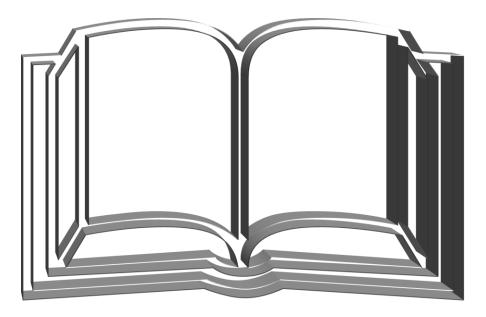
Community Organizations and Resources



2023 Ridgecrest, CA 93555

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Kern County, Area of Ridgecrest

Community Resource Directory

ABUSE AND NEGLECT

Adults (APS) 1-800-277-7866 or 1-661-868-1006 Children 1-661-631-6011 or 1-760-375-6049 Elder Abuse (Seniors) 1-800-992-1660 or 1-661-868-1006

ADDICTION - see Substance Abuse

AGING AND ADULT SERVICES BAKERSFIELD 1-800-510-2020

HICAP - Ridgecrest 1-760-384-5888 In Home Supportive Services 1-661-868-1000 or 1-800- 510-2020 5357 Truxtun Ave., Bakersfield, CA 93309,

AIDS (see HIV)

AMBULANCE

Liberty Ambulance 1-760-375-6531 350 E. Ridgecrest Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 San Bernardino County Fire Dept. 1-760-372-5988 83732 Trona Rd., Trona

Anger Management

Legacy Behavioral Health/Family Services Intake/Information 1-877-861-1133 Tehachapi Wellness Center, Rena Shumway, CADC11 MFT 1-661-822-8979

ANIMAL SHELTER

Ridgecrest 1-760-375-3446

BIRTH/DEATH/MARRIAGE DOCUMENTS

County Hall of Records 1-661-868-6400 Kern County Recorder's Office, 1655 Chester Ave., Bakersfield 93301 Kern County Dept. of Public Health 1-661-321-3000 Birth/death less than 1 year

BLOOD BANK

Houchin Community Blood Bank 1-661-323-4222 or 1-760-375-8331

CANCER

American Cancer Society1-800-227-23451653 N. Triangle Dr., Ridgecrest, CA 93555Cancer information Service1-800-422-6237Cancer Treatment Centers of America1-800-367-4357

CAR SEATS (INFANTS AND CHILDREN)

Kandi Smith, CPS Technician #T711811 1-760-375-4357
 Car seat checks and information by appointment, Clinica Sierra Vista
 730 N. Norma Suite A, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

<u>CHILDREN/TEEN/FAMILY SERVICES</u> (see also Pregnancy)

Childbirth Classes (Ridgecrest Regional Hospital) 1-760-499-3831 Child Care Referral

- Community Connection for Child Care 1-866-428-5408 or 1-760-379-3254
 Dept. of Human Services, 6401 Lake Isabella Blvd.; P.O. Box 2366, Lake Isabella, CA
 Child Guidance Clinic (Parent & Grandparent support)
 - 3628 Stockdale Hwy, Bakersfield 93309 1-661-322-1021

• 2001 N. Chester Ave., Bakersfield 1-661-393-5836

Child Support Services 1-866-901-3212

400 N. China Lake, Ridgecrest, CA 93555childsupport@co.kern.ca.usClinica Sierra Vista IWV Differential Response1-760-375-4357

730 N. Norma Suite A, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Developmental Disability Services

- Desert Area Resources and Training (DART) 1-760-375-9787 200 N. Gold Canyon St., Ridgecrest, 93555
- Kern Regional Center 1-760-375-9512
 825 N. Downs, Ste. D, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- SAILS (Supportive Adult Independent Living Services) 1-760-371-2214
 126 S. China Lake Blvd, Ste. B, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
 Adult Day Care Program serves adults with developmental disabilities

Kinship Center (Grandparents fostering grandchildren) - Kern County DHS 1-661-631-6204

3711 Columbus St., Bakersfield, CA 93306 Missing Children - California 1-800-222-3463 (FIND) National Center for Missing and Exploited Children 1-800-843-5678 Society for Disabled Children 1-661-322-5595 Speech: SELPA SSUSD 1-760-499-1702 412 W. Schwarz Bider and CA 92555

113 W. Felspar, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

CLOTHING

Immanuel's Clothing Closet 1-760-446-4531
1201 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
Mondays, 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Enter at the South door. Follow the signs inside.
Laundry Service, free, offered by Church of the Nazarene 1-760-375-4433
Every 4th Monday of the month at the iWash Laundromat, 500 W. Atkins; service available from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. (soap, snack and juice provided)
Veterans Advisory Council (Ridgecrest) 1-760-608-9251

CONSUMER INFORMATION

Better Business Bureau1-661-322-2074California Dept. of Consumer Affairs1-800-952-5210Chamber of Commerce1-760-375-8331128 E. California Ave. Ste B, Ridgecrest, CA 935551-800-272-2482Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Kern and Tulare County1-800-272-2482Consumer Fraud Attorney General1-800-952-5225IWV Collaborative Meeting1-760-375-43573rd Wednesday, 10 a.m. Ridgecrest, CA 93555Kern Health Consumer Center, BakersfieldNaturango Museum1-760-375-6900100 E. Las Flores Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

CPR & FIRST AID

America's Job Center, First Aid, CPR, AED Certificate1-760-384-5995Cerro Coso Community College1-760-384-6100Ridgecrest Regional Hospital - Education Dept.1-760-446-35511081 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

<u>CRISES</u> - See Emergency; Mental Health; Suicide; Talk Lines; hot lines

DENTISTS (Medi-Cal)

All Kids Dental Surgery 1-661-325-5437
2525 Eye St., Bakersfield, CA 93301
Children's Dental Group: Robert Bang, DDS 1-760-446-8688
501 W. Joyner Ave. #B, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
Omni Family Health 1-760-446-7978
1133 N. Chelsea Street, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Ridgecrest Rural Health Dental Clinic 1-760-499-3296 1111 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

DISABILITIES

Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired 1-661-322-5234 Developmental Disabilities, Desert Area Resources and Training (DART) 1-760-375-9787 200 N. Gold Canyon St., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Kern County Community Development 1-661-862-5050 (grant program for disabled ramps, grab bars, etc. and zero interest loan programs for repairs) Kern Regional Center 1-760-375-9512 825 N. Downs Suite D, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Social Security Disability Advocate Diana Wade 1-760-417-2390 or 1-661-821-0494

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE -

Women's Center High Desert, Inc.

- o Domestic Violence Hotline 1-760-375-7525
- Sexual Assault Hotline 1-760-375-0745
- o Human Trafficking Hotline 1-888-373-7888

Do Not CALL - To get on the do not call list, call 1-888-382-1222 or on line www.donotcal.gov

DRIVER'S LICENSES

Dept. of Motor Vehicles 1-800-777-0133 540 Perdew Ave, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

EDUCATION see Literacy; Schools

EMERGENCIES (CRISES)

All emergencies 911

Abuse Reporting - see Abuse and Neglect Addiction 24-hr Helpline 1-888-709-1076 Aging and Adult Services Bakersfield 1-800-510-2020 American Red Cross Disaster Services Daytime 1-661-267-0650 Child Abuse Reporting Hotline 1-760-375-6049 or 1-661-631-6011 Domestic Violence

- DV 24-Hour Hotline 1-760-375-7525
- Victims of Sexual Assault/Abuse 24 hour Hotline 1-760-375-0745

- Women's Center High Desert, Inc. 1-760-371-1969
 - 134 S. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) disaster 1-800-621-3362 Fire Department

- Inyokern Station 73, 6919 Monache Mt. Ave., Inyokern 1-760-377-4621
- Ridgecrest North Station 74
 1-760-375-8466
 - South Station 77 1-760-371-2181
- Randsburg Station 75 1-760-374-2455
- Trona Station 57 1-760-372-5988

Law Enforcement Agencies

- CA Highway Patrol, Bakersfield 1-661-824-2408
- NAWS Police Dept. China Lake 1-760-939-3323
- Police (non-emergency)
 - o Ridgecrest 100 W. California 1-760-499-5100
 - o Inyokern 1-760-384-5800
- Sheriff, Kern County EMERGENCY 1-800-861-3110 Ridgecrest Substation 128 E. Coso A, Ridgecrest CA 1-760-384-5800

Mental Health Crisis

- 911
- 988 Suicide Prevention Talk/Text Hotline
- Behavioral Health & Recovery Services crisis line 1-800-991-5272
- Crisis Stabilization Unit (Ridgecrest Mental Health Urgent Care) 1-760-463-2880 children and adults; 1141 Chelsea St., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- College Community Services 24-Hour Crisis Line 1-877-300-4738
- Laura's Law, Assisted Outpatient Treatment 1-661-635-2997 or 1-844-360-8250
- Ridgecrest Regional Hospital Emergency Room 1-760-446-3551 1081 N China Lake Blvd, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

National Suicide Prevention Life Line1-800-273-8255 (talk)Poison Control Center1-800-222-1222 or 1-800-876-4766Safe Surrender - Kern County Dept. of Human Services1-661-631-6000Sexual Assault Response Team Hotline9-5 p.m. M-F1-760-375-0745Veteran Services - Crisis - Suicide Prevention1-800-273-8255

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

911 (see Law Enforcement)

American Red Cross Disaster Services (Antelope Valley Chapter) - Day-time1-661-267-0650After Hours1-661-277-3040Domestic Violence Hotline1-760-375-7525National Human Trafficking Hotline1-888-373-7888

1-760-375-0745

EMPLOYMENT

America's Job Center of California 1-760-384-5995 540 Perdew Ave. Ste B-2, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 CalWORKS Employment Preparation Program (EPP) 1-661-631-6000 Kern County Dept. of Human Services, 100 E. California Ave, Bakersfield 93307 Continental Labor Resources 1-760-446-3525 509 W. Ward Ave, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Dept. of Rehabilitation Kern County 1-661-395-2525 4925 Commerce Dr., Bakersfield, CA. 93309 Dept. of Rehabilitation and Employment Development Center, Ridgecrest 1-760-384-5995 America's Job Center 540 Perdew Ave., Ste. B2, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Desert Area Resources & Training (DART Thrift Store) 1-760-375-9787 200 N. Gold Canyon St., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Fleet & Family Support Center 1-760-939-4553 Family Employment Readiness Program 1 Administration Circle, Stop 1323 Bldg. 02308, Blandy Avenue, Naval Air Weapons Station, China Lake, CA 93555-6100 Indeed.com (Jobs in Ridgecrest) Tribal TANF (Native Americans) 1-760-379-4770 6404 Lake Isabella Blvd., P.O. Box 2895, Lake Isabella, CA 93240 S.A.S.S. (Staffing Alternatives & Specialized Services) 1-760-375-1003 808 W. Ridgecrest Blvd, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

ENERGY ASSISTANCE

Crossroads Community Church 1-760-384-3333 235 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest CA 93555 (as funds are available) Grace Lutheran Church 1-760-375-9768 502 N. Norma St., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 (as funds are available) Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP CAPK) 1-760-938-1094 Information, Resources & Inspiration for Today's Tough Economy www.needhelppayingbills.com The Salvation Army 1-760-375-7219 151 N. Downs, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 (as funds are available)

EYE CARE (Medi-Cal)

Dr. Caroline Robison 1-760-375-4496 808 N. Norma Street, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Dr. Daniel Mallory Vision Care 1-760-446-5555 1409 N. Norma Street, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Focus Optometry 1-760-446-5600 905 W. Drummond, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Walmart Vision Care 1-760-463-5068 201 E. Bowman, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

FAMILY SERVICES

Oasis Family Resource Center 1-760-938-1094 814 N. Norma Street, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Legacy Foster Care and Adoption Services 1-760-463-8000 722 N. Norma Street Ste. D, Ridgecrest Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Pregnancy Care Center 1-760-384-2273 341 E. Ridgecrest Blvd. Ste. A, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Consumer Credit Counseling Service 1-800-272-2482 or 1-661-324-9628

5300 Lennox Ave, Ste, 200, Bakersfield

Credit Reports (Annual Report Request Service annualcreditreport.com) 1-877-322-8228

- Experian, www.experian.com, fraud alerts and credit reports 1-800-397-3742
- Trans Union, www.transunion.com, 1-800-680-7289; credit reports 1-800-916-8800
- Equifax www.equifax.com Credit reports 1-800-685-1111

Crossroads Community Church 1-760-384-3333

235 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest CA 93555 (as funds are available) EBT Helpline (lost/stolen card) 1-877-328-9677

Homeowners and rental Assistance 1-800-868-4171

Annual rebate program for disabled, blind, and seniors 62 or older from the State Franchise Tax Board. Both homeowners and renters can apply. Runs from July 1 through October 31 each year. Form completion assistance offered. www.ftb.ca.gov

Human Services, Kern County Department of 1-760-499-5200

(Welfare Department; Social Services Dept.), 145 E. Ridgecrest Blvd. Ridgecrest, CA 93555

- Apply for benefits online www.benefitscal.com
- In-Home-Support-Services (Aging & Adult Services Dept.), Bakersfield 1-800-510-2020
- Indigent Financial Assistance
 - Cal Fresh (Food Stamps) 1-661-631-6062 www.benefitscal.com
 - Medi-Cal Application Line 1-661-631-6807
- Welfare Fraud Hotline 1-661-633-7283

Information, Resources & Inspiration for Today's Tough Economy www.needhelppayingbills.com IRS (Internal Revenue Service) 1-800-829-1040 IWV Tax Aide (January - April) - Ridgecrest Senior Center 1-760-375-5438

Income tax preparation assistance for Seniors, Disabled, and Low Income individuals Mortgage and Property Tax Relief Program www.camortgagerelief.org Navy-Marine Corp. Relief Society 1-760-939-2921 Social Security Administration 1-800-772-1213

- Lancaster Office 1-866-964-1725 42225 10th Street West, Lancaster, 93534
- Bakersfield
 - o **1-866-476-1489**
 - o **1-866-366-9558**

The Salvation Army 1-760-375-7219

151 N. Downs, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 (as funds are available)

Tribal TANF (Native Americans) 1-760-379-4770

P.O. Box 2895, Lake Isabella, CA 93240

Veteran's Administration 1-661-729-8655

547 W. Lancaster Blvd, Lancaster, CA 93534

FOOD ASSISTANCE

EBT Card Helpline 1-877-328-9677

CalFresh-DHS 1-760-499-5200

145 E. Ridgecrest Blvd., www.benefitscal.com

-Food information Line: 1-877-847-3663

-To contact your worker: 1-661-631-6000

Meal/Food programs:

- Crossroads Community Church 1-760-384-3333
 235 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Wednesday-Friday 10 AM-4 PM
- Grace Lutheran Grace Care Center 1-760-375-9768
 502 N. Norma Ridgecrest, CA 93555; Food/Clothing Pantry Wednesday & Friday 9-11 AM;
- Immanuel Baptist Church 1-760-446-4531
 1201 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555; Free dinner every Monday 6 6:45 PM
- Ridgecrest Calvary Assembly (RCA Church) 1-760-375-5014 info@rcachurch.com 800 W. Upjohn Ridgecrest, CA 93555; Food Pantry call for details
- Ridgecrest United Methodist Church 1-760-375-7434
 639 N. Norma Ridgecrest CA 93555Free dinner every Friday 5-6 PM
- St. Ann's Catholic Church 1-760-375-2110 446 W. Church Ridgecrest, 93555; Food Baskets Tuesday & Friday 9-11 AM;
- St. Michael's Episcopal Church 1-760-446-5816
 200 Drummond, Ridgecrest, CA 93555; Food Pantry and Thrift Store 4th Tuesday of each month & CAPK Senior (age 60+) food box distribution 3rd Tuesday

- Salvation Army 151 N. Downs, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 1-760-375-7219 Community Food Distribution Tuesday and Friday 12:30 PM
- Senior Center-Inyokern
 1247 Broadway Inyokern, CA 93527 Food distribution 2nd Thursday of month 9-11 AM
- Women's Center High Desert, Inc. 1-760-375-1969

134 S. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555; Emergency food as availableFood Program for Family Child Care Providers; Application Number;1-877-861-5200Food Stamps - see Cal Fresh1-760-375-5438 or 1-661-868-0902

Kern County Dept. of Human Services 1-877-410-8812

Ridgecrest Regional Hospital 1-760-446-3551

1081 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555; provides hot dinners Monday through Sunday; accommodates special diets; \$3/meal. Go to the Emergency Dept. for arrangement. Senior Nutrition

- Meals daily M-F 125 S. Warner St., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Tracy Chrisman 1-760-375-5438
- 1247 Broadway, Inyokern 1-760-377-4800

• CAPK Senior Food Box 3rd Tuesday-St. Michael's Church 200 Drummond 1-760-446-5816 CAPK WIC (Women Infants Children) 1-866-327-3074

814 N. Norma St. Ridgecrest, CA 93555

HEALTH DEPT. 400 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 1-760-384-5970 Call Bakersfield for appointment 1-661-321-3000 Public Health Nurse 1-760-384-5843

HIV/SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES

Clinica Sierra Vista Ryan White/Kern Lifeline Project1-661-324-32622000 Physicians Blvd., Bakersfield, CA 93301Center for Disease Control1-800-CDC-INFO (1-800-232-4636)Kern County Department of Public Health1-661-321-3000

HOMELESS

CalWORKs Homeless Assistan	nce 1-760-499-5200			
Ridgecrest Dept. Human Services, 145 E. Ridgecrest Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555				
Clinica Sierra Vista Healthcare for the Homeless 1-661-328-4283				
Baker Street Village CHC 1015 Baker Street #4, Bakersfield, CA 93305				
Homeless Intervention Services (The Mission at Kern County) 1-661-325-0863				
821 East 21st St., Bakersfield, CA 93305				
Kern Linkage Program	1-661-868-1840			
2525 N. Chester Ave. Ste. C, Bakersfield				

Referral Case Management services to homeless mentally ill/substance abuse addiction Shelters/Housing

- Bakersfield Homeless Shelter 1-661-322-9199 1600 E. Truxtun Ave. Bakersfield, CA
- Bakersfield Rescue Mission 1-661-325-0863 816 E. 21st St., Bakersfield
- California Veterans Foundation 1-661-695-3626 731 Decatur Street, Bakersfield 93308-4242
- Homeless Health Care 1-661-322-7580
 234 Baker St. #1, Bakersfield, CA 93305
- Lighthouse Women and Children's Rescue Mission 1-805-385-7200 104 & 150 N. Hayes Ave., Oxnard, CA 93030
- Mission at Kern 1-661-325-0863
 821 E. 21st St., Bakersfield, CA 93305
 Homeless shelter and rescue mission; help for addiction recovery
- Rapid Re-Housing (Bakersfield Homeless Center) 1-661-716-1020 ext. 120 1600 E. Truxtun Ave., Bakersfield, CA 93305
- Veterans Assistance Foundation 1-661-695-3626 1400 Easton Dr. #102, Bakersfield, CA 93309
- Victor Valley Rescue Mission 1-760-955-5958 15572 7th St., Victorville, CA 92395

HOME HEALTH CARE

IHSS-Kern County Aging & Adult Services 1-661-868-1003
 5357 Truxton Ave, Bakersfield, CA 93309
 Ridgecrest Regional Hospital Personal Care Services 1-760-499-3617
 1653 Triangle Drive, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

HOSPICE CARE

Ridgecrest Regional Hospital 1-760-499-3617 1653 Triangle Drive, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

HOSPITALS

Hospitals with Emergency Mental Health Service Units

- Antelope Valley Hospital 1-661-949-5000 1600 W. Avenue J, Lancaster, 93534
- Crestwood Behavioral Health Center 1-661-363-8127
 6700 Eucalyptus Dr., Bakersfield, 93306
- Bakersfield Behavioral Healthcare Hospital 1-661-398-1800

5201 White Lane, Bakersfield, 93309

 Harbor-University of California Los Angeles 1-310-222-3144 			
1000 W. Carson ST., Torrance 90509; Psychiatric Emergency Room			
Kern Medical Psychiatric Unit P 1-661-326-2715			
1700 Mt. Vernon, Bakersfield, 93306			
Loma Linda University Behavioral Medicine Center 1-909-558-9275			
1710 Barton Rd., Redlands, CA 92373			
 Los Angeles County USC Hospital (LAC-USC) 1-323-409-5752 			
1100 N. State St., LA 90033, Psychiatric Emergency Unit			
UCLA Neuropsychiatric Institute 1-310-825-9989			
760 Westwood Plz #67468, Los Angeles, CA 90095			
Adventist Health Tehachapi Valley Hospital 1-661-823-3000			

1100 Magellan Dr., Tehachapi, CA 93561 Bakersfield Heart Hospital 1-661-316-6000 3001 Sillect Ave., Bakersfield, CA 93308 Kern Valley Hospital 1-760-379-2681 6412 Laurel Ave., Lake Isabella, 93240 Palmdale Regional Medical Center 1-661-382-5000 38600 Medical Center Dr., Palmdale, CA 93551 Ridgecrest Regional Hospital, 1111 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 • Emergency Care Services 1-760-446-3551 • Urgent Care Clinic 1-760-499-3800 San Joaquin Hospital 1-661-395-3000

2615 Chester Ave., Bakersfield, CA 93301

HOTLINES, TALK LINES, AND HELP LINES

AARP Hotline 1-888-687-2277 Addiction Helpline 24-hour 1-800-999-9999 Adult Protective Services 1-661-868-1006 or 1-800-510-2020 or 1-800-277-7866 AIDS/HIV Hotline 1-800-367-2437 Alzheimer's Association 24-hr. Helpline 1-800-272-3900 American Cancer Society, Bakersfield 1-661-327-2424 American Diabetes Association, Kern County 1-888-342-2383 American Heart Association 1-661-327-1173 College Community Services After Hours Crisis Line 1-888-321-3000 Consumer Product Safety Hotline, Bakersfield 1-800-638-2772 Domestic Violence Hotline (Local-Women's Shelter Network) 1-760-375-7525 Domestic Violence Hotline (National) 1-800-799-7233 Drug and Alcohol Crisis Hotline 1-800-662-4357

Human Trafficking Hotline 1-888-373-7888 Kern Behavioral Health Crisis Hotline 1-800-991-5272 Kern Stop Meth Now 1-855-No2Meth (662-6384) www.KernStopMethNow.com Narcotics Anonymous Help and Info Line Kern Co: 1-877-629-6759 National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Helpline: 1-800-950-6264 National Suicide Prevention Talk/Text Line 988 National Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 1-800-273-8255 (talk) Parenting Services/Support Warm Line 1-661-323-3531 or 1-888-955-9099 Rape Crisis Hotline 1-760-375-0745 Runaway Hotline 1-800-RUNAWAY (1-800-786-2929) Sexually Transmitted Diseases Hotline 1-800-227-8922 Suicide Hotline: 1-800-SUICIDE (1-800-784-2433) Teen Hotline (and text), 6 p.m. - 10 p.m. 1-800-852-8336 Teen Challenge 24-Hour Hotline 1-661-399-2273 1-800-273-8255 (talk) Veteran Crisis Line/Suicide Prevention

Housing

California Veterans Assistance Foundation 1-661-399-2490 Kern County's only transitional housing program tailored to serve our veterans. Habitat for Humanity-Golden Empire 1-661-861-8449 rwhite@habitatbakersfield.org www.habitatkern.org Home Access Grant Program 1-661-862-5062 or 1-661-862-5024 (assistance with making a home more assessable to physically challeneged individuals) Housing Authority of the County of Kern (Section 8/Low Income Housing) 1-661-631-8500 x 3 601 24th St., Bakersfield, CA 93301; section-8-housing.org/Apply Rapid Re-Housing (Bakersfield Homeless Center) 1-661-716-1020 ext. 120 1600 E. Truxtun Ave., Bakersfield, CA 93305 **HUD Project Based Units** Desert Willow Apartments 1-760-446-1166 1337 N. El Prado St., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 • The Ridge 1-760-375-3421 401 Cisco, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Larkspur Village Apartments 1-760-301-5195

- Larkspur Village Apartments 1-760-301-5195
 340 S. Downs St., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Ridgecrest Senior Apartments 1-760-375-3900 901 W. Church Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Homeowners & Renters Assistance for Senior Citizens & Disabled & Blind 1-800-868-4171 Homeownership Preservation Foundation 1-888-995-HOPE (4673) www.995hope.org Assistance for homeowners facing foreclosure Budget Lodging

- American Best Value Inn and Suites 1-760-371-7454 131 So. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Budget Inn 1-760-375-1351
 831 N. China Lake Blvd. (behind Midway Cafe), Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Desert Motel 1-760-375-1371
 339 W. Church, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Knight's Inn 1-760-677-2508

706 Balsam, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Realters/Property Management - Rental Units

- Coldwell Banker Best Realty 1-760-375-3855
 710 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Red Balloon 1-760-446-4300
 1301 China Lake, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Vaughn Realty 1-760-446-6561 509 W. Ward, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Western Homes
 - 235 W. Ridgecrest Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 1-760-384-0000

Rent-to-Own Mobile Home Parks

Town & Country 1-760-446-4685
 1599 N. Norma, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Transition In Place (TIP) – Veterans Transitional Housing 1-661-399-2490

Resource information, shelter, referrals and assistance for veterans in Eastern Kern County at risk of homelessness or currently homeless

U.S. Dept. of Housing & Urban Development (HUD) 1-661-631-8500

601 24th St., Bakersfield, 93301

Veteran's Home, Barstow 1-800-746-0606

Skilled nursing and intermediate care for veterans

IDENTITY THEFT see Legal Referrals

IMMUNIZATIONS

Health Dept 1-760-384-5970
400 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
Omni Family Health 1-760-446-7978
1133 N. Chelsea Street, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
Rural Health Clinic, Ridgecrest Regional Hospital 1-760-446-3551
1111 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

IN-HOME SUPPORT SERVICES See Senior Citizens or Home Health Care

INFORMATION AND REFERRAL

2-1-1 Kern 1-800-273-2275
Better Business Bureau 1-661-322-2074 1601 H. St., Ste. 101 Bakersfield, CA 93301
California Dept. of Consumer Affairs 1-800-952-5210
Information Desk - City Hall 1-760-499-5015 100 W. California Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
Ridgecrest Area Visitors Bureau 1-760-375-8202 643 N. China Lake Blvd., Ste. C, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
Ridgecrest Chamber of Commerce 1-760-375-8331 128 E. California Ave. # B, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

INSURANCE

California Low Cost Automobile Insurance Program 1-866-602-8861 www.insurance.ca.gov
Covered California, www.coveredca.com 1-800-300-1506
Kern County Again & Adult Services HICAP Health Insurance Counseling & Advocacy Program Assistance with Medicare for seniors and disabled 1-661-868-1000 or 1-800-434-0222
Medi-Cal, Kern County Dept. of Human Services 1-760-375-5200 or 1-661-631-6807 145 E. Ridgecrest Blvd, Ridgecrest CA 93555 benefitscal.com
Medicare, www.medicare.gov 1-800-633-4227
Unemployment Insurance Benefits (America's Job Center) 1-760-384-5995 540 W. Perdew, Ste. B2, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
U. S. Department of Veterans Affairs www.va.gov 1-877-222-8387

LAW ENFORCEMENT

CA Highway Patrol, Bakersfield1-661-824-2408Kern County Sherriff's Ridgecrest Substation1-760-384-5800128 E. Coso A, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Police (non-emergency)

- Ridgecrest, 100 W. California 1-760-499-5100
- Naval Air Weapons Station, China Lake 1-760-939-3323

LEGAL REFERRALS

Child Support Servicesemail: childsupport@co.kern.ca.us1-866-901-3212400 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 935551300 18th St., Bakersfield, CA 93301

Community Homeless Law Center 1-661-334-4666

615 California Ave., Bakersfield

Consumer Credit Counseling of Kern 1-661-324-9628 or 1-800-272-2482

2001 F St., Bakersfield, CA 93301

Correctional Mental Health

- Downtown Jail 1-661-868-6895
- Lerdo Facility 1-661-868-6895

17635 Industrial Farm R.,

Department of Corrections & Rehabilitation visitor's helpline 1-800-374-8474

TransMETRO Free bus transportation for approved CDCR visitors 1-415-259-4746Diane Wade-Social Security Disability Advocate1-661-821-0494 or 1-760-417-2390Family Law1-760-384-5900

132 E. Coso Ave., (Self-Help Program, Divorce, Guardianship, Custody, Visitation, etc.)Kern County Sherriff - Jail -Central Receiving Facility1-661-868-6850

1415 Truxtun Ave., Bakersfield, CA (Inmates waiting for first court date held here) GBLA (Greater Bakersfield Legal Assistance) 1-661-325-5943 or 1-888-292-GBLA(4252 Identity Theft

- Kern County Sheriff's Dept. Crime Prevention Unit 1-661-391-7460
- Federal Trade Commission 1-877-438-4338 (ID-THEFT)

Immigrant Policy Center (CA) 1-916-448-6762

Indigent Defense Program (IDP) 1-661-334-4709

Kern County Government Numbers

- Camp Owen 1-760-376-8500 14401 Sierra Wy, Kernville,
- District Attorney 1-760-384-5821 128 E Coso Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Superior Court 1-760-384-5900 East Kern Municipal Court Dist, 132 E. Coso Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Public Defender 1-760-384-5876

Mexican-American Legal Defense/Ed. Fund 1-213-629-2512

634 So. Spring St., Los Angeles, CA 90014

Neighborhood Watch 1-760-499-5107

Probation Dept. 1-760-384-5914

400 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Restraining Orders (for domestic violence) Women's Center High Desert, Inc. 1-760-371-1969

134 S. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Social Security fraud, waste, and abuse 1-800-269-0271

Victim Compensation Board 1-800-777-9229

LIBRARY

Ridgecrest Branch 131 E. Las Flores Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 1-760-384-5870

LITERACY

Cerro Coso Community College (Access Program) 1-760-384-6250 3000 College Heights Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
Family Literacy Program - Owens Valley Career Development (Tribal TANF) 1-760-379-4770 P.O. Box 2895, Lake Isabella, CA 93240
Literacy Council of Indian Wells Valley, Inc. 1-760-382-4346 or 1-760-375-1088
Opportunities for Learning, Public Charter School Grades 7-12 1-760-375-7799 900 N. Norma St., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
Sierra Sands Adult Education 1-760-499-1725 140 W. Drummond, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

MEDICATION SUPPORT

www.needymeds.com California AIDS Drug Assistance Program 1-916-449-5900 or 1-844-421-7050 Discount Prescription Coupons www.goodrx.com SCBN Prescription Advocacy 1-888-331-1002

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

High Desert Medical & Sleep Supplies, Inc.1-760-375-3680112 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION-NON EMERGENCY MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS

Kern Family Health Care-Member Transportation1-800-391-2000 (option #3)Ridgecrest Medical Transportation1-760-495-2394Ridgecrest Regional Hospital Patient Transportation1-760-446-0166

MENTAL HEALTH

Bakersfield Access Center; Shell Mental Health Center 1-661-868-8047
2151 College Ave., Bakersfield, 93301
College Community Services 24-Hour Crisis Line 1-877-300-4738
College Community Services 1-760-499-7406
1400 N. Norma, Ste. 133, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
CCS HOPE Center 1-760-446-1597
1400 N. Norma, Ste. 137, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Compassionate Couch

815 N. Downs Street, Ste B, Ridgecrest

- Melissa Price, LCSW 760-371-5393
- Jasmine Carter, LCSW 760-977-1555
- Pam Cambell, LMFT email: pgcambell12@outlook.com
- Lori Miller, LMFT 760-608-0872
- Darrelyn Dorias, LMFT 760-977-1286
- Lori Weidner-Alvarez, LMFT 760-382-7126
- Brittany Williams, APCC (student intern) 760-371-5393

Crossroads Community Church 1-760-384-3333

235 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Free personal, family, marriage premarital, financial and addiction counseling

Crisis Stabilization Unit (Ridgecrest Mental Health Urgent Care) 24 Hours 1-760-463-2880

1141 Chelsea St., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Children & Adults

Family Advocacy-Mental Helath, Kern Behavioral Health & Recovery Services1-844-360-8251Fleet and Family Services1-760-939-4545

1 Administration Circle, Stop 1323, Bldg 02308 Blandy Ave.,

China Lake, CA 93555-6100

High Desert Therapy Dogs Ruth 1-760-608-0511; Joan 1-760-382-8933

Kern County Behavioral Health Crisis 24-hour Hotline 1-800-991-5272

Mental Health Classes (Currently via ZOOM) NAMI Contact Janet Mulvihill 1-760-384-8672

Website: https://www.namikern.org/program

- Family-to-Family offered 2x per year to register email: namikern@yahoo.com
 12-week education course for family members, caregivers, and friends of adults with mental illness offered yearly
- Peer-to-Peer offered 2x per year to register email: namikern@yahoo.com
 10-week Wellness and Relapse Prevention course for adults living with mental illness

Mental Health Support Groups through NAMI to register email: namikern@yahoo.com

- Family Support Group: Zoom every 2nd & 4th Tuesday 5:15-6:45 PM & 1st Wednesday 6-7:30 PM
- Connections Peer Recovery Support Group Zoom Mondays 6-7 PM & Thursdays 6-7:30 PM

Navy Marine Corp Relief Society 1-760-939-2921

610 Blandy Ave. Ste. S, China Lake 93555-2866

Omni Family Health 1-760-446-7978

Medi-Cal and most insurances, 1133 N. Chelsea Street, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Patient's Rights Advocate 1-844-360-8250

Psychiatric Evaluation Center/ Crisis Stabilization Unit (PEC/CSU) 1-661-868-8080

Mary K. Shell Bldg. Ridgecrest Rural Health Clinic 1-760-499-3855 Medicare, Medi-Cal, Private Insurance, 1111 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

MOTOR VEHICLES CA DEPT.

540 W. Perdew Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 1-800-777-0133

NATIVE AMERICAN

Owens Valley Career Development Canter/Tribal TANF 1-760-379-4770

NAVAL AIR WEAPONS STATION CHINA LAKE

Ridgecrest Information 1-760-939-9011

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH see Legal Referrals

Newspapers

Daily Independent	1-760-375-4481	
224 E. Ridgecrest Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555		
News Review	1-760-371-4301	
109 N. Sanders, Ridgecrest, CA 93555		
Swap Sheet	1-760-375-5400	
720 N. Norma Suite B, Ridgecrest, CA 93555		

NURSING HOME

Bella Sera Transitional Care & Rehab Unit 1-760-446-3591
1131 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 95333
High Desert Haven 1-760-371-1989
1240 College Heights Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

NUTRITION

WIC (Women Infants Children) 1-866-327-3074
 Community Action Partnership of Kern, 814 N. Norma St. Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Ombudsman

Long-Term Care (GBLA) 1-661-325-5943 615 California Ave., Bakersfield, 93304 Mobile Home Ombudsman, www.hcd.ca.gov 1-800-952-5275

PARENTING

Oasis Family Resource Center 1-760-938-1094 825 N. Norma, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 (court-approved parenting classes) Parenting Services/Support Warm Line 1-661-323-3531 or 1-888-955-9099 Southeast Neighborhood Partnership Clinica Sierra Vista 1-661-322-3276 (court-approved parenting classes offered via Zoom) Legacy Behavioral Health (court ordered longer term classes) **Intake** 1-877-861-1133

PHARMACIES

Albertson's Savon Pharmacy 1-760-384-4020 927 S. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Center Professional Pharmacy 1-760-446-4141 1109 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Rite Aid Pharmacy 1-760-375-0223 101 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Walgreens Pharmacy 1-760-384-2358 101 Drummond Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Walmart Pharmacy 1-760-371-4979 201 E. Bowman Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

POISON CONTROL CENTER 1-800-222-1222

POLICE - See Law Enforcement

POST OFFICE

 Ridgecrest
 101 E. Coso Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
 1-760-375-1939

 Inyokern
 6504 Locust Ave., Inyokern
 93527
 1-800-275-8777 or 1-760-377-5125

Pregnancy

Nurse-Family Partnership 1- 760-384-5843
Kern County Dept. of Public Health Services, 400 N. China Lake Blvd. Ridgecrest, CA 93555
Perinatal Education & Lactation Support (breast feeding) 1-760-499-3032
Ridgecrest Regional Hospital, 1081 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
Pregnancy Care Center 1-760-384-2273
341 E. Ridgecrest Blvd. Ste. A, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
Safe Surrender (for newborns within 3 days of birth) 1-866-517-7233 (safe)
Program allows a distressed birth parent(s)to legally, confidentially and safely surrender their baby within 3 days to any fire station or hospital emergency room in Kern County. A bracelet will be placed on the baby for identification and a matching bracelet will be given to the parent. The bracelet will help connect the parent to the baby if the parent wants the baby back. Under the SSB Law, a parent has at least 14 days to claim his or her infant.

PROBATION See Legal Referrals

RECREATION

CCS HOPE Center for the Mentally III 1-760-446-1597 1400 N. Norma Ste. 137, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Kerr McGee Center, Parks and Recreation 1-760-499-5000 100 W. California Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

REPRESENTATIVE PAYEE PROGRAMS

Around the Clock Foundation 1-661-395-5800 5251 Office Park Drive #400, Bakersfield. 03309 Catholic Charities 1-661-616-4036 825 Chester Ave., Bakersfield 93301 Manna House 1-760-379-1808 6433 Lake Isabella Blvd., Lake Isabella 93240 Steward's 1-661-631-1258 2211 H Street, Bakersfield, CA 93301-3923

SCHOOLS

Adult Education,

- Sierra Sands Unified School District 1-760-499-1725 140 W. Drummond Ave., Ridgecrest 93555-2508
- English Language Classes 1-760-499-1725
 Viewig School, 348 Rowe St., Ridgecrest , CA 93555

College

- CA State University 9001 Stockdale Hwy., Bakersfield 1-661-664-2011
- CA State University 43909 30th St. W. Lancaster, CA 93536 1-661-952-5000
- Cerro Coso Community College (Special Services Dept.) 1-760-384-6250 3000 College Heights Blvd., Ridgecrest

Preschools

- Balas Montessori 1-760-375-8261
 - 555 S. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Cerro Coso Child Development Center 1-760-384-6362
 3000 College Heights Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Head Start, Oasis Child Development Center 1-760-371-1469 CAPK, 814 N. Norma, Ridgecrest, CA 93555
- Heritage Montessori Pre-School & Kindergarten 1-760-446-7459 934 Heritage Dr., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

- High Desert Leaping Lizards (State Preschool) 1-760-499-1770
- NAWS Child Development Center 1-760-939-3171
- Ridgecrest Montessori Children's House TK-5th Grade 1-760-381-6257
 732 N. Norma Ste B, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

SENIOR CITIZENS, AND ADULTS WITH DISABILITIES

http://www.co.kern.ca.us/aas/resources-comm.asp http://www.co.kern.ca.us/aas/supportproviders.asp AARP Hotline 1-888-687-2277 Adult Protective Services (APS) Hotlines 1-800-277-7866 or 1-661-868-1006 Ridgecrest Regional Hospital Support Groups

- Alzheimer's Support Group 1-760-371-1445
- Caregiver Group 1-760-499-3825 Meets Virtually 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 6-7:30 PM
- Congestive Heart Failure Support Group 1-760-499-3835
 3rd Tuesday 6 PM
- Diabetes Empowerment Education Program 6 weeks of education 1-760-499-3825
- Diabetes Support Group 1-760-499-3825
 1081 N. China Lake Blvd. Ridgecrest, CA 93555 David Mechtenberg Room 4th Thursday 5:30-6:30 PM
- Grief Support 1-760-499-3617
 417 Drummond Ave. (Senior Services), Ridgecrest, CA 93555
 1st Tuesday 6 PM
- Stress Reduction Clinic 1-760-499-3855
 8 week mindfulness based lifestyle change program

Kern County Adult and Aging Services 1-800-510- 2020 or 1-661-868-1000

5357 Truxtun Ave., Bakersfield, CA 93309

Paid Medical Leave Program 1-877-238-4373

California Employment Development Departmentwww.edd.ca.govParenting Services/Support Warm Line1-661-323-3531 or 1-888-955-9099Personal Care Services (Ridgecrest Regional Hospital)1-760-499-3617Senior Services (Ridgecrest Regional Hospital)1-760-371-1445

417 Drummond Ave., Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Senior Centers

- Ridgecrest: 125 S. Warner 1-760-375-5438
- Inyokern Senior Nutrition Program, 1247 Broadway, Inyokern 93527 1-760-377-4800
 Senior Law Center 1-888-292-4252 or 1-661-325-5943

Greater Bakersfield Legal Assistance, 615 California., Bakersfield, CA 93304

Shield 1-800-675-8842

Adult diaper service for Medi-Cal recipients; incontinence supplies, ostomy supplies, diabetic supplies and oral nutritional supplement. They deliver.

SEXUAL ASSAULT RESPONSE TEAM HOTLINE 1-760-375-0745

SHERIFF See Law Enforcement

SMOKING CESSATION

California Smokers Helpline 1-800-NO-BUTTS www.nobutts.org Kick It California 1-800-300-8086 www.kickitca.org

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

General information 1-800-772-1213

Lancaster, 1-866-964-1725

42225 10th St. West, Lancaster, Ca 93534 (9 a.m. - 4 p.m. M T TH F; Wed. 9 a.m. - Noon) Bakersfield

- Bakersfield Office 5300 Office Park Dr., Bakersfield, 93309 1-866-476-1489
- East Hills Office 2575 Haley St., Bakersfield, 93305 1-866-366-9558

SUBSTANCE ABUSE

1-877-959-2103 24-hr Helpline Alcoholics Anonymous: Meeting Info (11 a.m. - 4 p.m.) 1-760-375-5445 Amethyst Sober Living (Women) 1-213-300-8853 SW Bakersfield College Community Services 760-499-7406 1400 N. Norma, Ste. 133, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 **Detoxification Programs** Aegis (Opiate addiction assistance) 1-760-301-6945 1111 W. Inyokern Road, Ridgecrest, CA 93555 Living Word Harvest, Men's Recovery House1-626-217-5759 Bakersfield, CA., fee based on income Good Samaritan Hospital 1-661-215-7500 Bakersfield, CA., Insurance accepted • St. John of God Healthcare Services 1-760-241-4917 13333 Palmdale Road, Victorville, CA 92392 Free, Social, Non-Christian Detox Program, 7-day Retreat Environment Kern County Mental Health Substance Abuse Resource Team (S.A.R.T.) 1-661-868-0848 1401 L St., Bakersfield

Narcotics Anonymous, Kern County 24-Hour Info Line 1-877-629-6759 Ridgecrest 1-760-446-4445

Rehabilitation & Discipleship Programs

- Teen Challenge USA (Adult Rehabilitation Center) 1-661-746-4917 teenchallengeusa.com Bakersfield, CA
- Salvation Army Adult Rehabilitation Center (Men)
 - 200 19th Street Bakersfield, CA 1-661-325-8626
 - \circ $\,$ 363 S. Doolittle Rd, San Bernardino, CA 92408 1-909-889-9605 $\,$
 - o 1300 Lewis Street, Anaheim CA 92805 1-714-758-0414
- The Mission at Kern 1-661-325-0863
 - themissionkc.org
- The Refuge Ridgecrest Vineyard Church 1-760-620-1711 rvclife.org/refuge

SUPPORT GROUPS

- Alcoholics Anonymous www.kernaa.org; Central Office: 1-661-322-4025
- Alzheimer's Support Group 1-760-499-3825

Celebrate Recovery 1-760-375-5014

RCA Church- 800 W. Upjohn, Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Connections Peer Recovery Support Group (support for those who struggle with mental health) register by email: namikern@yahoo.com

Zoom meetings Mondays 6-7 PM & Thursdays 6-7:30 PM

Family Support Group (for family members of those struggling with mental health) register by email: namikern@yahoo.com

Zoom meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesday 5:15-6:45 PM & 1st Wednesday 6-7:30 PM

Lighthouse, 111 N. Balsam St., Ridgecrest, CA 935551-760-382-3858Narcotics Anonymous (call for meeting days and times)1-760-446-4445Ridgecrest Regional Hospital Support Groups1-760-446-4445

- Alzheimer's Support Group 1-760-371-1445
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Stress Reduction Clinic 1-760-499-3855
 8 week mindfulness based lifestyle change program

SUICIDE HOTLINE (24-7's)

1-800-784-2433 (1-800-Suicide)Mental Health Crisis Line Talk or Text988National Suicide Prevention Life Line1-800-273-8255 (1-800-273-TALK)SALT-Save A Life Today1-661-412-2721www.saltkc.com

TRANSPORTATION

American Cancer Society Transport Services 1-800-227-2345 or 1-661-327-2424
Ridgecrest: Road to Recovery 1-800-227-2345
American Cancer Society, free transportation to and from treatment facilities. Pre-register four days in advance, patient must be ambulatory
Eastern Sierra Transit 1-800-922-1930 or 1-760-872-1901
Kern Transit www.kerntransit.org 1-800-323-2396 or 1-800-560-1733
Ridgecrest Patient Transport 1-760-446-3591
8 a.m. - 3 p.m. Mon-Fri
Ridgecrest Dial-A-Ride 1-760-499-5040

(serving Ridgecrest, Inyokern, Ransburg) - Limited: for approved ADA persons only Ridgecrest Medical Transportation 1-760-495-2394

(Medicare, Medi-Cal, Health Net, Kern Family Health) Lancaster and Palmdale Ridgerunner 1-760-499-5040

Taxi's

• Ridgecrest Taxi 1-760-384-2227

UTILITIES

Edison - sce.com 1-800-447-6620

- CARE/FERA: low-income discount program for your electric bill
- Level Pay Plan
- Residential Summer Discount Program
- Medical Baseline

Crossroads Community Church 1-760-384-3333

235 N. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 (as funds are available)

Grace Lutheran Church 1-760-375-9768

502 N. Norma St., Ridgecrest, CA 93555 (as funds are available) HEAP (Home Energy Assistance Program) Low income 1-866-675-6623 • Community Action Partnership of Kern- Home Energy Program 1-800-988-7771

Home Weatherization Services Kern County 1-661-336-5203

CAPK Energy Program, 300 19th St., Bakersfield, CA 93301

Telephone

- California Lifeline Program 1-866-272-0349 (discounted home phone service to qualified households). http://hellosavings.org/
- California Telephone Access Program 1-800-806-1191 or 1-800-995-6831 telephones available for the visually impaired, hearing impaired, seniors and disabled.

PG&E -

- CARE Program (15% discount) 1-800-743-5000
- Energy Savings Assistance Program (Includes Mobile Homes) 1-800-989-9744

VETERANS

Kern County Vet Rep. 1-661-868-7300

Kern County Veterans Services Department, Bakersfield 1-661-868-7300 or 1-866-218-5367

Helps with filing for federal and state benefits for veterans, survivors, and their dependents.

Military Resource Center 1-661-579-8301

506-W. Jackman St., Lancaster 93534

Ridgecrest Veterans Advisory Council 1-760-608-9251

P.O. Box 805, Ridgecrest, CA 93556

Transition In Place (TIP) - Transitional Housing 1-661-323-637

Resource information, shelter, referrals and assistance for veterans in Eastern Kern County at risk of homelessness or currently homeless

Veteran's Services Dept. 1-760-384-5826

(in Ridgecrest every Wednesday at County Bldg., 400 N. China Lake Blvd. by Library across from Post Office)

- To schedule an appointment, call 1-866-218-5367 or 1-661-868-7300 Veteran Services Emotional Crisis Press 1 for Veteran 1-800-273-8255 (TALK)

U. S. Department of Veterans Affairs www.va.gov 1-877-222-8387

VA health benefits

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION DEPT. for appointment in Ridgecrest 1-760-446-2523 4925 Commerce Drive, Suite 150, Bakersfield 92309

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

www.justserve.org

WELLNESS CHECK 1-760-499-5100

Police Department (call to request a wellness check on someone in poor health or with safety concerns)