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# **Dimmit County Resources**

#### **Community Health Services**

Camino Real Community Services - Zavala - Dimmit MH Clinic

315 N. First Ave., Crystal City, TX 78839 | (830) 374-5854 | http://www.caminorealmhmr.org

Provides community mental health services. Use the main phone number to contact an office for an appointment or to ask for more information about eligibility and programs. The 24-hour, toll free Crisis Hotline is 1-800-543-5750. This crisis number is for people facing an emergency situation, such as having a homicidal or suicidal thoughts. If your call is an emergency, a crisis team may be sent out to help manage your situation. If necessary, emergency services may also be contacted to respond to your crisis.

Dimmit County Indigent Health Care Program

704 Hospital Dr., Carrizo Springs, TX 78834 | (830) 876-2424 | (830) 876-2584 | http://www.dshs.state.tx.us

This program provides basic medical services to residents of this county who cannot receive health care coverage from any other source and who are eligible for the program. Eligibility is based on income and resources.

South Texas Rural Health Services, Inc. - Big Wells Medical

1502 Grand Ave., Big Wells, TX 78830 | (830) 457-9322 | (830) 457-9325 | http://southtexasruralhealth.com

The clinic maintains five program/service delivery sites and provides services such as laboratory, pharmacy, radiology, dental, family planning, HIV/AIDS testing and counseling, health education, nutrition counseling, substance abuse counseling, and transportation assistance.

South Texas Rural Health Services, Inc. - Carrizo Springs Wellness Center

902-B S. 5th St., Carrizo Springs, TX 78834 | (830) 876-2611 | (830) 876-3776 | http://southtexasruralhealth.com

The clinic maintains five program/service delivery sites and provides services such as laboratory, pharmacy, radiology, dental, family planning, HIV/AIDS testing and counseling, health education, nutrition counseling, substance abuse counseling, and transportation assistance.

## **County Probation Offices**

Maverick County Community Supervision & Corrections Department

PO Box 6448, Eagle Pass, TX 78853-0448 | (830) 773-6100 | (830) 757-4344 | http://www.tdcj.state.tx.us

#### **Education Assistance**

Southwest Texas Junior College Adult Basic Education

215 W. Zavala St., Crystal City, TX 78839 | (830) 591-7235 | http://swtjc.edu

They offer free Adult Basic Education, ESL and U.S. Citizenship classes. Day and evening classes available.

#### **Employment Services**

Workforce Solutions Middle Rio Grande - Carrizo Springs

307 W. Nopal PO Box 1199, Carrizo Springs, TX 78834 | (830) 876-3533 | http://wfsmrg.org

Job search assistance and resources are available to the public free of charge.

#### **Housing Services**

Carrizo Springs Housing Authority

207 N. 4th St., Carrizo Springs, TX 78834 | (830) 876-5211 | (830) 876-2236 | http://www.hud.gov

This agency administers public housing programs such as Section 8 rental housing vouchers and Low Rent Public Housing for low income families. Eligibility for people convicted of criminal offenses varies and waiting lists are common.

Family Endeavors - Supportive Services for Veteran Families

1448 Sidney Baker St., Kerrville, TX 78028 | (830) 896-0190 | http://www.familyendeavors.org

These supportive services include outreach, case management, help in obtaining VA benefits, emergency financial assistance for rent & utilities and assistance in obtaining and coordinating other public benefits.

#### **Indigent Defense Services**

County Criminal Court

103 N. 5th St., Carrizo, TX 78834 | (830) 876-2323 | http://www.dimmitcounty.org/

Maricela Gonzalez, District Clerk

103 N. 5th St., Carrizo, TX 78834 | (830) 876-4243 | (830) 876-4244 | http://www.dimmitcounty.org/departments/district-clerk/

#### **Legal Aid Services**

Texas Rio Grande Legal Aid

542 E. Main St., Eagle Pass, TX 78853 | (800) 369-0467 | (830) 773-5806 | http://www.trla.org/office/eagle-pass

#### Other

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Community Services Agency of South Texas, Inc.

910 S. 5th St. PO Box 488, Carrizo Springs, TX 78834 | (830) 876-5219 or (830) 879-5210 | (830) 876-5280 | http://www.csaofsti.com

The Family Service Centers provide assistance to families with Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program funds (C.E.A.P.) CEAP funds are available to respond to the energy needs of low income households. CEAP has four different components: Energy Crisis, Elderly/Disabled, Co-Payment, and Heating and Cooling. The first three components assist qualifying households pay their energy bill, and the Heating and Cooling component repairs or replaces heating and cooling appliances for eligible households.

South Texas Food Bank SNAP (Food Stamps) Outreach Program

1907 Freight St., Laredo, TX 78041 | (956) 726-3120 | (956) 725-1309 | http://southtexasfoodbank.org

The SNAP Outreach Program assistants help fill out applications, translate, explain, and even at time a times verify eligibility. To locate emergency food assistance, go on their website or call 2-1-1.

Texas Department of Health and Human Services - Benefits Office

2208 N. 1st St., Carrizo Springs, TX 78834 | (830) 876-2456 | (830) 876-3355 | http://www.yourtexasbenefits.com

The SNAP food benefits (formerly known as Food Stamps) helps people with low incomes and resources buy the food they need for good health. Medicaid Programs provide medical benefits for eligible low income adults, children, and families. CHIP offers a health insurance program for children. Call or visit website for program-specific eligibility information. Anyone convicted of a drug-related felony (possession, use or distribution of a controlled substance) after August 22, 1996, is not eligible for SNAP (Food Stamps) benefits. Hours: M-F, 8 am to 5 pm.

#### **Parole Offices**

Laredo District Parole Office

6020 McPherson Rd. Suite 6, Laredo, TX 78041 | (956) 724-1933 | (956) 724-2146 | http://www.tdcj.state.tx.us

### **Treatment Programs**

Alcoholics Anonymous El Paso Central Office (NW Texas Area 66, District 3)

El Paso, TX(806) 647-4594 or 24-hour Help Line (806) 373-4600 | http://nwta66.org

Alcoholics Anonymous

Narcotics Anonymous Esperanza Area

PO Box 120094, San Antonio, TX 78212 | (210) 434-0665 or (800) 221-9091 (toll-free) | <a href="http://www.eanaonline.org">http://www.eanaonline.org</a>

Narcotics Anonymous (NA) is a not for profit fellowship or society of men and women for whom drugs had become a major problem. They are recovering addicts who meet regularly to help each other stay clean. The desire to stop using is the only requirement for membership. The meetings are free and anyone may join. Serving the cities of Crystal City, Del Rio, Eagle Pass, Floresville, Laredo, Pleasanton, Poteet, San Antonio and surrounding counties