

MARION COUNTY RESOURCE GUIDE

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CHILD CARE


Crosswoods Methodist Preschool 740-386-2619 1551 Richland Rd., Half day preschool available for ages 3-5, Morning & afternoon, Sept-May, T, Th ages 3 & 4 9-11 or 12-2, Payment assistance if qualified www.crosswoodumc.com/preschool	Marie English Early Childhood Center MEECC 740-375-6121 2387 Harding Hwy. E., Ages 3-Pre K, 1/2 day program, 12 slots available, 1 class full day, 16 slots available, M-TH, 2 1/2 hour sessions, call for cost
Emanuel Lutheran Child Care Program 740-382-0257 241 S. Prospect St., Infants to age 5, 6:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m. emanuellutheran.net	Epworth Preschool and Daycare 740-387-1062 249 E. Center St., Ages range 6 wks - 12 years old, 6:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. http://www.epworthpreschool.org/
Berean Baptist Church Day Care 740-389-2308 131 Marion-Cardington Rd. E., Preschool for 4 year olds, Day care for 3-5 year olds http://bereanmarion.org/	Job & Family Services Child Care Program 740-387-8560 363 W. Fairground St., Services for eligible families, Free or reduced cost M-F 8:00-4:30 http://www.mcjfs.com/



CHILDREN / YOUTH

Boys & Girls Club 740-387-3462 565 Oak St., P.O. Box 207, 43301-0207, Call for information about available activities for children, School Hrs M-F 3:00-7:00, Summer Hrs M-F 7:30-5:30 http://www.bgcmarion.org/	Ohio Buckles Buckeyes Car Seat Program MCBDD 740-375-6117 2387 Harding Highway E, provides free child safety seats to eligible low-income families, must complete video class, call for appointment http://www.marioncountydd.org/child-safety-seats/
Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland 740-389-2528 1713 Marion-Mr. Gilead Rd., Suite 208, Girls kindergarten-age 17, call for a troop in Marion https://www.gsoh.org/	Family and Children First Council 740-223-3075 Made up of several agencies to coordinate services for families with multiple needs https://www.fcf.ohio.gov/Contact-Us/Local-FCF-Marion
Boy Scouts of America 740-389-4615 1310 Mt. Vernon Ave., Serves boys 1st grade-18 yrs, Co-ed based programs: Venturing 14-21 yrs & Exploring-Career Based 6th grade-21 yrs http://www.buckeyecouncil.org/council	Ohio Coalition for the Education of Children with Disabilities 800-374-2806 740-382-5452 165 W. Center St., Information on disability rights & individual education for people age 0-26 https://www.ocecd.org/

4-H Clubs of Marion County 740-223-4040 OSU Extension Office 222 W. Center St., Youth developmental program - Head, Heart, Hand, Health, 5-19 yrs, M-F 8-4:30, Closed 12-1 (M, W, F office hrs) https://marion.osu.edu/program-areas/4-h-youth-development	Marion County Children's Services 740-389-2317 Child Abuse Hotline: 740-389-SAFE 1680 Marion-Waldo Rd. Support system for abused and neglected dependent children 0-18 http://www.marionkids.com/
Help Me Grow 740-387-5437 Marion Adolescent Pregnancy Program (MAPP) 498 N. Main St., Home Visiting and Early Intervention services for pregnant women, new parents, babies and young children, cribs available, incentive program to earn free baby items, M-F 9-5 https://mapp-marion.com/	CARE-FIT Center 740-386-8160 1440 Mt. Vernon Ave., Fax (740) 389-2060, Mission: To provide a supportive and safe environment for children and families who have experienced conflict and/or family violence by providing educational resources and coordinating and monitoring visitation and the exchange of children in a structured conflict-free environment co.marion.oh.us/familycourt/index.php/c-a-r-e-f-i-t-center
Marion General Hospital/Ohio Health 740-383-8778 1000 McKinley Park Dr., Pregnancy and childbirth classes. Call for details. https://www.ohiohealth.com/locations/hospitals/marion-general-hospital/our-healthcare-services/maternity/	North Central Ohio Educational Service Center NCOESC 740-387-6625 333 E. Center St., Can answer any special needs concerns or questions http://www.ncoesc.org/
LaRue After School Program (LASAP) 740-499-3201 166 N. High St., LaRue, Oh 43332, Similar to Boys & Girls Club, LaRue United Methodist Church https://www.larueumc.org/	Victim Assistance Program 740-387-4401 233 W. Center St., (basement,) Trauma services for children and youth, kids' programs, victim advocates http://maccsite.com/VAP.htm
YMCA 740-725-9622 645 Barks Rd. E., Recreational and athletic opportunities, Scholarships available https://www.marionymca.org/	
 CLOTHING/HOUSEHOLD GOODS	
Leapin Outreach Center 740-387-0131 150 Court St. (Old Marion Star Building) T 5:30pm-7:30pm & Th 10am-noon	Life Link Community Church 740-387-6822 248 Olney Ave. ShareWear Clothing Locker - Clothing, shoes, and outerwear for the entire family are made available free of charge. Call or see calendar on website for more information. http://lifelinkcc.org/
Goodwill Store 740-389-3396 1637 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd., Monday-Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m., Sundays 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m., Low cost items http://mariongoodwill.org/quick-links/retail-stores	Cents for Shoes (Robin Rick) robinrick1028@gmail.com Help children in Marion County obtain shoes. Call your Family Advocate for more information. https://www.facebook.com/CentsForShoesOfMarionCounty/

Salvation Army Thrift Store 740-389-3397 1294 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd., Monday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. https://co.salvationarmy.org/CentralOhio/family-stores-in-central-ohio	St. Vincent DePaul's Clothing Locker 740-386-6422 342 N. Main St., Tuesday -Friday 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., Saturday 10:00a.m.—1:00p.m.
Richland Rd. Church of Christ 740-389-1017 535 Richland Rd., Clothing house can be accessed during church office hours, M-F 8am-4pm http://www.richlandroadcofc.com/	Community Christian Fellowship 740-494-2222 209 E. Water St., Prospect, Clothing Closet 4 giveaways a year and emergency only http://www.prospectccf.com/connect
American Red Cross 740-725-9141 1849 Summerset Dr., Disaster related assistance http://www.richlandroadcofc.com/	Be Ministries 740-382-9507 127 W. Church St., Be Thrifty clothing locker http://www.be-church.com/
<div>  EDUCATION </div>	
Aspire at Marion Technical College Liz 740-386-4123 Formerly Adult Basic & Literacy Education (ABLE) 1467 Mount Vernon Ave., Tuition-free service for people who need to work on basic math, reading, or writing skills that help them be more successful in their college courses, their employment situation, or their preparations for taking a high school equivalency (HSE) exam https://www.mtc.edu/aspire/	Tri-Rivers Career Center & Center for Adult Education 740-389-4682 2222 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd., Career and technical training and certification, Offers the Adult Diploma Program, which provides job training and a new pathway for adults, ages 22 or older, to earn a high school diploma AND industry credentials aligned to one of Ohio's in-demand jobs at no direct cost to student https://tririvers.com/adult-education/
Marion Technical College 740-389-4636 1467 Mount Vernon Ave. https://www.mtc.edu/	Ohio State University at Marion 740-389-6736 1461 Mount Vernon Ave. http://osumarion.osu.edu/
North Central State College 888-755-4899 419-755-4800 2441 Kenwood Circle, Mansfield, OH 44906 https://ncstatecollege.edu/cms/index.php	Vocational Education Training Company-MARCA Industries 740-375-6144 2465 Harding Hwy E., Training and services for disabled adults https://www.marcaindustries.org/
Marion Matters 740-223-2999 790 Kenton Ave., A program that offers useful tools, practical advice, and valuable communication to help you and your family get ahead, instead of simply getting by. https://www.facebook.com/MarionMattersInc/	



EMPLOYMENT

Marion Goodwill Education & Training Center 740-751-4282

345 East Fairground St., Provide training & support for people who are having difficulty finding a job.

<http://mariongoodwill.org/goodwill-for-you/education-training-center>

MTC Workforce Solutions Shannon Niedzwicki 740-386-4176

1467 Mt. Vernon Ave., Creates job matches between employers and qualified individuals, Other resources available on website

<https://www.mtc.edu/workforce/employee-testing/>

Ohio Means Jobs Marion 740-382-0076

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

<http://www.mcjfs.com/workforce/ohiomeansjobs/>

Peer (Program Encouraging Employment & Recovery) 740-387-1702

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

http://www.maccsite.com/macc_west.htm



FAMILY

Legal Aid Society 740-383-2161 888-301-2411

150 Oak St., Fax: 740-387-1022, Free legal services to low-income individuals and all people 60 and over, the phone lines are open 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. & 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday

<https://www.columbuslegalaids.org/>

Marion Public Library 740-387-0992

445 E. Church St., Provides reading, research materials, videos, audiovisuals, CDs, framed art, internet, computer classes, Story Hour, Toddler Time, meeting room & Summer Reading Program for children, Home delivery available for home-bound patrons within city limits, M-Th 9am-8pm, F-Sa 9am-4pm, Sun (Labor Day through Memorial Day only) 1pm-4pm

<https://www.marionlibrary.org/>

Foster Parenting Program at Marion County Children Services 740-389-2317

1680 Marion-Waldo Rd., how to become involved in foster parenting

<http://www.marionkids.com/>

Marion County Job and Family Services 740-387-8560

363 W. Fairground St., Medicaid, SNAP (food stamps), child support, elder care, emergency assistance (PRC program), and social services for eligible individuals and families, M-F 8:00-4:30

<http://www.mcjfs.com/>

Ohio Heartland Community Action Commission 740-387-1039

372 E. Center St., Head Start Program, Utility Assistance (HEAP, E-HEAP, PIPP Plus) Rapid Rehousing Ohio, Personal Needs Pantry, United Community Rx Program

<http://www.ohcac.org/>

Ohio State University Extension 740-223-4040

222 W. Center St., Assists families with developmental activities for children

<https://marion.osu.edu/>

Marion Area Transit 740-382-9850


137 S. State St., Bus Line, Runs M-F 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

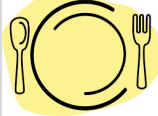
<http://www.marionohio.us/transit>

Social Security Administration 888-475-0296

1363 Wellness Dr., Social Security & Supplemental Security Income, Open M-T-Th-F 9-3 W 9-12

<https://www.ssa.gov/>

<p>Marion County Board of Developmental Disabilities 740-387-1035 Crisis Hotline 740-225-9310</p> <p>2387 Harding Hwy E, provides advocacy and resources for individuals with developmental disabilities</p> <p>http://www.marioncountydd.org/</p>	<p>YMCA 740-725-9622</p> <p>645 Barks Rd. E., Recreational and athletic opportunities, Scholarships available</p> <p>https://www.marionymca.org/</p>
<div data-bbox="147 447 350 611">  </div> <p>FOOD PANTRIES AND FOOD BANK/PRODUCE DISTRIBUTION</p>	
<p>Life Link Community Church 740-387-6822</p> <p>248 Olney Ave., Food pantry, appointments only on 3rd & 4th Tuesday, must schedule appointment on the prior Monday between 10-12</p> <p>http://lifelinkcc.org/</p>	<p>Richland Rd. Church of Christ 740-389-1017</p> <p>535 Richland Rd., Food bank distribution once a month serving up to 200 families, must call to be put on list, Emergency food pantry available-please call first, M-F 8am-4pm</p> <p>http://www.richlandroadcofc.com/</p>
<p>St. Paul's Lutheran Church 740-726-2770</p> <p>135 West Main St., Waldo, OH, 43356, Free fresh food distributions, April - Nov, 1st Fri, 11-2</p> <p>https://www.facebook.com/St-Pauls-Lutheran-Church-Waldo-241213405928361/</p>	<p>Logos Christian Ministries 740-223-1515</p> <p>582 Lee St., Produce, 2nd Saturday of every month, 12-2pm, unless the weather is extremely bad</p> <p>https://www.logoschristianministries.com/</p>
<p>Shining Light Baptist Church 740-361-3961</p> <p>294 Mt. Vernon Ave., Bread giveaway on Wednesday from 8:30-10 not a food pantry</p> <p>http://slbcmarion.org/index.html</p>	<p>Salvation Army 740-382-2156</p> <p>317 W. Church St., Food pantry by appt. only, photo ID & proof of residence required</p> <p>https://easternusa.salvationarmy.org/</p>
<p>Johnson/Rudd Community Center 740-251-8109</p> <p>6342 Marion-Agosta Rd., Food pantry: 3rd Wednesday 2pm-6pm</p>	<p>Victory Center Church of God 740-387-5722</p> <p>1190 E. Fairground St., Food pantry, 3rd Thursday 5-6:30pm, photo ID & proof of residence required</p> <p>https://www.victorycentercog.com/outreach-ministry</p>
<p>St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry 740-386-6422</p> <p>342 N. Main St., Food pantry Tuesday-Saturday 10am-noon, by appointment only, photo ID required</p>	<p>Beacon of Hope/Kirkpatrick Food Pantry 740-225-8687 or 740-244-6694</p> <p>366 W. Center St., Produce distribution M & Th 5-7pm, Non-perishable distribution by appointment Th 5-7pm & Sat 9:30-11:30am, photo ID & proof of residence required</p>
<p>Marion Senior Center 740-387-6100</p> <p>2375 Harding Hwy E, Monthly distribution of non-perishable groceries to Marion County residents age 60 & older who meet income guidelines.</p> <p>http://www.marionohio.us/seniors/services</p>	





COMMUNITY MEALS



St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church 740-494-2885 200 E. Water St., Prospect, OH 43342, Dinner 4th Thursday 4-5:30 https://www.facebook.com/pages/St-Pauls-Lutheran-Church/116320195062974	Life Link Community Church 740-387-6822 248 Olney Ave., Dinner 2nd Wednesday @5:30 http://lifelinkcc.org/
Shining Light Baptist Church 740-361-3961 294 Mt. Vernon Ave., Dinner 1st, 2nd, 4th & 5th Friday at 6pm http://slbcmarion.org/index.html	Salvation Army 740-382-2156 317 W. Church St., Soup kitchen Mon & Thurs at 4:30p.m. https://easternusa.salvationarmy.org/
Central Christian Church 740-387-5120 421 Mt. Vernon Ave., Breakfast 2nd & last (4th or 5th) Sunday of the month, 8-9	First Church of the Nazarene 740-383-6021 233 W. Church St., Lunch every Sunday at 11am http://marionnaz.org/
Oakland UMC 740-383-3088 835 Bellefontaine Ave., Dinner 3rd Wednesday at 5pm https://www.facebook.com/OAK.UMC.100/	Mt. Zion Baptist Church 740-387-6970 475 E. Fairground St., Dinner 2nd & 4th Wednesday 5-6pm https://mtzionmarionoh.com/
Trinity Baptist Church 740-387-6527 244 S. Main St., Lunch 4th Thursday 11:30am-1pm (except June, July and August) https://www.tbcmarion.org/	Prospect St. United Methodist 740-382-6069 185 S. Prospect St., Dinner 3rd Friday at 5:15pm, breakfast 4th Saturday 8:30-10:30am http://www.prospectstreetumc.com/
Kensington Church of the Nazarene 740-386-2220 369 Kensington Pl., Breakfast 2nd Saturday 8-11am, \$3 donation http://marionnaz.org/	Be Ministries 740-382-9507 127 W. Church St., Lunch every Saturday at 11:30am http://www.be-church.com/
First Church of the Brethren 740-387-2362 860 E. Church St., Brunch 3rd Saturday 9:30-11am	Mayes Community Temple 740-382-3773 801 Bennett St., Lunch 4th Saturday 11am to 1pm
Olde Corner Church 740-375-5366 287 S. State St, Dinner 1st Wednesday 5:30-7pm (doors open at 5pm) https://www.facebook.com/The-Olde-Corner-Church-492154314289734/	True Faith Church of God in Christ 740-382-8208 599 E. Fairground St., Lunch 3rd Wednesday 11am-2pm https://www.facebook.com/pages/True-Faith-Church-of-God-In-Christ/111628635542809
Community Christian Fellowship 740-494-2222 209 E. Water St., Prospect, Oh 43342, Dinner 1st Sunday 5-6:30pm http://www.prospectccf.com/connect	



HEALTH

American Cancer Society 888-227-6446 opt 3 5555 Frantz Rd., Dublin, OH 43017, Provides services to patients with cancer, Has information on cancer prevention and treatment, M-F 8:30-4:30 https://www.cancer.org/	Nationwide Children's Hospital 614-722-2000 700 Children's Dr., Columbus, OH 43205 https://www.nationwidechildrens.org/
Center St. Community Health Clinic 740-751-6380 Medical 740-382-4939 Dental 136 W Center St., 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 http://www.centerstreetclinic.org/	United Community Rx Program 740-383-2154 Ext. 835 1183 Bellefontaine Ave., Assistance with obtaining medication for those who have no insurance or other means, Medical Insurance information. http://www.ohcac.org/services/marion-county/
Equitas Health 614-299-2437 (formerly AIDS Resource Center Ohio) 4400 N High St #300, Columbus, OH 43214, Provides social and financial resources, Information about HIV/AIDS, support groups and services for individuals with HIV/AIDS http://equitashealth.com/about-us/	Marion Public Health 740-387-6520 740-383-2546 Fax 181 S. Main St., M-F 8:00-4:30 p.m., Parents can get their child's birth certificate \$25.00, Infant, childhood, and adult immunizations are available for walk-ins Wednesdays from 12:00pm to 5:00pm. http://marionpublichealth.org/
Marion Adolescent Pregnancy Program MAPP 740-387-8336 498 N. Main St., Free pregnancy tests for all ages, parenting education, M-F 9:00 – 5:00 https://mapp-marion.com/	American Red Cross 740-725-9141 1849 Summerset Dr., First aid, CPR, water safety information and disaster & flood services http://www.redcross.org/
Marion County Council on Aging 740-387-0401 125 Executive Dr. Suite 102, Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program volunteers available to help with Medicare issues http://www.marioncouncilonaging.org/	Voice of Hope Pregnancy Center 740-223-0419 217 W. Center St., Education, Information, Testing, Counseling, Baby Needs http://www.betheldonors.org/
Marion Speech & Hearing 740-383-2513 1199 Delaware Ave. Suite 101, Monday-Friday 9am-5pm, Provides speech and hearing assessment https://marionspeechandhearing.com/	Patient Assistance Services, Inc. 740-223-1501 877-463-1905 685 Delaware Ave., 3rd Floor, A nationwide advocate company, working with pharmaceutical companies to obtain free prescription drugs, *this program has a monthly fee, plus income & other eligibility requirements http://pas-incorp.com/index.html
Ohio Health/Marion General Hospital 740-383-8400 1000 McKinley Park Dr. ohiohealth.com/locations/hospitals/marion-general-hospital/	WIC (Women, Infants and Children) 740-383-5533 181 South Main St., M-F 8am-4:30pm, 3rd Wed 9am-6pm, Nutrition and education program for pregnant women and children ages 0-5 years that are income eligible http://marionpublichealth.org/wic/

<p>OhioHealth Marion Area Physicians (former Smith Clinic) 740-383-7000 800-282-6741</p> <p>1040 Delaware Ave.</p> <p>http://ohiohealthmarionareaphysicians.com/Home</p>	<p>Marion County Job & Family Services 740-387-8560</p> <p>363 W. Fairground St., Health insurance for eligible children and families.</p> <p>http://www.mcjfs.com/</p>
<div>  MEDICAL EQUIPMENT </div>	
<p>DASCO Home Medical Equipment 740-386-5199</p> <p>653 McCorkle Blvd Suite F, Westerville, OH 43082, Oxygen & respiratory services, health aids & medical equipment</p> <p>http://www.godasco.com/index.asp</p>	<p>Semark Rental Company 740-382-5064</p> <p>140 W Pleasant St., Hospital beds, wheelchairs, walkers, & other health aids.</p>
<p>Lincare 740-382-1611</p> <p>1233 Pole Lane Rd., Provide a wide variety of respiratory services, as well as health aids & medical equipment</p> <p>https://www.lincare.com/</p>	<p>Ohio Health Home Medical Equipment 740-383-8095 800-300-7075</p> <p>1713 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd. Suite 107, Has a variety of respiratory needs, hospital beds, wheelchairs, walkers, bathroom safety equipment, & more</p> <p>https://www.ohiohealth.com/locations/home-care/ohiohealth-home-medical-equipment-marion/</p>
<div>  <div> DENTISTS - MARION COUNTY Will accept children </div> </div>	
<p>Marion Family Dental 740-387-5188</p> <p>716 S. Prospect St.</p> <p>https://www.facebook.com/pages/Marion-Family-Dental/197612060296945</p>	<p>Appleseed Family Dental 740-387-1324</p> <p>1199 Delaware Ave., Suite 106, Care Source and Molina, M-F 8-4</p> <p>http://www.appleseedfamilydental.com/index.html</p>
<p>Center Street Community Health Center Dental Clinic 740-382-4939</p> <p>136 W. Center St., M-F 8am-4:30pm</p> <p>http://www.centerstreetclinic.org/index.html</p>	<p>Comfort Dental 740-386-6600</p> <p>1598 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd., Children 5 years and older, Care Source, Molina, M-F 7:30am-7:30pm, Sat 7:30am-1:30pm</p> <p>https://comfortdental.com/dentist-marion-oh/</p>
<p>Marion Public Health Mobile Dentist 740-383-5533</p> <p>181 S. Main St., Children 1-18yrs, call for available dates and to make an appointment.</p> <p>http://marionpublichealth.org/infants-children/</p>	
DENTISTS - ORAL TREATMENT	
<p>OSU Nisonger Center Dental Program/Johnstown Road Dental Clinic (614) 685-3192</p> <p>Franklin County Early Childhood Education Center, 2879 Johnstown Road, Columbus, OH 43219, M-F 8:30am-5:30pm</p> <p>http://nisonger.osu.edu/adult/adult-clinics-services/dental-program/johnstown-road-dental-clinic/</p>	<p>Bright Now! Dental 419-627-1255 844-400-7645</p> <p>1313 W. Bogart Rd, Suite D, Sandusky, Oh 44870, Care Source, M&W 8am-5pm, T&Th 9am-7pm, F 8am-2pm</p> <p>https://www.brightnow.com/dentist-near-me/sandusky-dentist/24230</p>

OSU Dental Clinics 614-688-3763 Postle Hall, 305 W. 12th Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210, Care Source, Molina, Healthy Start https://dentistry.osu.edu/patients/ohio-state-dental-clinics	Nationwide Children's Emergency Dental 614-722-5650 Livingston Ambulatory Center, 380 Butterfly Gardens Drive, Columbus, Oh 43215, M– Th 8:30am– 12pm, 1pm– 9pm, F 8am–12pm, 1pm–4pm, Sa 9am–1pm https://www.nationwidechildrens.org/specialties/dentistry
Dr. Sidney Price & Assoc. 614-888-3212 117 Lazelle Rd. E. Suite D, Columbus, Oh 43235, M-Th 8am-5pm, F 8am-3pm, Sa 9am-1pm (twice per month) http://www.worthingtonpediatric.com/index.html	Small Smiles Dental Clinic 614-470-9840 2100 Morse Rd. Suite 4655, Columbus, Oh 43203, M-F 8am-5pm, Care Source, Molina, Healthy Start and Buckeye https://www.facebook.com/pages/Small-Smiles-Dental-Clinic/177369668976205
Olentangy Pediatric Dentistry (614) 433-7474 45 Clairden Dr., Powell, Ohio 43065 http://www.olentangypediatricdentistry.com/	
 EYE DOCTORS - MARION COUNTY	
Buckeye Optical (740)-389-1300 150 McMahan Blvd., M,T,Th,F 9am-5pm, W 10am-7pm http://www.buckeyeoptical.net/	Premier Optometry Group (740) 387-8414 399 E. Church St., Dr. Matt Axline, by appt. only, M-F 8- 5 http://visionsource-marion.com/
Professional Eye Care (740) 387-6880 1723 Marion Mt. Gilead Rd, Dr. Doug McCloy, Dr. Tommy Miller & Dr. Andrea Dinovo, M,T,W,F 8am- 5pm, Th 9am-7pm, open 1 Sat. per month https://www.yourpec.com/	Wal-Mart Vision Center (740) 389-5339 1546 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd., Dr. James Fleming, Dr. Rachel Siegel & Dr. James Hackley, M-Sa 9am-8pm, Su 9am-5pm https://www.walmart.com/store/1750/marion-oh/details
 EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE- MARION COUNTY	
OhioHealth Marion General Hospital Emergency Room 740-383-8400 1000 McKinley Park Dr. https://www.ohiohealth.com/locations/hospitals/marion-general-hospital/	OhioHealth Urgent Care - Marion 740-692-4440 130 University Dr., Monday-Sunday 9am-9pm https://www.ohiohealth.com/locations/urgent-care/ohiohealth-urgent-care-marion/
Walk In Urgent Care & Job Services 740-751-6433 175 Edgefield Blvd., M-F 8am-10pm, Sa&Su 9am-8pm http://www.walkinurgentcare.com/index.php	


MENTAL HEALTH/SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Crawford-Marion Board of Alcohol, Drug Addiction, and Mental Health Services (ADAMH Board) (740) 387-8531 142 S. Prospect St. https://mcadamh.com/	Al-Anon Family Group Meeting @ Dayspring Wesleyan Church 740-389-3684 2431 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd., Room 204 http://dayspringwesleyan.org/events
Marion Area Counseling Center 740-387-5210 320 Executive Dr., Services include crisis intervention, therapy, family preservation, community support, psychiatric, psychological, drug/alcohol, counseling, day treatment, victim assistance and more http://www.maccsite.com/index.html	OhioHealth Hospice 740-383-8930 1713 Marion-Mt. Gilead Rd., Suite 107, provides services to terminally ill individuals and their families, M-F 8am-4:30pm https://www.ohiohealth.com/services/home-care/our-programs/hospice/
Alcoholics Anonymous Marion Area Group Fellowship 740-387-5546 Call for list of Alcoholics Anonymous Meetings in Marion and Crawford Counties https://www.aa.org/pages/en_US	Care-Line Information & Referral 740-383-CARE (2273) 320 Executive Dr., 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, telephone crisis intervention and information/referral services, point of contact for after hour emergency services requests http://www.maccsite.com/Contact_Careline.htm
Maryhaven Marion 740-375-5550 333 E. Center St., Behavioral health & addiction treatment center for adults and adolescents https://maryhaven.com/marion/	Ohio Guidestone 888-522-9174 1199 Delaware Ave, Suite 107, Counseling and treatment services, early childhood and family services, alcohol and drug addiction treatment, comprehensive care https://ohioguidestone.org/locations/marion/marion-ohio/



SHELTERS / HOUSING


Rapid Rehousing Ohio 740-383-2154 ext 842 Ohio Heartland Community Action Commission 1183 Bellefontaine Ave., please call for program requirements http://www.ohcac.org/	Be Ministries Emergency Housing 740-382-9507 193 E. Church St., 7-10 day emergency housing currently for men only. http://www.be-church.com/
Buckeye Ridge Habitat for Humanity 740-383-2007 370 E. Mark St., Habitat's Vision: a world where everyone has a decent place to live http://www.buckeyeridgehabitat.org/content/introduction#overl ay-context=introduction	Heart of Ohio Homeless Shelter Office/Women & Family Shelter 740-387-4550 326 W. Fairground St., open 24 hours/day, every day, staff@heartofohiohomelessshelter.org http://heartofohiohomelessshelter.org/

Heart of Ohio Homeless Shelter Men's Shelter 740-382-9600 365 E. Fairground St., open 3pm-8am daily, closed daily between 8am-3pm, male residents exit the property when shelter is closed, staff@heartofohiohomelessshelter.org http://heartofohiohomelessshelter.org/	Marion Metropolitan Housing Authority 740-383-5680 117 N. Greenwood St., Suite 12, 8am-noon & 1pm-4pm M-F http://marionmha.org/
Turning Point 24 Hour Hotline 800-232-6505 or 740-382-8988 PO Box 875, Marion, Oh 43301-0875, Temporary shelter for victims of domestic violence, many services offered http://www.turningpoint6.org/	
<div>  <div> Transportation </div> </div>	
Greyhound Bus Service 800-231-2222 Marion station no longer available https://www.greyhound.com/en/	Marion Area Transit Dispatch 740-382-9850 Administration 740-387-7153 137 S. State St., Runs M-F 8am-4pm, discounted rates if qualified http://www.marionohio.us/transit
Marion Senior Center Transportation Desk 740-387-5444 2375 Harding Hwy. E., Available M-F 8am-3:30pm, arrange 24-48 hours in advance, age 60 or older. http://www.marionohio.us/seniors/services	Marion County Job and Family Services Medical Non-Emergency Transportation (NET) 740-387-8560 option #3 363 W. Fairground St., Non-emergency transportation for Ohio Medicaid recipients to & from covered appointments, requests must be submitted 10 days in advance http://www.mcjfs.com/benefits/medicaid/medical-transportation.html
Apple Lane Transportation Service 800-286-6682 672 Springmill St., Mansfield, Oh 44903, Non-emergency medical transportation – private pay, Medicaid, PASSPORT	Marion County Veteran Services 740-387-0100 220 E. Fairground St., Suite 101, M-F 8:30am-4:30pm, transportation for veterans who have appointments at VA Outpatient Clinic in Columbus, please call at least 5 days in advance to reserve seat http://www.marionveteranservice.com/
Frank's Cab 740-383-2653 transportation service	R & S Taxi 740-751-7038 transportation service
Marion Taxi 740-396-2726 transportation service	Fastlane Taxi 740-244-2149 transportation service




UTILITIES

City of Marion Sanitation/Streets Dept 740-382-1479 Utility Billing 740-387-6057 Garbage removal, city sewer & sanitation http://www.marionohio.us/utility	Columbia Gas of Ohio 800-344-4077 Natural gas company https://www.columbiagasohio.com/
Ohio Edison/First Energy Electric Co. 800-633-4766 Electric company https://www.firstenergycorp.com/ohio_edison.html	American Electric Power - AEP 800-672-2231 Electric company https://www.aep.com/
Aqua Ohio 877-987-2782 Water hook-up and service. https://www.aquaamerica.com/our-states/ohio.aspx	Lifeline Phone Assistance Free or discounted telephone service (landline or mobile) for individuals who meet eligibility requirements, see website for list of participating service providers and more information https://www.lifelinesupport.org/lis/
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) 800-686-7826 180 E. Broad St., Columbus, Oh 43215, M-F 8am-5pm, investigates consumer complaints, monitors and enforces utility company compliance with state regulations https://www.puco.ohio.gov/	Ohio Consumers' Counsel 877-742-5622 65 East State St, 7th Floor, Columbus, Oh 43215, provides general information and answers questions about Ohio utility services http://www.occ.ohio.gov/
Federal Trade Commission (FTC) Consumer Response Center 877-382-4357 600 Pennsylvania Ave, NW, Washington, DE, 20580, consumers may file a complaint for fraud, identity theft, or other unfair or deceptive business practices. https://www.ftc.gov/./filing-complaint	Salvation Army 740-382-2156 317 W. Church St., assistance with utility disconnect notices when funding is available https://easternusa.salvationarmy.org/
Ohio Heartland Community Action Commission Emergency Heap & Regular Heap 866-861-6421 1183 Bellefontaine Ave., assistance with utility disconnect notices, connecting or reconnecting services, bulk fuel customers with less than 10 day supply, one-time non-emergency credit towards primary heat source. Call for appointment. http://www.ohcac.org/	
MISCELLANEOUS	
Marion County Veterans Services 740-387-0100 220 E. Fairgrounds, St #101, M-F 8:30-4:30, assisting Marion County Veterans and their dependent. http://www.marionveteranservice.com/	Marion County Bureau of Motor Vehicles 740-387-1467 222 W. Center St. Rm 1123, M-F 8-5, Sat 8-2 https://www.bmv.ohio.gov/51.aspx

Marion Area Humane Society 740-389-6548 2264 Richland Rd., M-F 12-6, Sat 11-4 https://mahspets.org/	Marion County Board of Elections 740-223-4090 222 W. Center St., M-F 8:30-4:30 https://www.marionelections.com/
Marion Area Chamber of Commerce 740-382-2181 267 W. Center St., names and addresses of local employers and businesses, relocation packets for people new to Marion. https://www.marionareachamber.org/	American Civil Liberties Union of Ohio 614-586-1958 4506 Chester Ave., Cleveland, OH 44103, assists individuals whose constitutional rights have been violated, provides information about current legislation. https://www.aclu.org/affiliate/ohio
Ohio Heartland Community Action Commission Personal Needs Pantry 740-383-2154 1183 Bellefontaine Ave, personal and household care items provided to households below 125% of poverty level. Please call for more information. http://www.ohcac.org/	Ohio Heartland Community Action Commission Volunteer Income Tax Assistance VITA 740-383-2154 1183 Bellefontaine Ave., free tax preparation from the last week in January to the first week in April, please call for more information or to schedule an appointment. http://www.ohcac.org/
Internal Revenue Service 800-829-1040 Taxpayer assistance. https://www.irs.gov/help/telephone-assistance	Marion County Auditor 740-223-4020 Real Estate Tax Homestead Exemption 222 W. Center St., allows qualified homeowners to be exempted a portion of the auditor's market value of their home from property tax. http://www.co.marion.oh.us/auditor/index.php/homestead-exemption
Y Men (assistance with wheelchair ramp) PO Box 275, Marion, OH 43301-0275 , request in writing your need for a wheelchair ramp	Nathan's Barber Shop 740-382-1609 162 W. Center St., will provide in-home barber services.
Melissa Akers Salon Services 419-310-9583 Will provide in-home salon services	
<div> <div>HOTLINE & REFERRALS</div>  </div>	
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 800-273-8255 Provides 24/7 free & confidential support for people in distress, prevention & crisis resources, and best practices for professionals https://suicidepreventionlifeline.org/	CONTACT Care-Line Information & Referral 740-383-CARE (2273) 320 Executive Dr., 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, telephone crisis intervention and information/referral services, point of contact for after hour emergency services requests http://www.maccsite.com/Contact_Careline.htm
Teen Suicide Hotline 614-294-3300 Answered by trained teens in evenings & adults during other hours, 24-hour line provides peer counseling to adolescents dealing with loneliness, depression, and other problems. https://www.ncmhs.org/SuicidePrevention.htm	Love INC (Love In the Name of Christ) 740-382-3340 196 S. Main St., Suite 103, T-F 9-11:30am, will make food referrals & give financial/budgeting assistance, transportation referrals, furniture, appliances, household goods, personal needs, diapers, clothing & tutoring http://www.loveincmarion.org/

Marion County Board of Developmental Disabilities Crisis Hotline 740-225-9310 2387 Harding Hwy E, provides advocacy and resources for individuals with developmental disabilities http://www.marioncountydd.org/	United Way 2-1-1 Help Center Dial: 211 Toll Free Alternative Number: 844-266-4211 24-hr assistance with social service needs, free and confidential, chat available on website. https://www.211oh.org/
 SUPPORT GROUPS	
Gamblers Anonymous Ohio Hotline 855-222-5542 http://www.gamblersanonymous.org/ga/	Alzheimer's Association 24/7 Helpline 800-272-3900 https://www.alz.org/
Marion Area Celiac Support Group 740-387-3076	Survivors of Suicide Support Group Contact person: Jody Demo-Hodgins 740-387-8531
Ohio Area Cocaine Anonymous 800-347-8998 https://www.caohio.org/	OhioHealth Hospice Grief Support 888-389-6231 https://www.ohiohealth.com/patients-and-visitors/support/grief-support/
Overeaters Anonymous 614-253-2492 https://www.centralohiooa.org/	National Multiple Sclerosis Society 800-344-4867 https://www.nationalmssociety.org/
National Alliance on Mental Illness Marion and Crawford Counties 740-375-0796 https://namimcc.org/	Alcoholics Anonymous Marion Area Group Fellowship 740-387-5546 https://www.aa.org/pages/en_US
Narcotics Anonymous Ohio 800-587-4232 http://www.naohio.org/	GriefShare at Dayspring Wesleyan 740-389-3684 http://dayspringwesleyan.org/events/view/6387
Autism Support Group: Becky Kindred 419-569-2053 Marion County Board of Developmental Disabilities, 2387 Harding Hwy E., meets Tues & Thurs email: autismkindred@gmail.com	
 VICTIM ASSISTANCE	
Marion County Sheriff 740-382-8244 889 Marion-Williamsport Rd. E http://www.co.marion.oh.us/sheriff/	Marion City Police 740-382-8144 233 W Center St http://marionohiopolice.com/
Legal Aid Society 740-383-2161 150 Oak St. https://www.columbuslegalaid.org/contact-us/	Contact Care-line 740-383-CARE (2273) 24 Hour crisis intervention program http://www.maccsite.com/Contact_Careline.htm
Victim Assistance Program 740-387-4401 233 W Center St., assistance for victims of any crime, children to adult http://maccsite.com/VAP.htm	Turning Point 740-382-8988 330 Barks Rd W., providing shelter, counseling, advocacy, and general support to domestic violence victims. http://www.turningpoint6.org/

Marion County Children Services Child Abuse Hotline 740-389-SAFE (7233) 1680 Marion-Waldo Rd., M-F 8:30am to 1:30pm, if after hours, weekends or holidays call Marion County Sheriff 740-382-8244 http://www.marionkids.com/	Marion County Job and Family Services Adult Protective Services 740-223-1919 363 W. Fairground St., M-F 8am to 4:30pm, Investigates reports of abuse, neglect and exploitation of vulnerable older adults 60 and over, for serious APS concerns after business hours call Marion County Sheriff 740-382-8244 http://www.mcjfs.com/benefits/adult-protective-services/
Marion County Prosecutor's Office 740-223-4290 134 E. Center St. http://www.co.marion.oh.us/	
 SENIOR SERVICES	
Marion Senior Center 740-387-6100 2375 Harding Hwy E., M-F 8am-4pm, offers a variety of services, activities and events to older individuals age 60 and above, including transportation, grocery distribution and personal shopper http://www.marionohio.us/seniors/	Marion County Council on Aging 740-387-0401 125 Executive Dr., Suite 102, provides a variety of resources to older individuals age 60 and above. http://www.marioncouncilonaging.org/
Area Agency on Aging Ohio District 5 North Central Ohio 800-860-5799 or 419-524-4144 2131 Park Ave. West, Suite 100, Ontario, OH 44906, (Marion County is within services district) for older individuals age 60 and above, provides a variety of resources and services including caregiver assistance, home repair, and health and wellness programs. https://www.aaa5ohio.org/	Mobile Meals of Marion County, Inc 740-382-1818 1183 Bellefontaine Ave., PO Box 1147, M-F 8am-1pm, meals delivered to home bound individuals of all ages, cost based on meal plan, financial aid available for those who qualify.
LifeCare Alliance Meals on Wheels 614-278-3130 670 Harmon Ave, Columbus, Oh 43223, variety of meal options for those age 60 plus and homebound, on a donation basis https://www.lifecarealliance.org/programs/meals-on-wheels/	LifeCare Alliance Senior Dining Center 614-278-3130 @ Marion Senior Center 2375 Harding Hwy E, congregate meals for participants age 60 and over Tues-Fri 10:30am-1:30pm, lunch is served at noon, on a donation basis, \$1.50 suggested contribution https://www.lifecarealliance.org/programs/meals-on-wheels/senior-dining-centers/
LifeCare Alliance Senior Dining Center 614-278-3130 @ Marion Towers 400 Delaware Ave, congregate meals for participants age 60 and over Tues-Fri 11am-1pm, lunch is served at 11:30am, on a donation basis, \$1.50 suggested contribution https://www.lifecarealliance.org/programs/meals-on-wheels/senior-dining-centers/	Pro Seniors 800-488-6070 Free legal hotline for older Ohioans http://www.proseniors.org/