



List of Resources for Genesee County Residents

Education / Employment / Skill Development

Family Literacy Program - Christ Enrichment Center

322 E Hamilton Ave, Flint, MI 48505

The Family Literacy Program is an adult education service that works to improve academic skills to the 9th grade level, and prepare participants for GED courses or workplace programming. The program gives parents the resources needed to allow them to be their child's first teacher promoting family learning.

<http://christenrichmentctr.wixsite.com/cec-flint/family-literacy>

(810) 239-9425

Center for Higher Education Achievement

1025 E. Kearsley St. (Flint Institute of Music) Room 134, Flint, MI 48503

The Center of Higher Education Achievement offers three programs for adults 25 and older:

- The Adult Basic Reading and Math program, focusing on adults at a K-5th grade level in either area. This is a one-on-one experience, where students are paired up with a tutor.
- The Pre-GRE program, which reintroduces Middle School (6th-8th grade level) academic concepts to those who missed or forgot these course subjects.
- The GED Program, a small group course which prepares students for the computer base GED exam. All coursework is aligned to the Common Core Standards.
- Additionally, there is the English as a Second Language program, a one-on-one program allowing non-native English speakers to gain basic English reading, writing, math, and speaking skills.

Open Monday through Thursday from 10am-4pm.

<http://www.mychea.org>

(810) 265-7766

Genesee District Library - Talking Book Center and Homebound Services

4195 W Pasadena Ave., Flint, MI 48504

The Talking Book Center provides talking books through the mail, postage-free to those who are unable to read standard print due to visual or physical impairment. The Genesee District Library also offers Homebound Services, where patrons who are temporarily or permanently homebound can receive books from our collection via mail, postage-free.

<https://www.thegdl.org/services/talking-book-center>

(810) 732-1120

Literacy/Math Tutor Program - Boys and Girls Club of Greater Flint

3701 N Averill Ave, Flint, MI 48506

The Boys and Girls Club of Greater Flint offers year-round education activities for Genesee County children. During the school year, an after-school program is offered, with a free snack, and a summer program is offered with a free lunch. In addition, one-on-one math and literacy tutoring is also available. There is a \$10 annual membership fee per child. Program is for Genesee County children ages 7 to 17.



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<http://www.bgclubflint.org/newpage3>

(810) 249-3413

Metro Flint YouthBuild

2712 Saginaw Street, Flint, MI 48505

Metro Flint YouthBuild is a program funded by the Department of Labor to provide disadvantaged youth between the ages of 18 and 24 with education, job training and employment opportunities. The goal of the program is to help young adults gain their GED and job skills focused in the construction field.

<https://www.metro-community.org/metro-flint-youthbuild>

(810) 341-1824

Michigan Works - Genesee County

711 Saginaw St # 300, Flint, MI 48503

Michigan Works offers several services to help employment seekers, including resume building and assist with job interview skills. They also assist in finding job openings using the Pure Michigan Talent Connect service.

Open Monday through Friday, 8am to 5pm.

<https://gstmiworks.org>

(810) 233-5974

Mott Community College - Community Technology Centers

Mott Community College offers free computer usage and training in computer skills at three different locations in Flint:

- The Disability Network - 3600 S. Dort Hwy, Flint, MI 48507
- Great Lakes Baptist Community Tech. Center - 5905 N. Saginaw St, Flint, MI 48505
- Hispanic Tech & Comm. Center of Greater Flint - 2101 Lewis St, Flint, MI 48506

http://www.mcc.edu/ctc/ctc_index.shtml

(810) 232-2512

Work First Program – GCCARD

601 N. Saginaw St., Suite 1B Flint, MI. 48502

GCCARD's Work First Program is an employment assistance program that helps residents of Genesee County find both full and part-time work.

<http://www.gc4me.com/resident/gccard>

(810) 232-2185

Family Programs

Ennis Center for Children

129 E. 3rd St, Flint MI 48502

The Ennis Center has programs in place to help children who are in foster care. The Fostering Creativity program is a free Therapeutic Arts program for those ages 5-21. The MPowering My Success program is a partnership with UofM Flint that assists students in foster care, formerly in foster care, or transitioning out of foster care. Additional Foster Care and Adoption information and services also available.



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<http://www.enniscenter.org>, (810) 233-4031

Genesee County CARD – Head Start

601 N. Saginaw St. Suite 1B, Flint, MI 48502

Head Start is a program that focuses on providing and supporting services for children and family through partnerships with family and the community. Head Start offers Child Development Services, Family Services, Health/Dental Services, Nutrition Services, Behavioral Health Services and Special Needs Services.

<http://www.gccardheadstart.com/>

(810) 235-5613

Motherly Intercession

3010 S. Dye Rd, Flint MI 48507

Motherly Intercessions offers programs to help the family of those who are currently or were previously incarcerated, with the goal of breaking the cycle of intergenerational incarceration. The RACS program provides homework help, tutoring and a healthy meal for children. Participants must call to enroll.

<http://www.miforu.org>

(810) 424-9909

Planned Parenthood

G-1235 S. Center Rd. Burton, MI 48509

G-3371 Beecher Rd. Flint, MI 48532

Planned Parenthood offers a number of health and family planning services including: Birth control, HIV and other STD testing, Pregnancy testing, and health care for both women and men. Appointments can be booked online or over the phone.

<https://www.plannedparenthood.org>

(810) 743-4490 – Burton

(810) 238-3631 - Flint

TeenQuest/YouthQuest

519 S. Saginaw St. Suite 200 Flint, MI 48502

The Flint and Genesee Chamber of Commerce offers two programs for K-12 youth. YouthQuest is an afterschool program focused on development of several areas, including: academics, health and fitness, life skills and character education. TeenQuest is for those 14-19 and currently in grades 9-12. It's a five week program that gives teens an understanding of skills required by employers, such as communication, taking initiative, and financial literacy. Applications for both programs can be found online.

<https://www.flintandgenesee.org/education-training/youthquest>

(810) 600-1404

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Food Assistance

Flint Fresh

601 Martin Luther King Ave. Flint, MI 48502

Flint Fresh Mobile Market works with local organizations to make fresh and healthy food accessible and affordable, making several stops in the City of Flint. Both EBT and the Double Up Food Bucks program can be used. They also offer delivery of their veggie boxes to City of Flint residents, as long as the order is at least \$15. Zip codes 48503, 48505 and 48506 receive deliveries on Tuesdays, while 48502, 48504, 48507 and 48532 receive them on Wednesday.

<https://www.flintfresh.com>, 810-620-1902

Food Bank of Eastern Michigan

2300 Lapeer Rd, Flint, MI 48503

The Food Bank of Eastern Michigan helps to solicit, store and distribute food for those in need. They can be contacted to help get food in several ways, including helping find a local food pantry, Bridge card/SNAP outreach, and giving information on their programs in the community.

<https://www.fbem.org>

(810) 239-4498

Michigan Department of Health and Human Services

MDHHS offers a number of services for Michigan residents. This includes food assistance programs, including SNAP, the Woman Infant Child Program (WIC), Medicaid registration and assistance, assistance covering child care, relief for utilities and burial costs, and more. Information and the application process can be found on the website, or over the phone.

<http://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs>

(517) 373-3740

Meals on Wheels - GCCARD

601 N. Saginaw St., Suite 1B Flint, MI. 48502

The Meals on Wheels program provides warm meals to homebound seniors. Meals are available seven days a week. The program is managed by the Genesee County Community Action Resource Department.

http://www.gc4me.com/resident/gccard/senior_foods.php

(810) 232-2185

Food Pantries and Essential Goods

Beecher Area - The Salvation Army Beecher Corps

1475 West Coldwater Rd. Flint, MI 48506

Provides food assistance to families who meet income guidelines every Tuesday beginning at 10am. Apply via



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telephone Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 9am-3pm. Picture ID, Social Security cards and proof of income required. Call or fill out form online.

<http://www.beecher.salarmygenesee.org>

(810) 789-4003

Burton - Holy Redeemer Catholic Church

1227 E. Bristol Rd. Burton, MI 48529

Provides food through a food pantry, and monetary assistance for their parish and neighborhood. Works with area churches and other local food pantries to help support families in need.

<http://www.holyredeemberburton.org/outreach>

(810) 743-3050

Burton - South Flint Seventh Day Adventist Church

1467 E. Maple Avenue Burton, MI 48529

Provides food for residents of Genesee County once a month. Picture ID and Appointment required.

<http://www.southflintsda.org/>

(810) 743-9340

Clio Area - Thetford Senior Citizens Center

11495 N. Center Rd. Clio, MI 48420

Provides a free food pantry for area residents, every 2nd and 4th Friday of the month at 8am. Food is distributed on a first come, first served basis. There is also a noon meal served daily, \$2 for those over 60 and \$3.50 for those under 60.

<https://www.thetfordtwp.com/senior-center>

(810) 686-0630

Davison/Goodrich/Otisville -Saint John the Evangelist Parish – Outreach East

425 N. Genesee St. Davison MI 48423

Provides food once every 30 days for residents of Goodrich, Davison and Otisville that meet eligibility criteria. Baby cereal, baby food and diapers also provided when available. Proof of income, Picture ID, Social Security card and last year's tax return required. Mon/Weds 10am-3pm, Tues/Thurs 1pm-6pm.

<http://www.outreacheast.org>

(810) 653-7711

Fenton - The Road Community Church

301 E. South Holly Rd. Fenton, MI 48430

Provides warm coats, boots and hats for those under 18 and food to area residents. Must be a resident of Fenton to receive items. Appointments can be made, but walk-ins also welcome. Open Sundays 5:30pm-8:30pm.



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<http://www.theroadcommunitychurch.com>

(810) 922-2088

Fenton/Linden/Holly - Michigan Area of the United Methodist

119 S. Leroy Fenton, MI 48430

Provides food and toiletries for those in need in the Fenton, Linden and Holly area. Must be referred by Love INC and have an appointment in order to receive goods.

Love INC: (810) 235-4990

<http://www.fentonumc.com>

(810) 629-8565

Flint - St. Luke N.E.W. Life Center

3115 Lawndale Ave, Flint, MI 48504

Provides food assistance to those in area codes 48504 and 48505. Participants receive food assistance once a month. Additionally, a hot meal is served to all on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

<http://www.stlukenewlife.com>

(810) 239-8710

Flint - Carriage Town Ministries Family Center

705 Garland Flint, MI 48503

Provides emergency bagged food for seniors. Must be a Genesee County resident age 60 or older. Phone sign-up required. Occurs every 4th Wednesday of the month from 1pm-3pm. Additionally, a dinner meal is provided to all residents every day at 5:30pm.

<http://www.carriagetown.org>

(810) 238-6847

Flushing - Flushing Christian Outreach Center

201 N. McKinley Rd. Flushing, MI 48433

Provides food, clothing and personal items for Flushing residents and those who live in the Flushing school boundaries, that meet eligibility guidelines. Appointment by telephone required, photo ID/proof of residency needed.

<http://www.flushingchristianoutreach.org>

(810) 487-2223

Gaines - Saint Joseph Church of Gaines

9450 Duffield Rd. Gaines, MI 48436



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Provides a food pantry to those in Gaines and Shiawassee County. Appointment by telephone required, appointments will be made on every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month.

<http://www.stjosephgaines.org>

(989) 271-8434

Grand Blanc - FISH of Grand Blanc

P.O. Box 367 Grand Blanc, MI 48480

Provides emergency food for those who live in the Grand Blanc School District. Apply by telephone, must have Photo ID and proof of residence.

<http://www.fishofgrandblancmi.org>

(810) 695-1880

Swartz Creek - Swartz Creek Community Food Basket

7400 Miller Rd. Swartz Creek, MI 48473

Provides two large bags of groceries once a month, including food and gently used clothing for residents of the Swartz Creek School District. Walk-ins only, Picture ID required. Tues 3pm-6pm, Fri 10am-1pm.

<http://www.umc-sc.org>

(810) 635-4555

Health and Wellness

Flint Cares - Community Help Centers

- Asbury United Methodist Church - 1653 Davison Rd. Flint, MI 48506
- Bethel United Methodist Church - 1309 N. Ballenger Hwy, Flint, MI 48504
- Greater Holy Temple COGIC - 6702 N. Dort Hwy, Flint, MI 48505

The Help Centers offer resources for Flint Residents, including: lead-fighting foods and produce, personal care items, bottled water, filters, and replacement cartridges. All Flint Residents impacted by the water crisis are welcome, with no eligibility criteria. You will be asked for your zip code and household count by age.

<http://www.FlintCares.com/HELPcenters>

Dial 2-1-1 for assistance.

Genesee Community Health Care

422 W 4th Ave, Flint, MI 48503

The Genesee Community Health Center offers physical health treatment for individuals of all ages. In addition to this, their main location and two health centers are available to help people sign up for the Medicaid and Health Michigan health care programs. Various fees for treatment, no costs for the Health Care Sign-up.

<https://www.genchc.org/Home/portalid/4>

(810) 257-3705 or 866-211-5455

Genesee County Health Department



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630 S. Saginaw St. Suite 4, Flint, Michigan 48502

G-3373 S. Saginaw St, Burton, Michigan 48529

The Genesee County Health Department has a Free Medical Clinic and a number of services available to those who are low income or uninsured. More information and appointment scheduling can be done by calling either office.

<http://gchd.us/get-help>

(810) 257-3612 Flint or (810) 742-2255 Burton

Hamilton Community Health Network

2900 N. Saginaw St. Flint, MI 48505

G-3375 S. Saginaw St. Flint, MI 48529

4154 W. Vienna Rd. Clio, MI 48420

5399 N. Saginaw St. Flint, MI 48505

5710 Clio Rd. Flint, MI 48504

Hamilton Community Health Network is a non-profit organization that provides comprehensive healthcare services to patients regardless of income. Services include adult and pediatric primary care, dentistry, obstetrics, gynecology, mental health, podiatry, pharmacy and vision services.

<http://www.hamiltonchn.org>

(810) 406-4246

Michigan Department of Health and Human Services

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<http://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs>

(517) 373-3740

Mott Community College - Dental Hygiene Clinic

1401 E. Court Street, Flint, Michigan 48503

Between September and April, the Dental Hygiene Clinic offers low-cost dental cleaning services.

Appointments must be made in advance, no walk-ins. \$25 per cleaning.

http://www.mcc.edu/health_sciences/hs_dental_health_clinic.shtml

(810) 762-0493

MTA - Rides to Wellness / Ride to Groceries

1401 S. Dort Hwy. Flint, MI 48503

MTA offers two services outside of their main lines. The Road to Wellness leaves from the MTA Transfer



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center and stops at Hurley Medical Center, Mott Children's Center, and Genesys of Downtown Flint. The Ride to Groceries allows riders to schedule a trip to grocery stores and local markets throughout Genesee County. Ride to Wellness is 85 cents each way, and Ride to Groceries is \$3.50 each way (\$2.25 for Seniors/Riders with disabilities).

<http://www.mtaflint.org/rides-to-wellness.html>

<http://www.mtaflint.org/ride-to-groceries.html>

Call your local Your Ride Center to schedule a ride:

Burton: 810-767-5992

Clio: 810-780-8920

Davison: 810-780-8910

Fenton: 810-780-8965

Flint East: 810-767-5541

Flint West: 810-233-4751

Flushing: 810-780-8930

Grand Blanc: 810-780-8960

Mt. Morris: 810-780-8970

Swartz Creek: 810-780-8950

Planned Parenthood

G-1235 S. Center Rd. Burton, MI 48509

G-3371 Beecher Rd. Flint, MI 48532

Planned Parenthood offers a number of health and family planning services including: Birth control, HIV and other STD testing, Pregnancy testing, and health care for both women and men. Appointments can be booked online or over the phone. <https://www.plannedparenthood.org>

(810) 743-4490 – Burton

(810) 238-3631 - Flint

Wellness Services – HIV assistance

311 E. Court St. Flint, MI 48502

Wellness Services offers several services to help prevent the spread of the HIV virus. They offer free HIV testing and targeted counseling, replacement of used syringes with new clean ones, free contraception, and a support group. Open to all Genesee County residents and walk-ins are welcome. Open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 10-6, Wednesday 10-7 and Friday 2-6.

<http://wellnessaids.org>

(810) 232-0888

Hotlines and Helplines

Boys Town National Hotline

A 24-hour crisis, resource and referral line available for both children and parents that handles questions or issues on a number of topics, including: bullying, abuse, depression, running away and substance abuse. Available in English and Spanish, with a translation service for other languages.

<http://www.boystown.org/hotline/Pages/default.aspx>

1-800-488-3000



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Childhelp USA - Child Abuse Hotline

A hotline staffed by professional crisis intervention counselors that offers crisis intervention, information, and referrals to support services. The calls are confidential and anonymous.

<https://www.childhelp.org/hotline>

1-800-422-4453

Crisis Text Line

Provides access to a live, trained crisis counselor via text messages. The counselor will text back asking about your crisis and help to create a safety plan.

<https://www.crisistextline.org>

Text 741-741

Equality Michigan - LGBTQ and/or HIV+ Support Line

Equality Michigan has a non-crisis support line put in place to provide services to LGBTQ and HIV+ survivors. The number can also be used to report incidents of hate crimes, sexual assault, discrimination and other crimes.

<https://equalitymi.org>

1-866-962-1147

Food Stamp Helpline

Provided by the Center for Civil Justice, the Food Stamp Helpline provides information on eligibility and referrals to nutrition programs, including the food stamp program. The service is available Monday-Friday 9am-5pm, and callers are asked to have their proof of income ready when calling.

<http://www.ccj-mi.org>

(810) 244-8044

Genesee Health System Emergency Hotline

The Genesee Health System Hotline is in place to help with any mental health emergency. Whether a situation is an emergency or not is up to the person making the call, and GHS encourages anyone who feels that they are having a mental health emergency to call.

<http://www.genhs.org/Services/Crisis-and-Access-Services>

(810) 257-3740. Toll free: (877) 346-3648

Legal Hotline for Michigan Seniors

Those who are age 60 or older, or authorized caregivers, can obtain personal legal advice over the telephone on topics including Social Security, Medicare, Housing, Wills/Probate and consumer law. There is no charge for using the hotline, and is available Monday - Thursday from 9am to 3pm.

<http://www.elderlawofmi.org/legal-hotline>

1-800-347-5297



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National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

The Lifeline provides free and confidential calls 24/7. A trained crisis worker at a local Lifeline network crisis center will listen, provide support, and get you the help that you need.

<https://suicidepreventionlifeline.org>

1-800-273-8255

Housing Assistance

Family Promise of Genesee County

P.O. Box 4519 Flint, MI 48504

Family Promise works to help combat the issue of family homelessness by providing a Day Center in the day, and host churches at night to stay at. At the Day Center, families can shower, do laundry, have access to phones and computers, take part in life-skills courses, and have transportation to school for children. The host churches provide meals, and individual rooms for each family, with a bed for each family member. Guest families are not required to have a faith/religious affiliation.

<http://www.familypromiseofgc.org>

(810) 234-9444

Flint Housing Commission

3820 Richfield Road Flint, MI 48506

Flint Housing Commission provides housing for low and moderate income families, persons with disabilities, and senior citizens. Proof of income, birth certificate and social security number required.

Call for appointment.

<http://www.flinthud.org>

(810) 736-3050

Genesee County Community Action Resource Department

601 N. Saginaw St., Suite 1B Flint, MI. 48502

GCCARD offers several different programs to help residences pay bills. These include the Home Heating Credit for heating costs and utility bills, Michigan LIHEAP for energy bills and the State Emergency Relief fund for those in short-term financial crisis.

<http://www.gc4me.com/resident/gccard>

(810) 232-2185

Genesee County Government – Housing Down Payment Loan

The Genesee County Government works with banks to provide a no-interest loan up to \$5,000 for first time home buyers who reside in Genesee County, but not in the City of Flint. Income must be below 80% of the median Genesee County income.

<http://gcmpc.org/down-payment-assistance/>



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(810) 257-3010

My Brother's Keeper of Genesee County

101 North Grand Traverse St. Flint, MI 48503

My Broher's Keeper assists unaccompanied adult men experiencing homelessness in Genesee County by providing safe emergency shelter and meeting basic needs, and by helping guests obtain and maintain more appropriate housing.

http://www.geneseeserves.org/agency/detail/?agency_id=7520

(810) 234-1163

Step Forward Michigan

The Step Forward Michigan program is a federally-funded loan program that helps eligible homeowners who are have having issues making their mortgage, condo fees and/or property taxes. Eligibility requirements and applications can be found on the website or by calling the toll-free number.

<https://www.stepforwardmichigan.org/en>

1-866-946-7432

Supportive Services for Veteran Families

The SSVF works with very low-income Veteran families to promote housing stability for those who reside in or are transitioning to permanent housing. Head of household must either be a Veteran or spouse of a Veteran.

<https://www.va.gov/homeless/ssvf/index.asp>

1-866-787-6734