

**ST. CLAIR COUNTY JUVENILE JUSTICE COUNCIL**  
**Youth & Family Resource Guide**

**Crisis Intervention Services**

| AGENCY   | PHONE   | BRIEF DESCRIPTION  | FEES                                 |
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| Call for Help, Inc.  | 618-397-0968  | Emergency services with temporary shelter for young mothers and children. Program provides rental/utility assistance, counseling, and other supports.                      | Call for more information            |
| Child Abuse Hotline<br><a href="http://www.state.il.us/dcf">www.state.il.us/dcf</a>  | 1-800-252-2873<br>(1-800-25-ABUSE)                                    | To report children who are physically abused or neglected.   | No Fee                               |
| Domestic Violence,<br>Southwestern Violence<br>Prevention Center   | 618-235-0892<br>24-hour crisis<br>hotline and 618-<br>236-2531 office | Provides survivors of domestic violence (men, women, children and elderly) with counseling, emergency shelter and court advocacy services.                                 | Call for more information            |
| Emergency Housing &<br>Shelter Assistance, Catholic<br>Urban Programs  | 618-398-5616  | Offers rental assistance, emergency shelter, motel program, crisis intervention, out-of-school time programming.   | Call for more information            |
| Suicide Prevention – National<br>Suicide Crisis Lifeline   | 1-800-273-8255 or<br>1-800-273-TALK,<br>988 Life                      | Provides 24-hour counseling services and referrals   |                                      |
| The Screening, Assessment,<br>and Support Services<br>Program (SASS)<br><a href="http://www.2.illinois.gov/hfs">www.2.illinois.gov/hfs</a> | 1-800-345-9049  | Mental health screening, crisis intervention, and treatment for youth who are at risk of psychiatric hospitalization.  | Must have Medical Card/ No Insurance |
| Toucheffe Regional Hospital<br>Intensive Outpatient Program<br>(IOP) for Youth and Adults  | 618-332-3060  | Provides services to youth ages (12-17) and adults experiencing anxiety, depression, behavioral health issues, mental illness, and more. Therapy and counseling available. | Call for more information            |
| Youth with Problematic<br>Sexual Behaviors – Youth<br>Outreach Services<br>YPSB  | 1-872-267-2427  | Program for youth ages (10-17) displaying problematic sexual behaviors. Program is for 6-7 months and meets 3 times weekly.  | No Fee                               |

**Runaway/Human Trafficking/Youth Experiencing Homelessness/Child Sexual Abuse**

| AGENCY  | PHONE                                    | BRIEF DESCRIPTION  | FEES                      |
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| Brightpoint (formerly Children's<br>Home and Aid)<br><a href="http://www.brightpoint.org">www.brightpoint.org</a>           | 618-235-5335 or<br>1-800-994-6700        | Provides counseling and crisis intervention to runaway or lockout youth between (ages 11-17).        | No Fee                    |
| Hoyleton Youth and Family<br>Services – Youth Services  | 618-398-0557                             | Provides supports for youth involved in human trafficking, mental health, pregnancy prevention, etc. | Call for more information |
| Polaris National Human<br>Trafficking Website/Hotline:<br><a href="http://polarisproject.org">http://polarisproject.org</a> | 1-888-373-7888<br>BeFree<br>Text: 233733 | National hotline available 24/7 for general information, anti-tracking resources, and reporting.     | Call for more information |
| Kerengende Foundation<br><a href="https://kerengendefoundation.org/">https://kerengendefoundation.org/</a>                  | 618-767-4526                             | Preparing communities to identify, prevent and respond to Child Sexual Abuse.                        | Call for more information |

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## Diversion/Prevention Alternatives

| AGENCY  | PHONE        | BRIEF DESCRIPTION  | FEES                      |
|---|--------------|--|---------------------------|
| Mental Health Juvenile Justice (MHJJ), Chestnut Health Systems<br><br>-St. Clair and Madison County | 618-397-0900 | MHJJ is a comprehensive six-month program that tailors services for youth ages 10-18 years old with justice system involvement and mental health symptoms. | Medical Card/Insurance    |
| Redeploy Illinois Program<br><br>-St. Clair and Madison County                                      | 618-452-8900 | Provides services to youth on court supervision and probation.   | Call for more information |

## Education and Advocacy Supports

| AGENCY  | PHONE                        | BRIEF DESCRIPTION   | FEES  |
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| East St. Louis Higher Education Campus (SWIC/SIUE branches)<br><a href="http://www.eslccc.com">www.eslccc.com</a><br><br><a href="http://www.swic.edu">www.swic.edu</a> | 618-874-6592<br>618-222-5323 | Early School Leavers Program: Youth 16-21 who need a GED or career preparation; Adult Basic Education and GED Opportunities.  | Call for information about enrollment dates |
| Equip for Equality<br><a href="http://www.equipforequality.org">www.equipforequality.org</a>  | 312-895-7336                 | Provides legal aid to youth with court involvement, due process hearings (IEPs, expulsion, etc.) and education advocacy.  | Call for more information                   |
| Land of Lincoln: Education Advocacy Project<br><a href="http://www.lollaf.org">www.lollaf.org</a>   | 618-398-0958, ext. 216       | Advocacy for the educational rights of children and youth enrolled in St. Clair County and IEPs/504 plans.  | Call for more information                   |
| Lessie Bates Davis Neighborhood House: Family Educational Partnership Program & Teen REACH<br><a href="http://www.lessiebatesdavis.org">www.lessiebatesdavis.org</a>    | 618-874-0777                 | Provides educational support services to children and youth to improve overall school performance; Intensive services for youth (ages 7-17) designed to improve academics, social skills, and reduce high school dropout rates. | No Fee                                      |
| Lewis and Clark Community College – East St. Louis Higher Education Campus  | 618-468-3785                 | Program aims to meet the educational and employment needs of residents in East St. Louis by offering credits and certifications.  | Call for more information                   |
| St. Clair County Regional Office of Education   | 618-825-3900                 | GED testing, truancy intervention, homeschooling, supports for students experiencing homelessness (McKinney-Vento Act), work permit, certification, etc.  | Call for more information                   |

## Disability Services

| AGENCY   | PHONE        | BRIEF DESCRIPTION   | FEES                      |
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| LINC, Inc.<br><a href="http://www.lincinc.org">www.lincinc.org</a>   | 618-235-9988 | Aids adults and children with disabilities.   | No Fee                    |
| PrairieLand Service Coordination   | 618-236-7957 | Provides service coordination and individual service and support advocacy (ISSA) for individuals with developmental disabilities and their families.      | No Fee                    |
| STAR NET-St. Clair County Regional Office of Education<br><a href="http://www.starnet.org">www.starnet.org</a> | 618-825-3969 | Provide services to families and professionals who work with children from birth-8 years old with special needs, special emphasis on children (ages 3-5). | Call for more information |

## Family Resources

| AGENCY  | PHONE                        | BRIEF DESCRIPTION   | FEES                       |
|---|------------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| Community Lifeline & Family Resource Center – East St. Louis  | 618-857-2570                 | Provides emergency crisis supports (medical, food, clothing, financial and legal), counseling, parenting, employment support, violence de-escalation, family reunification and other services to keep families connected. | No Fee                     |
| Hoyleton Ministries<br>-Puentes de Esperanza<br><br><a href="http://www.hoyleton.org">www.hoyleton.org</a>  | 618-875-0673<br>618-398-0557 | Assists Hispanic families by providing community outreach services: counseling, pregnancy prevention, and translation/interpretation.   | No Fee                     |
| Land of Lincoln Legal Aid<br><a href="http://www.lincolnlegal.org">www.lincolnlegal.org</a>   | 618-398-0958                 | Assists with family law, housing law and obtaining benefits SNAP/TANF, Social Security Income, Social Security Disability Insurance, Medicaid, and other benefits.  | Call for more information. |
| Our Brothers' Keepers<br><a href="https://obkministry.org">https://obkministry.org</a>  | 618-271-7821                 | Provides reentry services for Returning Citizens released from prison as they transition back to their families and communities. Services include life skills, employment readiness, adult education, etc.                | Call for more information  |
| Planned Parenthood<br><a href="http://www.plannedparenthood.org">www.plannedparenthood.org</a>  | 618-277-6668                 | Female and male health services; family planning; HIV/AIDS testing and counseling; pregnancy testing and counseling; sexually transmitted infection testing and treatment.  | Call for more information  |
| Southern Illinois Healthcare Foundation (SIHF)-Healthy Start Prenatal Support and Male Involvement Programs<br><a href="http://www.sihf.org">www.sihf.org</a> | 618-482-7204                 | Programs for mothers and fathers seeking parenting education and life skills supports.  | No Fee                     |
| St. Clair County Health Dept.<br><a href="http://www.health.co.st-clair.il.us">www.health.co.st-clair.il.us</a>   | 618-233-7703                 | Resources for maternal and child health (including WIC, lead screening, vision testing for kids, immunizations, & Teen Parent Services).  | Call for more information  |

## Mental & Behavioral Health Support

| AGENCY   | PHONE        | BRIEF DESCRIPTION   | FEES   |
|--|--------------|---|--|
| Chestnut Health Systems<br><a href="http://www.chestnut.org">www.chestnut.org</a>                                | 618-397-0900 | Provides child, adolescent, and adult counseling services.  | Sliding fee<br>Medicare<br>Medicaid<br>Insurance |
| Comprehensive Behavioral Health Center<br><a href="http://www.cbhc1.org">www.cbhc1.org</a>                       | 618-482-7330 | Provides crisis intervention services and mental health treatment for children, adolescents and adults in ESL and surrounding townships.                            | No Fee   |
| Heartlinks (Family Hospice of Belleville Area)<br><a href="http://www.myheartlinks.com">www.myheartlinks.com</a> | 618-277-1800 | Provides resources for families with children who have experienced grief, loss and death. Offers support for children (newborn to 18 years old) and their families. | Call for more information                        |
| Lincoln Prairie Behavioral Health Center   | 217-585-1180 | Provides inpatient and outpatient services for youth. Services include telehealth   | Call for more information                        |

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|  |              | counseling, LGBTQ supports, dual diagnosis and crisis intervention.   |                                |
| National Alliance of Mental Illness (NAMI)<br>2100 Madison Ave. 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor<br>Granite City, IL<br><a href="http://namiswi.org">http://namiswi.org</a> | 618-798-9788 | Offers a six-week health education program focusing on depression, ADHD, trauma, anxiety disorder, managing stress, family advocacy and more. | Call for more information      |
| Project Compassion NFP,<br>Compassionate Therapy<br>Center<br><a href="http://www.projectcompassionnfp.org">www.projectcompassionnfp.org</a>                     | 618-717-2732 | Anxiety, trauma, grief/loss, depression, anger management, family, and couple therapy   | Self-pay and Private Insurance |

### Substance Use Treatment

| AGENCY  | PHONE                              | BRIEF DESCRIPTION  | FEES   |
|---|------------------------------------|--|--|
| Chestnut Health Systems<br><a href="http://www.chestnut.org">www.chestnut.org</a><br>Belleville:  | 618-397-0900                       | Substance abuse intakes and outpatient treatment services.   | Sliding fee<br>Medicare<br>Medicaid<br>Insurance |
| Gateway Foundation<br>Swansea:<br><a href="http://www.recovergateway.org">www.recovergateway.org</a>  | 618-234-9002                       | Substance abuse intakes, individual and group outpatient treatment.  | Sliding fee<br>Medicare<br>Medicaid<br>Insurance |
| Narcotics Anonymous (NA)<br>Hotline<br>Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)<br>Hotline<br><a href="http://www.southernillinoisaa.org">www.southernillinoisaa.org</a> | 618-398-9409<br><br>1-800-307-6600 | Crisis intervention and support for youth and adults. Provides access to listings of local NA/AA meetings. | No Fee   |
| Treatment Alternatives for Safe Communities (TASC)<br>-Counseling for Adults<br><a href="http://www.tasc.org">www.tasc.org</a>                            | 618-277-0410                       | Substance use treatment counseling for adults with DCFS and court involvement.                             | Call for more information                        |

### Employment and Workforce Development Resources

| AGENCY  | PHONE        | BRIEF DESCRIPTION  | FEES                      |
|---|--------------|--|---------------------------|
| Lessie Bates Davis<br>Neighborhood House: Job<br>Training/Placement Program<br><a href="http://www.lessiebatesdavis.org">www.lessiebatesdavis.org</a> | 618-874-0777 | Provides job readiness, job placement, and job retention services for TANF/SNAP recipients and youth (ages 16-24). | Call for more information |
| Southwestern IL workNet<br>Center<br>4915 West Main Street,<br>Belleville   | 618-277-3090 | Provides workforce training to adults 18 or older. Orientations every Thursday at 9:30 AM (mandatory)              | Call for more information |

### Additional Resources

| AGENCY  | PHONE        | BRIEF DESCRIPTION  | FEES                      |
|---|--------------|--|---------------------------|
| St. Clair County<br>Intergovernmental Grants<br>Dept (IGD) <a href="http://www.co.st-clair.il.us">www.co.st-clair.il.us</a> | 618-277-6790 | Dept. focuses on community development, community services, and workforce development providing services to the public.                                    | Call for more information |
| United Way-211<br><a href="http://www.211.org">www.211.org</a>  | 211          | Provides free and confidential information and referrals for help with securing food, housing, employment, health care, counseling, and other basic needs. | No Fee                    |