Family Resource Guide

https://www.findhelp.org/



Apply for benefits:

Michigan Department of Health & Human Services

www.michigan.gov/michigan

Michigan Helpline..... Call 211

Housing Information

Cheboygan County Housing Commission.....231-627-7189

Habitat for Humanity, Cheboygan.....231-597-4663

Habitat for Humanity, Gaylord.....989-732-6070

Michigan Department of Health & Human Services (MDHHS).....844-464-3447

Michigan State Housing Development Authority (Housing Vouchers).....989-275-7265

NEMCSA.....989-358-4678 or 989-590-9824 (text)

The Refuge..... https://www.otsegorefuge.org/

The Salvation Army, Cheboygan.....231-627-9003

The Salvation Army, Gaylord.....989-448-2395

Employment

Michigan Rehabilitation Services (Northern Michigan)......989-732-6433 Michigan Works

- Cheboygan...... 231-627-4303
- Onaway......989-733-8548
- Gaylord......989-732-3886

Tribal Information

Burt Lake Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians........231-529-6113
Grand Traverse Bay Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians........231-536-0024
Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians.........231-242-1700
Michigan Indian Employment & Training.......231-347-9330
Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians........800-793-0660

Transportation

Indian Trails Bus 800-292-3831
Michigan Department of Health & Human Services (MDHHS)844-464-3447
Northern Michigan Transportation Services (for medical appts only)989-464-4758
Otsego County Bus System989-732-6224
Senior Council on Aging 989-733-2559
Straits Area Regional Ride866-731-1204 or 231-597-9262

Transportation (continued)

Thunder Bay Transportation Authority.....866-354-2487 or 989-354-2487 Transportation for Medicare Eligible844-464-2443

Utility Assistance

Consumers Energy Payment Plans & Assistance.....800-477-5050
Michigan Department of Health & Human Services (MDHHS)..... 844-464-3447
NEMCSA.....989-358-4678, 989-590-9824 (text)
NE Michigan Community Service Agency (NEMSCA)..... 989-356-3474
Safelink Wireless.....800-723-3546
Salvation Army Cheboygan..... 231-627-9003, Otsego 989-731-5959
The Heat & Warmth Fund..... 800-866-8429

Family Services

AA Crisis Pregnancy Center (Baby Pantry).....231-627-2626
Child Protective Services (Michigan).....855-444-3911
Community of Christ (Baby Pantry).....816-833-1000
Cradle of Hope..... 231-525-8825
Crisis Lifeline..... Call 988 or Text 741741
EARLY ON..... 231-238-9394

Great Start Coll. Parent Liaison.....gsplp@copesd.org

Great Start Collaborative..... 231-238-9394

Great Start Readiness Program..... 231-238-9394

Great Start to Quality Child Care..... 877-614-7328

Hope Shows Alliance..... 989-356-6265

MiLeap Child Care Scholarships (MDHHS)..... 844-464-3447

National Parent Hotline..... 855-427-2736

NEMCSA..... 989-358-4678, 989-590-9824 (text)

New Life Pregnancy Resource Center Gaylord..... 989-732-1626

Northern Care Center (free medical clinic).... 231-420-2567

Peace Lutheran Church- Rogers City..... 989-734-7621

Sunrise Treatment and Recovery Center..... 989-356-6649

The Lord's Kitchen (laundry services, meals, showers).....231-627-1173 United Methodist Church Onaway (blankets, cleaning supplies, household staples).....989-733-8811

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You can also apply online for assistance through MDHHS at:

https://newmibridges.michigan.gov/

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Food Assistance- Cheboygan County

Black River Church Commodities.....231-625-9305
Joy Fellowship Food Pantry.....231-238-2331
Michigan Department of Health & Human Services (MDHHS).....844-464-3447
St. Thomas Food Pantry.....231-627-3167
The Lord's Kitchen.....231-627-1173

Food Assistance- Otsego County

E-Free Food Truck.....989-732-2647
Giving Tree Food Pantry Johannesburg.....989-705-7456
Michigan Department of Health & Human Services (MDHHS).....844-464-3447
Otsego Country United Way Pantry.....989-732-8929
The Salvation Army.....989-448-2395
Vanderbilt Community Food Closet.....989-983-3421

Food Assistance- Presque Isle County

Onaway Courtesy Club Food Pantry.....989-306-2562
God Loves You Pantry.....989-595-6073
Michigan Department of Health & Human Services (MDHHS).....844-464-3447
Presque Isle Council on Aging.....989-766-8191
Rogers City Senior and Community Center.....989-734-2958
Westminster Presbyterian Church.....989-734-3929

Thrift Stores

Salvation Army Cheboygan.....231-627-9003
Community Sharing Program Lewiston.....989-254-3324
Goodwill Cheboygan.....231-445-9300
Goodwill Gaylord.....989-705-1747
Habitat for Humanity Gaylord.....989-732-6070
Habitat ReStore Cheboygan.....231-597-9463
Seconds on Third Presque Isle Co...... 989-734-7306
The Salvation Army Gaylord.....989-448-2395

Disaster Emergency Services

Red Cross 989-448-2627

Dental Clinics

Cheboygan....... 866-878-6550 Otsego...... 866-878-6552 Thunder Bay...... 989-733-2082

Vision/Hearing Screening

Health Department #4 Cheboygan/Presque Isle.....231-627-8850 Northwest Health Department Otsego.....800-432-4121

Legal Services

Legal Services of Northern Michigan Presque Isle.....989-356-9081 Legal Services of Northern Michigan Cheboygan/Otsego.....989-705-1067

Tax Preparation

NE Michigan Community Service Agency.....989-356-3474 Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA).....231-333-9089

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providing professional
development that involves
member districts, this ESD
and the entire community.

