



January 2024	<b>Welcome home!</b> This guide provides resources throughout Portage 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 Portage County.

### Second Harvest FoodShare Program

*We help end hunger through food distribution to our partner agencies, promotion of outside food assistance programs like FoodShare, and raising awareness of hunger. As southwestern Wisconsin's largest hunger-relief charity we meet nearly one million requests for service each year.*

**Address:** ONLINE

### Contact Information

- Phone: 608-515-4113 (Camille)
- Email: [Camille.OConnell@SecondHarvestSW.org](mailto:Camille.OConnell@SecondHarvestSW.org)
- Website: <https://www.seconddharvestsw.org/foodshare-program/>

### Hours of Operation:

- Monday: 9:00 am-7:00 pm
- Tuesday: 9:00 am-7:00 pm
- Wednesday: 9:00 am-7:00 pm
- Thursday: 9:00 am-7:00 pm
- Friday: 9:00 am-6:00 pm
- Saturday: 9:00 am-2:00 pm

### Important Information

- Eligibility is determined by a variety of factors including the income and expenses of a household.
- Income Guidelines

You may qualify if your household's gross monthly income is less than...	
	\$2,266
	\$3,052
	\$3,840
	\$4,626
For each additional person add \$788	

If you are 60 years old or older and/or have a disability, you may qualify even if your income is over the limit listed above.  
Income guidelines are valid through September 2023

## Portage County Health and Human Services – Portage County FoodShare

*FoodShare helps people of all ages with limited money buy the food they need for good health.*

*This includes people who:*

- *Have low-income jobs.*
- *Live on a small or fixed income.*
- *Are retired.*
- *Have lost their jobs.*
- *Are disabled and cannot work.*

**Address:** 817 Whiting Avenue, Stevens Point, WI 54481



### Contact Information

- Phone: 1-888-445-1621
- Email: [help@wellbadger.org](mailto:help@wellbadger.org)
- Website: <https://www.imcentralconsortium.org/Home/FoodShare.aspx>

### Hours of Operation:

- **Central Consortium Call Center:**
  - Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday: 8:15 AM – 4:00 PM
  - Tuesday: 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM
- **County Office:**
  - Monday and Thursday: 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM
  - Tuesday: 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM Wednesday: 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
  - Friday: 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

### Important Information

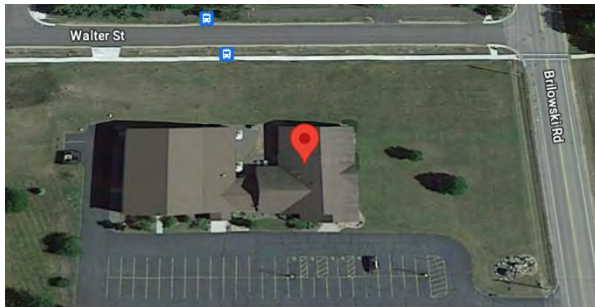
- Income eligibility requirements are based on the Federal Poverty Level. This level is defined by Congress each year. Link to current table: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/foodshare/fpl.htm>
- FoodShare benefits are taken into account. This account is accessible by a Wisconsin QUEST card. The card can be used to buy food at grocery stores and at some farmers markets
- Accessible by Bus: Yes
- Wheelchair Accessible: Yes

## **Hunger & Poverty Prevention Partnership of Portage County – Mobile Pantry**

*The Mobile Pantry of Portage County wants to reach out and help. The Pantry is operated by the Hunger and Poverty Prevention Partnership and seeks to ensure that rural residents of Portage County have access to food assistance if needed.*

*The Portage County Mobile Pantry seeks to ensure that rural residents of Portage County have access to food assistance when needed. The Mobile Pantry aims to enrich lives through the delivery of food to individuals and families with limited resources to access transportation to a food pantry.*

**Address:** 900 Brilowski Rd., Stevens Point, WI 54482



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-346-1664
- Email: portagecountyhppp@gmail.com
- Website: <https://hppp-pc.com/programs/mobile-pantry/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Deliveries are made on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month

### **Important Information:**

- The Mobile Pantry continues its successful efforts of delivering food to rural areas. Currently the Mobile Pantry delivers to these outlying areas:
  - Junction City,
  - Rosholt,
  - Amherst,
  - Amherst Junction, and
  - Almond-Bancroft

## **The Salvation Army – Food Pantry**

*At The Salvation Army Hope Center, we believe in meeting the basic needs of individuals and families, young and old. These basic needs include food, clothing, shelter, and household needs. While meeting the physical needs, The Salvation Army staff also offer hope and guidance to those coming in for services.*

**Address:** 1600 Briggs Street, Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (715) 341-2437
- Email: [LeighAnn.Trzinski@usc.salvationarmy.org](mailto:LeighAnn.Trzinski@usc.salvationarmy.org)
- Website: <https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/stevenspoint/programs-and-services/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- For non-residents, meals are served daily, in a to go fashion.
- Lunch is served from 11:30-12:30
- Dinner is served from 5:00-6:00

### **Important Information:**

- Basic need services are available Monday through Friday by appointment.
- Individuals or families meet with a staff person in a quiet, confidential setting and determine what type and how much assistance can be provided.

## **Operation Bootstrap – Food Bank**

*Operation Bootstrap is a nonprofit organization that provides transportation services, rent assistance, clothing, medical assistance, utilities assistance and operates a food pantry for indigent individuals in Stevens Point, WI.*

**Address:** 5000 Heffron St, Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-344-1544
- Website:  
[https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=1037200619785809&paipv=0&eav=AfaYxwUsm9HwiswzT38RC-tAcBZYFbSCj0bjhHFbFoTW1kXByx0oXmwWu33reO6nuWs&\\_rdr](https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=1037200619785809&paipv=0&eav=AfaYxwUsm9HwiswzT38RC-tAcBZYFbSCj0bjhHFbFoTW1kXByx0oXmwWu33reO6nuWs&_rdr)

### **Hours of Operation:**

Monday	10AM-4PM
Tuesday	10AM-4PM
Wednesday	10AM-4PM
Thursday	10AM-4PM
Friday	10AM-4PM

### **Important Information:**

- Must be eligible through referral
- All referrals will go through Emergency Services of Portage County (715-344-7438)

## **Rosholt Food Pantry**

*The Rosholt Food Pantry serves families residing in the Rosholt School District area.*

**Address:** 247 Depot St, Rosholt, WI 54473



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: [\(715\) 570-3045](tel:7155703045)
- Email: [rosholtfoodpantry@gmail.com](mailto:rosholtfoodpantry@gmail.com)
- Website: <https://www.facebook.com/p/Rosholt-Food-Pantry-100064686700073/>  
(operate through Facebook)

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Open the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every Month from 3:00pm to 5:00pm

### **Important Information:**

- Eligibility: Live within Rosholt School District Area

## **TRACK (Tomorrow River Area Community Kitchen) Food Pantry**

*TRACK provides emergency assistance of food to families with needs.*

**Address:** Peace Lutheran Church, 293 S. Main Street, Amherst, WI 54406



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: Church Office (715-824-5615)
  - Church Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday 9am-2pm
- Website: <https://trchurch.org/track/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday 8:00-10:00 am
- Thursday 5:00-7:00 pm

### **Important Information:**

- TRACK (Tomorrow River Area Community Kitchen) provides emergency assistance of food for families with needs in the Tomorrow River school district area.



## **Interfaith Food Pantry of Portage County**

*Interfaith Food Pantry is a non-profit organization aimed at helping families in need of food assistance. Food sources include Feeding America, local churches, community organizations, food drives, individuals, business donations and local purchases.*

**Address:** 2820 Post Rd. Plover, WI 54467



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-347-2689
- Email: [InterfaithFoodPantryPoCo@gmail.com](mailto:InterfaithFoodPantryPoCo@gmail.com)
- Website: <https://interfaithfoodpantrypoco.org/welcome/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Open on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of Every month between 4:45pm to 7:45pm

### **Important Information:**

- Items distributed include meat, dairy, fresh produce, bread, canned goods, and personal items.
- All residents of Portage County are eligible.
- Proof of residency is required.

### **Evergreen Community Initiatives – The Place of Peace**

*Each week, people of all walks of life gather at The Place of Peace to share a community meal, prayers, conversation, and their lives. Our cooks come from all over Stevens Point and Central Wisconsin and the menu varies widely*

**Address:** 2151 Stanley St., Stevens Point (lower level of Holy Spirit Parish – use south entrance)



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715.252.7860
- Email: [Smileforchristssake@yahoo.com](mailto:Smileforchristssake@yahoo.com)
- Website: <https://www.wisconsineci.org/programs/place-of-peace/>

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

- Free meal offered every Thursday evening at 5pm

#### **Important Information:**

- The meal is served every Thursday (except Thanksgiving) in Stevens Point, Wisconsin. Doors open at 4:30 pm and dinner is served at 5:00 pm. All are welcome; please feel free to join us.

## Housing Resources

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

### Housing Authority of the County of Portage, WI

*The Housing Authority of the County of Portage owns and operates federally subsidized housing complexes for elderly and disabled households of Portage County, WI. The Mission of the HAPC is to provide decent, safe, and sanitary housing – in compliance with program housing quality standards – for very low-income households while ensuring that household rents are fair, reasonable, and affordable.*

**Address:** 1001 Maple Bluff Rd Ste 1, Stevens Point WI 54482



### Contact Information:

- Phone: 715-346-1392
- Website: <https://www.pchousingauthority.com/>

### Hours of Operation:

- Monday-Friday: 8:00am-4:00pm

### Important Information:

- For Subsidized Properties and Programs - Applicants must be program and income eligible.
- For Unsubsidized Properties – Applicant must be approved by Landlord/Management.
- Criminal background and debt checks are conducted for all our housing programs and managed properties
- Private Landlords and HAPC are responsible for their own criminal background, credit, personal, and landlord checks and income verification
- Does NOT provide immediate; short-term; or emergency housing

## Stevens Point Housing Authority (SPHA)

*The Stevens Point Housing Authority (SPHA) is a public housing agency that provides quality, affordable, and safe housing to low and moderate-income individuals and families in Stevens Point, Wisconsin. Their apartments and homes are near employment opportunities, quality schools, shopping, and public transportation bus routes.*

**Address:** 1300 Briggs Ct. Central Office Stevens Point, WI 54481



### Contact Information:

- Phone: 715-341-3444
- Email: [info@spha-wi.org](mailto:info@spha-wi.org)
- Website: <https://www.spha-wi.org/>

### Hours of Operation:

- Monday – Thursday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
- Friday: 9:00 am - 12pm

### Important Information:

- Eligibility: Public Housing is available to all individuals and/or families who meet income guidelines set by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). It is based on the adjusted gross (pre-tax) annual income, family size, and is limited to U.S. citizens and specified categories of non-citizens who have eligible immigration status.
- Income limits found on website.
- The current waiting list varies from 6 months to 24 months depending on household size.
- To apply, please visit or call the SPHA office during their office hours. The application is also available on SPHA's website

## **Wisconsin Help for Homeowners (WHH) Program – Portage County**

*Wisconsin Help for Homeowners (WHH) is a new statewide program that can help with overdue bills like mortgage payments, property taxes, utilities, and more. The program is open to individuals and families who live in Wisconsin with overdue housing-related bills, both with and without a mortgage, who meet income and other eligibility requirements, and have experienced a qualified economic hardship since January 21, 2020.*

**Address:** 2900 Hoover Road, Suite A Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 1-855-246-6394
- Website: <https://doa.wi.gov/Pages/LocalGovtsGrants/Homeowner-Assistance.aspx>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday – Friday: 8:30am to 5pm

### **Important Information:**

- To qualify for Wisconsin Help for Homeowners your household is at or below 100% of the county median. Income varies by county. To check your income, go to the website
- All eligibility inquiries are found on their website.
- The program deadline has been extended, and applications will be accepted until further notice.

## **Wisconsin Emergency Rental Assistance Program**

*Wisconsinites should not fear being evicted, having their utilities shut off, or being without a place to live because their budgets have been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. The Wisconsin Department of Administration (DOA) is partnering with members of the Wisconsin Community Action Program Association, as well as Energy Services, Inc., to assist eligible renters experiencing financial hardship during the COVID-19 pandemic and provide help with rent, utilities, and/or other housing stability services.*

**Address:** N/A (online)

### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 833-900-9372
- Email: support@wera.help
- Website: <https://doa.wi.gov/Pages/WERA.aspx>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday through Friday: 8:30pm – 5:00pm

### **Important Information:**

- Eligibility found on their website
- Your household may qualify if at least one or more individuals in your home meet the following:
  - 1) Qualifies for unemployment or has experienced a reduction in household income, experienced major costs, or experienced financial struggles due to COVID-19;
  - 2) Demonstrates a risk of being evicted or losing your home;
  - 3) Has a household income at or below 80 percent of the county median ;
  - 4) Has not exceeded 18 months in previous WERA support.

## **The Salvation Army – Rental Assistance**

*The Salvation Army Stevens Point offers a variety of rental assistance programs.*

**Address:** 1600 Briggs St, Stevens Point, WI 5448



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (715)-341-2437
- Email: [suzanne.weis@usc.salvationarmy.org](mailto:suzanne.weis@usc.salvationarmy.org)
- Website: <https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/stevenspoint/provide-housing/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- The Salvation Army Stevens Point Hope Center Hours: open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

### **Important Information:**

- Housing Programs Provided:
  - Rapid Rehousing
    - This program is funded by a grant through the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD). It is designed for individuals experiencing homelessness and needing temporary assistance to obtain and retain housing. The primary focus is on providing participants with housing stabilization while linking participants to community resources through case management.
  - Homeless Prevention Program
    - This program is designed to provide financial assistance in an effort to prevent families and individuals from eviction, losing their homes, or becoming homeless. It is funded by a grant through the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD).
  - Tenant Based Rental Assistance
    - This program is funded through a grant with the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD). This program provides a rental subsidy to assist individuals afford housing costs. The program goal for participants in this program is self-sufficiency and participants engage in case management to achieve program goals

## **CAP Services – Children and youth Services**

*The **Children and Youth Services program** at CAP Services' Family Crisis Center (FCC) is a community-based advocacy program of free and confidential support services in Portage and Waupaca counties. Youth services provide assistance to youth and their parents/guardians in times of crisis.*

**Address:** 1616 West River Drive, Stevens Point 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-343-7125
- Email: [crisis@capmail.org](mailto:crisis@capmail.org)
- Website: <https://capservices.org/what-we-do/health-wellness-safety/fcc/youth/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Family Crisis Center crisis hotline 24 hours a day, 7 day a week

### **Important Information:**

- The youth shelter at the FCC offers a safer place to stay and emergency shelter for unaccompanied youth ages 11-17 who are runaway, homeless, pushed out of the home, or who need temporary respite.
- Staff also provide a 24-hour-a-day toll-free crisis line, walk-in counseling, family mediation, referrals, and a teen healthy relationships group that are available both in and out of shelter.



## **CAP Services – Emergency Shelter**

*Emergency Shelter at CAP Services' Family Crisis Center offers free and confidential 24/7, crisis line and walk in services, as well as being a safer place to stay for victims of domestic or sexual violence and their children. Staff assist victims of violence and their children in identifying alternatives to the problems they are experiencing, and also provide assistance with the completion of temporary restraining order petitions, obtaining child care, securing transportation, finding housing, etc.*

**Address:** 1616 West River Drive, Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-343-7125
- Email: [crisis@capmail.org](mailto:crisis@capmail.org)
- Website: <https://capservices.org/what-we-do/health-wellness-safety/fcc/shelter/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- 24 hours a day/7 days a week

### **Important Information:**

- Folks in shelter are provided with short term emergency housing, food, and other basic needs. But in addition to supplying basic needs, the FCC also has support groups, and provides access to other programs that assist a person in making the changes that they feel are necessary, to moving on to a violence free life.

## **CAP Services – Domestic Violence Outreach**

*CAP Services' Family Crisis Center (FCC) offers services to victims of domestic violence or abuse through offices in Stevens Point, Waupaca and Wautoma as well as through FCC's emergency shelter in Stevens Point.*

**Address:** 1616 West River Drive, Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 1-800-472-3377
- Email: [crisis@capmail.org](mailto:crisis@capmail.org)
- Website: <https://capservices.org/what-we-do/health-wellness-safety/fcc/dv/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- 24 hours a day, 7 day a week

### **Important Information:**

- Services are available 24 hours a day by telephone (1-800-472-3377). Walk-in services are also available 24-hours a day at the FCC shelter in Stevens Point.
- Walk-in services are available at the outreach offices during traditional business hours in Portage, Waupaca, and Waushara counties.
- Services include domestic abuse education, support and advocacy services, court accompaniment, assistance with temporary restraining orders (TRO).

### **Evergreen Community Initiatives: The Warming Center**

*We are very excited to have Frame Memorial Presbyterian Church open their doors to provide sleeping shelter for those in need during the cold Wisconsin winter months! Homelessness is on the rise in the country, and this includes Stevens Point. Because of this steady rise, the Hope Center has often been at capacity and people have been sleeping unsheltered.*

**Address:** 1300 Main Street, Stevens Point WI 54481



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715.252.7860
- Email: smileforchristssake@yahoo.com
- Website: <https://www.wisconsineci.org/programs/warming-center/>

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

- Seasonal-- Call between 10am-2pm,
- Dinner served at 5pm,
- Shelter open 8:30pm- 6am

#### **Important Information:**

- There are no eligibility requirements

## **The Hunger and Poverty Prevention Partnership – RentReady Program**

*The purpose of the program is to provide a training, certification, and rent assurance program that will enable homeless, borderline homeless, and other persons with adverse histories to obtain market-rate rental housing that they otherwise would be unable to obtain.*

**Address:** 1462 Strongs Ave, Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-346-1321
- Email: [rentreadyhppppc@gmail.com](mailto:rentreadyhppppc@gmail.com)
- Website: <https://hppp-pc.com/programs/rent-ready/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- UW- Extension Hours for communication on the program:
  - Monday – Friday: 9:00am-4:30pm

### **Important Information:**

- Program requirements will be found on their website.  
Required training is offered the last Tuesday of every month, 4:30pm to 6:00pm
  - (The County Annex Building – Address Above)
- Program Requirements:
  - Attend a RentReady class, held on the last Tuesday of every month at the Portage County Annex
  - Complete the following paperwork and meet with a Financial Wellness coach:
    - RentReady application
    - RentReady Rental Portfolio Form
    - WI Realtors Rental Application
    - FWPC Spending Plan Form
- Upon completion of all requirements, the participant will be given a certificate of graduation from the program.
- Applications are available at the Salvation Army, the Portage County Library, on request, or scan the QR code for an online application.

## **Sober Living Homes -- Oxford Houses**

*The Sober Living homes are democratically run, self-supporting, and drug free homes serving men, women, and women with children. The houses represent a remarkably effective and low cost method of preventing relapse.*

*Provides: sober living and short-term housing*

### **Address:**

Oxford House OK Bluff :

- 2421 Ok Bluff Circle Plover, WI 54467

Oxford House Riverside

- 1400 College Avenue Stevens Point, WI 54481

### **Contact Information:**

- Phone:
  - OK Bluff: [715-340-4988](tel:715-340-4988)
  - Riverside: 715-544-0132
- Email:
  - [okbluff@oxfordhouse.us](mailto:okbluff@oxfordhouse.us) (Oxford House OK Bluff)
- Website: <https://www.findhelp.org/provider/oxford-house---wisconsin--plover-wi/4985003188551680?postal=54467>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Oxford House OK Bluff
  - Open 24 Hours/7 Days a week
- Oxford House Riverside
  - Monday-Friday: 8:00am-5:00pm

### **Important Information:**

- Rent averages between \$120 - \$140 a week. Lengths of stay average about a year, but there is no pressure on residents in good standing to leave
  - \*\*\*\* Must maintain sobriety while living in the home
- Oxford House Riverside only serves males

## Education Resources

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

### Wisconsin Association for Home and Community education

*HCE is a non-profit organization that partners with UW-Extension Family Living Programs at both the state and county level to bring quality educational programming to our members and our communities. The Wisconsin Association for Home and Community Education (WAHCE) is the statewide organization working with UW-Extension Family Living Programs to provide quality programming to our members and communities. The roof of the home symbolizes our past heritage with Extension Homemakers. The letters **H (Home)**, **C (Community)**, and **E (Education)** make it a suitable logo by the state, county, and club. The house without walls confirms a commitment to membership open to all, regardless of race, color, creed, religion, sex, age, handicap or national origin.*

**Address:** 1462 Strongs Avenue Stevens Point WI 54481-2947



### Contact Information:

- Phone: 715-346-1316
- Website: [www.portage.uwex.edu](http://www.portage.uwex.edu)

### Hours of Operation:

- Monday – Friday: 7:30am to 4:30 pm

### Important Information:

- Our goals are:
  - To provide continuing education for members and others on issues that will strengthen families and communities.
  - To develop and improve leadership skills of members.
  - To build coalitions with other organizations and agencies having similar objectives and concerns as WAHCE, Inc.
  - To promote friendships and understanding with all people of the world

## **Portage County Literacy Council**

*The Portage County Literacy Council (PCLC) is located in Stevens Point. We provide small classes and one-on-one tutors at convenient locations and online. All services are free of charge. Our mission is to help adults that live and/or work in Portage County develop the basic math and English literacy skills necessary to achieve economic self-sufficiency and community integration. Our vision is that all adults have access to literacy services at their level. Our learning opportunities are focused on the learners' goals and advance mutual respect, trust, dignity, and fairness in our community.*

**Address:** 1209 Fremont Street, Stevens Point, WI 54481 (209 and 214 Nelson Hall)



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: Phone: 715-321-6075
- Email: [pclc@pocolit.org](mailto:pclc@pocolit.org)
- Website: <https://pocolit.org/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday through Friday; Via appointment only

### **Important Information:**

- We work with adults who want to improve their reading, writing, and/or math skills. We also work with immigrants and refugees who are learning English. We focus on the skills you need to achieve your goals! You can learn in the way that works best for you:
- *We provide tutors and English classes for adults. All services are free of charge*
- Meet with the same tutor on a weekly basis at a time/place that fits your schedule. Just fill out an application and send it to [pclc@pocolit.org](mailto:pclc@pocolit.org).
- Attend an English class with other adults. Classes are held on Mondays and Fridays from 6:00pm-8:00pm (currently online) and Wednesdays at 10:30am (in-person). To learn more, contact the PCLC.

## Boys & Girls Club of Portage County – Education

*We encourage our youth to be successful in all things academics. At the Boys & Girls Club of Portage County we are able to provide our youth with access to tools and technology that prepare them for the 21st century.*

**Address:** 941 Michigan Ave, Stevens Point WI 54481



### Contact Information:

- Phone: 715.341.4386  
Email: [info@bgclubpc.org](mailto:info@bgclubpc.org)
- Website: <https://www.bgclubpc.org/>

### Hours of Operation:

- Monday-Thursday: 3-7pm
- Friday: 3-6pm

### Important Information:

- Several education programs
- Power Hour
  - Power Hour offers a structured time and place for Club staff, academic tutors and volunteers to help Club kids succeed academically as well as become self-directed, resourceful and independent learners.
- Club Tech
  - Club Tech is a program that teaches our youth to develop the technology skills necessary to succeed in school and in the job market.
- LEAP Reading Program
  - The Literacy Enrichment & Arts Program (LEAP), is our early childhood reading program that focuses primarily on 1st-3rd grade students and is a way we can make reading fun for our youth.



## **Hop4Kids – Education-Online Tutoring/In-person Tutoring**

*Hop4Kids foster innovative and inclusive teaching so that children learn in a safe environment. We are helping to improve children's access to education and encouraging the learning process through the training of teachers and emphasis the benefits of technologies. In addition, we build the knowledge, skills, and values of young people, so they reach their full potential. Therefore, we support non-formal education, strengthen the capacity of communities to perform early learning activities.*

**Address:** ONLINE; In-person services located in San Francisco

### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (415) 860-6288
- Email: [info@hop4kids.org](mailto:info@hop4kids.org)
- Website: <https://hop4kids.org/programs/education/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday-Friday: 9:00 a.m.-5 p.m. (PST)

### **Important Information:**

- **Here are some of the ways your support is used for education:**
  - Providing material support for **supplies, uniforms, shoes, or books**
  - Volunteering as a **math or English tutor** after work
  - Awarding scholarships to attend a **professional school, college or other higher education institutions**
  - **Working directly with parents** to ensure their kids are enrolled in school by providing financial help
  - Partnering with existing educational facilities in the community
- **Educating parents** on how to improve interactions with their kids at home

## **United Way of Portage County -- Education**

*From Cradle to Carrer; From prenatal through young adulthood, (cradle to career), education provides the basis for individual development, advances an inclusive and culturally diverse mindset, supports transition to family-sustaining employment, and builds a strong community.*

**Address:** 2801 Hoover Rd, Unit 2 Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-341-6740
- Email: [uway@unitedwaypoco.org](mailto:uway@unitedwaypoco.org)
- Website: <https://www.unitedwaypoco.org/education>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday-Thursday: 8am-5pm
- Friday: 8pm-12pm

### **Important Information:**

- Priority #1:
  - Portage County children enter kindergarten developmentally on track and ready to succeed
- Priority #2:
  - Portage County youth will be supported on their path to academic success
- Priority #3:
  - Assist young adults in Portage County in accessing career path guidance and opportunities that put them in the best position to achieve their full potential and reduce to their success

## **Portage County Public Libraries**

- Almond Branch
  - 122 Main Street, Almond
  - 715-366-2151
  - Hours of operation:
    - Tuesday: 10am-1:30pm & 2pm-6pm
    - Wednesday-Friday: 2pm-6pm
- Stevens Point Branch
  - 1001 Main St., Stevens Point
  - 715-346-1544
  - Hours of operation:
    - Monday-Thursday: 9am-8pm
    - Friday: 9am-6pm
    - Saturday: 9am-5pm
- Plover Branch
  - 2151 Roosevelt Dr., Plover
  - 715-341-4007
  - Hours of operation:
    - Tuesday-Thursday: 9am-7pm
    - Friday: 9am-5pm
    - Saturday: 9:30am-1pm
- Rosholt Branch
  - 137 N. Main St., Rosholt
  - 715-677-4512
  - Hours of operation:
    - Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 2pm-6pm
    - Wednesday: 10am-6pm

## **Community Colleges in Portage County**

- Mid-State Technical College
  - 1001 Centerpoint Dr, Stevens Point, WI 54481
  - 715-344-3063
  - Hours of operation:
    - Monday-Thursday: 7:30pm-7pm
    - Friday: 7:30pm-4:30pm
    - Saturday: 9am-1pm
- Madison Area Technical College – Portage Campus
  - 330 W Collins St., Portage, WI 53901
  - 608-745-3100
  - Hours of operation:
    - Monday-Thursday: 8am-6pm
    - Friday: 8am-4pm

## Employment Resources

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

### Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)

*Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act or WIOA was signed into law in July of 2014 replacing Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (WIA). WIOA is designed to strengthen and improve our nation's public workforce system and help Americans, including youth and those with significant barriers, into high-quality jobs and careers. Additionally, it is designed to help employers hire and retain skilled workers. WIOA is an employment first program and our primary goal is to get customers back into the workforce. If individuals are unsuccessful in utilizing Resource Room Services to meet their employment needs, then eligible participants can receive staff assisted services. The services vary based upon the needs of the customer as identified through the assessment process. There are two primary types of services—staff assisted services and training services.*

**Address:** 1100 Centerpoint Drive, Suite 201 Stevens Point, WI 54481



### Contact Information:

- Phone: 715-544-1562
- Website: <https://fsc-corp.org/our-services/wioa/>

### Hours of Operation:

- Monday-Friday: 8am-4:30pm

### Important Information:

- Service Types:
  - WIOA Programs
  - Job Search/Placement
  - Vocational Assessment
- The Workforce Innovation and Opportunities Act was enacted to help get Americans, including adults, youth and those who have been laid off, into high-quality jobs and careers and help employers hire and retain skilled workers. The program provides one-on-one case management services. Services range from job search assistance, resume writing, job development, referrals to other agencies and other coordinated activities. The program will assess to determine an individual's eligibility for Workforce Innovations and Opportunity Act (WIOA) services.

## Highway Construction Skills Training (HCST)

HCST trains minorities, females, and other people for exciting jobs in construction. A free 180-hour training course will prepare you for the industry as you learn the skills and attitude you'll need to succeed.

**Address:** 1100 Centerpoint Drive, Suite 201 Stevens Point, WI 54481



### Contact Information:

- Phone: (715) 544-1562
- Website: <https://fsc-corp.org/our-services/highway-construction-skills-training-hcst/>

### Hours of Operation:

- Monday-Friday: 8am-4:30pm

### Important Information:

- **The construction industry needs you**
  - Only one person enters the trades for every four people leaving today, so construction companies need to hire people for these good-paying careers. Construction laborers start at \$35,000 a year and quickly earn more with additional training and experience.
- **Come to an HCST Info Session**
  - If you're looking for a career with real potential, contact us to find out when our next HCST info session is.
  - HCST is a six week intensive training program that prepares workers for careers in the road construction industry. HCST also works with program graduates to find employment and ensure their continued success.
- The HCST program works to create opportunity for groups historically underrepresented in the construction industry, including women and people of color.

## **ARC Resumes**

*Consult to understand your desires and needs for your resume. Write your resume with emphasis on a professional summary. Create a narrative about your career with soft skills that convey your personality. Maximize your employment options with carefully structured core competencies. Compose a unique cover letter per your desires to enhance your overall employment application. Discuss your feedback, answer your questions, and develop any changes upon delivery of the resume.*

**Address:** ONLINE

### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 770-692-3189
- Email: arlen@arcresumes.com
- Website: <https://www.arcresumes.com/local/wisconsin/portage/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday-Friday: 9am-6pm Eastern Time Zone

### **Important Information:**

- Here is the ARC process and offerings:
  - Consult to understand your desires and needs for your resume.
  - Write your resume with emphasis on a professional summary.
  - Create a narrative about your career with soft skills that convey your personality.
  - Maximize your employment options with carefully structured core competencies.
  - Compose a unique cover letter per your desires to enhance your overall employment application.
  - Discuss your feedback, answer your questions, and develop any changes upon delivery of the resume.
- Additional services consist of:
  - Design a follow-up letter to find the status of your application.
  - Develop a compensation / salary letter if needed for opening negotiations.
  - Provide a thank you letter for after your interview.
  - Establish a 30-60-90-day plan for your new employment.
  - Comprehensive interview counseling to equip you for interview questions and fashion your responses to those questions.

## Wisconsin Job Center – Portage County

*If you need assistance with resume writing, job applications, interview tips, JobCenterofWisconsin.com registration, or navigating the Unemployment Insurance online system, contact **Job Service**. We also offer workshops and career exploration tools.*

**Address:** 1001 Maple Bluff Rd, Stevens Point, WI 54481



### Contact Information:

- Phone: (715) 261-8700
- Email: [northcentraljobcenters@dwd.wisconsin.gov](mailto:northcentraljobcenters@dwd.wisconsin.gov)
- Website: <https://jobcenterofwisconsin.com/Presentation/JobSeekers/Default.aspx>

### Hours of Operation:

- Monday-Friday: 8am-4:30pm

### Important Information:

- Can help you with a range of employment abilities
  - Create/edit resume
  - Job searchers
  - Job loss Resources
- **Program Name/s:** Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Title III, Wagner Peyser, RESEA, Job Service

## **Honest Jobs (Job Platform & Services for Criminal Justice Involved Individuals)**

*Honest Jobs is a national job marketplace for people who have been affected by the criminal justice system. Every time you search for a job with us, our system analyzes thousands of job descriptions near you. We create "smart matches" by taking into consideration your unique criminal history and comparing it to the required job duties, showing you how compatible a job is with your specific background, resulting in a much quicker path to employment!*

**Address:** ONLINE

### **Contact Information:**

- Email: [ContactUs@HonestJobs.com](mailto:ContactUs@HonestJobs.com)
- Website: <https://www.honestjobs.com/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

Monday	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM EDT
Tuesday	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM EDT
Wednesday	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM EDT
Thursday	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM EDT
Friday	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM ED

### **Important Information:**

- This program provides:
  - Job listings
  - Placement services
  - Resume assistance
  - Resource information
- We use our own fair-chance hiring platform for roles within Honest Jobs. To apply, create an account - or use your existing one. Bookmark the link, so you can check back for new roles. We're excited to keep growing our team and our impact!
- We're a fair-chance (second-chance) employer and actively encourage people with personal lived experience with the criminal justice system to apply. For all full-time employees, we offer medical, dental, vision, and life insurance, 401(k), and paid time off (PTO). All of our open roles include the pay range, in accordance with Colorado law and our commitment to pay equity



## **Udacity – Career Resources**

*You've got the skills. Now it's time to determine what's next in your career journey. Use Udacity's Career resources to reflect on your career pathway and better prepare for what's next. Our set of Career Resources offers you courses in self-reflection, digital profile optimization, and technical interview preparation.*

**Address:** ONLINE

### **Contact Information:**

- Website: <https://www.udacity.com/school/career-resources>
- Check out our Twitter @UdacitySupport

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Available Monday through Friday, 2am-8pm Pacific Time
- Live chat is available Sunday-Saturday

### **Important Information:**

- Provide free career resources programs
- A variety of Udacity schools to choose from
- Must pay "Plans for Business"
  - Different Udacity plans that provide different resources

**EdX For Business**

*Transform talent across all levels of your business. Choose among our vast range of comprehensive upskilling and reskilling solutions designed to foster individual development — and power organizational success. Choose from our curated range of programs that align with capabilities and skill areas most crucial to organizational success.*

**Address:** ONLINE

**Contact Information:**

- Website: <https://business.edx.org/business#Contact-Form>

**Hours of Operation:**

- Courses are open 24 hours a day/7 days a week

**Important Information:**

- The edX Academies offer a curated selection of programs designed to align with the most vital capabilities and skill areas crucial to organizational success. Within each edX Academy, we have curated options of both executive education and self paced programs to meet the different learning needs of employees at various levels within your organization.

## **Central Wisconsin Community Action Council – Enhanced Skills Program**

*In November 2005 we entered into a contract with the Department of Workforce Development to increase the income and economic self-sufficiency of working poor households by helping adult members acquire the skills needed to obtain higher paying jobs with health insurance benefits. We will work with eligible participants during the year to identify training goals that will result in an increase in their annual income, by increasing their hourly wage, increasing the number of hours worked weekly and accessing employer-sponsored health insurance.*

**Address:** 203 DeWitt Street Portage, WI 53901



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (608) 432-4359
- Email: [wendy@cwcac.org](mailto:wendy@cwcac.org)
- Website: <https://www.cwcac.org/programs-services/enhanced-skills-program/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday-Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

### **Important Information:**

- The Enhanced Skills program is not intended to assist individuals who wish to attend school full-time, who expect to be in training for a long time, for those who are not working, or for those whose training will not result in increased self-sufficiency.
- Eligibility
  - must be 18 or older
  - must be at or below 150% of poverty
  - must be employed minimum of 20 hours/week and MAINTAIN employment during training
  - must work with the Job Skills Coach on developing a training plan
  - must apply for financial aid or other programs for which they may be eligible
  - must maintain residence in Wisconsin

## Healthcare Resources

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

### Portage County Health & Human Services – Community Health Clinic

*Portage County Health and Human Services provides several resources aiding the health of the community members.*

**Address:** 1519 Water St, Stevens Point, WI 54481 Lincoln center, ADRC Health Room



#### Contact Information:

- Phone: 715-345-5350
- Website: <https://www.co.portage.wi.gov/277/Community-Health-Clinic-Information>

#### Hours of Operation:

- Tuesdays, 3-5:30pm, by appointment only

#### Important Information:

- The community health clinic provides several services:
  - Adult immunizations
  - Childhood immunizations
  - Free flu and other vaccine information
  - COVID-19 vaccine information and Scheduling

## **Marshfield Medical Center – River Region Stevens Point Campus**

*Marshfield Medical Center-River Region Stevens Point Campus includes a 24-hour emergency department, urgent care, surgical services, an inpatient unit and a full complement of hospital-based services like lab and imaging, all located close to home.*

**Address:** 4100 State Highway 66 Stevens Point, WI 54482



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-997-6000
- Website: <https://www.marshfieldclinic.org/locations/centers/Stevens%20Point%20-%20Marshfield%20Medical%20Center-River%20Region>

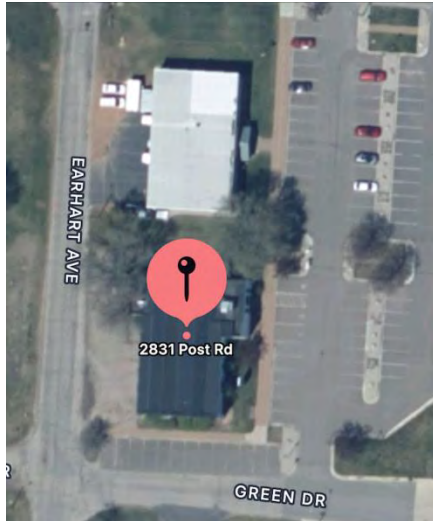
### **Hours of Operation:**

- Hospital Building
  - Open 24/7
  - Visiting: Sunday-Saturday, 8 a.m.-8 p.m.
  - Emergency Department: Open 24/7
  - Urgent Care: 8 a.m.-8 p.m. daily (including holidays)
- Medical Offices Building
  - Primary Care: Monday and Tuesday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. | Wednesday-Friday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
  - Lab Services: Monday-Friday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
  - Radiology: Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. | Friday, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.
  - Cancer Care: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
  - Pediatrics: Monday-Friday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Optical Care:
  - Monday: 9 a.m. - Noon & 1 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
  - Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 8 a.m. - Noon & 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.
  - Friday: 7 a.m. - Noon & 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
- COVID-19 testing is available. Contact your primary care provider or the Nurse Line at 844-342-6276 for an appointment.

## Cornerstone Clinic – Mental Health Associates

*Welcome to Cornerstone Clinic! We are a privately owned outpatient mental health clinic committed to providing quality mental health care while encouraging holistic health and wellness. We promote a balance of the highest quality, evidence-based practices of psychotherapy, traditional medicine, and alternative medicine to support mental health.*

**Address:** 2831 Post Road Suite 300 Plover, WI 54467



### Contact Information:

- Phone: 715-600-2798
- Website: <https://cornerstoneclinicwi.com/>

### Hours of Operation:

- Monday: 8am – 7 pm
- Tuesday: 8am – 7 pm
- Wednesday: 8am – 5 pm
- Thursday: 8am – 5 pm
- Friday: 8am – 12pm

### Important Information

- We currently have mental health counseling, dietitian consulting, and psychiatric medication management. The traditional approach to mental health largely focuses on only medications and therapy, perhaps some talk of nutrition. However, we believe very strongly in promoting overall wellness which in turn improves mental health.

## **Northwest Journey**

*Northwest Journey consistently uses evidence-informed practices to provide high-quality and effective mental health treatment to youth in our program. Our individualized and family-centered treatment plans and approaches are developed with a strength-based and trauma-informed perspective. We draw on the strengths and coping skills children and families bring to the treatment process to help facilitate change and enhance healthy skills and relationships, which results in a more productive and satisfying life experience.*

**Address:** 2916 Borham Ave, Suite A Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (715) 997-9486
- Email: [KatieW@nwcgc.com](mailto:KatieW@nwcgc.com)
- Website: <https://nwcgc.com/programs/journeys/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday-Friday: 8am-4pm

### **Important Information:**

- Accepts school aged children
- Our goal is to make this process as easy as possible for clients and their families. We are willing to come to you to meet in person and help walk you through the process. It is helpful for the process if you have the following on items on hand:
  - Your insurance card
  - Well-Child exam paperwork
  - Guardianship Paperwork (*for children in out of home placements*)
- Northwest Journey is a mental health day treatment program unlike any other in the state of Wisconsin for children and adolescents. Consider Northwest Journey when:
  - Traditional weekly outpatient counseling and/or therapy is no longer effective.
  - Your child's behaviors are becoming increasingly unmanageable at home, in school or the community.
  - Your child is going to be discharged from an inpatient hospital, residential or group home setting.
  - Your child's mental health is impeding daily living skills.

## **CAP Services' Family Crisis Center (FCC) -- Sexual Assault Victim Services**

*SAVS staff and volunteer advocates provide services for anyone who has been affected by sexual violence, and are available 24/7 through the FCC crisis hotline or as walk-in support at FCC's emergency shelter*

**Address:** 1616 W River Dr, Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (715) 343-7125
- Website: <https://capservices.org/what-we-do/health-wellness-safety/fcc/savs/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Open 24 hours a day/7 days a week

### **Important Information:**

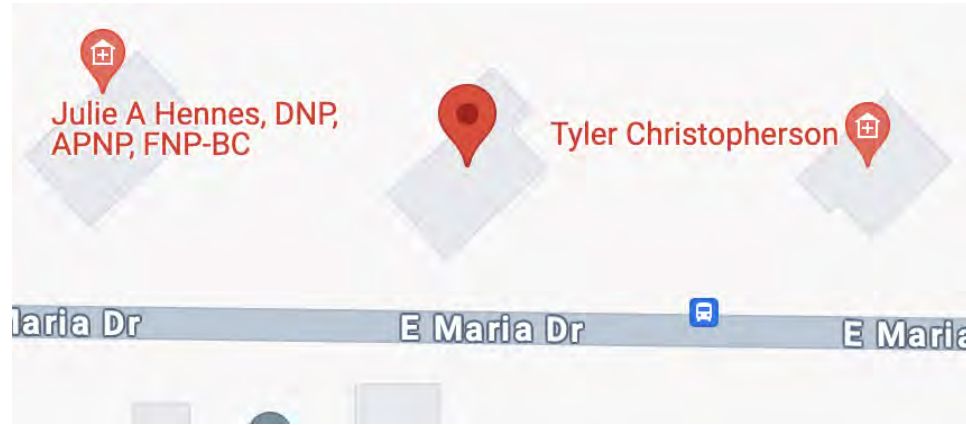
- Advocates are trained professionals who offer a wide range of support services for the survivor, as well as their family, friends, and other caring individuals in their life. By adhering to strict confidentiality laws, advocates are here for you to talk with about anything related to your assault no matter when it occurred. Creating a judgement free and safe space for survivors of all genders, sexualities, races, ability levels, religions, ages, and identities is of utmost importance to the SAVS program
- What We Do:
  - Offer cost-free, confidential and supportive advocacy
  - Referral and information sharing
  - Accompaniment for medical, legal, and justice related services
  - Provide individual, family, or support group advocacy meetings
  - Bilingual and bicultural advocates available
  - Present educational sessions in schools, businesses, and other civic and community organizations throughout the service area
  - Advocate for new policy and build partnerships to develop a coordinated community response to protect and assist survivors of sexual violence
  - Empower survivors, concerned individuals, and organizations to ultimately end sexual violence in our communities and to hold perpetrators accountable



## Aspirus Behavioral Health Clinic – Stevens Point – E Maria Drive

*Behavioral Health and Counseling Services are provided. We have counselors and social workers experienced in helping you find a balance when conditions like anxiety and depression complicate your health and well-being.*

**Address:** 3398 E Maria Drive Stevens Point, WI 54481



### Contact Information:

- Phone: (715) 343-2056
- Website: <https://www.aspirus.org/find-a-location/aspirus-behavioral-health-clinic-stevens-point-e-m-518>

### Hours of Operation:

- Monday: 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM
- Tuesday - Thursday: 7:00 AM - 6:00 PM
- Friday: 7:00 AM - 3:00 PM

### Important Information:

- Like medicine, it may take time before you notice how much counseling is helping. Our team is experienced in outpatient counseling and therapy to assist you and your family with:
  - Anxiety and depression
  - Behavioral concerns
  - Eating disorders
  - Grief and loss
  - Trauma
- We collaborate with other Aspirus facilities in the Stevens Point area to give you access to inpatient and residential services that you or your loved ones may need.

## **Aspirus Behavioral Health Clinic – Stevens Point – Wilshire Blvd**

*We have doctors, counselors, and social workers experienced in helping you find a balance when your health and well-being is complicated by the stress of every-day life.*

**Address:** 122 Wilshire Boulevard N Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (715) 341-7441
- Website: <https://www.aspirus.org/find-a-location/aspirus-behavioral-health-clinic-stevens-point-wil-519>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday-Thursday: 8am-5pm  
Friday: 8am-2pm  
Or by appointment outside specified hours.

### **Important Information:**

- Our team is ready with a variety of outpatient counseling, group therapy and addiction programs to assist you and your family with:
  - Anxiety and depression
  - Behavioral concerns
  - Eating disorders
  - Grief and loss
  - Substance abuse
  - Trauma
- We collaborate with other facilities in Portage County to give you access to inpatient and residential services that you or your loved ones may need. We also work closely with community partners and schools to create a network of care particularly for those are struggling with substance abuse or opioid addiction.

## **Aspirus Stevens Point Clinic – Illinois Ave**

*At Aspirus Stevens Point Clinic - Illinois Avenue, our board-certified doctors, specialists and nurse practitioners provide residents of all ages with personalized, compassionate healthcare services. Each time you visit our clinic, your doctor begins with listening. By understanding you and your health and by working together, we help make sure you're getting the care you need and the best care possible.*

**Address:** 824 Illinois Avenue Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (715) 346-5000
- Website: <https://www.aspirus.org/find-a-location/aspirus-stevens-point-clinic-illinois-ave-517>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday through Friday: 7am-5pm

### **Important Information:**

- Provides several services:
  - Allergy/Immunology
  - Audiology
  - Breast Care & Mammography
  - Dermatology
  - Digestive Care (GI)
  - Ear, Nose & Throat Care (Otolaryngology)
  - Eye Care & Surgery
  - Imaging (Radiology)
  - Internal Medicine
  - Mammography
  - Obstetrics & Gynecology
  - Pediatrics
  - Podiatry (Foot & Ankle Care)
  - Spine & Neurosciences
  - Surgery
  - Urology
  - Wound Care

## **Behavioral Health Clinic**

*At Behavioral Health Clinic, you'll find the highest quality, state-of-the-art mental health services for individuals of any age. Our licensed psychologists and psychotherapists provide a variety of counseling services to children, adolescents, adults, families, and couples. Getting started is simple; visit our team page to find counselors who best fit your care needs.*

**Address:** 2417 Post Rd Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 855-607-8242
- Email: [appointments@bhcvausau.com](mailto:appointments@bhcvausau.com)
- Website: <https://wibehavioralhealth.com/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8am-5pm; Friday 8am- 4:30pm

### **Important Information:**

- Provides several counseling and assessment services:
  - Individual counseling
  - Group therapy
  - Accelerated Comprehensive Evaluations (ACE)
  - Relationship and Sex Therapy
  - Autism, ADHD + Learning assessments
  - Online Counseling

## **Peaceful Pines Healing Practices, LLC**

*Welcome to Peaceful Pines Healing Practices, LLC, where a genuine, compassionate and holistic approach to therapy is embraced. Whether you are looking for someone down-to-earth who can be there to listen and support you in your most difficult times, or you are seeking alternative approaches to change your life for the better, I can help. I pride myself on being genuine, approachable and non-judgmental. I value a holistic approach to therapy, working to incorporate the emotional, physical, mental and spiritual aspect of each individual into the therapeutic process. I also believe in utilizing cutting edge and alternative healing methods, when appropriate and desired, to help facilitate therapy.*

**Address:** 1840 Post Road Suite 8 Plover, WI 54467



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: (920) 229-3929
- Email: [annasyke@gmail.com](mailto:annasyke@gmail.com)
- Website: <https://www.peacefulpineshealingpractices.com/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday-Friday 11am-8pm.

### **Important Information:**

- We are in network with several major insurance companies including: Security Health Plan and Security Administration, WEA Trust, Anthem Blue Cross/Blue Shield, Humana, Aspirus Health Plan and WPS. Teletherapy (counseling via secure computer interface, similar to Skype or Zoom) is also available.
- Provides a variety of counseling and therapy services

## Substance Use Disorder Resources

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

### The Salvation Army – AA & NA Meetings

*The Hope Center offers both AA (Alcoholics Anonymous) and NA (Narcotics Anonymous) meetings.*

**Address:** 1600 Briggs Street, Stevens Point, WI 54481



### Contact Information:

- Phone: (715) 341-2437
- Email: [LeighAnn.Trzinski@usc.salvationarmy.org](mailto:LeighAnn.Trzinski@usc.salvationarmy.org)
- Website: <https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/stevenspoint/programs-and-services/>

### Hours of Operation:

- Meetings are held Thursdays at 6:30 p.m.

### Important Information:

- Both meetings are open to community members as well as Hope Center clients

### **Aspirus Behavioral Health: Residential Treatment**

*Aspirus Behavioral Health Residential Treatment Center offers comprehensive drug or alcohol dependency treatment in a residential setting. Staff members are on-site 24 hours a day to provide intervention and crisis management in the treatment of teen and adult substance abuse and opioid addiction, and are certified to administer Suboxone (buprenorphine). Accept BadgerCare.*

**Address:** 201 Prentice Street N Stevens point, WI 54481



#### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-345-0711
- Website: <https://www.aspirus.org/find-a-location/aspirus-behavioral-health-residential-treatment-ce-544>

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

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

#### **Important Information:**

- Aspirus Behavioral Health Residential Treatment Center - Stevens Point offers comprehensive drug or alcohol dependency treatment in a residential setting. Our doctors, counselors, and social workers are experienced in helping patients find a balance when conditions like anxiety and depression complicate your health and sobriety
- If you are experiencing a mental health crisis and need help, go to the emergency room.

## **Opportunity Development Centers (ODC): Mental Health Services**

*ODC provides support to adults, adolescents and children through recovery from mental health and/or substance abuse disorders. ODC's Mental Health Services are provided in collaboration with the county's Comprehensive Community Services (CCS) program. Contact the county's human services department to request services*

**Address:** 2801 Hoover Road Suite 1D Stevens Point, Wisconsin 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-424-2712
- Email: [info@odcinc.com](mailto:info@odcinc.com)
- Website: <https://www.odcinc.com/mental-health-services>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday-Friday: 9:00am-3:30pm

### **Important Information**

- ODC provides several services:
  - Outpatient mental health clinic
  - Community mental health services



## **Destiny Point Women's Restoration Home**

*Destiny Point's eight bedroom home offers a residential program, free of charge, to help women overcome issues such as drug/alcohol abuse, eating disorders, suicidal tendencies, sexual and physical abuse, co-dependency, shame, depression and other life controlling issues. Destiny Point provides a holistic, faith-based approach in an environment conducive to life changing transformation. The vision of Destiny Point includes providing women with shelter, food, clothing, education, basic life skills, counseling, mentors and support, not just treatment.*

**Address:** 10095 Cty Rd F Milladore, Wi 54454



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-652-2027
- Email: [destinypoint.inc@gmail.com](mailto:destinypoint.inc@gmail.com)
- Website: <https://www.destinypoint.net/>

### **Hours of Operation**

- Monday-Friday: 9:00am-5:00pm

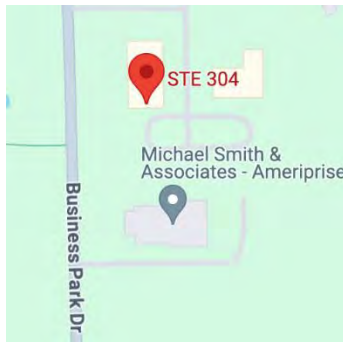
### **Important Information:**

- Destiny Point Women's Restoration Home helps women that are struggling with addictions, PTSD, abuse, childhood wounds, unplanned pregnancy, rejection and low self-esteem. Our free 1 year residential program helps by not focusing on the problem, but by helping to heal from the inside-out!
- Our mission is to address the whole person; physical, spiritual, social and emotional through our comprehensive program providing guidance, training, lifestyle awareness, mentoring and structure. Our women's home provides the environment needed for total life changing transformation
- Apply on their website!

## **Advocate Psychotherapy Services (Not Psychological)**

*Provides psychotherapy and mental health counseling services to adults, adolescents, families and couples. Available services include but are not limited to anger management, Christian counseling, cognitive therapy, couples therapy, individual counseling, mood disorder treatment, family therapy, stress management, and addiction counseling.*

**Address:** 3233A Business Park Drive Suite 304 Stevens Point, WI 54482



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 800-681-2374
- Email: [office@advocatepsychotherapyservices.com](mailto:office@advocatepsychotherapyservices.com)
- Website: <https://www.advocatepsychservices.com/>

### **Hours of Operation**

- Monday-Friday: 9:00am-5pm

### **Important Information:**

- In general we can work with clients as young as Kindergarten or 1st grade all the way up through Seniors (although none of us are Medicare approved providers). Teens, Couples, Families, and Individual Adults are all welcome.
- Our diverse staff can help with a variety of issues including:
  - Addictions and Anger
  - Child and Teen Development Challenges
  - Communication and Conflict Concerns
  - Faith Based and Self Worth Concerns
  - Impact of Grief, Loss, Health and Divorce
  - Parenting and Relationship Challenges
  - School, Social and Personal Direction Issues
  - Various Mood Difficulties
  - And More.....

## **Marshfield Clinic Plover Counseling Center**

*Marshfield Clinic Health System Plover Counseling Center has a long history of serving our community and surrounding areas. We focus on helping you feel empowered and strive to help you along the path to positive growth and well-being.*

**Address:** 2450 Vineyard Dr Plover, WI 54467



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 715-342-0290
- Website:  
<https://www.marshfieldclinic.org/Locations/Centers/Plover%20Counseling%20Center>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Monday – Thursday: 8:00am – 5:00pm

### **Important Information:**

- We offer a wide variety of services, including:
  - Treatment of ADHD/ADD
  - Therapy for depression and anxiety
  - Relationship counseling
  - Family counseling
  - Parenting support
  - Grief counseling
  - Work and career issues
  - Stress management
  - Addiction assessment, treatment and recovery
  - Gambling assessment and treatment
  - Conflict resolution
  - Trauma and abuse recovery
  - Bi-polar disorder
  - Chronic pain
  - Gender dysphoria

## **Alcoholics Anonymous – District 04 Area 74**

*Open meetings are available to anyone interested in Alcoholics Anonymous' program of recovery from alcoholism.*

**Address:** 3516 Stanley St Stevens Point, WI 54481



### **Contact Information:**

- Phone: 888-292-6677
- Website: <https://www.aawidistrict04.org/meetings/open-door-meeting/>

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Mondays at 6:30pm

### **Important Information:**

- Nonalcoholic individuals may attend open meetings as observers.

## Social Support Resources

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

### 2617 Recovery Club

*The 2617 Club is a non-profit organization, dedicated to supporting recovery in the Stevens Point area with meeting space for 12 Step Organizations, fellowship and social activities.*

**Address:** 1578 Strongs Avenue Stevens Point, WI 54481



### Contact Information:

- Email: President -- Tim Krogman [president@2617recoveryclub.org](mailto:president@2617recoveryclub.org)
- Website: <https://2617recoveryclub.org/>

### Hours of Operation:

- Sunday: 10:30am & 7:30pm
- Monday: 5:30pm
- Tuesday: 6:30pm
- Wednesday: 5:00pm
- Thursday: 5:30pm & 6:30pm
- Friday: 6:15am, 12:30pm, 6:00pm, 6:30pm

### Important Information:

- They hold several groups:
  - Alcoholics Anonymous
  - Narcotics Anonymous
  - Al-Anon
  - Alateen
  - Overeaters Anonymous
  - Sex Addicts Anonymous

**Portage County Health and Human Services Department: Mental Health Crisis Line**

- Address: Ruth Gilfry Center - 817 Whiting Avenue Stevens Point, WI 54481
- Phone 1: (866)-317-9362 Toll Free Crisis Line