

Community Social Service Agencies

IN-SCHOOL/AFTER-SCHOOL

Boys and Girls Club of Greater Memphis

- Keeps children away from drugs and gangs, develops vocational skills, provides education and professional guidance in a safe environment at six inner city facilities and a camp at Sardis Lake.
- <http://www.bgcm.org/>

Girls, Inc.

- Programs designed to support the positive development of girls and to reduce teen pregnancy, school drop-out, substance abuse and unemployment/underemployment rates.
- <http://girlsincmemphis.org/>

Head Start

- Education and other support services for at risk pre-school children
- <http://www.tnheadstart.org/>

Memphis City Schools Mental Health Center

- A state-licensed mental health center that provides outpatient mental health services, adolescent non-residential alcohol and drug treatment, and alcohol and drug prevention services.
- http://www.mcsk12.net/Exceptional_Children/mentalhealth.asp

Raineswood Residential Training Center (Memphis City Schools)

- Public school residential program for the education and treatment of students with autism.
- http://www.mcsk12.net/Exceptional_Children/raineswood.asp

CHILDREN/ADOLESCENTS/YOUNG ADULTS/FAMILIES

Agape Child and Family Services (Memphis and Jackson)

- Faith-based organization that works with foster care, adoption, family counseling, and family education
- <http://www.agapemeanslove.org/page.aspx?pid=329>

Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse (Jackson and surrounding counties)

- Provides a hotline, crisis intervention, parent training, child advocacy, prevention, and awareness programs among others
- <http://www.carlperkinscenter.org/index.html>

CASA of Memphis

- Court Appointed Special Advocates; Conduct home visits and parenting skills training, work with juvenile justice, advocate, and work with case management and legislation
- <http://memphiscasa.org/>

Comprehensive Counseling Network

- Offers treatment and early intervention services to children at risk of emotional and behavioral problems, as well as support services to parents, teachers, and other caregivers.
- <http://www.ccnmemphis.org/default.aspx>

Department of Children's Services

- Case management, child protective services, adoption and foster care services
- Shelby County Community Services Agency: Case management and support services for DCS clients—children and parents.
- <http://www.state.tn.us/youth/>

Department of Human Services- Child Protective Services

- Government agency providing mandated services to at risk children and youth in threat of harm.
- www.tennessee.gov/youth/childsafety.htm

The Exchange Club Family Center

- Serves at risk families, families involved in child abuse, neglect, and domestic violence. Helps families through parenting education, adult/child counseling, and community outreach
- <http://www.exchangeclub.net/index.php>

The Harwood Center

- Provides support, education, and early intervention programs in home, community, and center-based settings for children with developmental delays, autism, and behavioral disorders.
- <http://harwoodcenter.org/>

Hope House Day Care

- Daycare and preschool for children impacted by HIV/AIDS, parent-training programs, play therapy, mentoring, life skills and GED courses, HIV/AIDS education, counseling and support groups, home visits, advocacy, and referrals
- <http://www.hopehousememphis.org/index.php>

Memphis Child Advocacy Center

- Helps children who are victims of sexual and severe physical abuse with comprehensive services from a professional, multi-agency team focused on positive outcomes for children.
- <http://www.memphiscac.org/>

Memphis Recovery Center

- Provides alcohol and drug addiction treatment to adults, adolescents, and their families, including residential treatment, group and individual counseling, aftercare treatment, etc.
- <http://www.memphisrecovery.com/default.asp>

Porter-Leath

- Early childhood education, foster care, special needs adoption, residential services, child/adult food care and foster grandparent programs
- <http://www.porterleath.org/>

South Memphis Alliance

- Services focus on helping youth transition out of foster care, supporting pregnant teens, and providing behavioral health education services focused on alcohol, drug and HIV/AIDS prevention for youth
- <http://www.southmemphisalliance.org/>

SRVS

- Provides a wide array of services for adults and children with disabilities.
- <http://srvs.org/>

Tennessee Baptist Children's Home

- Faith based organization that provides residential care for children from families in crisis.
- <http://www.tbch4kids.org/web/index.html>

Tennessee Voices for Children

- Provides advocacy, training, support, referral, prevention, and early intervention services for children and their families
- <http://tnvoices.org/>

YMCA of Memphis and the Midsouth

- Provides Head-Start, school-aged childcare, day camps, youth sports, fitness, recreation and swimming programs. Also offers character development, teen leadership, juvenile offender programs and a low-income male residence.
- <http://www.ymcamemphis.org/>

YWCA of Greater Memphis

- Strengthens Mid-South families, empowers women and works to eliminate racism through Abused Women's Services, a decentralized before/after school program, a non-traditional skills training and empowerment program and a Three Star Head Start program.
- <http://www.memphisywca.org/>

Youth Dimensions, Inc.

- Residential, mental health, substance abuse, and early intervention programs and treatments for teens
- <http://www.youthdimensions.com>

Youth Villages

- Private non-profit organization dedicated to helping emotionally and behaviorally troubled children and their families live successfully. Provides in-home counseling services and residential treatment facilities.
- <http://www.youthvillages.org/>

ADULTS/FAMILIES

Alzheimer's Association Mid South Chapter – West TN Office (Memphis)

- A nonprofit organization that promotes and provides quality education and training for the community and professionals, delivers accurate information and referrals to the community, provides support for patients, families, and caregivers, advocates for public policy and legislation that will improve supportive services for individuals with Alzheimer's disease and their caregivers, and encourages and supports research into the prevention, cause, improved diagnoses, therapy, and cure of Alzheimer's disease and related disorders. Core Services include Information and Referral, Care Consultation, Support Groups, Education and Safe Return.
- <http://www.alz.org/altn/index.asp>

Associated Catholic Charities

- Offers emergency assistance, child care, services to senior citizens, residential treatment programs for the homeless, refugee resettlement and immigration services. This umbrella-type agency also provides counseling, maternity and adoption services.
- <http://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org/>

Case Management, Inc.

- Mental health and case management for adults and children; 11 different programs targeted at different populations and addressing different mental health and social issues
- <http://www.cmiofmemphis.org/index.html>

Correctional Alternatives, Inc.

- Coordinates referrals throughout Tennessee for in-patient treatment needs or long term residential needs of offenders.
- <http://correctionalalternatives.org/home>

Door of Hope

- Homeless shelter that provides programs designed to help men begin to live a different life
- <http://door-of-hope-memphis.org/>

Grace House of Memphis

- Helps women overcome alcohol and drug problems through a residential treatment center
- <http://www.gracehousememphis.org/gracehouseofmemphisinc/>

Harbor House- Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation for Men

- Residential treatment and continuing counseling and care for drug and alcohol dependent men.
- <http://www.harborhousememphis.org/>

Health Connect America

- Counseling services for at-risk children, adults, and families
- <http://healthconnectamerica.com/index.html>

Memphis Jewish Community Center

- Provides social group work; leisure activities; health and physical education; individual, group and family counseling; day care; day camp; family life/informal education; cultural and social programming.
- <http://www.jccmemphis.org/>

Memphis Leadership Foundation

- Provide services, programs, and aid for youth, children and families, community and economic development, affordable housing, and leadership development. Faith-based organization.
- <http://mlfonline.org/>

Memphis Police Department- Crisis Intervention Team

- Unit of specially trained officers designated to respond to crisis calls involving mental illness. Officers train and work with mental health professionals.
- <http://www.memphispolice.org/crisis%20intervention.htm>

MIFA

- Faith-based organization working to combat poverty through Meals on Wheels, senior assistance (transportation, handyman, companions, and advocates), emergency services, and teen mentoring.
- <http://www.mifa.org/>

Pathways of Tennessee (Jackson)

- Provides comprehensive mental health services in 10 counties in West Tennessee.
- <http://www.wth.org/body.cfm?id=292>

Shelby County Drug Court

- Provides Alcohol and Drug education and treatment, as well as individual and group therapy to criminal offenders ordered into their program by the Court. They also provide case management to all participants. Their participants stay in this program for at least 12 months.
- <http://shelbycountydrugcourt.org/>

Southwest Human Resources Agency (Jackson and surrounding counties)

- Provides Head Start program, rural transportation assistance, homeless assistance, foster grandparents programs, among many others
- <http://swhra.org/>

St. John's Community Services

- Nonprofit, community-based organization which supports children and adults with intellectual, developmental, physical and other disabilities. Includes residential, in-home, and employment services.
- <http://www.sjcs.org/>

Synergy Treatment Centers

- Provides alcohol and drug abuse rehabilitation with a one-year residential program, DUI Treatment Services, outpatient family therapy and two-year transitional housing for treatment graduates.
- <http://www.synergytc.org/>

Women's Resource and Rape Assistance Program (Jackson and surrounding areas)

- Provides services to sexual assault and domestic violence victims, including crisis hotline, individual counseling, shelter, advocacy, hospital and court accompaniment, education, and referrals.
- <http://www.wraptn.org/index.html>

SENIOR CITIZENS

Aging Commission of the Midsouth

- Provides a large number of services for seniors including, counseling, community centers, adult daycare, meals, transportation, legal assistance, and support groups
- <http://www.agingcommission.org/>

Attendant Care Services

- Care Management and counseling services for seniors
- <http://www.kbcaa.com/index.html>

Memphis Jewish Home and Rehabilitation Center

- Provides rehabilitation to attain and maintain individual independence for the elderly Intermediate care nursing home focused on patients with dementia and rehabilitation.
- <http://memphisjewishhome.org/>

Meritan

- Offers innovative programs for people of all ages. Services include foster care, employment, in-home care, senior centers, mentoring, information and referral, case management, nursing home care and assistance for the blind.
- <http://meritan.org/>

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COMMUNITY OUTREACH AND EDUCATION

Bridges

- Works to build a community of leaders to advance racial, economic, educational and environmental justice through programs like Bridge Builders aimed at high school students
- <http://bridgesusa.org/>

Friends for Life

- The mission of Friends For Life Corporation is to help persons affected by HIV/AIDS live well. Their comprehensive, client-centered approach includes education, housing, food, transportation and healthy life skills training.
- <http://www.friendsforlifecorp.org/>

Latino Memphis

- Advocates for and promotes the advancement of the Latino community in Memphis and the Mid-South.
- <http://www.latinomemphis.org/>

March of Dimes

- Education programs and community interventions to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects, premature birth and infant mortality.
- <http://www.marchofdimes.com/tennessee/>

The Salvation Army

- The Kroc Center: Large scale community center with educational, recreational, and religious programming
- <http://www.krocmemphis.org/>

South Memphis Alliance

- Programs focus on youth in foster care, pregnant and parenting teens, behavioral health education, and community development, education, and growth crisis
- <http://www.smaweb.org/>

MEDICAL ENVIRONMENT

ALSAC/St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

- Social Work, School program for hospital-bound patients, Child Life, Rehabilitation Services
- www.stjude.org

Baptist Memorial Hospital (multiple branches)

- Assessment, discharge and post-hospital planning, palliative care
- www.bmhcc.org/

LeBonheur Children's Hospital

- Child and Family Support Services- Child Life, Social Workers, Hospital School Program, and Summer Camp for Kids
- Palliative Care
- <http://www.lebonheur.org/>

Memphis Mental Health Institute

- A state psychiatric hospital serving patients in Memphis and Shelby County
- <http://www.state.tn.us/mental/mhs/mhs2.html>

Methodist Hospital (multiple branches)

- Assessment, discharge and post-hospital planning, palliative care
- www.methodisthealth.org/

St. Francis Hospital

- Assessment, discharge and post-hospital planning, palliative care
- www.saintfrancishosp.com/

Western Mental Health Institute (Bolivar)

- A state psychiatric hospital serving patients in all West Tennessee counties excluding Shelby
- <http://www.state.tn.us/mental/mhs/mhs2.html>