

PUBLIC BENEFITS

211 or (269) 565-4159

Emergency Assistance

CareWell Services SW
(269) 966-2450
(269) 441-0930
Ages 60+

Charitable Union
(269) 964-7234
Clothing, bedding, household items, adult & baby diapers, period products, hygiene health kits

Community Action
(269) 965-7766
(877) 422-2726
Assistance with Utilities

Department of Health and Human Services
(269) 966-1284
State Emergency Relief

Neighborhoods, Inc.
(269) 968-1113

Salvation Army
(269) 966-4162
Adult & baby diapers, clothing, food, some bills/rent

Legal Services

Council and Advocacy Law Line
(888) 783-8190
Michiganlegalhelp.org
For online intake

Legal Services of South Central Michigan
(269) 965-3951
Legal services and expungement program

Private Provider

Cash Assistance

Department of Health and Human Services
(269) 966-1284

Social Security Administration
(877) 445-0829 BC office
(800) 772-1213 General
TTY (800) 325-0778
*Supplemental Security Income**
*Social Security Disability Insurance***

Disabled Adults
State Disability Assistance:
michigan.gov/mdhhs/assistance-programs/cash/sda

General Public
Family Independence Program:
benefits.gov

Bill Payment

Community Action
(269) 965-7766
Utilities only

Department of Health and Human Services
(269) 966-1284
State Emergency Relief, Energy Direct, Weatherization Assistance Program, Home Heating Credit, Child Care Assistance

Salvation Army
(269) 966-4162
Must have shut off notice & DHHS decision notice; limited by annual cap; call for appointment

Food Assistance

Alternatives of Battle Creek
(269)288-2890
Family and infant needs

Bread of Life (via The Ark)
(269) 910-3578

Calhoun County Public Health Department
(269) 969-6860
Women, Infants and Children (WIC)

Community Action
(269) 965-7766 or (877) 422-2726
Commodity Supplemental Food Program

Community Table of Albion (517) 629-0842
Albionhealthcare.org/food

Department of Health and Human Services
(269) 966-1284

Network Family Church Food Pantry>
(517) 629-4862

RISE Corp (269) 358-9466
Risecorp.info

Salvation Army (Battle Creek) >>
(269) 963-3640 *Sally's Kitchen & Market*
(269) 966-4162 *Emergency Food*

SHARE Center (269) 964-8133
Community Meals
sharecenterbc.org

The Haven of Rest Ministries***
(269) 965-1148

Food Banks/Pantries
Neighborhood Food Pantry
Find your neighborhood food pantry
bcfoodpantries.org

South Michigan Food Bank
smfoodbank.org

Or Call **211** for your local pantry

Health Care

Calhoun County Public Health Department
(269) 969-6370
Children's Special Health Care Services, Family Planning, Immunizations, Pregnancy Testing, TB Testing, STI/HIV Testing

Department of Health and Human Services
(269) 966-1284

Adults
Medicaid
Medicare
Healthy Michigan

Over Age 65
Medicare

Children
Medicaid
MI Child

Grace Health
(269) 965-8866

Fountain Clinic+
(269) 781-0952

Veterans Affairs Medical Center of Battle Creek
(269) 966-5600

Private Provider

**SEE ALSO:
HEALTHCARE FOR
THE UNINSURED**

* For individuals who are over 65, blind or disabled with limited income, based on need. Website: ssa.gov/benefits/ssi

** Based on how long you have worked and paid Social Security taxes. Tax-funded, US Government supplemental income program for individuals no longer able to work due to a disability. Website: ssa.gov/benefits/disability

*** Free meals for residents 7 days/week.

> Food distribution once per month on 4th Saturday from 9:00 am - 11:00 am; 3rd Saturday when in November and December.

>>Kitchen has a congregate hot meal, open M-F 11am-1pm. Market is a supplemental pantry open M-F 9am-4pm, Saturday 1-2pm but must have an open file to shop. To receive Emergency food, need must be demonstrated as well as ID for every member of the family.

+ Free for all residents of Calhoun County; donations appreciated. Must meet income guidelines and have no form of insurance.

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