

EMERGENCY RESOURCE LOCATOR

FOR RESIDENTS OF ESSEX

EMERGENCY9-1-1

TOWN OF ESSEX RESOURCES AND INFORMATION

Main Information Number 978-768-6200
Essex Police Department..... 978-768-6511
Essex Fire Department 978-768-6511
City of Essex Health Department (M-TH 7:30-3:30) 978-768-7614
Veterans' Agent 978-356-3915
Massachusetts Department of Transitional Assistance 877-382-2363
Food stamps, SSI, EAEDC, Emergency Family Shelter

NEED HOUSING OR SHELTER ASSISTANCE?

Essex Housing Authority 978-768-6821
Housing, Rental Assistance
SeniorCare Inc..... 978-281-1750
Homeless Advocacy
Action, Inc. Emergency Shelter 978-282-1000
Homeless shelter and advocacy
SeniorCare Pawsitive Connections 978-281-1750
Age 60+ emergency assistance for pets

NEED FOOD ASSISTANCE?

The Open Door Cape Ann Food Pantry (M-F 9:30-7) 978-283-6776
Community meals, food pantry, mobile market
Brown bag program, Food stamp assistance
Buck a Bag program
SeniorCare Meals on Wheels and Luncheon Site 978-281-1750
Lunch at Essex COA, first and third Thursday of the month
Women, Infant & Children (WIC) Nutrition Program 978-281-4540
Healthy food for women and children who qualify

NEED PRESCRIPTION DRUG OR INSURANCE ASSISTANCE?

- Gloucester Family Health Center (M-F 8:30-5)..... 978-282-8899
Assistance with MassHealth Applications, multiple languages
- Addison Gilbert Hospital 978-283-4000
*Assistance with MassHealth applications, SHINE
Prescription drug coverage, multiple languages*
- NeedyMeds..... 800-503-6897
..... email: info@needymeds.org
..... website: www.needymed.org

NEED FUEL ASSISTANCE, WEATHERIZATION, OR HELP WITH UTILITIES?

- Action, Inc. (M-F 9-4:30) 978-283-2131

NEED ELDER SERVICES OR INFORMATION?

- Essex Council on Aging (M-F 9-noon) 978-768-7932
Transportation, I&R, housing options, and more
- SeniorCare Inc..... 978-281-1750
Elder services, information, solutions

TO REPORT ELDER ABUSE:

- SeniorCare Inc. Protective Services (M-F 9-5) (toll free)..... 978-281-1750
- Elder Abuse Hotline (after hours, holidays or weekends) 800-922-2275

NEED ACCESS TO RESOURCES NOT LISTED HERE?

*If you are a caregiver trying to locate services for a loved one, **MassOptions** can help. Our specialists give you fast, personalized attention. All you need to do is tell them about yourself or what you need to live independently.*

- Contact Mass Options..... 844-422-6277**
..... **www.MassOptions.org**

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