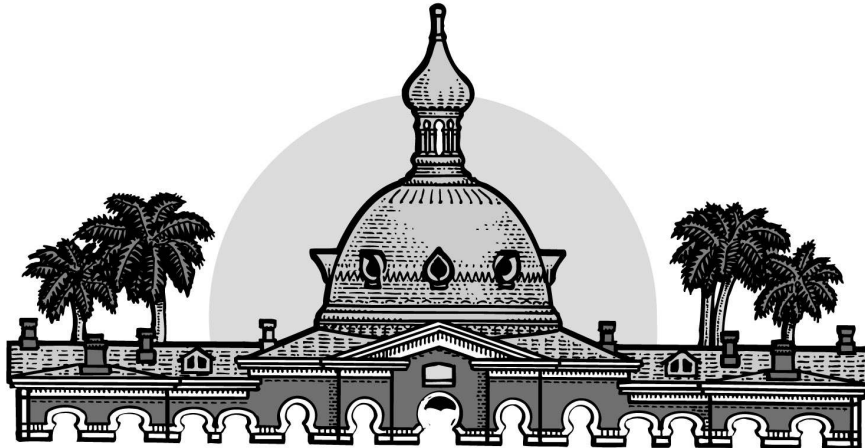


Quick Guide To Community Resources



Hillsborough County Florida

Citizen Action Center
272-5900

Citizen Action Center provides information and referrals for government and community services. CAC works with citizen's request or complaints for county services to ensure accurate and timely responses. Afterhours assistance also includes emergency water, wastewater, stormwater and solid waste services.

Visit us on the county website at
www.hillsboroughcounty.org

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY INFOLINE

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ABUSE - CHILD & ADULT:

Abuse Hotline (DCF)	1-800-96-ABUSE
Child Abuse Council	673-4646
Domestic Violence Intervention	272-6423
Joshua House	949-8946
Spring of Tampa	247-7233

ALCOHOL & DRUG ABUSE:

Agency for Community Treatment Services:

ACTS	246-4899
Alcoholics Anonymous	933-9123
Al-Anon - Ala Teen	881-9372
Centre for Women	251-8437
DACCO	231-1340
Goodwill Industries Treatment	877-3234
Hillsborough Anti-Drug Alliance	276-2744
Narcotics Anonymous	879-4357
Pace Center for Girls	739-0410
Substance Abusing Mothers	984-0909
Tampa Crossroads for Men	238-8557
Tampa Crossroads for Women	228-9226

CHILDREN'S SERVICES:

Children's Services	264-3807
Child Care Licensing Program	272-6487
Child Protective Investigations	558-5900
Children's Board	229-2884
Child & Family Counseling	264-3807
Children's Home Society of FL	740-4266

Foster Home Licensing (HKI)	643-5437
4-H Youth Programs	744-5519
Haven W. Poe Runaway Center	272-6606
Hills. County Parks & Recreation	635-3504
Missing Children Information	1-888-356-4774
National Runaway Switchboard	1-800-621-4000
Protective Services (Hillsborough Kids, Inc):	
Safe Place	272-6606

CONSUMER ASSISTANCE:

Consumer Protection Agency	903-3430
Consumer Services FL	1-800-435-7352
Cooperative Extension	744-5519
Mediation Diversion Services	272-5642
So Shore Community Justice Center	672-7442

CRISIS INTERVENTION:

APPLE Trauma Response Center	264-9955
Crisis Center of Tampa	2-1-1
Children’s Crisis Services	272-2882
ElderNet Services	964-1577
Hearing Impaired TTY	969-4992
Family Support Services/Travelers Aid	264-9949
Hotline of Hillsborough	234-1234
Nurse Examiner Program	2-1-1
Sexual Abuse Treatment Center	264-9955
Spring of Tampa Bay Hotline	247-7233
Tampa Learning Connection	969-4958
Teen Link	236-8336

TransCare681-4422
Travelers Aid (Family Support Center)264-9949

CHILD DAY CARE INFORMATION:

Child Care Licensing Program272-6487
(Subsidized Day Care)
Early Childhood Learning Center744-8941
Head Start272-5140
Latchkey (YMCA)223-2895
School Board744-8941

DISABILITY SERVICES:

Achieve Tampa Bay239-1179
Agency for Persons with Disabilities233-4300
Arthritis Foundation1-800-283-7800
Center for Autism & Related Disabilities (CARD)
.....974-2532
Deaf Service Bureau930-7682
Deaf Service Bureau West Central Fl1-800-616-4293
Deaf & Hearing Connection Tampa Bay727-399-9983
Division of Blind Services871-7190
Easter Seals Early Intervention Center236-5589
Epilepsy Service870-3414
Florida Alliance for Assistive Services & Tech (FAAST)
.....844-7591
Florida Relay Service:
 Voice1-800-955-8770
 TTY..1-800-955-8771
Goodwill Industries - Suncoast223-3701

Hillsborough Achievement Resource Center (H. A.R.C.)	931-9100
MacDonald Training Center	870-1300
Multiple Sclerosis Society	800 Fight MS
Self Reliance	375-3965
Tampa Lighthouse for the Blind	251-2407
Vocational Rehabilitation, FDOE:	
Brandon	740-4700
North Tampa	930-7494
Plant City	707-7500
Tampa	233-3600

EDUCATION:

Hillsborough Community College	253-7000
Literacy Program, Public Library	273-3650
School Board, Hillsborough County	272-4000
University of South Florida	974-2011

EMPLOYMENT

Center for Women Employment	251-8437
Sr. Svc. Employment - AARP	962-4600
Tampa Employment Service Center	930-7639
Workforce Employment Branch Offices:	
Apollo Beach-Ruskin	930-7600
Brandon	930-7832
Plant City	930-7880
Tampa Bay Workforce Alliance	740-4680
Wage & Hour Comm. (Dept. Labor)	288-1242

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY:

Equal Opportunity Office (County)	272-6554
Fair Housing U.S. Dept of HUD	228-2026
Federal (EEOC)	228-2310
Human Rights Comm. (Tampa)	274-5835

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE ECONOMIC SELF-SUFFICIENCY:

Crisis Center of Tampa Bay (2-1-1)	234-1234
Department of Children & Families:	
ACCESS Florida	1-866-762-2237
Client Relations	558-5788
Family Support Center (Crisis Center)	264-9949
Homeless Veterans	979-3552
Indigent Burial	272-5296
Low-Income Utility Assistance (LIHEAP)	

Neighborhood Service Centers:

Metropolitan Ministries Care Center	209-1077
Salvation Army	226-0055
Social Services, Kitchen, & Volunteer	
Share of Florida	248-3379
Social Security Admin	1-800-772-1213
Travelers Aid (Crisis Center)	276-9949
Women, Infants, Children Nutrition Services	
WIC	307-8074

HOMELESS SERVICES:

Homeless Recovery Program	276-2976
Salvation Army	226-0055
Tampa Family Health Center	490-1957

HOUSING ASSISTANCE:

First Time Home Buyer Program	274-6600
Habitat for Humanity	239-2242
Housing Authority, Plant City	752-0569
Housing Authority, Tampa	253-0551
Section 8 Housing Assist, County	903-3400
Tampa Housing & Community Dev	274-7954
U.S. Dept of HUD Tampa Office	228-2026

HOUSING EMERGENCY:

Mary and Martha House	645-7874
Metropolitan Ministries Family Center	209-1000
Salvation Army:	
Red Shield Lodge Men	221-4440
Corrections/Social Services	223-3781

INFORMATION & REFERRAL:

Alliance for Citizens with Disabilities	276-2742
Citizen Action Center Info Line	272-5900
Crisis Center Tampa Bay	2-1-1
Hispanic Service Council	876-7223
Hernando Co. United Way 211	
Helpline	1-800-790-7770
Pinellas Co (Info & Referral)	727-562-1542
Pinellas/Citrus/ Hernando	
Citrus	727-210-4213
Hernando	727-210-4212
Pinellas	727-210-4211
Pasco/Pinellas Senior Helpline	727-217-8111

United Way 211 of Central Florida:

Highlands/Hardee/Polk1-863-648-1515

United Way 211 Manasota Information:

Manatee/Sarasota/DeSoto1-941-366-5025

LAW ENFORCEMENT/EMERGENCY:

Fire/Police Emergency911

Hills Co Sheriff247-8000

Tampa Police Dept231-6130

Temple Terrace Police Dept506-6500

Plant City Police Dept757-9200

Florida Highway Patrol632-6859

LEGAL SERVICES:

Bay Area Legal Services -Tampa232-1343

Bay Area Legal Services - Plant City752-1335

Bay Area Legal Services -Wimauma634-6044

Bar Assoc. of Hillsborough County221-7777

Child Support Enforcement (DOR)1-800-622-5437

Clerk of Circuit Court276-8100

Public Defender272-5980

State Attorney's Office272-5400

MEDICAL & DENTAL SERVICES:

AIDS - TBAN Information Center769-5180

National AIDS Hotline1-800-342-AIDS

Spanish AIDS Hotline1-800-545-SIDA

CMS Children's Medical Services396-9696

Crisis Center2-1-1

CMS Children's Medical Services	396-9696
Crisis Center	2-1-1
Dental Clinic / HCC	253-7527
Florida Kid Care	272-5285
Florida Poison Information	1-800-222-1222
Agency for Health Care Admin	727-552-1133
Brandon Regional Hospital	681-5551
Dental Clinic / HCC	253-7527
Dover Health Clinic	659-0406
Florida Kid Care	272-5285
Florida Poison Information	1-800-222-1222
H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center	972-4673
Health Department	307-8000
Joyce Ely	307-8056
Kelton	307-8055
Northwest	307-8053
Sulphur Springs	307-8054
University Area	307-8058
Plant City	307-8057
Vital Statistics	307-8002
Health & Social Services	272-5040
Hillsborough Healthcare	272-5040
Judeo Christian Health Center	870-0395
Lee Davis Health Center	272-6240
LifePath Hospice	877-2200
Medical Assoc. of Hills. Co.	253-0471
Peter Davis Health Center	248-6263
Suncoast Community Health Center Inc	349-7800
Tampa Family Health Clinic	490-1957

James A. Haley Veteran's Hospital	972-2000
Kindred Hosp - Central Tampa	874-7575
Kindred Hospital -Tampa	839-6341
Memorial Hospital	873-6400
Shriners Hosp for Children	972-2250
South Bay Hospital	634-3301
South Florida Baptist Hospital	757-1200
St Joseph's Hospital	870-4000
St Joseph's Women's Hospital	879-4730
Tampa Children's Hospital	554-8500
Tampa General Hospital	844-7000
Town & Country Hospital	888-7060
University Community Hospital	971-6000
Carrollwood	932-2222

MEDICARE:

Medicare	1-800-633-4227
Medicaid (Program Office)	1-866-762-2237
Social Security Admin	1-800-772-1213

MENTAL HEALTH & COUNSELING:

Catholic Charities	631-4370
Child & Family Counseling:	
Brandon	744-5953
Tampa	903-3455
Crisis Center of Tampa Bay	2-1-1
LifePath Hospice	877-2200
Tampa Jewish Family Services	960-1848

MIGRANT SERVICES:

Adult Migrant/Seasonal	744-6303
BethEl Mission	633-1548
Catholic Charities Immigration Services	631-4397
Farm Workers	757-9480
Hillsborough County Schools	272-4000
Migrant Program	757-9331
Redland Christian Migrant Assoc	671-5264
Ruskin Neighborhood Service Center	671-7647

MUNICIPAL SERVICES:

Hillsborough County	272-5900
Plant City	659-4200
Tampa	274-8211
Temple Terrace	506-6406

SENIOR CITIZENS SERVICES:

AARP	1-888-687-2277
Adult Day Care	272-6261
Adult Protective Services (DCF)	375-3900
Aging Services	272-6630
Alzheimer's Information	1-800-633-4563
Community Care - Elderly	1-800-888-5066
Community Care for the Elderly	272-5242
Centre for Women	232-3200
ElderMed	237-6988
ElderNet	964-1577
Elder Affairs (State)	850-414-2000
HC Home Delivered Meals Program	272-5160

Homemaker Services	272-5250
Jewish Community Center	264-9000
Life Enrichment Center	932-0241
Meals On Wheels:	
Tampa	238-8410
Seffner/Brandon/Mango	689-8769
Plant City	754-9932
Riverview	677-5995
Nutrition Info. & Education	272-5250
SCNAP	272-5160
Senior Employment SCSEP	962-4600
SHINE (Serving Health Ins. Needs of Elders)	740-3888
SHIP Centre for Woman (Senior Housing Improvement Program)	250-9336
Social Security Admin	1-800-772-1213
Suncoast Gerontology Center	974-4355
WCFL Area Agency on Aging	740-3888

TRANSPORTATION:

Bay Area Commuter Services	282-8200
Hillsborough Area Regional Transit	254-4278
Medicaid Transportation - MMG	253-3618
Sunshine Line	272-7272

UTILITIES / CABLE COMPANIES:

BrightHouse Cable	684-6400
Comcast Cable	1-800-266-2278
Peoples Gas (TECO)	275-3700
Tampa Electric (TECO)	223-0800

Verizon	1-800-483-4000
Verizon Cable	1-800-483-7988
Water Services:	
Hillsborough County Water	272-6680
Plant City	757-9289
Temple Terrace	506-6572
Tampa	274-8211

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY

GOVERNMENT OFFICES:

County Commission	272-5660
County Administrator	272-5750
Citizen Action Center	272-5900
Affordable Housing	274-6600
Aging Services	272-6630
Animal Services	744-5660
Children's Services	272-3821
Civil Service	272-5625
Code Enforcement	274-6600
Communications	272-5314
Consumer Protection	903-3432
Cooperative Extension	744-5519
Economic Development	272-7232
Emergency Operations Center	272-6900
Fire Rescue	272-6600
Fleet	744-5580
Health & Social Services	272-5040
Legislative Delegation	272-5865
Library Services	272-3652

Management & Budget	272-5890
Medical Examiner	914-4500
Neighborhood Relations	272-5860
Parks & Recreation	635-3500
Public Art	307-1070
Planning & Growth	272-5920
PGM Permits/Zoning	635-7300
Procurement Services	272-5790
Public Works	635-5400
Solid Waste	272-5680
Veterans Affairs	975-2181

Elected Officials:

Chief Judge	272-5022
Clerk of the Circuit Court	276-2566
Property Appraiser	272-6100
Public Defender	272-5980
State Attorney	272-5400
Supervisor of Elections	272-5860
Tax Collector	635-5200

STATE OFFICIALS:

Legislative Delegation Office	272-5865
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Federal Representatives

Rep. Gus Bilirakas	985-8541
Rep. Kathy Castor	871-2817
Rep. Adam Putnam	863-534-3530
Sen. Bill Nelson	225-7040

Sen. Mel Martinez207-0509

COURTS:

Jury Duty - County Court276-8100

Jury Duty - Federal Court301-5494

Bankruptcy - Federal Court301-5162

Federal Courthouse Information301-5162