

General Community Aid

Upper Des Moines Opportunity, Inc.
900 Central Ave
Suite 11
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-576-7774

Services Offered: Low income energy assistance, housing assistance, head start, children & adult care food program, housing weatherization, WIC, general financial assistance, FaDSS Program to assist in moving families toward individual growth, job retention and economic stability

Bridging the Gap

Fort Dodge Community Foundation
24 N 9th Street
Suite B
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-955-8880
Contact Person: Paula Sorenson

Program Description: Program designed to "bridge the gap" between families working hard but struggling to make ends meet and those wanting to donate items no longer being used, such as furniture and household items that may be taking up space and collecting dust in basements, attics and garages.

Website Information:
Udmo.com
Fd-foundation.org

Education

Iowa Central Community College
One Triton Circle
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-576-7201

Programs Offered: Variety of instructional programs including skill trades, automotive areas, industrial technology, robotics/automation

Healthcare

Community Health Center of Fort Dodge
126 North 10th Street
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-576-6500

Services Offered: Primary care, laboratory, minor surgical procedures, Free health checks, medication assistance program, diabetes management, dental services. Sliding fee scale used for uninsured patients. Monday through Friday day and evening hours.

Website Information:
chcfd.com

Webster County Health Department
723 1st Ave South
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-573-4107

Services Offered: CPR/First aid classes, nutritional programs, immunizations/vaccinations, I-Smile dental program, teen pregnancy prevention, tobacco cessation programs, family planning, WIC, early cancer detection programs.

Website Information:
Webstercountyia.org/HealthDept

Berryhill Center for Mental Health
720 Kenyon Rd
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-955-7171

Services Offered: sliding fee schedule, mental health treatment out patient services, Monday through Friday 8:00-4:30, after hours by appointment.

Website Information:
Unitypoint.org



Community Resources for the Offender—Fort Dodge



United States
Probation

320 6th Street
Room 200
Sioux City, IA 51101
Phone: 712-233-3930
Fax: 712-233-8910

Housing

Mid Iowa Regional Housing Authority

1605 First Ave N, Suite #1
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-955-8344

Fort Dodge Housing

700 S. 17th Street
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-573-7751

Northwest Iowa Housing Authority

2016 Hwy Blvd, Suite N
Spencer, IA 51301
Phone: 712-262-7460

Spirit Lake Housing

710 Lake Street
Spirit Lake, IA 51573
Phone: 712-336-2318



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Services Offered: Section 8 Rental Assistance (voucher), low income unit based assistance, down payment assistance for home ownership assistance to pay for private housing, utility and security deposit assistance

Website Information:
udmo.org

Veterans

Webster County Commission on Veteran Affairs

723 1st Ave S
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-573-1479

Veteran Affairs Outpatient Clinic

2419 2nd Ave North
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-576-2235

Legal / Child Support

Child Support Recovery

330 1st Ave N
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-955-5464

Services Provided: Establish and modify support orders, employment grants to assist in finding work, and facilitating access and visitation.

Website Information:
dhs.state.ia.us

Iowa Legal Aid Volunteer Lawyers Project

1111 9th St, 230
Des Moines, IA 50314-2590
Phone: 515-243-0311

Services Offered: provides assistance with a large range of legal issues including marriage dissolution, parental rights, custody, adoption, immigration, healthcare, employment, housing, discrimination

Website Information:
iowalegalaid.org



Driver's License

County Attorney Pay Program (CAPP)

215 4th Ave Southeast
Le Mars, IA 51031

Contact Person: Jessica Trobaugh,
Drivers License Reinstatement Coordinator
Phone: 712-546-5019

Program Description: Obtain license by combining all driving fines preventing validation of license into one repayment plan. Monthly payments will need to be made to keep license. Current waiting time to get into program is 4 weeks.

Parenting Support

24/7 Dads

111 Ave O West
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Contact Person: Denise Herrington,
Program Director
Phone: 515-573-2193

Program Description: 12-week group to assist with fatherhood, learning good fathering practices, improving communication with children and other family members and respectful co-parenting



MomTalk

230 9th Ave N
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Contact Person: Janel Lincoln
Group Leader
Phone: 515-573-3138

Program Description: Education and support, addresses issues including health lifestyles, self sufficiency, improving interactions.

Website Resources:
Lfsiowa.org
Cfiowa.org

Employment Resources

Iowa Works

Three Triton Circle
Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-576-3131

Services Offered: Job search and placement assistance, computer skills training, programs on interviewing, resumes, and cover letter writing program. Workshops offered at no cost. Monday through Friday 8:30-4:30, Saturday 9:00-2:00