



# 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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto: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

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

**1-802-464-0148**

**[contact@deerfieldvalleyfoodpantry.org](mailto: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](https://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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto: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

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**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](mailto:petwellness@windhamcountyhumane.org)

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

Visit website

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

#### **Foodworks**

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](mailto: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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