

**Jackson State**  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE



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COUNSELING AND CAREER  
RESOURCE CENTER

# Directory of Community Resources 2018 - 2019

**The following is an abbreviated directory of various types of community and state resources that you may find helpful. The agencies included in this directory are not affiliated with Jackson State Community College or the Counseling and Career Resource Center. The directory is for informational purposes only and is not intended to be an endorsement of any agency. Individuals utilizing this directory will be responsible for any cost that may be incurred with the use of these services. Jackson State Community College as well as the Counseling and Career Center staff assumes no liability for any acts of omission by third parties or transactions that occur between individuals utilizing this directory and the agencies listed.**

**Please direct any concerns regarding the resources included in this directory to the JSCC Counseling and Career Resource Center at (731) 425-2616.**

## **Child Care Assistance:**

[Child Care Certificate Program](#) – Apply through the Tennessee Department of Human Services

[Kidcentral TN – Smart Steps Child Care Assistance Program](#) (for income eligible parents pursuing post-secondary educational goals) - Apply through the Tennessee Department of Human Services.

### **Department of Human Services County Offices:**

Benton County – (731) 593-6360 (Camden)	Harden County – (731) 925-9982 (Savannah)
Carroll County – (731) 352-7941 (Huntingdon)	Haywood County – (731) 772-4242 (Brownsville)
Chester County – (731) 989-5144 (Henderson)	Henderson County – (731) 968-3652 (Lexington)
Crockett County – (731) 696-5441 (Alamo)	Henry County – (731) 644-7400 (Paris)
Decatur County – (731) 852-2981 (Decaturville)	Lake County – (731) 253-3326 (Tiptonville)
Dyer County – (731) 286-8305 (Dyersburg)	Madison County – (731) 426-0873 (Jackson)
Gibson County – (731) 824-4302 (Trenton)	McNairy County – (731) 934-2281 (Selmer)
Hardeman County – (731) 658-5545 (Bolivar)	Obion County – (731) 884-2603 (Union City)
	Weakly County – (731) 364-3128 (Dresden)

## **Dental Care Assistance:**

[Public Health Dental Clinics](#) Provides emergency care and limited continued dental care for uninsured adults.

Carroll County Health Department – (731) 986-1990 (Huntingdon)

Hardeman County Health Department – (731) 658-5291 (Bolivar)

Madison County Health Department – (731) 423-6600 (Jackson)

[Area Relief Ministries \(ARM\)](#) - 1-866-307-5469 (Madison County residents only) Provides assistance with dental extractions.

## **Domestic Violence and Victim Assistance:**

[WRAP](#) – 1-800-273-8712 (24 hrs.)

## **Food Assistance Programs:**

[Tennessee Department of Human Services:](#)

- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program\* (SNAP - formerly known as food stamps)
- Families First Program (Tennessee’s Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program)
- The Child and Adult Care Food Program
- The Summer Food Service Program (for children 18 years or younger)

**\*If eligible, college students can receive SNAP benefits. Please refer student(s) to the DHS office in the county in which they currently reside.**

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## ■ **Food Assistance Programs (Cont.):**

[Tennessee Department of Health WIC Program](#) (Women, Infants, and Children) – Must apply at the health department in the county in which the individual resides.

### **County Health Departments:**

Benton County – (731) 584-4944 (Camden)	Hardin County – (731) 925-2557 (Savannah)
Carroll County – (731) 986-1990 (Huntingdon)	Haywood County – (731) 772-0463 (Brownsville)
Chester County – (731) 989-7108 (Henderson)	Henderson County – (731) 968-8148 (Lexington)
Dyer County – (731) 285-7311 (Dyersburg)	Lake County – (731) 253-9954 (Tiptonville)
Henry County – (731) 642-4025 (Paris)	Madison County – (731) 423-2020 (Jackson)
Gibson County – (731) 855-7601 (Trenton)	McNairy County – (731) 645-3474 (Selmer)
Gibson County – (731) 686-9240 (Milan)	Obion County – (731) 885-8722 (Union City)
Gibson County – (731) 784-5491 (Humboldt)	Weakley County – (731) 364-2210 (Dresden)
Hardeman County – (731) 658-5291 (Bolivar)	

## ■ **Community Food Pantries:**

Regional Interfaith Association (RIFA) – (731) 427-7963 (Jackson)

Aldersgate United Methodist Church Pantry – (731) 427-4887 (Jackson)

First Assembly of God Food Pantry – (731) 668-5547 (Jackson)

Salvation Army Food Pantry – (731) 422-5103 (Jackson)

United Temple COGIC Food Pantry – (731) 422-5103 (Jackson)

Crockett Care Food Bank – (731) 696-4067 (Alamo)

Shiloh Food Bank – (731) 249-2668 (Lexington)

Hope Ministries – (731) 968-6802 (Lexington)

The Gleaners House – (731) 938-0377 (Henderson) (Chester County residents only)

Milan Mustard Seed – (731) 686-1011 (Milan) (Gibson County residents only)

Hardin County Christian Ministry – (731) 925-8099 (Savannah)

Helping Hands Community Center – (731) 727-5629 (Savannah)

Petra Ministries Food Pantry – (731) 434-1002 (Selmer)

McNairy County Loaves and Fishes – (731) 434-4384 (Selmer)

River of Life Food Pantry – (731) 764-0031 (Grand Junction)

Paris-Henry County Food Bank – (731) 642-3172 (Paris)

Salvation Army Dyer County Food Pantry and Soup Kitchen – (731) 256-5117 (Dyersburg)

Reelfoot Rural Ministries – (731)-538-9970 (Obion)

Brownsville Baptist Church Food Pantry and Soup Kitchen – (731) 772-9753 (Brownsville)

EBCI Whiteville Food Pantry – (901) 590-9969 (Whiteville)

Mid-South Food Bank – (901) 527-0841 (Memphis)

## ■ Healthcare Assistance:

### Insurance:

[Tennessee Board of Regents Student Health Insurance Exchange](#) – 1-800-318-2596 (JSCC students only)

TennCare – 1-800-342-3145

Health Insurance Marketplace (for individuals that do not qualify for TennCare) – 1-800-318-2596

### Community Health Clinics:

Faith Health Center – (731) 215-2500 (Jackson)

Henderson County Health Center – (731) 983-3175 (Henderson)

Hardeman County Community Health Center – (731) 658-3388 (Bolivar)

Hardin County Regional Health Center – (731) 925-2300 (Savannah)

Stanton Health Center – (731) 548-2232 (Stanton)

Citizens of Lake County – (731) 253-6690 (Tiptonville)

William B. Acree Clinic – (731) 264-5518 (Ridgely)

## ■ Housing Assistance:

[Tennessee Housing Development Agency: Housing Choice Voucher Program](#) (West TN) – (731) 410-2270

Lowell Thomas State Office Building

225 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, Suite 405B

Jackson, TN 38301

[HUD.GOV Public Housing Authorities \(West TN\):](#)

Bolivar – (731) 658-3419

Brownsville – (731) 772-0274

Dyersburg – (731) 285-6771

Humboldt – (731) 784-9772

Huntingdon – (731) 986-4442

Jackson – (731) 422-1671

Lexington – (731) 968-7506

Martin – (731) 587-3186

McKenzie – (731) 352-5335

Milan – (731) 686-8571

Newbern – (731) 627-2142

Paris – (731) 642-4451

Parsons–Decaturville – (731) 847-2638

Ripley – (731) 635-1901

Savannah – (731)925-2020

Trenton – (731)855-1231

Union City – (731) 885-1971

## ■ Emergency Housing For The Homeless:

[Area Relief Ministries Rapid Re-Housing Program](#) (Madison County Residents Only) – (731) 423-9257 ext. 105

[Dream Center](#) (women and children only) – (731) 512-0095 (Jackson)

[Southwest Human Resource Agency](#) Homeless Assistance Program (Jackson, TN Residents Only) - (731) 427-2147

Sheppard Fund – (731) 847-7471 (Decatur County residents only)

[United Way of West Tennessee](#) – (731) 422-1816 or call the 2-1-1 Hotline

[West Tennessee Homeless Solutions](#) – (731) 651-1020 Hotline – 1-866-307-5469

## ■ Legal Assistance:

[West TN Legal Services](#) – (731) 423-0616; Toll Free 1-800-372-8346; Email: [wtls@wtls.org](mailto:wtls@wtls.org)

## ■ Mental Health:

[TN Dept. of Mental Health and Substance Abuse](#) - **1-800-560-5767** or email [OCA.TDMHSAS@tn.gov](mailto:OCA.TDMHSAS@tn.gov)  
**1-855-274-7471** (Crisis Services)

[Carey Counseling Center](#) – **1-800-611-7757** (Access) (Benton, Carroll, Gibson, Henry, Lake, Obion and Weakly counties)  
**1-800-353-9918** (Adult Crisis Services)

[Quinco Mental Health Center](#) – **1-800-532-6339** (Access) (Chester, Decatur, Hardeman, Henderson, Madison counties)  
**1-800-467-2515** (Crisis Services)

[Pathways Behavioral Health Services](#) – **1-800-587-3854** (Dyer, Gibson, Haywood, Henderson, Madison, Obion counties)  
**1-800-372-0693** (Crisis Services)

## ■ Public Transportation:

### City of Jackson:

[Jackson Transit Authority](#) – **(731) 423-0200**

### Rural Public Transportation (Outside the City of Jackson):

[Northwest Tennessee Human Resource Agency](#) (Benton, Carroll, Crockett, Dyer, Gibson, Henry, Lake, Obion, and Weakley counties only) – **(731) 587-2900** or **877-577-4337**

[Southwest Human Resource Agency](#) (Chester, Decatur, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, McNairy, Madison counties only) – **(731) 989-0267** or **1-800-372-6013** **\*\**All trips MUST be scheduled 48 hours PRIOR to the day of the trip.***

## ■ Utility Assistance:

[Area Relief Ministries](#) (Madison County Residents Only) – **1-866-307-5469**  
Helping Hands Ministries – **(731) 824-1757** (Humboldt, Gipson and Medina residents only)  
Hardin County Jesus Cares, Inc. – **(731) 925-6777** (Savannah)

[Northwest TN Economic Development Council](#) (LIHEAP program) - Contact Lelania Gray at **(731) 364-4841**  
(Benton, Carroll, Crockett, Dyer, Gibson, Henry, Lake, Obion, and Weakley counties only)

### Service Centers

Benton County – <b>(731) 584-7355</b>	Dyer County – <b>(731) 285-5556</b>	Lake County – <b>(731) 253-7632</b>
Carroll County – <b>(731) 209-4458</b>	Gibson County – <b>(731) 855-2035</b>	Obion County – <b>(731) 885-0462</b>
Crockett County – <b>(731) 696-2871</b>	Henry County – <b>(731) 642-3132</b>	Weakley County – <b>(731) 364-2272</b>

Project Help – **(731) 642-5855** (Paris)

[Southwest Human Resource Agency](#) (LIHEAP program) – Contact Lisa Smith at **(731) 989-5111** or [lsmith@swhra.org](mailto:lsmith@swhra.org)  
(Chester, Decatur, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, Madison, McNairy counties only)

### Service Centers

Chester – <b>(731) 989-3879</b>	Hardeman – <b>(731) 658-9292</b>	Haywood – <b>(731) 772-2644</b>	Madison – <b>(731) 423-8768</b>
Decatur – <b>(731) 847-8160</b>	Hardin – <b>(731) 925-5405</b>	Henderson – <b>(731) 968-6802</b>	McNairy – <b>(731) 645-5739</b>

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