

# MILWAUKEE COUNTY REENTRY RESOURCES

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Updated: August 2023 This guide provides resources throughout Milwaukee 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 Milwaukee County.

#### The Gathering

The mission of the Gathering is to provide meals and associated services to those who would otherwise go hungry or without. They work directly and in concert with others to alleviate hunger.

#### Address and Location:

804 E Juneau Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53202



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (414) 272-4122
- Email: soulfood@thegatheringwis.org

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

- Monday-Friday: 8:30 am 9:30 am
- Saturday: 11:30 am 12:30 pm
- Monday and Wednesday: 4:30 pm 5:30 pm

- Community meal program
  - 10 to 11 free meals each week
  - All meals are cooked fresh on site.
  - Serve breakfast lunch and dinner Breakfast
    - 1300 W Fond du Lac Ave
  - Dinner
    - Ascension Lutheran Church

- Lunch
  - Running Rebels
  - Ascension Lutheran Church
  - Mt. Carmel Lutheran Church
    - Every 2nd & 4th Saturday

#### • Bag Lunch Project

- bag lunches or sandwiches provided after saturday lunch meals
- bag lunches include a peanut butter & jelly sandwich, salty snack, dessert, fruit, beverage (water/juice), utensils

# Neighborhood daycare distribution

 Monday-Friday 10-15 hot meals and bag lunches provided to the daycare center on 12th and Vine st

#### • Amazon grocery partnership

 Every tuesday fresh grocery provided to lindsay Heights and surrounding neighborhoods

#### Meals for The Benedict Center and The Cathedral Center

- Monday Thursday
  - 20 hot meals and bag lunches provided to the benedict center
- Monday Friday
  - 60 hot meals provided to the cathedral center serving women. and families experiencing homelessness

#### **All Saints Catholic Church**

# Address and Location: 4051 North 26th St, 53216



#### **Contact Information:**

- Administrative Office Nicole Pate, (414) 444-5610
- Emergency food boxes: 414-292-0532

- <u>Email:</u> <u>AllSaintsMKE@gmail.com</u>
- Website: https://allsaintsmke.org/

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

- Office
  - o Tuesday Friday 9:00 a.m.- 3:00 pm
- Hot meal Program
  - o Tuesday: 5:00-6:00 pm
- Thursday: 5:00-6:00 pm
- Food Pantry
  - o Tuesday 9:30 am to 12:00 pm
  - o Thursday 9:30 am to 12:00 pm
- If food is needed outside of these times contact the phone number for emergency food boxes.

#### **Important Information:**

- Meal Program serves nearly 1,200 of people a month from the surrounding community in the inner City of Milwaukee
- They have outreach partnerships with Feeding America, Hunger Task Force and 14 Catholic parishes, churches of other faiths and businesses
- Hot meal program
- Food pantry

# **Hunger Task Force**

**Address and Location:** 5000 W Electric Ave, West Milwaukee, WI 53219

#### **Contact Information:**

- Food Bank Michael Jonas
  - <u>Email:</u> jonas@hungertaskforce.org
- Mobile Market/Stockbox Rick Lewandowski
  - o Phone:414-238-6462
  - <u>Email:</u> rick@hungertaskforce.org
- Administrative Office
  - o Phone: (414) 777-0483
  - o Email: info@hungertaskforce.org



Website: hungertaskforce.org

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday: 8:30 am – 5:00 pm

#### **Important Information:**

#### Food bank

- Only food bank in Milwaukee that does not charge for food, delivery or network membership
- Breakfasts, lunches and dinners based on family household size and dietary needs.

#### Mobile market

- Grocery store on wheels that travels throughout Milwaukee County to visit neighborhoods and communities that have limited access to fresh and healthy foods
- Monday Friday Provides:
  - Fruits, vegetables, milk (dairy and nondairy options), chicken, beef, pork, deli meat, cheese, yogurt, etc
  - Does not sell canned items or processed foods.
  - Accepts debit cards, credit cards and Quest EBT

# • Senior Stockbox Program

- Distributes a free box of healthy food for people age 60+ who have a monthly income of \$1,580 or less per month (\$2,137 for a twoperson household).
- Stockboxes include:
  - Cereal, milk, canned veggies and fruits, pasta or rice, protein, fruit juice, canned meats and 2 pounds of fresh Wisconsin cheese

#### • Summer Meals

- Provides meals to children during the summer Allows families to save money on food Ensures children have access to healthy meals
- Encourages participation in recreational and educational activities

# **Mayfair Road Food Pantry**

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

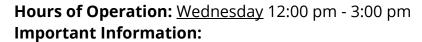
4515 N Mayfair Rd, Milwaukee, WI 53225

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: 414-963-9010

• Email: info@epikos.org

• Website: https://epikos.org/mayfair-road-food-pantry/



- Serve those in the zip codes:
  - o 53225
  - o 53222
  - o 53218
  - o 53224
  - o 53216
  - o 53210
  - o 53209
  - o 53206
- New customers must register and bring a photo ID and proof of residency (i.e. photo ID showing address and name/address documents for any family members).
- Drive-thru pantry
  - Pre-packaged bags of non-perishable items available, plus perishable items such as produce, dairy and meat when available.



#### **Kinship Community Food Center**

#### Address and Location:

St. Casimir's Church - 924 E Clarke St, Milwaukee, WI 53212

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#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (414) 301-1478
- Email: info@kinshipmke.org
- Website: https://www.kinshipmke.org/

# **Hours of Operation:**

- Tuesday: 4:00 pm 6:00 pm
- Saturday: 8:30 am 10:30 am

# **Important Information:**

- Serves the following zip codes
  - o 53212
  - o 53211
  - o 53217
  - o 53202
  - o 53203
  - o Call 211 for food centers near you

#### • Fresh Food Market

- Integrates health education, cooking demonstrations, a food bar, and connections to community resources.
- o Offers fresh produce, non-perishables, dairy, and whole
- o grains
- Cooking demonstrations
- Grow
  - Vegetable Farm
- Feast
  - Collaborative meals Create recipes
  - Try new foods
- Stride

- o Crisis assistance and mentoring
- Health and financial goal setting assessments
- Multiple weekly check-ins using CRM software to track progress
- o Compassionate, long term, "no matter what" second chances
- Helps make referrals and connections to other organizations that help with:
  - Housing & utility resources
  - Job training programs
    - Employment assistance
    - Mental health connections

# **Housing Resources**

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

#### **Casa Maria Catholic Worker**

"Mission focuses on opening our home to women and children in need of shortterm housing, refugees & asylum seekers, and families with longer-term needs. Additionally, we provide food, clothing, and used furniture to guests."

#### Address and Location:

Casa Maria: 1131 N. 21st St. Milwaukee, WI 53233

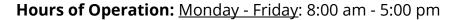
#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (414) 344-5745

• Email: casamariamke@gmail.com

Instagram: https://www.instagram.com/casamariacatholicworker/

• Website: http://casamariacatholicworker.weebly.com/



# **Important Information:**

- Casa Maria
  - Takes in single mothers and their children who are in need of housing
- Sister Pat's House & Mapendo House
  - Provide longer-term housing to families and women who need more support
- Harmony House
  - Transitional community house where volunteers stay and live in common
  - Also houses refugees, asylum seekers, and others facing difficulties within the immigration system

#### The Guest House

Guest House of Milwaukee provides shelter, housing, education, and services to Milwaukee's homeless who seek to transform their lives with dignity and purpose.

#### Address and Location:

1216 N. 13th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53205



#### **Contact Information:**

- Website: https://www.guesthouseofmilwaukee.org/
- Administrative Office:
  - o Phone: 414-345-3240
- <u>Patrick Dun</u>phy
  - Email: patrickdunphy@guesthouseofmilwaukee.org
- Christine Jacobs
  - <u>Email:</u> christinej@guesthouseofmilwaukee.org
- Natalie Wickman
  - o <u>Email:</u> natalie@guesthouseofmilwaukee.org

**Hours of Operation:** 24 hours/day

#### **Important Information:**

- Services
  - Hot meals Warm bed Fresh bedding Showers
  - Clothing and laundry facilities
- Each individual is matched to a qualified case manager to develop an individualized plan for independence, and remove barriers to achieving one's goals
- Provide outreach and financial assistance
- Counseling clinic focused on serving adults with mental health, substance abuse, and co-occurring diagnoses
- Provide long-term case management
- Provide job training

# **Community Advocates Autumn West Safe Haven**

"Our Homeless Outreach Program, Autumn West Safe Haven, and Project Bridge programs provide services and resources that address the unique needs of those living with a mental illness in unstable living conditions."

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

3410 W Lisbon Ave Milwaukee, WI 53208

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (414) 671-6337

Website: https://communityadvocates.net/what-we-do/homelessness.html

Hours of Operation: 24 hours/day

#### **Important Information:**

- Low-barrier housing refuge for individuals who are currently homeless and experiencing severe and persistent mental health challenges.
- Alternative to emergency shelter and is designed to provide safe, short-term housing along with supportive services, including peer support, for residents as they transition out of homelessness
- Has 20 housing units Referrals accepted
- <u>Criteria</u>
  - Must be 18 years or older must have a mental illness
  - o Must meet the HUD definition of homeless:
    - Are trading sex for housing?
    - Are staying with friends, but cannot stay there for longer than 14 days
    - Are being trafficked?
    - Left home because of physical, emotional, or financial abuse or threats of abuse and have no safe, alternative housing?

#### **Repairers of the Breach**

"Our daytime sanctuary is an empowering place where homeless and at-risk men and women can get the resources they need to get back on track. Whether it be food and clothing for the short- term, or education for the long-term, we are here to provide as many resources as we can, and we proudly partner with many other programs to ensure everyone gets the tools they need."

#### Address and Location:

1335 W. Vliet Street Milwaukee, WI 53205

Drive north on 14th St from the south. (Both Highland and Juneau are good east-west roads that intersect 14th St.)
The parking lot is right behind the building.

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (414) 342-9323

Mailing Address: PO Box 5648
 Milwaukee, WI 53205

Website: http://www.repairers.org/

Hours of Operation: Monday - Sunday 7:00 am - 3:30 pm



#### **Important Information:**

#### Services

- Sanctuary
  - A daytime refuge offering safety, security, sobriety, and spiritual renewal
  - o Living Room
    - A welcoming environment to reconnect with themselves and others
  - Community
    - A community of at-risk, homeless men and women in transition
  - Center Ownership
    - Previously homeless Members act as ambassadors to visitors.
  - Breach Café
    - Licensed soup kitchen offering nutritious breakfast and warm mid-day meals
  - Personal Care
    - Showers, towels, toiletries, seasonal clothing, and footwear; regular and emergency
  - Free Clinic

- Diabetes and blood pressure screening, free referrals for vision, dental care, and more
- Communication Services
  - A "lifeline" offering telephone, voicemail, incoming mail, and an address for voting
- <u>Learning Center</u>
  - Walk-in program for adult basic education led by the Milwaukee Achievers, a library ran by a retired librarian
- Employment Assistance
  - Resume assistance, online job search, and coaching for workforce entry
- Veterans Outreach
  - Weekly presence of the *Milwaukee Homeless Veterans Initiative* and VA medical staff
- Art Therapy
  - Expression of feelings through various art forms led by Mount Mary University
- Emergency Overnight
  - "Warming room" when temperatures reach 20 degrees or below
- <u>Linkages</u>
  - Referrals to overnight shelters and other social services
- Sleep Support
  - Blankets, sleeping bags, and sleeping area for second and third-shift homeless workers
- o <u>Alumni Support</u>
  - Furniture for members who obtain permanent housing (upon availability)
- o Bible Studies
  - Spiritual renewal

#### **Port of Missions Outreach Ministries**

#### Address and Location:

3975 N 78th Street, Suite #1 Milwaukee, WI 53222

#### **Contact Information:**



• <u>Phone:</u> (414) 563-7678

• Email: portofmissions@gmail.com

• Website: https://www.portofmissions.org/

**Hours of Operation:** Call and book online

# **Important Information:**

#### Services

- Homelessness prevention assistance for those at imminent risk of homelessness
- Housing search assistance for anyone seeking to secure stable,
- affordable housing
- Rapid re-housing assistance for those currently homeless
   Referral to shelter services or other housing assistance Referral to other supportive services that can help to stabilize housing
- Food pantry Clothing closet
- Job training/placement Counseling
- Bible study

#### • Partner with:

- Open Gate (Men & Women): 414-344-7582 Family
   Transitional living program: 414-449-4777 All For Him Ministries: 414-586-1773
- Milwaukee Women's Center: 414-213-0454
- Lutheran Services for Emergency Shelters: 6100 N 42nd St. Healing House: 414-873-1045 (asked for Wilma)
- o Friendship House (Women and kids): 1029 N Marshall, 414-276- 2633
- Lutheran Social Services Home & Transitional Living: 647 W Virginia Street, 414-281-4400

# **Education Resources**

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

#### **Literacy Services**

#### Address and Location:

Downtown Center - 555 N. Plankinton Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53203

# Contact Information:

- <u>Downtown Center</u>
  - o Phone: (414) 344-5878
  - <u>Email:</u> info@literacyservices.org
- North Division High School
  - o Phone: (414) 267-5171
  - o Email: carol@literacyservices.org
- <u>Silver Spring Neighborhood Center</u>
  - o Phone: (414) 755-3245
  - Email: ssnc@literacyservices.org
- Waukesha Center
  - o Phone: (262) 547-7323
  - o <u>Email:</u> waukesha@literacyservices.org

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

- Call or go online
- <u>Downtown Center</u>
  - o Monday Thursday: 8:30 am 6:00 pm
  - o Friday: 9:30 am 1:30 pm
- North Division High School/Silver Spring Neighborhood Center
  - Monday Friday 8:00 am 4:30 pm
- Waukesha Center
  - o Monday Friday 9:00 am 5:00 pm

- Adult Basic Education (ABE)
  - One-on-one tutoring



- 90 minute sessions weekly
- o Small Group or Classroom with an instructor
- <u>Learning Labs</u>
  - guided independent study
- Drop-In Tutoring
- Virtual/online instruction

#### • Foundational Adult Basic Education (ABE)

- Reading
- Spelling
- Basic grammar and language skills

#### • <u>Comprehensive Adult Basic Education (ABE)</u>

- Language arts
- Math History
- Social studies Science
- Comprehensive instruction builds reading comprehension, vocabulary, writing skills, and mathematics in preparation for transition to GED©/HSED work.

#### Basic Math

- Simple arithmetic with whole numbers, decimals, fractions
- Beginning algebra.

# • English Language Learning (ELL)

- Small group or classroom with an instructor (online or face-toface):
  - Study English with a professional teacher and other students
  - Class schedules and modes vary depending on level and location.

# • One-on-one tutoring (online or face-to-face):

- Twice a week.
- o 60-90 minutes sessions
- Scheduled according to student needs and tutor availability.

# <u>Learning labs (face-to-face):</u>

Guided independent study

#### • Requirements:

- Complete standard ELL tutor onboard training
- Commit to volunteering for a period of 6 months
- Clearly communicate expectations and requirements of your program to both the cooperating instructor and Manager of ELL Programs

#### • <u>U.S. Citizenship Education Program</u>

 Learn english skills and U.S. civics content required to pass the USCIS naturalization exam and interview

#### • Online High School Equivalency Diploma (HSED) Program

- Requirements:
  - At least 18.5 years of age
  - The class you entered 9th grade with has graduated
  - Proof of Wisconsin residency
  - Not currently enrolled in a public high school Strong computer skills: internet browsing, basic typing, creating documents, responding via email, and using other online apps as needed Qualifying scores on TABE test—to be scheduled upon intake

# • <u>Training Ready Program</u>

 helps students gain entrance into training programs for the manufacturing and construction trades by helping them build requisite reading and math skills

# • College/Accuplacer Prep

 helps students prepare for college entrances exams and aid them in enrolling in post-secondary education "Access to adult education improves the well-being of the entire family. We offer a supportive, goal- directed environment where Amani residents can reach their educational goals with individualized learning plans."

**Address and Location:** 2470 W. Locust St., Milwaukee, WI 53206

#### **Contact Information:**

- Dominican Center
  - Email: info@dominican-center.org
- Adult Basic Education
  - Barbara Wells
  - Email: barbara@dominican-center.org
- Computer classes and job readiness/interview skills
  - Deirdre Mingo
  - o Phone: 414-397-1396
  - Email: deemmingo2010@yahoo.com

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

- Monday Thursday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm
- Friday: 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

#### **Important Information:**

- Adult Basic Education:
  - One-on-one tutoring
  - Reading
  - Writing
  - Math
  - Computer literacy
  - Social studies.
- GED/HSED Preparation Classes:
  - Milwaukee Area Technical College (MATC)
- Computer classes and job readiness/interview skills

#### **YWCA Southeast Wisconsin**





Address and Location: 1915 N. Dr. Martin Luther

King Jr. Drive, Milwaukee, WI 53212

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (414) 374-1800

• Email: contact@ywcasew.org

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

• Monday - Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

#### **Important Information:**

- GED Preparation Program
  - A mix of open lab, one-on-one tutoring, and classroom- style instruction preparing students for GED testing Flexible time frames
  - Financial education
  - Basic computer and keyboarding skills courses College resources for further academic opportunities Onsite GED testing
- GED Testing Center
  - Information session: Thursdays at 9am or 1pm

# **Adult Learning Center**

"The Adult Learning Center is a school for people looking to earn their GED or High School Equivalency Diploma. Our students come to the ALC seeking to improve their lives. They may have been shut out of better-paying work opportunities, denied promotions at their current jobs, or they may simply want more confidence in their ability to support their own children (or grandchildren) with their homework."

**Address and Location:** 2224 W. Kilbourn Ave.

Milwaukee, WI 53233

#### **Contact Information:**

Phone: (414) 263-5874Email: info@alcmke.org

# **Hours of Operation:**



- Phone: (414) 263-5874
- Email: info@alcmke.org
- Monday Thursday 8:30 am to 6:30 pm
- Classes run
  - o Monday Thursday 9:00 am to 11:30 am
  - o OR 4:00 pm to 6:30 pm

- Classes prepare students for the 4 main parts of the GED/High School Equivalency exams
- Semesters are 16 weeks long
- Fall semester runs from September through December
- Spring semester runs from January through May
- Tuition is just \$20 per semester!
- Remote/"virtual" classes
- In-person classes:
  - You must show proof of COVID vaccination
- TABE test appointment
  - o required to register
  - o In person (at the ALC in Milwaukee)
  - Remotely/from home in a live video session
    - Must have a computer, laptop, or Chromebook device with a video camera and microphone to test remotely.
    - Computers <u>MUST</u> be running the "Google Chrome" browser
    - Phones and/or tablets can <u>not</u> be used
    - Must have a quiet environment, uninterrupted for up to 2 hours, that has reliable internet service.

After that, everything else can be conducted online: classwork, live meetings with teachers, 1-to-1 tutoring, assignments and homework, and even final GED exams!

#### Milwaukee Area Technical College

"MATC gives you flexible alternatives to the traditional classroom experience, including more online, in-person, and hybrid classes on your schedule. With five convenient locations and a 24/7 virtual campus, we'll meet you where you are. You'll have the Milwaukee Area's finest education at your fingertips. And you won't have to drop 50 grand a year on tuition."

**Address and Location:** 700 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (414) 297-MATC(6282)

• Email: info@matc.edu



# **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday Thursday 8:00 am to 6:00 pm
- Friday 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

- 170+ degree, diploma and certificate programs 35+ four-year transfer partner
- guaranteed admission into Marquette University, UW-Madison, UW-Milwaukee, and UW-Parkside.
- Associate degree Technical diploma
   Certificate Apprenticeship programs
- Adult High School, Correctional Education (Second Chance Pell)
- GED/HSED programs
- English as a Second Language programs
- Pathways in

- Business & Management
- Community & Human Services
- Creative Arts, Design & Media
- General Education
- Healthcare
- o Manufacturing, Construction & Transportation
- o STEM

#### Financial Aid

- FAFSA: <a href="https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa">https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa</a>
- Work Study
- Loans
- Grants
- Veteran Aid

#### Cost

- Tuition & Fees
- 3 credits:\$513.75
- o 6 credits: \$1,027.50
- o 12 credits: \$2,055
- 15 credits: \$2,568.75 Student ID: \$9
- Student Fastcare healthcare: \$7 Books:
  - \$200/course
- Academic cost sheet: <a href="https://www.matc.edu/costs-scholarships-aid/documents/matc-resident-academic-cost-sheet-fy24.pdf">https://www.matc.edu/costs-scholarships-aid/documents/matc-resident-academic-cost-sheet-fy24.pdf</a>
- Payment plans: 5% down

# **Employment Resources**

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

#### Milwaukee Area Workforce Board

"To help citizens overcome barriers and successfully reenter the community, as well as to provide innovative sources of talent for employers, Employ

Milwaukee partners with the State of Wisconsin, local government, public and private employment and training providers, and community- and faith-based organizations to provide employment services to justice involved individuals incarcerated in jails and prisons and/or within the community on supervision.

Address and Location: 2342 North 27th

Street, Milwaukee, WI 53210

#### **Contact Information:**

Employ Milwaukee

o Phone: (414) 270-1700

Website: https://www.employmilwauke.org/Employ-Milwauke

Adult and dislocated worker

o Karen Sotak <u>Phone:</u> 321-704-2571

Hearing Impaired: 711

o Email: kburns@dwfs.us

Bank work

Jovo Potkonjak

o Phone: (414) 270-7529

o <u>Email:</u> jovo.potkonjak@employmilwaukee.org.

#### **Hours of Operation:** Must register online

 Bank work registration form: https://employmke.wufoo.c om/forms/bankwork- program-inquiry/

- Adult and dislocated worker
  - Provide access to career and training services
  - Workforce preparation activities
  - Resume development
  - Interviewing techniques
  - Financial Literacy Services
  - English Language Acquisition or Adult Basic Education Occupational Skills Training
  - On-the-Job Training (OJT)



 Job Readiness Training Customized Training

#### Reentry Employment Services at the House of Correction (HOC)

- Provides pre- and post-release services to individuals who will be released within 180 days from the Milwaukee County House of Correction (HOC)
- Career planning
- Job readiness and skills trainings, all centered around Labor Market Information, assessments of the individual, and an employment action plan
- Referrals to American Job Centers

# Reentry Employment Services at the Milwaukee Women's Correctional Center

 pre-release employment services to individuals who will be released within 90-180 days from the center

# • BankWork\$®

- 8 week retail banking career training
- classes are held on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from
   9:00 AM to 2:00 PM for eight weeks
- Workplace professionalism
- Deepening the customer relationship Financial services fundamentals Preparing for employment

#### Digital Literacy training

- Operating a device
- Exploring the internet
- Learning how to use Email
- Microsoft Office apps
- To participate, adults (18+) must:
  - Have reliable internet service (if you don't have internet, help will be provided)
  - Have limited or no digital experience
  - Commit to completing the 8 hours of learning

- Participants receive a free computer
- Each class is limited to 15 adults

#### Flex ride

o Employment in the Menomonee Falls/Butler area

#### Fresh Coast Tech Up

"The bootcamp-style program prepares participants with all the skills necessary for IT customer service roles. Some relevant job titles include Help Desk Analyst, Computer Support Specialist, IT Specialist, and Technical Support Specialist."

**Address and Location:** 2342 North 27th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53210 (no image available)

#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 414-270-1700
- Text EMPLOY FCTU to 1-414-626-1355 to join the mailing list
- Email: fctu@employmilwaukee.org
- <u>Website</u>: https://www.employmilwaukee.org/Employ- Milwaukee/Programs--Services/Adult-Youth-Programs/TechHire-.htm

**Hours of Operation:** Apply online: <a href="https://employmke.wufoo.com/forms/fresh-coast-tech-up/">https://employmke.wufoo.com/forms/fresh-coast-tech-up/</a>

# **Important Information:**

- 16-week, remote, instructor led
- Paid (\$10/hour stipend for in-class hours) bootcamp style program to obtain IT occupational skills

#### • Requirements:

- High School diploma or equivalency
- Eligible to work in the US
- o Ability to meet basic computer literacy requirements
- o Ability to attend classes for 16 weeks
- Highly motivated with an interest in IT

#### Benefits

Volunteer opportunities with local tech companies

- Access to industry recruiting partners
- Access to industry specific recruiting events
- Career placement from Employ Milwaukee Sector Specialist
  - Resume development
  - LinkedIn profile development

#### Milwaukee Healthcare Workforce Initiative

"The Milwaukee Healthcare Workforce Initiative (MHWI) aims to create a strong talent pipeline to healthcare careers in Milwaukee. Since the Covid-19 pandemic, hospitals have experienced a spike in staffing shortages nationwide. "In today's climate, the need for increased numbers of trained healthcare workers is significant," said our President and CEO, Chytania Brown. "At the same time, unemployment remains too high for people of color in Milwaukee. We're excited to bring this solution-oriented program to the table."

**Address and Location:** 2342 North 27th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53210 (no image available)

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone:

Ms. Lane: 414-906-2713
Ms. Bria: 414-350-5534
Ms. Murrell: 414-374-5850

• <u>Website</u>: https://www.employmilwaukee.org/Employ- Milwaukee/Adult--Programs/Milwaukee-Healthcare-Workforce- Initiative.htm

**Hours of Operation:** Call to be a part of the program.

- No cost training:
  - Job shadowing
  - o Introduction to hospital operations
  - Overview of healthcare career paths
- Career opportunities in:
  - Housekeeping
  - Hospitality/food service
  - Patient service assistance
  - Patient transport dispatcher
  - Phlebotomy

- Nursing assistant
- Medical assistant
- Those that complete the training are guaranteed job interviews at Advocate Aurora Healthcare

#### **Healthy Homes Construction**

The program aims to connect trained workers with Lead Abatement certifications to contractors who are paid by the City of Milwaukee Health Department (MHD) to remediate high lead risk homes. Provide a supply of trained and certified workers to take jobs remediating lead paint hazards in Milwaukee homes. HHCC provides multiple tracks for job seekers based on interest, aptitudes, and past work experience.

**Address and Location:** 840 N. Old World 3rd Street, #400, Milwaukee, WI 53203 OR 1730 W North Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53205

#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (414) 270-1700
- <u>Website:</u> https://www.employmilwaukee.org/Employ- Milwaukee/Programs-Services/Adult-Youth-Programs/Healthy-
- Homes-Construction-Careers.htm

# **Hours of Operation: Register Online Using the Website**

- Paid training (\$15/hour)
- No cost
- Track 1
  - Individuals with construction training and experience can become Lead Abatement and/or Lead Abatement Supervisor certified in less than two weeks
  - Connected to local contractors for paid work experience and/or immediate employment
- Track 2
  - Individuals with no formal construction training can complete the SDC Absolute Advantage pre-apprenticeship course
  - 12 week course covering:
    - Math
    - Safety

- Hand and power tool use Blueprints
- Rigging

#### o Certifications

- Osha 30
- Asbestos Abatement Worker
- Lead Abatement Worker
- Construction Safety
- Pre-Apprenticeship Certificate from Wisconsin Apprenticeship Systems
- Upon completion, graduates will be connected to local contractors for paid work experience and/or immediate employment.

#### 40Plus of Southeastern Wisconsin

"40Plus is an independent, member-run, all-volunteer, non-profit 501(c)(3) organization. 40Plus provides hope, direction and support by helping people develop the skills needed to find meaningful work or make a successful job transition. The mission of 40Plus "is to facilitate and support career transitions for people with substantial business or professional experience through training and volunteer experience. A secondary mission is "for educating the public and the business community on the value of maturity, experience, knowledge and judgment in the workplace".

# Address and Location: No image available

- CrossWay NorthShore Church (formerly Hill-Point Church) 500 W Brown Deer Rd, Milwaukee, WI 53217
- Enter the main entrance (south door). Follow the signs to the fireplace meeting room.

#### **Contact Information:**

- Monday meetings Peter Beck
  - o Email: peter.beck453@gmail.com
- Wednesday meetings:
  - o <u>1st Wednesday Robert Bachman</u>
    - Email: RobertBachman@40PlusWl.org
  - o 2nd Wednesday Amy Whittenberger
    - Email: AmyWhittenberger@40PlusWl.org
  - o 3rd, 4th & 5th Wednesday Dennis R. Cherne
    - Phone: 414-840-0792

- Email: <u>DennisCherne@40PlusWl.org</u>
- Friday meetings Rich Longabaugh
  - Email: rjlongabaugh@hotmail.com.
- Saturday meetings Amy Whittenberger / Michael Mallwitz / Brent Wenzel
  - Email: 40PlusWISaturday@gmail.com
- LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/groups/1881539
- Website: https://www.40pluswi.org/

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

- Wednesday Night: Meetings: 7-9pm OR time TBD with moderator
- Monday meetings: 9-11am or virtual
- Friday meetings: 10am- 12pm or virtual
- Saturday meeting: 8-10am or virtual

- Yearly workshops through which employment professionals offer tips for the unemployed.
- No membership
- No initiation
- No entrance fees
- Weekly small group meetings
  - o one-on-one interaction
  - in-depth networking
  - problem solving
  - No pre-registration required
- Monday meetings Mayfair 40Plus
  - Virtual Job Networking Support Group contact Peter Beck for preregistration and virtual meeting instructions
- Wednesday night meetings
  - Learn about the current job search process Network with other job seekers
- Friday meetings
  - Job Networking Support Group

- Business Attire Suggested
- Contact Rich Longabaugh

#### • Saturday meetings

- Virtual Job Networking Support Group
- Contact Amy Whittenberger / Michael Mallwitz / Brent Wenzel for pre-registration and virtual meeting instructions

#### **Crossroads Career REACH Support Ministry**

Provided by Hales Corners Lutheran Church – Are you looking for some 1 to 1 free virtual job search coaching? Seeking a new career direction or calling?

Address and Location: Virtual Contact Information:

• Email: jluther@hcl.org

• LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/groups/2296263/

• Website: https://crossroadscareer.org/about/

**Hours of Operation:** Virtual - email for more information

# **Important Information:**

- Combines both the technical aspects of job search along with spiritual support to individuals seeking employment or a job transition.
- Get connected with a facilitator that can assist

# **Healthcare Resources**

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

#### **Ascension St. Ben's Clinic**

Providing health care to homeless adults and adults who have a history or risk of homelessness and are not currently being seen at another site for their health

care.

**Address and Location:** 1004 N. 10th Street Milwaukee, WI 43233

#### **Contact Information:**

- Marysol Zeidler, Clinic Supervisor
  - o Phone: (414) 765-0606
  - Website: https://healthcare.ascension.org/en/locations/wisconsin/wimil/milwa ukee-ascension-st-bens-clinic

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

- Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:00 am to 4:00 pm
- Tuesday 8:00- 1:00 pm
- Wednesday: By appointment only

#### **Important Information:**

- All insurances accepted,
- Ascension Charity care available for uninsured based on income
- Services:
  - Primary Care
  - Disease Management
  - Immunizations
  - Laboratory services
  - Counseling
  - o Enrollment in BadgerCare

# **Aurora Healing Center at Sinai Medical Center**

"We offer emergency care, counseling, emotional support, and forensic nursing. Our providers, individualized care and services they need to feel whole again. Our providers work together to help survivors receive the individualized care and services they need to feel whole again. Our services are making a positive and lasting impact: Many survivors reclaim joy and peace of mind."

**Address and Location:** 130 W Bruce St,

Milwaukee, WI 53204

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: 414-219-5555

# **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
- Tuesday Thursday 9:00 am to



6:00 pm

• Friday 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

#### **Important Information:**

- Forensic nursing
  - Forensic evaluation
  - Emotional support
  - Legal advice
  - Assistance in reporting the crime to the police
  - Testimony in court
  - Referrals to other services
  - Preventative care
- Survivor Advocacy
- Counseling and emotional support
  - Short-term counseling
  - Long-term counseling
- Pregnant women and newborns
  - Care coordination from a nurse case manager
  - Coordination with community resources Home visits
  - Assistance accessing prenatal care Counseling
  - Referrals to other Aurora services
  - Coordination with local agencies

# **Sixteenth Street Community Health**

Community Health Centers provide high quality health care, health education and social services for residents of the multicultural neighborhoods on Milwaukee's South side.

Address and Location: 1032 S Cesar E. Chavez

Drive Milwaukee, WI 53204

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (414) 672-1353

• Email: donna.triplett@sschc.org

• Website:

https://www.freeclinics.com/det/wi\_Sixteenth\_Street\_Community\_Health



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

- Monday Friday: 8:00 am to 8:00 pm
- Saturday: 8:00 am to 12:00 pm (limited availability)

#### **Important Information:**

- <u>Services:</u>
  - Adult and pediatric medicine
  - Behavioral health services
  - Social services
  - Women's health
  - HIV prevention and treatment
  - Other supplemental programs

#### **Isaac Coggs Heritage Health Center**

"Milwaukee Health Services, Inc. is an independent, not for profit Federally Qualified Health Center with a mission to provide accessible, quality primary and related health care services to Milwaukee residents, with our continuing emphasis on medically-underserved families and individuals."

**Address and Location:** 8200 W. Silver Spring Dr. Milwaukee, WI 53218 (No image available)

#### **Contact Information:**

• <u>Phone:</u> (414) 760-3900

• Website: www.mhsi.org

# **Hours of Operation:**

• Monday: 7:30 am to 7:30 pm

• Tuesday - Friday: 7:30 am to 5:30 pm

- Medical
  - o Family/Adult Medicine
  - Laboratory Services
  - Pediatric Services
  - Pharmacy
  - Podiatry
  - o Women's Health

- Behavioral Health
- HIV Early Intervention Program (EIP)
- Human Services
- Oral Health
- WIC Program

#### **Philippine Center Free Medical Clinic**

**Address and Location:** 3717 W Howard Ave Greenfield, WI 53221 - lower level of the Philippine Cultural & Civic Center at the Zablocki Park Pavilion



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (414) 342-1400
- Email: philcenter@philippinecenter.com
- Instagram: https://www.instagram.com/philippinecentermke/
- Website: https://philippinecenter.org/community-outreach/free-medicalclinic/

# **Hours of Operation:**

- Every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month
- 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

- New patients must arrive before 10:30AM.
- Stop taking patients after the patient limit is reached, typically around 10:30-11AM.
- Must be uninsured or underinsured
- No doctors on call
- Cannot give prescriptions or refills outside of clinic hours
- Services Provided:
  - Well child exams
  - Limited daycare/school/sports/camp physicals Preemployment exams including TB skin testing General exam for adults
  - Blood pressure checks

- o Screening for cholesterol, blood glucose, anemia, strep throat
- Urinalysis (including micro-albumin test)
- Pregnancy Test
- Flu shots
- Free medications

# **Resources for Substance Use Disorders**

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

# **Matt Talbot Recovery Services, Inc.**

"Residential treatment facility specializing in serving adult males with substance abuse. MTRC assists residents in all areas to support a drug free lifestyle. Uses a holistic approach by eliminating barriers and connecting residents with community resources such as health insurance, identification and legal assistance."

**Address and Location:** 2613 W North Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53205



#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: (414)-342-5474

<u>Email: AntoneoD@mtrcinc.org</u>Website: https://mtrcinc.com/

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

Monday - Thursday 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

#### **Important Information:**

- Alcohol Treatment and Drug Rehabilitation Program
- 26 beds
- Self-referrals accepted, Walk-ins accepted

#### • Services:

- Services for Co-occurring Mental and Substance Abuse Disorders
- Residential Care Long-term 30 to 90 Days Treatment
- Pre-entry support
- Psychological and physical assessment
- Medical and case management
- Individual and group counseling
- Treatment planning
- Job Placement
- o Family reconciliation counseling
- Recreational and occupational therapy
- Work therapy
- Health monitoring
- o Individualized after-care support

#### **IMPACT**

IMPACT is a private non-profit organization that has served Southeastern Wisconsin for 60 years. We help people take the first step toward changing their life, for good. We assess and guide those experiencing personal crisis toward resources to achieve stability; and collaborate with community partners to foster system improvement. We do this through:

• Comprehensive assessment of complex problems

- Expert navigation and connection to appropriate resources
- Collection, analysis and interpretation of data

Implementation of research-based planning and process evaluation

**Address and Location:** Summit Place Office Building - 6737 West Washington Street, Suite 2225 Milwaukee, WI 53214

#### **Contact Information:**

• <u>lm</u>pact

Phone: (414) 256-4808

Intoxicated Driver Program (IDP)

o Phone: 414-443-6000

Coordinated Entry

o 2-1-1 / local 414-773-0211

https://211wisconsin.communityos.org/

Website: www.impactinc.org

# **Hours of Operation:**

- Call to set an appointment
- Monday: 8:30 am to 3:30 pm
- Tuesday Friday: 8:30 am and 4:30 pm
  - Fees vary based on the type of assessment needed.
- Coordinated Entry:
  - o Monday- Friday 9:00 am to 9:00 pm

- Free and confidential service assists individuals and families who have questions about their own alcohol or drug use or the use of another person.
- Alcohol and drug counselors will talk with a person by phone or in person to help determine the seriousness of the problem and identify ways to solve it including getting connected with a treatment program.
- Comprehensive screening and assessment for alcohol and other drugs to determine eligibility for education, counseling, treatment, and recovery support services
- Assessments



- Operating while intoxicated [OWI] assessments
- Other court-ordered assessments
- Professional licensing boards assessments
- Substance abuse professional [SAP] evaluations
- Intoxicated Driver Program (IDP)
- IMPACT counselors conduct a conversational interview based on a series of questions regarding drinking, drug use, and related issues.
- Counselors discuss the results of the assessment with you and, based on the findings, recommend a course of action which may include education or treatment.
- Assessments available in person or over the phone
- If you need immediate assistance Text your ZIP Code to TXT-211 (898-211) and IMPACT 211 will respond promptly.

#### Other services

- Coordinated Entry
  - First come, first served
  - Referral via IMPACT 2-1-1
  - Community Resource Specialists conduct a housing
  - crisis assessment and then prioritize placements based on most critical need
  - Offers referrals to other programs and resources that may help alleviate or end the client's housing crisis

#### COMMUNITY ACCESS TO RECOVERY SERVICES (CARS)

"For over 30 years, the Community Access to Recovery Services Department of Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Services has proudly served adults living with substance use and mental health disorders. We provide a range of supportive services to Milwaukee County residents that are rooted in compassion and dignity. Our goal is to eliminate barriers to behavioral health services and increase our community's ability to thrive. The CARS Department strives to be a space that is equitable, diverse, and inclusive, giving everyone the freedom to be their best self."

**Address and Location:** 2821 N. Vel R. Phillips Ave. Milwaukee, WI

#### **Contact Information:**

CARS at Westcare:

- Phone: (414) 263-6000
- Website: https://www.westcare.com/page/where-we-serve\_WI\_01a
- CARS at Sirona Recovery (formerly Justice Point):
  - o Phone: (414) 278-2140
  - Website: https://www.sirona-recovery.org/ap
- CARS at Wisconsin Community Services:
  - Phone: (414) 343-3569
- Email: agewebinfo@milwaukeecountywi.gov
- Website: https://county.milwaukee.gov/EN/DHHS/BHD/Adult- Services-CARS

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Westcare
  - Monday Friday 9:00 am 4:30 pm
- CARS at Sirona Recovery (formerly Justice Point)
  - o Monday Friday 8:00 am 5:00 pm
- <u>CARS at Wisconsin Community Services: Call to find out more information</u>

- Must be 18 years or older with an alcohol or drug abuse disorder who are seeking treatment
- Free, comprehensive assessments for those with alcohol or other drug abuse concerns (AODA) to determine an appropriate level of care
- Connect clients to treatment, recovery, and relapse support services
- Assessments are available in person or over the phone
- Substance Use Disorder (SUD) programs:
  - Detoxification
  - Residential treatment
  - Outpatient treatment
  - Day treatment
  - Medication assisted treatment
- Mental Health programs:
  - o CBRF Community Based Residential Facilities
- Regular contact from a specially trained care manager who will work with you or your loved one to:

- Design a treatment and recovery plan
- Put the plan in place
- Monitor the plan
- Change the plan, if needed, to achieve recovery goals

### Care Management programs:

- AOT Assisted Outpatient Treatment
- CCM Crisis Case Management / TCM Targeted Case Management
  - SUD (Substance Use Disorder) TCM
- CCS Comprehensive Community Services CSP Community Support Program
- o RSC Recovery Support Coordination

### • Community based resources:

- IPS Individual Placement Services
- Peer specialist services
- Spiritual support
- Supported employment
- Parenting assistance
- Anger management
- Domestic violence services
- Clubhouse
- Drop-in centers

# **Al-Anon Family Groups of Southeastern Wisconsin**

"The Al-Anon Family Groups are a fellowship of relatives and friends of alcoholics who share their experience, strength and hope in order to solve their common problems. We believe alcoholism is a family illness and that changed attitudes can

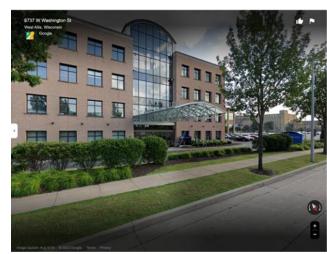
aid recovery."

**Address and Location:** Summit Place ~ Suite 2125 (First Floor) 6737 W. Washington St. West Allis, WI 53214

#### **Contact Information:**

Phone: 414-257-2415

• Email: alanon@alanon-wi.org



### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday: 10:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.
- Wednesday: 10 a.m. 4 p.m.
- Thursday: 11 a.m. 5 p.m.
- Saturday: 9 a.m. Noon

- <u>In person meetings</u>
  - Staying Alive: Sunday 10am
    - Alano Club, 1521 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202
    - 2nd floor, straight ahead on landing
  - Sunday Morning Alateen
    - Sunday 11am
    - Pass It On Club
    - 6229 W Forest Home Ave Milwaukee, WI 53220
  - o Group 94-1/2
    - Sunday 6pm
    - Cathedral Church of All Saints, 816 E. Juneau Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53202
  - Letting Go AFG
    - Tuesday 6:30pm
    - St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 3200 S. Herman St, Milwaukee, WI 53207
  - Renacer AFG
    - Wednesday 6-8pm
    - Friday 6-8pm
    - Saturday 4-6pm
    - 1559 W. Greenfield Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53204
    - Spanish Speaking
  - Spiritual Awakenings
    - Wednesday 7pm
    - Pass It On Club, 6229 W Forest Home Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53220 (2nd floor)
  - Senderos de Recuperación GFA
    - Saturday 8am
    - St.Patrick's 723 W. Washington St, Milwaukee, WI 53204
    - Spanish speaking

### Virtual meetings

- Thursday Night Step Study
  - Thursday 6pm
  - Join by Zoom: 84671793299
  - Meeting ID: 846 7179 3299
  - Passcode: 445682
- Sunday Morning Sunlight
  - Sunday 9:30am
  - Join by Zoom: 81370548930
  - Meeting ID: 813 7054 8930
  - Passcode: 948125
- Pewaukee Serenity
  - Sunday 7pm
  - Join by Zoom: 3466287516
  - Meeting ID: 346 628 7516#
  - Passcode: 020406#
- Mukwonago Sunday Night Survivors
  - Sunday 7:30pm
  - Join by Zoom: 85951472407 Meeting ID: 873 4922 9041
  - Passcode: 070457
  - Phone Dial-In Option- 646-876-9923
    - Meeting number = 87349229041# Participant ID = #
    - Passcode = 070457#
    - \*6 to mute or unmute
- Monday Morning Burlington AFG
  - Monday 9:30 am
  - Zoom Meeting ID: 409 450 4890
  - Passcode: 044494
- Pathways To Recovery ACOA
  - Monday 5:30 pm
  - Join by Zoom: 89491683374
  - Meeting ID: 894 9168 3374
  - Passcode: 636516
- Eastside Monday Night
  - Monday 6:30pm
  - Join by Zoom: 82163750224
  - Meeting ID: 821 6375 0224
  - Passcode: 193800

- o One Day At A Time Waukesha AFG
  - Monday 6:30 pm
  - Meeting ID: 891 1818 3552
  - Passcode: 637 169
- Northside AFG
  - Tuesday 8:30am
  - join by Zoom: 886685437Meeting ID: 886 68 5437
  - Passcode: 016924

### Hybrid Meetings

- Friends of Lois
  - Thursday 7pm
  - Martin Luther Church, 9235 W Bluemound Rd, Milwaukee,
     WI 53226 Meeting in person or Join by Zoom: 88361309382
  - Meeting ID: 883 6130 9382
  - Passcode: 6kWiB
- Key to Serenity
  - Saturday 9:30am
  - Lake Park Lutheran Church, 2647 N. Stowell, Milwaukee, WI 53211 Meeting in person or join by Zoom.
  - Join by Zoom: 7928538793
  - Meeting ID: 792 853 8793
  - Passcode: 295259
- Saturday AM Sunshine
  - Saturday 10:30 am
  - Pass It On Club, 6229 W Forest Home Ave, Milwaukee
  - Meeting in person or joining Zoom.
  - Join by Zoom: 82036836326

# M&S Clinical Services, Inc: Mental Health/Substance Abuse/Outpatient Clinic

"M&S Clinical Services mission is to provide quality culturally competent services to children, youth, and families in a caring, supportive and empowering approach. Our main goal is to be a supportive network of people, helping people to improve their quality of life."

**Address and Location:** 2821 North 4th Street, Suite 516 Milwaukee, WI 53212

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: 414-263-6000

• Email: msclinical516@sbcglobal.net

• Website: https://msclinicalservices.wixsite.com/msclinical

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

- Services:
  - o Alcohol and Drug Assessment
  - Family/Group Counseling
  - Hepatitis-C Program
    - Free Hepatitis-C Screening and Testings
  - Marriage/Couple Counseling
  - Psychotherapy Counseling
  - Individuals must be at least 18 years old and a Milwaukee County resident seeking AODA treatment
- Type of Payment Accepted
  - o BadgerCare/Medicaid
  - $\circ \quad \text{Employer-sponsored /Marketplace Insurance Plans}$
  - Medicare
  - Private pay
  - Sliding fee scale
  - Wiser Choice

# **Social Support Resources**

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

#### **Alma Center**

"The Alma Center works to heal, transform and evolve the unresolved pain of trauma that fuels the continuation of cycles of violence, abuse and dysfunction in families and communities. We work primarily with men at-risk or involved in the criminal justice system, with a particular focus on men who have a history of domestic violence. Our vision is that healing-focused care becomes a leading approach for re-imagining the criminal justice system, particularly in regard to intervention and prevention of family violence, and moves the system toward more restorative and effective models."

**Address and Location:** 2821 N. Vel R. Phillips Ave., 3rd Floor, Milwaukee, WI 53212



#### **Contact Information:**

• Terri Strodthoff, Founder and Executive Director.

o Phone: (414)-265-0100

• Email: mail@almacenter.org

• Website: almacenter.org

### **Hours of Operation:**

Monday - Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Appointments only, Self- referrals accepted

### **Important Information:**

- Men Ending Violence
  - A trauma resolution and education program that explores root causes of intimate partner violence, focuses on healing past trauma and developing attitudes and behavior that will support respectful intimate partner relationships in the future.
- Restorative Fatherhood
  - Fatherhood education program helps men who have been abusive recognize, acknowledge and, when safe and possible, ameliorate the trauma they have caused their own children.
- <u>Alma Brothers reentry</u>
  - An offender reentry project designed to address unresolved underlying trauma that predicates anti-social and criminal behavior and heightens the risk for ongoing criminal system involvement.
- Smart Reentry
  - An innovative reentry employment program for high-risk offenders returning from imprisonment to the Center Street Corridor, an area of Milwaukee plagued by gun violence
- Free open men's group (the barbershop) meeting
  - Mondays at 6 pm on zoom
  - Meeting Code: 977 0302 4445

### **Sojourner Family Peace Center**

"Sojourner Family Peace Center is the largest nonprofit provider of domestic violence prevention and intervention services in Wisconsin, serving nearly 8,000 clients each year. Sojourner provides an array of support aimed at helping families affected by domestic violence achieve safety, justice and well-being."



Address and Location: 619 W. Walnut St,

Milwaukee, WI 53212

#### **Contact Information:**

Emergency Shelter

o Phone: (414) 933-2722

• <u>Support Group and Healing</u>

o Phone: 414-276-1911

• 24-hour Domestic Violence Hotline

o Phone: 414-933-2722

• Hope and Healing

o Phone: 414-276-1911

• <u>Case Management</u>

o Phone: 414-276-1911

Website: familypeacecenter.org

### **Hours of Operation:**

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am to 6:00 pm

• Friday 8:30 am to 5:00 pm

### **Important Information:**

- Emergency shelter
- Support groups and healing
  - Domestic violence and how to rebuild in its aftermath.
  - How to identify typical signs of the effects of domestic violence on children
  - How criminal and civil systems affect participants' lives
  - Safety planning and practical tools to assess whether an abuser is changing or escalating
  - Logistical support, such as providing for transportation needs
  - The healing services available for adults and children who have been exposed to domestic violence

### Restraining Orders

- Book a phone appointment or join Sojourner's virtual waitlist by visiting https://app.waitwhile.com/checkin/sojourner.
- All advocate assistance with e-filing is now offered by phone

 To file, the court requires you to have the full legal name of the person harming you and a valid address where they can be served.

### • Hope and healing program

- Education training
- o Employment and economic freedom from abusers
- Individual and group support

#### Case management

- Helping victims of domestic violence find and access shelter Establishing safe housing
- Finding child care
- Providing counseling
- Making referrals for health care
- Helping obtain civil legal services attorneys provide free legal advice and representation.

### IndependenceFirst

"Independence First is Metro Milwaukee's first resource for people with disabilities. Provides programs on disability awareness, independent living skills, and recreation. We work with individuals and families for whatever someone needs to successfully live in the community, helping with resources from assistive technology to home modification to personal care or supportive home care services. Independence First also provides programming, whether it's art classes or cooking classes, peer support, and even adaptive video gaming. More than 50% of our staff, managers, and Board have disabilities themselves and this peer-approach leads to excellent outcomes. We advocate for change and inclusivity, and help people who want to stay or move into an independent living situation in their own home instead of institutions."

Address and Location: 540 S. 1st St.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

#### **Contact Information:**

Administrative Office

o Phone: (414) 291-7520

Gerald Hay

o <u>Phone:</u> 414-226-8135

<u>Email:</u> ghay@independencefirst.org

Brian Peters

o Phone: 414-937-5912



<u>Email:</u> bpeters@independencefirst.org

Personal Care Assistance

o Phone: 414-226-8350

Email: CareServices@IndependenceFirst.org

Website: www.independencefirst.org

### **Hours of Operation:**

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am to 4:30 pm

### **Important Information:**

Offer more than 40 programs and workshops

### • Independent Living Services

- Aging in place
  - provide options and show you equipment that will help you stay in your home.
- Assistive Technology
- Benefits Counseling
- Information & Referral
- Peer Support
- Recreational Mobility
- Substance Abuse/Mental Health
- Transition Services
- WisLoan/Telework
  - loan programs that allow Wisconsin residents with disabilities to finance assistive technology, home modifications, or equipment needed to become self- employed or work from home.
- Workshops & Classes

#### Personal Care Assistance

 Help arrange help in the home for those who need a few hours a week of support

# **Lutheran Social Services of Wisconsin & Upper Michigan, Inc.**

"Committed to the growth of others, we are united by the shared belief in the infinite worth of every individual. LSS builds programs as unique as the people we serve. We are living our best lives when we empower individuals, families and communities to find healing through courage and a

path to sharing their God-given gifts with the world."



#### **Address and Location:** 6737

W. Washington Street

Suite 2275 West Allis, WI 53214

#### **Contact Information:**

• Phone: 414-246-2300

- <u>LinkedIn:</u>https://www.linkedin.com/company/lsswis
- Website: https://www.lsswis.org/

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

- Children and Families
  - Care coordination
  - Counseling and therapies
  - Early intervention
  - Foster care
  - Public adoption
  - o Skill building
  - Youth residential
- Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders
  - Care coordination
  - Counseling and therapies
  - o Daytime resource centers
  - Residential mental health services
  - Residential substance use disorder services
  - Skill building
  - Substance use assessments
- Housing and Residential
  - Affordable housing
  - Financial counseling
  - Rapid rehousing and rental assistance
  - o Refugee resettlement
  - Service coordination
  - Skill building
  - Veterans housing and recovery program (VHRP)

- Youth residential
- Disabilities
  - Affordable housing
  - Care coordination
  - Early intervention
  - Make the ride happen

### **Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Division Crisis Line**

**Address and Location:** MCFI Behavioral Health Crisis Resource Center (South side) 2057 S 14th St. Milwaukee, WI



#### **Contact Information:**

- Website: https://county.milwaukee.gov/EN/DHHS/BHD
- MCFI Behavioral Health Crisis Resource Center (South side)
  - o Phone: (414) 643-8778
- MCFI Crisis Resource Center (North Side)
  - o Phone: (414) 539-4024
- Access Clinic South
  - o Phone: (414) 257-7900
- Access Clinic East
  - Phone: (414) 257-7665
- Access Clinic North
  - o Phone: (414) 257-5190
- Milwaukee County Mental Health Clinic
  - o Phone: (414) 257-7610
- Crisis Line
  - o Phone: (414) 257-7222

# **Hours of Operation:**

- All other locations are 24 hours
- Access Clinic South/ Access Clinic East
  - Monday Friday 8:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m.
  - Walk-in hours for initial assessment: 8:30 a.m. 2:30 p.m.
- Access Clinic North

- o Monday Friday 8:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m.
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- Milwaukee County Mental Health Clinic
  - o Monday Friday 8:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m.
  - By appointment only

### **Important Information:**

- Mental health and suicide crisis line
- Talk with a professional who is able to provide counseling, information and referrals to community resources.
- Assists agencies and individuals working with suicidal individuals and/or people in crisis.

### • Signs of a Crisis

- You've thought about what method you would use to harm yourself or someone else
- You don't feel able to cope with daily problems or activities
- Your thoughts are racing and you are talking faster than you remember
- You hear voices others don't seem to hear
- You feel others are planning to harm you
- o You feel constant pain and/or stomach discomfort
- o You feel unusually tired, or energetic, all of the time
- You feel very agitated or restless