

## **Community Resources Ferris at Lake Michigan College**

This compilation of resources is not intended to be a full and complete list of services that may be available to you in the Benton Harbor area. Many of the organizations listed here were taken from free community service publications. The Ferris State University has no fiscal or referral arrangement with any third-party organizations listed.

### **Title IX (Sexual Assault) Compliance**

#### **Ferris State Title IX Coordinator – All Campus Locations**

##### **Title IX (Sexual Assault) Compliance**

Ferris State University Title IX Coordinator

Kaitlin Zies, Title IX Coordinator

[KaitlinZies@ferris.edu](mailto:KaitlinZies@ferris.edu)

(231) 591-2088

[www.ferris.edu/title-ix](http://www.ferris.edu/title-ix)

#### **Lake Michigan College (Benton Harbor) Title IX Coordinator**

Nygil Likely; Vice President of Student Affairs, Title IX Coordinator

[Nlikely@lakemichigancollege.edu](mailto:Nlikely@lakemichigancollege.edu)

(269) 927-8752

<https://www.lakemichigancollege.edu/about/state-and-federal-reporting/title-ix>

### **Public Safety/Law Enforcement**

#### **Ferris Department of Public Safety**

John Allen, Director of Public Safety

1319 Cramer Circle, Big Rapids, MI 49307

Emergencies: 911

Non-Emergency Contact: (231) 591-5000

Campus Crime Hotline: (231) 591-5900

[www.ferris.edu/htmls/othersrv/campussafety](http://www.ferris.edu/htmls/othersrv/campussafety)

#### **Lake Michigan College Department of Public Safety**

Steve Silcox, Public Safety Director/Evening Administrator

[ssilcox@lakemichigancollege.edu](mailto:ssilcox@lakemichigancollege.edu)

Emergencies: 911

(269) 927-7060

[www.lakemichigancollege.edu/safety](http://www.lakemichigancollege.edu/safety)

#### **Benton Charter Township Police Department**

1725 Territorial Rd, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

Emergencies: 911

(269) 926-8221

<https://www.bentonchartertpw.org/departments/police>

**Berrien County Sheriff's Department**

919 Port St., St. Joseph, MI 49085

Emergencies: 911

(269) 983-7141

<http://www.bcsheriff.org/253/Sheriffs-Office>

**Food/Nutritional Support**

**United Way of Southwest Michigan**

2015 Lakeview Avenue, Saint Joseph, MI 49085

(269) 982-1700 or Dial 2-1-1

<https://www.uwsm.org/>

**Salvation Army - Benton Harbor**

233 Michigan, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 927-1353

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

**Feeding America West Michigan Food Bank, Benton Harbor**

1488 East Empire Ave., Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 926-2646

<https://www.feedwm.org/wands/bentonharbor/>

**The Benton Harbor Soup Kitchen Heart-To-Heart**

233 Michigan St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 925-8204

<https://soupk.org/>

**Fairplain Presbyterian Church**

210 W. Napier Ave., Benton Harbor, MI 49127

(269) 925-0041

<https://www.fairplainpc.com/>

**Catholic Community Center**

346 Catalpa, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 926-6424

<https://diokzoo.org/catholic-community-center>

**St. Augustine of Canterbury Episcopal Church**

1753 Union Street, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 925-2670

<https://staugustinebh.com/>

**Benton Harbor Street Ministries**

2900 S. State St., Suite 2E, Saint Joseph, Mi 49085

(269) 983-3304

<https://www.berriencommunity.org/bhstreetministires>

### **Blue Roof Church**

3084 Niles Rd., St. Joseph, MI 49085

(269) 556-1422

<http://www.bluroofchurch.com/>

### **Housing/Shelter**

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

#### **Emergency Shelter Services, Inc.**

181-101 E Main St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 925-1131

<https://www.essberrien.org/>

#### **Benton Harbor Housing Commission**

721 Nate Wells Sr. Drive, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 927-3546

<https://bhhcommission.org/>

#### **Southwest Michigan Community Action Agency**

185 E. Main Street, Suite 303, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 925-9077 or (800) 334-7670

<https://www.smcaa.com/>

### **Legal/Social Support**

#### **United Way of Southwest Michigan**

2015 Lakeview Avenue, Saint Joseph, MI 49085

(269) 982-1700 or Dial 2-1-1

<https://www.uwsm.org/>

#### **Legal Aid of Western Michigan – St. Joseph Office**

901 Port St., St. Joseph, MI 49085

(269) 983-6363

Toll Free: (888) 783-8190

[www.legalaidwestmich.org/](http://www.legalaidwestmich.org/)

**Berrien County Legal Services Bureau**

811 Port Street, Saint Joseph, MI 49085

(269) 983-7111

<http://www.berriencounty.org//?dept=16>

**Medical Care/Hospitals/Urgent Care****Birkam Health Center & Pharmacy-FSU**

1019 Campus Drive, Big Rapids, MI 49307

(231) 591-2614

<http://ferris.edu/htmls/studentlife/hcenter/homepage.htm>

The Birkam Health Center staff wishes to welcome students and families to the Health Center website. Ferris students and their families are eligible for medical care including evaluation and treatment for illness and injury anytime during the entire calendar year. Patients are seen on a walk-in and by appointment basis.

**Intercare Community Health Network – Medical**

800 M-139, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(855) 869-6900

[www.intercare.org](http://www.intercare.org)

**Intercare Benton Harbor Student Center**

870 Colfax Avenue, BHHS Health Center, Annex Building, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 605-1277

<https://www.intercare.org/>

**Intercare-Women's Health Center**

796 M-139, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 927-5400

<https://www.intercare.org/locations/womens-health-center/>

**Benton Harbor Health Center**

800 M-139, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 926-8535

**Lakeland Medical Center, St. Joseph**

1234 Napier Ave., St. Joseph, MI 49085

(269) 983-8300

[www.lakelandhealth.org](http://www.lakelandhealth.org)

**MedExpress Urgent Care**

1803 M 139, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 934-8550

<https://www.medexpress.com/location/mi/benton-harbor/bhh/>

**Urgent Care Walk-In Clinic**

1850 Pipestone Rd., Suite 101, Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(269) 925-6600  
<http://urgentcarewalkinclinic.net/>

### **MedNow – Non-Emergency Medical**

(844) 322-7374  
<https://www.spectrumhealth.org/app/video-visits>

Video visits cost no more than \$45 and may be fully covered by your insurance plan!

### **Medical Care - Family Planning**

#### **Berrien County Health Department**

2149 E. Napier, Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(269) 926-7121  
<https://www.berriencounty.org/771/Family-Planning>

### **Mental Health/Counseling**

#### **Personal Counseling Center-FSU**

1019 Campus Drive, Big Rapids, MI 49307 (231) 591-5968  
[www.ferris.edu/htmls/studentlife/PersonalCounseling](http://www.ferris.edu/htmls/studentlife/PersonalCounseling)

The Counseling Center staff builds on the foundation that personal counseling is a therapeutic and educational experience for students in their personal and academic growth. The Counseling Center also assists students who are experiencing more serious forms of stress and disruption to their normal functioning by utilizing a variety of therapeutic interventions. Prevention and educational aspects of a healthy lifestyle are emphasized throughout the counseling process as well as through programs targeted at significant topics for students.

#### **Consequential Minds**

146 W. Napier Ave., Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(269) 925-7446

#### **Riverwood Center**

1485 M-139, Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(269) 925-0585 or (800) 336-0341  
[www.riverwoodcenter.org](http://www.riverwoodcenter.org)

#### **Samaritan Counseling Center**

1850 Colfax Ave., Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(269) 926-6199  
<http://www.centeredonwellness.info/about-us.html>

### **Substance Abuse**

#### **United Way of Southwest Michigan**

2015 Lakeview Avenue, Saint Joseph, MI 49085

(269) 982-1700 or Dial 2-1-1

<https://www.uwsm.org/>

**Harbortown Treatment Center**

1022 E. Main St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 926-0015

<http://www.htc outpatient services.com/>

**Riverwood Center**

1485 M-139, Benton Harbor, MI 49022

(269) 925-0585 or (800) 336-0341

[www.riverwoodcenter.org](http://www.riverwoodcenter.org)

**AA of Southwest Michigan**

4162 Red Arrow Hwy, Stevensville, MI 49127

(269) 429-9153 or (800) 837-4247

<http://aasouthwestmichigan.org/>

**Narcotics Anonymous (NA)**

(877) 338-1188

<https://www.na.org/>

**Sexual Assault/Domestic Violence/Harassment**

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<https://www.uwsm.org/>

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**National Domestic Violence Hotline**

(800) 779-7233

<https://www.thehotline.org/>

**National Sexual Assault Hotline**

(800) 656-4673

<https://www.rainn.org/about-national-sexual-assault-telephone-hotline>

**Women's Information Services, Inc. (WISE)**

24 Hour Sexual Violence Crisis Hotline: (800) 374-9473

<https://wiseagainstviolence.org/>