



HALIFAX SENIOR SERVICES DIRECTORY

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ALL KINDS OF HELP**Senior Solutions of Vermont**

Source of area services and information. Meals, help with Medicare, case management, caregiver support, pet support, veterans support, etc., for residents age 60 and up.

Call **1-802-885-2669** or **1-866-673-8376**

Visit website <https://SeniorSolutionsVT.org>

Want in-person help?

Stop by the Old Firehouse on Beaver Street in Wilmington
2nd & 4th Thursdays, 10:00-2:00

18 Beaver Street, Wilmington, VT (the old firehouse)

Want to volunteer?

Email volunteer@seniorsolutionsvt.org or apply at
<https://www.seniorsolutionsvt.org/volunteer/>

VOLUNTEERS IN HALIFAX

Improve this directory of services for Halifax seniors.

Email questions/suggestions: HalifaxCClub@gmail.com

CARETAKERS & HOME HEALTH AIDES**Aging Care Brattleboro**

Find in-home care and other assistance for aging in place (in your home). Visit website:

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

Care In Vermont

General home care, memory care, post-hospital care, hospice care

Call or email: **1-802-464-8333**,

CareInVermont@gmail.com

6 S. Main St., Wilmington

Community Assistance - United Way

This helpline can be reached on your phone (caregiver resources, mental health, new to the US...).

It is not for emergencies.

Call 211 to connect to sources of care.

Visit <https://www.211.org/> or **Call: 211**

State Resources for Seniors in Vermont

Get help paying for Senior Care (financial assistance, medical equipment, health insurance, prescription drugs, assistance at home, food assistance...).

Visit website

<https://www.payingforseniorcare.com/wp-content/uploads/UGG-PFSC-3398269-state-resource-pages-vermont.pdf>

COMMUNICATION**DVFiber**

Internet service. In Halifax, financial help is available (needs-based).

Call **1-844-383-6246**

Visit website <https://dvfiber.net>

FOOD**-- State****3SquaresVT**

A federal program run by Vt Dept Children & Families that gives you money to buy food. Funds are added to an EBT card (like a debit card) or deposited to your bank account. For age 60+ or getting disability payments, click on 3Squares in a SNAP on left side of screen.

Visit website

<https://dcf.vermont.gov/benefits/3SquaresVT>

SNAP program - EBT card (like a debit card)

Vermont Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) - money to buy food from farmers markets, grocery stores

Visit website <https://www.benefits.gov/benefit/1356>

-- Local**Deerfield Valley Food Bank**

Check for updates each month. Food pantry is located at:
7 Church St, Wilmington

Services

Options & Contact Information

Free food available 2 days per month; call or email for schedule or visit their website.

1-802-464-0148

contact@deerfieldvalleyfoodpantry.org

<https://www.deerfieldvalleyfoodpantry.org/>

Deerfield Valley Senior Meals

Every Tue & Thu at Noon, open at 11:30
\$5

**Whitingham Municipal Center
2948 Vt Route 100, Jacksonville**

Foodworks

Free groceries. Registration required. No income guidelines, just need to register by phone or in person. Open Mon 12-3, Tue 10-1 (Seniors only 10-noon), Wed 3-6, Thu 10-1, Fri 12-3

Visit the store at **41 Canal Street, Brattleboro**

Call: **1-802-490-2412**

<https://groundworksvt.org/programs/foodworks/>

Halifax Senior Meal

Third Fridays at Noon in the Halifax Community Hall
Halifax Community Hall, 20 Brook Road, West Halifax
Dine in or take-out from the Hall in West Halifax

Our Lady of Fatima

USDA Commodity Boxes (over age 60, income restrictions)
2nd Tuesday from 10:00-11:00 am.

Get supplemental foods (basics) at the church

Must register through Vermont Food Bank

Our Lady of Fatima, 96 East Main St, Wilmington

Readsboro Monthly Lunch

Low-cost or free lunch for all ages. Come Second Wednesdays at Noon.

1st Baptist, 7030 Main St, Readsboro

Veggie Van Go

Vegetables in season. Schedule is variable. Part of VT Foodbank.

Call for information: **1-800-585-2265**

<https://www.vtfoodbank.org/access-food/veggievango/>

HEALTH CARE**Brattleboro Walk-In Clinic**

Free, walk-in primary medical care for ages 18-64 on Tuesdays 5:00pm-6:30pm. Call if you are over 65 and having trouble getting in to see your own doctor.
1-802-251-8484, brattleborowalkinclinic@gmail.com
191 Clark Ave, Brattleboro

Deerfield Valley Rescue

Ambulances and EMT's in Jacksonville, Wilmington, and East Dover
 For non-emergency questions, call **1-802-464-5557**
For emergency services, call 911
 Call 911 ONLY in case of emergency
Transport out of state will incur charges!
 PO Box 854, 22 Stowe Hill Road
 Wilmington, VT 05363

SASH: Support and Services at Home

Free support services to people on Medicare living at home. SASH coordinates transportation, food, health care; provides wellness checks
 Call, email, or visit website
sash@cathedralsquare.org
1-802-863-2224 or toll-free 1-833-863-2224,
TTY/TTD: 1-800-253-0191
<https://sashvt.org/>

--Health Insurance**Medicaid:****Vermont Health Connect**

The state's health insurance marketplace offers Medicaid for adults and children.
 You can apply for Medicaid online, by phone, by mail, or with the help of a certified assister
 Online: Apply at **VermontHealthConnect.gov**
 By phone: Call **1-855-899-9600**
 By mail: Fill out a paper application and mail it to:
Vermont Health Connect

Application and Document Processing Center
280 State Drive
Waterbury, VT, 05671-8100

Medicaid Vermont

You can contact Medicaid in Vermont by calling
1-800- 250-8427

Vermont Premium Assistance (VPA)

This state program lowers your monthly health insurance bill based on your income.
 The state sends your VPA to your insurance company.

--Dental Care

United Way Annual Free Clinic

Free dental care. Call or visit United Way in Brattleboro to learn about free dental clinic.
1222 Putney Road, Suite 202, Brattleboro VT 05301
1-802-257-4011
 Info online at <https://www.unitedwaywindham.org/>

--Eye & Ear Care

Lions Club of Deerfield Valley

Free eyeglasses and hearing aids

Visit website choosing "Eyeglass and Hearing Aid Assistance", complete the form, email it, or mail it.

Form: <https://e-clubhouse.org/sites/whitinghamhalifax/>

Email to: dvvtlions@gmail.com

Mail to:

Deerfield Valley Lions
Sight and Hearing Chair
PO Box 367, Jacksonville VT 05342

HOME HEATING FUEL

DCF/ESD Fuel Assistance

Get help paying for household heating from Vermont's Dept for Children & Families / Economic Services Division
Call 1-800-479-6151

**Deerfield Valley
Community Cares**

Get help paying for household heating on a short-term basis from this community-based non-profit
Call 1-802-464-5872 after 3PM.

PropaneDover

Get help paying for household heating.
Join a fuel-buying group at a discount rate.
Call **1-802-464-3447**
Or visit website <https://propanedover.com/>

SEVCA Emergency Fuel

Get help paying for household heating
Call: **1-800-464-9951**
Fill out application for consideration.
<https://sevca.org/fuel-program>

**Vermont - Department
for Children and
Families**

Get help paying for household heating from Vermont's Dept for Children & Families. Call or complete an online form.
Call **1-800-479-6151**
Or complete online application:
<https://dcf.vermont.gov/benefits/fuel>

HOME REPAIR SERVICES

**Housing Rehabilitation
Committee**

Low-cost loans for home repairs for residents of three towns including Halifax
Call any of the 6 committee members:
Andy Rice, Chair 1-802-257-7982
T. Hunter Wilson 1-802-464-5129
Al Dacey 1-802-257-5879
Patty Webster 1-802-464-8153
Don McKinley 1-802-368-2376
Linda Donaghue 1-802-368-2313

HOME SAFETY

**Sheriff's Office
"Are You Okay?"**

Check-in calls for your well-being. Call, drop by the Sheriff's Office, or visit the website to set up a schedule.

1-802-365-4942

**Windham County Sheriff's Office, 185 Old Ferry Road,
Brattleboro**

<https://windhamcountylvt.gov/page.php?id=10>

Sheriff's Office

Emergency contact – call 1-802-365-4949

HOSPICE

Brattleboro Hospice

Non-medical hospice services

Call **1-802-257-0775**

Or visit the website **<https://brattleborohospice.org>**

Bayada Hospice

Medical hospice services

Vt Brattleboro Hospice, 1222 Putney Road, Suite 107

Call **1-802-490-2099**

Call **1-888-284-9565**

Or visit the website **<https://bayada.com/>**

HOUSE CLEANING

None at this time

Email **HalifaxCClub@gmail.com** to offer free or discount services in this category.

HELP COMPLETING FORMS

Senior Solutions

Help with tax returns, Homestead Credit filing, appealing/reapplying if denied assistance (Medicare or other), legal assistance, and so on.

Call **1-802-885-2669** or **1-866-673-8376**

Or visit website <https://SeniorSolutionsVT.org>

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LANDSCAPING

Email **HalifaxCClub@gmail.com** to offer free or discount services in these categories:

Snow plowing

None at this time

Shoveling your walkway

None at this time

Services

Options & Contact Information

**Clearing away
leaves/debris
Mowing the yard**

None at this time

None at this time

MEDICAL SERVICES

See Health Care

NEW TO TOWN

Grow Southern Vermont

Welcome wagon for newcomers, mixers for newcomers and locals, newsletter to connect people. Part of a statewide initiative.

Visit the website <https://sovermont.com/grow/>

Front Porch Forum

A locale-specific website community you join where you can look for things you want, find out about local events, etc.

Sign up for the "Halifax" forum at the website <https://frontporchforum.com/halifax/forum>

PETS

VDART-Southeast

Pet care during declared emergencies

Visit the website <https://vermontdart.org/>

Windham County Humane Society

Low-cost wellness care, spay/neuter program, and pet care assistance.

Call **1-802-254-2232**

Email petwellness@windhamcountyhumane.org

Visit clinic: **916 West River Road (Rte 30), Brattleboro**

Visit website

<https://www.windhamcountyhumane.org/pet-care-assistance>

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Free groceries including pet food. Registration required.

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Visit the store at **41 Canal Street, Brattleboro**

TAXES**Senior Solutions**

Help filing income taxes, homestead claim, state property tax rebate

Call **1-802-885-2669** or **1-866-673-8376**

Or visit website **<https://SeniorSolutionsVT.org>**

TRANSPORTATION**MOOVER**

Southern Vermont's fare-free public transit provider serving Windham and southern Windsor counties. Fixed routes in the Wilmington / Deerfield Valley System connect towns on Routes 100 and 9; Rockingham / Southeast Vermont System serves towns in the Connecticut River Valley. The MOOver also provides free door-to-door transportation for riders age 60 or over and for persons with ADA-defined disabilities. **For more information call 1-888-869-6287 or 1-802-460-7433** Monday to Friday 7:45am to 5:00pm.

<https://www.moover.com/elderly-disabled-medicaid-ada/>

SASH: Support and Services at Home

Free support services to people on Medicare living at home. SASH coordinates transportation, food, health care; provides wellness checks

Call, email, or visit website

sash@cathedralsquare.org

1-802-863-2224 or toll-free 1-833-863-2224;

TTY/TTD: 1-800-253-0191

<https://sashvt.org/>

TRASH & RECYCLING

None at this time

UTILITIES

See also "Home Heating Fuel" above

Green Mountain Power EAP Discount

Apply for the state's 25% discount for qualified low-income families on the GMP website

Visit the website

<https://greenmountainpower.com>

**Brattleboro Resource
Guide**

Windham County resources. Visit the website to see the online resource guide:

<https://www.unitedwaywindham.org/sites/unitedwaywindham/files/2024-02/2024%20Resource%20Guide.pdf>

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