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, 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 in every high school in South Dakota; grief support for individuals who have lost a loved one to suicide; professional suicide awareness and prevention trainings.

Helpline Center – Volunteer Connections
Dial 2-1-1 or text BKVol to 89811 to receive weekly volunteer opportunities by text. Connecting you to local volunteer activities that match you interest and the time you have to give.

CLOTHING / HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

Brookings Area Habitat for Humanity ReStore
917 Hwy 14 ByPass (605) 697-5900 www.brookingshabitat.org
A retail store which is open to the public that carries donated new and used household, electrical, plumbing, hardware, and building supplies at a reduced price. Inventory changes according to donations.

Encore Family Store
209 S. Egan Avenue, Madison, SD (605) 556-3100 www.encorefamilystore.com
Offers low cost clothing, furniture, and household items. Vouchers may be available from ICAP.

Goodwill of the Great Plains Brookings
625 Main Avenue (605) 692-2085 www.goodwillgreatplains.org
Offers low cost clothing, furniture, and household items. Clothing vouchers available with referral from a social service agency.

Home Again
317 3rd Avenue, Home Again Store (605) 692-4744 www.tcdakotas.org
Offers used furniture and home furnishings for sale.

EMPLOYMENT

Advance
301 Division Avenue (605) 692-7852 www.advancebkg.info
A community support provider offering services to individuals with disabilities, including a personalized support plan to help with attaining work.
Advance - Career Advantage
910 4th Street, Suite H & I (605) 696-5264 www.advancebkg.info/employment-services
Helps people with disabilities develop the skills needed to find and maintain employment. Services are individualized for the client. Individuals are referred by the Division of Rehabilitation Services (DRS), commonly referred to as Vocational Rehabilitation (VR), State Services for the Blind & Visually Impaired (SBVI), local School Districts, as well as friends and family members. Also serves as a local resource for businesses on a variety of issues related to disability employment questions.

Brookings Job Service Office
1310 Main Avenue S., Suite 103 (605) 688-4350 www.sdjobs.org
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.

Brookings School District - Project SEARCH
Larson Commons 103D, Box 2806 (605) 688-4407 www.sdsubrookingsprojectsearch.org
A business-led transition program for students with disabilities. Five days a week, students report to the host business (SDSU) and learn employability skills in the classroom and job skills while participating in targeted internships. Through Project SEARCH they receive support with accommodations, adaptations, and on-the-job coaching.

LATI Adult Education and Literacy
1310 S. Main Avenue, Suite 112 (605) 688-4370
Provides adult basic education for those earning their GED and ESL classes for those learning English. The purpose is to expand the educational opportunities for adults.

National Farmworker Jobs Program
Statewide (605) 394-5120 www.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.

Vocational Rehabilitation - Brookings Office
1310 Main Avenue, S., Suite 102 (605) 688-4280 http://dhs.sd.gov/rehabservices
Helps individuals with disabilities to gain and maintain compatible employment in an area of their choice. Services include vocational counseling and guidance, vocational assessments, training opportunities, on-the-job training, work site accommodations, and job placement services.

FAMILY / PARENTING / CHILD CARE

Birthright of Brookings
1321 1/4 8th Street (605) 692-2693 http://birthright.org
Provides free pregnancy testing, parenting skills, legal advice, and maternity and baby clothing.

Brookings Area United Way - Dolly Parton’s Imagination Library
619 5th Avenue (605) 692-4979 http://brookingsunitedway.org
Sends age appropriate books out to participating children, at no cost, once a month until they reach 5 years of age.

Brookings County - Office of Child and Family Services
1310 Main Avenue S., Suite 105 (605) 688-5805 https://doh.sd.gov

For the most up to date version of this guide please visit: www.helplinecenter.org/guides
Provide supplemental benefits, health & nutrition education, breastfeeding education & support and referrals for women, infant and children. Offers childhood immunizations through the age of 18 and flu vaccinations to infants 6 months of age through adulthood.

**Brookings School District**

Administration Office

- 2130 8th Street S. (605) 696-4700

Dakota Prairie Elementary School

- 111 26th Street S. (605) 696-4900

Hillcrest Elementary School

- 304 15th Avenue (605) 696-4600

Medary Elementary School

- 718 5th Street S. (605) 696-4300

Camelot Intermediate School

- 1401 15th Street S. (605) 696-4400

George S. Mickelson Middle School

- 1801 12th Street S. (605) 696-4500

Brookings High School

- 530 Elm Avenue (605) 696-4100

**DSS Child Care Assistance/Services**

Statewide (605) 773-4766 [www.dss.sd.gov/childcare](http://www.dss.sd.gov/childcare)

Provides financial help for child care costs for families who are working and/or going to school. Website also has a search tool for registered or licensed child care providers in the state.

**Family Resource Network**

1057 8th Street, Pugsley Center, Room 201, SDSU (800) 354-8238
[www.sdstate.edu/teaching-learning-and-leadership/family-resource-network](http://www.sdstate.edu/teaching-learning-and-leadership/family-resource-network)

Offering a range of support for parents, including distributing child care seats to income eligible families, parenting information and may include referrals to another agency.

- Child Care Referrals - A child care referral service for parents looking for licensed or registered child care programs.
- Bright Start Responsive Parenting Classes are designed for parents of children 3 years and younger. The free 4-week series focuses on development and learning in the early years, understanding a child’s temperament and balancing the stress and joy of parenting.

**Harvest Table**

625 5th Street (605) 692-4345

Provides diapers and baby wipes during a weekly meal served 5:30pm - 6:30pm, Monday (except major holidays).

**ICAP (Inter-Lakes Community Action Partnership) Brookings County - Children and Family Services**

601 4th Street, Suite 105 (605) 692-6391 [www.interlakescap.com](http://www.interlakescap.com)

Early head start and head start services for low income families ages 0-5 years old.

**Option 1 Women’s Health Center**

103 22nd Avenue (605) 692-1600 [http://option1.org/](http://option1.org/)

Provides free and confidential pregnancy tests, holistic pregnancy support, and childbirth instruction. Earn While You Learn participants earn points for parenting education, attending appointments, and meeting with a client advocate. Points can be used to acquire items such as diapers, wipes, clothing, and other needed products.

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South Dakota Child Safety Seat Distribution Program - Family Resource Network
1057 8th Street, Pugsley Center, Room 201  (605) 688-5730  www.dss.sd.gov
Keeping children safe by providing child safety seats at no cost to families that meet income eligibility requirements to ensure that they are in the best child seat for their height and weight until they are at least 4’9. At 4’9, most children can safely wear a seat belt. Call for distribution times.

South Dakota Department of Education - Birth to Three
Statewide  (605) 773-3678  http://doe.sd.gov/Birthto3
The South Dakota Birth to Three Early Intervention Program serves children from birth to 36 months with developmental delays or disabilities and their families.

South Dakota Head Start Association
Statewide  (605) 224-4161  www.sdheadstart.org
Helps at-risk children and their parents with school readiness, making certain that basic health needs are met and that social, emotional, and physical growth continues through life. Head Start programs follow the Early Learning Framework and monitor children's educational growth, as well as provide health and dental screenings.

**FINANCIAL**

Brookings County Human Services and Veterans Service Office
520 3rd Street, Suite 210  (605) 696-8260  www.brookingscountysd.gov
Provides emergency assistance with rent, utilities, prescriptions, medical expenses, transportation, and county burials.

DSS (Department of Social Services) Brookings
1310 Main Avenue S., Suite 101  (605) 688-4330  www.dss.sd.gov
TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) is an employment and training program designed to assist applicants to prepare for and secure full-time employment leading toward economic self-sufficiency. Other assistance may include Medicaid, CHIP (Child Health Insurance Program, Child Support, Child Care, and Child Protection Services.

Farm Rescue
Statewide  (701) 252-2017  www.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 - 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.

Lifeline - South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
Statewide  (800) 332-1782  www.puc.sd.gov
Reduces the cost of landlines in all areas and cell phones in certain areas.

Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP)
Statewide  (605) 773-3766  https://dss.sd.gov/economicassistance/energyassistance/lowincome.aspx
Assists with heating costs: propane and fuel oil July 1 to April 30; electric heat and natural gas October 1 to May 15.

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LSS (Lutheran Social Services) 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.

My Neighbor
1310 Main Avenue S., Suite 113 (605) 691-3225 www.myneighborbrookings.net
A community information and referral program that may be able to assist with rent, deposit, utilities, daycare, small car repairs, car payments (if employed), small health care needs, and Salvation Army vouchers.

Salvation Army Brookings
410 7th Street (605) 692-8863 www.facebook.com/brookingssalvationarmy
Vouchers for hotel stays, rent assistance, utility assistance (water, lights, heating and trash for current, past due, or disconnect notices), gasoline, car needs, food/meal assistance (please utilize other food pantries first; this is a backup/emergency food resource), long distance bus tickets. Also, can assist after disaster (i.e. house fire, flood, etc.). After hours call non-emergency dispatch at (605) 692-2113.

VA Dakotas Regional Benefit Office
Statewide (605) 336-3230 www.benefits.va.gov/siouxfalls
The Dakotas Regional office provides compensation, pension, and other benefits to veterans.

FOOD

Brookings Backpack Project
801 32nd Avenue (605) 651-3900 www.brookingsbackpackproject.org
Assists children and youth in the Brookings, SD area, who may not have enough food to eat at home by providing them with easy-to-prepare weekend meals and snacks throughout the year for all children ages Head Start through 12th grade.

Brookings County Food Pantry
217 4th Street (605) 692-5007 www.brookingscountyfoodpantry.weebly.com
Distributes food 1:00pm - 4:30pm, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Bring valid picture ID and proof of current address.

DSS - SNAP
1310 Main Avenue S., Suite 101 (605) 688-4330 www.dss.sd.gov
SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, or food stamps) enables eligible households to obtain a more nutritious diet.

Elkton Community Cupboard Food Pantry
109 Elk Street, Elkton, SD (605) 949-1243
Serving the Elkton Community/Elkton School District providing non-perishable food, personal hygiene products and diapers. Available to be utilized 1/month. 5:30pm - 8:30pm, the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month.

Feeding Brookings (605) 692-6565 www.feedingbrookings.org
Distribution Site: Ascension Lutheran Church
Provides produce, bakery items, canned goods, and hygiene supplies. 4:00pm - 5:00pm, every Thursday (randomly drawn numbers are given out at 3:50pm for line up).
Feeding South Dakota - Eastern South Dakota Mobile Food Pantry Program

The Mobile Food Pantry, a program of Feeding South Dakota, distributes free food to individuals and families at various locations. Each family receives approximately 30 pounds of food. The types of food distributed varies depending on what is available at the current time. Distributions operate on a first-come, first-served basis. Distributions occur outdoors. It is recommended to bring a container to carry groceries. Please do not arrive more than 30 minutes prior to distribution. Eligibility is self-declaration of meeting TEFAP income guidelines.

**Harvest Table**
625 5th Street  (605) 692-4345
No-cost warm, home-cooked meal served every Monday night 5:30pm - 6:30pm, most Mondays (except holidays).

**ICAP Brookings County - Senior Services**
601 4th Street, Suite 108  (605) 692-1407  [www.interlakescap.com](http://www.interlakescap.com)
60’s + Dining: A senior congregate meal program that provides a nutritious lunch meal which reduces or prevents malnutrition and provides socialization for the participants. Home Meal Delivery: Provides a home delivered meal to persons who are unable to leave their homes due to illness or frailty.

**HEALTH / MEDICAL**

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

**Avera Medical Group**
A multi-specialty medical clinic. Clinic hours: 8:00am - 5:00pm, Monday – Friday / Urgent Care hours: 5:00pm - 7:00pm, Monday – Friday; 9:00am - 12:00am, Saturday – Sunday.

**Brookings Hospital**
300 22nd Avenue  (605) 696-9000  [www.brookingshealth.org](http://www.brookingshealth.org)
Provides a 24-hour emergency department. Inpatient and outpatient services available.

**Delta Dental Mobile Program**
Dial 2-1-1 to schedule an appointment. Thanks to funding from United Way, the van comes to Brookings 4 times a year and offers free dental appointments for those 21 years old and younger.

**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.

**Indigent Medication Program**
700 Governors Drive, Division of Behavioral Health Attn: Indigent Medication program, Pierre, SD  [www.dss.sd.gov/behavioralhealth/community/medicationprogram](http://www.dss.sd.gov/behavioralhealth/community/medicationprogram)
The indigent medication program provides temporary financial support for:
- Psychotropic medication
- Medication for the treatment of substance use disorders and/or maintenance treatment
- And/or related lab costs to eligible individuals while other funding options are identified.
Please contact your local community mental health center, accredited substance use disorder treatment provider or the Division of Behavioral Health for more information.

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

**Office of Child and Family Services**
1310 Main Avenue S., Suite 105 (605) 688-5805 [https://doh.sd.gov](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.

**Planned Parenthood of MN/ND/SD**
Statewide (605) 361-5100 [www.ppmns.org](http://www.ppmns.org)
Provided family planning, emergency contraception, pregnancy testing, gynecological services, abortion services, and sexually transmitted infection testing and treatment.

**Sanford Health Brookings Acute Care Clinic**
922 22nd Avenue S. (605) 697-1900 [www.sanfordhealth.org](http://www.sanfordhealth.org)
Acute Care Hours: 7:15am - 8:30pm, Monday – Friday; 8:00am - 2:00pm, Saturday and Sunday

**Sanford Health Brookings Clinic**
922 22nd Avenue S. (605) 697-1900 [www.sanfordhealth.org](http://www.sanfordhealth.org)
Offers family medicine and various other specialties in addition to acute care.
Clinic hours: 8:00am - 5:00pm, Monday – Friday

**Sanford Health - Poison Control Center** (800) 222-1222 [www.sdpoison.org](http://www.sdpoison.org)
Provides emergency poison management and educational materials.

**South Dakota Department of Human Services - Family Support 360**
Statewide (605) 773-3438 [www.dhs.sd.gov](http://www.dhs.sd.gov)
Provides services and support for families of children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Open to families with a child or adults with a diagnosed intellectual or developmental disability.

**South Dakota Department of Human Services - Hearing Aid Assistance Program**
1310 Main Avenue S., Suite 107 (605) 688-4224 [www.dhs.sd.gov](http://www.dhs.sd.gov)
Helps with the cost of hearing aid(s) and associated ear mold(s) for South Dakota children, younger than 19, with progressive or permanent hearing loss who would benefit from hearing aid(s). The program is open to families with a household income of less than 400-percent of federal poverty guidelines.

**South Dakota Donated Dental Services**
Statewide (605) 224-4012 [www.dentallifeline.org](http://www.dentallifeline.org)
Coordinates dental services free of charge to the elderly, disabled, or medically compromised individuals who qualify for the program.

**South Dakota Lions Foundation**
Statewide (605) 338-0551 [www.sdliions.org](http://www.sdliions.org)
Mobile screening units are available to daycares, preschools and schools on request, for children's eye health. Also, partners with healthcare professionals to provide vision and hearing services (eye glasses and hearing aids) at reduced rates to income-qualified individuals (200% of federal poverty level).

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HOUSING AND RELATED ASSISTANCE

Brookings Area Habitat for Humanity
321 9th Street  (605) 697-2540  www.brookingshabitat.org
Offers a hand up to families in need of a decent place to live through home ownership and home renovation programs. The home ownership program is designed to bring affordable housing to Brookings through a zero-interest mortgage. Home renovation includes:
- A Brush With Kindness (ABWK) - assists homeowners with the exterior upkeep of a home
- Home Essential Repairs (HER) which assists homeowners with repairs essential to staying in their homes longer. Typical projects include grab bars, widening doors to accommodate wheelchairs, yard clean up, and painting.

Brookings County Housing and Redevelopment Commission
1310 Main Avenue S., Suite 6  (605) 692-1670
Provides housing rental assistance to low income families. Preference is given to elderly, disabled, and those experiencing domestic violence situations. Family Self-Sufficiency Program available to families that participate in the Section 8 Voucher Program.

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.

HUD Fair Housing
Statewide  (800) 877-7353  www.hud.gov
Reporting potential housing discrimination, an investigation will be conducted if warranted. Reports can be completed via phone or online.

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

ICAP Brookings County - Housing Services
601 4th Street, Suite 105  (605) 692-6391  www.interlakescap.com
Eligibility based programs that help people who are homeless secure housing, and assists those who need help repairing housing.

Rural Housing for Individuals - Rural Development
Statewide  (605) 352-1100  www.rd.usda.gov/sd
Assists low-income individuals or families with loans or grants to: purchase new housing; repair current housing (ex: roof repair, plumbing, electrical, heating, etc.); and housing loans and grants for farm laborers.

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
Statewide  (605) 773-3181  www.sdhda.org
Provides mortgage and down payment assistance, housing construction and rehabilitation, homelessness prevention, and rental assistance.

South Dakota Housing for Homeless Consortium Coordinated Entry System
Statewide  (800) 664-1349  www.housingforthehomeless.org

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Through this state-wide toll-free telephone number, a dedicated staff member will administer an assessment and take applications for services for persons who are homeless or at imminent risk of homelessness.

**Supportive Services for Veterans Families**

**Statewide**

(605) 484-9209 or (605) 939-8312

[www.cornerstonemission.org](http://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](http://www.rd.usda.gov); 2. Scroll down on left hand side, it says, "find rural rentals"; 3. Click on South Dakota; 4. Then, select your County.

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**MENTAL HEALTH / SUBSTANCE USE ISSUES**

**Brookings Area Mental Health Guide**

Dial 2-1-1  
[www.helplinecenter.org/brookings](http://www.helplinecenter.org/brookings)

A guide of licensed and/or credentialed behavioral health professionals is available in pdf or online searchable formats.

**12 Step Programs (and other support groups)**

- **Al-Anon**
  - Dial 211
  - [www.sdal-anon-alateen.org](http://www.sdal-anon-alateen.org)

- **Alcoholics Anonymous**
  - Dial 211
  - [www.area63aa.org](http://www.area63aa.org)

- **Gamblers Anonymous**
  - Dial 211
  - [www.gamblersanonymous.org](http://www.gamblersanonymous.org)

- **Narcotics Anonymous**
  - Dial 211
  - [www.sdrna.com](http://www.sdrna.com)

- **Emotions Anonymous**
  - Dial 211
  - [www.emotionsanonymous.org](http://www.emotionsanonymous.org)

**Avera Behavioral Health Outpatient Services**

601 4th Street, Suite 101, 1921 Building  
(605) 322-4079  
[www.aver.org](http://www.aver.org)

Outpatient therapy providing individual, couple-marriage, teen, and family counseling on topics including, but not limited to grief, depression, and anxiety. Also provides an addiction recovery program, partial hospital, intensive outpatient program, employee assistance program, and pain management group.

School-Based outpatient therapy providing individual, family and parent/teacher consultations within the Brookings Public School Districts.

**Brookings Behavioral Health & Wellness**

211 4th Street, The Ivy Center  
(605) 697-2850  
[www.brookingsivycenter.org](http://www.brookingsivycenter.org)

A fully-integrated community-based mental health and substance abuse service provider. Direct services are provided after a comprehensive, interactive assessment (including mental health, chemical dependency, behavior, strengths, capabilities, supports, etc.) determines appropriate services needed.

**Brookings Empowerment Project**

600 Main Avenue, 2nd Floor  
[www.empowerbrookings.org](http://www.empowerbrookings.org)

Empowers caregivers and individuals with persistent mental illness with resources and support. Provides education on mental illness, therapies and referrals to mental health providers as well as caregiver support groups.

**Celebrate Recovery Brookings**

1420 Orchard Drive  
(605) 692-6671  
[www.gracepointwesleyan.org/celebrate-recovery](http://www.gracepointwesleyan.org/celebrate-recovery)

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Faith-based 12-step program incorporating 8 Biblical principles of spiritual recovery. Weekly meetings include a meal, big group worship/testimony and small groups for men and women.

**Family Assistance Center - Brookings**
300 5th Street S. (800) 658-3930 www.sd.ng.mil/Resources
Supports service members, veterans and their families. FAC provides crisis intervention resources and referrals; legal resources and referrals; financial resources and referrals; TRICARE resources and referrals; ID Cards and DEERS; community information and outreach.

**Helpline Center - Substance Use Care Coordination**
Statewide (800) 920-4343 www.helplinecenter.org
Coordinated response to individuals who have experienced non-fatal overdoses and/or are suspected of Opioid Use Disorder, Methamphetamine Use Disorder or other Substance Use Disorder(s) to move them toward the recovery process by connecting, supporting, and advocating for at-risk individuals by linking them to supportive resources in their local communities. Persons can refer themselves or others to the program through this form: www.helplinecenter.org/opioidintake.
For individuals needing help with opioid use, visit www.avoidopioidsd.com.
For individuals needing help with meth use, visit www.onmeth.com

**LSS (Lutheran Social Services) Brookings - Behavioral Health Services**
752 22nd Avenue (855) 334-2953 www.lsssd.org
Provides mental health and substance abuse services including individual, family, and group counseling.

**NAMI Brookings**
300 22nd Avenue (605) 271-1871 www.namisouthdakota.org
Meeting location: Brookings Hospital, private dining room or conference room
Provides practical support group, useful education, and understanding to people who are living and coping with neurobiological-based brain diseases and to their family members. Family-To-Family: Classes are held twice a year.

**NAMI Homefront**
(605) 271-1871 www.namisouthdakota.org
A free, online 6-session class for family members of service members or veterans with mental health conditions.

**South Dakota Joining Forces**
Statewide (605) 773-3269 http://sdjf.sd.gov/
A database of resources at the county/tribe, statewide and national levels. A one-stop shop of resources for veterans, military and their families.

**South Dakota QuitLine**
Statewide (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 State University - Student Health Center and Counseling Services**
1440 N. Campus Drive (605) 688-4157 www.sdstate.edu/wellness-center/counseling-services
Offers a wide range of confidential services to currently enrolled SDSU students. These services include, but are not limited to individual and group counseling, crisis intervention, and self-help resources.

**Teen Challenge of the Dakotas**
600 W. 16th Avenue S. (605) 693-9753 www.tcdakotas.org
A residential, Christian discipleship program utilizing biblical principles including faith and genuine repentance to help men (18 years and older) overcome life-controlling problems such as addictions.
PUBLIC SAFETY

Brookings County Sheriff
315 7th Avenue (605) 696-8300 www.brookingscountysd.gov
Office protects citizens of the County by prevention, detection, apprehension, prosecution, and detention of those persons who violate criminal, civil, state, or local laws. Assistance is available in emergency situations, medical distress, vehicle accidents, and animal control. Also, the contact mental health holds, burning bans, county jails/correctional facilities and fingerprinting (call for specifics). There is a drop box for proper disposal of prescription medication. Old American flags can also be properly disposed of at this location.

City of Brookings Police Department
307 3rd Avenue (605) 692-2113 www.cityofbrookings.org
Prevents crime, enforces the law, and supports quality public safety by delivering respectful, professional, and dependable police service. Also handles questions about and payments for parking tickets issued in the City.

Highway Patrol - District 2
Covering Brookings (605) 367-5700 www.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.

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
1310 Main Avenue S., Suite 101 (833) 663-9673 www.dakotaathome.org
Elder abuse reporting number 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.

South Dakota State University - University Police Department
1405 Jackrabbit Ave (605) 688-5117 www.sdstate.edu/police
Provides year round 24 hours a day / 7 days a week law enforcement service for South Dakota State University. Police officers are state trained and certified with full law enforcement authority.

SHELTERS / DROP IN CENTERS

Brookings Domestic Abuse Shelter
807 Onaka Trail (605) 692-7233 www.brookingsdomesticabusesheltersd.weebly.com
A 24-hour crisis program for victims of domestic abuse, sexual assault, and stalking. Services include crisis hotline, emergency shelter, support group, safety planning, crisis intervention, supportive listening, civil/legal assistance with protection orders, referral services, and limited financial assistance.
Salvation Army Brookings  
1310 Main Avenue S., Suite 113  
(605) 692-8863  
Provides rent assistance, utility assistance, gasoline, small car needs, and/or food or meal assistance and long distance bus tickets. Assists with vouchers for hotel stays. Also, can assist after disaster (i.e. house fire, flood, etc.). After hours call non-emergency dispatch at (605) 692-2113.

**TRANSPORTATION**

**Brookings Area Transit Authority**  
418 Western Avenue  
(605) 692-2222  
www.brookingsareatransit.com  
Provides transportation in and around the Brookings County area. Offers door-to-door service and weekday shuttles to and from Sioux Falls.

**VA Transportation Network**  
(605) 696-8260  
Provides free transportation for veterans’ medical appointments to the Veterans Administration (VA) Hospital.

**Volunteer Service Bank**  
100 Main Avenue S., Suite F  
(605) 692-6102  
www.facebook.com/brookingsvsb  
The VSB primary program provides transportation for medical appointments within Brookings County and to Sioux Falls, Watertown, etc., especially for cancer treatment and for services from specialists not available in Brookings.

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