

Meeker COUNTY

FAMILY RESOURCE GUIDE

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BASIC NEEDS

FOOD

Meeker Area Food Shelf

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-275-0124 (Dassel) and 320-693-7661 (Litchfield)

GENERAL ASSISTANCE, MFIP & FOOD BENEFITS

Meeker County Social Service

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-693-5300

HOMELESS SHELTERS

Salvation Army – St. Cloud

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-252-4552

Safe Avenues – Willmar

[Visit Website](#) or call 800-792-4210

HOMELESS SUPPORT

Meeker County Sheriff's Office

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-693-5400

Meeker County Social Service

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-693-5300

Salvation Army-Willmar

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-235-2033

TRANSITIONAL SHELTERS

Lutheran Social Services of MN

[Visit the website](#) or call 218.626.2726

United Community Action Partnership

[Visit the website](#) or call 800-992-1710 & 320-235-0850

CRIMINAL JUSTICE & LEGAL SERVICES

CRIME VICTIM SERVICES

Meeker County Crime Victim Services

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-693-5223

GENERAL LEGAL AID

Western Minnesota Legal Services

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-235-9600 and 888-360-3666

POLICE

Cosmos Police Department

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-693-5400

Eden Valley Police Department

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-453-5452

Litchfield Police Department

[Visit Website](#) or call or 320-693-5425

Watkins Police Department

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-764-6792

SHERIFF

Meeker County Sheriff Office

[Visit Website](#) or call 320-693-5400

CRISIS LINES



AIDS

MN AIDS PROJECT – Hotline

800-248-2437

CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY

Project Turnabout

800-862-1453

CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

Meeker County-After hours reporting

320-693-5400

Meeker County Social Service Center

320-693-5300

National Child Abuse Hotline

800-422-4453

GAMBLING HOTLINE

Minnesota Compulsive Gambling Hotline

800-333-4673

Project Turnabout

800-862-1453

POISON CONTROL

800-222-1222

PREGNANCY CRISIS HOTLINE

America's Pregnancy Helpline

888-672-2296

Planned Parenthood Federation of America

800-230-7526

RUNAWAY YOUTH & FAMILY CONFLICT

Volunteers of America/
Turning Point – Sioux Falls SD

800-365-8336

SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASE (STD)

MN Family Planning & STD Hotline

800-783-2287

National STD Hotline (English & Spanish)

800-227-8922

SUICIDE CRISIS HOTLINE

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

800- 273-8255

Woodland Centers Crisis Line

800-432-8781

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

McLeod Alliance for Victims of Domestic Violence [Visit Website](#) or call 800-934-0851
MN Day One Crisis Line [Visit Website](#) or call 866-223-1111
Safe Avenues [Visit Website](#) or call 800.792.4210

EDUCATION/CHILD CARE

EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION

Child Care Aware of West Central [Visit the website](#)
Child Care Programs [Visit the website](#) or call 888-291-9811
Early Head Start and Head Start [Visit the website](#) or call 320-235-0850 extension 600
Early Learning Scholarships [Visit the website](#)
Help Me Grow MN [Visit the website](#)

SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Atwater-Cosmos-Grove City Public Schools
ISD #2396 [Visit Website](#) or call 320-857-2271
Dassel-Cokato School District ISD #466 [Visit Website](#) or call 320-286-4100
Eden Valley-Watkins School District ISD #463 [Visit Website](#) or call 320-453-2900
Litchfield Public Schools ISD #465 [Visit Website](#) or call 320-693-2444

OTHER

Adult Basic Education [Visit the website](#) or call 800-222-1990
Ridgewater College [Visit the website](#) or call 320-222-5200

EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING

TEMPORARY AND LONG-TERM EMPLOYMENT

Central Minnesota Jobs & Training Services [Visit the website](#) or call 888-438-5627
Employment Plus – Willmar [Visit the website](#) or call 320-235-1707
G & S Staffing Services, Inc. – Willmar 320-235-3949
Masterson Staffing Solutions [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-2271
MN Workforce Centers [Visit the website](#) or call 651-259-7500
Work Connection – Eden Valley 320-453-2118
Work Connection – Litchfield 320-693-8871

FINANCIAL EDUCATION AND COUNSELING



CREDIT COUNSELING

Lutheran Social Services of MN (Willmar) [Visit the website](#) or call [651.642.5990](tel:651.642.5990)
United Community Action
Partnership (Litchfield) [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-7911

EMERGENCY, MORTGAGE, RENT & RENTAL DEPOSIT ASSISTANCE

Meeker County Social Service [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-5300 or 877-915-5300
United Community Action
Partnership (Litchfield) [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-7911

MEDICAL EXPENSE ASSISTANCE

Children & Youth with Special Health Needs [Visit the website](#) or call 651-201-3650 and 800-728-5420
Meeker County Social Service [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-5300 and 877-915-5300
Meeker County Veterans Service [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-5445

OTHER TEMPORARY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Meeker County Social Service [Visit the website](#) or call 877-915-5300 and 320-693-5300
Meeker County Veterans Service [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-5445

Salvation Army – Region III – Litchfield [Visit the website](#) or call or 507-326-5017

UTILITY BILL PAYMENT ASSISTANCE

Meeker County Social Service [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-5300 and 877-915-5300
Salvation Army – Region III – Litchfield [Visit the website](#) or call 507-326-5017
United Community Action Partnership [Visit the website](#) or call [800-992-1710](tel:800-992-1710) & [320-587-5244](tel:320-587-5244)

HEALTH SERVICES

DENTAL HEALTH

Caring Hands Dental Services [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-5370
Children's Dental Services [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-5370
Dental Clinics that may take Medical Assistance [Visit the website](#)
Dr. Jeremy Johnson (Orthodontist) – Litchfield [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-8131
Dr. Kenneth Ness-Dassel & Litchfield Dental [Visit the website](#) or call 320-275-2954 and 320-693-8939
Litchfield Family Dental [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-2228
Sibley Dental Clinic [Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-8131

MEDICAL HEALTH

**Affiliated Community Medical Center/
Carris Health – Litchfield**

[Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-3233
(Litchfield) and 888-225-6580(Willmar)

**Centracare Eden Valley Clinic
Hutchinson Health**

[Visit the website](#) or call 320-453-2260
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-234-3290
(clinic), 320-234-5000 (hospital) and 800-
944-2690

**Hutchinson Health Dassel Clinic
Meeker Memorial Clinic – Dassel
Meeker County Memorial Hospital – Litchfield
Rice Memorial Hospital/Carris Health – Willmar**

[Visit the website](#) or call 320-275-3358
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-275-4330
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-3242
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-235-4543

MENTAL HEALTH

**Clinical & Developmental Services LLC
Crow River Counseling – Litchfield
Full Bloom Counseling
Greater MN Family (Willmar) – Youth
Hutchinson Health – Youth and Adult
Integrations Wellness & Recovery Center, LLC
Lighthouse Counseling
Litchfield Family Psychology Services
Lutheran Social Services – Willmar
McLeod Treatment Programs (Hutchinson) –
Youth
Pathways Therapeutic Service
Rice Institute for Counseling & Education –
Willmar**

[Visit the website](#) or call 952-955-6213
320-593- 0526
[Visit the website](#)
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-235-3664
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-484-4585 (24 hour crisis line)
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-434-1312
320-234-7100
320-693-7708
[Visit the website](#)
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-587-9790
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-9053
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-231-4399
& 800-642-6839
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-455-9888
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-587-2326
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-485-9041
[Visit the website](#) or call 800-992-1716

**Serenity Mental Health Services
Steppingstone Therapeutic
Transcend Therapeutic LLC
Woodland Centers – Youth and Adult**

PUBLIC HEALTH

**Meeker County Public Health
WIC (Women, Infants, and Children)**

[Visit the website](#) or call 320-693
5370 and 800-485-2873
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-864-3185

SUBSTANCE ABUSE

**C.A.R.E. – Community Addiction Recovery
Enterprises
Hutchinson Health
Meeker County Social Service Center**

[Visit the website](#) or call 888-234-1319 (Willmar)
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-234-3290 & 800-944-2690
[Visit the website](#) or call co.meeker.mn.us/252/Emergency-Programs
or 877-915-5300 and 320-693-5300

New Beginnings in Litchfield

[Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-2461
(Litchfield) and 1-800-487-8758 (Waverly)

**Wings (Adolescents/Litchfield area)
Woodland Centers: Crisis Hotline
Woodland Centers: Litchfield**

[Visit the website](#) or call 320-593-0440
800-432-8781
320-693-7221

Woodland Centers: Willmar Detox Center
Al-Anon
Keep it Simple (Alcoholics Anonymous MN)
Narcotics Anonymous MN Region

[Visit the website](#) or call 320-231-9155 & 800-284-3623
[Visit the website](#)
[Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-3207
[Visit the website](#) or call
or 320-693-8108

THRIFT SHOPS



Again & Again (Dassel)

320-626-3031

Again & Again Too (Litchfield)

320-593-2913

Threads of Hope

[Visit the website](#) or call 320-693-8811

TRANSPORTATION

Central Community Transit

[Visit the website](#) or call 320- 693-7794 and 800-513-7433

OTHER

Litchfield Area Chamber of Commerce
Meeker County Housing & Redevelopment
Authority

[Visit the website](#) or call 320.693.8184

PACT for Families Collaborative

[Visit the website](#) or call 320-275-3542

United Community Action Partnership

[Visit the website](#) or call 320-231-7030

United Way of West Central MN

[Visit the website](#) or call 800-992-1710

[Visit the website](#) or call 320) 235-1050

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