

# **BROWN COUNTY**

# REENTRY RESOURCES

Updated: August 2023 **Welcome home!** This guide provides resources throughout Brown County that may be helpful for those re-entering into the community. All information gathered in this guide was found via online searches or contacts who are connected to the resources.

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### **Food Resources**

A list of food assistance contacts that can aid you throughout Brown County.

#### Paul's Pantry

"Paul's Pantry was started as a result of a need to care for hungry people in the community who are unable to purchase enough food for their family as a result of their meager or no incomes. Paul's Pantry, though, is more than just an emergency food pantry. Its goal is to provide a family with enough food every week, for as long as needed, so that they may use their food dollars for shelter, utilities, and other necessities, and avoid becoming homeless."

#### **Address and Location:**

1520 Leo Frigo Drive Green Bay, WI 54302



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (920)-433-0343
- Email: Stephanie, Director of Volunteer & Guest Services <a href="mailto:stephanie@paulspantry.org">stephanie@paulspantry.org</a>
- Website: <a href="https://www.paulspantry.org/">https://www.paulspantry.org/</a>

#### **Hours of Operation:**

- *Interview Hours:* Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 am 12:00 pm; Saturday 9:00 am 11:00 am
- Food Distribution Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 am 1:00 pm;
   Saturday 9:00 am 12:00 pm

- In order to be eligible for assistance, you must complete an interview process.
- To interview, you must provide the following:
  - Photo ID (driver's license, passport, etc.)
  - Proof of current Brown County address (lease, utility bill, etc.)
  - Proof of all household income (pay stubs, child/family support, worker's compensation, unemployment, social security, etc.)
  - Personal info for all household members (name/ID, birthdates, etc.)
- Please call, DO NOT EMAIL, with questions about eligibility.

- The pantry typically provides the following:
  - Fruits and vegetables
  - Dairy products
  - Meat
  - Baked goods
  - Non-perishables (canned food, cereal, soup, etc.)
- Toilet paper distributed when available, as well as other personal hygiene products.

#### Manna For Life Ministries - Food Pantry

"Manna For Life offers families and individuals a balanced food supplement consisting of bread, dry and canned food, frozen meat, yogurt, eggs, juice, and milk. Each food pantry guest is privately interviewed and guided through The Emergency Food Assistance Program application process. The Guests then meet one on one with a Manna For Life staff member to discover and address other unmet needs."

#### **Address and Location:**

1545 University Avenue Green Bay, WI 54302



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (920)-437-3629
- Email: None listed, but you can send an email directly from their website under the "Contact Us" section.
- Website: <a href="https://mannaforlifegb.org/">https://mannaforlifegb.org/</a>

#### **Hours of Operation:**

- Food Pantry Hours: Thursday 10:00 am 1:00 pm
- Free Hot Lunch Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday 11:00 am 1:00 pm

#### **Important Information:**

• Please contact Manna For Life to determine whether or not you are eligible for their services by calling or sending an email (available on their website).

- Manna serves over 125 people a free hot lunch each Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.
  - They are partnered with local grocery stores, such as Supervalu and Festival, in order to provide these lunches to individuals in need at no cost.
- In addition to the free meals and food pantry, Manna also has a thrift store and a ministry in which people can receive faith-based advice and attend events.
  - They also provide employment assistance and job skills to individuals in need.

#### Feeding America Eastern Wisconsin

"Feeding America Eastern Wisconsin organizes special programs to provide high-quality, healthy food to underserved populations throughout eastern Wisconsin. Special programs not only connect individuals struggling with food insecurity to adequate resources, but they also connect donors to their communities. These programs go beyond the work we do distributing through local pantries."

#### **Address and Location:**

2911 West Evergreen Drive Appleton, WI 54913



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-202-3690

• Email: None listed. Please call or check the website for more information!

• Website: <a href="https://feedingamericawi.org/">https://feedingamericawi.org/</a>

**Hours of Operation:** Monday-Thursday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm; Friday 8:00 am - 3:00 pm **Important Information:** 

- Although located in Appleton (outside Brown County), Feeding America Eastern Wisconsin still services the Green Bay/Brown County area.
- Feeding America Eastern Wisconsin offers a mobile food pantry that travels to various cities across the Eastern part of the state.
  - To see the mobile pantry calendar in order to determine when their mobile pantry will be near you, please check this website: <a href="https://feedingamericawi.org/events/category/mobile-pantry/">https://feedingamericawi.org/events/category/mobile-pantry/</a>

- In addition to the mobile pantry, they also offer a wide variety of other services, including:
  - School pantries (pop-up food pantries at schools in the area)
  - FoodShare outreach (specialists who help individuals who qualify for FoodShare apply to receive these benefits)
  - Diabetic-friendly food boxes
  - The Nurturing Collaborative (care packages/other assistance for Black, Indigenous, and People of Color and their children during and after pregnancy)

#### Oneida Nation - Emergency Food Pantry

"The Oneida Emergency Food Pantry is a unique service to the Oneida Nation. Voted by GTC in October 2016, the Pantry opened its doors in January 2017 to service Community members in need of emergency food help. We have grown tremendously over the years and have serviced close to 1,000 families. If you are in need of any assistance we are here to help."

#### **Address and Location:**

N7372 Water Circle Place Oneida, WI 54155



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: Marlon Skenandore, Manager (920)-869-6165
- Email: foodpantry@oneidanation.org
- Website:

https://oneida-nsn.gov/resources/food-pantry/?fbclid=lwAR3xH1Tb01uFJFo2aBEORr YpV7JhonCNkAcHXG9dNGs7AE58VmFIECYhsYA

Facebook Page: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/OneidaFoodPantry">https://www.facebook.com/OneidaFoodPantry</a>

**Hours of Operation:** Monday-Thursday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm **Important Information:** 

- **Please note:** in order to be eligible, the food pantry requires:
  - o A completed application, which can be found here: Pantry Application
  - o Oneida Tribal ID of at least one household member

- Proof of income
- "Please call ahead for donation drop-offs, resource/free room pickups, or questions about our services due to limited staff."
- Bread, other food items, and non-food items are available in our resource room.
   Clients are allowed in the building to sign in, check in, and access resource/free room. Staff will be prepared to assist you in any way."

#### The Salvation Army - Free Lunches and Food Pantry

"The Salvation Army of Greater Green Bay is located in Green Bay, Wisconsin, and is comprised of The Green Bay Corps Community Center, The Salvation Army Ray and Joan Kroc Corps Community Center, and a Thrift Store. Through these three locations, The Salvation Army is able to provide multiple programs that provide hope, health, and healing throughout our community."

#### **Address and Location:**

626 Union Court Green Bay, WI 54303



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (920)-593-2379 please call this number to make an appointment.
- Email: None available. Please call or check the website for more information!
- Website: <a href="https://centralusa.salvationarmv.org/greenbav/cure-hunger/">https://centralusa.salvationarmv.org/greenbav/cure-hunger/</a>

#### **Hours of Operation:**

- Free Lunch Hours: Monday-Friday 11:15 am 12:15 pm
- Food Pantry Hours (BY APPOINTMENT ONLY): <u>Monday-Friday</u> 9:00 am 3:00 pm **Important Information**:
  - The Salvation Army offers a free lunch service as well as a food pantry to individuals in need.
  - Information about free lunches:
    - Anyone in need of a hot meal is welcome.
    - Served Monday through Friday.
    - Lunch guests should arrive no earlier than 11:10 am; hours are listed above.
    - To-go meals are available.

- Information about the food pantry:
  - Individuals/families can receive groceries once every 30 days.
  - Bags include cereal, soups, pasta, sauces, peanut butter, juice, tuna, etc.
  - o Frozen foods, such as meat, are distributed when available.
- **Appointments are necessary to use the food pantry** due to COVID-19. Please <u>call</u> to make an appointment.
  - You most provide a photo ID, proof of household composition, and proof of Brown County address.

#### **New Community Meal Program**

The New Community Meal Program is a service offered at the New Community Shelter in Green Bay, WI. They are serving dinner 7 days a week, 365 days a year (including holidays). In addition, they also serve lunch on weekends and holidays.

#### **Address and Location:**

301 Mather Street Green Bay, WI 54303



#### **Contact Information:** Janet Van Dreel

- Phone: (920)-437-3766, Extension 111
- Email: <u>lanetVanDreel@newcommunitvshelter.org</u>
- Website: <a href="https://newcommunityshelter.org/Programs/Community-Meals">https://newcommunityshelter.org/Programs/Community-Meals</a>

#### **Hours of Operation:**

- **Dinner Hours:** 7 days a week 5:00 pm 6:00 pm
- Lunch Hours: Saturday-Sunday; all holidays 11:30 am 12:30 pm

- Since the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic, meals have been served to-go.
- Meals are served 7 days a week, 365 days a year (this includes all holidays).
- Anybody in need is welcome to join.
  - "The New Community Meal Program is open to any child or adult in need of a meal. All we ask is you are peaceful and sober, and if you are not, we will offer you a bag lunch and ask you to try again tomorrow."

o If you are struggling with sobriety and are in need of a meal, you will not be turned away.

### **Housing Resources**

A list of housing-related assistance contacts that can help you find a place to stay in Brown County.

#### **Brown County Homeless and Housing Coalition**

"The Mission of the Brown County Homeless and Housing Coalition is to collaborate to end homelessness and housing insecurity. We envision a community that ensures safe and stable housing for all. The Brown County Homeless and Housing Coalition serves the Brown County community. Various steps are involved in breaking the cycle of poverty. The first in this sequence is safe and stable housing. The BCHHC devotes its time and expertise to acting as a networking organization among other community help groups to make a difference. Our membership is made up of a team of community organizations that directly or indirectly serve those who are facing the many challenges of securing housing. We provide access to these agencies through monthly coalition meetings."

## **Address and Location:** *No photo is available.* P.O. Box 334, Green Bay, WI 54305 **Contact Information:**

- Phone: None listed. Please email, check the website, or send mail to the address listed above for more information!
- Email: <u>bchomelesscoalition@gmail.com</u>
- Website: <a href="https://bchhcwi.org/">https://bchhcwi.org/</a>

#### **Hours of Operation:** *None listed.*

 They hold coalition meetings on the second Wednesday of every month at Neville Public Museum (210 Museum Place, Green Bay). 8:30 am in person or via Zoom (online video call).

- The Brown County Homeless and Housing Coalition partners with organizations to provide the following: short-term housing, long-term housing, and one-time rental assistance services.
- They have short-temr housing and rental assistance services for both families and individuals without children.
- Their long-term housing options involve partnerships with organizations that provide affordable apartment complexes or assistance in becoming a homeowner.
- In addition to the above-mentioned services, they can also help veterans, youth, survivors of violence, the elderly, and individuals with disabilities.

 Please check the website above (and the individual organizations listed on this website) to determine if you are eligible to receive aid.

#### New Community Shelter of Green Bay

"The New Community Shelter is a positive place where people in need can find all the help to help themselves. In cooperation with others in our community, we give every person access to the many resources they need to overcome their hardships including education, counseling, resources, and in-house services. The life circumstances that lead to homelessness are different for every individual, but; every individual's goal here remains the same; to achieve self-sufficiency through self-empowerment."

#### Address and Location:

301 Mather Street Green Bay, WI 54303



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (920)-437-3766
- Email: None listed, but you can send a message directly through the "Contact Us" section of their website.
- Website: https://newcommunityshelter.org/

**Hours of Operation:** Emergency Shelter – Open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

 Please call or send a message for more information on the transitional housing program.

- In order to receive aid in their emergency shelter, individuals must:
  - Be sober from alcohol and other drugs
  - Pass a background check
  - Follow a nightly curfew policy
  - Save 70% of their income
  - Meet daily with a case manager
  - Make their bed each morning
  - Complete daily chores
  - Attend educational classes including substance use counseling, employment readiness, and budgeting and rental preparation.
- The emergency shelter houses 98 individuals, with 8 individuals sharing one room.

- A transitional housing program is also available.
  - Housing is on-site, with 20 single-occupancy apartments dedicated to individuals who need somewhere to stay for more than a few days.
  - 5 of the 20 apartments are specifically dedicated to military veterans.
  - The maximum amount of time an individual is allowed to stay is 2 years.
  - o Individuals are required to pay a monthly fee in order to maintain residence which allows for a housing budget to be incorporated into their income.

#### St. John's Ministries Men's Shelter

"St. John's Men's Shelter assists men who would otherwise have no place to be and possibly be on the street. Along with a bed and a warm meal, St. John's will connect each guest to resources and support to reach their goals."

#### **Address and Location:**

411 St. John Street Green Bay, WI 54301



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-436-9344

Email: info@stjohnsgreenbay.org

• Website: <a href="https://stjohnsgreenbay.org/services/mens-shelter/">https://stjohnsgreenbay.org/services/mens-shelter/</a>

#### **Hours of Operation:**

• Shelter Season: November 1 to April 30

• Check-in anytime between 5:00 pm and 9:00 pm

• **Please note:** bring a photo ID if you have one – if not, you will be required to take the steps to secure one while you are in the shelter.

#### **Important Information:**

- "We will welcome you with open arms, and walk alongside you in your journey."
- Please **note** that St. John's Shelter is a *seasonal, emergency, last-resort shelter* for adult men.
  - They strongly encourage individuals to look into other housing or shelters before they come to St. John's.
- Eligibility requirements include:
  - Ability to provide self-care (bathing, feeding, and moving about the shelter without assistance).
    - "If addiction or illness prevents you from meeting this requirement, you will be referred to another agency or appropriate medical provider for support."
  - Subjectivity to multiple background checks (a criminal record does not ban you from entering the shelter unless you are on the sex offender registry or have an open warrant).
    - Please **note:** if you do have an open warrant, the police are required to be notified by St. John's. However, you are eligible to return and receive services once this issue is resolved.
  - Security search of personal belongings upon entry to ensure the safety of all individuals.
- Once you are in the shelter, you will be required to:
  - Complete an intake with a case manager.
  - Complete a housing application for Section 8 Housing.
- St. John's can also help individuals secure housing.

#### St. John's Ministries Women's Shelter

"St. John's Women's Shelter assists women who would otherwise have no place to be and possibly be on the street. Along with a bed and a warm meal, St. John's will connect each guest to resources and support to reach their goals."

#### Address and Location:

700 East Walnut Street Green Bay, WI 54301



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-857-9587

• Email: <u>info@stjohnsgreenbay.org</u>

Website: https://stjohnsgreenbay.org/services/womens-shelter/

#### Hours of Operation: Shelter Season: November 1 to April 30

• Check-in anytime between 5:00 pm and 9:00 pm

• **Please note:** bring a photo ID if you have one – if not, you will be required to take the steps to secure one while you are in the shelter.

- St. John's Women's Shelter is also a *seasonal*, *emergency*, *last-resort shelter*. They ask that you please seek out other options for shelter, which can be found on the website above, before coming to St. John's.
  - They will be verifying that you have been turned away from these other locations before permitting you to stay with them.
- Criteria are similar to those mentioned for the men's shelter above, including:
  - Ability to provide self-care (bathing, feeding, and moving about the shelter without assistance).
    - "If addiction or illness prevents you from meeting this requirement, you will be referred to another agency or appropriate medical provider for support."
  - Subjectivity to multiple background checks (a criminal record does not ban you from entering the shelter unless you are on the sex offender registry or have an open warrant).
    - Please **note:** if you do have an open warrant, the police are required to be notified by St. John's. However, you are eligible to return and receive services once this issue is resolved.
  - Security search of personal belongings upon entry to ensure the safety of all individuals.
- Additionally, they can help individuals secure housing via the assistance of a case manager.
  - "We will provide you with all of the support and resources available to you to assist in your housing search, however, we do not have a list of available apartments. You must be the one to do the leg work – your case manager will work as hard as you."

• "St. John's Women's Shelter never turns someone away due to capacity. If you are eligible to stay at St. John's, there will be a bed available for you."

#### DarJune Foundation, Inc.

"DarJune's Mission is to build a bridge between addiction services by utilizing a recovery centered philosophy. We are here to empower those in recovery and educate the community! DarJune is leading the creation of a recovery community in Green Bay and throughout Wisconsin."

# Address and Location: Men's Sober Living House -

Dirge Sober Living House for Men 1022 South Ridge Road Green Bay, WI 54304



# Address and Location: Women's Sober Living House –

Spoehr Sober Living House for Women 1428 Traeger Street Green Bay, WI 54304



# Address and Location: DarJune Foundation, Inc. Main Office & Troy Thomas Respite Center –

1018 Shawano Avenue Green Bay, WI 54304

Please note: the DarJune Foundation official office is on the first level of the home.



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-676-9697

• Email: darjunerecoverycommunity@gmail.com

Website: <a href="https://www.darjune.org/">https://www.darjune.org/</a>

#### **Hours of Operation:**

• Typical Business Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Phones are typically answered 24/7

 Programs at the Sober Living Houses, as well as their Troy Thomas Respite Center, operate 24/7.

- DarJune Foundation, Inc. runs two sober living houses one for men, and one for women.
  - Derge Sober Living House for Men
  - Spoehr Sober Living House for Women
- They understand the importance of having somewhere safe and comfortable to live while battling addiction in order to remain sober.
- In addition, they offer an Off the Streets Sober Living Program and the Troy Thomas Respite Center.
  - o Please call or email to learn more.
- An application for housing can be found here:
   <a href="https://www.darjune.org/files/ugd/a3861f">https://www.darjune.org/files/ugd/a3861f</a> 982e7d5d54864545b1d431cd8de652ca.
   <a href="pdf">pdf</a>
  - Please ensure you are checking the correct box for the house you would prefer to live in.
  - Applications can either be printed and mailed to the main office address listed above or emailed to the email address listed above.

#### Oxford Houses for Sober Living

"Oxford House is a concept in recovery from drug and alcohol addiction. In its simplest form, an Oxford House describes a democratically run, self-supporting and drug free home. Parallel to this concept lies the organizational structure of Oxford House, Inc. This publicly supported, non-profit 501(c)3 corporation is the umbrella organization which provides the network connecting all Oxford Houses and allocates resources to duplicate the Oxford House concept where needs arise."

#### **Address and Location:**

Oxford House Patrick - For Men 1200 Pine Street Green Bay, WI 54301



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-785-9000

• Email: None listed, but you can send a message directly from the "Contact Us" section of their website.

• Website: https://oxfordhouse.org/index

**Hours of Operation:** Open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

- There are hundreds of Oxford House facilities located throughout the state of Wisconsin, but there is only one in the Green Bay area.
- Oxford House Patrick in Green Bay is a sober living facility specifically for men.
- They can house 10 occupants at a time.
  - Please note: The house is currently at capacity, but please continue checking the website or calling for availability!
- "A recovering individual can live in an Oxford House for as long as he or she does not drink alcohol, does not use drugs, and pays an equal share of the house

expenses. The average stay is about a year, but many residents stay three, four, or more years. There is no pressure on anyone in good standing to leave."

- "Any recovering alcoholic or drug addict can apply to get into any Oxford House by filling out an application and being interviewed by the existing members of the House. The application is then considered by the membership of the House and if there is a vacancy and if 80% of the members approve, the applicant is accepted and moves in. If an applicant does not get voted into one house he or she should try another house in the area. The Oxford House website contains an application and information about How to Apply to live in an Oxford House."
- If there is no vacancy, individuals can start their own Oxford House by finding a house to rent in the name of the group, and then they will be provided a charter by Oxford House, Inc. The house must be able to fit at least 6 individuals.
- For more information, please check their website!

#### Freedom House Ministries

"At our location on the east side of Green Bay, Freedom House offers emergency shelter, food, basic hygiene items, and support, and comprehensive programming to help families get back out on their own. Each family leaves with an individualized budget and the skills and knowledge they need to be on their own."

# **Address and Location:** 2997 St. Anthony Drive Green Bay, WI 54311



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-432-4646

• Email: None listed, but you can send a message directly from the "Contact Us" section of their website.

Website: <a href="https://freedomhouseministries.org/">https://freedomhouseministries.org/</a>

#### **Hours of Operation:**

- Phone lines are operated 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am 4:00 pm

#### **Important Information:**

- This resource is specifically geared towards families.
  - "Freedom House is the only homeless shelter in the Green Bay area that provides services exclusively to homeless families – serving single mothers, single fathers, and couples with children."
- Families have the opportunity to apply to the Transitional Living Program on the west side of Green Bay.
  - There, they can continue to build credit and pay off debts.
- "Freedom House Families are also offered our Aftercare Program for general support and access to the many donations Freedom House receives."
- They are a faith-based organization.

#### **ATTIC Correctional Services, Inc.**

ATTIC Correctional Services, Inc. provides individuals who are re-entering their communities after incarceration with various services, including housing, substance use treatment counseling, and case management. They have both a Residential Treatment Center option and a Trainsitional Housing Services option for individuals in need of assistance.

#### **Address and Location:**

Green Bay Transitional Housing Service (THS) 1761 Shawano Ave #1 Green Bay, WI 54307



*Marshall House - Green Bay* 2670 University Avenue Green Bay, WI 54307



#### **Contact Information:**

- Green Bay Transitional Housing Service Phone: (920)-497-5914
- Marshall House Green Bay Phone: (920)-469-2569
- Email: None listed. Please call or check the website for more information!
- Website: https://correctionalservices.org/

**Hours of Operation:** None listed. Please call for more information! **Important Information:** 

- Residential Services: "Residential Treatment Centers operate 24 hours per day with on-duty staff for our clients. Staff monitor client behaviors and whereabouts in the community and enforce program rules and accountability. Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse (AODA) counseling, facilitation of cognitive-based programming, and correctional case management are provided in an intensive setting. Clients can be granted gradual re-entry into the community based on earned privileges. All service components of our Residential Treatment Centers emphasize trauma-informed care and employ an individualized approach to each client."
  - Marshall House is a sober living facility for individuals struggling with substance use that need a place to stay while attempting to maintain sobriety. They provide substance use counseling as well as social support services on-site. Please call for more information!
- Transitional Housing Services: "Supervised Transitional Housing Services (THS) serve
  offenders living in Wisconsin and Minnesota communities and promote responsible,
  pro-social lifestyle, financial independence and responsibility, gainful employment
  and independent living skills."
- Please call or check the website for more information about how to register, whether or not it is a good fit for you, and any other questions you may have.

### **Education Resources**

This section provides resources for those residing in Brown County who wish to further their education after incarceration.

#### Literacy Green Bay

"Our Mission is to help adults and families acquire the reading, writing, math, English language, computer, and workforce skills they need to function effectively as workers and community members."

#### Address and Location:

*Literacy Green Bay* 424 South Monroe Avenue Green Bay, WI 54301



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920-435-2474

• Email: info@literacygreenbay.org

Website: <a href="https://www.literacygreenbay.org/">https://www.literacygreenbay.org/</a>

#### **Hours of Operation:**

• Monday 8:30 am - 6:00 pm

• Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

• Friday 8:30 am - 12:00 pm

- Literacy Green Bay offers educational opportunities in the following areas:
  - Adult Tutoring
    - "Learners who are interested in improving their reading, writing, math, and/or English Language skills are matched with a volunteer tutor."
  - English Language Learner Classes

- "We offer three levels of English language classes. Classes are held twice a week at Literacy Green Bay and offsite at resource centers. Childcare is available for some classes."
- Children First Family Literacy Program this program offers assistance for adults preparing to get a GED
  - "The Children First Family Literacy Program is a comprehensive, one-stop family literacy program that includes GED preparation for adults; early childhood education for children; and training for parents in how to be the primary teachers of their children and participate as full partners in their children's education. In addition, teachers supervise and support parents as they work with their children in literacy activities that will continue to foster reading skills and a love of learning at home."
- College and Career Readiness
  - "This course, formerly known as GED-Prep 1, is a partnership between Literacy Green Bay and NWTC, and is designed to help learners fully develop the academic and digital literacy skills they will need to transition into GED Prep-2 and Prep-3 coursework. Course is offered at Literacy Green Bay and students will attend an Orientation session prior to enrollment. Both individual, small and large-group instruction is provided. Trained tutors and onsite childcare are also available!"
- Workforce Development
  - "Literacy Green Bay works with local companies to develop and implement customized workplace literacy programming and English classes for employees at company sites, utilizing a curriculum that emphasizes speaking, listening, and critical thinking skills."
- They also offer a computer lab for individuals to be able to receive computer access.
- Please call or email for more information on eligibility, financial information, and any other questions you may have.

#### Northeast Wisconsin Technical College

NWTC is a technical college with several campuses around the area. Specifically, they have a campus in Green Bay that can assist individuals with preparing to take a GED, enrolling in college courses, and more. "We believe everyone has worth. We are not limited to age, gender, social status, religion. We are unified in dignity and diversity. We believe everyone – no matter where they are in their personal and professional journeys – can dream big and rise above their current places. We believe everyone can soar higher. We are working to create and maintain an inclusive culture for students, employees, and community

members."

#### Address and Location:

Northeast Wisconsin Technical College Green Bay Campus 2740 West Mason Street Green Bay, WI 54307



**Please note:** the Testing Center for the GED/other tests is located on the third floor of the building, in Room SC365. Signs will point you in the correct direction upon entering in the front. They suggest that individuals looking for the testing center park in Lot H.

#### **Contact Information:**

Phone: (920)-498-5444

• Email: Assessment Center - <u>assessment.center@nwtc.edu</u>

• Website: <a href="https://www.nwtc.edu/">https://www.nwtc.edu/</a>

**Hours of Operation:** Monday-Thursday 7:30 am - 6:00 pm; <u>Friday</u> 7:30 am - 4:00 pm **Important Information:** 

- Tests offered at the Green Bay Testing Center include:
  - GED and HSED
  - Placement testing for enrollment in college courses (Accuplacer)
  - HESI exams "Pre-program assessment for Dental Hygiene, Diagnostic
     Medical Sonography, Echocardiography, Radiography, and Physical Therapist
     Assistant"
  - Employment and certification testing
  - Make-up tests, correspondence testing and degree, and diploma certification testing
- Financial assistance is available for individuals in need. Please check the following website to learn more: <a href="https://www.nwtc.edu/admissions-and-aid/paying-for-college">https://www.nwtc.edu/admissions-and-aid/paying-for-college</a>

#### Oneida Nation Community Education Center

The Oneida Nation Community Education Center (CEC) offers education opportunities such as receiving a GED, financial responsibility courses, and tutoring. "We provide the Oneida community essential programs and services that promote lifelong learning for self-sufficiency and overall wellbeing of twahwhatsilay^ (we are all family)."

#### Address and Location:

Oneida CEC 2632 South Packerland Drive Green Bay, WI 54313



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-496-5260

• Email: <u>CEC\_STAFF@oneidanation.org</u>

• Website:

https://oneida-nsn.gov/divisions/governmental-services/community-education-cent er/

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

- The Oneida Nation CEC offers assistance with many educational opportunities and resources.
- Their website lists the following services:
  - Computer/internet use
  - Copy, print, fax, lamination
  - GED/HSED programs
  - Tutoring programs
  - Room reservations
  - Computer classes
  - Community workshops
- Pricing for printing, lamination, and fax can be found on their website. Cash only.
- Please contact the CEC for more information on whether or not you are eligible for assistance. Each program has different eligibility requirements, so be sure to check the website.

#### Casa ALBA Melanie

"Among the many needs being addressed, education is one of growing importance within the Hispanic community. Not only the continued encouragement of Hispanic youth to go on to higher education, but also the opportunities for adults to complete basic studies has been, and continues to be, an important focus. We provide adult programming in Spanish GED and pre-GED."

#### Address and Location:

Casa ALBA Melanie 314 South Madison Street Green Bay, WI 54301



#### **Contact Information:**

Phone: (920)-445-0104

Email: <u>amanda@casaalba.org</u>

• Website: <a href="https://www.casaalba.org/educationservices.html">https://www.casaalba.org/educationservices.html</a>

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

- Programs offered through Casa ALBA are aimed at Hispanic individuals whose first language is not English and wish to pursue pre-GED training or receiving a GED.
- They offer three distinct programs:
  - La Escuelita de Casa ALBA Melanie "To promote early childhood education programs among Hispanic families. Bilingual classes for 3 and 4 year olds and their parents or caregivers are also offered in Casa Alba's "La Escuelita." This year we returned to having classes in person, with COVID-19 precautions in place. This Program provides our Hispanic youth with the best possible start to their academic career while acclimating parents to the school system."
  - Spanish GED "To provide quality classes and study assistance for adult students in GED. The Spanish GED courses taught at Casa ALBA by volunteer teachers, and in cooperation with NWTC, have been a great success. Since the Covid-19 pandemic of 2020 our classes transferred from in person to online. We remained online due to the preference of our students. We are fortunate to have six G.E.D volunteer teachers that work long hours and offer tender care to our Hispanic Community, to afford students a better education and greater change of future success."

- Pre-GED "To offer basic reading comprehension and writing skills to adult students who have minimal skills in their first language enabling them to eventually learn English. The Pre-GED (Spanish literacy classes) works with adults who had little or no opportunity to learn to read or write in their own language. As they achieve literacy in their native language they are more confident and competent to learn English. Adults who are better educated, and who learn English, can also contribute even more positively to Northeast Wisconsin."
- Please call or email for more information on costs and/or financial assistance if these programs seem like the right fit for you.

#### **SELF Program - Family Services of Northeast Wisconsin**

"The SELF (Support, Education, Life Skills & Family) Program specializes in serving the complex, hard to reach, and disconnected children, adults and families who are experiencing emotional, behavioral or situational challenges. Our goal is to strengthen, empower and improve the life circumstances of each client and their family."

#### Address and Location:

Family Services of Northeast Wisconsin 644 Quincy St. Green Bay, WI 54301



#### **Contact Information:**

Phone: (920) 360-1428

• Email: <u>igrueneberg@familyservicesnew.org</u>

• Website: <a href="https://www.familyservicesnew.org/self/">https://www.familyservicesnew.org/self/</a>

#### **Hours of Operation:**

Monday, Tuesday 7:45 am - 5:30 pm

• Wednesday, Thursday 7:45 am - 7:30 pm

• Friday 7:45 am - 5:00 pm

- "The SELF program provides flexible, tailored services to meet the needs of our families. SELF can provide services in the community, school, home, or other facility depending on what is best suited for the family."
- "The SELF Program provides the following individualized, needs-based assessment and counseling services":
  - Shadowing and Mentoring
  - o Parenting, Family Support and Modeling
  - Educational Support
  - Stabilization Services and Interventions
  - Living Skills
  - Employment Skills/Job Readiness
- "The children and families referred to the SELF Program are usually considered at risk for an out-of-home placement. We serve children and adults of all ages, including adults who need skill development for basic living needs."
  - Counties currently being served via referrals from the Department of Human Services in: Brown County, Kewaunee County, Outagamie County, Shawano County, or Winnebago County.
- "To make a referral or with questions, please contact the SELF office for your area or email Jon Grueneberg."
  - Email can be found above.

### **Employment Resources**

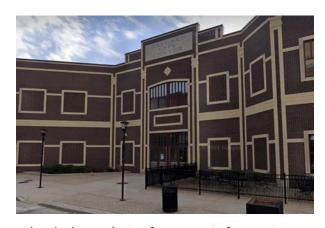
This section can aid individuals returning to Brown County in finding employment opportunities upon re-entry to their community.

#### **Brown County Job Center**

"Welcome to Job Center of Wisconsin - Industries: Your one stop home page for jobs, training, and information related to various industries. From here you can post a resume, search for jobs, find out more about Wisconsin's diverse industries, and find information on wages, trends, and other subjects. Whether you are looking for work or information, Job Center of Wisconsin - Featured Industries is the place for you."

#### Address and Location:

Brown County Job Center 301 North Adams Street #130 Green Bay, WI 54301



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-930-6570

• Email: None listed. Please call or check the website for more information!

• Website: <a href="https://jobcenterofwisconsin.com/">https://jobcenterofwisconsin.com/</a>

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

- Provide a full array of employment and training related services for workers, youth and businesses.
  - Job search resources include assistance in creating a resume, completing job applications, job searches, preparing for an interview, and workshops.
  - Computers, copy machines, and other resources to assist individuals.
  - Referrals to educational programs offered by Wisconsin universities and technical colleges.
  - Special employment services for permanently laid-off workers, displaced workers, disabled individuals, migrant workers, low-income individuals, youth, minorities, veterans and individuals over the age of 55.
  - Career planning assistance.
- The Brown County Job Center is located Downtown Green Bay in the Baylake City Center. Please call or check the website for job opportunities and more information.

#### **Forward Service Corporation**

"Forward Service Corporation is a team of dedicated, caring professionals working to help our clients reach their dreams. We do this with employment, training, support, case management, and other services that lead to a more prosperous future. We meet every client where they are and ask them to share their dreams with us. We then help them create a map to realizing them. Whether a dream is big or small, each is important to us and treated with the care and attention it deserves."

#### Address and Location:

Forward Service Corporation - Brown County 726 Pine Street Green Bay, WI 54301



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-940-6066

• Email: None listed, but you can send a message directly through the "Contact Us" section of their website.

Website: https://fsc-corp.org/

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

- Employment-based programs offered in Brown County include:
  - FoodShare Employment & Training (FSET) If you haven't heard of FSET, it's the FoodShare Employment and Training program, and it can help you find and keep a great job. Whether you call them food stamps, food share, SNAP, or QUEST card they all qualify you for the FSET program. It's free, it works, and it can help you get a job that works for you and your family. We can help you with":
    - Job Search
    - Training and Education
    - Transportation
    - Childcare
    - Career Planning
    - Volunteering
    - Referrals

- Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) "There are so many career options out there today that it gets hard to choose just one. Plus, everything changes so fast and many of today's hottest jobs didn't even exist 10 years ago. Whether you are just out of high school, have been working for a while, or been laid off from your job, WIOA can help you map a new career path. We'll work together to find your best options and get you the training and education to get started. How we can help":
  - Career Counseling
  - Financial Education
  - Job Training
  - Work Experience
  - Money for Education
- Wisconsin Works "If you're a parent in need of cash assistance or you want help finding a job, contact our offices today. Through Wisconsin Works, you may be able to get":
  - Caring Career Guidance
  - Employer Connections
  - Financial Assistance
  - Transportation
  - Volunteering
  - Social Security
- Job Access Loan (JAL) "Starting a new job and have some expenses that may end it before it begins? Have a job but your car just broke down? Then a Job Access Loan (JAL) could be just what you need. Job Access Loans (JALs) are short-term, no-interest loans up to \$1600. They are intended to help you pay for things related to getting or keeping a job. They can be used for things like":
  - Transportation Expenses
  - Work Clothes
  - Other "Under some circumstances, JALs may be used for housing or paying fines. The expense must be approved before you can receive the loan."
- Please check the bottom of the section of the Forward Services Corporation website for the program you wish to receive aid for in order to determine how to apply.

#### **Snelling Staffing of Green Bay**

"Since 1951, Snelling has helped match exceptional people with exceptional opportunities, and we continue to set the standard of excellence in our field. By combining our award-winning history with industry-leading technology, our team has what it takes to solve your most complex recruiting challenges or connect you with the job opportunity you seek quickly and efficiently."

#### **Address and Location:**

Snelling Staffing of Green Bay 1039 West Mason Street, Suite 114 Green Bay, WI 54303



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-634-8977

• Email: None listed. Please call or check their website for more information!

Website: https://greenbay.snelling.com/

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

- Snelling's services are free to anyone who is interested in using them to look for a job.
- They recommend that you begin by checking the Job Listings posted on their website to determine which jobs you'd be interested in applying for. After finding a job, complete an online application for a position.
  - If you are not registered with Snelling, they ask you to please register by providing them with some basic information about yourself. The registration can be filled out on their website.
- After application:
  - "A Snelling Green Bay HQ, WI recruiting specialist will review your application and reach out to you if your skills and experience match a current opening. Don't become discouraged if there is not an immediate match. New positions become available daily. We will keep your information and contact you when a position opens up in your area of expertise."

#### Felony Record Hub

Felony Record Hub is a completely online website that seeks out employers who are willing to hire individuals with criminal records. "Our website is the #1 resource on the internet to help former felons get employed again. Browse our jobs, find one you like, and get back to work today. Then, support those jobs with housing options, legal help, and the resources you need to successfully integrate back into society."

**Address and Location:** *None listed, since this is a fully online resource.* 

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: None listed.

- Email: None listed, but you can send a message directly from the "Contact Us" section of their website that can be found here.
- Website: <a href="https://www.felonyrecordhub.com/jobs-for-felons/">https://www.felonyrecordhub.com/jobs-for-felons/</a>

**Hours of Operation:** *None listed, since this is a fully online resource.* 

- "This website was created by a few folks who have personally watched their loved ones struggle to get a job due to having a felony. The goal of our website is, and always will be, to give people who have made mistakes a second chance."
- They provide assistance locating housing and legal services in addition to being a website in which individuals with felony records can search for employment.
  - Legal aid and education assists with things such as: expungement,
     background checks, criminal charges, criminal law basics, and criminal procedures.
  - Housing services on this website allow for individuals to find housing and reentry programs near them, as well as knowing your voting rights based on your status.

### **Healthcare Resources**

This section provides resources for both physical and mental healthcare in Brown County.

#### N.E.W. Community Clinic

"Your health and safety remain our number one priority. As your partner in your health and the health of our community, N.E.W. Community Clinic is your collaborate care partner. We provide you with access to Medical, Dental, Behavioral Health, WIC, Benefits Eligibility Assistance, and other services in northeast Wisconsin."

#### **Address and Location:**

N.E.W. Community Clinic Broadway **Physical and Behavioral Health**610 North Broadway

Green Bay, WI 54303



N.E.W. Community WIC Clinic **Dental and WIC Services** 424 South Monroe Avenue Green Bay, WI 54301



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone:
  - N.E.W. Community Clinic Broadway (920)-437-7206
  - o Dental Care/WIC (920)-431-0243
- Email:
- Website: https://www.newcc.health/

#### **Hours of Operation:**

- *N.E.W. Community Clinic Broadway (Medical)* <u>Monday-Thursday</u> 7:00 am 5:00 pm; <u>Friday</u> 8:00 am 12:00 pm.
- N.E.W. Community Clinic Broadway (Behavioral) Monday-Thursday 8:00 am 5:00 pm
- *N.E.W. East Dental Clinic* <u>Monday-Tuesday</u> 7:30 am 6:00 pm; <u>Wednesday-Thursday</u> 7:30 am 5:00 pm; <u>Friday</u> 8:00 am 12:00 pm
- WIC East Clinic Monday, Thursday 8:00 am 5:00 pm; Tuesday, Wednesday 8:00 am 6:00 pm; Friday 8:00 am 12:00 pm

- "We provide access to quality comprehensive and compassionate care. No one is turned away due to inability to pay."
- Medical/Physical Health Programs:
  - "Our Community Clinic is located downtown and targets uninsured low-income individuals and families for medical care."
  - Some walk-in appointments are available. Please call for walk-in hours.
  - Pediatric care is available at the clinic.
  - Open Monday through Thursday all day and Friday morning.
- N.E.W. Community Clinic Behavioral Health and Mental Wellness:
  - "N.E.W. Community Clinic offers comprehensive behavioral health care services for individuals 4 years of age and older, who are uninsured, underinsured, or experiencing homelessness."
  - "N.E.W. Community Clinic behavioral health care providers are trained to evaluate and treat children, adolescents, and adults who are struggling with sadness, anxiety, stress, anger, attention and concentration problems, eating disorders, mood disorders, dementia/cognitive decline due to age, grief, co-occurring substance use, and other problems."
  - Services available:
    - Ouptatient couples/family therapy
    - Outpatient psychiatric medication management
    - Outreach mental health services
    - Benefits enrollment

- N.E.W. Dental Clinic:
  - "Our dental program is staffed by licensed dentists, hygienists, and supporting staff, and equipped with modern dental technology. We provide quality care with compassion in a safe and welcoming environment."
  - Services include:
    - Emergency exams for dental pain.
    - Complete exams and digital x-rays.
    - Cleanings and preventive care.
    - Tooth removal.
    - Fillings.
    - Root canal treatment.
  - "We see patients with Medicaid, otherwise known as BadgerCare Plus or Forward Health. However, no one is turned away due to inability to pay.
     Uninsured low-income patients are billed on a sliding fee discount program pending qualifications based on federal poverty levels."
    - "BadgerCare Plus patients may have a small copay to make."
- N.E.W. WIC Clinic (all info taken from the WIC section of the N.E.W. Community Clinic website):
  - WIC is a program that helps with nutrition for:
    - Pregnant or breastfeeding women or postpartum women who had a baby in the last six months
    - Infants
    - Childre under five years old
  - How WIC does that:
    - Teaches you how to use WIC foods to improve your health
    - Helps you to buy some foods to stay healthy and strong
    - Supports breastfeeding
    - Shares tips on meal planning and recipes on a budget
    - Referrals to other health and nutrition services
  - WIC is available to women/children who:
    - Live in Wisconsin
    - Are pregnant, breastfeeding or had a baby in the last six months
    - Have an infant/children under five years old
    - Have health or nutrition need
    - Meet income guidelines
  - See the WIC website to determine if you qualify to receive aid: https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/wic/index.htm

#### **Oneida Nation Community Health Services**

"Mission: The Community Health Services Department is a responsive leader in promoting health and preventing disease through collaborative efforts in assessing, planning, implementing, and evaluating services to meet the holistic health needs of our Oneida Community."

#### **Address and Location:**

525 Airport Drive Oneida, WI 54155



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-869-2711

• Website: <a href="https://oneida-nsn.gov/community-health-services/">https://oneida-nsn.gov/community-health-services/</a>

• Email: OCHD\_general@oneidanation.org

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

• **Please note:** after hours care is available; call for more information.

- Staff includes physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, registered nurses, and ancillary health care providers.
- Appointments are available for:
  - Diagnosis
  - Treatment
  - Wellchild care
  - o Immunizations
  - Family planning
  - Minor surgical procedures
  - Preventive care
- Services are provided in the areas of:
  - o Internal Medicine
  - Family Practice
  - Podiatry (foot care)
  - Diabetes Care
  - Obstetrics (childbirth)

- Gynecology
- "Clinic appointments are required, however, patients requiring same day service for acute illness will be screened by the triage nurses and appropriately referred for care."
- Appointments to practitioners in specialized areas are by referral only.
- **Please note:** individuals who arrive *more than 5 minutes late* to their scheduled appointments may be asked to reschedule.
- Please call for more information about pricing.

#### Milo C. Huempfner Department of Veterans Affairs Outpatient Clinic

"Our outpatient clinic provides primary care and specialty health services, including mental health care, dentistry and oral surgery, treatment for kidney disease, cancer care, surgery, gastroenterology, gynecology, orthopedics, and more. Below, you'll find our address and hours, parking and transportation information, and the other health services we offer at our Milo C. Huempfner VA Outpatient Clinic in Green Bay."

#### **Address and Location:**

2851 University Avenue Green Bay, WI 54311



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: 920-431-2500

Mental health care: 414-384-2000, Extension 42098

Website: https://www.va.gov/milwaukee-health-care/register-for-care/

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

- One escort is permitted to appointments, but only one visitor is allowed at a time.
- Services offered at this location include:
  - Audiology and speech (hearing, speech, and balance)
  - COVID-19 vaccines
  - Cancer care
  - Cardiology (heart and circulation)
  - o Dental/oral surgery (mouth, teeth, gum, and oral care)
  - o Diabetic care
  - Gastroenterology (digestive care)
  - Gynecology (reproductive and maternal health, women's health)
  - Hematology/oncology (blood disorders and mental oncology)
  - Laboratory and pathology (blood draw and clinical testing)
  - Weight management
  - Mental health care (behavioral health)
  - Neprhology (kidney and renal care)
  - Ophthalmology (eye and vision care)
  - Optopmetry (vision care, corrective lenses and eyeglasses)
  - Orthopedics (bones, muscles, and joints)
  - Outpatient surgery (ambulatory surgery, day surgery, same-day surgery)
  - Patient advocates
  - Podiatry (foot, ankle, lower extremities)
  - Primary care (family and internal medicine)
  - Pulmonary medicine (lungs and breathing)
  - Radiology (imaging)
  - Telehealth (video visits, remote care, care by telephone)
  - Urology (male and female urinary tract and male reproductive system)
- A pharmacy is also available on-site if medications are needed.
- Please call to schedule appointments, find out more information about pricing, and learn what is needed to become a patient at the Huempfner VA Clinic.
  - Veterans can register for care here:
     <a href="https://www.va.gov/milwaukee-health-care/register-for-care/">https://www.va.gov/milwaukee-health-care/register-for-care/</a>

# MICAH Center - St. John's Ministries

"The Micah Center is a daytime resource center for adult men and women currently experiencing homelessness or at-risk for homelessness in the Green Bay community. The Micah Center combines a compassionate drop-in feel with rigorous programming to ensure that each guest is supported in their journey towards self-sufficiency."

#### Address and Location:

*Micah Center* 612 Stuart Street Green Bay, WI 54301



## **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-617-8700

Email: <u>info@stjohnsgreenbay.org</u>

Website: https://stjohnsgreenbay.org/services/micah-center/

Hours of Operation: Monday, Wednesday-Friday 8:00 am - 3:30 pm

- Outreach Healthcare has an exam room on-site at the Micah Center for medical care every Wednesday from 8:30 am 11:00 am.
  - "A general physician, nurse practitioner and two medical case managers provide preventative screenings, general checkups, medical treatment, disability applications, referrals for dental and vision care, and other support services at no charge."
- In addition, St. John's Ministries provides a mental health therapist/alcohol and other drug use counselor by appointment only.
  - Contact a case manager at the Micah Center/St. John's Ministries for more information.
- The Micah Center is the main administrative office of St. John's Ministries.
   Individuals who would like more information on other services they provide can contact the staff at the Micah Center.

# Crisis Center - Family Services of Northeast Wisconsin

"Our Crisis Center is here to assist you 24 hours a day, 7 days a week in any stressful crisis situation. Our counselors are fully trained in crisis intervention, and are here to listen and help you find a solution for your immediate needs, as well as help you cope with stress in the future."

#### Address and Location:

Crisis Center of Family Services 3150 Gershwin Drive Green Bay, WI 54311



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-436-8888

• Email: None listed. Please call or check their website for more information!

• Website: <a href="https://www.familyservicesnew.org/crisis-center/">https://www.familyservicesnew.org/crisis-center/</a>

**Hours of Operation:** Open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

- The phone number listed above provides round-the-clock crisis support, so feel free to call anytime you need assistance.
- "If needed, we will connect you to outside parties who can help support you during this time. We will also follow up with you later on to ensure the situation has continued to improve and suggest adjustments to your crisis intervention plan as necessary."
- There is no eligibility criteria to receive aid from the Crisis Center.
  - They do not refuse people based on age, socioeconomic status, or insurance coverage.
  - Services may vary based on location, so be sure to check their website to find the location nearest to you in order to find out what is offered.
- "The physical location of our Crisis Center in Green Bay, WI provides crisis
  intervention to anyone in need who resides within Brown County. No appointment
  or referral is needed. Cases are prioritized by need we encourage you to call if
  you are concerned about the wait time."
- All services are provided free of charge.

# Bellin Health Psychiatric Center and Hospital - Ashwaubenon and Green Bay

"Mental and emotional health issues are incredibly common and yet too often we suffer in silence thinking nobody else is affected and no one could possibly understand. At Bellin Psychiatric Center it's our job to understand to meet you where you are and provide the kind of expert compassionate care that will help you on your road to recovery."

#### **Address and Location:**

Bellin Health Psychiatric Center – Ashwaubenon 1630 Commanche Avenue, Suite 201 Green Bay, WI 54313

Bellin Health Psychiatric Hospital – Green Bay 301 East Saint Joseph Street Green Bay, WI 54301

#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone:
  - o Bellin Health Psychiatric Center (Ashwaubenon) (920)-430-4700
  - o Bellin Health Psychiatric Hospital (Green Bay) (920)-433-3630

# **Hours of Operation:**

- Bellin Health Psychiatric Center (Ashwaubenon) Monday-Thursday 7:00 am 6:00 pm;
   Friday 7:00 am 5:00 pm
- Bellin Health Psychiatric Hospital (Green Bay) Monday-Friday 8:00 am 5:00 pm

- At Bellin Health Psychiatric Center Ashwaubenon, they offer:
  - Individual therapy; couples' therapy
  - Child/adolescent therapy
  - Family therapy
- At Bellin Psychiatric Hospital Green Bay, they offer:
  - Inpatient and outpatient services
  - "At Bellin Psychiatric Center it's our job to understand to meet you where you are and provide the kind of expert compassionate care that will help you on your road to recovery."
  - "Emergency and inpatient psychiatric services are offered 24 hours a day."
  - "After admission, Bellin's expert team develops and implements an individualized treatment plan that helps patients cope with their crisis and cultivate strategies for improving overall mental and emotional health."

# Resources for Substance Use Disorders

These resources can help individuals struggling with Substance Use Disorders who are returning to Brown County.

## Jackie Nitschke Treatment Center

"We believe that addiction is a complex medical disease and finding the right treatment is the first step towards disease management. Our evidence-based treatment is personalized to meet each client's needs and goals through a variety of therapeutic approaches in a respectful and compassionate manner in our home-like atmosphere. Since no two people are alike, no two treatment experiences are alike."

#### Address and Location:

Jackie Nitschke Center 630 Cherry Street Green Bay, WI 54301



## **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-435-2093

• Email: <u>admissions@jackienitschkecenter.com</u>

• Website: <a href="https://jackienitschkecenter.org/">https://jackienitschkecenter.org/</a>

**Hours of Operation:** Monday-Thursday 7:00 am - 6:00 pm; <u>Friday</u> 7:00 am - 4:30 pm **Important Information:** 

- Residential Treatment:
  - "Our 28-day medically monitored residential treatment program offers our highest level of rehabilitation service for clients diagnosed with alcohol and/or drug addiction. Clients participate in counseling and behavioral therapies to address trauma, overcome denial, shame, and guilt associated with addiction, rebuild their sense of self, learn healthy coping strategies, and improve interpersonal and family relationships."

## • Intensive Outpatient:

 "An intensive treatment option that provides the ability to maintain home/work/school responsibilities offering similar counseling and behavioral therapies as our residential program. Therapy sessions are held 3 times per week. Option to choose a daytime or evening program."

## • Outpatient/Aftercare Program:

 "An ongoing relapse prevention program for those who have completed an Intensive Outpatient Program. Therapy sessions are held weekly to assist with the transition into long-term recovery."

## • Individual Therapy Sessions:

"An individualized therapeutic connection using evidence-based approaches
to assist each client with guidance through the stages of change and into
maintaining long-term recovery. Provided 1-2 times weekly for individuals in
residential treatment. Provided upon recommendation or request for
intensive outpatient or outpatient/aftercare program."

## Couples/Family Sessions:

 "These therapeutic sessions are individualized for each client and family with a specific focus on honest and direct communication and rebuilding trust.
 Available upon request or recommended as needed."

# • Family Education and Recovery Program:

- "Designed to educate family members, friends, and loved ones on the disease of addiction to help them heal from the impact of alcohol or drug addiction. The Jackie Nitschke Center Family Education & Recovery Program provides guidance on coping through chaos, setting healthy boundaries, improving communication, and rebuilding trusting relationships."
- Financial assistance is available to those who need it.
  - Treatment levels that are available for assistance include:
    - 28-day Residential Treatment
    - 5-7 week Intensive Outpatient
    - 16-week Outpatient
    - Alumni Meetings
  - You can <u>download a financial assistance application here</u>, as well as contact <u>scholarship@jackienitschkecenter.com</u> or call (920)-435-2093 for more information about financial assistance.
- Please call or check their website for more general information about services.

# Green Bay Comprehensive Treatment Center for Opioid Use Disorder

"Green Bay Comprehensive Treatment Center (CTC), located in Green Bay, Wisconsin, offers medication-assisted treatment (MAT) for adults age 18 and older of all genders who are struggling with opioid use disorder. MAT uses both prescription medication and counseling to help people achieve successful, lasting recovery from opioid addiction. Research has shown that MAT is a scientifically viable way to end opioid use that allows patients to avoid the painful withdrawal symptoms and severe cravings that would otherwise occur."

#### Address and Location:

Green Bay Comprehensive Treatment Center 2357 West Mason Street Green Bay, WI 54303

## **Contact Information:**

Phone: (844) 210-6698

• Email: None listed. Please call or check the website for more information:

• Website: https://www.ctcprograms.com/location/green-bav-comprehensive-treatment-center/

## **Hours of Operation:**

• Business Hours: Monday-Friday 5:00 am - 1:30 pm

• *Medicating Hours:* Monday-Friday 5:00 am - 11:00 am; Saturday 5:00 am - 10:00 am; Sunday 7:00 am - 9:00 am

- Services this treatment center offers:
  - Methadone Maintenance: "Methadone is an extremely effective medication that has been used for decades to help men and women successfully overcome their dependence on prescription painkillers, heroin, and other opioids. When used as directed under the supervision of a qualified professional, methadone can alleviate the intense cravings and other painful physical and psychological symptoms that are typically associated with opioid withdrawal."
  - Suboxone Maintenance: "One of the most successful types of interventions known for treating opioid addiction is medication assisted treatment. This form of care includes the use of certain medications that were devised to help make the recovery process more manageable. Suboxone is one such type of prescription medication. Comprised of naloxone and buprenorphine, Suboxone is a partial opioid agonist that works on the same brain receptors

- that are triggered by the consumption of opioids. However, Suboxone does not elicit the same effects that arise when opioid substances are abused."
- Buprenorphine Maintenance: "This medication is administered as a dissolvable tablet that is placed under the tongue and rapidly absorbed into the blood stream. By taking Buprenorphine, individuals are able to stop using opioids without suffering from the negative effects that the cessation of use elicits when Buprenorphine is not taken. As a result, individuals have the clarity of mind to focus on other aspects of their recovery."
- Vivitrol Maintenance: "Consisting of naltrexone, Vivitrol is a non-narcotic, non-addictive prescription medication that can be used to treat addictions to heroin and prescription painkillers. This invaluable medication is considered an opioid antagonist and is typically administered one time each month via injection. When taken under the supervision of a trained medical professional within a licensed treatment center, Vivitrol is capable of helping men and women alike make great strides towards achieving their recovery goals."
- Counseling: "In addition to medication-assisted treatment (MAT),
   Comprehensive Treatment Centers also provide patients with the opportunity to take part in therapeutic interventions that assist them in their treatment for opioid addiction."
- Please check the following link or call for information regarding cost of treatment at the Comprehensive Treatment Center:

# https://www.ctcprograms.com/about/insurance-payment/

"The highly personalized nature at CTCs is one of the reasons why the cost of treatment can vary from patient to patient. When a prospective patient is completing the admissions process, he or she will meet with an intake advisor who will discuss the final cost of all services, and will work with the individual to determine how and when payment will be made."

#### "BLURB"

#### Address and Location:

2960 Allied Street, Suite 101 Green Bay, WI 54304



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (920)-351-1675
- Email: None listed, but they have a live chat feature on their website.
- Website: <a href="https://www.cleanslatecenters.com/green-bav-wisconsin">https://www.cleanslatecenters.com/green-bav-wisconsin</a>

# **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 9:00 am 5:00 pm
- <u>Wednesday</u> 9:00 am 8:00 pm
- Friday 9:00 am 2:00 pm

## **Important Information:**

- "If you or a lived one are suffering from drug addiction or alcohol addiction, call or chat with us to schedule an appointment with our outpatient Green Bay, WI addiction treatment center today."
- In addition to in-person appointments, they also offer telehealth appointments for individuals who cannot make it to the clinic or would prefer an online approach.
- "Our opioid and alcohol addiction treatment programs include the use of buprenorphine (such as Suboxone) or naltrexone (Vivitrol) as part of an individualized treatment plan led by our trained medical staff."
- "Our patients are treated with dignity, compassion, and respect."
- Payment methods accepted include Medicaid, Medicare, Health Savings Account,
   Flexible Spending Account, Private Insurance, and Self-pay.
  - "We believe that everyone deserves access to high-quality addiction treatment, regardless of their financial situation."
  - "If you do not have insurance or if your insurance does not cover the full cost of addiction treatment, we offer flexible payment options. Our team will work with you to find a payment plan that fits your budget and allows you to receive the care you need."

The 218 Club - Green Bay Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)

"Meetings provide an opportunity for individuals to connect with others in a confidential, anonymous setting for sharing of a common experience. If meetings are listed as closed, then only people with a desire to stop drinking may attend. If the meeting is listed as open, then anyone may attend. Brown County is part of Area 74, District 1. Use the Alcoholics Anonymous website to find local meetings. Click on A.A. Near You or zip code options on the left side of the page."

**Address and Location:** None listed, as meeting locations vary. Please check the website for a meeting time and location that works best for you.

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-432-2600

Email: <u>dcmdistrict01@greenbayaa.org</u>
Website: <u>https://www.greenbayaa.org/</u>

**Hours of Operation:** None listed, as meeting times vary. Please check the website for a meeting time and location that works best for you.

- No fees, documents, or eligibility requirements. Individuals who wish to achieve sobriety or discuss their alcohol use disorder are encouraged to attend.
- Call or use the website for more information on meeting times and locations.
  - A schedule of all AA meetings can be found here: https://www.greenbayaa.org/meetings/
- What to expect at an AA meeting:
  - Meeting types:
    - Open meeting: available to anyone interested in AA's recovery program; nonalcoholics may attend as observers.
    - Closed meetings: for AA members only, or for those who have an alcohol use disorder and have a desire to stop drinking.
  - The Green Bay AA provides a bit more information about what to expect when you attend a meeting: "The chair usually opens the meeting with the A.A. Preamble and a few remarks. Some call for a moment of silence and/or recite the Serenity Prayer. The chair will often ask if there are any people new to A.A. attending the meeting who would like to introduce themselves. It isn't mandatory to identify yourself but it might be helpful if you are attending your first meeting. Many meetings begin with a reading from the Big Book frequently a portion of Chapter 5 ("How It Works") or Chapter 3 ("More About Alcoholism"). A statement about anonymity in A.A. as a valuable privacy principle for new and longtime members might be read. Many meetings

close with members joining in a moment of silence followed by a prayer, or perhaps by reciting the Responsibility Statement or other A.A. text."

■ After the meeting, people gather and talk. "Some introduce themselves to you and offer their help or share their experiences getting sober. While many members find this time after the meeting valuable, it is up to you if you want to stay and socialize."

# North East Wisconsin Area of Narcotics Anonymous (NA)

"Narcotics Anonymous is a nonprofit fellowship or society of men and women for whom drugs had become a major problem. We are recovering addicts who meet regularly to help each other stay clean. This is a program of complete abstinence from all drugs."

**Address and Location:** None listed, as meeting locations vary. Please check the website for a meeting time and location that works best for you.

## **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (866)-590-2648

• Email: None listed. Please call, check the website, or show up to a meeting for more information.

• Website: <a href="https://newna.org/">https://newna.org/</a>

**Hours of Operation:** None listed, as meeting locations vary. Please check the website for a meeting time and location that works best for you.

- "There is only one requirement for membership, the desire to stop using."
- "There are no strings attached to NA. We are not affiliated with any other
  organizations. We have no initiation fees or dues, no pledges to sign, no promises to
  make to anyone. We are not connected with any political, religious, or law
  enforcement groups, and are under no surveillance at any time. Anyone may join us
  regardless of age, race, sexual identity, creed, religion, or lack of religion."
- "We are not interested in what or how much you used or who your connections were, what you have done in the past, how much or how little you have, but only in what you want to do about your problem and how we can help. The newcomer is the most important person at any meeting, because we can only keep what we have by giving it away. We have learned from our group experience that those who keep coming to our meetings regularly stay clean."
- A list of meeting locations and times can be found here: https://newna.org/meetings/

 Please note: due to the COVID-19 pandemic, North East Wisconsin NA is hosting a few of their NA meetings virtually, over Zoom.

# The Bridge of Green Bay

"The Bridge is a non-profit 501c (3) organization which provides a safe and comfortable meeting place for all recognized twelve step programs. The Bridge hosts a variety of weekly meetings in English as well as Spanish."

## **Address and Location:**

The Bridge of Green Bay 2514 Jenny Lane Green Bay, WI 54302

**Please note:** Check the schedule below for the room number associated with the meeting you'd like to attend.



## **Contact Information:**

Phone: (920)-465-6878Email: <a href="mailto:the.bridge@att.net">the.bridge@att.net</a>

• Website: <a href="https://thebridgeofgb.com/">https://thebridgeofgb.com/</a>

**Hours of Operation:** None listed, as meeting times vary. Please check the schedule below or call to find out the time for a meeting you'd prefer to attend.

- There is no cost to attend a meeting, as well as no need to make an appointment. In addition, the only requirement is a desire to end the behavior that is causing you to seek help.
- A schedule of meetings behind held can be found here: https://thebridgeofgb.com/schedule/
- Meetings commonly being held at The Bridge:

- Alcoholics Anonymous: "The original 12 step program which helps the alcoholic stay sober and help other alcoholics achieve sobriety."
- Obsessive Compulsive Anonymous: "A program created for people who feel driven to act on their compulsions."
- Adult Children of Alcoholics: "Individuals in recovery which include adult children of alcoholics, co-dependents and other various addicts. Many members grew up in dysfunctional homes and exhibit past abuse or neglect."
- Gamblers Anonymous: "A recovery program created for anyone who has lost control of their gambling."
- Al-Anon: "A recovery program designed for the friends and family of alcoholics."
- Food Addicts Anonymous: "A 12 step program which follows abstinence from addictive foods with a plan of sound nutrition."
- 4&5 Step, All Addictions: "Spanish speaking meetings which help in recovery from alcoholism, drug addiction, gambling, and other emotional disorders."

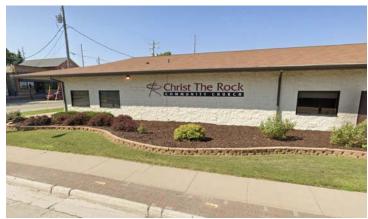
Social support is a very important part of re-entry, and these Brown County resources can be utilized in order to give individuals a sense of support and belonging.

# Straight Street for Ex-Offenders - J.D. Kennedy Ministries

"JDK Ministry is a non-denominational Christian ministry focused on equipping and training churches and individuals to help meet the needs of those who are dealing with issues related to prison and re-entry."

#### Address and Location:

Christ the Rock Community Church 556 Main Avenue De Pere, WI 54115



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: Peter Galowski (920)-713-8900
- Email: <a href="mailto:changedheartministries@yahoo.com">changedheartministries@yahoo.com</a>
- Website: http://jdkm.org/pages/support-groups.php

**Hours of Operation:** Straight Street support group meets *every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month* from 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm.

- "A support group for ex-offenders and their mentors."
- Two meetings per month (see "Hours of Operation" above).
- **Please note:** The meeting is sometimes held in Green Bay, so please call to find out where meetings will take place for any given month.
- This is a faith-based support group for individuals who are re-entering after incarceration, discussing what needs to be done to help an individual re-entering successfully integrate back into their community.

"My Brother's Keeper is a male mentoring program dedicated to providing Straight Talk~ Sound Direction mentoring services to assist boys and men who are dealing with the hardships of life by helping them live with Integrity, Respect and Standards (IRS Code). We are committed to providing our clients with the knowledge and skills to make positive decisions and changes in their lives. All persons are welcome regardless of race, creed, color, or ethnic background."

## Address and Location:

My Brother's Keeper, Inc. 1463 Main Street Green Bay, WI 54302



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-884-1150

• Email: <u>mybrotherskeeperinc@gmail.com</u>

• Website: <a href="https://mybrotherskeeperinc.net/">https://mybrotherskeeperinc.net/</a>

**Hours of Operation:** Monday-Tuesday, Friday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm; Wednesday-Thursday

10:00 am - 8:00 pm

- Services offered include:
  - One-on-one mentoring
  - Group forum sessions
  - Motivational speeches by Harry Sydney, former NFL player and coach.
- They provide mentorship to individuals considered "at-risk" for performing negative behaviors. If you believe you could benefit from having a mentor to steer you in a more positive direction, or you desire somebody to grow close to and share your story with, please contact My Brother's Keeper for more information.
- Pricing information is unclear. Please use the contact information above to reach out with questions about costs, and with any other questions you may have.

"The Gathering Place is part of a movement in Wisconsin that approaches treatment of mental illness and addictions in a nontraditional way. The Gathering Place is one of ten Peer Run Centers in the State. It is through the sharing of life stories that members begin their journey toward recovery. Recovery from mental illness is not only possible, it is real! Recovery is a process. It is often defined as "moving towards wellness." There is always hope."

## Address and Location:

The Gathering Place 1001 Cherry Street Green Bay, WI 54301



#### **Contact Information:**

Phone: (920)-430-9187

• Email: info@thegatheringplaceinc.org

Website: https://www.thegatheringplaceinc.org/

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; Saturday 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

• **Note:** These are the hours of operation for the entire organization. Specific meeting times based on meetings you'd like to attend may vary. *Please call or email for more information*.

- The Gathering Place offers various programs for individuals struggling with their mental health (a full list can be found on their website):
  - SMART Recovery Group "Self-Management and Recovery Training (SMART)
    helps individuals gain independence from addictive problems (involving
    substances or activities). Our approach incorporates tools based on
    evidence-based addiction treatments, including Cognitive Behavioral Therapy
    and Motivational Interviewing".
  - Recovery 101 "It's Sunday afternoon, what are you going to do? If you are looking for a safe, substance free zone where you can get or offer support, then this group may be just what you are looking for. We learn about recovery and share from our experiences in a positive environment."

- Beyond Your Diagnosis "Living with a mental health condition can be very difficult. There can be many emotions and stigma tied to it. Our brain is an organ, so we live with the symptoms of a PHYSICAL health condition. We are NOT our diagnosis. There is hope and life beyond our diagnosis. Participants will discuss moving forward in thier lives."
- You've Got This "Explores the 8 dimensions of wellness that affect our quality of life. This group's goal is to obtain balance in our daily lives by identifying where we currently are in each dimension. We identify our strengths and work to understand how those strengths can get us through our difficult times and we strive to create satisfying outcomes."
- Healing Through Literature "Learn about how literature can help you heal. Read and write short stories and poetry."
- Veterans In Recovery "Supportive educational group for Veterans regarding substance use and behavioral health issues."
- Mental Health And Life Skills "Taught by Jen, a Curative Connections Home and Community member. This interactive, informative, and fun class focuses on topics based on what the class is interested in learning that day. These topics relate to the world when dealing with mental health disorders and/or addiction recovery. They range from learning about actual disorders, coping skills, and skills used in daily living."
- **Please note:** if any of these groups interest you, or if you are interested in any of the other groups listed on their website, please call them to reserve your seat and get more information about dates/times.

Wise Women Gathering Place

"Wise Women Gathering Place is committed to peace, respect, and belonging through skill building, sharing of resources and caring support for our community. We work to accomplish our mission with unique, responsive programming for community restoration, growth through skill-building, individual and confidential supportive advocacy, and by courageously going deep within to find change, healing the whole self, and coming together of community."

#### Address and Location:

Location 1: *Healing and Advocacy* 2615 Packerland Drive, Suite E Green Bay, WI 54313

Location 2: *Community Outreach* & *Admission* 1641 Commanche Avenue, Suite H Green Bay, WI 54313



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-490-0627

• Email: info@wisewomengp.org

Website: https://www.wisewomengp.org/

Hours of Operation: Monday-Thursday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

- "Wise Women Gathering Place is an independent non-profit organization that provides Native American culturally-specific services to any person harmed by violence. We serve: women, men, gender neutral individuals, youth, adults, and elders."
- They offer advocacy, healing, prevention, and support with the following:
  - o Domestic violence
  - Sexual assault
  - Dating violence
  - Stalking
  - Sex trafficking
  - Victimization
  - Historical trauma
  - Healthy relationships

- "We work to displace violence by planting seeds of discernment with training and workshops for community members and professionals."
- Programs include:
  - Transitional Living Program
  - White Bison Healing Programs "White Bison Programs provide culturally based healing from unresolved grief and incomplete relationships created by historical and intergenerational trauma."
  - Women's Group "Wise Women Gathering Place offers a weekly support group for women. Come and join us for a hot cup of tea and share concerns about everyday life happenings. We also do pot lucks, aromatherapy, life skill activities, craft nights, and invite speakers."
  - Men's Group "The focus of the Men's Group is helping each other on a
    journey to wellness and being productive male members of our community."
  - Sexual Assault Survivors' Group "If you have been harmed by sexual
    assault or sexual abuse in your lifetime, this gropu may be the safe space you
    need to work on healing from the trauma."
- If you need or want safe place parking in which your vehicle won't be visible outside either building, please call (920)-883-7202

# Sherman Counseling - Green Bay Office

"Sherman Counseling in Green Bay, WI offers client-focused therapy and evidence-based counseling. We match each client with the best counselor, therapist or psychiatrist for his or her unique needs. You will receive a personalized counseling plan customized to fit your situation and lifestyle. Overcome anxiety, depression, grief, relationship struggles, family conflicts and more with the guidance of a licensed counselor or therapist."

#### Address and Location:

Sherman Counseling 2270 Holmgren Way Green Bay, WI 54304



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-733-2065

• Email: None listed. Please call or check the website for more information!

• Website: <a href="https://www.sherman-counseling.com/">https://www.sherman-counseling.com/</a>

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

- "Our Green Bay counseling center features specialists in many areas of mental health, including":
  - Depression and anxiety counseling
  - Individual, couples, and family counseling
  - Marriage counseling and divorce prevention
  - Life transition counseling
  - Child and teen counseling
  - Trauma and grief counseling
  - o Anger management issues in children, teens, and adults
  - ADHD treatment for children and adults
  - Psychological testing
  - Psychiatric services and medication management
  - Faith-based counseling
  - o Parenting and co-parenting counseling
  - Social skills development
- There are many more services available. Please check their website for more information.
- Each provider sets their own appointment schedules, so please call to make an appointment.
  - Additional appointment times not listed under "Hours of Operation" may be available depending on the provider.
- For new patients: "Please arrive 15 minutes before your appointment time to complete necessary paperwork. Please bring a list of all your medications and doses as well as proof of insurance. Self-pay rates are available with full payment due at the time of service. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call and ask."
  - They accept Medicare, Medicaid, and other forms of insurance.
  - For those who are uninsured, Sherman Counseling offers the opportunity to work out a payment plan with you. Please call and speak with staff for more information.

# **Green Bay Vet Center**

"We offer confidential help for Veterans, service members, and their families at no cost in a non-medical setting. Our services include counseling for needs such as depression, posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD), and the psychological effects of military sexual trauma (MST). We can also connect you with more support in VA and your community."

#### Address and Location:

*Green Bay Vet Center* 1600 South Ashland Avenue Green Bay, WI 54304



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-435-5650

• Email: None listed. Please call or check the website for more information!

Website: https://www.va.gov/green-bay-vet-center/

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

 "We also have non-traditional hours that change periodically given our community's needs. Please call us to find out more."

- If it is your first time visiting the Vet Center, stop by during office hours or call to discuss appointments.
  - "Many of our services are available on a walk-in basis. Please call to schedule an appointment with one of our counselors."
- "You don't need to be registered for care at VA, rated for a service-connected disability, or receiving any other form of VA benefits. On your first visit, we'll check for one or more of the following: discharge documents, receipt of certain awards, deployment orders, and/or other documents that show qualifying military service."
  - If you don't have these documents on hand, come in and we can work with you to establish your eligibility and answer any questions you might have."

- Services that the Vet Center offers:
  - Couples and family counseling
  - Grief and bereavement counseling
  - Mental health care (PTSD, depression, grief, anger, trauma, etc.)
  - Military sexual trauma care
  - o PTSD care
  - Returning service member care transition counseling
  - Addiction and substance use care
  - Suicide prevention
  - Veteran connections

# Crossing the Bridges

"Sometimes the bridges we use to get to a better place may not seem to be the sturdiest or safest, but we desire to cross to be safer, happier, more secure. Though we may not take much, we can identify what is necessary for the crossing and figure out how to find the provisions once we get there. Lois would be happy to assist you on that part of your journey. We meet you where you are at and provide you with a safe, compassionate place to address your concerns. We provide you the tools and resources to be able to help yourself."

### **Address and Location:**

Crossing the Briddges 840 Challenger Drive, Suite 130 Green Bay, WI 54311



## **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-712-4526

• Email: <a href="mailto:loisctb@gmail.com">loisctb@gmail.com</a>

• Website: <a href="https://www.crossingthebridges.com/">https://www.crossingthebridges.com/</a>

**Hours of Operation:** *None listed. Please call or email for more information!* 

- Individual, couple, and family counseling in the following areas:
  - Anxiety and Stress "Learn strategies (time management, conflict resolution skills, setting healthy boundaries, breaking things down into manageable tasks, to mane a few) to make your life more manageable and/or peaceful, so that in the long run your stress or anxiety doesn't lead to more complications in your life."
  - Abuse (Physical, Sexual, Emotional, or Mental) "Whether it's in your past or present it can be significantly incapacitating. Learn how to work through it, not just to survive but to thrive."
  - Relationship Struggles "Marriage, couples, siblings, extended family, friends, colleagues, etc. Learn tools and strategies to help you effectively communicate your needs and wishes appropriately. Learn how, and that it is okay to set healthy boundaries in your relationships."
  - Parenting "Traditional, single, blended/step, foster, and adoptive to name some."
  - Anger Management "Learn strategies to address the quick response we find ourselves in when we get angry, which often leads to abuse. Learn ways to communicate needs and frustrations in more appropriate ways."
  - Families Who Have a Loved One Incarcerated "Lois brings 27+ years' experience with the prison/jail system working with offenders ont he inside as well as assisting the family and ex-offender adjust and re-acclimate upon release."
- **Please note:** more are available on their website, as well as classes for individuals working with or living with youth.
- Contact Lois via email or phone for more information to determine if this organization is right for you.

# Other/Miscellaneous Resources

These resources do not fit into one specific category and could be used to help individuals in Brown County after incarceration in a variety of ways.

## We All Rise: African American Resource Center

"The vision of We All Rise is to create and help restore a vibrant African American community. Through uplifting, skill building, and intentionally targeting root causes of systemic oppression, we actively promote the healing of all. The mission of We All Rise calls for the collective liberation of African Americans navigating at the margins of society."

#### Address and Location:

We All Rise AARC 430 South Webster Avenue Green Bay, WI 54305

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (920)-785-9115

• Email: <u>weallriseaarc@gmail.com</u>

• Website: <a href="https://www.weallriseaarc.org/">https://www.weallriseaarc.org/</a>

## **Hours of Operation:**

- Public hours: <u>Monday-Wednesday, Friday</u> 9:00 am 5:00 pm; <u>Thursday</u> 1:00 pm -8:00 pm
- New client intake hours: Monday 10:00 am 4:00 pm; Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday
   9:00 am 4:00 pm; Thursday
   5:00 pm 8:00 pm

- Support in the following areas:
  - Victim health services
  - Mental health services
  - Skill building and mentorship
  - Education services
  - Transportation
  - Family support
  - Community connectedness
  - Emotional health
  - Legal assistance

• They also offer individualized therapy, group sessions, crisis services, assistance finding housing and employment, and more. Please check the website for more information.

# Family and Childcare Resources of Northeast Wisconsin

"Our agency is a nonprofit that provides education, support, information referrals, and evidence-based home visitation programs and early childhood consultation throughout Northeast Wisconsin. We provide services for two primary segments: parents/guardians and professional childcare providers."

#### **Address and Location:**

Family & Childcare Resources of N.E.W. 201 West Walnut Street, Suite 100 Green Bay, WI 54303



#### **Contact Information:**

Phone: (920)-432-8899Email: fcrnew@fcrnew.org

Website: <a href="https://www.fcrnew.org/">https://www.fcrnew.org/</a>

**Hours of Operation:** Monday-Thursday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm; <u>Friday</u> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm **Important Information:** 

- Services provided (directly from their website):
  - Child care referrals for regulated care
  - Home visitation: parent educators work with one-on-one support in the home
  - Parenting support program: helps build confidence in your parenting skills and provides helpful strategies
  - Resource room: die cuts, laminator, early childhood lending library
  - Continuing education: workshops and trainings for providers and professionals
  - YoungStar: child care quality rating and improvement system
- Please contact Family and Childcare Resources of Northeast Wisconsin for more information on how they can assist you.

# St. Vincent De Paul Green Bay

"The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Green Bay is a worldwide organization of lay Catholics, following Christ's call to serve neighbors in need. These volunteers offer tangible assistance to those in need on a person-to-person basis through a Home Visit. It is this personalized involvement that makes the work of the Society unique. This aid may take the form of intervention, consultation, or often through direct dollar or in-kind service. An essential principle of the Society's work is to provide help while conscientiously maintaining the confidentiality and dignity of those who are served. The Society recognizes that it must assume, also, a role of advocacy for those who are defenseless or voiceless."

#### Address and Location:

St. Vincent De Paul Business Office 1529 Leo Frigo Way Green Bay, WI 54302



#### **Contact Information:**

Phone: (920)-435-4040Email: info@svdpgb.org

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Website: <a href="https://www.svdpgb.org/">https://www.svdpgb.org/</a>
 Hours of Operation: <a href="https://www.svdpgb.org/">Monday-Friday</a> 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

- St. Vincent De Paul offers assistance to individuals who:
  - Received a 5-day eviction notice
  - Require help covering transportation costs based on significant need
  - Have emergency clothing needs
  - Require basic necessities for furniture and household items
- They also offer various workshops, including:
  - Bridges out of Poverty Workshop
  - Getting Ahead Workshop
  - Back2Work
  - o Immersion specifically for those who are formerly incarcerated and re-entering.
    - "Immersion provides a welcoming network of support and wrap-around services to returning citizens, their families, and loved ones in navigating the unique challenges they face after incarceration.

Immersion assists them in accessing resources that may otherwise seem unavailable to those sincerely interested in a positive and productive return to their communities."

• Please contact St. Vincent De Paul for more information or with any questions you may have about receiving aid.

# **Brown County Public Library**

The Public Library can be a great place to start your search for resources upon re-entering your community. Often, they offer a free library card which offers you access to computers and printers, free Wi-Fi, job posting information, and many other resources that may be helpful.

**Address and Location, Hours of Operation, Contact Information:** Brown County has various public library branches around the area. A full list of locations, along with their contact information and hours of operation can be found here: https://www.browncountylibrary.org/locations-hours/

- Values of Brown County Library:
  - o Provide free, equitable access to curated resources and services.
  - o Offer accessible spaces with welcoming, caring, expert service and staff.
  - Design and deliver early learning and literacy programs for children and families.
  - Build human capital, and support lifelong learning and the pursuit of work and career goals.
  - Invest in technology to bridge digital and opportunity gaps in Brown County communities while supporting innovation, online learning, and creativity.
  - Celebrate ideas, culture, local history, diversity and inclusivity while partnering to build community.
- Please check the link above to find the nearest branch to you, and contact them for more information about what they can do to assist you in your journey home.