

Community Services

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Abundant Life Christian Center

- Divorce Support
306 Morgan Avenue Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (216)323-1694/ 324-2251
Contact: Mr. Jerry Harper
Website: www.alcc.org/

Alcoholics Anonymous

- Assistance with alcohol abuse
Lorain Inter-group Office
710 Broadway Lorain, Ohio 44052
Phone: (440) 246-1800
24 Hr Hotline: 1-800-410-2560
Website: <http://www.aaloraincounty.org>

American Sickle Cell Anemia

- Education, advocacy, and support for sickle cell anemia patients
2314 Kelly Pl, Lorain Ohio 44053
Phone: (440)244-5161
Website: www.ascaa.org/

Beech Brook

- Mental Health agency designed for youth
347 Midway Blvd. Ste 204 Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: 324-4980
Website: www.BeechBrook.org/

BCMH

- Bureau for children with medical handicaps
Phone: 284-1541/ 284-1570

Blessing House

- Provide children with housing during emergency
5440 Grove Avenue Lorain, Oh 44055
Phone: 440-240-1851
Website: <http://www.Blessinghouse.org/>

Birth Right

- Assist with women and children needs
2136 N. Ridge Road Elyria, Oh 44035
Phone: 324-9566

Catholic Charities

- Health and human services
2136 N Ridge Rd Elyria, Ohio
Phone: (440)324- 2420
Website: www.clevelandcatholiccharities.org

Cornerstone Among Women

- Women's Support
364 Griswold Road Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: Elyria (440) 284-1010
Lorain 244-0655
Website: www.cornerstoneamongwomen.org

Easter Seals

- Assist Children & Adults with disabilities/special needs
41641 N. Ridge Road East Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440) 324-6600
Website: www.easterseals.com

El Centro De Servicios Sociales

- Social Service Center for Spanish Speakers
1888 E. 31st St. Lorain, Ohio 44055
Phone: (440) 277-8235

Elyria Charities Inc.

- Support, encourage, and advance education
134 Kenwood St. Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440) 365-0205

Elyria City Health District

- Provides multiple services for the citizens of Elyria City.
202 Chestnut Street Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440)323-7595
Website: www.elyriahealth.com

Faith House

- Helps meet the needs of homeless single parents
1561 E. 30th Street Lorain, Ohio 44055
Phone: (440)277-4430

Family Planning Service of Lorain County

- Promote the health of Women and Families as well as STD testing.
602 Leona St. Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440)322-7526
Website: www.familyplanningservices.org

Far West Center

- Mental Health Center
510 N. Leavitt Road Amherst, Ohio
Phone: (440)988-4900
Website: www.farwestcenter.com

Gathering Hope House

- Provide support and offer safe/friendly environment for mental illnesses
1173 N. Ridge Rd. E. Lorain, Oh 44055
Phone: 233-7400
Website: www.lcmhb.org/GatheringHope.html

Genesis House

- Domestic Violence Support
P.O. Box 718 Lorain, Ohio 44052
Phone: (440) 233-9999/ 244-1853
Website: www.geneshouseshelter.com
24-hour Hotline: (440) 244-1853

Habitat for Humanity

- Christian housing organization that builds houses for people in need
105 Court Street Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440) 322-2355
Website: www.Habitat.org

Haven Center

- Homeless Services
1536 East 30th Street Lorain, Ohio 44055
Phone: (440) 277-9272/ 277-4007

Head Start

- Home programs to provide child and family development
1215 Middle Avenue Elyria Oh 44035
Phone: 323-1737
Or
1050 Reid Avenue Lorain Oh 44052
Phone: 246-0480

Help me Grow

- Provides services to pregnant woman and children 3 yrs and below
Elyria City Health District
202 Chestnut St Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440) 323-7595
Central Intake Line: 1- 800-729-TOTS
Website: www.ohiohelpmegrow.org

Horizon Activities Center

- Childcare Services
2500 Colorado Ave Lorain, Ohio 44052
Phone: Lorain (440) 288-5437
Elyria 322-3409

LCADA (Lorain County Alcohol & Drug Abuse Services)

- Treat, educate, and prevent Alcohol and Drug Abuse.
2115 West Park Drive Lorain, Ohio 44053
Phone: (440)282-4777

Legal Aid Society

- Provides business/personal law
538 Broad Street Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440)323-8240

Lifeshare Community Blood Services

- Organize Blood Banks, Social Services
333 East Bridge Street Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440) 233-8827
Website: www.lifeshare.cc

Life Skills

- Computerized coursework and teaching for GED seekers
2015 W. River Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440)324-1755
Website: www.wediducan.com

Lorain County Aids Task Force

- Assist people living with and affected by HIV/AIDS
1800 Livingston Ave Lorain, Ohio 44052
Phone: (440)233-1086

Lorain County Community Action Agency

- Assistance from the house, energy and emergency programs of Lorain County
502/506 Broadway Avenue Lorain, Oh 44052
Phone: 245-2009

Lorain County Free Clinic

- Bring accessible healthcare to the uninsured
3323 Pearl Avenue, Lorain Oh 44055
Phone: 277-6641
Website: lcfc@centurytel.net

Lorain County Health Department

- Provides multiple services for the citizens of Lorain County. Also offers STD testing.
9880 Murray Ridge Rd Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440) 322-6367

Lorain County Health & Dentistry

- Provides family health and oral hygiene. Also offers STD testing.
3745 Grove Ave Lorain, Ohio 44055
Phone: (440)240-0153
1800 Livingston Ave Lorain, Ohio 44053
Phone: (440)233-0166

Lorain City Health Department

- Provides multiple services for the citizens of Lorain City. Also offers STD testing.
1144 West Erie Avenue Lorain, Ohio 44052
Phone: (440) 204-2300

Lorain County Job and Family Services

- Maximize available community resources to assist families
42485 North Ridge Rd. Elyria Oh, 44035
Phone: Elyria- 323-5726
Lorain- 244-4150
Website: www.lcdjfs.com

Lorain County Urban League

- Community and Social Services
401 Broad Street Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440) 323-3364
Website: www.lcul.org

Lorain Metropolitan Housing Authority (LMHA)

- Provides safe, decent, and affordable housing for the residents of Lorain County
1600 Kansas Ave. Lorain Oh, 44052
Phone: Elyria- 323-5942
Lorain- 288-2887
Website: www.lmha.org

Love Inc.

- Clearing House and resource provider
Phone: 322-5689
Website: <http://lilc.org>

Neighborhood House Association

- Enhancing Family Life and improving neighborhood functioning
15 Chestnut Street Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440) 322-3268

Nord Center

- Counseling and mental health services
992 North Abbe Rd. Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (400)366-5262/ 233-7232

Ohio Department of Job & Family Services

- Use community resources to assist families and individuals in their goals
209 W. 4th St. Lorain, Ohio 44052
Phone: (440) 244-6321

Our Lady of the Wayside

- Assist the Mentally & Physically challenged.
38135 Colorado Ave. Avon, Ohio
Phone: Avon (440) 934-6007
Lorain 233-6767
Website: <http://wayside.org>

Red Cross

- Assist with health/living needs
2929 West River Rd. North Elyria, Oh 44035
Phone: 324-2929
Website: <http://loraincounty.redcross.org>

Salvation Army

- Provides emotional, physical, and spiritual relief
716 Broad St. Elyria Oh, 44035
Phone: Elyria- 323-2026
Lorain- 244-1921
Website: www.use.salvationarmy.org

Senior Employment Center

- Assist seniors in job location
42495 N. Ridge Rd. Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440) 324-3588
Website: <http://matureservices.org/>

Special Wish Foundation

- Granting wishes of children who are diagnosed with a life-threatening disorder
4370 Oberlin Avenue Lorain, Ohio 44053
Phone: (440) 282-1398
Website: <http://www.spwish.org/>

WIC Program

- Assists Women, Infants, and Children
9880 Murray Ridge Rd. Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440) 323-7320/ 233-5787
Website: <http://loraincountyhealth.com>

YWCA

- Women empowerment
318 West Avenue Elyria, Ohio 44035
Phone: (440) 322-6300
Website: www.ywca.org