



2022 TRI-COUNTY KENTUCKY UNITED WAY RESOURCE DIRECTORY

Tri-County Kentucky United Way is sharing these resources as information and referral only. Resources were up to date, to the best of our knowledge, at the end of 2021. United Way is not responsible, nor does it necessarily endorse, services listed.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE (RENT/UTILITIES/HEALTHCARE/MEDICAID/ETC.)

Child Care Assistance Program

Website. <https://benefind.ky.gov>

Services. Offers assistance to working families for Child Care services. Call for child care programs by county.

Community Action

Website. www.ckcac.org

Services. Provides emergency rental, mortgage, and/or utility payment assistance, Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LiHeap), winter care assistance, food, homeless assistance, Federal Emergency Management (FEMA), holiday giving, etc. Call the local office for assistance.

Marion 270-692-6411

marionca@ckcac.org

Nelson 502-348-9596

nelsonca@ckcac.org

Washington 859-336-7766

washingtonca@ckcac.org

Kentucky Utilities Heating Assistance Program.

Services. Eligible Kentucky Utility customers will receive an \$88 credit on their electric bill during the seven months of expected highest electricity usage.

Eligibility. Must be a Kentucky Utility customer, have an application for LiHeap Subsidy, and keep bills current (not going into disconnect).

Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

Marion County Community Action, 334 Hood Avenue in Lebanon

270-692-6411

Nelson County Community Action, 219 East Muir Avenue (rear entrance) in Bardstow

502-348-9596

Washington County Community Action, 114 South Doctor Street in Springfield

859-336-7766

Website. www.ckcac.org/services/home-energy-assistance/liheap/

Services. Can offer relief to low-income residents on their home heating and cooling costs.

Weatherization Program

270-259-0021

Website. www.ckcac.org/services/home-energy-assistance/weatherization-assistance-program/

Services. Works to reduce energy waste and assure the health and safety of each client served. Trained technicians help qualifying low-income families improve the overall energy efficiency of their homes, saving money and enhancing the quality of life for residents in Marion, Nelson and Washington Counties. Applications can be obtained at local Community Action offices (see above).

Department of Public Assistance

Website. <https://kentucky.gov/health>

Services. Offers information on assistance programming such as SNAP (food stamps), K-TAP, Medicaid.



Department of Community Based Services (DCBS)

Hotline 855-306-8959

Website. www.chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dcbs and/or www.benefind.ky.gov (public benefits)

Services. Provides family support, child care, child and adult protection; eligibility determinations for Medicaid and food benefits; and administration of an energy cost-assistance program. Administers state foster care and adoption systems and recruits and trains parents to care for the state's children who are waiting for a permanent home. Provides services to enhance the self-sufficiency of families; improves safety and permanency for children and vulnerable adults; and engage families and community partners in a collaborative decision-making process. Provides food stamps, financial aid to families with dependent children, medical cards, social services, child care, etc. Local DCBS offices for financial support (see Child Abuse for phone numbers for this service):

Marion County at 634 West Main Street in Lebanon

855-306-8959

Nelson County at 901 Atkinson Hill in Bardstown

855-306-8959

Washington County at 803 Bel Vista Drive, #1 in Springfield

855-306-8959

Humana Healthy Horizons

1-800-444-9137

Website. www.humana.com/kentuckycare

Services. Offers statewide Medicaid Health Insurance Plan. Provides portable crib as a Moms First benefit; cell phone service; doula (birth companion) services before, during and after a pregnancy; and no copayments or cost share on all services. **Eligibility.** Families and individuals who have income and resources within established guidelines. Resources only apply to the aged, blind, or disabled population with the established guidelines.

Kentucky Health Benefit Exchange

800-635-2570

Website. <https://benefind.ky.gov>

502-536-0198 or 855-459-6328

Services. Assists individuals who need special healthcare coverage during the pandemic. Coverage is temporary and ends 2 months after the application month, unless you submit an application for regular Medicaid. Application Assistants can help you and your family submit an application for temporary Medicaid over the phone at no cost. For a listing of participating medical providers, visit the Kentucky Medicaid Provider Directory online.

Kentucky Health Care Access Line

800-633-8100

Kentucky Integrated Health Insurance Premium Payments Program (KI-HIPP)

Website. <https://benefind.ky.gov>

Services. Offers employees reimbursement for premiums paid for employer-sponsored health insurance, including Retiree Health/COBRA/United Mine Workers Insurance, if found cost-effective to the Commonwealth.

Kentucky Transitional Assistance Program (KTAP)

Website. <https://benefind.ky.gov>

Services. Provides cash assistance to families with children basic needs such as rent, utilities, etc.

Legal Aid Society

(502) 584-1254 or (800) 292-1862

Website. www.yourlegalaid.org

Services. Can work with tenants and homeowners on eviction prevention and defense, as well as foreclosures.

Marion County Community Service Center

270-692-4748

Located in the basement of the First Christian Church.

Services. Provides utility assistance to needy individuals.



Medicaid

855-459-6328

Website. www.benefind.ky.gov or www.healthbenefitexchange.ky.gov

Services. Provides healthcare for eligible individuals. Offers services directed at specific eligibility and medical needs. For a listing of participating medical providers, please access the Kentucky Medicaid Provider Directory. You can also contact your local Department for Community Based Services at the numbers below:

Marion County – 634 West Main Street in Lebanon **270-692-6036**

Nelson County – 901 Atkinson Hill in Bardstown **855-306-8959**

Washington County – 803 Bel Vista Drive in Springfield **855-306-8959**

Eligibility. Dependent on family size, income, and federal poverty level. Eligibility for Supplemental Security Income recipients, the aged, blind, and disabled are based on additional requirements.

Nelson County Community Clinic, Inc.

502-349-5990

nccc@bardstown.com

Website. www.nelsoncommclinic.org

300 West John Fitch Avenue, Suite 200, Bardstown KY 40004

Services: Provides medical (visits, lab testing), dental (exams, cleaning, extractions, minor restoration, partials and dentures-patient is responsible for ½ the cost of a set of dentures and the Clinic pays the other ½), prescription assistance and vision care (exams and eye glasses), as well as Medicare benefits counseling. All services are at no cost to the patient. Medical staff also provides education on Diabetes to patients.

Eligibility: Serves the working or medically disabled adult residents of Nelson County who are low-income (200% federal poverty level) and the uninsured /underinsured. Medicare benefits counseling service is for all Nelson County residents regardless of income.

Office for the Blind

270-766-5126

233 Ring Road, Suite 100 in Elizabethtown

Services. Medical evaluation, counseling, surgery, guidance, visual aids, and employment assistance. **Eligibility.** Individuals who are blind or visually impaired in Marion, Nelson, and Washington counties (and others).

Pandemic Electronic Benefit Transfer (P-EBT)

855-306-8959 (select Healthcare & Food Benefits option)

Website. www.chfs.ky.gov

Services. Provides benefits to households with children eligible for free or reduced-price school meals through the USDA National School Lunch Program during the Covid-19 response. Provides a benefits card that families can use to replace school meals. For households receiving SNAP benefits, P-EBT benefits will be added to existing EBT card. For those not receiving SNAP, a card will be mailed to the home address for each eligible child.

Eligibility. Students who attend public or private schools offering National School Lunch Program who qualify for free or reduced-price meals are eligible if students were/are enrolled in a virtual or hybrid learning model, as verified by their school district. No application is required. Eligible students are automatically approved.

Protect My Kentucky Home Mortgage Assistance

866-830-7868

Salvation Army

502-583-5391

Website. www.salvationarmy.org/KY

Services. Disaster Services, Emergency Shelter, Casework, Food Pantry, and Residential Camping Activities



Social Security Administration

591 Westport Road in Elizabethtown
101 Hiestand Farm Road in Campbellsville

Website. www.ssa.gov

Services. Apply for Social Security Insurance, Social Security Disability Insurance, Medicare, Social Security card

toll-free 800-772-1213
866-596-7123
877-828-1695

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) (formerly food stamps)

855-306-8959

Website. <https://benefind.ky.gov/>

Services. Helps individuals and families stretch their food budget and buy healthy foods. Helps people with little or no money buy food for healthy meals at participating stores. Call the local Department of Community Based Services office (see above) to apply in person or complete, print the hardcopy of the application from the Benefind website, and mail it to DCBS, P.O. Box 2104, Frankfort, KY 40602. **Eligibility.** Any household meeting basic income and other requirements may be able to receive SNAP benefits.

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Passport Health Plan

502-536-0198

During the pandemic, individuals who need special health coverage, should contact a Passport Application Assister. Coverage is temporary and ended on June 30, 2020, unless you submitted an application for regular Medicaid. Application Assisters can help an individual and family submit an application for temporary Medicaid over the phone at no cost. This is available in Marion, Nelson, and Washington Counties.

Salvation Army of Nelson County

Services. Provides financial assistance to individuals, families, and children in need, as well as those in emergency situations. Email for more information at westrupa@bellsouth.net.

St. Vincent de Paul in Bardstown – Client Assistance

118 East Broadway in Bardstown

Services. Emergency rent, gas and utility assistance is available, Monday through Thursday. Income guidelines apply. Make an appointment by calling 502-348-9752, option 4. If no answer, leave a message. **Eligibility.** Nelson County residents. Other services by St. Vincent de Paul:

- **The Mission Store** is located at 310 North Second Street in Bardstown. Call **502-348-9752 x103** for more information.
- See “Food” category of guide for information on the **Bread for Life Food Pantry** services.

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

855-306-8959

502-348-9752, ext. 101
Website. www.svdpbard.org



University of Kentucky Targeted Assessment Program

Services. Provides free comprehensive assessments and support services to fully capture any barriers to self-sufficiency. Collaborate with other systems to engage participants in evidenced-based interventions. **Eligibility.** Nelson County Adult with a dependent child under the age of 18 in their custody or plan to still reunify the child; suspected or confirmed barrier in one or more of the following areas: mental health, substance abuse, intimate partner violence, learning issues, or other barriers to self-sufficiency (i.e. housing, employment, transportation); 200% or below the poverty guidelines; and not a perpetrator of intimate partner violence or sexual abuse.

WIC (Women, Infants, and Children) Program (through the Lincoln Trail District Health Departments)

Website. www.ltdhd.org.

Services. Provides nutrition counseling and education, supplemental foods, breastfeeding promotion and support, and referrals to health care. **Eligibility.** Pregnant, breastfeeding and/or postpartum women with baby or child under 5 years old. Local offices:

Marion County Health Department is located at **516 North Spalding Avenue in Lebanon.** **270-692-3393**
Nelson County Health Department is located at **325 South Third Street in Bardstown.** **502.348-3222**
Washington County Health Department is located at **302 East Main Street in Springfield.** **859-336-3989**

TAX PREPARATION

Green River Asset Building Coalition, Inc. **270-685-1603**

Facebook Page. [Facebook.com/greenriverassetbuilding/posts/10157626711103740](https://www.facebook.com/greenriverassetbuilding/posts/10157626711103740).

Services. Assists with income tax preparation.

Legal Aid Society **502-614-3190**

Services. Provides taxpayer clinic that helps with tax disputes, issues, etc. They do not do tax preparation/filings.

Louisville Asset Building Coalition **502-305-0005**

Website. www.labcservices.org

Services. Assists with income tax preparation.