Where To Turn

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Where To Turn lists the telephone numbers of service providers by category. The lists include government, publicly funded and non-profit programs, and paid advertisers. For services outside Washington, contact the U.S. Administration on Aging's Eldercare Locator at 1-800-677-1116.

ABOUT THE PUBLISHER

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Where to Turn, published annually, is a resource guide used by seniors, their families, friends and caregivers to find community services provided by government and private providers. Separate editions of Where to Turn are published for Kitsap County, Pierce County and King County and are distributed free of charge through more than 200 partnering organizations.

Senior Scene, a monthly newspaper, is distributed free at more than 370 locations in Pierce County and King County. Readers enjoy news, features and information aimed at helping them lead healthy, active, informed and meaningful lives.

Information about Senior Media Services is at 253-722-5687 and seniorscene.org.

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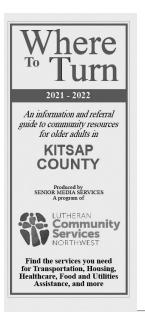
Lutheran Community Services Northwest (LCSNW) is a non-profit human services agency with offices and programs in Washington, Oregon and Idaho. Its origins date to 1921, and its services--focused on health, justice and hope for individuals, families and communities--touch the lives of people of all ages, cultures and faiths. In Kitsap County, programs include:

• Home Care, helping seniors and people with disabilities remain in their homes personal care, companionship, respite car and light housekeeping. Our assistance is often referred to as non-medical home care. More information is available at homecare@lcsnw.org and 253-722-5680.

• Senior Companion, matching trained volunteers with isolated seniors and disabled adults for companionship such as playing cards, sharing hobbies, going for walks, and transportation for short errands or appointments. More information is at seniorcompanion@lcsnw.org and 253-722-5686.

• Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP), part of the Corporation for National and Community Service, helps older volunteers find roles that fit their specific skills and interests. More information is at RSVPkitsapcounty@ lcsnw.org and 360-377-5511.

• Military Family Respite Care helps military families who have children with special needs by providing up to



40 hours per month of no-cost respite care, allowing parents to attend appointments or rest. More information is at 360-479-3489.

• Where to Turn community resources guide, published by Senior Media Services.

For additional copies of Where To Turn please contact Senior Media Services at 253-722-5687 or pjenkins@lcsnw.org

ADULT DAY CARE

Caregiver Support Center	360-337-5700
Gateway Adult Services	360-377-9810

ADVOCACY and COMPLAINTS

Adult Protective Services/DSHS 877-734-6277
Better Business Bureau 206-431-2222
Disability Rights Washington 800-562-2702
DSHS Residential Care Services 253-983-3819
Kitsap County Long-term Care Ombudsman
360-337-5714
State Attorney General Consumer Protection
800-551-4636
State Insurance Commissioner 800-562-6900

CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY

Al-Anon	888-425-2666
Alcoholics Anonymous	253-474-8897
Kitsap Recovery Center	360-337-4625

CRIME PREVENTION

Bainbridge Island Police	206-842-5211
Bremerton Police	360-473-5220
Crimestoppers of Puget Sound	800-222-TIPS
Kitsap County Sheriff	360-337-7101
Port Orchard Police	360-876-1700

DEMENTIA CARE/ SERVICES

DENTAL CARE

DISASTER/EMERGENCY SERVICES

Kitsap County Department of Eme	ergency
Management	360-307-5871
Salvation Army	360-373-5550

DISABILITY-RELATED SERVICES

Disabled American Veterans DSHS	
Kitsap County Division of Aging	
Care	,
Northwest Access Fund	
Northwest ADA Center	
Washington Talking Book and E	
	206-615-0400



Central Kitsap Food Bank in Silverdale is one of many countywide where volunteers and generous donors help the hungry. See the Food Banks/Food Assistance category for where to call for information.





PHONE DISCOUNTS: Qualifying low-income consumers can receive discounts on their telephone service through the +Federal Communications Commission's Lifeline program. Information is available at 888-641-8722.

FOOD BANKS / FOOD ASSISTANCE

Bainbridge Island Helpline House	. 206-842-7621
Bremerton Food Line	. 360-479-6188
Central Kitsap Food Bank	. 360-692-9818
DSHS Home and CommunityServices .	360-842-2112
Kingston Food Bank	. 360-297-4861
Meals on Wheels Kitsap	. 360-377-8511
Salvation Army	360-373-5550
South Kitsap Helpline	. 360-876-4089
St. Vincent de Paul	. 360-377-2929

HEALTHCARE / HOSPITALS

	360-377-3776
Peninsula Community Health Ser	
Naval Hospital Bremerton	
Kitsap Public Health District	360-728-2235
	866-844-9355
Kitsap County Medical Society phy	ysician referrals
Poulsbo 360-598-7500, Silverda	le360-744-8800
Bremerton and Port Orchard	360-744-3911
St. Michael Medical Center:	

HEARING

Hearing, Speech and Deafness Center ... 206-323-5770

HOSPICE

CHI Franciscan	. 1-866-969-7028
Kaiser Permanente Home Health	and
Hospice	206-326-4530

HOUSING ASSISTANCE / HOUSING REPAIRS

Bremerton Housing Authority
Housing Kitsap
Housing Resources Bainbridge 206-842-1909
Kitsap Community Resources 360-473-2035
VA Supportive Housing 253-582-8440
Washington State Housing Finance Commission
206-464-7139

IMMIGRATION SERVICES

Kitsap Immigrant Assisstance Center 360-616-0479
U.S. Immigration and Naturalization
800-375-5283

IN-HOME CARE/HEALTH SERVICES

LEGAL ASSISTANCE

LEGISLATION / STATE

LONG-TERM CARE

MEDICARE / HEALTH INSURANCE

MENTAL HEALTH / SUICIDE PREVENTION

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline ...1-800-273-8255 Peninsula Community Health Services ... 360-377-3776



CENTERS FOR SENIORS: Givens Community Center in Port Orchard hosts activities for seniors, as do senior centers and other community centers throughout Kitsap County. See the Senior and Community Center listings.

MINORITY SERVICES

Korean Women's Association	253-535-4202
Office of Minority Affairs and Diversity	. 206-543-7132
Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe	360-297-2646
Suquamish Tribe	360-598-3311

SENIOR / COMMUNITY CENTERS

Bainbridge Island Senior Center	206-842-1616
Bremerton Family YMCA	360-377-3741
Bremerton Senior Recreation Center	360-473-5357
Givens Community Center (Port Ord	chard)
	360-337-5700
Haselwood Family YMCA (Silverdale)	
North Kitsap Senior Center	360-779-5702
Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe Senior	Center
	360-297-9627
Suquamish Tribe Elders Lodge	360-598-6883
Village Green Community Center (K	ingston)
	360-297-1263

SOCIAL SECURITY

Social Security Administration 800-772-1213 Bremerton office1-855-820-0098



TRANSPORTATION: Kitsap Transit's Access offers door-to-door or curb-to-curb transportation for elderly and disabled riders. Information is available at kitsap-transit.com and 360-377-2877.

SUPPORT GROUPS/ ASSOCIATIONS

Alzheimer's Association	800-272-3900
Brain Injury Alliance of Washington .	1-877-824-1766
Kitsap County Caregiver Suppor	t Center
	360-337-5700
Widowed Information and Consu	Itation Services
(WICS)	206-241-5650

TAX HELP/INFORMATION

AARP Tax-Aide	888-687-2277
IRS	800-829-1040
Kitsap County assessor	360-337-7160

TRANSPORTATION

Amtrak	800-872-7245
Catholic Community Services volunt	eer
transportation	253-502-2708
Kitsap Transit 800-501-7433,	360-377-2877
Paratransit Services	360-377-7007
State ferries	800-843-3779

UTILITIES ASSISTANCE

Federal Lifeline Telephone Program 888-641-872	2
Kitsap Community Resources 360-377-005	3
Kitsap County Public Utility District 360-779-765	6
Salvation Army 360-373-555	0
Washington Utilities and Transportation	
Commission 360-664-1160	0



VETERANS

American Legion • Post 149 Bremerton 360-373-8983 • Post 30 Port Orchard 360-908-7319 Disabled American Veterans 360-373-2397 Fleet Reserve Association 360-373-2296 Kitsap Community Resources 360-377-0053 Kitsap County Veterans Assistance 360-337-4811 Marine Corps League 360-695-7233 Navy League 360-479-1233 U.S. Veterans Affairs 360-377-6739 Washington Department of Veterans Affairs 800-562-2308 Washington Veterans Home-Port Orchard 360-895-4700

VOLUNTEERING

AARP Tax-Aide	888-227-7669
Citizens on Patrol/Kitsap County She	eriff
· · ·	360-337-4650
Kitsap County Parks	360-337-5350
Kitsap County Volunteer Services	360-337-5777
Retired and Senior Volunteer Progra	m (RSVP)
	360-377-5511
Senior Companion	
360-377-5511,	
United Way of Kitsap County	
Meals on Wheels (Lutheran Commun	
	253-722-5684
MultiCare Hospice Volunteer	
	253-403-1005
Retired and Senior Volunteer Progra	
	253-722-5695
Senior Companion Program	
	253-272-8433
Senior Media Services (Senior Scen	
delivery)	
Service Corps of Retired Executives	. ,
	253-680-7770
SHIBA Helpline (Statewide Health	
(Insurance Benefit Advisors)	
253) 596-0918,	000-002-0900

St. Anthony Hospital	253-530-2000
St. Joseph Medical Center	253-426-4101
St. Michael Medical Center	360-744-5598
Tacoma Area Coalition of Individuals	with
Disabilities (TACID)	253-565-9000
Volunteer Chore Services	253-502-2741





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Curnow Funeral Home & Cremation Services (253) 863-2800 CurnowFuneralHome.com