



Resource Guide



**Improving the quality of life and social-emotional well-being
of children birth to 21 and families in the community.**

Dakota County Connections believes that strengthening our community requires all of us to work together.

This includes:

- Identifying community strengths and needs
- Actively coordinating and sharing lessons learned
- Defining common outcomes
- Aligning individual community needs and resources to meet those outcomes
- Seeking additional resources to help reach our goals
- Using evaluation and community data to strengthen our programs
- Maintaining open communication with our partners and the community

Dakota County Connections does not provide programs, it serves to provide a common table for community partners to gather around and collectively address community needs. We support organizations and individuals to provide programs that are directed toward our common outcomes.

For more information about the collaborative or our monthly meetings, visit our website at www.dakotacountyconnections.com or contact JoAnn Gieselman, Dakota County Connections Program Coordinator at (712) 222-6383 (office) or (712) 223-9614 (cell). For information on Community Response, contact Sandy Nation at (402) 494-3337, extension 22 or snation@siouxlandship.org .

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COMMUNITY RESOURCES

“A Better Way” Therapy

3900 Dakota Ave, Suite 9, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(712) 253-3925

janiesnieder@hotmail.com

“A Better Way” Therapy offers individual, couples, and family counseling services to people of all ages. In-home or in-office therapy available. Therapists available that are trained in PCIT (Parent-Child Interaction Therapy) as well as CPP (Child-Parent Psychotherapy). Cash, check, private insurance, and NE and Iowa Medicaid accepted, as well as most private insurances.

PCIT (Parent-Child Interaction Therapy) - Therapy for children ages 2-7 with behavior problems.

CPP (Child-Parent Psychotherapy) - Therapy for children 0-5 who have experienced trauma.

TF-CBT (Trauma-focused Cognitive Behavior Therapy) - Therapy for children who have experienced trauma.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Siouxland

3650 Glen Oaks Blvd, Sioux City, IA 51104

(712) 239-9890

www.bigbrothersbigsisters.com

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Siouxland is a community-based and site-based mentoring program available to all Siouxland children and their families. Children ages 6-13 are accepted with matches made before age 14 supported through age 18. Programs are offered in Liberty, Hunt, Irving, and Spalding Park Elementary Schools. There is no cost to families other than the cost of an occasional outing or activity.

BOOST Face Forward

822 Douglas St, Room 480, Sioux City, IA 51101

(712) 898-2242

BOOST Face Forward conveys the idea of youth leaving their past transgressions behind and looking forward toward a promising future. Juvenile arrests can follow youth for the rest of their lives and become a major barrier to inclusion and advancement in the workforce. The Face Forward grants will offer organizations the opportunity to develop programs that address this issue while developing the skills and opportunity youth need to move forward successfully in the workforce. The purpose of these grants is to improve the long-term labor market prospects of both court-involved youth prior to adjudication and juvenile offender.

Boys & Girls Club of Sioux City

823 Pearl Street, Sioux City, IA 51101

(712) 258-5545

www.boysclubofsiouxcity.com

The mission of the Boys & Girls Club of Sioux City is to inspire and enable all young people, especially those who need us the most, to reach their full potential as responsible, caring, and productive citizens.

The Boys & Girls Club provides:

- After school programs and activities
- A Summer Day Program, Monday - Friday
- Snacks and meals are now offered
- A safe place to learn and grow
- Ongoing relationships with caring, adult professionals
- Life-Enhancing programs and character development experiences
- Hope and opportunity

Boys & Girls Home and Family Services, Inc.

2101 Court St, P.O. Box 1197, Sioux City, IA 51102-1197

(712) 293-4700

www.boysandgirlshome.com

Boys & Girls Home and Family Services, Inc. is a non-profit, human service agency that has cared for children and adults in Siouxland since 1894. The purpose and mission (WE CHANGE LIVES) of Boys & Girls Home and Family services is to strive to help individuals of all ages and families overcome life's challenges and develop the skills necessary to be successful in their home, school, and community environments.

Residential Treatment Program - Boys & Girls Home and Family Services helps children between the ages of seven and eighteen years in their Residential Treatment Program.

Outpatient Counseling Services - Services are available to children, adolescents, adults, and families to manage and deal with the stress of everyday life as well as receive therapy for behavior or psychological disorders - all designed to help them heal and to strengthen families.

Intensive Outpatient Program - Intensive outpatient serves adolescents in crisis providing therapy, support, and referrals to community agencies.

Opportunities School Program - Opportunities School is an alternative education program for children in residential treatment and students in grades K-12 throughout the region who are in need of additional academic support. The Opportunities School helps to keep kids in school and helps them achieve academic success.

Staffed by a team of highly qualified professionals with two psychiatrists on staff, the stated mission of Boys & Girls Home and Family Services is WE CHANGE LIVES!

Boys Town Nebraska/Iowa

600 4th St, Suite 901, Sioux City, IA 51101

(712) 258-6523

www.boystown.org

Boys Town is a national organization dedicated to helping children and their families. Boys Town developed its Integrated Continuum of Care as part of an ambitious, on-going effort to expand the life-changing care we provide to children and families across the United States. The Continuum is unique to Boys Town and enables us to deliver the right care at the right time to troubled children and families who are edging toward crisis.

Across the Continuum's service levels and in all programs, treatment is consistently effective because it's based on the research-proven Boys Town Model®. As children and families make progress (or fail to make progress) at one level, they can move to other levels that better fit their needs, without starting over in their care and all within the same care model.

Services toward the top of the Continuum provide more intensive care and interventions to children with serious emotional or behavioral problems. Children receive these services outside of their home, so reunification with their families, whenever possible, is always the ultimate goal.

Services toward the base of the Continuum focus on helping families stay together, preventing children from being removed from their homes, and assisting parents by providing training, counseling, and other resources.

That's why Boys Town is developing its Integrated Continuum of Care at its sites across the country to help reform the nation's fragmented and overburdened child and family care system. Existing services and programs at each Boys Town location provide the foundation for building and spreading the Continuum.

Building Blocks for Community Enrichment

1312 Dakota Ave, Suite A, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(402) 851-1097

www.buildingblocksforkids.org

Building Blocks for Community Enrichment provides licensing and supportive services to foster parents across 42 counties in Northern and Central Nebraska. Foster Parents are always needed to care for youth while their family rebuilds. For more information give us a call or check out our website.

Center for Siouxland

715 Douglas St, Sioux City, IA 51101

(712) 252-1861

www.centerforsiouxland.org

The Center for Siouxland mission is “helping people, empowering lives and building futures” by providing the following programs and services:

Client Trust/Representative Payee Program - These programs offer money management and protective payee services for elderly and/or mentally or physically handicapped persons not able to manage their own financial affairs. Financial Case Managers work with clients to meet their basic everyday needs, manage their finances and assets, and help them obtain medical/mental health services. The goal is to ensure a stable standard of living for those on a limited income.

Bridges West Transitional Housing - The program provides housing and supportive services (case management; health, dental, and mental health care; child care; substance abuse counseling and treatment, transportation, youth enrichment activities; and basic needs) for up to 24 months for homeless families, couples, and individuals who have exhausted all personal resources and would be on the street if transitional housing was not available.

HUD Certified Comprehensive Housing Counseling - This program provides counseling and education for homebuyers, homeowners, and renters including: Pre-Purchase Counseling and Education, Post-Purchase Counseling and Education, Mortgage Default and Delinquency Counseling, Foreclosure Counseling, and Rental Counseling.

Consumer Credit Counseling - The program provides free, confidential credit counseling. Certified Credit Counselors assist with budgeting, debt reduction, money management, job layoffs, first-time home buying, and more. Counselors also conduct a variety of community outreach including workshops, seminars, and credit report reviews on-site at area businesses, colleges, and high schools. The Debt Management Plan (DMP) is a fee-based program that helps solve credit card and other debt problems.

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) - This volunteer-driven program provides free income tax preparation and filing to low- to moderate-income individuals. In partnership with the United Way of Siouxland, the program promotes the Earned Income Tax Credit and saves the clients hundreds of dollars in paid tax preparer fees. Although the busiest time for taxes is from February 1 to April 15 each year, volunteers are available all year to file taxes from previous years.

Prescription Medication Assistance - The program helps clients who are facing an immediate financial hardship obtain prescription medications for which they cannot afford the co-pay.

Council on Sexual Assault & Domestic Violence (CSADV)

Box 1565, Sioux City IA 51102

Crisis line – (800) 982-7233

Local – (712) 258-7233

Administrative – (712) 277-0131

www.csadvsioxland.org

Mission: The Council on Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence, CSADV, provides support, advocacy, and a safe environment to empower adults and children who have experienced domestic violence. Through leadership and education, CSADV works collaboratively with the community to promote social change and to end violence.

The program is designed to provide a central agency where survivors can receive advocacy, support, case management, referrals, a safe environment, and housing assistance. Services are free of charge and confidential.

CSADV provides emergency safe shelter to survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault and their children who find themselves unsafe and homeless as a result of these crimes. The crisis line is available 24/7 as is the shelter.

Crittenton Center

814 Pierce St, Suite 100, Sioux City, IA 51101

(712) 255-4321

www.crittentoncenter.org

Emergency Shelter & Youth Development

3901 Green Ave, Sioux City, IA 51106

(712) 252-8262

Stella Sanford Child Development

1724 Geneva St, Sioux City, IA 51103

(712) 252-4785

Crittenton's Resource Center

814 Pierce St, Suite 100, Sioux City, IA 51101

(712) 255-4321

Founded in 1895, Crittenton Center has a rich history of providing services to children and families in need. Our quality programs are designed to give life skills to children, young adults, and families that empower them to lead quality and self-sufficient lives. We help people in a wide variety of circumstances from children who need emergency shelter, families who need coping skills to prevent child abuse, families who need quality childcare to stay in the workforce, teens who need childcare to stay in school, and homeless teens and disabled people who need housing.

Dakota City Food Pantry

1516 Myrtle St, Dakota City, NE 68731

(620) 794-1345

Dakota City Food Pantry is a mobile food pantry located at the Dakota City Fire Hall. The pantry is open to anyone on the last Thursday of the month from 5:30-7:30pm.

Dakota County Health Department

1601 Broadway, Dakota City, NE 68731

(402) 987-2164

www.dakotacountyne.org

The mission of the Dakota County Health Department is to facilitate the achievement of optimal health and social well-being of the public. The Department encourages and supports the promotion of health living through education, prevention, protection, and surveillance. Cash and NE Medicaid are accepted.

Services Provided:

- Immunization clinics 3 days per week for children and adults
- Health Coaching
- Health Education on various chronic diseases
- Disease Surveillance
- Radon Education and Testing
- Mosquito Prevention and Education
- Public Health Preparedness Planning

Dakota County Voices for Food

1505 Broadway, PO Box 129, Dakota City, NE 68731

(402) 987-2140 – Brenda Sale, Coordinator

Dakota County Voices for Food is a community based food council, focused on addressing food security issues in the community. We are a resource for food bank referrals, food/meal programs and assistance, fresh produce for low income residents, and a community resource for information for low income residents. Follow us on Facebook at Dakota County Voices for Food.

Girls Inc. of Sioux City

500 Main St, Sioux City, IA 51103

(712) 252-1088

www.girlsincofsiouxcity.org

Girls Inc. delivers life-changing programs that inspire girls to be strong, smart, and bold. Research-based curricula, delivered by trained professionals, equip girls to achieve academically, lead healthy and physically active lives, manage money, navigate media messages, and discover an interest in science, technology, engineering, and math.

Goodwill of the Great Plains

3100 W. 4th St, Sioux City, IA 51103
(712) 258-4511

www.goodwillgreatplains.org

South Sioux City Store

2321 Dakota Ave, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-6972

Sioux City Store

3100 W. 4th St, Sioux City, IA 51103
(712) 258-0579

Most people know us for our donation centers and thrift stores, but we're so much more. We like to say we are "Green for Good". Thanks to your green donations, Goodwill diverts millions of pounds of clothing and goods from landfills annually. Then when you shop our stores, you are reusing goods, saving green, and helping the planet. Most significant of all, Goodwill reinvests all profits right back into the community offering individuals with barriers to employment work opportunities, independence, and quality of life. In other words, your donations and purchases help us reuse, resell, recycle, and reinvest. It's the Goodwill Green for Good circle.

Haven House

1-800-440-4633

www.havenhousefsc.com

Haven House offers crisis intervention and prevention services for survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault. Haven House presentations are available at no cost.

Available presentations include:

- Domestic Violence
- Sexual Assault
- Dating Violence
- Healthy Relationships
- Stalking
- Elder Abuse
- Sexual Harassment
- Safety Planning
- Child Safety
- Agency Services

Heartland Counseling Services, Inc.

917 W. 21st St, PO Box 355, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-3337

www.heartlandcounselingservices.org

The mission of Heartland Counseling Services, Inc. is to provide quality outpatient counseling, education, community service programs, and prevention services to individuals, groups, and families, and to provide consultation to community organizations. Heartland Counseling Services is a community behavioral health agency in South Sioux City, Nebraska which specializes in mental health and substance abuse services. A sliding scale is available for Nebraska residents.

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Heartland Counseling Services, Inc. (continued)

Heartland Counseling provides:

- Individual, Family, Couples, and Group Therapy in clinic, home, nursing homes, schools, and jails
- Mental Health and Substance Abuse Evaluations
- Community Support Services and Peer Support Services
- The Life Center, Day Rehabilitation Center
- Psychiatric Evaluations and Medication Management
- Anger Management Groups
- Substance abuse prevention in the local community schools
- DUI/MIP Education Classes
- Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP) for Substance Abuse
- Continuing Care Groups for Substance Abuse
- Crisis Response Program

Jackson Recovery Centers

800 5th St, Sioux City, IA 51101

(712) 234-2300

www.jacksonrecovery.com

River Hills Recovery Center

3320 W. 4th St, Sioux City, IA 51103

(712) 202-0777

Women and Children's Center

3200 W. 4th St, Sioux City, IA 51103

(712) 258-4578

Marienne Manor

Women's Halfway House

(712) 258-5424

Child and Adolescent Recovery Center

3500 W. 4th St, Sioux City, IA 51103

(712) 225-1800

Grandview House

Men's Halfway House, Sioux City, IA

(712) 258-4776

Sanctuary Apartments - Transitional Living

3232 W. 4th St, Sioux City, IA 51103

(712) 202-0954

Jackson Recovery Centers provide prevention, education, intervention, and comprehensive treatment services for adults, adolescents, children, and families suffering from addiction and/or co-occurring disorders. Cash, check, credit card, private insurance, commercial insurance, and IA and NE Medicaid are accepted. For more information go to www.jacksonrecovery.com.

Services include:

- Drug and Alcohol Treatment (Adolescent and Adult, Outpatient and Inpatient)
- Mental Health Services (Adolescent and Adult)
- Children's Services (Sand Tray, PCIT, therapy)
- Process Addictions (Gambling, shopping, sex, etc.)
- Inpatient Psychiatric Unit (Short-term stay for 11-18)
- Transitional Housing (women house, 2 men houses)

Justice for Our Neighbors – Nebraska

2414 E St, Omaha, NE 68107

(402) 898-1349

www.ifon-ne.org

Immigration, legal, education, and advocacy services are provided. Services are pro bono.

Mary J. Treglia Community House

900 Jennings St, Sioux City, IA 51105

(712) 258-5137

www.marytreglia.org

Mary J. Treglia Community House is a Department of Justice accredited agency and helps new Siouxlanders navigate our complex legal, health, financial, and education systems.

Services offered include:

- Immigration attorney
- Pre-literacy English language class
- English I and English II classes
- Pre-school for parents attending English classes
- Interpretation and translation services
- Citizenship class – Friday at 11:00 am

Services are offered on a sliding scale. Cash, checks, and credit cards are accepted.

Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services

1401 Pine St, Dakota City, NE 68731

(402) 987-3445

www.dhhs.ne.gov

The Department provides a variety of services which include financial assistance, education, and protecting people through public health efforts, assisting the elderly, the poor and those with disabilities, providing safety to abused and/or neglected children or vulnerable adults, or serving those in need of 24-hour facility care.

Nebraska Extension in Dakota County

1508 Broadway St, Dakota City, NE 68731

(402) 987-2140

www.extension.unl.edu/statewide/dakota/

Most Nebraskans aren't aware of how much Extension is supporting them on a daily basis, in almost every area of their life. Many are aware of the services Extension provides to the agricultural community, but Extension provides expertise and know-how to sectors as diverse as nutrition, health care, and technology.

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Nebraska Extension in Dakota County (continued)

The Learning Child: As caring adults in young children’s lives, we play a major role in setting the stage for lifelong learning, discovery, and success. Nebraska Extension is committed to providing research-based strategies to help you support the holistic development of the young child in your care.

Community Environment: Extension is committed to helping Nebraskans know more about creating resource- and energy-efficient rural and urban landscapes, protecting and managing water resources, properly managing insect and wildlife pests, and more.

Community Vitality Initiative: CVI is focused on launching the heart and soul of the state, its rural and urban communities, into the future by focusing on entrepreneurship, recruiting new residents, disaster recovery, broadband access, engaging youth and young adults, and building businesses.

Cropping and Water Systems: Population growth puts a greater stress on expanding yields for food, while still encouraging resource stewardship. To help meet this challenge, we share unbiased, research-based information for a diversified agricultural audience.

Food, Nutrition & Health: The Food, Nutrition and Health program is focused on improving nutrition, physical activity, and food safety outcomes for Nebraskans.

4-H Youth Development: 4-H empowers youth, ages 5-18, to reach their full potential working and learning in partnership with caring adults. 4-H is education for life that uses a learn-by-doing approach.

Nebraska State Probation (Sixth Probation District)

1000 W. 29th St, Suite 118, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 412-3601

The District Six Probation Office and Reporting Center in South Sioux City provides probation services for the county and district courts of Dakota, Thurston, Dixon, and Cedar Counties. In addition to providing probation supervision for adults and juveniles, District Six provides a host of services for the community. These services address employment, education, substance abuse, mental health, and cognitive programs designed to reduce criminal thinking and behavior.

Norm Waitt Sr. YMCA

601 Riverview Dr, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 404-8439

www.nwsymca.org

The Y is a diverse, non-profit organization of men, women, and children joined together by a shared commitment to nurturing the potential of kids, promoting healthy living, and fostering a sense of social responsibility.

Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership (NENCAP)

603 E. Earl St, PO Box 667, Pender, NE 68047

(402) 385-6300 (800) 445-2505

www.nencap.org

South Sioux City Office

2120 Dakota Ave, South Sioux City, NE 68776

Family Services (402) 494-8312 Head Start (402) 494-6755 WIC (402) 494-1429

NENCAP serves over 13,000 clients per year with programs such as: Head Start, Early Head Start, WIC, Immunization, Healthy Families, weatherization, Family Services, Navigator, free tax preparation, car seat programs, rent and utility assistance, NE Homeless Assistance, emergency food/shelter, Veteran Services, Commodity Supplemental Food Program, and food pantries. NENCAP's mission statement is, "People helping people; empowering individuals, strengthening families and enriching communities in Northeast Nebraska." For more information, go to www.nencap.org.

Northeast Nebraska Joint Housing Agency (NNJHA)

1122 Pierce St, Sioux City IA 51105

(712) 279-6286

www.Simpco.org

NNJHA serves low income families in the counties of Dixon, Wayne and non-metro-Dakota with HUD Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher rental and mortgage assistance. Tenants pay 30% of their monthly income towards the issued voucher bedroom-size-home costs allowed by HUD. Some guidelines include: initial and annual home inspection, a one year lease, household changes/income, a lease to own, shared housing, lot rent for trailer home. Landlords cannot be family members. NNJHA mission statement: To promote adequate, affordable housing, economic opportunity and a suitable living environment for the families we serve without discrimination.

Office of Public Guardian

1445 K St, PO Box 98910, Lincoln, NE 68509

(402) 471-2862

The Office of Public Guardian is designed to serve as the guardian or conservator for an individual when no other alternative is available. In addition to providing the means of last resort as guardians or conservators for those situations where no family member or suitable individual is available, the Office of Public Guardian provides education, training, and support for volunteer and family guardians and conservators, and recruits individuals to serve as guardians and conservators for Nebraska's vulnerable individuals.

Parent to Parent Network

328 W. Norfolk Ave, Norfolk, NE 68701

(402) 379-2268

www.parent-parent.org

Parent to Parent Network is a non-profit organization created by and for families that reside in Northeast Nebraska who are raising, or are primary caregivers for, children with behavioral/emotional challenges including social, emotional, mental, substance abuse, and gambling. We believe that children and their families can be successful and families/caregivers are the experts on their children's needs and should be the main decision-makers for their children. We understand the struggles and barriers parents face when accessing services and supports for their children in schools, the "system", and in their own communities because we too, have children with unique needs. We acknowledge the importance of being able to talk to a nonjudgmental person who understands the challenges we face at home, with schools and in the community. We are dedicated to strengthening and empowering families by providing access to resources, support, advocacy, and education.

Ponca Express Transportation

1800 Syracuse Ave, Norfolk, NE 68701

(877) 769-3111

www.poncatribene.org/departments/ponca-express/

Ponca Express Transportation is a free transit service based out of Sioux City, Norfolk, Niobrara, Omaha, and Lincoln. You must call ahead of time to set up the ride. They will drive within a 3-hour radius to where the client needs to be.

ResCare Workforce Services, Inc.

1312 Dakota Ave, South Sioux City, Nebraska 68776

(402) 494-1150

Toll free: (866) 218-7237

www.rescare.com

ResCare Workforce Services, provides job searching skill development upon referral from the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services for the unemployed/underemployed in northeastern Nebraska. Work with local businesses and organizations, providing placement referrals for On-the-Job Training, Work Experience and Community Service.

Robyn Watchorn Newbrey, M.A. LIMHP, CPC Therapist

3900 Dakota Ave, Suite 4B, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(712) 301-6529

www.robynwn.com

Robyn's office is located in South Sioux City and offers a variety of quality counseling services.

Salvation Army Thrift Store

1901 Cornhusker Dr, Suite 105, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(402) 494-7997

www.salvationarmysiouxland.org/thrift-store.html

The Salvation Army appreciates your donation of good, used clothing, household items, and furniture. For pick-up of your donation, call (402) 494-7997.

Siouxland CARES

101 Pierce St, Sioux City, IA 51101

(712) 255-3188

www.sioxlandcares.org

Siouxland CARES is a volunteer driven community coalition formed to bring about community changes related to alcohol and other drug abuse and related violence. Formed in 1987 to address adolescent substance abuse, CARES has expanded its efforts to include the abuse of alcohol and other drugs and related violence by all age groups. Siouxland CARES also coordinates the activities for Dakota County Teen Court.

Siouxland Youth for Christ

1807 Nebraska St, PO Box 1626, Sioux City, IA 51102

(712) 255-9599

www.sioxlandyfc.org

Siouxland Youth for Christ provides outreach programs for teens in five local counties to explore their faith with the intent of making a noticeable spiritual impact. YFC provides a unique relationship-building ministry for teens in middle and high schools, detention centers, alternative schools, teen centers, and youth-oriented camps and venues. We collaborate with like-minded individuals, service providers, and churches to lead teens towards a relationship with Christ and connect them to the church to make a positive impact in their family, school, and community.

South Sioux City Area Chamber of Commerce & Tourism

3900 Dakota Ave, Suite 11, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(402) 491-1626

www.southsiouxchamber.org

The South Sioux City Chamber is South Sioux City's leading business organization promoting growth and prosperity.

South Sioux City Library

2121 Dakota Ave, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(402) 494-7545

www.southsiouxcity.org/library/

Mission Statement: The Library is an innovative and responsive community center that supports cultural programming, lifelong learning, literacy, and open access to the world of information and ideas, with a staff committed to excellence and personal service.

South Sioux City Police Department

701 W. 29th St, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(402) 494-7553

www.southsiouxcity.org/department/?fDD=14-0

The officers and civilian employees of the South Sioux City Police Department serve their community proudly by providing a full range of law enforcement services. We are a well-staffed, well trained, and well equipped department. Our goal is to provide the best quality protection and police services to our community in order to enhance the quality of life for all of our citizens.

United Way of Siouxland

701 Steuben St, Sioux City, IA 51101

(712) 255-3551

www.unitedwaysiouxland.com

Our Approach: The United Way believes that everyone in our community is entitled to a quality education, access to the tools needed to build financial stability, and a safe environment with access to health services. Through our Community Impact Fund, we are working to make sure people get the support services they need right now while simultaneously addressing the root causes of key issues. When we focus on the building blocks of a quality life – Education, Income, and Health – we create true community impact.

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CHILDCARE

Cubby Care

500 W. 13th, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-4222

Cubby Care Campus is a locally owned preschool and childcare center located in South Sioux City, NE. We provide early childhood education to children age 18 months to five years, as well as after school and summer programs to children from kindergarten to 12 years.

KidLogic Child Care & Preschool, Inc.

405 E. 21st St, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 404-2533
www.kidlogicchildcare.com

KidLogic is a licensed child care center serving the local community. By staying small, we are able to provide both quality child care and the nurturing atmosphere that your child deserves, which makes KidLogic Child Care a premium service. At KidLogic, our goal is to provide a safe and happy learning environment for each child that will stimulate their physical, intellectual, social, and emotional growth at their own pace. We offer loving care that focuses on each child as a unique and wonderful individual and, in doing so, builds self-esteem and respect for others.

NENCAP Early Head Start

Siouxland Family Center
1401 Pine, PO Box 477, Dakota City, NE 68731
(402) 494-1282

Early Head Start provides early, continuous and comprehensive child development and family support services to pregnant women, children ages 0-3 and their families.

St. Michael's Early Childhood Education Center

1315 1st Ave, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-1526

St. Michael's Parish offers a faith-based Early Childhood Education Center in the former Parish Office located on St. Michael's campus. The Early Childhood Education Center is an extension of our Preschool Program so that we may begin to develop children intellectually, socially, physically, emotionally and spiritually earlier in life. We want to reach out to younger children, of all denominations in the entire Siouxland area. The LIHM Sisters and St. Michael's School specialty staff (PE, Art, Music teachers, and Librarian) will lead the instruction and supervision of the program. Instruction is provided in whole/small group and individual settings. For more information please contact St. Michael's ECEC at (402) 494-2827 or parish Office at (402) 494-5423.

For a complete listing of licensed childcare and preschool providers go to <http://dhhs.ne.gov> and search child care roster. In Iowa call 1-877-216-8481.

CHURCHES

Calvary Chapel

3900 Dakota Ave, Suite 10
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(712) 522-9517

www.calvarychapelsiouxland.com

Eastside Baptist Church

822 E. 20th St
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-1193

First Lutheran Church (ELCA)

3601 Dakota Ave
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-5461

office@flcsc.org
<http://www.flcsc.org>

Pastor's blog – <http://www.messy-spirituality.com>

- Food pantry, Food Bank, SHARE
- Open to non-profit events such as Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts, weddings, funerals, AA, Al-Anon, and TOPS.

First Presbyterian Church

125 E. 21st St
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-1868

Glad Tidings Lighthouse

410 E. 10th St
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-2185

www.gladtidingslighthouse.org

Hope Lutheran Church

218 W. 18th St
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-1847

www.hopelutheranssc.com

CHURCHES

Light of the World Gospel Ministries

214 Main St
Walthill, NE 68067
(402) 846-5053

Living Water Evangelical Free Church

813 B St
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 412-3901

River Hills Church

Assembly of God
1101 5th Ave
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-1852
www.riverhillschurch.com

Siouxland Community Bible Church

224 E. 17th St
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 241-0744
www.siouxlandbible.org

St. Michael's Catholic Church

1405 1st Ave
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-5423
www.stmichaelssc.org

Saint Paul United Methodist Church

2003 A St
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-4138

- Foodbank distribution – second Friday of the month from 2:00-3:00
- Kids Café – free meals for children and families – Monday and Friday, 4:00-6:00pm

Tri-State Christian Church

3805 G St
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-6929

EDUCATION

Educational Service Unit #1

211 10th St, Wakefield, NE 68784

(402) 287-2061

www.esu1.org

ESU #1 provides support to area school districts. This support ranges from professional development, technology, and special education services to co-op purchasing. ESU #1 provides services to several public and private schools in northeast Nebraska.

Services including, but not limited to, speech and language pathology, occupational and physical therapy, deaf/vision education and evaluation, professional development, technology support, psychology, early childhood development, and co-op purchasing. These services are made available to schools in northeast Nebraska.

NENCAP Head Start & Early Head Start

1401 Pine, PO Box 477, Dakota City, NE 68731

(402) 494-1282

South Sioux City

2120 Dakota Ave, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(402) 494-6755

Early Head Start provides early, continuous and comprehensive child development and family support services to pregnant women, children ages 0-3 and their families.

The overall goal of Head Start is to bring about a greater degree of social competence in the young children of low-income families and support young children and their families to discover and develop their potential throughout life.

Homer Community School District – Pre-school-12th

212 3rd St, Homer, NE 68030

(402) 698-2377

www.homerknights.org

Homer Community School District provides a safe, supportive environment in which all students will develop the skills, knowledge, and integrity essential for a successful future.

St. Michaels Catholic School – Pre-school-8th

1315 First Ave, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(402) 494-1526

St. Michaels is a faith-based school that offers before and after school programs. Scholarship opportunities are available.

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South Sioux City Community School District:

The South Sioux City Community School District, in partnership with families and the community, provides a safe and supportive learning environment where each student is uniquely prepared and thrives academically, socially, and personally. Please visit our website for more information about our schools and programs: <http://www.sccardinals.org/>

Birth to 5 Early Childhood Services – (402) 412.2884 – For additional information visit: <http://www.sccardinals.org/programsservices/student-services/early-childhood-special-education>

Cardinal Elementary – K-5th

820 E 29th St, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-1662

Covington Elementary – K-5th

2116 A St, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-4238

Dakota City Elementary – K-5th

1801 Locust St, Dakota City, NE 68731
(402) 987-3363

E.N. Swett Elementary – Preschool-K

2300 C St, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-3501 or (402) 494-1727

Harney Elementary – K-5th

1001 Arbor Dr, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-1446

Lewis and Clark Elementary – K-5th

801 Second Ave, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-1917

South Sioux City Middle School – 6th-8th

3625 G St, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-3061

South Sioux City High School – 9th-12th

3301 G St, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-2433

Gateway to Learning

100 W. 29th St, Suite 110, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-0121

EDUCATION

Job Corps

PO Box 768, Norfolk NE 68702
601 S 13th Street, Norfolk NE 68701
Office: (402) 371-3815 Cell: (402) 649-5445
Email: yourfuture@jobcorpsnebraska.com

Job Corps is a federally funded job training program offered at NO COST to young people between the ages 16 to 24 (cannot have reached 25th birthday unless have a documented disability) and meet basic eligibility requirements. Job Corps is a year round open entry open exit program. Free room and board, basic medical, dental and eye care, clothing allowance, modest spending allowance, free transportation to and from centers, \$200 to \$1000 final transition payment upon completion of Job Corps.

Job Corps is for those who have earned a high school diploma or GED. It is also for those who have dropped out of school. For those students who might not be doing as well in a traditional school setting, but have not yet dropped out, Job Corps could be an option. Nebraska applicants can enroll at Pine Ridge Job Corps in Chadron NE, Denison Job Corps in Denison IA, Ottumwa Job Corps in Ottumwa IA or Excelsior Springs Job Corps in Excelsior Springs MO. A Single Parent Dorm is available at Denison Job Corps where a single parent can take up to two children with them. Personalized career training is offered in welding, facilities maintenance, office administration, pharmacy technician, clinical medical assistant, CNA, painting, bricklaying, cement masonry, carpentry, and tile setting. Advanced job training such as LPN, HVAC and Automobile Technician is also available upon completion of basic job training. 12 months of job placement assistance and support services is provided upon completion.

Northeast Community College

1001 College Way, South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 241-6400
www.northeast.edu/South-Sioux-City

Northeast Community College currently has many classes, associate degrees, and training opportunities in South Sioux City, NE. A great education, an excellent value, and friendly and caring staff are just a few of the reasons students cite for choosing Northeast Community College. Our tuition is low and our success rate is high with 98% of our graduates transferring to a four-year school or finding jobs. If you want affordable, high-quality education that will lead to a great career, start your success with Northeast Community College.

EDUCATION

St. Luke's College

2800 Pierce Street, Suite 410; Sioux City IA 51104

(712) 279-3149; 800-352-4660, Ext. 3149

<http://www.stlukescollege.edu/>

As an institution of higher education, St. Luke's College provides students with the education and real-life experiences to become competent and compassionate health care providers. Students can specialize in several areas: Bachelor of Science in Nursing; Bachelor of Science in Health Science; Associate of Science in Nursing; Associate of Science in Radiologic Technology; Associate of Science in Respiratory Care; Advanced Radiology Specialties; Certificate in Medical Laboratory Science; Certificate in Phlebotomy; and Clinical Pastoral Education.

Wayne State College

1111 Main St, Wayne, NE 68787

(866) 972-2287

www.wsc.edu

For more than 100 years, Wayne State College has been devoted to student success and regional service. We are best known for our friendly atmosphere, exceptional academic reputation, success of our graduates, and affordability. We are a comprehensive college devoted to freedom of inquiry, excellence in teaching and learning, and regional service and development.

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HEALTH CARE

Mercy Medical Center

801 5th St, Sioux City, IA 51102

(712) 279-2010

www.mercysiouxcity.com

Living the traditions, visions, and values of the Sisters of Mercy, Mercy Medical Center-Sioux City is a regional medical center that meets the needs of residents in a 33-county area of western Iowa, eastern Nebraska, and southeastern South Dakota.

NENCAP Immunization Program

2120 Dakota Ave, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(402) 494-1429

NENCAP Immunization Program provides vaccine to adults and children by following the recommended schedule from the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services and the Center for Disease Control. Immunizations are given by a licensed nurse and a physician is on call. No one is denied for inability to pay.

NENCAP Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)

2120 Dakota Ave, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(402) 494-1429

WIC provides nutrition education and special foods to women who are pregnant, breast feeding or who have recently had a baby and/or have infants and children (including foster children).

Siouxland Community Health Center

1021 Nebraska St, Sioux City, IA 51105

(712) 252-2477

(712) 202-1006 – Dental

(712) 255-4204 – Pharmacy

www.slandchc.com

3410 Futures Dr, South Sioux City, NE 68776

(402) 412-7242

Siouxland Community Health Center is a nonprofit organization dedicated to meeting the health care needs of the community and supports the philosophy of the patient-centered medical home. Services include: medical, prenatal care, dental, pharmacy, and behavioral health and social services.

HEALTH CARE

UnityPoint Health – St. Luke's

2720 Stone Park Blvd, Sioux City, IA 51104

(712) 279-3500

www.unitypoint.org/sioux-city

St. Luke's Sunnybrook Medical Plaza

5885 Sunnybrook Drive. Sioux City, Iowa 51106

(712) 266-2600

UnityPoint Health-Sioux City provides coordinated clinic, hospital, and home-based care for patients in Sioux City and the surrounding Siouxland area. Sunnybrook Medical Plaza is home to several services that UnityPoint Health - St. Luke's and UnityPoint Clinic provide in collaboration with physician partners: Urgent Care, Family and Internal Medicine, Multi-Specialty, Occupational Medicine, Foot and Ankle, Pulmonary and Cardiac Rehabilitation, Cardiology Services / Cardiovascular Associates, Infusion Services and Lab Services.

WellCare Health Plans, Inc.

10040 Regency Parkway Suite 100

Omaha, NE 68114

855-599-3811

www.wellcare.com/en/Nebraska

WellCare of Nebraska is a managed care plan that has a contract with the Department of Health and Human Services to give Medicaid members access to quality, cost-effective health care.

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PHONE NUMBERS & WEBSITES

Better Business Bureau – (402) 391-7612

City of South Sioux City Parks & Recreation – (402) 494-7535

Council on Sexual Assault & Domestic Violence – 1-800-982-7233

Dakota City, City Council – (402) 987-3448 – www.dakotacity.net

Dakota County Veterans Services – (402) 987-2120, 1601 Broadway St, Dakota City, NE 68731

Dakota County Victim Assistance Program – (402) 494-7550, Law Enforcement Center, 701 W. 29th St, South Sioux City, NE 68776

Haven House – 1-800-440-4633

Housing – (402) 494-7514 – 118 E. 21st, South Sioux City, NE 68776

Justice for Our Neighbors – (855) 3070-6730

Mary J. Treglia Community House – (712) 258-5137

Mercy Child Advocacy Center – (712) 279-2548

Mercy Medical Center – (712) 279-2010 – 801 5th St, Sioux City, IA 51102

National Suicide Prevention Hotline – 1-800-273-8255

Nebraska Department of Health & Human Services – www.accessnebraska.ne.gov – Online application for services and assistance.

Nebraska Family Helpline – 1-888-866-8660 – www.nebraskafamilyhelpline.ne.gov – Behavioral health information and assistance.

Nebraska Legal Aid – (402) 348-1069, 1-877-250-2016

Nebraska Resource & Referral System - www.nrrs.ne.gov – Information and application for respite care.

PHONE NUMBERS & WEBSITES

Nebraska Vocational Rehab – (402) 494-2265, 510 W. 13th St, Suite C, South Sioux City, NE 68776

Poison Control Center – 1-800-222-1222

Siouxland Community Health Center – Sioux City - (712) 252-2477 – 1021 Nebraska St, Sioux City, IA 51101 or **South Sioux City** - (402) 412-7242 – 3410 Futures Dr, South Sioux City, NE 68776

South Sioux City, City Council – (402) 494-7500

South Sioux City Government – (402) 494-7535

South Sioux City Police – (402) 494-7553

Unity in Action – (712) 389-0287 – Support and guidance in our Latino community.

UnityPoint Health – St. Luke's – (712) 279-3500 – 2720 Stone Park Blvd, Sioux City, IA 51104

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