

COMMUNITY RESOURCE GUIDE

The Lakewood Family Collaborative

Supporting families...so kids will thrive!



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This program is provided in partnership with Lakewood Department of Human Services, Cuyahoga County Department of Children and Family Services and our community partners.

Frequently Used Phone Numbers

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| Lakewood Animal Shelter | (216) 529-5020 |
| Lakewood Building Department | (216) 529-6270 |
| Lakewood City Hall | (216) 521-7580 |
| Lakewood City Schools | (216) 529-4000 |
| Lakewood Community Recreation & Education Department | (216) 529-4081 |
| Lakewood Department of Human Services | (216) 529-6685 |
| Lakewood Division of Aging | (216) 521-1515 |
| Lakewood Division of Early Childhood | (216) 529-5018 |
| Lakewood Division of Youth/Family | (216) 529-6870 |
| Lakewood Hospital | (216) 226-8275 |
| Lakewood Hospital Teen Health Center | (216) 391-TEEN (8336) |
| Lakewood Police Department (non-emergency) | (216) 521-6773 |
| Lakewood Vital Statistics | (216) 521-7690 |
| Lakewood WIC (Women, Infant, & Children) | (216) 228-2180 |
| Lakewood YMCA | (216) 521-8400 |

Cuyahoga County Agency Phone Numbers

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| Westshore Employment and Family Services | (216) 939-2523 |
| Virgil E. Brown Employment and Family Services (OWF) | (216) 987-6782 |
| Cuyahoga County Department of Children and Family Services | (216) 696-KIDS (5437) Kid's Hotline (216) 431-4500 Main number |
| Cuyahoga County Department of Children and Family Services Foster Care Recruitment and Support | (216) 881-5775 |
| Cuyahoga County Senior and Adult Services | (216) 420-6750 |
| Tenants Rights | (216) 226-6466 |

Elected Officials

Congressman

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| Dennis J. Kucinich (D) 14400 Detroit Ave. Lakewood, Oh 44107 | (216) 228-8850 |
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Senators

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| Sherrod Brown (D) 455 Russell Senate Office Building Washington DC 20510 | (202) 224-2315 |
| George Voinovich ® 524 Hart Senate Office Building Washington DC 20510 | (212) 224-3353 |

State Representative

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| Michael J. Skindell (D-13) 16800 Delaware Ave. Lakewood OH 44107 | (216) 521-9919 |
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State Senator

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| Dale Miller (D-23) Senate Building #048 Ground Floor Columbus OH 43215 | (614) 466-5123 |
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Board of County Commissioner's

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| Tim Hagan, Jimmy Dimora, & Peter Lawson Jones | (216) 443-7179 |
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Mayor of Lakewood

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| Edward FitzGerald | (216) 529-6600 |
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Lakewood City Council Office

(216) 529-6055

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2100 Lakeside Place

2100 Lakeside Ave.
Cleveland OH 44144
216.566.0041

Serves: Shelter provides up to 400 men with beds. They routinely have 150-200 men at the overflow throughout the community; can enter the center at 4 p.m. to get a bed; there are services offered during the day for around 100 people.

FIRST CALL FOR HELP TO SEE ABOUT OPENINGS 216.436.2000

AACCESS-Ohio

www.aaccess-ohio.org

11555 Lorain Ave.
Cleveland OH 44111
216.252.2900

Services: A variety of economic and social services offered to Arab Americans to assist them with the integration into mainstream American life.

Criteria: Low-income Arab American individuals and families.

Ace Cash Express

www.acecashexpress.com

14873 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.3685

Achievement Centers for Children

www.achievementcenters.org

24211 Center Ridge Rd.
Westlake, Oh 44145
440.250.2520

Contact: Social Worker

Services: Offers disability counseling; rehabilitation therapies for children only; education; mental health for all children from birth to age 5 through the Early Childhood Program; recreation and family support services; mental health services for children ages 5 to adult; parent support groups and preschool for children with autism.

Criteria: Must have a disability or be a family member of a person with a disability.

Documentation: Call agency for required documentation.

Addiction Helpline: 800.559.9503

Services: Provides information pertaining to drug addiction treatment, drug and alcohol rehabs, and substance abuse treatment research information.

Adoption Network

www.adoptionnetwork.org

4614 Prospect Ave, Suite 550
Cleveland OH 44103
216.325.1000

Services: Connect and empower individuals, organization, and communities impacted by adoption and foster care and provide a source of healing for those in need.

Adult Basic and Literacy Education (ABLE)

www.lakewoodrecreation.com

Emerson Elementary School
13439 Clifton Blvd.
Lakewood OH 44107

Contact: 216.529.4081

Services: Individualized programs of study are offered to meet specific needs of each student. Each student will set their own educational and personal goals. Students will have the opportunity to improve skills with both teacher & computer based instruction.

Classes: **Daytime classes** are held Monday through Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Registration and orientation on Mondays only at 9:00 a.m. Please be on time. **Evening classes** are held Tuesdays & Thursdays from 5:30 p.m.- 8:30 p.m. Registration and orientation on Tuesday only at 5:30 p.m. Please be on time.

Fees: Free for both

English For Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) evening classes

Services: Focus on the communicative approach to improve English skills. Instruction is provided in civics, citizenship, and handling everyday situations. Reading, writing, speaking and listening skills are taught via computer and teachers.

Adult Basic and Literacy Education (ABLE) continued

www.lakewoodrecreation.com

Classes: At Emerson Tuesday, and Wednesday 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Beginning and intermediate level classes.

Registration: Tuesdays only at 6:30 p.m.

Fees: Free for residents and non residents.

English For Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) daytime classes:

Grace Lutheran Church

13303 Madison Ave

Lakewood OH 44107

Classes: Tuesday-Friday 9:00 a.m.- 11:30 a.m. registration is Tuesday only at 9:00 a.m.

Citizenship Classes: at Grace Lutheran Church

Classes: Monday 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Registration: Monday only at 9:00 a.m.

Al-Anon

75 Public Square #701

Cleveland OH 44113

216.621.1381

Services: Provides services for families and friends of individuals with addictions.

Lakewood Meetings:

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| Monday | 8:00 p.m. Gethsemane Church | 14560 Madison Ave. |
| | 7:30 p.m. Beginners group | |
| Tuesday | 10:00 a.m. North West Assisted Living | 1341 Marlowe Room 400 |
| Wednesday | 9:30 a.m. United Methodist Church | 15700 Detroit Ave. |
| | 8:00 p.m. Church of the Ascension | 13216 Detroit Ave. |
| Friday | 8:00 p.m. Faith Lutheran Church | 16511 Hilliard Rd. |

www.afgcleveland.org

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)

1701 East 12th Street

Cleveland OH 44114

216.241.7387 (call to find the nearest location of group and individual meetings)

www.aacleveland.com

| | Time | Name | Location | Address |
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| Sunday | 10:30 a.m. | Freedom Sunday | YMCA | 16915 Detroit Ave. |
| | 1:15 p.m. | West Side Friendly | Cove Methodist Church | 12501 Lake Ave. |
| | 6:00 p.m. | Healing Heart (closed) | Lakewood Christian Church | 17513 Detroit Ave. |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Sunday Night Discussion | Liberation Church | 13714 Madison Ave. |
| | 8:00 p.m. | Cove Sunday | Cove Methodist Church | 12501 Lake Ave. |
| Beginners | 7:30 p.m. | Lakewood Armory | Grace Presbyterian Church | 1659 Rosewood Ave. |
| Beginners | 9:00 p.m. | Lakewood Armory | Grace Presbyterian Church | 1659 Rosewood Ave. |
| Monday | 10:30 a.m. | Mon. Morning 12 step | Lakewood United Methodist CH | 15700 Detroit Ave. |
| | 5:30 p.m. | Lakewood Men Group | St. Peter Episcopal Church | 18001 Detroit Ave. |
| Beginners | 7:00 p.m. | Lakewood Men | St. Peter Episcopal Church | 18001 Detroit Ave. |
| | 9:00 p.m. | Lakewood Men | St. Peter Episcopal Church | 18001 Detroit Ave. |
| | 7:30 p.m. | Time to Change | Church of the Ascension | 13216 Detroit Ave. |
| | 8:00 p.m. | Orchard Grove | Grace Presbyterian Church | 1659 Rosewood Ave. |
| | 8:00 p.m. | Perpetual Help | Faith Presbyterian Church | 12601 Detroit Ave. |
| Tuesday | 12:00 p.m. | Lakewood Brown Bag | Church of the Ascension | 13216 Detroit Ave. |
| | 7:30 p.m. | Time to Quit | Church of the Ascension | 13216 Detroit Ave. |
| | 8:00 p.m. | Westside California Style | Gethsemane Lutheran | 14560 Madison Ave. |
| Wednesday | 8:30 p.m. | Edgelake | St Peter Episcopal Church | 18001 Detroit Ave. |
| | 10:00 a.m. | Wednesday smokeless | Lakewood United Methodist CH | 15700 Detroit Ave. |
| | 7:45 p.m. | Lakewood Wed. 12x12 | Lakewood Library Madison Br. | 13229 Madison Ave. |
| | 8:00 p.m. | Twenty Four Hour | Faith Presbyterian Church | 12601 Detroit Ave. |
| | 8:30 p.m. | Lakewood Hope | Lakewood United Methodist CH | 15700 Detroit Ave. |

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Lakewood Meetings continued

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| Thursday | 10:30 a.m. | Lakewood Thursday | Ascension Church | 13216 Detroit Ave. |
| | 7:30 p.m. | Manor Park Smoke Free | Hospital Auditorium | 14509 Detroit Ave. |
| | 7:30 p.m. | Newburgh West | Faith Presbyterian Church | 12601 Detroit Ave. |
| | 8:00 p.m. | Edgelake Women | Trinity Lutheran | 16400 Detroit Ave. |
| | 8:30 p.m. | Lakeshore Men Discussion | Cove United Methodist | 12501 Lake Ave. |
| | 8:30 p.m. | Crossroads | Lakewood United Methodist CH | 15700 Detroit Ave. |
| Friday | 10:30 a.m. | Friday AM Warren Rd. | Lakewood United Methodist CH | 15700 Detroit Ave. |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Gratitude Friday | St. Clements Church | 14503 Madison Ave. |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Women's Fri. 12 Step | Faith Lutheran | 16511 Hilliard Rd. |
| | 7:05 p.m. | Northwest Passage | Grace Presbyterian Church | 1659 Rosewood Ave. |
| | 9:00 p.m. | West Clifton | Lakewood Congregational Ch | 1375 W. Clifton Blvd. |
| | 9:00 a.m. | Great Start Discussion | Office on Aging | 16022 Madison Ave. |
| Saturday | 10:30 a.m. | Sat. Morning Big Book/Gay | Cove United Methodist Church | 12501 Lake Ave. |
| | 1:00 p.m. | Journey Home 12x12 | Lakewood Library Madison Br. | 13229 Madison Ave. |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Big Book Study/Gay | Faith Presbyterian Church | 12601 Detroit Ave. |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Alpha-Omega | Gethsemane Lutheran | 14560 Madison Ave. |
| | 8:00 p.m. | Memphis Group | Cove United Methodist Church | 12501 Lake Ave. |
| | 8:00 p.m. | Powerless | Trinity Lutheran | 16400 Detroit Ave. |
| | 10:15 p.m. | Alpha-Omega | Parkwood United | 13714 Madison Ave. |

Angel Food Ministries

www.angelfoodministries.com

at Lakewood Presbyterian Church (host site)

14502 Detroit Ave

Lakewood, Oh 44107

216.226.0514 x33 or 216.534.3046

Contact: Kaprice Holloway

Services: Provides a medium box of fresh or frozen foods for a lower cost than shopping at the local grocery store. Menus are changed monthly and must contact host site to determine deadline dates. Accepts cash, money orders or food stamps.

Criteria: None.

Applewood Centers

www.applewoodcenters.org

3518 West 25th St.

Cleveland OH 44115-3266

216.696.6815

fax: 216.696.6592

Services: Adoptive - Provides adoptive services to families; matches waiting children with loving families who want to provide permanent homes for children in need.

Services: Counseling - (individual, family, group) for children and their families, special parenting classes, psychiatry, partial hospitalization, school-based services, residential treatment and independent living.

Criteria: Male or Female; birth to age 21 and their families.

Documentation: Health insurance card as proof of insurance, 3-4 pay stubs as proof of income for sliding scale fee.

Services: Foster Care - Substitute care in licensed foster homes for children up to age 18. Homes for sibling groups, teens and children with special needs. Provides parents with ongoing training and support by a social worker 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Bay Presbyterian Church

www.baypres.org

25415 Lake Rd.

Bay Village OH 44140

440.871.3822

Services: Support group for loss of spouse.

Beck Center for the Arts

www.beckcenter.org

17801 Detroit Ave

Lakewood OH 44107

216.521.2540

Services: Provides performing arts and art education for northeastern Ohioans. The Beck Center for the Arts, a non-profit organization, offers professional theatrical productions and curriculum-based arts education in creative and visual arts, art therapies, dance, theater and music.

Beech Brook

www.beechbrook.org

3737 Lander Rd.
Pepper Pike OH 44124
216.831.2255

Services: Individual, group, and family therapy; training and independent living skills for older teens; support for case management; and foster care and adoptive services to nurture and support children

Berea Children's Home

www.bchfs.org

202 E. Bagley Rd.
Berea OH 44017
440.234.2006 ext 8414

Contact: Mindy Penn

Services: Community based programs that provide support to families, activities, help with homework, positive role models, and relationship building. Also provide support and activities for children with special emotional, physical and mental needs.

Criteria: referred by contracts only.

Services: Foster Care: Provides foster homes to emotionally troubled children ages 4-18 and ongoing training to Foster Parents.

Contact: 440.260.8319

Services: Counseling individual, marital, and group for adults, youth, and children.

Criteria: Ages 3 and up

Documentation: Social security number, health insurance card if applicable, or 3 - 4 pay stubs as verification of income.

Lakewood Office

15200 Madison Ave.
Lakewood, Oh 44107
440.260.6150

Contact: Wendy Lazor

Services: Provides individual, marital, and group counseling to adults, youth, and children.

Criteria: Ages 3 and up

Documentation: Social security number, health insurance card if applicable, or 3-4 pay stubs as verification of income.

Birth-Care Prenatal Services

14701 Detroit Ave. Suite 344
Lakewood OH 44107
216.228.1614

Services: Assistance with WIC and Healthy Start applications; referrals to doctors, lawyers, and adoption agencies; childbirth classes; counseling; free pregnancy testing; support services for single mothers and fathers. All services are free of charge, non-discriminatory and confidential.

Birthright

www.birthright.org

Lakewood-Main Office
14701 Detroit Ave. Suite 344
Lakewood OH 44107
216.228.5998

Hours: 10 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

National Hotline: 1.800.550.4900 after 4 p.m.

Services: Free pregnancy testing; referrals to doctors, lawyers, adoption agencies, and mental health professionals; maternity and baby clothes; support group for single mothers; and a home to stay in for the duration of the pregnancy. All services are free of charge, non-discriminatory, and confidential.

Cleveland Office - 960 E. 185th St
Cleveland OH 44119
216.486.2800

Parma Office 5451 Broadview Rd
Parma OH 44134
216.661.6400

Bridgeway-Denison Help Center location

8711 Denison Ave.
Cleveland OH 44102
216.631.8686

Contact: Program Manager

Services: Provides counseling & psychiatric services in mental health and substance abuse for individuals, families and couples

Criteria: Must be on Medicaid

Documentation: Medicaid information

Unbar (a service of Bridgeway)

8301 Detroit Ave.
Cleveland OH 44102
216.281.2660

Services: Adult intense, outpatient drug treatment.

Documentation: Insurance, Medicaid and self-pay.

Brownstone Day School

18225 Sloane Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.1470

www.brownstonedayschool.com

Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation

14650 Detroit Ave. Room 300
Lakewood OH 44107
216.227.3250

Contact: Rehabilitation Counselor

Services: Provides services for clients to find employment or training.

Criteria: Male/female, 16 years old or older; Client must have a physical or mental impairment which results in a substantial impediment to employment.

Documentation: Proof of disability as well as the possibility of medical, psychological, and/or vocational background data may be needed when determining eligibility.

www.rsc.state.oh.us/bvr/vbsi/rscfieldofficetext

Busch Family Funeral Home

216.741.7700

Services: Grief resources posted online.

www.buschfuneral.com

CSEA - Child Support Enforcement Agency

1640 Superior Ave.
Cleveland OH 44114
216.443.5100

Contact: Staff

Services: Establishes paternity if not married to the child's father.

Criteria: Must have a child.

Documentation: Name and address of parent obligated to pay, his/her Social Security number and date of birth; children's birth certificates, court orders, name and address of payer's employer, income of both payer and payee if child support is not established.

www.cuyahogacounty.us

Calvary Community School

16305 Hilliard Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.4324

Director: Judy Foote

Special Needs: Yes, depending on individual needs.

Transportation provided: No

Calvary United Methodist Church

16305 Hilliard Rd.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.4324

Care Alliance Health Center

www.carealliance.org

1530 St. Clair Ave.
Cleveland OH 44114
216.781.6724

Contact: Intake Staff

Services: Provides basic health care services including physical exams, health education, referrals to specialists and prenatal care, dental care, TB skin tests, blood pressure and blood sugar screenings, pregnancy tests and lice checks.

Criteria: Services are targeted toward the homeless population

Documentation: If client has health insurance, a health care card is needed; proof of residency, proof of income, shelter needs to provide a note stating individual is involved in their programs as proof of homelessness.

Catholic Charities Health and Human Services

www.clevelandcatholiccharities.org

7911 Detroit Ave.
Cleveland OH 44102
216.334.2974

Services: Referrals to local churches bereavement groups.

Services: Provides assessment of alcohol/drug use, routine alcohol/drug screening.

Criteria: Assessment and counseling are open to those 6 years of age and older; must be a County resident; therapy groups for those 21 years and older, must be County resident.

Documentation: Proof of income for sliding scale; insurance/Medicaid/Medicare information as appropriate.

Center for Substance Abuse Treatment:

www.clevelandtreatmentcenter.org

800.662.HELP (4357)

Services: Substance abuse resource center for adolescents and adults.

Centers for Families and Children-West Behavioral Health Center

www.c4fc.org

3929 Rocky River Dr.
Cleveland OH 44111
216.623.1445

Contact: Intake Specialist

Services: Provides counseling for children and adolescents

Criteria: Generally serves children school age to age 17 who are not experiencing severe behavioral difficulties and who are not court ordered.

Documentation: Client will be advised of needed documentation.

Check Into Cash

18404 Detroit Ave
Lakewood OH 44107
216.227-4066

Check Smart

www.checksmart.com

1508 West 117th St.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.4066

Christ Child Society of Cleveland

www.christchildsoctetycleveland.com

16306 Detroit Ave
Lakewood OH 44107
440.843.1632

Contact: Emergency Services Chairman

Services: Provides emergency assistance in the form of cribs, beds, and other supplies needed for children.

Criteria: Families w/children who are in desperate need; families must contact social service agency which will contact the Society.

Documentation: Written referral

Church of the Ascension

13216 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.8727

www.ascension-lakewood.org

Cleveland Christian Home

2202 Prame Ave
Cleveland OH 44109
216.671.0977

www.cchome.org

Services: Foster Care - therapy, psychiatry services and mentoring.

Services: Mental Health - services to children, youth, and families struggling with mental illness, abuse, and neglect through independent living, counseling, foster care and adoption.

Services: Youth Resource Center

5605 Detroit Ave., Cleveland OH 44102

The center provides an opportunity for families and youth to work out problems during difficult situations and non-traditional hours, involving youth exhibiting problems behaviors. This happens three ways: family assessment, Youth Safe Place (a "cool-down" area for youth), and referral/crisis stabilization.

Cleveland Clinic, Department

http://my.clevelandclinic.org/psychiatry/services/drug_recovery/default.aspx

Department of Alcohol and Drug Rehabilitation Center

9500 Euclid Ave
Cleveland OH 44195
216.444.8739

Services: Assessment, inpatient detox, day treatment unit, intense outpatient, morning & evening programs, aftercare, dorm housing.

Criteria: Adolescents 12 - 18 who are still in school and are chemically dependent or dual diagnosis; must have had a prior assessment.

Documentation: Insurance or self-pay.

Cleveland Furniture Bank

www.clevelandfurniturebank.org

6606 Biddulph Rd
Cleveland OH 44144
216.459.2265
Fax: 216.741.9307

Contact: Betty Cika

Services: Provides furniture (i.e. couches, beds, dressers, kitchen tables/chairs) to families.

Criteria: Families must be referred by specific social services agencies affiliated with the Furniture Bank; families qualify if they have been exposed to a natural disaster and do not qualify if they want to update their furniture.

Documentation: Voucher must be faxed to the furniture bank by a social service agency and the agency must make an appointment with the Furniture Bank for the family to pick out the furniture.

Cleveland Mediation Center

www.clevelandmediation.org

2012 West 25th St. Suite 906
Cleveland OH 44103
216.621.1919

Services: Work with community in an effort to stop evictions, promote school attendance, prevent homelessness, and facilitate dialogue between neighbors. The Center offers mediation training as well as conflict resolution for adults, youths, businesses and communities. The Center also provides dissolution kits.

Criteria: Sliding scale fee allows help to clients of varied incomes.

Cleveland Metroparks

www.clemetparks.com

4101 Fulton Pkwy.
Cleveland OH 44144
216.635.3200

Services: provides visitors with year round activities including golfing, swimming, fishing, horseback riding, boating, hiking, tobogganing, ice fishing, cross country skiing, sledding, geocaching and more.

Cleveland Municipal School District
Office of Adult and Continuing Education

<http://net.cmsdnet/adulted/>

4600 Detroit Ave Suite 169
Cleveland OH 44102
216.961.1543

Contact: Director or staff

Services: Provides vocational classes/programs to prepare adults for work, career change or to upgrade work-related skills.

Criteria: Male/female 16 & older.

Documentation: Each program has different requirements; please call for specific documentation.

Services: Provides short-term vocational training in computer science, welding and machining.

Criteria: Male/female 18 & older who are immigrants or refugees.

Documentation: Green card, photo ID and birth certificate.

Cleveland Public Library

www.cpl.org

325 Superior Ave. N.E.
Cleveland OH 44114
Phone: 216.623-2800
Fax: 216.623.7015

Cleveland Right to Life

www.clevelandrighttolife.org

Treasures of Life Thrift Store

4427 State Rd.
Cleveland OH 44109
216.661.3000

Contact: Volunteer

Services: Provides adult, maternity, infant, toddler, children's clothing, car seats, cribs, and small household items.

Criteria: Must be low income or in hardship and determined by referral agency; service is targeted, but not limited to pregnant women; a referral is required.

Documentation: Referral letter.

Cleveland State University

www.csu.edu

Eastern Campus

34055 Solon Rd.
Solon OH 44139
216.802.3000

Western Campus

26202 Detroit Rd.
Westlake OH 44145
216.875.9600

Downtown Location

2121 Euclid Ave.
Cleveland OH 44115
216.687.2000

Services: Offers degrees in undergraduate, graduate, and law programs.

Cleveland Tenants Organization

www.clevelandtenants.org

3631 Perkins Ave Suite 3A4
Cleveland OH 44114

Services: rental information 216.432.0617; eviction diversion 216.432-0614

Tenants Rights meets at Lakewood Christian Service Center, call for more information 216.226.6466.

Community Action Against Addiction

5209 Euclid Ave
Cleveland OH 44103
216.881.0765

Services: Drug treatment for adults addicted to cocaine and other narcotics; methadone maintenance program.

Community Hospice/Moll Cancer Center at Fairview Hospital

www.fairviewhospital.org

18200 Lorain Rd.
Cleveland OH 44111

Services: Grief counseling.

Consumer Credit Counseling Services

www.cccservices.com

2800 Euclid Ave.
Cleveland OH 44115
216.231.5322

Services: Provides budget and credit counseling, debt consolidation and management, personal finance education, credit report review, mortgage counseling and bankruptcy counseling.

Documentation: Call to make an appointment and they will provide you with information regarding the appropriate documentation to bring.

Consumer Protection Association

3030 Euclid Ave Suite 105 - main office
Cleveland OH 44115
216.881.3434

Contact: Customer Service Representative.

Services: Provides help in arranging payment plans and setting up payment terms for gas, electric, water utilities. During the winter months (November to mid April), CPA can arrange for the client to pay 1/3 of their bill to prevent disconnection or to reconnect service. During the summer months (mid April to October), CPA cannot arrange payment plans for electric or gas (clients must pay utility company the full amount due) UNLESS there is an extenuating circumstance such as a medical hardship, job loss or other major hardship that can be documented or the client has never been on a payment plan of any kind ever before. The client may then be eligible for the 1/3 payment plan, but that is on a case-by-case basis at the discretion of the utility company. Past payment history will be taken into account. Year-round, this agency can arrange for the client to pay 1/3 of their water bill to prevent disconnection or to reconnect service.

Criteria: Services Cuyahoga County customers of Dominion, First Energy, Ohio Edison or Cleveland Public Power who are behind on their gas or electric payments, have a disconnection notice, or who have had their service disconnected. People who have Columbia Gas must contact that company directly for payment plan assistance (unless they have been referred through Cuyahoga County's PRC program). Also serves customers of the Cleveland Div. of Water who are behind in their water payments, have a disconnection notice or whose water has been turned off. Cannot arrange payment plans for clients who are on the PIP program (Percentage of Income Payment Program) of their utility company.

Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 9-5, Fri. 10-5; Walk-ins with no appointment must be one of the first 10 to arrive.

Cornerstone Among Women

www.cornerstoneamongwomen.org

Rocky River Center
20340 Center Ridge Rd.
Rocky River OH 44116
440.356.5565

Elyria Center

364 Griswold Rd.
Elyria, Oh 44035
440.284.1010

Criteria: Individual/Family must be homeless or evicted.

Cove United Methodist Church

<http://coveumc.org>

12501 Lake Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.7424

Covenant, The

www.the-covenant.org

1515 West 28th St
Cleveland OH 44113
216.574.9000

Contact: Admissions Counselor.

Services: Provides assessment, day treatment, intensive outpatient counseling, continuing care, and developmental and educational activities.

Criteria: Adolescents 12 - 18 who are still in school and are chemically dependent or dual diagnosis; must have had a prior assessment.

Documentation: Social Security card, health insurance card, Medicaid card, parental consent.

Craigslist

<http://cleveland.craigslist.org>

Services: An online resource of Cleveland classifieds for jobs, apartments, for sale, services, community and events.

Cross Point Church

www.crossptchurch.com

Services: Sunday 10:00 a.m. @ Harding Middle School.

Cuyahoga Community College

www.tri-c.edu

Eastern Campus

4250 Richmond Rd.
Highland Hills OH 44122
216.987.2000

Metropolitan Campus

2900 Community College Ave.
Cleveland OH 44115
216.987.4000

Western Campus

11000 W. Pleasant Valley Rd.
Parma Hts. OH 44130
216.987.5000

Hours: Monday - Friday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Services: Provides information and guidance to adult (ages 19 and older) residents of Cuyahoga County who are interested in post secondary education. Advisors help participants by appointment, to select an appropriate career, develop an educational plan, and help with application for admission and financial aid. Advisors help select 2 or 4 year colleges, vocational/technical training, a GED class or English as a second language. Counselors work in neighborhood agencies and hold workshops, group sessions and individual appointments.

Cuyahoga County Board of Health

www.ccbh.net

West Side Clinics

5550 Venture Dr.
Parma, Oh 44130
216.201.2001

Contact: Cindy Modi

Lakewood Office

12805 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood, Oh 44107

Services: Provides 3 Lakewood based immunization clinics for adults and children per month and 1 days of lead testing. Call for dates and times.

Cuyahoga County Board of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities (MRDD)

www.ccmrdd.org

1275 Lakeside Ave.
Cleveland OH 44144
216.241.8230

Services: Provides in-home early intervention programs for very young children and their families, leisure programs for seniors, specialized therapies (speech-language, occupational and physical), psychological services, support administration, quality assurances, family resources and respite care, supported living, vocational training, community employment, rehabilitation.

Cuyahoga County Department of Children and Family Services

<http://cfs.cuyahogacounty.us/>

3955 Euclid Ave.
Cleveland OH 44115
216.431.4500 or 216.696.KIDS (5437) Abuse/Referral Hotline

Services: Investigates referrals of child abuse and neglect, protects children at-risk, and refers children and families to services

Services: Kinship Care - Responsible for administrative kinship cash entitlement (\$1,000 initially then \$500 every 6 months until \$3,500 is reached). Provides emergency services, such as clothing and rent for closed Cuyahoga County Department of Children and Family Services cases. Provides referrals to wraparound.

Contact: David Larsen
216.432.3339

Cuyahoga County Department of Children and Family Services

<http://cfs.cuyahogacounty.us/>

Services: Foster Care - Recruits, trains, conducts home studies for prospective foster parents. Teaches independent living skills to 16-18 year old children; find alternative care for children; provide visitation for children; provides outpatient supportive services.

Services: Fatherhood Initiative (see Fatherhood Initiative)

Cuyahoga County Employment & Family Services

<http://employment.cuyahogacounty.us>

Child Care Assistance

216.987-6640 or 216.987-7346 (child Care Hotline)

Criteria: Must meet financial guidelines. Caregiver must be employed or in school, and may not be an OWF client.

Documentation: Income tax return, pay stubs, and proof of family size.

Food Stamps - Ohio Direction Card

9830 Lorain Ave.

Cleveland OH 44102

216.939.2523

Contact: Worker

Services: Food benefits are issued monthly by electronic transfer to a computerized card. Benefits that are not used that month may be carried over to the next month. Those applying for food stamps, who have been laid off, must apply for unemployment before applying for food stamps.

Criteria: Eligibility is determined by income and household composition; must meet work requirements, if applicable; household resources must not exceed \$2,000 - \$3,000 if a member of the family is 60 years or older or disabled.

Documentation: Proof of income, proof of any unearned income, proof of household composition, Social Security numbers and birth certificates for all household members, proof of employment or unemployment, rental lease agreement, most recent utility bills, automobile title, daycare receipts and current bank statement.

Disability Assistance

Criteria: Those who are disabled with little or no income, pregnant, residential treatment for drug/alcohol, not eligible for Medicaid, medication dependent, income limits, Ohio resident.

Documentation: Statement of medical or mental health condition from a doctor or clinic, proof of household income and resources, identification, proof of citizenship, proof of residency, health insurance and medications

Ohio Works First (OWF)

1641 Payne Ave.

Cleveland, OH 44114

Services: Monthly cash assistance for a limit of 36 months; call for an appointment and apply in person.

Criteria: Must be low income, pregnant or a parent, employed or a student.

Documentation: Proof of income, proof of any unearned income, proof of household composition, Social Security numbers and birth certificates for all household members, proof of employment or unemployment, rental lease agreement, most recent utility bills, automobile title, daycare receipts and current bank statement.

PRC for OWF or Food Stamp Eligible Clients

Documentation: Proof of income, proof of any unearned income, proof of household composition, Social Security numbers and birth certificates for all household members, proof of employment or unemployment, rental lease agreement, most recent utility bills, automobile title, daycare receipts and current bank statement.

PRC for DCFS involved families

Documentation: Proof of income, proof of any unearned income, proof of household composition, Social Security numbers and birth certificates for all household members, proof of employment or unemployment, rental lease agreement, most recent utility bills, automobile title, daycare receipts and current bank statement.

Cuyahoga County Employment & Family Services

<http://employment.cuyahogacounty.us>

Workforce Development Career Center

216.939.2599

Contact: Intake Coordinator/Program Director

Services: Provides vocational training, job placement and supportive services for unemployed or underemployed individuals who have significant employment barriers.

Documentation: Birth certificate, proof of residency and income for self, current address and Social Security card. The Career Center itself can be used by anyone with no documentation needed; computers, fax, internet and phones are available.

Cuyahoga County Mental Health Board

www.cccmh.org

1400 West 25th St.

Cleveland OH 44107

216.241.3400

Fax: 216.861.5067

Services: Responsible and accountable for the planning, funding, and monitoring of public mental health agencies. Provides information on public mental health agencies in Cuyahoga County. Clients Rights Officer.

Cuyahoga County Office of Homeless Services

<http://ohs.cuyahogacounty.us/emergencyshelters.aspx>

Cuyahoga County Public Library

www.cuyahogalibrary.org

Fairview Park Branch

21255 Lorain Rd

Fairview Park. OH 44126

440.333.4700

Services: Books, toys and puppets loaned from any library throughout the Cuyahoga County System and delivered to the Fairview Branch.

Cuyahoga MedRefeRx - A program of United Way/First Call

www.uws.org

216.436.2000 or 211

Contact: Information Specialist

Services: Helps individuals obtain free or low cost prescription medication and medical care. An individual can learn about options for obtaining prescriptions, including retail generic drug programs, select discount cards, and government assistance programs, be directed to free or low cost health clinics if medical care is needed, and get help applying to drug companies to receive some medications free or at a low cost.

Diversion Foster Care

www.diversionfostercare.org/officelocations.html

14805 Detroit Ave. #370

Lakewood OH 44107

Contact: Stacy Shaw

216.228.4404

Services: Provides foster families with case management services, including crisis intervention, on call availability, individualized treatment plans, and small case loads. Diversion will provide short term and long term services based on family need.

Domestic Violence Center

www.domesticviolencecenter.org

P O Box 5466

Cleveland OH 44113

Administrative Office

3146 Scranton Ave.

Cleveland OH 44109

216.651.8484

Targeted Population: Victims and perpetrators of domestic violence

Services: Crisis and support advocacy; intervention/case management, shelter, individual and group counseling for victims, family visitation.

Domestic Violence Center Shelter

www.domesticviolencecenter.org

Confidential

Cleveland OH 44102

216.391.4357 (Hotline)

Contact: Hotline Workers

Services: One bed for Lakewood residents, need to mention residency, repeat readmissions are permitted.

Criteria: Women 18 and older and their children (girls 17/boys 16) in domestic violence.

Documentation: None

Dominion East Ohio

www.dom.com

1201 E 55th St.

Cleveland OH 44103

800.362.7557

Budget Payment Plan

Contact: Customer Services Representative.

Services: Allows customers to spread the cost of winter heating bills throughout the year by making smaller balance payments.

Criteria: Dominion East Ohio customers with an unpaid balance may not join. If they just received a shut-off notice, they may join when the account is brought up to date; accommodations for non-English speaking customers.

Documentation: Gas bill.

Percentage of Income Payment Plan (PIP)

Contact: Customer Service Representative

Services: Customer's must also apply for HEAP, customers must pay 10% of their gross monthly income

Criteria: Dominion customers who meet certain financial guidelines. Can accommodate non-English speaking customers.

Documentation: Customers must supply copies of gas and electric bills, and proof of income for at least three calendar months.

PIPP Repayment Plan

Service: Offers an arrearage (debt) crediting program for PIPP clients who lost eligibility because their income was too high. Under this program, people who continue to pay the PIPP monthly amount for the first 12 months after losing PIPP eligibility, then pay the amount due on their regular monthly bills for the next 12 months, and then pay the current bill plus an extra \$20 for the following 12 months, will receive a matching credit of \$20 from Dominion East Ohio each month they pay on-time. If the client combines this program with the PIPP forgiveness program, he would be debt-free at the end of three years.

Eligibility: Clients who have become income ineligible for PIPP but have re-verified so that they have been granted PIPP/Repayment status.

PIPP Forgiveness

Services: Offers an arrearage (debt) crediting program for clients of Dominion East Ohio's PIPP or PIPP Repayment programs. Under this program, clients who make 12 PIPP payments/repayments in-full and on-time will have 1/3 of their PIPP arrearage (debt) erased. If clients continue to make payments on-time and in-full for a second 12 months, it erases 1/2 of all debt. If this is done for a third year, it will eliminate all debt. From that point, households that continue to make timely payments will have their debt zeroed out annually. Households that fail to make a payment start the program over, but retain the arrear forgiveness earned to date.

Dress for Success

2239 East 55th St

Cleveland OH 44103

216.391-3201

Contact: Secretary/Scheduler

Services: Provides low income women with a suit and accessories for a job interview/a second set after acquisition of a job.

Criteria: Only a non-profit agency involved in training/employment can make the referral; the job interview must already be scheduled; clients can receive services twice in a lifetime; clients must be female 16 years old or older.

Documentation: Photo ID and faxed referral

Early Intervention Center - West

2357 Tremont
Cleveland OH 44113
216.574.9689
Fax: 216.574.9745

Services: Offers free parent training programs for families with preschool children that either have been identified with disability, including language delays, and behavior problems or parents experiencing difficulties in their parenting roles; they work with children from birth to 6 years old and have morning, afternoon, evening and full-day programs.

Employment and Family Services - see Cuyahoga County Employment and Family Services

Empowerment Center of Greater Cleveland, The

www.ecgccleveland.org

3030 Euclid Ave. Ste. 100
Cleveland, Oh 44115
216.432-4770

Services: Provides Family Support Services, nutrition information and food stamp information hotline (Project B.R.E.A.D.), assistance with applying for discount phone services with AT&T (Lifeline Ohio), community education, and a computer resource center.

Esperanza

www.esperanzainc.com

3104 West 25th St. - 4th Floor
Cleveland OH 44109
216.651.7178

Contact: Jessica Gonzalez

Services: Serves Hispanic Americans by providing educational services and scholarships that promote and motivate academic achievement.

Criteria: No geographic restrictions. Must be Hispanic or Latino.

Documentation: None

Fairview Hospital - Westtown Physician Center

www.fairviewhospital.org

Primary Medicine

10654 Lorain Ave
Cleveland OH 44111
216.941.8888

Contact: Receptionist

Services: If uninsured, eligibility for hospital care insurance program will be assessed which may cover certain aspects of care; rating scale is also assessed that determines by income the fee that will be charged if uninsured; offers services for those who want to establish care with a primary care physician.

Criteria: Ages 14 and over, mainly low or no income; clients 14 - 18 need parental consent; no Workers' Comp and no motor vehicle accidents unless referred from the hospital.

Documentation: Proof of income if uninsured, parental consent for youth.

Faith Lutheran Church

<http://faithlutherankwd.tripod.com/faithlutheranchurch/>

16511 Hilliard Rd.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.6500

Faith Presbyterian Church

12601 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.228.2210

Family Life Center/Lakewood

www.familylifecenters.org

(a program of Berea Children's Home and Family Services)

13523 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
440.260.6001

Coordinator: Becky Volle

Special Needs: Depending on individual needs.

Family Life Center-S.A.C.C. Program
(a program of Berea Children's Home and Family Services)

13523 Detroit Ave
Lakewood OH 44107
440.260.6001

Coordinator: Becky Volle

Transportation: No

Service: School age child care provided at Harrison & Emerson Schools

Families Anonymous

216.663.7837 call for meeting information

Services: Support group for families of children who are using drugs and/or alcohol.

Far West

29133 Health Campus Dr.
Westlake OH 44145
440.835.6212

Contact: Assessment Specialist

Services: Provides individual and group counseling, for adults.

Criteria: Adults who are experiencing emotional difficulty.

Documentation: Health insurance card if applicable, and proof of income. Client will be advised of the other needed documentation.

Far West Support Cluster Meeting

St. Thomas Episcopal Church
50 E. Bagley Road
Berea OH 44017

When: Every first Tuesday of the month. 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

216.459.0469

Deb Sorenson: 440.891.1185/ 216.544.6230 (Berea)

Fatherhood Initiative

310 Lakeside Ave Suite 500
Cleveland OH 44113
216.348.3967 or 216.436.2000 or 211

www.fatherhoodinitiative.cuyahogacounty.us

First United Church of Christ

2150 Warren Rd.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.2463

FIRST CALL FOR HELP 216.436-2000

Free Clinic

12201 Euclid Ave
Cleveland OH 44106
216.721.4010

www.thefreeclinic.org

Contact: Staff

Services: Provides medical, mental health and related services; also provides individual and group counseling for a variety of short-term or situational crisis issues.

Criteria: Male/female 13 and older, will not accept sex offenders or people with chronic mental illness.

Documentation: Picture ID, W2s or last three pay stubs, statement of employment termination.

Services: Medication

Documentation: Client must provide documentation that they have been prescribed this medication in the past.

Freecycle

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/LakewoodOhioFreecycle>
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ClevelandOhio_West_Freecycle

Service: Online resources that connect people with usable goods to dispose of with others who are seeking those goods this resource assists whether you are looking to discard or acquire goods and all items are 100% free. There are two groups in this community to assist with discarding or acquiring your goods.

Requirements: Must subscribe to be a member of either group prior to utilizing services. This can be done by going to each web address listed above and following instructions to join the group.

Gethsemane Lutheran Church

www.glcakewood.com

14560 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.0434

Grace Lutheran Church

13030 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.7286

Grace Presbyterian Church

www.gracelakewood.org

1659 Rosewood Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.228.6060

Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority (RTA)

www.gcrtc.org

50 Public Square Tower City Rapid Transit Station
Cleveland OH 44113
216.621.9500

Contact: Staff

Services: Offers bus and rapid transit services. Provides regular and discounted fare cards.

Criteria: No Restrictions

Documentation: None

Haynes Nursery School

1375 West Clifton Blvd.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.9557

Director: Sue Eller

Specials needs: yes, depending on individual needs.

Head Start

Faith Head Start

West Side Ecumenical Project (WSEM)
12601 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.228.8918

Associate Director: Linda Holderman 216.631.1555

Special needs: Accepted and accommodations made.

Parkwood Head Start

13714 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107

Family Service Worker: Bernice Crain
216.228.2455

Special needs: Accepted

Health and Human Services

www.dsas.cuyahogacounty.us/

Cuyahoga County Department of Senior and Adult Services

Reserve Square
1701 East 12th St.
Cleveland OH 44114
216.420.6750

Grandparent/Kinship Care Program

Services: Variety of services addressing the needs of a grandparent and other kinship caregivers and the children in their care.

Health and Human Services

www.dsas.cuyahogacounty.us/

Cuyahoga County Department of Senior and Adult Services

Community Navigator Services: Assists caregivers in accessing basic needs for the children. This would include such items as clothing, food, housing, medical care, legal services, support groups, possible cash assistance and daycare.

Legal Services: Legal workshops provide information regarding custody, adoption, foster parenting, and available services.

Respite Services: Respite services provided by professionals from licensed social service agencies.

Criteria: Eligible persons are friends or family that have been awarded custody of a child after July 1, 2005, who has been found to be abused, neglected, dependent or unruly. Income must not exceed 200 percent of the Federal poverty guidelines.

Healthy Fathering Collaborative of Greater Cleveland

www.neofathering.net

www.neofathering.net

Services Provided: Childbirth education for new dads; education and support; employment and housing; father-child activities; legal issues; child support; custody/visitation.

Help Me Grow of Cuyahoga County

www.helpmegrow.org

2421 Community College Ave.

Cleveland OH 4115

216.736.4300

Services: Provides health, developmental and parenting services and resources for families and children prenatal to age three. Services include prenatal home visits, newborn home visits, on-going home visits, and linkage to services for children with special needs.

Services: Provides pregnant women with prenatal home visits, parents with home visits from a registered nurse, home visiting services for newborns to toddlers, free screening if there are concerns about development, specialized services for a child with a developmental delay or disability, or family support to share experiences or concerns.

Criteria: Pregnant women or families with children birth to 3 years old.

Hispanic and Non-Hispanic Urban Minority Alcohol and Drug Abuse Center

3305 West 25th St

Cleveland OH 44109

216.459.1222

Services: Assessment, men's/women's 40-day residential inpatient treatment program.

Holy Family Learning Center

www.lakewoodcatholicacademy.com/holyfamily/

14808 Lake Ave

Lakewood OH 44107

216.226.8687

Director: Sr. Kathleen

Special Needs: Depends on individual's situation.

Transportation provided: No

Home Energy Assistance Program/Emergency - CEOGC

Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP/EHEAP)

1849 Prospect Ave.

Cleveland OH 44115

216.518.4014 (24 hour appt line), Live information Monday-Friday 8AM- 5PM. 216.263.6266 - voice outreach.

Contact: Staff

Services: Assists low-income residents with their winter heating bills.

Criteria: Households that meet financial guidelines. Gross annual income not more than 175% of poverty. Gas, electric or both must be shut-off or in danger of shut-off. Does not assist families living in government subsidized housing where the gas is included in the rent.

Documentation: Proof of income for previous 12 months, proof of disability, proof of heat type and completed application. Must also bring dates of birth for everyone in the home, photo ID, and Social Security number for everyone in the home 2 years old and above. Landlord information, copy of current utility bill and account numbers for heat and electric bills are also needed.

Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP/EHEAP)continued

The Summer Cooling Program - HEAP

Services: Assists low-income residents with their summer electric bill.

Criteria: Open to those 60 years old or older and those of any age who have a current respiratory disease or breathing problems. Must meet financial guidelines.

Documentation: Proof of income for at least 13 weeks for the entire household, cash issuance history, social security, disability pension. W-2 forms, letter from Workers' Comp, printout from child support, social security numbers of all household members, picture I.D., copy of current utility bill, landlord's information, date of birth for all household members. Those with medical conditions need medical certification form completed by a physician.

Hospice of the Western Reserve

www.hospicewr.org

19201 Villaview Rd.
Cleveland, OH 44119
216.486.6838

Services: Offers a variety of adult and children's grief groups and healing arts workshops.

Illuminating Company, The

www.firstenergycorp.com

1301 East 6th St.
Cleveland OH 44114
800.589.3101

Winter Reconnection Order

Contact: Customer Service Representative

Services: Customer must

Criteria: There must be an adult 18 years or older in the house to reconnect service once per heating season. Customer must be willing to enter into payment plan to pay the balance of the bill.

Documentation: If the customer is paying the fee at an authorized agent, customer will need to have the receipt number in order for the service to be reconnected.

Illuminating Company/First Energy

6896 Miller Rd. Rm. 204
Brecksville OH 44141
800.589.3101

Service: Preventing Disconnection

Contact: Customer Service Representative

Services: Provides arrangements to customers to assist in dealing with past-due electric bills. The 1/6 plan spreads the bill over six consecutive months and erases the balance at the end of that time if the current bill is also paid. The 1/3 plan offers a payment of 1/3 of the total balance upon sign-up.

Criteria: Current

Documentation: None

Service: Percentage Arrearage Crediting (PAC) Program

Contact: Customer Service Representative

Services: Provides a debt-relief payment plan for clients who no longer qualify for the PIPP plan (the plan that allowed them to keep their electricity on by paying a percentage of their income monthly for electricity while accruing the remainder of the bill as debt). Clients pay on time for 12 months. Starting with month 13, the company matches timely payments dollar for dollar until the remaining balance is paid off, as long as the participant pays on time. If participants miss a payment, they will have to start the program over with 12 monthly payments before the utility again matches payments.

Criteria: Must have participated formerly in the Percentage of Income Payment Plan (PIPP), the plan that allowed them to keep their electricity on by paying a percentage of their income monthly for electricity while accruing the remainder of the bill as a debt. Must be a current customer of the utility in Cuyahoga County.

Inroads - Northeast Ohio

www.inroads.org

1360 West 9th St Suite 330
Cleveland OH 44113
216.623.1010

Contact: Staff

Services: Provides college students with programs designed to equip them with skills, work experience, and the insights necessary to become successful in their career; students are provided with 2 - 4 years of paid summer work experience, mentoring and leadership development activities.

Criteria: Male/female 18 &

Documentation: Completed application and proof of academic standing.

International Services Center

www.internationalservicescenter.org

1859 Prospect Ave.
Cleveland OH 44115
216.781.4560

Contact: Education Director

Services: Provides classes to prepare those interested in becoming US citizens.

Criteria: Male/Female, 18 years or older interested in becoming US citizens

Documentation: VISA, immigration papers or Green card.

Just Like Us

www.justlikeus.org

16912 Miles Ave
Cleveland OH
216.283.5006

Contact: Marc Crosby

Services: Job seeking services for ex-felons with a focus on job retention; financial aid and literacy assistance; mentoring and networking with a focus on self-proficiency and entrepreneurship.

Criteria/Documentation: GED, resume, one year free of drugs/alcohol.

Key Bank

www.financial_education@keybank.com

Key Financial Education Center located at the Key Center

11461 Buckeye Rd.
Cleveland OH 44115

Services: Key offers free

Criteria: Class participants do not have to be Key Bank customers to attend classes.

Facility: Classes are held at Buckeye Key Bank Plus Center or at the Urban Community School at 4909 Lorain Ave., Cleveland OH 44102 (216.939.8330). Call for class schedule and information.

Kinship and Caregivers Support Group (GRASP)

www.onelakewood.com/hs_youth_kinshipcare.html

of the **Lakewood Family to Family Collaborative**

at Lakewood Congregational Church

1375 West Clifton Blvd
Lakewood OH 44107

4th Wednesday of the Month 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

216.529.6870

Services: Education, support and socialization for relatives raising children.

Lakewood Baptist Child Development Center

www.bcdc.org

14321 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood, Oh 44107
216.221-4089

Fax: 216.221.4148

Director: Marilyn A. Hallenburg

Assistant Director: Todd Ramsey

Part-time enrichment classes; bus services available within Lakewood for additional charge.

Special Needs: Yes, depending of individual needs.

Lakewood Baptist Church

14321 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.4005

www.lakewoodbaptist.org

Lakewood Chapel

2150 Warren Rd.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.1245

www.lakewoodchapel.com

Lakewood Christian Church

17513 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.2716

www.lakewoodchristian.org

Lakewood Christian Service Center

14324 Madison Ave
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.6466

www.lcsclakewood.org

Website: www.LCSClakewood.org

Fax: 216.226.8493

Email: Centerinfo@LCSClakewood.org

Contact: Supportive Housing Program Worker

Services: Supportive Housing Program, Emergency Shelter Grant.

Criteria: Homeless, currently in a shelter or within 5 days of becoming homeless. HUD guidelines and appointment required.

Documentation: Photo ID, any other documentation needed will be discussed upon intake.

Services: Food Subsidy Tues - Fri 10:00 a.m. - 1:45 p.m. and Wed. 5:30 - 8:00 p.m. provides 3-day supply of groceries packed according to family sizes; also distributes baby formula and/or diapers when available; clients can receive assistance once each month.

Criteria: Clients must meet financial guidelines.

Documentation: Proof of residency, proof of income (if income is over guidelines, must bring proof of extraordinary medical expenses), proof of family size and photo ID.

Services: Advocacy on Tues & Fri

Lakewood City Schools

www.lakewoodcityschools.org

Lakewood Board of Education

1470 Warren Rd.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4000

Contact: Staff

Services: Waiver Fees

Criteria: Must have an open cash assistance via OWF or DA

Documentation: Form from welfare showing that they have an active case.

Services: Free Lunch

Criteria: Income eligible

Documentation: Application, proof of household size, proof of income.

Early Childhood Program

1470 Warren Rd.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4256

Coordinator: Kathie Stack

Facilitator: Susan Michels

Services: Located in 7 of the 10 elementary buildings. Wraparound childcare provided by various licensed daycare centers. Lakewood residents only.

Specials needs: Yes, depending on individual needs.

Transportation provided: no

Elementary Schools

Emerson Elementary School

13439 Clifton Blvd
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4254
Principal: Mrs. Margaret Seibel

Grant Elementary School

1470 Victoria Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4217
Principal: Mr. Mark Gleichauf

Harrison Elementary School

2080 Quail Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4230
Principal: Ms. Phyllis Muth

Hayes Elementary School

16401 Delaware Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4228
Principal: Mr. Robert Curtin

Horace Mann Elementary School

1215 West Clifton Blvd
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4257
Principal: Dr. Kathleen McGorray

Lincoln Elementary School

15615 Clifton Blvd.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4232
Principal: Ms. Noreen Hazen

Roosevelt Elementary School

14237 Athens Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4224
Principal: Ms. Eileen Griffiths

Middle Schools

Garfield Middle School

13114 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4241
Principal: Mr. Mark Walter

Harding Middle School

16601 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4261
Principal: Mrs. Meredith Wojtkun

Lakewood High School

14100 Franklin Blvd
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4028
216.529.4459
Principal: Dr. William Wagner

West Shore Career & Technical District

14100 Franklin Blvd
 Lakewood OH 44107
 216.539.4163

Lakewood City Academy

14100 Franklin Blvd
 Lakewood OH 44107
 216.529.4037
 Lakewood City Academy Coordinator: Mrs. Terri Bornino-Elwell

Lakewood Non-Public Schools**Lakewood Catholic Academy**

14804 Lake Ave
 Lakewood OH 444107
 216.521.0559
 Principal: Mrs. Maureen Arbezniak

www.lakewoodcatholicacademy.com**Lakewood Lutheran School**

1419 Lakeland Ave
 Lakewood OH 44107
 216.221.6941
 Principal: Mr. Gary Dittmar

www.lakewoodlutheran.com**Ss. Cyril & Methodius School**

1639 Alameda Ave
 Lakewood OH 44107
 216.221-9409
 Principal: Mr. William Bistak

www.lkwdpl.org/sscmcs/**St. Edward High School**

13400 Detroit Ave
 Lakewood OH 44107
 216.221.3776
 Principal: Mr. Eugene Boyer

www.sehs.net**St. Mark's School**

15800 Montrose Ave
 Cleveland OH 44111
 216.521.4115
 Principal: Dr. Marilyn Kurnath

www.stmarkcleveland.com**Lakewood Community Care Center**

2019 Woodward Ave.
 Lakewood OH 44107
 216.226.0080

www.lkwdpl.org/lccc/**Director:** Stephanie McMahan**Special Needs:** Yes, depending on individual needs**Transportation Provided:** Bus for kindergarten care**Lakewood Community Meals**

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| Monday - 1st | Trinity Lutheran Church | 16400 Detroit Ave. | Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Dinner at 6:00 p.m. |
| | Fellowship Hall/Basement. No handicap access | | |
| Monday - 2nd | Faith Lutheran Church | 16511 Hilliard Bl. | Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Dinner at 6:00 p.m. |
| | Fellowship Hall/Basement. No handicap access | | |
| Monday - 3rd | Co-hosted: Grace Lutheran Church and St. Luke Catholic Church | 13030 Madison Ave | Doors open 5:00 p.m. Dinner 5:30 p.m. |
| | Fellowship Hall | | |
| Monday - 4th | Co-hosted: Faith Presbyterian and Rocky River Presbyterian | 12601 Detroit Ave. | Doors open 5:00 p.m. Dinner at 5:30 p.m. |
| | Fellowship Hall/Basement. No handicap access. | | |
| Tuesday - 2nd | St. Peter's Episcopal Church | 18801 Detroit Ave | Doors open 5:00 p.m. Dinner 5:30 p.m. |
| | Undercroft/Basement. Chair lift | | |

Lakewood Community Meals continued

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| Tuesday - 3rd | Calvary United Methodist Church | 16305 Hillard Blvd. | 6:00 p.m. |
| | Fellowship Hall/Basement; chair lift. | | |
| Tuesday - 4th | Lakewood United Methodist | 15700 Detroit Ave. | Doors open 5:00 p.m. |
| | Basement/Elevator | | Dinner 6:00 p.m. |
| Wednesday - 1st | Lakewood Congregational Church | 1375 W. Clifton Bl. at Detroit | Doors open at 5:30 p.m. |
| | Social Hall/ Basement Elevator | | Dinner at 6:00 p.m. |
| Wednesday - 3rd | St. James Catholic Church | 17514 Detroit Ave. | Doors open at 5:30 p.m. |
| | Andrews Hall/ Basement No handicap access | | Dinner at 6:00 p.m. |
| Wednesday - 4th | St. Edward High School | 13500 Detroit Ave. | Doors open 4:00 p.m. |
| | Cafeteria/ Wheelchair access in rear | | Dinner 5:00 p.m. |
| | Co-hosted: Church of Ascension and St. Paul Lutheran (Westlake) | 13216 Detroit Ave. | Doors open 5:00 p.m. |
| | Gym/Basement/Elevator | | Dinner 5:30 p.m. |
| Thursday - 3rd | Gethsemane Lutheran | 14560 Madison Ave. | Doors open at 5:30 p.m. |
| | Auditorium/No handicap access | | Dinner at 6:00 p.m. |
| Thursday - Last | Grace Presbyterian | 1659 Rosewood Ave. | Doors open at 5:30 p.m. |
| | Social Hall/Basement/Elevator | | Dinner at 6:00 p.m. |
| Friday - 2nd | West Side Church of Christ | 3085 Warren Rd. | Doors open 5:30 p.m. |
| | Basement/ No handicap access | | Dinner 6:00 p.m. |
| Saturday - 1st | First United Church of Christ/ Church of the Redeemer@LCC | 17513 Detroit Ave. | Doors open 5:30 p.m. |
| | Fellowship Hall/Basement Chair Lift | | Dinner 6:00 p.m. |
| Saturday - 2nd | Cove United Methodist Church | 12501 Lake Ave | Doors open 5:00 p.m. |
| | Basement/No handicap access | | Dinner 5:30 p.m. |
| Saturday - 4th | Lakewood Christian Church/Church of the Redeemer | 17513 Detroit Ave. | Doors Open 11:30 a.m. |
| | Fellowship Hall/Elevator | | Dinner at noon |
| Sunday - 2nd | Trinity Lutheran/Northern Ohio Returned Volunteers | 16400 Detroit Ave. | Doors open 4:00 p.m. |
| | | | Dinner 4:30 p.m. |
| Sunday - Last | Lakewood Presbyterian | 14502 Detroit Ave. | Doors open 12:00 |
| | Social Hall/Basement Ramp/Elevator | | Dinner 12:30 |

Lakewood Community Recreation and Education Department

www.lakewoodrecreation.com

1456 Warren Rd
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4081
www.lakewoodrecreation.com

Contact: Staff

Services: Please call or visit the website. Some participants may be eligible for subsidized participant fee.

Lakewood Congregational Church

www.lcc-church.org

1375 West Clifton Blvd.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.9555

Lakewood/Department of Human Services

Division of Aging

www.onelakewood.com/hs/hs_aging_index.html

16024 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.1515 or Transportation at 216.521.1288

Services: Transportation to Lakewood senior centers and other destinations for a suggested donation of \$6.00/round trip.

Contact: Transportation Supervisor at 216.521.1288

Criteria: Open to Lakewood residents who are 60 years old or older or disabled.

Documentation: Registration form is filled out on their first trip.

Services: Snow Shoveling for senior home owners

Criteria: Open to Lakewood residents who are at least 60 years old or disabled.

Documentation: Registration form available at Senior Center West.

Lakewood/Department of Human Services
Division of Aging continued

www.onelakewood.com/hs/hs_aging_index.html

Services: Lawn Mowing for home owners.

Criteria: Open to Lakewood residents who are 60 years old or older or disabled.

Documentation: Registration form available at Senior Center West.

Services: Support group for people with low vision

Services: Grandparent/Kinship Care Program (see Kinship Caregiver Support Group)

Lakewood/Department of Human Services

Division Of Early Childhood/Lakewood Family Room

www.onelakewood.com/hs/hs_echild_index.html

17400 Northwood Ave.

Lakewood, Oh 44107

216.529.5018

Services: Offers child care resource and referrals for a variety of programs for all Lakewood families.

Criteria: Scholarship assistance for low-income working families.

Documentation: Income tax return, current pay stubs if late in the year.

Services: *Toy Lending Library*

Lending toys that enrich the growth and development of young children.

Services: *"Mommy and Me"/Teen Parent Support Group*

2nd and 4th Thursday of the month 6:30-8:00pm

at Lakewood Hospital Child Care, 1450 Belle Ave. Lakewood OH

Services: *Parent Drop Ins*

Hours: Call for schedule

at Lakewood Family Room, 17400 Northwood Ave. Lakewood OH

Services: Socialization and support for parents with young children.

Lakewood Family Room East at Fedor Manor

12400 Madison Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.529.5018

Learn Through Play Early Literacy Programs

Services: Parent/child early literacy activities

Hours: Call for current schedule

Division of Youth

www.onelakewood.com/hs/hs_youth_index.html

12900 Madison Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.529.6870

Services: Individual and group support to kinship providers (GRASP)

Criteria: Responsible for the care and supervision of a relative 0-18 years of age.

Services: Provides services to youth and their families in the areas of crisis, wraparound, resource and referral Help-To-Other (H2O) youth volunteer program, Juvenile Diversion program, and Snow Removal Program in conjunction with Division of Aging.

Services: Community Resource Specialist: Assists families in the Lakewood Community by providing social service and health resources to meet their needs.

Contact: Molly Smith

216.529.6108

Lakewood/Department of Finance

www.onelakewood.com/fin_vital_statistics.html

Vital Statistics

12805 Detroit Ave.

Lakewood, Oh 44107

216.529.7690

Services: Provides certified Birth and Death Certificates that occurred in Lakewood only. Also provides burial permits.

Lakewood Hospital

www.lakewoodhospital.org

Midwifery Services

1450 Belle Ave. Suite 310
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.8683
www.lakewoodhospital.org

Services: Provides women with a certified nurse midwife to assist with all aspects of health including prenatal, labor, delivery, postpartum, and gynecological care. History and physical examinations; contraceptive counseling; screening and treatment; preconception and maternity care; medications recommendations; pre-menopausal, post-menopausal consultation.

Psychiatric Services

Services: Inpatient and outpatient adult, in and outpatient geriatric services, partial hospitalization

Criteria: Adults experiencing psychiatric/mental illness

Documentation: Call to determine documentation.

Lakewood Hospital Child Care Center

1450 Belle Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107-4202
216.228.KIDS (5437)

Manager: Mary Jo Schwartz

Assistant Manager: Holly Brambrick

www.lakewoodhospital.org

Lakewood Hospital Teen Health Center

!5644 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.486.6319

Services: Project Journey (bereavement group).

Services: Provides mental health counseling and nutritional services; also offers general physicals, strep tests, health education and immunizations. Handles needs confidentially.

Criteria: Serves ages 18

Documentation: Call for documentation

www.lakewoodhospital.org

Lakewood Lutheran Preschool

1419 Lakeland Ave
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.6941

Director: Gary Dittmar

www.lakewoodlutheran.com

Lakewood Municipal Swimming Pools

Foster Pool

Lakewood Park
14532 Lake Ave.
216.529.4081

Hours: Call for hours of operation.

Services: Provides various programs including open swims, swimming lessons, senior swims, and a new zero entry children's wading pool.

Beck Pool

13201 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4081

Hours: Call for hours of operation.

Services: Provides various programs including open swims and swimming lessons.

Lakewood Parks

Kauffman Park

15450 Detroit Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.529.4081

Hours: Open daily,

Services: Lighted baseball field, playground, picnic area, and two tennis courts.

Lakewood Park

14532 Lake Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.529.5697

Hours: Open daily, daylight hours

Services: Playground, outdoor pool picnic pavilion, tennis courts, basketball courts, band shell, walking trail, and swimming; also offers Sunday band concerts and Friday night movies.

Lakewood Dog Park

1299 Metropark Dr.

Lakewood OH 44107

Hours: Monday-Friday 7am-9pm; Saturday-Sunday 8am-9pm

Services: Provides a fenced in area where owners may exercise their dogs off leash to play and socialize with other dogs.

Criteria: All dogs must be properly licensed, vaccinated, and wear a collar and ID tags at all times.

Lakewood Skateboard

Lakewood Park

14532 Lake Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

Services: A course for skateboarders.

Madison Park

13029 Madison Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.529.4120

Hours: Open daily, daylight hours.

Services: Outdoor swimming pool, sandlot baseball, soccer, playground and picnic pavilion.

Lakewood Playgrounds

Lakewood Park/Kids Cove

14532 Lake Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

Madison Park

13201 Madison Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

Webb Park

1301 Webb Rd.

Lakewood OH 44107

Edwards Park

16800 Detroit Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

Wagar Park

15900 Madison Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

Lakewood Playgrounds continued

Merl Park

Intersection of Bunts and Merl
Lakewood OH 44107

Cove Park

1294 Cove Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107

Park Row Park

1386 Park Row
Lakewood OH 44107

Niagara Park

Corner of Lakewood Heights and Niagara
Lakewood OH 44107

Clifton Prado Park

1265 Clifton Prado
Lakewood OH 44107

Lakewood Tennis Courts

Wagar Park

15900 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107

Lakewood Park

14532 Lake Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107

Webb Park

1301 Webb Rd.
Lakewood OH 44107

Madison Park

13201 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107

Kauffman Park

15450 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107

Merl Park

Intersection of Bunts Road and Merl Avenue
Lakewood OH 44107

Lakewood Presbyterian Church

14502 Detroit Ave,
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.0514

www.lakewoodpresbyterian.org

Lakewood Presbyterian Nursery School

14502 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.0514

www.lakewoodpreschool.org

Director: Joan Bosken

Special Needs: Yes, depending on individual needs.

Lakewood Public Library

www.lkwdpl.org

Main Branch

15425 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.8275

Hours: Monday-Saturday 9: 00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.; Sunday 1:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Madison Branch

13229 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216 228.7428

Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.; Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Sunday 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.
www.lkwdpl.org

Lakewood United Methodist Church

www.lkwdumc.org

15700 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.8644

Lakewood Y.M.C.A.

www.clevelandymca.org

16915 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.8400

Services: Please call or visit website for current classes. Scholarships are available for membership. Child care available for parents during classes.

Lakewood Y Kindergarten Child Care

16915 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.8400 x22

Director: Tammy Schroth

Special needs: Yes, depending on individual needs.

Transportation provided: from school to YMCA for p.m. class.

Lakewood Y Preschool Learning Center

16915 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.8400

Directors: Tammy Schroth & Kathleen Roche

Lakewood Y-S.A.C.C Program

16915 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.8400 x22

Director: Tammy Schroth

Special Needs: Yes, depending on individual needs

Services: School-age child care provided at Grant, Hayes and Roosevelt Elementary Schools. All Lakewood Public and some private schools served at sites above with transportation provided.

Laura's Home (City Mission)

www.citymission.org

18120 Puritas Rd
Cleveland OH 44135
216.472.5500

Contact: Administrative Assistant/Director

Services: Intake by referral only; no boys over 11, no more than 6 children, no smokers, must be drug free for three months before admission; transitional housing for homeless.

Criteria: Homeless women 18 and older and their children, pregnant women and mentally stable on meds.

Documentation: Photo ID required and must pass a background check.

Laurelwood Hospital

23240 Chagrin Bl
Commerce Park Bldg 4 Ste 610
Beachwood OH 44122
216.595.0500

www.windsorlaurelwood.com

Contact: Intake Staff

Services: Provides chemical dependency treatment that includes a full range of interventions; offers an intensive outpatient program and a partial hospitalization program.

Criteria: Male/female 13 years to adult; those under 18 and in school are in the adolescent program; those 18 and older and not in school are in the adult program; will take those with a dual diagnosis.

Documentation: Health insurance card if applicable.

Legal Aid Society

1223 West 5th St.
Cleveland OH 44113
216.687.1900 (general intake and senior helpline)

www.lasclev.org

Services: Provides legal services for civil matters to low-income and vulnerable individuals.

Lesbian/Gay/Bisexual/Transgender Center (LGBT)

6600 Detroit
Cleveland OH 44113
216.651.5428

www.lgcsc.org

Services: Advocacy groups for adults and teens; Homeless Youth Support Group

Liberation United Church of Christ

13714 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.5556

www.liberationucc.org

Lions Eye Clinic - St. Vincent Charity Hospital

2351 East 22nd St 1st Floor
Cleveland OH 44115
216.363.2523

www.svch.net/services

Contact: Staff

Criteria: Low income, in need, and without insurance that will cover eye care.

Lutheran Hospital

1730 West. 25th St.
Cleveland OH 44113
216.363.2122

www.lutheranhospital.org

Contact: Staff

Services: Inpatient and outpatient adult, in and outpatient geriatric services.

Criteria: Adults experiencing psychiatric/mental illness

Documentation: Call to determine documentation.

Martin Luther

8809 Madison Ave,
Cleveland OH 44102
216.631.6570

Contact: Center Manager

Services: Food Pantry

Criteria: No Restrictions W 1-2:30 pm; Sunday Meal 3rd Sunday of the month.

Midwest Parish Club Meal last Sunday at 5p.m.

Matt Talbot Inn

2270 Professor Ave
Cleveland OH 44113
216.781.0288 x 109

www.catholiccharities.org/ccs/cdmatttalbot.htm

Services: Comprehensive 60 day residential services to chemically dependent men as well as outpatient aftercare services to newly recovering adults.

Documentation: Insurance, self-pay, sliding scale.

Matthews Lending Library

www.matthewslendinglibrary.org

15528 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.3669

Contact: Director

Services: Operates to make adaptive equipment and special toys available to children and young adults who are physically and/or mentally challenged. They advocate for community playgrounds that meet the needs of disabled children.

Criteria: Anyone who has a disabled child or an adult child who is developmentally childlike living in their homes.

Documentation: To receive medical equipment required a letter from a social worker or a prescription from a physician stating the need for equipment.

McCafferty Medical Center

www.cleveland.va.gov/visitors/mccafferty.asp

4242 Lorain Ave
Cleveland OH 44113
216.651.3740

Contact: Patient Service Representative

Criteria: None

Documentation: Proof of income for the last 12 months, proof of insurance, residency, and all family members.

MetroHealth Medical Center

www.metrohealth.org

2500 MetroHealth Dr
Cleveland OH 44109
216.778.7800

Contact: Staff

Services: Adolescent Medicine and Psychiatry serves ages 12 - 19; Pediatric serves ages 0 - 18; OB/GYN services only women.

Documentation: Proof of insurance if applicable, proof of family size and proof of gross income for the last 12 months if they want the sliding scale.

Services: Intensive outpatient drug and alcohol rehabilitation.

Documentation: Insurance, self-pay and sliding scale.

216.778.5677

Mobile Crisis Unit

www.mhs-inc.org/mobilecrisisteam.asp

1744 Payne Ave.
Cleveland OH 44114
216.623.6888

Contact: Staff

Services: Crisis assessments. Free psychiatric limited case management. Medication (for homeless people and temporarily for those without insurance), adult placements to North Coast. Homeless outreach, especially for teens. All care is limited until linkages are made.

Criteria: Adults or children

Documentation: If there is insurance, bring insurance documentation.

NAMI Greater Cleveland

www.nami.org

1400 W. 25th St. 4th Fl
Cleveland, Oh 44113

Services: Offering education and support programs for individuals with mental illness and their families. For times and locations of meetings, call 216.875-7776

Family to Family - Teaches friends and family members all aspects of mental illness.

Hand to Hand/Family Education Program - For families with children with mental illness.

Peer to Peer - Mentoring support group.

Documentation: None

Narcotics Anonymous

www.naohio.org

New Directions

www.newdirect.org

30800 Chagrin Bl
Pepper Pike OH 44124
216.591.0324

Contact: Intake Counselor

Services: Residential and outpatient treatment center for adolescents recovering from harmful involvement with alcohol and drugs; dual diagnosis is a specialty; provides individual counseling, group therapy and other activities pending which services the adolescent is involved in.

Documentation: Medicaid or other insurances pending the program the adolescent is involved in.

Northcoast Health Ministry

www.nchealthministry.org

16110 Detroit Ave
Lakewood OH 44107
216.228.7878

Contact: Receptionist

Services: Mon - Fri 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., walk-in 8:30 a.m.; provides a variety of medical care services including family practice, internal medicine, gynecology and pediatrics. Also provides drug samples as needed.

Criteria: Must meet financial guidelines; clients must be between the ages of 0 - 65 and they must not have health insurance.

Documentation: Proof of income

Office of Migration and Refugee Services

www.clevelandcatholiccharities.org/ccpcm/migration.htm

7800 Detroit Ave.
Cleveland OH 44102
216.281.7005

Contact: Tom Mrosko

Services: Assists refugees with resettlement in the Greater Cleveland area.

Criteria: Referred from the United States Catholic Conference of Bishops.

Ohio Benefit Bank

www.obb.ohio.gov/

12900 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.6108

Contact: Molly Smith

Hours: Call for an appointment

Services: Assists low to moderate income families with applying for public benefits, such as food stamps, medical and cash assistance; assists families with filling out the application and securing the appropriate documentation needed to apply for the benefits.

Documentation: Call for a list of appropriate documentation.

Ohio Victims of Crime Compensation Program

www.ag.state.oh.us/victim/compensation.asp

150 E. Gay St. 25th Floor
Columbus OH 43215
614.466.5610

Services: Assists victims with certain out-of-pocket expenses caused when people are physically injured, emotionally harmed, or killed by violent criminal acts; will assist with medical and related expenses, counseling for family members of victims for specific crimes, wages lost from not being able to work, replacement services, crime scene clean-up/repair for safety, evidence replacement, funeral expenses.

Criteria: Application must be filled out within two years of the date of the crime (minors have until their 20th birthday to file for compensation), the crime was reported within 72 hours and the victim cooperated with the reasonable requests of law enforcement, victim was not committing a criminal act that caused or contributed to the injuries, victim has no collateral source of payment for the compensation they are seeking.

Options for Families and Youth

www.ofycares.org

5131 West 140th Street
Cleveland OH 44142

Contact: Michael Rush
440.267.7070

Services: Provides training, advice, and guidance for foster parents as well as counseling, psychological evaluations and consults for the child.

PEP Connections

www.pepconnref.org

3100 Euclid Ave.
Cleveland Oh 44115
216.361.9100

Contact: Staff

Services: Coordinate services for emotionally disturbed children and youth.

Criteria: Must be diagnosed as emotionally disturbed, be involved with two or more public systems, be at risk of removal from the home or returning to the home from community placement.

Documentation: None

Pilgrim St. Paul Lutheran Church

www.pilgrimstpaul.com

14224 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.8842

Planned Parenthood

www.plannedparenthood.org

20800 Center Ridge Rd. Suite 101
Rocky River OH 44116
440.331.8744 or 1.800.230.PLAN

Services: Pregnancy testing, STD testing, reproductive health.

Pressley Ridge

www.pressleyridge.org

23701 Miles Rd.
Cleveland OH 44128
216.763.0800

Services: Provides high level care treatment including crisis intervention, therapeutic intervention, individual and family therapy, and children's case management for mentally ill or emotionally disturbed children.

Criteria: Child must be mental or emotionally ill and be in out of home placement. At least one adult member of the child's household must agree to actively participate in programming and be available for frequent home visits.

Providence House

www.provhouse.org

2037 West 32nd St
Cleveland OH 44113
216.651.5982

Contact: Staff

Services: A 26-bed residential nursery that provides an extended stay in home-like setting; works with partner agencies to stabilize the family crisis or to find long-term care for the children.

Criteria: Children birth through age 5 living in a high risk situation requiring immediate intervention.

Documentation: Social worker referral; current photo ID, medical records, insurance card, Social Security card.

Psychological and Behavioral Counseling

www.psychbc.com

25111 Country Club Blvd.
North Olmsted OH 44070
440.869.0660

Services: Individual youth counseling for ages 6 and up.

Rap Art

1941 South Taylor Rd
Cleveland Hts. OH 44118
216.932.9497 ext 3

Contact: Pam Bradford

Services: Rap Art promotes positive character development through art and dance for alcohol and drug prevention.

Rape Crisis Center

1370 Ontario St Suite 420
Cleveland OH 44113
216.619.6194

Contact: Megan O'Bryan

Services: 24-hour hotline, therapy, hospital advocacy, justice system advocacy and community education.

Criteria: Survivors of rape and community members.

Crisis Hotline: 216.619.6190

www.clevelandrapecrisis.org

Recovery Resources

(Westside residents - contact main number and may receive an appointment at Lakewood)
3950 Chester Ave
Cleveland OH 44114
216.431.4131

www.recrs.org

West Side Office

14805 Detroit Ave Suite 320
Lakewood OH 44107
216.431.4131

Criteria: Male/female 18 and older.

Documentation: Client will be informed of required documentation upon scheduling an appointment; self-payment, Medicaid, private health insurance accepted.

St. Clement Church

2022 Lincoln Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.5116

www.saint-clement.net

St. Hedwig Church

12903 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.5086

St. Herman's Monastery - House of Hospitality

4410 Franklin Bl
Cleveland OH 44101
216.961.3806

Contact: Day or Night Coordinator.

Services: Must not work 2nd or 3rd shifts; referral helpful; clients must be on the grounds by 4 p.m.

Criteria: Males 18 and older; must be ambulatory, of little or no income.

Documentation: Photo ID or other valid ID and a non-picture ID (preferred but not required).

www.sainthermans.com

St. James Catholic Church

17514 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.0233

www.stjamesfamily.org

St. James Child Care Center

17400 Northwood Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.521.4125

Director: Cathy Preto

Assistant: Tracy Patton

Specials Needs: Yes, depending on individual needs

Transportation Provided: No

St. Luke Catholic Church

1212 Bunts Rd.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.521.0184

St. Malachi Center

www.stmalachicenter.org

2416 Superior Viaduct

Cleveland, Oh 44113

216.771.3036

Contact: Office Manager

Services: Provides clothing for families; linens, household items, and small appliances available occasionally.

Criteria: Appointment required; no restrictions

Documentation: Proof of membership in family.

St. Nicholas Ukrainian, Pro-Cathedral

www.stnicholaslakewood.org

2101 Quail Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.226.5506

St. Peter's Child Care Center

18001 Detroit Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.226.2840

Fax: 216.226.0354

Director: Sarah Wiersma

Assistant Director: Denise Minor

St. Peter's Episcopal Church

www.stpeterslakewood.org

18001 Detroit Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.226.1772

St. Vincent Charity Hospital

www.svch.net

2351 East 22nd Street

Cleveland OH 44115

216.363.2523 or 216.861.6200

Contact: Staff

Services: Provides eye screening and general eye care; third party payment is accepted; if they are eligible and/or work out a payment system; if they still are not able to pay, then care is free.

Criteria: Services anyone ages 5 and older.

Documentation: Health insurance card if applicable, proof of residency, proof of income and proof of family size.

Services: Provides detox, intensive outpatient treatment and after care services at **Rosary Hall**.

Documentation: Insurance, Medicaid and self-pay.

216.363.2580

St. Vincent De Paul Society

www.svdpcle.org

1027 Superior Ave East
Cleveland OH 44114
216.696.6525

Contact: Pat Boggins

Services: Social Worker must make a referral; services don't come from the main branch but the church that they are referred to; funding may not always be available depending on the finances of the church.

Criteria: Must be low income or needy.

Documentation: None

Services: Provides 12 articles of clothing to individuals per visit; clients can receive services once every 6 months.

Criteria: Open to needy individuals working with a social service agency; by referral only from a participating social services agency from a participating social services agency which will provide a voucher to the client.

Documentation: Voucher, photo I.D. Store open for appointments from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and thrift store open from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Ss. Cyril & Methodius Church

www.sscandm.com

1639 Alameda Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.7288

Ss. Peter & Paul Church

www.peter-paul.com

12711 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.521.0923

Salvation Army

www.salvationarmyusa.org

12645 Lorain Ave
Cleveland OH 44111
216.252.3593

Contact: Social Services/Emergency Assistance

Services: Mon - Thurs 9 a.m. -11:30 a.m.; provides a 3-day supply of canned and boxed food; can receive services once a month; may close early if food runs out; call if can't make walk-in time.

Criteria: Clients who meet financial guidelines

Documentation: Photo ID, proof of income, proof of address and proof of household members, Social Security cards for adults, medical card or birth certificate for children.

Salvation Army - Women's and Children's Shelter

Confidential
Cleveland OH 44145

Contact: Program Manager

Services: No drug or alcohol use allowed, random drug tests, no boys over 12, general stay is two months; must wait a full year between stays.

Criteria: Women 18 and older with or without children, pregnant women accepted, mentally ill must be stable.

Documentation: Photo ID required for adults

CALL FIRST CALL FOR HELP FIRST TO SEE ABOUT OPENINGS 216.436.2000

Salvation Army - Zelma George Shelter

Confidential
Cleveland OH 44115
216.781.3773 x 7

Contact: Intake Staff

Services: No maximum age for children, no drug or alcohol use permitted, length of stay dependent on the circumstance, one year of time between admissions.

Criteria: Females 18 and older with or without children, or couples, single men 18 and older with children.

Documentation: Must pass a drug test and TB test, photo ID, proof of custody, birth certificate for children, marriage certificate for couples.

CALL FIRST CALL FOR HELP FIRST TO SEE ABOUT OPENINGS 216.436.2000

School Lunch Summer Program

Trinity Lutheran

16400 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.8087

<http://members.core.com/~trinitylutheran/>

Services: Provides a lunch meal to children and youth up to age 18.

Time: Lunch is provided Monday through Friday from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. When schools are closed for the summer vacation

Faith Presbyterian Church

12601 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.228.2210

Services: Provides a lunch meal to children and youth up to age 18.

Time: Lunch is provided Monday through Friday from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. When schools are closed for the summer vacation.

Call Lakewood Christian Service Center if lunch programs are not available at these locations.

Scouts

Boy Scouts of America

2241 Woodland Ave.
Cleveland OH 44115
216.861.6060 ext. 117

www.scouting.org

To join: Contact the Boy Scouts office and they will inform the family of how to join the Boy Scouts in their neighborhood.

Lake Erie Girl Scout Council

1 Girl Scout Way
Macedonia OH 44056
216.481.1313

www.gslec.org

Senior and Adult Services

1701 East 12th St
Cleveland OH 44114
216.420.6750

www.dsas.cuyahogacounty.us/

Contact: Cynthia Mason

Services: Provides adult protective services, personal care, homemaker, home delivered meals, medical transportation, emergency response system, case management for older population.

Criteria: Must be 60 years or older or medically documented disabled over 18 years and a resident of Cuyahoga County; must be able to provide proof of income, ID, Social Security card and birth certificate.

Serpentini Arena at Winterhurst

14740 Lakewood Heights Boulevard
Lakewood OH 44107
216.529.4400

www.icelandusalakewood.com

Hours: Vary

Fees: Resident \$4 Nonresident \$6.00

Services: Open skate, adult skate, college skate, recreational and figure skating lessons, parties and a variety of special events.

Services for Independent Living

25100 Euclid Ave. Suite 105
Euclid OH 44117
216.731.1529

www.sil-oh.org

Contact: Staff

Services: Provides an assessment to a persons needs and abilities as they relate to living an independent, self-directed lifestyle, and provides workshops and one-on-one sessions to help persons meet their independent living goals.

Criteria: Persons who have a physical or mental disability.

Documentation: None

Seventh Day Adventist Church

1382 Arthur Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.9612

Seventh Day Adventist Community Service

1382 Arthur Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.9612

Contact: Staff

Services: Provides used clothing to those in need.

Criteria: Lakewood residents only. Must have a social work referral.

Shoes and Clothes for Kids at Lakewood Christian Service Center

14234 Madison Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.6466

Services: Provides clothing and a \$10 shoe card to Payless Shoes

Documentation: Must become a client of LCSC; need current bill to prove residency, pay stubs, Social Security cards for all persons residing with you, food stamp and cash assistance award letter.

Social Security Administration

14650 Detroit Ave #200
Lakewood OH 44107
216.228.2926 or 800.772.1213

www.ssa.gov

Southwest General Hospital - Oakview

18697 Bagley Rd
Middleburg Hts. OH 44130
440.816.8200

Contact: Intake Coordinator

Services: Adult inpatient detox, intensive outpatient, continuing care.

www.swgeneral.com

Starting Point for Child Care and Early Education

Marjorie Hall-Ellis Child Care Scholarships
2000 East 9th St. Ste 1500
Cleveland, Oh 44115
216.575.0061

Contact: Scholarship Program Coordinator

Services: Offers scholarships to families needing assistance with child care needs, and special care needs; phone for an initial eligibility screening.

Criteria: Must meet financial guidelines, must be employed, in training, or may qualify for family emergency; childcare resource referral.

Documentation: Proof of income; proof of address/residency, and birth certificate of each child.

www.starting-point.org

Stella Maris

1320 Washington Ave
Cleveland, Oh 44113

Services: Provides detox for men and women; halfway house program for men.

Documentation: Insurance, Medicaid and self-pay.

www.stellamarisinc.com

Suited for Men

216.939.9334

Services: Clean, contemporary, interview-appropriate clothing to men of all ages and backgrounds, after they have completed job-training programs; personalized fitting and consultation and limited on-site tailoring services; a wide selection of suits, sport coats, dress pants, dress shirts and ties; a second outfit once client secures a job.

Criteria: This no-fee, non-profit organization that suits job-ready clients by referral only from a social service agency.

Thrifty Peddler

14501 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.9988

Services: Provides clothing, shoes, linens and household items to families/individuals in Lakewood.

Criteria: Must be referred by a social service agency.

Towards Employment

www.towardsemployment.org

1255 Euclid Ave. Suite 300
Cleveland OH 44115
216.696.5750

Contact: Paul Bounds

Services: Transportation assistance

Criteria: Male/Female, 18 years old or older, generally serves the newly employed who have not received their first paycheck, but exceptions may be made due to individual circumstances. Must meet financial guidelines. Must have secured full time employment.

Documentation: Proof of address/residency, proof of employment, and call for additional required information

Services: Job Placement Program for adults with a criminal record

Criteria: Male/Female, 18 years old or older with a criminal record. Must be currently unemployed and the parent of a child under 18 years of age (child does not need to reside in the same house).

Documentation: Proof of address/residency, call for additional required information.

Services: Clothing. Provides newly employed persons in full time permanent positions with supportive services which include childcare, health care, transportation, assistance and assistance in acquiring tools and uniforms.

Criteria: Male/Female 18 years of age or older; must meet financial guidelines; generally serves those newly employed and who have not received their first paycheck.

Documentation: Proof of address/residency, proof of employment; call agency for other required documentation.

Trinity Lutheran Church

<http://members.core.com/~trinitylutheran/>

16400 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.226.8087

United Latvian Evangelical Lutheran Church of Cleveland

1385 Andrews Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.228.0396

Virginia Marti College of Fashion and Art

www.vmcad.edu

11724 Detroit Avenue
Lakewood OH 44107
216.221.8584

Services: prepares students for success by offering 2 year degrees in the fields of digital media, fashion design, graphic design, interior design, and fashion merchandising.

Visiting Nurses Association (VNA) Behavioral Health Program

www.vnacleveland.org

2500 East 22nd St.
Cleveland OH 44115
216.931.1400

Contact: Staff

Services: Home and community based services. Counseling and assessment.

Criteria: Adults with mental health issues.

Documentation: Medicaid, self-pay, sliding fee.

Volunteers of America Shelter

www.voa.org

2710 Walton Ave
Cleveland OH 44113
216.621.0120

Contact: Intake Technician

Services: Clients must be out of the shelter by 8:00 a.m.; they are allowed back at 4:00 p.m.; curfew is 7:00 p.m.

Criteria: Homeless men 18 and older; accepts mentally ill who are stable on meds.

Documentation: None

WIC - Lakewood

14511 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood OH 44107
216.228.2180
10:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Contact: Secretary

Criteria: Women who are pregnant or lactating with a baby up to one year of age or are post partum for up to six months after termination of a pregnancy by a birth, miscarriage or abortion; children are eligible until their 5th birthday; must be a Cuyahoga County resident and must be at nutritional risk as determined by an agency professional and be income eligible.

Documentation: ID that shows name and birth date for those household members who are applying for benefits; need proof of pregnancy from a doctor or clinic unless pregnancy is clearly visible; needs three pay stubs, SSI statements, proof of Medicaid, Ohio Work's First, Food Stamps or other means of verifying income, a written statement from child's father saying he is paying child support, proof if child's current immunizations and proof of residency (including utility, telephone or credit card statements).

WIC - MetroHealth Medical Center

www.metrohealth.org/body.cfm?id=751

3571 Ridge Road
Cleveland OH 44102
216.961.2233

Contact: Secretary

Westhaven

www.lutheranmetro.org

3020 West 104th St
Cleveland OH 44111
216.941.0062

Contact: Staff

Services: No drug activity allowed, must be capable of self-care, voluntary admission.

Criteria: Runaway or homeless youth between 12 and 17.

Documentation: None

Westlake Cab

19061 Depot St.
Rocky River OH 44116
440.331.5000

West Side Catholic Center

www.wsccenter.org

3135 Lorain Ave
Cleveland OH 44113
216.631.4741

Services: Provides Clothing and household items to individuals.

Hours: Wed.-Friday 9:00 a.m. first 100 clients only.

Criteria and Documentation: Contact Staff.

West Side Catholic Center (Battered Women's Shelter)

www.wsccenter.org

Confidential

Cleveland OH 44113

216.631.4141

Contact: Shelter Director

Services: Shelter for boys to age 12, girls to age 17, length of stay depends on the circumstances, must wait a calendar year from last complete stay.

Criteria: Women 18 and older and their children in a battering situation, mentally ill if stable on meds.

CALL FIRST CALL FOR HELP FIRST TO SEE ABOUT OPENINGS 216.436.2000

West Side Ecumenical Center (WSEM)

www.wsem.org

5209 Detroit Ave.

Cleveland OH 44102

216.651.2037 X267

Contact: Intake Coordinator

Services: Provides individual counseling.

Criteria: Male/Female ages three and older.

Documentation: Social security number and Medicaid card.

Services: Offers life skills, workplace skills development and job placement; it is a year long program with five weeks of work experience.

216.651.2037 x 263

Contact: Youth Employment Specialist, Carol Wells

Documentation: Application with birth date, Social Security number, proof of family size, proof of citizenship or alien status, proof of family income; if applicable, proof of the following: disability letter, proof of withdrawal from school; Selective Service registration, proof of foster child, proof of offender status or homelessness and proof of parenting or pregnancy.

West Shore Dads

www.neofathering.net/all_men_dads_father_figures.asp

Lakewood Family Room

17400 Northwood Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.496.5955

Services: A support group created specifically for those men who want to become the best dads that they can be, not only for their children, but also to improve the quality of their own lives. Free of charge and dads of all types are welcome. While the focus is on dads of children ages 0-12, dads with teenagers are welcome.

West Shore Assembly of God

www.westshoreag.org

16300 Delaware Ave.

Lakewood OH 44107

216.221.8101

Winterhurst Ice Rink (see Serpentine Arena at Winterhurst)

Witness/Victim

<http://ja.cuyahogacounty.us/en-us/wvsc.aspx>

1275 Ontario St. 2nd Floor

Cleveland OH 44113

216.443.7345

Services: Provides criminal justice system advocacy, counseling, juvenile court advocacy, bilingual services for Spanish speaking individuals, victims of crime compensation community referrals and education.

Criteria: Victims of crime are able to utilize these services and will be informed of any criteria listed regarding each service.

Women's Alliance

www.womensalliance.org

2012 West 25th St #620

Cleveland OH 44113

216.575.9120

Services: Free phone referral services for women experiencing a crisis due to chemical dependency/abuse/homelessness.

YWCA of Cleveland Domestic Violence

www.ywcaofcleveland.org

Outreach Program

3101 Euclid Avenue Suite 711
Cleveland OH 44115
216.881.6878

Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Services: Provides a variety of interventions for those involved in domestic violence including domestic violence support group, domestic violence education class, lesbian support groups for domestic violence, Violence Intervention Program for Batterers, YWCA annual family violence conference and a speakers program.

Cost: Varies for different services.

Y Haven

www.yhaven.org

3200 Franklin Blvd. 2nd Floor
Cleveland OH 44113
216.431.2018

Contact: Staff

Services: Men's Shelter-must meet HUD guidelines, appointment required.

Criteria: Homeless men 18 and older; must be mentally stable and not abusing any drugs or alcohol.

Documentation: If they have a chronic illness, they must have a doctor's note explaining the nature of illness, and a letter stating that they are homeless.

FIRST CALL FOR HELP TO SEE ABOUT OPENINGS 216.436.2000

Y-Haven Transitional Housing

216.281.0810

Services: Provides transitional housing for homeless men and outpatient alcohol and drug treatment.

Yellow Cab Company

2069 West 3rd. St.
Cleveland OH 44113
216.623.1500

Lakewood Department of Human Services



DIVISION OF EARLY CHILDHOOD

"Resource & Referral" Directory

2009

The information contained in this directory is provided by the individual child care facilities.
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Please contact the individual agency for the most current updates.

**CITY OF LAKEWOOD
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
DIVISION OF EARLY CHILDHOOD**

17400 NORTHWOOD
LAKEWOOD, OH 44107
216-529-5018 Fax: 216-521-0276

PROGRAM MANAGER: TONI GELSOMINO

Services:

Resource and Referral to Lakewood Early Childhood Educational Programs, Child Day Care, Private Preschool, Head Starts, Family Child Care, Special Need Child Care.

- ◆ The City of Lakewood/Scholarship/ Financial Assistance Program
- ◆ Resources suggested for special family needs.
- ◆ Elder participation integrated into child care programs.
- ◆ In-service training offered to Lakewood caregivers, providers and pre-school teachers.
- ◆ Parent education and support through the Lakewood Family Room
- ◆ Lakewood Early Childhood Professionals consortium.
- ◆ Expansion of child care services.
- ◆ Professional early childhood education issues supported at the local, state and national levels.
- ◆ Resource for Lakewood High School programs: Child/Elder Care and Pregnant/or Parenting Teens
- ◆ Client contacts, suggestions and grievances directly related to Lakewood Early Childhood Services processed.
- ◆ "Preschool Super Sunday" and other early childhood activities initiated.

CITY OF LAKEWOOD SCHOLARSHIP/FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM: 216-529-5018

- ◆ Referrals to the scholarship program are made by day care providers, Lakewood City Schools, the City of Lakewood, Lakewood Christian Service Center and child care resource specialists.
- ◆ Must be a Lakewood resident.

Funding provided by City of Lakewood through Community Development Block Grant (C.D.B.G.)

LAKEWOOD FAMILY ROOM

17400 Northwood Avenue
Lakewood, Ohio 44107
216-529-5018
Fax: 216-521-0276

PROGRAM MANAGER: TONI GELSOMINO

The Family Room offers resource and support programs which serve parents of children from birth to age eighteen, children, and families in differing ways and in a wide variety of settings. We provide services to every kind of family, from two parents to single parent, from new parent to parents of teens and to grandparents who now care for their grandchildren.

Our family resource and support program is a collaborative effort by the City of Lakewood, Department of Human Services, Division of Early Childhood, Division of Youth, Division of Health and Division of Aging. In general, The Family Room:

- ◆ Provides direct services to families which may include, but are not limited to parent education, support groups, parent/ child activities, resource and referral, time and stress management and more.
- ◆ Builds on the family's strengths rather than deficits.
- ◆ Enhances the capacity of parents to foster the optimal development of their children.
- ◆ Respects the integrity of the family unit.
- ◆ Fosters cultural, ethnic and religious sensitivity.
- ◆ Provides linkages within Lakewood to other systems of services and support.
- ◆ Provides comfortable settings and opportunities in which parents can work on family issues.

We sincerely hope that you will participate in our programs and events throughout the year. With your interest and support, The Family Room will become an integral part of our community.

CHILD CARE PROGRAMS

BROWNSTONE DAY SCHOOL

18225 Sloane Ave.
Lakewood, Ohio 44107
216-221-1470
Fax: 216-221-1488

DIRECTOR: NANCY RAFFERTY
ADMINISTRATOR: ALYCE MANN

Hours: 6:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Ages Accepted: 8 weeks through Kindergarten
After School Program - through age 9

Maximum Enrollments: 186
Infants: (0-18 mos.): 20
Toddlers: (18 mos. - 3 yrs.): 42
Preschool: 76
School Age: 48

Special Needs: Limited due to steps; depending on individual needs.

Transportation Provided: No. Walk over and back from Horace Mann Elementary School

Fees: (Per Week)

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| Infants: | \$205.00 |
| Toddlers: | \$185.00 |
| Preschool: | \$175.00 |
| Kindergarten: | \$175.00 |
| Before & After School: 1/2 day | \$85.00 a.m. only \$95.00 p.m. only \$110.00 per week a.m. & p.m. |

Discount for Siblings: 20% for any sibling

Appointments requested for security.

FAMILY LIFE CENTER/LAKEWOOD

13523 Detroit Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
440-260-6001

COORDINATOR: BECKY VOLLE

Hours: Monday - Friday, 6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Ages Accepted: 6 weeks through Kindergarten

Maximum Enrollment:

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| Infants: | 9 |
| Toddlers: | 18 |
| Pre-School: | 38 |
| School-Age: | 10 |

Fees (Per Day):

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| Infants: | \$38.00 |
| Toddlers: | \$34.50 |
| Pre-School: | \$31.50 |

Special Needs: Depending on individual needs

Registration: One-time registration fee of \$35.00

Discount for Siblings: Yes

Open-door policy for parents; visitors by appointment

S.A.C.C. also provided at Harrison and Emerson Elementary Schools. (see Family Life S.A.C.C. for more information)

EARLY LEARNING INITIATIVE (ELI) & Universal Pre-Kindergarten (UPK):
Ages 3 - 5

FAMILY LIFE CENTER-S.A.C.C. PROGRAM

13523 Detroit Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
440-260-6001

COORDINATOR: BECKY VOLLE

Hours: 6:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Fees: Per month, September - May
A.M. only: 5 days, \$140/month
P.M. only: 5 days, \$180/month
A.M. & P.M.: \$320/month

Sibling discount: Yes - For a.m. & p.m. only

Transportation: No

School age child care provided at Emerson and Harrison Elementary schools.

A program of the Berea Children's Home and Family Services.

Extended care available for school holidays- \$25.00/day

HOLY FAMILY LEARNING CENTER

14808 Lake Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-521-4352

DIRECTOR: SISTER KATHLEEN, O.S.U.

Hours: 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Maximum Enrollment: (license capacity)
Infants: (0 - 18 mos.): 24
Toddlers: (18 mos. - 3 years): 40
Preschool: 64
School Age: 5

Special Needs: Yes, depending on individual needs

Transportation Provided: No

Fees: (Per Week)
Infants: \$185.00
Step-up: \$185.00
Young Toddlers: \$178.00
Older Toddlers: \$178.00
Young Pre-School: \$175.00
Older Pre-School: \$175.00
Pre-Kindergarten: \$170.00

Before & After School: No

Food Program: Breakfast, Lunch and Snacks

Open-door for parents; appointments for visitors

\$150 non-refundable fee per child

KIDS ADVANCING ACADEMY

2150 Warren Road
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-712-7985
FAX: 216-221-1281

DIRECTOR: JILL GAITANIELLA
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR: NILISHA WILLIAMS

Hours: 6:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

Ages Accepted: 6 weeks – 5 years

Maximum Enrollment: 43
 Infants (0-18 mos.): 11
 Toddlers (18 mos.- 3 years): 15
 Preschool: 17

Special Needs: Yes, depending on individual needs

Transportation Provided: No

Before & After School: No

Fees: Full-time (per week):
 Infants: \$185.00
 Toddlers: \$175.00
 Preschool: \$160.00

Discount for siblings: 10%

Registration fee: \$50.00 per family

Open door policy for parents. Appointments suggested for visitors.

LAKWOOD BAPTIST CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

14321 Detroit Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-221-4089
FAX: 216-221-4148

DIRECTOR: MARILYN A. HALLENBURG

Registration Fee: \$50.00 non-refundable-1 registration fee per family

FULL-TIME PRESCHOOL AND SCHOOL-AGE FEES

Full-time Enrichment Preschool Care and school age care is available for children 18 months to 12 years of age. Enrichment programming for the child care program is available in the mornings. The child care and school age programs are open all year Monday-Friday, 6:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Full-time Preschool Fees:

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| Full-time child care** | \$165.00 per week |
| Toddlers:18 -24 months old | \$180.00 per week |

School-Age Fees:

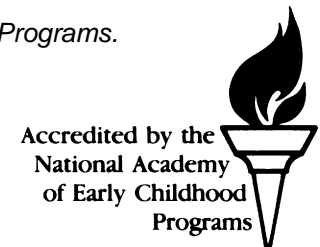
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| Before and After Kindergarten | \$145.00 per week |
| Before and After School | \$103.00 per week |
| Before School Care ONLY | \$62.00 per week |

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| All Day Care**-Summer and school vacation days | \$145.00 per week |
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** Additional field trip fee due for Summer Camp

Discount for Siblings: Yes

* Please see Preschool section for Enrichment Programs.



LAKWOOD COMMUNITY CARE CENTER

2019 Woodward
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-226-0080

Hours: Monday - Friday, 6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Ages Accepted: 6 weeks - 6 years

Maximum Enrollment: 79

Infants: (0-18 mos.): 17
Toddlers: (18 mos. - 3 years): 20
3 - 5 year olds: 24
1/2 day Kindergarten: 18
S.A.C.C.: 36

Special needs: Yes, depending on individual needs

Transportation Provided: Bus for Kindergarten care

| Fees: (Per Day) | Full Time | Part Time |
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| Infants: | \$35.50 | - |
| Toddlers: | \$35.00 | \$38.00 |
| 3 - 5 yr. olds: | \$33.00 | \$36.00 |
| 1/2 day Kindergarten: | \$33.00 with transportation (after a.m. Kindergarten care) | \$36.00 |
| Before & After School: | Varies-full-time and part-time rates | |
| Fun Days: | \$31.00 | |

S.A.C.C. Program at Lincoln School

Discount for Siblings: 10%

Open-door policy for parents — visitors make appointments

J.O.B.S. contract

LAKWOOD HOSPITAL CHILD CARE CENTER

1450 Belle Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107-4202
216-228-KIDS (5437)

MANAGER: MARY JO SCHWARTZ
ASSISTANT MANAGER: HOLLE BRAMBRICK

Hours: Monday - Friday: 6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Ages Accepted: 6 weeks - 6 yrs.

Maximum Enrollments:

Infants: 12
Toddlers: 14
3-5 yrs: 48
Kindergarten: 12

| Fees: Full-time (Per Day) | Fees: Part-time (Per Day) |
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| Infant: \$38.00 | Infant: \$41.00 |
| Toddler: \$36.00 | Toddler: \$38.00 |
| Pre-School: \$34.00 | Pre-School: \$36.00 |
| Pre-Kindergarten: \$34.00 | Pre-Kindergarten: \$36.00 |
| Kindergarten with wrap-around care: \$35.00/day | |

Summer School Age Program (First & Second Graders)
\$32.00 per day/\$80.00 transportation fee/Field trip fees

Registration Fee: \$75.00 per family

Special Needs: Yes, depending upon individual needs

Discount for Siblings: No

Discount for hospital employees — Yes

Open-door policy for parents. Appointment suggested for visitors.



LAKWOOD CITY SCHOOLS

Lakewood Early Childhood Program
1470 Warren Road
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-529-4256

PUBLIC PRESCHOOL FACILITATOR: SUSAN MICHELS
PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION COORDINATOR: LISA RYAN CURTIN

Integrated program available to Lakewood children who meet eligibility criteria.

The curriculum is aligned with the Ohio Department of Education Pre-Kindergarten Standards.

Hours: 2 3/4 hours per day in select elementary buildings
AM Session: 8:30 AM - 11:15 AM
PM Session: 12:15 PM - 3:00 PM

Requirements:

Public Preschool:

- Children must be Lakewood residents
- Children must be 4 years old by September 30th
- Children must be toilet trained
- 4 days a week and every other Friday
- Tuition is based on a sliding fee scale

Please call 529-4256 for more information.

Early Childhood Special Education:

- Serving children 3-5 years old based on eligibility for service
- Continuum of services provided including itinerant and center based and integrated preschool programming
- Classes meet 4 day a week

Please call 529-4201 for eligibility information

LAKWOOD Y - S.A.C.C. PROGRAM

16915 Detroit Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-521-8400 ext. 22

DIRECTOR: TAMMY SCHROTH

Hours: 6:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Fees: A.M. only: \$47.50 per week (with Youth Membership)
P.M. only: \$62.50 per week (with Youth Membership)
A.M. & P.M.: \$82.50 per week (with Youth Membership)
We also have 1-4 day rates.

School age child care provided at Grant, Hayes and Roosevelt Elementary Schools.

All Lakewood public schools served at sites above with transportation provided.

Maximum Enrollment: 36 in each group

FULL DAY PRESCHOOL CHILD CARE

Hours: 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
3 - 5 year olds

Fees: \$124 per week (with Youth Membership)

Maximum Enrollment: 16 Children

Special needs: Yes, depending on individual needs

Sibling discount - NO

Summer Camp available at Lakewood United Methodist Church and Roosevelt School locations. Call for more information.

ST. JAMES CHILD CARE CENTER

17400 Northwood Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-521-4125

DIRECTOR: CATHY PRETO
ASSISTANT: TRACY PATTON

Hours: Monday - Friday, 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Ages Accepted: 6 weeks - 5 years

Maximum Enrollment:

Infants (6 wks. - 18 mos.): 5 — Full time only
Toddlers (18 mos. - 3 yrs.): 11
Preschool (3 - 4 yrs.): 18
Pre-Kindergarten: 18

Fees: (Per Day)

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| Infant: | \$39.00 |
| Toddler: | \$38.00 |
| Toddler (1/2 day morning): | \$19.00 |
| Part-time | \$41.00 |
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| Preschool: | \$36.00 |
| Preschool (1/2 day morning): | \$19.00 |
| Pre-K: | \$36.00 |
| Pre-K (1/2 day morning): | \$19.00 |

S.A.C.C. (Lakewood Catholic Academy only) :

Max. Enrollment: Kinder & School Age: 100 Summer Program (K-5): 40

Fees (Per Day):

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| Before School: | \$ 3.00 | |
| After School: | \$13.00 | Part-time: \$14.00 |
| Before & After: | \$15.00 | Part-time: \$16.00 |
| Registration Fee: | \$25.00 | |
| Supply Fee: | \$75.00 | |
| Summer Full Day: | \$33.00 | Part-time: \$36.00 |

Special Needs: Yes, depending on individual needs

Transportation Provided: No

Discount for Siblings: No

Open-door policy for parents. Visitors make appointments.

ST. PETER'S CHILD CARE CENTER, INC.

18001 Detroit Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-226-2840
FAX: 216-226-0354

DIRECTOR: DENISE PHILLIPS MINOR
STAFF COOR. & SACC ADMIN.: COURTNEY POLINSKI

Hours: Monday - Friday, 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Ages Accepted: 6 weeks - 12 years

Maximum Enrollment:

Infants (6 wks.-18 mos.): 7
Toddlers (18 mos.-3 yrs.): 14
Preschool (3 - 4 yrs): 16
Pre-K (4 - 5yrs): 14
School Age at Horace Mann Elementary (K-5): 32

Fees: (Per Week)

Infants Full Time: \$190.00 (part-time not available)
Toddlers Full Time: \$185.00
Toddlers Part-time: \$117.00 for 3 days
Preschool /Pre-K Full Time: \$170.00
Preschool/Pre-K Part-Time: \$108.00 for 3 days
School Age at Horace Mann Elementary:
 Before School (7:00 a.m.-8:45 a.m.): \$55.00
 After School (3:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.): \$65.00
 Both Before & After School: \$120.00
Summer Camp: \$140/week or \$30/day Maximum Enrollment: 30

Special Needs: Yes

Transportation Provided: No

Discount for Siblings: Yes

Open-Door Policy for parents and guardians; visitors must schedule an appointment with the Director.

S.A.C.C. provided at Horace Mann Elementary School for Horace Mann students.

PRESCHOOLS

CALVARY COMMUNITY SCHOOL

16305 Hilliard Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-221-4324

DIRECTOR: JUDY FOOTE

Hours: Tuesday - Friday: 8:50 a.m - 11:10 a.m.

Choice of 3 or 4-day program

Ages Accepted: 3, 4 & 5 year olds

Maximum Enrollment: 16 per group

Special needs: Yes, depending on individual needs

Transportation Provided: No

Tuition: For 3 days: \$82.00 per month
For 4 days: \$107.00 per month
\$45.00 registration fee (non-refundable)

Before & After School: No

Appointment preferred - individual attention to visitor

Tuition full day: \$2,736.00/year
Tuition half day: \$1,323.00/year (Kindergarten)

Kindergarten:
½ day: \$1,323.00/year
Full day: \$2,736.00/year

Grades 1-3: \$2,736.00/year

GRACE PRESCHOOL

13030 Madison Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-529-1081

DIRECTOR: BONNIE SEARS

Hours: 3 yr. olds Mon. Tues. Wed. 8:30 - 11:00 a.m.
4 yr. olds Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. 8:30 - 11:00 a.m.
(mixed preschool class of 3 and 4 yr. olds)
older 4's Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. 12:30 - 3:15 p.m.
5 yr. olds Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. 12:30 - 3:15 p.m.
(mixed pre-kindergarten class)

Ages Accepted: 3, 4 & 5 yr. olds

Maximum Enrollment: 24 (morning), 28 (afternoon)

Special Needs: Yes, depending on individual needs

2008-09 Tuition:

Morning Program: 3-day/3-yr. olds \$80/month or \$720 for 9 months
2-day/3-year olds \$70.00/month or \$630 for 9 months
4-day/4-yr. olds \$90/month or \$810 for 9 months
Afternoon Program: older 4 & 5-yr. olds \$105/month or \$945 for 9 months

Registration Fee: \$40.00 (non-refundable)

HAYNES NURSERY SCHOOL

(located at Lakewood Congregational Church)

1375 West Clifton Boulevard
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-221-9557

DIRECTOR: SUE ELLER

REGISTRAR: DIANE FANNIN & SUE ELLER

Hours: 3 yr. olds: Mon & Tues: 9:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.
3 yr. olds: Wed, Th, Fri: 9:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.
Young 3 yr. olds: Winter Class - January through May
Mon & Tues 9:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.
Pre-K, 4/5 yr. olds:
Wed, Th, Fri: 9:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.
Pre-K, 4/5 yr. olds:
Wed, Th, Fri: 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Pre-K, 4/5 yr. olds:
Tues, Wed, Th: 12:45 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Ages Accepted: 3, 4 & 5 yr. olds

Maximum Enrollment: 3 year olds: 16 children/class
4 & 5 year olds: 18 children/class

Special Needs: Yes, depending on individual needs

Fees:

3 yr. olds - 2 days: \$675.00 or \$75.00/month
3 yr. olds - 3 days: \$855.00 or \$95.00/month
Pre-K (4 mornings): \$1035.00 or \$115.00/month
Pre-K
(3 morns/afternoons): \$855.00 or \$97.00/month
Winter 3's: \$375.00 or \$75.00/month

Registration Fee: \$25.00

Discount for Siblings: One registration fee per family of \$35.00

LAKWOOD BAPTIST CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

14321 Detroit Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-221-4089
Fax: 216-221-4148

DIRECTOR: MARILYN A. HALLENBURG

Registration Fee: \$50.00 non-refundable - 1 registration fee per family

PART-TIME ENRICHMENT CLASSES

Enrichment classes are available for children
3 years to 5 years of age.

3-day classes: 3 year olds
Mon., Tues & Wed. - 9:00 to 11:30 a.m.

4-day classes: 4 year olds
Mon, Tues, Wed & Thur - 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Bus service available within Lakewood for additional charge.

Special Needs: Yes, depending on individual needs.

Fee: (per month)

3-day classes: \$106.00 per month + \$65.00 for bus

4-day classes: \$128.00 per month + \$84.00 for bus

Discount for Siblings: Yes

Open-door policy for families, visitors requested to make appointments.

* *Please see Child Care Section for child care and school-age fees*



LAKWOOD CATHOLIC ACADEMY PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAM

14808 Lake Road
Lakewood, Ohio 44107
216-521-0559
www.lakewoodcatholicacademy.com

PRINCIPAL: Maureen Arbeznik

General School Hours: 8:10 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Pre-School Hours:

Half-Day, Mornings: 8:10 AM – 10:45 AM
Half-Day, Afternoons: 12:30 PM – 3:00 PM
Full Day: 8:10 AM - 3:00 PM

Preschool Ages: 3 – 5 Years Old

Preschool Options:

- Three-year olds, ½ day, Mornings, Tuesday through Thursday (Three days)
- Three-year-olds, ½ day, Afternoons, Tuesday through Thursday (Three days)
- Four-year-olds, Mornings, Monday through Friday (Five Days)
- Four-year-olds, Afternoons, Tuesday through Thursday (Three days)
- Four- and Five-year olds, All Day, Monday through Friday (Five days)

Maximum Enrollment Levels:

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| Pre-Kindergarten Three-Year Olds, ½ Day P.M., Three days/week: | 12 |
| Pre-Kindergarten Four-Year Olds, ½ Day A.M., Five days/week: | 12 |
| Pre-Kindergarten Four-Year Olds, ½ Day P.M., Three days/week: | 12 |
| Pre-Kindergarten Four/Five-Year Olds, Full Day: | 14 |

Special Needs: Consult with Principal

Registration Fee: \$120 per student, Maximum of \$300 per family

Tuition (2007-08 School Year):

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| Half-day Pre-Kindergarten Age 3 (three days): | \$145 per month |
| Half-day Pre-Kindergarten Age 4 (three days): | \$145 per month |
| Half-day Pre-Kindergarten Age 4 (five days): | \$220 per month |
| Full-Day Pre-Kindergarten Age 4/5: | \$440 per month |

Sibling Discount Available? No (discount available only in grades Kindergarten through Eight)

LAKWOOD LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL

1419 Lakeland Avenue
Lakewood, Ohio 44107
216-221-6941

DIRECTOR: GARY DITTMAR

Hours: Full Time Pre-K: 8:30 AM - 2:00 PM Mondays
8:30 AM - 3:30 PM Tuesday-Friday

Ages: 4 to 5 years old

Fees: \$2500.00 Full Day

Registration Fee: \$50.00
Educational Fee: \$500.00

Open door policy for parents; all other visitors by appointment only

Our curriculum is Christ-centered, using developmentally age-appropriate activities housed in Lakewood Lutheran School. A sample of our curriculum includes Kindergarten Readiness lessons in language arts, math, science, social studies, music and art. We also have facilities to practice small and large motor skills.

Special Needs: No

Transportation Provided: No

Before & After School: Yes

Discount for Siblings: No

LAKWOOD PRESBYTERIAN NURSERY SCHOOL

14502 Detroit Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-226-0514

DIRECTOR: JOAN BOSKEN

Hours: 3 yr. olds: Mon & Tues: 9:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.
4 yr. olds: Wed, Th, Fri: 9:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Pre-K: Mon - Th: 12:15 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Ages Accepted: 3, 4 & 5 yr. olds

Maximum Enrollment: 3 yr. olds: 18
4 yr. olds: 18
Pre-K: 16

Fees: (Per Month)
3 yr. olds: \$55.00
4 yr. olds: \$77.00
Pre-K: \$94.00

Special needs: Yes, depending on individual needs

Transportation Provided: No

Before & After School: No

Discount for Siblings: One registration fee (\$35.00) per family

Open-door policy for parents; scheduled appointments for visitors

LAKWOOD Y PRESCHOOL LEARNING CENTER

16915 Detroit Avenue Located at Lakewood United Methodist Church
Lakewood, OH 44107 15700 Detroit Avenue
216-521-8400

Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. (3-day : M,W,F)
12:45 p.m.-3:00 p.m. (4-day : M, T, W, R)
9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. (2-day: Th & F)
Accepting 2 1/2 year olds who are potty trained

Ages Accepted: 2, 3, 4 & 5 year olds

Registration Fee: \$35.00/year

Fees: (Per Month)
3-day: \$85.00
Pre-K: \$102.00

Transportation Provided: No

Open-door policy for parents

Unique blend of Traditional and Montessori

THE ACHIEVEMENT CENTERS FOR CHILDREN

24211 Center Ridge Road
Westlake, Ohio 44145
216-292-9700

DIRECTOR: PATRICIA NOBILI
SOCIAL WORKER: ROBIN WEBBER

Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Ages Accepted: Birth through Young Adults

Special Needs: Individuals with disabilities

Transportation: Limited

Fees: Sliding fee, United Way funded & health insurance

Accepting children with disabilities and typically-developing peers in Champ
Camp and Daycare programs. Preschool programs for children 3-5 years
with Autism.

Early intervention, home-based and individual therapy

Appointments necessary

PARKWOOD HEAD START

13714 Madison Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-228-2455

FAMILY SERVICE WORKER: MARLENE WELLING

Hours: Tues - Fri, 8:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
Tues - Fri, 12:45 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Ages Accepted: 3 - 5 year olds

Maximum enrollment: 34

Special needs: Accepted

Transportation provided: No

Fees: Based on sliding fee scale

WEST SIDE ECUMENICAL MINISTRY CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS, INC.

FAITH HEAD START

12601 Detroit Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107
216-228-8918

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR: Jen Taggard 216-631-1555

Hours: 4 days a week Tuesday through Friday

A.M. Session: 8:00 - 11:30

P.M. Session: 12:30 - 4:00

Ages Accepted: 3-5 Years

Fees: Free to income eligible families

Special Needs: Accepted and accommodations made

Open door policy, appointment suggested for individual attention.

**A few things to look for when choosing a
CHILD CARE CENTER**

- ◆ Be sure to visit all the centers in which you are interested.
- ◆ Ask to see their Ohio State Licenses.
- ◆ Talk to other parents who use the Center.
- ◆ Ask questions, such as:
 - What are the hours of operation?
 - What is payment policy?
 - What are the child/staff ratios?
 - Are children busy and happy?
 - Are the teachers actively involved with the children?
 - Is the physical space inviting and safe?
 - What is the schedule of activity?
 - Is the curriculum and equipment age-appropriate?
 - Are parents welcomed and involved?

REMEMBER, AN OPEN-DOOR POLICY —THAT'S THE LAW!

Notes:

A few things to look for then choosing
FAMILY HOME CARE

- ◆ Ask questions, follow up on references.
- ◆ Visit the home, by yourself and with your child.
- ◆ Check hours of operation.
- ◆ What are the fees and do they include food and/or formula?
- ◆ Are there six or fewer children — no more than 3 under the age of 2 years.
- ◆ What is caregivers experience and training?
- ◆ Is the caregiver responding to the children in a warm and caring fashion?
- ◆ Is the physical space safe and inviting — both inside and out?
- ◆ Are there smoke detectors and fire extinguishers?
- ◆ Are toys and equipment age-appropriate?
- ◆ Are there scheduled daily activities and quiet times?
- ◆ Is the home care provider involved with a USDA Food Program or certified through the County? If not, has the home care provider had a fire and health inspection and a BCI (Bureau of Criminal Investigation) check?

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Notes:

TEN TIPS FOR FAMILIES

1. Set aside time each day for just you and your children; play a simple game, visit someplace new, talk and listen together.
2. Establish routines in your home, especially around bedtime and meals. Children need structure.
3. Enjoy and respect your children for who they are, not what you want them to be. ~~28~~ Avoid comparing children to others.
4. Set aside time for yourself, and time for yourself and your partner; "adult-only" time helps reduce stress.
5. Allow your children to make their own choices whenever possible and expect your children to help around your home; appropriate responsibilities build self-esteem.
6. Hug, kiss and cuddle your children. Physical attention does not spoil children but rather helps them feel loved and secure.
7. Children watch what you do more than what you say; practice what you preach.
8. Read books to your children and read books yourself: instill a joy of reading.
9. Set limits for your children: be specific, be brief, be consistent.
10. Seek out support and education from agencies and other parents; there are many resources available.

**LAKWOOD
TOY
LENDING LIBRARY**



Toys are something all young children need for growth and development. Now you can borrow that “Little Tikes Alligator See-Saw” or choose from a variety of educational and age-appropriate toys for your child at the Lakewood Toy Lending Library which is located at:

**LAKWOOD FAMILY ROOM
17400 Northwood Avenue**

Every Tuesday from 10:30 –11:15 a.m.

- **NO membership fee**
- **NO fee to check out toys**

For more information or to make a donation, call the Lakewood Family Room at 216-529-5018.

Establishment of the Toy Lending Library is the result of many hours of dedicated work by the moms of the Lakewood Family Room along with support from the City of Lakewood Division of Early Childhood.

Division of Early Childhood
17400 Northwood Avenue
Lakewood, Ohio 44107
(216) 529-5018
Fax: (216) 521-0276

MISSION STATEMENT

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