

BUENA VISTA COUNTY

Buena Vista County Attorney's Office

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TYPES OF SERVICE:

Provides assistance to federal victims and witnesses.

Buena Vista County Sheriff

Buena Vista County Courthouse
215 E. 5th St., Lower Floor
Storm Lake, IA 50588
(712) 749-2530
FAX: (712) 732-3397

Storm Lake Police Department

401 E. Milwaukee Ave.
Storm Lake, IA 50588-1086
(712) 732-8010
FAX: (712) 749-5172

Buena Vista County Clerk of District Court

Buena Vista County Courthouse
215 E. 5th. St.
P.O. Box 1186
Storm Lake, IA 50588
(712) 749-2546
FAX: (712) 749-2700

Iowa Legal Aid

(Northwest Regional Office)
520 Nebraska St., Suite 337
Sioux City, IA 51101-1306
(712) 277-8686 (800) 352-0017
FAX (712) 277-2554

TYPES OF SERVICE:

Free legal service to people meeting low income guidelines.

SERVES THE FOLLOWING VICTIMS:

All victims.

FEE INFORMATION:

Filing fees and out of pocket expenses, but no charge for legal services.

SERVES THE FOLLOWING COUNTIES:

Cherokee, Clay, Dickinson, Ida, Lyon, Monona, O'Brien, Osceola, Plymouth, Sac, Sioux, & Woodbury

Legal Hotline for Older Iowans:

1111 9th. St., Suite 230
Des Moines, IA 50314
(515) 992-8161 (800) 992-8161
WEB: www.lawhelp.org/program/898/

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SERVES THE FOLLOWING**COUNTIES:**

Statewide

Buena Vista County General Relief/VA Assistance

Courthouse Annex
1709 E. Richland
P.O. Box 1332
Storm Lake, IA 50588
(712) 749-2706
FAX: (712) 749-2549
HOURS: 8:00 – 4:30
Monday – Friday

Veterans Service Officer

215 E. 5th. Street Box 220
Storm Lake, IA 50588
Office: (712) 749-2562
FAX: (712) 749-2704

TYPES OF SERVICE:

Provides necessities: rent, food, clothing, utilities, medical care, and makes referrals to other assistance programs.

SERVES THE FOLLOWING VICTIMS:

Contact the county office for specifics.

FEE INFORMATION:

No fee.

C.A.S.A. Third District

(Court Appointed Special Advocates)
%Buena Vista County Courthouse
215 East 5th. Street
P.O. Box 1186
Storm Lake, IA 50588
(712) 749-5184
FAX: (712) 749-2560
WEB: <http://www.casenet.org>

TYPES OF SERVICE:

Assists children going through the court system

SERVES THE FOLLOWING VICTIMS:

Victims of child abuse and neglect.

FEE INFORMATION:

Free of charge

SERVES THE FOLLOWING**COUNTIES:**

Buena Vista, Cherokee, Crawford, & Ida

Northwest Aging Association

714 10th Ave. East
P.O. Box 213
Spencer, IA 51301
(712) 262-1775 (800) 242-5033
FAX: (712) 262-7520
WEB: www.siouxlandaging.org

TYPES OF SERVICE:

Transportation, outreach, congregate meals, legal services, counseling, homemaker, home health, home-delivered meals, chore maintenance, respite, adult day care, case management and advocacy.

SERVES THE FOLLOWING VICTIMS:

Older Iowans age 60+.

FEE INFORMATION:

Voluntary contribution basis.

SERVES THE FOLLOWING**COUNTIES:**

Clay, Dickinson, Emmet, Lyon, O'Brien, Osceola, Palo Alto, & Sioux

Council Against Domestic Abuse & Sexual Assault

Box 963
Cherokee, IA 51012
(712) 225-5003

HOTLINE: (800) 225-7233

FAX: (712) 225-5003

TYPES OF SERVICE:

24 hr. crisis line, crisis counseling, follow-up counseling, group counseling, shelter/safehouse, information/referral, legal advocacy, personal advocacy, community education, emergency financial assistance.

SERVES THE FOLLOWING VICTIMS:

Domestic abuse, adult sexual abuse, adult survivors of incest.

FEE INFORMATION:

No fee for services. Donations accepted.

SERVES THE FOLLOWING COUNTIES:

Cherokee, Ida & Sac

Spencer Family Care Avera Health

116 E. 11th. St. #101
Spencer, IA 51301
(712) 264-3500

TYPES OF SERVICE:

Counseling. Refers clients to sources of financial assistance. Medical examinations.

SERVES THE FOLLOWING VICTIMS:

Adult and child sexual, physical, & domestic abuse.

FEE INFORMATION:

Accepts Medicaid & Medicare.

SERVES THE FOLLOWING COUNTIES:

Buena Vista, Clay, Emmet, O'Brien, Osceola & Palo Alto

The Crittenton Center

P.O. Box 295
303 W. 24th. Street
Sioux City, IA 51102-295
(712) 255-4321
FAX: (712) 252-4743

TYPES OF SERVICE:

Emergency shelter(child), delinquency prevention, child abuse prevention(families), child care, adoption search, emergency foster care, parenting classes, outpatient maternity care.

SERVES THE FOLLOWING VICTIMS:

Victims and survivors of child abuse, domestic abuse, sexual abuse/assault, neglect and denial of care.

FEE INFORMATION:

Sliding fee scale, private pay & insurance.

SERVES THE FOLLOWING COUNTIES:

Cherokee, Clay, Crawford, Dickinson, Emmet, Ida, Kossuth, Lyon, Monona, O'Brien, Osceola, Palo Alto, Plymouth, Sioux, & Woodbury.