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UNION COUNTY COMMUNITY RESOURCES (pages 1-9)

2025 Extreme Prevention Multi-County Resource Guide! (Starts on Page 10)

Statewide Community Resources Portal - <https://adedata.arkansas.gov/scr>

100 Families-Restore Hope- Union County-. Call 870-200-9010. Email Elesha Eggers at elesha@eldoradoag.com. Visit <https://www.restorehopear.org/#100families>. Community case management/advocacy group. Great resource to direct anyone with kids in need to! If you are in need, reach out to Elesha!

Child Care

DHS Child Care Assistance – To be eligible, applicants must either work at least 30 hours per week, attend school full-time, or spend at least 30 hours per week in a job training program. If so, they can submit an application by email to their case worker or drop it by the DHS office at 128 W 18th St., El Dorado. Income guidelines can be found on the website at www.humanservices.arkansas.gov

DHS Facility Search – For help finding an AR-licensed child care provider for infants, toddlers, preschool, or school-aged children, including those that are open in the evening or weekends or that take vouchers, start searching here: <https://dhs.arkansas.gov/DCCECE/CCLAS/FacilitySearch.aspx>

Early/Head Start is a quality early childhood education program that provides comprehensive services to low-income children and their families. It supports growth and development in a positive learning environment for infants and toddlers (6 weeks to 3 years of age) and promotes school readiness for children ages 3 to 5. It is free to income-eligible families. Call 870-875-1714 or 870-862-2755 for El Dorado, 870-924-5615 for Junction City, and 870-797-7378 for Strong.

ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE HOTLINE- 1-844-728-3224

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CRISIS INTERVENTION HOTLINE- 870-862-0929.

Clothing

- **Goodwill** - 1430 N West Ave, El Dorado; Phone: 870-863-4454
- **Liberty Baptist Ministry Center Food Pantry**, 901 S. Washington St., El Dorado, also has clothes.
- **Salvation Army Family Store-** 1324 N. West Ave, El Dorado; Phone 870-639-3923
- **El Dorado Service League** can help with clothes, food, diapers, etc., as long as children are in the home. 2025-2026 Social Services Chair Amanda Smith esocialservices@gmail.com.

Counseling and Mental Health- Suicide & Crisis Lifeline – Call 988

- **Chenal Family Therapy** offers services to kids, adults, couples, and families. They accept major insurances, including Medicaid, and cash payments. **600 S. Timberlane, El Dorado; Phone: 870-340-2636**
- **The Cove Counseling & Wellness- Angela Shepherd, LCSW- 214 N Washington, Suite 611 (or via telehealth).** Offering individual, couples, and family therapy for children, adolescents, and adults. **Call 501-566-4803**
- **Empowered with Vanessa, PLC-** Mental Health and Life Coaching Service by Dr. Vanessa Williams- Call **501-436-9269**, email empowered.with.vanessa@gmail.com, or visit empoweredwithvanessapl.com for more information.
- **The Guinn Clinic** has experience working with people who are struggling with various conditions, including anxiety, depression, PTSD, OCD, schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, and substance dependence. - **1906 W Hillsboro, Suite A, El Dorado. Phone 870-639-9322**
- **Newhaven Counseling & Health Services** offers behavioral health, substance abuse, intellectual and developmental disability services, group therapy, and peer recovery. **Located at 715 N. College, El Dorado; Phone 870-862-7921**
- **National Maternal Mental Health Hotline** offers support, understanding, and resources. Call or text 1-833-943-5746. The hotline is available 24/7 and is free and confidential.
- **Promoting Positive Emotions (PPE)** – free and confidential crisis counseling services via in-person, video, or phone sessions. **Crisis Support Line is 833-993-2382.** www.staypositivearkansas.com
- **Spencer McCullough (501-420-4328/mcs@therapyemail.com), Lesley Ford (501-837-5773/ Lesley.j.ford82@gmail.com), and Abby Cate (870-864-8127/abbycate24@cateness.org)** are licensed professional

counselors. They work with patients of all ages to provide additional support and coordinate care. **Located inside SAMA at 600 S Timberlane Dr., El Dorado. Call/text/email individual providers to schedule.**

Diapers

- **Be Well Baby** is a program of the AR Department of Health designed to help pregnant mothers stop using tobacco. Participants who enroll can earn up to \$250 in diaper vouchers that can be redeemed at Walmart stores and Walmart.com. There are no age, income, or insurance requirements for participants. It is free for all users. Enroll at www.bewellarkansas.org/be-well-baby/
- **CADC** (Central AR Development Council), 1426 N West Ave., El Dorado, offers diaper assistance to low-income families. The program gives up to 6 packs of diapers (3 packs with each visit). Must show ID and proof of living in Union County. Apply at <https://www.cadc.com/diaper-program>, where income guidelines are provided.
- **Salvation Army** helps with diapers every 2 months. 419 S. Madison Ave., Phone: 870-863-4830
- **El Dorado Service League** can help with clothes, food, diapers, etc., as long as children are in the home. 2025-2026 Social Services Chair Amanda Smith eslsocialservices@gmail.com.

Employment, Rehabilitation, Scholarships

- **AARP Foundation Senior Community Service Employment Program**- Paid training positions for those 55+ in Union, Ouachita, or Dallas Counties. Must meet Federal Poverty Income Limit Guidelines, willing to seek permanent part-time or full-time employment, and must be unemployed. Call 870-460-7467 or email bkizer@aarp.org.
- **Arkansas Workforce Connect (Including Employment & Training, Adult Education, Rehabilitation Services, and Services for the Blind)** provides a variety of free training and career preparation programs for people with and without disabilities. Free GED, WAGE, and CNA training. Free ESL tutoring. They can help them return to work, start a new career path, or help them access accommodations at their current workplace. For assistance, contact the office at 870-862-5451 and ask to be set up as a new client. They will then send out forms and set up an intake appointment. Location is 708 W. Faulkner St., El Dorado.
- **Arkansas Single Parent Scholarship Fund**- Scholarships for single parents in Arkansas. See eligibility and learn more at <https://www.aspsf.org/eligibility>. Local Contact- Sandra Warren (Program Manager)- swarren@aspsf.org or 870-330-7371. PO Box 355, Texarkana, TX 75504.
- **Career Pathways Initiative** is a resource that enables **South Arkansas College** to offer free career training and college classes to eligible students who are AR residents with a child under the age of 21 and whose annual family income is 250% of the FPL. The program can help with tuition, fees, books, childcare, transportation, computers, Internet, career guidance, tutoring, incentives, and more! Call 870-864-8458 or 870-862-8131 ext. 353 for more information. Programs include ACAP (for those with developmental/intellectual disabilities), Adult ed, career services, corporate education, and more! Email JSchroeder@southark.edu for more information!
- **South Arkansas College**- go to <https://www.southark.edu/> or call 870-862-8131 or 800-955-2289 to learn more about all that SAC has to offer!
- **Goodwill Career Center** helps people train for and get jobs. Services include help with resumes and cover letters, job searches, job applications, interview preparation, referral services, and education and job training. Located at 1428 N West Ave, El Dorado.
- The **Literacy Council of Union County** provides free instruction in basic reading, math, computer technology, and English as a second language for adults in Union County. They also help fill out job applications and write resumes. Help with basic computer literacy and health literacy classes is offered as needed. 202 N Washington Suite 107, El Dorado, Phone: 870-864-7081.
- **EXPLORE South Arkansas Careers**- <https://www.exploresoutharkcareers.com>- Explore Union County Industries, job openings, career opportunities, resume and interview tips, and more! **Sign up for their job and training text alerts to never miss an opening or opportunity!**

Food Assistance

- **CADC** (Central AR Development Council) is located in the El Dorado Shopping Center at 1426 N West Ave, El Dorado. Phone: 870-864-0067. They provide quarterly USDA commodities and a summer food service program for children. Income must be 130% of poverty guidelines. There is no cost to participate if eligible. Must present a photo ID.
- **Curry Chapel AME Church** – 300 F St., Strong, AR; Phone: 870-797-7326
- **East Main Baptist Church Benevolence**- Judy Pace (coordinator)- embc_benevolence@outlook.com -870-862-4938-1903 E. Main St., El Dorado, AR 71730.
- **El Dorado Service League** can help with clothes, food, diapers, etc., as long as children are in the home. 2025-2026 Social Services Chair Amanda Smith eslsocialservices@gmail.com.
- **Helping Hand Food Pantry**, located inside St Paul Global Methodist Church, 700 W 8th St, El Dorado, is a USDA distribution site. It's open twice a month on the first and third Thursdays from 1:00 pm-3:00 pm. Families can come once every month on either of those two days. First-time visitors to the Food Pantry will need a photo ID or Driver's License, Proof of residence in Union County, AR, and Proof of income. You do not need a referral or voucher from any other agency. Phone: (870) 862-4242
- **Helping Hand Food Pantry/Clothes Closet**, First Baptist Church of Smackover, 201 W. 7th St.; Phone: 870-725-3941
- **Hillsboro Church of Christ Food Pantry**, 1322 W. Hillsboro St., El Dorado, serves dry and frozen food once per month. The date and time are posted on their church sign by the street, but it's usually the 2nd Friday of each month. Phone 870-863-4714. Mini pantry (take what you need/leave what you can) onsite as well.
- **Liberty Ministry Center Food Pantry** is located in the old Southside Baptist Church education building at 901 S. Washington St., El Dorado, Arkansas. The Center is open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. They also have limited clothing items. The phone number is 870-862-8158.
- **Salvation Army** serves 2 meals a day and can refer to other agencies for groceries. Also, can provide food bags/support (once every 30 days); 419 S. Madison Ave., Phone: 870-863-4830.
- **St. James Baptist Church Outreach Center** 608 MLK Ave, Phone: 870-862-6271
- **SouthArk College Stars Market** is a free resource for *SouthArk students with a valid student ID*. It has foods, water, drinks, grab-and-go snacks, non-perishable food items, and toiletry items. It's located in the Student Center.
- **South Arkansas Fight AIDS Food Pantry**, 526 W Faulkner St., El Dorado, provides food to *their clients*. Phone: 870-875-2099
- **St. Mary's Episcopal Church Food Pantry (Interfaith Help Services)**, 512 Champagnolle Rd., El Dorado; Food is distributed in the Parish Hall parking lot and can be picked up once every two weeks. Hours are Monday-Thursday from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
- **SNAP** - apply at DHS, 123 West 18th Street, El Dorado; Phone: (870) 862-6631- **(Funding cut starting Nov. 1)**
- **Turning Point of South Arkansas**, located inside CADENCE Bank, 101 W Main St., El Dorado, provides food for victims of sexual assault and/or family violence. Phone: 870-862-0929
- **WIC (Women, Infants, & Children)** provides supplemental foods high in nutrients. Pregnant, breastfeeding, and postpartum women, infants, and children under the age of five are eligible if they meet income guidelines, have a nutritional need, and live in AR. Applicants must provide proof of residency and income or eligibility for Medicaid, TEA, or SNAP, and be assessed at the Union County Health Unit, 301 American Road; Phone: 870-863-5101
- **Champagnolle Landing Senior Center-910 Champagnolle Road**: Free services, including daily hot lunch, exercise equipment, walking track, classes, billiards/activity room for anyone over 60. Phone: 870-862-2230.
- **Mini-Pantries**- Behind El Dorado Water Utilities, Dumas Methodist Church (132. S. Wyatt, El Dorado), FUMC El Dorado, Near El Dorado Hospital ER Entrance (on 5th Street), Behind Parkers Chapel First Baptist Church, <https://www.facebook.com/share/p/17Vs4Q9ncY/?mibextid=wwXlfr> (credit to Brittany Savage on FB).

Formula

- **Free Formula Exchange** allows families in need of baby formula to connect with others who have formula to donate: <https://freeformula.exchange>
- **Salvation Army** can provide emergency formula. Must show ID. For more information call (870) 863-4830 or visit at 419 S Madison Ave, El Dorado.

Formula (continued)

- **WIC (Women, Infants, & Children)** provides formula for infants up to 1 year. Must meet income guidelines, have a nutritional need, and live in AR. Applicants must provide proof of residency and income or eligibility for Medicaid, TEA, or SNAP, and be assessed at the Union County Health Unit, 301 American Road; Phone: 870-863-5101
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Housing/Homelessness

- **Christopher Homes** provides efficiency and one-bedroom units to eligible persons 62 years of age or older or persons who are mobility impaired. Located at 1323 W. 5th St, El Dorado. Call 866-486-2136
- **Every Arkansan Inc. of Little Rock, AR. is a faith-based organization that** has partnered with the Arkansas Department of Education and Bright Futures to identify students and families experiencing homelessness in Arkansas. Throughout the school year, if you know of a need, you can submit the details at www.everyarkansan.org or call 870-816-4563. Their next step is to connect that need with a local church within their network to provide wrap-around resources and/or services to the child or family.
- **Salvation Army** operates an emergency overnight shelter divided by the lobby with separate sides for males and females. There is no waiting list. Occupants must leave the shelter every day from 7 to 5. The agency also assists with utilities and rent once per year. A disconnect notice or eviction notice is needed for that. Phone number is (870) 863-4830; Address is 419 S Madison Ave, El Dorado.
- **Turning Point of South Arkansas**, located inside the Cadence Bank building, 101 W Main St., El Dorado, provides emergency shelter and crisis intervention services for domestic abuse victims. **The Crisis Intervention Hotline is 870-862-0929.**

Home Ownership and Financial Literacy

- **CADC's** Family Development Program offers Assurance 16, which provides (on a limited basis) a financial incentive to persons completing economic literacy workshops.
- **Homeowners Assistance** is a fund to prevent delinquent mortgages, defaults, foreclosures, and loss of utilities due to the pandemic. Hardships include job loss, reduction in income, or increased costs due to healthcare or the need to care for a family member. The maximum total annual household income for a family of four ranges from \$81,150 to \$112,350, depending on the county in which they live. Apply at www.arkansashaf.com/qualify or call 888-698-0964 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. M-F and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday.
- **East Main Baptist Church Outreach-** Judy Pace (coordinator)- embc_benevolence@outlook.com -870-862-4938- 1903 E. Main St., El Dorado, AR 71730. Financial literacy classes and resources.
- **El Dorado Habitat for Humanity** builds homes for low-income households in need of a simple, decent, and affordable place to live. Email director@habitat-eldorado.org to get more information.
- **CADENCE Bank** offers special loans for non-homeowners. They also have credit-building and credit-cleanup services. Cadence Bank | 101 West Main Street | El Dorado, AR 71730, O: 870-875-5223
- **Red River Credit Union-** Financial Education Advocate- 903-735-3162 or ebright@rrcu.com. RRCU financial services- rrcufinancialservices@rrcu.com or 903-735-3132.
- **First Financial Bank-** financial literacy and education- <https://blog.ffb1.com/financial-solutions/> or call 870-863-7000 or 800-562-6896.

Legal

- The **Center for Arkansas Legal Services** offers free legal help for low-income people. Areas of practice include domestic abuse, guardianship, bankruptcy, garnishments, contracts, debt collection, landlord/tenant, federal housing, eviction defense, home retention, foreclosure prevention, Social Security, Medicaid, Medicare, SNAP/TEA, veterans, wills, end of life instructions, sealing of criminal records. Helpline: 501-376-3423 or Toll-Free: 800-950-5817/ apply online at www.ArkansasLegal.org

Literacy

- **The Literacy Council of Union County** provides free instruction in basic reading, math, computer technology, and English as a second language for adults in Union County. They also help fill out job applications and write resumes. They help with basic computer literacy and health literacy classes, as needed. 202 N Washington Suite 107, El Dorado, Phone: 870-864-7081.

Medical

- **Be Well Arkansas**, a program of the AR Department of Health, offers wellness counseling to help manage diabetes and high blood pressure. The Be Well Call Center at 1-833-283-9355 is open during normal business hours, Monday-Friday from 8:00-4:00, except state holidays. You may also text 501-588-8445 M-F from 8:00 to 4:00.
- **Father Bob Allen Charitable Clinic** offers health care services, including minor surgeries, prescription assistance, EKG's insurance assistance, and individualized care plans, to low-income, uninsured Union County residents. Proof of income, residency, and ID are required. They are located at 815 Thompson Ave Suite A, El Dorado. Phone 870-864-8010
- **Interfaith Help Service** assists with gas for people to get to doctor appointments and helps with prescriptions. Located inside St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 512 Champagnolle Rd., El Dorado, Phone: 870-862-2294.
- **Strong Clinic** (CABUN Rural Health Services) offers comprehensive medical care on a sliding fee scale. They are located at 253 Concord St., Strong, and their phone number is 870-797-7620. Dental care is available to all CABUN clients at the CABUN site in Hampton.
- **TeamCorrie Cancer Foundation**- Provides grants to Union County Cancer Patients. Reach out to Sandy Gross at sandy49gross@gmail.com or visit www.teamcorriecancerfoundation.org.
- **UAMS Cancer Patient Navigation Program**- **You do not have to receive care from UAMS to participate**- This wellness, and financial resources in the community, and health care providers. Call 1-855-569-3691 or email COE@uams.edu. Visit www.redcap.link/navigationreferral to fill out a referral form.
- **UAMS Institute for Community Health Innovation**- 702 S. Timberlane Suite A, El Dorado, AR- 479-200-6687 or 870-814-6659, ssixbey@uams.edu (nurse educator). Contact for anything related to rural health, maternal health, prenatal health, or the mobile health unit.
- **Union County Health Unit**- 301 American Rd, El Dorado, AR 71730. Call 870-863-5101. Clinical Preventative Health Services (immunizations, women's health, WIC, STD, (including HIV) and other testing), Public Health Programs (chronic disease prevention and management, tobacco prevention and cessation), and Licensing and Certification (vital records, etc).

Senior/Older Adult Services

- **UAMS South Arkansas Center on Aging**. 1119 N Madison Ave, El Dorado AR 71730. 870-881-8969. UAMScentersonaging.org The UAMS South Arkansas Center on Aging offers free educational and wellness programs for older adults and family caregivers. We provide mind and body activities like Ageless Grace, Drums Alive, Tai Chi, and Walk With Ease. Our Dementia and Alzheimer's support includes the Family Caregiver Workshop and the unique Alzheimer's Experience: Take a Walk in Their Shoes virtual reality program. We also offer SUCCESS, a one-on-one caregiver coaching program, and HEAT (Healthy Eating and Testing) to encourage nutritious cooking. Join us for Tea Time, our monthly mental health support group, and explore many other free resources related to health, caregiving, and aging well.
- **Champagnolle Landing Senior Center-910 Champagnolle Road- 870-862-2230**: Free services, including daily hot lunch, exercise equipment, walking track, classes, billiards/activity room for anyone over 60.

Substance Use and Abuse (Alcohol, Tobacco, and other Drugs)

- **AppleGate Recovery** is an outpatient medication-assisted treatment center in El Dorado for persons 18 and up, who are struggling with opioid addiction. Staff provide a comfortable setting to prescribe buprenorphine or Suboxone®. It's located in the **South Arkansas Professional Plaza at 403 W Oak St Suite 300, El Dorado**. Payment types include cash, debit card, credit card, AR BlueCross BlueShield, Optum Behavioral Health, Optum (United Healthcare), and traditional Medicare. Hours are M-Th 9AM–5PM, Friday 9AM–4PM, Closed Saturday and Sunday. **(870) 639-4527 or 870-639-6900**
- **Be Well Arkansas**, a program of the AR Department of Health, offers counseling and resources for quitting tobacco and nicotine products. Service options include telephone counseling, Nicotine Replacement Therapy for adults, referrals to local resources, and online resources including online chat, texting and mobile apps. The Be Well Call Center at **1-833-283-9355**, is open during normal business hours, Monday-Friday from 8:00-4:00, except state holidays. **You may also text 501-588-8445 M-F from 8:00 to 4:00.**
- **Be Well Baby** is a program of the AR Department of Health designed to help pregnant mothers stop using tobacco. Participants must be pregnant, 36 weeks gestations or less, a current tobacco user, quit since becoming pregnant, OR quit 3 months before becoming pregnant. The program is free. There are no age, income, or insurance requirements for participants. Enrolled participants can earn up to \$250 in diaper vouchers to be redeemed at Walmart or Walmart.com. Sign up at www.bewellarkansas.org/be-well-baby/
- **The Guinn Clinic** is certified for Medication Assisted Therapy (Suboxone) for patients with opioid addiction. 1906 W Hillsboro, Suite A, El Dorado. Phone **870-639-9322**. Web: <https://theguinnclinic.com/>.
- **Newhaven Counseling & Health Services** has structured therapeutic services, outpatient substance use treatment, and intensive community-based treatment, as well as peer support programs to help initiate, stabilize, and sustain recovery. Location is **715 N. College, El Dorado**; Phone **870-862-7921**. Web: <https://www.newhavenchs.org/>.
- **Newhaven Recovery Lodge**- Inpatient and Intensive Outpatient Substance Use Disorder treatment at **2301 Champagnolle Road, El Dorado, AR 71730**.
- **Magdalene House of El Dorado**- Magdalene House of El Dorado's mission is simple - to bring love and hope to women who have lived in despair for too long. Our two-year residential program will accomplish this mission by providing women who are ready to step out of prostitution, abuse, addiction, and sexual exploitation with the support, love, encouragement, and community they need to transform into self-sufficient women of hope and life. **Address: 525 N Madison. Phone: 870-918-6476. Director- taviaharrell@gmail.com. Learn more at www.magdaleneeldo.org.**
- **Illumination Foundation- Pathways to Recovery- "Halfway House"**- Their mission is to empower individuals with the tools necessary to sustain life-long recovery from addiction by integrating faith & science to deliver a holistic approach that heals the mind, body & spirit. Contact them at 870-315-5137, email nicole@recoveryar.org, or visit www.ifrecovery.org.
- **Drug Abuse Hotline 800-836-8540**
- **Meth Hotline 501-315-4636**
- **Substance Abuse Helpline 877-345-3350**

Transportation

- **El Dorado Taxi** – \$20 per ride with an extra \$2 charge for each stop made along the way. 870-312-6008
- **Imperial Transportation**- Cash Owens- Call 870-814-6799
- **South Central AR Transit (SCAT)**, run by CADC, provides free Medicaid transportation with appointment. Non-Medicaid transportation can include rides to and from shopping, medical appointments, etc. for \$3 per stop. A notice of 48 hours is required for all rides. Call 870-864-0067 to schedule. Located at 1426 N West Ave, El Dorado.
- **El Dorado Connections/ /El Dorado Express- 202 N Washington Suite 108/ 870-864-7082**- offers free transportation for senior adults 60 years of age and older to doctor appointments, the airport, or personal shopping. Donations are welcome. Transportation for those 40 to 59 years of age is provided for a nominal fee: **See chart above**

Total Mileage - Cost
1 - 20 Miles - \$7.00
21 - 40 Miles - \$14.00
41 - 60 Miles - \$21.00
61 - 80 Miles - \$28.00
*Out of town - \$60.00
(Rates/Trips Subject to Change)

*Trips out of town are a maximum of 300 miles round trip. (Little Rock, Hot Springs, Shreveport). **TRIPS OUTSIDE OF 15-20 MILES ARE CURRENTLY SUSPENDED (AS OF JULY 2025)**

Call 870-864-7082 to make a reservation. Twenty-four hours ' advance notice is required for local trips, 48 hours ' notice for out-of-town trips.

Utility Assistance

- **CADC Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)** provides families with short-term fuel assistance. Persons receiving LIHEAP are connected to family development resources, which provide a link to long-term resources to help families become self-reliant. The program is seasonal. For eligibility requirements, visit the website at www.cadc.com/utility-assistance or apply at 1426 N West Ave., El Dorado. Phone: 870-864-0067.
- **CADC Weatherization Program** is designed to make homes more energy-efficient and safe. It is a proven method for reducing high energy costs and conserving energy in the home. Households can receive attic and wall insulation, weather-stripping of doors and windows, caulking and sealing cracks and holes, storm window installation, furnace retrofitting, and other measures to reduce home energy consumption. For more information, visit the Arkansas Energy Office at https://www.cadc.com/files/ugd/f74d03_adeb09e1a45441f193a4407e6b22e0ab.pdf
- **East Main Baptist Church Benevolence and Outreach**- Judy Pace (coordinator)- embc_benevolence@outlook.com - [870-862-4938](tel:870-862-4938)- 1903 E. Main St., El Dorado, AR 71730. Helps with utilities when funds are available.
- **Interfaith Help Service** assists with utility bills. Located inside St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 512 Champagnolle Rd, El Dorado; Phone: (870) 862-2294
- **Liberty Baptist Ministries Center**, 912 Mt. Holly Rd., El Dorado, helps with utilities up to \$75 max (when funds are available). They see clients on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month, by appointment only. Individuals may receive assistance one time per year, 3 times in their lifetime. If they do not call or cancel an appointment and fail to show, that counts as one of their 3 times. Call for appointment at 870-862-3063.
- **Salvation Army** assists with utilities and rent (when funds are available) once per year. A disconnect notice or eviction notice is needed. Phone number is 870-863-4830. Address is 419 S Madison Ave, El Dorado
- **El Dorado Service League** can help with utilities as long as there are children (18 & Under) in the home. 2025-2026 Social Services Chair Amanda Smith eslsocialservices@gmail.com

Veterans

- **Military & Family Readiness Specialist, AR National Guard- Melissa Parnell** - Assists **all branches of the military** on resources and referrals. Email melissa.m.parnell.civ@army.mil, call 501-413-8936, or visit 101 HWY 167B, El Dorado, AR.
- **Pinnacle Legacy Law**- 501-221-7776 or info@pinnaclelegacylaw.com - Help with VA benefits (Aid and Attendance) and planning for the future (trusts/wills). Local lawyer- Trent Garner.
- **Project SOUTH**- a community effort to connect veterans to resources- Email projectsouth2022@gmail.com or christiemwilliams9@gmail.com.
- **Union County Veterans Services Office**: 101 N Washington Ave (Union County Courthouse)- 870-864-1909

Wellness/Exercise Groups

- **Women Moving Forward**- The mission of Women Moving Forward is to encourage women to come together through walking, talking, and sharing as we strive to improve our health and well-being in order to enhance our quality of life for a better tomorrow. WMF walks every Saturday morning and also works to encourage daily walking, consistent exercise, and healthy eating habits. Contact Arnitera Glass-Meeks at womenmovingforward21@gmail.com or (208)-510-4204.
- **HealthWorks Fitness Center**- various classes, membership options, senior citizens specials, student specials, corporate memberships, doctor referrals, indoor swimming pool, and more!
 - Contact HWFCMembership@sharefoundation.com or 870-862-5442 for more info. Or visit www.healthworksfitnesscenter.com.
- **El Dorado Pickleball Club**- Plays pickleball at Mellor Park (1300 N Euclid Ave) every Tuesday and Thursday night and Saturday morning. Join the GroupMe to learn more and get started!
 - Click here to join: https://groupme.com/join_group/94562085/SJeYWiSp

Youth and Community Services/Organizations

- **Barton Library/Union County Public Library System**- 6 locations in Union County, visit ucpls.org for more info! Call 870-863-5447 or email eldorado@ucpls.org. Services include books, public notary, free WiFi, genealogy records, microfilm, meeting/study rooms, and a variety of online resources!
- **Boys & Girls Clubs of Union County**- Since 1939, the Boys & Girls Club of El Dorado has provided fun and engaging after-school and summer programs to thousands of the community's most vulnerable youth. With facilities strategically located to serve the kids who need us most, the Boys & Girls Club offers a unique array of services not available elsewhere in our community. Our low annual fee ensures that membership is within reach of all children who need a safe and positive place to go during non-school hours. Call 870-863-8753 or visit www.bgcunionco.org.
- **El Dorado Purple Pee-Wee**- Email pryor3821@gmail.com. The El Dorado Pee Wee Football League is a non-profit youth sports organization dedicated to teaching the fundamentals of football while building a foundation of character and confidence in every child through accountability, opportunities, encouragement, and hard work. Our program has been a vital part of the El Dorado community for over fifteen years. We currently have 3 teams under our organization, flag K-2nd, 3rd/4th grade and 5th/6th grade.
- **KidsNGolf**- Call Art Noyes at 870-299-0192 or email him at art@kidsngolf.org. Visit www.kidsngolf.org. We offer weekly programs on Saturday mornings with golf and life skills instruction provided from 10:00 - 11:30 at the El Dorado Country Club. Each \$35 golf semester is 10 weeks of instruction and life skills training for beginner or intermediate junior golfers. Plus - the semester ending Ten-Week Challenge Tournament for all KNG players. Clubs provided. PREPGolf meets on Saturday *afternoons* at the El Dorado Country Club at 2:00 pm. This program is designed for our more advanced junior golfers who are currently (or aspire to be) part of their high school golf team.
- **Horizons (formerly Camp Fire El Dorado)**- Empowering the young women of South Arkansas, we are dedicated to fostering growth, facilitating outreach and service, promoting education, encouraging lifelong friendships, and building a strong sense of community. We accomplish this through club programs, summer day camp, enrichment classes, outreach programs, and special events, all with an emphasis on serving others in our community. Call 870-862-3463 or visit www.horizonsar.org.
- **Scouting America, De Soto District**- The vision of the Natural State Council is that all Arkansas youth can become capable, responsible, honorable, moral, and ethical citizens leading a life of achievement and service for a better world through Scouting.- Visit <https://www.naturalstatecouncil.org/desoto>. Call 870-314-1445.
- **Union County Animal Protection Society**- shelter, adoption center, trap-neuter-release program, voucher program, and more! Call 918-230-4851 or visit ucapsingo@gmail.com. Visit the adoption center at 727 E Main, El Dorado, AR.
- **Young Artist Studio**- YAS was formed to develop the special creative abilities of youth in our community. Our goal is to strengthen academic and social skills while building self-esteem. We Dream to combat violence, drugs, and abuse by providing a creative outlet. Call 469-682-4969 or visit <https://www.facebook.com/TheYoungArtistStudio>.

Community Events

- El Dorado- Union County Chamber of Commerce Community Calendar- <https://www.goeldorado.com/events/>
- DP's Food Truck Park - <https://www.facebook.com/dpsfoodtruckpark>

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Resource Guide



This resource guide was developed by Jackie Stratton to provide information on a variety of programs and services in the area.

Note: All addresses, phone numbers and websites are subject to change. Please check resources before visiting.

These resources do NOT constitute as endorsement for information, products, or services provided.

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Abuse/Assault Services for Women

[Union County Victim Assistance](#)

106 N Washington Ave,
El Dorado, AR 71730
870 863-8762

The El Dorado Union County Victims Assistance, located in El Dorado, AR, provides services to victims of crimes in Union County. The Office of Victim Assistance helps victims recover from the effects of crime, prevents future victimization, and trains service providers to support Union County victims.

[*Turning Point Violence Intervention Program - El Dorado](#)

101 West Main St. Suite 301
El Dorado, AR - 71730
870 862-3672

Turning Point is a comprehensive domestic violence center providing safe emergency shelter and services to victims of domestic violence and their children.

[*Women's Crisis Center](#)

1112 W Washington St.
Camden, AR 71701
870-836-0325

Provides shelter protection and food for battered women and children. 18 years and older stay maximum 45days.

[Compassion Foundation- Domestic Violence Shelter](#)

1823 North Street
Magnolia, Ark. 71753
870-235-1415
Crisis -870-235-1414

Provides shelter protection and food for battered women and children. Works with DHS and Workforce. Counseling is available with Medicaid.

[The National Domestic Violence Hotline](#)

Our advocates are available 24/7 at 1-800-799-SAFE (7233) in more than 200 languages. All calls are free and confidential.

At the National Domestic Violence Hotline, our highly trained expert advocates are available 24/7 to talk confidentially with anyone in the United States who is experiencing domestic violence, seeking resources or information, or questioning unhealthy aspects of their relationship.

[*Arkansas Coalition Against Domestic Violence](#)

List of Shelters by City- <https://domesticpeace.com/>
<https://domesticpeace.com/shelters/>

[Rape Abuse Incest National Network \(RAINN\) rainn.org](#)

RAINN is the largest anti-sexual assault organization.
(800) 799-7233 / (800) 787-3224 (TTY) / (855) 812-1001 (Deaf Hotline by video phone)
24-Hour Sexual Assault Line (800) 656-4

Family & Health Care Services

Hannah Resource Center

101 West Main St. Suite 201
El Dorado, AR. 71730
870-862-1317
info@hannahprc.com

Hannah PRC is committed to providing men and women with up-to-date, accurate information to make an informed choice from resources that do not profit from the choices that are made. Hannah PRC never turns anyone away for the inability to pay and all services provided are confidential unless prohibited by law as a Mandatory Reporter. Our center does not provide or refer women for abortions but can direct you to an OB/GYN in your area to assist before, during, and while making decisions. Camden and Magnolia office information available on website

Union County Health Unit

301 American Road
El Dorado, AR – 71730
870-863-5101

207 South Jefferson
Magnolia, AR – 71753
870-235-3798

740 California Ave SW
Camden, AR 71701
(870) 836-5033

- Family Health
- Child & Adolescent Health
- Connect Care
- Coordinated School Health
- Family Planning
- Infant Hearing
- Infant Mortality
- Home Visiting Programs
- Maternal and Child Health
- Newborn Screening
- Perinatal Regionalization
- School Health
- Women's Health
- Hometown Health
- Immunizations
- Rural Health

*WIC (WOMEN, INFANTS & CHILDREN)

The WIC program is the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children. The Arkansas WIC Program is administered by the Arkansas Department of Health through a grant provided by the Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). WIC provides:

Supplemental foods high in nutrients during time of critical growth and development. Nutrition education is designed to improve dietary habits and health status and to emphasize the relationship between nutrition and health. Information, support and encouragement for breastfeeding. Referrals for other health services. Pregnant, breastfeeding and postpartum women, infants and children under age 5 may qualify if they live in Arkansas, have a nutritional need and have an income at or below WIC guidelines or receive Medicaid, AR Kids, TEA or SNAP (Food Stamps)

Father Bob Allen Charitable Clinic

815 Thompson Avenue,
El Dorado, AR 71730
870 864-8010

A not-for-profit medical clinic that serves low-income patients in Union County, AR. FBAC Clinic provides high quality care on a sliding fee scale. Both insured and uninsured low-income patients may qualify for services. Once qualified, same day appointments are available most days.

Monday - Thursday
8 a.m. to 5 p.m. (closed for lunch)
No medical visits are scheduled on Fridays.

Medication picks up times:
(if ordered through Interfaith Clinic)

Monday - Thursday
9 a.m.-11 a.m. and 1 p.m.-4 p.m.

Union County DHS Office El Dorado

123 W. 18th St.
El Dorado, AR - 71730
870 862-6631
Website: www.aces.arkansas.gov

Financial Help Provided: Human Services Administration, Welfare Office, Food Assistance, Cash Assistance, Medical Assistance

Office hours: Mondays through Fridays 8am - 4:30pm.

Union County DHS Office El Dorado is the local county Social Services Department that handles family support social services. These services include a variety of financial resources.

Public assistance programs at Arkansas DHS offices include Medicaid, AR Kids, nutrition assistance, cash assistance, and childcare assistance.

This local office manages these programs. Some people call them the welfare department. You can apply at this office for these welfare services or apply online.

El Dorado Lions Club-Vision Assistance

El Dorado
100 West Grove Street
El Dorado AR, 71730

Camden
1023 W WASHINGTON ST
CAMDEN AR, 71701

eldorado.lionsclub@yahoo.com

Lions give sight. By conducting vision screenings, equipping hospitals and clinics, distributing medicine and raising awareness of eye disease, Lions work toward their mission of providing vision for all. We have extended our commitment to sight conservation through countless local efforts and through our international SightFirst Program, which works to eradicate blindness.

[Arkansas Rehabilitation Service The Division of Services for the Blind \(DSB\)](#)

708 W Faulkner St.
El Dorado, AR 71730
(870) 863-1803
(870) 863-8877 (fax)

Our mission is to work in partnership with these Arkansans by assisting them in obtaining the information they need to make informed choices and by providing them with access to services that increase their opportunities to live as they choose.

Within the constraints of state and federal laws and based on available funds, the Division of Services for the Blind fulfills its mission through the following goals:

Employment – To assist Arkansans who are blind or visually impaired to secure or maintain employment that is consistent with their skills, abilities, and interests.

Rehabilitation Teaching – To assist Arkansans who are blind or visually impaired to live as independently as possible through the development of skills, accommodations, or adaptations that are necessary to perform all activities of daily living.

Prevention of Blindness – To assist in preventing blindness by stabilizing vision and, where possible, restoring vision.

[New Eyes For The Needy](#)

Our Mission: to provide the transformative tool of eyeglasses to children and adults facing financial difficulties.

OUR VISION: A WORLD WITHOUT BARRIERS TO THE TOOLS OF CLEAR VISION FOR ALL CHILDREN AND ADULTS.

New Eyes is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization founded in 1932 to improve the vision of those in financial need.

New Eyes purchases new prescription eyeglasses for children and adults in the United States who cannot afford glasses on their own.

WE CHANGE LIVES THROUGH CLEAR VISION SO THAT CHILDREN CAN SUCCEED AT SCHOOL; adults can find employment; and seniors can live safely and independently.

We operate with a small staff and dedicated volunteer corps and are overseen by a Board of Trustees.

New Eyes is a United Way Agency.

The New Eyes office and headquarters is in Short Hills, NJ

[MammoVan](#)

A mobile mammography unit, the MammoVan regularly travels the state offering efficient and quick screening mammogram services. The program seeks to eliminate barriers surrounding finance, time, travel, and convenience.

The Mammovan is staffed with certified mammography technologists providing high quality screening mammograms.

Patients are mailed the results of their exam. Results also are sent to each patient's primary care physician. If the mammogram shows a potential abnormality, the patient is referred for follow-up to the appropriate services.

[100 FAMILIES](#)

El Dorado First Assembly
2225 W. Hillsboro St.
El Dorado, AR 71730

(870) 299-9010
Elesha Egger

100 Families helps families move from crisis to career, using existing community resources, by engaging community partners, training agencies on a collaborative case management system, and recruiting case managers to respond when a family is in crisis. Their goal is to help families move into a thriving lifestyle.

[Donated Dental Services \(DDS\) in Arkansas](#)

Arkansas Program Contact
Regina Baltz, DDS
Coordinator
501.993.8245
855.217.5974 (fax)
rbaltz@DentalLifeline.org
Dental Lifeline Network • Arkansas
1800 15th St, Ste 100
Denver, CO 80202

We are ONLY accepting applications in the following counties. If your county is not listed, we cannot accept your application at this time.

Arkansas	Dallas	Madison
Benton	Franklin	Montgomery
Bradley	Garland	Poinsett
Carroll	Hempstead	<u>Union</u>
Clark	Howard	Washington
Crawford	Logan	

Applicants must have no means to afford dental care and must meet ONE of the following criteria:

Over 65 years of age
Permanently disabled
Need medically necessary dental care
What to expect?

Volunteers provide comprehensive treatment to eligible patients

Volunteers do not provide emergency services

Volunteers do not provide cosmetic treatment

If you have documentation from a physician stating that you cannot receive essential medical treatment due to your dental condition you can apply for the program even if your county is closed.

If you are a veteran who meets the qualifications above, please apply to the program by clicking the button below. Even if your county is closed, you may still apply.

Homeless Shelters/Transitional Housing

[*The Salvation Army](#)

419 S Madison
El Dorado, AR
71730 870 863-4830

The Salvation Army has an open-door policy for individuals seeking housing assistance. We provide shelter for those who require a place to sleep and help others stay in their homes. Every night, we offer a safe place to sleep for thousands of men, women, youth, and children, encouraging them to dream of a better tomorrow. All are welcome at The Salvation Army.

[Illumination Foundation](#)

El Dorado, AR.
Nicole Smith
870-315-5137

We provide a safe, structured home environment that is affordable for any person, no matter their circumstances. We've dedicated years of outreach efforts to building strong partnerships with local service providers to ensure we deliver the full scope of care and meet the needs of those we serve. Our in-depth admission interview will allow us to learn how we can best serve you. We work WITH you to develop a plan that empowers you to live a thriving life.

[Wingz of Hope](#)

Terrill Miller
(870) 860-8664
(870) 814-7397

Wingz of Hope, a compassionate and dedicated organization committed to providing comprehensive support and empowerment to displaced or aging youth who have experienced foster care or homelessness. Our vision is bold and clear: we strive to become the premier transitional housing facility not just in Arkansas but nationwide.

[Southern Christian Mission](#)

Magnolia, AR 71753
(870)235-1155

Provides a homeless shelter and soup kitchen. Southern Christian Mission offers three meals a day as well as beds for men, women and children. Clothing that has been donated to the mission is also available for those who need it. The mission services people from Magnolia and surrounding areas.

[Arkansas Baptist Children's Homes and Family Ministries](#)

10 Remington Drive
Little Rock, AR 72204

501 410-1567

The Arkansas Baptist Children's Homes and Family Ministries is a non-profit agency of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention. Through campus foster care, community foster care, family care homes and counseling services, we build, strengthen, and restore Arkansas families for God's glory.

- Family Care provides:
- A stable home filled with love and hope
- Help for single mothers, with respect and courtesy
- Counseling for individuals and families
- Goal-oriented case management
- Access to employment resources
- Education and training assistance
- Life skills training
- Money management guidance
- Parenting resources

Little Rock

Lisa Wicker
501 455-8554

Jonesboro

Christen Hayes
870 935-5134

Springdale (NWAR)

Brenda Doughty
479 521-12

Monticello

Crystal Regalado
870-761-7919

Food Bank/Pantry

Union County

Interfaith Help Services

512 Champagnolle Rd
El Dorado, AR 71730
870-862-2294

Office Hours are Monday 10 AM - 12 PM & 1 PM - 3 PM
Interfaith Help Service is a multi-agency, non-profit food pantry and assistance service for the needy in Union County, Arkansas. Bring bill photo id, proof of income. Will pay 25% of the total bill or \$50- Available every three months.
Emergency Dental \$75 once a year

Helping Hands Food Pantry - St Paul United Methodist Church

700 W. 8th Street
El Dorado, AR - 71730
870 862-4242

On the 1st and 3rd Thursday 1pm-2pm must sign up in the church office. Bring proof of income, photo id and a utility bill as proof of residence. Available once a month

Salvation Army-ElDorado

419 S Madison Ave
El Dorado, AR – 71730
(870) 863-4830

Feeding Schedule:
Lunch.....11:30-12:30
Dinner.....4:15-5:00

Food Pantry available Mon-Thur. Available once a month

The Salvation Army recognizes the devastating effects of hunger and is dedicated to helping individuals and families who are struggling to put food on the table. Through various programs and services, such as client choice food pantries and nightly community meals, we aid all who are in need.

Liberty Ministry Center El Dorado

901 S Washington Street
El Dorado, AR - 71730
870 862-8158

Tuesday and Thursday 9am-1pm Bring proof of income and photo id. Available once every 6 months. CLOTHING AVAILABLE. Community Garden information

CADC

1426 NW Avenue
El Dorado, AR 71730
Phone: 870-864-0067

You must sign up at the CADC office. Monday – Friday 8am-4pm.
Available every 3 to 4 months. **DO NOT HAVE FOOD AVAILABLE EVERYDAY**

Hillsboro Church of Christ

1322 West Hillsboro St.
El Dorado Ar.
870-863-4714

Second Friday of the month/ Follow on FB to see other give away times

[Greater Crossett Area Food Pantry](#)

309 Pine St
Crossett, AR, 71635
(870) 364-9551
Mon 9:00AM - 11:15AM Located in the Presbyterian Church in Crossett, AR.

[Curry Chapel AMC Pantry - Strong](#)

300 F Street
Strong, AR - 71765
Phone: 870-797-7326
Driver's license or photo ID.

[Leap Community Food Pantry](#)

Leap Ministry Inc.
1009 Rear West 1st Ave
Strong, AR
870-814-2219

[UCRC](#)

648 Sturgis St
Hampton, AR - 71744
(870) 818-6153

[South Arkansas Fights Aids](#)

526 West Faulkner
El Dorado, Ar.
870-875-2099
Monday- Thursday 10am-11am 1pm-5pm **Only for SAFA clients**

[Blessing Boxes-](#)

- Behind El Dorado Water Utilities across street from Mac's Fresh Market
- Dumas Methodist Church of El Dorado @ 132 S. Wyatt Dr
- Hillsboro Street Church of Christ @1322 W Hillsboro
- By El Dorado Hospital ER...5th street side
- First United Methodist Church of El Dorado @ 201 S Hill Ave
- Behind Parkers Chapel First Baptist Church

Bradley County

[Hermitage Baptist Church](#)

405 E Grand Ave, Hermitage, AR 71647
Food Pantry on the 3rd Thursday of every month from 5-6 PM.

Ouachita County

[Liberty Ministry Center Camden](#)

133 Haynes Ave.
Camden, Ar.
870 862-8158
Tuesday-9-2

[Fairview United Methodist Church - Good Samaritan Pantry](#)

2603 Mt. Holly Road
Camden, AR - 71701
870-231-4383
Thursday 9am-12

[First United Methodist Church Camden Food Pantry](#)

121 Harrison Street
Camden, AR - 71701
870-836-6871
Monday, Tuesday & Friday 9am-11am
Free meal every Monday evening @5:30pm

[Maul Road Church of Christ](#)

1425 Maul Road
Camden, AR - 71701
870 836-5038
Thursday 2:00 (Doors lock at 2:15) Bible Study offered not mandatory
Pantry available once a month. Clothing by appointment.

[Ruby Snider Food & Clothing Pantry](#)

1773 Mt. Holly Rd.
Camden, AR
Tuesday 9am-2pm

[Heart To Heart Food Pantry](#)

Divine Antidote Christian Ministries
330 Jackson St.
Camden, AR
4th Thursday of the month 4pm-6pm

[Greater New Calvary Church](#)

3150 Hwy 7 South
Camden, AR
3rd Sunday after church services
3rd Monday of the month

[Harmony Grove United Methodist Church](#)

446 Ouachita 43
Camden, Arkansas
574-1245
Clothing-1st Saturday of the month 8am-10am
Food-1st Saturday of the month 10am-11:30am

[Bearden Pantry](#)

100 Oak Ave. Bearden, AR
870-450-4934
3rd Saturday of each month

[Chidester Baptist Church](#)

161 Tate's Bluff Rd.
Chidester, AR
870-685-2933
Wednesday 8:30am-11:30am

Columbia County

[First United Methodist Church](#)

The Stew Pot
320 W Main Street
Magnolia, AR 71753
Phone: 870-234-4530

[ASBURY METHODIST CHURCH](#)

Asbury Methodist
1300 E University St.
Magnolia, AR 71753
870-234-5594
Food Distribution on the 3rd Thursday of every Month between 1-3.

[Compassion's Foundation, Inc.](#)

Compassion's Foundations has canned goods available
Magnolia, AR 71753
870-235-1414

Job/Employment and Education Assistance

[Arkansas Division of Workforce Services](#)

[Arkansas LAUNCH](#)

<https://www.arjoblink.arkansas.gov/>

The Arkansas Division of Workforce Services contains several programs that are specialized for meeting the needs of job seekers, employers, and the public. These programs are Career Readiness Certification, Governor's Dislocated Workers Task Force, Migrant Farm Labor Center, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families, Trade Adjustment Assistance, Unemployment Services, and Veteran Services.

CAREER READINESS CERTIFICATION

The Arkansas Career Readiness Certification program provides a portable credential based upon the WorkKeys® assessments that demonstrates to employers that an individual possesses the basic workplace skills required for 21st century jobs.

[Goodwill Industries of Arkansas](#)

Lisa Fields-Program Specialist-Career Services
1428 N West Ave,
El Dorado, AR 71730
870-863-4454 Lisa Fields

Goodwill's career centers offer free services to help you build your future. Career guidance, interview preparation, resume assistance and job search help are available at our career centers across the state. Goodwill has helped thousands of Arkansans find jobs. Visit a career center near you!

[Literacy Council of Union County](#)

United Way of Union County, Inc.
710 West Grove St.
El Dorado, AR 71730
870 864-7081

Literacy Council of Union County provides free instruction through trained volunteer tutors, for adults in Union County who lack basic reading, writing, mathematics and English as a second language skill. In addition, the council provides help with filling out job applications and writing resumes. As needed, the council provides basic computer literacy classes and health literacy classes

[Adult Education Services – SouthArk](#)

Contact us by email at adulthoodeducation@southark.edu for more information.

The Adult Education Program provides Arkansas residents with the opportunity to improve their basic reading, writing, and math skills.

Students may work on basic skills to improve their ACT scores, to take the Official GED Test, to improve their employability skills, to advance their workplace skills, or to gain personal satisfaction. The core Adult Education programs are GED, WAGE, and ESL.

[Career Pathways](#)

The Career Pathways Initiative is a resource that enables SouthArk to offer those who qualify free career training and college classes. In addition, the Pathways Initiative may be able to help students overcome the barriers that have kept them from getting the education and training needed. Assistance with childcare, transportation, tuition, books, and fees may be available to those students who qualify.

Basic eligibility requirements include:

You must be a resident of Arkansas AND

You must be a parent, with children under age 21, AND

You must have an annual family income below 250% of the federal poverty level (about \$65,500 annually for a family of four)

[Arkansas Rehabilitation Services](#)

708, West Faulkner Street
El Dorado, AR. 71730
870-862-5451

Arkansas Rehabilitation Services, Adult Education, and Division of Services for the Blind, under the Division of Workforce Services, and the Office of Skills Development Division, under the Department of Commerce, are focused on delivering industry-focused, demand-driven education and training. Our mission is to prepare a job-ready, career-bound workforce to meet the needs of Arkansas employers. We provide a comprehensive system of education and workforce programs and services to accomplish the following:

- provide both youth and adults the necessary academic and technical skills for meaningful jobs;
- work with business and industry to identify and provide grants for workforce training needs;
- offer Arkansans of all ages the options to pursue a wide range of career choices;
- ensure that workers have the foundation for lifelong learning that will allow them to enhance their existing skills and also to learn new skills in response to the current and future demands of a rapidly changing workplace;
- assist individuals with disabilities in becoming productive citizens and workers; and
- supply employers with validation of skills through national certifications and licenses.

[Coursera | Online Courses & Credentials](#)

www.coursera.org

Choose from hundreds of free courses or pay to earn a Course or Specialization Certificate.

Learn online and earn valuable credentials from top universities like Yale, Michigan, Stanford, and leading companies like Google and IBM.

Financial

[Salvation Army - El Dorado](#)

419 S Madison Ave
El Dorado, AR – 71730
870 863-4830

Bring disconnect notice, current bill Utilities (NO water or Gas), two forms of id, proof of income, proof of residence and/or lease agreement or landlord statement. Every 12 months

[CADC](#)

1426 NW Avenue
El Dorado, AR 71730
870-864-0067

Monday – Wednesday 8am-12pm. At the CADC office. Available winter and summer.

[Liberty Baptist Association](#)

912 Mt Holly RD.
El Dorado, Ar.
870-862-3063

Utility assistance for water, gas, electric bill up to \$50. You must complete an application for assistance on the 1st and 3rd Thursday. Assistance with gas for doctor's appointments that are out of town.

[Interfaith Help Services](#)

512 Champagnolle Rd
El Dorado, AR 71730
870-862-2294

Office Hours: Monday- Thursday 10 AM - 12 PM & 1 PM - 3 PM

Interfaith Help Service is a multi-agency, non-profit food pantry and assistance service for the needy in Union County, Arkansas. Bring bill and photo id, proof of income. Will pay up to 25% of the total bill or a maximum of \$50-Available every six months.

Emergency Dental \$75 once a year

[College Avenue Church of Christ](#)

1817 N. College Ave.
El Dorado, Ar.
870-862-1552

Utility assistance is available every six months if funds are available. Call Debbie Monday – Thursday 8:30-1:00 pm, she will tell you how to proceed if funds are available.

[Parkers Chapel Baptist Church](#)

2975 Haynesville Hwy.
El Dorado Ar.
870-862-4602

No appointment needed. Please call for more information.
Fill out application take it back to the church Family Life Center

[First Presbyterian Church](#)

300 East Main
El Dorado, AR 71730
870-863-7144

Call for more information.

\$35 per client every 6 months If funds are available. Must go through Interfaith Help Services and bring the documentation from them, id, and bill.

[First Baptist Church](#)

200 W Main
El Dorado, AR 71730
870 863-7177
info@fbceldorado.org

Call for more information to begin the process.

[Church @ the Armory](#)

El Dorado, AR 71730
870.863.7626

Call for more information.

[First Baptist](#)

620 Cordell Ave
El Dorado, Arkansas 71730
870 863-8328

Call for more information

[East Main Baptist Church](#)

1903 E Main St,
El Dorado, AR 71730
(870) 862-4938

Call for more information

[Paul Brown Fund Financial Assistance Application](#)

Are you a resident of Union County, Arkansas?

Did you receive a bill for an inpatient stay at the South Arkansas Regional Hospital? Do you need financial assistance to pay for this bill? The Paul Brown Fund assists eligible Union County residents in paying for overnight stays at the South Arkansas Regional Hospital (SARH). Even if you or someone you know is paying a bill from an overnight stay at SARH, complete our application to determine if these funds can pay for the outstanding balance.

[Hope Movement Coalition](#)

Hope Movement Coalition was born out of the devastating loss of loved ones to fentanyl poisoning and opioid-related deaths. Our mission is to provide unwavering support to those navigating the complicated grieving process, help them find strength in their darkest moments, and be a voice for the voiceless in communities across the nation. **May help with funeral expenses of a family member who overdoses.**

[Southern Bancorp](#)

1615 W Hillsboro St
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 875-6041

Down payment assistance programs provide financial aid to homebuyers, making homeownership more accessible, particularly for first buyers or those with limited funds.

From our mission to our markets, Southern Bancorp is a unique financial institution that was founded to help strengthen underserved communities through financial access and investment. By combining traditional banking and lending services with financial development tools ranging from credit counseling to public policy advocacy, Southern Bancorp helps underserved families and communities grow financially stronger – regardless of zip code.

Raise your financial wellbeing with HomeRise100.

Southern Bancorp is committed to making homeownership a possibility for everyone. With an affordable mortgage fueled by HomeRise 100, you can purchase your home with a minimum of a \$1,000 contribution, making the process affordable and sustainable.

- Minimum 640 FICO score
- 105% Maximum CLTV
- Down Payment Assistance and Gift Funds Allowed
- No mortgage insurance
- Homebuyer Education is Required for First Time Homebuyers
- Income limits may apply

Free Legal Services

[Center for Arkansas Legal Services](#)

1300 West 6th Street
Little Rock, AR 72201
501-376-3423
1-800-950-5817

Our vision is to improve the lives of low-income Arkansans by championing equal access to justice for all regardless of economic or social circumstances.

[Legal Aid of Arkansas, Inc.](#)

714 South Main Street
Jonesboro, AR 72401
870-972-9224
1-800-9-LAW-AID (1-800-952-9243)

Our two organizations assist thousands of clients every year in priority areas, such as family law, consumer issues, bankruptcy, or evictions. We aid in every county across the state. Learn how to apply for free legal help here by calling the Statewide Help Line. [Arkansas Free Legal Answers](#) is a service managed by the Arkansas Access to Justice Commission that allows those who financially qualify to receive free legal advice online from a licensed attorney.

HUD Housing Assistance



A subsidized Housing Unit is one in which a tenant pays approximately 30% their adjusted income on rent and utilities. The management agent and/or the Public Housing Authority (PHA) calculate the tenant's rent amount. HUD then pays the difference between the tenants rent contribution and the total rent that is paid to the building owner.



Project-based assistance is rental assistance that is located at a housing unit or complex. Generally, the subsidized/assisted rent is tied to that particular building.



The Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) Program provides tax credits to developers of affordable rental housing. The tax credits are provided during the first 10 years of a minimum 30-year compliance period during which rent, and income restrictions apply.



Supportive Housing for the Elderly Program is the primary elderly HUD housing program and is open to any very low-income household comprised of at least one person who is at least 62 years old at the time of initial occupancy. However, there are unique cases in which an elderly building may accept applicants who are younger and/or have a disability.



Housing Choice Voucher - AKA Section 8 The South Arkansas Rental Assistance Program, also known as SARA, is a housing program operated by the Camden Housing Authority in El Dorado, AR.

[South Arkansas Rental Assistance Program - El Dorado](#)

Virgina Colman
1613 E. Main
El Dorado, AR
870-875-1782

Subject to a waiting list you can apply for a housing choice voucher. A housing subsidy is paid to the landlord directly by South Arkansas Rental Assistance Program on behalf of the participating family.

If you qualify you find your own place and use the voucher to pay for all or part of the rent. The family then pays the difference between the actual rent charged by the landlord and the amount subsidized by the program.

The participant is free to choose any housing that meets the requirements of the program and is not limited to units located in subsidized housing projects. The El Dorado office serves Union, Ouachita, Dallas, and Calhoun Counties.

[Haygood Neal Garden Apartments- El Dorado](#)



El Dorado, AR - 71730
870-862-6061

Haygood Neal garden apartments are a family low-income housing apartment subsidized by the federal governments Hud (housing and urban development division) . Contact Haygood Neal garden apartments for complete details on the current vacancies and hours

[Bradley Woods Apartments - El Dorado](#)

El Dorado, AR - 71730
870-862-5858



Bradley woods apartments is a family low-income housing apartment subsidized by the federal governments Hud (housing and urban development division). Contact Bradley woods apartments for complete details on the current vacancies and housing app.

[Trinity Place Apartments - El Dorado](#)

El Dorado, AR – 71730
870 863-8194



Trinity place apartments is a senior low-income housing apartment subsidized by the federal governments Hud (housing and urban development division) . Contact trinity place apartments for complete details on the current vacancies and housing app.

[Creative Housing - El Dorado](#)

El Dorado, AR - 71730
870 863-8194



Creative housing is a disabled low-income housing apartment subsidized by the federal governments Hud (housing and urban development division) . Contact creative housing for complete details on the current vacancies and housing applications.

[Hillsboro Townhouse Apartments - El Dorado](#)



El Dorado, AR - 71730
870 862-5091

Hillsboro townhouse apartments is a family low-income housing apartment subsidized by the federal governments Hud (housing and urban development division) . Contact Hillsboro townhouse apartments for complete details on the current vacancies and hours

[Crownridge Apartments](#) _ no longer subsidized

301 Moorewood St,
El Dorado, AR 71730
870 862-7900

1,2-, & 3-bedroom apartment floor plans with the best selection of amenities & features such as: sparkling swimming pool, playground area, private patios & balconies.

[Alma Apartments](#)

301 Cordell Ave
El Dorado AR 71730

[Briarwood Apartments](#)

625 East 19th St
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 863-9141

[Cedar Place Apartments](#)

411 West Cedar Street
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 310-8880

[Christopher Homes](#)

1323 West 5th Street,
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 862-7911

[Crestwood Apartments](#)

515 East 7th St, AR
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 863-9141

[Cunningham Court](#)

427 West Oak Street
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 639-8058

[Diamond Executive Apartments](#)

112 W. Peach Street
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 862-1010

[Grant's Place Luxury Apartments](#)

716 W Main St
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 639-8058

[Grayson's Place](#)

410 Thompson Ave
El Dorado AR 71730

[Landmark Apartments](#)

510 Ondo Lane
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 863-9141

[Millwood Village](#)

4410 Smackover Hwy
(870) 725-2500

[Oakhurst Apartments](#)

206 Oakhurst Blvd #200
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 862-3380

[Pines Apartments](#)

2400 North Calion Road
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 312-0450

[The Vineyards of El Dorado](#)

550 Beverly Dr,
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 863-4413

[Terrace Villa Apartments](#)

105 Kimberly Circle,
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 862-1345
Fax: (870) 881-9690

[Williams Court Apartments](#)

1600 North Washington Avenue
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 639-8058

[The Legacy at El Dorado](#)

560 Beverly Drive
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 864-8530

[Woodland Apartments](#)

425 S Newton
El Dorado AR 71730
(870) 863-9141

Camden

[Housing Authority of Camden](#)



800 Monroe St. NW
P.O. Box 39
Camden, AR 71711
870-836-9309

Camden Housing Authority provides Low Income and Section 8 Housing programs . Low Income Housing is directly owned and operated by the US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), and Section 8 Housing provides rental assistance to low-income families living in privately-owned rental properties.

[Rental Assistance](#)



197 N Frederick,
Magnolia, AR 71753
870- 234-4446

Subject to a waiting list you can apply for a housing choice voucher . If you qualify you find your own place and use the voucher to pay for all or part of the rent.

[Camden Manor](#)

830 Sharp Ave #3,
Camden, AR 71701
(870) 836-2373

Magnolia

[Housing Authority of the City of Magnolia -Public Housing](#)

100 Meadowbrook Ln.
Magnolia, AR 71753
870-234-5540

Low Income/Public Housing is directly owned and operated by the US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

[Westwood Village](#)

1032 Mullins
Magnolia, AR. 71753
870-234-7164
Subsidized

[Magnolia Apt](#)

1300 West University
Magnolia, Arkansas
870-234-2882

Affordable Housing-Accepts Vouchers

Child/Youth Services

[Licensed Child Care Providers](#)

Childcare centers and preschools are typically established in a commercial building. Centers are usually affiliated with either a public or private agency. Children are often in larger groups of children close to their own age. Ages cared for in these programs are six weeks to five years of age but often include school- age children before- and after-school and during school breaks. Use our child care finder tool to locate a Better Beginnings program in your community.

Better Beginnings is the system in Arkansas that assesses and supports the quality of early care and education programs. Better Beginnings is available to every licensed and registered childcare provider in the state. Whether your child attends a childcare family home, an out-of-school time program, or a childcare center, you can use the Better Beginnings star rating to guide you in finding a good program for your family's needs. Every child deserves our best!

Union County Childcare Centers

Parkers Chapel ABC Preschool
tara.morgan@scscoop.org
(870) 862-9767
El Dorado

Fairview Head Start/Early
Head Start Center
angela.smith@fact-inc.com
(870) 310-0692
El Dorado

Strong ABC Center
ruth.white@fact-inc.com
(870) 797-2416
Strong

Smackover Preschool
tammy.wills@smackover.net
(870) 546-1011
Norphlet

Retta Brown Preschool
alicia.neely@scscoop.org
(870) 836-1600
El Dorado

West Woods Head Start Center
emma.webster@fact-inc.com
(870) 875-1714
El Dorado

Morning Star Head Start Center
mavis.gill@fact-inc.com
(870) 862-2755
El Dorado

Victory Childcare Center LLC 2
victorychildcarecenter@gmail.com
(870) 639-3941
El Dorado

South Arkansas Developmental
Center For Children and Families
cornelia.critton@sadccf.org
(870) 881-4607
El Dorado

South Arkansas Developmental
Center For Children and Families
cornelia.critton@sadccs.org
(870) 863-8194
El Dorado

Victory Childcare Center
victorychildcarecenter@gmail.com
(870) 639-3941
El Dorado

Success Learning Academy
successlearningacademy01@gmail.co

(870) 639-1351
El Dorado

El Dorado

Happy Hearts Learning Academy
happy_heartslearningcenter@yahoo.com

Beacon Church Ministries, Inc./
Noahs Ark Christian DC
beacon6246@yahoo.com
(870) 863-4889
714 W Faulkner St
El Dorado

(870) 639-8022
El Dorado

West Woods ABC Preschool
emma.webster@fact-inc.com
(870) 875-1714
El Dorado

Teddy And Friends Child Care Center
cecefarrar@yahoo.com
(870) 862-6399
El Dorado

Strong Head Start Center
ruth.white@fact-inc.com
(870) 797-7378
Strong

Little Blessings Day Care
littleblessings2@ymail.com
(870) 864-0684
El Dorado

Bright Beginnings Learning Center
2023bbbc@gmail.com
(870) 310-8097
Eldorado

East Main Kindergarten
evelyn.arnaud@yahoo.com
(870) 862-8311
El Dorado

Learning Nest Preschool Inc.
learningnest1010@gmail.com
(870) 639-1610

First Baptist Child Learning Center
mimi.blake@fbceldorado.org
(870) 863-4330
El Dorado

[School Readiness Assistance](#)

Child Care Assistance (vouchers) is a program that is available for low-income families. The program provides financial assistance for quality childcare and early childhood education and is made possible by the Child Care Development Fund (CCDF). Create a login, fill out application, and upload documents.

[South Arkansas Developmental Center for Children & Families](#)

714 W. Grove
El Dorado, AR 71730
870 863.8194

SADCCF provides day programs for people with developmental disabilities. The four ECCEL (Early Childhood Center in Experiences in Learning) facilities are integrated programs of services and supports designed to help families with children between birth and five years of age who have been identified or are at risk of developmental delay. The program provides speech,

occupational, and physical therapies, nursing services and habilitation programs. They serve over 225 children.

[Families And Children Together, Inc.](#)

Contact: Dr. Brenda Holder
2720 Vine Street
El Dorado, AR 71730
<http://www.fact-inc.com/>

This private, non-profit organization serves Union, Calhoun, Columbia, Dallas and Ouachita counties and is based in El Dorado.

It administers Head Start programs in 17 locations in the five-county area; 10 Arkansas Better Chance Preschool classrooms in 6 locations and Early Head Start programs in each county, including offering Home-based services for Head Start and Early Head Start.

[Boys and Girls Club of Union County](#)

David Lee, Executive Director
Email: dlee15@juno.com
1201 N. West Ave
El Dorado, AR 71730
870 863-8753
www.eldoradokids.org

Our Mission To inspire and enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens.

Since 1939, the Boys & Girls Club of El Dorado has provided fun and engaging after school and summer programs to thousands of the community's youths. Our low annual fee ensures that membership is within reach of all kids who need a safe, positive place to go during non-school hours. Over 2,400 El Dorado youth, ages 6-18, participate as members of our Youth Center and Teen Center.

The Club offers kids a fun and inviting atmosphere and access to a broad range of programs focused on:

- Character and Leadership Development
- Education and Career Development
- Health and Life Skills
- The Arts
- Sports, Fitness and Recreation

We believe that greatness is within the reach of every child and that kids who come to our Clubs have a better chance to succeed in school and in life. A ballerina, an astronaut, an all-star athlete. If kids can dream it, Boys & Girls Clubs can help them become it. At the Boys & Girls Club, we know that great futures really do start here!

[eXtreme Youth Programs](#)

815 Thompson Ave, Suite B
El Dorado, Arkansas 71730
Phone (870) 881-9015

eXtreme Youth Programs focus on the energy and creativity of young people who work together to create real solutions for a safe and drug-free community.

This program takes a modern approach to prevention by including youth in planning, decision-making, problem-solving, and implementation of prevention strategies.

[The Eagle Foundation](#)

Jennifer Wylie
300 East Main St.
El Dorado, Ark. 71730
870-444-5102
870-310-5993

We build relationships and programs that bridge gaps for children and adolescents under 5 pillars of wellbeing:

1. moral-spiritual
2. social-emotional
3. intellectual-educational
4. health-physical
5. financial

We work with local schools, nonprofits, churches and others to put the right people in place and make things happen.

[South Arkansas Arts Center](#)

110 East 5th Street
El Dorado, AR 71730
870 862-5474
info@saac-arts.org

Youth and school programs are designed to promote early engagement in the arts for K-12 school aged children. Our Creative Arts Academy programs are paid after school programs that promote mastery of the fundamentals of art and foster a lifelong appreciation of the arts. Put your art and creativity skills into action during the summer through a variety of camps organized to gain hands-on experience in the arts! Each summer SAAC offers camps in visual and performance arts, including painting/collage/sculpture, photography, computer art, drama, video/film, voice and piano.

- Payment in full required at registration. Class fees are non-refundable. Class sizes are limited and will be filled on a first come basis.
- Scholarships are available thanks to the SHARE Foundation.
- Return completed form(s) signed by a parent/guardian with payment to SAAC, 110 East 5th Street, El Dorado, Ark

[Hope Landing](#)

Kristi Lowery
P.O. Box 10215
214 Hope Landing
El Dorado, AR 71730
Phone (870) 862-0500

Occupational, Physical, Speech-Language, Equine, and Aquatic therapies are offered to children ages birth to 21 on an outpatient basis by appointment only.

HOPE Landing's therapy staff is highly qualified, educated, and trained and are all licensed in the State of Arkansas.

[Cross River Therapy](#)

400 N Reynolds Rd,
Bryant, AR 72022
(501) 613-0385

Services **ALL** counties in Arkansas

Cross River Therapy is a leading provider of ABA therapy services for children who are on the autism spectrum. We provide ABA therapy for children ages 1-21 who are on the autism spectrum, right in the comfort of your home, or community setting as well as school-based support. We're proud to offer at-home, school-based, and center-based ABA therapy to children diagnosed with autism who'd thrive with extra support.

Arkansas requires what is called a "two-prong diagnosis" to receive ABA therapy. This means an initial diagnosis must be given by a speech language pathologist and/or psychiatrist/psychologist, as well as the child's doctor. Once this is completed, they are then eligible for ABA therapy. If you notice symptoms of Autism Spectrum Disorder in your child, please contact their doctor for an evaluation referral.

[Youth Advocate Programs](#)

225 S Main St
Hope, AR 71801
P:870.397.4628

AR - [South] Miller, Little River, Lafayette, Columbia, Ouachita, Union, Sevier, Hempstead, and Nevada Counties

Youth Advocate Programs— YAP® for short— is a national nonprofit delivering and advocating for evidence-based services in homes and communities as a more effective alternative to youth incarceration and group child welfare, behavioral health, and intellectual disabilities placements. We also partner with public safety systems to help curb neighborhood violence.

YAP® recognizes generational and structural impacts on educational, employment, health, and other systems across the U.S. and globally.

By redirecting justice, child welfare, behavioral health, and other social services dollars and resources from youth prisons and other residential facilities to communities where our program participants live, we are helping our systems partners achieve better service delivery and outcomes, which are strengthened with our evidence-based individual and family wraparound services model.

YAP provides young people, adults, and families with intensive support in their homes, schools and communities through our YAPWrap® model that blends best practices from research in wraparound, mentoring, and positive youth development

We partner with families to build and strengthen essential skills and resources needed to thrive throughout life, such as increasing their ability to safely problem-solve their needs, developing social, emotional, academic and career competencies, and building networks of community support.

YAP Advocates meet with participants multiple times a week at the times most needed by the individual and family, with an emphasis on safety and support. Individualized plans balance involuntary service demands with activities driven by the participant's prioritized wants and needs.

[*South Arkansas Children's Coalition](#)

Robin Krneta, Executive Director
1838 Morning Star Rd.
(870) 862-2272

Empower, promote healing, & provide justice to victims of child abuse

SACC is the umbrella organization that oversees & administers two child welfare programs; 13th Judicial District South Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) & the Children's Advocacy Center of South Arkansas. The 13th Judicial District South CASA recruits & trains community volunteers to advocate for foster children in the Juvenile Court System. The Children's Advocacy Center of South Arkansas (CAC) is a child focused facility that works with local investigative agencies (law enforcement, Department of Children & Family Services, State Police, & Prosecutor) to provide direct services to child victims of physical & sexual abuse & their non-offending caregivers.

[The Young Artist Studio](#)

Stephanie Miller-Owens
1214 S Washington,
El Dorado, AR, 71730

YAS was formed to develop the special creative abilities of youth in our Community. Our goal is to strengthen academic and social skills while building self esteem. We Dream to combat violence, drugs and abuse by providing a creative outlet.

[Literacy Coalition SCARK](#)

Devin Smith
PO BOX 10122
833-462-7323
dev@literacycoalitionsca.org

[*Ouachita Enrichment Centers](#)

1320 Maul Rd,
Camden, AR 71701
870 836-2690

At Ouachita Child Enrichment Centers we provide an integrated atmosphere that allows children with or without developmental delays to learn and play in a loving, nurturing environment that is supportive of each child's learning ability and growth development.

Transportation Services

[CADC – SCAT](#)

1426 North West Avenue
El Dorado, AR 71730
870-864-0067

The South Central Arkansas Transit (SCAT) program keeps individuals and families connected to safe, reliable transportation services.

Through SCAT, public transportation is available at a reduced rate to any person, regardless of income. The service supports a person's efforts to better their lives. **MUST HAVE 2 DAYS ADVANCED NOTICE OF TRANSPORTATION NEEDS!!!!**

[CADC – SCAT- Medicaid](#)

1426 North West Avenue
El Dorado, AR 71730
1-800-385-9992

SCAT also provides non-emergency medical transportation to appointments.

Treatment & Recovery Resources

[NewHave Recovery Lodge](#)

2301 Champagnolle Rd
Eldorado. Ar. 71730
870-865-7908

We offer a comprehensive range of services including medical detoxification, residential care, intensive outpatient programs, and aftercare. Understanding the crucial role of family in recovery, we also provide family therapy, education on recovery, and tools to strengthen family relationships.

From the very first day, our dedicated team is committed to your aftercare planning, ensuring that you never walk this journey alone.

At Newhaven Recovery Lodge, we are with you every step of the way.

[AppleGate Recovery El Dorado](#)

403 W Oak St Suite 105
El Dorado, AR 71730
870.639.4527

Applegate Recovery specializes in outpatient, medication-assisted treatment with Suboxone® and other buprenorphine compounds to help people overcome opioid addiction.

Substance use disorder counseling is also offered to help people learn how to identify triggers, understand their addiction, and become productive members of their community. Medication-assisted treatment has been shown to be more successful when counseling sessions are attended.

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[Guinn Clinic](#)

1906 West Hillsboro St.
El Dorado, Arkansas 71730
870-639-9322

Providers at The Guinn Clinic have a special certification for Medication Assisted Therapy (MAT) for patients with opioid use disorder (opioid addiction).

MAT with use of Suboxone has proven to help patients achieve their sobriety goals.

[Chemical Dependency Unit/ Substance Abuse](#)

Ouachita County Medical Center
638 California Ave SW
Camden, AR 71701
870-836-1289

The inpatient program is individualized and usually lasts 1-4 weeks. The patient's evaluation includes a complete physical examination, medical history and laboratory tests. Treatment includes 24-hour nursing care; detoxification (when necessary); physician services; individual, group and family care as well as aftercare. Before the patient is discharged from treatment, a recovery plan is developed for the patient and the family. This plan will call for involvement with support groups such as Alcoholics Anonymous (AA), Narcotics Anonymous (NA) and Al-Anon (for family members). The plan will also include free aftercare programs at Ouachita and various other sites.

[10th District Substance Abuse Program](#)

New Beginnings CASA
412 York Street,
Warren, AR 71671
870-226-9970

[Southwest Arkansas Counseling & Mental Health Center](#)

2904 Arkansas Blvd
Texarkana, AR 71854
870-773-4655
870-772-4650

Women

[Halfway Houses & Chem Free-Transitional Houses](#)

[*Magdalene House-El Dorado](#)

Becky Choate
PO Box 11838
El Dorado, AR

870-863-7064
magdaleneeldorado@gmail.com
www.lovehealseldo.org

Two- year residential program for women who need healing from sexual exploitation, violence and addiction as they move toward a life that is spiritually rich, economically self-sufficient emotionally full and drug free.

[Harbor House](#)

812 Mountain Pine Rd.
Hot Springs, Ar. 71913
501-781-4449

Sometimes we need help when it is time to make a change. If now is the time to change for you, we are here for you. Our mission is to provide a safe harbor of hope and healing for those men and women suffering from addiction. We treat the whole person—body, mind, and spirit, offering evidence-based treatment targeted to your unique needs

[Shalom Recovery Center](#)

Hot Springs, 71903
501-625-3811
36 weeks to 9 mon. program.
Assessment Fee \$300. ACC approved
shalomreclaimed.com

[Potters Clay Ministries](#)

110 Crescent AVE,
Hot Springs, AR 71901
house women and children
501 624-1366
pottersclayhotsprings.org

[Minden Family Center](#)

Women and Children center
100 Meadowbrook Dr.
Minden, LA. 71055
318 382-0203
laatc.com

Adult & Teen Challenge has a \$750 Induction Fee.
This induction fee is non-refundable after entering the program.

[Women's Teen Challenge – Russellville Arkansas](#)

PO Box 10443
Russellville Ark. 72802
866-567-7101
Payment Options- Low Budget Treatment

[Transformations](#)

1200 Arkansas Rd
West Monroe, LA 71291

318-582-5757

Long-term residential treatment has been shown to be more effective than shorter programs in many cases. With this type of treatment, clients are required to remain in a monitored setting with other individuals in recovery throughout the duration of their program. Treatments and daily schedules throughout a long-term rehab program are highly structured and often incorporate several approaches. These involve personal reflection, addiction education, as well as group and personal therapy sessions. All of these components work together to address the whole person (not just the addiction) and help residents understand the scope of their addiction, as well as experience true, lasting recovery.

Men

[Halfway Houses & Chem Free-Transitional Houses](#)

<https://findtreatment.gov/>

[ARM 180 – Arkansas Recovery Ministries](#)

P.O Box 373
Dewitt, Arkansas 72042
Email: info@arm180dewitt.com
870-946-6365

To provide a safe place in a Christian environment for men who are desperate for a new life free from drug and alcohol dependency and to show men how to become Godly husbands, fathers, sons, servants and leaders in the community.

We accept men 21 and older with no sexual offenses or extreme violent charges. Men who are broken and ready for change must call the office where a staff member will conduct a phone questionnaire and determine a day for an in-person, face to face interview with the director. Call us at to begin your journey to recovery!

[Covenant Recovery](#)

bryan@covenantrecovery.com
(501) 226-6810

Located in Hot Springs, AR, we're dedicated to helping men aged 18+ overcome addiction and reclaim their lives. Our professional team provides practical, personalized treatment strategies in a supportive environment.

[JOHN 3:16 MINISTRIES](#)

75 Holmes Rd.
Charlotte, AR 72522
870-799-2525

John 3:16 Ministries was established in 2003 and has helped well over a thousand men overcome drugs and alcohol.

[VICTORY LIFE](#)

174 PR 8719
Ben Wheeler,
TX 75754
903 461-6212
903 852-3045

Victory Life Ministry is a 501 (C) 3 non-profit Christian organization. Our MISSION is "to reach and offer transformation and healing to the drug addict, the alcoholic, the gang member, and anyone who is in need of change in their life through the grace and power of Jesus Christ."

[M18 RECOVERY INC](#)

Little Rock, AR, 72202
(501) 613-7091

M18 Recovery is a multi-phase residential discipleship program for men and women, ranging from 4 months to 2 years, designed for individuals battling addiction. Our goal is to create an environment where Christ can profoundly transform residents by renewing their minds. Beyond mere sobriety, we guide residents towards embracing a fulfilling life. While we cater to both men and women, the programs are conducted separately.

[*SOZO Recovery Centers](#)

243 Nathan Ter
Jessieville, AR 71949
501 984-5317

To provide a beacon of hope for adult males and their families who are suffering from addiction to alcohol and/or other drugs by providing long term faith-based care that provides the SOZO resident with a personalized recovery plan as they become employed and reenter the workplace while they claim their lives and rebuild family relationships that are built on Christian principles as a design for living.

Local Faith Based Support

Eldorado

[Celebrate Recovery](#)

College Avenue Church of Christ
1817 North College
El Dorado, Ark.
870-862-1552

Tuesday nights at 6:30-8:30 Contact Gary Schloemer at College Avenue Church of Christ if you have any questions.

[Celebrate Recovery](#)

1432 N West Ave
El Dorado, AR 71730
www.thevictorychurch.com
1st & 3rd Thursdays @ 6:30

[*The Salvation Army- Pathway of Hope](#)

Juanita Tucker
419 S Madison Ave
El Dorado, AR – 71730
870 863-4830

[Shift](#)

Church at the Armory
815 west 8th St
El Dorado, Ar. 71730
Friday nights @ 6:00pm

Camden

[Celebrate Recovery - Victory Church](#)

1283 Highway 278
Camden, AR 71701
www.thevictorychurch.com
Friday nights

[Overcomers Believers Church](#)

1600 Cash Rd.
Camden Ar.
870-807-0144
Monday evenings at 6pm

Local Support

Eldorado

[The High-Minded Support Group](#)

715 North College Avenue
Eldorado, AR
Wednesdays 2:00 pm

High Minded- having strong moral principles

The High-Minded support group is for people with substance use and mental health struggles to find strength and hope and others with lived experience.

[Beckture](#)

Thursdays 5:30
Newhaven Recovery Lodge

[Open Door Group](#)

801 E. 6th & Park St
El Dorado, AR
Every day at 12:00 PM
Mon, Tue & Thurs at 7:00 PM

[AA - El Dorado Group](#)

1513 Champagnolle
El Dorado, AR 71730
Chris M. 479-633-7745
Thursday 5:30

[AA - We Are Not A Glum Lot](#)

420 N Madison
El Dorado, AR 71730
Mondays 5:30, This is a closed group

[NA GROUP](#)

1513 Champagnolle Rd.
El Dorado, AR
Wed, Saturday & Sunday at 7:00 PM

[Mar-Anon.com](#)

[eXtreme Prevention- a service of Share Foundation](#)

Jackie Stratton- Recovery Coordinator
715 N College
Eldorado, AR 71730
Send a text for call back
479-310-6977
Mon- Thursday 8-4
Friday – appointments only
Messages received outside of these hours will be addressed the next business day

Support through Recovery Available- Share your experiences in a safe place and learn from others who have been where you are. Connections to Resources ex. Rehabilitation information – Local Self-Help groups-Self Care- Self Advocacy-Social Skills.

[ACTS Program-Alcohol Chemical Treatment Series](#)

2400 James Blvd
El Dorado, AR 71730
For more information Call
870-862-7633 or 870-918-0783

Camden

[AA/NA-Camden Group](#)

805 Monroe Ave,
Camden, AR 71701, USA
Monday –Saturday @ 8:00 PM
Groups altar nightly – One night AA – the next night NA
AA- Monday- Wednesday-Friday 12 noon / 10:30 Thursday and Saturday

Magnolia

[AA - Magnolia Group](#)

914 North Vine St.
Magnolia, AR 71753

Mental Health and Behavioral Resources

[New Haven Counseling & Health Services](#)

715 North College Ave
El Dorado, AR 71730
870 862-7921

Newhaven was established to serve the people just like you regardless of race, color, religion, disability, gender, sexual orientation, age, or national origin. Our goal is to offer services to those in need of mental health, substance use, and integrated health care. Beginning **September 1, 2025**, we are transitioning to a service model that emphasizes **Telehealth therapy** as a primary mode of care.

To increase efficiency and improve accessibility, Newhaven is making a significant investment in telehealth services. Our **El Dorado clinic (Union County)** will continue to provide both **on-site** and **telehealth services**, allowing clients to choose the option that best suits their needs. For those who prefer or require remote access, telehealth services will be available **without the need to travel** to the clinic.

[Hope House- Rehabilitative Day Program](#)

750 North Flenniken
El Dorado, AR 71730
870-864-2465

Outpatient Counseling
Rehabilitative Day Program

[Living Hope Southeast](#)

600 Highway 425 North, Suite B
Monticello, AR 71655
870-224-7100

Living Hope has always been committed to providing behavioral health treatment in a setting which offers the most convenience, flexibility, privacy, and freedom to our clients. For this reason, outpatient clinic services have consistently been an important part of our program. For almost twenty years, Living Hope has provided behavioral health services from clinic locations in Central Arkansas and in Texarkana. Living Hope Southeast continues that tradition by providing an array of clinic-based outpatient behavioral health services from several locations in Central Arkansas.

[Living Well Professional Counseling](#)

First Baptist Church
200 W Main St,
El Dorado, AR 71730
(501) 737-4320

It's ok to say, "I'm not ok." You do not have to face life alone. You do not have to stay stuck. You do not have to hide. You can find healing so that you can experience a healthy and whole future. Christ came to redeem our whole person, mentally, emotionally, and spiritually. He sees our brokenness and the battles we face. Christ longs to give us freedom from our life traumas and our destructive patterns. He longs to bring our minds and emotions under His Lordship so that we can experience His fullness. Our professional Christian counselors are called to minister hope and

grace to the hurting. They are equipped to help you on your journey towards healing and a peaceful life.

We build, strengthen, and restore Arkansas families by:

Empowering individuals to experience transformation.

Helping families find restoration and reconciliation.

Equipping families with healthy relationship skills

You can begin today towards a better tomorrow. We provide professional counseling you can trust in locations across Arkansas.

[Chenal Family Therapy - El Dorado office - SAMA](#)

600 S Timberlane Dr
El Dorado, AR 71730
(870) 340-2636

Chenal Family Therapy is a team of passionate and caring therapists covering Arkansas, with 21 locations and more to come. Our licensed therapists hold either a master's or doctorate degrees in the counseling field. Using evidenced-based modalities, our licensed clinicians help patients develop and implement effective ways to cope with individual concerns and stressors and adopt skills and strategies to improve and sustain overall well-being.

We do individual, couple and family therapy for kids, teens, and adults, as well as psychological testing services. We also offer psychiatric evaluations, medication management, and registered dietitian services.

Specializing in couples struggling to save a marriage, families hanging on by a thread and individuals dealing with anxiety, depression, unresolved grief, trauma and PTSD, and addictions of all kinds.

We serve adults, teens, and children and we provide equal care for all people, regardless of background or beliefs.

[Therapy & Assessment Center](#)

100 W Grove St, Suite 302
El Dorado, AR 71730

Our mission is to promote individualized care in a faith-based and supportive environment. TAC is a place where people can come to appreciate the uniqueness of their personalities and work towards personal growth and healing. TAC promotes a holistic approach in the service of Individual and Family therapy. In addition, TAC provides a variety of Psychological Assessment services to meet your needs. TAC offers ADHD, Dyslexia, Autism, Learning Disorder, Personality, and Disability Testing. TAC also has contract therapists who specialize in Trauma Techniques, EMDR, Cognitive Processing Therapy and Play Therapy. We are passionate about building individualized plans for each client.

[Cabun Clinic](#)

402 South Lee Street
P.O. Box 1196
Hampton, AR 71744
Phone: (870) 798-4299
FAX: (870) 798-2403

253 S Concord St
Strong, AR 71765
(870) 797-7620

CABUN Rural Health Services is a private non-profit corporation developed to provide affordable care to meet the primary medical, behavioral health, and dental care needs of the residents in 8

counties of rural south and southwestern Arkansas, especially in the communities of **Hampton**, Bearden, **Strong**, Hope, Amity, and Lewisville.

CABUN Rural Health Services is a Federally Qualified Health Center that offers care in communities that would have no other source of healthcare. Through our affiliations, CABUN is able to provide affordable medical, laboratory, radiological, and dental services to all in Arkansas.

[Wildcat Wellness Center](#)

Debbie MC Adams
Coordinated School Health Administrator
(870) 639-3875
debbie.mcadams@esd-15.org

The Wildcat Wellness Center offers school-based health services to its students and staff. CABUN Rural Health Services joined the Wildcat Wellness Center during the 2021 – 2022 school year. They provide comprehensive primary medical services to students, staff, and immediate family members. They also offer many onsite services including vaccinations for our students. They work with families to keep their students healthy and in the classroom.

[*Renee Landreau, lcsw- Christian counselor](#)

721 Broadway
Smackover, AR 71762
870 918-2032

[WILLIAMS CHRISTIAN COUNSELING](#)

315 East Oak Street,
El Dorado, AR
(870) 315-5988

[AMY BURNS COUNSELING](#)

214 N Washington Ave Suite 407
El Dorado, AR 7173
(870) 881-8705

[Empowered with Vanessa PLC](#)

(501) 436-9269
<https://sendsafe.to/empowered.with.vanessa@gmail.com>

Step into empowerment with our counseling services, where your mental well-being is prioritized and personal growth is accelerated. Driven by a team of experienced professionals, we offer tailored strategies to help you conquer life's challenges with confidence and clarity.

Dr. Vanessa Williams, owner of Empowered With Vanessa, PLC, has been practicing as a licensed professional counselor for over 20 years. She is passionate about empowering individuals to overcome challenges and thrive. Specializing in stress management, anxiety, and self-esteem building, Vanessa provides compassionate client-centered care to help you achieve your personal goals and live empowered. Vanessa uses primarily cognitive behavioral therapy and brief solution-focused therapy to guide her clients to a more empowered life.

Vanessa has extensive experience, including psychiatric residential treatment for children and adolescents, intensive outpatient treatment for older adults, school-based treatment, outpatient

treatment, acute care treatment, and treating students in the higher education space. She has a master of science in clinical and mental health counseling, a bachelor of arts in sociology with a minor in criminal justice, and a doctorate in public administration.

[At Ease Counseling, LLC](#)

3256 W. Hillsboro St.

El Dorado, AR. 71730

(870) 314-9921

AtEaseCounseling@centurylink.net

INSURANCE PLANS ACCEPTED:

- Arkansas Medicaid
- Aetna
- BCBS
- Cigna
- Health Advantage
- Louisiana Medicaid- Aetna BetterHealth, AmeriHealth Caritas, United Healthcare Community
- Optum
- United Health Care
- Vantage
- Private Pay

*Additional Insurances being added

*Additional Louisiana Medicaid plans still processing