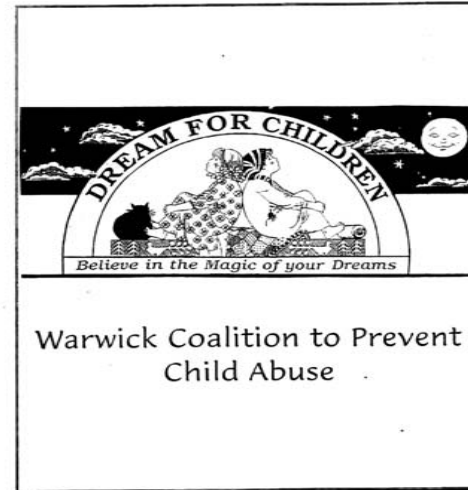


# Warwick Community Resource Guide

Warwick Coalition to Prevent Child Abuse, Inc.  
P. O. Box 6952  
Warwick, Rhode Island 02887



*The Warwick Community Resource Guide is being made available throughout the Warwick community to provide individuals and families with a description of the many resources that are available to them.*

*We hope that you will find the information contained in this resource guide helpful to you, your family, and friends. We wish to thank all the representatives from the agencies listed in the guide who provided us with information.*

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**[www.warwickschools.org](http://www.warwickschools.org)**

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## **Quick Reference Guide**

### **Need**

### **Agency**

**Adult Education**

J.O.N.A.H. Community Center  
Westbay Community Action

**Animal Abuse**

Warwick Police Department  
(401-468-4377)

**Child Abuse/Neglect**

DCYF  
(1-800-RICHILD)  
Rhode Island Office of the Child Advocate

**Clothing**

Westbay Community Action

**Counseling Services**

DCYF  
Elizabeth Buffam Chace Center  
House of Hope CDC  
Human Services/Community  
Wellness Nurse  
netWORKri  
The Kent Center  
Tides Family Services  
Perspectives Counseling Centers

**Daycare**

Boys & Girls Club of Warwick  
CHILD, Inc.  
Crayons Early Care & Education  
Center, Inc.  
Westbay Children's Center  
YMCA - Kent County

<b><u>Need</u></b>	<b><u>Agency</u></b>
<b>Domestic Violence Prevention</b>	Rhode Island Coalition Against Domestic Violence (1-800-494-8100)
<b>Employment Services</b>	netWORKri Westbay Community Action
<b>Financial Assistance</b>	Social Security Administration Warwick Home Improvement Loan Program Warwick Human Services and Family Support
<b>Food</b>	RI Community Food Bank Warwick Family Center Westbay Community Action
<b>Furniture</b>	Rhode Island Donation Exchange Westbay Community Action
<b>Health Services</b>	Crossroads Rhode Island DCYF Human Services/Community Wellness Nurse The Kent Hospital Thundermist Health Center VNA of Care New England Warwick Family Center Westbay Community Action Wilcox Health Center
<b>Home Health Care</b>	Perspectives Youth & Family Services VNA of Care New England

<b><u>Need</u></b>	<b><u>Agency</u></b>
<b>Homeless/Housing</b>	Crossroads Rhode Island EBC Center House of Hope CDC Warwick CARES Program
<b>Information Help Line</b>	United Way of RI - 2-1-1
<b>Legal Assistance</b>	Rhode Island Center for Law and Public Policy RI Legal Services
<b>Parent Support/ Advocacy</b>	RI Parent Information Network Parent Support Network of RI Tri-Town Community Action Agency – Family Care Community Partnership The Kent Center Warwick Parents as Teachers Warwick Special Education Advisory Committee Westbay Community Action
<b>Parent Support/ Special Needs</b>	Cedar Family Centers CHILD, Inc Drum Rock Early Childhood Center Eleanor Briggs School Ocean State Center for Independent Living Perspectives Youth & Family Services RI Parent Information Network Tri-Town Community Action Agency – Family Care Community Partnership Trudeau Early Intervention

<b><u>Need</u></b>	<b><u>Agency</u></b>
<b>Parent Support/ (continued)</b>	Warwick Special Education Advisory Committee Westbay Children's Center YMCA - Kent County
<b>Preschool</b>	CHILD, Inc Crayons Early Care & Education Center, Inc. Drum Rock Early Childhood Center Westbay Children's Center Y's Owl Nursery
<b>Preschool Screening</b>	Volunteers of Warwick Schools (VOWS)
<b>Recreation</b>	Warwick Parks & Recreation YMCA - Kent County
<b>Senior Services</b>	Human Services/Community Wellness Nurse Pilgrim Senior Center Rhode Island Division of Elderly Affairs Ride Paratransit Service Transwick Senior Transportation Warwick Human Services and Family Support Westbay Community Action
<b>Social Services</b>	DCYF Tri-Town Community Action Agency – Family Care Community Partnership Westbay Community Action

<b><u>Need</u></b>	<b><u>Agency</u></b>
<b>Substance Abuse</b>	The Kent Center
<b>Summer Programs</b>	Boys & Girls Clubs Community Services Division/School Officers YMCA - Kent County
<b>Transportation</b>	Ride Paratransit Service Transwick Senior Transportation
<b>Utility Assistance</b>	Warwick Family Center Warwick Human Services and Family Support Westbay Community Action
<b>Volunteer Opportunities</b>	VOWS (Volunteers of Warwick Schools)
<b>Warwick Police Department</b>	Community Services Division
<b>Warwick Public Schools Programs &amp; Services</b>	Drum Rock Early Childhood Center Special Services VOWS (Volunteers of Warwick Schools) Warwick CARES Warwick Parents as Teachers Warwick Special Education Advisory Committee
<b>Youth &amp; Family Services</b>	Department of Youth Services Perspectives Youth & Family Services Tides Family Services Warwick Human Services and Family Support Warwick Mentor Program

### **Animal Abuse**

Contact: Warwick Police Department 401-468-4377

### **Boys & Girls Clubs of Warwick - Norwood**

#### **Child Care Program**

Norwood Branch  
42 Frederick Street  
Warwick, RI 02888  
401-467-4385

[www.wbgclubs.org](http://www.wbgclubs.org)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday  
Before School Care: Opens at 6:30 AM  
After School Care: School Dismissal – 6:00 PM  
Contact: Nicole Spirito

The before and after school care fee-based program serves children in grades K – 6. Transportation is provided to and from most Warwick elementary schools.

#### **Open Door Program (Children in Grades 1-12)**

Norwood Branch  
42 Frederick Street  
Warwick, RI 02888  
401-467-4385

[www.wbgclubs.org](http://www.wbgclubs.org)

Hours of Operation: September-June, 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM  
Contact: Nicole Spirito

After school programs: Homework help, sports and recreation, art, teen programming, & game room.

### **Boys & Girls Clubs of Warwick - Norwood**

#### **Child Care/Vacation Camp**

Norwood Branch  
42 Frederick Street  
Warwick, RI 02888  
401-467-4385

[www.wbgclubs.org](http://www.wbgclubs.org)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 7:00 AM – 6:00 PM  
Contact: Nicole Spirito

Full-day child care is available for children ages 5 – 13 during school holidays and vacations. Fun activities and field trips are planned.

### **Boys & Girls Clubs of Warwick**

#### **Summer Camp**

c/o Masonic Family Center  
116 Long Street  
Warwick, RI 02889  
401-467-4385

Norwood Branch – Office  
42 Frederick Street  
Warwick, RI 02888

[www.wbgclubs.org](http://www.wbgclubs.org)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 7:00 AM – 6:00 PM  
Contact: Nicole Spirito

This co-ed camp program serves children ages 3 – 13. Activities include swimming, crafts, sports and environmental education.

## **Boys & Girls Clubs of Warwick – Oakland Beach**

### **After School Drop In Program (Children in Grades 1-12)**

Oakland Beach Branch (Mailing)  
340 Oakland Beach Avenue 42 Frederick Street  
Warwick, RI 02889 Warwick, RI 02888  
401-467-4385

[www.wbgclubs.org](http://www.wbgclubs.org)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM

Contact: Monique Rossi

Activities include games, homework assistance, drug prevention, sports, recreation, arts, and environmental education.

## **Boys & Girls Clubs of Warwick**

### **Youth Sports Program**

Oakland Beach Branch Norwood Branch  
340 Oakland Beach Avenue 42 Frederick Street  
Warwick, RI 02889 Warwick, RI 02888  
401-467-4385

[www.wbgclubs.org](http://www.wbgclubs.org)

Hours of Operation: Varies

The youth sports program offers non-competitive, skill building sports leagues for youths ages 5 – 18.

## **Cedar Family Centers**

About Families Cedar  
203 Concord Street, Suite 335  
Pawtucket, RI 02860  
401-365-6855  
Contact Person: Patricia Spillane

Empowered Families Cedar  
1471 Elmwood Avenue  
Cranston, RI 02910  
401-383-3669

RI Parent Information Network Cedar  
1210 Pontiac Avenue  
Cranston, RI 02920  
401-270-0101

The Solutions Cedar Family Center  
55 Hope Street  
Providence, RI 02906  
401-331-1350

Three Cedar, A Family Center  
Children’s Neurodevelopment Center, Suite 2B  
Hasbro Children’s Hospital  
335R Prairie Avenue  
Providence, RI 02905  
401-444-7703

Cedar teams children with special health care needs and their families with experienced, licensed clinical staff with the goal of creating and implementing comprehensive plans of care that address the needs of the child and the family as a whole.



### **Child Abuse & Neglect**

To report child abuse/neglect: 1-800-RICHILD

#### **Child Inc.**

160 Draper Avenue  
Warwick, RI 02889  
401732-5200

Contact: Vickie Turnquist

[www.childincri.org](http://www.childincri.org)

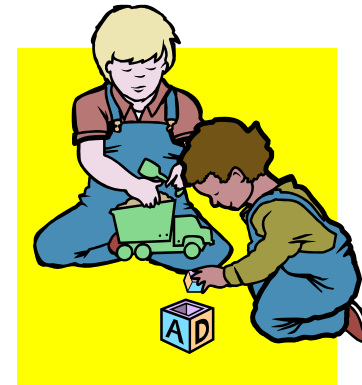
Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 6:30 AM – 6:00 PM

849 Centerville Road  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-823-3777

Contact: Fatima Santos

CHILD Inc. provides Head Start, Early Head Start, and daycare services (both home-based and center-based programs).

CHILD Inc. is a Kids' Connect provider offering mental health services to young children and their families.



### **Community Services Division**

Warwick Police Department

99 Veterans Memorial Drive

Warwick, RI 02886

District One Office: 759 West Shore Road, 401-468-4373

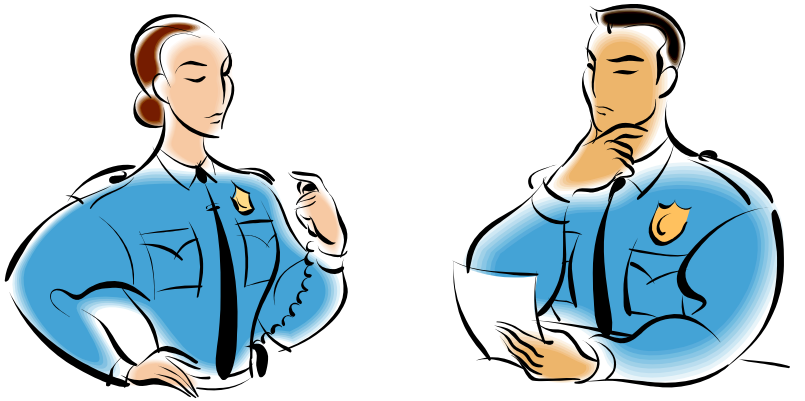
District Two Office: Oakland Beach Boys & Girls Club,  
340 Oakland Beach Ave., 401-468-4375

District Three Office: Pontiac Village Train Station,  
401-468-4371

General Information: 401-468-4325

Contact: Captain Brad Connor, 401-468-4344

The Warwick Police Department's Community Services Division (CSD) includes community policing, traffic and homeland security. The primary mission of the CSD is fighting neighborhood crime and addressing quality of life issues. Community policing allows the police and the community residents to work closely together in new ways to solve the problems of crime, fear of crime, physical and social disorder, and neighborhood decay.



### **Community Services Division/School Officers**

Warwick Youth Leadership Camp  
Warwick Police Department  
99 Veterans Memorial Drive  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-468-4200

Hours of Operation: 6:30 AM – 3:00 PM

[www.warwickpd.org](http://www.warwickpd.org)

Contact: Officer Amerantes

Warwick Police, in conjunction with the City of Warwick/Warwick Youth Advisory and Prevention Task Force, offer a Leadership Camp for 2 weeks in July and 1 week in August. The camp is open to Warwick youth ages 11 – 14. This day camp teaches leadership and confidence building, with a segment on substance abuse. The camp features a high ropes and low ropes course.

### **Crayons Early Care & Education Center, Inc.**

3445 Post Road  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-738-7081

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 7:30 AM – 5:30 PM

[www.crayonseducation.com](http://www.crayonseducation.com)

Contact: Liz Kyle

Providing services to approximately 100 families annually, Crayons' fully inclusive programs include child care (6 weeks – 36 months), preschool (3-5 years), and therapeutic services provided by a collaborative group of educators and clinicians.

### **Crossroads Rhode Island**

160 Broad Street  
Providence, RI 02903  
401-521-2255

[www.crossroadsri.org](http://www.crossroadsri.org)

Crossroads Rhode Island is the largest homeless services organization in Rhode Island. They are much more than a place to sleep. In addition to shelter and basic needs, they offer hundreds of affordable housing units for families and individuals, comprehensive case management, education and employment services, and 24-hour/7 day a week emergency services.





### **Department of Children, Youth, and Families**

4808 Tower Hill Road  
Wakefield, RI 02879  
401-792-5000

To report child abuse/neglect: 1-800-RICHILD  
Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM  
[www.dcyf.state.ri.us](http://www.dcyf.state.ri.us)

The Department of Children, Youth and Families provides a variety of services including: case management, foster care, group care placement, service referral, RIte Care/Medicaid, family preservation, juvenile corrections, children's behavioral health services, child welfare services and subsidized adoptions.



### **Department of Youth Services**

City of Warwick  
Department of Youth Services  
190 Range Road  
Warwick, RI 02889  
Mailing Address:  
3275 Post Road  
Warwick RI, 02886  
401-468-4108

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM  
[www.warwickri.gov/human-services-buttonwoods-community-center](http://www.warwickri.gov/human-services-buttonwoods-community-center)

Contact: Patricia St. Amant

The City of Warwick's Department of Youth Services provides case management and intervention along with referral information to families involved with the Warwick Truancy Court and other agencies in the city.



### **The Eleanor Briggs School**

The Kent Center for Human and Organizational Development  
116 Long Street  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-732-1540  
Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 7:30 AM – 3:00 PM  
[www.thekentcenter.org/briggs-school.htm](http://www.thekentcenter.org/briggs-school.htm)  
Contact: Michael Foley

The Eleanor Briggs School provides year round intensive clinical and educational services to students in grades K – 12 who face emotional or behavioral health challenges. Its goal is to assist students to transition back to their public schools.



### **Elizabeth Buffum Chace Center**

PO Box 9476  
Warwick, RI 02889 (the shelter location is confidential)  
401-738-1700: 24-hour information and referral crisis hotline  
1-800-494-8100: 24-hour statewide crisis hotline  
[www.ebccenter.org](http://www.ebccenter.org)  
[info@ebccenter.org](mailto:info@ebccenter.org)

### **Community Center**

821 West Shore Road  
Warwick, RI 02889  
401-738-9700  
Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM  
Contact: Donna Coleman

The Elizabeth Buffum Chace Center provides an emergency confidential 24-hour hotline, emergency shelter, counseling, support groups, court advocacy and educational groups for domestic violence victims. The Center also provides specialized services for senior citizens, school programs, community awareness and professional trainings.



### **House of Hope Community Development**

#### **Corporation**

3188 Post Road

Warwick, RI 02886

401-463-3324

[www.thehouseofhopecdc.org](http://www.thehouseofhopecdc.org)

[info@thehouseofhopecdc.org](mailto:info@thehouseofhopecdc.org)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM

House of Hope Community Development Corporation provides temporary and permanent housing and other critical, lifesaving supports for those in need. The agency provides myriad social services to individuals and families – including life skills training, employment training, basic needs financial assistance, and mental health counseling.



### **Human Services/Community Wellness Nurse**

City of Warwick

Department of Human Services

190 Range Road

Warwick, RI 02889

Mailing Address:

3275 Post Road

Warwick RI, 02886

401-468-4103 or 401-468-4077

Hours of Operation: Call for an appointment

Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

[patricia.seltzer@warwickri.com](mailto:patricia.seltzer@warwickri.com)

Contact Person: Pat Seltzer, RN, BS, CDOE

The Wellness Nurse provides: health risk assessments; routine screenings of blood pressure, blood glucose, BMI; diabetes education and support group; tobacco treatment and support; American Heart Association CPR instruction; Safe Sitter® instruction; and Therapeutic Lifestyle Counseling (TLC).



### **J.O.N.A.H. Community Center**

830 Oakland Beach Avenue  
Warwick, RI 02889  
401-739-1305  
Hours of Operation: Varies  
Contact: Donna Travis

The Center is available for community meetings and social events.

### **Kent Hospital**

455 Toll Gate Road  
Warwick, RI 02886  
Main Hospital: 401-737-7000  
Emergency Department: 401-736-4288  
[www.kentri.org](http://www.kentri.org)  
Hours of Operation: 24 hours, 7 days a week

Kent Hospital, a Care New England Hospital, is a 359-bed, acute care hospital.

### **netWORKri**

Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training  
1330 Main Street  
West Warwick, RI 02893  
401-462-4100

[www.networkri.org](http://www.networkri.org)

Hours of Operation:

Monday – Thursday, 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM,

Friday, 10:00AM – 4:00 PM

Contact: Sherri Carello

*NetWORKri* is a one-stop career center serving job seekers and employers. Services include employment counseling, career testing, resume preparation and training assistance. All the services are free of charge.



### **Ocean State Center for Independent Living**

1944 Warwick Avenue

Warwick, RI 02889

401-738-1013

[www.oscil.org](http://www.oscil.org)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Closed Holidays

Contact: Corrine O’Donnell, Information and Referral

The Ocean State Center for Independent Living (OSCIL) offers specialized independent living services and programs to RI residents with disabilities who wish to maintain their independence in their homes.



### **Parent Support Network of Rhode Island**

535 Centerville Road,

Suite 202

Warwick, RI 02886

401-467-6855

[www.psri.org](http://www.psri.org)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Contact: Lisa Conlan-Lewis

We provide family support groups, advocacy services, and emotional support to families and individuals. We may be contacted in person or by phone to determine appropriate services to the family

### **Perspectives Corporation (Youth & Family Services)**

Main Office:

1130 Ten Rod Road

Building B, Suite 101

North Kingstown, RI 02852

401-294-3990

[www.perspectivescorporation.com](http://www.perspectivescorporation.com)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

Contact: Sean Cornell or Brenda Verdi

Satellite Office:

64 Dewey Avenue

Warwick, RI 02886

Perspectives Corporation provides services and supports for people with intellectual, developmental, and other disabilities. Youth & Family Services include Home-Based Therapeutic Services, Personal Assistance and Support Services, Transitional School Services, Early Intensive Behavioral Intervention, Deaf & Hard of Hearing Services, and Children’s Residential Services.

### **Pilgrim Senior Center**

27 Pilgrim Parkway  
Warwick, RI 02888  
401-468-4090

[www.warwickri.gov/senior-services-pilgrim-senior-center](http://www.warwickri.gov/senior-services-pilgrim-senior-center)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

The Pilgrim Senior Center serves adults 55 years of age and older. It offers a meals program, health and social services, education and fitness programs, recreation programs, and transportation services (Transwick).

### **Rhode Island Center for Law and Public Policy**

3288 Post Road  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-921-5988

Hours of Operation: By appointment only  
Monday – Friday, 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Rhode Island Center for Law and Public Policy’s (RICLAPP) mission is to provide access to legal services to low income and moderate income Rhode Islanders, small non-profit agencies, and for-profit small businesses.

### **Rhode Island Coalition Against Domestic Violence**

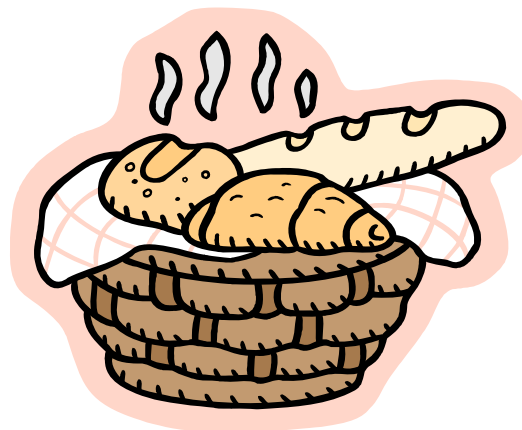
1-800-494-8100  
The Helpline: 24-Hour Support

### **Rhode Island Community Food Bank**

200 Niantic Avenue  
Providence, RI 02907  
401-942-6325

[www.rifoodbank.org](http://www.rifoodbank.org)

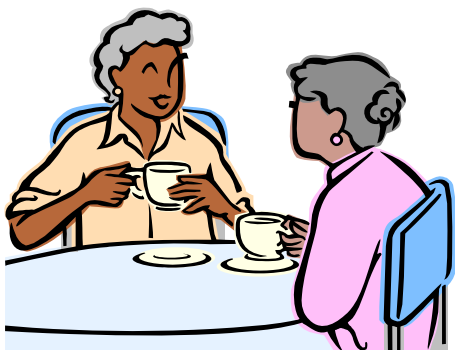
The Rhode Island Community Food Bank provides quality food to people facing hunger through a network of certified member agencies. It also provides leadership and information to promote citizen action, advance government nutrition assistance, and promote private efforts aimed at developing effective solutions toward the elimination of hunger in Rhode Island. Visit [www.rifoodbank.org](http://www.rifoodbank.org) and click on “Find Food” to view the Food Agency List.



### **Rhode Island Division of Elderly Affairs**

John O. Pastore Campus – Lovis Pasteur Building  
57 Howard Avenue, 2nd floor,  
Cranston, RI 02920  
Main Number: 401-462-3000  
Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM  
[www.dea.ri.gov](http://www.dea.ri.gov)

The Rhode Island Division of Elderly Affairs (DEA) preserves the independence and dignity of seniors and disabled adults through a coordinated system of community-based programs.



### **Rhode Island Donation Exchange**

94 Silver Spring Street  
Providence RI 02904  
401-831-5511  
[www.donationexchange.org](http://www.donationexchange.org)  
Hours of Operation:  
Tuesday through Thursday, 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Furniture and thrift shop.

### **Rhode Island Legal Services**

56 Pine Street, Fourth Floor  
Providence, RI 02903  
401-274-2652  
[www.rils.org](http://www.rils.org)  
Hours of Operation:  
Monday – Wednesday & Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM;  
Thursday, 8:30 AM – 6:00 PM  
Contact: Robert Barge

Rhode Island Legal Services provides legal representation to low income individuals in the areas of domestic violence, family law, public benefits, housing and eviction defense, foreclosure, employment, and consumer law.

## **Rhode Island Office of the Child Advocate**

John O. Pastore Center  
57 Howard Avenue, 4th Floor  
Cranston, RI 02920  
401-462-4300

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM

[www.child-advocate.ri.gov](http://www.child-advocate.ri.gov)

Contact: Jennifer Griffith (Child Advocate)

The Office of the Child Advocate provides oversight for the RI Department of Children, Youth and Families' (DCYF) policies, procedures, and practices. The office receives inquiries regarding the care and protection of children under the care of DCYF.



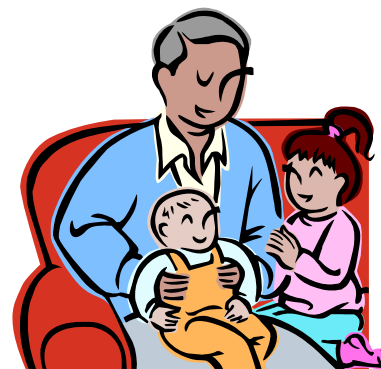
## **Rhode Island Parent Information Network**

1210 Pontiac Avenue  
Cranston, RI 02920  
270-0101 or 1-800-464-3399

[www.ripin.org](http://www.ripin.org)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

Rhode Island Parent Information Network (RIPIN) is a non-profit organization that provides information, support and training to parents, individuals, and family-serving professionals. The resource center is available by phone to provide information and support to families and professionals as they navigate health and education systems.





### **Ride Paratransit Service**

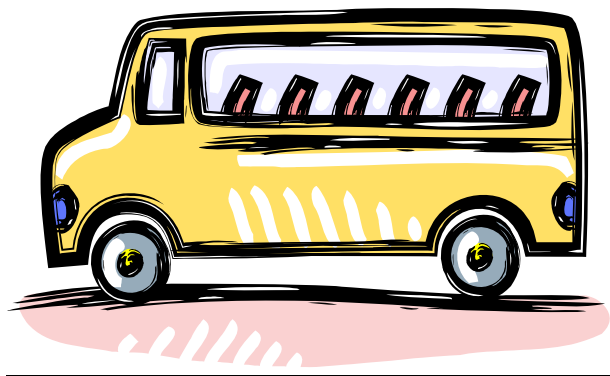
705 Elmwood Avenue  
Providence, RI 02907  
401-461-9760 or 1-800-479-6902

<http://www.ripta.com/ride-paratransit-services>

Hours of Operation:

For reservations: Monday – Friday, 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM, or  
Saturday – Sunday, 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Ride is a shared ride service available for an individual whose disability either prevents independent use of RIPTA's fixed route system or prevents travel to or from bus stops. Rides are \$4.00 each way. Reservations must be made at least a day in advance.



### **Social Security Administration**

30 Quaker Lane, 1st Floor  
Warwick, RI 02886  
1-866-964-2038

[www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov)

Hours of Operation:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM,  
Wednesday, 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

The Social Security Administration (SSA) administers retirement, survivors, and disability benefits, Medicare, the Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program, and applications for Social Security numbers and cards.

### **The Kent Center**

2756 Post Road  
Warwick, RI 02886  
Main Number: 401-691-6000  
Central Intake Department: 401-732-5656  
24 Hour Emergency Services: 401-738-4300

[www.thekentcenter.org](http://www.thekentcenter.org)

Hours of Operation:

Monday – Thursday, 8:30 AM – 8:00 PM,  
Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

The Kent Center provides outpatient counseling, including mental health, substance, and trauma-related counseling for adults. Individual, family, and group counseling is also available.

### **Thundermist Health Center**

#### **Medical, QuickCare, & Behavioral Health**

186 Providence Street  
West Warwick, RI 02893  
401-615-2800

[www.thundermisthealth.org](http://www.thundermisthealth.org)

Hours of Operation:

#### **Medical & Behavioral Health**

Monday-Thursday, 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Friday, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Saturday, 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM

#### **QuickCare**

Monday-Friday, 9:30 AM – 9:30 PM

Saturday-Sunday & Holidays, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

#### **Dental**

1219 Main Street  
West Warwick, RI 02893  
401-615-2804

Hours of Operation:

Monday-Thursday, 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Friday-Saturday, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Thundermist provides comprehensive health care services in order to meet the needs of each community, including medical care, walk-in medical services, dental care, behavioral health services, and pharmacy services. All services are available to patients on a sliding fee scale.

### **Tides Family Services**

215 Washington Street  
West Warwick, RI 02893  
401-822-1360

[www.tidesfs.org](http://www.tidesfs.org)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday (hours vary)

Tides Family Services provides individual, family and group counseling, school/special education advocacy, court advocacy and community referrals.

### **Transwick Senior Transportation**

27 Pilgrim Parkway  
Warwick, RI 02888  
401-738-1276

[www.warwickri.gov/transwick-senior-transportation](http://www.warwickri.gov/transwick-senior-transportation)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 7:45 AM – 4:15 PM

Contact: Bob Smith, Transportation Planner

Any Warwick resident who is 55 years of age or older, disabled, or does not possess any available means of transportation is eligible to participate in the Transwick program. The cost is \$1.00 round trip. Tokens are used and may be purchased at the senior center or at the Stop & Shops on Warwick Avenue and Bald Hill Road. Tokens are available in rolls of 20 for \$10.00. The Transwick program provides transportation for the following: weekly grocery shopping, health screenings and social service programs, banking, monthly retail shopping, all recreational and educational programs at the city's senior center, hospital and nursing home visits, trips to pharmacies for prescription pick-ups, and other special needs trips.

### **Tri-Town Community Action Agency**

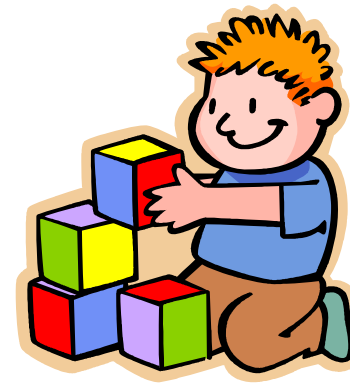
Washington/Kent County Family Care Community Partnership  
1935 Kingstown Road  
Wakefield, RI 02879  
401-789-3016  
[www.tri-town.org](http://www.tri-town.org)

The Tri-Town Community Action Agency offers programs to assist with all aspects of life including health, behavioral health, dental/oral health, adult and early childhood education, employment and training, housing, emergency services, nutrition, energy and conservation, youth opportunity and prevention programs, and senior services.

### **Trudeau Early Intervention Program**

Trudeau Memorial Center  
3445 Post Road  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-823-1731 ext. 361  
[www.trudeaucenter.org/programs/children/earlyintervention.html](http://www.trudeaucenter.org/programs/children/earlyintervention.html)  
Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 7:30 AM – 4:30 PM  
Contact: Jackie Ferreira, Director

The Trudeau Center offers an Early Intervention (EI) Program for children aged 0 to 3. The purpose of the EI Program is to support parents and caregivers in promoting the development of infants and toddlers with developmental challenges. Together with the parent, as the most important member of the team, a plan will be developed based upon the child's strengths and needs and the family's concerns and priorities.



### **United Way of Rhode Island – 2-1-1**

50 Valley Street  
Providence, RI 02909  
2-1-1  
Hours of Operation: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week  
[www.211ri.org](http://www.211ri.org)

2-1-1 is an information and referral line available 24/7/365 in 175 languages and dialects. This free and confidential service helps people connect to social services offered by health and human service providers, government agencies and community-based organizations.

## **VNA of Care New England**

51 Health Lane  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-737-6050  
[www.vnacarenewengland.org](http://www.vnacarenewengland.org)

In addition to visiting nurse services and a hospice care program, the VNA offers a comprehensive line of rehabilitation and palliative care services, support groups, and wellness clinics.

## **VOWS, Inc. - Volunteers of Warwick Schools**

Drum Rock Early Childhood Center  
575 Centerville Road  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-734-3230  
<https://sites.google.com/a/warwickschools.org/volunteers-of-warwick-schools/>

Hours of Operation: Monday –Friday, 8:30 AM – 3:00 PM  
Contact: Claire C. Flaherty, Executive Director  
For Screening Appointments: Dolores Hyle, Child Outreach Project Director

VOWS is the centrally directed, district-wide school volunteer management system that supports the educational goals of Warwick Public Schools. VOWS administers Child Outreach Developmental Screening for children ages 3-5, the Heads Up Anti-bullying and Conflict Resolution Program, and an assortment of educationally supportive services.



## **Warwick CARES Program**

Warwick Public Schools  
Gorton Administration Building  
Room 213  
69 Draper Avenue  
Warwick, RI 02889  
401-486-5284  
<https://sites.google.com/a/warwickschools.org/title1/warwick-cares>  
Contact: Carol Marginson, Transitional Advocate

Warwick CARES provides a homeless liaison to assist with school enrollment for children of families who lack permanent housing. The program also provides outreach to community agencies in an effort to identify unaccompanied youth who are homeless.

## **Warwick Family Center**

Department of Human Services

195 Buttonwoods Avenue

Warwick, RI 02886

401-736-1400 or 1-800-282-7021

<http://www.dhs.ri.gov/DHSOffices>

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM

The Warwick Family Center provides family independence programs, medical assistance/Rite Care, general public assistance, and food stamp information. A part-time social worker provides housing assistance to eligible families.

For general information on SNAP, RI Works, Child Care Assistance, EBT Cards, General Public Assistance, Rite Care, and other agency programs, call 1-855-MY-RIDHS (1-855-697-4347)



## **Warwick Home Improvement Loan Program**

Office Community Development

City of Warwick

Annex Building, 2nd Floor

3275 Post Road

Warwick, RI 02886

401-738-2009

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

[www.warwickri.gov/community-development/pages/home-improvement-loan-program](http://www.warwickri.gov/community-development/pages/home-improvement-loan-program)

The purpose of the Home Improvement Loan Program is to assist low-to-moderate income homeowners and owners of affordable rental units to make improvements to those units that provide a direct benefit to the inhabitants of those units. The following types of improvements can be covered: replacement windows, heating systems, roofs, electrical systems, and septic systems.



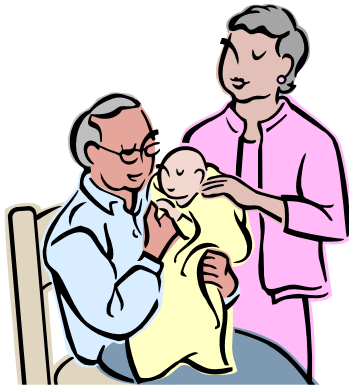
## **Warwick Human Services and Family Support**

City of Warwick  
190 Range Road  
Warwick, RI 02889  
Mailing Address:  
3275 Post Road  
Warwick RI, 02886  
401-468-4108

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM  
[www.warwickri.gov/human-services-buttonwoods-community-center](http://www.warwickri.gov/human-services-buttonwoods-community-center)

Contact: Patricia St. Amant

Warwick Human Services and Family Support offers referrals to appropriate human service agencies, provides emergency assistance for heat, rent and other necessities, serves as the liaison with the Rhode Island Department of Human Services, offers a wide array of services to the senior population, and provides programs and services to families in crisis through the Truancy Court and Youth Services Division.



## **Warwick Mentor Program**

RI Mentoring Partnership  
3296 Post Road  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-732-7700

[www.mentorri.org](http://www.mentorri.org)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Contact: Christopher Margadonna, Recruitment Specialist

The Warwick Mentor Program, part of Mentor RI, is a school-based one-to-one mentoring program. Mentoring is done on school grounds, during the school day, throughout the school year.



## **Warwick Parents as Teachers**

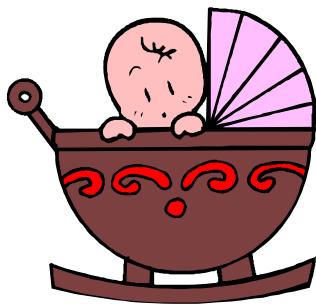
Warwick Public Schools  
Title I Family Center  
383 Oakland Beach Avenue  
Warwick, RI 02889  
401-734-3426

<https://sites.google.com/a/warwickschools.org/title1/parents-as-teachers>

Hours of Operation: School Hours

Contact: Amy Griffin

This is a free family visiting program for Warwick families with children prenatal to kindergarten entry. Families are provided with culturally-competent, family-centered services. Parent Educators work with the strengths of each family to achieve goals set by the family. Families are linked with medical homes to ensure children are receiving well-child visits and are up to date on hearing, vision, and developmental screenings. Families are also connected to community resources and social supports to meet family needs. Families learn developmentally appropriate activities to do with their children both during and after visits. Families are connected to other families with young children through family programs held in the Title I Family Center at Oakland Beach School.



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## **Warwick Parks and Recreation**

City of Warwick  
Parks and Recreation Department  
925 Sandy Lane  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-738-2019

[www.warwickri.gov/parks-and-recreation](http://www.warwickri.gov/parks-and-recreation)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

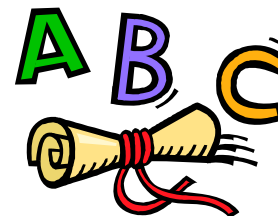
Contact: Holly Weber, Director

The City of Warwick provides a wide range of facilities for both recreation and athletics. From skating and swimming to dog shows and quilting, the Recreation department is a valuable contributor to our quality of life.

## **Warwick Public Schools**

Gorton Administration Building  
69 Draper Avenue  
Warwick, RI 02889  
Superintendent – 401-734-3101  
Elementary Education – 401-734-3011  
Secondary Education – 401-734-3021  
Special Services – 401-734-3051  
Transportation – 401-734-3112

[www.warwickschools.org](http://www.warwickschools.org)



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**Warwick Public Schools –  
Drum Rock Early Childhood Center**

575 Centreville Road  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-734-3490

<https://sites.google.com/a/warwickschools.org/drum-rock-early-childhood-center/>

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:45 AM – 2:55 PM  
Contact: Mindy Mertz

The Drum Rock Early Childhood Center (DRECC) offers a variety of educational programs for preschool students as well as educational evaluations for special education, and evening groups for parents. DRECC also works in cooperation with VOWS in facilitating developmental screening clinics.

The preschool classes include specialized programs for children with Autism Spectrum Disorders, multiple disabilities, and behavioral challenges, as well as classes where typically developing community peers work and play alongside young children with developmental delays.

Programs are free of cost to children with an identified educational need. There is a fee for preschool community peers. Financial assistance is available for those who qualify.

**Warwick Special Education Advisory Committee**

Warwick Public Schools  
Gorton Administration Building  
69 Draper Avenue  
Warwick, RI 02889  
401-474-3051  
[www.wseac.org](http://www.wseac.org)

The Warwick Special Education Advisory Committee consists of parents of children receiving special education services, administrators, teachers, and others with a concern for our children. The committee meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month (sometimes excluding July and August) at 6:30 PM to share information and concerns of educational issues. Committee members provide each other with a strong network of support.

**Warwick Special Services Department**

Warwick Public Schools  
Gorton Administration Building  
69 Draper Avenue  
Warwick, RI 02889  
401-734-3051  
[www.warwickschools.org/departments/special-services/](http://www.warwickschools.org/departments/special-services/)

The Special Services Office provides support to students with disabilities, including students with IEPs and 504s. Additionally, the Special Services Office oversees School Nurse Teachers, School Psychologists, School Social Workers, Speech and Language Therapists, Occupational Therapists, Physical Therapists, School Social Workers and The Behavior Intervention Team.



## **Westbay Children's Center**

Westbay Community Action

22 Astral Street

Warwick, RI 02888

401-463-6620

[www.westbaycap.org/programs/westbay-childrens-center/](http://www.westbaycap.org/programs/westbay-childrens-center/)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 7:00 AM – 5:30 PM

Westbay Children's Center, a division of Westbay Community Action, provides comprehensive early care and education services for children ages 18 months – 12 years. The Center is a Positive Behavioral Intervention and Supports (PBIS) school and a state certified Kids Connect provider extending its services to children with behavioral health needs.



## **Westbay Community Action, Inc.**

205 Buttonwoods Avenue

Warwick, RI 02886

401-732-4660

[www.westbaycap.org](http://www.westbaycap.org)

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

Westbay Community Action's services are available to low-income residents. The following programs are available:

Adult Education Academy - 401-468-4064

Elder Case Management - 401-732-4660 x138

Family Care Community Partnership - 401-732-4660 x123

Good Neighbor Energy Fund - 401-732-4660 x105

Holiday Programs - 401-732-4660 x105

Lead Center - 401-732-4660 x148

Retired and Senior Volunteer Program - 401-732-4660 x354

Rhody Health Options - 401-732-4660 x114

RI Vet Corps - 401-732-4660 x354

RIHEAP Heating Assistance - 401-732-4660 x104

Senior Dining Program - 401-732-4660 x325

Senior Information and Safety Programs - 401-732-4660 x112

Supportive Housing - 401-732-4660 x115

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance - 401-732-4660 x300

Warwick Case Management - 401-732-4660 x113

Warwick Home Maintenance - 401-732-4660 x120

Weatherization Home Energy Programs - 401-732-4660 x120

Westbay Children's Center - 401-463-6620

Westbay Farm & Marketplace - 401-732-4660 x140

Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) - 401-732-4660 x185

Working Wardrobe - 401-737-6334

Youth Success - 401-732-4660 x340

**Wilcox Health Center –  
Comprehensive Community Action (CCAP)**

226 Buttonwoods Avenue  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-732-9090

[www.comcap.org](http://www.comcap.org)

Hours of Operation:

**Medical**

Monday, Tuesday, & Friday, 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Wednesday & Thursday, 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Alternating Saturdays, 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

**Dental**

Monday, Wednesday, & Friday, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Tuesday & Thursday, 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM

CCAP provides comprehensive, quality, affordable health, dental, and behavioral health care for the entire family. Their board-certified doctors, nurse practitioners, dentists, hygienists, licensed clinical social workers, and other health care professionals are knowledgeable, caring and understanding. They are dedicated to getting you healthy and keeping you healthy.



**YMCA – Kent County**

900 Centerville Road  
Warwick, RI 02886  
401-828-0130

[www.ymcagreaterprovidence.org/Branches/KentCounty/tabid/239/Default.aspx](http://www.ymcagreaterprovidence.org/Branches/KentCounty/tabid/239/Default.aspx)

Hours of Operation:

Monday – Friday, 5:00 AM – 9:45 PM

Saturday & Sunday, 6:00 AM – 6:45 PM

The Kent County YMCA plays a vital role in the positive development of youth and families in the Kent County area of Rhode Island. Their diverse offerings of memberships, programs, child care and camps provide something for everyone!

**Y's Owl Preschool**

401-828-0130 X256

Hours of Operation:

Half Day Program:

Morning: 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM

Afternoon: 12:30 PM – 3:00 PM

Full Day Program: 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Contact: Susan Shanley

The Kent County YMCA has been offering Y's Owl Preschool to children ages 3-5 in the Kent County community for over fifty years. The program is state licensed by the Rhode Island Department of Children, Youth & Families and is a participant in the Bright Stars Quality Program.