

● **The Care Center of Indiana County** - www.carecenterofindianaco.org

PH: 724-463-8595

Provides forensic interviews and forensic evaluations for children when there are allegations of sexual and physical abuse; professionals work with the family to help navigate the legal system and to obtain necessary treatment services; focus is justice and healing for victimized children; free

RECREATION / SOCIALIZATION

● **Big Hearts Little Hands**

PH: 724-463-9622

Establishes friendships and mentoring between adult and child; provides social/cultural/emotional support for children ages 5-17 from economically/socially disadvantaged environments; free

● **Blairsville Public Library** - www.b-ssd.org/BPLib/

PH: 724-459-6077

Children's books, audio cassettes, story hours, Summer Reading Program, free public use of computers with internet access, children's VHS, DVD movies and interlibrary loan; Free to Blairsville Borough residents; \$10 non-residents

● **Boy Scouts/Laurel Highlands Council** - www.lhc-bsa.org

PH: 814-471-1090

♦ Group activities for boys in grades 1-12; Venturing and Explorer groups for boys and girls ages 14-20; Camp Seph Mack; \$15 registration fee

● **Burrell Township Library** - www.burrelltownshiplibrary.org

PH: 724-248-7122

♦ Story Times for pre-school & elementary aged children; holiday parties; special events; summer reading program, children's books, audio books, DVD movies; Inter-library loan; free public access computers with internet access; Programs free and open to the public; Membership to the library to check out books is free to Burrell Township residents and \$5 for non-resident individuals or \$9 per family

● **Camp Orenda**

PH: 724-840-7863

Camp for children 12+ with physical disabilities; fee; camper ships available

● **Evergreen Boys & Girls Clubs** - www.EvergreenBGC.org

PH: 724-910-6042

After-school and summer programming for youth in Indiana County; School based programs at Homer-Center (grades 2-12), Penns Manor (grades 6-8), Purchase Line (grades 3-12), and United (grades 6-8) Schools; membership is free

● **Girl Scouts Western Pennsylvania** - www.gswpa.org

PH: 724-463-3421

Open to all girls in grades K-12. Offers leadership experience for girls to discover themselves, connect to others and take action to make the world a better place; \$12 membership

● **Homer Center Public Library** - www.hcpubliclibrary.com

PH: 724-541-3381

Developing programs; books and summer programs available

● **Indiana Free Library** - www.indianafreelibrary.org

(Children's Dept.) PH: 724-465-8841 ext.4

Extensive collection of children's books, audiotapes and DVD movies; Variety of children's programs and family activities throughout the year including summer reading program and literacy events free Cost: Call for details

● **The Salvation Army**

PH: 724-465-2530

Youth programs (ages 6-18); Residential and summer camp programs

● **Special Olympics, PA** - www.specialolympicspa.org

PH: 1-800-233-5161

Provides year-round sports training and athletic competition for all individuals with intellectual disabilities; free; participants must be at least 8 years of age (open to children and adults who may or may not have a physical handicap.)

● **Spina Bifida Association of Western PA** - www.sbawp.org

PH: 1-800-243-5787

Summer camps & weekend retreats for youth and adults with Spina Bifida; Cost: Varies by program

● **Woodlands Foundation, Inc.** - www.woodlandsfoundation.org

PH: 724-935-6533

Year-round enrichment activities for children with disabilities and chronic illnesses, including summer music and sports camps, weekend retreats, adaptive golf lessons, aquatics and after-school program; generally \$45-\$120 depending on program. Sliding scale

● **YMCA, Indiana County** - www.indianacountyymca.org

PH: 724-463-9622

Provides youth sports, day camp, Big Hearts Little Hands mentoring program, swimming, and youth fitness programs; Program fees vary (financial assistance available)

● **4-H Clubs** (Penn State Cooperative Extension) - www.indiana.extension.psu.edu

PH: 724-465-3880

Provides year-round programs for youth ages 5-18; Activities include: 4-H clubs, day camps and special interest groups; \$15 member educational resource fee, plus some additional charges for certain programs

● For a listing of **Coalition/Councils** that work on issues affecting children in Indiana County, visit www.humanservices-countyofindiana.org and click on Information About Human Services in Indiana County and then on Where to Turn for Help. They welcome community members to join their cause.

● For Information on human services **Dial 2-1-1** or go to www.pa211sw.org.

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DRUG AND ALCOHOL SERVICES

● **Armstrong-Indiana-Clarion Drug and Alcohol Commission (AICDAC)** -

PH: 724-354-2746

Alcohol, tobacco, other drugs and gambling prevention education and awareness programs available for youth, schools and the community; Programs can be tailored to your needs. Tobacco cessation also available for youth.

● **ARIN IU 28** - www.iu28.org

PH: 724-463-5300

Underage Users Group; Tobacco Education Group

● **Conewago Indiana, Adolescent Drug & Alcohol Inpatient Treatment Program**

PH: 724-471-3037

Residential treatment for adolescent males who are experiencing problems with chemical dependency

● **The Open Door/Armstrong-Indiana Crisis** - www.theopendoor.org

Crisis and Suicide Hotline (24/7): 1-877-333-2470

PH (Mon-Fri 8a-5p): 724-465-2605

A Behavioral Health Organization offering: Crisis walk-in and pre-screening services Mon through Fri - 8am to 8pm; weekends/holidays - 12pm-8pm; Outpatient treatment services: assessments, referrals; Adolescent Outpatient Treatment with individual and/or group counseling for Alcohol and Other Drugs, as well as gambling addictions; family counseling; Court mandated services; Family Education Support Group; School-based therapist

CHILD CARE

● **Child Care Information Services of Indiana County** - www.childcareinfoservice.org

PH: 724-349-8830 or 1-800-327-3070

Helps parent(s) locate day care/may help pay fees; Free parent Resource and Referral Program; Child Care Subsidy Program

CLOTHING

- **Calvary United Methodist Church's "Clothes of Many Colors" Clothing Closet** PH: 724-479-8290
Brush Valley, PA; first Wednesday of the month from 1:00 pm to 5 pm; Free
- **Chevy Chase Center – Clothing Bank** PH: 724-463-0674 or 349-2333
Free clothing
- **Christos Clothes Closet** PH: 724-479-2695
Free; 3rd Saturday of month; 10:00 am to 12 noon; Homer City United Presbyterian Church –red door behind the Dollar Store; (not held in July, October, and December)
- **First United Methodist Church of Marion Center Clothing Closet** PH: 724-397-5517
Marion Center, PA; 9:00 am to 1:00 pm; Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday; Free
- **Jacksonville Presbyterian Church Clothing Closet** PH: 724-726-8895 or 724-479-8237
Kent, PA; Last Saturday of the month (weather permitting in February and March); Free
- **Katies Closet** PH: 724-465-5597
Free; clothing and outerwear; Zion Lutheran Church, corner of Church and 6th Streets, Indiana; Hours: 9:00 am to 11:00 am and 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm; every Monday (not on holidays).
- **Kiwanis Baby Cupboard-** PH: 724-463-7440, ext. 313
Provides diapers to qualifying families (income lower than 150% of the federal poverty guideline); call for cost; A family can receive 4 packages a month per child; diapers distributed at the ICCAP Food Bank located at 1849 South 6th Street, Indiana. Cash or check is accepted.
- **Life-Way Pregnancy Center** PH: 724-349-5307 or 1-866-549-6636
Free; clothing/nursery items for children birth to age 5 (as available) for program clients; intake and enrollment required
- **My Best Friend's Closet,**
sponsored by the Saltsburg United Methodist Church; 9:00 am to 12 noon; free, gently used clothing; open the second Saturday of the month, every other month
- **The Salvation Army** PH: 724-465-2530
Free; Coats for Kids (Sept/Oct) and Treasures for Children (Oct sign-up for Christmas delivery)

COUNSELING / SUPPORT

- **Alice Paul House** - www.alicepaulhouse.org PH: 724-349-4444 or 1-800-435-7249 (for outside local calling area)
Children's counseling, support group, medical and legal advocacy for victims of sexual assault or domestic violence; Free
- **The Arc of Indiana County** - www.arcindiana.org PH: 724-349-8230
Information and support for people with developmental delays or other disabilities; Parent Mentor Program – provides information and support to parents of children with any type of disability; Parent Transition Group – a parent, agency and community group meets monthly to discuss how to successfully transition youth/young adults with disabilities from high school to post-secondary education or employment and how they can live in and contribute to their community.
- **Armstrong-Indiana Crisis** PH: 877-333-2470
Mental Health and Drug & alcohol walk-in and telephone crisis intervention; Free 24-hour crisis hotline (any problem/crisis); Referrals and community resource information also provided
- **Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Greensburg, PA-** www.ccharitiesgreensburg.org PH: 724-463-8806
♦ Counseling and support for children whose parents are separated or divorced, children of adoption, and those in need of bereavement support; Variable fee scale; accepts a variety of insurance plans
♦ Foster care services for out of home placements for children referred by county Children and Youth agencies; approves and certifies foster homes
- **Care Center of Indiana County** - www.carecenterofindianaco.org PH: 724-463-8595
Nurturing Parent Program-general information on child discipline, nurturing, child development, parents of teen support, and nurturing oneself as a parent; Some services free, others a sliding scale fee
- **Center for Independent Living of South Central PA-** www.cilscpa.org Voice/TDD: 814-949-1905 or 1-800-237-9009
Non-residential program for people with physical or sensory disabilities, peer counseling, advocacy, information & referral; free
- **Children & Youth Services** - www.countyofindiana.org PH: 724-465-3895 or 1-888-559-6355;
after 4:00 p.m. – call 911 for emergency/crisis; Childline: 1-800-932-0313
Free services to prevent and resolve problems of neglect, abuse, and exploitation of children

- **Health Insurance for Children/PA Program (CHIP)** 1-800-986-5437
Free or low-cost health insurance to uninsured children through CHIP; Children (birth to 19) not enrolled in any other insurance and not eligible for public health insurance are eligible; must meet age, family size and income guidelines
Cost: None for free programs; Premiums required for low-cost program.
- ♦ **Keystone Health Plan West (Highmark)-** www.higmarkbcbs.com PH: 1-800-543-7105;
(customer service) Lisa Bellito (Outreach Specialist) (610) 573-5415;
- ♦ **United Healthcare of PA, Inc.** (previously Unison Health Plan of PA)- www.unisonhealthplan.com PH: 1-800-414-9025
- ♦ **UPMC for Kids-** www.upmchealthplan.com PH: 1-800-650-8762 (member services)
Diane Chuckro, Health Promotion Specialist- (412)454-5256 PH: 1-800-978-8762 (prospective members)
- **Healthy Lungs PA** - www.healthylungs.org PH: 1-800-220-1990
♦ Camp Huff' n Puff- (overnight); Parents of Children with Asthma /asthma kit; School Asthma Initiative: In-services for school staff, students with asthma and peers; Smokeless Saturday- Teen smoking cessation program
Cost: Summer camp scholarships available; inquire with Healthy Lungs PA
- **IUP-Speech, Language, and Hearing Clinic** – www.iup.edu/special-ed/more/sh-clinic/ PH: 724-357-2451
Speech and language evaluations and therapy; Hearing Testing; Sliding fee scale
- **Leukemia and Lymphoma Society** - www.lls.org PH: 1-800-955-4572
Free information on blood cancers including Leukemia, Lymphoma, Hodgkin Lymphoma, Myeloma and MDS;
financial aid for those undergoing treatment or ongoing follow-up, educational programs and resources for patients and families
- **Lifesteps** - www.lifesteps.net PH: 724-283-1010 or 1-800-225-2010
Child Check: Developmental screening for children from birth to age 5, including cognitive, personal-social, language, motor, speech and hearing. May also include Autism screening by request for children 18 months – 3 years of age; no cost
- **National Multiple Sclerosis Society** - www.nationalmssociety.org PH: 814-696-1017
Education, equipment; no cost
- **Muscular Dystrophy Association** - www.mdausa.org PH: 724-742-1710
Parent Support; summer camp for children (ages 6-18); equipment, no cost
- **My Choice Medical Clinic-** www.pregnantnowwhat.com PH: 1-877-223-7558
Pregnancy Testing, Options Counseling, Abortion Education, and ultrasounds to determine viable intra-uterine pregnancy; 24 hour toll free helpline
- **National Kidney Foundation serving the Alleghenies.** - www.kidneyall.org PH: 412-261-4115 or 1-800-261-4115
Support groups, transportation for dialysis, no cost
- **PA Elks Home Service Program,** - www.paelkshomeservice.org (contact Special Kids Network) PH: 1-800-986-4550
In home support, advocacy, and service coordination for children under 21 with special health care needs. Fee: No charge
- **Primary Health Network/Indiana Dental Center** PH: 724- 465-6100
Various dental services for all ages; Medical assistance and all other insurances accepted
- **Spina Bifida Association of Western PA** - www.sbawp.org PH: 1-800-243-5787
Family-School partnership consultation; Blue Prints – play groups for toddlers with disabilities; Cost varies – depends on the program

LEGAL

- **Laurel Legal Services** PH: 724-349-3340 or 1-800-660-1753
Emergency child custody cases; Cost: None for service, client must pay court fees and expenses

PROTECTIVE SERVICES

- **Children and Youth Services** (see Counseling/Support) www.countyofindiana.org
Childline – PH: 1-800-932-0313 to report abuse

● **Chevy Chase Center**

Summer feeding program; emergency food pantry; free

PH: 724-463-0674 or 349-2333

● **Community Kitchen**

Hot meals provided in Christian setting at 3 sites; Dixonville, Clymer, and Penn Run; free; (donations appreciated)

PH: 724-397-9498

● **Creekside Area Food Pantry,**

For residents of Creekside, Ernest, and Washington Township; at Creekside United Methodist Church; available by appointment and on the 2nd Thursday of each month from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon

PH: 724-422-2827

● **Indiana County Community Action Program, Inc.**

Food pantries; emergency food packages; Power Pack- food for children over the weekends, distributed in the schools; free

PH: 724-465-2657

● **The Salvation Army**

PH: 724-465-2530

HEALTH / MEDICAL CARE

● **accessAbilities, Inc.** - www.accessAbilities.org

PH: 724-465-6042 or 724-832-8272

♦ First Steps Early Intervention Program: Free services for any child, birth to age 3 with a developmental delay, diagnosis, or who is at risk of a developmental delay. Services may include the following: physical, occupational, speech, vision and nutrition therapy; special instruction, positive behavioral support, language coaching, therapeutic listening, sensory integration, feeding instruction and infant massage. A toy lending library is also available

● **Adagio Health Medical Office** - www.adagiohealth.org

Family planning services for teens (may be insured or uninsured). Services include birth control; screening and treatment for sexually transmitted diseases; breast and cervical cancer screening; most services are free to ages 17 and under.

PH: 724-349-2022

● **American Cancer Society** - www.cancer.org

Free information on cancer and patient programs and services.

PH: 1-800-227-2345

● **American Diabetes Association** - www.diabetes.org

Information; Advocacy and Research; Summer Camp Program for children with diabetes

PH: 1-888-342-2383

● **American Heart Association** - www.americanheart.org

Information about defects and/or heart related problems

PH: 412-208-3550

● **American Lung Association of Pennsylvania** - www.lunginfo.org

Camp and health education opportunities for children and families with asthma; information on topics such as asthma, tobacco, lung cancer, flu, radon and air quality issues; Cost: Nominal to none

PH: 724-933-6180 or 1-800-LUNG-USA

● **BAYADA Pediatrics** - www.bayada.com

Provides a range of family-centered home health care services for children from newborn through adolescence in the comfort and safety of their own homes. Nursing services, health aides services, provides care in the child's classroom, during transportation to and from school, and on school trips; works with schools to support an individualized education program (IEP). Fee: typically covered by Medicaid, a variety of insurances, or other government programs.

PH: 459-0000

● **Behavioral and Developmental Health Program, Armstrong-Indiana (previously MH/MR)**- www.aibdhp.org

Early intervention, infant stimulation and parent training

PH: 724-548-3451 or 724-349-3350

♦ Behavioral Health Services: mobile therapy, therapeutic staff support, behavior specialist, residential treatment, therapeutic foster care, family based, and targeted mobile therapy

♦ CASSP (Child & Adolescent Service System Program): Provide comprehensive treatment for children with emotional disturbance; Cost: Based on ability to pay

● **Department of Health, PA** - www.health.state.pa.us

♦ Clinics – children's immunization, select pt tuberculosis testing;

PH: 724-357-2995

♦ HIV Clinic testing & counseling, communicable disease investigations; Cost: Free for most.

● **Epilepsy Foundation Western / Central PA** - www.efwp.org PH: 1-800-361-5885 or 814-262-7494 or 412-261-5880

Information & Referral, Summer Camp Program, Emergency Prescription Assistance, Education Programs, High School Scholarships, Resource Library, and Presentations for Schools and Communities; Cost: None, except camp program and some other educational programs. Fees can be waived upon request. Camp scholarships available.

● **Community Guidance Center** - www.thecgc.com

PH: 724-465-5576 or 1-888-686-1991

♦ Mental Health Services: Offering an array of services to address the behavioral health needs of children and adolescents; Full time Psychiatrist; Services include: Children's and Adolescent Partial Hospitalization, Behavioral Health Rehabilitation Services (BHRS), Family Based services, individual and group therapy, and Case Management Services; Sliding fee scale. Accepts most insurances; Walk-in assessments available.

♦ Intellectual Disability Services: Supports Coordinators assist families with obtaining services needed for their child to help meet basic needs and enhance independence; free

♦ Early Intervention Service Coordination: Free services to children, age birth to 3 with developmental delays, or at risk for developmental delays; Coordinated services which may include physical, occupational, speech, hearing, and/or vision therapists and a developmental specialist.

● **Community Psychiatric Center (C.P.C.)**- www.cpcwecare.com

Ph: 724-850-7200

C.P.C. treats children who are hyperactive, oppositional, depressed, have autism, or other conditions. Services include evaluation, counseling, medication management, in-home wraparound services, an autism unit, and school-based evaluations. C.P.C. has an educational TV program on PCNC and monthly support group. Ages 3-21; accepts all insurances

● **Family A.C.T.S., Inc**

Psychological evaluations, treatment, counseling, family therapy, Co-Parenting and Anger Management Classes, etc.; sliding fee scale

1-800-860-4673 or 724-763-7600

● **Family Behavioral Resources** - www.familybehavioralresources.com

♦ Child centered, family focused therapeutic services in client's home and/or community settings. Services are individualized, available for a variety of mental health diagnosis, behavioral concerns, and autism spectrum disorders. Ages 0-21

PH: 724-463-3600

♦ Outpatient Clinic: 724-465-0369 Psychotherapy for children, adolescents, and adults (families, couples, individuals) in a variety of treatment approaches. Cost: Call for insurance information; self-pay; medical assistance

● **Glade Run Lutheran Services**

ext. 1621

Family Foster Care: Place and support children, referred by County Children & Youth agencies; Residential Treatment: For children age 6-17, funded by Medical Assistance; Group Homes: For children who are dependent or delinquent, ages 12-17

PH: 724-452-4453,

● **Highmark Caring Place/A Center for Grieving Children,**

Adolescents, and Their Families - www.highmarkcaringfoundation.com

Two Facilities: Downtown Pittsburgh - 1-888-224-4673, Warrendale - 1-888-734-4073

Free bereavement services, based on peer support. No therapy available.

● **Hopeful Hearts/A Service of the VNA/Bereavement Peer Support for Children, Adolescents, and Their Families** - www.hopefulheartspa.org

Free; child-focused peer support for children (ages 18 and under) and their families who are grieving the death of a significant person in their lives. Evening meetings every 2 weeks; light meal served

PH: 724-349-3888 or 1-877-349-3888

● **IUP – Center for Applied Psychology** - www.iup.edu/psychology/cap/index.html

Psychological assessment and treatment to children, couples, families, and individuals; Sliding fee scale

PH: 724-357-6228

● **Justice Works Youth Care**- www.justiceworksyouthcare.com

Provides a variety of in-home services including STOPP (Short-Term Therapeutic Outreach to Prevent Placements), JustCare, Family Group Decision Making, Why Try, and Independent Living Services to youth and families.

PH: 724-672-0878

● **New Story**- www.newstory.com

Serves those with autism; offers behavioral health services; short term interventions; counseling; behavior therapy, mobile therapy, and therapeutic staff support to children and their families; 10-week summer treatment program for children with developmental disabilities; Accepts medical assistance; children birth to age 21

PH: 724-463-5390



● **NHS Human Services** - www.nhsonline.org

PH: 724-354-3223 or 1-800-706-5556

- ♦ Therapeutic Family Care: Place and support children with a mental health diagnosis that are referred by CYS, MH/MR, JPO, or self referred by parents; Accepts medical assistance
- ♦ Life Sharing: Place and support children and individuals with developmental disabilities diagnosis in community homes
- ♦ Permanency Services: A Statewide Adoption Network (SWAN) affiliate for Permanency Services and Post Permanency Services

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

● **Adagio Health** - www.adagiohealth.org

PH: 724-349-2235

Center for Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention: Programs on sexual health and life skills to schools and other community agencies to reduce pregnancy, sexually transmitted diseases, and HIV among teens and young adults. CAPP also provides parent and professional education workshops

● **Adelphoi Village Academy in Indiana** - www.AdelphoiVillage.org

PH: 724-463-1456

Treatment and education for dependent and delinquent youth

● **Alice Paul House** - www.alicepaulhouse.org PH: 724-349-4444 or 1-800-435-7249 (for outside calling area)

Domestic violence and sexual assault prevention and education programs for pre-school, elementary, high school and college students; free

● **American Red Cross** - <http://www.redcross.org/take-a-class>

PH: 1-800-733-2767

CPR and First Aid Training, Pediatric First Aid Training, Babysitter's Training, Lifeguard Training, Water Safety; Fees for classes.

● **ARIN Intermediate Unit 28** - www.iu28.org

PH: 724-463-5300

♦ Early Intervention for children ages 3-5

♦ ELECT Fatherhood Initiative provides education /information specific to teen dads

♦ Family Focus Program: Home visitation for families with young children (birth to entrance to Kindergarten); Story Time classes for pre-school children (ages 3 to 5) and their parents; Parents as Teachers -Class for parents of young children; Kindergarten Readiness classes. Free

♦ Parent-Child Home Program: Home-based literacy and parenting program for families with 2 and 3 year olds that have limited access to educational opportunities; Home visitation-2X weekly for 23 weeks per year for two years.

♦ Project LIFE (Learning is for Everyone): Tutoring program for homeless children in Indiana and Black Lick

♦ PPT – Parenting and Pregnant Teen: Support services for pregnant and parenting youth or single parent(s)

♦ Transition: Links school-age special needs students with community services to help the transition from school to adult life

♦ Young Parents Program: Provide education and support for eligible adults ages 18-25, with one or more children; home visitation with parenting and child development

● **Care Center of Indiana County** - www.carecenterindianaco.org

PH: 724-463-8595

Nurturing Parent Program-general information on child discipline, nurturing, child development, parents of teen support, and nurturing oneself as a parent; Some services free, others a sliding scale fee.

● **Community Psychiatric Centers (C.P.C.)**

PH: 1-877-899-6500

School-based evaluations to assess for learning disabilities or related educational concerns; For school age; reasonable rates

● **Head Start / Early Head Start, Indiana County** - www.indianacountyheadstart.org

PH: 724-349-6200

Toll free: 1-877-346-3023

Provides educational, health, nutritional, and social services for children, ages 0-5, from income-eligible families

● **Indiana Regional Medical Center's Family Programs** - www.indianarmc.org

PH: 724-357-7496

♦ ABC's of Babysitting- 12 hour course for ages 12+ on a variety of childcare skills, including CPR, choking rescue instructions

♦ Baby Day Camp –prepares children up to age 8 for the arrival of a new baby in the family

♦ Let's Talk for Mothers/Daughters- 2 hour program for pre-adolescent girls and their parents; reviews emotional and physical changes that occur during puberty; call for cost

● **Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP)**

♦ **Child Study Center** - www.coe.iup.edu/edsp/csc.html

PH: 724-357-2445

Psychoeducational evaluation and short term treatment for learning and/or behavioral problems; \$75, can be waived

♦ **The Literacy Center** - www.iup.edu/graduate/assets/cidirectory_lc.htm

PH: 724-357-2466

Services: testing, individual tutoring, group reading/writing program for children and adolescents needing assistance; \$50.00

● **Lifesteps Family Care Mobile Library** - www.lifesteps.net

PH: 724-283-1010 or 1-800-225-2010

Lending library with special-topic resources traveling to families within a 20-mile radius of Indiana Borough.

Complete schedule of visits posted online; free

● **March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation** - www.modimes.org

PH: 1-800-422-2437

● **New Story** - www.newstory.com

PH: 724-463-5390

Private School for children ages 2-21 with autism and related disorders; emotional and behavioral diagnosis

● **NHS Human Services** - www.nshonline.org

PH: 724-354-3223 or 1-800-706-5556

NHS Autism Schools provide specialized school placements for students with Autism Spectrum Disorders and/or emotional support needs. In the schools-specialized programs such as gender responsive programming for females with emotional disturbance as well as 18-21 year old transition services; schools located outside of Indiana County

● **The Salvation Army**

PH: 724-465-2530

Ark of Learning: 4-18yrs. 1 on 1 tutoring, 1-3 times/week. SAT course: Mondays during school year; free

EMPLOYMENT

● **Indiana County Career T.R.A.C.K., Inc.** - www.careertrack.org

PH: 724-471-7220 or 1-888-573-5733

♦ Hires youth ages 16-21 for temporary summer work, GED assistance; Cost: None; income guidelines & Indiana County resident

● **ICW Vocational Services, Inc.**

PH: 724-349-1211 (Workshop)

PH: 724-349-4143 (Employment Services)

Work experience, vocational training, sheltered employment, on-the-job training and placement in the community for persons with disabilities. Workshop: 18 years of age or older; Employment Services: 16 years or older; must be Indiana County resident, have a physical or mental disability, be referred by OVR or MH-MR

● **Spina Bifida – Gatehouse** - www.sbawp.org

PH: 877-310-5433 or 1-800-243-5787

Residential Program: provides life skills education & prevocational evaluation & support to high school grads w/Spina Bifida & related disabilities. *Referral by OVR*

FINANCES

● **Assistance Office, Indiana County**

PH: 724-357-2900 or 1-800-742-0679

Cash Assistance, Emergency Housing Assistance, Energy Assistance, Food Stamps, Medical Assistance for dependent children

● **Domestic Relations** - www.childsupport.state.pa.us

PH: 724-465-3940

Processes and enforces applications for child/spouse support; establishes paternity (for client case information only); Filing fees and genetic testing fee

● **Social Security** - www.socialsecurity.gov

PH: 1-877-405-7679 or 1-800-772-1213

Application for Social Security number; Supplemental Security Income; Social Security for retirement, disability or survivors benefits (include: dependent children)

FOOD

● **Adagio Health WIC** - www.adagiohealth.org

PH: 1-866-942-2778

Supplemental food and nutrition education program for pregnant, breastfeeding and postpartum women, infants and children up to 5 years of age. Clients must meet income and nutritional need requirements

● **Catholic Charities Helpline**

PH: 1-866-409-6455

Operates 24/7; for basic life necessities/emergency; Emergency Food; free