

also derive income through the home incarceration program.

In addition to home electronic incarceration for adults and juveniles, we supervise adult and juvenile community service, conduct random drug screens, monitor attendance at AA/NA meetings, GED completion, and counseling compliance. We have a no liability insurance compliance program for adults convicted of that offense.



## Collaborative Partners Community Resource Guide

**Henderson County  
(270) area code**

Bad Check Service	827-6008
Building Inspector	827-6030
Chamber of Commerce	826-9531
Coroner's Office	826-0260
Corydon Civil Defense	911
County Attorney	827-5753
County Court Clerk	826-3906
County Judge	826-3971
Cooperative Extension	826-8387
Court Designated Worker (KY State)	826-0898
DES Office	831-1250
Economic Dev. Council	826-7505
Emergency Management	831-1235
Fire Department	911 or 827-8700
Health Department	826-3951
Henderson County Schools	831-5000
Humane Society	826-8966
County Detention Center	827-5560
Plumbing Inspector	827-3931
Property Valuation	827-6024
Public Library	826-3712
Riverport Authority	826-1636
Road Department	826-8843
The Gathering Place	827-2948
Sheriff	826-2713
Treasurer	826-3233
Tourism Commission	826-3128

DJJ provides court ordered probation services to juvenile public offenders and juvenile youth offenders.

**Kentucky Legal Aid**

270-683-4585 or 1-800-467-2260 or  
1-800-452-9243 (new clients)  
117 West Second Street  
Owensboro, KY 42301

Kentucky Legal Aid provides legal advice and/or representation to low-income persons in civil matters such as consumer, housing, income maintenance, unemployment, public benefits, domestic, divorce, bankruptcy, and wills.

**Involvement, Inc**

270-831-2949 Fax: 270-831-2609  
320 First St.  
Henderson, KY 42420

Involvement, Inc. is a private, non-profit agency that provides numerous programs to the courts of Henderson as alternatives to detention and/or fines for adults and juveniles.

We are funded through grants from United Way, the City of Henderson, Henderson County Fiscal Court, Henderson County Schools, and State Agencies. We

## **LEGAL ASSISTANCE**

### **Court Designated Worker**

270-826-0898  
Fax: 270-827-4295  
5 North Main St  
Henderson, KY 42420

CDW's processes juvenile complaints against persons under the age of 18. The complaints are known as public and status offenses. Status offenses are non-criminal forms of juvenile behavior. Public offenses are the same as adult crimes. During interviews, the CDW applies uniform criteria to determine which complaints are forwarded to juvenile court and which are eligible for diversion. Diversion is a voluntary contract between the CDW and the juvenile to resolve a complaint. The CDW is on-call 24/7 to assist police in the release from custody process.

### **Department of Juvenile Justice**

270-826-6650  
Fax: 270-831-2380  
417 S. Main St, Suite A-2  
Henderson, KY 42420

Tri-County Recycling	827-6027
Vocational School	827-3810
Water District	826-9802

### **City of Henderson**

After Hours (EPO)	911 or	831-1295
Airport		826-6000
Building Codes		831-1200
Chamber of Commerce		826-9531
Citizens Complaint Service		831-1234
City-County Planning Commission		831-1200
Emergency Protective Order		826-1566
Fernwood Cemetery		831-1200
Fire Department	911 or	831-1277
Gas Department		831-1200
General Office		831-1200
HART (Bus Line) Garage		831-1249
Maintenance Shop		831-1200
Parks and Recreation		831-1200
Police	911 or	831-1295
Power and Light		826-2726
Rescue		826-2168
Sewage Treatment		827-9588
Sewage		826-3128
Water Works		826-2421

### **Post Offices**

Baskett	270-830-0461	42402
Corydon	270-533-6081	42406
Henderson	270-827-9874	42420

Henderson (Post office boxes)		42419
Reed	270-764-1077	42451
Robards	270-521-7504	42452
Smith Mills	270-533-6094	42457
Spottsville	270-827-2435	42458

**Administrative Office of the Courts**

Pretrial Service		826-0198
Circuit Court Clerk		826-2405
Circuit Court Judge		827-1295
Commonwealth Attorney		826-3963
District Court Clerk		826-1566
District Court Judge		826-4755
Court Designated Worker		826-0898
Public Advocacy		826-1852
Dept for Juvenile Justice		826-6650

**Department of Highways**

Maintenance Garage		826-4145
Resident Engineer		826-4971

**Social Services**

Food Stamp Program		826-8351
Dept for Social Services		826-6203
Employment Services		826-2746
Vocational Rehab		830-5386
Rehab (School Program)		826-0896
Unemployment Insurance		826-5313
Department for the Blind		687-7306
		or 1-800-334-6929

profit, tax exempt organization of parents, professionals, and other concerned community members dedicated to the support, education and welfare of children and adults with autism and related disorders of communication and behavior. We are also a member of the Autism Society of America.

**A New Beginning**

270-577-3133 M-F 9a-7p  
 Coral J. Haynes, MA, LPCC, NCC  
 3135 Zion Road, Suite A  
 Henderson, KY 42420  
[cjhaynes@hotmail.com](mailto:cjhaynes@hotmail.com)

A New Beginning offers a variety of self improvement and introspective seminars, as well as counseling services. Coral haynes has experience working with a variety of issues including but not limited to stress, anxiety, depression, grief & loss, self –esteem, assertiveness training, recovery from divorce, parenting strategies and childhood disorders. She has a special interest in empowering women and teenage girls.

addictions, adolescent and adult treatment, parenting skills, crisis intervention, grief work, criminal justice issues, family counseling, as well as others.

We offer a comprehensive assessment and utilize a variety of science based methods of intervention. A strong base of referral sources and case management allow Another Way, inc to serve our clients in an efficient and productive manner.

**Services Offered:** Adult DUI Services, Adult Outpatient Treatment, Adult Intensive Outpatient Treatment, Adolescent Prevention Intervention, Adolescent Outpatient treatment, Adolescent Intensive Outpatient Treatment, Family Programs and Sessions, Family Weekend, Adult Anger Management, Adolescent Anger Management, General Counseling, Day/Evening Sessions, and a variety of drug screening options.

### **Autism Society of Western Kentucky**

270-826-0510  
Executive Director, Nancy Boyett  
P.O. Box 1647  
230 Second Street, Suite 206  
Henderson, KY 42419  
[nboyett1956@yahoo.com](mailto:nboyett1956@yahoo.com)

The Autism Society of Western Kentucky is a non-

### **Other Offices**

National Guard	827-1593
Audubon State Park	826-2247
Dept of Fish and Wildlife	827-2673
Probation and Parole	827-3896
State Police	826-3312

or 1-800-222-5555

### **Henderson City of Government**

City of Henderson  
P.O. Box 716  
Henderson, KY 42419-0716  
70-831-1200

### **Henderson County Government**

County Judge Executive or Magistrates  
Henderson County Court House  
20 N Main St  
Henderson, KY 42420  
270-826-3971

## **FOOD & HOUSING ASSISTANCE**

### **Harbor House Christian Center**

270-827-5010  
807 Clay Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

The Harbor House is for men only who are in urgent need for shelter and other basic necessities. They provide a warm bed, three meals a day, clothing, bible studies, encouragement for a job through DIVERSCO, and learn responsibility, such as rent (after their second paycheck), chores, and managing money to be able to live independently again.

### **Henderson Christian Community Outreach**

270-826-5592  
422 Seventh Street  
PO Box 363  
Henderson, KY 42420

The Christian Community Outreach helps those in urgent need for food, housing, medicine, utilities, advocacy, rent, dental and referral services.

### **St. Anthony's Hospice**

270-826-2326  
PO Box 351  
2410 South Green Street  
Henderson, KY 42419

St. Anthony's hospice offers skilled in-home nursing care in conjunction with doctors' orders (terminal prognosis of six months or less); in-home, emotional, social and spiritual care of those with terminal illnesses; coordination with other agencies to provide best possible care; provision of available medical equipment and some supplies at no cost; bereavement support groups for the community and individual bereavement counseling for families of patients; library of material on cancer, caring for the terminally ill and bereavement; and respite care or companionship.

### **Another Way, Inc**

270-831-2022  
270-831-1011 Fax  
401 C Hoffman Drive  
Henderson, KY 42419

Another Way, Inc is a non-profit agency specializing in the treatment of substance Abuse issues based on a 12 recovery focused model. Clinical staff have combined backgrounds in

substance abuse treatment center for adults  
\*Inpatient Mental health care for children ages 5-18 where the patients participate in psychotherapy, school, living skills groups and recreational activities.\*There are two Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facilities that offer intermediate to long term care. One is for adolescents with mild to moderate mental retardation and persistent, significant mental illness. The other is for children ages 8-12 who are diagnosed with mental illness.  
\*Partial Hospitalization Program serves children in kindergarten through 3<sup>rd</sup> grade with behavior health concerns to receive schooling and therapy together during the school day by trained mental health counselors.\*Crisis Stabilization home offers temporary housing and therapeutic treatment for adults with mental illness who need crisis intervention to get through a difficult period in their lives such as severe depression, suicidal thoughts and/or anyone wanting to avoid or shorten their stay in a psychiatric hospital.\*Intensive Outpatient for Substance Abuse that goes further than regular outpatient treatment but is not as restrictive as a residential program.\*The IMPACT Program serves children between the ages of 5-18 with severe emotional behavioral disorder. Children not meeting IMPACT Plus eligibility requirements may qualify for IMPACT services. Services offered through IMPACT are case management, therapeutic child support and intensive in-home training.

### **Housing Authority of Henderson**

270-827-1294  
111 S. Adams Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

The Housing Authority provides activities for youth and adults and assists in education, job-training, recreation, and referrals. They also help in promoting housing for low-income members of the community, including section 8 housing. Section 8 is available to the following:

- \*Family units where head of household is 18
  - \*Single person age 62 or older
  - \*Single disabled person
  - \*Single employed person ages 45-62
- \*Single, at least age 18 and is low-income  
Every family pays 30% or less gross income for rent and utilities.

### **Shelter for Women & Children**

270-830-8063  
530 Klutzy Park Plaza  
PO Box 1617  
Henderson, KY 42420

This asset to the community provides a safe haven, food, shelter and guidance for homeless women and children. They have beds for 22 women and are open anytime. They provide temporary assistance

while helping women find permanent housing, clothing, child care and more to become self-sufficient. Unfortunately, due to lack of resources, this shelter is not for abused or battered women seeking refuge.

### **St. Vincent DePaul Society**

270-827-4138  
116 N. Alvasia Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

The St. Vincent DePaul Society assists those in need with low-cost or free clothing and furniture. They also aid in emergency bus tickets, food pantry items, partial assistance with rent/utilities to those in emergency situations and assistance with medical expenses.

### **The Answer Center Ministry Center**

270-827-9888 or 270-827-9867  
510 Second Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

The answer center offers free clothing once per month to those in need, basic house wares, books and school supplies for children once per child, per ministry event, and adult literacy tutoring sessions.

\*Housing & Emergency Assistance  
\*Pharmaceutical Assistance Programs  
\*Transportation \*Zack's Kitchen Food Pantry  
\*Legal Referral

### **River Valley Behavioral Health**

270-826-8314 or 1-800-769-4920  
618 North Green Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

\*24-hour Crisis and Information line for those needing help. \*Point of Entry provides quick and easy entrance into the services by calling 1-800-769-4920 for an appointment.  
\*Outpatient Mental Health Care \*Parental Guidance Workshops \*Marriage and Family Therapy  
\*Learning Disability Evaluation diagnoses  
\*Therapeutic Rehabilitation is an outpatient and day treatment service for those with severe and persistent mental illness.  
\*Sheltered workshop (ADH) is sheltered employment five days a week for those 16 years or older with mental retardation/developmental disabilities and are paid according to the quality and quantity of work. \*Alternative Intermediate Services (AIS) are designed to meet the needs of the mentally retarded/developmentally disabled individual in order that they may remain in the community. \*Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Speech Therapy \*Residential



ages from 0 to 99 in a variety of settings such as home health, day care, hospital, schools and clinic. We are thrilled to now be able to offer the Sensory Learning Program right here in Henderson, KY. The Sensory Learning Program is a multi-sensory approach to developmental learning that simultaneously stimulates the visual, auditory and vestibular systems with light, sound and motion. The program challenges the primary sensory systems to work together and better adapt to multi-sensory input, the foundation of all sensory processing.

**Matthew 25 AIDS Services, Inc.**

270-826-0200 or 1-877-428-1231  
411 Letcher Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

MEDICAL CARE MANAGEMENT: \*Diagnosis, Treatment, Monitoring, & Counseling \*Resource Referral \*Nutritional Counseling \*Dental Care Referral \*Medicine Adherence Specialist  
PREVENTION: \*Free HIV/STD Testing/Counseling \*Prevention Intervention Programs  
\*Education and Informative Literature for the Community  
SUPPORT: \*Support Groups \*Financial Assistance/Referral \*Gifts of Grace Program

**The Salvation Army**

270-826-4472  
1213 Washington St.  
Henderson, KY 42420

The Salvation Army offers pantry service, a feeding program at the Center of Hope during lunch, utility and rental assistance due to a crisis situation, financial assistance for certain physician prescribed medications and a thrift store (clothing provided to families based on need; furniture and household items provided to victims of fire or natural disasters).

**Kentucky Department for Community Based Services, Division of Family Support**

270-826-8351  
228 North Green Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

The mission of this department is to offer food stamps, financial and medical assistance to eligible individuals. Services offered include administration of the Food Stamp Program, and K-Tap services

## **RECREATION ACTIVITIES**

### **Henderson County Cooperative Extension Service – 4-H**

270-826-8387

3341 State Route 351 East

Henderson, KY 42420

Website: <http://ces.ca.uky.edu/henderson/>

The Cooperative Extension is a part of the University of Kentucky college of Agriculture, and Kentucky State University. Educational opportunities are available to all citizens of Henderson County, throughout the year. Programs are offered in the areas of Home Horticulture, Production Agriculture, Family Health and Nutrition, as well as leadership development activities. Youth educational programs provide a variety of opportunities for youth, both in the school setting, and when school is not in session. 4-H programs offer “hands-on” learning environments for children who want to learn basic “life skills”. Classes are offered at the Extension Office facility, as well as various locations around the community, usually during the fall and Spring break weeks from school. One highlight of the program year is the Summer Camp opportunity, held usually in Mid-July, for youth ages 9-13 years of age. Please

## **A TURNING POINT COUNSELING SERVICES, INC**

270-826-6500

524 South Main Street

Henderson, KY 42420

A Turning Point Counseling Services offers the following services: \*alcohol and chemical abuse/dependency; \*anger management (adult & adolescent); \*20 hour DUI outpatient treatment (state certified provider); \*Domestic violence perpetrator classes; \* family counseling; \*individual counseling for personal concerns; \*marriage counseling

## **MATHIS & WEMPE THERAPY ASSOCIATES**

270-826-0028 (physical therapy) or 270-827-4857 (speech or occupational therapy)

3135 Zion Road

Henderson, KY 42420

Mathis & Wempe Therapy Associates, LLC, have been providing Speech Therapy services to the Tri-State area for more than 20 years. Kathy Mathis and Karen Wempe have more than 50 years combined experience in the field and have served

quality of life by promoting protecting and enhancing the health and well being of the public by offering these services:

\*Well child screenings \*Immunizations \*WIC (Women, Infants and Children Supplemental Food Program) provides food packages and medical nutritional therapy as an adjunct to good health care during critical times of growth and development.

\*Prenatal Home Visiting Program provides assessments, teaching, counseling, breast feeding instructions and help with problems associated with pregnancy or following delivery.

\*Building Stronger Families and Hands In-home visiting program includes a family friendly support system with emphasis on good prenatal care, improving parenting skills, reducing family stress and stimulating the child's potential to learn.

\*KEIS First Steps Program are designed for children up to age three who have developmental delays or medical conditions known to cause developmental delays. \*The Family Planning

Program is available to all women of childbearing age and their partners. It includes physical examinations, pap smears, laboratory screenings, pregnancy tests upon request, education, counseling, follow-up care and contraceptive devices. \*STD treatment and testing

contact the Extension Office at 826-8387 for more information and further details.

### **Henderson Parks and Recreation Department**

270-831-1274  
920 Madison Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

The Parks and Recreation Department provides leisure activities in the city and makes sure that public resources are available to everyone throughout the community. City Parks include Hays Park, Kimmel, Atkinson Park, Audubon Mill and Sunset Parks, Handy Park, Anthony Brooks Park, the Henderson Municipal Golf Course, and Community Park. Recreational Complexes include the Doc Hosbach Tennis, JFK center, and the Dr. William L. Newman Complex

### **Henderson County Family YMCA**

270-827-9622 or 270-826-3488  
460 Klutey Park Plaza  
Henderson, KY 42420

The mission of the YMCA is to put Christian principles into practice through programs, services and facilities that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all. Services include, but are not limited to, the following: \*Teen and Adult Fitness Centers;

\*Youth Fitness Center; \*Complete Free Weight Center; \*Land and Water Aerobics classes; \*Swim lessons; \*Arthritis Class in warm water therapy pool; \*Racquetball; \*Indoor Tennis courts; \*Indoor walking/Jogging track; \*Youth and Sport Gymnasium; \*Indoor heated pool; \*heath Center (including sauna, TV's, lockers, showers, equipment); \*Babysitting service; \*Youth & adult Recreational sports; \* Summer Day Camp; \*Inter-session break Camps; \*Taekwondo & Yoga classes; \*and much, much more.

Must be a member of YMCA or pay a guest fee for the use of the facility. Scholarships are available to those needing financial assistance.

## **CHILD CARE/CHILD SERVICES**

### **Audubon Area Community Services, Inc. Child Care Resource and Referral**

Phone: 270-686-1668  
Address: P.O. Box 20004  
Owensboro, KY 42304

Our agency assists families in locating quality child care to meet their needs. We provide training and technical assistance to all licensed centers and certified homes. Our agency offers a lending library, including toys, books, puppets and videos.

progressive intensive care unit, obstetrics, pediatrics, comprehensive physical rehabilitation, and a nationally ranked, 24 hour physician staffed, emergency room. Methodist has been providing extraordinary patient care for Henderson and the surrounding community since 1948 and looks forward to continuing this tradition as we welcome the South Tower addition in late summer 2007.

### **New Beginnings Sexual Assault Support Services**

Phone Number: (800) 226-7273  
E-mail Address: [NewBOwensboro@yahoo.com](mailto:NewBOwensboro@yahoo.com)

New Beginnings provides free services to children and adults who have experienced sexual assault. We provide free counseling for survivor or friends and family. We also provide educational programs that are age appropriate for kindergarten through adult. We cover the Green River area that includes Daviess, Hancock, Ohio, Mclean, Union, Henderson, and Webster counties.

### **Green River District Health Department**

270-826-3951 or 270-827-5527  
472 Klutey Park Plaza  
PO Box 13  
Henderson, KY 42420

The Health Department is designed to improve the

sites throughout Henderson County on a scheduled basis to treat acute illnesses, provide school or sports physicals, well child care and referrals as needed. A pediatrician and two registered nurses staff the program. For a list of CATCH locations or to schedule an appointment, call (270) 827-7477.

Methodist Hospital New Choices provides a full range of professional, confidential services to assist you and your family with problems that affect personal living. The trained staff at New Choices can help you with marital difficulties, financial problems, stress, divorce, depression, bereavement, and issues of aging and/or aging parents. New Choices also conducts a substance abuse program with intensive outpatient and regular outpatient options in addition to employee assistance programs for local business and industry, workshops, seminars, and on-site evaluation/conflict resolution. For more information or to schedule an appointment at New Choices, call (270) 827-7457.

Methodist Hospital is a JCAHO accredited, not-for-profit, acute care, teaching hospital devoted to providing medical care and improving the health status of residents in Henderson, Webster, and Union Counties. With 216 inpatient beds, Methodist Hospital offers a highly trained medical staff representing all major specialty areas. Methodist provides a full range of inpatient and outpatient services, a neo-natal intensive care unit, a

Our staff provides technical assistance to individuals interested in opening a licensed center or a certified family child care home. We also assist business and industry in meeting the child care needs of employees and the community. We collaborate with other agencies to improve conditions for children and families.

**THE CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTER OF  
the GREEN RIVER DISTRICT**

(270) 830-8400 or 1-888-989-8400

FAX: (270) 830-8262

537 South Green Street

Henderson, KY 42420

WEBSITE: [www.cacgrd.org](http://www.cacgrd.org)

**STATED MISSION:**

The mission of The Children's Advocacy Center of Green River District is to reduce the traumatic effects of abuse; protect children from maltreatment; seek justice for child victims; investigate abuse as a team and strengthen our community's ability to nurture children, while keeping the comfort and safety of the child the first priority.

**SERVICES OFFERED** include: \*Specially Equipped Medical Room, \*Child Friendly Interview Room with AV Recording Capability; \*Forensic Interviewing and Forensic Evaluations \*Crisis

Counseling, Advocacy and Support to Child Victims of Abuse, Neglect, Dependency and Domestic Violence; \*Multidisciplinary Teams for Counties in the Green River Region; \*CASA – Court Appointed Special Advocates; \*12 Week Preventive Parenting Group; \*Parents Helping Parents Support Group; \*Parent Resource Library; \*Speakers Bureau

#### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:**

Child victim advocacy and counseling services are available for any child victim of abuse, neglect, dependency or domestic violence. The Children’s Advocacy Center does not intervene in family crisis situations concerning children nor does it provide advocates to act on behalf of families who are seeking custody. Please contact us for Crisis Counseling and Support if we may be of assistance.

#### **Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) Program**

CASA is an advocacy program providing services to abused, neglected and dependent children through appointment in the Family Court system. Community volunteers are screened, trained and supervised by program staff to provide these advocacy services.

CASA’s 3 main responsibilities are as follows:  
\*to serve as a fact finder for the Judge by thoroughly researching the background of each

Some services are insurance billable for individual and family therapy services. We accept insurance payments and can participate in preferred provider organizations (PPO’s) and employee assistance programs (EAP’s). Lighthouse Counseling Services, Inc. is an IMPACT Plus Provider serving families in the seven counties of the Green River region (Davies, Hancock, Henderson, McLean, Ohio, Union, and Webster). IMPACT Plus is an intensive outpatient counseling service that assists families with Children who have complex emotional and behavioral needs. We have two convenient locations in Henderson and Owensboro, KY. Lighthouse Counseling Services, Citi-Center Office Building, 230 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Suite 406 Henderson, KY 42420 (270)826-8761 and our Owensboro office is located at 920 Frederica Street Suite 206 Owensboro, KY 42301 (270)689-0073.

#### **Methodist Hospital Services**

270-827-7161  
305 North Elm Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

Methodist Hospital owns and operates the Primary Care Center “CATCH” Program. This program helps families with low income or those facing other barriers such as lack of transportation or no personal physician, get adequate, basic healthcare for their children. The CATCH staff visits seven

growth. Family Options has been serving families, children and geriatrics since 2000.

As an IMPACT Plus provider, Family Options serves children ages 3-21 through this Medicaid funded program that provides wrap around model with a coordinated plan of care for children/families who are seeking intensive therapy services. Family Options offers therapy services through IMPACT plus as well as case management services.

To learn more about Family Options or other resources for families in our community please contact us at 270-826-1941. If we aren't able to offer the service you are looking for we can help you find it.

### **Lighthouse Counseling Services, Inc.**

270- 826-8761 Fax: 270-826-8737  
230 Second Street, Suite 230  
Henderson, KY 42420

Lighthouse Counseling Services, Inc. is a private, service-oriented practice that seeks to guide its clients through life's challenges by providing a wide range of counseling services from a Christian perspective. Lighthouse Counseling Services provides individual, group, family and marriage counseling to you, your spouse, your family, and others you care about. Our counselors are professionally trained and licensed.

assigned case and to prepare an independent report with recommendations; \*to speak for the child in the courtroom, representing the child's best interests; and \*To continue as a "watchdog" for the child during the life of the case, ensuring that it is brought to a swift and appropriate conclusion.

### **First Steps**

270-686-5982 or 1-888-686-1414  
1600 Breckenridge St  
Owensboro, KY 42303

First Steps helps children up to three years of age who have or at risk for developmental delays. They offer evaluations and assessments, a personal service coordinator who goes to the home, physical, occupational, and speech therapy, special equipment to help the child and/or family, special consultants for parents, while catering to the needs and wants of the family, and parenting technique education.

## **EDUCATION**

### **Child Find Program of Henderson County Schools**

270-831-8780  
1805 Second Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

The Henderson County School system has an ongoing CHILD FIND system. The purpose of the CHILD FIND system is to find any child or youth who may have a disability and need special education. Henderson County Schools are looking for those children and youth, age birth up to 21 years, who are not in school or those who are in school but not receiving special education. They need to have an appropriate public education. The public is encouraged to assist the Henderson County school with CHILD FIND. If you know of a child who may need special services, please call 831-8780.

### **Even Start**

270-831-5087  
315 Jackson St.  
Henderson, KY 42420

### **Silva & Associates**

270- 827-5469  
Fax: 270-826-3201  
1413 Elm Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

*Dr. Silva & Associates can provide:*

- \*Individual and family counseling or therapy.
- \*Psychological Testing
- \*Psychiatric services
- \*Accepts Insurance, Private Pay or Medicare/Medicaid

### **Family Options, Inc.**

270- 826-1941  
215 First Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

Family Options, Inc. is a family owned, private mental health center servicing the Green River and Barren River Regions in Kentucky. Hosting offices in Henderson, Morgantown and Glasgow, Family Options offers therapy services, psychiatric services and is an IMPACT Plus provider. Family Options has an experienced team that is motivated to achieve the mission of increasing possibilities for



Patients receive case management services from registered nurses who work with pediatric specialists to determine a plan of treatment and ensure that every child receives appropriate state of the art medical care. Care Coordinators are committed to providing information and resources to patients and their family.

The Commission treats a variety of medical conditions, acquired or congenital. The Owensboro Regional Office primarily serves patients from the GRADD counties. Complete pediatric audiology services are also available in the Owensboro office. Cost of care and treatment is determined by a sliding fee scale based on family income. Referrals can be made by a parent or guardian, physician, the school system, or another caregiver.

Services are provided on a sliding scale based on income to those not eligible for a medical card. Christian Care Communities is a United Way Agency of Henderson County due to the not-for-profit status. Services are available thru this grant to children without a medical card that have inadequate income to pay for treatment

Even Start is a family education program for three to seven year old children and their parents. Even Start's goals are to improve the educational level of parents, improve developmental skills of children, improve parenting skills and promote literacy by promoting "parents as teachers." The four components of Even Start are children's literacy, adult education, parent support group and parent and child time together. The Kentucky Even Start mission is "to break the intergenerational cycle of under education and poverty in at risk families." Even Start offers classes on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings at Jefferson Elementary School. Family Nights are offered every Monday and Thursday from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. GED/Adult Education are offered every Tuesday from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

**PrimeTime Parent and Child Program (program of Henderson Community College)**

270-826-0770  
526 South Main St.(Formerly the Mill & La Paz Restaurant)  
Henderson, KY 42420

PrimeTime Parent and Child program offers GED and Adult Education classes on Monday and Wednesday from 12:00-2:00 p.m. and Tuesday's from 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., Parent Time/Parenting on Wednesday's from 2:00-4:00 p.m. and Parent

and Child Time on Monday and Wednesday from 10:30a.m.-12:00 p.m. and Tuesday's from 8:30-10:00 a.m. Free child care and bus tokens are provided.

### **Head Start**

270-826-6071  
(Audubon Area Community Services)  
324 First Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

Head Start is pre-school education for 1) 3 and 4 year old children from low income families; 2) 3 and 4 year old children with disabilities; and 3) children identified as "high risk" due to specific physical or social needs. All children of KTAP mothers are eligible.

### **Henderson County Schools Preschool Program**

270-831-5000  
1805 Second Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

Henderson County Preschool is a program that focuses on the child's physical, intellectual, social and emotional development.

The program is for:

- Any child four years old by October 1 and qualifies under the Federal Meal program

United Way Agency of Henderson County due to the not-for-profit status. Services are available thru this grant to children without a medical card that have inadequate income to pay for treatment. Please contact our team for more information at 1-270-826-0976

### **Kid's 1st Therapy Services, LLC**

270- 831-1199  
401 Hoffman Dr. Unit G  
Henderson, KY 42420

Kid's 1st Therapy Services, LLC is a pediatric therapy practice that offers home, clinic and school based services to children birth to school age. We offer developmental play groups for all children 18 months to 5 years as well as consultation services to daycare and preschool settings for sensory and motor needs. We also host field trips and private birthday parties in our spacious activity center.

### **Commission for Children with Special Health Care**

Phone Number: 270-826-0976 or 270- 687-7038  
Website Address:  
<http://chs.ky.gov/commissionkids/>

The Commission provides medical treatment to children with physically disabling conditions.

## **HEALTH & MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES**

### **Christian Care Communities**

270-826-0976  
Citi Center Mall  
230 Second Street, Suite 320  
Henderson Ky 42420

For children and adolescents with a six-month history of emotional and behavioral problems – at home, school and in the community - Christian Care Communities offers intensive mental health counseling services and support through our IMPACT PLUS program. Christian Care Communities staff of highly experienced therapists and service coordinators provides support in home, school and community to decrease the child's risk of hospitalization or placement outside the home. Services are provided to help facilitate change as needed in those settings. IMPACT PLUS services are available to those under age 21 with a Kentucky medical card.

Private counseling appointments are available in our offices in the Citi-Center Mall, 230 Second Street, in Suite 320. Services are provided on a sliding scale based on income to those not eligible for a medical card. Christian Care Communities is a

for Free or Reduced.

- Any three or four year old child with an identified handicapping condition
- Some tuition slots are available for four year olds

For more information contact the preschool Coordinator

### **Henderson County Schools Family Resource Centers/Youth Service Centers**

The Henderson County Schools Family Resource Centers and Youth Services Center, created as part of the Kentucky Education Reform Act, enhances students' abilities to succeed in school. The Youth Services Center provides services to students and families as well as linking students to school and community organizations that will assist the student. Assistance is based on the school the student attends. For further information and details, please contact the specific center in the school.

Friends A.B. Chandler and Jefferson Elementary Schools -270-826-1483

Bend Gate/Spottsville Elementary Schools - 270-831-5048

Acorns FRC – Cairo and Niagara Elementary Schools -270-831-5153

East Heights FRC – 270-831-5073

South Heights FRC – 270-831-5083

North Middle Youth Service Center – 270-831-5067  
South Middle Youth Service Center -270-831-5059  
Henderson County Youth Service Center- 270-831-8867

### **Henderson Community College**

270-827-1867  
2660 S. Green St  
Henderson, KY 42420

Henderson Community College has various programs which include:

- \*College course work for a two-year degree or transferable credits to a four-year institution
- \*Adult learning center which includes a basic skills program, GED program, literacy program, English as Second language, and business and industry testing
- \*Free Income Tax Assistance for elderly and low-income taxpayers
- \*College Library for students, faculty or the general public
- \*Learning Skills Center which offers credit instruction in reading and college studies strategies and also offers tutorial assistance to students with academic deficiencies
- \*Community and economic development classes

### **Green River Area Development District (GRADD)**

270-926-4433  
3860 US Highway 60 W  
Owensboro, KY 42301

GRADD provides state and federal programs and technical assistance to local governments, private industries and citizens. These programs include:  
\*Employment-training opportunities to dislocated workers and to economically disadvantaged adults.  
\*Case Managers for those over 60 years of age.  
\*Information and Assistance on senior citizen issues and community resources. \*Employment of a local Ombudsman who represents the residents of all long-term care facilities in the area to assure their rights are upheld and to promote quality of care in the area nursing homes. \*Senior Citizens Centers, Nutrition Services, Transportation, Health Promotion/Disease Prevention Program, Adult Day Care, Family Caregiver Support, Legal Assistance, Benefits Counseling and Personal Care Attendant Program are administered by the Area Agency on Aging.

nationwide.

\*The referral and recruitment service program provides the following

- recruits and screens job seekers for openings listed by employers
- provides aptitude and interest inventory tests
- job development which contacts employers on applicants behalf concerning job openings in which no existing position is available
- maintains nationwide listings
- employability skills workshops to help eligible job seekers market their skills to employers
- provides incentives that may encourage employers to hire clients
- referral service for both the unemployed and employed job seeker
- special recruitment to assist new and expanding employers in finding needed workers

\*Trade Adjustment Assistance Program helps workers who were displaced from their jobs because of increased foreign imports by providing weekly cash benefits after all other unemployment benefits have been exhausted. \*Case Management \*Veterans Program provides priority service to veterans and special services to veterans with disabilities. \*Jobs program provides education, training and other support services to help welfare recipients receive an opportunity to focus on self-support outside the welfare system.

### **Henderson County Cooperative Extension Service**

270-826-8387

3341 State Route 351 East

Henderson, KY 42420

Website: <http://ces.ca.uky.edu/henderson/>

The cooperative extension service provides educational opportunities to the citizens of Henderson County, through joint efforts of the University of Kentucky, Kentucky State University, and the county of Henderson. Areas of interest include: Home Horticulture and Master Gardener programs; Health and Nutrition for the Family; Parenting, Family Finances and Budgets; Sewing, Cooking and Crafts classes for youth and adults; assistance and classes for production agriculture; and 4-H programs, in school and outside of school hours.

### **Kentucky Office of Vocational Rehabilitation Henderson County Office**

270-831-9664

2660 South Greent Street

Career Connections Ctr.

Henderson Community College

&

270-826-0896

Office located in the Henderson County High

School Building  
2424 Zion Road  
Henderson, KY 42420  
270-826-0896

The Kentucky Office of Vocational Rehabitational assists individuals with disabilities reach their employment goals through a variety of programs and services.

### **Henderson Adult Learning Center**

270-831-9649  
2660 South Green Street  
Henderson KY 42420

The Adult Learning Center is a place where adults want to learn. Classes are designed to help adults upgrade their basic reading, math, and writing skills so they can pass the GED tests. Adults with a high school diploma may use these classes to review basic skills to prepare for college, pass pre-employment tests, learn job readiness and job retention skills, or improve for personal satisfaction.

Department of Vocational and Rehabilitation. Daily counseling is provided and some classroom activity may be scheduled.

\*Employment Development is provided for people who are not yet ready for competitive placement. H.E.S.I. schedules these people to work one of the production departments for six months to determine work potential. If they are successful at the end of the program, a referral might be provided to the funded placement program or to the Extended Employment program at H.E.S.I. This is an entry point for people with disabilities who do not have funded authorization for services.

\*Extended Employment is a work program at H.E.S.I. where people are allowed to work and earn according to their individual ability for an indefinite period of time.

\*Adult Daily Living Skills are offered to anyone in the program for any identified need.

### **Kentucky Department for Employment Services**

270-826-2746  
212 North Water St  
Henderson, KY 42420

\*Unemployment Insurance Benefits provides income for temporarily unemployed workers with funds from an employer's payroll tax. \*EKOS is a self-registering system that allows job seekers to check on job openings locally, statewide, and

services, juvenile services, adult protective services, day care, foster care, adoptions, and general family/adult social services. Child Protective Services investigates reports alleging physical injury, sexual abuse and neglect of children. Provides family based social services to alleviate the primary and secondary factors contributing to the need for protective services.

## **EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE**

### **Hugh Edward Sandefur Industries, Inc.**

270-827-2401  
1449 Corporate Ct  
Henderson, KY 42420

\*Vocational evaluation program that includes testing experiences in academics, dexterity, social skills, etc. based on referral source need and is used by Department of Vocational Rehabilitation. It can last three to twenty workdays and carries a fee for their service

\*Vocational Assessment is a “mini” vocational evaluation involving formal testing experiences only. It is one to two days long, carries a fee, and is used sparingly by the Department of Vocational Rehabilitation.

\*Personal and Social Adjustment program occurs in the actual work setting and is funded through the

## **EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE**

### **American Red Cross – Cardinal Chapter**

270-826-2775  
P.O. Box 99  
Henderson, KY 42419

\*Disaster services including house fires and major disasters (floods and tornadoes), which may include shelter, food, new clothing, and other emergency needs free of charge. The Red Cross also serves as a liaison with other organizations and agencies such as the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

\*Disaster training is available to train volunteers to provide mass care, obtain logistics, assess damage, do family assistance casework and file reports.

\*Services to military personnel and their families include assisting with emergency communications worldwide through the Red Cross telecommunications network that links the military’s communication system providing military members and their family’s interest-free loans or grants when urgent personal crises arise.

\*Veterans services assist veterans with claims and communications with the VA to obtain benefits.

\*Provides CPR instruction, first aid for the workplace and daycare workers, babysitting skills training, HIV/AIDS education, basic aid training for

students and swim and lifeguard classes.

\*Coordinate Blood donation drives for Henderson, Union and Webster counties

\*Provide free blood pressure checks

\*Provides tracing/location services for people separated from their family because of war, civil disturbance or natural disasters.

### **Volunteer and Information Center, Inc**

270-831-2273

1100 North Adams Street, Second Floor  
Henderson, KY 42420

\*Adopt a Family provides Christmas gifts to low-income families who register with the Center.

Volunteers shop, wrap and deliver gifts to those families. \*The Agency Coalition Tracking System (ACTS) monitors and assimilates information on services given by community service agencies and churches to the needy. The system identifies abusers, which helps the agencies and churches in maximizing their resources. \*Bountiful

Thanksgiving relies on volunteers to help create food baskets to needy families in the community who have registered their need to the center.

\*Clothe-A-Kid provides low-income school children with at least one new set of clothing for the New Year. The amount of clothing and money spent is at the discretion of the volunteer. \*Help others keep cool is a program that supplies a new

room sized air conditioner to low-income members of the community with medical conditions worsened by the heat. Fans are also provided.

Medical conditions are not a requirement to receive a fan. Recipients must meet income guidelines.

\*Information and referral line links people with problems to community resources available to help with those problems. All calls are confidential.

\*Winter Warm Up program is set up to provide needy school aged children with a new winter coat.

### **Henderson Emergency Management Agency**

831-1235 or 860-5078

P.O. Box 983

Henderson, KY 42420

The mission of the Henderson Emergency Management Agency is to coordinate an emergency management system of mitigation, preparedness, response & recovery and to protect the lives, environment and property of the people of henderson County.

### **Kentucky Department for Community Based Services-Child Protection Services**

417 South Main Street

Henderson, KY 42420

270-826-6203

The mission of this department is to provide family based social services in areas of child protective