This resource guide lists community programs, which are part of the 211 resource database, that provide direct basic needs and services such as clothing and household items, employment services, family and parenting, financial support, food, health care, housing, immigration, mental health, shelter, and transportation.

For more information: • Visit www.helplinecenter.org • Dial 2-1-1 • Text your zip code to 898211

Helpline Center - 2-1-1
Dial 2-1-1 or Text your zip code to 898211
A 24-hour information, referral, and crisis helpline that provides resource information covering topics such as food, clothing, financial, medical, mental health, employment, shelter, volunteer opportunities, and much more.

Helpline Center – Suicide and Crisis Support
(800) 273-8255 National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (NSPL) – Answered by the Helpline Center
An accredited suicide prevention, intervention and after-care organization, delivering the hope and understanding you need. Also provides the following services: a crisis texting program for teens at over 40 high schools in South Dakota and some colleges; grief support for individuals who have lost a loved one to suicide; professional suicide awareness and prevention trainings.

CLOTHING / HOUSEHOLD ITEMS
Goodwill of the Great Plains Pierre
1902 Eastgate Avenue, Pierre, SD (605) 494-3033 www.goodwillgreatplains.org
Recycles donated clothing, furniture, household goods, books, and other items by offering them for purchase. Proceeds benefit the community by offering individuals with barriers work training and employment opportunities. Goodwill has a clothing voucher program. Must be referred from a social service agency. Every South Dakota store has GoodShred, which provides secure document destruction with proceeds used to support Goodwill's Mission.

Hospice Thrift Store
1150 E. Sioux Avenue, Pierre, SD (605) 945-0827
Providing clothing and household items at a reasonable price to meet the needs of the community and to fund the programs of Countryside Hospice Support & Memory Center.

Pierre Area Referral Service
2520 E. Franklin Street, Pierre, SD (605) 224-8731 pierreareareferral.org
Offers information and referral for community services. Emergency services based on availability and qualifications for clothing; disposable diapers and personal hygiene items.

Pierre First United Methodist Church
117 N. Central Avenue, Pierre, SD (605) 224-5939 pierrefirstumc.org
Nourish Body & Soul (NBS) program keeps some hygiene products and clothing on hand.

Southeast Community Center - Community Banquet
2315 E. Park Street, Pierre, SD (605) 224-7244
Winter outerwear room for anyone in need of a coat, gloves, hats etc.

EMPLOYMENT
National Farmworker Jobs Program
Statewide program with office in Pierre (605) 394-5120 bhssc.org
Have you done any farm or ranch work in the last 2 years? If so, you could be eligible for the following (depending upon availability of funds): assistance with financial aid for vocational schools and colleges; subsidized on-site training programs; employment counseling; job placement, testing and evaluation; financial assistance in relocating for education training and job placement; emergency financial services such as, but not limited to: emergency food, shelter, rental assistance, and transportation costs).
**Pierre Job Service Office**  
116 W. Missouri Avenue, Pierre, SD  
(605) 773-3372  
https://dlr.sd.gov  
Assists job seekers to apply for positions for which they are qualified and provides job search assistance classes. Computers are available for conducting job searches and applying online. Workforce training is an employment and training program designed for adults and youth to increase their skills that may result in employment and higher pay.

**The Right Turn, Inc.**  
115 E. Sioux Avenue, Pierre, SD  
(605) 773-4755  
www.therightturn.org  
Provides workforce development training; basic adult education; computer skills training; CPR certification; English language classes; citizenship preparation; career development; job readiness preparation and test proctoring (in Central SD); training and support for child care providers; a computer lab; free wi-fi; parenting classes; online GED preparation classes; Reach Out & Read books; corporate trainings; employment training; information & referral for immigrants & refugees; and is the Child Care Resource & Referral Agency (CCR&R).

**United Sioux Tribes of South Dakota Development Corporation**  
122 W. Sioux Avenue, Pierre, SD  
(605) 224-8864  
Serves all Native Americans within South Dakota on and off the reservations. Destination offices operating for the placement of Indian personnel into jobs of substance. Services include: job development; screening; orientation; placement; certifications; follow-up; employer/employee relations; and community adjustment services.

**FAMILY / PARENTING / CHILD CARE**

**Boys & Girls Club of the Capital Area**  
110 S. Ree Street, Pierre, SD  
(605) 224-8699  
bgccaparea.org  
The Club serves kids from 5 - 18 with programs such as homework help, healthy decision making, leadership development and civic engagement.

**Capital Area Counseling Service**  
803 E. Dakota Avenue, Pierre, SD  
(605) 224-5811  
www.cacsnetwork.org  
Provides a wide variety of mental health related services, including: outpatient therapy; prevention classes; screenings and assessments; group counseling; medication management; psychological testing; outreach services for children; recovery-based services; residential services/group homes (Betty's Place and Bridgeway); therapeutic foster care; offender services; involuntary commitment evaluations; family based services - where staff meet in the client's home or community setting; and addiction services.

**DSS Child Care Assistance**  
910 E. Sioux Avenue, Pierre, SD  
(605) 773-4766  
https://dss.sd.gov/childcare/childcareassistance/  
Child Care Assistance - Provides financial help for child care costs for families who are working and/or going to school.

**Hughes County Community Health Services**  
740 E. Sioux, Suite 107  
Pierre, SD  
(605) 773-3638  
https://doh.sd.gov  
Baby Care: Works with pregnant women to offer health advice and teaching regarding their pregnancy and newborn. WIC: Works to improve the nutritional status of its participants through education and early intervention. Offers childhood immunizations and flu vaccinations to participants.

**Oahe Child Development Center**  
2307 E. Capitol Avenue, Pierre, SD  
(605) 224-6603  
www.oahechild.com  
Preschool services for children ages 3 - 5, as well as home visiting program to work on child development for pregnant women and children up to age 3. Programs include Head Start, Early Head Start, home visits and parental support.

**Oahe Family YMCA**  
900 E. Church Street, Pierre, SD  
(605) 224-1683  
www.oaheymca.org  
The YMCA offers group exercise, senior classes, strength and cardio equipment, swimming, after school child care and a variety of youth programming (including preschool and summer camps) with the goal of making accessible the support and opportunities that empower people and communities to learn, grow and thrive.

**Pierre School District**  
District Administrative Offices  
- 211 S. Poplar Avenue, Pierre, SD  
(605) 773-7300  
pierre.k12.sd.us
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T.F. Riggs High School  
- 1010 E. Broadway Avenue  (605) 773-7350

Georgia Morse Middle School  
- 309 E. Capital Avenue  (605) 773-7330

Buchanan Elementary  
- 100 N. Buchanan Avenue  (605) 773-7310

Jefferson Elementary  
- 900 North Poplar Avenue  (605) 773-7320

Kennedy Elementary  
- 2306 Brookstone Loop  (605) 773-7370

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115 E. Sioux Avenue, Pierre, SD  (605) 773-4755  www.therightturn.org

Provides workforce development training; basic adult education; computer skills training; CPR certification; English language classes; citizenship preparation; career development; job readiness preparation and test proctoring (in Central SD); training and support for child care providers; a computer lab; free wifi; parenting classes; online GED preparation classes; Reach Out & Read books; corporate trainings; employment training; information & referral for immigrants & refugees; and is the Child Care Resource & Referral Agency (CCR&R).

**FINANCIAL**

**DSS (Department of Social Services) Pierre**  
912 E. Sioux Avenue, Pierre, SD  (605) 773-3612  dss.sd.gov

Ofices for the services of SNAP or food stamps, enables eligible households to obtain a more nutritious diet, TANF, Medicaid, CHIP, Child Support, Child Care, and Child Protection Services.

**DSS Low Income Energy Assistance Program**  
910 E. Sioux Avenue, Pierre, SD  (605) 773-3766  dss.sd.gov

Assists with heating costs: propane and fuel oil July 1 to April 30; electric heat and natural gas October 1 to May 15.

**Farm Rescue**  
Statewide  (701) 252-2017  farmrescue.org

Farm Rescue provides planting, hay hauling, haying, harvesting and livestock feeding assistance to farm and ranch families that have experienced a major injury, illness or natural disaster.

**GROW South Dakota - Emergency Assistance**  
Serving Hughes and Stanley Counties  (605) 698-7654  www.growsd.org

Provides one-time emergency assistance grants to help pay for rent, utilities, or other emergency needs.

**GROW South Dakota - Housing Programs**  
Statewide  (605) 698-7654  www.growsd.org

Provides home ownership preparation services and Home Buyer Education classes. For those who meet eligibility requirements, down payment/closing cost assistance may be available. Also, low-cost loans to utilize when purchasing a home or home improvements.

**LSS Statewide - Center for Financial Resources**  
Statewide  (605) 330-2700  www.lsssd.org

Provides financial counseling and education, homeownership counseling and education, debt management plans, bankruptcy counseling, and the Sharpen Your Financial Focus program.

**Pierre Area Referral Service**  
2520 E. Franklin Street, Pierre, SD  (605) 224-8731  pierreareareferral.org

Offers information and referral for community services. Emergency services based on availability and qualifications for the following: emergency short term lodging; gas / transportation for out-of-town medical appointment or stranded motorist; in-state bus tickets; utility assistance electric, water, or gas with a disconnection notice; prescription / medications.

**South Dakota Public Utilities Commission - Lifeline**  
500 E. Capitol Avenue, Pierre, SD  (800) 332-1782  www.puc.sd.gov

Reduces the cost of landlines in all areas and cell phones in certain areas.
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**FOOD**

*DSS Pierre - Economic Assistance*
912 E. Sioux Avenue, Pierre, SD  (605) 773-3612
Snap, or food stamps, enables eligible households to obtain a more nutritious diet.

*Feeding South Dakota - South Dakota Mobile Food Pantry*
Sioux Falls, SD  (605) 335-0364  [feedingsouthdakota.org](http://feedingsouthdakota.org)
Distributes free food to individuals and families, monthly. On website, hover over “Our Programs” and pick Mobile.

*Pierre Area Referral Service*
2520 E. Franklin Street, Pierre, SD  (605) 224-8731  [pierreareareferral.org](http://pierreareareferral.org)
Offers information and referral for community services. Emergency food based on availability and qualifications, including the BackPack food program; Pierre and Ft. Pierre food pantry; Senior Food Box program; and holiday meals.

*Pierre First United Methodist Church*
117 N. Central Avenue, Pierre, SD  (605) 224-5939  [www.pierrefirstumc.org](http://www.pierrefirstumc.org)
WOW Meal program: Free community meal - 5:15pm, Wednesday
Nourish Body & Soul (NBS) program: Provides some grocery and gas assistance to people in need and keep some hygiene products and clothing on hand.

*Southeast Community Center – Community Banquet*
2315 E. Park Street, Pierre, SD  (605) 224-7244
A weekly meal is provided at the Community Center. Carry outs are given when available. Weekly food giveaway.

*Trinity Episcopal Church*
408 N. Jefferson, Pierre, SD  (605) 224-5237
Food pantry bin in the entrance available during business hours. Sunday service of Holy Communion. Sunday school (after service). Book groups meet weekly and continuing education classes meet monthly.

**HEALTH**

*Avera Medical Group Pierre*
100 MAC Lane, Pierre, SD  (605) 224-5901  [www.avera.org](http://www.avera.org)
Variety of health services including urgent care: 5:00pm - 7:00pm, Monday - Friday and 9:00am - 12:00noon, Saturday.

*Avera Medical Call Center*  
(605) 322-6877 or (800) 658-3535
Formerly knowing as Avera Ask A Nurse, Aver offers a free and confidential service answered by registered nurses, providing: medical information; referrals to hospitals, community services, and physicians and class registrations.

*Avera St. Mary’s Hospital*
801 E. Sioux Avenue, Pierre, SD  (605) 224-3100  [www.avera.org](http://www.avera.org)
Variety of health services including emergency medicine, trauma care and telemedicine.

*Health Connect of South Dakota*
Statewide  (605) 371-1000  [www.healthconnectsd.org](http://www.healthconnectsd.org)
A consumer public health library, empowers all people to make health decisions by providing current understandable information.

*My Sanford Nurse*  
(800) 445-5788
A 24-hour phone service for individuals seeking information about a health-related issue or concern.

*Sanford Health Pierre Clinic*
521 E. Sioux Avenue, Pierre, SD  (605) 945-5560  [www.sanfordhealth.org](http://www.sanfordhealth.org)
Sanford Health Pierre Clinic offers health care services for patients of all ages.

*South Dakota Department of Human Services - Family Support 360*
3800 E. Highway 34, Pierre, SD  (605) 773-3438  [dhs.sd.gov](http://dhs.sd.gov)
Services and supports for families of children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Services may include, but are not limited to the following: information and referral; incontinence supplies; medications; formulas/special foods; special clothing; recreational opportunities; adaptive equipment; service coordination;
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advocacy services; respite care; family counseling; parent/sibling education; travel expenses for medical care; transportation costs; vehicle modifications; housing modifications, etc.

South Dakota Lions Foundation
Statewide (605) 338-0551 www.sdlions.org
- KidSight South Dakota - Working to screen children for eye health. Mobile screening units are available to daycares, preschools and schools on request.
- Please call for the full list of drop locations for used hearing aids and eyeglasses.
- Specific Assistance Program - Partners with healthcare professionals to provide services at reduced rates to income-qualified individuals.

South Dakota Urban Indian Health Pierre
1714 Abbey Road, Pierre, SD (605) 224-8841 www.sduih.org
Provides fully integrated medical and behavioral health care services and is a designated Primary Care Provider for Medicaid and Medicaid Health Home. Services provided include: HIV prevention; women's health; All Women Count!; school / sport / Commercial Driver License (CDL) physicals; child and infant care; adult care; immunizations; comprehensive Diabetes care including educational classes and foot care; diabetes partners program and case management.

HOUSING AND RELATED ASSISTANCE

Fair Housing South Dakota
Statewide (877) 832-0161 www.sdhda.org
A resource for renters, potential homeowners, lenders, landlords, and other housing professionals to utilize to understand their rights and responsibilities.

Housing & Redevelopment Commission of Pierre
301 W. Pleasant Drive, Pierre, SD (605) 773-7425
Offers assisted housing, public housing authority, and rental assistance for the elderly, people with disabling conditions, and families meeting low-income guidelines. Does not offer emergency housing assistance. Families pre-apply and are placed on the waiting list. As opening become available families are contacted. Families are given a voucher to rent with in the community or rent and apartment or home from HRCP. Yearly qualifications are required from the tenant to maintain tenancy.

HUD South Dakota
Statewide (605) 330-4223 www.hud.gov
Provides information on low income (subsidized) rental units and public housing authorities via email, fax, or mail.

SD Housing Search
Statewide (800) 540-4241 www.sdhousingsearch.com
A free housing locator providing information on Section 8 and income based rental units.

South Dakota Housing Development Authority
3060 E. Elizabeth Street, Pierre, SD (605) 773-3181 www.sdhda.org
Provides mortgage and down payment assistance, housing construction and rehabilitation, homelessness prevention, and rental assistance.

Supportive Services for Veterans Families
Statewide (605) 484-9209 or (605) 939-8312 www.cornerstonemission.org
Provides homelessness prevention and rapid re-housing services to help veteran families keep, or rapidly transition to permanent housing.

USDA Rural Development Multi-Family Housing Rentals
Through the website, people who are looking for low-cost rentals, can find units for rent in rural South Dakota. Search based on county or town. Then, contact the property company regarding how to apply. To find apartments in rural areas: 1. Go to: www.rd.usda.gov 2. Scroll down on left hand side, it says, find rural rentals 3. Then click on South Dakota 4. Then, select your County
MENTAL HEALTH / SUBSTANCE USE ISSUES

Al-Anon and Al-ateen - Meeting Line
Pierre, SD (605) 679-5497 sdal-anon-alateen.org
Al-Anon Family Groups are for the families and friends of alcoholics who share their experience, strength, and hope in order to solve their common problems.

- **Monday**
  - 6:00pm, (HA), Capitol City AFG, River Park Foundation 222 S. Adams Avenue, Pierre, SD, 57501
- **Friday**
  - 6:00pm, (HA), Capitol City AFG, River Park Foundation 222 S. Adams Avenue, Pierre, SD, 57501

Alcoholics Anonymous – Pierre www.area63aa.org
Alcoholics Anonymous is a voluntary, worldwide fellowship of men and women from all walks of life who meet together to attain and maintain sobriety. The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking. There are no dues or fees for AA membership. All groups meet at the 325 S. Garfield Avenue (Alano Club).

- **Sunday**
  - 8:00pm, (O), "Pierre AA Group"
- **Monday**
  - 12:00pm, (C, D), “Pierre AA Group”
  - 5:30pm (C, D, BB) "Oahe: We Are Not Saints Group”
  - 8:00pm, (C, S), "Pierre AA Group”
- **Tuesday**
  - 12:00pm, (C, L), "Pierre AA Group”
  - 8:00pm, (C, D), "Pierre AA Group”
- **Wednesday**
  - 12:00pm, (O, D), "Pierre AA Group”
  - 8:00pm, (O, D), "Pierre AA Group”
- **Thursday**
  - 12:00pm, (O, D), "Pierre AA Group”
  - 8:00pm, (C), "Pierre AA Group”
- **Friday**
  - 12:00pm, (O, D), "Pierre AA Group”
  - 5:30pm (C, D, G) "Oahe: We Are Not Saints Group" (Open to all the last Friday on the month)
  - 8:00pm, (C, BB), "Pierre AA Group”
- **Saturday**
  - 8:00pm, (C), "Pierre AA Group”

O - Open, C - Closed, open to those with an alcohol addiction, D - Discussion, BB - Big Book, G - Grapevine, L - Literature, S - Step

Capital Area Counseling Service
803 E. Dakota Avenue, Pierre, SD (605) 224-5811 www.cacsnet.org
Community mental health center providing a wide variety of behavioral health related services, such as:

- Outpatient therapy (including individual, family and group counseling)
- Screenings and assessments, including Psychological testing
- Crisis Counseling
- Involuntary commitment evaluations/Mental health evaluations (QMHP evaluations)
- Addiction and recovery-based services (including individual and group treatment)
- Medication management and Psychiatric Rehabilitation
- Outreach services for children/Family based services (staff meet in the client's home or community setting)
- Residential services/Group homes (Betty's Place and Bridgeway)
- Therapeutic foster care
- Offender services
- Prevention classes
- Specialty training in: emergency mental health, Suicide Safe Care, Motivational Interviewing, Dialectical Behavioral Therapy (DBT), Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT), Trauma-Focused Care, Functional Family Therapy (FFT), Cognitive Behavioral Interventions for Substance Abuse (CBISA), Aggression Replacement Therapy (ART), Moral Reconnac tors (MRT), and Restorative Justice.
Catholic Family Services Pierre area - Counseling Program
1221 E. Broadway, Pierre, SD  (605) 988-3775  www.sf catholic.org
Non-denominational, licensed, professional counseling for adults and children. All areas of counseling are available, including individual, marriage and family. Outreach office: 105 N. Exene, Gettysburg, SD 57442

Helpline Center - Opioid Prevention and Connection to Resources Program
Statewide  (800) 920-4343  www.helplinecenter.org/occ
The South Dakota Opioid Resource Hotline is part of South Dakota’s statewide targeted response to the opioid crisis. The hotline provides a place where individuals are able to reach out for information on treatment resources and support.

NAMI Homefront
Statewide  (605) 271-1871  www.namisouthdakota.org
NAMI Homefront is a free, six-session class for family members of service members or veterans with mental health conditions. Offered online only; to register visit https://www.nami.org/Find-Support/NAMI-Programs/NAMI-Homefront.

NAMI Pierre
Pierre, SD  (605) 222-3874  www.namisouthdakota.org
NAMI South Dakota offers practical support, useful education and understanding to people who are living and coping with neurobiologically based brain diseases and their family members. In addition, NAMI South Dakota works to increase public awareness and to advocate for increased research and improved services for persons living with serious mental illness. NAMI Pierre meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at First Congregational Church. NAMI Pierre welcomes new members and friends to their groups and monthly meetings.

South Dakota Department of Health - South Dakota QuitLine
615 E. Fourth Street, Pierre, SD  (866) 737-8487  www.sdquitline.com
Provides tobacco users telephone coaching support and quit-tobacco products at no-cost. There is also an online enrollment in the Kickstart Kit, which has quit-tobacco products and a self-help quit guide.

South Dakota Urban Indian Health Pierre - Behavioral Health and Substance Abuse Services
1714 Abbey Road, Pierre, SD  (605) 224-8841  www.sduih.org
Behavioral Health Services are also available from licensed substance abuse and mental health counselors. Chemical Dependency assessments and Level 1.0 Counseling, as well as individual, couples, and family behavioral health counseling are offered. Transportation is available for current patients if needed.

PUBLIC SAFETY

City of Pierre Police Department
3200 E. SD Highway 34, Suite 13, Pierre, SD  (605) 773-7413  www.ci.pierre.sd.us
The Pierre Police Department is responsible for serving and protecting the citizens of Pierre. Provides fingerprinting services for area residents. Medication secured drop box - walk in lobby.

Highway Patrol - District 1
Covering Pierre area  (605) 626-2286  dps.sd.gov
Enables local/state agencies and non-profit organizations to develop and implement traffic safety programs designed to reduce the number of traffic crashes, injuries, and fatalities occurring on South Dakota roadways. Also works to minimize, as much a realistically possible, the economic and human loss that results from traffic crashes.

Hughes County Sheriff
3200 E. Highway 34, Suite 9, Pierre, SD  (605) 773-7470  www.hughescounty.org
The Hughes County Sheriff’s office protects the rights of the citizens within its jurisdiction to be free from criminal attacks, to be secure in their possessions and to live in peace. The County Sheriff is also the for contact mental health holds, burning bans, and county jails/correctional facilities.

Need to report child abuse? DSS Child Protection Services
To report abuse or neglect, during regular business hours dial (877) 244-0864. After business hours, contact local law enforcement.
Investigates child abuse and neglect cases by working with the State’s Attorney, law enforcement, and community resources to determine extent of alleged child abuse or neglect. Other services include adoptions, licensing of foster homes, assessment services, case management, and intensive family services.
Need to report elder abuse? Long Term Services and Supports
912 E. Sioux Avenue, Pierre, SD (833) 663-9673 dakotaathome.org
Elder abuse reporting # during regular business hours. After hours, contact local law enforcement. Provides information and referrals regarding services for those who are elderly and for adults with disabilities. Formerly known as Adult Services and Aging.

SHELTERS
Missouri Shores Domestic Violence Center
Call for location, Pierre, SD (800) 696-7187 www.missourishores.com
Programs and services include: shelter facility in Pierre; community crisis line; crisis intervention; telephone and face-to-face counseling and advocacy. Victim services include: criminal and court support services; transportation; emergency financial assistance; referrals and assistance with housing, social services, legal services, and other resources within the community; legal advocacy; professional counseling; and various support groups.

TRANSPORTATION
Countryside Hospice Support & Memory Center
200 E. Dakota, Suite 1, Pierre, SD (605) 945-0827 www.countrysidehospicesupport.com
Provides travel funds for cancer patients leaving the Pierre community or traveling to Pierre for care through the Pennies for Robert program.

Disabled American Veterans - VA Transportation Network, South Dakota
(605) 720-7065 www.dav.org
Provides free transportation to the men and women who answered our country’s call in time of war. Volunteers drive veterans to and from the VA Hospital, clinics, and the VA Regional Office.

River Cities Public Transit
1600 E. Dakota Avenue, Pierre, SD (605) 945-2360 https://www.rcptransit.com/
Provides general public and youth and senior preschedule rides as well as same day rides (rates vary). Also, provides non-emergency medical related trips (both in town and out of town), veterans transportation to VA facilities (for central SD counties other than Hughes), and youth transportation which requires pre-registration.

Please contact the Helpline Center to inquire on listing your organization or make changes to your listing.