Where to Turn Resource Directory

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Preface

The Where to Turn Resource Directory is published by the Essex County Office for the Aging, Essex County NY Connects, and the Mental Health Association in Essex County, Inc. This resource is provided to consumers, caregivers, and providers to assist in identifying services that may benefit our community members. Our community members are privileged to have access to a wide array of services that will assist them with carrying out their day-to-day tasks.

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ABUSE: CHILDREN AND ADULTS

Adult Protective Services

Essex County Department of Social Services 132 Water Street P.O. Box 217 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3550 Fax: 518-873-3794

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/

Services for people 18+ with physical and/or mental impairments unable to protect themselves or their resources, cannot provide for their basic needs, and have no one willing and able to help in a responsible manner.

Behavioral Health Services North, Inc.

22 U.S. Oval – Suite 218 Plattsburgh, NY 12903 Tel: 518-563-8206 Fax: 518-563-9958

Website: www.bhsn.org Clinical Services (Plattsburgh)

2155 NY 22B

Morrisonville, NY 12962

Tek: 518-563-8000

Treatment programs for emotionally disturbed children and adults, elder care, respite and caregiver support services, domestic violence services.

Child Abuse Hotline

NY State Office of Children & Family Services

Tel: 800-342-3720

Website: www.ocfs.ny.gov/main/cps 24-hour hotline; caller anonymity guaranteed.

Child Find of America, Inc.

P.O. Box 277 New Paltz, NY 12561

Tel: 845-883-6060, 1-800-I-AM-LOST

Email: information@childfindofamerica.org Website: www.childfindofamerica.org/

Brings missing and abducted children home and prevents and resolves the family conflicts that can lead to child abduction and abuse.

ABUSE: CHILDREN AND ADULTS (cont.)

Child Protective Services

Essex County Department of Social Services 7551 Court Street P.O. Box 217 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3404

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/

Investigation and assessment services to children, safeguarding the well-being of abused and neglected children, ensuring safety to the child, and preserving and stabilizing family whenever possible.

Essex County Sheriff's Office

P.O. Box 68 702 Stowersville Road Lewis. New York 12950

Tel: 518-873-6321

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/

Local Police

Lake Placid Police - 518-523-3306 Moriah Police - 518-546-7286 Saranac Lake - 518-891-4428 Ticonderoga Police - 518-585-3456 For Emergencies, please dial 911

NY State Coalition against Domestic and Sexual Violence

119 Washington Avenue

Albany, NY 12210 Tel: 518-482-5465

Tel: 1-800-942-6906 - NYS Hotline

Fax: 518-482-3807

Website: www.nyscadv@nyscadv.org

Hotline, crisis counseling, works to ensure the effective and appropriate services to survivors through community outreach, training, technical assistance, and policy development.

Sexual Assault Services of Essex County

6470 Main St, Suite 2 **PO Box 582**

Westport, NY 12993

24-Hour Hotline: 877-212-2323

Counseling on sexual assault issues and relationships over the age of 12. 24-hour hotline, crisis counseling, therapy, advocacy, information and referrals, prevention education/training. Services are provided to victims of sexual assault no matter when the assault occurred. Whether it was 2 hours ago or 20 years ago, services can be provided. Crime Victims Board claims.

ABUSE: CHILDREN AND ADULTS (cont.)

Stop Domestic Violence P.O. Box 97

P.O. Box 97 Main St Westport, NY 12993

Tel: 1-888-563-6904 or 518-962-8948

Emergency shelter, counseling, education, crisis intervention and support groups, advocacy, community presentations, 24-hour hotline.

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AID TO BLIND, DEAF, AND DISABLED

<u>Advocacy for the Developmentally Disabled (Starbridge)</u>

1650 South Avenue, Suite 200

Rochester, NY 14620 Tel: 585-546-1700 Fax: 585-224-7100

Web: www.starbridgeinc.org

Information and referral for developmentally disabled, employment and community living services, community education.

Behavioral Health Services North, Inc.

22 U.S. Oval, Suite 218 Plattsburgh, NY 12903 Tel: 518-563-8206

Fax: 518-563-9958 Website: www.bhsn.org

Offers behavioral health, case management, psychiatric, mental health, outpatient treatments, rehabilitation, counseling, nursing, alcohol and drug testing, and employee assistance services.

Board of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES)

Champlain Valley Educational Services (CVES)

Malone Campus 23 Huskie Lane Malone, NY 12953 Tel: 518-483-6420

Mineville Campus 3092 Plank Road Mineville, NY 12956 Tel: 518-942-6691

Plattsburgh Campus 1585 Military Turnpike Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-536-7340

Website: www.cves.org

CV-TEC Programs: Building trades, natural resource management, allied health, cosmetology, auto technology, child care, special education programs, alternative ed/GED prep.

Center for Disability Services

314 South Manning Blvd. Albany, NY 12208 Tel: 518-437-5700

Website: www.cfdsny.org

The Center for Disability Services provides services throughout upstate New York to enable and empower people, primarily those with disabilities, to lead healthy and enriched lives.

Cerebral Palsy Association of the North Country

380 County Rte 51 (Creighton Road)

Malone, NY 12953 Tel: 518-483-1076 Fax: 518-483-1039

Website: www.cpnorthcountry.org

Provides family services, advocacy, and community living options for people with disabilities.

Client Assistance Program

Resource Center for Independent Living, Inc.

131 Genesee St, PO Box 210

Utica, NY 13503-0210 Tel: 315-797-4642 Fax: 315-797-4747 Website: www.rcil.com

Support, education, and advocacy for people with disabilities to ensure that choices for independent living are respected.

Clover Patch Camp

55 Helping Hand Lane Glenville, NY 12302 Tel: 518-384-3042 Fax: 518-384-3001

Website: www.cloverpatchcamp.org

Clover Patch Camp serves as a residential summer camp for adults and children with developmental disabilities. Operated by the Center for Disability Services, camp also serves as a respite for families providing a fully accessible facility, including an accessible therapeutic swimming pool, with trained staff.

Eleanor M. Luse Center for Disorders of Communication

UVM College of Nursing & Health Science

489 Main Street Burlington, VT 05401 Tel: 802-656-3861 Fax: 802-656-2528 Website: www.uvm.edu

Provides hearing health care, voice, speech, and language therapy, and treatment for stuttering in children and adults.

Learning Disabilities Association of NY State

1202 Troy Schenectady Road

Latham, NY 12110 Tel: 518-608-8992 Fax: 518-608-8993

Website: www.ldanys.org/

Individual case advocacy, community education, information and referral for people with learnings disabilities and related neurological impairments.

Medicaid Program

Essex County Department of Social Services

7551 Court Street PO Box 217

Elizabethtown, New York 12932 Tel: 518-873-3441, 518-873-3450

Fax: 518-873-3499

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/

Assistance program for low-income individuals/families or people with disabilities who are unable to pay for medical care.

Mental Health Association in Essex County, Inc.

6096 NYS Route 9N Westport, NY 12993 Tel: 518-962-2077 Tel: 800-440-8074 Fax: 518-962-8233

Website: www.mhainessex.org/

A wide range of programs to facilitate the recovery of people who have experienced mental illness

Mountain Lake Services

10 St. Patrick's Place Port Henry, NY 12974 Tel: 518-546-3381 Fax: 518-546-7138

Website: www.mountainlakeservices.org/

Residential/vocational/day programs, services for developmentally disabled adults and children.

New York State Commission on Quality of Care and Advocacy for

People with Disabilities

401 State Street

Schenectady, NY 12305-2397

Tel: 1-800-624-4143 or 518-388-2892

Fax: 518-388-2890

Website: www.nyconnects.ny.gov/providers/advocacy

An independent agency responsible for oversight in the state's mental hygiene system, investigates and responds to requests concerning patient/resident care and treatment that cannot be resolved within facilities; CAP - employment and training advocacy services; PAIMI (Protection and Advocacy for Individuals with Mental Illness), New York State Assistive Technology Advocacy Project.

New York State Office for People with Developmental Disabilities

44 Holland Avenue Albany, New York 12229

Tel: 866-946-9733 TTY: 866-933-4889

Email: info@opwdd.ny.gov Website: www.opwdd.ny.gov

In-patient services for the severely disabled; Out-patient evaluations, assistance getting services for children and adults with developmental disabilities and other physical and/or neurological disabilities.

New York State Commission for the Blind (NYSCB)

52 Washington St Albany District Office Rensselaer, NY 12144 Tel: 518-473-1675

Tel: 866-871-3000

Tupper Lake Outstation: 518-359-4353

Website: ocfs.ny.gov/main/cb/

Vocational rehabilitation and other direct services to legally blind children, adults, and the elderly, with the goals of economic self-sufficiency and full integration into society.

New York State Talking Book and Braille Library

Cultural Education Center 222 Madison Avenue Albany, NY 12230

Tel: 518-474-5935 or 1-800-342-3688

Fax: 518-474-5786

Website: www.nysl.nysed.gov/tbbl/

The New York State Talking Book and Braille Library (TBBL) lends Braille, recorded books. and magazines to those who are unable to read standard printed materials because of a visual or physical disability.

North Country Association for the Visually Impaired (NCAVI)

22 U.S. Oval, Suite B-15 Plattsburgh, NY 12903 Tel: 518-562-2330 Fax: 518-562-2331

Website: www.ncavi.org/

Free services in Essex, Clinton, Franklin and St. Lawrence Counties to blind and legally blind individuals of all ages. If you or someone you know is living with vision loss NCAVI can help.

North Country Center for Independence

80 Sharron Avenue Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-9058

Fax: 518-563-0292

Website: www.ncci-online.com/

Information & referral, peer counseling, advocacy, independent living skills training, accessibility consultation, assistive technology, benefits advisement, employment services, and long-term care information to empower people with disabilities to live more independent & productive lives.

North Country Legal Services (Legal Aid Society of Northeastern NY)

100 Court Street P.O. Box 989 Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-563-4022 or 1-833-628-0087

Fax: 518-563-4058

Website: www.lasnny.org/

Legal counseling and representation, variety of civil areas specializing in handicapped law education, disability claims, public entitlements, landlord/tenant problems, family problems, consumer issues, unemployment.

Northeastern Association for the Blind at Albany

301 Washington Avenue **Albany, NY 12206** Tel: 518-463-1211

Website: www.naba-vision.org/

Assists individuals who are blind or visually impaired to achieve independence and growth. Services and support are provided that are responsive and flexible to each person's unique needs. NABA provides services throughout the greater Capital Region to residents of Albany. Columbia, Fulton, Greene, eastern Montgomery, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Warren and Washington counties.

North Star Family of Services (Citizen Advocates, Inc.)

70 Edgewood Road Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-891-5535

24 hr Crisis Lines: 518-891-5535 or 518-483-3261

Website: www.citizenadvocates.net/

Serving individuals with developmental, behavioral, or intellectual challenges of any age to live independent lives; outpatient clinic, work programs, community residences.

Sunmount DDSO - Administrative Offices

2445 State Route 30 Tupper Lake, NY

Tel: 518-359-2962, 518-359-4072

Fax: 518-359-2276

Website: www.opwdd.ny.gov/

Sunmount Developmental Disabilities Services Office (DDSO) serves the six northern New York counties: Franklin, Essex, Clinton, Hamilton, Jefferson and St. Lawrence. In partnership with the local government units and nonprofit private sector agencies, Sunmount DDSO is involved with the planning, development, funding, technical support, quality assurance and direct operations of a wide variety of community-based residential, day and at home support services.

Sunmount DDSO - Plattsburgh

159 Margaret Street, Suite 104 Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-8190 ext. 207

Fax: 518-561-1558

Website: www.opwdd.ny.gov/

Serving people in Essex and Clinton counties who are intellectually disabled, have cerebral palsy, epilepsy, neurological impairment, autism, or other developmental disabilities.

SUNY Plattsburgh Speech & Hearing Center

101 Broad Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-564-2170

Website: www.plattsburgh.edu

Hearing, Speech, voice and language evaluation, diagnosis and treatment services for infants, children, and adults; hearing aid evaluation, fitting, and dispensing.

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AID TO THE ELDERLY

American Association of Retired Persons (AARP)

Customer Support - 888-687-2277

Website: www.aarp.org

A variety of programs designed for individuals 50 years or older.

Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) - Aging Services

7572 Court Street, Suite 2, P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207 Fax: 518-873-6845

Website: www.acapinc.org

Nutrition Program for the Elderly - Provides nutritious meals, social activities, and information and referral for seniors 60 and over at 13 sites throughout the county. Provides home delivered meals and a daily contact to homebound elderly.

Adult Protective Services

Essex County Department of Social Services 132 Water Street, P.O. Box 217 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3550

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Services for people 18 and over with physical and/or mental impairments who are unable to protect themselves or their resources, cannot provide for their basic needs, and have no one willing and able to help in a responsible manner.

Alzheimer's Disease Assistance Center

101 Broad Street 227 Sibley Hall - SUNY Plattsburgh Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-564-3377

Website: www.plattsburgh.edu/

Assessment and diagnosis including Mental Status Assessment and Neuropsychological evaluation. Provides support groups, caregiver resource centers, education and training, adult day programs providing respite for family members.

Alzheimer's Disease Caregiver Support Initiative

101 Broad Street 528 Sibley Hall – SUNY Plattsburgh Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-564-3364

Website: www.plattsburgh.edu

Expanded support to caregivers of individuals with Alzheimer's disease and other dementias. Services are activities or actions performed, provided, or arranged to promote, improve, conserve, or restore the mental or physical well-being of caregivers and improve their quality of life. Support services include care consultation, family consultation, caregiver support groups, training and education programs, repite, and technology based services.

Apple Valley Senior Housing Corp.

1 Apple Valley Drive Peru, NY 12972 Tel: 518-643-6766 TDD: 800-662-1220 Fax: 518-643-2258

Email: kflynn@applevalleysh.org Website: www.applevalleysh.org

The mission of Apple Valley is to provide a safe, functional, affordable, and pleasant residential setting for income-eligible seniors 62 or older as well as persons with disabilities 18 or older.

Behavioral Health Services North, Inc.

22 U.S. Oval, Suite 218 Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-8206

Website: www.bhsn.org

Treatment programs for emotionally disturbed children and adults, elder care, respite and caregiver support services, domestic violence services.

Diabetes Support Group

Elizabethtown Community Hospital

Tel: 518-873-9005

Contact: Mary White-Ferris

Website: www.ech.org/Departments-and-Programs

Third Tuesday of every month at 4:30 P.M. Helps patients and their families connect with other living with diabetes

Essex County Mental Health Services

7513 Court Street P.O. Box 8

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3670 Fax: 518-873-3777

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/MentalHealth.asp/

The mission of Essex County Mental Health Services is to improve the emotional, behavioral, and psychological well-being of individuals through therapeutic partnerships with mental health professionals.

Essex County Patient Services

132 Water Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3500

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/PublicHealth/PublicHealth.asp/

Individual and family assessments; in-home skilled nursing, physical, speech and occupational therapy; blood pressure and flu immunization clinics.

Essex County Office for the Aging

132 Water Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3695 Fax: 518-873-3784

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/OFA.asp/

Resource center, home delivered meals, congregate meal sites, nutrition information and referrals for a registered dietician, health insurance counseling, long-term care insurance education, case management; assistance with completing applications for Medicaid, food stamps, HEAP, and Social Security; medical transportation, caregiver support, volunteering opportunities, friendly visiting, telephone discount program, telephone reassurance program.

High Peaks Hospice

Northern Office

47 Tom Phelps Road

PO Box 205

Mineville, NY 12956

Tel: 518-891-0606

Email: admin@highpeakshospice.org

hphospice@highpeakshospice.org

Northern Office

309 County Rte 47, Suite 3

P.O. Box 840

Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-891-0606

Email: admin@highpeakshospice.org

hphospice@highpeakshospice.org

Southern Office

454 Glen Street

Glens Falls, NY 12801

Tel: 518-891-0606

Email: admin@highpeakshospice.org

hphospice@highpeakshospice.org

Website: www.highpeakshospice.org

Focuses on the individual and his or her choices or wishes. Cares for not just physical comfort, but also social, spiritual, emotional, and practical. Care includes visits, assessment, planning, and teaching. Provides needed medications, equipment, supplies, and materials related to the illness and needed to address or prevent symptoms or discomfort.

Holbrook's Adult Home

73 North Street Granville, NY 12832 Tel: 518-642-3476

Website: www.holbrookadulthome.com

Social Adult Day Care Program, long-term residency with 24-hour supervision, housekeeping, meals, laundry, activity program, case management.

Housing Assistance Program of Essex County (HAPEC)

103 Hand Avenue P.O. Box 157

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-6888 Fax: 518-873-9102

Website: www.hapec.org

Home-buying assistance, rent subsidy program, home repair, based on income-eligibility.

Keeseville Country Gardens

164 Hill Street Keeseville, NY 12944 Tel: 518-834-7725 Fax: 518-834-1500

Subsidized senior living, handicap accessible.

Lee House Apartments

4318 Main Street Port Henry, NY 12974 Tel: 518-873-3692

Housing for seniors 62 years and older and handicapped/disabled regardless of age.

Mercy Care for the Adirondacks

185 Old Military Road Lake Placid, NY 12946

Tel: 518-523-5580

Website: www.adkmercy.org

Mercy Care for the Adirondacks is a renewed mission of the Sisters of Mercy in the Adirondacks. Its mission is to extend love, friendship, and assistance including spiritual care to elders and infirm persons living in their own homes or other communities for independent living. It serves elders through a friendship volunteer program, a parish nurse program, and an education and advocacy program.

North Country Center for Independence

80 Sharron Avenue Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-9058 Fax: 518-563-0292

Website: www.ncci-online.com

Helps people with disabilities to live more independent and productive lives. Provides services like information and referral, peer counseling, advocacy, independent living skills training, radio reading service, accessibility consultation, assistive technology, benefits advisement, employment services, and long-term care information.

North Country Conflict Resolution Services

Town of North Elba Town Hall 2693 Main Street, Suite 204 Lake Placid, NY 12946

Tel: 518-523-0102 Fax: 518-523-0107

Website: http://rurallawcenter.org

Program of the Rural Law Center of NY Inc. Services include mediation, conciliation, arbitration, conflict resolution, workshops.

North Country Home Services

Administrative Office

25 Church Street

Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-891-2641
Fax: 518-891-2055
<u>Ticonderoga Office</u>
18 Montcalm Street
Ticonderoga, NY 12883
Tel: 518-585-9820

Website: www.nchs.net

A home health care agency serving Northern New York. Services provided include home health care, lifeline, skilled nursing, and chore/companion services.

Nutrition Program for the Elderly (ACAP)

74 Fairground Way Westport, NY 12993 Tel: 518-962-2730 Fax: 518-962-2731

Website: www.acapinc.org

Home delivered meals, nutrition education, congregate meal sites

Nutrition Sites:

AuSable Forks - 518-647-8173 Minerva - 518-251-2510
Crown Point - 518-597-3703 Moriah - 518-546-7941
Elizabethtown - 518-637-5688 Newcomb - 518-582-4798
Essex/Willsboro - 518-963-7022 Schroon Lake - 518-532-0179
Keeseville - 518-834-4689 St. Armand - 518-891-3189
Lake Placid - 518-837-2501 Ticonderoga - 518-585-7682
Wilmington - 518-946-2922

Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)

38 Park Place – Suite 3 Port Henry, NY 12974 Tel: 518-546-3565 Fax: 518-546-3079

A wide variety of volunteer opportunities for people 55 years and older, benefitting people of all ages in Essex County.

Senior Citizens Overlook Apartments

45 Main Street, Suit 1 Bloomingdale, NY 12913

Tel: 518-891-2194 Fax: 518-891-2676

Website: www.overlookapts.org

Housing for senior citizen or people with disabilities.

Sunmount DDSO - Administrative Offices

2445 State Route 30 Tupper Lake, NY 12986

Tel: 518-359-4097

Website: www.opwdd.ny.gov/location/sunmount

Part-time jobs for low-income seniors working with children with special needs.

The Arbors at Shelburne

687 Harbor Road Shelburne, VT 05482 Tel: 1-802-478-8151

Website: www.benchmarkseniorliving.com

Residential-care community for individuals with memory impairment, day and overnight respite care and family support.

The Greenwood

89 Greenwood Street Lake Placid, NY 12946 Tel: 518-516-1038

Fax: 518-523-8906

Independent living apartments for seniors 62 or older or for people with disabilities.

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ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)

3 Roosevelt Terrace

Plattsburgh, New York 12901

Tel: 518-561-8444 Website: www.aa.org

AA is a collaboration of men and women who are willing to share their experiences and strengths, to overcome alcoholism, with one another. There are no dues or fees to become a member. Counseling and meetings are available.

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) - Elizabethtown and Tri-Lakes Area

Meeting places vary; Call to request a meeting schedule.

Tel: Local Hotline- 518-891-9035 or 800-281-1190

Tel: National Office- 212-870-3400

12-step self-help program. "Open" meetings for the public and professionals to learn about AA. "Closed" meetings are for alcoholics only. There are no dues or fees to become a member.

Al-Anon/Alateen Family Groups

Meeting places vary; Call to request an Alateen meeting schedule.

Tel: National Hotline 888-4AL-ANON. Website: www.al-anon.alateen.org

12-step self-help program; "Open" meetings for the public and professionals to learn about Al-Anon/Alateen. "Closed" meetings are for families and friends of alcoholics. Alateen meetings are "closed" for youth only.

Canton-Potsdam Alcohol Detoxification Unit

50 LeRoy Street Potsdam, NY 13676 Tel: 315-265-3300

Website: www.cphospital.org

Assists individuals with a desire to stop drinking and willing to enter in a treatment program.

Champlain Valley Family Center

20 Ampersand Drive Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-8480

Fax: 518-566-6382

Website: www.cvfamilycenter.org

Out-patient individual and family counseling for substance abuse problems, counseling, referral and community-based prevention.

Essex County Community Services Board

7513 Court Street

P.O. Box 8

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3670

Responsible for planning and development of services in areas of mental health, alcoholism, and substance abuse.

ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE (cont.)

Essex County Stop DWI/Youth Bureau

7551 Court Street, P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3630 Fax: 518-873-3633

Website: www.stopdwi.org

Information and education programs to combat drunken driving; services for youth.

Hospitality House, Therapeutic Community, Inc.

271 Central Avenue Albany, NY 12201 Tel: 518-434-6468 Fax: 518-434-6302

Website: www.hospitalityhousetc.org

Long-term residential treatment facility for males that specializes in individuals with chronic relapse conditions.

North Country Freedom Homes, Inc.

25 Dies Street Canton, NY 13617 Tel: 315-379-0139 Fax: 315-379-1004

Website: www.ncfreedomhomes.org

Provides community residential services to recovering individuals to promote and maintain abstinence from alcohol, other mood-altering drugs and substances.

Prevention Team of Essex County, Inc.

173 Lord Howe Street Ticonderoga, NY 12883

Tel: 518-585-7424

Website: www.preventionteam.org

The Prevention Team builds relationships to promote healthy social environments for families, schools, and communities leading to healthy choices by individuals.

St. Joseph's Addiction Treatment and Recovery Centers

159 Glenwood Drive Saranac Lake, NY 12983 Toll free: 877-813-8647 Admissions: 518-891-4135

Inpatient: Saranac Lake:518-891-3950 Outpatient: Elizabethtown: 518-873-9144

Massena: 315-705-6564 Keeseville: 518-834-5550 Tupper Lake: 518-359-5401 Malone: 518-483-6566 Ticonderoga: 518-585-7934 Saranac Lake: 518-891-5353

ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE (cont.)

Website: www.stjoestreatment.org

St. Joseph's mission is to promote healing and recovery for individuals, as well as their families, suffering from substance use disorders and problem gambling.

St. Lawrence Addiction Treatment Center

1 Chimney Point Drive Hamilton Hall Ogdensburg, NY 13669 Tel: 315-393-1180

Fax: 315-393-6160

Website: http://www.oasas.ny.gov/

The St. Lawrence Addiction Treatment Center at Hamilton Hall is one of 13 in-patient addiction rehabilitation facilities operated and governed by the NYS Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services. It is located in Northern NY on the St. Lawrence River. It is a 40 bed inpatient, rehabilitation program. The ATC provides addiction treatment services to New York's North Country, Lake Champlain and Saratoga Regions, and Capital District.

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CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY SERVICES

4-H Youth and Family Development Program

Cornell Cooperative Extension 8487 US Rte. 9

Lewis, NY 1295

Tel: 518-962-4810 Ext: 407 or 416

Website: essex.cce.cornell.edu/4-h-youth

This program works with youths in 4-H club settings, in-school, after-school, and summer youth programs.

Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) - Child and Family Services

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207

Website: www.acapinc.org

Advantage after-school program, child care, family development, Head Start, weatherization, emergency needs, and nutrition/meals.

Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) - Head Start

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207

Website: www.acapinc.org

Childhood development program focusing on the social, health, nutritional, educational and emotional needs of children. Children and their families participate in center and home based activities that promote their growth and well-being.

Sites are at the following areas:

Lake Placid Head Start - 161 Hillcrest Avenue, Lake Placid, NY 12946 518-523-0003

Moriah Head Start - CVES Building - Box 353, Mineville, NY 12956 518-942-7509

Saranac Lake Head Start - 24 Depot Street, Saranac Lake, NY 12983 518-891-4314

Ticonderoga Head Start – 270 Burgoyne Rd, Ticonderoga, NY 12883 518-585-6300

AuSable Forks Head Start – 11 School Ln, AuSable Forks, NY 12912 518-647-8405

Elizabethtown/Lewis Head Start – 8566 US Rte 9, Lewis, NY 12950 518-873-3288

Acceptance in the program is determined by gross family income, child's age, residence, special needs, and family circumstances.

Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) - Community Services Program

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932 Tel: 518-873-3207 ext. 239 Website: www.acapinc.org

Emergency Needs - Assists families in crisis/emergency situations to access services to meet their needs. Provides emergency food, utilities and homeless assistance when other funding is not available.

<u>Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) – Weatherization and Energy</u> Services

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932 Tel: 518-873-3207 ext. 241 Website: www.acapinc.org

Weatherization Assistance Program available to income eligible home owners.

Adoption Services

7551 Court St P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3422

Website: www.co.essex.ny.gov/

Adoption unit arranges placement of children waiting to be adopted into appropriate homes. Provide support and guidance until the adoption is final.

<u>Audiology Center/Fanny Allen (UVM Medical Center Audiology)</u>

790 College Parkway Colchester, VT 05446 Tel: 802-847-3970 Fax: 802-857-5880

Website: www.uvmhealth.org

Provide expert evaluation and diagnosis of hearing loss. Prescribe and fit hearing aids and counsel in preventing hearing loss.

Behavioral Health Services North, Inc.

22 U.S. Oval - Suite 218 Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-8206 Website: www.bhsn.org

Treatment programs for emotionally disturbed children and adults, elder care, respite and caregiver support services, domestic violence services.

Boy Scouts of America – Twin Rivers Council

253 Washington Ave Ext Albany, NY 12205

Tel: 518-869-6436

Website: trcscouting.org

Scouting program for youths and young adults.

Boy Scouts of America - Adirondack Council

25 Margaret Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-0360

Scouting program for youths and young adults.

Champlain Valley Educational Services (CVES)

1585 Military Turnpike Ext Mineville Campus
P.O. Box 455

Mineville Campus
3092 Plank Road

Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Mineville, New York 12956

Tel: 518-561-0100 Tel: 518-942-6691

Website: www.cves.org

Training and information for professionals and parents working with children with special needs.

Child Health Clinic

Essex County Public Health Department

132 Water Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/PublicHealth/PublicHealth.asp/

Free basic physical examinations, immunizations and health education for children birth to age 5, sites in many Essex County towns.

Child Protective Services

Essex County Department of Social Services

7551 Court Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3404 or 518-873-3421 Website: www.co.essex.ny.gov/

Investigation and assessment services to children, safeguarding the well-being of abused and neglected children, ensuring safety to the child, and preserving and stabilizing family whenever possible.

Cornell Cooperative Extension

8487 US Rte. 9 Lewis NY 12950 Tel: 518-962-4810

Website: essex.cce.cornell.edu

Educational organization for adults, adolescents, children.

Day Care Services

Essex County Department of Social Services

7551 Court Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3431

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/

Subsidy for income eligible individuals who are paying for licensed day care.

Eastern Adirondack Health Care Network

101 Broad Street Sibley Hall, Room 227 Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-564-3370 Fax: 518-564-2328

Website: www.nyconnects.ny.gov

The Eastern Adirondack Health Care Network is a coalition of agencies and organizations spanning Clinton, Essex, and Franklin Counties dedicated to improving the health, function, and quality of life of older adults.

Eat Smart New York (ESNY)

Cornell Cooperative Extension 8487 US Rte. 9 Lewis. NY 12950

Tel: 518-962-4810

Website: essex.cce.cornell.edu/family-food-health/eat-smart-ny

Free, confidential nutrition education program to help manage food resources. Helps people with limited incomes learn how to eat better for less money.

Essex County Mental Health Services

7513 Court Street

P.O. Box 8

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3670

Emergency Line: 888-854-3773

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/MentalHealth.asp/

The mission of Essex County Mental Health Services is to improve the emotional, behavioral, and psychological well-being of individuals through therapeutic partnerships with mental health professionals.

Essex County Youth Bureau

7533 Court Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3630

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/wp/department-of-social-services

Information, education, and services for the youth; sponsoring recreational programs at locations throughout the county.

Families First in Essex County, Inc.

196 Water Street P.O. Box 565

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-9544 Fax: 518-873-9570

Website: www.familiesfirstessex.org

Provides support and services from a strengths-based perspective to families with children with emotional difficulties or mental health issues, support groups, respite program, free clothing, food shelf, household Items.

Foster Care Services for Children

Essex County Department of Social Services

7551 Court Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3419

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/wp/department-of-social-services

Foster care services to eligible children under the age of 18.

Franklin-Essex-Hamilton BOCES

23 Husky Lane Malone, NY 12953 Tel: 518-483-6420

Website: www.fehb.org

Career and technical programs, alternative education for grades 9 – 12.

Girl Scouts of Northeastern NY

13 Latour Ave, Suite 110 Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-1560

Fax: 518-563-5003

Website: www.girlscoutsneny.org

Organization for girls in grades K-12 to help build courage, confidence, and character, who make the world a better place.

John Tracy Clinic

2160 West Adams Blvd.

Los Angeles, California 90018

Tel: 213-748-5481 Fax: 213-749-1651 Website: www.jtc.org

Diagnostic, education, resources, and support for families who have infants or young children with hearing loss.

Learning Disabilities Association of New York State

300 Hylan Drive, Suite 6

PO Box 144

Rochester, NY 14623 Tel: (518) 608-8992

Website: www.ldanys.org

LDA of New York State is the oldest learning disability advocacy organization. We are the only voice of advocacy specifically for persons with learning disabilities and related neurological impairments with all levels of NYS government. We fight everyday for the rights of children and adults to education, supports, and services.

Mental Health Association in Essex County, Inc.

6096 NYS Route 9N Westport, NY 12993

Tel: 518-962-2077 or 800-440-8074

Fax: 518-962-8233

Website: www.mhainessex.com

A wide range of programs to facilitate the recovery of adults who have experienced mental illness.

MOMS Program

Essex County Public Health Department 132 Water Street

P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3500 Fax: 518-873-3539

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/PublicHealth/PublicHealth.asp/

All new moms and babies residing in Essex County are eligible for a home visit at no charge. It would include an assessment, height and weight check, educational materials, and referrals.

New York State Office of Children and Family Services

52 Washington Street

Rensselaer, NY 12144-2834

Tel: 518-473-7793 Fax: 518-486-7550

Website: www.ocfs.ny.gov

Integration of services for children, including adoption, foster care, child protective services, child welfare.

North Country Conflict Resolution Services

22 US Oval, Suite 203 Plattsburgh, NY 12903

Tel: 518-561-5460 or 866-324-1183

Fax: 518-561-5468

Website: www.rurallawcenter.org

Mediation, conciliation, arbitration, conflict resolution, and workshops.

Northern Adirondack Planned Parenthood- Plattsburgh

66 Brinkerhoff St Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-4430

Website: www.plannedparenthood.org

Reproductive health care, sex education, family planning information, sexual assault counseling.

Parent Help

P.O. Box 277

New Paltz, NY 12561

Tel: 800-426-5678 - Hotline

Tel: 845-883-6060 – Administrative Office Website: www.childfindofamerica.org/

Assists parents with child support, conflict management, custody and visitation; legal assistance and mediation are available as options when appropriate. All services are free and confidential.

Pre-School Program

Champlain Valley Education Services (CVES) 1585 Military Turnpike Extension PO Box 455 Plattsburgh, New York 12901

Tel: 518-561-0100 Website: www.cves.org

This program is available for children ages 3-5.

Preventive Services

Essex County Department of Social Services 7551 Court Street P.O. Box 217 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3417

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/wp/department-of-social-services

Provides rehabilitative and supportive services to children and families who are at risk for or in foster care placement.

Shriners Hospital for Children

Tel: 800-237-5055

Tel: 514-842-4464 (Canada)

Website: www.shrinershospitalforchildren.org

Specializing in spinal cord injury, burn care, and cleft lip and palate, regardless of ability to pay; locations throughout the U.S. and Canada.

Women, Infants and Children Food Program (WIC)

Essex County Department of Public Health P.O. Box 217 132 Water Street Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3560

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/Health/wic

WIC is a supplemental Food and Nutrition Program designed for families with income eligible women, infants, and children to the age of five. WIC also helps fathers of young children, grandparents, and foster parents, who are the legal guardians. The program provides vouchers for WIC approved foods, nutrition counseling, breastfeeding support and health referrals to families.

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COUNSELING AND MENTAL HEALTH

Behavioral Health Services North, Inc.

22 U.S. Oval, Suite 218 Plattsburgh, NY 12903 Tel: 518-563-8206

Website: www.bhsn.org/

Out Patient Clinic

2155 State Route 3 Morrisonville, NY 12962 Tel: 518-563-8000

Treatment programs for emotionally disturbed children and adults, elder care, respite and caregiver support services, domestic violence services.

<u>Catholic Charities – Diocese of Ogdensburg</u>

Retired Senior Volunteer Program 46 Flynn Ave

Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-0944 Fax: 518-566-0945

Website: www.cathcharities.org

Marital, individual, and family counseling for anyone in need.

Champlain Valley Family Center

20 Ampersand Drive Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-8480

Website: www.cvfamilycenter.org

Out-patient individual and family counseling for substance abuse problems, counseling, referral, and community-based prevention.

Essex County Community Services Board

7513 Court Street, P.O. Box 8 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3670

Responsible for planning and development of services in areas of mental health, mental retardation, alcoholism, and substance abuse.

Essex County Mental Health Services

7513 Court Street P.O. Box 8 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3670 Fax: 518-873-3777

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/MentalHealth.asp/

The mission of Essex County Mental Health Services is to improve the emotional, behavioral, and psychological well-being of individuals through therapeutic partnerships with mental health professionals.

COUNSELING AND MENTAL HEALTH (cont.)

Families First in Essex County, Inc.

196 Water Street P.O. Box 565

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-9544 Fax: 518-873-9570

Website: www.familiesfirstessex.org

Support and services from a strength-based perspective for families who have children with mental health issues, intensive case management, home and community-based waiver services, food shelf, household shelf, and resource library available.

Mental Health Association in Essex County, Inc.

6096 NYS Route 9N Westport, NY 12993

Tel: 518-962-2077 or 800-440-8074

Fax: 518-962-8233

Website: www.mhainessex.com

A wide range of programs to facilitate the recovery of people who have experienced mental illness.

National Alliance on Mental Illness of Champlain Valley (NAMI-CV)

304 New York Rd Plattsburgh, NY 12903 Tel: 518-561-2685 Fax: 518-536-9898

Website: www.nami-cv.org

Provides free education, advocacy, and support services to all those affected by brain disorders- including serious mental illness and/or emotional/behavioral disorders.

North Country Center for Independence

80 Sharron Avenue Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-9058 Fax: 518-563-0292

Website: www.ncci-online.com

The mission of NCCI is to help people with disabilities to live more independent and productive lives, and promote better policies and community understanding of disability issues.

Northern Adirondack Planned Parenthood- Plattsburgh

66 Brinkerhoff St Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-4430

Website: www.plannedparenthood.org

Advocacy, medical, counseling, and educational services related to reproductive health, HIV/AIDS, STDs, and sexual assault services.

COUNSELING AND MENTAL HEALTH (cont.)

Samaritan Family Counseling Services

10897 NYS Rte 9N P.O. Box 48 Keene, NY 12942 Tel: 518-576-4557

Individual, couples, family and group counseling for all with mental health issues.

Sexual Assault Services of Essex County

66 Brinkerhoff Street
Plattsburgh, NY 12901
518-561-0605 ext. 125
24 Hour Hotline – 1-877-212-2323

Counseling on sexual assault issues and relationships over the age of 12, 24-hour hotline, crisis counseling, therapy, advocacy, information and referrals, prevention education/training. Counseling for both the individual and family for individuals, Crime Victims Board claims.

St. Joseph's Addiction Treatment and Recovery Centers

159 Glenwood Drive Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-891-4135 Toll Free: 877-813-8647

Inpatient: Saranac Lake: 518-891-3950 Outpatient: Elizabethtown: 518-873-9144

> Malone: 518-483-6566 Massena: 315-705-6564 Saranac Lake: 518-891-5353 Keeseville: 518-834-5550 Ticonderoga: 518-585-7934 Tupper Lake: 518-359-5401

Website: stjosephstreatment.org/

Inpatient Services- 67 bed co-ed program which has varied lengths of stays based on medical necessity.

Outpatient services- intensive case management, assessment, individual and group counseling addressing early recovery skills, recovery issues, relapse prevention, continuing care and codependency

St. Lawrence Addiction Treatment Center

1 Chimney Point Drive Hamilton Hall Ogdensburg, NY 13669

Tel: 315-393-1180

Website: www.oasas.state.ny.gov

40-bed inpatient facility focusing on recovery planning and relapse prevention in the treatment of alcohol and substance abuse.

COUNSELING AND MENTAL HEALTH (cont.)

St. Lawrence State Psychiatric Center

1 Chimney Point Drive Ogdensburg, New York 13669

Tel: 315-541-2001 Fax: 315-541-2041

Website: www.omh.ny.gov

Inpatient and outpatient services include individual and group counseling, diagnostic evaluation, psychological testing, crisis intervention, psychopharmacology, medical evaluation, vocational assessment, education, socialization, task and skill training, physical therapy, structured learning therapy, occupational therapy, and recreational therapy.

Stop Domestic Violence

Main Street P.O. Box 97 Westport, NY 12993 Tel: 518-962-8948

24-hour hotline: 866-563-6904

Emergency shelter, counseling, education; crisis intervention and support groups; advocacy; community presentations.

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EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

4-H Youth and Family Development Program

Cornell Cooperative Extension 8487 US Rte 9 Lewis, NY 12950

Tel: 518-962-4810 Fax: 518-962-8241

Website: essex.cce.cornell.edu/4-h-youth

This program works with youths in 4-H club settings, in-school, after-school, and summer youth programs.

ACAP – Child and Family Services

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207 Fax: 518-873-6845

Website: www.acapinc.org

Advantage After-School program, child care, family development, Head Start, weatherization, emergency needs, and nutrition/meals.

ACAP – Employment & Training Programs

One Work Source

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207

Website: www.acapinc.org

One Work Source Business and Employment Center: ACAP is the host partner of the one stop in Essex County which provides an accessible and seamless system to address the employment and training needs of job seekers, workers, and businesses.

ACAP – Head Start

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207

Website: www.acapinc.org

Childhood development program focusing on the social, health, nutritional, educational and emotional needs of children. Children and their families participate in center and home based activities that promote their growth and well-being.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES (cont.)

Board of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES)

Champlain Valley Educational Services (CVES)

Mineville Campus
3092 Plank Road
Mineville, NY 12956
Tel: 518-942-6691

Plattsburgh Campus
1585 Military Turnpike Ext
Plattsburgh, NY 12901
Tel: 518-561-0100

Website: www.cves.org

CV-TEC Programs: Building trades, natural resource management, allied health, cosmetology, auto technology, child care; special education programs, alternative Ed/GED prep.

Bruce L. Crary Education Foundation

8273 River Street Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-6496

Website: craryfoundation.org *Higher education scholarship foundation.*

Clinton Community College

136 Clinton Point Drive Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-562-4200

Website: www.clinton.edu

Clinton Community College provides a wide range of educational, career, and personal services through its extensive course and workshop offerings. Associates degree programs for matriculated students.

Eastern Adirondack Health Care Network

101 Broad Street Sibley Hall - Room 227 Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-564-3370

Fax: 518-564-2328

Website: www.nyconnects.ny.gov

The Eastern Adirondack Health Care Network is a coalition of agencies and organizations spanning Clinton, Essex, and Franklin Counties, dedicated to improving the health, function, and quality of life of older adults.

Eat Smart New York (ESNY)

Cornell Cooperative Extension 8487 US Rte. 9 Lewis, NY 12950

Tel: 518-962-4810

Website: essex.cce.cornell.edu/family-food-health/eat-smart-ny

Free, confidential nutrition education program to help manage food resources. Helps people with limited incomes learn how to eat better for less money.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES (cont.)

Elizabethtown Social Center

7626 US Route 9 P.O. Box 205

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-6408

Website: www.elizabethtownsocialcenter.org/

Community center, classes, and recreational activities for teens and adults.

Job and Education Information Center

Clinton-Essex-Franklin Library System

33 Oak Street

Plattsburgh, New York 12901

Tel: 518-563-5190

Website: www.cefls.org/

Provides career, education, and employment information

Literacy Volunteers of Clinton/Essex/Franklin Counties

Port Henry Office Plattsburgh Office

3265 Broad Street 101 Broad St, 52 Hawkins Hall

Port Henry, NY 12974 Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-546-3008

Website: www.lva-cc.org

Tutoring program to help adults with reading, writing, math, GED, ESL.

National Alliance on Mental Illness of Champlain Valley (NAMI-CV)

304 New York Rd Plattsburgh, NY 12903 Tel: 518-561-2685 Fax: 518-536-9047

Website: www.nami-cv.org/

Provides free education, advocacy, and support services to all those affected by brain disorders- including serious mental illness and/or emotional/behavioral disorders.

National PTA Headquarters

1250 N. Pitt Street Alexandria, VA 22314 Tel: 703-518-1200 Fax: 703-836-0942 Website: www.pta.org/

Promotes national and local programs and projects for parents/teachers in education, health, and safety.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES (cont.)

New York State Commission for the Blind

52 Washington St Albany District Office Rensselaer, NY 12144

Tel: 518-473-1675 or 866-871-3000 Tupper Lake Outstation: 518-359-4353

Website: ocfs.ny.gov/main/cb/

Vocational rehabilitation and other direct services for children, adults, and the elderly, with the goals of economic self-sufficiency and full integration into society.

New York State Department of Labor

194 U.S. Oval Plattsburgh, NY 12903

Tel: 518-561-0430

Website: www.labor.ny.gov/

For individuals seeking employment & employers seeking employees.

New York State Higher Education Services Corporation (HESC)

99 Washington Avenue Albany, NY 12255 Tel: 888-697-4372

Website: http://www.hesc.ny.gov/

Work study and student loans to anyone interested in attending college, business, or vocational school. Tuition Assistance Program.

North Country Association for the Visually Impaired (NCAVI)

22 US Oval, Suite B-15 Plattsburgh, NY 12903 Tel: 518-563-2330

Fax: 518-562-2331

Website: www.ncavi.org/

Provides independent-living skills training and adaptive equipment, resources within the community for people with vision loss. If you or someone you know is living with vision loss, NCAVI can help.

North Country Community College

Saranac Lake Campus
23 Santanoni Avenue
11 Hawkeye Trail
Saranac Lake, NY 12983
Tel: 518-891-2915
Ticonderoga, NY 12883
Tel: 518-585-4454

Malone Campus

75 William Street Malone, NY 12953 518-483-4550

Website: http://nccc.edu/

Offering a variety of course studies and degree programs for individuals interested in higher education, adult education, and training.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES (cont.)

Office of Vocational Rehabilitation

209 West Main Street, Suite 3 Malone, New York 12953

Tel: 518-483-3530 or 800-882-2803

Fax: 518-483-3552

Website: www.acces.nysed.gov/

A division of NYS Education Department, OVR assists individuals with disabilities to achieve independent living and maintain employment through training, rehabilitation, and career development.

Online Colleges

Website: www.onlinecolleges.net

For students wishing to pursue an online degree, Online Colleges is a complete resource, providing a state-by-state overview of online degree programs in many fields of study. In addition, Online Colleges provides information on the application process, a blog, articles, and tips on developing the skills needed to thrive in a digital academic setting.

State University of New York – Plattsburgh

101 Broad Street Plattsburgh, New York 12901

Tel: 518-564-2000

Website: www.plattsburgh.edu

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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) - Community Services Program

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207 Fax: 518-873-6845

Website: www.acapinc.org/

Emergency Needs - Assists families in crisis/emergency situations to access services to meet their needs. Provides emergency food, utilities, and rent assistance when other funding is not available.

Consumer Credit Counseling Services of Rochester

1050 University Avenue, Suite A

Rochester, NY 14607 Tel: 585-546-3440

Website: www.cccsofrochester.org

Certified Counselors provide confidential counseling, educational services and other solutions enabling clients to meet their financial goals.

Day Care Services

Essex County Department of Social Services

7551 Court Street

P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3431

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/

Subsidy for income-eligible individuals who are paying for licensed day care.

Food Stamp/Heating Fuel Program (SNAP/HEAP)

Essex County Department of Social Services

7551 Court Street

P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3878 or 518-873-3446 Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/

Supplemental Nutrition Services Assistance Program for income-eligible individuals and families; and heating fuel assistance program for the same.

Medicaid Program

Essex County Department of Social Services

7551 Court Street

P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY12932

Tel: 518-873-3450 or 518-873-3441

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/

Assistance program for income-eligible individuals/families or the elderly who are unable to pay for medical care.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE (cont.)

National Foundation for Credit Counseling

Tel: 1-800-388-2227 Website: www.nfcc.org/

Nonprofit national organization of credit counseling agencies providing free comprehensive money management services.

Public Assistance Program

Essex County Department of Social Services

P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3470 or 518-873-3441

Fax: 518-873-3472

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/

Aid to dependent children and cash relief allowance programs for temporary relief to families and individuals.

Social Security Administration

Queensbury Office 17 Cronin Road, Suite 1 Queensbury, NY 12804 Tel: 877-405-4875

Website: www.ssa.gov/

Plattsburgh Office 14 Durkee St, Suite 230 Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 866-964-7430

Retirement benefits to eligible candidates 62 years and older or disabled.

TAP/PEL – Federal Student Aid Information Center

Tel: 800-433-3243

Website: www.studentaid.ed.gov/

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FUNERAL HOMES

Edward L. Kelly Funeral Home	518-532-7177
Schroon Lake, NY 12870	
Website: www.edwardlkellyfuneralhome.com	
Fortune-Keough Funeral Home	518-891-3613
20 Church Street	
Saranac Lake, NY 12983	
Website: www.fortunekeoughfuneralhome.com	
Hamilton Funeral Home	518-834-7667
124 Clinton Street	
Keeseville, NY 12944	
Website: www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com	
Harland Funeral Home	518-546-7033
4279 Main Street	
Port Henry, NY 12974	
Website: www.harlandfuneralhome.com	
Heald Funeral Home	518-873-6713
7521 Court Street	010 070 0710
Elizabethtown, NY 12936	
Website: www.healdfuneralhomeinc.com	
M.B. Clark Funeral Home	E10 E22 2227
2310 Saranac Avenue	310-323-3337
Lake Placid, NY 12946	
Website: www.mbclarkfuneralhome.com	
Website. www.mbciarkituleramome.com	
Thwaits Zaumetzer Funeral Home	518-647-8177
3 College Street	
Ausable Forks, NY 12912	
Website: www.tzfunerals.com	
Wilcox & Regan Funeral Home	518-585-7323
11 Algonkin Street	010 000 7020
Ticonderoga, NY 12883	
Website: www.wilcoxandreganfuneralhome.com	1
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HEALTH CARE INFORMATION AND SUPPORT

Alliance for Positive Health (formerly AIDS Council of Northeastern NY)

202 Cornelia Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-2437

Website: www.alliancefor positivehealth.org

Case management for people with HIV/AIDS. HIV test counseling. Risk reduction and prevention programs for people at risk.

Alzheimer's Disease Assistance Center

101 Broad Street 227 Sibley Hall - SUNY Plattsburgh Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-564-3377

Website: www.plattsburgh.edu

Assessment and diagnosis including Mental Status Assessment and Neuropsychological evaluation. Provides support groups, caregiver resource centers, education and training, adult day programs providing respite for family members.

<u>American Cancer Society – Capitol Region</u>

1 Penny Lane Latham, NY 12110 Tel: 518-220-6901

Website: www.cancer.org

Information and assistance to cancer patients and their families.

American Diabetes Association

5 Pine West Plaza Suite 505 Albany, New York 12205 Tel: 518-218-1755

Website: www.diabetes.org

Public and professional education and support programs. The American Diabetes Association is the nation's leading nonprofit health organization providing diabetes research, information and advocacy.

American Heart Association

Capital Region 2 Clinton Square Syracuse, NY 13202 Tel: 518-626-8750

Website: www.heart.org

Vermont 110 Main Street #203 Burlington, VT 05401 Tel: 802-878-7700

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American Red Cross - North Country Chapter

North Country Chapter
26 Emory Street
333 Glen Street, Suite 104
Morrisonville, NY 12962
Tel: 518-561-7280
Tel: 518-792-6545

Website: www.northcountryredcross.org

Services for individuals and families before, during, or after a disaster. Health and safety training, CPR, first aid, lifeguard, water safety, disaster preparedness training, lifeline (PERS), Armed Forces Emergency Services.

Brain Injury Association of New York State

4 Pine West Plaza, Suite 402

Albany, NY 12205 Tel: 518-459-7911 Tel: 800-444-6443 Fax: 518-482-5285

Website: www.bianys.org

Advocacy, support, and services to individuals with brain injury and families of brain-injured individuals.

Cancer Services Program of Clinton, Essex, and Franklin Counties

Essex County Department of Public Health

132 Water Street

Elizabethtown, NY 12901

Tel: 518-324-7671 Tel: 877-275-6266

Website: http://co.essex.ny.us/

Provides breast, cervical and colorectal cancer screening at no cost to men and women who meet certain requirements.

Cerebral Palsy Association of the North Country

380 County Rte 51 (Creighton Road)

Malone, NY 12953 Tel: 518-483-1076

Website: www.cpnorthcountry.org

Advocacy and home service programs to individuals with a developmental disability with a special commitment to low income and the medically underserved.

Coordinated Care Unit

Essex County Department of Social Services 132 Water Street

P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12901

Tel: 518-873-3550

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Services to individuals with home care related needs. Individuals must have Medicaid.

CVPH Rehabilitation and Wellness

 295 New York Road
 179 Tom Miller Road

 Plattsburgh, NY 12903
 Plattsburgh, NY 12901

 Tel: 518-324-2000
 Tel: 518-562-4616

Website: www.cvph.org

Physical, speech, and occupational therapy, in patient and out patient facilities.

Essex County Certified Home Health Agency (CHHA)

Essex County Public Health Department 132 Water Street P.O. Box 217 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3500

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Direct care to patients, in-home skilled nursing; physical, occupational therapy; home health aide. Referral must come from a physician.

High Peaks Hospice

 47 Tom Phelps Road
 309 Country Rte 47, Suite 3

 Mineville, NY 12956
 Saranac Lake, NY 12983

 Tel: 518-891-0606
 Tel: 518-891-0606

Website: www.highpeakshospice.org

Focuses on the individual and his or her choices or wishes. Cares for not just physical comfort, but also social, spiritual, emotional, and practical. Care includes visits, assessment, planning, and teaching. Provides needed medications, equipment, supplies, and materials related to the illness and needed to address or prevent symptoms or discomfort.

HIV-AIDS AIDS Institute

NYS Department of Health

Tel: 1-800-962-5065 – Confidential hotline Tel: 1-800-541-2437 – General Information

Website: www.health.state.ny.us/diseases/aids/

Information regarding AIDS/HIV, STD's and Hep C.

HIV-AIDS Program – Essex County

Essex County Public Health Department 132 Water Street P.O. Box 217 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3500

Tel: 1-800-797-5772

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Provides confidential counseling and blood testing for HIV, AIDS, STDs, Hepatitis C.

Learning Disabilities Association of New York State

1190 Troy Schenectady Road

Latham, NY 12110 Tel: 518-608-8992 Fax: 518-608-8993

Website: www.ldanys.org

Individual case advocacy, community education, information and referral for people with learnings disabilities and related neurological impairments.

Medicaid Program

Essex County Department of Social Services

7551 Court Street

P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY12932

Tel: 518-873-3450

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Multiple Sclerosis Society

Albany Branch

421 New Karner Road, Suite 6

Albany, New York 12205

National Upstate NY Chapter

1000 Elmwood Avenue, Suite 900

Rochester, NY 14620

Tel: 800-344-4867 Tel: 585-271-0801 Fax: 518-464-1232 Fax: 585-442-2817

Website: www.nationalmssociety.org

Advocacy, support, programs, services, financial information, public information.

Muscular Dystrophy Association

1 Marcus Blvd. #203 Albany, NY 12205 Tel: 518-489-5495 Tel: 800-862-6424 Website: www.mda.org

Advocacy, educational resources, support groups, caregiver resources.

National Alliance on Mental Illness of Champlain Valley (NAMI-CV)

304 New York Rd Plattsburgh, NY 12903 Tel: 518-561-2685 Fax: 518-536-9047

Website: www.nami-cv.org

Provides free education, advocacy, and support services to all those affected by brain disorders- including serious mental illness and/or emotional/behavioral disorders.

Plattsburgh Office

159 Margaret St, Suite 500/600

Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-566-0183

North Country Home Services

Administrative Office 25 Church Street Saranac Lake, NY 12983 Tel: 518-891-2641

Fax: 518-891-2055

<u>Ticonderoga Office</u>
18 Montcalm Street
Ticonderoga, NY 12883

Tel: 518-585-9820

Website: www.nchs.net

A home health care agency serving Northern NY. Services provided include home health care, lifeline, skilled nursing, and chore/companion services.

Northern Adirondack Planned Parenthood - Plattsburgh

66 Brinkerhoff St Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-4430

Website: www.plannedparenthood.org

Medical, counseling, and educational services related to reproductive health, HIV and STD testing, women's healthcare, and sexual assault services.

Poison Center

Tel: 1-800-222-1222

Website: www.poison.org

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Adirondack Manor

Central Office 4 Chelsea Place, Suite 101 Clifton Park, NY 12065 Tel: 518-371-4265 Fax: 518-371-3218

Website: www.adirondackmanor.com

Assisted living adult care facility.

Montcalm Manor 45 Montcalm St Ticonderoga, NY 12883

Tel: 518-585-6230 Fax: 518-585-6467

Adirondack Medical Center

2233 St. Route 86 P.O. Box 471 Saranac Lake, NY 12983 Tel: 518-891-4141

Website: www.adirondackhealth.org

Comprehensive healthcare, clinics, includes 24-hour emergency care.

Adirondack Health - Mercy Living Center

114 Wawbeek Avenue Tupper Lake, NY 12986

Tel: 518-359-3355 Fax: 518359-9044

Website: www.adirondackhealth.org

Mercy Living Center is a skilled nursing and rehabilitation center that provides short and long term care, dialysis, and recovery from hospitalization or surgery.

Alice Center Skilled Nursing Facility

45 Sixth Street Malone, NY 12953 Tel: 518-481-8000

Website: www.alicehyde.com

The Alice Center Skilled Nursing Facility offers 24 hr nursing services and a full range of rehabilitation services in a caring, home like environment. The Alice Center can serve up to 135 individuals in need of long-term or short-term care.

Alice Hyde Medical Center (UVM)

133 Park Street Malone, NY 12953 Tel: 518-483-3000

Website: www.alicehyde.com

Full spectrum of healthcare services, including primary & preventive care, surgical, and emergency care services.

Alzheimer's Disease Assistance Center

101 Broad Street 227 Sibley Hall, SUNY Plattsburgh Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-564-3377

Website: www.plattsburgh.edu

Assessment and diagnosis including Mental Status Assessment and Neuropsychological evaluation. Provides support groups, caregiver resource centers, education and training, adult day programs providing respite for family members.

Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital (UVM-CVPH)

75 Beekman Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-2000 Website: www.cvph.org

CVPH is part of a six-hospital network serving patients. Offers 24 hr emergency care, cardiovascular services, FitzPatrick Cancer Center, Joint Care Center, Progressive Women's & Childrens Center, Integrative Therapy, and other services and clinics.

Clinton County Nursing Home

16 Flynn Avenue Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-0950 Fax: 518-563-1060

Website: www.clintoncountygov.com

Medicare and Medicaid certified, 80-bed skilled nursing facility operated by Clinton County.

Elderwood at North Creek

112 Ski Bowl Road North Creek, NY 12853 Tel: 518-251-2447 Fax: 518-251-4207

Website: www.elderwood.com

Elderwood at North Creek is a skilled nursing and rehabilitation center that provides long-term care, memory & palliative care, subacute rehab therapy, out patient therapy, adult medical day services, and respite care.

Elderwood at Uihlein

185 Old Military Road Lake Placid, NY 12946 Tel: 518-523-2464

Website: www.elderwood.com

Elderwood of Uihlein is a skilled nursing and rehabilitation facility that provides both short-term and long-term care.

Elizabethtown Community Hospital

75 Park Street P.O. Box 277

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-6377 Website: www.ech.org

ECH is part of a six- hospital network serving patients. Offers 24 hr emergency services, Inpatient services, cardiac care, and other services and programs.

Elizabethtown Health Center

66 Park Street P.O. Box 277

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-6896 Fax: 518-873-6578 Website: www.ech.org

Essex Center

81 Park Street

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3570

Website: essex-center.facilities.centershealthcare.org

Skilled Nursing Facility. Rehab services available, PT, OT, and Speech Therapy.

Fort Hudson Nursing Home & Adult Day Care

319 Broadway

Fort Edward. New York 12828

Tel: 518-747-2811 Fax: 518-747-2740

Website: www.forthudson.com

Skilled nursing facility, adult day care, and short-term rehabilitation.

Glens Falls Hospital

100 Park Street

Glens Falls, NY 12801 Tel: 518-926-1000

Website: www.glensfallshospital.org

Granville Center

17 Madison Street Granville, NY 12832 Tel: 518-642-2710

Website: www.centershealthcare.com

Skilled nursing facility

High Peaks Health Center

18 Community Circle Wilmington, NY 12997 Tel: 518-946-1111 Website: www.ech.org

Highland Nursing Home

182 Highland Road Massena, NY 13662 Tel: 315-769-9956 Fax: 315-769-9955

Website: www.highlandnursinghome.com

Skilled nursing care; rehabilitation services (OT, PT, Speech), social services; activities; dental services; resident council; family council

Holbrook's Adult Home

73 North Street Granville, NY 12832 Tel: 518-642-3476

Website: www.holbrookadulthome.com

Offers supportive services to the elderly and to the handicapped persons who are unable to live independently in their own home.

Hudson Headwaters Health Network

9 Carey Road P.O. Box 357

Queensbury, NY, 12804

Tel: 518-761-0300

Website: www.hhhn.org

Primary, specialty, and urgent care; HIV/AIDS screening.

Keene Health Center

NYS Route 73 P.O. Box 205 Keene, NY 12942 Tel: 518-576-9771

Website: www.adirondackhealth.org

Lake Placid Health Center

203 Old Military Road Lake Placid, NY 12946 Tel: 518-523-1717

Website: www.adirondackhealth.org

Meadowbrook Healthcare

154 Prospect Avenue Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-5440

Fax: 518-563-1206

Website: www.meadowbrookhealth.com

287 bed facility offers skilled nursing care including; limited assistance, subacute rehabilitation, and restorative therapy.

Moriah Health Center

33 Tom Phelps Lane P.O. Box 480

Mineville, New York 12956

Tel: 518-942-7123 Fax: 518-942-7041 Website: www.hhhn.org

Comprehensive primary and specialty health care services for children, adults, and families.

Mountain Medical Services Urgent Care - Lake Placid

1927 Saranac Avenue Lake Placid, NY 12946 Tel: 518-523-7575

Fax: 518-523-7577

Website: www.mountainmedical.net

Newcomb Health Center

4 Santanoni Drive Newcomb, NY 12852 Tel: 518-582-2991

Website: www.newcombhealthcenter.com

New York State Department of Health

11 St. Bernard Street Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-891-1800

Website: www.health.ny.gov

Plattsburgh Rehabilitaion & Nursing Center

8 Bushey Blvd. Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-3261

Fax: 518-563-3294

Website: www.plattsburghrehab.com

Long-term care, skilled nursing facility. Adult day care services available Monday - Friday.

Porter Medical Center

115 Porter Drive Middlebury, VT 05753 Tel: 802-388-4701

Website: www.portermedical.org

Schroon Lake Health Center

24 Fairfield Avenue P.O. Box 292

Schroon Lake, NY 12870

Tel: 518-532-7120 Fax: 518-532-0593

Website: www.hhhn.org

Shriners Hospitals for Children

Tel: 800-237-5055 (U.S.)

Website: www.shrinershospitalsforchildren.org

Orthopedics, spinal cord injury, burn care, and cleft lip and palate, regardless of family's ability to pay.

Smith House Health Center

39 Farrell Road Willsboro, NY 12996 Tel: 518-963-4275 Website: www.ech.org

Primary health care, physical therapy, nutrition, and lab services.

St. Joseph's Home

950 Linden Street Ogdensburg, NY 13669 Tel: 315-393-3780 Website: www.stjh.org

Skilled nursing facility for long-term residential care, respite care, and social day care.

St. Regis Nursing Home

89 Grove Street

Massena, NY 13662-2615

Tel: 315-769-2494 Fax: 315-769-3604

Website: www.stregisnh.com

Skilled nursing facility for long-term residential care, physical, occupational, and speech therapy, respite care, hospice.

Samuel F. Vilas Home

61 Beekman Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-4960

Website: www.vilashome.com

Senior residential facility with private personalized rooms, 24-hour supervision, full amenities and services, assistance with ADLs, management services.

Stratton VA Medical Center (Albany)

113 Holland Avenue Albany, NY 12208

Tel: 518-626-5000 or 800-223-4810 Website: www.albany.va.gov

The Arbors at Shelburne

687 Harbor Road Shelburne, VT 05482 Tel: 802-500-1243

Website: www.benchmarkseniorliving.com

Skilled nursing facility, memory care, respite care and family support group.

The Orchard Nursing & Rehabilitation Centre

10421 NY State Rte 40 Granville, NY 12832 Tel: 518-642-2346

Skilled nursing facility, physical, occupational, and speech therapy, short-term and long-term rehabilitation.

Ticonderoga Health Center

101 Adirondack Drive, Suite 2 Ticonderoga, NY 12883

Tel: 518-585-6708 Fax: 518-585-3260 Website: www.hhhn.org

Comprehensive primary care for adults, pediatrics, podiatry, mental health, labs, cancer screenings, specialty clinics.

<u>University of Vermont Health Network – Ticonderoga Campus</u>

101 Adirondack Drive, Suite 1 Ticonderoga, NY 12883 Tel: 518-585-3700

Website: www.ech.org

24-hour emergency room; radiology; labs; specialty clinics; rehabilitation (inpatient and outpatient).

University of Vermont Medical Center (Fletcher Allen)

111 Colchester Avenue Burlington, VT 05401 Tel: 802-847-0000 Tel: 800-358-1144

Website: www.uvmhealth.org

Westport Health Center

6097 NYS Rte. 9N Westport, NY 12993 Tel: 518-962-2313 Website: www.ech.org

HOUSING AND ENERGY

<u>Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) – Weatherization and Energy</u> Services

7572 Court Street, Suite 2 P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207 Fax: 518-873-6845

Website: www.acapinc.org

Weatherization Program

Care and Share – HeartShare

JCEO of Clinton & Franklin Counties

54 Margaret St

Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-6310 Fax: 518-562-2947

Website: www.heartshare.org

Project Share heating fund- Applicants must exhaust all sources of HEAP before applying, have an active account with NYSEG or RG&E, and must have an energy emergency. Active military and well-discharged veterans, regardless of income, are welcome to apply.

Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP)

Essex County Department of Social Services

7551 Court Street

P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3446 or 518-873-3878 Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Heating fuel program for the elderly and income-eligible individuals or households in need of heating assistance.

Housing Assistance Program of Essex County (HAPEC)

103 Hand Avenue - P.O. Box 157

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-6888 Fax: 518-873-9102

Website: www.hapec.org

Rent subsidy program; home repair; home buying assistance; multifamily housing; home counseling; fair housing information.

U.S. Department of Agriculture Rural Development – NYS Eastern Region

441 South Salina St, Suite 357 Syracuse, NY 13202-2541

Tel: 315-477-6400

Website: www.rd.usda.gov

Loans, grants; programs to promote economic development; technical assistance.

IN-HOME SERVICES

Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) - Aging Services

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207

Website: www.acapinc.org

Nutrition program for the elderly, nutritious meals, social activities, and information for seniors 60 and over at 13 sites throughout the county. Provides home delivered meals and a daily contact to homebound elderly.

Adult Protective Services

Essex County Department of Social Services

132 Water Street

P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3550

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Program for adults 18 or older who may need protective services for a variety of reasons, they have physical or mental impairment and are no longer able to protect themselves from neglect, abuse, exploitation, or hazardous situations; or they are unable to provide for basic needs.

Behavioral Health Services North, Inc.

22 U.S. Oval, Suite 218 Plattsburgh, NY 12903

Tel: 518-563-8206

Website: www.bhsn.org

Treatment programs for emotionally disturbed children and adults, elder care, respite and caregiver support services; domestic violence services.

Coordinated Care Unit

Essex County Department of Social Services

132 Water Street

P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12901

Tel: 518-873-3550

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Services to Medicaid-covered individuals with any home-care related needs.

Early Childhood Intervention Program

Mountain Lakes Services 10 St. Patrick's Place

PO Box 194

Port Henry, NY 12974

Tel: 518-546-3381

Website: www.mountainlakeservices.org/

Works with children ages 0-3 providing therapy and education to aid in developmental delays.

IN-HOME SERVICES (cont.)

Essex County Certified Home Health Agency (CHHA)

Essex County Public Health Department 132 Water Street P.O. Box 217 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3500

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Direct care to patients, in-home skilled nursing; physical, occupational therapy; home health aide. Referral must come from a physician.

Essex County Office for the Aging

132 Water Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3695 Fax: 518-873-3784

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/ofa.asp/

Resource center, nutrition information and referrals for a registered dietician, home delivered meals, health insurance counseling; long-term care insurance education; case management, assistance with completing applications for HEAP, Medicaid, food stamps, social security; medical transportation; caregiver support; home repair; volunteering opportunities; friendly visiting, telephone reassurance program.

Families First in Essex County, Inc.

196 Water Street P.O. Box 565

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-9544 Fax: 518-873-9570

Website: www.familiesfirstessex.org

Provides support and services from a strengths-based perspective to families with children with emotional difficulties or mental health issues, support groups, respite program. Free clothing, food shelf, and household Items.

Fort Hudson Nursing Home & Adult Day Care

319 Broadway Fort Edward, NY 12828

Tel: 518-747-2811

Website: www.forthudson.com

Senior day care, in-home companion program, rehabilitation, skilled nursing facility.

IN-HOME SERVICES (cont.)

High Peaks Hospice

Northern Office

47 Tom Phelps Way Mineville, NY 12956 Tel: 518-891-0606

Southern Office

454 Glen St

Glens Falls, NY 12801 Tel: 518-891-0606

Administrative Office

309 County Rte. 47 Saranac Lake, NY 12983 P.O. Box 840

Tel: 518-891-0606

Website: www.highpeakshospice.org

Focuses on the individual and his or her choices or wishes. Cares for not just physical comfort, but also social, spiritual, emotional, and practical. Care includes visits, assessment, planning, and teaching. Provides needed medications, equipment, supplies, and materials related to the illness and needed to address or prevent symptoms or discomfort.

North Country Center for Independence

80 Sharron Avenue Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-9058

Fax: 518-563-0292

Website: www.ncci-online.com

The mission of NCCI is to help people with disabilities to live more independent and productive lives, and promote better policies and community understanding of disability issues.

North Country Home Services

Administrative Office
25 Church Street
Saranac Lake, NY 12983
Tel: 518-891-2641

Fax: 518-891-2055

Plattsburgh Office
159 Margaret St, Suite 500/600
Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-566-0183

<u>Ticonderoga Office</u> 18 Montcalm Street Ticonderoga, NY 12883

Tel: 518-585-9820

Website: www.nchs.net

A home health care agency serving Northern NY. Services provided include home health care, lifeline, skilled nursing, and chore/companion services.

INFORMATION AND REFERRAL

Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) - Aging Services

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207

Website: www.acapinc.org

Nutrition program for the elderly to provide nutritious meals, social activities, and information for seniors 60 and over at 11 sites throughout the county. Provides home delivered meals and a daily contact to homebound elderly.

<u>Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) – Employment & Training</u> Programs

7572 Court Street, Suite 2 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207

Website: www.acapinc.org

One Work Source Business and Employment Center: ACAP is the host partner of the one stop in Essex County to provide an accessible and seamless system to address the employment and training needs of job seekers, workers, and businesses.

Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) - Head Start

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207

Website: www.acapinc.org

Childhood development program focusing on the social, health, nutritional, educational and emotional needs of children. Children and their families participate in center- and home-based activities that promote their growth and well-being.

Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) – Community Services Program

7572 Court Street, Suite 2

P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207

Website: www.acapinc.org

Emergency Needs - Assists families in crisis/emergency situations to access services to meet their needs. Provides emergency food, utilities and homeless assistance when other funding is not available.

<u>Adirondack Community Action Program (ACAP) – Weatherization and Energy Services</u>

7572 Court Street, Suite 2 P.O. Box 848

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3207

Website: www.acapinc.org

Adult Protective Services

Essex County Department of Social Services 132 WAter Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3550

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Program for adults 18 or older who may need protective services for a variety of reasons.

Alzheimer's Disease Assistance Center

101 Broad Street 227 Sibley Hall, SUNY Plattsburgh Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-564-3377

Website: www.plattsburgh.edu

Assessment and diagnosis including Mental Status Assessment and Neuropsychological evaluation. Provides support groups, caregiver resource centers, education and training, adult day programs providing respite for family members.

Behavioral Health Services North, Inc.

22 U.S. Oval, Suite 218 Plattsburgh, NY 12903 Tel: 518-563-8206

Website: www.bhsn.org

Treatment programs for emotionally disturbed children and adults, elder care, respite and caregiver support services, domestic violence services.

Cancer Services Program of Clinton, Essex, and Franklin Counties

132 Water Street

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3500

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/Health/chronic-disease-prevention

The statewide initiative provides, breast, cervical, and colorectal cancer screenings and diagnostic services at no cost to men and women who meet certain criteria.

Coordinated Care Unit

Essex County Department of Social Services 132 Water Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12901

Tel: 518-873-3550

Website: www.co.essex.nv.us

Services to individuals with home-care related needs Medicaid-eligible individuals.

<u>Cornell Cooperative Extension (CCE) – Energy Efficiency</u>

Cornell Cooperative Extension 8487 US Rte 9 Lewis, NY 12950

Tel: 518-962-4810 Ext: 405

Website: www.essex.cce.cornell.edu/energy

Explore the many ways to reduce your energy bills through no-cost/low-cost energy actions. Learn about community resources that may assist you in reaching your financial goals.

<u>Diabetes Self-Management Program</u>

Elizabethtown Community Hospital (Elizabethtown and Ticonderoga)

Tel: 518-873-9005

Contact: Mary White-Ferris

Website: www.ech.org/Departments-and-Programs

Geared for patients with type 1 or 2 diabetes, 10 hour program offered year round. Helps you learn how to manage your blood glucose through nutrition planning, medication, and physical exercise.

Diabetes Support Group

Elizabethtown Community Hospital

Tel: 518-873-9005

Contact: Mary White-Ferris

Website: www.ech.org/Departments-and-Programs

Third Tuesday of every month at 4:30 P.M. Helps patients and their families connect with other living with diabetes.

Eat Smart New York (ESNY)

Cornell Cooperative Extension 8487 US Re 9 Lewis, NY 12950

Tel: 518-561-7450 (Jennifer Shaw)

Website: www.essex.cce.cornell.edu/family-food-health/eat-smart-ny

Free, confidential assistance to limited-income individuals or families; youth, teen, senior, and adult groups. This program promotes healthy, active lifestyles through nutrition education, food safety, money managing, and infant nutrition.

Essex County Mental Health Services

7513 Court Street P.O. Box 8 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3670

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/MentalHeatlh.asp/

Individual and group therapy sessions for adults, children, and adolescents experiencing mental health problems.

Families First in Essex County, Inc.

196 Water Street P.O. Box 565

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-9544

Website: www.familiesfirstinessex.org

Provides support and services from a strengths-based perspective to families with children with physical and behavioral concerns. Family support services, health home care management, home and community based services, children and family treatment and support services.

Local Ombudsman Program

Amy Gehrig – Ombudsman Coordinator North Country Center for Independence 80 Sharron Ave Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-563-9058 Tel: 518-562-1732

Mental Health Association in Essex County, Inc.

6096 NYS Route 9N Westport, NY 12993 Tel: 518-962-2077 Tel: 800-440-8074

Fax: 518-962-8233

Website: www.mhainessex.com

A wide range of programs to facilitate the recovery of people who have experienced mental illness.

National Alliance on Mental Illness of Champlain Valley (NAMI-CV)

304 New York Road Plattsburgh, NY 12903 Tel: 518-561-2685

1el. 516-561-2665

Website: www.nami-cv.org

Support and advocacy for individuals with mental illness and their families and friends.

North Country Center for Independence

80 Sharron Avenue, Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-9058

Fax: 518-563-0292

Website: www.ncci-online.com/

Information & referral, peer counseling, advocacy, independent living skills training, radio reading service, accessibility consultation, assistive technology, benefits advisement, employment services, and long term-care information.

Plattsburgh Office

159 Margaret St, Suite 500/600

Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-566-0183

North Country Conflict Resolution Services

Town of North Elba Town Hall 2693 Main Street, Suite 204 Lake Placid, NY 12946

Tel: 518-523-0102 Fax: 518-523-0107

Website: www.rurallawcenter.org

Mediation, conciliation, arbitration, conflict resolution, and workshops.

North Country Home Services

Administrative Office 25 Church Street Saranac Lake, NY 12983 Tel: 518-891-2641

Fax: 518-891-2055

Ticonderoga Office
18 Montcalm Street
Ticonderoga, NY 12883
Tel: 518-585-9820

Website: www.nchs.net

A home health care agency serving Northern NY. Services provided include home health care, lifeline, skilled nursing, and chore/companion services.

Northern Adirondack Planned Parenthood- Plattsburgh

66 Brinkerhoff Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-4430

Website: www.plannedparenthood.org/

Medical, counseling, and educational services related to reproductive health care, HIV/AIDS and STDs, sex education, sexual assault.

Sexual Assault Services of Essex County

66 Brinkerhoff Street
Plattsburgh, NY 12901
Tel: 518-561-0605 ext.. 125
24 Hour Hotline –866-307-4086

Counseling on sexual assault issues and relationships over the age of 12, 24-hour hotline, crisis counseling, therapy, advocacy, information and referrals, prevention education/training, Crime Victims Review Board claims. Services are provided no matter when the assault occurred.

LEGAL SERVICES AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

Essex County District Attorney

7559 Court Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3335 Fax: 518-873-3788

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/wp/district-attorney/

Essex County Office for the Aging

P.O. Box 217 132 Water Street Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3695 Fax: 518-873-3784

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/ofa.asp/

Confidential legal services for people age 60 and older. Contributions to Office for the Aging are tax deductible.

Essex County Probation Department

7551 Court Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3650 Fax: 518-873-3649

Website: www.criminaljustice.ny.gov

Essex County Sheriff's Office

702 Stowersville Road P.O. Box 68 Lewis, NY 12950 Tel: 518-873-6321

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/

Lawyer Referral and Information Service (LRIS)

One Elk Street Albany, NY 12207 Tel: 518-463-3200

Website: www.nysba.org/

The New York State Bar Association's Lawyer Referral and Information Service (LRIS) was established to help anyone find the right lawyer or resource for legal problems.

LEGAL SERVICES AND LAW ENFORCEMENT (cont.)

Legal Aid Society of Northeastern NY

100 Court Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-563-4022 or 800-722-7380

Fax: 518-563-4058

Website: www.clintoncountygov.com/aging/snapshots/legal-services

Free legal counseling in a variety of civil areas specializing in special education law for students with disabilities; rights of the mentally ill; disability claims; public entitlements; landlord/tenant problems; family problems; consumer issues; unemployment; compensation issues and protection and advocacy for the disabled and mentally ill.

North Country Conflict Resolution Services

Town of North Elba Town Hall 2693 Main Street, Suite 204 Lake Placid, NY 12946

Tel: 518-523-0102

Website: www.rurallawcenter.org/

Mediation, conciliation, arbitration, conflict Resolution, and workshops.

Rural Law Center

22 U.S. Oval Suite 203 Plattsburgh, NY 12903

Tel: 518-523-0102 Fax: 518-561-5468

Website: www.rurallawcenter.org

The mission of the Rural Law Center is to serve the legal needs of individuals and families in New York's rural counties, particularly low-income and elderly populations.

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LOCAL POLICE

Essex County Sheriff's Office P.O. Box 68

702 Stowersville Road Lewis, New York 12950

Tel: 518-873-6321

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/

Lake Placid

2693 Main Street Lake Placid, NY 12946 Tel: 518-523-3306

Website: www.lakeplacidpd.com/

Moriah

42 Park Place, Suite 2 Port Henry, NY 12974 Tel: 518-546-7286

Saranac Lake

1 Main Street Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-891-4428

Website: www.saranaclakeny.gov

Ticonderoga

135 Burgoyne Road Ticonderoga, NY 12883

Tel: 518-585-3456

Website: www.ticonderogapolice.org

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ESSEX COUNTY EMERGENCY NUMBERS

AuSable Forks	911	(Enhanced) Clinton County Dispatch
Bloomingdale	891-	2211/Franklin County 911
Chesterfield	911	(Enhanced) Clinton County Dispatch
Chilson	911	Essex County Dispatch
Crown Point	911	Essex County Dispatch
Elizabethtown	911	Essex County Dispatch
Essex	911	Essex County Dispatch
Jay	911	Essex County Dispatch
Keene	911	Essex County Dispatch
Keene Valley	911	Essex County Dispatch
Lewis	911	Essex County Dispatch
Minerva	911	Essex County Dispatch
Mineville	911	Essex County Dispatch
Moriah	911	Essex County Dispatch
Newcomb	911	Essex County Dispatch
North Elba	911	Essex County Dispatch
Port Henry	911	Essex County Dispatch
Saranac Lake	891-	4422 (Village Police Department)
St. Armand	911	Essex County Dispatch
Schroon Lake	911	Essex County Dispatch
Ticonderoga	911	Essex County Dispatch
Westport	911	Essex County Dispatch
Whallonsburg	911	Essex County Dispatch
Willsboro	911	Essex County Dispatch
Wilmington	911	Essex County Dispatch

INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

Board of Cooperative Educational Services

Champlain Valley Educational Services (CVES)

Mineville Campus
3092 Plank Road
Mineville, NY 12956
Tel: 518-942-6691
Plattsburgh Campus
1585 Military Turnpike Ext
Plattsburgh, NY 12901
Tel: 518-561-0100

Website: www.cves.org

CV-TEC Programs: Building trades, natural resource management, allied health, cosmetology, auto technology, child care; special education programs, alternative Ed/GED prep.

Center for Disability Services

314 South Manning Blvd. Albany, New York 12208

Tel: 518-437-5700

Website: www.cfdsny.org

Cerebral Palsy Association of the North Country

380 County Rte 51, (Creighton Road)

Malone, New York 12953

Tel: 518-483-1076

Website: www.cpnorthcountry.org

Provides community living options and family services to people with developmental disabilities.

Client Assistance Program

Resource Center for Independent Living 131 Genessee Street PO Box 210 Utica, New York 13503-0210

Tel: 315-797-4642 Fax: 315-797-4747

Website: www.rcil.com

Support, education, and advocacy for people with disabilities to ensure that choices for independent living are respected.

Clover Patch Camp

55 Helping Hand Lane Glenville, NY 12302 Tel: 518-384-3042 Fax: 518-384-3001

Website: www.cloverpatchcamp.org

Clover Patch Camp serves as a residential summer camp for children and adults with developmental disabilities. Operated by the Center for Disability Services, the camp also serves as a respite for families, providing a fully accessible facility (including an accessible therapeutic swimming pool) with trained staff.

INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES (cont.)

Essex Industries

17 Pelfershire Road Mineville, New York 12956

Tel: 518-942-6671

Website: www.essexindustries.com

Vocational training, supported and competitive community based placement and sheltered employment for physically and developmentally disabled.

Mountain Lake Services

10 St. Patrick's Place Port Henry, NY 12974 Tel: 518-546-3381

Website: www.mountainlakeservice.org

Residential/vocational/day programs, services for developmentally disabled adults and children.

New York State Office for People with Developmental Disabilities

44 Holland Avenue Albany, New York 12229

Tel: 866-946-9733

Website: www.opwdd.ny.gov

In-patient services for the severely disabled, outpatient evaluations, assistance getting services for children and adults with developmental disabilities or who are physically or neurologically handicapped.

North Country Center for Independence

80 Sharron Avenue Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-9058

Website: www.ncci-online.com

Information & referral, peer counseling, advocacy, independent living skills training, radio reading service, accessibility consultation, assistive technology, benefits advisement, employment services, and long term care information.

North Star Industries (Citizen Advocates, Inc.)

33 Petrova Avenue Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-891-2590

Website: www.citizenadvocates.net

Work center programs, individualized job training for developmentally disabled individuals transitioning into community living.

INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES (cont.)

<u>Sunmount DDSO - Administrative Offices</u>

2445 State Route 30 Tupper Lake, NY Tel: 518-359-2962 Fax: 518-359-4491

Website: www.opwdd.ny.gov/

Sunmount Developmental Disabilities Services Office (DDSO) serves the six northern New York counties: Franklin, Essex, Clinton, Hamilton, Jefferson and St. Lawrence. In partnership with the local government units and non-profit private sector agencies, Sunmount DDSO is involved with the planning, development, funding, technical support, quality assurance and direct operations of a wide variety of community-based residential, day and at home support services.

Sunmount DDSO - Plattsburgh

7242 State Route 9 Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-8190

Website: www.opwdd.ny.gov

Serving people in Essex and Clinton counties who are intellectually disabled, have cerebral palsy, epilepsy, neurological impairment, autism, or other developmental disabilities.

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PHARMACIES

Feek Pharmacy

14223 NYS Rt. 9N Au Sable Forks, NY 12912

Tel: 518-647-8484

Kinney Drugs

7550 Court Street Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-6441

Peru Pharmacy

3 Gorman Way Peru. NY 12972

Tel: 518-643-2318

Rite Aid

2140 Saranac Ave Lake Placid, NY 12946

Tel: 518-523-5305

Schroon Lake Pharmacy

1081 Main Street

Schroon Lake, NY 12870

Tel: 518-532-7575

Willsboro Pharmacy

3932 NYS Rte 22 Willsboro, NY 12996

Tel: 518-963-8946

Keeseville Pharmacy

1730 Front Street Keeseville, NY 12944

Tel: 518-834-6090

Moriah Pharmacy

4315 Main Street Port Henry, NY 12974

Tel: 518-546-7244

Post Office Pharmacy

61 Main Street

Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-891-2233

Rite Aid

1161 NYS Rte 9N

Ticonderoga, NY 12883

Tel: 518-585-6787

Wal-Mart Pharmacy

1134 Wicker Street Ticonderoga, NY 12883

Tel: 518-585-6486

PREGNANCY AND INFANT CARE

Adoption Services

7551 Court Street P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3422

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Services to assist children in securing adoptive homes.

Child Health Clinic

Essex County Nursing Service 132 Water Street P.O. Box 217 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

519-972-2500

518-873-3500

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/PublicHealth/PublicHealth.asp

Free basic physical examinations, immunizations and health education for children birth to age 5, sites in many Essex County towns.

Day Care Services

Essex County Department of Social Services 7551 Court Street P.O. Box 217 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3431

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Subsidy for income eligible individuals who are paying for licensed day care.

Foster Care Services for Children

Essex County Department of Social Services 7551 Court Street P.O. Box 217 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3419

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us

Foster care services to eligible children under the age of 18.

Northern Adirondack Planned Parenthood- Plattsburgh

66 Brinkerhoff Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-4430

Website: www.plannedparenthood.org

Medical, counseling, and educational services related to family planning, women's health concerns, and sexual assault.

PREGNANCY AND INFANT CARE (cont.)

Salvation Army

4804 South Catherine Street Plattsburgh, New York 12901

Tel: 518-561-2951

Website: www.easternusa.salvationarmy.org

Church services, assistance for clothing and food, soup kitchen and food pantry.

WIC - Women, Infants and Children Food Program

Essex County Department of Social Services

P.O. Box 217

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3560

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/Health/WIC

WIC is a Special Supplemental Food and Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children to age five. WIC foods help pregnant, breast-feeding/postpartum women, babies and children get the vitamins and minerals they need during important growing years. WIC is a kind of preventive medicine: a way of stopping problems before they start. WIC provides eligible families with food checks for milk, cheese, cereal, juice, eggs, legumes, peanut butter, infant formulas and infant cereals.

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SCHOOLS

Adirondack Educational Center

711 NYS Route 3 Saranac Lake, NY 12983 Tel: 518-891-1330

Website: www.fehb.org

Boquet Valley Central School

Mountain View Campus

7530 Court Street Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-6371

Website: www.boquetvalleycsd.org

CVES - Mineville

3092 Plank Road Mineville, NY 12956 Tel: 518-942-6691

Website: www.cves.org

Keene Central School

33 Market Street Keene Valley, NY 12943

Tel: 518-576-4555

Website: www.keenecentralschool.org

Minerva Central School

1466 County Route 29 Olmstedville, NY 12857

Tel: 518-251-2000

Website: www.minervasd.org

Newcomb Central School

PO Box 418, Rt 28N Newcomb, NY 12852 Tel: 518-582-3341

Website: www.newcombcsd.org

Schroon Lake Central School

1125 US Route 9 Schroon Lake, NY 12870

Tel: 518-532-7164

Website: www.schroonschool.org

AuSable Valley Central School

1273 Rte 9N

Clintonville, NY 12924 Tel: 518-834-2845

Website: www.avcs.org

Boquet Valley Central School

Lake View Campus

25 Sisco Street Westport, NY 12993

Tel: 518-962-8244

Website:www.boquetvalleycsd.org

Crown Point Central School

2758 Main St

Crown Point, NY 12928

Tel: 518-597-3285

Website: www.cpcsteam.org

Lake Placid Central School

50 Cummings Rd Lake Placid, NY 12946

Tel: 518-523-2475

Website: www.lpcsd.org

Moriah Central School

39 Viking Lane Port Henry, NY 12974

Tel: 518-546-3301

Website: www.moriahk12.org

Saranac Lake Central School

79 Canaras Avenue Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-891-5460

Website: www.slcs.org

St. Agnes School

2322 Saranac Avenue Lake Placid, NY 12946

Tel: 518-523-3771

Website: www.stagneslp.org

SCHOOLS (cont.)

<u>Ticonderoga Central - Elementary</u>

116 Alexandria Ave

St. Mary's School

64 Amherst Avenue

Ticonderoga, NY 12883 Ticonderoga, NY 12883 Tel: 518-585-7433 Tel: 518-585-7400 Website: www.stmarysschoolticonderoga.org Website:www.ticonderogak12.org Ticonderoga Central – High School **Willsboro Central School** 5 Calkins Place 29 School Lane Ticonderoga, NY 12883 Willsboro, NY 12996 Tel: 518-585-7400 Tel: 518-963-4456 Website: www.ticonderogak12.org Website: www.willsborocsd.org **NOTES**

SENIOR AND FAMILY HOUSING

Adirondack Manor

653 Bay Road,

Queensbury, NY 12804 Tel: 518-761-0176

Website: www.adirondackmanor.com

Assisted living adult home.

Adirondack Residential Center

518 Norrisville Road Schuyler Falls, NY 12985

Tel: 518-643-9444

Professionally staffed residential program for male juvenile offenders.

Apple Valley Senior Housing Corp

1 Apple Valley Drive Peru. NY 12972 Tel: 518-643-6766

TDD: 800-662-1220

Website: www.applevalleysh.org

One bedroom apartments for income-eligible seniors and disabled individuals.

Black Brook Senior Housing

55 Hopkinton Turnpike

AuSable Forks, NY 12912-2905

Tel: 518-647-8125

Website: www.coniferllc.com

Bonnieview Terrace Apartments

401 Bonnieview Road Wilmington, NY 12997 Tel: 518-946-7966

Website: www.zionprop.com

Boquet River Senior Housing

44 Lawrence Way

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-7397

Housing for income-eligible and over 62 years old.

De Chantel Apartments

60 Church Street

Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-891-4004

Website: www.dechantelapartments.com

Housing for income-eligible seniors.

SENIOR AND FAMILY HOUSING (cont.)

Keene Valley Neighborhood House

1782 NYS Route 73 Keene Valley, NY 12943

Tel: 518-576-4474

Website: www.kvnh.today

Assisted-living facility for seniors; aide services and case management available.

Keeseville Country Gardens

164 Hill Street

Keeseville, NY 12944 Tel: 518-834-7725

Senior housing.

Lake Flower Apartments

14 Kiwassa Rd

Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-891-3050

Senior housing.

Lakewood Apartments

15 Senior Lane Willsboro, NY 12996

Tel: 518-963-4336

Senior housing.

Lee House Apartments

4318 Main Street

Port Henry, NY 12974 Tel: 518-546-7605

Housing for seniors 62 and over and handicapped individuals who meet income guidelines.

Lord Howe Estates

54 Adirondack Drive

Ticonderoga, NY 12883

Tel: 518-585-6696

Housing for seniors 62 and over and handicapped or disabled individuals who meet income guidelines.

Montcalm Manor

45 Montcalm Street Ticonderoga, NY 12883

Tel: 518-585-6230

Website: www.thewgroupmgmt.com

SENIOR AND FAMILY HOUSING (cont.)

Moses Circle Apartments

1007 Wicker Street Ticonderoga, NY 12883 518-558-1007

Mountain Meadows

76 Water Street

Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-532-0144

14 Leland Avenue

Schroon Lake, NY 12870

Tel: 518-532-0144

Affordable senior housing for ages 62 and older.

Mountain Vista

2 Vista Way Ticonderoga, NY 12883 Tel: 518-585-6696

Saranac Village at Will Rogers

78 Will Rogers Drive Saranac Lake, NY 12983 Tel: 518-891-7117

The historic retirement community of the Adirondacks offering independent living for those 55 and older.

Senior Citizen's Overlook Apartments, Inc.

45 Main Street – Suite 1 Bloomingdale, NY 12913

Tel: 518-891-2194 TDD: 800-662-1220

Affordable housing for seniors over 62 and people with disabilities over 18.

The Greenwood

89 Greenwood Street Lake Placid, NY 12946 Tel: 518-516-1038

Website: www.coniferllc.com

Affordable housing for seniors 62 or older or for people with disabilities over 18.

The Oaks at Fort Hudson

319 Broadway Fort Edward, NY 12828 Tel: 518-747-2811

Website: www.forthudson.com

Independent housing for seniors 62 or older; transition to skilled nursing, rehabilitation, adult day care available.

SUPPORT GROUPS

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) - Elizabethtown and Tri-Lakes Area

Meeting places vary; Call to request a meeting schedule.

Tel: Local Hotline- 518-561-8444 or 800-281-1190

Tel: National Office- 212-870-3400

12-step, self-help program; "Open" meetings for the public and professionals to learn about AA. "Closed" meetings are for alcoholics only. There are no dues or fees to become a member.

Al-Anon/Alateen Family Groups

Meeting places vary; Call to request an Alateen meeting schedule.

Tel: National Hotline 888-4AL-ANON. Website: www.al-anon.alateen.org

12-step, self-help program; "Open" meetings for the public and professionals to learn about Al-Anon/Alateen. "Closed" meetings are for families and friends of alcoholics. Alateen meetings are "closed" for youth only. There are no dues or fees to become a member.

Alzheimer's Disease Caregiver Support Initiative

101 Broad Street, 528 Siblev Hall **SUNY Plattsburgh** Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-564-3364

Website: www.plattsburgh.edu

Assessment and evaluation of Alzheimer's Disease and other dementias, caregiver support groups, care consultation, family consultation, training and education programs, respite, and technology-based services/project lifesaver.

Bereaved Parents of the USA

Adirondack Chapter 144 Lake Street Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Tel: 518-637-3004

Website: www.bereavedparentsusa.org

Provide a safe space where grieving families can connect, share stories, and learn to rebuild our lives.

Breast Cancer Support Group – "Treasure Chests"

Fitzpatrick Cancer Center 75 Beekman Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-2000

Website: www.cvph.org

Meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6 pm.

Champlain Valley Adoption Support Group

87 Ashley Road Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Tel: 518-563-8003

Website: www.nyconnects.ny.gov

SUPPORT GROUPS (cont.)

Diabetes Support Group

Elizabethtown Community Hospital 75 Park Street Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-9005 Website: www.ech.org

supports persons with diabetes through communication and educational sessions.

Families First in Essex County, Inc.

196 Water Street
P.O. Box 565
Elizabethtown, NY 12932
Tol: 518-873-9544

Tel: 518-873-9544 Fax: 518-873-9570.

Website: www.familiesfirstessex.org

Provides support and services from a strengths-based perspective to families with children with emotional difficulties or mental health issues, support groups, respite program, free clothing, food shelf, and household items.

High Peaks Hospice

Northern Office

47 Tom Phelps Way Mineville, NY 12956 Tel: 518-891-0606

Southern Office

454 Glen St

Glens Falls, NY 12801 Tel: 518-891-0606

Administrative Office

309 County Rte. 47 Saranac Lake, NY 12983 P.O. Box 840

Tel: 518-891-0606

Website: www.highpeakshospice.org

Focuses on the individual and his or her choices or wishes. Cares for not just physical comfort, but also social, spiritual, emotional, and practical. Care includes visits, assessment, planning, and teaching. Provides needed medications, equipment, supplies, and materials related to the illness and needed to address or prevent symptoms or discomfort.

SUPPORT GROUPS (cont.)

Mental Health Association in Essex County

6096 NYS Route 9N Westport, NY 12993 Tel: 518-962-2077 Tel: 800-440-8074 Fax: 518-962-8233

Website www.mhainessex.com

A wide range of programs to facilitate the recovery of people who have experienced mental illness.

National Alliance on Mental Illness of Champlain Valley (NAMI-CV)

304 New York Road Plattsburgh, NY 12903 Tel: 518-561-2685 Fax: 518-536-9047

Website: www.nami-cv.org

Support for individuals, family and friends with mental illness. Support groups and educational programs are available.

North Country Center for Independence

88 Sharron Avenue Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-563-9058

Website: www.ncci-online.com

Information & referral, peer counseling, advocacy, independent living skills training, radio reading service, accessibility consultation, assistive technology, benefits advisement, employment services, and long term care information.

Northern Adirondack Planned Parenthood- Plattsburgh

66 Brinkerhoff St Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-4430

Website: www.plannedparenthood.org

Medical, counseling, and educational services related to reproductive healthcare, HIV/AIDS, and sexual assault services.

Sexual Assault Services of Essex County

66 Brinkerhoff Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901 518-561-0605 ext. 125

24 Hour Hotline - 1-866-307-4086

Counseling on Sexual Assault issues and relationships over the age of 12; 24-hour hotline, crisis counseling, therapy, advocacy, information and referrals; prevention education/training. Services are provided no matter when the assault occurred, whether it was 2 hours ago or 20 years ago.

SUPPORT GROUPS (cont.)

STOP Domestic Violence

Main Street Westport, NY 12993

Tel: 1-866-563-6904 or 518-962-8949

Emergency shelter, counseling, education; crisis intervention and support groups, advocacy, community presentations, 24-hour hotline.

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TAXI SERVICE AND TRANSPORTATION

Essex County Office for the Aging

132 Water Street P.O. Box 217 Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3695 Fax: 518-873-3784

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/OFA.asp/

Transportation for those over 60 to and from medical-related appointments.

Essex County CHAMP Bus

Tel: 518-873-3689 Tel: 1-800-914-9266

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us/wp/transportation

Joe's Taxi

Ticonderoga, NY 12883 Tel: 518-585-4412

Lavigne Taxi Service

35 Willow Way Saranac Lake, NY 12983 Tel: 518-891-2444

Medicaid Transport – Essex County

Medical Answering Services, LLC (MAS) P.O. Box 12000 Syracuse, NY 13218 Tel: 866-753-4442

Website: www.medanswering.com

Transportation or reimbursement for Medicaid-covered health related appointments for Medicaid-eligible persons who have no other means of transportation. All trips and reimbursement must be prior approved.

VETERANS AFFAIRS

NYS Division of Veterans Affairs - Essex County Office

7551 Court Street Elizabethtown, NY 12932

Tel: 518-873-3488 Tel: 888-838-7697

Website: www.veterans.ny.gov

Assistance to veterans and their families regarding benefits for which they may be eligible.

NY State Division of Veterans Affairs

5 Empire State Plaza, Suite 2836

Albany, NY 12223 Tel: 518-474-6784

Advice and assistance for veterans and their families.

Veterans Administration Hospital

113 Holland Avenue Albany, NY 12208 Tel: 518-626-5386 Tel: 1-888-838-7697

Website: www.albany.va.gov

Comprehensive range of medical, surgical, psychiatric, geriatric, and ambulatory care services to veterans.

Veterans Community-Based Outpatient Clinic

7426 NYS Route 9 Westport, NY 12993 Tel: 518-626-5236

Website: www.albany.va.gov/locations/Westport.asp

Behaviorial health, primary care, preventive medicine, medication management, smoking cessation program, benefits consultation.

NY Connects

NY Connects is a program available in Essex County that assists individuals with accessing long-term care services. The New York State Office for the Aging (NYSOFA) and the Department of Health (DOH) are working on this collaborative effort to ensure that consumers, their caregivers, and professionals, are receiving unbiased and accurate information regarding services that are available in Essex County. NY Connects supports the consumer's choice and independence while also ensuring that they are accessing the most cost-effective service that can be provided.

NY Connects provides a single access point to all individuals, regardless of age, income, or payment source with assistance with exploring long-term care options in our area. This program will ensure that clients, caregivers, and professionals are linked to the most appropriate service(s) for that individual.

In Essex County, our NY Connects program is based in the Office for the Aging. With collaboration from the local Department of Social Services (DSS), Public Health, and many other agencies, we have been able to implement this much needed program. We strongly feel that this program will ease the frustration that consumers usually encounter while trying to access services. In addition, this program will allow us to evaluate our current long-term care system and will assist us in meeting the challenges that our consumers face when accessing services.

To assist potential consumers and caregivers, we have updated our current resource directory of services. This directory can be accessed on-line at: www.nyconnects.ny.gov/. Please feel free to utilize this resource when assisting potential consumers, caregivers, and others. In addition, information and assistance can be provided by our NY Connects staff by calling 518-873-3815.



TOLL-FREE NUMBERS

AARP	888-687-2277
Alliance for Lung Cancer	800-298-2436
Alliance for Positive Health (AIDS Council)	800-232-6348
ALS Association (Lou Gehrig's Disease)	800-782-4747
Alzheimer's Association	800-272-3900
Alzheimer's Dis. & Related Dis. Assoc.	800-272-3900
Alzheimer's Dis. Ed. & Referral Ctr.	800-438-4380
American Behcet's Disease Association	800-723-4238
American Cancer Society	800-227-2345
American Council of the Blind	800-424-8666
American Diabetes Association	800-342-2383
American Kidney Fund	800-638-8299
American Liver Foundation	800-465-4837
Aplastic Anemia & MDS International Foundation	800-747-2820
Audiology Awareness Campaign	800-445-8629
Brain Injury Assoc. of New York State	800-444-6443
Brain Injury Association of America	800-444-6443
Cancer Care	800-813-4673
Cancer Institute, Roswell Park Cancer	800-767-9355
Cancer Treatment Centers of America	877-256-0379
Captioned Media Program	800-237-6213
Cervical Cancer Coalition	800-685-5531
Centers for Disease Control/Asthma	800-232-4636
Centers for Disease Control STD Hotline	800-227-8922
Child Abuse Reporting Center	800-342-3720
Child Find	800-426-5678
ChildHelp National Child Abuse Hotline	800-422-4453
Christopher & Dana Reeve Foundation	800-225-0292
Crohn's & Colitis Foundation	800-932-2423
Domestic Violence Hotline	800-799-7233
Depression and Bipolar Support Alliance	800-826-3632

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Drug Sales Reporting Hotline	877-792-2873
Early Childhood Direction Center	800-462-4344
Environmental Protection Agency - Asbestos	800-368-5888
Environmental Protection Agency – Drinking Water	800-426-4791
Environmental Protection Agency – Pesticides	800-858-7378
Epilepsy Foundation of America	800-332-1000
Federal Student Aid	800-433-3243
Growing Up Healthy Hotline	800-522-5006
Health Resources & Services Administration	888-275-4772
Hospice Foundation of America	800-854-3402
International Dyslexia Society	800-222-3123
Legal Aid Society Northeastern NY	800-462-2922
Leukemia and Lymphoma Society	800-955-4572
Living Bank/Organ Donor Information	888-894-6361
Medic Alert	800-432-5378
Medicare Hotline	800-633-4227
Mental Health Association in Essex County	800-440-8074
Missing Children Hotline	800-843-5678
Mortgage Information/SONYMA	800-382-4663
National Association for Continence	800-252-3337
National Cancer Institute	800-422-6237
National Child Safety Council	800-327-5107
National Council on Aging	800-424-9046
National Library for the Blind	800-424-8567
National Multiple Sclerosis Society	800-344-4867
National Pesticide Information Center	800-858-7378
National Runaway Safeline	800-786-2929
NY Connects	800-342-9871
NY FarmNet HelpLine	800-547-3276
NYS Coalition Against Domestic Violence	800-818-0656
NYS Ed Dept/Adult Career & Continuing Ed	800-222-5627

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NYS Office for People w/Developmental Disabilities	866-946-9733
NYS Office of Temporary & Disability Assistance	800-342-3334
NYS Public Service Commission/Consumer Complaints	800-342-3377
NYS Talking Book & Braille Library	800-342-3688
Prostate Cancer Foundation	800-757-2873
Shriners Hospital for Children	800-237-5055
Social Security Administration	800-772-1213
United Spinal Association/Spinal Cord Resource Center	800-962-9629
U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission	800-638-2772

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