



# Resource Guide



**Kids & Families Together**

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Ventura, CA 93001  
**[kidsandfamilies.org](http://kidsandfamilies.org)**

*Committed to strengthening families throughout Ventura County*

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## What is a Resource Family?

Resource Families, formerly known as “foster families”, are relative caregivers and community homes who are approved to care for these children and youth. Resource families provide love, stability, nurturing, and comfort during difficult times and serve as the first step in a child and family’s journey towards healing and hope in the future. Resource families are an integral part of this process. As biological families work toward a healthier positive home environment, resource families engage with children and youth in meaningful activities that will assist with their social, educational, and physical wellbeing while accepting them as full members of their families during the children and youth’s time in care. (Homes with Heart VC)

## Informal Kinship Care

Informal Kinship care is recognized as the full-time protection and nurture of children by relatives, members of their Tribes or clans, godparents, stepparents, fictive kin or non-related extended family members. The definition is inclusive and respectful of cultural values and ties of affection-**informal**, where children live with grandparents or other relatives and are not in the custody of a public child welfare agency.

**All phone numbers listed are 805 unless otherwise specified.**

## Support Services Program/Clinical Services

### **Kids & Families Together**

- **Peer Mentorship:** Education and support services with a para-professional with lived experience caring for a relative and/or foster child. Assistance navigating the child welfare system, community resources, and support from someone who's been there!
- **Counseling:** Psychoeducation and therapeutic support with an experienced therapist on topics such as: complex trauma, attachment, therapeutic parenting, development, challenging behaviors, common adoption challenges, self-care, and more. Earn Training Hours!
- **Trainings/Workshops:** K&FT provides the required training for new resource families, along with other trainings and workshops. Visit our website for information. [www.kidsandfamilies.org](http://www.kidsandfamilies.org) or call (805) 643-1446

## Family & Community Resources

- **Kids & Families Together**– Therapeutic Counseling and education support services for Foster/Resource, Informal Kinship, Legal guardianship, Birth families, and Adoptive caregivers.

864 East Santa Clara Ave..... (805) 643-1446

Website- [www.kidsandfamilies.org](http://www.kidsandfamilies.org)

- **Ventura County Human Services Agency (HSA) Reception ADMIN** - Food Stamps, CalWORKS, Medi-Cal, and general relief.

Ventura- 855 Partridge Dr., Ventura..... (805) 477-5100

Oxnard- 1400 Vanguard Dr., Oxnard.....24 hr. Hotline- (805) 654-3200

Website- [www.ventura.org/human-services-agency/human-services-agency](http://www.ventura.org/human-services-agency/human-services-agency)

- **James Storehouse**- Donations (Personal and household needs,) community events. (Referral Required)

3543 Old Conejo Rd. Suite 105, Newbury Park 91320.....(805) 499-7161

Website- [www.jamesstorehouse.org](http://www.jamesstorehouse.org)

- **Shelter Care Resources**– Donations of clothing, diapers, wipes, car seats, furniture and more, for resource families.

(805) 612-7091.....ShelterCareResourcesOxnard@gmail.com

Website- [www.sheltercareresources.com](http://www.sheltercareresources.com)

- **Raising Hope**- Donations and mentorship programs.

1534 N. Moorpark Rd., Suite 213 Thousand Oaks.....(805) 491-5439

Website- <http://www.raisinghope.org/>

- **Child Hope Services**- Christian faith-based foster and adoptive support organization providing services to families interested in fostering and adopting..

Website- [www.childhopeservices.org](http://www.childhopeservices.org)

Email: [info@childhopeservices.org](mailto:info@childhopeservices.org).....(805) 419-6182

- **Catalyst**- Closet of gently used girls and boys clothing (newborn to age 6), and hygiene items. 241 North Mill St., Santa Paula.....(805) 525-2814. Please call to set up a time to come by.

Website- [www.catalystchurchsantapaula.com/](http://www.catalystchurchsantapaula.com/)

- **Defending the Fatherless**- A ministry based group that offers support to foster and adoptive families through events, networking, support groups, meals, and clothing.

Email- [Defendingthefatherless.info@gmail.com](mailto:Defendingthefatherless.info@gmail.com) .....(805) 258-9804

Website- [www.defendingthefatherless.net/](http://www.defendingthefatherless.net/)

- **YMCA**- Free programs and membership to homeless and foster youth and families.

3760 Telegraph Rd.....(805) 642-2131

Website- [www.cymca.org/ventura/](http://www.cymca.org/ventura/)

- **Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Ventura County** – Professionally supported, one-to-one mentoring relationships.

555 Airport Way, Suite D, Camarillo.....(805) 484-2282

Website- [www.bbsvc.org](http://www.bbsvc.org)

- **Boys & Girls Clubs**- After school programs.

Ventura	Oxnard	Camarillo
6020 Nicolle St. #D, Ventura CA	1900 West 5 <sup>th</sup> St., Oxnard CA	1500 Temple Ave., Camarillo CA
1929 Johnson Dr., Ventura CA	126 East 7 <sup>th</sup> St., Oxnard CA	Website-
11321 Violeta St. Ventura CA	590 East Pleasant Valley Rd., Port Hueneme CA	<a href="http://www.bgccam.org/">http://www.bgccam.org/</a>
1440 North Olive St., Ventura CA	Website- <a href="http://www.bgcop.org">www.bgcop.org</a>	
Website-		
<a href="http://bgclubventura.org/">http://bgclubventura.org/</a>		

- **Child Development Resources**- Administers a range of childcare programs and provides referrals to community child care providers.

221 East Ventura Blvd., Oxnard.....(805) 485-7878

Website- [www.cdrv.org](http://www.cdrv.org)

Email- [info@cdrv.org](mailto:info@cdrv.org)

- **Positive Parenting**- A program that focuses on developing strong, deeply committed relationships between parent and child based on communication and mutual respect.

PO BOX 612, Ojai.....(805) 648-6846

Website- [www.positiveparenting.com/  
deb@positiveparenting.com](http://www.positiveparenting.com/deb@positiveparenting.com)

- **Interface**- Provide family support, domestic violence intervention, outreach and youth activities, as well as prevention and counseling within economically challenged communities.

Main Office: 4001 Mission Oaks Blvd. Ste. I, Camarillo.....(805) 485-6114 ext. 603 or 211

Moorpark: 612 Spring Street, Moorpark, CA.....Moorpark Family Medical Clinic

Oxnard: 400 S. B St., Oxnard, CA

Santa Paula: (By Appointment Only) 217 N. 10<sup>th</sup> St.

Thousand Oaks: 80 E. Hillcrest Dr. #175, Thousand Oaks, CA.

- **United Parents**- Provides resource to empower, strengthen and support parents who have children with mental health, emotional, and behavioral disorders.

391 Dawson Dr., Suite 1A, Camarillo.....(805) 384-1555- 24/7 Help Line

Website- [www.unitedparents.org](http://www.unitedparents.org) Email- [info@unitedparents.org](mailto:info@unitedparents.org)

- **Community Action Network**- Provides services in the areas of help for the homeless and pay bills.

621 Richmond Ave., Oxnard.....(805) 436-4000

Website- [www.ca-vc.org/](http://www.ca-vc.org/)

- **Partnership for Safe Families**- A non-profit organization that acts as a powerful collaborative, working to raise awareness s through prevention, intervention, and treatment of family and community violence.

2601 Palma Drive, Ventura.....(805) 535-4489

Website- [www.partnershipforsafefamilies.org/index.html](http://www.partnershipforsafefamilies.org/index.html)

- **Jewish Family Services**- Counseling, Legal Clinic, Survivor Services

857 East Main St. Ventura.....(805) 641-6565

Website- <https://www.jewishventuracounty.org/community-center/ventura-county>

- **Prototypes- (Referral Required)** Provide residential and outpatient addiction treatment, detoxification, mental

health services, prevention and education, vocational training and parenting support for men, women and children.

2150 North Victoria Ave., Oxnard.....(805) 382-6296

Website-[www.prototypes.org/](http://www.prototypes.org/)

- **TAY Tunnel**- Empowers individuals to take an active role in creating positive lifestyle changes within a support, safe and understanding environment. Just helping 18-25 year olds.

141 West 5th St., Suite #D, Oxnard.....(805) 240-2538

Website- <https://www.ventura.org/departments/hsa/community-events/opportunities-for-youth-community-events/tay-tunnel-walk-in-center/>

**City Impact**- Youth outreach programs, counseling programs, family outreach programs.  
555 South A Street, Suite #185 Oxnard.....(805) 983-3636  
Website- [www.cityimpact.com](http://www.cityimpact.com)

Email- [info@cityimpact.com](mailto:info@cityimpact.com), [counseling@cityimpact.com](mailto:counseling@cityimpact.com)

- **Coalition for Family Harmony**- Services for victims of domestic violence and sexual assault, juvenile probation program, teen dating violence, counseling and support groups, family harmony, LGBTQ+ counseling programs, legal services, MFT training and internships, and education and outreach.

1030 North Ventura Rd., Oxnard.....(805) 656-1111

Website- [www.thecoalition.org/](http://www.thecoalition.org/)

Email- [admin@thecoalition.org](mailto:admin@thecoalition.org)

Support Group Info- <http://thecoalition.org/counseling-support-groups/>

Resource Info - <https://thecoalition.org/resources/>

24-Hour Bilingual Crisis Hotline- 1 (800) 300-2181 Se Habla Espanol

- **Social Security Administration**

6477 Telephone Rd. #1, Ventura.....(877) 651-7118

National- 1 (800) 772-1213, TTY: 1 (800) 325-0778

Website- [www.ssa.gov/](http://www.ssa.gov/)

- **St. John’s Babies First Program**- Services for pregnant women and new mothers.

St. John’s Regional Medical Center, 1600 North Rose Ave., Oxnard.....1 (855) 523-2395

Website- [www.dignityhealth.org/central-coast/locations/stjohnsregional/services/maternity-and-birth-center](http://www.dignityhealth.org/central-coast/locations/stjohnsregional/services/maternity-and-birth-center)

En Español- Encuentre información acerca de los servicios de Maternidad y Centro de Natalidad.

<https://www.dignityhealth.org/central-coast/locations/stjohnsregional/services/maternidad>

- **El Concilio Family Services**- A non-profit organization that provides direct assistance, educational programs and immigration legal services to the underserved Latino community.

301 South C Street, Oxnard.....(805) 486-9777 (Spanish Available)

Website- [www.elconciliofs.org/](http://www.elconciliofs.org/)

Email- [admin@elconciliofs.org](mailto:admin@elconciliofs.org)

- **Mixteco Indigena Community Organizing Project (MICOP)**- Promotes indigenous equality and healthy families through services such as, family support, case management, interpreter services for Spanish/English/Mixteco, parenting classes, monthly community meetings, and an indigenous Women’s Support Group.

520 West 5<sup>th</sup> St. #F, Oxnard.....(805) 483-1166

Website: [www.mixteco.org/](http://www.mixteco.org/)

Email: [MICOP@MIXTECO.ORG](mailto:MICOP@MIXTECO.ORG)

**Easter Seals Tri- Counties, California**- Aids with people with disabilities in

order to assist them learn, work, and play in our community. Foster children typically qualify for very low or no cost services.

10730 Henderson Rd., Ventura.....(805) 647-1141

Website- <https://www.easterseals.com/southernca/>

## Grandparent Resources

- **Kids & Families Together**– A not-for-profit support, education, and counseling resource center that provides services for individuals and families in foster/resource care, kinship care, legal guardianship, adoption, as well as birth families, for the preservation of families and the physical, emotional, and mental health of children.

864 East Santa Clara Ave.....(805) 643-1446

Website- [www.kidsandfamilies.org](http://www.kidsandfamilies.org)

- **Grandparents as Parents (GAP)**- Weekly support groups, emergency referrals, resource assistance, crisis intervention, and other services.

ONEgeneration Senior Enrichment Center- 18255 Victory Blvd., Reseda

ONEgeneration Adult Daycare and Childcare- 17400 Victory Blvd., Van Nuys

(818) 264-0880

Website- <http://www.onegeneration.org/seniors/grandparents-as-parents/>

Email- [info@grandparentsasparents.org](mailto:info@grandparentsasparents.org)

- **Social Security Administration-**

- 6477 Telephone Rd. 1, Ventura..... (855) 651-7118

National- 1 (800) 772-1273, TTY: 1 (800) 325-0778

Website- [www.ssa.gov/](http://www.ssa.gov/)

- **Senior Legal Hotline of Legal Services of California– Grandparent Project**– Legal advice by phone or email about guardianship petitions for people over 60 or low-income residents of Northern California.

Executive Office | Finance Department Legal Services of Northern California- 517 – 12<sup>th</sup> St., Sacramento.....800-222-1753

Website: [www.lsn.net/slh](http://www.lsn.net/slh)

- **Grandfamilies.org**– Easy-to-use searchable database of state laws and legislation directly impacting kinship families.

Website- [www.granfamilies.org](http://www.granfamilies.org)

## Medical Resources

- **Medi-Cal**

Phone Support- 1.800.541.5555

Automated Phone Center- 1.800.786.4346

California Department of Health Care Services- (916) 552-9200

Website- <https://www.medi-cal.ca.gov/>

[www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/medi-cal/Pages/default.aspx](http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/medi-cal/Pages/default.aspx)

To apply online- [www.benefitscal.org/](http://www.benefitscal.org/)

- **Camarillo Hospice**

400 Rosewood Ave. # 102, Camarillo,.....(805) 389-6870

Website- <http://www.lmvna.org/hospice/>

Email- [hospice@lmvna.org](mailto:hospice@lmvna.org)



- **Salvation Army (Discontinued Dental Care)** Utilities, chapel and homeless services.  
622 West Wooley Rd., Oxnard.....(805) 483-9235

### Food Resources

- **Project Understanding**– Food, housing and tutoring.  
2734 Johnson Drive, Suite E, Ventura..... (805) 652-1326

Website- [www.projectunderstanding.org/](http://www.projectunderstanding.org/)

- **Catholic Charities Community Services– Food Pantry**  
303 North Ventura Ave. #A, Ventura.....(805) 643-4694

Website- <https://www.catholiccharitiesvc.org/>

### Counseling

- **Kids & Families Together**– Counseling education support services for kinship, foster, adoptive, and biological families. Kids & Families Together works with parents, children, individuals, and families. (Referral required for some programs.)
- 864 East Santa Clara St., Ventura.....(805) 643-1446 ext. 180

Website- [www.kidsandfamilies.org](http://www.kidsandfamilies.org)

- **Cal Lutheran Community Counseling & Parent Child Study Center**– Offers quality counseling services to individuals, couples, families, adolescents, and children while providing training for students.

Oxnard– 2200 Outlet Center Drive, Suite #470, Oxnard..... (805) 493-3059

Westlake Village– 31416 Agoura Road #115..... (805) 493-3390

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4001 Mission Oaks Blvd. Ste, I, Camarillo.....(805) 485-6114 ext. 603 or 211

Website- <https://www.icfs.org/>

Resource Centers:

Santa Paula- 123 N. 10<sup>th</sup> St., Santa Paula (By appointment only)

Oxnard- 400 South B Street, Oxnard

- Oxnard- **TAY Tunnel**– Empowers individuals to take an active role in creating positive lifestyle changes within a supportive, safe and understanding environment.

141 West 5th St., Suite #D, Oxnard.....(805) 240-2538

Website- <https://www.ventura.org/departments/hsa/community-events/opportunities-for-youth-community-events/tay-tunnel-walk-in-center/>

- **Coalition for Family Harmony**– Direct services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.

1030 North Ventura Rd., Oxnard.....(805) 983-6014

Website- [www.thecoalition.org](http://www.thecoalition.org)

Email- [admin@thecoalition.org](mailto:admin@thecoalition.org)

- **United Parents**- Provides resource to empower, strengthen and support parents who have children with mental health, emotional, and behavioral disorders.

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Website: [www.unitedparents.org](http://www.unitedparents.org)

Email: [info@unitedparents.org](mailto:info@unitedparents.org)

- **Jewish Family Services**- Counseling.

740 East Main St., Ventura.....(805) 641-6565

Website: <https://www.jewishventuracounty.org/community-center/ventura-county>

- **City Impact**- Youth outreach programs, counseling programs, family outreach programs.

555 South A Street, Suite #185, Oxnard.....(805) 983-3636

Website: [www.cityimpact.com](http://www.cityimpact.com)

Email: [info@cityimpact.com](mailto:info@cityimpact.com), [counseling@cityimpact.com](mailto:counseling@cityimpact.com)

- **Ventura County Behavioral Health (VCBH)**- Mental health assessments and treatment.

1911 Williams Dr. #200, Oxnard.....(805) 981-6830

Crisis and Referral Line.....1-866-998-2243

Suicide Prevention Line.....1-800-273-8255

Substance Abuse Treatment Services.....1-844-385-9200

Website: [www.vchca.org/agency-divisions/behavioral-health](http://www.vchca.org/agency-divisions/behavioral-health)

- **VCBH Screening, Triage, Assessment & Referral (Star) Program**- Mental health assessments and services.

24/7 Hotline- 1-866-998-2243

Website: [www.vchca.org/screening-triage-assessment-referral-star](http://www.vchca.org/screening-triage-assessment-referral-star)

## Legal Resources

- **Superior Court of Ventura County Self-Help/Family Law Centers**- Family law and non-family law self-help centers to assist persons who represent themselves in court. No eligibility requirements. Main number.....(805) 289-8864

Ventura address: Ventura Courthouse, 800 South Victoria Ave. First floor, room 106

Oxnard: Juvenile Courthouse, 4353 East Vineyard Ave. Room 206, Oxnard

Website: [www.ventura.courts.ca.gov/self-help.html](http://www.ventura.courts.ca.gov/self-help.html), <https://www.courts.ca.gov/selfhelp.htm>

Website (Espanol): <https://www.courts.ca.gov/selfhelp.htm?rdeLocaleAttr=es>

[http://www.ventura.courts.ca.gov/pdf\\_files/2020\\_FRC\\_Flyer.pdf](http://www.ventura.courts.ca.gov/pdf_files/2020_FRC_Flyer.pdf)

- **California Rural Legal Assistance**- Provides low-income rural Californians with free legal assistance and a variety of community education and outreach programs.

338 South A St., Oxnard.....(805) 483-8083/(805) 486-1068

Website: [www.crla.org/](http://www.crla.org/)

- **Senior Legal Hotline of Legal Services of California- Grandparent Project**- Legal advice by phone or email about guardianship petitions for people over 60 or low-income

residents of Sacramento County. **\*\*Out of County Services\*\***

(800) 222-1753

Website: [www.lsnc.net/slh](http://www.lsnc.net/slh)

- **AdvoKids- Advocacy, Access, Accountability**

Provides Child Welfare legal resources by phone or email. The only free telephone hotline providing child welfare law information for anyone concerned about a child in foster care in California. Advokids provides callers with information and assistance with understanding and navigating the child welfare system and the juvenile court dependency system. The hotline is open daily, Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. We are closed for lunch from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. We are also closed on all major holidays.

Hotline: 877-238-4543.....Attorney Consultation Hotline: 415-924-0587

Email: [advocate@advokids.org](mailto:advocate@advokids.org)

Website: <https://www.advokids.org/>

### Adoption Assistance and Resources

- **Kids & Families Together-** Counseling education support services for kinship, foster, and Adoptive families. (REFERRAL REQUIRED)

864 East Santa Clara Ave., Ventura.....(805) 643-1446 ext. 107

Website: [www.kidsandfamilies.org](http://www.kidsandfamilies.org)

- **North American Council on Adoptable Children (NACAC)-** Provides information about your state's subsidy, in addition to other adoption information.

Website: [www.nacac.org](http://www.nacac.org)

- **Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption-** Provides adoption resources.

Website: [www.davethomasfoundation.org](http://www.davethomasfoundation.org)

- **Cooper's Downtown Closet-** A clothing resource closet

Please contact Lisa Wolf.....(805) 746-2437

### Guardianship Assistance and Resources

- **Kids & Families Together-** Counseling education support services for kinship, foster, and Legal guardian families.

864 East Santa Clara St., Ventura.....(805) 643-1446

Website- [www.kidsandfamilies.org](http://www.kidsandfamilies.org)

- **Superior Court of Ventura County Self-Help/Family Law Centers-** Family law and non-family law self-help centers to assist persons who represent themselves in court. No eligibility requirements.

Main number: (805) 289-8900

Ventura address: Ventura Courthouse, 800 South Victoria Ave. First floor, room 106, Ventura

Oxnard address: Juvenile Courthouse, 4353 East Vineyard Ave. Room 206, Oxnard

Website- [www.ventura.courts.ca.gov/self-help.html](http://www.ventura.courts.ca.gov/self-help.html)

- **Grandfamilies.org**– Easy-to-use searchable database of state laws and legislation directly impacting kinship families.  
Website: [www.grandfamilies.org](http://www.grandfamilies.org)

### Child Welfare

- **Ventura County Human Services Agency (HSA)**- Food Stamps, CalWORKS, Medi-Cal, general relief.  
Ventura: 855 Partridge Dr., Ventura.....(805) 477-5100  
Oxnard: 1400 Vanguard Dr., Oxnard.....(888) 472-4463  
24 hr. Hotline- (805) 654-3200  
Website: [www.ventura.org/human-services-agency/human-services-agency](http://www.ventura.org/human-services-agency/human-services-agency)

### Housing Resources

- **Oxnard Housing Authority**– Provides housing for eligible low and very low-income families. All applications are closed, no date available for openings.  
435 South “D” Street, Oxnard.....(805) 385-8041  
Website: [www.oxnard.org/city-department/housing/](http://www.oxnard.org/city-department/housing/)
- **Santa Paula Housing Authority**- Provides housing for eligible low and very low income families.  
15500 West Telegraph Rd., Suite B11, Santa Paula.....(805) 525-3339
- **Port Hueneme Housing Authority**- Provides housing for eligible low and very low income families. This has a 10 year waiting list.  
250 North Ventura Rd., Port Hueneme.....(805) 986-6527  
Website: [www.ci.port-hueneme.ca.us/index.aspx?NID=871](http://www.ci.port-hueneme.ca.us/index.aspx?NID=871)
- **Ventura Housing Authority**- Provides housing for eligible low and very low income families.  
995 Riverside Street, Ventura.....(805) 648-5008  
Website: [www.hacityventura.org/](http://www.hacityventura.org/)
- **County of Ventura Area Housing Authority**- Provides housing for eligible low and very low Income families.  
1400 West Hillcrest Drive, Newbury Park.....1-800-800-2123 / (805) 480-9991  
Website: <https://www.ahacv.org/>
- **Ventura County Human Services Agency (HSA)**- Those who qualify may receive immediate temporary housing, rental assistance, and supportive services.  
(805) 385-1800

Website: [www.vchsa.org/help](http://www.vchsa.org/help)

- **The Kingdom Center Oxnard Gabriel's House**- Women and children's shelter in Oxnard. Oxnard, CA.....(805) 487-3445

Cindy Wilson, Director- (805) 487-3445

Website: [www.gabriels-house.org/](http://www.gabriels-house.org/)

- **Catholic Charities Community Services**- Food Pantry.

Ventura- 303 North Ventura Ave. #A, Ventura.....(805) 643-4694

Oxnard- 402 North A St, Oxnard.....(805) 486-2900

Moorpark- 612 Spring Rd. #101, Moorpark.....(805) 529-0720

Spanish Family Caregiver Resource Center- 201 North 1-tth St. Suite D, Santa Paula, (805) 486-2900 x302

Website- [www.catholiccharitiesvc.org/contact.html](http://www.catholiccharitiesvc.org/contact.html)

- **Lighthouse for Women & Children**- Serves homeless single women and mothers with children.

104 North Hayes Ave., Oxnard.....(805) 385-7200

150 North Hayes Ave., Oxnard.....(805) 385-7200

Website- [www.vcrescuemission.org/lighthouse/](http://www.vcrescuemission.org/lighthouse/)

- **Ventura County Rescue Mission**- Emergency shelter and residential substance abuse Recovery program.

234 East 6<sup>th</sup> St., Oxnard.....(805) 487-1234

Website- [www.vcrescuemission.org/](http://www.vcrescuemission.org/)

- **Project Understanding**- Food, housing and tutoring.

2734 Johnson Drive, Suite E, Ventura.....(805) 652-1326

Website- [www.projectunderstanding.org/](http://www.projectunderstanding.org/)

- **RAIN Project**- Provides nutritious meals, intensive case management services, employment assistance, life skills courses, and privately-funded enrichment programs for children.

1732 South Lewis Rd., Camarillo

(805) 383-7505

For screenings call- (805) 652-2151

Website- [www.raincommunities.org/](http://www.raincommunities.org/)

- **Salvation Army Ventura Transitional Living Center**- Transitional living, counseling, life skills classes, parenting classes, case management, and housing placement assistance.

155 South Oak Street, Ventura.....(805) 648-4977

Website- [www.venturatlc.salvationarmy.org/](http://www.venturatlc.salvationarmy.org/)

## Recovery Programs

- **County of Ventura Alcohol and Drug Programs and Locations-**

Website- [www.venturacountylimits.org/about/alcohol-and-drug-treatment-programs/](http://www.venturacountylimits.org/about/alcohol-and-drug-treatment-programs/)

- **Fillmore Center**

828 West Ventura St. Suite 250, Fillmore.....(805) 524-8644

- **Oxnard Center**

1911 Williams Drive, Oxnard.....(805) 981-9200

- **Simi Valley Center**

3150 East Los Angeles Ave., Simi Valley.....(805) 577-1724

- **Ventura Center**

24 East Main St., Ventura.....(805) 652-6919

- **A New Start for Moms**

1911 Williams Dr. Suite 140, Oxnard.....(805) 981-9250

- **Palmer Drug Abuse Program (PDAP)-** Non-residential adolescent drug and alcohol abuse treatment program.

450 Rosewood Ave. Suite 215, Camarillo.....(805) 482-1265

Website- [www.pdapofventura.com/homepage/](http://www.pdapofventura.com/homepage/)

Email- [info@pdapofventura.com](mailto:info@pdapofventura.com)

- **Lighthouse for Women & Children-** Addiction recovery for single women and mothers with children.

104 North Hayes Ave., Oxnard- .....(805) 385-7200

150 North Hayes Ave., Oxnard.....(805) 385-7200

Website- [www.vcrescuemission.org/lighthouse/](http://www.vcrescuemission.org/lighthouse/)

- **Turning Point Foundation-** Shelter, supported housing and rehabilitation programs

505 Poli St Suite 401, Ventura, CA .....(805) 652-0000

Website- [www.turningpointfoundation.org](http://www.turningpointfoundation.org)

- **Prototypes-** Provide residential and outpatient addiction treatment, detoxification, mental health services, prevention and education, vocational training and parenting support for men, women and children.

2150 North Victoria Ave., Oxnard.....(805) 382-6296

Website-[www.prototypes.org/](http://www.prototypes.org/)

Email- [info@pdapofventura.com](mailto:info@pdapofventura.com)

- **Action Family Counseling-** Drug & Alcohol Rehab Centers

1-800-367-8336

Website- <https://www.actiondrugrehab.com/>

Santa Clarita- 22722 Soledad Canyon Rd., Santa Clarita

Simi Valley- 4380 Apricot Rd., Simi Valley  
Bakersfield- 3801 Buck Owens Blvd. #105, Bakersfield

### Financial Resources

- **Social Security Administration**  
6477 Telephone Rd. #1, Ventura.....(877) 651-7118  
National- 1 (800) 772-1213, TTY: 1 (800) 325-0778  
Website- [www.ssa.gov/](http://www.ssa.gov/)
- **Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)- CalFresh Program**  
California Department of Social Services  
Benefits Helpline – (877) 847-3663.....<https://www.cdss.ca.gov/inforesources/calfresh>  
Email- [piar@dss.ca.gov](mailto:piar@dss.ca.gov)  
To apply online- [www.benefitscal.org/](http://www.benefitscal.org/)
- **California’s CalWORKS Program-** Public assistance program that provides cash aid and services for eligible families that have child(ren) in the home.  
California Department of Social Services  
1-800-952-5253 or (916) 651-8848.....[www.cdss.ca.gov/calworkds](http://www.cdss.ca.gov/calworkds)  
Website- [www.cdss.ca.gov/CalWORKS](http://www.cdss.ca.gov/CalWORKS)  
Email-[piar@dss.ca.gov](mailto:piar@dss.ca.gov)  
To apply online- [www.benefitscal.org/](http://www.benefitscal.org/)
- **Woman, Infants & Children (WIC)-** Provides Federal grants to States for supplemental foods, health care referrals, and nutrition education for low-income pregnant, breastfeeding, and non-breastfeeding postpartum women, and to infants and children up to age five who are found to be at nutritional risk.  
2500 South C St., Oxnard.....(805) 981-5251  
Website- [www.vchca.org/women-infants-and-children-wic](http://www.vchca.org/women-infants-and-children-wic)

### Education Resources

- **Ventura County Office of Education (VCOE)-** Professional development and educational courses and seminars, operate schools that serve educationally disadvantaged students, and provide career education programs.  
VCOE Administrative Services Center  
5189 Verdugo Way, Camarillo.....(805) 383-1900  
VCOE Conference and Educational Services Center  
5100 Adolfo Rd., Camarillo.....(805) 383-1900

Website- [www.vcoe.org/](http://www.vcoe.org/)

- **California Department of Education, Special Education**

(916) 319-0800

Website- [www.cde.ca.gov/sp/se/](http://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/se/)

- **Center for Parent Information & Resources**- Information to help parents and caregivers with children who have special education needs and disabilities.

Online State Directory to find Parent Centers in your state- [www.parentcenterhub.org/find-your-center/](http://www.parentcenterhub.org/find-your-center/)

- **Head Start and Early Head Start**- Free learning and development services to children ages birth to 5 from low-income families. Early Head Start and Head Start welcome children with disabilities.

Some Early Head Start programs also provide prenatal services for pregnant women.

Child Development Resources of Ventura County (CDR) .....(805) 485-7878

24-Hour Information Line.....(800) 962-5437

Website- <https://www.cdrv.org/>

- **Project Understanding Tutoring Centers**- Provide extra instruction for students grades K-5 with volunteer tutors in one-to-one interaction.

Ventura County.....(805) 652-1326 ext. 303

Website- [www.projectunderstanding.org/tutoring/](http://www.projectunderstanding.org/tutoring/)

**Child Care Aware**- Child care resources, financial assistance, health and social services.

1-800-424-2246

Website- [www.childcareaware.org/families/](http://www.childcareaware.org/families/)

- **Foster Kinship Care and Education (FKCE)**- A program of Ventura County Community

Colleges provides free education and training to potential and existing foster & kinship care providers to assist them in meeting the needs of the youth in their care.

Ventura College- Rhonda Carlson (805) 289-6327 or [rcarlson@vcccd.edu](mailto:rcarlson@vcccd.edu)

Oxnard College- Debbie Flowers (805) 986-5800 x2018 or [DebbieFlowers@vcccd.edu](mailto:DebbieFlowers@vcccd.edu)



## Transportation

- **Mobility Management Partners**– Teach people with physical and developmental disabilities how to use public transportation independently throughout Ventura County, at no cost.

330 Wood Rd. Suite A, Camarillo.....(888) 667-7003

Website- [www.mobilitymp.org](http://www.mobilitymp.org)

Email- [info@mobilitymp.org](mailto:info@mobilitymp.org)

- Travel Training– Teaches you how to use public transportation independently throughout Ventura County and a mileage reimbursement program.

- **OASIS (Older Adult Services and Intervention System)**- Transport seniors to medical Appointments and older adult services.

25 N. Las Posas Rd., Camarillo.....(805) 987-2083

Website- [www.catholiccharitiesla.org/what-we-do/protect-the-aging/oasis/](http://www.catholiccharitiesla.org/what-we-do/protect-the-aging/oasis/)





## Kids & Families Together

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Clinical and Administrative Center:  
864 East Santa Clara Street, Ventura, CA 93001  
(805) 643-1446

Support Programs & Training Center:  
1317 Del Norte Rd., Suite 150, Camarillo, CA 93012  
(805) 643-1446

[www.kidsandfamilies.org](http://www.kidsandfamilies.org)