



## Hardin County—33

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### Resources:

**The Hope Line:** Crisis intervention/emergency assistance for anyone with a problem or crisis. 24hrs/day-7 days a week.

Contact information: 1-800-567-4673

**Family Resource Center:** Behavioral Health Agency for children and families with adjustment problems, behavior concerns, depression, anxiety, drug and alcohol abuses, and general health issues. Sliding fee scale.

Contact information: We Care Center  
775 Eliza St. Kenton, OH 43326  
8am-7pm M-Th.           8am-5pm F.  
419-675-2243

**Lutheran Social Services:** Family and individual counseling. Sliding fee scale.

Contact information: 775 E. Eliza St. Kenton, OH 43326  
8am-5pm M-F.  
419-675-2243

**AIDS Resource Center of Ohio:** Assistance with rent, deposit, utilities, and HIV medications.

Contact information: 329 Northwest St. Suite B Lima, OH 45801  
419-222-0827

### Dental Council

Helps pay for dental procedures for the low income. Mostly children ages 1-18.

Contact information: Kenton Hardin Health Dept.  
175 E. Franklin St. Kenton, OH 43326  
M-F 8:30am-4:30pm  
419-673-6230

**Hardin County Family YMCA:** Adult and youth recreational programs: fitness, aquatics, health and well being, sports.

Contact information: 918 W. Franklin St. Kenton, OH 43326

M-F 6am-9pm      Sat 8am-5pm    Sun 1pm-5pm Nov-Mar  
419-673-6131

**Hardin County Family Planning:** Pregnancy testing, counsel, referral, contraceptives, VD cancer screening, exams, and mammograms. Free to only low income.

Contact information: 75 Washington Blvd. Kenton, OH 43326  
M-T&W by appt only  
419-674-4450

**Hardin Home Health Plus:** Services in skilled nursing, aides, therapies in the home.

Contact information: 917 E. Columbus St. Kenton, OH 43326  
M-F 8:30am-4:30pm      on call nurse  
419-673-7250

**Heartbeat of Hardin County:** Provides counseling, free pregnancy testing, assistance in finding financial help, legal assistance. Maternity and infant clothing available.

Contact information: 970 Fontaine St. Kenton, OH 43326  
Tues-Wed 9am-5pm      Friday 9am-1pm  
419-674-4716

**Kenton Hardin Health Dept:** Disease control, vital statistics, environmental health regulations. Well child clinic that provides physicals and other screenings 0-21 by appt only. Child Passenger Safety Program. Help Me Grow RN new baby home visits. Referrals to Bureau for Children with Medical Handicaps (BCMh)

Contact information: Hardin Co. Courthouse Annex  
175 E. Franklin St. Suite 120 Kenton, OH 43326  
M-F 8:30am-4:30pm      Thurs 8:30am-6pm  
**Monthly Immunizations**      419-673-6230  
**Health Dept**-Every Thurs. 8:30am-6pm  
**Forest-Fire Dept.** 9am-noon 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed.  
**Dunkirk-Fire Dept.** 1:30pm-4pm 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed.  
**Ada**-First Presbyterian Church 9am-2pm 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues.  
**Alger**-Fire Dept. 9am-11:30am 1<sup>st</sup> Tues.  
**McGuffey**-Community Building 1pm-4pm 1<sup>st</sup> Tues.

**Lima Area Health Education Center (Lahec):** Provides programs that connect health and health care professional with those who are in need.

Contact information: 545 N. Market St. Lima, OH 45801  
M-F 8:30am-4pm  
419-227-4803

**WIC (Woman, Infants, and Children):**

Contact information: 216 W. Franklin St. Kenton, OH 43326

Children ages 0-5  
M,T,W 7:30am-4:30pm      Lunch 12:30pm-1pm  
419-675-2000

**HHWP Community Action Commission:** Assist with fuel costs and emergencies (HEAP) weatherization, WIC, micro-enterprise prog. For starting your own small business, & Head Start.

Contact information: 122 Jefferson St. PO Box 179 Findlay, OH 45839  
419-423-3755

**Ada Food Pantry:** We allow clients to choose from a variety of nonperishable goods based on family size. Perishable foods are on site. Must reside in Ada or Liberty Township. No cost.

Contact information: Ada First Presbyterian Church  
Main & Lincoln PO Box 237 Ada, OH 45810  
Tue. 4pm-6pm Sat. 10am-noon  
419-634-5661

**American Red Cross:** Disaster assistance, communication and referral for military families: health and safety classes: community disaster education; bloodmobiles.

Contact information: Hardin County Chapter  
One Courthouse Square Kenton, OH 43326  
M-F 9am-noon, 1pm-3pm  
419-674-2295

**Children Services:** Takes report on child abuse and neglect. Education, protective services: Foster care programs.

Contact information: Hardin Co. Courthouse Annex.  
175 W. Franklin St. Kenton, OH 43326  
M-Th 8am-4:30pm, Fri. 8:30am-2:30pm  
419-675-1130

**Childreach Family Center:** Parenting support and education; evaluation and referral ages 0-3 who may have disabilities/delays which interferes with their development. Newborn visits.

Contact information: 1021 W. Lima St. Kenton, OH 43326  
M-F 8:30am-4:30pm  
419-673-1531

**Crossroads Crisis Center:** Crisis hotline 24 hrs/day. Shelter for women & children being abused by adult partners. Support group.

Contact information: PO Box 643 Lima, OH 45802      1-887-228-4357  
419-228-4357

**God's Lifeline Thrift Shop:** Provide food/clothing for needy families. Help with utility payments: assist victim of fire. Ridgemont School district. Love INC referrals.

Contact information: Food Pantry  
113 S. Main St. Mt. Victory, OH 43340  
Mon. 9am-4pm                      Tues-F noon-4pm  
937-354-5901

**Hardin County Community**

**Basement of St. Anthony's Center S.O.U.P. Service:** Hot nutritious meals served to anyone who comes to the S.O.U.P. site.

Contact information: 220 E. North St. Kenton, OH 43326  
Serve: 11:30am-1pm  
419-675-9461

**Hardin County Housing:** Housing accommodations are provided for MR/DD persons.

Contact information: Development, INC  
705 N. Ida St. Kenton, OH 43326  
M-F 8:30am-4pm  
419-674-4158

**Hardin County Job and Family Services:** Child protective services. Adult protective services. Cash assistance; food stamps, Medicaid; vocational assessment; employment services; certification for childcare and foster care; adoption services.

Contact information: 419-675-1130 or  
800-422-7346

**Hardin County Victim Assistance:** 24 hour response for assistance; notification and explanation of court hearings; court advocacy; victims of violent crimes compensation program.

Contact information: One Courthouse Square Kenton, OH 43326  
M-F 8:30am-4pm  
419-674-2277

**Heartbeat of Hardin County:** Free pregnancy tests; baby items; maternity clothes; abstinence programs; 24 hr hot line; long term support system; adoption information; long term support.

Contact information: 970 Fontaine St. Kenton, Oh 43326  
Tues-Wed 9am-5pm                      Fri. 9am-1pm  
419-674-4716

**Helen Mabrey Shoe Fund:** Pays \$25.00 on shoes for children ages 5-16 through Professional Business Women's Organization.

Contact information: 419-673-0729

**Helping Hands Outreach:** Bread commodities, assistance with school supplies; Christmas outreach. Nutrition outreach.

Contact information: PO Box 151 Kenton, OH 43326  
M-F 9am-2pm  
419-673-8650

**Home Missions Outreach Ministry:** Provide monthly food distribution.

Contact information: Alger First United Methodist Church  
702 N. Main St. Alger, OH 45812  
Wed. after 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues from Alger Gym  
419-757-3771

**Lima's Samaritan House:** Emergency shelter for homeless women and children. Must be 18 years or older or accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Contact information: 328 W. McKibben St. Lima, OH 45801  
24hrs/day 7days/week  
419-222-4663

**Neighborhood Center of Hardin County:** Food boxes, clothing, misc. Application for HEAP, skivvies for kids, and Helen Mabrey Shoe Fund. Christmas boxes, community service obligations.

Contact information: 115 E. Walnut St. Kenton, OH 43326  
M-W-F 8am-2pm  
419-673-0729

**Ohio State University**

**Extension of Hardin County:** Family life education on issues of economic, physical, emotional well being; leadership development.

Contact information: One Courthouse Square Suite 40 Kenton, OH 43326  
M-F 8am-4:30pm  
419-674-2297

**Random Acts of Kindness:** Must live in Ada. Apply at Ada Water and Sewer Dept. Help with frozen foods, perishable and some non-perishable foods.

Contact information: PO Box 292 Ada, OH 45810  
Every month 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday noon-12:30pm  
419-634-4045

**Safe Harbor:**

Contact information: 1012 W. Market St. Lima, OH 45805  
24hrs/day 419-228-7233  
1-800-3HELPME

**St. Vincent DePaul Society Immaculate Conception Church:** Helps pay for meals, prescriptions, temporary lodging for transients. Referral through Love INC.

Contact information: 215 E. North St. or 10917 CR 200 Kenton, OH 43326  
419-675-1162  
419-673-0567

**Children's Developmental Center of Lima, INC**

**Lima Memorial Hospital:** Specialized education/developmental services to children with special needs; physical, occupational, speech therapies; developmental preschool classes 18mo-5yr. Transportation and mileage reimbursement. Equestrian therapy, parent education, home visitation.

Contact information: 1001 Bellefontaine, Ave. Lima, OH 45805  
M-F 7am-4pm  
419-226-5046

**Hardin County Education Service**

**Center and Preschool Information:** Info on location of school districts, teachers, school personnel, and student records. Multiple handicapped, severe behavior handicapped classes. Psychological, speech and services to schools. Appropriate screening for preschoolers.

Contact information: 1211 W. Lima St. Kenton, OH 43326  
419-674-2288

**Hardin County WIC (HHWP CAC) :** Nutrition counseling and education, supplemental foods by voucher system. Referral to other agencies.

Contact information: 216 W. Franklin St. Kenton, OH 43326  
M-W 7:30am-12:30pm 1pm-4:30pm  
419-675-2000

**Headstart (HHWP Community Action Commission):** To help children achieve their full potential through health, nutrition, social education. Referral source. Home visitation program.

Contact information: 348 N. Main St. Kenton, OH 43326  
M-F 8am-4:30pm  
419-674-4433

**Help Me Grow:** Health and developmental services for expectant parents, newborns, and toddlers. Prenatal and newborn home visits; referral for early Intervention Specialized Services.

Contact information: Childreach Family Center  
419-673-1531

**YW Child Care Connections**

Child care resource and referral agency. Information for parents on how to choose a child care provider and assist parents in locating childcare, refer parents to needed agencies,

inform parents about tax credits. Registry of names for child care providers. Training for childcare providers. Services fee.

Contact information: 616 S. Collett St., Suite 203

Lima, OH 45805

M-F 8:30am-5pm

419-225-5465

**Simon-Kenton:** Early intervention services for children 0-3. Preschool classes for both special needs children and typically developing children. Educational services to special needs school age children.

Contact information: 705 N. Ida St. Kenton, OH 43326

M-F 8am-4:30pm

419-674-4158