

WATERTOWN AREA

Family Resource

DIRECTORY



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There are resources, programs and caring professionals close at hand and ready to help families in the Watertown area. The purpose of this guide is to promote healthy family life, the importance of family & the community resources available to help families thrive.

For information about the guide contact:

Watertown Healthy Youth Coalition

123 19th Street NE, Watertown

P: 884-3518 E: kellir@humanserviceagency.org

**Online version of Family Resource Directory
is available at www.humanserviceagency.org**

To search for Local Businesses and Services or to download printable documents go to: www.codingtonconnects.com

Easily connect with local entities you need, when you need them. Select a category from the dropdown and appropriate businesses, services, and resources will display.

This print directory is updated every three years, last revision was November 2023.

Alcoholism/Drug (Addictions) Information & Treatment

Human Service Agency – Addiction Services

Human Service Agency
123 19th St NE
605-886-0123
Fax: 605-884-3520
www.humanserviceagency.org
Contact: Cynthia Binde, LAC
Walk-in Evaluations on Mondays and Tuesdays. 9am registration; 10am evaluation

- Addictions Evaluations
- Adult Chemical Dependency/ Gambling Intensive Outpatient Treatment Program
- Adult Aftercare Support Groups
- Adult Relapse Prevention Group
- Individual and Family Counseling
- DUI Classes
- Chemical Abuse Treatment Program
- Youth Prevention & Early Intervention programs
- UA testing is available
- Cognitive Behavioral Interventions Substance Abuse (CBISA) Treatment

Serenity Hills

119 19th St NE
605-884-0650
Ext 1 for Detox; Ext 2 for Half-way House
Contact: Deb Hamer, LAC or Amber Hughes, RN
A residential facility for those suffering from mental illness and/or addictions. It offers a unique environment of compassion, dignity, structure and serenity. Serenity Hills offers distinct programs within a single facility: Social Setting Medically Monitored Detox, Dual Diagnosis Halfway House and an Appropriate Regional Facility. There are 16 Halfway House beds, 4 Detox Beds and 4 mental health Crisis Stabilization rooms.

Arts

Codington County Heritage Museum (CCHM)

27 1st Ave SE
605-886-7335
Contact: Christy Licke
Email: Christy@CCHSMuseum.org
www.cchsmuseum.org
CCHM provides group tours, research assistance and programs both on and off site. The primary mission for the museum is to preserve, promote, and interpret the history of Codington County and the surrounding area. Check out our website for upcoming events and activities.
Summer Hours: Monday-Friday 10:00a.m to 5:00; Sat 1:00 to 5:00.
Winter Hours: September-May, Monday—Friday 1:00 to 5:00 and 2nd Sunday of each month 1:00-5:00

Karing Kapers, Inc.

PO Box 535
605-868-9445
Contact: Robbyn
Email: robbyng@gmail.com
Facebook: [KaringKapers](https://www.facebook.com/KaringKapers)
Karing Kapers is a non-profit organization whose purpose is to benefit the performing arts. The main fundraiser is an annual family- friendly variety show held under professional direction each fall at the DD Miller auditorium.

Redlin Art Center

1200 33rd St SE
605-882-3877
Contact: Julie Ranum, Executive Director
E-mail: julie@redlinart.com
www.redlinart.com
Featuring over 165 of Terry Redlin's original oil paintings, the Redlin Art Center also offers gallery games to children of all ages. These special games include Gallery Bingo and Gallery

Crossword Puzzles, which are designed to encourage families to enjoy all of the details within Terry Redlin's paintings. Summer Hours: M - F: 9 am - 5 pm; Sat: 10 am - 5 pm; Sun: 12 - 5 pm. Winter Hours: M-F: 9 am - 5 pm. Sat: 10 am. - 4 pm; Sun: CLOSED Admission is FREE!

Town Players

5 S Broadway
605-882-2076
Email: townplayers@townplayers.net
www.townplayers.net

Town Players is a community theater organization. All of the participants are volunteers. Town Players puts on several plays each year, as well as offering a theater camp for youth during the summer.

Watertown Concert Association

Contact: John Larson
605-886-3237
www.concertassociation.net/watertownsd
The Watertown Concert Association sells a membership that includes six professional level concerts each season to citizens of Watertown and the surrounding communities.

Watertown Municipal Band

Contact Doug Herr
605-881-1529
Email: collinsmusic@dailypost.com
Facebook: [WatertownSDMunicipalBand](https://www.facebook.com/WatertownSDMunicipalBand)
The band presents free concerts at 8:15 pm each Tuesday evening at Foundation Plaza on Kemp Ave. The concerts begin in early June and end in early August. The band also plays at the Memorial Day and Veterans Day ceremonies and other events in the community.

Child Care

A current listing of **registered** child care providers in the area is available at the Dept of Social Services Office located at 2001 9th Ave SW or call 605-882-5000. Search by going to:
<https://apps.sd.gov/ss45provinfo/search.aspx>

Churches

Adventist

Watertown Adventist Church

305 9th Ave NE
605-882-0544
www.watertownsd.adventistchurch.org

Assembly of God

Christian Life Assembly of God

201 S Broadway
605-886-3392
www.christianlifewtn.com

Baptist

First Baptist

111 14th Ave NE
605-886-4863
<https://fbcwatertown.church>

Friendship Baptist

905 7th Avenue NE
605-868-0643

Grace Bible

25 N Broadway
605-530-0353
www.gracewatertown.org

Harvest Baptist

402 E Kemp Ave
605-753-9609
www.harvestbaptistwtn.com

Prairie Lakes Baptist

1230 19th St NE
605-882-0946
<https://prairielakesbaptist.org>

Catholic

Holy Name

1009 Skyline Dr

605-886-2628

www.watertownholyname.org

Immaculate Conception

309 2nd Ave SE

605-886-4049

www.icparishwatertown.org

Mother of God Monastery

110 28th Ave SE

605-882-6600

www.watertownbenedictines.org

Christian & Missionary Alliance

The Bridge

810 10th Ave SE (Jenson Ave)

605-878-1000

www.thebridgewatertown.com

Church of Christ

Watertown Church of Christ

1103 4th St NE

605-886-4559

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-

Day Saints

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-

Day Saints

1200 19th St. NE

605-910-2069

Episcopal

Trinity Episcopal

612 3rd St NE

605-868-2425

<https://trinitywatertown.com>

Evangelical Free

New Life Evangelical Free

1530 N Hwy 20

605-886-1977

www.newlifeefree.org

Four Square Gospel

Family Worship Center

1120 4th St NE

605-886-2510

www.fwcsd.com

Jehovah's Witness

Jehovah's Witness Kingdom Hall

3000 9th Ave. SE

316-737-0659

Lutheran

Apostolic Lutheran

101 McLaughlin St

605-886-6694

Bethlehem Evangelical Lutheran (Wisconsin Synod)

1144 N Maple

605-886-3582

Grace Lutheran (ELCA)

202 2nd St SE

605-886-5737

www.glcwtn.org

Hosanna Lutheran Church (LCMC)

1617 14th Ave NE

605-237-8399

www.hosannalutheranwtn.com

Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer (ELCA)

2001 2nd St NW

605-886-2696

www.lcoorwatertown.org

Mt. Olive Lutheran (Missouri Synod)

715 2nd St NE

605-886-5671

www.mtolivewatertownsd.org

**St. Martin's Lutheran
(Wisconsin Synod)**

1200 2nd St. NE
605-886-2928
www.stmartinschurch.com

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran (CLC)

1800 E Kemp
605-886-2976
www.trinitywatertownsd.com

Methodist

Cornerstone United Methodist

1350 11th St NE
605-886-2242
www.cumcwat.com

Watertown First United Methodist

4 2nd Ave SE
605-886-4427
<https://watertownfirst.church>

Non-Denominational

Living Faith Christian Center

13 17th St. SW
605-886-3625

Watertown Christian Church

201 Golf Course Rd
605-886-2418
www.watertownchristianchurch.com

Reformed Churches

Covenant Reformed Church

15 12th Ave NE
605-881-4997
www.watertownrcus.org

Salvation Army

Salvation Army Watertown

621 4 St SE
605-886-4030
<https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/watertown>

United Church of Christ

First Congregational UCC

121 1st Ave SE
605-886-6994
www.uccwatertown.com

United Pentecostal

Jesus Church of Watertown

500 14th Ave NW
605-882-3814
www.jesuschurchsd.org

Wesleyan

Evangelical Wesleyan

45557 176th St
605-886-3803

GracePoint Wesleyan

1616 3rd Ave NE
605-886-3779
www.gracepointwatertown.org

Community Organizations

Access Ministry

25 W. Kemp
605-878-1478
www.access-ministry.org
Contact: Dan Schutte
Store House - Free clothes and other items
as available; Monday-Thursday noon-4pm

Codington Connects

www.codingtonconnects.com

Contact: Sara Foust, Codington County
Welfare Office
605-882-6286
sfoust@codington.org
Facebook: [CodingtonConnects](#)
Codington Connects is a collaborative of
our community coming together to solve
problems and create opportunities for
those in our community. Creating a
healthy, thriving place for all residents to
live and work.

Codington County Cares Cancer Foundation

818 S. Broadway

605-878-3232

Email: torisimonccc@hotmail.com

Facebook:

[CodingtonCountyCaresCancerFoundation](https://www.facebook.com/CodingtonCountyCaresCancerFoundation)

We are a non-profit corporation providing information, assistance, and advocacy for cancer patients, survivors and their families, and caregivers.

Glacial Lakes SAFE (Suicide Awareness for Everyone)

PO Box 1030

605-886-0123 or 605-884-3518

Contact: Kelli Rumpza

Email: kellir@humanserviceagency.org

Facebook: GlacialLakesSAFE

www.humanserviceagency.org/GLSAFE

Our goal is to raise local awareness of Suicide, support preventative measures, and help provide additional local access to suicide outreach services. Immediate help is available: **call, text, chat 988 National Suicide & Crisis Lifeline or text "hello" to 741741.**

Lake Area Kidney Endowment

897 10th Ave SE, Suite E

Email: lakekidney1355@gmail.com

Facebook: [LakeAreaKidneyEndowment](https://www.facebook.com/LakeAreaKidneyEndowment)

L.A.K.E. is the source of mercy for all patients and families affected by kidney disease, kidney transplantation or donation, and kidney dialysis.

My Happy Place Watertown

PO Box 1281

Email: info@myhappyplace.org

<https://myhappyplaces.org/watertown-sd>

Facebook: [myhappyplacewtn](https://www.facebook.com/myhappyplacewtn)

Our goal is to be part of the emotional healing of children affected by illness and disease, by providing them with a happy and safe place to heal. We work closely

with the child and family to design and redecorate a personalized bedroom or space within the family's home. The family will fill this space with items that are meaningful to the child and in a style they choose; this can include items that can be brought to hospitals or treatment facilities if needed. Our goal is to provide "My Happy Place" for each child involved.

Sleep In Heavenly Peace - Watertown

844-432-2337

Local contact: Katie Stransky

605-520-0413

Email: Katie.Stransky@shpbeds.org

<https://shpbeds.org/chapter/sd-watertown/>

Facebook: [SHPWatertown](https://www.facebook.com/SHPWatertown)

Our mission is "No kid sleeps on the floor in our town". We build and deliver beds. Visit the local facebook page to find out how you can volunteer.

Special Olympics Watertown Area

Mailing address: 1621 Arrow Ave NE

Contact: Laurie Schmig

605-237-3933

Email: lmeland@hotmail.com

Facebook: [SpecialOlympicsWatertownSD](https://www.facebook.com/SpecialOlympicsWatertownSD)

The Salvation Army

621 4th St SE

605-886-4030

Contact: Shannon Schafer;

Email:

Shannon.Schafer@USC.salvationarmy.org

<https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/watertown>

Facebook: [TSAWatertown](https://www.facebook.com/TSAWatertown)

Provides: Food pantry, clothing, disaster services, rental/utility assistance, prescriptions, meals, gas, motel rooms, Christmas Angel Giving Tree, Back to School Supplies, and Thanksgiving Food Box.

The Upside of Downs South Dakota Down Syndrome Assoc.

PO Box 723

605-868-3195

Email: upsideofdowns21@gmail.com

Facebook: [UpsideofDownsWatertown](https://www.facebook.com/UpsideofDownsWatertown)

The goal is to enhance the lives of all people with Down syndrome. We provide opportunities to enhance their quality of life by providing accessibility to information and education for individuals with Down syndrome, their families and professionals.

Watertown Area United Way

PO Box 283

818 S Broadway, Suite 104

605-886-5815

Contact: Laura Heathcote

Email: director@watertownunitedway.org

www.watertownunitedway.org

We fund over 30 programs serving Codington and surrounding counties. To apply for United Way funds call our office to learn more. Each year the United Way brings the Delta Dental Mobile to Watertown. United Way partners with the Watertown Regional Library to run the Dolly Parton Imagination Library. This free program is available for youth ages 0-5 who live in Codington County or have a parent/guardian who works in Codington County. Each month youth are sent a free book with 2 books a year available in English and Spanish. If the youth or parent/guardian is blind or visually impaired then you can sign up for braille copies. To learn more about programs, contact our office.

Watertown Area Community Foundation

211 E. Kemp Ave

605-882-3731

Contact: Cammie Mengwasser

Email:

development@WatertownCommunityFoundation.org

www.watertowncommunityfoundation.org

Invests in the vitality and future of the Watertown Area by supporting community priorities, responding to human service needs and enhancing recreation, education, arts and culture. The WACF board, the Youth Council board, and the Women and Giving program award grants throughout the year.

Watertown Convention & Visitors Bureau, Inc.

1 E Kemp Ave

605-753-0282

Email: visitus@visitwatertownsd.com

www.visitwatertownsd.com

The Watertown Convention & Visitors Bureau is the Destination Marketing Organization (DMO) for Watertown, SD. The WCVB provides services for visitors including planning assistance, meeting and tour itineraries, and program assistance. For a full list of services, please call to inquire.

Watertown DASH

605-882-5238

Contact: Michelle Jensen

Email: mjensen@watertownpd.com

<https://tinyurl.com/DASH-Facebook>

Facebook: WatertownDASH

Watertown Police Depart initiative that stands for Drug free, Alcohol free, Safe and Healthy. Hosts and sponsors a variety of family oriented events throughout the year to empower youth and help promote drug free, alcohol free, safe and healthy lifestyles. Some of the events include: the Spring Into Action 5K & Walk, \$500 DASH Scholarship for (2) graduating seniors in Watertown, Watertown Area Kids Fun Run, Teen Police Academy, Freedom Run 5K & Walk, F.O.P. Kids Triathlon, Turkey Dash 5K & Walk and an end of the school year celebration for the Watertown 5th grade students that graduated from the DARE Program.

Watertown Healthy Youth – Tobacco Free Coalition

123 19th St NE, PO Box 1030

605-884-3518

Contact: Kelli Rumpza

E-mail: kellir@humanserviceagency.org

Facebook: [WatertownHealthyYouth - WHY](#)

Raising awareness and providing education on social issues, alcohol, tobacco and substance use impacting our youth by educating and providing resources; and by working with existing community businesses and organizations. We advocate for and help implement evidence based programs, policies, and practices that will make Watertown healthier and drug free for all our youth and families.

Community Support Providers

C.A.R.E. (Comprehensive Assistance with Recovery & Empowerment) Services

121 19th St NE

605-882-9006

Contact: Lynn Amdahl

www.humanserviceagency.org

Provide treatment, rehabilitation, and support services for individuals with severe mental illness.

New Horizons

Human Service Agency

123 19th St NE

605-886-0123

Fax: 605-884-3520

www.humanserviceagency.org

Contact: Jodie Marotz

Email: jodiem@humanserviceagency.org

NEW HORIZON's mission: To support people to achieve self-reliance, exercise control over their lives, and realize their dreams and desires. People with

disabilities are supported by staff and natural supports to learn new skills and strengthening existing skills to help them live as independently as possible. Teaching is provided on activities of daily living skills in a residential setting. Teaching is also provided on interacting with others in a social situations. Assistance is provided with learning job/work skills, finding, acquiring and keeping employment. Supports with medical appointments and managing medications is also provided.

Counseling Services

Aspen Counseling Services, PLLC

1019 6th Ave SE

P: 605-878-0606

F:605-878-0214

Angie Arnold, MS, LPC-MH

Email: angie@aspencounselingservices.net

www.aspencounselingservices.net

Personal problems that affect you at work, depression, anxiety, mood disorder, panic attacks, OCD, PTSD, relationships, crisis management, grief & loss, Life transitions, stress management, work/life balance, infertility and eating disorders.

Better Me Counseling and Consulting

818 S. Broadway, Suite 113

605-880-0100

Contact: Stacy Solsaa, PHD, NCC, NCSC, QMHP, LPC-MH

Email: stacysolsaa@bettermesolsaa.org

Will see clients ages 4-65+. She has experience dealing with anxiety, depression, PTSD, ADHD, ODD, behavior management, stress management, anger management, self-concept/ self-acceptance, grief and loss, family, relationships, and couples.

Better Together Counseling, LLC

1103 Jenson Ave SE

605-868-8751

Contact: Jessi Whetsel

Email: b2gcounseling@gmail.com

www.bettertogethercounseling.org

Provides individual, couples, and family counseling for anxiety, depression, trauma, relationship issues, life transitions, addictions, suicidal thoughts, gender/sexuality and more. Telehealth services are available. Therapist is EMDR (Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing) trained.

Bridgeway Counseling Center, Inc.

600 4th St NE, Suite 203,

Medical Arts Building

605-886-5262

www.bridgewaycounselingcenter.com

Provides counseling for adults and adolescents; evaluations for Dementia, ADHD, Learning Disabilities and Pre-surgical assessment. We provide counseling for individuals, children, families and marriages.

Cedar Lakes Therapy, LLC

525 5th St SE Suite 2

605.753.9030

Provides individual, group, family, and marital counseling utilizing CBT, DBT-informed, Trauma-Informed including EMDR, and Play Therapy interventions. Expressive Arts Therapy interventions, specific psychological testing and assessments are offered.

Compass Counseling and Assessments, Inc.

100 S Maple, Suite 204, PO Box 1131

605-520-0157

Contact: Shane Larson, MS, LPCMH

Professional counseling services conducted in a private and confidential setting. Services include sexual offender assessment and treatment.

Dr. Mark Bontreger, Inc.

525 5th Street SE, Suite L-13

605-882-0800

www.markbontreger.com

A private & professional counseling service that provides help for Relationship conflict, Depression, Stress and Anxiety, Alcohol and Drug problems, Addictions and compulsions, fears, phobias, and obsessions.

Firefly Counseling

2013 Willow Creek Dr. Suite 2B

605-878-0376

<https://fireflycounselingwatertown.com/>

Locally owned counseling center providing quality, compassionate care. Offer a wide variety of psychiatric testing & evaluations. Behavioral health & Substance Use Disorder counseling for adults and youth by qualified staff. Accepting and confidential.

Glacial Lakes Professional Counseling Services

525 5th Street SE, Suite L3

Call 605-886-3845 or

call/text 605-868-5203

Contact: Jennifer Pahl, LPC

Individual, adolescent, marriage, family, and group counseling.

Human Service Agency – Community Behavioral Health Center

123 19th St NE

605-886-0123

www.humanserviceagency.org

Contact: Heather Jens-Stricherz

Behavioral Health Services:

- Dialectical Behavior Therapy(DBT) group
- Individual Counseling
- Marriage & Family Counseling
- Psychiatric Evaluations and Medication Management
- Moral Reconciliation Therapy(MRT) group

Youth & Family Services:

- Dialectical Behavioral Therapy (DBT) Skills group
- Home Based Counseling
- Anger Management Group
- Moral Reconciliation Therapy (MRT)
- Psychiatric Evaluations and Medication Management

Journey Counseling

1103 Jenson Ave SE
605-878-1234

Contact: Mary Johnson

Provides therapy for depression, anxiety, trauma, PTSD, infidelity, chronic illness, OCD, adult ADD/ADHD, work related issues as well as many other mental health disorders. Provide services to adults, including geriatric as well as couples' therapy. Credentialed with most major insurances - including Medicare, Medicaid. Trained in Gottmann Method - Couples Therapy, EMDR as well as many other modalities.

Lutheran Social Services

1424 9th Avenue SE #7
605-882-2740 or 1-800-568-7116

Website: www.lsssd.org

Contact: Amanda R. DeVries

Mental Health Services: Individual, Couple, Family counseling. Ages 4+. Anxiety, Depression, Life Transitions, Social/Behavioral Issues, Single/Blended Family Issues, Foster Care, Grief & Loss. Counselors are specialized in EMDR, School-based Experience, TF-CBT, Sexual Offending Behaviors, Assessment and Treatment.

New Beginnings Counseling

818 Broadway St, Suite 103
605-237-5860

Contact: Amanda Schaeffer

Offers mental health therapy for kids, teens and adults. Currently accepting new clients. Treatment available for anxiety,

depression, bipolar, borderline, personality disorder, and PTSD. Trained in EMDR, DBT and CBT. Provides in person and telehealth counseling.

Rising Hope 605

818 S. Broadway Suite 109
605-494-1500

Website: www.risinghope.com

Assessments and therapy for individuals of all ages and families. Address depression; anxiety; seasonal affective disorder; post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD); suicidal ideation; transgender; men and women's issues; marriage and relationship problems; family problems; adolescent and child issues. Eye movement desensitization and reprocessing (EMDR). Provides Telehealth services. Accepts Medicaid, Medicare and most major insurances.

Cultural Center

Glacial Lakes Multicultural Center

653 W Kemp Ave
605-878-2021

Contact: Jim Shroll

E: jimshrollglmcenter@gmail.com

Our mission is to welcome the stranger, so the stranger can participate in the life of the community. **Services:** English classes, Preparation for Citizenship test, Translation and interpretation services, and Advocacy regarding legal immigration issues. Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00-4:30; other times by appointment

Domestic Violence

Beacon Center

801 Jenson Ave SE, PO Box 781
Business line 605-886-4304

Crisis line 605-886-4300 or
1-800-660-8014

E-mail: admin@beaconcentersd.com

Serving Clark, Codington, Deuel, Grant & Hamlin.

Programs & Services provided:

- 24-hour Hotline & Crisis Intervention
- Medical Advocacy/Accompaniment
- Legal Advocacy/Accompaniment
- Emergency Safe Shelter
- Pantry
- Supervised Family Visitation/Safe Exchanges (fees apply)
- Education and Outreach
 - Programs for children and adults
- Pet Safe Haven available with local Veterinary Clinic
- Common Sense Parenting
- Understanding Me up to Age 3 Classes (parenting class)
- Case Management
- Support Groups

Crime Victim's Assistance

14 1st Ave SE (Court House)

605-882-6276

www.codington.org/victim-assistance

Contact: Jan Steele

E-mail: jsteele@codington.org

Inform victims of their rights, including victims' compensation and restitution and information on criminal court proceedings at every stage of the criminal court process.

REACH (Respond-Educate-Advocate-Counsel-Heal)

A regional multidisciplinary team (MDT) consisting of representatives from law enforcement, child protective services, prosecution, mental health, victim advocacy, & child advocacy center staff. Collaborates to achieve the most effective outcomes for children & families in cases of child maltreatment. If you or someone you know suspects a child is being abused or neglected, the REACH team services a single point of contact to investigate and respond to those concerns.

REACH Clinic Appointments

Sanford Child's Voice -Watertown

901 4th St NW (2nd floor)

605-333-2226

Watertown Police Department

Follow Up

128 N Maple

605-882-5238

Early Education, Child Development

Birth to Three

PO Box 1536

605-753-5450 or 605-880-1086

Contact: Kelly Bradberry

Email: kelly.bradberry@midco.net

<http://doe.sd.gov/birthto3/>

Birth to Three Program offers free developmental screenings for children under three years of age. This program helps families detect developmental delays that affect their children and find resources to assist them in providing therapy services for their child. Referrals can be made by parents, physicians or any concerned person. The Counties served are Roberts, Day, Marshall, Grant, Codington, Clark, Hamlin, and Deuel.

Head Start

7-8th Ave SE

605-886-7674

www.interlakescap.com

Offer federally funded, free comprehensive programs that provide educational, nutritional, health and family services to eligible families and children. Center based Extended Day and Part Day Head Start (ages 3-5).

Education - Adult

LATC Adult Education & Literacy (AEL)

1201 Arrow Ave

Building 200, Room 218

605-882-5284, ext. 523 or ext. 310

Email: adulted@lakeareatech.edu

www.lakeareatech.edu/academics/adult-education-literacy/

Provides free educational classes, including: Adult Education, Literacy, Workplace Adult Education and Literacy, Family Literacy, English Language Acquisition, Integrated English Literacy and Civics Education, Workforce Preparation, or Integrated Education and Training. All programs, activities, and services are accessible at no charge to eligible adults.

Employment

Agencies/Services

South Dakota Department of Labor-Watertown Job Service

2001 9th Avenue SW, Suite 200

Contact: Lisa Johnson

605-882-5131

Website: www.sdjobs.org

■ Career Launch

DLR can assist young adults ages 16-24 with career exploration, guidance and opportunities for skill development

■ NCRC (National Career Readiness Certificates)

■ No-charge Employment and Job Services for employers and individuals

■ ReEmployment Services

■ Senior Community Service Employment Program. Ages 55+

■ TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families)

■ Veterans Services

■ WIOA (Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act) designed to prepare

youth, adults and dislocated workers for re-entry into the workforce

Voc Rehab (Rehabilitation Service)

Watertown Office

2001 9th Ave SW Suite 200

Phone: 605-882-5150

Fax: 605-882-5182

<https://dhs.sd.gov/en>

<https://dhs.sd.gov/en/rehabilitation-services>

Voc Rehab is a program that provides individualized services to assist people with significant disabilities to get and keep jobs compatible with their disability. Any person, whose disability significantly interferes with getting or keeping a job and who needs VR services to overcome these barriers to employment, is eligible for our program.

Financial Assistance

American Legion State Hdqtrs.

14 1st Avenue SE

Codington County Courthouse

605-886-3604

Men & women, who served during war-time 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](https://www.facebook.com/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

www.codington.org

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: [South Dakota WIC Program](#)

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: [WestsideLaundrySD](#)

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

www.interlakescap.com

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

<https://dss.sd.gov/economicassistance/>

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.

Food Assistance Programs/ Food Pantries/Free Meals

Food Assistance Programs

4 the Kids

PO Box 364
605-680-0488 (call/text)
Contact: Heather Pagel
Email: 4thekidssd@gmail.com
Facebook: 4thekidssd
4 the Kids SD pays for student meals in Codington, Hamlin, and Clark counties in

South Dakota. We deposit funds directly into student meal accounts.

Cornerstone Methodist Church – Lunch Bunch

1350 11th St NE
Provides low cost lunches on Wednesdays during both lunches for high school students. Lunch Bunch does not meet on early out days. For more information: contact 886-2242.

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

DSS 20001 9th Ave SW
605-882-5000
Provides financial assistance to help cover the cost of food. Qualification is based on income. Apply at the Department of Social Services office or online.

WIC (Women, Infants, & Children Nutrition Program)

104 1st Ave NW
County Health Nurse
605-882-5177
Provides nutritious food supplement to pregnant and nursing women, infants, and children under 5 who qualify based on income.

Watertown Area PACH (People Against Child Hunger) Program

E-mail: watertownpach@gmail.com
605-886-4427
<http://pachwatertown.org>

Any child in grades K-12 enrolled in the Watertown Public School District or any Codington County School is eligible during the school year. Pre-registration is required and the number of participants is limited. To register, applicants must complete a form available on web-site or e-mail or call to receive a form.

Watertown Area Summer PACH (People Against Child Hunger) Program

First United Methodist Church
605-886-4427

Email: office@watertownfirst.church

This provides additional food resources during the summer. Any child in grades Pre-K through Grade 12, enrolled in any Watertown or Codington County school may participate in the Summer PACH Program. There are no other eligibility requirements. Annual registration will occur in April. Through the Registration and Consent Form, participants can pick up a Food Box monthly at the PACH Distribution Site (back side of the mall). At this time, we are unable to provide for special dietary needs, so all boxes will have the same foods.

Watertown School District Free & Reduced school meals

605-882-6325

www.watertown.k12.sd.us

(breakfast & lunch) - Pick up an application at your child's school. Acceptance is based on meeting income requirements.

Food Pantries

Blessing Box

612 3rd St NE

605-868-2425

Take what you need, bring what you can; above all, be blessed. Non-perishable food items and household items can be picked up or dropped off.

Adventist Food Pantry

305 9th Ave NE

2nd Thursday 4:30-6:30pm

4th Thursday 12:00-3:00pm

Available for anyone. Food from Feeding America.

Cornerstone Church Food Pantry

1350 11th St NE

605-886-2242

Hours are from 9:00am– 12:00pm every non-holiday Monday.

The Salvation Army

621 4th St SE

605-886-4030

<https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/watertown/>

Contact: Shannon Schafer

Email:

Shannon.Schafer@USC.salvationarmy.org
Food Box can be picked up every 31 days, and is open Monday from 1pm-3 pm, Friday from 9am-11:30am (except 4th Fridays of the month). No income requirements. Senior Box is every 4th Friday of the month from 9am-12pm.

Free meals

Free meals are served every week at these times and locations:

Monday – 11:30 am at Salvation Army,
621 4th St. SE

11:30 am at Access Ministry, 25 W. Kemp
5:30-6:30 pm at Grace Lutheran Church -
202 2nd St SE (The Banquet)

Tuesday -11:30am at Access Ministry

Wednesday – 11:30am at Salvation Army
and at Access Ministry

Thursday –11:30am at Access Ministry

Friday – 11:30am at Salvation Army and
Access Ministry

60s Plus & Meals on Wheels

Watertown Senior Center

301 E Kemp Ave

605-882-2166

Must be 60+, or married to someone 60+.

Donation of meal suggested. Can use SNAP benefits to pay. Options include: Congregate (at the Center); use Star Card; Home-delivered – put in cooler outside door; Frozen meals – choose 7 meals from menu, 7 slices of bread, 7 milks & 7 juices; and Star Card to use at designated restaurants (Prairie Stop or Hy-Vee in Watertown)

Health Care Services

Prairie Lakes Brown Clinic, P.L.L.P.

506 1st Avenue SE

605-886-8482

Website: www.brownclicin.org

Contact: Scott Duke, Chief Administrative Officer

Email: scott.duke@brownclicin.org

Brown Clinic has two Watertown locations- 506 1st Avenue SE (Main Location) and 511 14th Avenue NE. (Northridge Location)

Brown Clinic provides family medicine, internal medicine, obstetrics and gynecology, pediatrics, podiatry, pharmaceutical care counseling, radiology, laboratory

Both locations: Walk-in appointments and scheduled visits -Mon-Fri 7:30am-5:00pm

At the Northridge Location:

Kids Kare Clinic Hours are M-F 7:30 am – 9:00 am - Extended Hours Clinic 4:00pm-6:00pm. No appointment is necessary.

Sanford Health Watertown Clinic

901 4th Street NW

605-886-8471

www.sanfordwatertown.org

Sanford Health Watertown Clinic provides:

Family Medicine, Internal Medicine, OB/GYN, Pediatrics, General

Surgery, Endoscopy Services, Physical & Speech Therapy, Occupational Medicine, Digital Mammography, Radiology,

Vascular. Outreach services available at

Sanford Health Watertown Clinic include:

Cardiology (Adult & Peds), Maternal Fetal Medicine, Nephrology (Adult & Peds), Neurosurgery, Podiatry, Pulmonology, Tel emedicine Services.

Primary Hours: Mon.-Fri.:8am-5pm

Acute Care:

Mon.-Fri.: 4:30pm-7:00pm

Saturday & Sunday: 9:00am-1:00pm

Quick Care - Watertown

1056 29th St SE- Main location

605-753-0960

Hours: Monday-Friday: 7am-6:30pm

Sat & Sun.: 9am-4:30pm

8 2nd St SE, Suite 201A - midtown

605-753-0922

Hours: Monday-Friday: 8am-5:30pm

Sat & Sun.: closed

www.quickcaresd.com

Providing urgent care, primary care and community support. Our mission is to provide competent, convenient, cost effective care by compassionate practitioners.

Holiday hours: may vary

Closed: 4th of July, Thanksgiving,

Christmas, New Year's Day & Easter

Health/Fitness

Anytime Fitness

501 1st Ave NE

605-878-2112

www.anytimefitness.com/gyms/417/watertown-sd-57201/

Offer a 24 hour access gym with free weights, circuit, classes, personal trainers, cardio equipment, and strength equipment.

Dakota Gold Academy

202 9th Ave SE

Watertown, SD 57201

605-886-7530

Contact: Bobby & Elizabeth Linneman

Email: dakotagoldacademy@gmail.com

www.dakotagoldacademy.com

Our goal is to build confident, skilled athletes in the gymnastics and cheer fields. Our experienced coaching staff implement proven techniques to develop the student's athletic abilities, in addition to developing their personal character.

Fall Out Shelter

13 2nd St SE

605-204-0294

Email: falloutsheltersd@gmail.com

www.falloutshelterministries.com

Offers classes for Martial Arts, firearms training and self defense. Fallout Shelter is a division of Fallout Shelter Ministries, a SD non-profit, preparing people for the unexpected. Services will be expanding.

Grace Dance Academy

203 1/2 East Kemp Ave (above The Gym)

Contact: Carly Buri

605-868-8083

Email: carlyrfraher@gmail.com

www.gracedancewatertown.com

Classes include ballet, jazz, tap, hip hop, and musical theater. Classes for young dancers and adults. Register online or call the number listed.

Living Art Dance Studios

19 S Broadway

605-380-1908

Email: livingartdance@abe.midco.net

www.livingartdance.net

Register by contacting the phone number or email above. Our mission is to provide a positive dance experience by utilizing a structured syllabus that helps students grow in self confidence and self discipline.

Planet Fitness

1300 9th Ave (Watertown Mall)

605-878-0170

For club hours check out:

www.planetfitness.com/gyms/watertown-sd

Prairie Lakes Wellness Center

1515 15th St NE

605-882-6250

<http://plwc.life>

Email: thillis@watertownsd.us

For family and individual members, the Wellness Center provides swimming pools,

waterslides, gymnasium, racquetball, walking track, group fitness classes, yoga, pilates, cardio and weight machines, sports leagues, and personal training. There is Childwatch service for children whose parents are exercising. Guest Day passes are available. Youth who are not in 7th grade or above must have an adult parent/guardian with them when they are at the center.

Prescribed Fitness

204 9th Ave SE

320-583-1828

Email: PrescribedFitnessSD@gmail.com

Offers cross training focused on functional movements in a go at your own pace group setting. Classes for youth and adults.

The Gym

207 E Kemp Ave.

605-753-5600

www.thegyminc.com

24 hour access gym with free weights, cardio -theater, personal trainers, advanced equipment, fitness classes, hydro massage, tanning, InBody Composition Analyzer, Far Infrared Saunas & Redlight Therapy.

Ultimate Kicks – Tae Kwon Do

1335 9th Ave SE

605-880-8887

Contact: Ms. Kelly Sternhagen

Email: Kelly.sternhagen1@gmail.com

www.ultimatekicks.com

Tae Kwon Do is for all ages. We focus on improving manners, self-discipline and confidence while promoting physical fitness, flexibility, and self-defense.

Home Health Equipment/Supplies

Avera Home Medical Equipment

1508 4th St NE

605-882-3511

www.avera.org

Midwest Medical Service, Inc.

615 6th Street SE

605-882-4210

www.midwestmedsd.com

Offer medical equipment and supplies for the entire family from newborn to elderly.

Hospital Services

Prairie Lakes Healthcare System

401 9th Avenue NW

605-882-7000

Website: www.prairielakes.com

Email: info@prairielakes.com

Your health is our mission. Our programs are supported by a local medical staff practicing various specialties, including:

Acid Reflux Center

Prairie Lakes Specialty Clinic

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-7777

Let us help you take control of your chronic heartburn or similar symptoms. Heartburn symptoms are very common in the U.S. and many may feel like taking antacids daily is simply a part of life. Call for a consultation with our acid reflux specialists.

Campus Pharmacy

401 9th Avenue NW

605-882-7790

Located in the lobby of Prairie Lakes Hospital open for retail business Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Prairie Lakes Campus Pharmacy serves walk-in customers as well as inpatient and outpatient patrons of Prairie Lakes

Healthcare System. Our fully licensed pharmacy staff works closely with physicians, nurses, and other healthcare professionals to meet a full scope of pharmacy needs.

Cardiology Services

Prairie Lakes Specialty Clinic

401 9th Avenue NW

605-882-7777

Provides emergent, clinic, and rehabilitation services. With an onsite cath lab, Prairie Lakes is equipped to handle heart care emergencies 24/7. Cardiologists diagnose and treat cardiac conditions such as coronary artery disease, heart valve problems, and heart failure. The Heart Failure Program at Prairie Lakes Cardiology is personalized for heart failure patients to improve quality of life.

Caring Club House

220 9th Avenue NW

605-868-1868 or 605-882-6888

The Caring Club House offers a home away from home for patients or family members with a loved one seeking medical services.

Dermatology Clinic

Prairie Lakes Specialty Clinic

401 9th Avenue NW

605-882-7777

Dermatology provides skin-related care for all ages. Common conditions seen by our dermatologist include skin cancer, eczema, acne, psoriasis, skin infections, and rosacea.

Ear, Nose, Throat and Facial Plastic Surgery Clinic (ENT)

Mallard Pointe Surgical Center

1201 Mickelson Dr.

605-882-7740

ENT provides care for ear, nose, and throat conditions such as sudden hearing loss, sinus disease, voice disorders, and thyroid disease. Facial plastic surgery is

also available; such as, rhinoplasty (nose appearance surgery).

General Surgery Clinic

Prairie Lakes Specialty Clinic

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-7777

General Surgery diagnoses and treats a variety of conditions, including hernias, breast disease, varicose veins, skin lesions, and chronic acid reflux. When a condition requires emergency surgery, our general surgeons are part of the Watertown team that is here for you.

Home Connections

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-7841

Staff provides in-home services for patients who need housekeeping, errand/shopping services, personal care assistance, exercise assistance, medication management and any other non-skilled task. Services are available from a visit to multi-hour schedule, seven days a week. A nurse case manager provides overall supervision and management.

Home Health

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-7745

Home Health offers a skilled level of nursing and therapy care covered by Medicare and private insurances. RN's, physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, medical social services and aides provide care in the home setting on an intermittent (not shift) visit basis. Services may be requested by phone, in writing or in person by the MD, family or patient.

Hospice

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-7745

Our Hospice services are Medicare certified and offer symptom control and hands-on care of the terminally ill person

in the home, respite, and hospital/acute setting. Hospice nurses, support staff, and volunteers strive to help the patient move through the end-of-life process in comfort. Family members and caregivers are given support during this process and through bereavement programs.

Labor and Delivery

Prairie Lakes Healthcare System

401 9th Avenue NW

605-882-7000

We specialize in making the birth experience happy and memorable for everyone involved. Our Obstetric Services staff of skilled professionals not only care for you and your baby during your labor experience but provide free education to new parents before and after the baby is born.

Nephrology

Prairie Lakes Specialty Clinic

401 9th Avenue NW

882-7777

Provides diagnosis and management of kidney diseases and disorders including hypertension, electrolyte disturbances, managing patients with kidney transplant, and critical care. Prairie Lakes owns and operates three dialysis units located in Watertown, SD; Sisseton, SD; and Ortonville, MN.

Oncology

Prairie Lakes Cancer Center

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-6800

We are committed to provide patients with innovative treatments and caring support. The dedicated physicians and clinical staff work as a team to offer expertise in areas such as radiation, chemotherapy, clinical trials, nutrition, education, and emotional well being.

Orthopedics

Prairie Lakes Specialty Clinic

401 9th Ave NW

882-2360

Provides personalized surgical and nonsurgical care for patients with a variety of conditions related to joints, bones, ligaments, nerves, and tendons. Our team works together to not only get you back to your normal self, but we also work to prevent injuries and improve performance. We ensure proper diagnosis, treatment, and rehabilitation.

Other Services

Prairie Lakes Healthcare System

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-7000

Other Prairie Lakes services available include critical care, emergency care, direct lab access, nutritional services, Target Heart and Stroke Screen programs. Visit our website at www.prairielakes.com for a complete list of services and doctors.

Pain Science Center

Prairie Lakes Specialty Clinic

401 9th Avenue NW

605-882-7700

This is an option for those suffering from complex, chronic or widespread pain they are struggling to live with and manage day to day. There are many different types of pain, and we are here to listen, evaluate, and help you gain control of the unique symptoms related to your individual pain.

Prairie Lakes Pastoral Care

401 9th Avenue NW

882-7714

Staff is available to assist family members and friends coping with illness or the loss of a loved one. Visits provide safe and confidential opportunities to discuss concerns and vent emotions while promoting balance and encouraging healthy coping. They can be reached

anytime for prayer, spiritual concerns or support of any kind.

Pulmonology

Prairie Lakes Specialty Clinic

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-7777

Pulmonology provides services for patients with illnesses that affect the lungs, respiratory tract, and bronchial tubes, including asthma, pneumonia, and emphysema.

Rehabilitation Services

Prairie Lakes Specialty Clinic

401 9th Avenue NW

605-882-7700

Rehabilitation staff serve patients in outpatient, home health, long-term care, and hospital inpatient environments. Our program works with your physician to bring you effective physical therapy, occupational therapy, and speech therapy.

Surgical Services

Prairie Lakes Specialty Clinic

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-7777

Mallard Pointe Surgical Center

1201 Mickelson Dr.

605-882-7740

General and specialized surgeons in the region perform procedures and surgeries at Prairie Lakes Hospital and Mallard Pointe Surgical Center. Our surgery staff is trained to work with these surgeons and provide you with compassionate care.

Urology

Prairie Lakes Specialty Clinic

401 9th Avenue NW

605-882-7777

Patients with urological disorders including urinary incontinence and prostate cancer are diagnosed and treated by our urologists. Our approach to care is personable and patient focused with

special attention to the sensitivity of common urological problems.

Wound Care

Prairie Lakes Hospital
401 9th Ave NW
605-882-7690

Provides expertise through a collaboration of physicians, nurses, physical/ occupational therapists and dietitians to deliver care for patients with acute and chronic wounds. To schedule an appointment contact your primary care physician and have them send an order to Prairie Lakes Central Scheduling.

Your Total Joint Journey

401 9th Ave NW
605-882-7700

A free educational class for patients considering or scheduled for total joint replacement surgery and their caregiver or coach. It will cover what to expect before surgery, during a stay in the hospital, and when the patient leaves. Sessions are offered the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month at noon at Prairie Lakes. RSVP on www.prairielakes.com or call.

Housing

Habitat for Humanity Greater Watertown Region Inc.

100 S Maple St, Suite 208
PO Box 604
605-884-0366

Email: habitat@iw.net

www.habitatwatertownsd.org

Facebook: [habitatgreaterwatertownregion](https://www.facebook.com/habitatgreaterwatertownregion)
HFHGWR has two programs available for eligible partner families. The Home Ownership program works with families to build/own a simple, decent house. The Home Repair program works with homeowners to repair their homes. Both programs provide a hand up, not a hand out, through no-interest loans for the

value of the home or repair. HFHGWR welcomes volunteers and donations to reduce the cost of building and repairs.

Midwest Bible Camp

1500 N Hwy 20
605-886-3165

E: info@midwestministries.org

Has available small, affordable rooms for rent for those needing a safe, kind place to relaunch their lives. Guests are required to be clean and sober for 90 days.

Watertown Cares

Office and Mailing address:

612 5th St SE #9

Contact: Will Warnock, Executive Director
P: 605-657-2451

E: will.warnock@watertown-cares.org

Watertown Cares provides 30 day emergency homeless shelter, with intense case management to help people stabilize and move into their own permanent housing. There are also funds available to help with utilities, catch up on rent payments, and other services that will enable them to stay in their home. May also help with rent deposit and other deposits required to move into a new place.

Watertown Housing Authority

24 W Kemp
886-7731

www.watertownhousingauthority.org

M-W plus Fri.-hours 10am-4pm

Thursday hours are 10am-7pm

WHA provides rental assistance to income eligible people such as elderly/ disabled, abuse victims with family, working families, non-working families, and students with families. WHA also administers a 60 unit (income based) Hi-Rise for the elderly and disabled and 25 houses throughout Watertown for income eligible families.

Law Enforcement and/or Emergency Responders

Child Abuse/Domestic Violence Hotline

605-882-5050, 605-886-4300 or
877-244-0864

Codington County Detention Center

119 S Maple
605-882-6284

Codington County Emergency Management

PO Box 12
605-882-6272
Director: Andrew Delgado
Email: codcoem@codington.org
www.codington.org
First Responder Agency for Codington

Codington County Search & Rescue

PO Box 12
605-882-6272
Contact: Larry Howard, Commander
Email: codcoem@codington.org
Codington County Search &
Rescue is a trained team of Codington
County Emergency Management
volunteers, who perform search and
rescue of persons, assist in the recovery of
bodies, assist law enforcement with
evidence recovery, and promote safety.

Codington County Sheriff

14 1st Ave SE
605-882-6280
Contact: Sheriff Brad Howell
Email: bhowell@codington.org
www.codingtonsheriff.com

Codington County State's Attorney

14 1st Ave SE
605-882-6276
Contact: Rebecca Morlock Reeves
E-mail: rreeves@codington.org

State's Attorney's office prosecutes child
abuse, child neglect, and juvenile
delinquency cases.

Crisis Hotline (24 hours a day)

Human Service Agency
605-886-0123

Division of Criminal Investigation (DCI)

128 N Maple
605-882-5238
General crimes, sex crime, Internet Crimes
Against Children and narcotics
investigations.

Emergency

9-1-1 (Emergency only)

Fire Department

605-882-5030
Station 1 - 129 NW 1st Ave
Station 2 - 500 Golf Course Rd
www.watertownfirerescue.com

SD Highway Patrol

605-773-3105
[https://dps.sd.gov/safety-
enforcement/highway-patrol](https://dps.sd.gov/safety-enforcement/highway-patrol)

Watertown Police Department

128 N Maple
605-882-6210
www.watertownpd.com
Contact: Ryan Remmers
E-mail: rremmers@watertownpd.com
Contact police department for the
different programs that are offered within
the community.

WPD Mental Health Officer

Alexis Buysse
Watertown Police Department
128 N Maple
Direct Line: (605)882-5622
Police Department: (605) 882-6210
Email: abuysse@watertownpd.com

Social Media: Facebook [MH Buysse](#) and Instagram at mh_buysse

Helps to reduce the arrests of people with mental illness and/or addictions by creating support and providing resources to increase the likelihood that individuals will receive ongoing mental health or addiction services and treatment. Offers crisis stabilization and follow-ups. If you or someone you know is struggling with, has questions, or are in need of resources for mental health or an addiction call the Police Department or direct line.

Victims/Witness Assistance

Codington Co. State's Attorney office
14 1st Ave SE (Court House)
605-882-6276

www.codington.org/victim-assistance

Contact: Jan Steele

E-mail: jsteele@codington.org

We inform victims of their rights, including victims' compensation and restitution and information on criminal court proceedings at every stage of the criminal court process.

Libraries

NE Prevention Resource Center, Human Service Agency

123 19th St NE, PO Box 1030
605-884-3516

www.humanserviceagency.org/NEPrevention/neprclibrary

Contact: Dodi Haug

E-mail: dodih@humanserviceagency.org

Prevention Resource Library Features several thousand items available for free check out. Discover information about alcohol, tobacco and other drugs, as well as violence prevention and mental health. Now you can borrow ebooks & audiobooks from the SD Prevention Resource Centers' digital library! Download the free Libby app on any device.

Trainings & Presentations available

- QPR (Question Persuade Refer)
- MHFA (Mental Health First Aid), YMHA (Youth Mental Health First Aid)
- Presentations on substance use and mental health

Watertown Regional Library

160 6th St NE

605-882-6220

Email: watlib@watertownsd.us

Website: <http://watlib.org>

Hours: M-Th - 9:30am-9pm; Fri - 9:30am-6pm; Sat - 9:30am-5pm;

Sun - 1pm-5pm

Visitors to the library will receive personal help from the library staff including finding information and borrowing materials.

Other available services include access to computers, wireless internet, and printing.

The library provides access to many online resources including eBooks, downloadable audiobooks, streaming music, digital magazines and newspapers, and legal forms. Popular services include the EZ Scan Station, delivery to the homebound and programming for all ages.

Public Health Services

Family & Community Health Services – Codington County

104 1st Ave NW

605-882-5177

Contact: Codi Martin, RN

www.codington.org/community-health-nurse/

Services include education and referral; immunizations; communicable disease testing, counseling and education; developmental screenings; prenatal and post-partum home visits; case management of pregnant women; WIC; family planning, nutrition counseling and education; screenings for vision, hearing, blood pressure, hemoglobin; and more.

Kickstart Program

www.sdquitline.com/services/kickstart
Ready to quit but not quite ready to enroll in our phone coaching program?
KICKSTART your quit plan with the NRT Kickstart Kit + Quit Guide or just Quit Guide. They're both FREE and you don't have to enroll in the QuitLine phone coaching program to get them.

SD Department of Health, Disease Intervention office

2001 9th Ave SW #500
605-882-5097 or 1-866-817-4090
www.doh.sd.gov

Offers STD testing, HIV testing, communicable disease intervention, education, answers to immunization questions, referrals and does reportable disease investigations and referrals.

SD Department of Health-Tobacco Cessation Coordinator

1704 S Cleveland Ave Suite 5
Sioux Falls, SD 57103
Contact: Kaitlyn Ashley
Phone: 605-413-4284
Email: kashley@bhssc.org
Provides statewide tobacco cessation services by promoting the South Dakota QuitLine, outreach and referral resources to healthcare professionals, health systems, employers and other organizations or individuals through training, resource materials and cessation policy enhancement. In-person or virtual training about the SD Quitline is available.

SD Department of Health- Worksite Wellness

Black Hills Special Services Cooperative
PO Box 1840
Contact: Enid Weiss
Phone: 605-868-8118
Email: eweiss@bhssc.org

Workplace wellness is a growing practice that provides employers and worksites with information to encourage healthy habits and prevent chronic diseases among employees. Check out www.goodandhealthysd.org for more information and resources.

South Dakota Department of Health - Tobacco Quit Line

1-866-SD QUITs or 1-866-737-8487
www.SDQuitLine.com

The South Dakota QuitLine is a phone-based service you can call toll-free for information to help with quitting tobacco.

SHIINE (Senior Health Information and Insurance Education)

Contact: Shelly Alvine, Watertown area
P: 605-237-6088

E: sdalvine@msn.com

Eastern region contact 800-536-8197
SHIINE is a federally-funded program committed to providing free, confidential and unbiased information to Medicare beneficiaries and is not affiliated with any company. Volunteers help with those new to Medicare, Medicare Part A, B, and D, Medigap policies and Advantage plans, and ways to save on Medicare costs during open enrollment.

Watertown Family Planning Clinic

703 S Broadway
605-882-1852

SD Department of Health Family Planning Program is devoted to providing services to males and females of reproductive age. Services help women and men determine if and when they want to have a child. The program helps keep people healthy and protects their ability to have children in the future. Reproductive exams, STD testing, and birth control are some of the services available. A sliding scale is used. Fees are based on family size and income.

No one is denied services based on ability to pay.

Watertown Veterans Affairs Community Based Outpatient Clinic

12 19th St NE

605-884-2420

Provide primary, preventive and mental health care services, telehealth services, and physical therapy to veterans.

Recreation Programs & Sports Organizations

Arrowhead Archery Club

PO Box 905

605-886-9537

Contact: Skip Meisenheimer

Bramble Park Zoo

PO Box 910, 800 10th St NW

605-882-6269

www.brambleparkzoo.com

Contact: Kim Conrad

E: kconrad@brambleparkzoo.com

Hours: 10am-4pm (with some extended event and summer hours)

Experience more than 600 mammals, reptiles & birds from around the world, including those native to the Great Plains, in naturalistic enclosures. The Zoo also offers educational programs such as tours, Animal Encounters, Zoo School, summer camps, themed classes, workshops, and special events.

Joy Ranch

16633 448th Ave, Florence, SD

605-886-4622

E: alexys@joyranchofsd.org

www.joyranchofsd.org

Your all-inclusive, all accessible destination for families, businesses and youth. It has been specially designed to be fully barrier free. Joy Ranch is an 1880's prairie town, complete with "old west" facades that will

contrast with the very modern, high comfort nature.

Junior Olympics Fastpitch Softball

Contact: Gary Young

605-956-1091

Email: arrowfastpitch@hotmail.com

Junior Olympics Slowpitch Softball

Contact: Margo Spiering

605-886-8786

Email:

watertown.josoftball@gmail.com

www.wtnjosoftball.com

SD Game, Fish & Parks

400 W Kemp Ave

605-882-5200

<https://gooutdoorssouthdakota.com>

<https://gfp.sd.gov>

Turn in Poachers Hotline

1-888-OVERBAG (683-7224)

The Way of the Horse

Contact: Wendy Olson

605-645-8614

Email: thewayofthehorse@yahoo.com

Incorporating horses for learning and personal growth. Activities are therapeutic, educational and fun. Benefits of being with horses include: respect, character development, confidence, problem solving, leadership and teamwork. There is no riding. All sessions are on the ground and no horse experience is necessary.

Watertown Area Swim Club

PO Box 601

605-868-2266 or 605-886-0999

www.teamunify.com/sdwasc

Contact: Donna Bierschbach

E-mail: watertownswim@outlook.com

A competitive swimming program, with swim practices held daily, striving to strengthen the swimmer at their level.

Watertown Baseball Association

Ryan Neale

PO Box 1461

E: post17baseball@hotmail.com

www.watertownbaseball.com

Rising Star Athletics

4-3rd St SE

Contact: Ashley

605-237-1733

E: risingstarathletics1@gmail.com

We offer a wide array of classes for every age and ability with the most experienced and compassionate coaches! Check out our cheer classes, and adaptive cheer program for those with physical and/or intellectual disabilities. We offer tumbling classes for ages 3-19 and recreational gymnastics classes. We offer specialty camps, birthday parties, skills clinics & so much more! New in 2023 is daytime playtime! For only \$5 per child, join us on Wednesdays from 10-11am for free play, perfect for children 6 and under!

Watertown Hockey Association

PO Box 483

www.watertownlakers.org

Contact: Amber Dahl

To promote the sport of hockey and to provide positive experience and necessary skills for all participants, both boys and girls, from ages preschool to high school to compete and play hockey.

Watertown Area Running Club

PO Box 63

Contact: Dr. Dan Reiffenberger

Facebook: [Watertown Area Running Club](#)

Like to run? Distances can range from 2 miles and up. No competition. This is strictly a social gathering for those who want to run with others. Starting October, meet at 7am on Sundays at Bramble Park Zoo. Starting May meet at 7am on

Sundays at Jackson Park, boat entrance side. On Wednesdays 5:30 pm at the Zoo.

Watertown Wrestling Booster Club

PO Box 393

Contact: Susie Stroup

E-mail: arrowwrestling1@hotmail.com

605-520-1058

Youth wrestling program has been set up to help promote, support, and build on our great wrestling tradition.

Watertown Youth Soccer Association (WYSA)

PO Box 556

Contact: Michelle Czerwan

605-818-9972

E-mail: director@watertownsoccer.com

www.watertownsoccer.com

A professionally run soccer program that is fun for all ages by providing opportunities for developing and enhancing individual talents, teamwork and sportsmanship.

Watertown Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department

1900 W.Kemp (FieldHouse)

605-882-6260

Director: Dusty Rodiek

Recreation Superintendent: Josh Maag

Parks and Forestry Superintendent:

Matt Brandsrud

www.watertownparkandrec.com

The Park & Rec's website has information on all our recreation programs and is your source for online registrations.

Weather related announcements can be found at

www.watertownparkandrec.com &

Facebook: [watertownparkandrec](#)

Park & Rec Subdivisions

Cattail Crossings Golf Course

351 South Lake Drive
605-882-6262

Derby Downs Clubhouse & Rodeo grounds

Located at the junction of 32nd St W and Golf Course Rd.

Disc Golf Course

2 locations: Off 10th Ave N next to the Kiddie Pond and at Jackson Park

Family Aquatic Center

Hwy 212 and 3rd St SW
605-882-6267

Prairie Lakes Ice Arena

3015 1st Ave NE
605-882-6266

Skate Park

314 21st St SW
Skateboarding, in-line skating, BMX

Stokes-Thomas Lake City Park and Campground

90 S Lake Dr
605-882-6264

School District Services

Superintendent's Office

200 9th St NE (high school)
605-882-6312
Contact: Dr. Jeff Danielsen,
Superintendent
Derek Barrios, Assistant Superintendent
www.watertown.k12.sd.us

Activities Department Office

200 9th St NE (High School)
605-882-6328
Contact: Craig Boyens
Email: craig.boyens@k12.sd.us

Arrow Education Foundation Inc.

216 10th St SE
PO Box 730
605-882-5321
www.arrowfoundation.org
Contact : Cris Ortmeier
E-mail: cris.ortmeier@k12.sd.us
We provide resources to genuinely enhance educational opportunities for students in the Watertown School District.

Central Food Services

200 9th St NE (high school)
605-882-6325
Contact: Caitlin Bach, Director
E-mail: Caitlin.bach@k12.sd.us

Transportation/School Bus Services

605-882-6335
Contact: Wade Heiser

Watertown Special Services

200 9th St NE (high school)
605-882-6398
Contact: Jennifer Bollinger, Director of Special Services
E-mail: jennifer.bollinger@k12.sd.us
Contact: Maria Nei– Assistant Director of Special Services/Title I Coordinator
E-mail: maria.nei@k12.sd.us
District wide programs include Early Childhood Preschool ages 3-5, Special Education Services, Jr. Kindergarten, Elementary Alternative Classrooms, Elementary Autism Classroom and Gifted and Talented Education for elementary students, 18-21 Transition campus. District wide staff includes SPED counselors, School Psychologists, Occupational Therapist and OT & PT Assistants.

Watertown School Psychologists

601 11th St NE (Intermediate School)
605-882-6355

Schools – Preschool

Immaculate Conception Pre-Kindergarten & Enrichment Program

435-10th Ave NW
605-886-3883

Contact: Becca Briggs

www.icschoolwatertown.org

Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer Christian Preschool

2001 2nd Street NW
605-886-2696

Contact: Nikki Landmark

E-mail: preschool@lcoorwatertown.org

St. Martin’s Lutheran Early Learning Center

1200 2nd St. NE
605-886-4976

E-mail: stmartins@stmartinschurch.com

www.stmartinscenter.com

Fully licensed preschool and childcare center. Providing Christian preschool and year-round childcare to families with children ages 3-5. Provides SummerCare for ages 5-12.

Watertown Christian School

15 12th Ave NE
605-882-0949

Contact: April Meyer, Administrator

Email: ameyer@watertownchristian school.com

www.watertownchristianschool.com

Private Christian school for grades pre-school through 8th grade.

Watertown School District 4-yr. old Preschool

Located at McKinley School

5 12th St SW
605-882-6350

Contact: Shannon Knopf

E-mail: shannon.knopf@k12.sd.us

Located at Mellette School

619 2nd St NW

605-882-6385

Contact: Heather DeBoer

E-mail: heather.deboer@k12.sd.us

Watertown School District 5 yr. old Jr. Kindergarten McKinley Elementary

412 2nd St SE

605-882-6350

Contact: Shannon Knopf

Email: Shannon.knopf@k12sd.us

Little Blessings Christian Daycare & Learning Center

1120 4th St NE

605-886-4113

Contact: Wesley Grantham, Director

Kjersten Fisk, Office Manager

Email: littleblessings@fwcsd.com

Website: littleblessingswtm.com

Offers pre-school programming. For grades K-4th offer care for early dismissals, holidays, snow days, teacher in-service days. Summer months offer Camp Hoot.

Schools – Private Elementary Schools

Immaculate Conception School

109 3rd Street SE

605-886-3883

Contact: Becca Briggs, Principal

E: principal@icschoolwatertown.org

Website: www.icschoolwatertown.org

Elementary School grades: Pre-K,

Kindergarten - 6th grade with a religious

focus. We are a licensed after-school

program with all day every day

kindergarten. Spanish taught in K-6 with

the curriculum. Offers KOT (Kids on

Target) a before and after school program

for IC and non-IC school families grades K

– 6. Summer KOT is also available. Please

call the office for more information.

St. Martin's Lutheran School

1200 2nd Street NE

605-886-4976

Website: www.stmartinsschool.com

Contact: Jonathan Niemi

Email: principal@stmartinschurch.com

Providing preschool – eighth grade Christian education. Along with Great Plains Lutheran High School, provides Christian Education to families with children from the age of three years old through 8th grade.

Trinity Lutheran School

1800 E. Kemp Ave Suite 2

605-886-2976

Website:

www.trinitywatertownsd.com

Contact: Collette Krause

Email: collettekrause@gmail.com

Trinity Lutheran School is a kindergarten-eighth grade Christian day school.

Watertown Christian School (PreK-8th Education)

15 12 Ave NE

605-882-0949

Contact: April Meyer, Administrator

Email: wcoffice@watertownchristian.school.com

www.watertownchristianschool.com

We are a private Christian school, serving students in Pre K – 8th grade.

Schools – Public Elementary Schools

Jefferson Elementary

1701 N. Maple St.

605-882-6390

Contact: John Decker

E-mail: john.decker@k12.sd.us

Lincoln Elementary

1100 13th St NE

605-882-6340

Contact: Gregg DeSpiegler

E-mail: gregg.despiegler@k12.sd.us

McKinley Elementary

5 12th St SW

605-882-6350

Contact: Shannon Knopf

E-mail: shannon.knopf@k12.sd.us

Mellette Elementary

619 2nd St NW

605-882-6385

Contact: Heather DeBoer

Email: heather.deboer@k12.sd.us

Roosevelt Elementary

412 2nd St SE

605-882-6360

Contact: Andi Ward

Email: andi.ward@k12.sd.us

Elementary Counselors K-4th

Marissa Stone – McKinley

Kristi Koll -Mellette

Pam Luecke – Jefferson & Lincoln

Kelsey Popham – Roosevelt

Classroom lessons from Second Step curriculum teaching skills for academic and social success.

Watertown Intermediate School

601 11th St NE

605-882-6355

Tim Kruse, Principal

Email: tim.kruse@k12.sd.us

Paula Wilde, School Counselor

Amy Beyl, School Resource Officer

Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) Program

Lessons in the 5th grade classrooms are taught by the Watertown Police Dept. Drug info on Responsible Decision Making, Peer Pressure, Risk & Consequences, Dealing with Stressful Situations, Basics of Communication, Nonverbal

Communication & Listening, Bullying, Helping Others, and Getting Help from Others are topics covered.

Schools- Public Middle School

Watertown Middle School

1700 11th St NE

605-882-6370

Website: www.watertown.k12.sd.us

Contact: Todd L. Brist, Principal

Email: todd.brist@k12.sd.us

Chad D. Johnson, Assistant Principal

Jason Buechler, School Counselor

Olivia Taschner, School Counselor

Amy Beyl, School Resource Officer

Schools- Private High School

Great Plains Lutheran High School

1200 Luther Lane NE

605-886-0672

Website: www.gplhs.org

Contact: David Maertz

E-mail: dmaertz@gplhs.org

Great Plains Lutheran High School is a grade 9-12 school offering a Christ-centered education to students from our community, region, and beyond.

Schools- Public High School

Watertown High School

200 9th Street NE

605-882-6316

Web-site: www.watertown.k12.sd.us

Contact: Patty McClemans, Principal

patty.mcclemans@k12.sd.us

Assistant Principals: Scott DeBoer, Matt

Bastian & Troy Terronez,

Jamon Harberts School Resource Officer;

Michelle Achterberg, Project SUCCESS

Coordinator

Watertown High School Counseling Program/Student Services

200 9th Street NE

605-882-6323

Contact: Heather Fischer

Email: heather.fischer@k12.sd.us

Contact: Erin Fowkes

Email: erin.fowkes@k12.sd.us

Contact: Bethany Hotchkiss

Email: bethany.hotchkiss@k12.sd.us

The school counselors provide services and resources for students in the areas of academic, career, and social/personal counseling.

Project SUCCESS Program

WMS contact: Hailey Rau

605-882-6370

Email: Hailey.rau@k12.sd.us

WHS contact: Michelle Achterberg

605-882-6318

Email: michelle.achterberg@k12.sd.us

Project SUCCESS is a school-based program that works to reduce the factors that put students at risk for substance abuse, as well as enhance the factors that will protect students from those risks.

Schools – Career & Technical

Northeast Technical High School

1311 3rd Ave NE

605-882-6380

Contact: Bert Falak

E-mail: bert.falak@k12.sd.us

www.northeasttechnicalhighschool.k12.sd.us

High School Career & Technical Education Programs: Agriculture, Automotive, Bio-Medical, Building Trades, Cabinetmaking, Culinary, Engineering, Exploratory, Health Science, Human Services, Machining, Welding, and Various Work-Place Learning Opportunities.

NTHS's eight member schools:

Castlewood, Florence, Great Plains

Lutheran, Hamlin, Henry, Summit,

Watertown and Waverly/South Shore.

Lake Area Technical College

1201 Arrow Ave

605-882-LATI

www.lakeareatech.edu

Contact: LuAnn Strait

E-mail: straitl@lakeareatech.edu

Lake Area Technical College is a public,

technical college offering a two-year associate degree in 31 areas of study.

More than 2600 students attend Lake Area Tech annually. Admission

Representatives are available to discuss post-secondary educational opportunities with prospective students. Financial aid is

available to those who qualify and many scholarships are awarded each year. Lake

Area Tech provides many services to the community which include a full-service

cosmetology program, free income tax preparation for the low-income and

elderly, dental cleaning, and much more.

For more information call 605-882-5284 or go to www.lakeareatech.edu. Lake Area

Tech is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission.

Schools – Universities

Mount Marty University

1201 Arrow Ave

PO Box 1385

605-886-6777

www.mountmarty.edu

Contact: Kim Bellum or Heidi Schooley

Email: kimberly.bellum@mountmarty.edu

or heidi.schooley@mountmarty.edu

Mount Marty University Watertown offers nine bachelor's degree programs

and associates programs tailored to

individuals with busy work and life schedules and conveniently located on the

Lake Area Technical College campus.

Through affordable rates, flexible class

schedules, and a community of supporters

who care about each student's personal and professional success, MMU

Watertown prepares students to lead, serve and impact through their careers and throughout life. Lake Area Tech graduates can earn their bachelor's degree in as little as 2 years. The university is approved through the Higher Learning Commission.

Service Clubs/ Organizations

Business Industry School Coalition (BISCO)

200 9th Street NE

605-882-6312

Facebook: [BISCOWatertown1991](https://www.facebook.com/BISCOWatertown1991)

BISCO's mission is to foster progressive meaningful relationships between

business, industry and school

for today's students and tomorrow's

leaders." Some projects include:

Technology camps, Junior Achievement,

Arrow Academic Achievement cards,

Awesome Arrow Cards, Scrubs program,

One:One:One Mentoring, Educator's

Rising, Kindness Matters Campaign, and

the Community BISCO Bar-be-que.

Fraternal Order of Police

Lodge 6

128 N. Maple

605-882-6210

FOP Scholarship program, Watertown

Fourth of July parade, Shop with a Cop,

sponsorship of any event program that

promotes healthy youth/family activities.

Kiwanis Club

PO Box 1919

www.mndak-kiwanis.org

Facebook: [WatertownKiwanisClub](https://www.facebook.com/WatertownKiwanisClub)

Kiwanis is a global organization of

volunteers, dedicated to changing the

world, one child, one community at a

time. Our projects include the

annual Over 90's banquet, Boys & Girls

Club Youth Kitchen, Fertilizer Sales, Coats

for Kids, Reading Oasis Program & Salvation Army Bell Ringing. Meet at Mavericks on Mondays at noon.

Lions Club -Watertown

Meet Thursday's at 12:15 at Mavericks
Facebook: [Watertownsdions](https://www.facebook.com/WatertownSDLions)
The Watertown Lions have a variety of projects they are affiliated with. Those activities are (but not limited to) selling Christmas trees, The Lions Haunted House, adopting a family for Christmas and a variety of other activities. As well as scholarships, financial support for those in need of sight/sound devices and other donations.

Watertown Masonic Lodge AFAM

215 N. Broadway
<https://13-sd.ourlodgepage.com>
office@mygrandlodge.org
Meets at Masonic center second Tuesday each month (not July or August) at 7:30pm

Watertown Optimist Club

PO Box 1632
Email: wtnsdoptimistclub@gmail.com
Facebook: [WatertownOptimistClub](https://www.facebook.com/WatertownOptimistClub)
We bring out the best in kids. We reach all areas of children's lives including social, sports, and academics. We meet Thursdays at noon at Pizza Ranch.

Watertown Rotary Club

PO Box 147
Facebook: [RotaryWatertownSD](https://www.facebook.com/RotaryWatertownSD)
We are professional men and women who work as volunteers to improve the quality of life in the community. Meet at the Elks Lodge on Thursdays at noon.

Support Groups

Alcoholics Anonymous*

www.humanserviceagency.org//aameetings
or call 605-886-0123 for meeting times and locations. Meetings are held every

day of the week. Closed and open meetings are offered.

AL-ANON*

www.humanserviceagency.org//aameetings or
605-886-0123

Mon. 7:15pm - Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer, 2001 2nd St NW

Thurs. 7:00pm - GracePoint Church, 3rd Ave NE

Breast Cancer Support Group

Contact: Colita Remmers

605-881-9485

colita.remmers@gmail.com

A group that provides emotional and financial support.

Cancer Support Group

Prairie Lakes Healthcare System

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-6800

This support group is open to those living with cancer, those who have survived, and caregivers. We have speaker presentations, opportunities to meet others in similar situations, and cancer education and insight. Please call or visit www.prairielakes.com for more information and meeting dates/times.

Co-Dependency Group

Mondays from 5:30-6:30pm at

Cornerstone Church, 1350 11th St NE

Celebrate Recovery

E: info@midwestministries.org

A Christ-centered program that provides care and support to those struggling with hurts, habits, and hang-ups. Potluck at 6pm, big group worship at 6:30, men's & women's small groups at 7:30pm. Free childcare provided. Bring your family, bring a friend, bring yourself...Celebrate Recovery is for everyone!

Gamblers Anonymous

Meetings are on Mondays at 6:30pm at the Human Service Agency, 123 19th St NE in the West group room.

Domestic Violence Support Group

605-886-4304

www.beaconcentersd.com

Healing the wounded spirit; healing for trauma victims and survivors. Meetings are every Tuesday 5:30 – 7:00pm at the Beacon Center - 801 Jenson Ave.

Divine Providence of South Dakota

605-880-6201

www.divineprovidencesd.com

divineprovidence@gmail.com

Facebook: LakeKampeska

Leads people, especially those wounded by child sexual abuse and sexual assault into a thriving relationship with Jesus Christ and strengthens local churches in Northeast South Dakota through four ministries: Hope, Healing and Prints; Hope In God - for adult survivors of child sexual abuse and sexual assault; Pulpit Supply & Providence Solutions-Provide SWOT Analysis and Strategic Planning.

Face It Together

855-539-9375

www.wefaceittogether.org

Free, effective support from people who've been there. For families impacted by addiction.

GriefShare

Contact: Mark Tracy

605-777-720 (text "grief")

GriefShare is a grief support group that meets weekly for 13 weeks to help and provide encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member or friend. GriefShare meets seasonally on Thursday evenings from 6-8pm at Cornerstone Methodist Church. You are welcome to

begin attending the group at any point. Each session is self-contained so you do not have to attend in sequence. There is no cost. Workbooks are available for \$15.

IBS Support Group

605-880-5213

This support group works to educate those who are living with Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS) and to increase awareness of the disorder. The group will meet in the west conference room of Prairie Lakes Hospital. Attendance is free. There is no advance registration. Everyone is welcome. Please call with questions and meeting times and dates.

Narcotic Anonymous*

www.humanserviceagency.org//aameetingsor
605-886-0123

Mon. 7pm Salvation Army 621 4th St SE

Wed. 8pm Salvation Army

National Alliance on Mental Health NAMI

605- 886-7799

Email: dnkranz4@gmail.com

www.namisouthdakota.org

Support and educational meetings are held on the first Monday of each month. Meetings begin at 7:00pm at IC Parish Hall, 309 2nd Ave SE. There are Wellness Activities the last Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm Midland Plaza Building 100 S. *Please call for "in-person" status of meetings.

Parent(s) Grief Support Group

1350 11th St NE (Cornerstone United Methodist Church)

Contact: Susan Rieb, 605-237-3791

Jan Solum, 605-881-6657

Email: susanrieb@msn.com

<https://cornerstonewat.churchcenter.com/groups> Support for those who have lost a child. The group meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 5:30pm at the church.

Prairie Lakes Grief Support Group

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-7714

Prairie Lakes offers a grief support group, where those who have experienced the death of a loved one, can find comfort, support, and hope. Learn about the process of grief, meet others who are dealing with losses, and share stories of your loved one. The meetings are open to the community and free of charge. Learn more & register at www.prairielakes.com.

Prairie Lakes Healthcare System Support Groups & Education

Prairie Lakes Healthcare System

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-7000

Support groups offer information to help cope with a chronic disease or life event. But a big benefit of support groups is meeting people in a similar situation. Go to www.prairielakes.com for various groups including Grief support, Expecting Parent classes, Memorial Butterfly Release, free classes, events and more.

Wounded Hearts

1350 11th St NE (Cornerstone United Methodist Church)

Contact: Susan Buhler

605-520-6743

<https://cornerstonewat.churchcenter.com/groups> This class offers hope and guidance in the midst of confusion to adult victims of childhood sexual abuse. This is an intensely personal and specific look at this most 'soul deadening' form of abuse.

Thrift Stores

2nd Class Elegance

12 W. Kemp

605-881-8984

Angels Attic

1300 9th Ave SE (Watertown Mall)

605-878-2300

Community Corner

101 9th Ave SW

605-878-1181

Goodwill of the Great Plains

2318 9th Ave SE

605-886-6379

GSI Thrift Store

102 W. Kemp Ave

605-882-9955

www.gsithrift.com

Peddler's Market

109 9th Ave SW

605-878-1180

Salvation Army Family Store

621 4th St. SE

605-886-4030

Transportation

Community Transit of Watertown/Sisseton

605-882-5287

www.communitytransitws.com

We provide affordable public transportation for Watertown and surrounding counties. Rides should be scheduled one day in advance before 3 pm by calling 605-882-5287.

*Out of town trips must be scheduled one week in advanced.

Driver's Licensing/Exam

2001 9th Ave SW, Suite 100

605-773-6883

1-800-952-3696

<https://dps.sd.gov/driver-licensing>

Lake Area Taxi

605-880-5555

Need-A-Ride

605-303-4033

Patty Wagon Rides

605-880-3362

Watertown Municipal Airport

550 Airport Dr

605-882-6209

www.watertownsd.us/853/Watertown-Regional-Airport

Youth/Family Programs

Boy Scouts of America

Arrowhead District

www.sioux council.org/arrowhead-district

For more information, contact your elementary school and/or church to locate a Watertown unit.

Common Sense Parenting Program

605-886-4304

801 Jenson Ave SE

Email: denise@beaconcentersd.com

This 6 week program offers parents of 3 - 17 year olds an opportunity to enhance their parenting skills. Classes are held at the Beacon Center. These classes are free of charge, and no referral is needed. Call or email for next starting date/time.

Citizen's Police Academy

Watertown Police Dept.

Contact: Steve Rehorst

605-882-6210

Three hours of training one evening each week for 12 weeks. This interactive program focuses on educating citizens about the police department's mission, function, practices, and processes. It brings the police and the community close together in a setting that offers a sample of police training to each participant.

Codington County Diversion Program & Teen Court

1000 3rd Ave NE, PO Box 833

Contact: Louis Canfield

605-886-6666

E: canfieldl@bgcofwatertown.com

The Youth Diversion program is to rehabilitate juveniles, instill in the youth a sense of accountability for their actions, and give youth the ability to understand the detrimental impact criminal behavior can have on the community and their future. Youth are given 90 days to complete their tasks and assignments; if Diversion is not completed, the case is sent back to the State's Attorneys office.

Teen Court is a program designed to impose consequences upon youth who violate the law, and allows youth to volunteer to serve as a jury member, defense or prosecution attorneys. Adult volunteers are needed in order to operate.

Expectant Parent(s) Classes

401 9th Ave NW

605-882-7628

PLHS offers free expectant parent(s) classes year-round at Prairie Lakes presented by certified childbirth educators. Classes include Childbirth Class Series, Prenatal Breastfeeding, Sibling Preparation and more. View all classes online at www.prairielakes.com.

Girls Scouts – Dakota Horizons

Member Services: 800-666-2141

www.gsdakotahorizons.org

Facebook: [GirlScoutsofWatertownSD](https://www.facebook.com/GirlScoutsofWatertownSD)

A volunteer run organization. Girls participate in troop meetings and citywide events. Contact your school to help locate a Watertown troop.

Teen Police Academy

Watertown Police Dept.

Contact: Steve Rehorst

605-882-6210

This is an interactive program that focuses on educating young people about the police department's mission, function, and processes. It brings officers and youth close together in a setting that offers a sample of police training to each participant. This provides hands-on activities, along with classroom instruction and a behind-the-scenes tour of the department. There is no cost to attend. It is held in the afternoon for a week during the month of June. Applications are available www.watertownpd.com.

Understanding Me up to Age 3 classes

Pre-register call 605-688-5730 or

email: SDSU.FRN@sdstate.edu

This class is for parents of children birth to 3 years. Young children tell us what they are thinking, learning, and feeling through their behaviors. Understanding these behaviors can help you find out what your child is telling you. Classes are held at the Beacon Center. These classes are free.

Watertown Police Department Public Safety Cadet Program

128 N Maple St

605-882-6210

Contact: Officer Chad Stricherz

Email: cstricherz@watertownpd.com

Safety Cadets are a dedicated group of young adults (14-20) who have an interest in pursuing a law enforcement career.

These young adults become involved in many department activities and assist our officers in many different aspects of their job, including but not limited to, fingerprinting, ride-a-longs, and traffic control.

Youth/Family Services

Boys & Girls Club of Watertown

1000 3rd Avenue, PO Box 833

605-886-6666

www.bgcofwatertown.com

Contact: Liz Brownell

Email: lbrownell@bgcofwatertown.com

[Main Club Site](#) – Programming focuses on physical wellness, education, art, social recreation, and character and leadership development to grades 1-12. The annual membership fee of \$25 includes snacks & meals.

[Kidscope](#) - is a state licensed, out-of-school time, activities program, which provides quality care to children in Kindergarten through 6th grade. Kidscope is located at Lincoln and Jefferson Schools during the school year and at one elementary school during the summer. This is a fee-based program.

[Other Programs Offered](#)

Academic Assistance programs (G.I.F.T.) during the school year at McKinley, Mellette, and Roosevelt; and at the Watertown Intermediate and Watertown Middle School.

Leadership Programming; Youth Voice Group, Youth of the Year

Community Halloween Event

Teen Court (see page 33)

Prevention and Diversion Programs

Brothers and Sisters Behind Bars

PO Box 1512

<https://brothersandsistersbb.org>

Facebook: [BSBBWatertown](#)

A non-profit organization to help individuals involved with the criminal justice system as a result of addiction. We provide three pillars of service – Advocacy; Providing positive social alternatives; and Providing essential unmet basic needs.

CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocate) Program

PO Box 281, Watertown

605-520-8002

Contact: Terri Mielitz

Email: terri@eastcentralcasa.com

www.eastcentralcasa.com

This program provides special adult advocates, appointed through the court system, for children, when the need is present.

Child Protection Services SD Dept. of Social Services

2001 9th Ave SW, Suite 300

To report child abuse or neglect, please call: 1-877-244-0864

Other services call 605-882-5000

Fax: 605-882-5045

www.dss.sd.gov

Contact: Jillian Lanphear

Email: Jillian.Lanphear@state.sd.us

Child Protection receives and assesses reports of child abuse/neglect. If a child is found to be unsafe in the parent's home, CPS works with the family on a plan to ensure the child's safety.

Codington County Drug Court

14 1st Ave SE

605-882-5375

This program is designed for adults whose problems stem from substance abuse. As an individual enters this program, he or she must be motivated to work toward changing their lifestyle and becoming free of alcohol and chemical addiction. This program is accessible regardless of age, religion, sex, ethnic origin, sexual preference, marital status, or physical and/or mental disability. It is a court-managed, alcohol/drug intervention treatment program, designed to provide a cost-effective alternative to traditional criminal case processing.

Division of Long Term Services and Supports

2001 9th Ave. SW. Suite 300

P: 605-882-5010

F: 605-882-5045

Website:

<https://dhs.sd.gov/LTSS/default.aspx>

We provide in-home services to low income, elderly, and disabled individuals. Services available are homemaker, personal care (bathing assistance), nursing, medical supplies, and nutritional supplements. The individuals are assessed to determine the services needed. We are also a referral agency for community resources. The Ombudsman program provides advocacy services for individuals in assisted-living nursing facilities.

Lutheran Social Services CARES Wraparound Services

1424 9th Ave SE, Suite 7

605-882-2740 or 800-568-2401

CARES Wraparound is an early intervention service that provides care coordination based on the family's strengths and needs. The CARES wraparound team works with family members to identify needs and make a plan to accomplish their goals. Referrals are made through school social worker or counselors.

Midwest Bible Camp & Conference Center (Midwest Ministries)

1500 N Hwy 20

605-886-3165

Email: info@midwestministries.org

www.midwestministries.org

We offer a Bible-based, hopeful, and fun Free Camp for Kids for two sessions the last half of June each year. Please see our website or call the camp for more information on this wonderful opportunity for your children. You can choose either a

Day Camp or an Overnight Camp for either week.

Salvation Army

621 4th St SE
605-886-4030

Captains Dennis/Kelly Jolly

Youth/Family: We offer annual summer camps for children and families. Please call for more information. Our Ignite Youth Programs begin in September and are offered every Wednesday for boys and girls ages 4-18; Music Academy at 5pm; Supper Served 5:45pm, and Character Building at 6:15pm. Rides can be provided.

Family: We offer a NO COST, intensive case management support program to assist families with children in becoming more self-sufficient, as well as connecting them to local resources. The program is called Pathway of Hope. Please contact our case manager, Shannon, to discuss program interest and eligibility. There must be at least one child under the age of 18 within the household to qualify.

SD Dept. of Corrections – Juvenile Division

2001 9th Ave SW, Suite #400
605-882-5002
Fax: 605-882-5369

Supervise juvenile offenders in the community and in placement.

SD National Guard (SDNG) Service Member & Family Support (SMFS) Division

2823 West Main Street
Bldng 420 Room C154
Rapid City, SD 57702

SMFS Director: Major Sara Wetzler
E: sarah.i.wetzler.mil@army.mil
1-800-658-3930

The SMFS program is to promote healthy Military Families, who are self-reliant during both deployment and non-deployment,

through education, outreach services and partnerships with community organizations. The SMFS team also provides referrals to other programs and resources, crisis assistance, and other support. We promote Family wellness through benefits and programs available for service members and their families. Many of our programs provide on-going support to veterans, military retirees, and their families. Programs that encompass the Service Member and Family Support Division are as follows: Family Readiness, Family Assistance Center, Airman & Family Readiness Center, Yellow Ribbon/Reintegration, Child and Youth Program, Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve, Military Funeral Honors, Survivor Outreach Services, Military OneSource, Suicide Prevention Program, Transition Assistance Advisor, Comprehensive Soldier Fitness, and Other Support Organizations such as Office of the Chaplain and Sexual Harassment/ Assault Response & Prevention

SDNG Child & Youth Program

Coordinator:

Contact: Taryn Broomfield
2823 West Main Street
Bldng 420 Room C154
Rapid City, SD 57702
605-737-6919
E: taryn.m.bloomfield.ctr@army.mil

SDNG Service Member and Family Support contacts for the Watertown Area:

Family Assistance Specialist:

Contact: Bill Flippo
300 5th St. S
Brookings, SD 57006
605-415-1013
E: bill.m.flippo.civ@army.mil

SDNG Psychological Health Program

Psychological Health Coordinator:

Contact: Mark Francisco
1951 N. Hwy 20
Watertown, SD 57201
605-786-2922 or 605-882-3354

E: Mark.j.francisco2.mil@mail.mil
The primary purpose of the Psychological Health Coordinator is to facilitate preventive, remedial, and support services to optimize psychological health and readiness of National Guard (NG) military members and their families.

SDSU Extension Service Codington County

1910 W Kemp Ave
605-882-6300
Contact: Jodi Loehrer, SDSU Extension 4-H Youth Program Advisor
Email: jodi.loehrer@sdstate.edu
www.codington.org/extension-service

4-H & Youth Development

4-H; Cloverbuds; Character Education; Nutrition; Science; Farm Safety; After School Enrichment; Kid Kare Babysitting Clinic.

Spectrum Matters

810 S Maple Watertown SD 57201
605-878-0101
<https://spectrummattersSD.com>
Contact: Darcy Weber-Rohde
Description: Spectrum Matters provides Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) therapy for children with Autism and related behavioral disorders.

South Dakota Court Services

14 1st Ave SE, PO Box 1054
Codington County Courthouse
605-882-5110
Works within the Unified Judicial System for the State of South Dakota. The client base is derived through formal court proceedings as well as diversion programs referred through the local State's Attorney. Court Services' role is to monitor the compliance of all conditions set down by the Court in alleged juvenile delinquent matters and Child In Need of Supervision matters.

Avoid Opioid

Text OPIOID at 898211 or
call 1-800-920-4343
www.avoidopioidSD.com

Get Rid of Old or Unused Medications in Watertown – Medication Drop off

Locations:

Watertown Police Dept.
128 N Maple S.
Codington County Sherriff's Office
14 1st Ave SE
Prairie Lakes Campus Pharmacy
401 9th Ave NW
Hy-Vee Pharmacy
1320 9th Ave SE

Crisis Hotline (Local)

605-886-0123

Call if you or someone you know is in a crisis situation.

Crisis Hotline (National)

National Suicide & Crisis Lifeline
call, text or chat 988
OR

Crisis Texting Line (National)

Text "hello" to 741-741
www.crisistextline.org

For immediate assistance if you or someone you know is in crisis or if thinking about suicide.

South Dakota Behavioral Health resources
www.facebook.com/SDBehavioralHealth
<https://sdbehavioralhealth.gov/>

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