

Resources For Kings County

Agency/Vendor	Contact Information	Eligibility Requirements	Description of Services
HOUSING			
Kings County Community Action Organization	1222 W. Lacey Blvd. Hanford, CA 93230 (559) 582-4386 (559) 582-1536 fax (877) 727-3225 Hotline csdir@kcao.org www.kcao.org Website Hours: Mon - Fri 8am - 5pm		Provides 24-hour crisis line, peer counseling & case management, legal advocacy, social service, accompaniment transportation, shelter transition, housing & prevention education.
Kings County Housing Authority	670 South Irwin St. Hanford, CA 93230 (559) 582-3120 (559) 582-8471 fax 700 6 1/2 Avenue Corcoran, CA 93212 (559) 992-2957 (559) 992-8415 fax TDD (559) 582-3253 General info: www.hakc.com		Provides low-income families with affordable rental housing. Administrative offices are closed on all Federal holidays
FOOD BANKS			
Kings Community Action Organization	1222 W. Lacey Blvd., Suite 201 Hanford, CA 93230 (559) 582-4386		See above, #1 under housing
Meals-On-Wheels	1197 South Drive Hanford, CA 93230 (559)582-3211 x4848 or x4835		The Senior Nutrition Program, Meals-on-Wheels provides meals for seniors age 60 years & older, 5 days a week. Frozen meals are provided to homebound, convalescing seniors who may be unable to participate at the meal centers. Diabetes Program: Designed to provide health, nutrition & quality of life support services to diabetic adults living in the most remote areas of the county. Provides home delivery of health care services, hot meals specially prepared for the diabetic diet, Senior Partner peer-

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			mentor/home visitors & linkage to all untapped community resources. For more information, contact Kym West at (559) 582-3211, ext. 2826.
TRANSPORTATION			
Kings County Community Action Organization	1222 W. Lacey Blvd. Hanford, CA 93230 Phone Number: (559) 582-4386		See #1 under housing. Transport to appointments, court, hospital & shelter.
Kings Area Rural Transit (KART)	629 W. Davis Street Hanford, CA 93230 (559) 584-0101 (559)582-2506 fax <i>(800) 675-8881- toll free from Avenal, Corcoran, Kettleman City and Stratford</i> KART does not operate on New Year's Day, Presidents' Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, or Christmas. KART operates on Saturday service hours on Martin Luther King Day, the day after Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve Day and New Year's Eve Day.		Provides public transit service every Mon – Fri & limited service on Saturdays. Provides services within the downtown areas of Hanford & Lemoore & regular route service between Hanford & the cities/communities of Armona, Avenal, Corcoran, Fresno, Grangeville, Hardwick, Kettleman City, Laton, Lemoore, Stratford & Visalia. Seniors aged 60 & older qualify for discounted fares. Contact Commission for additional information (559) 582-3211 x2828 Dial-A-Ride Service/KART Disability Service: Half price fare on regular fixed routes only is available for eligible seniors 60 and over and ADA or Disabled ID Card and Medicare Card holders between the hours of 9:00 AM thru 3:00 PM. Discount does not apply to Dial-A-Ride Service. KART Dial-A-Ride Service / KART Disability Service Dial-A-Ride (origin to destination) is available during the times listed for those residents of Hanford, Lemoore, Armona and Avenal. Kart's Dial-A-Ride service is aligned with the minimum service requirements of the American's with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA). For more information about ADA and Dial-A-Ride service to the disabled, please call 559-582-3211, ext. 2711 or 2717. Please call KART Dispatch at 559-584-0101 to make reservations. You must call one day ahead

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			<p>before 5:00 pm to schedule all reservations.</p> <p>KART Dial-A-Ride Service Hours: Lemore Weekdays 6:30am to 5:30pm Saturdays 9am to 3:30pm Lemore Paratransit Services Weekdays & Saturdays – hours are aligned with regular fixed hour routes.</p> <p>KART Paratransit Services hours are aligned with regular fixed hour routes. KART does not operate on New Year's Day, Presidents' Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, or Christmas. KART operates on Saturday service hours on Martin Luther King Day, the day after Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve Day and New Year's Eve Day.</p> <p>KART services can be accessed by a local number 584-0101, or toll free 800-675-8881 for those calling from Avenal, Corcoran, Kettleman City, and Stratford. The Route service runs daily, hourly, or in half hour runs, depending on the particular route. Dial-A-Ride service provides door to door service for residents of Hanford, Lemoore, Armona, and Avenal riders certified by KART as disabled or who live more than a quarter of a mile from a fixed route. ADA certification for disabilities limiting use of fixed route system is required. All buses are equipped with wheelchair lifts to meet the needs of the disabled rider. Persons 60 & older may obtain a Senior Fast Pass at Kings County Commission on Aging Council, which entitles them to purchase route tokens at 25 cents & Dial-a-Ride tokens at 50 cents each. If you have a disability that limits your use of the route buses, you may be eligible for Dial-a-Ride or ADA status. An application may be obtained from KART or Kings County Commission on Aging. Once certified by KART, disabled seniors may purchase red Dial-a-Ride tokens at 50 cents each. Service to</p>
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<p>Valley Medical Transportation</p>	<p>1120 N. Chinowth, Visalia, CA 93291 (559) 734-8743 1-888-994-4868 – toll free (559) 734-1935 fax customerservice@valleymedicaltransport.com</p> <p><i>Se habla Espanol</i> For questions about whether member qualifies for VMT services, or if additional information is needed, please call, e-mail or click on link above.</p>		<p>Specializes in prompt, friendly transportation of dialysis patients. Qualify for Medi-Cal reimbursed transportation if unable to get into or out of a private or public vehicle without assistance. Free transportation for wheelchair bound patients</p> <p>Provides safe & efficient transportation for wheelchair patients, to clinics located throughout the South San Joaquin Valley, Los Banos & greater Modesto areas.</p>
MEDICATIONS			
<p>Prescription Assistance</p>	<p>http://www.calpatientcare.org/find/Kings/160/Prescription%20Assistance</p>		

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CLINICS			
Hanford Community Medical Center	450 Greenfield Ave Hanford, CA 93230 Phone Number: (559) 582-9000 www.hanfordhealth.com		Provides a full range of medical services.
Central Valley General Hospital	2615 East Clinton Avenue Fresno, CA 93703 (559) 225-6100		Provides a full range of medical services.
Community Mental Health Agencies - Kings View Counseling	745 Skyline Drive Avenal, CA 93204 (559) 386-2295 1326 Patterson Road Corcoran, CA 93212 (559) 992-2111		Provides intakes, assessments, individual and group services for mental health services. Also provides drug and alcohol treatment services.
Avenal Community Health Center	1000 Skyline Blvd., Avenal, CA 93204 (559) 386-4500 x21		
Valley Family Health Center - Lemoore	205 C. St., Lemoore, CA 93245 (559) 924-7200		
Valley Family Health Center – Armona, Corcoran & Avenal	10769 14th Ave Armona, CA 93202 (559) 583-7200 www.valfamhl.com 333 East Kings St., Avenal, CA 93204 (559) 945-7200 Se habla Espanol www.valfamhl.com 205 C St., Corcoran, CA 93212 (559) 924-5301 www.valfamhl.com 351 Mall Dr., Hanford, CA 93230 (559) 584-7200 www.valfamhl.com		
Family Healthcare Network - Hanford Center	329 W. 8th St., Hanford, CA 93230 (559) 791-7000		

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Central Valley Family Health	1212 Hanna Ave. Corcoran, CA 93212 (559) 992-2800		English & Spanish spoken. Sliding fee scale for uninsured
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE			
General Relief Applications	1400 West Lacey Blvd Hanford, CA 93230 (559) 582-3241		Accepts applications for Food Stamps, Medi-Cal and General Relief.
Kings County Community Action Organization	1222 W. Lacey Blvd. Hanford, CA 93230 (559) 582-4386		See #1 above under housing.
Kings County Energy & Housing	1130 N 11 th Avenue Hanford, CA 93230 (559) 582-4386 x145 (559) 582-4128 fax		Help with utility bills for low income residents
P G & E	800-743-5000		Financial Assistance Programs for Utility Bills
EYE CARE			
Lori Kucia-Park, OD Optometrist	919 13 th Ave., Delano, CA 93215 (661) 725-3795 (661) 725-3797 fax	Accepts non-insured patients	\$70 for eye exam \$40 for frames \$60 for lenses
Jeffrey W. White, OD Optometrist	1026 N. Chase Ave. Corcoran, CA 93212 (559) 992-2497	Accepts non-insured patients	Ophthalmologist also at site \$90 for exam \$85 for glasses
SUPPORT GROUPS AND ASSOCIATIONS			
OTHER SUPPORT			
MISC. SERVICES			
Mental Health Services http://kings.networkofcare.org/mh/resource/	Kings View Counseling 745 Skyline Drive Avenal, CA 93204 (559) 386-2295 Kings View Counseling 1326 Patterson Road Corcoran, CA 93212 (559) 992-2111		Provides intakes, assessments, individual and group services for mental health services. Also provides drug and alcohol treatment services.

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