every child succeed in school and in life, regardless of race, zip code or circumstance. In partnership with StriveTogether, the hope is to provide better educational opportunities for students from all aspects of life by uniting partners from every sector including community members, educators, non-profits, businesses, faith, government, and philanthropy.

Web site: <https://www.buildingourfuturekc.org/>

Diverse and Resilient

Promotes a place for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer people in Wisconsin to live a healthy and satisfying life in safety. Programs include anti-violence, cultivating leaders, sexual health, and in substance use.

2439 N Holton Street

Milwaukee, WI 53212

414-390-0444

Web site: <https://www.diverseandresilient.org/>

National Network of LGBT Family Groups

Providing a platform to empower, educate, and support LGBTQ family groups and community leaders. Provides family support and resources.

Web site: <https://www.familyequality.org/>

Caregiver Resources

Caregiver Action Network

Non-profit organization to help improve the quality of life of loved ones with chronic conditions, disease, disabilities, or frailties of old age. Services include education, peer support, and resources to family caregivers of no charge.

202-454-3970

Web site: <https://caregiveraction.org/>

Wisconsin Family Caregiver Support Programs

Comprehensive list of available resources for caregivers in Wisconsin. Offers family members and other informal caregivers programs and education opportunities that can make being a caregiver more manageable.

Department of Health Services

1 West Wilson Street

Madison, WI 53703

General phone: 608-266-1865

TTY: 711 or 800-947-3529

Web site: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/aging/caregiver.htm>

Powerful Tools for Caregivers

Organization dedicated to helping unpaid caregivers care for themselves while taking care for a relative or friend. Offers a 6-week educational series throughout the year in Kenosha, WI.

503-929-3660

4110 SE Hawthorne Blvd #703

Portland, OR 97214

Web site:

<https://www.powerfultoolsforcaregivers.org/class/powerful-tools-for-caregivers-class-94/>

Here to Serve

Provides assistance to families caring for a child in a life-or-death health crisis such as childhood cancer, transplants, critical conditions at birth, accidents, etc. Mobilize people and resources to meet daily living requirements of families who do not qualify for government assistance.

626-353-8588

Web site: <https://www.heretoserve.org/>

Wisconsin's Family Caregiver

Organization to help caregivers learn more information and gain new skills to support themselves and their loved ones.

Web site: <http://wisconsin-caregiver.org/>

Four Seasons Adult Day Center

Provides additional care and supervision for elderly during the day. Supplies help for family members and caregivers who feel they need extra help when caring for an elderly member during the day.

7104 39th Avenue

Kenosha, WI 53142

262-412-8388

Web site: <https://four-seasons-adult-day-center.business.site/>

Childcare Resources

Wisconsin Shares Child Care Subsidy Program

Temporary Wisconsin Shares Subsidy Increase for Children Ages 0-3. Supports families by funding a portion of the cost of child care while the parents are working or participating in an approved activity.

Web site: <https://dcf.wisconsin.gov/wishares>

Wisconsin Family Foundations Comprehensive Home Visiting Program

Supports pregnant women and families as well as helps parents of children from birth to age five to engage with resources and develop the skills to raise children who are physically, socially, and emotionally healthy and ready to learn.

Web site: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/mch/homevisits.htm>

Access Wisconsin

Food Share and Child Care Subsidy Programs. Programs available to help individuals with health care coverage, paying for groceries or child care costs, building career skills, and finding a job.

Web site: <https://access.wisconsin.gov/access/>

Clothing

Salvation Army

Provides assistance for people in need of clothing, food, combat addiction, and aid disaster survivors.

3116 75th Street

Kenosha, Wisconsin 53142

1-800-SAL-ARMY

Web site:

<https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/kenosha?fbclid=IwAR08H4XL-UyLdK2mKzIVbjdQlxpm5KlnElgvlsrCIUn1HkHfc2aXwkY6SQo>

Maternity Traders

Shop and sell gently used maternity clothes. Maternity clothes available and affordable for soon-to-be moms. Available to pick up clothes in Kenosha

Web site: <https://maternitytraders.com/>

The Sharing Center

Offering gently used seasonal clothing items, kitchen items, towels, sheets and blankets. Provides winter clothing as well as free household items and school supplies.

25700 Wilmot Rd.
PO Box 172
Trevor, WI 53179
Phone: 262-298-5535
Fax: 262-922-4411
Web site: <https://thesharingcenter.net/>

ELCA Outreach Center

Free clothes are provided to anyone in need as well as personal care items such as soap, shampoo, dental hygiene, diapers, formula.

6218 26th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53143
262-652-5545
Web site: <https://elcaoutreachcenter.org/>

Foster Closet of Kenosha

Provides personal items to children ages birth - 18 who enter the foster care system in Kenosha County. Supplies material needs of foster children upon their entrance into the foster system in order to make the transition and adaptation into their new home less stressful.

fosterclosetkenosha@gmail.com
Web site: <https://www.fosterclosetkenosha.com/>

Deaf/ Hard of Hearing and Blind

Help America Hear

Provide hearing aids to qualifying individuals with limited financial resources who are unable to obtain hearing aids on their own. Ability to apply for scholarships to help fund the educational opportunities of those with auditory impairments.

888-580-8886
Web site: <https://helpamericahear.org/>

HEAR Wisconsin

Nonprofit that helps infants, children, and adults with hearing loss by eliminating communication and language barriers through personalized services, technology, and education. Services include assistive technology center, audiology clinic, early intervention, interpreting services, and mobile audiology center.

10243 W National Ave
West Allis, WI 53227
414-604-2200
Web site: <https://hearwi.org/>

Kenosha Noon Lions Club

A community service organization that provides financial assistance for hearing aids, eye exams, and eyeglasses, when funds are available.

P.O. Box 36

Kenosha, WI 53142

Web site: <https://wilions.org/>

Telecommunication Assistance Program (TAP)

Financial assistance program to make telecommunication devices and distance communications available to individuals in Wisconsin who are in need. Residents who are severely hard of hearing, deaf, or deaf-blind eligible. Application required. Provides a voucher to help people with disabilities to buy equipment they need to use basic telephone services including the CapTel Telephone.

Department of Health Services

1 West Wilson Street

Madison, WI 53703

General phone: 608-266-1865

TTY: 711 or 800-947-3529

Web site: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/odhh/tap.htm>

Wisconsin Relay

Provides text telephone users who are deaf, hard of hearing, or speech impaired to call or be called virtually using a voice telephone. All calls are confidential.

CapTel information: 847-226-7779

Voice 711 or 1-877-490-3724

TTY 711 or 1-800-947-3529

Speech to Speech 711 or 1-800-833-7637

Spanish only 711 or 1-800-833-7813

Speech disabled 1-877-787-1989

Web site: <https://wisconsinrelay.com/>

Center for Deaf-Blind Persons

Serves those who have some degree of loss in both hearing and sight. Provide assessment, rehabilitation training, vocational services, adjustment services, support and social groups, community support, and education.

8306 W Lincoln Ave

West Allis, WI 53219

414-481-7477

Web site: <http://www.deaf-blind.org/>

Education

Kenosha Achievement Center (KAC)

Provides a supportive and enriching environment that fosters each child's social, emotional, cognitive, language and physical development. Services include Early Head Start program, Early Intervention Birth to Three Program, and more.

1218 - 79th Street

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-658-9500

Fax: 262-764-0751

Web site: <https://thekac.com/>

ELCA Outreach Center

Provides free classes to help residents gain basic skills that are needed in today's workplace as well as fun, educational programs that stimulate learning and inspire a positive self-image for children. GED classes are available in English and Spanish.

6218 26th Avenue

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-652-5545

Web site: <https://elcaoutreachcenter.org/>

John XXIII Educational Center

Organization to help students succeed in school and life as they build self-confidence, motivation, resiliency and needed skill sets to respond positively to life's challenges. Programs include supervised homework help, tutoring, mentoring, family support and community building workshops. Offers group sessions in local schools for social and emotional support for all Racine communities.

1101 Douglas Ave, Racine, WI 53402

262-898-7250

Web site: <https://www.john23educenter.org/>

CDC Milestone Moments

A program to follow your child's development by watching how he or she plays, learns, speaks, acts, and behaves on a daily basis. Access to milestones at every developmental stage and look for ways to help your child, act early, and learn and grow with resources and support.

800-232-4636

Web site: <https://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/actearly/milestones/index.html>

Employment

Building Advantage

Program to help improve employability for the unemployed, underemployed and underrepresented individuals interested in a construction skilled trades career.

250 E Wisconsin Ave, Suite 100

Milwaukee, WI 53202

414-897-1146

Web site: <https://buildingadvantage.org/>

Dress For Success

Provides professional clothing and support for women to promote economic independence.

Services also include a network of support and developmental tools to aid women in work and life. Appointment required.

YWCA 5540 Durand Avenue

Racine, WI 53406

262-898-5530

Web site: <https://racine.dressforsuccess.org/>

YWCA Southeast Wisconsin

Provides employment services in job centers. Locations in Milwaukee and Racine. Supplies staff support, internet and technology access, telephone access, employment and training-related self-assessments, software for creating impactful resumes and cover letters copying, printing and faxing services, and employment leads.

1915 N. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive

Milwaukee, WI 53212

414-374-1800

Racine, WI

262-898-5530.

Web site: <https://www.ywcasew.org/>

Skills Enhancement—Racine/Kenosha Community Action Agency (RKCA)

A local organization that provides assistance with tuition, books, and training-related transportation and childcare costs. Designed workforce development program that aids working low-income individuals sustain skills needed to compete for living wage jobs.

2113 N. Wisconsin St

Racine, WI 53402

262-637-8377

262-637-6419

Web site: <https://www.rkcaa.org/asset-attainment/skill-enhancement>

Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

Helps people with disabilities find a job, keep a job, or get a better job. Services include career guidance and counseling, information and referrals, job search and placement assistance, etc.

8600 Sheridan Road, Suite 900

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-697-4690

Web site: <https://dwd.wisconsin.gov/dvr/>

Kenosha Achievement Center (KAC)

Organization to aid adults with special needs in learning practical job skills and develop good work habits. Services include pre-employment services, community employment services, day service program, benefit assistance program, etc.

1218 79th Street

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-658-9500

Web site: <https://thekac.com/>

Work Incentives Planning and Assistance

To help people with disabilities who are interested in working find information.

2701 International Lane

Madison, WI 53704

Ticket to Work 1-866-968-7842

1-877-826-1752

Web site: <https://www.ssa.gov/work/WIPA.html>

Family Fun Activities

FitFam Kenosha

Family Fitness Classes for parents to do with their children and to teach children about fitness.

Classes include Mommy & Me strength training, Stroller Burn body conditioning, Prenatal Fit, and Postpartum Fit. Prices vary depending on classes.

563-217-0386

Web site: <https://www.fitfamkenosha.com/>

Kindermusik

Leading provider of music-based education for children from birth to seven years of age.

Classes are offered for babies, toddlers, children, and families. Helps children develop early literacy and language abilities, social emotional skills, cognitive skills, and fine and gross motor skills in a fun way.

6603 26th Avenue

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-321-9349

Web site: <https://kenosha.kindermusik.com/>

Kenosha Museums

-Kenosha Public Museum

Fun activities, crafts, and coloring pages for kids. Camps available to reserve for small groups.

5500 First Avenue

Kenosha, Wisconsin

262-653-4140

Web site: <https://museums.kenosha.org/public/>

-Civil War Museum

Reservations available for group tours. Spark program is available for individuals living with memory loss, their care partners, and family members. Services include exhibit exploration, object handling, multi-sensory activities, and an opportunity to make friends.

5400 First Avenue

Kenosha, Wisconsin

262-653-4141

Web site: <https://museums.kenosha.org/civilwar/>

-Dinosaur Discovery Museum

Provides take home activity boxes for children for a fun-filled weekend. Services also include coloring pages, crafts, and activities for children.

5608 10th Ave

Kenosha, WI 53140

262-653-4450

Web site: <https://museums.kenosha.org/public/>

Kenosha Splash Pads

Free recreation area for water play with sprinklers for family fun.

201 56th St, Kenosha, WI 53140

-HarborPark

5501, Ring Rd

Kenosha, WI 53140

-Schulte Park

4400 87th Pl

Kenosha, WI 53142

Barnes & Noble

Virtual Storytime available with varying times and stories. Possible in person story time available in the future, please check the web site for more information.

2001 Alford Park Dr

Kenosha, WI 53140

262-551-5778

Web site: <https://www.barnesandnoble.com/h/bn-storytime>

RecPlex Pleasant Prairie

Recreation facility for family to have fun, participate in activities, and also enhance your quality of life. Services include a multitude of preschool, youth, teen, and adult programs such as Ice Hockey, Ice Skating, sports and sports training, swim lessons and swim teams, childcare, dance, fitness classes, enrichment classes and many more. Membership pricing is determined by attendance and age.

9900 Terwall Terrace

Pleasant Prairie, WI 53158

262-947-0437

<https://recplexonline.com/>

Nature Centers and Hiking

-Jean McGraw Memorial Nature Center

120th Ave

Kenosha, WI 53142

-Sam Poerio Park

1401 16th Ave

Kenosha, WI 53140

-Hawthorn Hollow Nature

880 Green Bay Rd

Kenosha, WI 53144

-River Bend Nature Center

3600 N Green Bay Rd, Racine, WI 53404

-Pringle Nature Center

9800 County Hwy M B, Bristol, WI 53104

Boundless Adventures

Aerial Adventure Park is open for summer camps and group outings filled with fun activities just an hour away. Activities include 9 courses of swinging, climbing, balancing, traverse, and zip-lining. Services include group outings for birthday parties, youth camps, team building, scout outings, school field trips, and more. Pricing for children ages 7-11 is \$52 and pricing for youth and adult ages 12 and up is \$58.

9800 County Highway M.B.

Bristol, WI 53104

262-287-0933

Web site: <https://boundlessadventures.net/wi-park/>

Racine Zoo

For family fun while seeing a variety of different animal species. Provides activities, shows, and workshops including concert series, birthdays, and summer camps for children of all ages.

2131 North Main Street

Racine, WI 53402

262-636-9189

Web site: <https://www.racinezoo.org/>

Just Add Kids

Resource dedicated to connecting families with kid friendly businesses, organizations, activities, or events in Wisconsin.

Web site: <https://www.facebook.com/JustAddKidsSEWis/>

Financial

Kenosha County Child Support Services

Program to promote a stable, safe, and healthy relationship between children and parents by collaborating with the community, putting children first, strengthening families, and encouraging responsible parenthood. Services include locating parents, establishing paternity, establishing support obligations, also monitoring and enforcing those obligations.

Kenosha County Human Services

Job Center Building

8600 Sheridan Road, Suite 301

Kenosha, WI 53143-6505

General Number: 262-697-4500

Web site: <https://www.kenoshachildsupport.com/index.htm>

GreenPath Financial Wellness

Provide a financial wellness developmental series in Racine and Kenosha. Free 1 hour workshops will help people to get a better understanding of budgeting, credit reports, and dealing with debt issues. Services include debt counseling and management, bankruptcy support, student loan counseling, credit report review, and a simple payment plan.

Web site: <https://www.greenpath.com/>

WWBIC- Strengthen Your Personal Finances

Statewide economic development corporation that helps individuals with financial education, critical resources, and responsible financial products.

Kenosha, WI

262-925-2850

Web site: <https://www.wwbic.com/strengthen-your-finances/>

Lifeline & Link-Up Programs

Program to help provide Wisconsin low-income residents affordable access to essential telecommunications by discounting the cost of cell and internet services, and phone. Depending on the service discount could range from \$7.25 - \$18.50 per month. Must check eligibility and enroll.

North Tower, 6th Floor

Hills Farms State Office Building

4822 Madison Yards Way

Madison, WI 53705

608-266-5481

Web site: <https://psc.wi.gov/Pages/Programs/LifeLineLinkup.aspx>

Food and Nutrition

Racine Kenosha Community Action (RKCAA)

Provides adequate, accessible and healthy food. Services and programs include supporting individuals who are food insecure in Racine and Kenosha from The Emergency Food Assistance Program, Commodity Supplemental Food Program, and Kenosha Senior Veggie Vouchers.

2000 63rd Street

Kenosha, WI 53143

(262) 657-0840

(262) 657-1631

Web site: <https://www.rkcaa.org/>

Meals on Wheels

Provides meals Monday through Friday to enable the elderly, sick, and disabled to remain in their own homes. Home-delivered meals are provided to persons who are unable to prepare their own meals and are at risk of going to a nursing home.

AniMeals

Meals on Wheels recipients who are also pet owners in need of pet food

KAFASI- Kenosha and Family Aging Services, Inc

7730 Sheridan Road

Kenosha WI 53143

262-658-3508

Web site: <https://www.kafasi.org/mow.html>

Food Share (Food Stamps)

Program dedicated to end hunger and improve nutrition and health. Aids low income individuals and families to help buy food they need to enable a healthy lifestyle. People of all ages, have a job or lost a job, living on a small or fixed income, and retired or disabled. Application is required.

1-888-794-5820

Web site: <https://www.kenoshacounty.org/292/Food-Share>

Salvation Army

Food Pantry available to help Kenosha individuals fight hunger and will receive a variety of food items including perishable and nonperishable in grocery style.

Produce & Bread Program

Individuals may come once a day to receive produce and bread when in need.

3116 75th Street
Kenosha, Wisconsin 53142
1-800-SAL-ARMY
Web site: <https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/kenosha/cure-hunger/>

Shalom Center

Food pantry program and Soup Kitchen available to help Kenosha residents in need. Serves free meals 7 days a week in multiple locations. Call for locations and schedule.

4314 39th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53144
262-658-1713
Web site: <https://www.shalomcenter.org/>

General

Disability Rights Wisconsin

Provides information regarding the care and rights of individuals in group homes, nursing homes, IRIS, and Family Care and Partnership age 18-59. Services include help with complaints or questions with any of following agencies

414-773-4646 or 1-800-928-8778
Web site: <https://disabilityrightswi.org/>

Kenosha County Aging & Disability Resource Center (ADRC)

Provides no cost, “one-stop shot” for older people, people with disabilities, their families, guardians, and caregivers of people with disabilities. ADRC will aid in providing accurate information on services including employment, personal planning, nutrition, guardianship, assistance, and more.

8600 Sheridan Road
Kenosha, WI 5143
262-605-6646 or 1-800-472-8008
Web site: <https://www.kenoshacounty.org/155/Aging-Disability-Resource-Center>

Wisconsin Department of Health Services

Questions or requests about vital records such as birth, death, marriage, divorce, adoption. Services also include ordering options and instructions.

1 West Wilson Street
Madison, WI 53703
608-266-1865
TTY: 711 or 800-947-3529
Web site: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/vitalrecords/record.htm>

Elca Outreach Center

Offers a wide range of services and programs to encourage individuals and families to meet everyday basic needs to become self-sufficient, caring and participating members of the community. Services include education, training, technology access, and prescription assistance, etc.

6218 26th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53143
262-652-5545

Web site: <https://elcaoutreachcenter.org/about/>

Once Upon a Child

Offers payment for select items that meet current styles, safety and condition standards. In store items of toys and clothing are sold at a fraction of the cost for children from infant to age 8.

4623 75th St Unit 1
Kenosha, WI 531421
262-764-0094

Web site: <https://www.onceuponachild.com/locations/kenosha-wi>

OneHope

Additional resource center of Kenosha. Key initiatives are fostering, mentoring, and transforming the community.

P.O. Box 1513
Kenosha, WI 53140
262-842-5551

Web site: <https://1hope.community/>

Grief Resources

Margaret Ann's Program

Monthly programs that offer opportunities for children and teens grieving the loss of someone close to them. Services include engaging in peer discussions, organized activities, and peer bonding.

420 7th Street
Racine, WI 53403
262-634-2391

Web site: <https://www.fsracine.org/margaretann-s-program>

Piasecki Funeral Home- Grief Share Support Groups

Community of support with offers of one-time events and also ongoing support for those who are dealing with the challenges of grief. GriefShare support groups meet weekly to face the

challenges of grief and with the support of welcoming and understanding groups move toward rebuilding your life.

3720 39th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53144
262-658-4101

Web site: <https://kenoshafuneralhome.com/griefshare/>

Unity Hospice- Grief Support in Wisconsin

Offers services designed to meet your unique needs when faced with the challenges of grief. Registration is required by calling Unity. Services provided include individual and family counseling, grief support groups for children, teens, families and adults, holiday support programming, and many more.

Unity Hospice Main Office

2366 Oak Ridge Circle

De Pere, WI 54115

800-990-9249

920-338-1111

Web site: <https://unityhospice.org/grief-support/#services>

The Dougy Center for Grieving Children and Families

Provides support in a safe place where children, teens, young adults, and families who are grieving can share their experiences before and after a death. Supplies support and training locally, nationally, and internationally to individuals and organizations seeking to assist children in grief.

PO Box 86852

Portland, OR 97286

503-775-5683

Web site: <https://www.dougy.org/>

Compassionate Friends

Exists to provide friendship, understanding, and hope to those going through the natural grieving process after losing a child. Resources to find support in communities in local areas.

Phone: 630-990-0010

Toll Free: 877-969-0010

Fax: 630-990-0246

Web site: <https://www.compassionatefriends.org/>

Life Perspectives

An organization to provide education, research, and support to individuals after reproductive loss.

619-501-9414

Web site: <https://www.lifeperspectives.com/>

ComfortZone Camp

Camps are for kids 7-17, and young adults between the ages of 18-25, who have suffered the death of a parent, sibling or legal guardian. Meet others who have experienced similar situations and make lasting friendships. Education, resources, and support for children and parents.

Virtual camp option available.

804-377-3430

Web site: <https://comfortzonecamp.org/>

Grief Share

Find support groups for adults who are grieving the loss of someone close to them.

800-395-5755

Web site: <https://www.griefshare.org/>

Miscarriage Matters, Inc.

Organization offering global support to mothers and fathers affected by miscarriage, and stillbirth. Programs that educate the public, inspire healing through service to others, and empower the hurting.

Web site: <https://www.mymiscarriagematters.org/>

Healthcare

Medicaid Fraud Hotline

1-800-488-3780

Children's Wisconsin

Independent healthcare system dedicated to the health and well-being of children. Provides help in finding a doctor and location that are pediatric-trained experts and are focused on children.

8915 W. Connell Ct.

P.O. Box 1997

Milwaukee, WI 53226

414-266-2000

877-266-8989 toll free

TTY: 414-266-2465

Web site: <https://childrenswi.org/>

Healthcare.gov

Provides information and help applying and enrolling in Marketplace Healthcare.

1-800-318-2596

Web site: <https://www.healthcare.gov/>

Wisconsin Medicaid Programs

Joint federal and state program that supplies long-term care and healthcare coverage to Wisconsin residents. Many different types of programs and each with different rules depending on age and income.

1 West Wilson Street

Madison, WI 53703

608-266-1865

TTY: 711 or 800-947-3529

Web site: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/medicaid/index.htm>

ABC for Health, INC

Nonprofit law firm to aid in ensuring families and children have healthcare. Services include individuals having information, advocacy tools, legal services, and expert support they need to navigate the healthcare system.

Web site: <https://www.safetyweb.org/index.html#>

Medicaid Purchase Plan

Offers people with disabilities who are working or interested in working the opportunity to buy health care coverage.

1 West Wilson Street

Madison, WI 53703

608-266-1865

TTY: 711 or 800-947-3529

Web site: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/medicaid/medicaid-purchase-plan.htm>

Hotlines

Adult/Juvenile Crisis, Kenosha Human Development Services (KHDS)

24/7 Access 262-657-7188 or 800-236-7188

Alcoholics Anonymous

262-554-7788

HOPELINE (24/7 emotional support line- WI)

Text HOPELINE to 741741

National Human Trafficking Hotline

888-373-7888 or Text 233733

National Runaway Switchboard

800-786-2929

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

800-273-8255

WI Council on Problem Gambling

800-522-4700

Women and Children's Horizon's, Domestic Abuse or Sexual Assault 2626-652-9900 or
800-853-3503
Postpartum Depression Hotline
800-944-4773

Housing

Housing Assistance Programs

Comprehensive list of programs that offer existing housing, filling energy needs and obtaining access to public housing and rent assistance. Services include assistance with energy, gas, or electric, rent assistance for public housing and also Section 8 Housing Subsidies.

1 West Wilson Street

Madison, WI 53703

608-266-1865

TTY: 711 or 800-947-3529

Web site: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/disabilities/physical/housing-assist.htm>

Equus Workforce Solutions

Programs to provide rent assistance for eligible households. For those who have minor or dependent children and are at risk of becoming homeless or are homeless because of a financial crisis.

502-630-7307

Web site: <https://equusworks.com/>

Salvation Army

Provide aid in utility, rental, and transportation service for those that are in need, in disaster, or facing challenges. Must have current ID, current mail and current lease, or eviction notice.

Appointment required.

3116 75th Street

Kenosha, Wisconsin 53142

1-800-SAL-ARMY

Web site: <https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/kenosha/equip-families/>

Bridges to Harmony

Provide safe and quality apartment homes for individuals. Rental discount program to help those transitioning out of homelessness, aging out of foster care, or a displaced veteran.

Individuals who qualify will receive 75% discount on their monthly rent for a one year lease, free application fee, and reduced security deposit amount.

317-570-3411

Web site: <https://www.harmonyhousing.org/>

Emergency Housing

INNS Program

Program to provide temporary emergency shelter for homeless individuals and families in need of shelter. Services include support in the transition from homelessness to permanent housing, personal care items, mail and telephone services for obtaining housing and employment, job searches with access to computers, and beds are available with storage and locks.

4314 39th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53144
262-658-1713

Walkin' In My Shoes

Organization dedicated to helping the homeless community by networking with public, private, and religious organizations to support those in need. Services include supplying essential needs and products in a Survival Backpack, assistance and referral programs for emergency housing, outreach programs to educate homeless and low-income individuals and families, community gardens, and a drop in center for youth to reach out for help.

2211-50th Street
Kenosha, WI 53140-3162
262-764-0214
Web site: <http://www.walkininmyshoes.org/>

Homeless Assistance Services

Assistance services for those facing homelessness or are presently homeless.

262-764-8555

Web site: <https://www.khds.org/how-we-help/homeless-assistance-services/>

Shalom Center

Provides emergency shelter for families and individuals in need. Shelter programs available are Emergency Family Shelter and the Individuals/Single Shelter. Services provide resources and programs to aid in helping individuals toward permanent housing and self-sufficiency. Case manager on site to set goals and help find programs.

4314 39th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53144
262-658-1713
Web site: <https://www.shalomcenter.org/shelter>

Women and Children's Horizons

Emergency shelter available for victims of domestic violence. Shelter houses up to 25-35 individuals and is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Allowed to stay up to 30 days in the

shelter to maintain safety. Services include shelter advocates and provide support, education, goal and safety planning, and daily living skills. Crisis hotlines are available

2525 63rd Street

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-656-3500 Mon - Fri 8:30am - 5:00pm

800-853-3503 (toll-free)

262-652-9900 (local)

Web site: <https://wchkenosha.org/emergency-shelter>

SAFE Haven of Racine, Inc.

Organization that provides youth shelter for those that have run away or are having a family crisis. For youth ages 10-17. Services include counseling for youth and family members, case management and information, referrals, leisure activities, and offers food and clothing. All services are confidential and free. Shelter is temporary for up to 14 days.

1030 Washington Ave.

Racine, WI 53403

262-637-9559

Web site: <https://safehavenofracine.org/>

Legal

Women and Children's Horizons

To help victims of domestic violence and abuse navigate the court system and provide a Legal Advocacy Program. Provides assistance through the court process including restraining orders, family court issues such as divorces, legal separations and child custody or placement issues. Advocates are not lawyers and are available for support, information, and help filing important documents.

2525 63rd Street

Kenosha, WI 53143

Criminal Cases 262-653-2782

Family Court / Civil Cases 262-656-3500

Restraining Orders 262-653-2767

Web site: <https://wchkenosha.org/legal-advocacy>

ELCA Outreach Center

Provides free legal advice for issues including debt, renters rights, family law, guardianship, child support, drivers license recover, and small claims. Online form available as well as a Legal Intake Form.

6218 26th Avenue

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-652-5545

Web site: <https://elcaoutreachcenter.org/ways-we-help/#1489852145464-26bc5b95-7e51>

Legal Action of Wisconsin

Provides free legal service for low-income individuals who have been denied justice or are deprived of help within Racine, Kenosha, and Walworth counties. Priority areas of practice include benefits and health programs, family law, housing law, licenses, criminal records and employment, senior law, migrant farmworkers, social security, and Does project. Services include a multitude of other areas of law as well.

4900 Spring Street

Racine, WI

855-947-2529 (General Calls)

Fax: 262-635-8838

Web site: <https://www.legalaction.org/>

Restraining Order Information

Five different types of restraining orders including domestic abuse, harassment, child abuse, vulnerable adult, and foreign protection order. These are different from a 72 hour no contact order. More information about each restraining order, what actions define each restraining order, and the process for a restraining order is provided. Restraining orders can be up to 4 years.

City Hall

625 52nd Street, Kenosha, WI 53140

Web site:

<https://www.kenosha.org/departments/police/public-information/restraining-order-information>

Milwaukee Bar Association

Provides free referrals for individuals that need help navigating through their legal process. Services include Lawyer Referral Information and Service (LRIS) which is a free over the phone referral service for someone with legal questions or concerns.

414-274-6768

Web site: <https://findmilwaukeeelawyers.org/>

Libraries

Kenosha Public Libraries

Provides story time for children and also virtual story time options on Facebook with varying dates and times available. Services also include Early Literacy Program (Birth to 5) Ready to Read Centers for children with different themes, Developmental Collection available for checkout and other activities for young children and teens.

-Northside Neighborhood Library | Kenosha Public Library

1500 27th Ave, Kenosha, WI 53140

-Southwest Neighborhood Library | Kenosha Public Library

7979 38th Ave, Kenosha, WI 53142

-Uptown Neighborhood Library | Kenosha Public Library

2419 63rd St, Kenosha, WI 53143
-Simmons Neighborhood Library | Kenosha Public Library
711 59th Pl, Kenosha, WI 53140
(262) 564-6100
Web site: <https://www.mykpl.info/>

Mental Health

****Additional information of “Counseling Services in Kenosha County” provided in Kids Castle Office****

Families First

Program for families with children experiencing severe emotional disabilities. Designed to provide families with the needed support services which keep them intact, prevent out of home placements, and improve educational opportunities for children.

8600 Sheridan Road Ste 200

Kenosha, WI 53143

Office Hours: 262-697-4500

After Hours: 262-657-7188

262-697-4758

Web site: <https://www.kenoshacounty.org/254/Families-First>

Wisconsin Family Ties

Organization in Wisconsin working with families that include children with social, emotional or behavioral challenges. Aide in providing emotional support while helping to navigate the complex service and treatment systems. Services include advocacy, support groups, information and referrals, and many more.

16 N Carroll St

Madison, WI 53703

608-267-6800 or 800-422-7145

Web site: <https://www.wifamilyties.org/>

Well Spouse

Providing peer support and education about the special challenges and unique issues facing "well" spouses every day. Services include support groups (telephone or face-to-face) online chat forum, peer mentors, respite weekends, connecting to caregivers programs, and more.

Web site: <https://wellspouse.org/>

NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness) - Kenosha County

Offers support groups (seven different types), education, advocacy, referrals, and other resources to help people with a mental illness, their families, and community members. Also serves the Burlington and Racine area. See website or call for group meeting times.

P.O. Box 631

Kenosha, WI 53141

262-652-3606

Web site: <https://www.namikenosha.org/>

Bridges Community Center

Provides a place of recovery for those living with mental illness and able to offer a variety of groups to help live with everyday challenges. Offers peer support, advocacy and empowerment for adults recovering with mental illness.

P.O. Box 157

5718 7th Avenue,

Kenosha, Wi. 53140

Phone (262) 657-5252

Fax (262) 657-7414

Web site: <https://www.namikenosha.org/bridges.html>

Lakeside Family Therapy Services

Licensed mental health and AODA clinic. Services include individual, couples and group counseling, outpatient SUD services, medical management, and alcohol and drug counseling.

4810 Northwestern Avenue

Racine, WI 53406

262-637-9984

Web site: <https://www.lakesidefamilytherapy.com/>

Lutheran Social Services

Services include individual counseling for depression, divorce, domestic abuse, child abuse, and parenting skills. Available in Milwaukee and Waukesha.

800-488-5181

Web site: <https://www.lsswis.org/>

Racine Collaborative for Children's Mental Health

Community leaders and members working with a mission to improve children's mental health. With education, advocacy, community leaders, and professional resources to deliver quality, coordinated and comprehensive support services to children in need to help lead healthy lives.

2333 Northwestern Avenue

Racine, WI 53404

262-977-5013

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/RacineC2MH/>

Rogers Memorial Hospital

Child and Adolescent Day Treatment Program to provide intensive treatment for kids and teens who have serious emotional and behavioral problems, but do not need inpatient care. Treatment that would exceed what could be provided in traditional outpatient therapy. Services include individual, family, and group therapy, psychiatric evaluation and medication management. Half day schedule program will allow the child to continue their school schedule. Common conditions include Depression, OCD and Anxiety, Eating Disorders, PTSD, Addiction, Autism, and Emotional Dysregulation.

9916 75th Street
Kenosha, WI 53142
800-767-4411

Web site: <https://rogersbh.org/>

Addiction Recovery of Wisconsin

Resource that is free and confidential to provide substance abuse treatment and recovery services. Services include finding support groups, treatment options, affording care, and helping a loved one. The helpline is available 24/7.

Web site: <https://211wisconsin.communityos.org/affording-care>

Birds of a Feather Agency

Organization for those who were affected by substance use or abuse or those who are at risk as well. Services include therapy, consultation, support groups, psychiatric evaluation, crisis intervention, etc.

6530 Sheridan Road Suite #2
Kenosha Wisconsin, 53143
262-605-8442

Web site: <https://www.birdsofafeatheragency.org/>

Hope Council

Serves to reduce the impact of substance use disorders in our community by providing education, prevention, intervention, and referral services.

5942 – 6th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53140
Phone: 262-658-8166
Fax: 262-658-8210

Web site: <https://www.hopecouncil.org/>

Psychology Today- Therapists in Wisconsin

Psychology Today website features a therapy and health professionals directory. Online source to help individuals identify which therapists or professionals are in their area, what insurance is accepted, reviews from past patients, and what services are provided.

Web site: https://www.psychologytoday.com/us?tr=Hdr_Brand

Pregnancy and Parenting Resources

Prevention Services Network (PSN) Family Resource Center

Provides services to strengthening families and connects to resources at no charge within the community through education, prevention, support, networking, and collaboration. Services include Service Coordination to assist families in connecting them to local resources, Positive Parenting Project, Parent Talk Lunch for engaging and education topics offered each week, Women's Circle for facilitated conversations with lunch, and Triple P to connect with other parents having similar issues.

8600 Sheridan Road

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-697-4651

Web site: <https://www.psnfamilyresourcecenter.com/index.html>

Lively Stone Diaper Bank

Provides diapers for families in need.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/donate/2796272417365292/>

Somers Community United Church of Christ

The Diaper Ministry provides diapers and wipes for families in need at no charge. Must bring photo ID, utility bill for current address. If an individual is expecting you may begin participating in the Diaper Ministry at the beginning of your third trimester. Families are allowed to visit every two weeks.

9918 12th St (County Road E)

Kenosha WI 53144

262-859-2540

Web site: <http://www.somerschurch.org/news-events/diaper-ministry/>

Baby Express

Provides assistance for pregnant women and infants to increase healthcare access, promote independence, and connect with local resources. Services include case management, breastfeeding support, transportation assistance, and a partner to fight against infant mortality.

Online registration.

930 Carrol St

Racine, WI 53403

1-800-579-1145

Web site: <http://babyexpress.us/home>

Care Net Family

Helps provide individuals with medical resources, material resources, and parenting resources. Services include free pregnancy tests and limited obstetrical ultrasounds, free diapers, wipes,

formula, clothing, and other products, as well as parenting courses and group resources.

Appointment needed.

6105 22nd Avenue

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-658-2555

Web site: <https://www.carenetfamilyresources.org/>

Health Street

Provides drug tests or DNA tests for businesses or private individuals. DNA testing includes paternity tests, sibling studies, home test kit, prenatal paternity test, aunt/uncle test, grandparent test, and postmortem test. Online registration for testing.

262-205-0933

Web site: <https://www.health-street.net/location/kenosha-wi/>

Transportation

Kenosha Achievement Center (KAC)

Provides a variety of highly accessible, specialized transportation services and paratransit services for passengers with a condition or disability.

1218 - 79th Street

Kenosha, WI 53143

262-658-9500

Fax: 262-764-0751

Web site: <https://thekac.com/>

Kenosha County Aging & Disability Resource Center (ADRC)

-Kenosha Area Transit (public city bus)

262-653-4290

-Care-A-Van (paratransit)

262-658-9093

-Western Kenosha County Transit (rural public bus)

888-203-3498

-Volunteer Transportation

262-842-7433

Web site: <https://www.kenoshacounty.org/1087/Transportation>

Ktown Transportation

Provide non-medical transportation for doctor appointments, dialysis, medical treatments and special needs.

6946 46th St

Kenosha, WI 53144

262-764-0377

Web site: <https://www.ktowntransportation.com/>

GoGoGrandparent

Allows older adults to access and use Uber and Lyft transportation services without needing a smartphone or cellphone. Services aide in doctor visits, medication delivery, dietary restrictions and groceries.

1-855-464-6872

Web site: <https://gogograndparent.com/>

LJH Ambulance

Stretcher transport only

262-658-4448

Web site: <http://www.ljhambulance.com/>

Volunteer

Shalom Center

Families may volunteer their time, talent, and skills in a multitude of areas including food pantry, soup kitchen, warehouse, building volunteer, fundraising, and group efforts.

4314 39th Avenue

Kenosha, WI 53144

262-658-1713

Web site: <https://www.shalomcenter.org/volunteer>

KAFASI- Kenosha and Family Aging Services, Inc

Kenosha's largest volunteer organization. Provides over 15 programs to help community members and volunteer time as a family. Programs include Senior Dining, Daybreak, Friendly Visitor, and more.

7730 Sheridan Road

Kenosha WI 53143

262-658-3508

Web site: <https://www.kafasi.org/volservices.html>

Habitat for Humanity

Habitat for Humanity brings people together to build homes, communities, and hope using mainly volunteer labor. Must be at least 16 years old to be on construction site with specific conditions listed on FAQ page.

6203 28th ave.

Kenosha WI, 53143

262-925-0360

Web site: <https://www.habitatkenosha.org/>

Margaret Ann's Program

Monthly program offers opportunities for children and teens grieving the loss of someone close to them to engage in peer discussions, organized activities, and peer bonding. Volunteer Group Facilitators use structured activities to provide educational and emotional support and guidance to participants. Volunteers must commit to one year of service and be 18 years of age. Other conditions required available on the web site.

420 7th Street

Racine, WI 53403

262-634-2391

Web site: <https://www.fsracine.org/margaretann-s-program>

Love, Inc

Nonprofit organization that provides multiple services including clothing, meals, education, and resource assistance. Volunteer opportunities involve evening meal-site help, working in stores, food pantry service, and serving on committees to prepare newsletter, websites, or finances.

480 S. Pine Street

Burlington, WI 53105

262-763-6226

Web site: <https://www.love-inc.net/>

Lotsa Helping Hands

A web-based volunteer network. Provides an online source to help volunteers to connect and empower their communities who are eager to help those in need. Any individual is capable of creating a community including caregivers, friends and family, volunteers, new parents, or anyone looking to help a person in need.

Web site: <https://lotsahelpinghands.com/>

Youth Programs

GLSEN

Organization to ensure every student is provided with a safe, supportive environment within the K-12 education that is LGBTQ inclusive. Network includes educators, students, and local chapters to make sure students feel safe regardless of sexual orientation, gender identity, or expression. Programs for both children, teens, and adults.

Web site: <https://www.glsen.org/>

Oasis Youth Center

Community center for youth to gather in a safe place that provides academic assistance, fun activities, and community involvement. Individuals will be supervised in a safe setting and admittance is free of charge. Must be in 5th grade or higher to join. Services include tutoring, snacks, program activities, and new friendships.

Oasis Youth Center is located in the lower level of St. Luke's Lutheran Church

6700 – 30th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53142
Web site: <http://oyckenosha.net/>

Boys and Girls Club of Kenosha

Organization dedicated to providing many different programs for youth that may have a multitude of interests and needs. The main areas of focus for youth are education and career development, character and leadership development, health and life skills, the arts and sports, and fitness and recreation. Programs are available for both youth and teens. Youth ages of 6-12 and teen ages of 13-18.

1330 52nd Street
Kenosha, WI 53140
262-654-6200
Web site: <https://www.bgckenosha.org/>

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Racine and Kenosha

Provides children and teens the influence of a caring adult to help avoid risky behaviors and help children and teens concentrate on academics. Being placed with a Big Brother or Big Sister allows youth to help navigate tough situations and challenges. Application required for both children and volunteers.

3131 Taylor Avenue, Building 4, Box 7
Racine, WI 53405
262-637-7625
Web site: <https://www.beabignow.org/>

YMCA Kenosha

Programs include childcare and camps for children ages 2 through 12. Early childhood, school age, and summer day camp programs available for families. Kids Club is also available for members as a drop-in childcare while they utilize the facility. Core values to impart to children are honesty, responsibility, respect, and caring. Activities include health and wellness classes, workout equipment and group exercise opportunities, swimming pool and swim lessons, sports, and community involvement.

7101 53rd St
Kenosha, WI 53144
262-654-9622
Web site: <https://live-ymca-2020.pantheonsite.io/>

ELCA Outreach Center

Organization dedicated to helping the community with youth programs free of charge. Programs including Girlz Together, Summer Camp, School Supply Distribution, and Christmas Gift Giveaway. Children ages 6 and higher are able to participate in education and fun activities that develop skills and positive self-image.

6218 26th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53143

262-652-5545

Web site: <https://elcaoutreachcenter.org/ways-we-help/#1489852660654-5dc1b4d5-e28a>

Godfathers Club of Racine

Program promotes confidence and provides guidance to a diverse group of at risk males of ages 7-24. By matching them with adult male companions, they can develop skills in self-esteem, talents, interests, and maturity. Supports young males in achieving short and long-term goals with the help of leaders.

1120 Grand Avenue, Racine, WI 53403

262-412-7690

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/The-Godfathers-Club-of-Racine-409802909097475/>

Big Sisters of Greater Racine

Organization that provides guidance and support to girls in the community by matching them with adult women mentors. Supplies young women with motivation, help, and encouragement throughout the process. Little sisters have to be between the ages of 5 and 14 years of age and may remain in the program until they are 18 or as long as they remain in school.

840 Lake Ave

Suite 250

Racine, WI 53403

262-902-6310

Web site: <http://bigsistersracine.org/>

Career Pathways Academy

Online organization that provides skills to help youth develop skills in reading, math, and science. Programs are free of cost. Programs also include courses in Academic Enrichment, Social and Emotional Learning, Career Development, and Runnin Force Basketball Club Activities.

Web site: <https://cpakenosha.org/>