

SUPPORT GROUPS AND SERVICES

Allegro Alzheimer's Support Group
Allegro, Towne Hall
108 Diecks Drive
Elizabethtown, KY 42701
Phone: 270-765-4414

HOURS: Last Wednesday of each month from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm (EST)

SERVICES: Participants in this support group receive emotional support, practical assistance in coping with the problems they face, and the latest information about research.

SERVICE AREA: Greater Kentucky and Southern Indiana counties

FEES: None

Alzheimer's Association
Kaden Tower
6100 Dutchmans Lane, Suite 401
Louisville, KY 40205
Help line: 800-272-3900
Website: www.alz.org/kyin

OFFICE HOURS: 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM (EST)

Weekend, Holidays, and after hours calls are forwarded to answering service/helpline.

SERVICES: Provide free informational materials about Alzheimer's disease and referrals to local chapters for additional support services. Helpline support, safe return program.

SERVICE AREA: Greater Kentucky and Southern Indiana counties

FEES: None

CrossWay Pregnancy Resource Center
816 State Street
Radcliff, KY 40160
Phone: 270-352-5007

WEB: www.crosswayprc.org/content/default.asp

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday	11 a.m. – 2 p.m. EST
Tuesday	11 a.m. – 4 p.m. EST
Wednesday	11 a.m. - 6 p.m. EST
Thursday	11 a.m. - 4 p.m. EST

SERVICES: Free pregnancy testing; resource center for moms and babies; abstinence education; family support; and post abortion support. Also provides planning for the baby, adoption information, and some financial support. A clothes closet with maternity clothes for the expectant mom, and new items for baby such as diapers, sleepers and blankets are available. 24 hour helpline available.

SERVICE AREA: Hardin and Meade Counties

FEES: None

SUPPORT ORGANIZATIONS

American Cancer Society - Louisville Chapter

701 West Muhammad Ali Blvd.
Louisville, KY 40201
(502) 584-6782

American Heart Association

Suite 207
333 Guthrie Street
Louisville, KY 40202
(502) 587-8641

Arthritis Foundation

Kentucky Chapter
2908 Brownsboro Road, Suite 117
Louisville, KY 40207
(800) 633-5335

Dream Factory

1218 S. Third Street
Louisville, KY 40203
(502) 637-8700

Organization that tries to help make terminally ill children's dreams come true.
Monday – Friday (8:00 am – 4:00 pm)

Epilepsy Foundation of America

4351 Garden City Drive, 5th Floor
Landover, Maryland 20785
(301) 459-3700

Kentucky Cancer Program

1010 Woodland Drive, Suite 201
Elizabethtown, KY 42701
(270) 360-0901

Kentucky Industries for the Blind

1900 Brownsboro Road
Louisville, KY
(502) 893-0211

Kentucky Lions Eye Foundation and the Kentucky Eye Institute

301 E. Muhammad Ali Blvd.
Louisville, KY 40202
(502) 583-0564

Kentucky School for the Blind

1867 Frankfort Avenue
Louisville, KY 40206
(502) 897-1583

National Craniofacial Foundation

13140 Coit Road, Suite 307
Dallas, TX 75240
(800) 535-3643

A charitable organization that helps people who suffer from facial deformities and cannot afford surgery to correct it.

National Kidney Foundation of Kentucky

250 East Liberty Street, Suite 710
Louisville, KY 40202
(800) 737-LIFE
(502) 585-5433

SIDS (Sudden Infant Death Syndrome) Support Group

National Organization: National Sudden Infant Death Syndrome Foundation, Inc.
1314 Bedford Avenue, Suite 108
Baltimore, Maryland 21208
1-800-221-7437 (SIDS)

Genetic Counseling Clinics:

Louisville: Department of Pediatrics
Child Evaluation Center
University of Louisville
(502) 852-5331

Elizabethtown: Hardin County Health Center
580 Westport Road
Elizabethtown, KY 42701
(270) 765-6196

Lexington: Department of Pediatrics
Division of Genetics and Dysmorphology
University of Kentucky
(502) 233-5558

Clarity - - Solutions for Women
116 East Memorial Drive
Elizabethtown, KY 42701
Phone: (270) 234-1122
24 Hour Hotline: (800) 395-4357
Email: information@heartlandcpc.org
WEB: www.heartlandcpc.org

OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 p.m. – 8 p.m.
Tuesday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Wednesday 2 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Thursday 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

SERVICES: Provides confidential consultation about alternatives to abortion, such as parenting, single-parenting, adoption, and foster care. We provide assistance in the the way of pregnancy test kits, maternity clothes, baby clothes, baby equipment such as cribs and car seats, and baby food and baby formula; whenever available. Community referrals may also be given when there is a demonstrated need; for example, health needs, legal needs, and educational needs.

SERVICE AREA: Hardin County and greater outlying area

ELIGIBILITY: Emergency Needs

FEES: None

NARFE
National Association of Retired Federal Employees
606 N. Washington Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
Phone: (800) 627-3394 (National Headquarters)
Web: www.narfe.org

The National Association of Retired Federal Employees is dedicated to protecting the well-earned retirement benefits of federal civilian retirees. The Association, founded by 14 charter members in 1921, has grown to nearly half a million members.

SERVICES: Assistance is provided on retirement and a myriad of benefit issues; help with preparing forms and reports associated with death benefits, delivery of annuity checks, health insurance, change of beneficiary, and other issues affecting the Federal employee.

SERVICE AREA: Civilians employed at any agency of the federal or District of Columbia government, who work under a federal retirement program.

ELIGIBILITY: Civil service retirees, former employees, current employees, spouses and surviving spouses of those eligible to join NARFE, former spouses who are legally eligible for a federal annuity.

FEES: \$25 membership fee for current employees.
\$33 membership fee for retirees.

Open Arms
Lincoln Trail Elementary School/Media Center
3154 Bardstown Road
Elizabethtown, KY 42701
Email: minicoop@alltel.net

Coordinator: Laura Cooper (270) 737-5110 or (270) 300-4966

Meets every 3rd Thursday at 6:30 pm.

Call for more information.

Open Arms is a support group for grandparents/relatives raising children. Their mission is to share information, exchange ideas, correct misinformation, and support modern-day caregivers.

PROGRAM C.A.R.E. (Cancer Alternatives, Resources and Education)
P.O. Box 214
Elizabethtown, KY 42702-2149
Phone: (270) 706-1493

CARE is a program especially designed to meet the psychosocial and educational needs of families facing cancer. Unlike Hospice, which meets the needs of the dying patients and families, CARE focuses on the newly diagnosed cancer patient and those receiving active treatment, but serves any patient and/or family affected by cancer. Funded by Hardin Memorial Hospital and Hospice of Central Kentucky. Located in Outpatient Oncology/Radiation Therapy basement level of Hardin Memorial Hospital.

OFFICE HOURS: 7:30 AM - 4:00 PM (Monday and Tuesday)

SERVICES: Cancer information, cancer counseling, psychosocial support. One-on-one contacts by cancer survivors. Cancer survivor groups and monthly grief resource groups.

SERVICE AREA: Hardin, LaRue, Meade, Breckinridge, Grayson, Marion, Washington, Adair, Taylor, Green, Hart, Jefferson, and Bullitt counties.

ELIGIBILITY: Any cancer patients or family members. Any person affected by the death of a special person within the last 3 years (18 years and older).

FEES: None