

MILITARY AND FAMILY RESOURCE GUIDE

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Newton County

Medical Services

Jasper County Hospital

420 East Main Street,
Brook, IN
219.275.2521

Porter Health System

404 10th Street Southwest,
Demotte, IN
219.987.6010

Northwest Indiana Community Action

5240 Fountain Drive,
Crown Point, IN
219.794.1829
800.826.7871 or 888.814.7597
Wellness Program

CDC Resources

1320 East Angelica Street,
Rensselaer, IN
219.866.3282 or 219.866.4401
Vocational Rehabilitation

SHIP of Northwest Indiana

1104 East Grace Street,
Rensselaer, IN
219.866.5141 Or 800.451.4800
Assistance with health insurance

Jesse Brown

VA Medical Center
820 South Damen Avenue,
Chicago Illinois
888.569.5282 or 312.569.8387

Newton County Government

Newton County Health Department
4117 South 240 West,
Morroco, IN
219.285.0653

Food Services

Community Food Pantry

4077 Keller Street,
Roselawn, IN
(Old Roselawn Library)
219.345.3388

Cornerstone Assembly of God Food Pantry

117 East State Street,
Morocco, IN
219.285.2246

First Christian Church,

105 East Broadway,
Brook, IN
219.275.2111

Covenant Federated Church Food Pantry

612 North 6th Street, Kentland
219.474.5813

Brook United Methodist Church

124 East Main Street,
Brook, IN
219.275.3751
Soup Kitchen

Clothing

Society of St. Vincent DePaul

303 Keller Avenue,
North Judson, IN
574.249.0162
574.896.2195

Grace Baptist Church

2502 Monroe Street,
La Porte, IN
219.362.2560

Housing

North Central Indiana Rural Crisis Center

Rensselaer, IN
219.866.8281 or 800.933.0374
219.866.8825 Crisis Center

Northwest Indiana Community Action

5240 Fountain Drive,
Crown Point, IN
219.794.1829 or 800.826.7871
888.814.7597

40 & 8 Services

The Forty and Eight is committed to charitable and patriotic aims. Their purpose is to uphold and defend the United States Constitution, to promote the well-being of veterans and their widows and orphans, and to actively participate in selected charitable endeavors, which include programs that promote child welfare and nurse's training.

Randy Page

1330 South Oak Shores, Rome City

Stan Bonar

3292 North 350 West, Albion
260636.7822

General Information

National Suicide Prevention Life-Line
800.273.8255

YMCA

Military Outreach Initiative and Respite Child Care

<http://www.ymca.net/military-outreach>

Free membership to family members of deployed National Guard or Reservists

USO of Indiana

<http://affiliates.uso.org/indiana>

Three USO Service Centers, raise donations, travel Support, moral support, and internet access.

VA Home Loan Information

<http://www.benefits.va.gov/homeloans>

Indiana Foreclosure Prevention Network

Services Include: Assistance paying mortgage.

1-877-GET-HOPE

www.877GetHope.org

Military Discounts

<http://www.military.com/discounts/>

Amtrak

www.amtrak.com

Look under *Deals* for military discount

Shades of Green

<http://www.shadesofgreen.org>

Armed Forces Recreation Center at Disney World and Attraction Ticket Sales Office.

Army MWR

<http://www.armymwr.com>

Army Lodging, Travel Deals, Dining, Family Recreation and Leisure, and Travel News.

4 Military Families

<http://www.4militaryfamilies.com/militarydiscounts>

Lifeline/ Link-Up Telephone Service

Call your local phone company (Embarq) and ask about this discount service to provide telephone service to low-income households

Township Trustees

Definition of what a Township Trustee Does:

He/ She is responsible for "poor relief" services for persons residing in his/her township. Basic assistance includes: shelter, food, funeral expenses, medical, prescriptions, rent, transportation, utilities, and personal items like clothing. Each township is different.

Beaver

Mindy Mathis
409 South Polk Street,
Morocco, IN
219.285.6913

Colfax

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Fair Oaks, IN
219.394.2772

Grant

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109 South Newton,
Goodland, IN
219.297.3893

Iroquois

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504 North Highway Street,
Brook, IN
219.275.8841

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959 South 100 East,
Morocco, IN
219.285.2765

Jefferson

Kathie Donaldson
16753 South 150 West,
Kentland, IN
219.474.3330

Lake

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2932 West 883 North,
Lake Village, IN
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Lincoln

Sharyn Harvey
11410 North 500 East,
Demotte, IN
219.345.4071

McClellan

Mary Jarvis
2800 North 600 West Road,
Morocco, IN
219.285.2437

Washington

Judy Taylor
1568 West 1125 South,
Brook, IN
219.275.5111

Veteran Services

Adam Benjamin Jr.

VA Outpatient Clinic

9300 South Broadway, Crown Point
219.662.5000
800.644.1243

Jesse Brown VA Medical Center

30 East 15th Street, Suite 314
Chicago Heights Illinois
708.754.8880

Edward Hines Jr.

VA Hospital

4700
West 95th Street, Oak Lawn, Illinois
708.499.3675

Manteno Veteran's Home

1 Veterans Drive, Manteno Illinois
815.468.6581 x226

Veteran Benefits Assistance

Indiana Department of Workforce Development

- 840 Broadway 3rd Floor, Gary
219.882.0033
- 3522 Village Circle, Gary
219.981.1520
219.981.4100
- 5265 Hohman Avenue, Hammond
219.933.8332
- 3100 Ivy Tech Drive, Valparaiso
219.476.4764

Gary Area Veteran Center

107 East 93rd Street, Crown Point
219.736.5633

Department of Veterans Affairs

2293 North Main Street, Crown Point
219.755.3285