Family Resource Guide for Alpine County

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Woodfords
Kirkwood

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EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire, Ambulance, Sheriff, California Highway Patrol        Dial 911
Alpine County Sheriff’s Dispatch                     (530) 694-2231
California Highway Patrol Dispatch                   (530) 582-7500
Douglas County Sheriff’s Dispatch                    (775) 782-5126
El Dorado Sheriff’s Dispatch                        (530) 626-4911
Amador County Sheriff’s Dispatch                     (209) 223-1235
Red Cross- Sierra-Delta Chapter                      (916) 993-7070
Alpine Co. Office of Emergency Preparedness          (530) 694-1339
Liberty Utilities- Power outages                      (844) 245-6868
Frontier Communications                               (800) 921-8101

Phone & internet outages & issues.

24 HOUR HOTLINES

Child Protective Services -Alpine County             (888) 755-8099
    Takes reports and responds to allegations of child abuse & neglect.
Alpine County Behavioral Health                    (800) 318-8212
    24 hour crisis- emergency line.
Live Violence Free                                   (888) 750-6444
    Advocates or peer counselors are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week to be supportive, to discuss options, or to listen to individual’s concerns related to domestic violence.
Tahoe Youth & Family Services                       (800) 870-8937
    Crisis line for any children, youth or parents in Alpine County, South Lake Tahoe & Minden/Gardnerville area.
California Poison Control                           (800) 222-1222
Child Abuse Hotline                                 (800) 422-4453
National Domestic Violence Hotline                  (800) 799-7233
National Sexual Assault Hotline                     (800) 656-4673
Ca. Youth Crisis Line                               (800) 843-5200
Suicide Prevention Network                          (775) 783-1510
Suicide Prevention & Lifeline                       (800) 273-8255
HOSPITALS

Barton Memorial Hospital- South Lake Tahoe, CA (530) 541-3420
Carson Valley Medical Center- Gardnerville, NV (775) 782-1500
Carson Tahoe Rgnl. Med. Ctr.- Carson City, NV (775) 445-8000
Renown Medical Center- Reno, NV (775) 982-4100
St. Mary’s Regional Medical Center- Reno, NV (775) 770-3000
Veteran’s Medical Center- Reno, NV (775) 786-7200

URGENT CARE

Carson Tahoe Emergent Care- Minden, NV (775) 445-7800
CVMC Urgent Care- Minden, NV (775) 782-1610
Tahoe Urgent Care- South Lake Tahoe, CA (530) 541-3277

HEALTH CLINICS

Alpine County Health Department (530) 694-2146
Patient of all ages are welcome and no one is refused care due to the lack of medical insurance coverage. Services include: general medical care, pre-employment exams, DMV physicals, health screening (all ages), vaccinations, lab work, EKG, tobacco cessation, diabetes prevention & care, HIV & STD testing.

Kirkwood Health Clinic (209) 258-7236
Douglas County Health Nurse (775) 782-9038
El Dorado County Health Department (530) 573-3155
Veteran’s Health Clinic- Gardnerville, NV (775) 782-5265
Toiyabe Indian Health Project- Coleville Clinic (530) 495-2100
Native American patients may be eligible to enroll in their Purchased & Referred Care Program (formerly Contract Care) If you are a non-native patient, you do not need health insurance to be seen as they provide low-cost, sliding scale healthcare services based on your income level.
OTHER HEALTH SERVICES

Breastfeeding Support- Alpine Co. Health Dept.  (530) 694-2146
La Leche League  (877) 452-5324
  Mother-to-mother breastfeeding support.
Women, Infants & Children (WIC)  (530) 573-3491
  Vouchers for healthy food for children under 5 years & pregnant, postpartum & lactating women along with nutrition counseling and breastfeeding support.
Legal Services of Northern California- Health  (888) 354-4474
  A non-profit that provides education & advocacy to healthcare consumers. Services are free and there is no income cap for services. They assist individuals with issues related to Medi-Cal, Medicare, private insurance & Covered California. If you have questions about your insurance coverage or are having trouble accessing health services please call LSNC-Health.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

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California Highway Patrol  (530) 577-1001
Douglas County Sheriff’s Department
  Minden Dispatch/Non-emergency  (775) 782-5126
  Minden Jail  (775) 782-9921
  Gardnerville Ranchos Substation  (775) 265-7091
  Stateline Dispatch/Non-emergency  (775) 586-7250
  Lake Tahoe Jail  (775) 586-7265
El Dorado County Sheriff’s Department  (530) 573-3000
  Detention Center  (530) 573-3031
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Alpine County Probation  (530) 694-2192
LEGAL SERVICES

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Alpine County Recorder (530) 694-2283

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Offers a wide variety of assistance to victims and witnesses of crime. Trained advocates can provide support through the court process and will keep you informed about the status of a criminal case. Advocates may also assist victims with submitting requests for restitution, filing claims for Victims of Crime compensation, and much more.

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Provides a vital service to survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence and stalking. If you are a survivor and your legal issue is directly related to the abuse you experienced, the Live Violence Free Legal Program may be able to assist you. Their attorney can represent those regarding issues of protection orders, divorce, custody, immigration, credit, disability, social security & housing. Services also include, legal advice, legal representation, document preparation, safety planning, court accompaniment, legal advocacy & translation services in Tagalog and Spanish.

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SUBSTANCE ABUSE:
PREVENTION & TREATMENT

Alpine County Behavioral Health  (530) 694-1816
Comprehensive mental health and substance abuse services are available to all residents of Alpine County regardless of ability to pay. Services include: Outpatient individual and family counseling for mental health issues, outpatient individual substance abuse treatment counseling, outpatient groups for mental health, alcohol and drug issues, inpatient mental health treatment options, psychiatric consultation for medications via tele-health technology, inpatient treatment and/or detoxification for substance use disorders.

Alcoholics Anonymous - Douglas County, NV  (775) 355-1151
Alcoholics Anonymous - South Lake Tahoe, CA  (530) 541-1243
Al Anon  (888) 425-2666
Support for friends and families of problem drinkers. Online and phone meetings available.

Tahoe Youth & Family Services  (775) 782-4202
Offering individual, family & group counseling for early intervention, prevention, substance abuse evaluations and student assistance programs.

Tahoe Turning Point - South Lake Tahoe, CA  (530) 541-4594
Non-profit offering substance abuse & addiction counseling, drug & alcohol education and relapse prevention group, drug testing, Batterer’s Intervention Program, families & couples counseling and Drinking Driver Programs.

Smoking Cessation  (530) 694 2146
Help and resources to help you quit smoking.  (800) 662-8887
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Outpatient groups for mental health, alcohol and drug issues.
Inpatient mental health treatment options.
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Community based prevention and early intervention programs.

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Douglas Center for Hope & Healing (775) 450-0329
Support for grieving children, teens and families with support groups and sharing.
FINANCIAL, FOOD & CLOTHING ASSISTANCE

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Offering a Food Closet, CalFresh- funds to purchase food, CalWORKs-cash aid, among other services for eligible residents.

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Women, Infants & Children (WIC) (530) 573-3491
Vouchers for healthy food for children under 5 years & pregnant, postpartum & lactating women along with nutrition counseling & breastfeeding support

Energy Assistance (530) 573-3490
This federally funded program helps income eligible households offset the cost of heating and cooling their homes. Eligible homeowners or renters may qualify to have specific payment amounts credited to their electric utility accounts or receive help obtaining firewood, propane, pellets or heating oil. Priority is given to the elderly, disabled and families with children under age 5.

Liberty Utilities CARE Program (866) 812-5766
Save 20% every month on your electric bill if income eligible.
Other services: free weatherization, insulation, minor home repairs and refrigerator replacements.

Tahoe Youth & Family Services (530) 694-9459
Monthly drop-in day for snacks, help with home work. Also offering sleeping bags, tents & socks to couch surfers or homeless youth and laundry services.
HOUSING INFORMATION
Alpine County Health & Human Services (530) 694-2235
Live Violence Free (530) 694-1853
Emergency housing for victims of domestic violence.

JOB SERVICES
Alpine Career Center (530) 694-2235
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CA Unemployment Insurance (866) 333-4606
State Disability Insurance
  Disability Insurance (800) 480-3287
  Paid Family Leave (877) 238-4373
Program to provide short-term benefits to eligible California workers who have a loss of wages when they are unable to work due to a non-work related illness, injury, or pregnancy.
State Department of Rehabilitation (530) 541-3226
Assists Californians with disabilities to obtain and retain employment and maximize their equality and ability to live independently in their communities.
CalWORKs (530) 694-2235
A welfare program that gives cash aid and services to eligible needy California families.

TRANSPORTATION
Alpine County Dial-A-Ride (530) 694-9301
Low cost public transportation services. Please call for current schedule or to schedule a ride.
California DMV (800) 777-0133
California Road Conditions (800) 427-7623
Alpine County Road Conditions (530) 694-2140
Nevada Road Conditions (877) 687-6237
CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES

Choices for Children   (530) 694-2129
Help finding child care, paying for child care, or becoming a child care provider. Toy & resource lending library, Infant/Child CPR & First Aid, information and resources on child development, guidance, parenting & nutrition.

First 5 Alpine   (530) 694-1149
First 5 Alpine offers health, education and family support resources for families or anyone caring for children birth through five years of age in Alpine County.

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Tahoe Youth & Family Services   (530) 694-9459
The Mentoring program’s focus is to unleash the innate greatness and unlimited potential of youth. Mentoring provides children and their families with connections to community resources, helping them build resiliency and support them in successful peer, adult and family relationships.

Douglas County Family Support Council   (775) 782-8692
Family resources & parenting classes available.

Adoption Services   (530) 573-3414
The Adoption Services Program is administered by the El Dorado County Department of Human Services.

CAR SEAT INSTALLATION

Call for an appointment….
California Highway Patrol South Lake Tahoe, CA   (530) 577-1001
Douglas County Sheriff’s Office   (775) 782-9944
AAA- Carson City, NV   (775) 888-6419
Ron Wood Family Resource Center   (775) 884-2269
CHILD CARE CENTERS

Alpine Early Learning Center  (530) 694-1673
  Licensed care for infants through preschool.

SCHOOLS

Alpine County Unified School District  (530) 694-2230
& Office of Education
Diamond Valley School (K-8th)  (530) 694-2238
Douglas High School (9th-12th)  (775) 782-5136
Alpine County Community Day School &  (530) 694-2230
Alpine County Opportunity School (7th-12th)

RECREATION

Alpine County Library- Markleeville  (530) 694-2120
Alpine County Museum  (530) 694-2317
Alpine Kids  (530) 694-2934
  Drug & tobacco free family outings for families who live or work in Alpine County.
Girls Scouts  (530) 694-1427
Grover’s Hot Springs  (530) 694-2248
Kirkwood Mountain Resort  (209) 258-6000
Alpine County Chamber of Commerce  (530) 694-2475
SPECIAL NEEDS/ DISABILITIES

Alta California Regional Center (530) 542-0442
Provides services to persons, age three and above, with a developmental disability pursuant to the Lanterman Act. Also provides services to infants and toddlers, between birth and 36 months, who have a need for early intervention services and who meet the eligibility criteria for the California Early Start program.

Tahoe-Alpine County SELPA (530) 541-2850
Provides special education services for children 3-22 years old.

Alpine County Office of Education (530) 694-2230
Provides special education services for children 3-22 years old.

Warmline Parent Resource Center (844) 455-9517
Provides resources, support, training and consultation to families of children with special needs birth to age 26.

California Children’s Services (530) 694-2146
A state program which helps children up to 21 years old with certain diseases or health problems receive the health care and services they need.

In-Home Supportive Services (530) 694-2235
The IHSS Program will help pay for services provided to you so that you can remain safely in your own home. Disabled children are also potentially eligible.

Shriners Hospital for Children (800) 237-5055
Providing medical care for children in orthopedics, burn care, spinal cord injury, cleft lip & cleft palate, regardless of the family’s ability to pay.

Disability Rights California (916) 504-5800
Advocacy, education, investigation and litigation to advance and protect the rights of Californians with disabilities.

State Department of Rehabilitation (530) 541-3226
Assists Californians with disabilities to obtain and retain employment and maximize their equality and ability to live independently in their communities.

Special Needs for Disasters/Evacuations (530) 694-2146
Contact for a form to complete prior to a disaster or evacuation to ensure those special needs are recognized for support during a disaster/evacuation.
WASHOE TRIBAL SERVICES

Washoe Tribe of NV and CA (775) 265-8600
   Administrative Offices
Woodfords Community Council (530) 694-2170
Washoe Tribal Health Clinic (775) 265-8622
Washoe Tribal Healing Center (775) 265-8622
Washoe Tribal Social Services (775) 265-8622
Domestic Violence Program (775) 265-8698
Washoe Tribal Police Administration (775) 265-7540
   Dispatch (775) 783-7233
Washoe Tribal Probation (775) 265-7885
Washoe Tribal TANF- Hung A Lel Ti (530) 694-2555
Washoe Housing Authority (775) 265-2410
Washoe Job Development/Job Coach (775) 782-6320
Woodfords Indian Education Center (530) 694-2964
   Serving students from Hung-A-Lel-Ti with academic supports including
tutoring, library and computer lab services.
Cultural Resource Depart. / Language Classes (775) 782-0013
Woodfords Gymnasium (530) 694-1090
Washoe Head Start- Dresslerville (775) 265-2629
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WHAT MAKES YOUR FAMILY STRONG?

Research shows if your family has these 5 PROTECTIVE FACTORS you are more likely to weather the storms and stay strong.

**PARENTAL RESILIENCE**  Exercise flexibility and inner strength to help you bounce back from challenges. Resilience makes your family strong.

**SOCIAL CONNECTIONS**  Connecting with friends builds a support system and makes your family strong.

**KNOWLEDGE OF PARENTING & CHILD DEVELOPMENT**  Being a parent is part natural & part learned. Parent education makes your family strong.

**CONCRETE SUPPORTS IN TIMES OF NEED**  Ask for help. Meeting your needs through community support & resources makes your family strong.

**SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL COMPETENCE OF CHILDREN**  Give your child words to express how they feel. Teaching your child to effectively communicate & interact builds positive relationships and makes your family strong.

*Strengthening Families: A Protective Factors Framework*
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Bear Valley

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WEST SLOPE - BEAR VALLEY

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Calaveras County Sheriff’s Dispatch (209) 754-6500
California Highway Patrol Dispatch (209) 943-8600
Red Cross- Sierra-Delta Chapter (916) 993-7070
Alpine Co. Office of Emergency Preparedness (530) 694-1339
PG&E- power outages (800) 743-5002
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HOSPITALS
Mark Twain St. Joseph’s Hospital- San Andreas  (209) 754-3521
Sonora Regional Medical Center- Sonora  (209) 532-5000

URGENT CARE
Angels Camp Prompt Care  (209) 736-9130

HEALTH CLINICS
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Calaveras County Health Clinic  (209) 754-6460
Veteran’s Health Clinic- Sonora  (209) 588-2600
Available Health Care Services: General Internal Medicine, Mental Health Clinic, Smoking Cessation, Substance Abuse, Social Work Service, Wellness Clinic. No walk-ins. Please call for an appointment.

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Calaveras County Sheriff’s Dept. (209) 754-6500
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California Highway Patrol (209) 754-3541
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Substance Abuse:
Prevention & Treatment

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Outpatient groups for mental health, alcohol and drug issues.
Inpatient treatment and/or detoxification for substance use disorders.

Alcoholics Anonymous- Calaveras County  (800) 851-1304

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Smoking Cessation  (209) 753-2365
Help and resources to help you quit smoking.  (800) 662-8887
COUNSELING

BV Behavioral Health Satellite Clinic  (209) 753-2831
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BACKGROUND CHECK FOR IN-HOME
CHILDCARE PROVIDERS.

TO FIND OUT MORE:
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OR VISIT WWW.TRUSTLINE.ORG
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PG&E Energy Savings Assistance Program  (530) 573-3490
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HOUSING INFORMATION

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JOB SERVICES

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Parking Snow Phone  (209) 753-6155
CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES

Choices for Children (877) 694-2129
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Live Violence Free (530) 694-1853
The STEP program is easy to use 8 week program with chapters that relate to real-life situations and at home activities that help parents apply STEP ideas. The STEP parent handbook includes essential topics such as single parents, stepfamilies, cooperation in the family, schoolwork and homework, drugs, violence and gangs.

Tahoe Youth & Family Services (530) 694-9459
The Mentoring program’s focus is to unleash the innate greatness and unlimited potential of youth. Mentoring provides children and their families with connections to community resources, helping them build resiliency and support them in successful peer, adult and family relationships.

Alpine County Heath & Human Services-Foster Home Support (530) 694-2235

Adoption Services (530) 573-3414
The Adoption Services Program is administered by the El Dorado County Department of Human Services.

CAR SEAT INSTALLATION

Call for an appointment….

Tuolumne Co. Health Dept. -Sonora (209) 533-7464
California Highway Patrol -Jamestown (209) 984-3944
AAA- Sonora (209) 526-2558
RECREATION
Alpine County Library - Bear Valley (209) 753-6219
Bear Valley Summer Day Camp (209) 890-8040
Busy Bears Playschool (209) 753-2348
Bear Valley Mountain (209) 753-2301
Alpine County Chamber of Commerce (530) 694-2475

SCHOOLS
Alpine County Unified School District & Office of Education (530) 694-2230
Hazel Fischer Elementary (K-5) (209) 795-8030
Avery Middle School (6-8) (209) 795-8520
Bret Harte High School (9-12) (209) 736-2507
SPECIAL NEEDS/ DISABILITIES

Alta California Regional Center  (530) 542-0442
Provide services to persons, age three and above, with a developmental disability pursuant to the Lanterman Act. Also provides services to infants and toddlers, between birth and 36 months, who have a need for early intervention services and who meet the eligibility criteria for the California Early Start program.

Tahoe-Alpine County SELPA  (530) 541-2850
Provides special education services for children 3-22 years old.

Alpine County Office of Education  (530) 694-2230
Provides special education services for children 3-22 years old.

Warmeline Parent Resource Center  (844) 455-9517
Provides resources, support, training and consultation to families of children with special needs birth to age 26.

California Children’s Services  (530) 694-2146
A state program which helps children up to 21 years old with certain diseases or health problems receive the health care and services they need.

Shriners Hospital for Children  (800) 237-5055
Providing medical care for children in orthopedics, burn care, spinal cord injury, cleft lip & cleft palate, regardless of the family’s ability to pay.

In-Home Supportive Services  (530) 694-2235
The IHSS Program will help pay for services provided to you so that you can remain safely in your own home. Disabled children are also potentially eligible.

Disability Rights California  (916) 504-5800
Advocacy, education, investigation and litigation to advance and protect the rights of Californians with disabilities.

State Department of Rehabilitation  (530) 541-3226
Assists Californians with disabilities to obtain and retain employment and maximize their equality and ability to live independently in their communities.

Special Needs for Disasters/Evacuations  (530) 694-2146
Contact for a form to complete prior to a disaster or evacuation to ensure those special needs are recognized for support during a disaster/evacuation.
WHAT MAKES YOUR FAMILY STRONG?

Research shows if your family has these 5 PROTECTIVE FACTORS you are more likely to weather the storms and stay strong.

PARENTAL RESILIENCE Exercise flexibility and inner strength to help you bounce back from challenges. Resilience makes your family strong.

SOCIAL CONNECTIONS Connecting with friends builds a support system and makes your family strong.

KNOWLEDGE OF PARENTING & CHILD DEVELOPMENT Being a parent is part natural & part learned. Parent education makes your family strong.

CONCRETE SUPPORTS IN TIMES OF NEED Ask for help. Meeting your needs through community support & resources makes your family strong.

SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL COMPETENCE OF CHILDREN Give your child words to express how they feel. Teaching your child to effectively communicate & interact builds positive relationships and makes your family strong.

Strengthening Families: A Protective Factors Framework