Turlock Community Collaborative

2018 Community Services & Member Directory
Introduction

The Turlock Community Collaborative (TCC) is a group of local nonprofit organizations, government agencies, businesses, and citizens who have joined together to try and find solutions to the issues that impact our community.

Since it was founded in 2002, the Collaborative has found ways to help the Turlock community and provide information and support to the wonderful non-profit agencies that are included in this directory. We thank the civic minded individuals who had the vision to begin the Collaborative, and we work to continue their dedication to making our community the best it can be. Since its inception, the TCC has broadened its scope to focus on the following issues: health and safety; economic development; education; and family, youth, and seniors. Within these three main foci, the TCC has tackled issues which have a significant impact on the community and has completed amazing projects that help some of Turlock’s most vulnerable residents. Through several initiatives, such as the creation of a homeless shelter, Turlock Alternative Gangs Committee (TAG), a Family Resource Center being developed in Turlock, and other projects, the Collaborative has become the information center for local non-profits, government agencies, and local citizens.

This directory is intended to catalog the member organizations that serve the Turlock community. Those needing references for our citizens in need can easily obtain accurate information. Those interested in volunteering or supporting local Turlock non-profits may also find this directory helpful. This is the first edition of this directory and we hope that it grows and becomes a resource for the Turlock community.
This directory was created, written and compiled by Dr. Nancy Hudspeth and her dedicated students at California State University, Stanislaus with assistance from the Office of Service Learning.

The Turlock Community Collaborative dedicates this edition to these amazing students and faculty. By their efforts, we are confident that this next generation will chart the course to ensure that Turlock remains the heart of Stanislaus County.

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Services Provided:
Dialing 2-1-1 connects callers with a trained call specialist that can help them navigate the thousands of health and human services available in Stanislaus County. Services include assistance with child care, food, housing, income, crisis services, transportation, health care, mental health, substance abuse and more. Programs and services are available for all age groups including children, youth, and seniors. Call Specialists will assess callers need and find the programs that best fit their needs and circumstances.

Stanislaus County 211 also provides incident specific information in coordination with local emergency services in times of disaster, including road closures and shelter information.

Stanislaus County 211 is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week in over 120 languages through phone interpretation services.

Stanislaus County 211 can be accessed by dialing 2-1-1 or 1-877-211-7826 or visiting the website at www.stan211.org.

Stanislaus County 211, a program of United Way of Stanislaus.

Contact Information

Phone
2-1-1 or 1-877-211-7826

Email
ltagholm@uwaystan.org

Website
www.stan211.org
Aspiranet offers a unique breadth and depth of services for children and youth from birth through adulthood. We take a proactive, responsive and forward-thinking approach to the growing needs of the communities we serve. Our services work together so children thrive, families are empowered, and our services work together so children thrive, families, are empowered, and communities are strengthened.

**Services Provided:**

Aspiranet offers a unique blend of services including foster family support, adoption through foster care, services for foster youth transitioning to adulthood, mental health services, residential care, intensive home-based care, and community-based family resources.

**Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:**

Your donation will give children and families the resources they need to thrive, and empower them to succeed at home, school and in their communities. Donate at www.aspiranet.org.

Volunteer opportunities are available at the Turlock Family Resource Center. Please call (209) 668-6118.

**Mission Statement:**

Founded in 1975, Aspiranet is dedicated to offering outstanding services that impact more than 35,000 children, youth and parents annually at 33 community-based sites statewide. Our mission is to provide children, youth and families with a foundation of support and services so they can succeed at home, school and in their communities.
Services Provided:
The Behavioral Health and Recovery Services (BHRS) provides treatment for mental illnesses such as depression, anxiety, and suicidal thoughts. BHRS also provides services and hosts support groups for alcoholics and drug addicts. Additionally, BHRS can be utilized by parents for children with emotional disturbances or diagnosing Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD). Many of their services are covered by Medi-Cal and offer bilingual options (English and Spanish).

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
Volunteers are always welcome and can contact Melissa Ayson at (209) 525-7368 for more information.

Mission Statement:
The Behavioral Health and Recovery Services and its staff of over 500 are committed to providing quality mental healthcare through its partnership with the community and families. The core services of the BHRS are devoted to providing help to those suffering from mental illness and alcohol and drug addiction.
CALIFORNIA RURAL LEGAL ASSISTANCE, INC.
MODESTO, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
CRLA provides free legal services to low-income qualifying individuals that reside in Stanislaus County in the following areas:

- Housing
- Education
- Employment
- Public Benefits
- LGBT Rights
- Agricultural Worker Issues

CRLA also provides community education presentations and outreach. Please contact us for information about our standing workshops or if you are interested in having us attend your next event.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
Contributions and gifts to CRLA are tax-deductible. Donations support the provision of legal services to low-income individuals and their rural communities. You may make a donation online at www.crla.org/donate or please contact us for more information about how you can help.

CRLA accepts volunteers and interns throughout the year. Please contact us if you are interested in learning more about these opportunities.
To expedite the process, please send your resume to Jessica Jewell at jjewell@crla.org.

Our Mission Statement:
To fight for justice and individual rights alongside the most exploited communities of our society.
Services Provided:
Center for Human Services (CHS) strengthens children, families, and individuals by offering them concrete support in times of need, like shelter and food; teaching them new skills, like coping, parenting, and job interviewing; and connecting them to natural systems of support. CHS provides a variety of services that include group and individual mental health and/or drug and alcohol counseling at our clinics and in schools; school-based education, prevention and intervention programs; family resource centers, and two shelters for youth and young adults.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
To donate, visit: www.centerforhumanservices.org/support-us/donate-now.
For volunteer opportunities, visit: www.centerforhumanservices.org/get-involved/volunteer.

Mission Statement:
Our mission is to change lives and build futures through programs that strengthen and support youth and families.
Central Valley Opportunity Center

Winton, California

Services Provided:

We educate local residents in the skills to learn truck driving, cooking, retail, welding and solar panel installation. Many people who take part in our program and classes go on to gain employment and achieve great career success. We also provide scholarships for students seeking a higher education.

Mission Statement:

Our mission is to provide employment, skills training, education, and emergency services to improve the quality of life for farmworkers, migrant workers and the underserved members in our communities.

Contact Information

Merced County
Phone (209) 357-0062
Fax (209) 357-0071
Address
6838 Bridget Ct.
Winton, CA 95388
P.O. Box 1389

Madera County
Phone (559) 662-4574
Address
1930 Howard Rd., Suite 125
Madera, CA 93637

Stanislaus County
Phone (209) 577-3210
Address
1801 H Street, Suite A4
Modesto, CA 95354

Website
www.cvoc.org
CHILDREN’S CRISIS CENTER
OF STANISLAUS COUNTY
MODESTO, TURLOCK, CERES & OAKDALE, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
The Children’s Crisis Center (CCC) of Stanislaus County is a State licensed, private, nonprofit child abuse prevention and intervention programs in Stanislaus County since 1980. CCC is relied upon as a reputable resource to provide protective childcare, emergency shelter and housing supportive services to abused, neglected, high-risk and homeless children from families impacted by chronic substance abuse, mental illness, domestic violence, extreme poverty and housing insecurities.

The Crisis Center provides 24-hour supervised care and shelter to children at risk ages newborn to 17 years, maintaining Infant Care, Day Care and School Age Care licensures.

Five children’s shelters, operating in Modesto, Ceres, Oakdale and Turlock, are open to abused, neglected and high risk children providing an opportunity for children to separate from their parents during critical times of family instability and yielding immediate protection in a secure comfortable environment.

Support services offered to families in crisis through our Respite Childcare Program include the following:

- 24-Hour Crisis Counseling (FamilyLINE)
- Case Management
- Health & Development Assessments
- Foster Child Visitation
- Family Advocacy
- Parent Outreach & Education Opportunities

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
Donations are accepted Monday – Friday (8 am – 5 pm) or by special arrangement. Employment and volunteer applications are available at www.childrenscrisiscenter.com. See side bar for contact information.

Mission Statement:
It is the mission of the Children’s Crisis Center of Stanislaus County to provide child abuse prevention, intervention and shelter services to the abused, neglected and high risk children in Stanislaus County. Our immediate goal is to reach children at risk and intervene with protective childcare and shelter before they are harmed.

Mailing Address
P.O. Box 1062
Modesto, CA 95353

Main Office Phone
(209) 577-0138
Fax: (209) 577-4337

Email
childrenscrisisctr@childrenscrisiscenter.com

Key Contact
24-Hour Crisis Counseling (FamilyLINE)
(209) 577-4413

Scheduling
(all site locations)
(209) 577-4110

Donations
(209) 577-0138

Volunteer/Employment
Heather Jandro, HR
(209) 577-0138
jandroh@childrenscrisiscenter.com

There is no fee for services.
The Children’s Crisis Center routinely collaborates with other professional agencies (such as local law enforcement, social services, courts, and local schools) in coordinating services for families.
COMMUNITY HOUSING AND SHELTER SERVICES
MODESTO, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
Founded in 1981, Community Housing and Shelter Services seeks to combat homelessness by providing motel vouchers for homeless families and helping those in shelter programs transition into permanent rental housing. The agency also provides rental and deposit assistance to low-income households and offers housing counseling services and permanent supportive housing opportunities.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
Community Housing and Shelter Services hosts fundraising events and accepts charitable donations. For more information on donations and volunteer opportunities, visit the website or contact the main office.

Main Office
708 H Street
Modesto, CA 95354

Phone
(209) 527 – 0444

Hours
Monday – Friday
9:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Closed Daily for Lunch from
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM

Website
www.communityhousingands
helterservices.org
COMMUNITY SERVICES AGENCY

SOUTH COUNTY SERVICE CENTER, TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:

- Cal-Fresh
- CalWorks
- Medi-Cal

Volunteer Opportunities:

For volunteer information, please call:
(209) 558-1200

Mission Statement:

Community Services Agency serves our community by protecting children and adults and assisting families towards independence and self-sufficiency.

Contact

Yolanda Bearden

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beardeny@stancounty.com

Phone
(877) 652-0734

Fax Number
(209) 342-5302

Address
1310 West Main Street,
Turlock CA 95380

Hours
Monday - Friday
8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Website
csa-stancounty.com/general-info
CULTIVA LA SALUD
TURLOCK, CERES AND PATTERSON, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
Cultiva La Salud is dedicated to engaging, informing and inspiring residents to actively advance personal, family and community health through healthy lifestyles and civic advocacy. Cultiva La Salud connects people with opportunities to help foster policies, systems and environmental changes that support healthy eating and active living. At the core of Cultiva La Salud’s efforts are the “grassroots community” who are the driving force behind real change. Cultiva La Salud is a program of Sierra Health Foundation.

Over the years, Cultiva La Salud has helped to foster the following community changes:
- Establishing farmers markets and school farm stands
- Establishing healthy retail policies to support better access to healthy foods
- Informing stronger school wellness policies that support healthy menus, water access and physical activity for students
- Increasing physical activity in schools and after-school programs
- Supporting safe routes to school efforts
- Improving park and other community infrastructure such as sidewalks, trails and bike lanes. And, much more…

Program Manager
Lourdes Perez
Phone (559) 498-0870, X131
Email Lourdes@CultivaLaSalud.org
Address 2409 Merced Street
Fresno, CA 93721

Join us! Creating communities that support healthy eating and active living will help everyone stay healthy and live longer. Be part of this movement!

FREE DANCE THERAPY

Know your community. Make new friends. Promote your health and well being. Dance Therapy is open to adults and children ages 9 years and up at NO COST. Minors must be accompanied by an adult. Childcare is NOT provided.

Osborn Elementary
201 N. Soderquist Road
Turlock, CA 95380
beginning Tuesday March 20th, 2018
Every Tuesday and Thursday at 6pm
in Cafeteria

Wakefield Elementary
400 South Avenue
Turlock, CA 95380
beginning Wednesday March 21st, 2018
Every Monday and Wednesday at 6pm
in Cafeteria
DISABILITY RESOURCE AGENCY FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING
MODESTO, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:

- Information & Referral
- Independent Living Skills
- Assistive Technology Services
- Benefits Advising
- Individual & Systems Advocacy
- Housing Supportive Services & Referrals
- ADA Technical Assistance & Evaluations
- Disability Awareness Sensitivity Training
- Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services
- Braille Read-N-Write Classes
- Personal Assistant Referrals
- Peer Advising
- Computers in a Nutshell Classes
- Utility Assistance Programs
- Volunteer Peer Support
- Volunteer Services
- Visually Impaired Equipment

Disability Resource Agency for Independent Living (DRAIL) is a non-profit, community based, consumer controlled, consumer choice, cross disability center for independent living serving the counties of Amador, Calaveras, Mariposa, San Joaquin, Stanislaus and Tuolumne in California. DRAIL is dedicated to working towards the objectives of the disability movement through the provisions of comprehensive services designed to empower and improve the quality of life for persons with disabilities.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:

DRAIL is always looking for donations to support our local community, if you are interested in supporting our agency please contact our office.

Mission Statement:

The Disability Resources Agency for Independent Living (DRAIL) is dedicated to increasing the independence of individuals with disabilities through resources, advocacy and services.
Services Provided:
Fusion Charter is a free public school in partnership with Turlock Unified School District that provides a unique educational opportunity for students who are seeking alternatives due to challenges that make it difficult to progress in a traditional school environment. Fusion serves students in Stanislaus and Merced counties.

Fusion Charter meets student needs through:
- Highly-experienced credentialed teachers
- Personalized learning in a nontraditional independent study program
- Blending traditional classroom and on-line instruction
- Counseling with referral for therapeutic resources
- Work experience opportunities
- 504 Plan and IEP (Individualized Education Plan)
- Fusion Charter welcomes parents and guardians in school decision making

Donations:
When you and your family shop at SaveMart, Lucky or FoodMaxx, a portion of your purchases will go towards Fusion Charter when you give the cashier our school’s phone number, 209-667-9047, at checkout. You can also donate at www.fusioncharter.org.

Mission Statement:
Since 2014, the goal of Fusion Charter is to spark interest in learning with tools for the 21st Century learner. Fusion offers a unique alternate pathway to college and career readiness.
GOLDEN VALLEY HEALTH CENTERS
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
Pediatrics
Women’s Medicine
Dental Care
Optometry
Behavioral Health
Ortho Services (Monday: Monte Vista; Thursday: West Turlock)

Family Medicine
Internal Medicine
Podiatry
Health Education
Chiropractic Services

Payment Information: We accept Medi-Cal, Medicare, Covered California, & most private health insurances. We have a Sliding Fee Discount Program for individuals who do not have insurance or do not have coverage for certain services.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
Donations can be made by mail. Please make checks payable to: Golden Valley Health Centers Foundation, 1200 Scenic, Suite 200 Modesto, CA 95350. For more info or to donate by phone, please call: Golden Valley Health Centers Foundation: 209.342.2424

Mission Statement:
Our mission is to improve the health of our patients by providing quality, primary health care services to people in the communities we serve regardless of language, financial or cultural barriers.

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Community Health Supervisor
Jose L. Chavez Diaz
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jldiaz@gvhc.org

Locations
West Turlock
1200 W. Main St, 1141
Turlock, CA 95380

Turlock
1141 N. Olive Ave.

Monte Vista Prompt Care
2240 W. Monte Vista Ave.

Turlock Pediatrics
1100 Delbon Ave.

To Schedule an Appointment
1 (866) 682-4842

Website
www.gvhc.org
HAVEN WOMEN’S CENTER
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
All Haven service are free and available to all survivors of domestic violence, sexual abuse, and human trafficking regardless of gender identity, immigration status, or sexual orientation. Services include: Peer Counseling, Support Groups, case management, restraining order assistance, housing referrals, youth programs, and more. They also operate an emergency shelter for those that are in immediate danger due to domestic violence.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
Haven accepts charitable donations and encourages those interested in donating to contact the Turlock office to learn more about what items are needed. Haven also has volunteer opportunities, complete with a 65-hour training course. For more information, visit their website at www.havenwcs.org.

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24 Hour Crisis Line
(209) 577 – 5980
HEALTH PLAN OF SAN JOAQUIN

SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY & STANISLAUS COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
Health Plan of San Joaquin (HPSJ) offers a wide array of services including primary care, specialist physicians, health education programs, case management, and a 24/7 nurse advice line. These services are available for San Joaquin and Stanislaus County residents with Medi-Cal coverage. Moreover, HPSJ members enjoy vision benefits through the VSP network and dental benefits through Denti-Cal. HPSJ can also help facilitate Medi-Cal members in finding a doctor to address their specific needs.

Mission Statement:
We provide healthcare value and advance wellness through community partnerships.

Health Plan of San Joaquin is a non-profit public health plan which provides much needed healthcare services to nearly 350,000 residents of both San Joaquin and Stanislaus counties. Established two decades ago, HPSJ is now responsible for distributing around $1 billion dollars of public health care funds every year. HPSJ and its staff of over 300 employees are dedicated to providing accessible and efficient healthcare for individuals and families.
INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
The IRC offers the following services and programs for refugees and Special Immigrant Visa holders:
- Finding and furnishing housing
- Help with rent and health care
- English language classes with a vocational emphasis
- Help building employment and financial literacy skills
- Assistance with school enrollment
- Connection to social services and community support
- Assistance with obtaining residency and citizenship

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
The IRC accepts in-kind donations of furniture, bicycles, computers, and various household items. Additional donations can be made on the IRC in Northern California website at https://help.rescue.org/donate/us-northern-california-ca

Volunteer opportunities include:
- ESL tutors and teachers
- Immigration program support
- Employment services support
- Casework support
- Internships

Mission Statement:
The IRC helps people whose lives and livelihoods are shattered by conflict and disaster to survive, recover and regain control of their future. The IRC in Turlock/Modesto helps refugees attain self-sufficiency as they begin new lives in the Central Valley.

Contact
Site Manager
Jim Stokes
Email
jim.stokes@rescue.org

IRC Turlock Office
Address
2925 Niagra St., Suite 6
Turlock, CA 95382
Phone
(209) 667-2378
Fax
(209) 667-9713

IRC Modesto Office
Address
1209 Woodrow Ave,
Suite C4
Modesto, CA 95350
Phone
(209) 238-3011
Fax
(209) 238-9798
Website
www.rescue.org/turlock
MOVE
MODESTO, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
Founded in 2010, MOVE is a non-profit organization dedicated to connecting the residents of Stanislaus County with transportation options to access their community. MOVE has several distinct programs: Travel training is a free service available to Stanislaus County residents who would like to learn how to ride public transit; 
Bridges is a volunteer driver program that provides mileage reimbursement to individuals who are unable to drive or use public transit; 
VetsVan is a free program available to homebound Veterans which provides rides to medical appointments; and the 
Stanislaus Eligibility Center provides one simplified eligibility process for ADA paratransit services in Stanislaus County for MADAR, DART, CAT and StaRT.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
Though MOVE is funded mainly through grants and federal funding, they do have volunteer opportunities for those interested in assisting mobility challenged residents. For more information, visit the website or contact the main office.

Mission Statement:
MOVE is a nonprofit organization dedicated to connecting the residents of Stanislaus County with transportation options to access the community.

Main Office
3500 Coffee Road, Suite 19
Modesto, CA  95355
Main Line
(209) 522 – 2300

Eligibility Center
(209) 232 – 5092
Fax
(209) 593 – 0803
Email
info@movestanislaus.org

Hours
Monday – Friday
8:00 AM – 4:30 PM

Website
www.movestanislaus.org
Services Provided:
Project Sentinel assists renters as well as current and prospective home buyers by providing education about fair housing rights, investigating claims of housing discrimination, and in some cases pursuing action to enforce fair housing laws. In addition, Project Sentinel also offers HUD-certified mortgage counseling and home buyer education for first time buyers.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
Project Sentinel accepts charitable donations and has opportunities available for those interested in becoming fair housing testers. Those interested in donating or volunteering should visit the website or contact the main office at (408) 720-9888.

Mission Statement:
Providing Housing Solutions and Community Mediation since 1976.
THE SALVATION ARMY  
TURLOCK CORPS  
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
Social Services include:
Emergency food baskets, REACH Utility Assistance (PG&E), Senior Meal Program, TID Utility Assistance, Commodities (3rd Wed.), and VITA Tax Clinics with Stanislaus State (Feb & March).

Family Services include:
The Adventure Corps, ASK (Afterschool Program), Senior Social Activities, Sunbeams/ Girl Guards, Summer DAY Camp, and Recreation.

Spiritual Services include:
Sunday School, Worship Service, Bible Study, Community Care, Men’s Ministry, Vacation Bible School, Women’s Ministry, Teen Night, and Jr. Teen Night.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
We accept monetary, canned and packaged food and program donations for children and senior adults. Volunteer Opportunities include the following:

- Bell Ringing (Christmas Season)
- Breakfast feed
- Community Service

If volunteers wish to provide 10 or more hours of service with us (except for Bell Ringing), a Volunteer Packet will need to be completed.

Mission Statement:
The Salvation Army, an international movement, is an evangelical part of the Universal Christian Church. Its message is based on the Bible. Its ministry is motivated by the love of God. Its mission is to preach the gospel of Jesus Christ and to meet human needs in His name without discrimination.

Contact
Major Debi Shrum
Email
debi.shrum@usw.salvation.org
Phone
(209) 661-6091
Address
893 Lander Avenue
Turlock, CA 95380
Website
turlock.salvationarmy.org
SIERRA VISTA CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:

ADHD Services: Sierra Vista has developed a specialized program to provide intervention and support to children coping with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD). The ADHD Clinic emphasizes a treatment model that addresses the multiple difficulties faced by children and families affected by this disorder. Successful treatment of ADHD requires a multi-modal approach to address social, academic and emotional difficulties. Most importantly, we provide support and understanding of the challenges facing children and families affected by ADHD. Services are designed to promote the child’s success in the home, school, and community.

Children's Outpatient Counseling: This program provides mental health services to families with children ages 6-21 experiencing emotional and behavioral difficulties. Services include assessment and evaluation, individual, group and family counseling, school consultation and advocacy; parent education groups, children’s social skills groups and medication services when needed.

Early Intervention: The Early Intervention Program provides comprehensive child and family counseling services to families with children from birth through five years of age. The primary goal of the services offered through the Early Intervention Program is to provide early identification and intervention to the child and family in order to prevent more serious problems later in the child’s life.

Domestic Violence Counseling: Domestic Violence counseling is designed to help participants understand violence, abuse, and the function of abuse in relationships. It promotes responsibility for behaviors and helps participants make positive changes in their lives.

Sierra Vista Child & Family Services Mission, Vision, and Values

Mission Statement:
We strengthen families and communities by transforming lives!

Vision: A Commitment to Caring!

Values: Our values are fundamental to our mission. They are the foundation of our agency, and shape the culture and define the character of our organization. Excellence, Professionalism, Integrity, Collaboration, Dedication
ST. FRANCIS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
St. Francis Episcopal Church prides itself on being inclusive to all members of the community who wish to have a positive impact on the world. St. Francis is dedicated to making a positive difference in the community by participating in several community-based initiatives and partnering with other organizations to create beneficial change for everyone.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
St. Francis Episcopal Church is partnered with several organizations and runs clothing and resource drives to help community members in need. For more information, visit the church’s website or contact them directly.

Mission and Vision:
St. Francis Episcopal Church offers a Christian community of compassion and inclusive acceptance, a commitment to helping everyone grow in their spiritual journey, a hunger for justice and peace in the world, and a heritage deeply rooted in our traditions of worship, scripture, and prayer.
Services Provided:

Stanislaus County Behavioral Health and Recovery Services (BHRS) is devoted to providing integrated mental health services to adults with a serious mental illness or to children and youth with a serious mental disturbance. BHRS also provides outpatient and residential alcohol and drug treatment and prevention services.

To help with the navigation of services, we have family advocates, and patient rights advocates, as well as family support programs.

Services provided are culturally and linguistically appropriate.

Mission Statement:

In partnership with its community, BHRS’s mission is to provide and manage effective prevention and behavioral health services that promote the community’s capacity to achieve wellness, resilience, and recovery outcomes.

For additional service information and contacts, please visit our website at: www.stancounty.com/bhrs
Services Provided:
The Stanislaus County Mediation Center Assists Renters, Landlords, Property Management, and Owners on their rights and responsibilities in Landlord – Tenant cases. Mediation is a voluntary process in which an impartial mediator holds a confidential meeting with the parties to give them the opportunity to resolve their issue. The Stanislaus County Mediation Center also offers mediation services for parties involved in housing disputes.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
The Stanislaus County Mediation Center accepts charitable donations and has opportunities available for those interested in becoming volunteer mediators. Those interested in donating should visit the website or contact the main office. Individuals interested in volunteering can find applications online.

Mission Statement:
Providing Housing Solutions and Community Mediation since 1976.
STANISLAUS COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION
MODESTO, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
For the Community: Yearly Annual Report, Principal Arts Leadership Award, Stanislaus County Office of Education (SCOE) Career Training
For Students & Families: WeDO Robotics 2.0 Day Camp, Manzi - The Adventures of Young Cesar Chavez

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
For a list of all SCOE Events, please visit the Event Website: https://www.stancoe.org/events

Mission Statement:
The Stanislaus County Office of Education partners with local schools and the community to support quality education for more than 105,000 students in Stanislaus County and several thousand more in regional programs throughout the state. The office employs approximately 1,050 and manages a $250 million budget.

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Services Provided:

Josie’s Telecare Recovery Access Center (TRAC)
Josie’s TRAC is a Full Service Partnership (FSP) which exists to provide culturally competent mental health services to transitional age youth ages 18-25 with serious mental illness living in a community setting. The team provides the support our members need to successfully achieve their own personal recovery goals. Josie’s TRAC provides a continuity of care and a menu of treatment options utilizing the Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) model.

Telecare Recovery Access Center
The Telecare Recovery Access Center (TRAC) exists to provide culturally competent mental health services to adults 18 years and up with serious mental illness in a community setting. The team provides the support our members need to successfully achieve their own personal recovery goals. The Telecare Westside SHOP program exists to provide culturally competent mental health services to adults ages 18 and above with serious mental illness and a history of homelessness. The team provides the support our members need to successfully achieve their own personal recovery goals, as well as creating an individualized housing plan.

Telecare Modesto Recovery Service (TMRS)
The TMRS program provides a multidisciplinary team approach to ensure adequacy and efficiency of services. The team is comprised of a psychiatrist, nurse, Master’s prepared clinician, and personal service coordinators/case managers with experience in substance abuse recovery, housing, employment, and mental health support. Some staff may be mental health consumers in recovery themselves. The team works in partnership with each other as well as other agencies and service providers in the area to assist members with linkage to community resources. Our members receive group and individual support and Individualized recovery planning.

Outreach & Engagement
The Outreach and Engagement (O&E) teams work in partnership with each other as well as other agencies and service providers in the area to link individuals to services that promote wellbeing. Each team has staff members who are fluent in both English and Spanish.

O&E 1 (Urban Access): The O&E Team works with individuals living in the urban areas of Stanislaus County to link them with appropriate community resources. Latino Access: The Latino Access program provides community access and supports, as well as, assessment and brief counseling interventions. They use outreach and engagement strategies to serve the Spanish speaking community. This program expansion was approved by MHSA stakeholders in 2014.

O&E 3 (Rural Access): The O&E Rural Access & Assessment Team provides brief counseling intervention & engagement services that actively seek out, engage, assess, and refer individuals with serious mental illness to appropriate service providers and community supports within Stanislaus County.

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www.telecarecorp.com/stanislaus-csu
TURLOCK ADULT SCHOOL SERVICES
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:

ESL, High School Diploma/Equivalency, Career Technical Education, as well as services for enrollment, homeless, foster youth, etc.

Turlock Adult School provides courses in literacy, English as a Second Language (ESL) and High School Diploma or Equivalency (HSE) preparation in both English and Spanish.

Other program offerings include Career Technical Education (CTE) and other vocational skills, citizenship, and community education (personal interest classes for adults).

Mission Statement:

The mission of Turlock Adult School, a unique and diverse learning community, is to support students in developing real-world abilities and meeting individual goals in a safe and responsive environment.

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Linda Alaniz
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Turlock Adult School Office
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(209) 667-0643
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(209) 667-0695
Address
574 E Canal Dr, Turlock, CA 95380
Website
TAS.Turlock.k12.ca.us
Services Provided:
Counseling, emotional support and/or spiritual assistance to anyone in our community who needs immediate help because of a crisis or traumatic incident.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
We gladly accept donations and we are a 501C(3) organization which enables donors to claim income tax deductions for contributions. Donations can be sent through mail, or through our website using AmazonSmile or PayPal.

Mission Statement:
The chaplains openly provide emotional and spiritual support to Turlock’s first responders and anyone in the community that has been affected by a traumatic experience. We can be called upon 24/7. Our services are free; our expenses are paid for by donations.

Contact Information

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668-5550 (Ext 6644)

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Turlock, CA 95381

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and
https://ci.turlock.ca.us/policedepartment/aboutus/chaplains.asp
TURLOCK GOSPEL MISSION
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:

- For Day Center: Case Management
- Cooling and Warming Shelter
- Meal Services
- Women’s and Children Emergency Overnight Shelter
- Women’s Restoration Program (Starting Fall 2018)
- Senior Meals (for those 60 or more years old: Monday – Friday, 12pm – 1pm)
- Community Service and Diversion Services Opportunities
- Assistance with pet food and veterinarian services
- TGM provides a safe environment during the day…a positive alternative to the parks.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:

Volunteer opportunities are available on the Turlock Gospel Mission website. Fill out the form there and email it to ally@turlockgospelmission.org or fax it to 209-656-1403

About Turlock Gospel Mission:

Incorporated in 2007, Turlock Gospel Mission officially began serving meals in 2008 and exists to work towards the end of homelessness through the restoration of relationships with God, family and the community. 365 days a year those in need can find hot meals, an encouraging word, and a caring staff who are eager to love and care for them. Turlock Gospel Mission offers three meals a day, emergency shelter, a Restoration Program, and our regions only Day Shelter offering a multitude of services including case management, transportation, and shelter from inclement weather. Turlock Gospel Mission is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization. Our tax identification number is 20-8660068 for your records.
TURLOCK EARLY EDUCATION PROGRAMS
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:

- Head Start – Part Day Program (3.5 hours)
- Head Start – Extended Day Program (6 hours)
- State Preschool – Part Day Program (3 hours)
- All children 3 – 5 years of age with documented special needs are encouraged to apply
- Turlock Unified School District does not provide transportation services for Head Start or State Preschool

Volunteer Opportunities:

Volunteer applications and instructions for immunization requirements are available upon request.

Mission Statement:

The mission of the Turlock Unified School District Head Start Program is to provide a safe, healthy, culturally and developmentally appropriate program in partnership with the parent/guardian, school and community, which celebrate each child’s uniqueness. Turlock Head Start assists with linguistic, social emotional, cognitive, and physical developments, and encourages parents and families to take an active role as the child’s primary teacher, advocate and informer in the lifelong journey for the love of learning.

Turlock Unified School District
Early Education Programs Office

Phone
(209) 632-2857

Address
Wakefield Elementary
400 South Avenue,
Room H5
Turlock, CA 95380

Website
www.turlockusd-ca.schoolloop.com/headstart
CITY OF TURLOCK
HOUSING PROGRAMS
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:

First Time Homebuyers
We can help first time homebuyers purchase a home with down payment assistance.

Housing Rehabilitation
We can help home owners and investors preserve and upgrade their home(s) with a low interest loan.

Foreclosure Resources
Information and resources if you are considering foreclosure.

Community Resources
Information about housing, and food and shelter, senior services, consumer resources and information, and disasters and preparedness.

Public Service Grants
We provide annual funding to non-profit organizations to benefit low to moderate income persons in Turlock.

Mission Statement:
The Housing Program Services Division is responsible for creating and preserving affordable housing in the community. Turlock’s commitment to affordable housing is a cornerstone of the community and city. The City’s affordable housing programs provide creative and innovative ways for residents to purchase homes.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Housing Program Services Division

Email
hps@turlock.ca.us

Phone
(209) 668 5610

Fax
(209) 668-5120

Hours
Monday - Friday,
8AM – 5PM

Address
Housing Program Services Division
156 S. Broadway,
Suite 140
Turlock, CA 95380-5454

Website
http://ci.turlock.ca.us/housingprograms/index
TURLOCK PARKS AND RECREATION
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:
Classes in dance, self-defense and life skills. Hosting and establishing youth sporting events. Description of all the parks and public buildings in Turlock.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
Job offerings and volunteer opportunities are listed on our website.

Mission Statement:
The Parks and Recreation division goal is to provide the citizens of Turlock with opportunities participate with physical activities and to provide them with information with events, parks and buildings for recreational use.

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recreation@turlock.ca.us
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144 S Broadway
Turlock, CA 95380
Websites
https://ci.turlock.ca.us/recreation
And
https://ci.turlock.ca.us/parksfieldsbuildings/index.asp
TURLOCK POLICE DEPARTMENT
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:

Community Academy - Is designed to provide information and resources, mutual learning, critical analysis of issues, and an exchange of ideas and perspectives. Topics include Organization of the Police Department, Crime Scene procedures, Crime Prevention, Police Patrol procedures and many more.

Rape Aggression Defense Course [RAD] - Is a program of realistic, self-defense tactics and techniques. It is a comprehensive course (for women over the age of 15 years) that begins with awareness, prevention, risk reduction, and avoidance, while progressing on to the basics of hands-on defense training.

Youth Academy – For youth between the ages of 14 – 17 years old and is designed to provide basic knowledge of Law Enforcement, teach Community Engagement and Crime Prevention, and recruitment for the Turlock Police Explorer Program.

National Night Out - Is a community, police awareness raising event in the United States, held the first Tuesday of August.

Turlock Watch Programs Include an organized group of Community members devoted to crime and vandalism prevention within a neighborhood or business. Programs include Neighborhood Watch, School Watch, and Business Watch.

Operation Blue Santa - The mission of the Turlock Police Operation Blue Santa is to provide toys and other donated items for families in need during the Holiday Season, while providing holiday safety and Crime Prevention tips to all.

Volunteers in Police Services – Is a program for citizens who wish to volunteer their time and skills with a community law enforcement agency.

Police Explorers - The Turlock Police Department Explorer Program is an invaluable experience for young adults, ages 14 - 21 years old, who are interested in law enforcement.

Contact Information
For contact information on crime prevention, class schedules and programs offered by the Turlock Police Department:

Michelle Balacek
Phone (209) 656-3153
Email mbackeroff@turlock.ca.us

For contact information on the Police Explorer or Volunteers in Police Services programs:

Sergeant Dave Shaw
Phone (209) 668-5550, ext. 6638
Email dshaw@turlock.ca.us

TPD Tip Line
(209) 668-5550 ext. 6780

Crime Stoppers
(209) 521-4636

Non-Emergency Dispatch
(209) 668-1200

Turlock Police Department
244 N. Broadway
Turlock, CA 95380
Services Provided:
The Stanislaus County Library provides books, books on CD, magazines, newspapers, digital movies, music, TV, and magazines, downloadable audiobooks, premium content databases, a mobile app, and language learning software.

The library also offers a robust line-up of programs and presentations that enhance learning at all levels.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
Because of the large amount of labor required to evaluate older materials, the library accepts gifts of books with the intent of only keeping fiction in excellent condition and nonfiction in excellent condition that is not more than two years old. The Gift-A-Book program will allow you to purchase a book in honor of a special person, event or memory.

Volunteer needs vary. Volunteers for the Home Delivery Service (delivery of library materials to homebound residents), volunteer tutors for the adult literacy program (Learning Quest), and volunteer computer instructors are typically needed.

Current volunteer positions are listed on our website.

Mission Statement:
Stanislaus County Library engages all members of the community and offers access to information, knowledge, and the tools for innovation and personal development.
Services Provided:
The Turlock Unified School District is located in the heart of the Central Valley in Turlock, CA, and was established over a hundred years ago in 1906. With 14,000+ students in TUSD and nearly 1,500 staff, our strength is in our diverse, neighborhood schools. Each school engages our learners in variety of unique and innovative ways including Two-Way Immersion Academies, Career Technical Education, NJROTC, Advanced Placement, GATE, music, STEM/STEAM, and much more. We look forward to sharing our unique TUSD story with you and encourage you to explore our website and follow us on social media.

Mission Statement:
The mission of the Turlock Unified School District, a premier progressive educational system, is to ensure all students graduate as self-motivated, responsible citizens equipped to compete successfully in an ever-changing global society by delivering effective instruction that engages all students to reach their individual potential and highest achievements within a safe and caring student-centered environment in partnership with our families and diverse community.
Life without limits for people with disabilities.

We are more than our name UCP is one of the nation’s leading organizations advocating for the more than 54 million Americans with disabilities. Today more than 65% of children and adults served by UCP have disabilities other than cerebral palsy.

Services Provided:
Adult Day Program Services (Modesto & Turlock)

_Expanding Horizons_ is a community integration learning program focused on promoting independence, becoming a self-advocate and pre-employment skills. This program helps participants become active community members by being in the community daily for outings, volunteering and socializing with community members. Skill building includes: Safety, mobility training, self and community advocacy, soft employment skills, self-sufficiency, and use of community resources.

_Focal Point & Central Connections_ are both center based day programs that serve those who have higher care needs. The participants also work on skill building, self-advocacy and independent living skills while in program daily.

Donations and Volunteer Opportunities:
For _volunteer information_ contact the Executive Director at 209 - 577 - 2122 ext. 117

_UCP Employment Services_ serves those with disabilities who have a desire and capability to work. UCP offers Job Training to individuals identifying the need to improve their skills in a particular employment field. Training may take place in a group work crew setting or through individual placement.

Mission Statement:
United Cerebral Palsy of Stanislaus and Tuolumne Counties is a non-profit organization advancing the independence, productivity and full citizenship of persons with cerebral palsy and other disabilities.
UNITED SAMARITANS FOUNDATION
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:

- **The Daily Bread Mobile Lunch Trucks** serve 9 communities within Stanislaus County at 48 stops in Turlock, Modesto, Hughson, Empire, Waterford, Hickman, Denair Keyes and Ceres. We serve lunches 5 days a week and on Fridays we do pass out grocery bags of food if available. Each week we have an outreach member that follows the trucks and assists anyone who has questions or needs help in their lives.

- **Emergency Food Boxes** are available in Turlock on the last Tuesday and Friday of each month between 9:00 am and 12:00 noon. Those that are “housed” receive one regular box every other month and a special box on the opposite months. The Homeless are given a homeless food box every month. In Hughson, the Emergency Food Box is on the fourth Monday and Thursday of each month same rules apply. Participants must qualify to receive a food box from each site.

- **Homeless Resource Center** is available at our Turlock Site only and is a drop-in breakfast center, laundry and shower facility. The homeless can have use of a phone and use the site as a mailing address to aid in connectivity and job searches.

- **Our Clothes Closet** is available to those who are in need. There is no charge at any time for the clothing. It is limited to once a month if you are housed and once a week if you are homeless. We try to meet all clothing needs from our wonderful donations.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:
Contact: Beverly Hatcher, Executive Director.

Mission Statement:
United Samaritans Foundation’s mission is to deliver food to people in need in Stanislaus County, and to facilitate the provision of services to assist them in a transition to a better quality of life.

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Beverly Hatcher

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Turlock, CA, 95380

Hours
Monday – Friday
8:00am – 4:30pm

For more information please visit our website at
unitedsamaritans.org
VETERANS ADVISORY COMMISSION
STANISLAUS COUNTY

Services Provided:
- Job and Employment Service opportunities
- Advocacy for veterans
- Help veterans with access to transportation
- Increase awareness about services and programs available to veterans

Mission Statement:
The Commission represents all veterans in Stanislaus County by advising the Board of Supervisors and County staff generally on matters pertaining to veterans, holds informal public meetings, provides the public with information, and receives comments relative to veterans’ issues.

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Modesto, CA 95354
Website
www.veteranservices.info
WE CARE PROGRAM
TURLOCK, CALIFORNIA

Services Provided:

Emergency Shelter – 49 bed shelter for males over the age of 18.

Rapid Rehousing (Transitional Housing) for individuals, couples, and families experiencing homelessness.

Homeless Prevention for individuals, couples, and families who have experienced a hardship and have received an eviction notice.

Permanent Housing for chronically homeless persons (homeless more than 12 months) and disabled.

Affordable Housing program (4 two-bedroom apartments) for families 60% or under the area median income.

Donations & Volunteer Opportunities:

Call (209) 664-2003 or email info@wecareturlock.org

Mission Statement:

The We Care Program’s mission is to provide transitional and emergency shelter, day center resources, and support services in collaboration with other agencies to assist homeless individuals in becoming self-sufficient.

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We Care Program - Turlock
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Turlock, CA 95380

Office Address
211 Broadway
Turlock, CA 95380

Mailing Address
P.O. Box 1291
Turlock, CA 95381

Website
www.wecareturlock.org

Facebook
www.facebook.com/We-Care-Program-Turlock-166839526764244/
The Turlock Community Collaborative meets every 3rd Tuesday of each month (except in August and December).

The Collaborative meetings are held in the Yosemite Room at the Turlock City Hall from 1:30pm to 3:00pm.

Turlock Collaborative Meetings welcome members of the community to attend.

The Turlock Community Collaborative 2018 Community Services Directory is supported by

The City of Turlock – Housing Division and
Stanislaus State - Office of Service Learning