

Helpful Resources in Your Community

Kern County



REFERENCES & REFERRALS

- **211 Kern County:**
211 // www.211kerncounty.org
- **Kern County Dep't of Human Services:**
www.kcdhs.org/home-dhs
- **Kern County Network of Care:**
www.kern.networkofcare.org



BASIC NEEDS

- **CalWORKS—Kern County:**
www.cdss.ca.gov/calworks
- **California Department of Social Services:**
www.cdss.ca.gov



SHELTER / HOUSING

- **Kern County Homeless Shelters:**
www.shelterlistings.org/county/ca-kern-county.html
- **Kern County Housing Authority:**
www.kernha.org
- **Affordable Internet Service:**
www.affordableconnectivity.gov



DOMESTIC ISSUES

- **National Domestic Violence Hotline:**
800-799-SAFE // www.thehotline.org
- **ChildHelp—Child Abuse Hotline:**
800-4-A-CHILD // www.childhelp.org
- **Kern Co. Child Well-being**
661-636-4000 // www.kern.org/kcnc/
- **Kern County Domestic Violence Resources:**
www.kcdhs.org/resources/domestic-violence



SUBSTANCE ABUSE

- **Alcoholics Anonymous —Kern County:**
www.kerncountyaa.com
- **Narcotics Anonymous —Kern County:**
877-629-6759 // www.kcna.org

CRISIS RESOURCES

- **911 Emergency FIRE/Police/Paramedics:**
911
- **Suicide Prevention Hotline:**
800-807-7250 // www.didihirsch.org
- **California Youth Crisis Line:**
800-800-843-5200 // www.calyouth.org/cycl/



FOOD

- **CalFresh Program:**
1-877-847-3663 // www.calfresh.dss.ca.gov
- **Kern County Food Pantries:**
www.kernpublichealth.com/food-distribution



HEALTH CARE/MENTAL HEALTH

- **Medi-Cal:**
800-541-5555 // www.dhcs.ca.gov
- **Kern County Public Health Services:**
661-321-3000 // www.kernpublichealth.com
- **Kern County Mental Health Department:**
www.kernbhhs.org



EMPLOYMENT

- **CalJOBS:**
www.caljobs.ca.gov
- **California Employment Development Dep't.**
www.edd.ca.gov
- **Kern County Workforce:**
www.etronline.com/wib-menu.asp
- **Career One Stop:**
servicelocator.org



FAMILY & CHILDREN

- **First 5 of Kern County:**
661-328-8888 // www.first5kern.org
- **Kern County Child Support Services:**
866-901-3212 // www.kerncountychildsupportservices.com

