

# EightCAP, Inc.

# Community Resource Directory



## Isabella County 2017

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EightCAP, Inc. is an equal opportunity employer/program.

Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

In this directory you will find valuable information for resources in your community. Names and phone numbers of local agencies that provide medical care, dental care, emergency assistance (such as food, clothing, shelter, utility payment assistance, etc.), and other services are included. At the time of this printing all information in the directory was accurate, but it can change at any time. We try to keep all contact information changes up-to-date, on our website at [www.eightcap.org](http://www.eightcap.org) as we become aware of them.

**EightCAP's mission is to improve our community by delivering programs that alleviate the local cause of poverty and its effects.**

**0-5 HEAD START** – EightCAP, Inc. 0-5 Head Start provides comprehensive early childhood programming to families with children and pregnant women ages prenatal through age 5. 0-5 Head Start services are available in Clinton (Early Head Start), Gratiot, Ionia, Isabella, and Montcalm counties. Services are offered to families that qualify. Services range from weekly home visits, center-based infant/toddler care to high quality preschool. **Call (866) 754-9315, ext. 3369 with questions or to apply.**

**COMMUNITY SERVICES** - EightCAP, Inc. Community Services assists income-eligible households with heat and utility assistance, food distributions, transportation vouchers for employment purposes or medical appointments, medical prescription copays, and various needs depending on funding availability. Community Services also offers assistance with Michigan Enrolls, food pantry information or distributions, and referrals to other services not provided by EightCAP.

For all financial assistance, an Emergency Assistance Application must be completed and reviewed for eligibility before an appointment for assistance is made. The Emergency Assistance Application is located on our website, [www.eightcap.org](http://www.eightcap.org). With assistance from Community Services, empowerment is given to households by providing them with a stepping stone to self-sufficiency.

To assist with employment searches, daycare options, completing Department of Health and Human Services applications, or to search the internet for other reasons, each office is equipped with a Computer Access Station that has many reliable sites and information throughout the State of Michigan.

**COURT APPOINTED SPECIAL ADVOCATES (CASA)** – Montcalm CASA serves abused and neglected children in Montcalm County. The mission of CASA is to help recruit, train, supervise, and support a staff of volunteers who work with and stand up for children within the juvenile court system. Our staff of volunteers become empowered officers of the court, appointed by a judge to recommend the best possible outcome for an abused or neglected child's future. The ultimate goal for CASA is to help ensure that every one of these children can live in a safe, permanent home. CASA volunteers review records, research information and talk to everyone involved – social workers, attorneys, judges, parents, teachers, family members and most importantly, the children themselves. Volunteers then present their recommendations to the court as to what they feel is best for the child. Judges rely heavily on this testimony to make an informed decision on the child's future. CASA's mission is to help a child replace a life of hurt with one of hope

**FOSTER GRANDPARENT/SENIOR COMPANION PROGRAM** – The Senior Corps Program exists for the dual purpose of engaging persons 55 and older, particularly those with limited incomes, in volunteer service to meet critical community needs; and to provide a high quality experience that will enrich the lives of the volunteers and those that they serve. Foster Grandparents provide supportive, person to person services to children with exceptional or special needs. They serve in schools, Head Start centers, and other community based sites that provide programming for children. Senior Companions help homebound clients with chores such as light housekeeping, paying bills, buying groceries, finding transportation to medical appointments, or tutor to increase literacy proficiency. They also can provide a few hours of respite for a caregiver.

Both Foster Grandparents and Senior Companions must be 55 years of age or older, meet established income eligibility guidelines and be willing to serve at least 15 hours a week. They earn a tax-free hourly stipend, mileage reimbursement, a meal or equivalent for each day of service, an annual physical examination, accident, personal liability and excess automobile coverage, recognition, and training. Most importantly, these volunteers make a difference in the lives of those they serve!

**HOUSING PROGRAMS** – EightCAP, Inc. Housing Programs assists low-income households with rental assistance, deposit assist, emergency shelter (hotel/motel vouchers) and limited utility payment assistance; these services are offered through the Emergency Solutions Grant and the Emergency Shelter Program.

Through the Supportive Services for Veterans Families, services can include; rental assistance, deposit assistance, emergency shelter stays, moving costs, emergency housing services, transportation assistance and limited car repair assistance. These services are available to low-income households, who have served at least one-day active duty and were discharged under any other circumstances than dishonorable.

The Family Rehousing Program is available to literally homeless households with children under 18. This program will pay up to 18 months of rental assistance and security deposit.

It is an intensive case management program where clients work to address barriers that are present and develop skills to retain housing and become self-sufficient.

EightCAP, Inc. as the Housing Assessment and Resource Agency (HARA) in the county registers and places homeless households on the Housing Choice Voucher Waitlist with a Homeless Preference Code. This rental assistance voucher program is administered by Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) in conjunction with Community Management Associates, Inc. (CMA).

**WEATHERIZATION** – EightCAP, Inc. Weatherization serves Gratiot, Ionia, Isabella, Montcalm, Muskegon and Oceana counties. Weatherization is free to income-eligible applicants. The purpose of Weatherization is to help reduce energy costs by insulating, weather-stripping, caulking, and installing door sweeps. The furnace, water heater, and refrigerator are also checked for efficiency and safety. To be eligible for Weatherization, the household gross income must be under 200% of the Federal Poverty level.

Weatherization serves home owners and renters; however, landlords are required to pay a portion of the cost of weatherizing their rental home.

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# Community Resources

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## **ADDICTION SOLUTIONS COUNSELING CENTER**

**(989) 779-9449**

*218 S Washington, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00 am - 9:00 pm and Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

This program accepts most insurance. Outpatient Mental Health Substance Abuse Counseling and Gambling Counseling. Also outpatient psychiatric care is provided. Offers group, family, couple, individual and adolescent counseling.

## **ADULT & COMMUNITY EDUCATION**

**(989) 775-2370**

*3480 S Isabella Road, Suite 2, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

High school completion, alternative education, GED preparation, testing and counseling and many more programs. Call for more information.

## **ALANO CLUB**

**(989) 772-4955**

*1201 N Fancher, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

A support group for alcoholics and the families of alcoholics.

## **ALCOHOLICS' ANONYMOUS (AA)**

**(800) 821-3014 or (989) 772-4955**

*1201 N Fancher, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Educational services for persons with alcohol, drug, or other related concerns are provided.

Services are also offered to families and friends of chemically dependent persons. Narcotics

Anonymous meetings are also available.

## **ALTERNATIVE COUNSELING CENTER**

**(989) 831-9111**

*129 E Main Street, Stanton, MI 48888*

Counseling services-parenting, substance abuse and court ordered counseling.

## **AMERICAN LEGION**

**(989) 772-9709**

*209 S Oak Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

It is a not-for-profit community-service organization which now numbers nearly 3 million members, men and women, in nearly 15,000 American Legion posts worldwide

## **AMERICAN RED CROSS MID-MICHIGAN CHAPTER**

**(800) 774-6066 or (517) 484-7461**

*1800 E Grand River Avenue, Lansing, MI 48909*

Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

American Red Cross offers blood drives and hundreds of education classes throughout the year on a variety of topics including: First Aid, Blood Borne Pathogens, CPR and Automatic External Defibrillator (AED), babysitter's training, pet first aid, wilderness first aid, water safety, and care giving programs. American Red Cross also provides emergency response for families affected by natural or man-made disasters, and offers services for military families such as; providing emergency communications.

## **BEAL CITY ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAM**

**(989) 773-9543**

*3032 S Winn Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

[bealcityschools.net](http://bealcityschools.net)

Alternative high school.

## **BEAL CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

**(989) 644-3901**

*3180 W Beal City Road. Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

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**BIG BROTHERS/BIG SISTERS PROGRAM (BB/BS)****(989) 772-5232***304 W Michigan, Suite 1, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.bbbsgm.org](http://www.bbbsgm.org)

This program serves children 6-12 years of age. School based mentoring programs are available. The mission of BB/BS is to help children reach their potential through professionally supported one-on-one relationships with measurable impacts.

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**CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICE****(989) 773-9328***210 Court Street, Suite A, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Fees are based on a sliding scale. This program participates with most insurance. Counseling services for children and adults, couples and families. Substance abuse assessments and counseling are provided. Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00 am – 8:00pm

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**CELL PHONES**

If you receive food stamps, Medicaid, SSI, or have low income you may be eligible for a program that offers cell phones. Applications available at EightCAP, Inc. offices.

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**Safe Link**[www.safelinkwireless.com](http://www.safelinkwireless.com)

You will receive a free phone and 250 minutes a month if you qualify.

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**Assurance****(800) 898-4888**[www.assurancewireless.com](http://www.assurancewireless.com)

You will receive a free phone and 250 minutes/250 texts a month.

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**CENTER FOR CIVIL JUSTICE****(800) 724-7441 or (810) 244-8044***436 S Saginaw, Suite 400 Flint, MI*[www.ccj-mi.org](http://www.ccj-mi.org)

Free legal assistance to low-income persons who might have issues concerning problems with Michigan's welfare, health, child care, work, nutrition and subsidized housing programs. The attorneys provide workshops and training on many topics to clients and agencies. The center also helps clients understand and speak out on legislative and policy issues that affect them.

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**CENTRAL MICHIGAN DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT****(989) 773-5921***2012 E Preston, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.cmdhd.org](http://www.cmdhd.org)

Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm (closed 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm)

Environmental Health Services

- Campground Inspections.
- Child and Adult Care Facility Inspections-Day care, foster care, children's camps, and all social service licensed facilities to assure safe food and water.
- Disease Outbreak Investigations.
- Food Safety.
- General Environmental Health.
- Groundwater Quality Control.
- Home Loan Evaluations-Inspects water supply, sewage system, and other environmental parameters for home mortgage loans.
- On-Site Wastewater Treatment and Disposal.
- Public Swimming Pool Inspections.
- School Facilities-Evaluates sanitary facilities and kitchen and food service areas by reviewing building plans for new and remodeled schools.
- Subdivision/Site Condominium Program.
- Provides Radon test kits.

**Family Planning**

- Promotes the well-being of families by giving couples the opportunity to time pregnancies when they are best able to care for children.
- Promotes healthy babies by reducing infant deaths and other health related problems.
- Maintains women's health by detecting problems through routine screening and examinations.
- Birth control options.

**Health Promotion and Preparedness**

- Personal Health Services.
- Children's Special Health Care Services.
- Hearing and vision screenings.
- Community based activities.
- CPR First Aid and blood borne pathogens training.
- HIV testing and counseling.
- TB control.

**Immunizations**

- Immunizations are available for children eight weeks of age through adulthood. Please call to make an appointment.

**Women, Infants and Children (WIC)**

- Services by appointment.
- For pregnant women, children under five and breast-feeding mothers.
- Clients must meet certain income guidelines, and be considered at nutritional risk.
- If eligible, the client will receive EBT cards for specific food redeemable at local stores.

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**CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY****(989) 774-3076***Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859*[www.cmich.edu](http://www.cmich.edu)

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**CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY LIBRARY****(989) 774-3470***250 E Preston, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859*[www.lib.cmich.edu](http://www.lib.cmich.edu)

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**CENTRAL REAL ESTATE, INC.****(989) 773-6000***925 S Mission, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.centralrealestatehome.com](http://www.centralrealestatehome.com)

Helps process loan information for FHA/MSHDA mortgages.

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**CHILD ADVOCACY****(800) 552-4489 or (989) 463-1422***525 N State Street, Suite 4, Alma, MI 48801*

Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 am-4:00 pm

Services Gratiot County: parenting classes, child abuse and neglect (CAN) prevention education, and substance abuse coalition. CASA program/court appointed special advocates.

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**CHILD AND FAMILY ENRICHMENT COUNCIL (CAFÉ)****(989) 774-6444***2480 West Campus Drive, Suite B100, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859*[www.cafefamily.org](http://www.cafefamily.org)

We provide community education &amp; awareness, parent education, referral services, sexual abuse prevention &amp; abduction prevention services and have a child abuse assessment team.

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**CHILD DEVELOPMENT & LEARNING LAB AT CMU****(989) 774-3760***Central Michigan University, 146 EHS Building, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859*

**CHIPPEWA HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT****(989) 967-2000***3226 Arthur Road, Remus, MI 49340***CHIPPEWA RIVER DISTRICT LIBRARY SYSTEM**[www.crdle.org](http://www.crdle.org)

Library services include access to local, regional and state library collections-over 28 million items. Access to high-speed internet and wireless internet provided. Programming includes computer classes and activities for children, teens, adults and families.

**Faith Johnson Memorial Library****(989) 433-0006***4035 N Mission, Rosebush, MI 48878*

Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday 10:00 am – 6:00 pm, Tuesday and Thursday 12:00 pm – 8:00 pm, Sunday 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm, and Saturday closed.

**Fremont Township Library****(989) 866-2550***2833 W Blanchard Road, Winn, MI 48896*

Hours: Tuesday and Wednesday 3:00 pm – 8:00 pm, Monday and Thursday 12:00 pm – 8:00 pm and Sundays 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm.

**Shepherd Community Library****(989) 828-6801***257 W Wright Avenue, Shepherd, MI 48883*

Hours: Tuesday and Thursday 12:00 pm – 8:00 pm, Monday and Wednesday 10:00 am – 6:00 pm and Saturday 10:00 am – 2:00 pm.

**Tate Memorial Township Library****(989) 561-2480***324 Main Street, PO Box 39, Blanchard, MI 49310*

Hours: Monday and Wednesday 10:00 am – 6:00 pm, Thursday 2:00 pm – 8:00 pm, Friday 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm and Saturday 10:00 am – 2:00 pm.

**Veterans Memorial Library****(989) 773-3242***301 S University, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00 am – 8:00 pm, Friday and Saturday 10:00 am – 6:00 pm, Sunday (September-May) 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm, and Sundays during the summer closed.

**CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF FELLOWSHIP FOOD PANTRY (CCoF)****(989) 561-2864***8135 Mill Street, Winn, MI 48896*

Last Thursday of every month at Winn United Methodist Church Parsonage 11:00 am – 2:00 pm. ID is required.

**CHRISTIAN COUNSELING OF MID-MICHIGAN****(989) 317-4664***304 W Michigan Street, Suite 12, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Offered to anyone who experiences emotional, social, relational or spiritual suffering. All counselors are licensed by the State of Michigan to provide mental health services. Staff are equipped to assist children, adolescents, adults, families and couples. Fees are based on a scale that considers the income and family size. Is able to bill select insurance companies.

**CHRISTMAS OUTREACH OF ISABELLA COUNTY****(989) 773-4204***320 S Bradley, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858 (Immanuel Lutheran Church)*[www.immanuelmp.com](http://www.immanuelmp.com)

A program designed for Isabella County residents to obtain assistance at Christmas. Items available include food, coats, and hats, mittens, boots, jeans, books, bedding, and filled stockings. Registration begins in mid-November.

**CITY OF MT. PLEASANT-CITY HALL****(989) 779-5300***320 W Broadway, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858***CLOTHING CLOSET****(989) 773-3904***A First Church of the Nazarene Community Ministry, 1980 S Lincoln Road, Mt Pleasant MI 48858*

Clean gently used clothing free of charge. Donations are accepted.

**CMU BRIDGES CENTER FOR HEALTHY LIFE TRANSITIONS****(989) 774-6508***1280 E Campus Drive, Health Professions Building 1101, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859*

Contact person: Jessica Gardon Rose, Email: gardo1JJ@cmich.edu

The Bridges Center for Healthy Life Transitions builds linkages between community health stakeholders and the university to foster partnerships for improving healthy life transitions through research, education and service. If you need assistance with research, field projects, program development, grants procurement or community service referrals, CMU's Bridges Center can help.

**CMU CARLS CENTER FOR CLINICAL CARE & EDUCATION****(989) 774-3904***1280 E Campus Drive, Health Professions Building 1101, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859*[www.carlscenter.cmich.edu](http://www.carlscenter.cmich.edu)

The Carl's Center for Clinical Care and Education is a specialized rehabilitation center of excellence, located in the modern Health Professions Building on the beautiful campus of Central Michigan University. The Center offers state-of-the-art diagnostics, rehabilitation and education services in the fields of Audiology, Physical Therapy, Psychology and Speech- Language Pathology. Other medical and health disciplines, provided by the Physician Assistant program, Dietetics and Gerontology complement these core services as needed, so that individualized patient-centered care is provided. We take great pride in serving a wide range of specialized clinical and rehabilitation needs for persons from infancy through adulthood. Here is a list of some of the many services and programs operated through the Carl's Center:

- Adult Weight Management Program
- Audiology Clinics, including Comprehensive Hearing Evaluations and Screenings, Central Auditory Processing (CAP) Evaluations, Assistive Listening Device Consultations, Vestibular Rehabilitation, Assessment of Dizziness and Balance Disorders, Hearing Aid Selections and Fitting, Cochlear Implant Evaluations, Fitting & Rehabilitation, and Audiological Rehabilitation.
- Driving Evaluation, Education, and Research (D.E.E.R.) Program, a driving safety program for older drivers, persons with history of attention deficit disorder, and persons who have had a stroke, brain injury or neurodegenerative disease.
- Fall and Balance Clinic, a Vestibular Diagnostic and Physical Rehabilitation Program
- Speech Clinics offering diagnostic and treatment services with speech or language impairments relating to neurological disease and brain injury, speech and language delay, developmental disorders, hearing impairment, stuttering, voice disorders or foreign accents.
- Physical Therapy Clinics offering neurorehabilitation, vestibular rehabilitation, fall and balance screenings, senior fitness and wellness programming, as well as orthopedic rehabilitation services.
- Psychology Clinics (989)774-3147, offering individual, couple, family and group mental and behavioral health counseling for improving learning, addressing parent-child interactions, managing trauma and anxiety disorders, addressing violence reduction needs and managing ADHD.

**CMU CHILD DEVELOPMENT LEARNING LAB****(989) 774-3760***146 EHS Building CMU, Mt. Pleasant MI 48859*

**COMMISSION ON AGING****(989) 772-0748***2200 S Lincoln Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.isabellacounty.org/dept/coa](http://www.isabellacounty.org/dept/coa)

Assistance for seniors 60 years and older. In-Home Services Program; Congregate Nutrition and home delivered meals available in Isabella County; Foster Grandparent/Senior Companion Programs available in Clare, Gratiot and Isabella counties. Activity Center, Caregiver Training and Support. Most programs offered on a donation basis. Volunteer opportunities available.

**COMMUNITY COUNSELING ASSOCIATES****(989) 773-0222***500 S Main Street, Suite B, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Fees are on a sliding scale based on family income, from \$45.00.

A wide range of counseling services are available including family and children's counseling and parent strategies. Substance Abuse Assessments are also available. Accepts most insurances.

**COMMUNITY HOPE CHRISTIAN COUNSELING & MENTAL HEALTH****(616) 225-8220***6728 Vining Road, Greenville, MI 48838*

Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00 am - 7:00 pm Some insurance accepted.

**COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES OF CENTRAL MICHIGAN, INC (989) 772-5938***301 S Crapo, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.cmhcm.org](http://www.cmhcm.org)

Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm. Later times available by appointment only.

Mental health services for adults and children. This agency offers individual and group therapy, provides referrals to other agencies for needed services, and services for people who are developmentally disabled. Fees are on a sliding scale, but no one is refused due to an inability to pay.

**COMMUNITY RESOURCES INFORMATION & REFERRAL****211**

This toll free phone number connects people with important community services.

While services that are offered through this number vary from community to community, this toll free number provides callers with information about and referrals to human services for every day needs and in times of crisis.

- Basic Human Needs Resources: food banks, clothing closets, shelters, rent assistance, utility assistance
- Physical and Mental Health Resources.
- Employment Supports.
- Support for Older Americans and Persons with Disabilities.
- Support for Children, Youth and Families.
- Volunteer Opportunities and Donations.

**COUNSELING CENTER AT CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY****(989) 774-3381***102 Foust Hall, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859*[www.counsel.cmich.edu](http://www.counsel.cmich.edu)

Counseling Center counseling services are provided only to currently enrolled CMU students. The center provides free brief and time-limited confidential individual counseling, group counseling, crisis intervention and mental health screening for currently enrolled CMU students. Consultation and referral assistance is also provided. To contact the after-hours on-call counselor about a mental health emergency situation involving a CMU student phone CMU Police at 989-774-3081.

**DAVENPORT UNIVERSITY-Midland****(800) 968-4860***3555 E Patrick Road, Midland, MI 48642*[www.davenport.edu](http://www.davenport.edu)

Davenport University is a private university that offers undergraduate and graduate programs in business, health and technology.

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (DHHS) (989) 772-8400**

1919 Parkland, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

[www.michigan.gov/mibridges](http://www.michigan.gov/mibridges)

Food stamps, medical assistance, FIP (formerly AFDC), child day care funding, State Emergency Relief for shelter and utilities, crisis prevention services, delinquency services, child foster home licensing, foster care placement, employment services, and volunteer services.

**ADULT/CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES (855) 444-3911**

This number is available 24 hours a day 7 days a week to report any incident of suspected child or adult abuse or neglect.

**DIAL IN FREE (800) 713-8030**

[www.dialinfree.net](http://www.dialinfree.net)

Provides free dialup internet service to Michigan users with area codes: 231, 248, 269, 313, 517, 586, 616, 734, 810, 947 or 989.

**DISABILITY NETWORK OF MID MICHIGAN (800)782-4160**

1705 South Saginaw Road. Midland, MI 48640

[www.dnmm.org](http://www.dnmm.org)

We are leading the charge to change societal attitudes about people with disabilities, and to provide an environment where everyone, regardless of their ability, can contribute to their community based on their own interest, skills and desires.

**DONATED DENTAL SERVICES OF MICHIGAN (866) 263-4067**

Serves low income, developmentally disabled, physically handicapped, chronically ill or elderly. Call for an application or more information.

**EARLY ON (989) 433-2962**

3771 N Mission Road, Rosebush, MI 48878

Contact Person: Peggy Jackson extension 213

Coordination of services for children 0-3 years of age with special needs and developmental delays are provided. Families receive support in accessing and coordinating social, educational and health services. No income restrictions for eligibility. Local Playgroups are available to eligible children, call for more information.

**EIGHTCAP, INC. (989) 772-0110**

310 W Michigan Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

[www.eightcap.org](http://www.eightcap.org)

**Administrative Offices (866) 754-9315 or (616) 754-9315**

904 Oak Drive, Greenville, MI 48838

**Community Services (989) 772-0110**

**Services Offered:**

- Heat/utility assistance when funding is available
- USDA/Mid-Michigan commodity cards and distribution
- Referrals to food banks, legal services, etc.
- Certified Michigan Enrolls counselorComputer Access Station- Use this FREE service to discover other helpful information that goes beyond EightCAP Community Services range of assistance.



**To apply for heat/utility assistance, you must supply the following:**

- Completed Emergency Assistance Application – found at [eightcap.org](http://eightcap.org) website
- Birth dates for everyone in the home
- Social Security card for applicant and Social Security numbers for everyone in the home
- Proof of income for the last 90 days for the entire household
- Additional information may be required

**Heat/utility assistance requirements:**

- Past Due notice or below 25% for deliverable fuels
- Copy of Home Heat Credit or explanation of why you didn't apply

**0-5 Head Start****(616) 754-9315 x 3369**

A federally funded child development program serving pregnant women, infants, toddlers, and children thru age 5 years. Participants must meet specific income and eligibility criteria.

**Housing Assistance Programs****(616) 754-9315****Housing Hotline****(866) 754-9315 ext. 3335****ESG (Emergency Solutions Grant)**

- Literally homeless or court ordered eviction notice
- Deposit and/or rental assistance
- Call the Housing Hotline for assistance

**MSHDA Housing Choice Voucher Homeless Preference**

- Literally homeless
- Must be able to prove residency, identity, and age
- Call the Housing Hotline for assistance

**ESP Motel Funding**

- Literally homeless
- Up to 7 nights per fiscal year
- Call the Housing Hotline for assistance

**SSVF (Supportive Services for Veteran Families)**

- Assists veterans with at least one day of active duty.
- Literally homeless or court ordered eviction notice
- Deposit and/or rental assistance
- General housing stability assistance
- Moving costs, childcare, and/or utility payment assistance
- Call the Housing Hotline for assistance

**Weatherization****(616) 754-9315 x 3420**

- Free program that will help lower your fuel costs and make your home more energy efficient
- Services offered: water heater insulation blanket, low-flow shower head, wall, ceiling and floor insulation/ventilation, caulking, glass replacement, door sweeps, and weather stripping
- Proof of household income for the last 3 months
- Call for an appointment

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**ERA CENTRAL REAL ESTATE, INC.****(989) 773-6000***925 S Mission Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Helps process loan information for FHA/MSHDA mortgages.

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**EXPERIENCE WORKS****(989) 773-1932***113 W Broadway Street, Suite 120, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858*

55 years or older? Unemployed but need to work? Need help finding a job? On-the-job training experience is currently available to low-income older workers whose goal is to gain permanent employment. Participants earn minimum wage while gaining valuable job skills.

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**FARMWORKER LEGAL SERVICES****(800) 968-4046***3030 S 9th Street, Suite 1A, Kalamazoo, MI 49009*[www.farmworkerlaw.org](http://www.farmworkerlaw.org)

Farm Worker Legal Services is a division of Legal Services of South Central Michigan, providing free civil legal assistance to low-income persons, including migrant and seasonal farm workers.

FLS represents and assists migrant and seasonal farm workers with legal problems in the areas of employment, benefits, housing, education and immigration.

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**FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA) - FREE APPLICATION****(800) 433-3243**

Information available by phone: Monday-Friday 8:00 am – 11:00 am  
Saturday and Sunday 11:00 am-5 pm

[www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)

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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH****(989) 773-6934***400 South Main Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Kitchen Cupboard: plates, silverware, drinking glasses, cups, and bowls. Call for appointment.

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**FRIEND OF THE COURT****(989) 317-4186 or (989) 772-0911***300 N Main Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

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**FULTON ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION****(989) 236-5404 or (989) 236-5130***129 George Street, Middleton, MI 48856*[www.fultonpirates.net](http://www.fultonpirates.net)

Classes offered in Alma and Middleton. Providing opportunities for students 16 and over to earn their high school diploma. Online classes offered.

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**GOODROW FUND****(989) 772-2918**

A fund to help with minor emergencies. Call Listening Ear on Monday at 8 a m for financial assistance from the fund.

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**GOODWILL INDUSTRIES****(989) 773-4884***4529 E Bluegrass Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Hours: Monday-Saturday 9:00 am - 8:00 pm and Sunday 11:00 am - 6:00 pm

Retail store outlet: low cost merchandise, clothing, small appliances, and furniture. Accepts donations.

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**GOODWILL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT OFFICE****(989) 773-4785***4529 E Bluegrass Road, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858*

Goodwill assists people to prepare for and find employment. From determining an ideal career match to managing life changes. Goodwill provides support and guidance at no cost to help individuals achieve career goals.

**GRATIOT ISABELLA REGIONAL EDUCATION SERVICE DISTRICT (GIRESD)(989) 875-5101**

*1131 E Center Street, PO Box 310, Ithaca, MI 48847 Mahoney Center*

Regional service agency that offer support services to school personnel that are best delivered regionally, as measured by cost, size and quantity advantages. Gratiot-Isabella RESD serves nine K-12 public school districts, two public school academies and eight private/parochial schools in Gratiot and Isabella Counties. In addition to serving various school entities in the two counties, the district provides educational services to special non-school populations and employment services to employers, employees and the unemployed.

**GREAT START COLLABORATIVE of GRATIOT/ISABELLA COUNTIES (989)433-2962**

*3771 N Mission Road, Rosebush, MI 48878*

[www.greatstartgi.org](http://www.greatstartgi.org)

A partnership of community leaders, health and human services, education and parents created to maintain an early childhood system to coordinate service for children 0-5 years.

**GREAT START READINESS PROGRAM (800) 227-2437**

Offers preschool programs for four year old children who may be "at risk" of school failure as well as family involvement/parent education components. Call this number or your local elementary school to request a preschool registration.

**HABITAT FOR HUMANITY OF ISABELLA COUNTY (HHIC) (989) 317-4650**

This program builds new homes for qualified low-income families. Families that are approved to purchase a home are required to work with volunteers in the building process. A family must live and work in Isabella County for at least 6 months prior to being eligible for this program.

**HABITAT FOR HUMANITY RESTORE (989) 773-0043**

Hours: Wednesday-Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm and Saturday 9:00 am – 2:00 pm. This store is open to the public. We sell building materials and furniture. All funds from goods go towards building new homes in Isabella County. Accepting donations on Tuesday. Will pick up donations.

**HANDS FOR HEALTH (CMU) (989) 774-1298**

Pro-bono physical therapy program for those who are under insured or do not have any insurance.

**HEART FOR HEALTH (Listening Ear) (989) 772-2918**

Financial assistance for small medical emergency needs and low cost prescriptions may be available. Registration is available during the first and third full weeks of each month.

**HOME IMPROVEMENTS AND STRUCTURAL ALTERATIONS (HISA) (800) 827-1000**

<http://www.prosthetics.va.gov/HISA2.asp>

Under the Home Improvements and Structural Alterations (HISA) program, Veterans with service-connected disabilities or Veterans with non-service-connected disabilities may receive assistance for any home improvement necessary for the continuation of treatment or for disability access to the home and essential lavatory and sanitary facilities. A HISA grant is available to Veterans who have received a medical determination indicating that improvements and structural alterations are necessary or appropriate for the effective and economical treatment of his/her disability. A Veteran may receive both a HISA grant and either a Special Home Adaptation (SHA) grant or a Specially Adapted Housing (SAH) grant

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**HOSPICE OF MICHIGAN****(888) 247-5701***Call for local area information.*[www.hom.org](http://www.hom.org)

Hospice of Michigan provides comprehensive, compassionate comfort care to people with acute chronic illness and support to their loved ones.

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**HUMAN DEVELOPMENT CLINIC****(989) 774-3532***Central Michigan University, Education & Human Services Building, room 326, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Counseling offered: individual, family, group, play, marriage, divorce, premarital, career and employment.

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**ISABELLA COUNTY CLERK****(989) 772-0911 x 265***200 N Main Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[isabellacounty.org](http://isabellacounty.org)

Obtain birth, death, and marriage certificates; DBA's; notaries; concealed weapon permits and marriage licenses. To order an out of county Michigan birth certificate visit, [www.vitalchek.com](http://www.vitalchek.com).

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**ISABELLA COUNTY HOME IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM****(989) 772-0911 x 283**

We work with qualifying low to moderate income households in Isabella County to provide the resources they need to maintain safe, decent & attractive homes.

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**ISABELLA COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION****(989) 772-0911 x 233***200 N Main Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.isabellacounty.org/dept/parks](http://www.isabellacounty.org/dept/parks)

Call EightCAP, Inc. for more information on discounted park passes.

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**ISABELLA COUNTY RESTORATION HOUSE ROTATING HOMELESS SHELTER***Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, 319 S University, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858-Welcome Center*

Open November-March. The welcome center is open each day during this time period 4:30 pm – 5:45 pm. Guests must come to the welcome center every day to be screened and signed in to be sheltered that evening. Guests are transported to the shelter and provided dinner. In the morning guests are transported to the Soup Kitchen or back to the intake site to collect their vehicle. All ages are welcome.

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**ISABELLA COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT****(989) 772-5911***207 N Court Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

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

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**ISABELLA COUNTY TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION (I-RIDE)****(989) 772-9441***2100 E Transportation Drive, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.ictcbus.com](http://www.ictcbus.com)

County wide public transportation bus service. Also do endorsement testing for GDL, CDL, and motorcycle.

**Hours:**

- Service Hours: Monday-Saturday 6:00 am - 12:00 am, Sunday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm
- Office hours: Monday- Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

**Fares:**

- Children 5-18 years \$1.50, Seniors and disabled persons \$1.00, Adults \$2.00
- Preschoolers-ride free with an adult.

*Passes are available-call for more information*

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**LEGAL HOTLINE FOR MICHIGAN SENIORS****(800) 347-5297***3815 W St. Joseph Street, Suite C200, Lansing, MI 48917*

Free legal advice and information by telephone for Michigan seniors and their caregivers.

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**LEGAL SERVICES OF EASTERN MICHIGAN****(800) 322-4512***320 S Washington, Third Floor, Saginaw, MI 48607*

Hours: Monday 9:00 am - 7:00 pm and Tuesday-Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm.

A non-profit law firm that provides free legal service and advice in civil matters to low-income persons; such as housing, DHS & SSA denials, consumer family law, bankruptcy, garnishments and more. Representation is not guaranteed.

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**LIFE CHOICES OF CENTRAL MICHIGAN****(989) 773-6008***904 E Preston, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.pregnancycmps.com](http://www.pregnancycmps.com)

Free and confidential services-pregnancy tests and options counseling. Earn While You Learn Program. One on one parenting classes for mothers. Dad's Matter-group parenting classes for fathers. Post abortive support. Willing to Wait abstinence program for schools and youth groups. H.O.P.E. Medical clinic-free ultrasounds.

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**LIONS CLUB**[www.mplions.com](http://www.mplions.com)

Services available: eyeglasses for anyone in need, Seeing Eye dogs and Braille maps for blind students, hearing aids and repair and hearing tests offered at CMU Speech and Hearing Clinic. For eyeglasses contact Central Michigan District Health Department at 773-5921. For hearing needs call 772-0272.

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**LISTENING EAR CRISIS CENTER****(989) 772-2918***107 E Illinois, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.listeningear.com](http://www.listeningear.com)

Office Hours: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

**Crisis Center**

Provides immediate support information and referrals 24 hours a day.

**Child Sexual Abuse Treatment Program**

Helps support the healing process.

**Child Foster Care**

Licensed Foster Homes

**Residential Services**

Provides support services for persons with developmental disabilities.

**Supported Community Living**

Provides assistance to adults with developmental disabilities in one's own home.

**Transitional Living Services**

An independence building program for youth ages 16-21. Youth are connected with resources and assisted in finding employment, finishing their education, getting into their own housing and locating reliable transportation.

**Runaway and Homeless Youth Program**

Serves youth ages 12-17 years old who have run away or are thinking about running away from home, are homeless, at risk for being homeless, or have been removed from home by their family. The program serves both Isabella and Clare counties. The focus of the program is to provide youth with a stabilized living environment.

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**MCKINNEY VENTO HOMELESS STUDENT SUPPORTS****(989)775-2302***720 N Kinney Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Provides services in Isabella County. Working with the students, families and schools to provide support, safety, and success to students and their families experiencing homelessness.

Working with agencies, churches and organizations to accomplish stability and school success for these students.

“Leading, collaborating and serving to create education without boundaries.”

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**MICHIGAN ENROLLS****(888) 367-6557**

Call for Medicaid information or to apply for a managed care health plan.

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**EightCAP, Inc. Michigan Enrolls Counselor****(866) 754-9315 ext 3306**

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**Beneficiary Help Line for non-enrollment issues****(800) 642-3195**

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**MICHIGAN LEGAL HELP**

Free accurate legal information and referrals for Michigan residents. [www.michiganlegalhelp.org](http://www.michiganlegalhelp.org)

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**MICHIGAN REHABILITATION SERVICES (MRS)****(989) 773-5925 or (877) 901-9185**

*1919 Parkland Drive, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

MRS works with eligible customers and employers to achieve quality employment outcomes and independence for individuals with disabilities. We work in partnership with individuals with disabilities to prepare for and obtain competitive employment. Office hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am-5:00 pm.

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**MICHILD/HEALTHY KIDS****(888) 988-6300**[www.healthcare4mi.com](http://www.healthcare4mi.com)

Health insurance for eligible uninsured children in Michigan's working families for a \$10.00 monthly fee. Pick up application at CMDHD or apply on-line.

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**MICHIGAN STATE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (MSHDA)****(231) 796-8883**

*203 S Third Avenue, Suite. 1, Big Rapids, MI 49307*

Monday-Thursday 9:00am -4:00 pm closed from 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm. Friday 9:00am-12:00pm.  
This program provides assistance with low-income rental housing.

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**MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION OFFICE****(989) 772-0911 x 302**

*200 N Main Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Programs offered: 4-H program and Family Nutrition Program. Master gardener and agriculture programs.

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**MICHIGAN WORKS! SERVICE CENTER****(989) 772-5304**

*5889 E Broadway, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

[www.michiganworks.com](http://www.michiganworks.com)

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

[www.mitalent.org](http://www.mitalent.org)

Eligible populations: Michigan Works! Service Center employment services are open to everyone.

Specialized services may be available to dislocated workers, displaced homemakers, unemployed or underemployed adults and youth.

Services available: job search preparation and skills, resume writing, applications, interviewing, labor market information, Pure Michigan Talent Connect, career assessment, occupational training and employment related support services.

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**MID-MICHIGAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE****(989) 773-6622**

*2600 S Summerton, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

[www.midmich.edu](http://www.midmich.edu)

**MID-MICHIGAN INDUSTRIES, INC.****(888) 773-7MMI***2426 Parkway Drive, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Assists people with disabilities with obtaining supported and independent employment, vocational training and community living supports.

**MOBILE FOOD PANTRY (COMMUNITY COMPASSION NETWORK)***Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.ccnhome.org](http://www.ccnhome.org)

Mobile food pantries are held two Saturdays per month at various locations in Isabella County. Registration is from 8:30 am-9:00 am. Valid Photo ID showing current residence is required. For exact dates and locations, please visit above website. Each family receives supplemental food consisting of meat products, dairy, fresh produce, fresh fruit and canned nonperishable meal stretchers.

**MONTABELLA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS****(989) 427-5148***302 W Main Street, PO Box 349, Edmore, MI 48829***MONTCALM COMMUNITY COLLEGE****(989) 328-2111***2800 College Drive, Sidney, MI 48885*[www.montcalm.edu](http://www.montcalm.edu)**MOREY PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY****(989) 866-6741***418 W Blanchard Road, Shepherd, MI 48883***MT. PLEASANT COMMUNITY COUNSELING ASSOCIATES****(989) 773-0222***500 S Main Street, Suite B, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Outpatient mental health counseling services to individuals, couples, families, children, teens and adults. Accepting most insurance, but also have a sliding scale based on income. Starts at \$45.00.

**MT. PLEASANT COMMUNITY EDUCATION****(989) 775-2370***3480 S Isabella Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.mpce.org](http://www.mpce.org)

High School completion, GED preparation & testing, ABE, Community Alternatives. Call for more information on any of these programs.

**MT. PLEASANT HOUSING COMMISSION (Public Housing & MSHDA-HCV)****(989) 773-3784***1 W. Mosher Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.mtphousing.com](http://www.mtphousing.com)

Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Administers low income housing rental programs

Urban Development/HUD

Subsidized housing. Call or come in for an application.

**MT. PLEASANT HOUSING OFFICE CMU****(989) 774-3111**

Assists CMU students in locating housing on campus only.

**MT. PLEASANT PUBLIC SCHOOLS****(989) 775-2300 or (989) 775-2301***720 N Kinney, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.mtpleasant.edzone.net](http://www.mtpleasant.edzone.net)

**NAME MAGEEZEE NAGONQUIN** (989) 775-4400

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2800 S Shepherd, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Provides counseling, case management, batterers Intervention program/group, outreach, education, transportation and women's support group free of charge to any victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, and/or stalking.

**OASIS WAY HIGH SCHOOL** (989)775-2290

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3480 S Isabella Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

School programs for students ages 15-20 years old

**ODYSSEY ALTERNATIVE HIGH SCHOOL** (989) 773-9473

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3441 S Wise Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

School programs for students ages 12-20 years old

**PARENT CHILD INTERACTION THERAPY CLINIC** (989) 774-6639 or (989) 774-3904

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Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Please call for payment information; no family will be refused services due to inability to pay. Assessments and therapy for children who exhibit behavior problems that are beyond what is considered normal for their developmental age. The program teaches parents how to improve discipline techniques. It also helps to enhance the quality of parent-child relationships.

**PINE REST CHRISTIAN MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE** (800)-678-5500

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300 68<sup>th</sup> Street SE, Grand Rapids, PO Box 165, MI 49501

[www.pinerest.org](http://www.pinerest.org)

Care is available for a wide array of mental health conditions including stress, depression, ADHD, addictions, substance abuse, senior care services, etc. Depending on the severity of needs, Pine Rest offers inpatient hospitalization, partial hospitalization, outpatient counseling (through our clinic network), residential services, and consultation liaison—psychiatry and psychology.

**POISON CONTROL** (800) 222-1222

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Call for any possible poisoning concerns 24- hours a day, seven days a week.

**POTTER'S HOUSE** (989) 772-5681

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5346 E Deerfield, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Food pantry is available on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month 11:30 am - 1:30 pm. ID and Social Security numbers are required at application. Once approved, you must call for pick up time.

**PRICELESS APPAREL** (989) 433-2957

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3805 S School Street, Rosebush MI 48878

Free clothing.

Hours Thursdays 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

**PROJECT FIND** (989) 433-2962 x 107

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Provides information about special education programs and services. Helps to arrange free evaluation to find out if a child is eligible for free extra help from Michigan public schools.

**REAP FOOD PANTRY** (989) 433-2957

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4079 E Vernon Road, PO Box 112, Rosebush, MI 48878

Food Pantry is open each Thursday 9:00 am - 11:00 am. Eligible recipients must reside in Isabella County and show ID. Families may use pantry twice a month.



**RENAISSANCE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY****(989) 773-9889***2797 S Isabella, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

K-8 public school. Great Start Readiness 4 year old program.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY****(989) 828-5720***168 E. Wright Street, Shepherd, MI 48883*

Hours: Call Monday 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm for Tuesday pick-up. Call Wednesday 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm for Thursday pick-up. By appointment only. Driver's license and Social Security cards for all members of household and proof of income or red TEFAP card must be provided.

**SHEPHERD PUBLIC SCHOOLS****(989) 828-5520***PO Box 219, Shepherd, MI 48883*[www.shepherd.edzone.net](http://www.shepherd.edzone.net)K–12<sup>th</sup> grade education.**SHERMAN TOWNSHIP LIBRARY****(989) 644-5131***3453 N School Road, Weidman, MI 48893*

Hours: Sunday and Monday closed; Tuesday and Thursday 12:00 pm – 8:00 pm Wednesday and Friday 10:00 am – 6:00 pm; and Saturday 9:00 am – 1:00 pm.

**SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION****(800) 772-1213 or (877) 405-7667***1940 Sweeney, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.socialsecurity.gov/myaccount](http://www.socialsecurity.gov/myaccount)

Administers the social security and SSI income program for disabled persons of any age. Call for an appointment. Closes at noon on Wednesday. All other days 9:00am-4:00pm

**SOUP KITCHEN (ISABELLA COMMUNITY)****(989) 772-7392***621 S Adams Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.icsk.org](http://www.icsk.org)

Serves free continental breakfast Monday-Saturday 8:00 am. Serves free hot lunch daily from 11:30 am – 1:00 pm. Free bread and produce available daily. Donations accepted &amp; volunteers welcome. Coupon for Max &amp; Emily's hot Sunday meal is available at the soup kitchen on Thursday &amp; Friday.

**SPECIAL OLYMPICS MICHIGAN****(989) 774-3911***Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.somi.org](http://www.somi.org)

(State office for the Michigan Special Olympics Program)

Year round sports training and competition for persons with intellectual disabilities. The minimum age for competition is 8 years old, but we do offer training opportunities for young athletes.

**STEP FORWARD OF MICHIGAN****(989) 774-3911**[www.stepforwardmichigan.org](http://www.stepforwardmichigan.org)

Assistance with mortgage, property tax, and condominium fee delinquency is offered to qualified Home owner applicants by the Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA)

**1016 RECOVERY NETWORK****(989) 773-9655***2885 Health Parkway, Suite 1, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Group and individual counseling services for persons dealing with substance abuse and for their family members and friends. Other counseling is also available. Court referred groups and classes and Alcohol Abuse Prevention Education classes are offered.

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**THE SALVATION ARMY****(989) 773-4663***1308 Burch Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm.

The Salvation Army provides emergency assistance for utilities. Vouchers are available for clothing and furniture. Food pantry is open Monday-Friday, closed between noon and 1:00pm. ID and Social Security cards required. May use pantry 1 time every 2 months.

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**THE SALVATION ARMY THRIFT SHOP****(989) 772-7991***1717 S Mission Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Hours: Monday-Saturday 9:00 am – 6:00 pm. Vouchers are available at the Salvation Army office.

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**THRIFT SHOP****(989) 773-9544***307 S Mission Street, Suite C, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Fall Hours Only: Monday-Friday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm and Saturday 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Resale of used clothing and some housewares. Funds help support the Isabella Child Development Center-a free pre-school for qualified students. Consignment option available.

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**TRI-COUNTY HOME WORKS PEOPLE FUND****(517) 647-1218***Only provides coverage to certain areas of Isabella County – Western portion of county*

Contact Person: Tonya

The mission of Tri-County People Fund is the accumulation and disbursement of funds for charitable purposes for the benefit of persons in the Tri-County Electric service area. This shall be accomplished by disbursement of funds to individuals and organizations for food, shelter, clothing, health, and other humane needs for programs or services that benefit a significant segment of a community.

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**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH – KITCHEN CUPBOARD****(989) 733-6934***400 S Main Street Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Plates, silverware, drinking glasses, cups and bowls. Please call for an appointment.

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**UNITED WAY OF ISABELLA COUNTY****(989) 773-9863***524 E Mosher Street, Suite 400, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.unitedwayisaco.org](http://www.unitedwayisaco.org)

The United Way engages citizens in a community wide effort to support health and human services that improve people's lives. Fund raising organization for partner agencies. Provides volunteer opportunities for individuals and groups. Provides holiday assistance to low income families with a referral to the Adopt-a-Family holiday program.

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**USDA RURAL DEVELOPMENT****(989) 345-5470 ext 4***240 W Wright Street, West Branch, MI 48661*

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**USDA RURAL DEVELOPMENT SINGLE FAMILY HOUSING PROGRAM (989) 345-5470 ext 4**

Finances direct home loans in rural areas for modest housing to households at or below 80% of the adjusted median income. Provides guaranteed loans to eligible low and moderate income rural residents for moderately priced housing. Issues loans and grants to very-low income rural homeowners to improve or modernize their home; make their home decent, safe and sanitary; remove health and safety hazards or to repair or remodel their dwelling to make it more accessible and usable for household members with disabilities.

**VETERAN'S AFFAIRS - ISABELLA COUNTY****(989) 317-4093 or (989) 772-0911 x 235***200 N Main Street, Room 120, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*[www.isabellacounty.org/dept/va](http://www.isabellacounty.org/dept/va)

Assists veterans with filing for VA benefits as well as other state and local benefits. In addition we help veterans with temporary emergent need through the Michigan Veterans Trust Fund and the Soldiers and Sailors Relief Fund as referrals to local assistance agencies.

**WELLSPRING LUTHERAN SERVICES****(989) 652-3470***4100 Pier North Blvd. Suite A Flint, MI 48504*

Families First Program. Lutheran Adoption Services available. Foster care programs available.

**WOMEN'S AID SERVICE, INC.****(989) 773-0078 office or (989) 772-9168 crisis line***PO Box 743, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48804-0743*[womens-aid.org](http://womens-aid.org)**Children's Services**

- Are designed to help meet the needs of children from homes experiencing domestic violence. The children's counselor also works with mothers in the shelter on parenting skills.

**Emergency Shelter Services**

- For women and children who are victims of domestic violence and/or sexual assault. Intervention and prevention services are provided for survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault.
- **Legal Advocacy**
- Helps clients with paperwork and support in obtaining a personal protection order (PPO) against abuser.

**Men Overcoming Violent Experiences (MOVE)**

- 24-hour crisis line. Group counseling program provides education and alternatives for men to halt abusive/violent patterns. Individual and crisis counseling are also available.

**Outreach Services**

- Are available to victims of domestic violence who are seeking emergency shelter services or who are former shelter residents or victims of sexual assault. This program is offered in the women's home when appropriate. Services include counseling, advocacy, support, community referrals, and transportation to appointments.

**SANE Exam Services**

- Free exams for victims of sexual assault done by contracted nurses in the Mt. Pleasant area. Available to all adults and minors of a certain age with parent/guardian present. (989) 506-3095.

**Support Groups**

- Are offered for domestic violence victims, facilitated by staff members in Isabella, Gratiot and Clare counties.

**Women Overcoming Violent Experiences (WOVE)**

- Group counseling program to provide education and alternatives for women to halt abusive/violent patterns.



# Community Access Stations

## **Put your PLAN into ACTION**

*Community Access Stations offer a place for you to come and make connections with potential employers, landlords, daycare providers or any other human service agency. Located in your local EightCAP, Inc. Office.*

<b><u>GRATIOT COUNTY</u></b> 525 N State St, Ste 2 Alma Phone: (989) 463-5693 Fax: (989) 463-6872	<b><u>IONIA COUNTY</u></b> 5827 Orleans Rd Orleans Phone: (616) 545-2093 Fax: (616) 545-2097	<b><u>ISABELLA COUNTY</u></b> 310 W. Michigan St Mt. Pleasant Phone: (989) 772-0110 Fax: (989) 775-3907	<b><u>MONTCALM COUNTY</u></b> 1464 W. Sidney Rd Sidney Phone: (616) 754-9315 Fax: (616) 225-8761
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Access Stations have the following equipment:



- Computer
- High-Speed Internet
- Printer Telephone
- Scanner
- Fax



All of these services are available for you to use during regular office hours  
(Monday - Friday: 8:00 am - 4:30 pm)

# Dentists

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**ASPEN DENTAL CLINIC****(989) 546-4568**

4459 E Blue Grass Road, Suite D, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858

Works with payment plans for those who are uninsured. Please call for further insurance information.

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**AUSTIN, PATRICK & AUSTIN, ALFRED JR.****(989) 386-7021**

104 W Wheaton, Clare, MI 48617

Participates with Healthy Kids and Delta Dental for patients under 20 years old.  
Does not participate with Medicaid for adults.

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**BAY CITY DENTAL CLINIC****(989) 892-7062**

1411 Center Avenue, Bay City, MI 48707

Participates with Medicaid, Healthy Kids, MICHild and Delta Dental. Call for more information for adults under Medicaid. Discount programs available.

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**BEVER, KEITH, Jr., DDS****(989) 773-9793**

2325 Hawthorn Drive, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Call for insurance information.

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**BOSS & RORVIK FAMILY DENTAL****(989) 775-3336**

1504 Harcrest Drive, Midland, MI 48804

Rorvik, Kirstin

Boss, William

Does not participate with Medicaid.

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**BRYAN, F. ALLEN, DDS****(989) 773-9051**

1936 S Summerton Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

50 N Coldwater Road, Suite J, Lake Isabella, MI 48893

Participates with Healthy Kids & Healthy Michigan

Mt. Pleasant office: Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday

Lake Isabella office: Thursday afternoon and Friday morning

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**DEXTER, SCOTT, DDS PC****(989) 772-3046 or (517) 321-8280**

1234 E Broomfield, Suite 1, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858 (Friday Hours only)

815 Kids Court, Lansing, MI 48917 (Tuesday-Thursday Hours)

Participates with Healthy Kids, Delta Dental, MI Child. Does not participate with Medicaid.

Pedodontist-serves children under the age of 13 years.

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**DRUSKINS, PAULA, DDS****(989) 772-3216**

1903 Evans Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Participates with Delta Dental and Healthy Kids. Closed on Wednesdays.

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**DUBE, NATHALIE, DDS****(989) 772-5960**

211 S Crapo, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Does not participate with Medicaid for adults. Participates with Delta Dental, Healthy Kids & MI Child.

**DZINGLE NORMAN R, DDS** (989) 772-1334

1015 E Wisconsin, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Does not participate with Medicaid. Offers evening hours.

**EDMORE FAMILY DENISTRY** (989) 427-3430

1315 E Howard City Edmore Road, Edmore, MI 48829

Participates with Delta Dental, MI Child, and Healthy Kids.

Does not participate with Medicaid for adults. Does infant oral exams.

Wednesdays 10:00 am - 7:00 pm, every other Thursday 9:00 am - 6:00 pm, and Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

**EGGER, KENNETH, DDS PC** (989) 773-3560

900 E Bellows, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Participates with Healthy Kids, MI child. Does not participate with Medicaid for adults.

**FARWELL FAMILY DENTISTRY** (989) 588-4121

301 W Main Street, Farwell, MI 48622

Participates with Healthy Kids, Delta Dental, MI child.

Does not participate with Medicaid for adults.

**FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY DENTAL HYGIENE CLINIC** (231) 591-2260

200 Ferris Drive, Big Rapids, MI 49307

[www.ferris.edu](http://www.ferris.edu)

Clinic is only open September to April. Reasonable fees; participates with Medicaid.

Services provided by student dental hygienists under the supervision of registered dental hygienists and dentists. Services provided: teeth cleaning, sealants, fluoride and x-rays.

**GRAND RAPIDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE- DENTAL HYGIENE CLINIC** (616) 234-4237

Cook Academic Hall, 143 Bostwick NE, Room 301, Grand Rapids, MI 49503 [www.grcc.edu/dentalclinic](http://www.grcc.edu/dentalclinic)

Open according to the school year. Cash or checks for services. Cleaning and x-rays offered.

**GRAND VALLEY DENTAL CARE** (616) 245-2767

2020 S Division Avenue, Grand Rapids, MI 49507

Participates with Healthy Kids, Delta Dental & MIChild and most private insurances for adults and children. Does not participate with Medicaid for adults.

**HOU, XIAO MING** (989) 772-4200

2185 E Pickard Street, Suite B, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Participates with Healthy Kids for patients under 21 years and most other insurances.

**KANE, DANIEL, DDS** (989) 773-5299

611 E Broadway, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Does not participate with Medicaid for adults. Accepts Healthy Kids, Delta Dental & MI child.

Open Monday-Thursday 7:30am-4:00pm

**KRUSCKE, MICHAEL, DDS** (989) 773-7232

601 N Main Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

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

Accepts Healthy Kids, MI child, & Delta Dental.

Does not participate with Medicaid for adults.

**LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE DENTAL HYGIENE CLINIC** (517) 483-1458

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515 N Washington Square, Room 107, Lansing, MI 48901

Does not participate with Healthy Kids or Medicaid. Cleaning, sealants, and x-rays. Patients must be 5 years or older.

**MCDC MT. PLEASANT DENTAL CLINIC** (989) 772-4026

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2020 E Preston, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

**New Patient (877) 313-6232**

[www.midental.org](http://www.midental.org)

Hours: Mon, Wed, Th, Fri 8:00am-4:30pm Tuesday 8:00am-5:00pm closed noon-1:00pm for lunch  
Must call (1-877-313-6262) and register before making an appointment. The clinic accepts Healthy Kids, MI Child and Medicaid. The clinic offers reduced rates to patients without dental insurance. Applications are available at the clinic, the health department, and online.

**NIMKEE DENTAL CLINIC/NIMKEE MEMORIAL WELLNESS CTR.** (800) 225-8172 x 54657

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2591 S Leaton, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

**or (989) 775-4600**

Provides dental services to members of the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe or members of other federally recognized tribes who live in Isabella, Clare, Midland, Arenac, or Missaukee County.

**PROFESSIONAL DENTAL** (989) 382-7227

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98 Northern Street, Barryton, MI 49305

Dr. Anderson

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday

Does not participate with Medicaid, call for more insurance information

**UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN DENTAL SCHOOL** **Adult (734) 763-6933**

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1011 N University, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-1078

**or Pediatric (734) 764-1523**

Call for insurance information.

**WYBENGA, JUDY, DDS** (989) 779-8747

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305 E Broadway, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Participates with Healthy Kids & MIChild. Does not participate with Medicaid for adults. Call for more insurance information.

*\*Call for appointments at above offices and ask if they participate with your type of insurance.  
Participation in insurance programs may change.*

# Doctors

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**BALL, TERRY, DO PLLC** (989) 775-7641

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2853 Health Parkway, Suite B, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Ball, Terry DO

Ribitch, Kristy PA-C

Call for insurance information..

**CHILDREN'S HEALTH CARE, PLLC** (989) 772-7774

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709 S Adams Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Barodawalla, Rumana MD

Daniels, Cheri, PA

Participates with most insurance plans; call for further insurance information.

**CHOMCHAI, JOE, MD (Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist)** (989) 772-6848

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2981 Health Parkway, Suite C, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858 (Central Michigan Health Park)

Participates with McLaren-Medicaid, Molina and Straight Medicaid.

**FOX, CONSTANZA** (989) 400-4639

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1205 S Mission, Suite 4, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

**ISABELLA CITIZENS FOR HEALTH, INC** (989) 953-5320

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(989) 779-5270

2940 Health Parkway, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858 & 2939 Health Parkway, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858

Melendez, Ramon MD

Walvisch, Steven M.D.

McConnon, Michael MD

Wrathmann, Karen M.D.

Vogel, R. Scott DO

Johns, Davdi PA-C

Gardner, Lacey PA-C

Accepts many insurances. Also offers a Sliding Fee Discount Program for the low income uninsured. To apply for this discount id, family size and proof of income will be required.

**MCLAREN CENTRAL MICHIGAN** [www.mclaren.org](http://www.mclaren.org)

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**DANIELS, JONATHON PA** (989) 828-4614

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322 E Wright Avenue. Shepherd, MI 48883

Participates with Straight Medicaid and McLaren.

**Free Clinic** (989) 953-5333

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2012 E Preston, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858

Patients must live in Isabella County, not have or qualify for health insurance and be at or below 225% of the Federal Poverty Guideline. Proof of income and id will be required at registration.

Registration Thursday 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm.

**Jennings, Martin DO** (989) 779-5259

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2935 Health Parkway, Suite 2, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Participates with all insurances except Medicaid.



**Ready Care** (989) 773-1166

1523 S Mission Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858  
Call for insurance information. Walk-in medical services.

**Szelag, Henry, DO** (989) 644-3329

3520 N Woodruff, Weidman, MI 48893

**Vashista, Ashok, MD** (989) 779-5299

4641 E Pickard, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858  
Mink, Tom PA  
Participates with straight Medicaid & McLaren.

**Vashista, Nisha, MD** (989) 817-4300

4639 E Pickard, Suite B, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858

**MIDMICHIGAN CENTER URGENT CARE & OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH** (989) 466-3332

Gratiot Walk-In Clinic, 321 E Warwick, Alma, MI 48801  
Participates with Medicaid.

**MIDMICHIGAN HEALTH** (989) 775-1610

4851 E Pickard, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858  
Beebe, William DO  
Billoo, Bushra MD  
Krivospitskaya, Olesya MD  
Kastning, April, PA  
Regmi, Hem MD  
Participates with Straight Medicaid.

**NIMKEE MEMORIAL WELLNESS CENTER** (989) 775-4679

2591 S Leaton, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858  
Eisenmann, Deborah MD  
Kissoondial, Barry MD  
Sved, Amy CNP  
Striebel, Jeffrey DO  
Provides medical services to members of the Saginaw Chippewa Tribe or members of other federally recognized tribes who live in Isabella, Clare, Midland, Arenac, or Missaukee County.

**PLEASANT PEDIATRICS** (989) 772-1500

1970 Ashland Drive, Suite A, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858  
Msibi, Bhukumisa DO  
Traenkle, Diane DO  
Call for insurance information.

**PLEASANT WOMEN'S CARE** (989) 772-3009

1621 E Broomfield Street, Suite B, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858  
Traenkle, Diane DO  
We provide obstetrical and gynecologic care to women. We are based out of Gratiot Medical Center. Participates with McLaren, Molina and Straight Medicaid.

**ROSEWOOD HEALTHCARE****(989) 775-3823**

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*1621 E Broomfield Street, Suite B, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858**2480 Rosewood Dr. Mt Pleasant, MI 48858*

Mohan, Annu MD

Aultman, Deborah PA

Garchow, Carrie PA

**WOMEN'S MEDICAL CENTER****(989) 773-3411**

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*1201 South Drive, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Elliott, Jerry MD

Podolsky, Steven MD

Swirtz, Michael MD

O'Dell, Robin DO

Sanders, Michelle DO

Participates with McLaren, Health Plan of Michigan and Straight Medicaid.

*Call for appointments at above offices and ask if they participate with your type of insurance.  
Participation in insurance programs may change*

# Eye Doctors

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## **EYESITE (THE)**

**(989) 775-2020**

*1234 E Broomfield Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

[www.the-eyesite.com](http://www.the-eyesite.com)

Miller, Erin OD

Does not participate with Medicaid.

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## **LANSING OPHTHALMOLOGY**

**(989) 772-3339**

*1535 E Broomfield Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Holmes, Julia OD

Barnes, Jeffery MD

Complete family eye care, full contact lens services, LASIK consultations and treatment of eye diseases and low vision. Many vision insurances accepted.

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## **PLEASANT OPTICS**

**(989) 773-7747**

*2865 S Lincoln Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Bartz, Tad OD

Whitmore, Garrett OD

Accepting new patients.

Participates with Straight Medicaid & McLaren (No Molina).

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## **TRAVERSE VISION**

**(989) 772-9481**

*4164 E Bluegrass, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Ritter, Karisa OD

Appold, Jerry OD

Participates with Straight Medicaid.

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## **VISION SERVICE PLAN**

**(866) 754-9315 or (616) 754-9315**

*Contact: EightCAP, Inc. 0-5 Head Start at extension 3384*

The gift certificate will pay for an eye exam and glasses for any child 0-18 who has not graduated from high school who does not have vision insurance. Available once a year.

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## **WAL-MART VISION CENTER**

**(989) 773-9714**

*4730 Encore Boulevard, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Zarr, Jeffery OD

Bennett, Jason OD

Many vision insurances accepted. Doctor's available Monday-Thursday 9:00 am – 7:00 pm, Friday and Saturday 9:00 am - 4:30 pm. Vision assistance available Monday-Saturday 9:00 am-8:00 pm and Sunday 12:00 pm-5:00 pm.

*Call for appointments at above offices and ask if they participate with your type of insurance.  
Participation in insurance programs may change*

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# Food Pantries

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## **BLANCHARD CHURCH OF GOD**

**(989) 561-5021**

*200 S 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Blanchard, MI 49310*

Pantry is open Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 8:00 am – 4:00 pm. Call for an appointment.

## **CCN MOBILE FOOD PANTRY**

[www.ccnfeeds.org](http://www.ccnfeeds.org)

Mobile food pantries are held two Saturdays per month at various locations in Isabella County. Registration is from 9:00 am – 10:30 am. Valid Photo ID showing current residence is required. For exact dates and locations, please visit above website. Each family receives supplemental food consisting of meat products, dairy, fresh produce, fresh fruit and canned nonperishable meal stretchers.

## **CCN NUTRITION CLUB**

[www.ccnfeeds.org](http://www.ccnfeeds.org)

*Isabella County Public Schools*

Nutrition bags are taken home by elementary students twice a month. This supplemental food is targeted to allow young students to easily prepare nutritious foods for themselves when parents may be working or unable to provide sufficiently for the family. Students must qualify for free lunch to qualify for the nutrition club. For more information contact your elementary student's school.

## **CCN WILLIAM ELLIS BROCKMAN INFANT PANTRY**

**(989) 773-9609**

*First Presbyterian Church, 1250 Watson, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Pantry is open Wednesday 11:00 am – 2:00 pm. Please bring infant's birth certificate for registration and your photo ID showing a current Isabella County residence. Infants less than 2 years old are eligible. Families may use pantry once a month.

## **CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF FELLOWSHIP FOOD PANTRY (C.C.O.F.)**

**(989) 866-2417**

*8135 Mill Street, Winn, MI 48896*

Pantry is open the last Thursday of every month 11:00 am – 2:00 pm. Located in the Winn United Methodist Church. ID is required.

## **COMMODITY SUPPLEMENTAL FOOD PROGRAM (CSFP)**

**(989) 772-0110**

*310 W Michigan, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Sign up for this monthly food distribution at any EightCAP office; no appointment is necessary. Proof of gross monthly income and ID is required to sign up. It is available to seniors 60 plus years who are below 130% of poverty. Distribution is usually on the fourth Wednesday of each month at Immanuel Lutheran Church.

## **CONGREGATE MEALS PROGRAM**

**(989) 772-0748**

*Commission on Aging, 2200 S Lincoln Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858* [www.isabellacounty.org/dept/coa](http://www.isabellacounty.org/dept/coa)

Nutritionally balanced meals provided to individuals who are 60 plus years and their spouses. A donation of \$2.50 per meal is requested. For list of locations and times call COA at number above or visit their website.

**HOME DELIVERED MEALS****(989) 772-0748***Commission on Aging: 2200 S Lincoln Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Nutritionally balanced meals are delivered to individuals who are 60 plus years or their spouses when the individual is homebound, unable to attend a Congregate Meal Site due to disability or unable to adequately prepare own meal. A donation of \$2.50 per meal is requested. For an appointment for an assessment contact COA at the number above.

**POTTERS HOUSE - STOREHOUSE PANTRY****(989) 772-5681***5346 E Deerfield, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Food pantry is available on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month 11:30 am – 1:30 pm. ID and Social Security numbers are required at application. Appointment is necessary.

**REAP FOOD PANTRY****(989) 644-3148***4079 E Vernon Road, Rosebush, MI 48878*

Food Pantry is open Thursday 9:00 am – 11:00 am. Eligible recipients must reside in Isabella county and show ID. Families may use pantry twice a month.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY****(989) 828-5720***168 E Wright Street, Shepherd, MI 48883*

Food pantry is available by appointment only. Call Monday 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm for Tuesday pick up and call Wednesday 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm for Thursday pick up. ID and Social Security cards Proof of income for all household members, OR red TEFAP card. Two bags of groceries per family every 4 weeks.

**SOUP KITCHEN (ISABELLA COMMUNITY)****(989) 772-7392***621 S Adams Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Continental breakfast is available Monday-Saturday at 8:00 am. Hot lunch is available Monday-Saturday 11:30 am – 1:00 pm. Free bread and produce is available to be taken home. Coupon for Max & Emily's hot Sunday meal is available at the soup kitchen on Thursday & Friday.

**STOREHOUSE FOOD PANTRY****(989) 644-3148***6000 S Main, Weidman, MI 48893*

Food pantry is open Tuesday 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm for families who live in 6 townships surrounding Weidman (Broomfield, Coldwater, Deerfield, Sherman, Nottawa and Gilmore). It is located in the alley off Main St behind Pizza King. ID and Social Security numbers are required.

**THE EMERGENCY FOOD AND ASSISTANCE PROGRAM / TEFAP****(989) 772-0110**

This food distribution takes place quarterly, usually during the months of January, April, July and October. Distribution takes place at Immanuel Lutheran Church and Winn United Methodist Church. Call EightCAP at the above number for exact dates and times. It is available to clients in need of food, participants in income based programs such as WIC or FAP, and/or families below 200% of poverty.

**THE SALVATION ARMY****(989) 773-4663***1308 Burch Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Food pantry is open Monday-Thursday 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm. ID and Social Security card are required. Families may use pantry once every two month.

# Hospitals

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<b>HELEN-DEVOS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL</b> <i>100 Michigan NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503</i>	(616) 391-9000 <a href="http://www.helendevoschildrens.org">www.helendevoschildrens.org</a>
<b>MCLAREN CENTRAL MICHIGAN</b> <i>1221 South Drive, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	(989) 772-6700
<b>MCLAREN GREATER LANSING</b> <i>401 W Greenlawn Avenue, Lansing, MI 48910</i>	(517) 975-6000 <a href="http://www.mclaren.org">www.mclaren.org</a>
<b>METRO HEALTH HOSPITAL</b> <i>5900 Byron Center Avenue, Wyoming, MI 49519</i>	(616) 252-7200 <a href="http://www.metrohealth.net">www.metrohealth.net</a>
<b>MID-MICHIGAN MEDICAL CENTER CLARE</b> <i>703 N McEwan Street, Clare, MI 48617</i>	(989) 386-0051 <a href="http://www.midmichigan.org">www.midmichigan.org</a>
<b>MID-MICHIGAN MEDICAL CENTER GRATIOT</b> <i>300 E Warwick, Alma MI 48801</i>	(989) 463-1101 <a href="http://www.midmichigan.org">www.midmichigan.org</a>
<b>MID-MICHIGAN MEDICAL CENTER MIDLAND</b> <i>4000 Wellness Drive, Midland, MI 48670</i>	(989) 839-3000 <a href="http://www.midmichigan.org">www.midmichigan.org</a>
<b>PENNOCK HOSPITAL</b> <i>1009 West Green Street, Hastings, MI 49058</i>	(269) 945-3451 <a href="http://www.pennockhealth.com">www.pennockhealth.com</a>
<b>PINE REST CHRISTIAN MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES</b> <i>300 68<sup>th</sup> Street SE, PO Box 165, Grand Rapids, MI 49548</i>	(800) 678-5500 <a href="http://www.pinerest.org">www.pinerest.org</a>
<b>SHERIDAN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL</b> <i>301 N Main Street, PO Box 279, Sheridan, MI 48884</i> Walk in clinic 24 hours a day.	(989) 291-3261 <a href="http://www.sheridanhospital.com">www.sheridanhospital.com</a>
<b>SPARROW CARSON HOSPITAL</b> <i>406 E Elm Street, Carson City, MI 48811</i>	(989) 584-3131 <a href="http://www.carsonhealth.org">www.carsonhealth.org</a>
<b>SPARROW HOSPITAL</b> <i>1215 E Michigan, Lansing, MI 48912</i>	(517) 364-1000 <a href="http://www.sparrow.org">www.sparrow.org</a>
<b>SPARROW IONIA HOSPITAL</b> <i>500 E Washington Street, Ionia, MI 48846</i> Urgent Care 24 hours a day.	(616) 523-1400 <a href="http://www.sparrow.org/sparrowionia">www.sparrow.org/sparrowionia</a>
<b>SPARROW HOSPITAL TONY BALICE WALK-IN CLINIC</b> <i>550 E Washington Street, Ionia, MI 48846</i> Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 7:00 pm and Saturday 8:00 am - 12:00 pm.	(616) 523-1644
<b>SPECTRUM HEALTH BLODGETT HOSPITAL</b> <i>1840 Wealthy Street SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49506</i>	(616) 774-7444 <a href="http://www.spectrum-health.org">www.spectrum-health.org</a>

**SPECTRUM HEALTH BUTTERWORTH HOSPITAL** (616) 391-1774  
*100 Michigan Street NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503* [www.spectrum-health.org](http://www.spectrum-health.org)

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**SPECTRUM HEALTH KELSEY HOSPITAL** (989) 352-7211  
*418 Washington Avenue, Lakeview, MI 48850*

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**SPECTRUM HEALTH UNITED HOSPITAL EMERGENCY** (616) 754-4691  
*615 S Bower Street, Greenville, MI 48838* [www.spectrum-health.org/united](http://www.spectrum-health.org/united)

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**ST. MARY'S HEALTH CARE** (616) 685-5000  
*200 Jefferson Avenue SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503* [www.smmmc.org](http://www.smmmc.org)

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# Hotline Numbers

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**ALCOHOL & DRUG ABUSE HELPLINE & TREATMENT** (800) 234-0420

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**BOYS & GIRLS TOWN NATIONAL HOTLINE** (800) 448-3000

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[www.boystown.org](http://www.boystown.org)

Counselor on hand to talk about problems or concerns with parents and children. Helps to resolve child/parent conflict.

**CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL & PREVENTION INFORMATION** (800) 232-4636

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[www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov)

Provides health information on diseases and health topics.

**CENTER FOR MISSING & EXPLOITED CHILDREN** (800) 843-5678

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[www.missingkids.com](http://www.missingkids.com)

Report missing children and child pornography, provides publications on missing children.

**CHILD & ADULT LICENSING COMPLAINTS** (866) 856-0126

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[www.michigan.gov/dhs](http://www.michigan.gov/dhs)

**CHILD FIND OF AMERICA** (800) 426-5678

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[www.childfindofamerica.org](http://www.childfindofamerica.org)

Helps locate children under the age of 18 years, runaways and parental or stranger abductions. Provides mediation for child custody disputes. Safety information and prevention material available.

**CHILD HELP USA INFORMATION CENTER** (800) 422-4453

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[www.childhelp.org](http://www.childhelp.org)

The Hotline offers crisis intervention, information, literature, and referrals to thousands of emergency, social service, and support resources. Childhelp® exists to meet the physical, emotional, educational, and spiritual needs of abused, neglected and at-risk children. We focus our efforts on advocacy, prevention, treatment and community outreach.

**CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENTS** (877) 464-3324

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[www.misdu.com](http://www.misdu.com)

**CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELING SERVICE** (800) 388-2227

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[www.nfcc.org](http://www.nfcc.org)

National Foundation for Credit Counseling.

**CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION** (800) 638-2772

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[www.cpsc.gov](http://www.cpsc.gov)

Report unsafe products or get information on product recalls.



<b>DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HELPLINE</b>	<b>(800) 799-7233</b> <a href="http://www.thehotline.org">www.thehotline.org</a>
<b>ELDERCARE SERVICES FOR THE ELDERLY</b>	<b>(800) 677-1116</b> <a href="http://www.eldercare.org">www.eldercare.org</a>
Eldercare Locator connects older adults and their family to services.	
<b>FAMILY SUPPORT NETWORK/CSHCS</b>	<b>(800) 359-3722</b>
Tries to match families to other families with similar concerns and problems for support of one another in raising children with special needs. Offers health resource information and emotional support to all Michigan families of children with special needs.	
<b>FOOD &amp; NUTRITION PROGRAM HELPLINE</b>	<b>(800) 481-4989</b> <a href="http://www.foodstamphelp.org">www.foodstamphelp.org</a>
Food stamp eligibility screening and advocacy.	
<b>HOMELESS EMERGENCY &amp; SUPPORT</b>	<b>211</b>
Anyone in need of shelter, or anyone who knows of someone in need, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, year-round.	
<b>HOUSING &amp; HOMELESS HOTLINE</b>	<b>(866) 754-9315 X 3335</b>
Housing or homeless prescreen services in the county; available 8:00 – 4:30 Monday – Friday.	
<b>MOTHERS AGAINST DRUNK DRIVING (MADD)</b>	<b>(800) 323-6233</b> <a href="http://www.madd.org">www.madd.org</a>
Donations accepted, victim assistance, statistics and local information.	
<b>MEDICAID HELPLINE</b>	<b>(800) 642-3195</b>
<b>MI-RX</b>	<b>(800) 259-8016</b> <a href="http://www.mihealth.org">www.mihealth.org</a>
The MiRx (My Prescription) Card is a prescription drug discount program for Michigan residents who do not have any prescription drug coverage. This is free program.	
<b>MICHIGAN PROBLEM GAMBLING HELPLINE</b>	<b>(800) 270-7117</b> <a href="http://www.michapg.com">www.michapg.com</a>
<b>PARENT HELPLINE</b>	<b>(800) 942-4357</b>
Statewide hotline for parents concerned with parenting skills and for anyone concerned with child abuse and neglect.	
<b>PARENTING HOTLINES:</b>	
<b>DEPRESSION AFTER DELIVERY</b>	<b>(800) 944-4773</b> <a href="http://www.postpartum.net">www.postpartum.net</a>
<b>ENFAMIL'S FAMILY BEGINNINGS PROGRAM</b>	<b>(800) 222-9123</b> <a href="http://www.enfamil.com">www.enfamil.com</a>
<b>GERBER HOTLINE</b>	<b>(800) 284-9488</b> <a href="http://www.gerber.com">www.gerber.com</a>

<b>POISON CONTROL</b>	(800) 222-1222 <a href="http://www.aapcc.org">www.aapcc.org</a>
<b>RUNAWAY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (RAP)</b>	(877) 427-8629 Crisis hotline for runaway teens and their families. 24 hours/7 days a week. Helps teens find shelter and other referrals. Crisis intervention for parents concerned with at-risk runaways.
<b>SAFE DELIVERY OF NEWBORNS</b>	(866) 733-7733 Search "Safe Sleep" at: <a href="http://www.michigan.gov">www.michigan.gov</a>
<b>SEXUAL ASSAULT HOTLINE</b>	(877) 656-4673 <a href="http://www.rainn.org">www.rainn.org</a>
<b>SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE</b>	(800) 273-8255 <a href="http://www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org">www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org</a>
<b>THAW FUND</b>	(800) 866-8429 <a href="http://www.thawfund.org">www.thawfund.org</a> Provides low-income families with energy assistance.
<b>THURSDAY'S CHILD</b>	(800) 872-5437 A 24-hour live-answered hotline listed for teens who need help or direction with anorexia, bulimia or for teen suicide. Deals with runaways, missing children, exploited children, teen pregnancy, teen prostitution, teen substance abuse, self-cutting and STD's.
<b>USDA MEAT AND POULTRY HOTLINE</b>	(888) 674-6854 <a href="http://www.fsis.usda.gov">www.fsis.usda.gov</a> Helps answer questions about meat, safe handling, storage, and preparation.
<b>VETERAN'S CRISIS LINE - VETERAN'S AFFAIRS</b>	(800) 273-8255 <a href="http://www.va.gov">www.va.gov</a>
<b>VULNERABLE ADULTS &amp; SENIORS HELPLINE</b>	(800) 996-6228 Search "APS" at: <a href="http://www.michigan.gov">www.michigan.gov</a> Connects adults with local Adult Protective Services if sexual or physical abuse or exploitation is suspected.
<b>WE TIP HOTLINE</b>	(800) 782-7463 <a href="http://www.wetip.com">www.wetip.com</a> A national hotline to report criminal activity.

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# Housing

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## LOW INCOME HOUSING

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### **ARBORS AT EAGLE CREST**

**(989) 775-0790**

*5100 Eagle Crest, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Tax credit, income requirements. 1, 2 and 3 bedroom apartments, pay own utilities.

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### **HORIZON WEST APARTMENTS**

**(989) 773-6904 x 286**

*210 Bradley Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Subsidized, market rent.

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### **IMMANUEL LUTHERAN VILLAGE**

**(989) 773-7274**

*310 S. Bradley Street, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858*

Seniors and persons with disabilities, subsidized.

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### **MICHIGAN STATE HOUSING AUTHORITY**

**(231) 796-8883**

*203 S Third Avenue Suite. 1, Big Rapids, MI 49307*

Low income housing information.

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### **MOUNT PLEASANT HOUSING COMMISSION**

**(989) 773-3784**

*1 Mosher Street, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858*

Section 8 voucher program, subsidized apartments/vouchers for seniors, and individuals with disabilities and families who meet income requirements.

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#### **Pheasant Run**

**(989) 772-0883**

*1101 Sweeney Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Family Section 8 housing, 3 and 4 bedrooms, unfurnished, utilities are not included in the rent.

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#### **River View Apartments**

**(989) 773-3784**

*1 Mosher Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Section 8 housing for seniors 50 and over and for individuals with disabilities.

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### **NORTHWINDS**

**(989) 775-7180**

*3176 E Deerfield Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Washer and dryer available, accepts MSHDA and HUD if registered.

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### **OAK TREE VILLAGE**

**(989) 773-3625**

*312 Oak Village, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Subsidized, market rent.

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### **OXFORD ROW APARTMENTS**

**(989) 772-0883**

*1517 Canterbury Trail, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Subsidized, market rent, 1 and 2 bedroom apartments, 2 and 3 bedroom townhouses, unfurnished.

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### **RIVERS BLUFF TOWNHOMES**

**(989) 953-7770**

*805 W Broadway Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858*

Senior housing, accepts Section 8 voucher.

**ROSEBUSH ESTATES** (989) 433-2169

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4220 N Mission Road, Rosebush, MI 48878

Subsidized.

**SALT RIVER APARTMENTS** (989) 828-7555

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276 Union Street, Shepherd, MI 48883

Low income, families and seniors, subsidized.

**WHEATLAND CENTER APARTMENTS** (989) 967-8121

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8890 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Remus, MI 49340

Low income, subsidized, market rent, utilities included.

**WINCHESTER TOWERS** (989) 773-4455

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2001 Elva Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Subsidized, seniors 62 years and over, persons with disabilities, 1 and 2 bedroom apartments, heat included.

**MOBILE HOME PARKS**

**ABLE MOBILE HOUSING INC.** (888) 222-2253

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Temporary Housing Specialist, on-site temporary housing for after fire, flood, tornado, or hurricane.

**BROOMFIELD VALLEY MOBILE HOME PARK** (989) 644-2650

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6595 W Remus Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Rentals available.

**COUNTRY PLACE** (989) 433-2134

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4151 E Jordan Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

**CROSSINGS ON BROADWAY** (989) 775-3495

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5402 E Broadway Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Lease to own, accepts MSHDA.

**MAPLE VIEW ESTATES** (989) 773-7179

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1955 S Chippewa Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Rentals available.

**MOUNT PLEASANT MOBILE HOME VILLAGE** (989) 772-2442

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505 S Bradley Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Close to campus, cable tv, all underground utilities.

**OAKVIEW MOBILE HOME ESTATES** (989) 772-6206

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1800 E Jordan Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

**PLEASANT RIDGE ESTATES** (989) 317-3606

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5280 S Mission Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Not income based, rent to own.

## **APARTMENTS (NOT LOW INCOME)**

<b>APPIAN WAY APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 773-4991</b>
<hr/> <i>Langlois Management, 920 Appian Way, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i> 4 and 5 bedrooms.	
<b>ARBORETUM APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 775-3200</b>
<hr/> <i>1825 Liberty Drive, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i> 1, 2, 3 and 4 bedrooms, laundry facilities in each apartment, heat and water included.	
<b>BELLOWS STREET APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 607-0259</b>
<hr/> <i>910 E Bellows Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i> Students only, semi-furnished, 2, 3, and 5 bedrooms.	
<b>CAMPUS HABITAT APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 607-0259</b>
<hr/> <i>806 Broomfield Road, Mt. Pleasant MI 48858</i> Students only, furnished, all utilities included.	
<b>CANTERBURY EAST APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 773-3890</b>
<hr/> <i>1517 Canterbury Trail, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i> 1 and 2 bedrooms, unfurnished, heat, water, and trash included.	
<b>CASA LOMA APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 773-3890</b>
<hr/> <i>1810 Edgewood Drive, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i> Student housing, furnished or unfurnished, 2-6 bedrooms.	
<b>CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY</b>	<b>(989) 774-3111</b>
<hr/> <i>Residence Life, 1110 S Washington Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859</i> Dorms and family housing for students.	
<b>CHASE RUN APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 772-7029</b>
<hr/> <i>3726 Isabella Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i> 1, 2, and 3 bedrooms, accepts MSHDA.	
<b>CONCORD WEST CAMPUS</b>	<b>(989) 772-2436</b>
<hr/> <i>1110 W Campus Drive, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
<b>COUNTRY PLACE APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 773-2199</b>
<hr/> <i>1829 S Crawford Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i> Family housing, 1 and 2 bedrooms, central air, laundry facilities.	
<b>DOVER COURT APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 772-7725</b>
<hr/> <i>1441 E Broomfield Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i> 55 years and over, 1 and 2 bedrooms.	
<b>FOUR SEASONS APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 773-0009</b>
<hr/> <i>303 S Main Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
<b>JAMESTOWN APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 775-5522</b>
<hr/> <i>4075 Isabella Road, Mt. Pleasant MI 48858</i>	

<b>LEXINGTON RIDGE APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 773-3890</b>
<i>3700 E Deerfield Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
2-6 bedrooms, furnished or unfurnished, air conditioning, utilities included.	
<b>MAPLE LEAF</b>	<b>(989) 828-7555</b>
<i>276 S Union Street, Shepherd, MI 48883</i>	
1, 2 and 3 bedrooms, heat, water, and trash included.	
<b>PARK PLACE APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 772-4032</b>
<i>1401 E Bellows Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
Student oriented, market rent, 9 and 12 month leases.	
<b>QUALITY APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 772-8894</b>
<i>600 S University Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
Students only, 1-5 bedrooms, houses, apartments, and duplexes.	
<b>STERLING UNIVERSITY MEADOWS</b>	<b>(989) 775-6418</b>
<i>4310 Sterling Way, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
3-4 bedrooms.	
<b>STONE CREST APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 772-0039</b>
<i>2880 Isabella Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
Market rent, 1, 2 and 3 bedrooms.	
<b>TALL GRASS APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 779-7900</b>
<i>1240 E Broomfield Road, Mt. Pleasant MI 48858</i>	
<b>THE FORUM</b>	<b>(989) 772-5252</b>
<i>950 Appian Way, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
Student oriented, heat and hot water included.	
<b>TIMBER CREEK APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 773-3300</b>
<i>330 E Deerfield Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
Student friendly, 1, 2 and 3 bedrooms, all utilities included in rent, 10 and 12 month leases.	
<b>UNITED APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 772-2222</b>
<i>1251 E Broomfield Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
Adult students only, Section 8 and MSHDA accepted.	
<b>UNIVERSITY MEADOWS</b>	<b>(989) 775-6809</b>
<i>4130 Sterling Way, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
<b>WOODSIDE APARTMENTS</b>	<b>(989) 779-1539</b>
<i>1028 S Mission Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
<b>YORKSHIRE COMMONS</b>	<b>(989) 773-7272</b>
<i>1251 E. Broomfield Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858</i>	
Market rent, 2 and 3 bedrooms, apartments and townhouses.	

## **PRIVATE LANDLORDS**

<b>ALBERTA MCBRIDE</b>	<b>(989) 772-1261</b>
<b>CHARLIE KIHN</b>	<b>(989) 621-3394</b>
<b>NORM CURTISS III</b>	<b>(989) 772-2358</b>
<b>OLIVEERI MANAGEMENT</b>	<b>(989) 773-2333</b>

*For a more complete list of available rentals in Isabella County as well as details about each unit please go to [www.michiganhousinglocator.com](http://www.michiganhousinglocator.com)*

# Military Resources

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## **AMERICAN RED CROSS OF GREATER GRAND RAPIDS**

**(616) 456-8661**

Services to the Armed Forces. Partnering with Congress, the Department of Defense and the Department of Veterans Affairs, our volunteers provide military personnel and their families with a worldwide integrated support network to help them cope with the stress of military life in the following ways: 1) Stay In Touch and Obtain Verification of Emergency Leave Information; 2) Secure Emergency Financial Assistance; and 3) Obtain Counseling, Information, Referrals and Other Social Needs. They also assist with veteran benefit applications.

## **BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU**

**(800) 684-3222**

Has an agreement with the Department of Defense to offer BBB Military Line, which gears its well-known consumer education and advocacy services to experiences and circumstances unique to the military. As a partner in the Department of Defense (DOD) Financial Readiness Campaign, BBB Military Line® brings BBB services to military personnel (including Reservists and National Guard), retirees, DOD civilians and their families. Through Memoranda of Understanding with the Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps, and through status as a Coast Guard Qualified Organization, BBB Military Line offers a variety of free services and consumer education to the military via local BBB outreach.

## **BLUE STAR MOTHERS OF IONIA, KENT AND MONTCALM COUNTIES**

**(989) 814-0650**

Chapter # 188 - Contact Kathy Barnes. This new local organization is for mothers who now have, or have had, children discharged honorably or actively serving in the military.

## **FAMILY ASSISTANCE CENTER - GRAND VALLEY ARMORY**

**(517) 481-7323**

Family Assistance is a focal point of information by providing six essential services in times of contingency call up, mobilization, and large scale deployments. Family Assistance is critical in providing help to all military families during these long term or short term deployments. The Grand Valley regional Family Assistance Center provides assistance and referrals for families in a region of counties including Gratiot, Montcalm, Ionia and Isabella. Contact the Family Assistance Coordinator in the following counties: Gratiot and Isabella Counties-Melissa Alex (517) 481-7323; Ionia County-Stephanie Rogers (517) 481-8850; and Montcalm County-Ami Gould (616) 249-2741.

## **GOODWILL INDUSTRIES**

**(231) 206-0127**

Has a Veterans Workforce Investment Program that addresses the unique needs of veterans seeking employment. Serving Clare, Gladwin, Ionia, Isabella, Mecosta, Montcalm, and Osceola Counties. Goodwill assists eligible veterans in a variety of areas relating to job training, placement, and retention with an emphasis on green career fields. Those who have been dishonorably discharged cannot participate.

## **MILITARY ONESOURCE**

**(800) 342-9647**

[www.militaryonesource.com](http://www.militaryonesource.com)

This service is provided by the Department of Defense at no cost to active duty, Guard and Reserve (regardless of activation status) and their families. It is a virtual extension of installation services.



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**OPERATION: MILITARY KIDS****(517) 432-7618**

U.S. Army's collaborative effort with America's communities to support children and youth impacted by deployment. Regardless of whether Families are experiencing deployment for the first time, the second time or another in a series of multiple deployments, OMK's goal is to connect military children and youth with local resources in order to achieve a sense of community support and enhance their well-being. In Michigan, Operation Military Kids is an ongoing community support system for families, particularly children of parents in the National Guard and the Army Reserves. It provides an outlet with recreational, educational and social opportunities for military youth, which helps them to deal with their parents being in a risky atmosphere. OMK is a 4-H program, which joins with the school and community to educate the public about what military children may be experiencing. For more information, call the Michigan Chapter at (517) 432-7618, [kmoyeses@anr.msu.edu](mailto:kmoyeses@anr.msu.edu). 4-H Military Liaison-B'Onko S. Sadler (517) 432-7618, [sadlerbo@msu.edu](mailto:sadlerbo@msu.edu).

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**SERVICE TO SOLDIERS LEGAL ASSISTANCE REFERRAL PROGRAM****(517) 371-5140**

Service to Soldiers Legal Assistance Referral Program through Cooley Law School helps service men and women resolve legal problems they face upon return from deployment by matching them with volunteer attorneys across Michigan. Contact-Heather Spielmaker.

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**SUPPORTIVE SERVICES FOR VETERAN FAMILIES (EIGHTCAP, INC.) (844) 557-0733 x 306**[www.eightcap.org](http://www.eightcap.org)

Assists with Veteran's Homeless Prevention & Rehousing efforts in Isabella, Gratiot, Montcalm and Ionia counties.

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**“VETERANS BENEFITS AND SERVICES” PUBLICATION**

The information listed in this booklet has been organized into categories- Federal, State, and Local Programs. State benefits are shaded gray in each specific category. Much of the information contained in this booklet is a condensed version of Federal Benefits for Veterans and Dependents, 2008 Edition; U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs; the Michigan government web site at [www.Michigan.gov](http://www.Michigan.gov); and other federal, state, and community resources. This booklet also provides valuable contact information with names, telephone numbers, addresses, and web site locations, when available. Hard copies of this publication are available from your local legislator, but the on-line version is the most current.

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**VFW NATIONAL HOME FOR CHILDREN****(800) 313-4200**

Located in Eaton Rapids, Michigan, this organization provides personal information and referral assistance as a gateway to help for any military family. They also offer several programs including military family, veteran family, single parent, and residential.

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