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Task Force on Homelessness

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To Social Service Providers:

In 1999, the Simi Valley City Council appointed a 19-member Task Force on Homelessness comprised of representatives from City, County, non-profit organizations, and the community-at-large to study the issue of homelessness. The City's Task Force guidelines included, in part, gathering information on the agencies that are providing services to the homeless and how the homeless may access these services. As part of this research, the *Task Force on Homelessness Directory of Social Services* was developed and is also available online at www.simivalley.org/socialservicesdirectory. The City's Task Force on Homelessness continues to address the issue of homelessness, and in 2007, the City Council expanded its commitment to ending and preventing homelessness in Simi Valley consistent with the Ventura County *10-Year Strategy to End Homelessness*.

We hope that this *Directory* will assist you in linking citizens to helpful services and resources. If you have any additions, or corrections to this document, please contact the Task Force on Homelessness Coordinator at (805) 583-6759, so that revisions can be made on the website and to any future publication of this resource.

On behalf of the City Council, thank you for your valuable contribution of time and energy in assisting the citizens of Simi Valley.

Sincerely,

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Neighborhood Councils
Public Action to Deliver Shelter (PADS)
Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District
Rotary Club of Simi Valley
Salvation Army/Care and Share
Simi Valley Chamber of Commerce
Simi Valley Hospital
Simi Valley Police Department
Simi Valley Unified School District
Simi Valley Youth Council
The Samaritan Center

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The City of Simi Valley maintains the website and *Directory* to provide general information and enhance public access to available services. The City tries to keep the information listed current and will make every effort to correct errors brought to our attention. If you have any questions, please contact the Task Force on Homelessness Coordinator at (805) 583-6759.

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BENEFITS AND CASH ASSISTANCE

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
California Employment Development Department Unemployment Insurance Claims	(800) 300-5616 English (800) 326-8937 Spanish (805) 382-8614 Job line for employers www.EDD.ca.gov www.caljobs.ca.gov		Unemployment Insurance provides financial assistance to qualified individuals who have lost their job through no fault of their own. Unemployment Insurance claims are accepted by telephone or web only.
State Disability Insurance (SDI)	(800) 480-3287 (916) 654-6288 http://www.edd.ca.gov/disability/disability_insurance.htm		SDI provides partial wage-replacement for non-work related illness or injury, or a medically disabling condition from pregnancy or childbirth, and also funds the Paid Family Leave (PFL) program.
Paid Family Leave (PFL)	(877) 238-4373 http://www.paidfamilyleave.org/		Paid Family Leave (PFL) insurance provides up to six weeks of benefits for individuals who must take time off of work to care for a seriously ill child, spouse, parent, or registered domestic partner, or to bond with a new child.
County of Ventura Human Services Agency Cash Assistance Program for Immigrants (CAPI) East County Intake & Eligibility Center	(866) 904-9362 (888) 472-4463 www.vchsa.org		State-sponsored program that helps aged, blind, or disabled legal immigrants who have little or no income.
	(888) HSA-INFO (888) 472-4463 (866) 904-9362 For general information call toll-free www.vchsa.org Apply for benefits online at: www.mybenefitscalwin.org	2003 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Service intake and benefits application assistance for MediCal, Food Stamps, General Relief, CalWORKs, ACE, and other government assistance programs.

BENEFITS AND CASH ASSISTANCE (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
<p>County of Ventura Human Services Agency (continued) East County Intake & Eligibility Center CalWORKs (California Work Opportunities and Responsibilities to Kids)</p> <p>ACE Program for Adults (Access Coverage Enrollment)</p> <p>CalFresh (Food Stamps)</p> <p>General Relief (GR)</p> <p>East County Job & Career Center</p>	(888) HSA-INFO (888) 472-4463 (866) 904-9362 For general information call toll-free www.vchsa.org Apply for benefits online at: www.mybenefitscalwin.org	2003 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065 80 Hillcrest, Suite 200 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360 612 Spring Road, Suite 301 Moorpark, CA 93021	Provides temporary financial assistance, subsidized childcare, and employment focused services to low-income families with minor children. Recipients are automatically eligible for MediCal and may qualify for CalFresh (food stamps). Able adults in the program are required to look for a job, participate in job training, or further their education.
	(805) 981-5070 or apply online at: http://www.vhca.org/t/health-care-for-the-uninsured/ace-program-for-adults		Access to comprehensive inpatient and outpatient medical care for uninsured adults between the ages of 19 to 64. Must live or work in Ventura County and have an income of less than 200% of federal poverty level.
	(888) HSA-INFO (888) 472-4463		Assists qualified applicants to purchase groceries. Recipients receive an electronic benefits card (EBT) similar to a bankcard for food purchases.
	(888) HSA-INFO (888) 472-4463 (866) 904-9362 For general information call toll-free www.vchsa.org Apply for benefits online at: www.mybenefitscalwin.org		Provides short-term assistance to eligible adults with no dependent children, up to \$310 per month for rent, for a household of one. General Relief payments are considered a loan and must be repaid. Applications only. General Relief registration by appointments only. Application processed in Simi Valley office on Thursday mornings with appointment.
	(805) 955-2282 www.vchsa.org	980 Enchanted Way, Suite 105 Simi Valley, CA 93065	Provides free access for any job seekers to training, recruitment, job fairs, job search assistance, and resources. Ongoing CalWORKs cases are serviced at this office.

BENEFITS AND CASH ASSISTANCE (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Human Services Agency (continued) East County Intake & Eligibility Center Veterans Services	(805) 477-5155 Call for an appointment or questions (805) 955-2286 Simi Valley office (805) 955-2282 Receptionist	980 Enchanted Way, Suite 105 Simi Valley, CA 93065 Simi Valley Senior Center 3900 Avenida Simi Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provides information and application assistance for all benefits under the U.S. Department of Veteran's Affairs to active service personnel, veterans, their dependents and survivors, including parents who have lost a child in military service. Services are available in Simi Valley the first Wednesday of the month from 8:00 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.
	(805) 477-5155 - Call for an appointment or questions	1701-A Pacific Avenue, Suite 110 Oxnard, CA 93033	Services available in Oxnard, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. - noon
		2967 E. Thousand Oaks Blvd. Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Services are available in Thousand Oaks, Tuesdays from 8:00 a.m. - noon
		1385 Janss Road Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Second Tuesday of each month 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Social Security Administration	(800) 772-1213 www.ssa.gov Benefit applications accepted on-line	<u>For Zip Code 93065:</u> 80 E. Hillcrest Drive, Suite 200 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360 <u>For Zip Code 93063:</u> 9168 De Soto Avenue Chatsworth, CA 91311	Federal program providing retirement, disability, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Medicare, and survivor benefits to qualified persons. Ventura County Behavioral Health clients can ask their case workers for assistance in applying for Social Security (SSI) benefits.

CAMPING

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County Parks	(805) 654-3951 www.ventura.org		Provides overnight facilities in Fillmore, Simi Valley, Camarillo, Oxnard, and Ojai.
County of Ventura - Camping Oak County Park Tapo Canyon Park	(805) 654-3951	905 Quimisa Drive 4651 Tapo Canyon Road	Closest public campsites to Simi Valley: RV camping only RV camping only

CAMPING (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura – Camping (continued) Oxnard – McGrath State Beach Ventura – Emma Wood Ventura – Faria Beach Ventura – Hobson Park Ventura – Ventura Beach Resort Fillmore – Kenny Grove Santa Paula – Steckle Park Oak View - Lake Casitas	(805) 654-4744 (805) 654-8444 (805) 654-3951 (805) 654-3951 (805) 643-9137 (805) 524-0750 (805) 654-3951 (805) 649-2251	2211 Harbor Boulevard Rincon Parkway Hwy. 1 4350 West PCH 5210 PCH 800 W. Main Street 823 N. Oak Street 8080 Mistletoe Road 11311 Santa Clara Road	Public camping and RV facilities.
National Park Service	http://www.nps.gov/index.htm		Seniors (62+) can purchase a lifetime pass to all National Parks for \$10. Active duty military and their families qualify for free entrance.
State Parks – Channel Island District	(800) 444-7275 www.parks.ca.gov		Information and reservations for all California State Parks.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Action Family Counseling Drug and Alcohol Treatment	(800) 367-8336 Crisis line (805) 584-3258 Simi Valley www.actionfamilycounseling.org	4380 Apricot Road Simi Valley, CA 93063	Support for adolescents, adults, and families with chemical dependency, behavioral modification, and mental health treatment services. Treatment services include: outpatient services and residential treatment, diagnostic assessment, individualized treatment plan, therapy, treatment advocacy, drug testing, and referrals to outside agencies. Offers a free weekly parent and teen support group in Simi Valley (call for times).
AIM Program (Access for Infants and Mothers)	(800) 433-2611 www.aim.ca.gov	P.O. Box 15559 Sacramento, CA 95852	State managed medical insurance for pregnant women and children, birth to 2 years. Designed for middle-income families whose income is too high to qualify for MediCal.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Berylwood Family Resource Center (Moorpark/Simi Valley Neighborhood for Learning - First 5 Ventura County)	(805) 582-1214 www.mpsvnfl.com	2300 Heywood Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Free services for families with children birth to 5 years of age. Neighborhood based drop-in center offering: information and referral activities, mental health and dental services, parent education classes and workshops, adult ESL classes, mobile preschool van, Parent and Me classes, recreational activities, and help with MediCal and Healthy Families applications.
Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Ventura County	(805) 484-2282 www.bbsvc.org	445 Rosewood, Suite Q Camarillo, CA 93010	Provides children with caring adult volunteer mentors, serves boys ages 8 to 14 and girls ages 6 to 14.
Boys & Girls Club of Simi Valley	(805) 527-4437 www.bgcsimi.com	2850 Lemon Drive Simi Valley, CA 93063	After-school programs for youth ages 6 to 17, offers a low-cost option for after school and summer supervision. Provides transportation from elementary and middle schools.
Boys Town National Hotline	(800) 448-3000 Business office www.boystown.org	Boys Town National Headquarters 14100 Crawford Street Boys Town, NE 68010	Free resource and counseling service that assists both youth and parents.
Child Development Resources of Ventura County, Inc. (CDR)	(805) 485-7878 (800) 962-5437 www.cdrv.org	221 E. Ventura Blvd. Oxnard, CA 93036	Provides childcare resources and referrals, Head Start (which is an income-eligible, free preschool program), and a Subsidized Childcare Program, including Alternative Payment Program, CalWORKs, Stage 1, 2, and 3, which subsidizes childcare costs for income-eligible parents while at work, school, or job training.
Children's Home Society of California	(805) 437-1910 www.chs-ca.org	730 Paseo Camarillo, Suite 130 Camarillo, CA 93010	Services can include subsidized childcare assistance program (Alternative Payment Program, CalWORKs, CPS) for income-eligible families, resources and referrals for families and post adoption support.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Community Pregnancy Clinic of Simi Valley	(805) 583-3590 (800) 395-HELP 24-hour national hotline www.CPCsimi.org	2650 Jones Way, Suite 31 Simi Valley, CA 93065	Medical clinic providing pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, STI testing, counseling, diapers, MediCal, community resources, and shelter referrals. All services are free.
County of Ventura Department of Child Support Services	(866) 901-3212 www.childsup.ca.gov	5171 Verdugo Way Camarillo, CA 93012-8603	Locates non-custodial parents, establishes paternity, establishes and modifies child and medical support orders, and collects and distributes child support payments.
County of Ventura Health Care Agency Behavioral Health Department Simi Valley Youth and Families Division	(805) 582-4080 www.vchca.org	1227 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Services include: case management, psychiatric assessment and treatment, psychological testing, outpatient psychotherapy, and school based services offered with appropriate IEP (Individual Education Plan) referral from the school district.
STAR (Screening, Triage, Assessment, and Referral)	(800) 671-0887		Telephone line for referral to Behavioral Health Department services Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Children’s Intensive Response Team (CIRT)	(866) 431-CIRT (866) 431-2478 24-hour crisis hotline		Children’s mobile crisis response service for youth up to age 21, providing mobile crisis intervention, in-home support, and linkage to mental health services.
County of Ventura Human Services Agency Adoptions Program	(805) 240-2700 www.vchsa.org	1400 Vanguard Drive Oxnard, CA 93030	Full service adoption agency specializing in professional services to birthparents considering voluntary relinquishment of a child, children requiring preparation for adoptive placement, and families interested in adopting. Additional services are extended to stepparent families who wish to initiate adoption proceedings.
Adult, Children and Family Services	(805) 955-2290 (805) 654-3200 24-hour hotline www.vchsa.org	970 Enchanted Way Simi Valley, CA 93065	Provides protection for children who are at risk of, or are being physically, sexually or emotionally abused, neglected or exploited.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Human Services Agency (continued) Foster Care Licensing	(805) 654-3456	4651 Telephone Road, Suite 300 Ventura, CA 93003	Provides recruitment, training, licensing, and support services for foster families and relative caregivers countywide who are matched with children in need of care.
Healthy Families and Medical Outreach	(888) 747-1222 (805) 578-3680 www.healthyfamilies.ca.gov		State managed medical insurance for income qualified children under 19 or pregnant women. No proof of citizenship is required. Call for application. Representative is in Simi Valley on Thursdays.
Youth Services Division	(805) 654-3405	4651 Telephone Road, Suite 300 Ventura, CA 93003	Provides specialized placement (group home) case management and administers the Independent Living Program (ILP) in Ventura County (housing, education, health, employment/vocational, mentoring, transportation, and independent living basic skills classes.) Centralized services for both in-care (ages 18 to 21), and out of care (ages 18 to 24) who have emancipated from the foster care system.
County of Ventura Public Health Services CHDP - (Child Health and Disability Prevention Program Administration) Children's Health Promotion	(805) 981-5291 (800) 781-4449 Toll-free www.vchca.org	1133 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Suite B Simi Valley, CA 93065	No cost well-child preventive care health screenings for low-income and MediCal eligible infants, children and teens.
Childhood Immunization	(805) 981-5240		Provides developmental screening, assessment, health education, and case management services to families with children birth to 5 years of age.
Childhood Immunization	(805) 981-5221 Central appointment desk or (888) 285-5012 Toll-free www.vchca.org	1133 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Suite B Simi Valley, CA 93065	Provides low-cost immunizations for those who qualify. Immunizations include: Polio, Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis, Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Hib, Meningitis, Prevnar, Varicella, and Hepatitis A and B vaccines.
Kit for New Parents	(800) 543-7025 (805) 582-1214 Neighborhood for Learning Center		Provides a free resource kit for parents and caregivers of children birth to 5 years of age.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES (continued)

<p>County of Ventura Public Health Services (continued) Pregnant Parenting Adolescent Program (PPAP) WIC (Women, Infants and Children) Nutrition Program</p>	(805) 981-5177		Case management for pregnant and parenting female and male teens, ages 11 to 20 and their children, to promote self-sufficient parents and healthy children.
	(805) 981-5251 (800) 781-4449 x3 www.wicworks.ca.gov	1133 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Suite B Simi Valley, CA 93065	Nutrition education, breastfeeding support, supplemental food and referrals for financially eligible women, infants and children up to five years of age. Shelf-stable and manageable quantities of food provided for the homeless or those without adequate refrigeration.
<p>Interface Children & Family Services Youth Crisis Outreach Program</p>	(805) 469-5882 www.icfs.org	4001 Mission Oaks Blvd., Suite I Camarillo, CA 93012-5121	Provides Youth Crisis Line, and Cool Homes for a safe, temporary shelter. Services include crisis intervention, goal setting, advocacy, information and referrals, and mediation.
<p>Kids & Families Together Kinship Support Service Program</p>	(805) 643-1446 x125 www.kidsandfamilies.org	856 E. Thompson Blvd. Ventura, CA 93001 Senior Center 3900 Avenida Simi Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provides support to families providing full-time parenting to minor children who are not their own, such as grandparents, other relatives, neighbors or family friends. Programs offered weekly at the Simi Valley Senior Center,
<p>Palmer Drug Abuse Program of Ventura County (PDAP)</p>	(805) 482-1265 www.pdapofventura.com	450 Rosewood Avenue #215 Camarillo, CA 93010	Outpatient substance abuse programs for ages 11 to 20 with parent support groups. Accepts MediCal.
<p>Rainbow Connection Family Resource Center</p>	(805) 823-2325 www.rainbowconnectionfrc.weebly.com	1900 Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Provides support, information and training for people with developmental disabilities and other special needs and their families. A satellite library is available in the Simi Valley Tri-Counties Regional Center office.
<p>Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District</p>	(805) 584-4400 www.rsrpd.org	1692 Sycamore Drive Simi Valley, CA 93065 Multiple service locations available.	Offers recreation, before/after school care programs, and daycare programs with financial assistance available to qualified homeless persons.
<p>Salvation Army Simi Valley</p>	(805) 527-1070 www.salvationarmyusa.org	1407 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Unit P Simi Valley, CA 93065	Food distribution, social services, seasonal assistance, and children's summer camp.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION	
School on Wheels, Inc.	(805) 641-1678 www.schoolonwheels.org	P.O. Box 23371 Ventura, CA 93002	Volunteers provide one-on-one tutoring and school supplies for homeless children Kindergarten through 12 who live in shelters, motels, group foster homes, cars, and on the streets.	
SELPA - Ventura County Special Education Local Plan Area	(805) 437-1560 www.venturacountyselpa.com	5100 Adolfo Road Camarillo, CA 93012	Coordinates services to students with special education needs, to ensure a free appropriate public education to all students with identified disabilities. Access to resources and assistance with Individual Education Plans (IEP) for staff and families.	
Simi Valley Family YMCA	(805) 583-5338 www.simiyymca.org	3200 Cochran Street Simi Valley, CA 93065	Offers recreation, after school care, and daycare programs with financial assistance available to qualified families.	
Simi Valley Unified School District	(805) 306-4500 www.simivalleyusd.org	875 E. Cochran Street Simi Valley, CA 93065		
Food Services	(805) 306-4500 x4702		Free or reduced-price meal programs.	
Homeless Liaison	(805) 306-4500 x4206		Coordinates services for all homeless, foster, and transitionally housed students to enroll in and attend school by providing assistance for tutoring, transportation, meals, supplies and fees, etc.	
Minor Parent Program at Apollo High School	(805) 520-6150 x3 www.apollo.simivalleyusd.org		3150 School Street Simi Valley, CA 93065	High school degree program for pregnant and parenting students with childcare for their babies that are up to 18 months.
Student Support Services	(805) 306-4580 x4302		875 E. Cochran Street Simi Valley, CA 93065	Provides hearing, vision, and learning disability assessments from preschool age and older. Manages all requests for Individual Education Plans (IEP).

CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
United Parents	(805) 384-1555 (805) 551-0472 24-hour Home Access Team (HAT) support line www.unitedparents.org	391 S. Dawson Drive, Suite 1A Camarillo, CA 93012	A family driven nonprofit agency for “parents helping parents”. Serving the unique challenges of families raising children with emotional, behavioral, or mental disorders. Provides help and hope by identifying and bridging gaps in traditional services through programs, respite care, educational advocacy, parent partners, support groups, and a 24/7 helpline.
Ventura County Office of Education Countywide Foster Youth Services Program	(805) 437-1525 www.vcoe.org/spes/FosterYouthServices.aspx	5189 Verdugo Way Camarillo, CA 93012	Provides direct services to foster youth by helping with school enrollment, gathering records, facilitating between agencies and schools, assisting with college preparation, and providing referrals for tutoring and mentoring. Offers training to all prospective foster parents on educational rights and responsibilities. Offers technical assistance to school districts.
Homeless Education Project	(805) 437-1526 www.vcoe.org/spes/HomelessEducationProjectHEP.aspx (805) 306-4572 x4206 Simi Valley Unified School District		

CITIZENSHIP, NATURALIZATION AND IDENTIFICATION

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
California Department of Motor Vehicles	(800) 777-0133 www.dmv.ca.gov	3855-D Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	California driver license and California State ID processing. Appointments available online. Forms are available at Ventura County Human Services and the Samaritan Center for reduced fees to apply for a California ID Card for qualified low-income persons.

CITIZENSHIP, NATURALIZATION AND IDENTIFICATION (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
California Department of Public Health Birth certificates and vital records	(916) 445-2684 www.cdph.ca.gov	California Office of Vital Records MS 5103 P.O. Box 997410 Sacramento, CA 95899	Issues copies of California birth and death certificates.
County of Ventura Public Health Birth/Death Certificate Registry	(805) 981-5172 Vital Records office (805) 654-2295 Recorder's office www.vhca.org/public-health/vitalrecords/authorizedpersons	Public Health Administration 2240 E. Gonzales Road, Suite 210 Oxnard, CA 93036	Registration of all births and deaths that occur in Ventura County are at the Vital Records Office. Certified copies of birth and death certificates are available for purchase for the current year and one year prior only. Certified copies from previous years are available through the Recorder's Office.
El Concilio Family Services	(805) 486-9777 x232 www.elconcilioventura.org	301 S. "C" Street Oxnard, CA 93030	Provides assistance on citizenship and immigration processes, free legal clinics, U.S. Civics instruction, FBI fingerprinting, and passport photos. Call for consultation. USCIS Accredited.
Mexican Consulate of Oxnard	(805) 984-8738	USCIS Application Support Center 3151 W. 5 th Street E-100 Oxnard, CA 93030	Application Support Center, visas, passports, and other supports and services.
Passports City of Simi Valley	(805) 583-6066 www.simivalley.org	2929 Tapo Canyon Road Simi Valley, CA 93063	United States Passport Services Office is located at Simi Valley City Hall, by appointment on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Simi Valley Main Post Office	(805) 526-9819 www.travel.state.gov	2551 Galena Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Passport office is open Monday through Friday, 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. and on Saturday by appointment only 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Photos can be taken onsite.
Simi Valley Adult School and Career Institute	(805) 579-6200 www.simi.tec.ca.us	1880 Blackstock Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	U.S. Citizenship preparation and English as a Second Language (ESL) classes.
US Citizenship and Immigration Service	(800) 375-5283 www.uscis.gov	300 N. Los Angeles Street Los Angeles, CA 90012	Immigration, naturalization, and citizenship services.

COURT/LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura District Attorney Consumer Mediation and Small Claims Advisor Unit Crime Victims' Assistance	(805) 654-3110 Ventura (805) 306-7930 Simi Valley www.ventura.org	Main Office: 800 S. Victoria Avenue Ventura, CA 93009 Simi Valley Office: 3855-F Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Free mediation service for disputes involving consumer issues such as landlord tenant disputes, service complaints, warranty issues, merchandise complaints, and other types of consumer concerns. Free information and assistance with small claims court forms, procedures, court preparation, and judgment collection.
	(805) 306-7926 East (Monday and Tuesday only) (805) 654-3622 West		Provides assistance in restraining orders, emergency cell phones, victims of crime, and safety planning.
County of Ventura Probation Agency East County Supervision Office Adult and Juvenile Services Ventura County Work Furlough Program Work Release Program	(805) 582-8032 (805) 582-8047 http://public.venturaprobatio.n.org	3855-F Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provides adult and juvenile probation field supervision services.
	(805) 388-4236 Administrative Supervision Unit http://public.venturaprobatio.n.org	345 Skyway Drive Camarillo, CA 93010	Minimum-security jail provides court-ordered confinement while maintaining employment or school attendance in the community. The Alternative Action Program operates a drug treatment program. Individuals who represent a low risk to public safety and who are sentenced to 30 days or less in the county jail may be eligible for the Work Release Program. The program provides rigorous and strenuous manual labor as an alternative to confinement.
County of Ventura Superior Court Homeless Court	(805) 654-2201 Information (805) 579-9166 To register www.ventura.courts.ca.gov	Samaritan Center 280 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Alternative sentencing program for homeless to resolve outstanding minor offenses and warrants through community service.

COURT/LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Superior Court (continued) Veteran's Intervention Program	(805) 654-2526 District Attorney (805) 654-3033 Public Defender www.ventura.courts.ca.gov	800 S. Victoria Avenue Courtroom 35 Ventura, CA 93009	Help for veterans charged with a crime. Connects veterans to treatment and services, including mental health, drug and alcohol treatment, and other life skills. Held every Monday at 3:00 p.m. Interested veterans may ask their attorney for referral to this court.
East County Courthouse	(805) 654-5000 www.ventura.courts.ca.gov	3855-F Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	County Clerk - Monday and Tuesday, 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Walk-up window for traffic fines and collections Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. District Attorney - Monday and Tuesday.
Simi Valley Police Department	911 – Emergency (805) 583-6950 Front desk www.simivalley.org	3901 Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Emergency dispatch for police, fire, and ambulance. Provides Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) trained officers to respond to mental health emergencies.
Ventura County Public Defender Adult Mental Health Court	(805) 981-8828 www.pubdef.countyofventura.org/	1911 Williams Drive Oxnard, CA 93036	Alternative treatment for seriously mentally ill offenders. Forensic Services Program (FSP) works with courts and law enforcement agencies to divert seriously mentally ill clients from jail into treatment. Referrals through court, public defender, attorney, law enforcement, or Behavioral Health.

CREDIT, CONSUMER AND MORTGAGE COUNSELING

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Cabrillo Economic Development Corporation NeighborWorks® Homeownership Center	(805) 659-6868 x130 (805) 659-6868 Homeownership Center www.cabrilloedc.org	702 Country Club Drive Ventura, CA 93003	A non-profit counseling agency approved by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to help families secure financial stability and affordable homeownership opportunities by providing education, counseling, lending and realty services. Also offers home preservation services to help families understand their options in keeping their home and/or finding alternatives when homeownership cannot be maintained.

CREDIT, CONSUMER AND MORTGAGE COUNSELING (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
California Department of Consumer Affairs	(800) 952-5210 www.dca.ca.gov	1625 N. Market Blvd., Suite N-112 Sacramento, CA 95834	Government agency dedicated to protecting consumers and regulating a variety of professions, occupations, and businesses. Provides consumer information referral, and regulatory powers.
California Department of Real Estate	(877) 373-4542 http://www.dre.ca.gov/Consumers/	2201 Broadway Sacramento, CA 95818	Online access to state department in charge of real estate broker licensing and consumer complaints on real estate transactions. Offers license checks of mortgage brokers and lenders and a consumer complaint form. Also provides additional links for foreclosure prevention information and avoiding mortgage foreclosure scams.
California Franchise Tax Board	(800) 852-5711 www.ftb.ca.gov		California Income Tax information.
Hope Now	(888) 995-4673 For information: www.hopenow.com or www.hopeloanportal.org Foreclosure alternatives: www.homeownerconnect.org	(888) 995-HOPE	Foreclosure prevention service with referrals to credit counselors and lenders/investors to assist homeowners who are having trouble paying their mortgage with foreclosure alternatives (loan modification, short sales, etc.)
Internal Revenue Service	(800) 829-1040	751 Daily Drive Camarillo, CA 93010	Tax Payer Assistance Center
SurePath Financial Services (Formerly Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Ventura County, Inc.)	(805) 383-7700 (877) 615-7873 www.surepath.org	80 N. Wood Street #200 Camarillo, CA 93010	Consumer credit education and counseling, budgeting, debt repayment program, HUD housing counseling and resource center, and bankruptcy.
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)	(800) 333-4636 Federal information www.hud.gov/foreclosure		HUD's on-line <i>Tips for Avoiding Foreclosure</i> and links and toll-free phone numbers to HUD-approved housing counseling agencies.

DENTAL SERVICES

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Berylwood Family Resource Center (Moorpark/Simi Valley Neighborhood for Learning - First 5 Ventura County)	(805) 582-1214 www.mpsvnfl.com	2300 Heywood Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Free services for families with children birth to 5 years of age, including health and dental screenings and workshops.
Free Clinic of Simi Valley	(805) 522-3733 www.freeclinicsv.com	2060 Tapo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Dental appointments by a lottery system. Call after 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday for information and appointments.
Las Clinicas del Camino Real, Inc.	(805) 522-5722 http://www.clinicas.org	1424 Madera Road Simi Valley, CA 93065	Comprehensive healthcare clinic includes dental care.
Oxnard College Dental Hygiene Program	(805) 986-5823 www.oxnardcollege.edu	4000 S. Rose Avenue Oxnard, CA 93033	Low cost dental exams, cleanings and x-rays.
Salvation Army Free Clinic – Oxnard	(805) 483-9235 Call for details http://www.salvationarmyoxnard.org/clinic.php	622 W. Wooley Road Oxnard, CA 93032	Dental services offered free-of-charge include oral examinations, fillings, simple extractions, and X-rays. Dental Clinic: Tuesday and Thursday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. All patients are seen on a walk-in basis, no appointments are taken, first come, first serve basis. Call for details.
Santa Barbara-Ventura Dental Society Early Childhood Oral Health Program - Santa Barbara-Ventura County Dental Care Foundation	(805) 643-3762 www.sbvcds.org	1607 E. Thompson Blvd. Ventura, CA 93001	Provides referrals for senior dental program that provides 10–15% discount on all services. Funds to assist with treatment costs for low-income, uninsured children birth to 5 years of age.

DISABILITY SERVICES

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
ARC Ventura County	(805) 650-8611 www.arcvc.org	Administration Address: 5103 Walker Street Ventura, CA 93003	Provides educational, vocational, and residential services for people with developmental disabilities.
Community Connections East	(805) 520-0399	5143 Cochran Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Employment and community based supportive services.
Independent Living Program			Four two-bedroom condos with supportive services for adults with developmental disabilities.

DISABILITY SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
ARC Ventura County (continued) Simi Valley Community Integration Program	(805) 527-1358	3340 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provides social skills, recreation, and training for the developmentally disabled, with community based supportive services.
California Tri-Counties Regional Center	(805) 522-8030 (800) 517-2524 www.dds.ca.gov	1900 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Second Floor Simi Valley, CA 93065	Diagnostic, case management, support, and services for children and adults living with developmental disabilities.
California State Department of Rehabilitation	(805) 371-6279 www.dor.ca.gov	101 Hodencamp Road, Suite 212 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Employment assistance for the physically, mentally, and emotionally disabled. Provides vocational counseling, job training services, and placement assistance.
County of Ventura Human Services Agency Adult, Family Services Adult Protective Services	(805) 658-4450 APS general information line (805) 654-3200 24-hour abuse reporting hotline www.countyofventura.org	1001 Partridge Drive #365 Ventura, CA 93003	Investigates reports of elder or dependent adult abuse or neglect, including self-neglect. Based on an assessment of their findings, staff develops a plan to preserve the rights, interest, safety, and welfare of the elderly or disabled adult client.
In-Home Support Services	(805) 306-7935 Information (805) 654-3236 Intake	3855-F Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	In-Home Support Services provides domestic chores and non-medical personal care to low-income, MediCal eligible, aged, blind, or disabled persons in their homes. To be eligible for services, persons must be receiving SSI/SSD benefits or meet the program's financial need requirement.
Public Administrator/Public Guardian (Referrals generally made directly to the agency by hospitals, nursing homes, or the Coroner's office)	(805) 654-3141 Officer of the day, leave message for a call back, also call this number for a referral packet	1001 Partridge Drive #360 Ventura, CA 93003	Manages final arrangements for indigent residents of Ventura County and for those who have no family to make such arrangements. Also manages the estates of deceased Ventura County residents who have no other administrator available.

DISABILITY SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Human Services Agency (continued) Public Guardian, Lanterman-Petris-Short (LPS) Mental Health Conservatorships Public Guardian, Probate Conservatorships	(805) 652-6729 Conserved only through the Ventura County Psychiatric Center		Investigates the need to manage the care and finances of Ventura County adult residents who are receiving involuntary psychiatric treatment and are “gravely disabled due to a mental disorder”, i.e., unable to provide for their own food, clothing, or shelter.
	(805) 654-3141 Call to request a referral packet		Investigates the need to manage the care and finances of Ventura County adult residents who lack the mental capacity to manage their own affairs, and who have no suitable family member or other party willing and able to take on legal responsibility for them.
County of Ventura Public Health Department Medical Therapy Program	(805) 981-5281 www.vhca.org/public-health		Provides occupational and physical therapy to children who have medically eligible, physically-handicapping conditions.
Easter Seals of Southern California	(805) 647-1141 http://southernca.easterseals.com	10730 Henderson Road Ventura, CA 93004	Offers medical rehabilitation, early intervention, infant development, aquatic therapy, summer camp, testing and referrals for disabled infants, children and adults.
Independent Living Resource Center, Inc.	(805) 650-5993 Ventura (805) 650-0669 Voice/TDD (805) 256-1036 Video Phone www.ilrc-trico.org	1802 Eastman Avenue #112 Ventura, CA 93003	Assists anyone with a disability with accessible housing, attendant care, benefits assistance, independent living skills, Community Transitions Program, communication assistance, deaf services, assistive technology, peer support, veteran’s outreach, and transportation.
Life After Brain Injury	(805) 493-5555 www.lifeafterbraininjury.org	1918 Erringer Road Simi Valley, CA 93065 (located in the R.R. Gable Real Estate Office)	Supports brain injury survivors and their caregivers with peer-mentored support groups, one-on-one coaching around goal-setting and problem-solving, and education and connections to social services. Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. - noon. Other times available by appointment.

DISABILITY SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
PathPoint	(805) 520-8744 www.pathpoint.org	1463 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Provides independent living and employment support services for those with disabilities or disadvantages to live and work independently.
Tri-County GLAD (Greater Los Angeles Agency on Deafness, Inc.)	(805) 644-6322 (805) 644-6323 TTY (805) 256-1053 Video phone (805) 644-6322 Voice www.tcglad.org	702 County Square Drive, Suite 101 Ventura, CA 93003	Addresses social service needs of the deaf and hard of hearing including interpreters, communication access, peer counseling, employment development, information and referrals, independent living skills, community education services, and advocacy.
Ventura County Community College District – Moorpark College ACCESS (Accessibility Coordination Center & Educational Support Services)	(805)378-1461 Phone/TDD www.moorparkcollege.edu/services_for_students/access/	7075 Campus Road Moorpark, CA 93021	Assures all Moorpark College classes, activities and facilities are accessible to all qualified students.

DOMESTIC AND FAMILY VIOLENCE/ABUSE

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Coalition for Family Harmony	(805) 656-1111 24-hour crisis hotline (800) 300-2181 24-hour bilingual crisis hotline (805) 983-6014 Office hours 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday www.thecoalition.org	1030 N. Ventura Road Oxnard, CA 93030	Provides services for domestic violence and sexual assault, including: survivors, perpetrators, family members and children. Services include 24-hour hotline, emergency shelter, counseling, batterers' intervention, crisis response and child sexual abuse intervention, crisis intervention training program, parenting, and anger management.
County of Ventura District Attorney Sexual Assault/Family Protection Unit Crime Victims' Assistance	(805) 654-3068 (805) 654-3097 http://da.countyofventura.org (805) 654-3622	Main office: 800 S. Victoria Avenue #311 Ventura, CA 93009	Provides assistance and advocacy in all sexual assault, physical child abuse, and family violence cases. Assists victims of crimes, sexual assault, domestic violence, senior crime, and crimes against disabled. Helps with Temporary Restraining Orders, victim's compensation and advocacy.

DOMESTIC AND FAMILY VIOLENCE/ABUSE (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Human Services Agency Adult and Family Services Adult Protective Services (Elder and Dependent Adult Abuse) Child Protective Services	911 - Emergency (805) 658-4450 information (805) 654-3200 24-hour reporting hotline (abuse/neglect) www.vchsa.org	1001 Partridge Drive #365 Ventura, CA 93003	Investigates reports of elder or dependent adult abuse or neglect, including self-neglect. Based on an assessment of the findings, staff develops a plan to preserve the rights, interests, safety, and welfare of the elderly or disabled adult client.
	(805) 955-2290 (805) 654-3200 24-hour hotline	East County Regional Office 970 Enchanted Way Simi Valley, CA 93065	Provides protection for children who are at risk of, or are being physically, sexually, or emotionally abused, neglected, or exploited.
Interface Children & Family Services Family Violence Intervention Services	(800) 636-6738 or dial "211" www.icfs.org	4001 Mission Oaks Blvd., Suite I Camarillo, CA 93012	Provides 24/7 crisis response calls from victims of domestic violence, law enforcement, and medical providers. Services include: emergency shelter, safety planning, restraining order assistance, legal advocacy, and community based prevention presentations, 52-week domestic violence classes, parenting education, co-custody and anger management.

EDUCATION

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Simi Valley Adult School and Career Institute	(805) 579-6200 www.simi.tec.ca.us	1880 Blackstock Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Offers classes and certifications in many occupational training programs (computer, business, machinist, medical, dental, cosmetology, real estate, welding, and traffic violators), English as a second language, citizenship, parenting, high school course work, recreation, and senior activities.
Simi Valley Unified School District Student Support Services Food Services Homeless Liaison	(805) 306-4500 x4302 www.simivalley.usd.org	875 E. Cochran Street Simi Valley, CA 93065	Provides hearing, vision, and learning disability assessments. Processes requests for Individual Education Plans (IEP).
	(805) 306-4500 x4702		Free or reduced-price meal programs.
	(805) 306-4500 x4206		Coordinates services for all homeless, foster, and transitionally housed students to enroll in and attend school by providing tutoring, transportation, meals, etc.

EDUCATION (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Simi Valley Unified School District (continued) Minor Parent Program at Apollo High School	(805) 520-6150 x3	3150 School Street Simi Valley, CA 93065	High school degree program for pregnant and parenting students with childcare for babies up to 18 months old.
SELPA - Ventura County Special Education Local Plan Area	(805) 437-1560 www.venturacountyselpa.com	5100 Adolfo Road Camarillo, CA 93012	Coordinates services to students with special education needs, to ensure a free appropriate public education to all students with identified disabilities. Access to resources and assistance with Individual Education Plans (IEP) for staff and families.
Ventura County Community College District – Moorpark College ACCESS (Accessibility Coordination Center and Educational Support Services)	(805) 378-1400 www.moorparkcollege.edu	7075 Campus Road Moorpark, CA 93021	Community college with financial aid, disability services, childcare, and multiple education and career options.
	(805) 378-1461 Phone/TDD		Assures all Moorpark College classes, activities and facilities are accessible to all qualified students.
Ventura County Office of Education Countywide Foster Youth Services Program Homeless Education Project	(805) 437-1525 www.vcoe.org	5189 Verdugo Way Camarillo, CA 93012	Provides direct services to foster youth by helping with school enrollment, gathering records, facilitating communications between agencies and schools, providing referrals for tutoring and mentoring, and assisting youth with college preparation. Offers training to all prospective foster parents on educational rights and responsibilities. Offers technical assistance to school districts.
	(805) 437-1526 (805) 306-4500 x4206 SVUSD Homeless liaisons		Provides direct services to homeless families by helping homeless students enroll in school, making referrals for food, clothing, shelter, tutoring, mentoring, and offering support services as needed. Also offers technical assistance to Ventura County school districts' administration serving the homeless population.

EDUCATION (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Ventura County Office of Education (continued) Regional Occupational Program (ROP)	(805) 437-1420 www.venturacountyrop.com	465 Horizon Circle Camarillo, CA 93010	Provides hands-on career preparation for students age 16 to adults with technical skills required for dozens of careers. Community-based internships in local businesses and industry sites are offered in many classes. High school students receive priority.

EMERGENCY NEEDS

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
American Red Cross	(805) 987-1514 www.arcventura.org	836 Calle Plano Camarillo, CA 93012	Provides assistance and services for victims of disasters (fires, floods, earthquakes, etc.).
Interface Children & Family Services (211 information line)	Dial “211” Information or (805) 919-1148 TDD (800) 339-9597 www.icfs.org	4001 Mission Oaks Blvd., Suite I Camarillo, CA 93012	Twenty-four hour information and referral services for health and human services throughout Ventura County.
Simi Valley Police Department	911 – Emergency (805) 583-6950 Front desk www.simivalley.org	3901 Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Emergency dispatch for police, fire, and ambulance. Provides Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) trained officers to respond to mental health emergencies.

EMPLOYMENT

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
California Conservation Corps	(805) 278-2787 www.ccc.ca.gov	3200 Wright Road Camarillo, CA 93010	Residential center for 80 corps members with job training and employment program for qualified youth ages 18 to 25. Program includes continuing education. Projects include watershed restoration, trail construction and park development.
California Employment Development Department Employment	(805) 382-8610 www.edd.ca.gov	635 S. Ventura Road Oxnard, CA 93030	Provides job referral, employment services, unemployment insurance benefits, training programs, and veterans counseling. The www.caljobs.ca.gov website lists job opportunities throughout California as well as resources for seeking employment.

EMPLOYMENT (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
California Employment Development Department (continued) Unemployment Insurance Claims Veterans Services	(800) 300-5616 English (800) 326-8937 Spanish www.caljobs.ca.gov	635 S. Ventura Road Oxnard, CA 93030	Unemployment claims are accepted by telephone or online only. Unemployment Insurance program provides assistance to people who have lost their job through no fault of their own.
	(805) 382-8610		Veteran's employment services, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
California State Department of Rehabilitation	(805) 371-6279 www.dor.ca.gov	101 Hodencamp Road, Suite 212 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Employment assistance for the physically, mentally, and emotionally disabled. Provides vocational counseling, job training services, and placement assistance.
County of Ventura Human Services Agency East County Intake & Eligibility Center	(888) HSA-INFO (888) 472-4463 (866) 904-9362 For general information call toll-free www.vchsa.org	2003 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Service intake and benefits application assistance for MediCal, CalFresh (food stamps), General Relief, CalWORKs and other government assistance programs.
East County Job & Career Center	(805) 955-2282 (805) 955-2200	980 Enchanted Way, Suite 105 Simi Valley, CA 93065	Provides services for adult and youth job seekers who want to explore career opportunities, improve their skills, develop a career path or find a new job. Job seekers have free access to labor market information, a resource center and a variety of web-based job search tools. Staff provides support, respond to special needs, and make referrals for training and other resources.
East County Job & Career Center Satellite	(805) 374-9006	80 Hillcrest, Suite 200 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	
	(805) 523-5423	612 Spring Road, Suite 301 Moorpark, CA 93021	

EMPLOYMENT (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Human Services Agency (continued) Workforce Investment Board of Ventura County (WIB)	(805) 477-5306 www.wib.ventura.org	855 Partridge Drive Ventura, CA 93003	Administers federal funds that help to support Job and Career Centers (JCCs) and other workforce development programs and services in Ventura County. Provide employment assistance, career training, and education services to job seekers, and employee recruitment, customized training, and employment consulting to local businesses. Also contracts with youth program and service providers and business consulting service providers.
Goodwill Industries of Ventura and Santa Barbara Counties, Inc.	(805) 981-0130 (805) 526-5570 www.goodwillvsb.org	130 Lombard Street Oxnard, CA 93030 Simi Valley donations only: 530 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065 5145 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provides employment and job readiness services to clients with barriers to employment. Clients who need employment services must be referred through County offices or receive unemployment. Provides subsidized employment opportunities to businesses.
Job Corps	(909) 887-6305 (800) 733-5627 www.inlandempire.jobcorps.gov	Inland Empire Job Corps Center 3173 Kerry Street P.O. Box 9550 San Bernardino, CA 92407	Free job and career technical and academic training program for qualified youth ages 16 to 24, with residential services.
PathPoint	(805) 520-8744 www.pathpoint.org	1463 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Provides independent living and employment support services for those with disabilities or disadvantages to live and work independently.
Simi Valley Adult School and Career Institute	(805) 579-6200 www.simi.tec.ca.us	1880 Blackstock Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Offers classes and certifications in many occupational training programs (computer, business, machinist, medical, dental, cosmetology, real estate, welding, and traffic violators), English as a Second Language, citizenship, parenting, high school course work, recreation, and senior activities.

EMPLOYMENT (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Simi Valley Youth Employment Service	(805) 522-4473 www.simivalley.org/yes	3855-A Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Employment services for youth ages 13 to 22.
Ventura County Regional Occupational Program (ROP)	(805) 437-1420 www.venturacountyrop.com	465 Horizon Circle Camarillo, CA 93010	Provides hands-on career preparation for students age 16 to adults with technical skills required for dozens of careers. Community-based internships in local businesses and industry sites are offered in many classes. High school students receive priority.

FOOD, MEALS AND GROCERIES

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Berylwood Family Resource Center (Moorpark/Simi Valley Neighborhood for Learning - First 5 Ventura County)	(805) 582-1214 www.mpsvnfl.com	2300 Heywood Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Fresh produce is distributed on the fourth Thursday of the month from 1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Catholic Charities Moorpark	(805) 529-0720 http://www.holycross-moorpark.org/Holy_Cross_Moorpark/Catholic_Charities.html	612 Spring Road Moorpark, CA 93021	Provides safety-net services to the residents of Moorpark, including food, clothing, and limited rental assistance, utility assistance and, if donations are available, prescriptions, funeral expenses, car repair, and other unexpected needs. Open 8:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Monday through Wednesday and Saturday from 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
City of Simi Valley - Senior Center Senior Nutrition Program Congregate Meal Site Meals On Wheels Senior Share Program	(805) 583-6365 Information www.simivalley.org/seniorcenter	3900 Avenida Simi Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provides lunch/congregate meals at the Senior Center with transportation provided by Dial-A-Ride, Monday through Friday.
	(805) 583-6042		Meals On Wheels provides meals to the homebound, Monday through Friday.
	(805) 583-6363		Senior Share Program provides weekly food supplement for low-income seniors age 55 or older.
Cornerstone Church	(805) 581-9532 www.cornerstonesimi.com	4364 Valley Fair Simi Valley, CA 93063	Food distribution when available. Mondays at 9:00 a.m.

FOOD, MEALS AND GROCERIES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Human Services Agency East County Intake & Eligibility Center	(805) 584-4842 (866) 904-9362 For general information call toll-free www.vchsa.org	2003 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Service intake and benefits application assistance for Food Stamps and other government assistance programs. (Will assist the homeless with same day food stamps if requested before 3:00 p.m.)
Dinner Sites Simi Valley free dinner program	(805) 579-9166 For a monthly schedule go to: www.thesamaritancenterofsimivalley.org	280 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Nightly dinner meal program provided for the hungry, year-round, by a variety of churches and service clubs at rotating sites. Contact the Samaritan Center for information.
Food Share	(805) 983-7100 www.foodshare.com	4156 Southbank Road Oxnard, CA 93036	Countywide food bank and referral information for food resources in Ventura County. Provides food to eight Simi Valley food pantries.
NewHeart Four Square Church	(805) 583-3433 www.eneuheart.org	4200 Township Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93063	Distribution of donated food provided on Sundays, starting at 11:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.
New Hope Christian Fellowship Food Pantry	(805) 581-1628 www.newhopewestcoast.org	2350 Shasta Way Simi Valley, CA 93065	Clothing and grocery distribution every Sunday at 12:45 p.m.
Rescue Mission Alliance San Fernando Valley	(818) 785-4476 www.erescuemission.org	13422 Saticoy Street North Hollywood, CA 91605	Hot meals and showers at seven sites, nightly shelter for homeless families, 15 food pantries, and referrals. By appointment only.
Rescue Mission Alliance Ventura County Rescue Mission Oxnard	(805) 487-1234 www.erescuemission.com	234 E. 6 th Street Oxnard, CA 93030	Year-round shelter for men with showers, and alcohol/drug recovery. Three meals a day for men, women, and children.
Salvation Army Simi Valley	(805) 527-1070 www.salvationarmysocal.org	1407 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Unit P Simi Valley, CA 93065	Food distribution, social services, utility assistance, and seasonal activities.
Samaritan Center	(805) 579-9166 www.thesamaritancenterofsimivalley.org Email: thesamaritancenter@yahoo.com	280 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 940568 Simi Valley, CA 93094	Drop-in center for the homeless offers food, showers (Saturday 6:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.), phone, mail, clothing, referrals, Homeless Court, and contact site for other service providers, Monday through Thursday, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 a.m. PADS (Public Action to Deliver Shelter) winter warming shelter, November 1 to March 31.

FOOD, MEALS AND GROCERIES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church - Still Waters Café	(805) 526-7577 www.svlsimi.com	4191 Cochran Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Prepared dinner service and canned food distribution, Thursday 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Shop Ahoy, by Elderpride, Inc. (Includes local Simi Valley service)	(805) 236-1267 www.shopahoy.org	P.O. Box 3472 Camarillo, CA 93011	Assists elderly and disabled persons to stay in their homes by providing a grocery shopping and delivery service.
Simi Valley Unified School District Food Services (elementary, middle and high schools)	(805) 306-4500 x4702 www.simivalleyusd.org	875 E. Cochran Street Simi Valley, CA 93065	Free and reduced-price meals for children served under the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Program.
Simi Valley Food Pantry	(805) 584-9080	1925 Angus Street, Unit F Simi Valley, CA 93063	Distribution of food after short church service. Sign-up by 7:00 p.m., distribution 8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
St. Rose of Lima Serving Those in Need	(805) 581-0957 www.strosesv.com	1305 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Food pantry distribution on Wednesdays, call for times.
Trinity Lutheran and Lighthouse Bible Church	(805) 584-8222 or email for locations to: rswilson@pacbell.net	4910 Cochran Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Food distribution of locally donated food, Monday, Tuesday, and Friday, 11:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
WIC (Women, Infants and Children) Nutrition Program	(805) 981-5251 (800) 781-4449 x3 www.wicworks.ca.gov	1133 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Suite B Simi Valley, CA 93065	Nutrition education, breastfeeding support, supplemental food and referrals for financially eligible women, infants and children up to five years of age. Shelf-stable and manageable quantities of food provided for the homeless or those without adequate refrigeration.

HOMELESS AND LOW-INCOME SERVICES WITH MULTIPLE PROGRAMS

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Catholic Charities Moorpark	(805) 529-0720 http://www.holycross-moorpark.org/Holy_Cross_Moorpark/Catholic_Charities.html	612 Spring Road Moorpark, CA 93021	Provides safety-net services to the residents of Moorpark, including food, clothing, and limited rental assistance, utility assistance and, if donations are available, prescriptions, funeral expenses, car repair, and other unexpected needs. Open 8:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m., Monday through Wednesday and Saturday from 10:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m.

HOMELESS AND LOW-INCOME SERVICES WITH MULTIPLE PROGRAMS (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
<p>Community Action of Ventura County</p> <p>Transition Center</p>	<p>(805) 436-4000 (805) 648-6088 www.ca-vc.org</p>	<p>621 Richmond Avenue Oxnard, CA 93030</p>	<p>Provides help with weatherization, utility bill assistance, and food distribution.</p> <p>Transition center with year-round day shelter, assistance and referrals to the homeless or those at risk of homelessness.</p>
<p>County of Ventura Health Care Agency - Behavioral Health Department - PATH (Project to Assist the Transition of Homeless)</p>	<p>(805) 981-8868 www.vchca.org</p>	<p>1911 Williams Drive, Suite 110 Oxnard, CA 93036</p>	<p>Outreach and engagement for homeless mentally ill persons to connect to behavioral health services, primary care clinics, and other services. Caseworker is available at the Samaritan Center, call 579-9166 for times.</p>
<p>County of Ventura Human Services Agency Homeless Services Program</p> <p>Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program (HPRP)</p>	<p>(805) 385-1800 www.vchsa.org</p> <p>(805) 385-8585 www.vchsa.org</p>	<p>1400 Vanguard Drive, #3 Oxnard, CA 93033</p> <p>Samaritan Center address: 280 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065</p>	<p>Information and referral to homeless services, Homeless Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program (HPRP), Emergency Solutions Grant Program (ESG) and linkage to transitional housing. In addition, there is a social worker on site at the Samaritan Center most Wednesdays.</p> <p>Assists qualified homeless and those at-risk of homelessness to obtain or maintain housing. Assistance may include: rental deposits; one time rental help; credit counseling; utility deposits; utility payments; and/or moving and storage costs.</p>
<p>Lutheran Social Services Community Care Center Conejo Valley Meal and Shelter Program</p> <p>Emergency Assistance Program</p>	<p>(805) 497-6207 www.lsssc.org</p>	<p>80 E. Hillcrest Drive #101 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360</p>	<p>Provides a hot meal 365 days per year and overnight shelter from December 1 through March 31.</p> <p>Provides resources including food and clothing vouchers, utility, rental assistance, case management, emergency services, gas vouchers, bus tokens, medical assistance, referrals to housing, and other service agency programs.</p>

HOMELESS AND LOW-INCOME SERVICES WITH MULTIPLE PROGRAMS (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Lutheran Social Services Community Care Center (continued) Homeless Services Programs Transitional Housing Program	(805) 497-6207 www.lsssc.org	80 E. Hillcrest Drive #101 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Provides shower and laundry services, by appointment only, mail services, lunches, resource referral, and case management at the Thousand Oaks office. Oversees housing units in Port Hueneme/Ventura. Provides short-term housing for Ventura County residents who qualify for the program.
Salvation Army Simi Valley Oxnard/Port Hueneme Medical and Dental Services Program Ventura	(805) 527-1070 www.salvationarmysocal.org (805) 487-2074 (805) 483-9235 www.salvationarmysocal.org (805) 648-5032	1407 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Unit P Simi Valley, CA 93065 622 W. Wooley Road Oxnard, CA 93030 155 S. Oak Street Ventura, CA 93001	Food distribution, social services, utility assistance, and seasonal activities. Medical Clinic: Monday and Thursday 7:00 a.m. – noon. Dental Clinic: Tuesday and Thursday, first come - first served. Call for details. Provides social services, Tuesday snack lunch, food pantry, and clothing vouchers with referral from the Job and Career Center.
The Samaritan Center	(805) 579-9166 www.thesamaritancenterofsimivalley.org E-mail: thesamaritancenter@yahoo.com	280 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 940568 Simi Valley, CA 93094	Drop-in center for the homeless offers food, showers, phone, mail, clothing exchange, referrals, Homeless Court, and contact site for other service providers, Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m. - noon and Saturday mornings 6:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. for showers. PADS winter warming shelter, November 1 to March 31.
Ventura County Jewish Family Service	(805) 641-6565 www.jfsvc.org	857 E. Main Street Ventura, CA 93001	Provides non-denominational services including counseling, education, legal, referral, rental and senior services. Rental assistance for women and children when funds are available.

HOUSING: PERMANENT, SHELTERS AND TRANSITIONAL

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Adult Residential Facilities (Board and Care)	www.cclld.ca.gov	300 Hillmont Avenue Ventura, CA 93003	Search online for Board and Care Facilities at website www.cclld.ca.gov and search for “How to find licensed care” and “adult residential facilities”.
Area Housing Authority of the County of Ventura Voucher Program Section Public Housing Program	(800) 800-2123 (805) 480-9991 (805) 480-9119 TDD www.ahacv.org	1400 W. Hillcrest Drive Newbury Park, CA 91320	Administers Section 8 rental assistance and public housing programs for low-income households. Community rental listing available on their website. (No emergency services or housing available). Sign up for email at: enroll@www.ahacv.org , “Contact us”.
Cabrillo Economic Development Corporation NeighborWorks® Homeownership Center	(805) 659-6868 x130 (805) 659-6868 www.cabrilloedc.org or Email Homeownership Center: hoc_customerservice@cabrilloedc.org	702 Country Club Drive Ventura, CA 93003	A non-profit counseling agency approved by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to help families secure financial stability and affordable home-ownership opportunities by providing education, counseling, lending and realty services. Also offers home preservation services to help families understand their options in keeping their home and/or finding alternatives when homeownership cannot be maintained.
Children of the Night	(800) 551-1300 www.childrenofthenight.org	14530 Sylvan Street Van Nuys, CA 91411	Home is open to child prostitutes. The toll-free nationwide hotline is able to rescue children 24-hours a day. Free taxi/airline transportation is provided nationwide to their home. Services include on-site school and college placement program. WOW program provides people living on the street with birth certificates, ID, transportation, job and parenting skills, and educational services including GED tutoring. Children and young people do not have to be under age 18 to access services.

HOUSING: PERMANENT, SHELTERS AND TRANSITIONAL (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
City of Simi Valley Housing Programs and Projects	(805) 583-6769 www.simivalley.org	3855-A Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provides information and application assistance for affordable housing program, home rehabilitation loans, senior housing, fair housing issues, and the Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) program.
County of Ventura District Attorney Consumer Mediation Small Claims Advisor Unit	(805) 654-3110 Ventura (805) 306-7930 Simi Valley (805) 654-5054 http://da.countyofventura.org	Main Office: 800 S. Victoria Avenue Ventura, CA 93009 Simi Valley Office: 3855-F Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Free mediation service for disputes involving consumer issues such as landlord tenant disputes, service complaints, warranty issues, merchandise complaints, and other types of consumer concerns. Free information and assistance with small claims court forms, procedures, court preparation, and judgment collection.
County of Ventura Health Care Agency County of Ventura Behavioral Health Department Adult Residential Services	(805) 981-9240 www.vchca.org	1911 Williams Drive, Suite 110 Oxnard, CA 93036	Serves as liaison with licensed residential facilities that provide residential services to Behavioral Health clients. Responsible for client placement, facility monitoring, facility development, case management services for high-risk clients in out-of-county facilities, and the coordination of the Intensive Services Utilization Committee for review of system-wide, high-risk clients.
ANKA Ventura Residential Treatment Facility	(805) 653-5121	300 Hillmont Avenue Ventura, CA 93003	Provides a 15-bed short-term crisis residential treatment program. The program provides an alternative to hospitalization for seriously mentally ill consumers who are experiencing acute psychiatric symptoms in a voluntary unlocked setting.
County of Ventura Human Services Agency Homeless Services Program	(805) 385-1800 www.vchsa.org	1400 Vanguard Drive #3 Oxnard, CA 93033	Information and referral to homeless services, Homeless Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program (HPRP), Emergency Solutions Grant Program (ESG) and linkage to transitional housing. In addition, there is a social worker on site at the Samaritan Center most Wednesdays.

HOUSING: PERMANENT, SHELTERS AND TRANSITIONAL (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Human Services Agency (continued) Youth Services Division	(805) 654-3405	4651 Telephone Road, Suite 300 Ventura, CA 93003	Provides specialized placement (group home) case management and administers the Independent Living Program (ILP) in Ventura County (housing, education, health, employment/vocational, transportation, mentoring, and independent living basic skills classes.) Centralized services for both in-care (ages 18-21), and out of care (ages 18-24) who have emancipated from the foster care system.
RAIN Transitional Living Center	(805) 389-3308 Onsite (805) 383-7505 Applications/ Intake	Mailing Address: 855 Partridge Drive Ventura, CA 93003	Serves as a transitional living center for homeless families and single adults from throughout Ventura County. Provides a service-enriched environment teaching life skills essential for self-sufficiency and transition to permanent housing.
Habitat for Humanity Ventura County, Inc.	(805) 485-6065 www.habitatventura.org	121 S. Rice Avenue Oxnard, CA 93030	Constructs single and multi-unit affordable dwellings for low-income families.
Housing Rights Center	(800) 477-5977 www.housingrightscenter.org	3255 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1150 Los Angeles, CA 90010	Addresses housing discrimination through education, advocacy, and enforcement. Free services include: landlord/tenant counseling, predatory lending information and referrals, housing discrimination investigation, advocacy outreach and education. Staff can assist clients in seven languages.
		520 S. Virgil Avenue, Suite 400 Los Angeles, CA 90020	Addresses housing discrimination through education, advocacy, and enforcement. Services are free and include: landlord/tenant counseling, predatory lending information and referrals, housing discrimination investigation, advocacy outreach and education. Staff can assist clients in seven languages.
Lutheran Social Services Community Care Center Transitional Housing Program	(805) 497-6207 www.lsssc.org	80 E. Hillcrest Drive #101 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Oversees housing units in Port Hueneme and Ventura, providing short-term housing for Ventura County residents who qualify.

HOUSING: PERMANENT, SHELTERS AND TRANSITIONAL (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Many Mansions (Properties include Casa de Paz, La Rahada, Shadow Hills, Villa Garcia, Schillo Gardens, Bella Vista, Esseff Village, Hacienda de Feliz, Richmond Terrace, and Stoll House)	(805) 496-4948 Main office www.manymansions.org	1459 E. Thousand Oaks Blvd., Building D Thousand Oaks, CA 91362	Many Mansions provides transitional and permanent affordable rental housing for persons and families who are very-low income, low-income, homeless, and disabled. Casa de Paz and La Rahada provide housing in Simi Valley for formerly homeless persons with a mental illness.
	(805) 497-0344 Housing Central Office	1425 E. Thousand Oaks Blvd. Thousand Oaks, CA 91362	All applications and applicant processing is provided through the Housing Central Office.
Project Understanding	(805) 652-1326 www.projectunderstanding.org	43 E. Vince Street Ventura, CA 93001 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 25460 Ventura, CA 93002	Services for homeless and low income persons in Ventura, including: food pantry, tutoring centers, housing programs (permanent supportive, transitional, and field case management), and Tender Life Maternity Home. Call for days, times and details.
Public Action to Deliver Shelter (PADS)	(805) 579-9166 www.thesamaritancenterofsimivalley.org	Mailing Address: P.O. Box 940568 Simi Valley, CA 93094	Winter shelter for the homeless, November 1 through March 31, with rotating sites. Contact the Samaritan Center for information, between 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Rescue Mission Alliance Lighthouse Women & Children's Mission Lighthouse Recovery Program Safe Harbor Emergency Shelter Employment Search Program	(805) 385-7200 www.vcrescuemission.org	150 N. Hayes Street Oxnard, CA 93030	A life recovery program for single women, mothers, and children (boys up to age ten) facing life-challenging issues. Has a 48-bed capacity and the normal length of stay is 9 to 12 months.
			Emergency shelter services provided with 24 beds on a first come first served basis. Open 24-hours.
			A four-bed three to six month program, designed to help recently unemployed individuals find employment and save for housing.

HOUSING: PERMANENT, SHELTERS AND TRANSITIONAL (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Rescue Mission Alliance Lighthouse Women & Children's Mission (continued) Lifeboat Overnight Cot Program Lighthouse Transitional Housing	(805) 385-7200 www.vcrescuemission.org	150 N. Hayes Street Oxnard, CA 93030	Overnight shelter for chronically homeless women and children providing ten cots on a first come first served basis. Check-in is at 9:30 p.m., check-out is at 6:00 a.m. An up to two-year transitional housing program for single women and women with children (boys to age ten).
Rescue Mission Alliance Ventura County Rescue Mission Oxnard	(805) 487-1234 www.vcrescuemission.org	234 E. 6 th Street Oxnard, CA 93030	One-year rehab or ten day shelter for men, with showers, and alcohol/drug recovery. Also provide three meals a day for men, women and children.
Rescue Mission Alliance San Fernando Valley (Families only)	(818) 785-4476 www.erescuemission.org	13422 Saticoy Street North Hollywood, CA 91605	Nightly emergency shelter for homeless families (60 to 90 days), also have 15 food pantry sites, mobile hot showers and hot meals at seven sites, and referrals. Shelter by appointment only.
Salvation Army - Ventura Transitional Living Program	(805) 648-4977 http://www1.usw.salvationarmy.org/USW/www.usw.southcentral.nsf	155 S. Oak Street Ventura, CA 93001	Transitional housing program for up to 45 homeless individuals (nine homeless families and nine homeless single women) with supportive services to help residents prepare for economic self-reliance and independent living. Must work 32 hours per week.
Sarah's House Maternity Home and Transitional Home	(805) 581-1910	Mailing Address: P.O. Box 941768 Simi Valley, CA 93094	No cost shelter home program (six beds) for pregnant women (18 years+). Three-bed transitional home program for mothers of infants (required to work or attend school). Also provides referrals to other maternity and shelter homes.
Turning Point Foundation	(805) 652-0596 (805) 652-0000 (805) 652-2151 Residential Programs www.turningpointfoundation.org	Administration Office: 505 Poli Street, Suite 401 Ventura, CA 93001 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 24397 Ventura, CA 93002	Offers shelter, housing, rehabilitation, and support services for adults dealing with mental illness. <u>Our Place Shelter</u> : drop-in center, outreach services and 10-bed overnight shelter for persons who are mentally ill in Ventura.

HOUSING: PERMANENT, SHELTERS AND TRANSITIONAL (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Turning Point Foundation (continued)	(805) 652-0596 (805) 652-0000 (805) 652-2151 Residential Programs www.turningpointfoundation.org	Our Place Shelter 536 E. Thompson Blvd. Ventura, CA 93001 Residential Programs 536 E. Thompson Blvd. Ventura, CA 93001	5. <u>Residential Programs</u> : transitional and permanent housing in multiple locations offer low-cost housing and supportive services to assist residents who are homeless and mentally ill improve their independent living skills, maintain residential stability, and increase their community integration. Residences include: Wooley House in Oxnard, Appleton house in Simi Valley (six-bedroom transitional shared housing), Stephenson House in Ventura, River Haven in Ventura, and Villa Calleguas in Camarillo.
West County Winter Warming Shelter	(805) 385-1800		Winter warming shelter for families and individuals with dinner, showers, a place to sleep, and referral service. Location determined each winter in either Oxnard or Ventura. Call for information.

HOUSING: RECOVERY AND SOBER LIVING

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Aanaca Program House	(805) 577-7477	3237 Wilmot Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Alcohol and drug recovery, and sober living home for males only.
Action Family Counseling Drug and Alcohol Treatment	(800) 367-8336 Crisis line (805) 584-3258 Simi Valley www.actionfamilycounseling.org	4380 Apricot Road Simi Valley, CA 93063	Residential treatment for adult and adolescents with support for adolescents, adults, and families with chemical dependency, behavioral modification, and mental health treatment services.
Bible Tabernacle New Life Ministry – Men Women and Children Ministry	(661) 252-5087 www.thebibletabernacle.com (310) 821-6116	16301 Sierra Highway Canyon Country, CA 91351 1761 Washington Way Venice, CA 90291	A spiritually based recovery center, providing housing, recovery, and services needed to re-enter work, education, and social environments. A six-month commitment is required, with leave passes offered after 90 days.

HOUSING: RECOVERY AND SOBER LIVING (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Clare Foundation, Inc.	(310) 314-6200 www.clarefoundation.org	909 Pico Blvd. Santa Monica, CA 90405	Provides 11 different programs in West Los Angeles for detox, treatment, and recovery for individuals, families, and the community.
Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Project Recovery Outpatient Treatment Program	(805) 963-1433 www.cadasb.org (805) 564-6057	232 E. Canon Perdido Street P.O. Box 28 <u>Santa Barbara, CA 93102</u> 133 E. Haley Street Santa Barbara, CA 93102	Homeless outreach by the Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse: residential detox, transitional beds, recovery services, and also a prenatal program for pregnant women and women with children.
Delancey Street Foundation	(323) 644-4122 www.delanceystreetfoundation.org/hww.php	400 N. Vermont Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90004	Residential self-help organization for former substance abusers, ex-convicts, homeless, and includes extensive vocational training.
Dream Center	(213) 273-7000 www.dreamcenter.org	2301 Bellevue Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90026	Provides faith-based human services that address immediate and long-term needs in the areas of recovery, homelessness, hunger relief, medical care and education.
Khepera Recovery House	(805) 653-2596 Office (805) 648-2652 Treatment facility www.kheperahouse.org	125 W. Harrison Avenue <u>Ventura, CA 93001</u> 330 N. Ventura Avenue Ventura, CA 93001	Three to six month residential substance abuse treatment for men, with sober living up to one year, and three to five day detox.
Mary Lind Recovery Centers - Royal Palms Recovery Home	(213) 483-9201 www.marylind.org	2500 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 826 Los Angeles, CA 90057	Provide residential substance abuse recovery services to homeless men and women.
Prototypes - Women's Center	(805) 382-6296 (805) 641-2649 www.prototypes.org	2150 N. Victoria Avenue Oxnard, CA 93036	Residential substance abuse and mental health treatment and transitional recovery program with multiple services for pregnant and parenting women. Offers residential detoxification and residential services for up to 85 clients and their dependent children in Oxnard. Stay is six to nine months. County contracted services.

HOUSING: RECOVERY AND SOBER LIVING (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Rescue Mission Alliance Lighthouse Women & Children's Mission Life Recovery Program Emergency Shelter Employment Search Program Overnight Cot Program Transitional Housing	(805) 385-7200 www.erescuemission.com	150 N. Hayes Street Oxnard, CA 93030	A life recovery program for single women, mothers, and children (boys to age ten) facing life-challenging issues. Has a 48-bed capacity and the normal length of stay is 9 to 12 months. Emergency shelter services provided with 24-beds on a first come first served basis. Open 24-hours. A four-bed, three to six month program, designed to help recently unemployed individuals find employment and save for housing. Overnight shelter for chronically homeless women and children providing ten cots on a first come first served basis. Check-in is at 9:30 p.m., check-out is at 6:00 a.m. An up to two-year transitional housing program for single women and women with children (boys up to ten years of age).
Salvation Army Rehabilitation Program	(818) 883-6321 www.canogapark.satruck.org/rehabilitation-program	21375 Roscoe Blvd. Canoga Park, CA 91304	Residential recovery and detox from alcohol and drugs.
Teen Challenge	(805) 648-3295 www.teenchallenge.org	P.O. Box 1065 Ventura, CA 93002	Provides recovery program on a 143-acre property located in the Ventura foothills, for women ages 18 years of age and over, and men's programs outside of Ventura County.
Ventura County Rescue Mission Oxnard	(805) 487-1234 www.erescuemission.com	234 E. 6 th Street Oxnard, CA 93030	Year-round shelter for men, with showers, and alcohol/drug recovery. Also provide three meals a day for men, women, and children.
Victory Outreach	(805) 581-2599 www.victoryoutreach.simi.org	1482 Sinaloa Road Simi Valley, CA 93065	Provide a 12-month, Christian care home for adult men who have drug and/or alcohol problems.

INFORMATION AND REFERRAL

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
City of Simi Valley Citizen Advisor	(805) 583-6759 www.simivalley.org/citizen_advisor/	3855-A Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provides information and referral to help access service providers, social service agencies, and consumer resources.
County of Ventura Area Agency on Aging	(805) 477-7300 (800) 510-2020 www.countyofventura.org	646 County Square Drive #100 Ventura, CA 93003	Information, assistance, and referral services; health insurance counseling and advocacy program; Community-based care transitions program (CCTP), case management for age 18+ disabled persons or age 65+ (MediCal eligible persons with no share costs), to prevent premature institutionalization. Administer funds for Older Americans Act to senior organizations.
County of Ventura Human Services Agency Homeless Services Program	(805) 385-1800 www.vchsa.org	1400 Vanguard Drive, #3 Oxnard, CA 93033 Samaritan Center address: 280 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Information and referral to homeless services, Homeless Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program (HPRP), and Emergency Solutions Grant Program (ESG) and linkage to transitional housing. In addition, there is a social worker on site at the Samaritan Center most Wednesdays.
Government Information Ventura County Los Angeles County State of California Federal (U.S. Government)	(800) 660-5474 www.ventura.org (800) 339-6993 www.lacity.org (800) 807-6755 www.ca.gov (800) 333-4636 www.usa.gov		Information on services within Ventura County, Los Angeles County, California and United States Federal government.
Interface Children & Family Services (211 information and referral line)	Dial “211” Information or (805) 919-1148 TDD (800) 339-9597 www.icfs.org	4001 Mission Oaks Blvd., Suite I Camarillo, CA 93012	Twenty-four hour information and referral services for health and human services throughout Ventura County.

LEGAL SERVICES

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
1-Day Document Services	(805) 582-6172 www.1daydocs.com	4354 Eileen Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Fee-based service designed to help non-lawyers prepare their own bankruptcy, divorce and other uncontested legal actions. Does not provide legal advice.
California Rural Legal Assistance	(805) 483-8083 General public (805) 486-1068 Migrant workers www.crla.org	338 South A Street Oxnard, CA 93030	Provides free legal service to low income, Ventura County residents. Handles labor, housing, education, civil rights, public benefit, and health issues or concerns.
City of Simi Valley Parking Ticket Program	(805) 583-6736 www.simivalley.org	2929 Tapo Canyon Road Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provides the opportunity for qualified individuals to serve community service in lieu of paying parking tickets.
County of Ventura Department of Child Support Services	(866) 901-3212 www.countyofventura.org	5171 Verdugo Way Camarillo, CA 93012	Locates parents, establishes paternity, obtains and enforces child and health support orders, and also collects and distributes child support payments.
County of Ventura District Attorney Consumer Mediation and Small Claims Advisor Unit Crime Victim's Services	(805) 654-3110 Ventura (805) 306-7930 Simi Valley www.ventura.org (805) 306-7926 East (Monday and Tuesday only) (805) 654-3622 West	Main Office: 800 S. Victoria Avenue Ventura, CA 93009 Simi Valley Office: 3855-F Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Free mediation service for disputes involving consumer issues such as landlord tenant disputes, service complaints, warranty issues, merchandise complaints, and other types of consumer concerns. Free information and assistance with small claims court forms, procedures, court preparation, and judgment collection. Provides assistance in obtaining temporary restraining orders, emergency cell phones, victims of crime, and safety planning.
County of Ventura Public Defenders Office	(805) 981-5990 Juvenile (805) 654-2201 Ventura www.pubdef.countyofventura.org	4353 Vineyard Avenue, Room 296 Oxnard, CA 93036 800 S. Victoria Avenue, Room 207 Ventura, CA 93009	Provides representation in criminal, juvenile, mental health, probate and dependency cases for those unable to afford a private lawyer.

LEGAL SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Superior Court	(805) 654-5000 (805) 654-3962 Ventura Courthouse (805) 654-2880 Records www.ventura.org	3855-F Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	East County Courthouse open Monday and Tuesday, 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Walk-up window for fines Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Homeless Court	(805) 579-9166 (805) 654-3962	Samaritan Center 280 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Alternative sentencing program for homeless to resolve outstanding minor offenses and warrants through community service.
Free Clinic of Simi Valley	(805) 522-3733 www.freeclinicsv.com	2060 Tapo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Medical, counseling, dental, and legal services. Call after 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday for information and appointments. Fee schedule - \$25 donation is requested.
Grey Law, Inc.	(805) 658-2266 (800) 794-9464 http://www.greylaw.us/	290 Maple Court #128 Ventura, CA 93003	Free legal assistance for seniors 60+ with government benefits, long-term care issues, consumer matters, power of attorney, and end of life concerns.
Housing Rights Center	(800) 477-5977 www.housingrightscenter.org	3255 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1150 Los Angeles, CA 90010	Addresses housing discrimination through education, advocacy, and enforcement. Services are free and include: landlord/tenant counseling, predatory lending information and referrals, housing discrimination investigation, advocacy outreach and education. Staff can assist clients in seven languages.
Jewish Family Services	(805) 641-6565 (805) 496-3896 www.jfsvc.org	857 E. Main Ventura, CA 93001 <hr/> 80 E. Hillcrest, Suite 206 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Provides a free legal clinic monthly in Ventura. Attorneys volunteer their time. In addition, referrals are provided for free legal service throughout the county.
Ventura Center for Dispute Settlement	(805) 384-1313 www.vcds.bz	1200 Paseo Camarillo, Suite 170 Camarillo, CA 93010	Assists in settling disputes out of court. Provides free mediation, conciliation and arbitration services to low-income clients to resolve landlord/tenant, neighbor, employer, small claims, consumer, family/domestic, and other disputes.

LEGAL SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Ventura County Bar Association Lawyer Referral and Information System	(805) 650-7599 www.vcba.org	4475 Market Street, Suite B Ventura, CA 93003	Provides referrals to an appropriate attorney for \$35 for the first half-hour.

MEDICAL HEALTH SERVICES (Medical Services/Prescriptions)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
AIM Program (Access for Infants and Mothers)	(800) 433-2611 www.aim.ca.gov	Health Care Alternatives P.O. Box 15248 Los Angeles, CA 90015	State managed medical insurance for pregnant women and children, birth to 2 years of age. Designed for middle-income families whose income is too high to qualify for MediCal, or their deductible is over \$500.
ACE Program for adults (Access Coverage Enrollment)	(805) 981-5070 or apply online at: www.vchca.org	2220 E. Gonzales, Suite 210A Oxnard, CA 93036	Program covers medical and behavioral health for income qualified U.S. citizen or lawful permanent residents that are 19 through 64 years of age, and live or work in Ventura County. Must not be enrolled in or eligible for MediCal, AIM, or any type of insurance coverage. Income must not exceed 200% of the Federal Poverty Level.
California Health Advocates (CHA) HICAP (Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program)	(805) 477-7310 (800) 434-0222 (805) 583-6363 Simi Valley Senior Center www.countyofventura.org/VCAA/HICAP	646 County Square Drive #100 Ventura, CA 93003	A nonprofit organization for education and advocacy efforts on behalf of California Medicare beneficiaries and the pre-retirement population. The Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program (HICAP) provide free counseling and community education on Medicare, managed care, and other health insurance issues.
Community Pregnancy Clinic of Simi Valley	(805) 583-3590 (800) 395-HELP 24-hour national hotline www.CPCsimi.org	2650 Jones Way, Suite 31 Simi Valley, CA 93065	Medical clinic providing pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, STI testing, counseling, diapers, MediCal, community resources, and shelter referrals. All services are free.

MEDICAL HEALTH SERVICES (Medical Services/Prescriptions) (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Health Care Agency Sierra Vista Family Medical Center	(805) 582-4000 (805) 582-4050 (Urgent Care) www.vchca.org	1227 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065 (located at Mountaingate Plaza)	Medical clinic including family practice, internal medicine, pediatrics, women's health and OB, lab draw station, homeless healthcare, and Urgent Care. Accepts MediCal payments, Indigent Healthcare, ACE, and has a Self-Pay Discount Program and assists with eligibility for additional payment programs.
Ventura County Medical Center (VCMC)	(805) 652-6000	3291 Loma Vista Road Ventura, CA 93003	A full-service, acute care hospital providing medical services regardless of ability to pay, includes the Hillmont Psychiatric Unit.
County of Ventura Human Services Agency East County Intake and Eligibility Center Public Administrator/Public Guardian (Referrals generally made directly to the agency by hospitals, nursing homes, or the Coroner's office)	(805) 584-4842 (866) 904-9362 General information – toll free www.vchsa.org	2003 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Service intake and benefits application assistance for medical, Food Stamps, General Relief, CalWORKS, ACE Healthcare, and other government assistance programs.
Indigent Burial Services Program	(805) 654-3141 Officer of the day, leave message for a call back. Also call this number for a referral packet	1001 Partridge Drive #360 Ventura, CA 93003	The Public Administrator manages final arrangements for deceased indigent residents of Ventura County and for those who have no family to make such arrangements. Also manages the estates of deceased Ventura County residents who have no other administrator available. The Public Guardian oversees the care of people, including the elderly and those who are gravely disabled due to mental illness, who are unable to care for themselves.
Public Guardian, Probate Conservatorships	(805) 654-3141 Call to request a referral packet		Pays for cremation of deceased indigent County residents without family or whose family is also indigent.
			Investigates the need to manage the care and finances of Ventura County adult residents who lack the mental capacity to manage their own affairs, and who have no suitable family member or other party willing and able to take legal responsibility for them.

MEDICAL HEALTH SERVICES (Medical Services/Prescriptions) (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Public Health Services Birth/Death Certificate Registry	(805) 981-5172 Vital Records Office (805) 654-2295 Recorder's Office www.vchca.org/publichealth	Public Health Administration 2240 E. Gonzales Road, Suite 210 Oxnard, CA 93036	Registration of all births and deaths that occur in Ventura County are at the Vital Records Office. Certified copies of birth and death certificates are available for purchase for the current year and one year prior only. Certified copies from previous years are available through the Recorder's Office.
CHDP - (Child Health and Disability Prevention Program Administration)	(805) 582-4000 (805) 981-5291 (800)781-4449 Toll-free www.vchca.org	1133 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Suite B Simi Valley, CA 93065	No cost well-child preventive care health screenings for low-income and MediCal eligible infants, children and teens. Over 50 private/public providers throughout Ventura County.
Children's Health Promotion	(805) 981-5240		Provides developmental screening, assessment, health education, and case management services to families with children birth to 5 years of age.
Family Planning Clinic	(888) 285-5012 Appointments (805) 981-5115 Public Health Nursing Information www.vchca.org/publichealth	1133 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Suite B Simi Valley, CA 93065	Reproductive healthcare for women, men, and teens. Basic health assessment, family planning, STD and HIV tests, pap smears and mammograms, referrals, pregnancy testing and counseling, emergency contraception (morning after pill). Vasectomy and tubal ligation available at no cost. All services are confidential 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday.
Kit for New Parents	(800) 543-7025 or visit the Neighborhood for Learning Center		Provides a free resource kit for parents and caregivers of children birth to 5 years of age.
Medical Therapy Program	(805) 981-5281		Provides occupational and physical therapy to children who have medically eligible, physically-handicapping conditions.
Pregnant Parenting Adolescent Program (PPAP)	(805) 981-5177		Case management for pregnant and parenting male and female teens, ages 11 to 20 and their children, to promote self-sufficient parents and healthy children.

MEDICAL HEALTH SERVICES (Medical Services/Prescriptions) (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Public Health Services (continued) Public Health Department Clinic	(805) 981-5221 Central appointment desk 888) 285-5012 Toll-free	1133 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Suite B Simi Valley, CA 93065	Services vary by center and include immunizations, pregnancy testing, family planning, travel vaccines, HIV/AIDS testing, TB testing, STD clinic, lice/scabies treatment, TB clinic, and CHDP well-child exams.
Public Health Nursing	(805) 981-5115 Public Health Nursing Information		Provide assessment, education and referral to the Health Care Agency and other community resources; and case management services to families with infants, children, teens, adults, seniors and frail seniors who are at risk for being institutionalized.
Teen Clinic	(805) 981-5221 Central appointment desk (888) 285-5012 Toll-free		After-school clinic hours and a teen-only appointed system. Provides counseling, education, screening, and treatment.
The HIV/AIDS Center	(805) 652-3310 (805) 652-3313 HIV/AIDS Center (805) 981-5221 HIV testing appointment desk	3147 Loma Vista Road Ventura, CA 93003	Case management, education/prevention, case reporting, surveillance and medication assistance programs for people with HIV infection. Anonymous and Confidential HIV Testing and Counseling. Services available in Simi Valley by appointment.
Tobacco Education and Prevention	(805) 652-3311 (805) 201-STOP		Resources and referral for Tobacco Cessation program and Tobacco Education and Prevention Services.
Tuberculosis Control Services	(805) 385- 9451		Provides screening, diagnostic work-ups, nurse and physician evaluations, medication to treat and prevent tuberculosis, contact investigation, and community education.
WIC (Women, Infants and Children) Nutrition Program	(805) 981-5251 (800) 781-4449 www.wicworks.ca.gov	1133-B Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Nutrition education, breastfeeding support, supplemental food, and referrals for financially eligible women, infants, and children up to age five. Vouchers are provided for food and baby formula to qualified persons.

MEDICAL HEALTH SERVICES (Medical Services/Prescriptions) (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Free Clinic of Simi Valley	(805) 522-3733 www.freeclinicsv.com	2060 Tapo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Medical, counseling, dental, and legal services. Call after 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday for information and appointments. Fee schedule - \$25 donation is requested.
Hospice of the Conejo	(805) 495-2145 www.hospiceoftheconejo.org	80 E. Hillcrest Drive #204 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Volunteer hospice and grief support center provides compassionate care for the terminally ill and their families, and grief/bereavement support groups.
Las Clinicas del Camino Real, Inc.	(805) 522-5722 www.clinicas.org	1424 Madera Road Simi Valley, CA 93065	Comprehensive healthcare clinic with medical, pediatric, family practice, immunizations, preventative, OB/GYN, mental, dental, optometry, chiropractic, and preventative healthcare.
Livingston Memorial Visiting Nurse Association	(805) 642-0239 Ventura (805) 495-9655 Thousand Oaks www.livingstonvna.org	1996 Eastman Avenue, Suite 101 Ventura, CA 93003 325 East Hillcrest Drive #120 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Provide comprehensive home health and hospice services to Ventura County patients regardless of their ability to pay.
Our Community House of Hope	(805) 492-OCHH (6244) http://ourhouseofhope.org/	348 W. Avenida de los Arboles Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	End-of-life care home provides care and access to hospice services at no cost to residents and their families; and an educational center for end-of-life care issues.
Planned Parenthood of Ventura, Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo Counties	(805) 658-3232 www.ppsbvsl.org	5400 Ralston Street Ventura, CA 93003 1200 W. Hillcrest Thousand Oaks, CA 91320	Reproductive healthcare for women and men, birth control, STD/HIV testing, pregnancy testing, abortion, morning after pill, breast cancer screening, and counseling.
Salvation Army Oxnard/Port Hueneme Medical and Dental Services Program	(805) 487-2074 (805) 483-9235 www.salvationarmyoxnard.org	622 W. Wooley Road Oxnard, CA 93030 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 752 Oxnard, CA 93030	Medical Services Clinic: Monday and Thursday 7:00 a.m. – noon. Dental Clinic: Tuesday and Thursday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. All patients are seen on a walk-in basis, no appointments are taken, call for details.

MEDICAL HEALTH SERVICES (Medical Services/Prescriptions) (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Simi Valley Hospital	(805) 955-6000 www.simivalleyhospital.com	2975 N. Sycamore Drive Simi Valley, CA 93065	Emergency medical services regardless of ability to pay.
TLC Home Hospice	(805) 517-1620 www.tlchomehospice.com	5400 Atlantis Court Moorpark, CA 93021	Provides home hospice services. Provides home health and private duty caregiving services.

MENTAL HEALTH AND COUNSELING

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Action Family Counseling Drug and Alcohol Treatment	(800) 367-8336 Crisis line (805) 584-3258 Simi Valley www.actionfamilycounseling.org	4380 Apricot Road Simi Valley, CA 93063	Support for adolescents, adults, and families with chemical dependency, behavioral modification, and mental health treatment services. Treatment services include: outpatient services and residential treatment, diagnostic assessment, individualized treatment plan, therapy, treatment advocacy, drug testing, and referrals to outside agencies. Offers a free weekly parent and teen support group in Simi Valley (call for times).
Cal Lutheran Community Counseling Center	(805) 493-3390 www.callutheran.edu	3259 Pioneer Avenue Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Offer affordable counseling to families, children, couples and individuals. Bilingual therapists available.
Cancer Support Community	(805) 379-4777 www.cancersupportvvsb.org	530 Hampshire Road Westlake Village, CA 91361	Provides free support, programs, and education for those affected by cancer.
Casa Pacifica Centers for Children & Families	(805) 445-7800 www.casapacifica.org	1722 S. Lewis Road Camarillo, CA 93012	Provides programs for abused, neglected or at-risk children, birth to 21, from tri-county area. Provides crisis intervention services by phone and in person. Provides therapeutic behavioral services to help children remain in their homes.
County of Ventura Health Care Agency - Behavioral Health Department	(866) 998-2243 24-hour crisis line (STAR) www.vchca.org/bh	1911 Williams Drive Oxnard, CA 93036	Twenty-four hour Crisis Line for accessing a continuum of mental health services and the Crisis Team. Performs 5150 evaluations (for three-day psychiatric hold).

MENTAL HEALTH AND COUNSELING (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Health Care Agency - Behavioral Health Department (continued) Alcohol and Drug Program	(805) 577-1724 www.vchca.org/bh/adp	3150 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Treatment, recovery programs, and referral program for substance abuse issues.
Children's Intensive Response Team (CIRT)	(866) 431-CIRT (866) 431-2478 24-hour crisis hotline	1722 S. Lewis Road Camarillo, CA 93012	Children's mobile crisis response service for youth to age 21. Provides mobile crisis intervention, in-home support, and linkage to mental health services.
Children's Mental Health Services (Simi Options)	(866) 998-2243	1227 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Services include: case management, psychiatric assessment and treatment, psychological testing, and outpatient psychotherapy.
Path (Project to Assist the Transition of Homeless)	(805) 981-8868 www.vchca.org	1911 Williams Drive, Suite 110 Oxnard, CA 93036	Outreach and engagement for homeless mentally ill persons to connect to behavioral health services, primary care clinics, and other services. Caseworker is available at the Samaritan Center, call 579-9166 for times.
Patient's Rights Advocate	(805) 477-5731		Assists clients with their rights regarding Behavioral Health and Alcohol and Drug Programs.
Crisis Team – 24-hour and STAR Program STAR Program (Screening, Triage, Assessment, and Referral)	(866) 998-2243 24-hour crisis line		Twenty-four hour mobile crisis counselors respond to mental health crises. STAR Program (Screening, Triage, Assessment, and Referral) provides assessment and follow-up to requests for mental health services. Must contact STAR to be evaluated for services at all county clinics.
Simi Mental Health Clinic	(866) 998-2243 (805) 582-4075	1227 Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Mental health services in an office setting.
Transformational Liaison Program	(805) 981-4227 (805) 981-3331	1911 Williams Drive Oxnard, CA 93036	Helping in navigating the VCBH system. Support for clients and family members seeking access to mental health services and support.

MENTAL HEALTH AND COUNSELING (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Health Care Agency - Behavioral Health Department (continued) Ventura County Medical Center Hillmont Psychiatric Center (In-patient unit) Assessment and Referral	(805) 652-6729 (805) 652-5755	200 Hillmont Avenue Ventura, CA 93003	Twenty-four hour, acute psychiatric inpatient hospital for patients who are an imminent danger to self or others, or are gravely disabled because of a mental disorder. Services include assessment and referral evaluation, stabilization, and treatment for the acute phase of serious mental illness.
County of Ventura Human Services Agency Public Guardian Indigent Cremation Program Referrals generally made directly to the agency by hospitals, nursing homes, or coroner's office	(805) 654-3141 Officer of the day, leave message for a call back, also call this number for a referral packet www.countyofventura.org	1001 Partridge Drive #360 Ventura, CA 93003	Serves as Public Guardian/Conservator and benefits payee for Ventura County. The Public Administrator manages final arrangements for indigent residents of Ventura County and for those who have no family to make such arrangements. The Public Administrator also manages the estates of deceased Ventura County residents who have no other administrator available.
Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) National Call Center for Homeless Veterans Readjustment Counseling Service Veterans Center	(877) 424-3838 (877) 4AID VET (877) 424-VETS (805) 585-1860	790 E. Santa Clara Street, Suite 100 Ventura, CA 93001	Twenty-four hour hotline to ensure homeless and at risk veterans and their families with immediate access to counselors. Free counseling service for war veterans and their families in Ventura County. The focus is on Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder in combat veterans, women's veteran issues, and referral, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Sepulveda Ambulatory Care Center	(800) 516-4567 (818) 891-7711 (877) 252-4866 24-hour hotline www.va.gov	16111 Plummer Street North Hills, CA 91343	Veteran's outpatient care clinic, medical, psychiatric, and prescription services. Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

MENTAL HEALTH AND COUNSELING (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Veterans Crisis Line	(800) 273-8255 www.veteranscrisisline.net		Connects veterans in crisis and their families and friends with qualified, caring Department of Veterans Affairs responders through a confidential toll-free hotline.
Free Clinic of Simi Valley	(805) 522-3733 www.freeclinicsv.com	2060 Tapo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Medical, counseling, dental, and legal services. Call after 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday for information and appointments. Fee schedule - \$25 donation is requested.
Hospice of the Conejo	(805) 495-2145 www.hospiceoftheconejo.org	80 E. Hillcrest Drive #204 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Ongoing free grief/bereavement groups for all ages. Volunteer assistance for families and individuals facing life threatening illness and end of life issues.
Interface Children & Family Services Family Violence Intervention Services Individual and Family Therapy	(800) 636-6738 www.icfs.org (805) 485-6114 x662 Monday through Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	4001 Mission Oaks Blvd., Suite I Camarillo, CA 93012	Provides prevention, counseling, shelter, treatment, and education programs for abused children, battered women and their children, high-risk and homeless youth and families in crisis. Provides the Safe Haven battered women's shelter for 30 days. Mental health services: for youth ages birth to 21 who are MediCal eligible; child abuse treatment services for youth up to 18 years who have been victims of physical, sexual, of emotional abuse, neglect, school or community violence, domestic or family violence, parental substance abuse, abduction, or severe trauma, at no cost to the family. Positive Parenting Program, evidence based parent training program, at no cost to the family. Parent Child Interaction Therapy, a parent/child dyad treatment program.

MENTAL HEALTH AND COUNSELING (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Kaiser Permanente Bereavement Program	(818) 375-3528	3900 Alamo Drive Simi Valley, CA 93063	Volunteer bereavement facilitators provide grief support groups every Monday, 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. in the conference room. Meetings are free, open to the public, and no reservations are required.
National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)	(805) 641-2426 www.namiventura.org	Office Address: 1335 Del Norte Road Camarillo, CA 93010 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1613 Camarillo, CA 93011	Provides support and crisis resources for families affected by mental illness, including schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, other mental illnesses, and co-occurring addictive disorders. Services include: crisis outreach, consumer and family support services, education, and advocacy.
Recovery Innovations of California (RICA)	(805) 981-5439 www.recoveryinnovations.org	1911 Williams Drive, Suite 125 Oxnard, CA 93036 1227 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provide recovery education classes and peer support to adults with mental health and/or addiction challenges. Peer Support Specialists serve as facilitators and recovery coaches. Services at the Sierra Vista Clinic for clients enrolled in Ventura County Behavioral Health.
Suicide Prevention Center - Didi Hirsh Mental Health Services	(877) 727-4747 Suicide hotline (800) 273-8255 Crisis line		Twenty-four hour hotline for those at risk of suicide or those concerned about others.
The Soldiers Project	(877) 576-5343 (818) 761-7438 www.thesoldiersproject.org		Provides free, confidential psychological counseling for members of the military and their loved ones.
Turning Point Foundation	(805) 652-0596 (805) 652-0000 (805) 653-5045 - Adult Wellness and Recovery (805) 653-5308 – New Visions Clubhouse www.turningpointfoundation.org	Administration 505 Poli Street, Suite 401 Ventura, CA 93001 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 24397 Ventura, CA 93002 Adult Wellness & Recovery Center	Offers shelter, housing, rehabilitation, and support services for adults dealing with mental illness. 1. <u>Adult Wellness and Recovery Center</u> : Activities and group services provided by peer support specialists to assist mental health consumers continue their recovery. 2. <u>New Visions Clubhouse</u> - community living skills rehabilitation, pre-employment training, educational, socialization and recreation services.

PET SERVICES

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Samaritan Center	(805) 579-9166 www.thesamaritancenterofsimivalley.org	280 Royal Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065 Mailing Address: P.O. Box 940568 Simi Valley, CA 93094	Provides donated pet food when available to pets belonging to the homeless. Homeless clients may also qualify for Animal Regulation pet services.
Spay & Neuter Clinic	(805) 584-3823 www.valleyvetnonprofit.com	1659 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Low-cost spay and neuter program.
Ventura County Animal Services Pet assistance services for the homeless	(805) 388-4341 (888) 223-7387 www.vcas.us	600 Aviation Drive Camarillo, CA 93010	Provides veterinary services, spay-neuter, and vaccinations for pets of The Samaritan Center's homeless clients. Provides emergency boarding of pets during disasters.
Pet Pantry	(805) 388-4341	670 W. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Free donated cat and dog food for licensed pets, Sundays 10:00 a.m. – noon.

SENIOR SERVICES

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
California Health Advocates (CHA) HICAP (Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program)	(805) 477-7310 (800) 434-0222 (805) 583-6363 Simi Valley Senior Center www.countyofventura.org/VCAA/HICAP	646 County Square Drive #100 Ventura, CA 93003	A non-profit organization for education and advocacy efforts on behalf of California Medicare beneficiaries and the pre-retirement population. The Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program (HICAP) provides free counseling and community education on Medicare, Medicare Part D, managed care, and other health insurance issues.
City of Simi Valley Senior Center	(805) 583-6363 Information www.simivalley.org/seniorcenter	3900 Avenida Simi Simi Valley, CA 93063	Senior programs include: Lifeline Program (emergency response system), adult education and recreation classes, health, and social services.
Senior Nutrition Program	(805) 583-6365 Lunch program (805) 583-6042 Meals On Wheels program		Provides congregate meals at the Senior Center with free transportation provided by Dial-A-Ride, Meals On Wheels (provides meals to the homebound), and Senior Share weekly food supplement program for low-income seniors.

SENIOR SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
City of Simi Valley Senior Center (continued) Housing Programs and Projects	(805) 583-6769	3855-A Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provides information on affordable housing, home rehabilitation loans, fair housing issues, and first-time homebuyer opportunities.
County of Ventura Area Agency on Aging	(805) 477-7300 (800) 510-2020 www.countyofventura.org	646 County Square Drive #100 Ventura, CA 93003	Information, assistance, and referral services; health insurance counseling and advocacy program; Community-based Care Transitions Program (CCTP), case management for age 18+ disabled persons or age 65+ (MediCal eligible persons with no share costs), to prevent premature institutionalization. Administer funds for Older Americans Act to senior organizations.
County of Ventura District Attorney Crime Victims' Assistance Senior Crime Prevention – Outreach Services	(805) 654-3622 (805) 654-2541 www.countyofventura.org	800 S. Victoria Avenue #311 Ventura, CA 93009	Assists victims of sexual assault, domestic violence, senior crime prevention, victim compensation, and crimes against the disabled. Provides orientations to the criminal justice system, court support for Temporary Restraining Orders, and a service referral program.
County of Ventura Human Services Agency Adult and Family Services Adult Protective Services In-Home Support Services	(805) 658-4450 (805) 654-3200 24-hour abuse reporting hotline (805) 306-7935 Information (805) 654-3236 Intake	1001 Partridge Drive #365 Ventura, CA 93003 3855-F Alamo Street Simi Valley, CA 93063	Investigates reports of elder or dependent adult abuse or neglect, including self-neglect. Based on an assessment of their findings, staff develops a plan to preserve the rights, interest, safety, and welfare of the elderly or disabled adult client. In-Home Support Services provides domestic chores and non-medical personal care to low-income, MediCal eligible, aged, blind, or disabled persons in their homes. To be eligible for services, persons must be receiving SSI/SSD benefits or meet the program's financial need requirement.

SENIOR SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Human Services Agency (continued) Public Administrator/Public Guardian (Referrals generally made directly to the agency by hospitals, nursing homes, or the Coroner's office)	(805) 654-3141 Officer of the day, leave message for a call back, also call this number for a referral packet	1001 Partridge Drive #360 Ventura, CA 93003	Manages final arrangements for indigent residents of Ventura County and for those who have no family to make such arrangements. Also manages the estates of deceased Ventura County residents who have no other administrator available.
Elderlink	(800) 613-5772 www.elderlink.org	P.O. Box 5202 Santa Monica, CA 90409	Free referral service to housing for people in need of assistance with one or more activities of daily living (no HUD or Section 8).
Long Term Care Services of Ventura County Inc. Ombudsman Program	(805) 656-1986 www.ombudsmanventura.org	2021 Sperry Avenue, Suite 35 Ventura, CA 93003	Advocate for care and well-being of elderly in long term care facilities, support group for caregivers, and pre-admission counseling. In home caregiver training DVD's available on website.
Lutheran Social Services Community Care Center Conejo Valley Meal and Shelter Program Emergency Assistance Program Homeless Services Programs	(805) 497-6207 www.lsssc.org	80 E. Hillcrest Drive #101 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Provides a hot meal 365 days per year and overnight shelter from December 1 through March 31. Provides resources including food and clothing vouchers, utility, rental assistance, case management, emergency services, gas vouchers, bus tokens, medical assistance, referrals to housing, and other service agency programs. Provides showers and laundry services by appointment only in Conejo Valley, mail services, lunches, resource referral, and case management.

SENIOR SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Seniors Concerns Senior Resources Specialist (Senior Advocate)	(805) 583-6363 Simi Valley Senior Center by appointment only (805) 495-6250 Goebel Senior Adult Center www.seniorconcerns.org	3900 Avenida Simi Simi Valley, CA 93063	Senior Advocate available at the Senior Center every Wednesday by appointment. Provides information to seniors and their families on housing, social security, government benefits, emergency assistance, senior caregivers, and elder abuse. In-home assessments and evaluation of medical, physical, psychological, financial, and legal concerns and ongoing case management.
Senior Support Line	(800) 235-9980 www.camhealth.com	36387 E. Los Posas Road Building H, Suite 188 Camarillo, CA 93010	Phone line to provide emotional support for seniors who are isolated, lonely, and fear loss of independence. Provides linkages to community resources. Monday through Friday, 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Shop Ahoy, by Elderpride, Inc. (includes local Simi Valley Service)	(805) 236-1267 www.shopahoy.org	P.O. Box 3472 Camarillo, CA 93011	Assist elderly and disabled persons to stay in their homes by providing grocery shopping delivery service.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES

(Also refer to: **Housing: Rehabilitation and Sober Living**)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Action Family Counseling Drug and Alcohol Treatment	(800) 367-8336 Crisis line (805) 584-3258 Simi Valley www.actionfamilycounseling.org	4380 Apricot Road Simi Valley, CA 93063	Support for adolescents, adults, and families with chemical dependency, behavioral modification, and mental health treatment services. Treatment services include: outpatient services and residential treatment, diagnostic assessment, individualized treatment plan, therapy, treatment advocacy, drug testing, and referrals to outside agencies. Offers a free weekly parent and teen support group in Simi Valley (call for times).

SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES (continued)
(Also refer to: Housing: Rehabilitation and Sober Living)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Aegis Medical Systems, Inc.	(805) 522-1844 www.aegismed.com	2650 Jones Way, Suite #10 Simi Valley, CA 93065	Behavioral Health contracted outpatient clinic for opiate dependency, methadone maintenance, and 21-day detox. Offering a variety of support groups ranging from coping skills, keys to recovery, problems and solutions to relapse prevention, men/women's group and family support groups.
Alanon/Alateen	(805) 656-7110 (805) 495-0270 www.alanonventura.org	Multiple locations Mailing Address: P.O. Box 6754 Ventura, CA 93006	Free support groups offering hope, help, and fellowship to families and friends of alcoholics, including Alateen for younger members.
Alcoholics Anonymous	(805) 522-1300 Simi Valley (805) 389-1444 Camarillo www.aaventuracounty.org	Main office: 321 N. Avidor #115 Camarillo, CA 93010	Free support groups for alcoholics with multiple locations and times.
<u>County of Ventura Health Care Agency</u> County of Ventura Behavioral Health Department Alcohol and Drug Program	(805) 577-1724 (805) 520-0305 DUI program (800) 339-9597 After hours information www.vchca.org/behavioral-health/alcohol-and-drug-programs	3150 E. Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93065	Treatment, recovery programs, and referral program for substance abuse issues. Access to a full range of services, including: prevention, education and intervention, screening, assessment and referral, drug testing, access to detoxification referrals, joint agency collaboration with mental health services, crisis mental health emergency services, collaborative inter-agency team approach, on-site HIV testing and counseling, and residential treatment referrals.
Narcotics Anonymous	(888) 672-9318 www.gcana.org	Multiple locations	Free support groups for drug abusers.
Palmer Drug Abuse Program of Ventura County (PDAP)	(805) 482-1265 www.pdapofventura.com	450 Rosewood Avenue #215 Camarillo, CA 93010	Outpatient substance abuse programs for ages 11 to 20 and parent support groups. Accepts MediCal.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES (continued)
(Also refer to: Housing: Rehabilitation and Sober Living)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Phoenix House	(888) 286-5027 Information (877) 769-9698 Lake View Terrace www.phoenixhouse.org	11600 Eldridge Avenue Lake View Terrace, CA 91342	Provides treatment for teens with substance abuse and mental health disorders, includes both residential and outpatient programs. Serves ages 13 to 18 in Lake View Terrace, and ages 18 and over in Venice.
Tarzana Treatment Centers, Inc.	(800) 996-1051 (818) 654-3950 www.tarzanatc.org	18646 Oxnard Street Tarzana, CA 91356	Provides substance abuse and mental health treatment to adults and youth. A non-profit, community-based organization that operates a psychiatric hospital, residential and outpatient alcohol and drug treatment centers, adolescent drug treatment centers, and family medical clinics, including a medically supervised detox program.
Ventura County Medical Center Hillmont Psychiatric Center	(805) 652-6000 (805) 652-6729	200 Hillmont Avenue Ventura, CA 93003	Twenty-four hour, acute psychiatric hospital for patients who are a danger to self or others, or are gravely disabled because of a mental disorder. The program provides evaluation, protection, stabilization and treatment for the acute phase of a serious mental illness.
Victory Outreach	(805) 581-2599 www.victoryoutreachsimi.org	1482 Sinaloa Road Simi Valley, CA 93065	Church based rehabilitation/sober living program.

TRANSPORTATION

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
California's Low Cost Automobile Insurance Program	(866) 602-8861 www.mylowcostauto.com		California program for income eligible qualified good drivers to get minimum vehicle liability insurance for as little as \$248 per year (check on rates).

TRANSPORTATION (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
<p>City of Simi Valley - Transportation City of Simi Valley Transit ADA/Dial-A-Ride</p>	<p>(805) 583-6456 Fixed Route (805) 583-6464 ADA/Dial-A-Ride www.simivalley.org</p>	<p>2929 Tapo Canyon Road Simi Valley, CA 93063</p>	<p>Provides local public bus and ADA/Dial-A-Ride services, as well as coordinated connecting services to Ventura County, Los Angeles County, and Metrolink transportation services. Books of reduced rate bus passes are available at City Hall and the Simi Valley Town Center.</p>
<p>Greyhound (Bus) Lines, Inc.</p>	<p>(800) 231-2222 Fare and schedule information (800) 752-4841 Assistance for customers with disabilities (818) 898-3416 San Fernando station www.greyhound.com</p>	<p>San Fernando Greyhound Station 14729 Rinaldi Street San Fernando, CA 91340</p>	<p>Call for schedules and locations for public long-distance bus services.</p>
<p>Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transit Authority</p>	<p>(323) 466-3876 www.metro.net</p>	<p>One Gateway Plaza Los Angeles, CA 90012</p>	<p>Public transportation in Los Angeles County.</p>
<p>Metrolink</p>	<p>(800) 371-5465 www.metrolinktrains.com</p>	<p>One Gateway Plaza Los Angeles, CA 90012</p>	<p>Provides a link between six Southern California counties with intra-city commuter train service.</p>
<p>Ventura County Transportation Commission (VCTC)</p> <p>ADA Certifications</p> <p>Transit Information and Bus Passes</p>	<p>(800) 438-1112 Phone (800) 755-6648 TTY www.goventura.org</p> <p>(805) 642-1591 (888) 667-7001 http://www.goventura.org</p> <p>(800) 438-1112 Phone (800) 755-6648 TTY</p>	<p>950 County Square Drive, Suite 207 Ventura, CA 93003</p>	<p>Certifies eligible persons for the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) required by Dial-A-Ride services. The certifications are for all transit services in Ventura County and “guest” privileges for ADA transit services outside of Ventura County.</p> <p>Provides information and schedules for all public transit in Ventura County, and sells countywide bus passes. Also makes available (for a fee) tokens for use by social service agencies.</p>

TRANSPORTATION (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Ventura County Transportation Commission (VCTC) VISTA	(800) 438-1112		Provides bus services between Ventura County communities, including VISTA East, between Simi Valley, Moorpark, and Thousand Oaks, and the VISTA 101 provides transportation between Thousand Oaks and Ventura (Monday through Saturday).

UTILITIES

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Community Action of Ventura County	(805) 436-4000 (805) 648-6088 www.ca-vc.org	621 Richmond Avenue Oxnard, CA 93030	Provides help with weatherization and utility bill assistance (when funded).
Lifeline Telephone Service	(866) 272-0349 For general information call toll-free www.californialifeline.com	Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102	Discount local telephone service and free cell service for eligible California residents. Eligibility is determined primarily by receiving public benefits or by income level. Wireless Lifeline providers.
Cricket	(800) 274-2538		
Reachout Wireless	(877) 777-1914		
Telescope	(877) 771-7736		
Lutheran Social Services Community Care Center	(805) 497-6207 www.lsssc.org	80 E. Hillcrest Drive #101 Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Providing assistance to all Ventura County residents with gas and electric bills. SCE assistance is provided once in a 12-month period and the Gas Company assistance is provided once in a calendar year.
Salvation Army Simi Valley	(805) 527-1070 www.salvationarmyusa.org	1407 E. Los Angeles Avenue, Unit P Simi Valley, CA 93065	Food distribution, social services, utility assistance, and seasonal activities.
Utility Assistance Southern California Edison 15% discount CARE program	(800) 447-6620 (800) 655-4555 www.sce.com		Utility companies provide assistance programs for low-income, disabled, or elderly clients. Discount programs are listed on each company's utility bill.
Southern California Gas Company 20% discount CARE program	(800) 427-2200 www.socalgas.com		

VETERANS SERVICES

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
County of Ventura Human Services Agency Veterans Services	(805) 477-5155 Call for an appointment or questions (805) 955-2286 Simi Valley office (805) 583-6363 Senior Center www.countyofventura.org	980 Enchanted Way, Suite 105 Simi Valley, CA 93065 Simi Valley Senior Center 3900 Avenida Simi Simi Valley, CA 93063	Provides benefit information and application assistance for all benefits under the U.S. Department of Veteran's Affairs to service persons, veterans, their dependents and survivors, including parents who have lost a child in military service. Services are available in Simi Valley the first Wednesday of the month, between 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
	(805) 477-5155 Call for questions	1400 Vanguard Drive Oxnard, CA 93033	Walk-in services are available in Oxnard, Mondays 8:00 a.m. – noon.
		Supervisor Susan Parks Office 625 W. Hillcrest Drive Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Walk-in services are available in Thousand Oaks, Tuesdays 8:00 a.m. – noon.
		1385 Janss Road Thousand Oaks, CA 91360	Walk-in services on the second Tuesday of each month 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
DAV Van Service	(805) 583-6363 Call the Senior Center to schedule a DAV pick-up or leave a message at (805) 404-2734 to cancel a pick-up		Reservations are taken at the Simi Valley Senior Center for DAV van pick-up for transportation to veteran's services medical treatment at Sepulveda and in West Los Angeles.
Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) National Call Center for Homeless Veterans Readjustment Counseling Service- Vet Center	(877) 424-3838 (877) 4AID VET		Twenty-four hour hotline to ensure homeless and at-risk veterans and their families with immediate access to counselors.
	(805) 585-1860	790 E. Santa Clara Street, Suite 100 Ventura, CA 93001	Free counseling service for war veterans and their families in Ventura County. The focus is on Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder in combat veterans, women veteran issues, and referral, Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

VETERANS SERVICES (continued)

PROGRAM	PHONE/WEBSITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) (continued) Sepulveda Medical Clinic	(800) 516-4567 (818) 891-7711 (877) 252-4866 24-hour hotline For services, appointments and eligibility: www.va.gov	16111 Plummer Street North Hills, CA 91343	Veteran's outpatient ambulatory care clinic, medical, psychiatric, and prescription services, Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Veterans Crisis Line	(800) 273-8255 www.veteranscrisisline.net		Connects Veterans in crisis, their families and friends with qualified, caring Department of Veterans Affairs responders through a confidential toll-free hotline.
HUD-VASH Vouchers (Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing Program)	(213) 448-2468 PATH - Ventura (213) 447-8991 – PATH referral process (424) 294- 8274 PATH L.A. (310) 497-3327 Oxnard		Provides rental assistance vouchers to qualified low-income homeless veterans. Referrals from agencies and social workers can go to PATH (People Assisting the Homeless). In addition to the rental assistance, VASH provides ongoing supportive services and case management to eligible homeless veterans. The following sub-populations of veterans will be given priority through PATH: chronically homeless, mentally ill, families with minor children, and those returning from Iraq and Afghanistan.
The Soldiers Project	(877) 576-5343 (818) 761-7438 www.thesoldiersproject.org		Provides free, confidential psychological counseling for members of the military and their families.
VFW Post 10049	(805) 583-9722	4242 Los Angeles Avenue Simi Valley, CA 93063	VFW Post Service Officer provides benefit information and assistance for all benefits under the U. S. Department of Veterans Affairs to veterans and their families. Contact the Service Officer for information or an appointment.