

# MARION COUNTY RESOURCE GUIDE

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<b>CHILD CARE</b>	
<p><b>Crosswoods Methodist Preschool</b>            1551 Richland Rd (740) 386-2619            Half day Preschool available for ages 3-5, morning and afternoon. Sept-May            M, W, F ages 4 &amp; 5 9-11:30 or 12:30-3            T, Th ages 3 &amp; 4 9-11 or 12-2  <a href="http://www.crosswoodumc.com/preschool">www.crosswoodumc.com/preschool</a></p>	
<p><b>Emanuel Lutheran Child Care Program</b>            241 S. Prospect St. (740) 382-0257            Infants to age 5.            6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. emanuellutheran.net</p>	<p><b>Epworth Daycare Inc.</b> (740) 387-1062            249 E. Center St.            Ages range 6 wks. - 12 years old.            6:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.</p>
<p><b>Berean Baptist Church Day Care</b> 389-2308            131 Marion – Cardington Rd. E.            Pre-School for 4 year olds, Day Care for 3-5 year olds.</p>	<p><b>Job &amp; Family Services Child Care Program</b>            363 W. Fairground St. (740) 387-8560            Services for eligible families. <a href="http://www.mcjfs.com">www.mcjfs.com</a>            M–F 8:00 – 4:30</p>
<p><b>MEECC Preschool Program</b> (740) 375-6121            2387 Harding Hwy. E. Ages 3-Pre K            ½ day program. 12 slots available.            1 class full day. 16 slots available.            Monday - Thursday, 2 ½ hour sessions. Call for cost.</p>	<p><b>Tri-Rivers Preschool Ages 3-5</b>            2222 Marion Mount Gilead Road (740) 389-4681 Ext. 7302            School Calendar Year M-F 8-4 Provide Lunch &amp; Afternoon Snack; Grants available for those who qualify.</p>
<b>CHILDREN</b>	
<p><b>Boys &amp; Girls Club</b>            565 Oak St (740) 387-3462            P.O. Box 207 43301-0207            Call for information about available activities for children.            School Hrs M-F 3-7; Summer Hrs M-F 7:30-5:30</p>	<p><b>ARCS (Always Restrain Children Safely) Car Seat Program</b>            2387 Harding Highway E. (740) 387-1035 Ext. 138            Marci Muciek            Provides education on car seat safety. Receives car seat upon completing class.</p>
<p><b>Marion County Children's Services</b>            1680 Marion-Waldo Rd. (740) 389-2317            Support system for abused and neglected and dependent children 0-18. Marionkids.com            Child Abuse Hotline: 740-389-SAFE</p>	<p><b>Healthy Families of Marion</b> (740) 387-5437            498 N. Main St.            Services for families who are pregnant or have newborn babies. M-F 8-5</p>
<p><b>Boy Scouts of America</b>            1310 Mt. Vernon Ave. (740) 389-4615            Serves boys 1<sup>st</sup> grade – 18 yrs. Co-Ed Based Programs:            Venturing 14-21 yrs and Exploring-Career Based 6<sup>th</sup> grade-21 yrs</p>	<p><b>Ohio Coalition for the Education of Children with Disabilities</b> <a href="mailto:ocecd@ocecd.org">ocecd@ocecd.org</a>            165 W. Center St. (740) 382-5452 <a href="http://www.ocecd.org">www.ocecd.org</a>            Information on disability rights and individual education for persons age 0-26. 1-800-374-2806</p>
<p><b>4-H Clubs of Marion County - OSU Extension Office</b>            222 W. Center St. (740) 223-4040            Youth developmental program - Head, Heart, Hand, Health 5 - 19 years of age. (M, W, Thurs. office hours)            M-F 8-4:30 Closed 12-1</p>	<p><b>Help Me Grow</b> (740) 387-5437            498 N. Main St <a href="http://ohiohelpmegrow.com">ohiohelpmegrow.com</a>            Prenatal visits, newborn home visits, service coordination, family support services, developmental screening for families with children from birth to 3 years of age and pregnant women. M-F 8-5</p>
<p><b>Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland</b> (740) 389-2528            35 N. Park St. Suite 217 (800) 433-1299            Mansfield, OH 44902            Girls age 5-17, call for a troop in Marion.</p>	
<p><b>Parenting Classes (Marion General Hospital)</b>            1000 McKinley Park Dr. (740) 383-8484            Call for details. Child birth education, breast feeding, sibling classes, infant care, CPR for parents &amp; discharge planning.</p>	<p><b>North Central Ohio Educational Service Center</b>            333 E. Center St. (740) 387-6625            Can answer any special needs concerns or questions</p>

## CLOTHING



### Goodwill Store

1637 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd. (740) 389-3396  
 Monday-Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
 Sundays 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Low cost items

### Cents for Shoes (Traci Zellner)

222 W. Center St. (740) 223-4126  
 Help children in Marion County obtain shoes. Call your  
 Family Advocate for more information.

### Salvation Army Thrift Store

2048 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd. (740) 389-3397  
 Monday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

### St. Vincent DePaul's Clothing Locker

342 N. Main St. (740) 386-6422  
 Tuesday - Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

### Leapin' Outreach Center Tues 5:30-7:30 Thurs 10-12

150 Court St. (740) 387-1031  
 Possible help with hygiene items and clothing

## EDUCATION

### ABLE - Adult Basic & Literacy Education

**Marion City Schools/MTC** 1467 Mt. Vernon Ave.  
 (740) 389-4636 ext. 223  
 Basic academic skills, life skills, family literacy, English as a  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Language, GED preparation. Classes at Goodwill  
 Education & Training Center

### Tri-Rivers Career Center-Center for Adult Education

1563 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd. (740) 389-4682  
[www.tririvers.com](http://www.tririvers.com) M-F 7:30-4

### Marion Technical College

1467 Mt. Vernon Ave. (740) 389-4636  
[www.mtc.edu](http://www.mtc.edu)

### North Central State College

2441 Kenwood Circle (419) 755-4800  
 Mansfield, Ohio [www.ncstatecollege.edu](http://www.ncstatecollege.edu)

### Ohio State University Marion (OSUM)

1465 Mount Vernon Ave (740) 389-6786  
<http://osumarion.osu.edu>



## EMPLOYMENT

### Marion Goodwill Education and Training Center

345 East. Fairground St. 740-751-4282  
 Provide training & support for people who are having  
 difficulty finding a job.

### Marion Technical Workforce Development

1467 Mt. Vernon Ave. (740) 389-4636  
 Creates job matches between employers and qualified  
 individuals.

### Ohio Means Jobs Marion

622 Leader St. (740) 382-0076  
 Services include job searches, resource room and job leads  
 M - F 8:00 - 4:30

### Peer Program (740) 387-1702

333 W. Center St.  
 Employment services for eligible individuals.

## FAMILY

### Marion Public Library

445 E. Church St. (740) 387-0992  
 Provides reading, research materials, videos, audiovisuals,  
 CD's, framed art, Internet, Computer Classes, Story Hour,  
 Toddler Time, meeting room and Summer Reading Program  
 for children.

### Job and Family Services

363 W. Fairground St. (740) 387-8560

**Healthy Start** - is a medical program available for children  
 and pregnant women. **Expedited Medicaid** - to ensure  
 pregnant women a medical card. **Medicaid** - medical  
 coverage if aged, blind or medically disabled. **Nursing  
 Homes** - loved ones eligible for Medicaid benefits. **ADC &  
 Disability Assist. Medicaid** - if receiving ADC or DA cash  
 assistance, you will also receive a medical card.

### Marion Area Transit

137 S. State St. (740) 382-9850  
 Bus Line. Runs M-F 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

<b>Legal Aid Society</b> 142 W. Center St. Rear Door (740) 383-2161 Free legal services to low-income individuals and all people 60 and over.	<b>Foster Parenting Program</b> <a href="http://www.marionkids.com">www.marionkids.com</a> Marion Co. Children Services 1680 Marion-Waldo Rd. (740) 389-2317 How to become involved in foster parenting.
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<b>Ohio State University Extension</b> 222 W. Center St. (740) 223-4040 Assists families with developmental activities for children.	<b>Ohio Heartland Community Action Commission</b> 372 E. Center St. (740) 387-1039 Head Start Program, HEAP, Weatherization, Utility Service, Senior Nutrition Program, Fatherhood Program.
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<b>Social Security Administration</b> 1363 Wellness Dr. 888-475-0296 Social Security & Supplemental Security Income. Open M-T-Th-F 9-3 W 9-12	<b>YMCA</b> 645 Barks Rd. E. (740) 725-9622 Recreational and athletic opportunities. Scholarships available.
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## FOOD



**St. Paul's Episcopal Food**  
 197 E. Center St  
 (740) 387-6220  
 W & F 9-11

**Good Shepherd** (740) 223-0102  
 2231 Smeltzer Rd.  
 Can help with food needs, call for an appointment.

**Kirkpatrick Church of Christ** Contact Mary Rowe.  
 (419) 845-2304 First 3 Saturdays of every month at 9:30 am  
 Food pantry by appointment only & emergency services.

**Love, INC. (In the Name of Christ) Agency Referral Only**  
 196 S. Main St (740) 382-3340 T-F 9:00 to 11:30 a.m.  
 Will make food referrals and give financial/budgeting assistance, transportation referrals, furniture, appliances, household goods, personal needs, diapers, clothing and tutoring.

**Ohio Heartland Community Action Commission**  
 1183 Bellefontaine Ave. (740) 375-0202  
Serving lunch Mon thru Fri for homebound senior citizens.  
**Salvation Army 317 W. Church St (740) 382-2156**  
 Food Pantry by appt only & Soup Kitchen M & Th @ 6 pm

**White Oaks Church**  
 1859 White Oaks Rd. (740) 383-2095

**St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry (740) 386-6422**  
 342 N. Main St. T-Sat 10-3

## HEALTH

**American Cancer Society**  
 5555 Frantz Rd Dublin, OH 43017 (888) 227-6446 opt 3  
 Provides services to patients with cancer. Has information on cancer prevention and treatment. M-F 8:30-4:30

**WIC (Women, Infants and Children) M-F 8-12 & 1-4:30**  
 181 South Main St. (740) 383-5533  
 Nutrition and education program for pregnant women and children ages 0-5 years that are income eligible.





**American Red Cross** (740) 725-9182 Fax  
 1849 Summerset Dr. (740) 725-9141  
 First aid, CPR, water safety information and disaster & flood services.

**Healthy Start and Job & Family Services (Child Health Insurance Program)**  
 363 W. Fairground St. (740) 387-8560  
 (855) 275-3537  
 Free health coverage for children through the age of 18, if income eligible. Child support, elder care and social services.  
[www.mcjfs.com](http://www.mcjfs.com)

**Nationwide Children's Hospital**  
 700 Children's Dr. (614) 722-2000  
 Columbus, OH 43205

**Center St. Community Health Clinic**  
 136 W. Center St. (740) 751-6380  
 Serves those birth thru adulthood without a physician, financial means or payment source to receive care.  
 By appointment only M-F 8-4:30. Leave message if needed and call will be returned.


**Marion Public Health** [www.marionpublichealth.org](http://www.marionpublichealth.org)  
 181 S. Main St. (740) 387-6520  
 (740) 383-2546 Fax  
 Parents can get their child's birth certificate (\$25.00)  
 8:00-4:30 p.m. Monday – Friday  
 By appointment only immunizations newborn through adult.

<p><b>MAPP (Marion Area Pregnancy Program)</b>  498 N. Main St. (740) 387-8336  Free pregnancy tests for all ages, parenting education.  M-F 9:15 – 4:15</p>	<p><b>AIDS Resource Center Ohio</b>  410 Park Ave. W. Suite 1 Mansfield, Ohio (419) 525-2437  Provides social and financial resources. Information about HIV/AIDS, support groups and services for individuals with HIV/AIDS. M-F 9-5</p>
<p><b>Marion Speech &amp; Hearing</b>  1199 Delaware Ave. Suite 101 (740) 383-2513  Provides speech and hearing assessment.  M-Thurs. 8-5 Lunch 12-1 Friday 8:00 – 4:30</p>	<p><b>United Community Rx Program</b>  Marion Area Physicians (740) 383-7716  Assists clients with obtaining medication for those who have no insurance or other means.</p>
<p><b>DENTISTS - MARION COUNTY</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Will accept children.</b></span></p>	
	<p><b>Appleseed Family Dental</b> (740) 387-1324  Dr. Pun &amp; Dr. Hamilton  1199 Delaware Ave Suite 106  Care Source and Molina  M-F 8-4</p>
<p><b>Center St. Dental Clinic</b> (740)382-4939  136 W. Center St.  M-F 8-4:30</p>	<p><b>Comfort Dental</b> (740) 386-6600  1598 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd. M-F 7:30-7:30 Sat 7:30-1:30  Children 5 years and older. Care Source, Molina</p>
<p><b>DENTISTS - ORAL TREATMENT</b></p>	
<p><b>Nationwide Children's Emergency Dental</b>  555 S. 18<sup>th</sup> St. Columbus, OH (614)722-5650  M –F 9:00 – 11:00 and 1:00 – 3:00  First come, first serve basis.</p>	<p><b>Bright New Dental</b> <b>M, W 8-5 T, Th 9-7 F 8-2</b>  1313 W. Bogart Rd. (419) 627-1255  Sandusky, OH 44870 Care Source</p>
<p><b>Nisonger Dental Program</b>  2879 Johnstown Rd. (614) 342-5795  Columbus, OH 43219 M-F 8:30-5:30</p>	<p><b>OSU Dental Clinic</b>  305 W. 12<sup>th</sup> Ave. Room 1130 (614) 292-2751  Columbus, OH 43210 Care Source, Molina and Healthy Start</p>
<p><b>Dr. Sidney Price &amp; Assoc.</b> (614) 888-3212  117 Lazelle Rd. E. Suite D  Columbus, OH 43235  Care Source and Molina</p>	<p><b>Small Smiles</b> <b>Fax (614) 470-9841</b>  2100 Morris Rd. Suite 4655 (614) 430-8349  Columbus, OH 43203 M-F 8-5  Care Source, Molina , Healthy Start, and Buckeye</p>
<p><b>EYE DOCTORS - MARION COUNTY (MC - Accepts Medical Card)</b></p>	
	<p><b>Prospect Vision Care-Dr. Virginia Chetverikov</b>  100 E. Water St. Prospect, OH (740) 494-2999  New Patients</p>
<p><b>Marion Optical-Dr. Steven Grygier</b>  367 S. Main St. (740) 382-2020  M-F 9:30-5</p>	<p><b>Premier Optometry Group-Dr. Jerry Ferrell &amp; Dr. Axline</b>  399 E. Church St. (740) 387-8414  New Patients Medicaid, Healthy Start and Care Source by app  only M-F 8-4 no Molina</p>
<p><b>Professional Eye Care-Dr. Doug McCloy, Dr. Tommy Miller &amp; Dr. Andrea Dinovo</b>  1723 Marion Mt. Gilead Rd (740) 387-6880  M,W,F 8-5 T,Th 9-7 Sat 9-12</p>	<p><b>Wal-Mart Vision Center-Dr. James Fleming, Dr. Rachel Siegel &amp; Dr. James Hackley</b> Marion, OH (740) 389-5339  New Patients Caresource-exam only; Healthy Start-none; Molina-exam &amp; material; Paramount-exam &amp; material  Dr. Hrs M-Th 10-6 F 10:30-5 Sat 9-3</p>


## PHYSICIANS - MARION COUNTY (MC - Accepts Medical Card)

<b>Marion Area Physicians-Dr. Janchar, Dr. Friedley, Dr. Steven Lee, Dr. Shekhawat, Dr. Jackie Quach &amp; CNP-Julie Cimino</b> 1040 Delaware Ave. (740) 383-8090 New Patients- pediatrics	<b>Dr. Timothy Garner</b> 241 Executive Dr. (740) 387-3256 New Patients - family practice Fax: 383-4906 M,T,Th,F 8-4:30 W 8-12
<b>Dr. Syed Bukhari, Marion Area Physicians</b> 1073 Harding Memorial Pkwy. (740) 387-0563 New Patients –pediatrics M-Th 9-5 F 9-12	<b>Dr. Piacentini &amp; CNPs-Sheryl &amp; Melissa</b> 102 E. Water St. Prospect, OH (740) 494-2624 New Patients in Prospect area
<b>Excel Urgent Care</b> 175 Edgefield Blvd. (740) 751-6433 M – F 8:00 – 8:00 Sat. 9:00 – 7:00 Provides walk in medical care.	<b>Urgent Care</b> 1036 Mt. Vernon Ave. (740) 389-5151 M – F 9:00 – 7:00 Sat. 9:00 – 5:00 Provides walk in medical care.

## MENTAL HEALTH/SUBSTANCE ABUSE

 <b>Marion County Mental Health (ADAMH Board)</b> 142 S. Prospect St. (740) 387-8531	<b>Alcoholics Anonymous (Marion Area Group Fellowship)</b> 197 E. Center St. (740) 387-5546 St. Paul's Episcopal Church Call for list of Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. (Hot Line)
<b>Contact Care Line</b> 320 Executive Dr. (740) 383-CARE (740) 383-2273 24 Hours a day, 365 days a year. Call to talk about depression, loneliness, family/marital issues, drugs/alcohol, abuse, rape, thoughts of suicide, etc. Provides information and referrals.	<b>Foundation's Recovery Center</b> 269 Rose Ave. (740) 382-9393 For adult substance abusers affiliated with MACC, must have a referral.
<b>Ohio Health Hospice</b> Fax (740) 383-8454 1713 Marion Mount Gilead Road Suite #107 (740) 383-8930 Provides services to terminally ill individuals and their families. M-F 8-4:30	<b>Marion Area Counseling Center</b> Fax (740) 383-3472 320 Executive Dr. (740) 387-5210 Services include crisis intervention, therapy, family preservation, community support, psychiatric, psychological, drug/alcohol, counseling, day treatment, victim assistance and more.

## SHELTERS/HOUSING

	<b>EFSP</b> 1183 Bellefontaine Ave. (740) 383-2154 Can assist with rent and utilities, must be emergency related when funds are available.
<b>Habitat for Humanity</b> 370 E. Mark St. (740) 383-2007 Habitat's Vision: a world where everyone has a decent place to live.	<b>Marion Shelter Program-Men's Shelter (740) 382-9600</b> 365 E. Fairground St. <a href="http://themarionshelter.com">http://themarionshelter.com</a>
<b>Metropolitan Housing</b> Fax (740) 382-8388 117 N. Greenwood St. Suite 12 (740) 383-5680 Help subsidize rent to landlords for low-income families. M-F 8-12 & 1-4	<b>Marion Shelter Program-Women &amp; Family Shelter</b> 326 W. Fairground St. (740) 387-4550 7 Days a week 3 pm-8 am Email- <a href="mailto:www.marionshelterprogram@yahoo.com">www.marionshelterprogram@yahoo.com</a>
<b>Turning Point</b> (800) 232-6505 330 Barks Rd. W. (740) 382-8988 Temporary shelter for victims of domestic violence, many services offered.	<b>RHAM (Residential Home Assistance of Marion)</b> 205 W. Center St. (740) 387-9999 Residential services for people with mental retardation and developmental disabilities. M-Th 8:30-4:30 F 8:30-2



<b>UTILITIES</b>	
<b>Sanitation Department - City of Marion</b> Garbage removal. (740) 382-1479 Billing/New Account (740) 387-6057 or 387-6345	<b>Columbia Gas</b> Gas utility company (800) 344-4077
<b>EMERGENCY HEAP &amp; REGULAR HEAP</b> 1183 Bellefontaine Ave. (866) 861-6421 Assists clients when service is off, they have a disconnect notice, or have less than a 10-day supply of bulk fuel. Assists clients with a one-time credit on their primary heating source.	<b>FTC Creates Fraud Hotline</b> Washington, DC 20580-0001 (877) 382-4357 The Federal Trade Commission is launching a new tool to help consumers report fraud.
<b>PUCO (800) 686-7826 180 E. Broad Columbus M-F 8-5</b> Investigators and compliance specialists will investigate consumer complaints and track utility company compliance with state regulations and service standards.	<b>Aqua Ohio</b> Water hook up and service (877) 987-2782
<b>Ohio Consumers' Counsel</b> 10 <sup>th</sup> W. Broad St. Suite 1800 (877) 742-5622 Columbus, OH 43215 For general information or questions about utility services.	<b>Ohio Edison Electric Company</b> Electric company and service. (800) 633-4766
	<b>AEP</b> Electric company and service (800) 672-2231

<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	
<b>Marion County Veterans Service Fax (740) 387-1670</b> 220 E. Fairground St. Suite 101 (740) 387-0100 Provides services to Marion County Vets and their dependents. M-F 8:30-4:30	<b>Bureau of Motor Vehicles Fax (740) 375-0628</b> 222 W. Center St. (740) 387-1467 M-F 8-5 Sat 8-2
<b>Humane Society Animal Shelter</b> 2264 Richland Rd. (740) 389-6548 M-T 1-6 W-Closed Th-F 1-6 Sat 11-4 Mahspets.org	<b>Marion County Board of Elections Fax (740) 223-4099</b> Located at the County Building 222 W. Center St. (740) 223-4090 M-F 8:30-4:30
<b>Chamber of Commerce <a href="http://www.marionareachamber.org">www.marionareachamber.org</a></b> 267 W. Center St Suite 200 (740) 382-2181 Names and addresses of local employers and businesses. Relocation packets for people new to Marion.	<b>American Civil Liberties Union of Ohio</b> 4506 Chester Ave. (216) 472-2200 Cleveland, Ohio Assists with individuals whose constitutional rights have been violated, provides information about current legislation. <a href="http://www.acluohio.org">www.acluohio.org</a>
<b>Internal Revenue Service (800) 829-1040</b> Taxpayer assistance.	