

Erlanger Elsmere Community

# Resource GUIDE



Connecting families to resources for a stronger more united community.

## Early Childhood Care and Programming

NKADD-----	859-283-8189
Brighton Center-----	859-491-8303 ext:2023
Community Action Council -----	859-291-8607
4C for Children -----	859-781-3511
One Stop Center -----	859-431-7672
First Steps-----	859-655-1195
Bright Future Child Enrichment -----	859-341-3350
Building Block Early Learning Center -----	859-342-7189
Grace Edgett Child Dev't Center -----	859-342-8059
Rainbow Child Care Center -----	859-342-8890
St. Henry Preschool -----	859-342-2551
Sonlight Preschool -----	859-342-2301
Erlanger Baptist Church -----	859-342-2301
TLC Learning Center -----	859-360-2893
The Kidz Club-----	859-727-0700
Home Based – Head Start -----	859-431-4177 ext:32

**Children, Inc** -----859-261-2181

Located at Lloyd H.S.

450 Bartlett Ave, 41018

Open to 2-5 year old pre-k children of families who reside in Erlanger.

**Erlanger-Elsmere Preschool** -----859-342-2427

Preschool Center at Arnett Elementary & Lloyd H.S.

This preschool serves the entire school district. 3 to 4 year olds who qualify receive free preschool services.

**Head Start**-----859-727-6232

Elsmere Center, 1021 Capitol Avenue, 41018

Serves children ages 3 to 4 years of age who qualify.

### **Born Learning Academy**

Sessions are offered to any resident and their child. A meal and child care are provided.

Local community schools and organizations host the sessions. Call the Family Resource Coordinator at your child's school for current dates and times.

**Toddler School at Arnett Elementary** -----859-342-2427

For parents with children ages 12 months to 36 months. Children and their parents are invited to participate in this weekly program lasting an hour. Activities include literacy circle, play time, music and art. Sessions are open to the public; for directions or questions, please call.

**United Way, Success By 6** ----- [www.sb6uwgc.org](http://www.sb6uwgc.org)

This web site offers valuable information to help you get your child ready for school and life in addition to links to local and national resources.

**Me and My School** -----859-342-2427

This fun summer program will be at all Erlanger-Elsmere elementary schools this summer! It is for incoming kindergarten students and is invaluable in helping little ones get ready for school. Contact your child's school for additional details.

## Educational Resources for All Ages

### **Footsteps 2 Brilliance (English & Spanish)**

This early learning app (application) provides interactive reading opportunities and games for children 0-9 years of age. Erlanger-Elsmere residences can go to [myf2b.com/register/ees](http://myf2b.com/register/ees) to download the program by providing their address. See your child care provider if you are not an EE resident.

### **Kenton County Library – Erlanger Branch -----859-962-4000**

Offering a variety of services including homework help, classes to build your technology skills, service learning projects, crochet and knitting clubs and much more. View monthly calendar updates by visiting their website, stopping by or inquire by calling.

### **Afterschool Programs ----- [www.erlanger.kyschools.us](http://www.erlanger.kyschools.us)**

Erlanger Elsmere students in grades k-8 can enjoy quality after school programming provided by our community partners.

Lloyd High School also offers opportunities for after school activities and community involvement. Call your child's school or visit the district web-site for more information.

### **Kenton County Cooperative Extension Services ----- [kenton.ca.uky.edu](http://kenton.ca.uky.edu)**

From sewing to life skills, managing a budget to food preparation, KCCES provides free classes to both adults and children.

### **On-Line Homework Assistance ----- [www.bjpinchbeck.com](http://www.bjpinchbeck.com)**

BJ Pinchbeck's Homework Helper provides assistance for all ages in all subject areas. Parents, teachers and students will find helpful videos, lessons, games and more.

### **Families in Transition (FIT) ----- 859-342-2427**

Families with students attending EES and living with friends, family members or in temporary housing due to an emergency such as domestic violence, a natural disaster or lack of financial stability, can qualify for a variety of support services. Please contact Shelley Werner to qualify and receive assistance.

### **Family Resource and Youth Service Centers (FRYSC)**

These school-based centers are designed to help students attain academic success by connecting students and their family members to resources within the school and community. Please contact your FRYSC Coordinator at your child's school. You can also visit the school-based FRYSC web-page for additional links to area resources.

## Volunteer Opportunities

### **One to One ----- 859-282-9214**

Volunteer to become a literacy or math coach at one of our EE Schools. For more information or to sign up for training opportunities, contact your child's school.

### **Children Inc. -----859-431-2075, ext 120**

Interested in assisting EE preschools in the classroom? Contact Children Inc to provide the volunteer coordinator with your contact information. Be sure to include that you are interested in helping students in the Erlanger Elsmere area.

### **Host a Party ----- 859-342-2427**

Invite your friends over and do good while having fun! Collecting monetary donations or needed supplies will assist our EES families in need. Please contact Shelley Werner for a current list of needed items or to donate; [shelley.werner@erlanger.kyschools.us](mailto:shelley.werner@erlanger.kyschools.us)

## Clothing, Furniture & Food Assistance

(Call for specific details and offerings)

<b>Brighton Center</b> -----	<b>859-491-8303</b>
<b>Be Concerned</b> -----	<b>859-291-1340</b>
<b>Community Action Council</b> -----	<b>859-291-8607</b>
<b>Faith Christian Center</b> -----	<b>859-491-2850</b>
<b>Saint Vincent DePaul</b> -----	<b>859-341-3219</b>
<b>United Christian Volunteers</b> -----	<b>859-727-4417</b>
<b>United Ministries</b> -----	<b>859-727-0300</b>
<b>The Isaiah Project (furniture only)</b> -----	<b>859-371-0444</b>

**Erlanger Elsmere Summer Food Assistance** ----- **859-342-4690**

During the summer months, all children ages 1-18 living in Erlanger Elsmere are invited to stop by for breakfast and lunch free of charge. Adults, 19 or older will be charged a small fee. Contact Food Service for additional details.

During the school year, students and family members can stay after school to enjoy a meal at participating locations. Please contact your child's school for information and details.

**Mary Rose Soup Kitchen** ----- **859-292-0300**

272 Main Street, Florence, KY 41042

Serving hot meals Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday from 4:00-6:00pm. All are welcome, just drop in or call

## Family Support Groups

<b>Catholic Charities</b> -----	<b>859-581-8974</b>
<b>Children's Home of Northern KY</b> .....	<b>859-292-4140</b>
<b>Counseling and Diagnostic Center</b> -----	<b>859-282-0119</b>
<b>Family Nurturing Center (prevention and treatment)</b> -----	<b>859-525-3200</b>
<b>Greater Cincinnati Behavioral Health</b> -----	<b>859-291-1121</b>
<b>Kinship Care Support Hotline</b> .....	<b>877-565-5608</b>
<b>Mebs &amp; Associates</b> -----	<b>859-835-2573</b>
<b>Necco</b> -----	<b>859-594-4510</b>
<b>North Key</b> -----	<b>859-331-3292</b>
<b>Positive Pathways</b> -----	<b>859-746-9272</b>
<b>SUN Behavioral Health</b> .....	<b>859-429-5188</b>
<b>Therapeutic Collaborative</b> -----	<b>859-572-0400</b>

### Grief Support Services

<b>Creatively Speaking for Children</b> -----	<b>859-441-6332</b>
<b>Fernside</b> -----	<b>513-246-9140</b>
<b>Partner Loss Support Group</b> -----	<b>859-301-4611</b>
<b>Peace</b> -----	<b>859-356-3265</b>
<b>St. Elizabeth STARS for KIDS</b> -----	<b>859-301-4611</b>



## Federal Government Assistance Programs

While contacting the organizations in this section will help you to receive assistance, you are encouraged to visit their web sites in order to access on-line applications and view helpful checklists of items needed before applying. If you do not have Internet access, Kenton County Library provides public access to computers when you sign up for a library card.

Kentucky benefits, including: KTAP (cash assistance for basic needs), SNAP (food assistance), CCAP (childcare assistance) and Medicaid can be applied for on-line at **BENEFIND.KY.GOV**

**You may also apply in person at our local Kenton County Department for Community Based Services (DCBS) Family Support Centers .....855-306-8959**

Covington Office: 130 W. 43rd Street, 41015

Florence Office: 8311 US Hwy 42, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, 41042

**Housing Vouchers ----- 859-292-2188**

**Kenton Co. Health Dept. WIC ----- 859-431-3345**

**Supplemental Security Income (SSI) ----- 800-772-1213**

**Kentucky Public Housing Authority -----859-491-5311**

**Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services**

Reporting abuse and neglect ..... **859-292-6550**

**US Department of Immigration: ----- us-immigration.com**

**Veterans Affairs (VA) ----- www.veterans.ky.gov**

**Legal Aid of the Bluegrass----- 859-431-8200**

## National Hotlines

**Child Find/Missing Children ----- 800-431-5005**

**Crisis Text Line (Free 24/7 support for those in crisis).....Text 741741**

Trained therapist respond to any type of crisis, anytime of day and anywhere in US

**National Runaway Hotline----- 800-621-4000**

**Poison and Drug Information Center ----- 800-762-0727**

**National Youth Emergency----- 800-972-6004**

**Information for Parents about Drug and Alcohol Abuse----- 800-282-9254**

**Heroin Abuse Helpline----- 800-736-9805**

## Affordable Housing

**Four Seasons----- 859-727-2444**

**\*Ashwood (\*Accepts Housing Vouchers)----- 859-727-2256**

**Watson's Landing & Town & Country ----- 859-342-8922**

**Greenfield----- 859-727-9639**

**Willow Glenn----- 859-342-5509**

**\*Eagle Ridge ----- 859-342-8564**



## Emergency Shelters & Supported Housing

<b>Brighton Center Homeward Bound (17 &amp; under)</b> -----	<b>859-581-1111</b>
13 E. 20th St., 41011	
<b>City Gospel Mission (Men)</b> -----	<b>513-241-5525</b>
1419 Elm Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202	
<b>Catholic Charities (Serving families with disabilities)</b> -----	<b>859-581-8974</b>
3629 Church Street, Covington, KY 41015	
<b>Emergency Cold Shelter of NKY</b> -----	<b>859-291-4555</b>
634 Scott Street, Covington, KY 41011	
<b>Fairhaven (Men ONLY)</b> -----	<b>859-491-1027</b>
260 Pike Street, Covington, KY 41011	
<b>Family Promise</b> .....	<b>859-360-0905</b>
336 W. 9th Street, Newport, KY 41071	
<b>Lincoln Grant Scholar House</b> .....	<b>859-360-0335</b>
(Single parents pursuing a college degree) 824 Greenup Street, Covington, KY 41011	
<b>Madonna House</b> .....	<b>859-344-1191</b>
(Single pregnant & new moms over the age of 18) 25 Orphanage Road, Fort Mitchell, Kentucky 41017	
<b>N. Kentucky Scholar House</b> -----	<b>859-581-2533</b>
(For single parents attending college) To apply, please call, ext:7 Housing located in Covington	
<b>Transitions – Droege House (Residential Treatment for Men)</b> .....	<b>859-291-1045</b>
<b>WRAP (Residential Treatment for Women)</b>	
<b>Welcome House (Women &amp; Children)</b> -----	<b>859-431-8717</b>
205 Pike Street, Covington, KY 41011	
<b>Women’s Crisis Center (Domestic Violence)</b> -----	<b>859-491-3335</b>
835 Madison Avenue, Covington, KY 41011	

## Home Ownership Assistance

<b>Catholic Social Services</b> -----	<b>859-581-8974</b>
<b>Habitat for Humanity (KY &amp; OH)</b> -----	<b>513-942-9211</b>
<b>Housing Opportunities of NKY</b> -----	<b>859-581-4665</b>
<b>Kentucky Housing Corporation</b> -----	<b>800-633-8896</b>
<b>NorthKey (adults with mental health needs)</b> -----	<b>859-431-1888</b>
<b>People Working Cooperatively (home repairs)</b> -----	<b>859-331-1991</b>

## Utility and Rent Assistance

<b>Brighton Center</b> -----	<b>859-491-8303 ext. 2305</b>
<b>Community Action Council</b> -----	<b>859-291-8607</b>
<b>St. Vincent DePaul</b> -----	<b>859-341-3219</b>
<b>Salvation Army</b> .....	<b>859-261-0835</b>
<b>United Christian Volunteers</b> -----	<b>859-727-4417</b>
<b>United Ministries</b> -----	<b>859-727-0300</b>

## Adult Learning & Employment Assistance

BAWAC (Serving adults with disabilities) -----	859-371-4410
Brighton Center-----	859-491-8303
Covington Adult High School -----	859-292-5864
Kenton County Erlanger Library -----	859-962-4000
Kenton Co-op Extension -----	859-356-3155
Kenton Co Adult Education-----	859-442-1619
Kentucky Career Center .....	859-292-6666
Life Learning Center -----	859-431-0100
New Perceptions -----	859-344-9322
One Stop-----	859-371-0808
The Point-----	859-491-9191
United Ministries (GED Classes)-----	859-727-0300
Urban Learning Center -----	859-442-1609

## Health Services

<b>Erlanger Elsmere Schools Health Center Dental-Physical-Mental Health &amp; Vision Screening -----</b>		<b>859-342-2411</b>
CareNet Pregnancy Services of NKY-----		859-282-9878
Dr. Stephen Kees Pediatric Dentistry * -----		859-331-4449
Dr. Steinbeck, Oral Surgeon-----		859-781-0500
Dr. Wallace, Dentist* (offers evening hours) -----		859-283-1986
Health Point Family Center & Outreach Coordinator -----		859-655-6192
<small>(Call Health Point to apply for and check on status of medical insurance)</small>		
Homeless Clinic* -----		859-291-9321
Kenton County Alliance .....	<b>Please visit us on Facebook</b>	
<small>(Substance abuse education &amp; prevention for children and youth)</small>		
NKY Eye Care Center* -----		859-781-2000
NKY Health Dept-----		859-341-4264
OPTIONS (free dental care for those without dental insurance) -----		513-621-2517
Weaver Dental Care* -----		859-372-6300

\* Accepts Medicaid

## Transportation to Health Appointments

Kentucky Medicaid -----	888-941-7433
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## Prescription Assistance

Brighton Center-----	859-491-8303
Community Action Agency -----	859-586-9250
Main St. Care Mission -----	859-694-1222
Partnership for Prescription Assistance -----	888-477-2669
St. Vincent De Paul Pharmacy -----	859-426-7837

## Resources for Spanish Speaking Families

Services not dependent on immigration status

Brighton Center-----	859-491-8303 x 2008
NKY Health Department-----	859-363-2060 x 2319
Su Casa -----	513-761-1588
Women's Crisis Center (Ask for Milena Steele).....	859-491-3335

## Civic Involvement

For a calendar of community events and ways to get involved while creating a brighter future for all residents, please visit the following web sites:

**City of Elsmere**----- [www.cityofelsmere.com](http://www.cityofelsmere.com)  
**City of Erlanger** ----- [www.cierlanger.ky.us](http://www.cierlanger.ky.us)

## Spiritual Support

Elsmere and Erlanger have a rich history of supporting community members through faith-based initiatives and activities. Regardless of your religious beliefs, various programs and resources can be found in all our places of worship.

## Additional Assistance for Resources

### Mental Health America

For a listing of various mental health services, please visit [mentalhealthamerica.net](http://mentalhealthamerica.net)

### Safety Net Alliance

Please visit [nkysafetynet.org/resource/links.aspx](http://nkysafetynet.org/resource/links.aspx) for hundreds of links to resources as well as “How To” guides to receive needed assistance.

### United Way

Call 211 for a complete up-to-date listing of resources in the Greater Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky region.

## Contact your child’s Family Resource Center or Youth Service Center for further assistance

<b>Lloyd Memorial H.S. &amp; Bartlett Education Center</b> -----	<b>859-342-5480</b>
<b>Tichenor Middle School</b> -----	<b>859-342-2426</b>
<b>Miles Elementary</b> -----	<b>859-342-5201</b>
<b>Arnett, Howell &amp; Lindeman</b> -----	<b>859-342-2351</b>
<b>Families in Transition</b> -----	<b>859-342-2427</b>
<i>(Serving families experiencing homelessness)</i>	

