Medical and Social Service Organizations for Low Income/Uninsured People

State Resources:

ALL KIDS/Illinois Dept. of Healthcare and Family Services

This includes Medicaid, Illinois Cares RX. Health benefits for workers with disabilities.

1-866-All-KIDS (1-866-255-5437)

1-800-447-4278

Township General Assistance

1-847-259-7730

Department Of Public Aid

1-800-843-6134

Illinois Comprehensive Health Insurance Plan

Health Insurance options for high-risk individuals and persons who have exhausted their COBRA coverage.

1-866-851-2751

Illinois Depart. of Human Services

Includes LINK cards, All Kids, SNAP and Early Intervention Program.

1-800-843-6154

Illinois Healthy Women

Medicaid (also see Illinois Dept. of Healthcare and Family Services)

1-800-226-0768

County Resources:

Access DuPage

Provides access to medical services to those people in DuPage County, who lack healthcare access because of economic reasons.

511 Thornhill Dr. Suite E.

Carol Stream, IL

630-510-8720

Lake County Health Depart.

847-377-8000

Also, check your township offices. Many of them offer assistance.

Private/Non-Profit Assistance:

Access at Northwest Community

Serves low-income residents of Arlington Heights and surrounding communities. Other locations, see website.

1-847-342-1554

Access to Care: Suburban Primary Health Care Council.

Health care program serving low- income uninsured individuals in suburban Cook County, Illinois and in Northwest Chicago.

708-531-0680

The Ark

6450 N. California Ave., Chicago, IL 60645 1-773-973-1000

Asian Human Services Family Health Center

2424 W. Peterson, Chicago, IL 60659 1-773-761-0300

Midwest Asian American Center

2540 W. Devon Ave, 2nd floor Chicago, IL 60659 1-773-262-8650

Catholic Charities -Northwest

1717 Rand Rd Des Plaines, IL 60016 1-847-376-2118

Community Action Agencies (CAA)

Emergency assistance for medical and other services. 1-217-789-0125

Community Health Clinic

2611 W. Chicago Ave., Chicago, IL 60622 Patient Services: 1-773-395-9900

Erie Family Healthcare Center

1701 W. Superior Chicago, Illinois 60622 1-312-666-3494

Gilead Center

For persons who need access to basic healthcare. 222 S. Riverside Plaza Chicago, IL 60606 1-312- 906-6021

The Hamdard Center

Multilingual, Multi-cultural Social & Health Service Agency. 1542 W. Devon Ave. Chicago, IL 60660 1-773-465-4600

Heartland International Health Center

Providing Pediatric Care 3048 N Wilton Ave, 2nd floor Chicago, IL 60657 1-773-296-7580

Heartland Health Centers:

Heartland Health Center-Wilson 845 West Wilson Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60640 Phone: 1-773-506-4283

Heartland Pediatric Center-Lakeview 3048 North Wilton Avenue, 2nd floor Chicago, Illinois 60657 Phone: 1-773-296-7580

Heartland Health Center-Rogers Park 2200 West Touhy Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60645 Phone: 1-773-751-1875

Heartland Health Center-Devon 1300 West Devon Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60660 Phone: 1-773-751-7850

Heartland Health Center-Lincoln Square 2645 West Lawrence Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60625 Phone: 1-773-275-1680

Heartland Health Center- Senn High School 5900 North Glenwood Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60660 Phone: 1-773-751-1860

Heartland Health Center- Hibbard 4930 North Sawyer Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60625 Phone: 1-773-336-6100

Dental Assistance:

Chicago Dental Society

1-312-836-7300

Free and sliding scale dental clinics.

Includes Lake, DuPage and suburban Cook counties. Services for elderly, homebound and patients' w/HIV or Aids.

National Foundation of Dentistry for the Handicapped.

Free dental care from participating dentists.

1-888-471-6334

County Care: 1-312-864-8200 or toll free 1-855-444-1661

Access to Care: 708-531-0680

Vision Assistance:

Vision of Hope Health Alliance

Provides eye care to uninsured, low-income adults. People who qualify for the VOHHA program receive complete vision care with no out-of-pocket expense.

Illinois Eye Institute 3241 S Michigan Ave Chicago, IL 60616 1-312-949-7234

Pharmacy Assistance:

Meijer Pharmacy

Offers selected antibiotics (14 day supply at normal dosages) free with doctor's prescription regardless of insurance or co-pay. They also offer selected free prenatal vitamins.

Illinois Drug Programs

1-800-624-2459

Links to IllinoisRx drug – no senior left behind.

NeedyMeds.com

Assistance for those who can't afford their medicines.

1-800-503-6897

Walmart Pharmacy

\$4 Generic for 30 day program is available to everyone, no membership required