

Vinton County

Resource Guide

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*Please note that an agency's services or hours of operation may have been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Please reach out to an agency by phone, email, or social media pages before visiting in person.

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Emergency Numbers

Emergency

911

Hamden Police Department

48 East Railroad Street
Hamden, OH 45634
Phone: 740-384-5359

McArthur Police Department

124 West Main Street
McArthur, OH 45651
Phone: 740-596-2980
Web: mcarthurpolice@vintoncountyohio.gov

Vinton County EMS

Call 911 for emergencies
31931 State Route 93
McArthur, OH 45651
Phone: 740-596-4122

Vinton County Sheriff

Call 911 for emergencies
106 South Main Street
McArthur, OH 45651
Phone: 740-596-5242

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Children's Services/Parenting

Family & Children First Council

30975 Industrial Park Drive

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-675-2253

Services: Resources for multi system youth (a child who participates in one or more social service programs) ages birth thru 21. Services include team meetings for access to services as well as funding for high need youth for residential treatment, respite, and other assistance not commonly covered by Medicaid.

Help Me Grow

31927 St Rt 93 McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-9705

Services: parent support program that encourages early prenatal and well-baby care, as well as parenting education to promote the health and development of children. Monthly play groups for participants.

Hopewell Health Centers (Vinton Behavioral Health Care Clinic)

313 West Main Street

McArthur, OH

Phone: 740-596-4809

Web: www.hopewellhealth.org

Services: Offering community psychiatric supportive treatment/service coordination-MH and AOD, crisis intervention, individual and group therapy, child and adolescent treatment, pharmacologic management services and medical-assisted treatment.

Integrated Services for Behavioral Health

314 West Main Street

McArthur, OH 45651

740-596-7098

Services: Offering behavioral health services, peer mentoring for individuals who struggle with substance abuse disorder and are involved with Child Protective Services; mental health counseling, substance use support/treatment/counseling; parenting services including supervised visitation, parenting classes, and cribs for kids. We offer housing services including Homeless Crisis Response Program, Shelter Plus Care Program, and Rapid Rehousing Program.

Jackson-Vinton Community Action

118 S New York Street
Wellston, OH 45692
Phone: 740-384-3722

Services: The Family Nurse Navigator assists Medicaid-eligible pregnant women with obtaining local resources. Services are provided by an Ohio Registered Nurse who assists with applying for housing, Medicaid, cash or food assistance, transportation to appointments, ongoing support and education throughout the pregnancy. May assist with making appointments, gaining access to treatment programs, provides safe sleep education, and assists with smoking cessation through the Baby and Me Tobacco Free program. The program offers many incentives such as, diapers, wipes, baby necessities, gas cards for appointments, etc and directing women to other resources available to them at no cost.

Job & Family Services

30975 Industrial Park Drive
McArthur, OH 45651
Phone: 740-672-2250

Services: Cash Assistance, Child Care Assistance, Child Support, Food Assistance, Health Care

The Ohio Buckles Buckeyes (OBB) Program

(offered by Help Me Grow)

Phone: 740-596-9705

Services: Provides child safety seats and booster seats to eligible low-income families in all Ohio counties. The overall goal of this program is to increase the availability of child safety seats for families who could not otherwise afford them and to increase correct installation and proper use of child safety seats

Women, Infant, Children Program (WIC)

31927 St Rt 93 McArthur, OH 45651
Phone: 740-596-4171

Services: Nutrition education/counseling, supplemental foods/infant formula, medical/dietary assessment, referrals to other health/social service agencies

Eligibility: pregnant, breast feeding, recently delivered baby, children 0-5, 185% federal poverty level

Clothing Distribution/Thrift Stores

Dollars & Dimes

123 East Main Street
McArthur, OH 45651
Phone: 740-596-1347

Services: retail thrift store selling clothes and household items

Saint Francis Outreach

404 West South Street
McArthur, OH 45651
Phone: 740-596-5820

Services:

Clothing Center Hours

Tuesday/Thursday- 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. 1ST Wednesday of month: 5:00-7:00 p.m.

McArthur Goodwill Store

574 N Market St
McArthur, OH 45651
Phone: 740-596-5545

Services: retail thrift store selling clothes and household items

Crisis Intervention/Mental Health Services/Counseling

Health Recovery Service, Inc.

320 West Main Street
McArthur, OH
Phone: 740-596-2542
Web: www.hrs.org

Services: Offering prevention, intervention, individual counseling, group counseling, family therapy, residential treatment, medication-assisted treatment, and aftercare and recovery support.

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Web: www.integratedservice.org

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Shepherd's House- Domestic Violence

24/7 Crisis Text Line: 740-541-0127

Phone: 740-596-9271

Services: Emergency domestic violence shelter, domestic violence/sexual assault advocacy center

TASC of Southeast Ohio

31053 Industrial Park Drive

McArthur, OH

Phone: 740-596-9673

Web: www.tascofsoutheastohio.org

Services: Offering assessment, referral, case management, drug testing, transportation, non-intensive outpatient, individual counseling, group counseling, and crisis intervention services.

Developmental Disabilities

Southern Ohio Adventures Recreation (S.O.A.R.)

Street Address: 112 South Main Street

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 198

Hamden, OH 45634

Phone: 740-855-4071

Web: www.facebook.com/SouthernOhioAdventuresRecreationsoar

Services: SOAR provides homemaker personal care in Vinton, Athens, Jackson, Washington, Meigs, Gallia, and Knox Counties. SOAR also provides DayHab, and Vocational services for Vinton, Jackson and Athens Counties.

Vinton County Board of Developmental Disabilities

31835 State Route 93

McArthur, OH 45651

740-596-5515

Web: www.vintondd.org

Facebook: The Vinton County Board of Developmental Disabilities

Services: It is the mission of the Vinton County Board of Developmental Disabilities to ensure the availability of programs, services and supports that assist eligible individuals in choosing and achieving a life of increasing capabilities, to promote safety and health, and to assist and support the families of these individuals in achieving these goals consistent with available program resources

Vinton Industries

31835 State Route 93

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-486-7303

www.vintonindustries.com

Services: Vinton Industries provides dayhab and vocational training services for people in Vinton and Athens Counties with developmental disabilities.

Early Childhood Education

Vinton County Head Start

(part of Jackson Vinton Community Action, Inc.)

31471 State Route 93 (VC Fairgrounds)

McArthur, OH 45651

740-596-4883

Services: Head Start provides educational experiences, health services, parent involvement and social services to give a "head start" to 3-5 year olds and their families.

Employment and Training

Ohio Department of Jobs and Family Services

30975 Industrial Park Drive

McArthur, OH 45651

740-672-2250

Services: Provides employment services for both employer and job seeker, training contracts; access to State Job Data Base

Vinton County ABLE (Adult Basic and Literacy Education)

307 West High Street

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-9861

Services: Provides GED preparation and services; adult literacy, basic skill review

Veteran's Service Office

100 East Main Street

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-4571 ext. 224

Services: Assists filling pension and compensation claims for veterans

Food Services/Pantries

Blessing Boxes

Allensville- located at Allensville Christian Church, in front of West Elementary

Creola- in front of Ebenezer UMC Church

Hamden- located in front of Hamden Post Office

McArthur- in front of Griffith's Law Office/Hammond Insurance

Job and Family Services, Industrial Park Drive

Renovate Life Church- north of McArthur, across from fairgrounds

Wyman Park, near shelter house

Wilkesville- in front of Old Fire Department on Main Street

Website: Facebook: Project Feed-VC

Services: Blessing Boxes are filled with items donated by members of the community. All are welcome to take items that they need, and all are welcome to donate items

C.A.R.E. United Methodist Outreach- in partnership with Saint Francis Outreach

404 West South Street

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-5820

Services:

Food Pantry Hours: (call for exact locations and eligibility)

Tuesday: Ratcliffburg- 9:30-11:00 a.m.

New Plymouth- 1:30-3:00 p.m.

Wednesday: McArthur- 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Thursday: Wilkesville- 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Zaleski- 1:30-3:00 p.m.

Truth Food Pantry

38058 SR 683

Hamden, OH 45634

Phone: 740-384-5227

Services: serves residents in southern portions of Vinton County, including Dundas, Hamden, Ray, Wilkesville, and Allensville. Please bring a photo ID and bill with current mailing address.

Every Friday, 9:00-9:30- meat, bread, other perishable items

Every 3rd Friday, 9:00-12:00- food boxes

Health Agencies/Clinics

Health Recovery Service, Inc.

320 West Main Street

McArthur, OH

Phone: 740-596-2542

Web: www.hrs.org

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Hopewell Health Centers (Vinton Behavioral Health Care Clinic)

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Web: www.hopewellhealth.org

Services: Offering community psychiatric supportive treatment/service coordination-MH and AOD, crisis intervention, individual and group therapy, child and adolescent treatment, pharmacologic management services and medical-assisted treatment.

Hopewell Health Center (McArthur Dental and Primary Care Clinic)

31891 State Route 93

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-5249

Web: www.hopewellhealth.org

Services: full range of dental and primary care services.

Vinton County Health Dept.

31927 State Route 93

McArthur, OH

Phone: 740-596-5233

Web: www.vintonohhealth.org

Services: Offering WIC, Help Me Grow, Home Health, Breast health/feeding education, immunizations, etc, Hepatitis C screening

Home Health Services

Vinton County Home Health Agency

31927 State Route 93

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-4573

Web: www.vintonohhealth.org

Services: provides skilled nursing, IV nursing, physical therapy, personal care, aid, and home health aide services for personal care and homemaking services. Agency accepts most forms of payment/insurance and serves clients in Vinton and Jackson Counties.

Housing/Utilities

Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP)

800-282-0880

Services: provides eligible Ohioans with assistance on home energy bills. This benefit is available once per year, and there are income eligibility requirements.

Metropolitan Housing Authority

310 West High Street

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-5963

Services: Serving low-income families of Vinton County with rental assistance

Sojourners

605 West Main Street

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-1117

Web: www.sojournerscare.net

Services: provides emergency shelter, short term and long-term housing coupled with case management to assist runaway and homeless youth in Southeastern Ohio to move from volatile, unsafe living environments and then transition successfully into adulthood and independence.

Vinton County Development Department

Vinton County Fair Housing

205 South Market Street

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-3529

Services: provides information about tenant and landlord rights, housing repair or rehabilitation, septic system repairs or replacements, small business development

Senior Services

Adult Protective Services (Part of Job & Family Services)

Phone: 740-773-2651

www.caring.com

Phone: 800-973-1540

Services: caring.com is a leading senior care resource for family caregivers seeking information and support as they care for aging parents, spouses and other loved ones.

Vinton County Sr. Citizens Center

31935 State Route 93

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-4706

Services: daily lunches, daily social gatherings, meal delivery, and transportation.

Social Services

American Red Cross

205 South Market Street

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-5963

Services: Provides emergency assistance to individuals and families affected by disaster. Services available 24/7, all services are free of charge except health and safety courses.

Family & Children First Council

30975 Industrial Park Drive
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Jackson-Vinton Community Action

118 South New York Avenue
Wellston, OH 45692
Phone: 740-384-5119

Services: Energy Assistance Programs (PIPP Plus, HEAP, Winter Crisis, Summer Crisis),
Emergency Services Assistance

Nurse Navigator: assists Medicaid-eligible pregnant women with obtaining local resources. Services are provided by an Ohio Registered Nurse who assists with applying for housing, Medicaid, cash or food assistance, transportation to appointments, ongoing support and education throughout the pregnancy. May assist with making appointments, gaining access to treatment programs, provides safe sleep education, and assists with smoking cessation through the Baby and Me Tobacco Free program. The program offers many incentives such as, diapers, wipes, baby necessities, gas cards for appointments, etc and directing women to other resources available to them at no cost.

Job & Family Services

30975 Industrial Park Drive
McArthur, OH 45651
740-672-2250

Services: Cash Assistance, Child Care Assistance, Child Support, Food Assistance, Health Care

The Ohio Benefit Bank

Phone: 1-800-648-1176
www.ohiobenefits.org

Services: Prescriptions assistance, access to tax credits, food assistance, medical coverage, assistance with utilities – trained counselors are available where you live, work, play and pray. Call today to check your eligibility and find a site near you.

Retired Senior Volunteer Program of Vinton County (RSVP)

Phone: 740-596-4706

Services: providing nutritious meals, transportation to doctor appointments, mental health outreach, and much more.

Southeastern Ohio Legal Services

964 East State Street

Athens, OH 45701

Phone: 740-594-3558

Web: www.seols.org

Services: Provides legal assistance without attorney fees to people with low incomes and limited assets.

United Way of Vinton County

Brenda Schauer, Director

PO Box 541

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-979-7777

Email: vinton_county_united_way@yahoo.com

Veteran's Services Office

100 East Main Street

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-4571 ext. 224

Services: Provides financial assistance to eligible veterans, advice and assistance for VA claims, benefits or entitlements; assistance with cost of funerals/burials; employment assistance and transportation.

Transportation

AHOY Transportation

301 East Main Street

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-0536

Jackson Vinton Community Action, Inc

Phone: 740-395-0260

Services: Coordinates rides for Medicaid-eligible individuals for medical appointments and other needs. Provides non-medical transport for a nominal fee.

Quest Express LLC

Phone: 740-596-1950

Services: transportation to scheduled doctor and dental appointments, as well as medical supply and prescription pick-ups. Ohio Medicaid required to qualify for services.

Victim's Advocacy

Survivor Advocacy Outreach Program

Phone: 740-331-0043

24/7 Crisis Hotline: 888-597-7627

Web: www.saopseoh.org

Social Media: twitter.com/saopseoh facebook.com/SAOPSEOH

Services: Rape crisis center serving several counties in SE Ohio, including Vinton. Provides confidential services including: transportation, referrals for community resources and mental health counseling, advocacy and accompaniment to medical and legal appointments, assistance with making compensation claims.

Vinton County Prosecutor's Office

100 East Main Street

McArthur, OH 45651

Phone: 740-596-5583

Services: Victim's advocate assists individuals who have been the victims of crimes through education, assistance with court processes, restitution and/or compensation, referrals to outside service providers for counseling, etc.

Federal Income Guidelines

Some agencies and organizations will use federal income guidelines to decide if a person can receive their services. You can use this chart to see where your income falls, but always call an agency or organization directly to see if you can receive help from them- not all agencies or organizations have income guidelines.

Federal Poverty Guidelines- 100%

Household Size	Annual	Monthly	Twice-Monthly	Bi-Weekly	Weekly
1	\$12,140	\$1,012	\$506	\$467	\$234
2	16,640	1,372	686	634	317
3	20,780	1,732	866	800	400
4	25,100	2,092	1,046	966	483
5	29,420	2,452	1,226	1,132	566
6	33,740	2,812	1,406	1,298	649
7	38,060	3,172	1,586	1,464	732
8	42,380	3,532	1,766	1,630	815
Each add'l member	4,320	360	180	167	84

Federal Poverty Guidelines- 185%

Household Size	Annual	Monthly	Twice- Monthly	Bi-Weekly	Weekly
1	\$22459	\$1,872	\$936	\$864	\$432
2	30,451	2,538	1,269	1,172	586
3	38,443	3,204	1,602	1,479	740
4	46,435	3,870	1,935	1,786	893
5	54,427	4,536	2,268	2,094	1,047
6	62,419	5,202	2,601	2,401	1,201
7	70,411	5,868	2,934	2,709	1,355
8	78,403	6,534	3,267	3,016	1,508
Each add'l member	7992	668	333	308	154

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

Do I need to have any special documents?

Many agencies and organizations will ask you for proof of identity, proof of income, and proof of residency. If you aren't sure what you might need to provide or what counts as proof, always ask!

Examples of proof of income: pay stub, tax return, W-2, Social Security benefits letter, Unemployment Benefits letter

Examples of proof of identity: driver's license, state-issued ID card, birth certificate, valid passport

Examples of proof of residency: lease agreement/property deed, utility bill, phone bill, bank statement

How quickly will I receive help?

Some agencies and organizations are able to help you right away. Other agencies may have an application process or might need to call around to find the resources you need, and this could take several days.

Other helpful information:

- Write down the date and time you call, as well as the names of anyone you speak to. Write down notes that help you remember what you asked and what answers they give.
- If you are confused by a term or a word that an agency uses, ask them to explain. Employees might sometimes use words that are common for their agency, but don't make sense to other people!