



MERCED COUNTY YOUTH COUNCIL

Youth Resource Directory

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*Today's Youth . . .
Tomorrow's Leaders*

MERCED COUNTY YOUTH COUNCIL

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A.C.C.E.S.S.

1460 W. 18th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-6790
All ages

- Subsidized child care; Assists those wanting to become licensed childcare providers; Trustline information.

Alcoholics Anonymous

1440 W. 12th Street or 620 W. 14th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(866) 507-6237
All ages

- Answering/referral service for those seeking assistance with alcohol abuse. Meets Mondays at 8:00 p.m. at the Salvation Army.

All Dads Matter

676 Loughborough Drive
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-7521 Fax: (209) 725-3778
First Time Dads and Fathers

- Daddy Boot Camp, Community Events and Workshops, Fatherhood Resource Center; Mission: Ensure every child the opportunity of a caring & capable father at birth.

Alpha Crisis Pregnancy Center

700 Loughborough Drive, Suite A
Merced, CA 95348
(209) 383-4700 Fax: (209) 383-3041
Age: 12 - 50 <http://www.alphaphc.com/>

- Free pregnancy testing and information; Information on abortion alternatives and options; Pregnancy/abortion choices and consequences; Medical/social services; post abortion counseling.

American Cancer Society (Merced/Modesto Co. Unit)

1604 Ford Avenue, Suite 8
Modesto, CA 95356
(209) 722-3341 Fax: (209) 722-6628
All ages <http://www.cancer.org/>

- Helps patients/families deal with impact of cancer; life guarding, basic water rescue. Provides information about cancer/treatment; babysitting; accepting volunteers, will receive community service hours. Provides equipment/dressings for cancer patients; Private transportation arrangements if necessary.

American Red Cross Fresno/Mariposa Chapter

301 W. 18th Street, Suite 104
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 383-2150
All ages

- Provides disaster services; CPR/First aid classes.

Angels on Wheels/Road to Recovery

1604 Ford Avenue, Suite 8
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 722-3341 Fax: (209) 524-7454
All ages <http://www.cancer.org/>

- Medical treatment transportation for cancer patients; Volunteer opportunities (Ages 16 & up). 866-444-7672.

Atwater Church of Christ

181 E. Broadway (PO Box 697)
Atwater, CA 95301
(209) 358-3143
Ages Served - Varies

- All Ages - Distribution site for SHARE. Ages 18 & up - Provides \$30-\$35 worth of quality food for only \$14/month.



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Bear Creek Community Church

1717 E. Olive Avenue
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 723-3707
Age: 13 & up

- Alcoholics Anonymous; YES - Youth Experiencing Sorrow program; Weigh Down Workshop -Christian weight loss program.

California Children's Services

260 E. 15th Street (PO Box 471)
Merced, CA 95340 (95341)
(209) 381-1174 Fax: (209) 381-1102
Age: 0 - 21 <http://www.co.merced.ca.us/index.aspx?nid=82>

- Comprehensive well child exams (CHDP); Referral resources/ treatment after CHDP exams (if needed); Community outreach and education.

Bellevue School Healthy Start Family Resource Center

1020 E. Bellevue Road
Atwater, CA 95301
(209) 357-6535
All ages

- Improves access to preventive health services; Provides variety of supportive family programs; (Subject to availability).

California Poison Control System

Room 1024, HSF 2315, Stockton Blvd.
Sacramento, CA 95817
(800) 222-1222
All ages <http://www.calpoison.org/>

- Immediate emergency advice for suspected poisoning; Provides first aid information; Assesses the urgency of medical treatment need; (IF EMERGENCY, PLEASE CALL 911); Children's Valley Hospital, 9300 Valley Children's Place MB 15, Madera, CA 93638.

CA Department of Fair Employment and Housing

1277 E. Alluvial Avenue, Suite 101
Fresno, CA 93720
(800) 884-1684 Fax: (559) 244-4819
All ages <http://www.dfeh.ca.gov/>

- Investigates employment/housing complaints. Fresno District Office (559) 244-4760.

California State Assembly

806 W. 18th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 726-5465
Age: 18 & up <http://www.assembly.ca.gov/defaulttext.asp>

- Represents 17th district on various matters; Mediator between constituents and state agencies; (Does NOT assist in federal or legal matters).

CA Health Collaborative Teen Pregnancy Prevention

2807 "G" Street, Suite B
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 725-8240 Fax: (209) 725-0534
Age: 10 & up <http://www.healthcollaborative.org/>

- Teen pregnancy prevention through education and outreach.

California Youth Crisis Line

PO Box 163147
Sacramento, CA 95816-9147
(800) 843-5200
Age: 12 - 24 <http://www.youthcrisisline.org/>

- Provides a 24 hour crisis intervention counseling line; Youth-to-parents message service; Phone connections to service providers and families; Information and referrals to youth in crisis & their families.



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Calsafe Teen Parent Program

1900 G Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-6534
Age: 9th - 12th Grades

- Daily program for pregnant and parenting teens in the MUHSD district working towards a high school diploma. Parenting classes, child care, and Independence High School Instruction.

Castle Challenger Learning Center Foundation

3460 Challenger Way
Atwater, CA 95301
(209) 726-0296 Fax: (209) 726-3491
Age: 5 & up <http://www.challengersjv.org/>

- Curriculum based math/science education; Simulated mission control and space station.

Calvary Assembly of God

1021 R Street
Merced, CA 95341
(209) 723-2395

- 3rd and 4th Thursday of the month for Food; MUST be there by 9:00 a.m..

Castle Family Health Centers

3605 Hospital Road
Atwater, CA 95301
(209) 381-2000

- Health Clinic. Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Urgent Care Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Weekends 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Family Clinic: (209) 726-1235.

Calvary Temple

2740 N. Hwy 59
Merced, CA 95348
(209) 383-6686

- Serves food every 3rd Wednesday of each month 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.; "Brown Bags" of food on Fridays for seniors and disabled only 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Castle Family Health Centers - Bloss Clinic

1251 Grove Avenue, Suite A
Atwater, CA 95301
(209) 358-0123 Fax: (209) 722-9020
Age: 12 and up

- Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Women's Center in Suite B, Confidential Family Planning (Tue/Wed/Fri).

Career Pathways Gateways Community Church

353 E. Donna Drive
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 723-4283 Fax: (209) 723-1238
Age: 13 & up

- High School junior youth groups; Every Wednesday after school.

Castle Family Health Centers - Winton

6596 N. Winton Way
Winton, CA 95388
(209) 357-7755 Fax: (209) 357-7263

- Health Clinic; Food Vouchers; Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.



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Castle Science and Technology Center

3460 Challenger Way
Atwater, CA 95301
(209) 726-0296 or (209) 726-6200
All ages <http://www.challengersjv.org/>

- Hands on science discovery center. Public/Private Tours. Birthday Parties; Science Camp.

Central California Legal Services, Inc.

357 W. Main Street, Suite 201
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 723-5466 Fax (209) 723-1315
All ages <http://www.centralcallegal.org/ccls/index.php>

- Provides legal services for low income and/or disabled; Legal services for a variety of issues. Mon - Fri 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Toll Free 800-464-3111.

Catholic Charities of Merced

336 W. Main Street, Suite 1
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 383-2494
All ages <http://www.ccdof.org/>

- Family emergency assistance; Clothes closet and food pantry on - Mon - Tue - Wed from 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.;

Central Valley Addiction Center

Merced, CA 95341
(209) 722-8791
All ages

- Intervention/education/evaluation/consultations/referrals for addictions; Appointments only.

CDC National Immunization Information Hotline

(800) 232-4636
All ages <http://www.cdc.gov/>

- Provides immunization information;

Central Valley Opportunity Center

6838 Bridget Court
Winton, CA 95388
(209) 357-0062 Fax: (209) 357-0071
Age: 18 & up <http://www.cvoc.org/>

- GED preparation; ESL; Public education on AIDS and nutrition; Vocational training for various trades; Emergency supportive services for farm workers.

CDC National STD and AIDS Hotline

(800) 232-4636
All ages <http://www.cdc.gov/std/>

- Information on STD/AIDS/HIV treatment and prevention.

Challenged Family Resource Center of Merced County

827 W. 20th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-5314
All ages <http://www.frc.merced.k12.ca.us/frcweb/>

- Children with special needs/family support network, lending library; Support groups; advocacy; information/referrals; Parent Education Center; Resource library; community awareness.



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Child Welfare Services

2115 Wardrobe Avenue (PO Box 12)
Merced, CA 95341
(209) 385-3000, 5815
Age: 0 - 18

- Provides social services where there are abuse allegations; Emergency response; crisis intervention; Reunification of children with parents Report Child Abuse: (209) 385-3104 Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (200) 722-9915 Evenings & Weekends.

Children's Hospital Central California

9300 Valley Hospital Place, MB 15
Madera, CA 93636-8762
(559) 353-5068

- Pediatric specialties; High Risk pregnancies; Neonatal Intensive Care

City of Merced Parks & Community Services

690 West 16th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-6855
All ages www.cityofmerced.org/

- Youth Sports Leagues; Teen Socials, Teen Special Events; Movie Night, Trips & Tours.

Club Life

101 F Street
Livingston, CA 95334
(209) 394-5450
Age: 11-14

- Program encourages youth to have fun DRUG FREE;

Community Social Model Advocates Inc. (Atwater)

559 Mendocino Court
Atwater CA 95301
(209) 357-5269

- Recovery home for substance abusers (alcohol/drugs); Counseling, food & lodging; Day-care for children while in classes; (Only - Women and Women with children).

Community Social Model Advocates Inc. (Merced)

1301 Yosemite Pkwy
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 722-6335
Age: 18 & up

- Recovery home for substance abusers (alcohol/drugs); Transportation, counseling, food & lodging; (Only - Men).

Consumer Credit Counseling Service of MID-COUNTIES

1101 Standiford Avenue, Suite D
Modesto, CA 95350
(800) 750-2227
Age: 18 & up

- Provides guidance and counseling through financial difficulties; Budget counseling; debt/financial management; Housing counseling; Bankruptcy.

Deaf & Hard of Hearing Services Center - Merced

626 18th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 726-7783 Fax: (209) 726-7717
All ages <http://www.dhhsc.org/>

- Independent living skills; Resource Information/referral; peer support groups; Sign language classes/interpretation; Community education; advocacy (209) 726-7786 TTY.



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Denti-Cal Beneficiary Services

PO Box 15539
Sacramento, CA 95852
(800) 322-6384
All ages

- Dental information referral line (for Medi-Cal recipients);

Emergency Food Assistance Program (EFAP)-Community Action Board

411 N. West Avenue (PO Box 2085)
Merced, CA 95340 (95344)
(209) 723-3201
All ages

- Distributes Department of Agriculture surplus food. Los Baños/Dos Palos: (209) 826-0191

Disabled Student Services (DSS)

3600 M Street
Merced, CA 95348
(209) 384-6155
Age: College Students

- Registration assistance (Merced College) for disabled students; Academic/career counseling for disabled students; Job development/campus orientation for disabled students; Los Baños 826-3495 Ext. 6437.

Employment Development Department (Los Baños)

1075 H Street
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 826-0420
Age: 16 & up <http://www.caljobs.ca.gov/>

- Job placement/disability/unemployment insurance information; Provides labor market information; veteran services; Job Corps (Ages 16-23).

Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA)

Age: K - 12th Grades <http://www.deca.org/>

- (See your high school counselor or career center).

Employment Development Department (Merced)

1205 W. 18th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 726-5405 or (209) 726-5400
Age: 16 & up <http://www.caljobs.ca.gov/>

- Job placement/disability/unemployment insurance information; Provides labor market information; veteran services; Ex-offender employment counseling; Outreach to farm workers; youth employment services.

Dos Palos Youth in Crisis & Outreach

2127 Blossom Street
Merced, CA 93620
(559) 790-1499
All ages

- Provides quality foods to those with limited access to nutritional food due to homelessness, runaways, parental neglect or poverty.

Employment Resource Center (Worknet- One-Stop)

1880 Wardrobe Avenue
Merced, CA 95341
(209) 724-2100 or (209) 724-2000
Age: 16 & up

- Computer/internet access for job search purposes; Telephone/fax/daily newspapers for job searching; Reference library for resumes/cover letters; Typing tutor software to improve typing speed.



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EMPOWER Program

732 West 13th Street, Bldg D

Merced, CA 95340

(209) 381-5920

Age: 17 - 21

<http://www.mcoe.org/>

- Provide assistance with GED, High School diploma and post-secondary Ed; Assistance with job search, career exploration and job résumés; Employability & job preparedness workshops.

First Steps

260 E. 15th Street

Merced, CA 95340

(209) 381-1141 or (209) 381-1114

Age: 0 - 21

- Serves pregnant & parenting women and children 0-21; Provides education; referrals to social and health services.

Extended Opportunity Programs and Services (EOPS)

3600 M Street

Merced, CA 95348

(209) 384-6093

Age: 18 & up

- College financial assistance & counseling; College based tutoring and student aid; College child care assistance to TANF recipients. Grant assistance for those who qualify.

Food Assistance- Salvation Army

1440 W. 12th Street (PO Box 191)

Merced, CA 95340 (95341)

(209) 383-4225

All ages

- Food bank (Tues 9:00-11:30 a.m.; 1st & 2nd Thursday 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.); Hot breakfast - Monday through Friday 7:00 - 8:30 a.m. & Dinner Sat @ 5:00 p.m.; Correctional services/ counseling to jail inmates.

Family Resource Council

1573 West Main Street

Merced, CA 95340

(209) 381-5980 Fax: (209) 381-5979

- The Family Resource Council offers an integrated system of community-based services that responds to the needs of vulnerable families. Parenting classes for parents of children 0-5.

Food Stamps - Human Services Agency

2115 W. Wardrobe Avenue

Merced, CA 95340

(209) 385-3000

Age: 18 & up

- Provides food stamps to eligible participants.

First 5

676 Loughborough Drive

Merced, CA 95347

(209) 385-7337 Fax: (209) 725-3778

Age: 0 - 5

<http://www.co.merced.ca.us/>

- Pre-school & child-care services. Office open on Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Foster Youth Services

632 W. 13th Street Bldg A

Merced, CA 95340

(209) 381-4519 Fax: (209) 381-4511

Age: 4-21

- Advocates for foster youth and youth in state licensed group homes; Ensures youth do not lose school credits, shot records, etc.; Develops/participates in self-esteem workshops for youth.



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Friendship Baptist Church

533 W. Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 628-0455

- Food on Saturdays 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. brunch.

Golden Valley Health Center (Los Baños)

821 Texas Avenue
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 826-1045 Fax: 826-0952
All ages

- Medical - multilingual services; Health care & education outreach; family planning.

Future Farmers of America (FFA)

Age: K - 12th Grades <https://www.ffa.org/Pages/default.aspx>

- See your high school counselor or career center.

Golden Valley Health Center (Merced)

737 W. Childs Avenue
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 383-7441 or (209) 383-1848
All ages

- Medical/dental multilingual services; Health care & education outreach; dental; pharmacy; family planning.

Going Places

260 E. 15th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-1165 Fax: 381-1173
Age: 0-5

- At-Risk Pregnancy Care requiring out-of- county transportation/interpreter; Provides transportation/interpreters for out- of county Specialty Medical Care for At-risk pregnancy and families w/children high risk 0-5 years old.

Golden Valley Health Center (Planada)

9235 E. Broadway (PO Box 573)
Planada, CA 95365
(209) 382-0253
All ages

- Medical/dental multilingual services; Health care & education outreach; dental; family planning.

Golden Valley Health Center (Dos Palos)

1405 California Avenue
Dos Palos, CA 93620
(209) 392-2111 Fax: 392-2850
All ages

- Medical - multilingual services; Health care & education, family planning, outreach.

Goodwill Industries

32 W. Olive Avenue
Merced, CA 95348
(209) 384-2586
Age: 17 - 65

- Provides quality reconditioned items for resale; Employment and skills training opportunities.



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Habitat for Humanity

PO Box 423
Atwater, CA 95301
(209) 358-7280 or (209) 358-3811
All ages

- Provides rebuilt homes to low income families.

Hinds Hospice

410 W. Main Street, Suite A (PO Box 763)
Merced, CA 95340 (95341)
(209) 383-3123
All ages <http://www.hindshospice.org/>

- Palliative Care (moderates intensity of) for terminally ill patients; Services include: medical care, pain & symptom/case management; counseling; Grief support groups. Thrift Shop: (209) 724-0899. Fax: (209) 383-5308.

Havenwood

1414 R Street
Merced CA 95340
(209) 725-8188

- Housing for women and children under 12 years old. 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

HIV Test Program/Department of Public Health

260 E. 15th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-1028
All ages <http://www.co.merced.ca.us/>

- AIDS screening, information and referral; Resource Center; Blood and oral testing options, 20 minute testing, same day results; Hrs: Mon 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.; Tues 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.; Fri 8:30 a.m. -11:30 a.m. Risk Assessments and Disclosure.

Head Start/Child Development Program Services

(209) 381-5170 or (209) 723-4771 Fax: (209) 381-5172
Age: 3 - 5

- Provides training & education on the development of children; Comprehensive child development services; Provides preschool program for low income families.

Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP)

1235 W. Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 723-4565
Age: 18 & up <http://www.mercedcaa.org/>

- Provides an annual credit on your gas/electric bill; (Must meet income qualifications).

Helping Other People Ease Sorrow (HOPES)

2115 W. Wardrobe Avenue -
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-3000
Age: 5 & up

- (209) 385-3000 extension 5477. Counseling for child sexual assault victims; Child sexual assault support group and treatment; Helps families learn about the effects of sexual abuse. Wednesday Evenings 6:30 p.m. (Employment & Training Building).

Housing Authority of the County of Merced

405 U Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 722-3501
All ages <http://www.merced-pha.com/>

- Assists with housing subsidies and public housing.



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Housing Services Office - Emergency Shelter

356 E. 15th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 725-8188
Age: 18 & up

- Emergency shelter for single individuals - Men and Women.

International Hearing Society

16880 Middlebelt Road
Livonia, MI 48154
(800) 521-5247 or (734) 522-7200
All ages <http://ihsinfo.org/IhsV2/Home/Index.cfm>

- General information on hearing aids/loss; Provides a directory of hearing aid specialists.
Hrs: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

HSA Child Abuse Reporting

(209) 385-3104 or (209) 722-9915

- Child Welfare Services (CWS) is dedicated to the preservation of families through the prevention of child abuse and neglect. Members of a 24-hour emergency service respond to reports of abuse or neglect by providing assessment, counseling, crisis intervention and, if necessary, emergency shelter care.

Job Corps

1900 Mariposa Mall # 360
Fresno, CA 93721
(800) 733-5627 or (559) 233-3868
Age: 16 - 24 <http://www.jobcorps.gov/home.aspx>

- Provides an integrated academic, vocational, and social skills training; Most worksites are part of a residential program; Must meet some eligibility requirements; Call WorkNet at (209) 724-2110.

I Can Cope - American Cancer Society

1604 Ford Avenue
Modesto, CA 95340
(209) 722-3342 or (209) 827-4340
All ages

- Provides information about living with cancer; Diagnosis.

La Leche League - Atwater/Merced Group

2353 W. McSwain Rd
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 723-4706
All ages <http://www.llnocal.org/AtwaterMercedCA.html>

- Assist mothers requesting breastfeeding assistance; Provide information regarding breastfeeding; Other numbers in area: (209) 756-4058.

Infant Care Program

632 W. 13th Street (mailing address)
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 722-3804
Age: 0 - 3

- Provides special education to children w/special needs. Physical Address: 1520 W. Main St, Merced, CA 95340

Lifeline Community Center

7081 N. Winton Way (PO Box 10)
Winton, CA 95388
(209) 358-6939
All ages

- Provide children/teen activities (in activity room); outings for community kids (concerts, art galleries) youth are involved in producing dramas; Provides community outreach services; Home of a food distribution.



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Lifestyle Management Drydock

1521 W. Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 383-7797
Age: 18 & up

- Five different DUI Programs. Multi-offender drinking driver program.

Los Baños Police - Volunteer Program

945 5th Street
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 827-7070 Ext. 112
Age: 18 & up

- Volunteer opportunities in various police fields; Training provided (as needed for assigned tasks).

Livingston Medical Group

1140 Main Street
Livingston, CA 95334
(209) 394-7913
All ages

- Provides a variety of medical services; Blood pressure testing/specialist referrals; Family planning services.

Los Baños Police Activities League (PAL)

545 J Street
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 827-7070 or 827-0603 Ext. 262
Age: 5 - 16 (depending on activity)

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Los-Banos-PAL/174151616054>

- Sports/physical activity programs for youth.

Los Baños Adult School

127 7th Street
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 826-2911 Fax: (209) 826-2252
Age: 18 & up

- Provides educational services.

Los Baños Westside Substation (Sheriff's Department)

445 I Street
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 385-7444
All ages

- Law enforcement agency (contact for volunteer information); IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911.

Los Baños Campus - Merced College

22240 Hwy 152
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 826-3495
Age: 16 & up

http://www.mccd.edu/off_campus/los_banos/

- Provides academic advice/prerequisite information for college courses; Academic - counseling and financial aid.

Los Baños Worknet Plato Lab

800 7th Street
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 710-6156
Age: 18 & up

<https://www.mercedworknet.com/>

- Provides the preparation needed for people to pass GED; or improve basic skills in writing, reading & mathematics through an individualized computerized study program.



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Los Baños Worknet Plato Lab (Coord-Merced College)

800 7th Street
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 826-7465

Age: 18 & up <https://www.mercedworknet.com/>

- Provides the preparation needed for people to pass GED; or improve basic skills in writing, reading & mathematics through an individualized computerized study program.

Mental Health Clinic - Los Baños

40 West G Street, Suite C
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 710-6100

Age: 5 - 18

- 24 HOUR TOLL FREE HOTLINE (888) 334-0163 and/or Local after 5 P.M. (209) 381-6800; Crisis intervention; mental health assessment; Case Management; Short-term individual counseling; medicine/prescription monitoring.

LOVE, INC

520 W. 20th Street (PO Box 2141)
Merced, CA 95344 (95344)
(209) 383-1265 or (209) 383-7034

All ages <http://www.loveinc.org/>

- Resource referral information services; Provides emergency food, clothes, & other needs; Provides family counseling/support group referrals.

Mental Health Youth Services of Merced County

480 E. 13th Street (PO Box 839)
Merced, CA 95340 (95341)
(209) 381-6800

Age: 0 - 17

- 24 HOUR TOLL FREE HOTLINE (888) 334-0163 and/or Local after 5 P.M. (209) 381-6800; Crisis intervention; mental health assessment; Case Management; Individual/group/family treatment and intervention; Individual/group/family counseling & therapy.

Main Street Youth Center

1577 W. Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-7590
<http://www.co.merced.ca.us/index.aspx?NID=910>

- Services for current and former foster youth.

Merced Adult School

50 E. 20th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-6524
Age: 18 & up <http://www.muhsd.k12.ca.us/188620212143434973/map/browse.asp?A=372&BMDRN=2000&BCOB=0&C=61446>

- Provides educational services; High school diploma, GED, computer classes, English as Second Language (ESL); Office occupations training course; Computers in Office Technology course.

Mental Health Clinic - Livingston

1471 B Street, Suite N
Livingston, CA 95334
(209) 394-4032 Fax: (209) 394-4166
All ages

- 24 HOUR TOLL FREE HOTLINE (888) 334-0163 and/or Local after 5 P.M. (209) 381-6800; Crisis intervention; mental health assessment; Case Management; Individual and group counseling; prescribe and monitoring of medication.

Merced Bethel Seventh Day Adventist

810 T Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 383-5779

- Sunday breakfast 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.



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Merced College

3600 M Street
Merced, CA 95348
(209) 384-6000

Age: 14 & up <http://www.mccd.edu/>

- College/university transfer program; ESL and vocational programs; Association of Arts/ Science programs; Various educational curriculum.

Merced Community Action Network

335 Grogan Avenue, Suite A
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-8807

All ages <http://www.mercedcan.org/>

- Assists in forming neighborhood watch groups; Provides a "Youth Television Apprentice Program"; Organizes and manages youth graffiti abatement programs; (benefits individual schools).

Merced College Community Services

630 W. 19th Street
Merced, CA 95348-2898
(209) 384-6224

All ages

- Continuing education/re-licensure classes/workshops; Trips; not for credit classes; Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 am. - 4:00 p.m.

Merced County 4H Youth Development Program

2145 Wardrobe Avenue
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-7403 Fax: (209) 722-8856

Age: K - 12th Grades <http://merced4h.ucdavis.edu/>

- Informal education, youth development programs.

Merced College Independent Living Program/WtW

3600 M Street (Box 115)
Merced, CA 95348
(209) 384-6515

Age: 16 - 21

- Provides independent living skills for foster youth or youth on probation as wards of the court.

Merced County Alcohol & Drug Services - The Center

658 W. Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-6880

Age: 18 & up

- Alcohol and drug counseling; Alcohol and drug counseling for pregnant women.

Merced College Non-Credit Program (Continuing Education)

3600 M Street
Merced, CA 95348
(209) 381-6540 Fax: (209) 381-6544

Age: 16 & up http://www.mccd.edu/programs/cont_ed/index.html

- Provides non-credit state approved classes.

Merced County Arts Council - Artree

645 W. Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 388-1090

Age: 5 - 18 <http://www.artsmered.org/artree/index.html>

- Performances and workshops in the visual and performing arts.



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Merced County Community Action Agency

1235 W. Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 723-4565 or (209) 723-1046 Fax: (209) 724-9527
All ages <http://www.mercedcaa.org/>

- Parent agency for various community service organizations & programs; (WIC, Senior Nutrition, Housing Services Office, etc.

Merced County Regional Occupational Program (ROP)

632 W. 13th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-6607
Age: 11th & 12th Grades <http://rop.mercedlearn.org/>

- Provides vocational education & training to prep students for employment; Provides work-place learning experiences at various community worksites; Classroom/laboratory hands-on training on state-of-the-art equipment; Career counseling/education.

Merced County Interagency Children's Roundtable

632 W. 13th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-6665
Age: 0 - 3

- Locates services for premature infants/toddlers born w/health problems; Office Hours: Tuesday 8-12 p.m., Wednesday 8-10 a.m., Friday 8-12 p.m.

Merced County Sheriff's Department

700 W. 22nd Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-7606
All ages

- Houses the "Explorer Program" - for youth interested in law enforcement; Call and inquire about the Volunteer Program for those interested in working in the area of law enforcement. IF EMERGENCY PLEASE CALL 911.

Merced County Nursing Nook Breastfeeding Center

1718 M Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 383-3808
All ages

- Assists w/breastfeeding hands-on techniques, counseling; Answers questions/concerns about breastfeeding; Provides referrals for breastfeeding instruction.

Merced County Tobacco Use Prevention Program

260 E. 15th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-1270
Age: 14 - 18

- Trains students to conduct anti-tobacco awareness presentations; Conducts tobacco education & prevention activities; Regional/statewide conferences develop communication on tobacco prevention; advocacy skills among youth.

Merced County Office of Education

632 W. 13th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-6600
Age: 0 - 21 <http://www.mcoe.org/>

- Intermediary agency between CA Dept of Education & all MC school districts; Provides leadership to ensure every student a success by maximizing community, educational, business and family resources and other services (Multi-service organization).

Merced Lao Family Community, Inc.

855 W. 15th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 384-7384 Fax: (209) 384-1911.
All ages <http://www.laofamilymerced.com/>

- Counseling/crisis intervention/substance abuse prevention; Computer lab; internet access; Center for social activities/recreation/meetings.



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Merced Rescue Mission

1921 Canal Street (PO Box 3319)
Merced, CA 95340 (95348)
(209) 722-9269
<http://www.mercedmission.org/>

- Emergency homeless shelter/food/showers; Homeless drop-in center.

Mountain Crisis Services

5079 Hwy 140
Mariposa, CA 95338
(209) 742-5865
All ages

- 24 hour crisis line for domestic violence and sexual assault victims; Court advocacy/peer counseling/support groups; Emergency food, shelter & transportation if needed; Conducts high school support groups.

Merced Unit Boys and Girls Club of Merced County

615 W. 15th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 722-9922
Age: 6 - 18 <http://www.bgmerced.org/>

- Youth development agency provides educational & recreational activities. CORE program; all ages.

National Council on Alcoholism & Drug Dependence

12 W. 21st Street
New York, NY 10010
(800) 622-2255
All ages <http://www.ncadd.org/>

- Information/education on alcoholism & drug addiction.

Merced Worknet Plato Lab

1880 Wardrobe Avenue
Merced, CA 95341
(209) 724-2183 or (209) 724-2100
Age: 18 & up <https://www.mercedworknet.com/>

- Provides the preparation needed for people to pass GED; or improve basic skills in writing, reading & mathematics through an individualized computerized study program.

National Multiple Sclerosis Society - Northern Cal. Chapter

422 McHenry Street
Modesto, CA 95354
(800) 344-4867
Age: 18 & up <http://www.nationalmssociety.org/chapters/CAN/index.aspx>

- Provides services & agency information for persons with MS; Counseling/support groups for persons with MS; Provide brochures/newsletter on Multiple Sclerosis; Loan closet provides equipment for MS patients.

Migrant Education, Region 3

632 W. 13th Street, E4
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-6703
Age: 3 - 21

- Instructional services for migrant worker's children; Provide supplemental services to migrant students.

National Runaway Switchboard (NRS)

3080 N. Lincoln Avenue
Chicago, IL 60657
(800) 621-4000
All ages <http://www.1800runaway.org/>

- 24 hour crisis intervention for youth and their families; Message delivery service between youth/parents; Provides nonjudgmental support structure.



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New Beginnings Childbirth Courses

2740 M Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 384-6598
All ages

- Prepares expectant parents for birth

Parent Education Program

519 W. Main Street (PO Box 3707)
Merced, CA 95344
Youth

- Provides individualized programs to assist young parents in improving parenting skills; Links to vocational education programs

New Direction Employment

855 W. 15th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 384-7384
Age: 18 & up

- Job search program for non-citizen Southeast Asians.

Perry Yokley Family Development Center

740 Canal Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 723-3898
Age: K - 6th Grades

- Licensed Day Care provides before/after school services; After school program includes educational enhancements/tutoring; Computer literacy program for children.

Nurse Call Center of Mercy Hospital

2740 M Street
Merced, CA 95340
(800) 460-0072
All ages

- 24 hour nurse call center provides a health information library & directory; (IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911).

Planada Community Law Enforcement Office

9215 E. Highway 140
Planada, CA 95365
(209) 382-1150
All ages

- Law enforcement agency (contact for volunteer information); IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911.

Our Lady of Mercy St. Patrick's Parish

671 E. Yosemite Ave.
Merced, CA 95340 (95344)
(209) 383-3924
All ages <http://www.olmstpatrick.org/>

- Provides family/youth/marriage counseling/ worship services.

Planned Parenthood Mar Monte-Merced

3166 Collins Drive
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 723-7751 Fax: (209) 723-0295
Age: 13 - 55

- Health education classes; Teen mother support groups; Outreach; OB-GYN exams and Breast screening; Info and treatment for birth control, STDs, HIV/AIDS.



MERCED COUNTY YOUTH COUNCIL

Police Department (Atwater)

750 Bellevue Road
Atwater, CA 95301
(209) 357-6396
All ages

- Law enforcement agency (contact for volunteer information); IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911. Probation department (209) 357-7610.

Police Department (Merced - Central Station)

611 W. 22nd Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-6912
All Ages http://www.cityofmerced.org/depts/police/police_stations/default.asp

- Law enforcement agency IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911!

Police Department (Dos Palos)

1546 Golden Gate Avenue
Dos Palos, CA 93620
(209) 392-2176
All ages

- Law enforcement agency (contact for volunteer information); IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911.

Police Department (Merced - North Station)

1109 Loughborough Drive
Merced, CA 95348
(209) 385-6912
All ages http://www.cityofmerced.org/depts/police/police_stations/default.asp

- Law enforcement agency; IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911.

Police Department (Livingston)

1446 C Street
Livingston, CA 95334
(209) 394-7916
All ages

- Law enforcement agency; IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911. No Volunteer Services available.

Police Department (Merced - South Station)

470 W. 11th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-8836
All ages http://www.cityofmerced.org/depts/police/police_stations/default.asp

- Law enforcement agency; IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911.

Police Department (Los Baños)

945 5th Street
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 827-7070
All ages

- Law enforcement agency; IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911.

Polly Klaas Foundation

PO Box 800
Petaluma, CA 94953
(800) 587-4357
Age: 0 - 18 <http://www.pollyklaas.org/index.html>

- Assistance in the recovery of missing children; Legislative/regulatory support in child protection.



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Prenatal Outreach and Education

260 E. 15th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-1141
All ages

- Variety of support services for pregnant women; Provides interpretation for medical care; Transportation to medical/social service care; Education/referrals for tobacco/substance abusers.

Recovery Assistance for Teens (RAFT)

3313 G Street (El Portal Campus)
Merced, CA 95348
(209) 381-6880
Age: 12 - 17 <http://www.co.merced.ca.us/index.aspx?nid=78>

- Counseling/support groups services; Alcohol and drug education and treatment; Recreation/socialization for youth; Group and family counseling. Club Live/School Focus Program.

Probation Department - Adult Services

3184 M Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-1380
Age: 18 & up <http://www.co.merced.ca.us/index.aspx?nid=80>

- Law enforcement agency; IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911.

Recovery Assistance for Teens (RAFT) Livingston

1471 B Street, Suite N
Livingston, CA 95334
(209) 394-4032
Age: 12 - 17 <http://www.co.merced.ca.us/index.aspx?nid=78>

- Counseling/support groups services on Tuesday & Thursday; Alcohol and drug education and treatment; Recreation/socialization for youth; Group and family counseling.

Probation Department - Juvenile Services

2150 M Street 2nd Floor
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-7494 Fax: (209) 725-3999
<http://www.co.merced.ca.us/index.aspx?nid=80>

- Law enforcement agency; IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911.

Recovery Assistance for Teens (RAFT) Los Baños

40 W. G Street, Suite C
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 710-6100
Age: 12 - 17 <http://www.co.merced.ca.us/index.aspx?nid=78>

- Counseling/support groups services; Alcohol and drug education and treatment; Recreation/socialization for youth; Group and family counseling.

Public Health Field Nursing

260 E. 15th Street
Merced, CA 95348
(800) 649-6849
All ages

- Provides nursing assistance.

Re-Direct Program

1573 W. Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-5980 Fax: (209) 381-5979
Age: 9 - 18 <http://www.frc.merced.k12.ca.us/frcweb/>

- Provides parenting and school information; Delinquency/juvenile justice system information.



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Sacred Heart Catholic Church

9317 E. Amistad (PO Box 278)
Planada, CA 95365
(209) 382-0459
Age: 15 & up

- Provides emergency food services Fridays at 8:30 a.m. Youth group meets every Friday at 7:00 p.m.

Sexually Transmitted Disease Clinic/Merced Health Department

260 E. 15th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-1028
Age: 12 & up <http://www.co.merced.ca.us/index.aspx?nid=574>

- Provides examinations, lab testing, treatment, and counseling; Provides protective devices; free/confidential HIV testing; Community Education Program; Second Phone #: 381-1024 (Raul).

Santa Nella Community Law Enforcement Office

13193 S. Hwy 33, #8
Santa Nella, CA 95322
(209) 827-4357
All ages

- Law enforcement agency IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911!

Sheriff's Department North Area (Delhi)

9481 Shank Road
Delhi, CA 95315
(209) 385-7660
All ages

- Law enforcement agency (contact for volunteer information); IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911. Office closed to public.

Scholarships

- (See your school career counselor for scholarship info).

Sierra School

632 W. 13th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-5988 Fax: (209) 385-8417
Age: 1st - 12th Grades

- Provides public school services to youth with emotional disturbances; (Countywide - Needs the recommendation/referral from a teacher).

Second Baptist Church "Hot Lunch"

501 Q Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 723-4701

- Hot Lunch and Clothing; Monday - Friday 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Sierra Vista Child and Family Services

642 West Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 205-1058 Fax: (209) 205-1062
All Ages <http://sierravistacares.org/>

- The Parent Program; help for parents with strong willed children Foster Family and Adoption Services.



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Special Classes for the Severely Disabled

632 W. 13th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 381-6711
Age: 3 - 22

- Provides public school services to young people with severe disabilities; (Countywide).

The Girl's and Boy's Town National Hotline

CA
(800) 448-3000
All ages

- Provides 24 hour crisis intervention hotline; Provides crisis information and referrals to youth.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

131 W. Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 723-2404 or (209) 723-5077
All ages

- Provides bagged lunches, and directs people to other food assistance services. Provides emergency shelter/transportation/clothing; Must have bill with address, picture I.D/Medical cards or other form of ID; (school I.D okay to use for students).

Tranquility Village

559 Mendocino Court
Atwater, CA 95301
(209) 357-5200
Age: 18 & up

- Residential services to those seeking treatment for alcohol and drug abuse. Women with Children.

Student Volunteers of Mercy Hospital

333 Mercy Ave
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 564-5000
Age: 15 & up

- Strictly on a "volunteer" basis (no payment involved); Youth receive training and work experience while working in 1 of the 2 hospitals (Mercy Medical Care Centers); Youth Advisor: Janice Wilkerson.

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

1177 Fulton Mall
Fresno, CA 93721
(800) 375-5283
All ages <http://infopass.uscis.gov/index.php>

- Provides needed certificates & forms; legal/criminal justice services; Assists with Naturalization, legal residency, & travel information; Schedule appointment at <http://infopass.uscis.gov/index.php>; This office is CLOSED the first Friday of every month.

The Bus - Merced County Transit

880 Thornton Road
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-7600 Fax: (209) 725-3655
All ages

- Provides basic public transportation; Provides door-to-door para-transit services.

United for Life

PO Box 1041
Merced, CA 95341
(209) 383-5222
Age: 14 - 99

- Answering Service (call to see when a counselor is available); Provides pro-life literature, presentations, and newsletters; Provides statistics concerning abortion; Promotes respect for life from conception to natural death.



MERCED COUNTY YOUTH COUNCIL

United Way of Merced County

658 W. Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 383-4242

All ages <http://www.unitedwaymerced.org/>

- Info/referral to counseling/food/clothing/shelter; Information on volunteering opportunities; Funds agencies that provide human care services.

Victim Witness Assistance Program

720 W. 20th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-7385

All ages

- Supportive services to victims/witnesses of crime(s); Reimbursement to physical/emotional injured who suffered financial losses as a result of a violent crime.

Valley Caregiver Resource Center

3845 N. Clark Street, Suite 201
Fresno, CA 93704-1944
(800) 541-8614

Age: 18 & up

- Provides information, assistance, and respite to caregivers; Care giving related family counseling/consultation; Assists with legal issues related to care giving.

Vocational Industrial Clubs of America (VICA)

Age: K - 12th grades

- (See your high school counselor or career center).

Valley Community School

632 W. 13th Street (1850 Wardrobe Avenue)
Merced, CA 95340 (95340)
(209) 381-4501 Fax: 385-8308

Age: 5 - 19 <http://vcs.mercedlearn.org/>

- Provides education/support services to students K-12th grades; Prepares students to attain social, academic, & behavioral skills; Develops employability skills through career planning & vocational courses; Offers a wide range of extra-curricular activities.

Winton Community Law Enforcement Office

6600 Winton Way
Winton, CA 95388
(209) 357-4011 Fax: (209) 357-7150

All ages

- Law enforcement agency (contact for volunteer information); IF EMERGENCY, CALL 911. Mon. - Fri. 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Valley Crisis Center

1960 P Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 725-7900

All ages

- Services sexual assault/domestic violence victims; Provides counseling/advocacy; Provides domestic abuse victims with legal services.

Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) - Atwater

1160 - 1170 Third Street
Atwater, CA 95301
(209) 358-1593

All ages <http://www.mercedcaa.org/>

- Nutrition education for pregnant/post-partum/breastfeeding women; Breastfeeding education & support; temporary assistance to women & children; Supplemental food for pregnant women and children up to 5 years of age.



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Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC)-Dos Palos

1813 Blossom Street
Dos Palos, CA 93620
(209) 392-1102

Age: 0 - 55 <http://www.mercedcaa.org/>

- Nutrition education for pregnant/post-partum/breastfeeding women; Breastfeeding education & support; temporary assistance to women & children; Supplemental food for pregnant women and children up to 5 years of age.

Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC)-Planada

9222 E. Broadway (PO Box 675)
Planada, CA 95365
(209) 382-0844

Age: 0 - 55 <http://www.mercedcaa.org/>

- Nutrition education for pregnant/post-partum/breastfeeding women; Breastfeeding education & support; temporary assistance to women & children; Supplemental food for pregnant women and children up to 5 years of age.

Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC)-Livingston

2335 F Street
Livingston, CA 95334
(209) 394-4539

Age: 0 - 55 <http://www.mercedcaa.org/>

- Nutrition education for pregnant/post-partum/breastfeeding women; Breastfeeding education & support; temporary assistance to women & children; Supplemental food for pregnant women and children up to 5 years of age.

Worknet - Employment Resource Center (Los Baños)

800 7th Street
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 710-6140

Age: 14 & up <https://www.mercedworknet.com/>

- Assistance with job applications, resumes, cover letters, & interviews; Provides job referrals/latest job listings/resource directory/job library; Assists with exploring different career options; Plato lab.

Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC)-Los Baños

340 I Street
Los Baños, CA 93635
(209) 826-8128

Age: 0 - 55 <http://www.mercedcaa.org/>

- Nutrition education for pregnant/post-partum/breastfeeding women; Breastfeeding education & support; temporary assistance to women & children; Supplemental food for pregnant women and children up to 5 years of age. Hours: Monday - Thursday 7:00a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Worknet - Employment Resource Center (Merced)

1880 Wardrobe Avenue
Merced, CA 95341
(209) 724-2100 or (209) 724-2000

Age: 14 & up <https://www.mercedworknet.com/>

- Assistance with job applications, resumes, cover letters, & interviews; Provides job referrals/latest job listings/resource directory/job library; Assists with exploring different career options; Plato lab; Various organization representatives available most days of the week.

Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC)-Merced

1235 West Main Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 383-4859

Age: 0 - 55 <http://www.mercedcaa.org/>

- Nutrition education for pregnant/post-partum/breastfeeding women; Breastfeeding education & support; temporary assistance to women & children; Supplemental food for pregnant women and children up to 5 years of age. Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Yosemite Church

2230 E. Yosemite Avenue
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 383-5038

All ages <http://www.yosemitechurch.com/>

- Provides support and recovery groups; counseling; Home bible studies; Men's Promise Keepers groups.



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Youth Employment Opportunity Program (YEOP) - EDD

1205 W. 18th Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 726-5407
Age: 16 - 21

- Peer counseling; Employment preparation and job search skills; Career/college planning; Financial aid/scholarship/registration info; Assist with returning to or continuing school (high school and college); Referrals to supportive services; Does not provide any paid work experience.

Youth Enrichment Program (Family Service Center)

1180 E Street
Merced, CA 95340
(209) 385-6737
Age: 5 - 12

- Provides afterschool care/activities for children; Hours: 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Youth Enrichment Program (Peterson School)

848 E. Donna Drive
Merced, CA 95348
(209) 385-6716
Age: 5 - 12

- Provides afterschool care/activities for children; (Before school and off track also).



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