Financial Assistance

American Legion State Hdqtrs.

14 1st Avenue SE Codington County Courthouse 605-886-3604 Men & women, who served during wartime conflict, will be considered for temporary financial aid. This is a program which covers the basic needs of children; families without children will not be considered. If eligible, help is received in

the form of a one-time grant which does not need to be paid back. An application needs to be filled out at the local American Legion Post.

Codington County Cares Cancer Foundation

818 S Broadway 605-878-3232 Email: torisimonccc@hotmail.com Facebook: CodingtonCountyCaresCancerFoundation This foundation exists to provide advocacy, emotional and financial support to cancer patients.

Codington Veterans Service Office

101 19th St NE 605-882-6289 E-mail: veteran@codington.org Provides expert claims service to every eligible Codington County veteran and his/her dependents and survivors; they also aide the veteran in understanding entitlements, which can minimize the burden of health and economic stress, and they process the necessary forms for Federal as well as State Veteran benefits. Call prior for an appointment.

Codington County Welfare Office

7 West Kemp Phone: 605-882-6286 Fax: 605-882-5243 Email: codwelfare@codington.org <u>www.codington.org</u> Assist with rent, utilities, medical & offer prescription discount card for those who meet the qualifications. Interested parties need to apply through the county.

Codington County WIC, Community Health Office

104 1st Ave NW 605-882-5177

Facebook: <u>South Dakota WIC Program</u> This is a supplemental food program available to pregnant or nursing women, infants, and children under age 5, who meet income guidelines and have medical and nutritional needs.

Free Laundry - Westside Laundry

7 8th St SW 605-941-6054 Facebook: <u>WestsideLaundrySD</u> Last Wednesday of the month from 6-8pm courtesy of the Cornerstone Church. Soaps and coins are provided.

Inter-Lakes Community Action Partnership (ICAP)

7 – 8th Ave SE 605-886-7674 Contact: Cindy Raml E-mail: craml@interlakescap.com <u>www.interlakescap.com</u> A community based non-profit organization which serves primarily low-income families and senior citizens in a 14-county area of East Central South Dakota. We administer a variety of programs supported through grants, donations, and other community resources to assist participants and their communities to achieve their full potential.

Lutheran Social Services LSS Consumer Credit Services:

Call 888-258-2227 Consultation on personal finances, establish personal spending & debt management plan, student loan counseling, financial education, debt and credit education, and home buyer/owner education. CFR is dedicated to educating consumers on financial fitness, housing issues and the wise use of credit.

SD Department of Social Services – Economic Assistance

2001 9th Ave SW Suite 300 Phone: 605-882-5000 or 866-239-6787 Fax: 605-882-5045 Email: DSSRegion5EA@state.sd.us <u>https://dss.sd.gov/economicassistance/</u> Provide medical, nutritional, financial, and case management services to promote the well-being of lower income families, children, people with disabilities, and the elderly. Office hours M-F 9:00am-4pm.

Social Security Administration

514 Jenson Ave SE, Watertown 1-888-737-1763 or TTY:1-800-772-1213 Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm

www.ssa.gov

Provides continuing income to a person or family when earnings stop or are reduced due to disability, retirement or death.

Suzanne Jacobson Foundation

Prairie Lakes Healthcare Foundation 401-9th Ave NW 605-882-7631 www.prairielakes.com/foundation-causes/give-

help-suzanne-jacobson-memorial-fund-3810.html The SJMF is a grant opportunity for people with a life-threatening illness that need financial assistance. Funds may be used to assist with medical expenses, transportation costs, prescriptions and groceries.

The Salvation Army

621 4th St SE 605-886-4030 Contact: Shannon Schafer Email: Shannon.Schafer@USC.salvationarmy.org Assist with rent, utilities, prescriptions, gas, meals, motel rooms, and vouchers for the Salvation Army Thrift Store. Hours by appointment are Monday – Friday from 9am-3pm.