COMMUNITY RESOURCE GUIDE

TRiO Student Support Services
Missouri State University

“Promoting Educational Success”
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The following list encompasses months of research in preparation to developing a catalog that reflects the vast array of services available in the Springfield, MO area. This information was compiled from the many contacts that TRiO staff and students have made in the community.

Effective July 20, 2013, all of the phone numbers and addresses are accurate. However, as you know, the community resources can change rapidly, so that updates will be done to this database on a regular basis. When using this catalog it would be beneficial if you called and verified the address and any other pertinent information as still being current.

This catalog was developed by Sandra Hart, M.A. and edited in 2013 by Vivian Elliott MSW, TRiO Student Support Services. If you have additions or corrections, please call (417) 836-6220, or email trio@missouristate.edu Please duplicate and use this at will.
HOUSING & RENTAL ASSISTANCE
| **Affordable Housing Action Board** | 430 East Barker Blvd.  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 865-4055 |
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| **American Red Cross** | 1545 North West Bypass  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 832-9500 |
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<td><strong>What:</strong> Assists with hotel vouchers for house fires and disaster relief.</td>
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| **Center City Outreach** | 418 South Kimbrough  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 869-2865 |
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<td><strong>What:</strong> Food pantry, clothing, rent, utilities, gas vouchers</td>
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<td><strong>Requirements:</strong> Must living in the 65806 zip code</td>
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| **City Planning and Development** | 840 Boonville Ave.  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 864-1031 |
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<td><strong>What:</strong> Low Income housing</td>
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| **Craigmont Place** | 2006 W. Harrison St.  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 866-0806 |
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| **Fair Housing Complaint** | 840 Boonville Ave.  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 864-1000 |
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<td><strong>What:</strong> The Commission investigates alleged incidents of discrimination and tries to mediate settlements between affected parties.</td>
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| **Glenwood Manor Apartments**  
2540 North Delaware  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 864-7666 |
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| **Housing Authority of Republic**  
621 North Boston #24  
Republic, MO  
(417) 732-7260 |
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| **Housing Authority of Springfield**  
421 W. Madison Street (Located in the ground floor of Madison Towers)  
Springfield, MO 65806  
(417) 866-4329  
M, T, Th, F 8:00 am to 5:00 pm W 10:00 am to 5:00 pm |
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<td><strong>What:</strong> Assist with rental assistance. This includes the Public Housing and Section 8 Programs...</td>
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| **Isabel’s House**  
2750 W. Bennett St.  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 865-2273 |
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<td><strong>What:</strong> Free crisis nursery for ages 12 and under. Provides crisis shelter for babies and children whose families are in crisis.</td>
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| **Missouri Hotel**  
429 East Commercial Street  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 837-1540 |
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<td><strong>What:</strong> Emergency shelter for women over 18 and their children</td>
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| **One Door Resources**  
420 East Pacific  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 225-7499 |
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| **Hours of Operation:** Monday through Friday (Closed Wednesdays) 9 am – 4:30 pm  
**What:** If you are at risk of becoming homeless or currently without a safe, stable place to stay.. One of the One Door service coordinators will meet with you to help identify options that may meet your individual needs. |
Ozarks Area Community Action Corporation (OACAC)
215 S. Barnes Avenue
Springfield, MO
(417) 862-4314

What: Provides financial assistance by making rent subsidy payments to a landlord. Cover a 10 county area.

Rent Rebate
Missouri Department of Revenue
Taxpayer Services
149 Park Central Square
Springfield, MO 65806
(417) 895-6474
www.dor.mo.gov

What: Provide income tax relief in the form of a property tax refund on your income tax.

Services: The federal government will provide a 20% refund for rent paid during one year. The first time you apply for assistance, you’re eligible to receive a refund for the last 3 years. Follow the guidelines for qualifications and verification and take the information to the Department of Revenue and they will help you to complete the application process.

Eligibility: You must have documentation of a disability, receive social security income, or be a veteran who is disabled as a result of being on active duty and pay rent at the stated property. Additionally, single-family income must not exceed $27,500 or $29,500 for married family income.

Ronald McDonald House
949 East Primrose
Springfield, MO
(417) 886-0225

What: For families with children who are hospitalized from birth to age 21

The Salvation Army
1707 W. Chestnut Expressway
Springfield, MO 65802
Case Manager: Carol Roe
(417) 862-5509

What: They provide rental assistance. Financial assistance is given for emergency situations only. Each case is weighed on its own merit, since funding is limited.

Victory Mission
1715 N. Booneville (2nd Floor)
Springfield, MO
(417) 831-6387

What: Provides residential shelter and programs, food, clothes and the Victory Mission Culinary Trade School for men.
Weatherization Program (An OACAC Project)
215 S. Barnes Avenue
Springfield, MO 65802
(417) 862-4314

What: Weatherization of homes to make them more energy efficient.

Women in Need of the Ozarks
PO Box 4626
Springfield, MO 65808
(417) 234-7338

What: For single working women with children only. Rent, Utilities etc.
FOOD & CLOTHING ASSISTANCE

All places require Photo ID, S.S.N & Proof of Income
Bill’s Place
424 E. Commercial
Springfield, MO
(417) 761-5520

What: Serves Lunch at 10:30 a.m. Monday through Friday, day shelter, outreach and case management to those who have a mental illness

Center City Outreach
418 South Kimbrough
Springfield, MO
(417) 869-2865

What: Food Pantry Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Central Assembly of God
1301 N. Booneville
Springfield, MO
(417) 866-5219

What: Food Pantry 2nd Saturday 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Christ Church Unity
2214 East Seminole
Springfield, MO
(417) 887-2214

What: Food Pantry Monday – Thursday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Crosslines
615 North Glenstone
Springfield, MO
(417) 869-0563

What: Food Pantry Monday through Friday 9 am to 1:45 pm

Verification: Provide social security cards for every member of the family, referral from WIC for prenatal vitamins, current Medicaid cards for child vitamins, and all persons seeking assistance must meet the Missouri food assistance guidelines.

Cost: Clothing cards, which allow you to get free clothing, cost $1.00 per month. Otherwise, all services are free of charge.

Dayspring Christian Fellowship
2157 N. Prospect Avenue
Springfield, MO
(417) 864-4338

What: Food Pantry Thursday 9 am to 2:45 pm
Division of Family Services
101 Park Central Square (or your local office)
Springfield, MO
(417) 895-6000
What: Provide food stamp benefits to purchase groceries only.

Eligibility: A person does not have to be on public assistance to receive food stamps. An individual can have a job and be eligible (U.S. citizens, refugees, or eligible immigrants). For example, working families, single parents, and full-time students working part-time and disabled individuals who need some type of assistance to stretch their monthly income.

Grand Oaks Baptist Mission Center
2854 W. Grand St.
Springfield, MO
(417) 869-4818
What: Food Pantry Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, between 9:00 – 11:30, and 1:00 – 2:30

Verification: Social security card for each member of your family, photo ID, and mail that is current with your address on it as proof of residency.

Immaculate Conception Church
3555 S. Fremont
Springfield, MO
(417) 887-0600
www.parishesonline.com
What: Assist with food and clothing Monday and Thursday by appointment only.

Verification: Social security card for each member of your family, photo ID, WIC card for children, if no WIC card

Oak Grove Assembly of God
1320 South Oak Grove Ave
Springfield, MO
(417) 881-6528
What: Receive a bag of non-perishable groceries

Verification: No identification required

Salvation Army
1707 W. Chestnut Expy.
Springfield, MO 65802
(417) 862-5509
www.usc.salvationarmy.org
What: Assist with food Monday – Friday, 9:30 – 12:00 & 1:00 – 3:30 pm. USDA Commodities available 2nd Wednesday monthly, January through November.
Southwest Missouri Indian Center
543 S. Scenic Avenue
Springfield, MO
(417) 869-9550

What: Assists emergency food and clothing, with referrals for rent and utility assistance, urban transitioning, classroom education programs, job training and placement.

St. Joseph Catholic Church
1115 North Campbell
Springfield, MO
(417) 865-1112

What: Food Pantry Tuesday and Thursday 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

The Kitchen
420 E. Blaine ST.
Springfield, MO 65803
(417) 837-1500
www.thekitcheninc.org

What: Provides housing, furniture, food, and medical services.

Veterans Coming Home
806 North Jefferson
Springfield, MO
(417) 866-3363

What: Day shelter, provides light meals and a clothing bank

Victory Mission
1715 N. Booneville (2nd Floor)
Springfield, MO
(417) 831-6387

What: Provides residential shelter and programs, food, clothes and the Victory Mission Culinary Trade School for men.

Victory Mission
200 W. Commercial St.
Springfield, MO 65803
(417) 831-6387

What: Dinner is served at the Cook’s Kettle, located on the corner of Commercial St. and Booneville Avenue. The dinner is available to those who attend a chapel service before dinner. Monday through Friday chapel service begins at 6:00 PM until 7:00 PM with dinner following, Saturday chapel service begins at 5:00 PM until 6:00 PM with dinner following. Dinner is served every day except Sundays and Holidays. No verification needed all are eligible. Free.
Women, Infants & Children Nutritional Program (WIC)
290 E. Central
Springfield, MO
(417) 864-1079

What: Women, Infants and Children (WIC) is a special supplemental nutrition program.

Service: Provides services to pregnant women, new mothers, infants and children up to their 5th birthday based on nutritional risk and income eligibility. The primary services provided are health screening, risk assessment, nutrition education and counseling, breastfeeding promotion and referrals to health care. Supplemental food is provided at no cost to participants.

Eligibility: Participant eligibility is based on three things, category, income, and nutritional risk.
UTILITIES ASSISTANCE
Missouri Gas Energy
A Southern Union Company
207 W. Pine Street
Monett, MO 65708
(800) 582-1234
What: Offers a wide range of payment, budgeting, and energy assistance to customers.

Eligibility: Must be a customer of Missouri Gas Energy.

Missouri Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
Ozarks Area Community Action Corporation (OACAC)
215 S. Barnes Avenue
Springfield, MO 65802
(417) 862-4314
What: LIHEAP is a program under the Division of Family Services instituted to help low income households with their energy bill payment difficulties.

Telephone Assistance Programs for Low Income Households
Lifeline and Link up Information for AT&T Customers in Missouri
What: Lifeline and Link Up is a government program available by all government approved telephone companies in every state.

Eligibility: Must be a participant of the following programs:

- Federal Public Housing Assistance/Section 8
- Food Stamps
- Medicaid
- Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- National School Lunch (free program only)
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
- Additional eligibility criteria may apply to residents of the federally recognized tribal lands

Link up helps household reduce the cost of initiation the telephone service. This program pays some of the cost of connection local telephone service to your home or activating wireless phone service. This program pays some of the cost of connection local telephone service to your home or activating wireless phone service. However, Link Up does not cover the cost of wiring inside of your home. If you qualify for Lifeline you qualify for Link Up.

To apply for Link Up you will follow the same application process as Lifeline and the same proof of eligibility as Lifeline. Being a member of the above services does not protect you from being disconnected if you fail to pay your telephone bill. Neither discount can be applied to an outstanding balance owed to your phone company. Lifeline can only be applied to one wireless OR wire line telephone per household.
HEALTH/MEDICAL & WELLNESS ASSISTANCE
AIDS Project of the Ozarks, Inc. (APO)
1901 E. Bennett Street, Suite D
Springfield, MO 65804
(417) 881-1900
www.aidsprojectoftheozarks.org

**What:** APO is an organization dedicated to helping those with HIV and AIDS.

**Services:** Provides primary medical care financial assistance for those infected with the HIV-virus and AIDS and their families. All clients are approved with a caseworker that will see them through the process of obtaining needed services. APO offers immune system monitoring and HIV antibody testing. Additionally, the AIDS Project has a resource library full of current information and provides public education and a referral service for AIDS support groups.

Burrell Behavioral Health
1342 South Primrose Street
Springfield, MO
(417) 269-0300 65807

**What:** A mental and substance abuse facility.

Forest Institute
1322 South Campbell St.
Springfield, MO 65807
(417) 865-8943
www.forest.edu

**What:** Mental health facility.

**Services:** Determined by client’s needs, outpatient services only, short and long term care.

Cox Health Care System
Cox South
3801 S. National Avenue
Springfield, MO 65807

Cox North
1423 N. Jefferson
Springfield, MO 65802

**What:** Cox Health is a three-hospital organization with more than 50 physician clinics in the region

Free Indigent Prescriptions
PHARMA – Prescription Assistance Booklet
1100 Fifteenth Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005
www.rxassist.org

**What:** RxAssist is a pharmaceutical access information center created by Volunteers in Health Care (VIH).

Jordan Valley Community Health Center
Kearney Medical Center
630 W. Kearney St
Springfield, MO 65803
(417) 831-0150

Jordan Valley Community Health Center
6318 Benton St
Springfield, MO 65803
(417) 831-0150

**What:** Provide medical assistance for the community.
### Ozarks Technical Community College (OTC)

Dental Hygiene Clinic  
815 North Sherman  
Lincoln Hall  
Springfield, MO 65802  
(417) 895-1312  
www.otc.edu

**What:** OTC Dental Hygiene Clinic provides services to the public.

### Planned Parenthood

626 E. Battlefield  
Springfield, MO 65807  
(417) 883-3800  
http://www.plannedparenthood.org/

**What:** To provide comprehensive reproductive and complementary health care services in settings which preserve and protect the essential privacy rights of each individual.

### Poison Control Center

1432 N Jefferson Avenue  
Springfield, MO 65807  
(800) 366-8888  
www.aapcc.org

**What:** The Poison Help hotline provides immediate access to poison exposure management instructions and information on potential poisons.

### Springfield-Greene County Health Department

227 E. Chestnut Expressway  
Springfield, MO 65802-3881  
(417) 864-1658  
www.ci.springfield.mo.us/health

**What:** Provide a variety of health and wellness assistance for people with low income in Greene County.

### Mercy Health System

1235 E. Cherokee  
Springfield, MO 65804  
(417) 820-2000

**What:** Hospital

### The Kitchen Clinic

1630 North Jefferson  
Springfield, MO 65803  
(417) 837-1504

**What:** Clinic Medical and Dental Assistance
Mental Health Resources
Burrell Behavioral Health
1300 Bradford Parkway
Springfield, MO
(417) 761-5555 or (417) 761-5000

What: Services and resources for those who have a mental illness

Center City Counseling Clinic
Missouri State University
240 South Ave
Springfield, MO
(417) 836-3215

What: Free and low cost counseling services

Compassionate Friends
2353 South Campbell Ave
Springfield, MO
(417) 887-7089

What: For parents who have experienced the death of a child

Lakeland Behavioral Health System
440 South Market St.
Springfield, MO
(417) 865-5581

What: A Psychiatric facility for children and youth

Lakes Country Rehabilitation
2626 W. College Street Road
PO Box 1277
Springfield, MO 65801-1277
(417) 862-1753
http://www.lakescountry.org

What: A human services organization that assists people who have functional limitations, educational or employment disadvantages and other barriers to living productive lives.

Lost and Found
A Place for Hope through Grieving
1006 Cedarbrook
Springfield, MO
(417) 865-9998

What: Grief support services for children and adolescents
Missouri Department of Mental Health
1515 East Pythian
PO Box 5030
Springfield, MO
(417) 895-7400

What: They provide counseling and testing for all MSU students

MSU Counseling & Testing Center
Carrington Hall 311
901 S. National Avenue
Springfield, MO 65804
(417) 836-5116

What: They provide counseling and testing for all MSU students

National Alliance Mental Illness (N.A.M.I.)
1701 South Campbell
Springfield, MO
(417) 864-7119

What: Support for those who have a mental illness

Ozarks Counseling Center
1550 E. Battlefield, Suite A
Springfield, MO 65804

What: Counseling service

Springfield Regional Office
1515 East Pythian
Springfield, MO
(417) 895-7400

What: Serves as protective oversight for those who have a mental illness or are disabled

The Murney Clinic at Forest Institute
1322 South Campbell Ave
Springfield, MO
(417) 865-8943

What: Counseling Services

The Victim Center
1041 E. Walnut
Springfield, Mo 65806
(417) 863-7273
(417) 864-7233, 24 Hour Crisis Hotline

What: Community organization that offer support to victims of crimes
Substance Abuse Resources
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<td>Alanon/Alateen</td>
<td>321 East Sunshine Street</td>
<td>(417) 885-9114</td>
<td>Information and support for family and friends of an alcoholic</td>
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<td>Alcoholics Anonymous</td>
<td>1031 East Battlefield St.</td>
<td>(417) 823-7125</td>
<td>Education and peer support groups for living substance abuse free</td>
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<td>Alpha House</td>
<td>2300 East Division</td>
<td>(417) 831-3033</td>
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<td>Carol Jones/A.O. Treatment Center</td>
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<td>(417) 862-3455</td>
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<td>1423 North Jefferson</td>
<td>(417) 269-2273</td>
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<td>D.R.D. Springfield Medical Clinic</td>
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<td>(417) 865-8045</td>
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<td>800 South Park Ave</td>
<td>1016 West Battlefield</td>
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**What:** Call for treatment information

**Dayspring Christian Hand Extend Outreach**

**Higher Ground Recovery**

**Oxford House**

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**Reformers Unanimous**

**Sigma House of Springfield**

**What:** Access to recovery, Christian faith based support for those who have a substance abuse addiction

**What:** Sober living for women. $200 deposit, $80 a month

**What:** Sober living for men. $200 deposit $80 a month

**What:** Christian faith-based program. Recovery and support for substance abuse

**What:** Substance Abuse rehabilitation for men and women. Inpatient and Outpatient
Victory Circle Peer Support
2101 West Chestnut Expressway
Springfield, MO
(417) 862-1440
JOB/CAREER & EDUCATION
City of Springfield
Current Job Openings
http://www.ci.springfield.mo.us/business/jobs/city.jsp

What: A listing of current job openings with full descriptions in the city of Springfield, MO.

Service: Assisting those whose are interested in job opportunities also includes a list of Springfield major employers as well as a search engine for area job searches.

Eligibility: Fulfillment of job description qualifications.

Verification: Dependent on fulfillment of job

Developmental Center of the Ozarks (DCO)
1545 E. Pythian
Springfield, MO 65802
(417) 831-1545

What: The Developmental Center of the Ozarks provides a wide range of educational and therapeutic services to infants, children, and adults with developmental disabilities. Services may include therapy; infant and early childcare, early education, adult community services, adult day care, and supported employment.

Labor Ready
1825 E. Cherry St.
Springfield, MO 65802
(417) 889-1996
(417) 899-4774 FAX

What: An employment service.

Missouri Career Center
1514 S. Glenstone Avenue
Springfield, MO 65806
(417) 887-4343

What: An employment service.

Penmac
447 South Avenue
(417) 831-9100
Springfield, MO
www.penmac.com

What: Temporary job placement.

Eligibility: Varies with job.

Verification: Varies with job.
Springfield Sheltered Workshop
2835 W. Bennett
Springfield, MO 65802
(417) 866-2339
www.springfieldworkshop.com

What: Springfield Workshop, Inc. (SWI) is a private not-for-profit corporation operating a sheltered workshop for Springfield and Greene County.

The Learning Disability Association of the Ozarks
1942 E. Meadowmere # 104
Springfield, MO 65808
(417) 882-2008
www.ldaozarks.com

What: The Learning Disabilities Association of the Ozarks is a non-profit organization of individuals with learning disabilities, their families, and professionals dedicated to enhancing the quality of life for all individuals through awareness, advocacy, support, and education.

Vocational Rehabilitation
819 N. Boonville Avenue
Springfield, MO 65802
(417) 895-5863

2555-Q S. Campbell Avenue
Springfield, MO 65802
(417) 895-5863

What: This program designed to help individuals with physical and/or mental impairment(s) obtain employment provided as part of the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education and is supported by federal and state funds.
COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUPS/AGENCIES
AIDS Project of the Ozarks
303 Park Central West
Springfield, MO
(417) 881-1900


American Legion Vietnam War Memorial Post 639
2660 S. Scenic Ave
Springfield, MO
(417) 882-8639

What: Promotes the interests of veterans

American Legion Post 69
149 Memorial Plazas
Springfield, MO
(417) 862-6641

What: Promotes the interests of veterans

Big Brothers/Big Sisters
3372 W Battlefield St
Springfield, MO 65807
(417) 889-9136

What: Matches dependable, caring adult volunteers with at risk-children growing up in single-parent homes, for role modeling, friendship, and tutoring.

Boys and Girls Club
Henderson Unit, 1300 Boonville, 65802, (417) 869-4333
Kynion Unit, 1381 E. Division, 65803 (417) 865-2821
Musgrave Unit, 720 S. Park, 65802 (417) 869-8211

What: A youth service organization.

Boy Scouts of America, Ozark Trails Council
1616 S. Eastgate Avenue
Springfield, MO 65809
(417) 883-1636

What: A youth service organization.
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<td>300 E. Harrison</td>
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<td>(417) 869-2844</td>
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<td>518 East Commercial St</td>
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<td>(417) 869-3978</td>
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<td><strong>What:</strong> Increase public understand an appreciation of LGBTQ citizens in the Ozarks</td>
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<td>(417) 833-9879</td>
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<td><strong>What:</strong> Serves vision needs for those in need. Provides services for the blind.</td>
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<td>(417) 864-1038</td>
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<td><strong>What:</strong> Provide every person in Springfield, MO equal opportunities</td>
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<th><strong>Missouri Veterans Commission</strong></th>
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<td>1410 South Kansas Expressway Suite 115</td>
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<td>(417) 895-6532</td>
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<td><strong>What:</strong> Serves to file claims for V.A., disability, pension benefits, etc.</td>
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<td>(417) 889-7452</td>
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<td><strong>What:</strong> Serves Veterans in the D&gt;V&gt; 214 application process</td>
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Ozarks Area Association for the Blind
1600 N. Washington Avenue
Springfield, MO 65803
(417) 869-9011

What: Provides services for the blind and visually impaired including support groups, teaching of Braille and other independent living skills, social and recreational activities.

P.F.L.A.G. of the Ozarks
PFLAGoftheOZARKS@gmail.com
(417) 350-5300

What: Support for Parents, Families & Friends of Lesbians & Gays.

Shapes Mentoring Program
3728 W. Chestnut Expressway
Springfield, MO 65802
(417) 864

What: A youth service program for children who have a parent who is incarcerated

SPARC
Springfield Green County Park Board
Jenny Lincoln Center
300 E. Harrison
(417) 837-5737

What: SPARC is a partnership between the Springfield-Greene County Park Board and Springfield Public Schools,

Springfield Public Schools Parents as Teachers
237 S. Florence Avenue
Springfield, MO 65806
(417) 895-2015
springfieldpublicschoolsmo.org

What: The Parents as Teachers program is designed to educate parents on what it is like to be a teacher, and to get them involved in their child’s education.

Springfield Veterans Center
3616 South Campbell Ave
Springfield, MO
(417) 881-4197

What: Counseling services for veterans, info for benefits, etc.
Southwest Center for Independent Living
2864 S Nettleton Ave
Springfield, MO 65807
(417) 886-1188

What: Provides services and advocacy for persons with disabilities.

The Victim Center
943 N. Boonville
Springfield, MO 65802
(417) 863-7273
Hotline: (417) 864-SAFE or 864-7233 TTY: 863-1074

What: The Victim Center provides education services as well as counseling services for those who have been victimized.
Childcare Resources and Referrals
Boys and Girls Club
Henderson Unit, 1300 Boonville, 65802, (417) 869-4333
Kynion Unit, 1381 E. Division, 65803 (417) 865-2821
Musgrave Unit, 720 S. Park, 65802 (417) 869-8211

What: A youth service organization that does provide after school activities with membership and also provides some school pick-ups.

Bridges for Youth
Neighborhood Youth Centers
834 N. National
1033 W. Nichols
2236 S. Ingram Mill
2143 W. High
Springfield, MO
(417) 864-4167

What: A neighborhood youth center that opens after school closes.

Child Care Resource and Referral
1910 E. Meadowmere
Springfield, MO 65804
(417) 887-3545 (800) 743-8497

What: Provide childcare information and referrals based upon specific needs such as cost, location, or a special schedule.

Head Start
215 S. Barnes Avenue
Springfield, MO 65802-2204
(417) 864-3430

What: Fostering healthy development for low income children.

Springfield Family YMCA
417 S. Jefferson Avenue
Springfield, MO 65804
(417) 862-7456

Springfield Family YMCA
1901 E. Republic Road
Springfield, MO 65806
(417) 881-1599
www.ymcaspringfield.org

What: Provides quality childcare for before, during and after school.
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<td>Community Alternative Service Program (C.A.S.P.)</td>
<td>721 North Main, Springfield, MO</td>
<td>(417) 865-9460</td>
<td>Provides the homeless and youth with an alternative to incarceration</td>
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<td>Fair Housing Complaint</td>
<td>840 North Boonville, Springfield, MO</td>
<td>(417) 864-1000</td>
<td>Complaints about unfair housing practices</td>
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<td>Greene County Courthouse</td>
<td>940 North Boonville, Springfield, MO</td>
<td>(417) 868-4000</td>
<td>Assistance with legal services</td>
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<td>Legal Service of Southern Missouri</td>
<td>809 North Campbell Ave., Springfield, MO</td>
<td>(417) 881-0533</td>
<td>Free civil legal services</td>
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<td>Missouri Bar Association</td>
<td>326 Monroe Street, Jefferson City, MO</td>
<td>(573) 636-3635</td>
<td>Lawyer referral services</td>
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<td>Public Defender</td>
<td>630 North Roberson, Springfield MO</td>
<td>(417) 895-6740</td>
<td>Provide free legal aid for criminal cases</td>
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Transportation Assistance
Bus Fare Discounts and Assistance
1505 North Boonville
Springfield, MO
(417) 831-8782

What: Discounted city bus assistance

City Utilities Pennies for Passes
301 East Central
Springfield, MO
(417) 863-9000

What: A discount program for the city bus. Also sell used bikes.

City Utilities: Access Express for the Disabled
301 East Central
Springfield, MO
(417) 863-9000

What: Bus Services

Crosslines
615 North Glenstone
Springfield, MO
(417) 0563

What: City bus passes and gas vouchers for individuals within their first week of a new job

Ozarks Greenway
830 North Booneville Ave.
Springfield, MO
(417) 864-2015

What: Sells cheap used bikes

Repo Handling
531 North Booneville Ave.
Springfield, MO
(417) 831-9943

What: Sells cheap used cars
OTHER COMMUNITY RESOURCES
Animal Abuse Council  
PO Box 14134  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 865-4284

What: Provides 24/7 response to calls reporting animal abuse and neglect

Assistance Dogs of the Ozarks  
RR 1  
Rogersville, MO  
(417) 753-3028

What: Information about assistance dogs

Bookmobile and Walking Books  
4653 South Campbell Avenue  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 882-0714

What: Book delivery for seniors and/or the disabled

City Utilities Gas Emergency  
301 East Central Street  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 831-8750

Community Foundation of the Ozarks  
425 East Trafficway St.  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 864-6199

What: Will assist up to $400 for burial or cremation for those who cannot afford a funeral

Crime Stoppers  
PO Box 5075  
Springfield, MO  
(417) 869-8477

What: Report Crime in Springfield