



# CLINTON COUNTY CONNECT

Helping Connect Families to Early Childhood  
Services and Resources.

[www.clintongreatstart.org](http://www.clintongreatstart.org)

## FOOD DISTRIBUTION

**Bath Comm. Center**  
(989) 227-3323

**Beacon of Hope**  
(989) 224-0328

**Catholic Comm. St. Jude**  
(517) 669-8335

**Elsie Methodist Church**  
(989) 862-5239

**Greater Lansing Food Bank**  
(517) 899-9457

**Mount Hope Church**  
(989) 227-5366

**Redeemer UMC**  
(517) 669-3430

## READINESS & SCHOOL PROGRAMS

**EightCAP, Inc. Early Head Start: 1-800-227-2437**

Center based program for women and children birth to 3 years old (Income Limits).

**Early On (Birth to age 3): 1-800-Early-On/Build Up Michigan (3 to 5): (989) 224-5678** Concerned about your child's development? Don't worry, but don't wait.

**Head Start or Great Start Readiness Program: 1-855-644-7735 or [www.clintonpreschool.org](http://www.clintonpreschool.org).** Free preschool education program for children 3 to 5 years old who qualify (Income Limits).

**Childcare/Preschool: 1-877-614-7328 or [www.greatstarttoquality.org](http://www.greatstarttoquality.org)**  
Statewide online database available to search for licensed child care and Preschools.

**Clinton County RESA: (989) 224-6831**

Early on, preschool development screening, community playgroups.

## GENERAL PARENT & CHILD RESOURCES

**Expectant Parent Organization: (517) 337-7365**

Childbirth and parenting classes.

**Great Start Parent Coalition: (989) 224-6831, Ext. 2145**

Parent group meets monthly to network, explore issues that children face and strengthen families.

**FREE Parent/Provider Education Classes: (517) 668-2418**

**My Community Dental Center St. Johns: 1-877-313-6232**

Serves children and adults with Medicaid, Healthy Kids Dental, low income uninsured patients, private insurance.

**Car Seat Fitting Station (Sparrow Clinton Hospital): (989) 227-3334.**

Over 80% of car seats are not installed properly. Make sure your child's seat is! Available to all, call for an appointment.

**Dept. of Health & Human Services/Medicaid/MI Child: 1-844-464-3447.** Food and rent assistance, medical coverage, family support (Income Limits). [www.michigan.gov/mibridges](http://www.michigan.gov/mibridges)

**The Voice of Clinton County's Children:** Provides services to abused and neglected children. For more information, visit [voiceforclintoncountychildren.org](http://voiceforclintoncountychildren.org) or call **(989) 640-5681**.

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## LOCAL LIBRARIES

**Bath Township Public Library**  
14033 Webster Rd, Bath  
(517) 641-7111

**Briggs District Library**  
108 E Railroad St., St. Johns  
(989) 224-4702

**DeWitt District Library**  
13101 Schavey Rd., DeWitt  
(517) 669-3156

**Elsie Public Library**  
145 W. Main Street, Elsie  
(989) 862-4633

**Ovid Public Library**  
206 N Main St., Ovid  
(989) 834-5800

## TRANSPORTATION

**Clinton Transit**  
(989) 224-8127

\*Medicaid Members contact  
your Health Plan  
(Medical Appts.)

**The Davies Project**  
(Medical Appts.)  
(517) 899-2425

Uber: [www.uber.com](http://www.uber.com)  
Lyft: [www.lyft.com](http://www.lyft.com)

## CLOTHING AND BABY ITEMS

Baby Pantry, St Johns  
(989) 224-2636

St. Vincent DePaul, St. Johns  
(989) 292-7057

Beacon of Hope, St. Johns  
(989) 224-0328

Seventh Day Adventist Church  
Mission, St. Johns  
(989)224-7779

Goodwill Industries  
(517) 669-2914

Lakeside Chapel  
Thursdays: 2pm-5pm  
(517) 641-6291

Mount Hope Church Coat Closet  
(989) 227-5366

Basic Needs Center  
(517) 230-4618

Little Blessings Baby Pantry  
(517) 256-8014

Elsie Baby Pantry  
(989) 862-5846

## MID-MICHIGAN DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT

(989) 224-2195

**WIC:** Food assistance for pregnant women & children up to 5 years old.

**Breastfeeding Support & Lactation Consultant, Children's Special Health Care Services, Immunizations:** Adult & childhood immunizations for the uninsured, under insured, Medicaid insured and some private insurances.

**Family Planning:** provides confidential initial & yearly exams, sexually transmitted infection testing, birth control, pregnancy testing and more. (Sliding scale fees. Payments at time of visit).

## ADDITIONAL COMMUNITY RESOURCES

**Poison Control**  
1-800-222-1222

**Smoking Cessation**  
1-800-480-QUIT

**Legal Services of South  
Central MI:** 1-888-783-8190

**Clinton Transit  
(Blue Bus)**  
(989) 224-8127

**Sparrow Clinton  
Hospital-St. Johns**  
(989) 227-3400

**Michigan Works -  
Employment Services**  
[www.michiganworks.org](http://www.michiganworks.org)  
(989) 224-2000

**MSU Extension: (989) 224-5240**

Nutrition, youth and parenting programs.

**CACS: (989) 224-6702**

Homeless services, tax prep, home weatherization, food assistance, utility assistance, and property tax foreclosure prevention.

**Substance Abuse Services/Clinton County Counseling Center:**

**(989) 224-6729.** Provides substance abuse treatment services for residents of Clinton County.

**Caring & Sharing Family Life Services, Inc.: (517) 668-2418**

Grands Plus (Grandparents/Kinship Care), Parenting Classes (Love & Logic, Nurturing Parents), Infant Massage, ACT (Adults & Children Together), Maternal Infant Health Programs, Work of Heart (Foster Parent & Adoptive Parent Program).

**Adult Education: (989) 236-5404**

GED Prep and High School Completion and Mid-Michigan Adult/Alternative Education Learning Partnership.

**SafeCenter: (989) 723-9716**

Services include; shelter, outreach and help for domestic violence and sexual assault survivors.

**2-1-1 Central Michigan or [www.centalmichigan211.org](http://www.centalmichigan211.org)**

Provides callers with information and referrals to human services agencies. Offers access to the following types of services: Basic Human Needs Resources, Physical and Mental Health Resources, Employment Supports, Support for Older Americans and Persons with Disabilities, Support for Children, Youth and Families.

**Community Mental Health: 1-888-800-1559 (First Time Callers) or**

**1-800-372-8460 (Emergencies).** Provides mental health services for residents of Clinton County. Outpatient and home-based services available for qualifying families with children birth to age 18.

**Clinton County Counseling Center: (989) 224-6729.** Call for information on parenting classes.

**Kinship Care: (517) 887-1469.** Provides rest and relief for non-parent older adults (55+) who are raising a child 18 years old or younger.

## HOUSING/RENT ASSISTANCE

**Housing Serv. of Mid MI: (989) 224-5538**

**DHHS: (989) 224-5500**

**Salvation Army: (517) 484-4424**

**CACS: (989) 224-6702**

**St. Vincent DePaul: (989) 292-7057**

**MSHDA: (517) 669-9706**

If you would like your resource added or removed from this form, please contact Karen Black, Great Start Collaborative Director.  
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