

## **Student Resources**

### **Resources Available to Students on Campus:**

#### **EKU Counseling Center:**

“As an agency, the ECU Counseling Center is committed to the promotion and celebration of diversity in all of its forms. We seek to provide a safe, welcoming, and affirming environment for all persons that seek our services-our doors are open to ALL CURRENTLY ENROLLED ECU STUDENTS!”

Website: [counseling.eku.edu](http://counseling.eku.edu)

Hours of operation: Mon-Fri 8am.-11am- 12:30 pm-3pm

Location: Whitlock 571

Phone: 859-622-1303

#### **Student Success Center:**

The Student Success Center is designed to serve as a one-stop-shop where students can get assistance with an array of areas like course work, financial aid, study skills, choosing a major, course registration, stress management, and much more.

Website: [successcenter.eku.edu](http://successcenter.eku.edu)

Hours of Operation: Monday-Wednesday: 8am-8pm Thursday and Friday: 8am-5pm (Crabbe)

M-F 8am-4:30pm (Whitlock)

Location: Crabbe Library 106D (basement) and Whitlock Guru Hub (1<sup>st</sup> floor)

Phone: 859-622-7861

#### **EKU Rides:**

“EKU Rides helps you offer or request rides for commutes, road trips, and popular events. If you have a car, split costs by offering rides. If you don't have a car, find rides where you need to go.”

Website: [rides.eku.edu](http://rides.eku.edu)

**Eastern Scholar House:**

“Eastern Scholar House is not a student housing program. Rather, it is a combination of education supports with access to housing and child development services all of which are interdependent. Connections to educational supports such as academic tutoring, financial literacy, employment assistance and access to community based services will be provided.”

Website: [www.foothillscap.org/Services/EasternScholarHouseProgram](http://www.foothillscap.org/Services/EasternScholarHouseProgram)

Address: 309 Spangler Drive, Richmond, KY

Phone: 859-624-2046, ext. 1135

**EKU Green Dot:**

EKU Green Dot works to prevent violence and improve the safety of the campus community through education, awareness, and bystander intervention. Our presentations to campus groups focus on how bystanders can intervene in troubling situations to stop dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking when they see it

Website: [greendot.eku.edu](http://greendot.eku.edu)

Location: Jones 417

Phone: (859)-622-8020

## **Community Resources Available to Students**

### **Health Department:**

Your local health department is a great way to get health access. They are able to provide certain vaccines and other health care needs at an affordable rate or free (based on income).

### **Food Stamps/WIC:**

Need a steady food allowance? This office is able to help people (based on income/dependents) have an allowance for food for each month. Contact them today to see how they can help you not experience food insecurity.

### **HUD:**

Need housing assistance? HUD is used to help people who may need help paying for a place to live. Many areas already have housing that is made for vouchers that HUD could provide to make sure you have a place to live. Contact your local office to see if you qualify!

### **Pregnancy Outreach:**

Pregnant? Need assistance on what comes next? Pregnancy outreach centers are setup to help you take the next steps when it come to your pregnancy.

### **KY River Foothills Transit:**

Need a ride locally? This public transportation wants to be able to provide rides at an affordable rate for residents in Richmond. Go to their website or call to get more info on how to use this source of public transportation.

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### **Student Success Center:**

“Provides integrated advice, direction, and access to high-impact services that promote success.”

### **Ampersand Sexual Violence Resource Center of the Bluegrass:**

If you or someone you know has been affected by sexual violence, you can find help and support at the Ampersand Sexual Violence Resource Center. Free and confidential services are available that help provide medical, legal, and counseling advocacy.

### **Arbor Youth Services**

Young Adults between 18 and 24 are eligible for Arbor Youth's services if they are homeless. For the program, young adults staying with friends or relatives are not usually eligible, but each case is assessed individually. Arbor Youth Services provides a wide range of key services for homeless young adults ages 18-24. They operate under a "Housing First" framework, so they do not require their clients to be drug free before they are assisted them with housing. Clients are sorted into one program or the other based on their need. Case management is also provided to every client.

## **Community Resource Information by County**

### **Madison County:**

#### **Health Department Info:**

Hours of operation: M: 8am-6pm, T: 8:00AM-4:30PM, W: 8AM–4:30PM, Th: 8AM–4:30PM, F: 8AM–12PM, Closed on Weekends

Phone: (859) 623-7312

Address: 214 Boggs Ln, Richmond, KY 40475

#### **Food Stamps/WIC Office Info:**

##### Richmond:

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday: 8:00AM-4:30PM, Closed on Weekends

Phone: (859) 626-5833

Address: 304 Anna Hume Blvd, Richmond, KY 40476-2045

##### Berea:

Phone: (855) 306-8959

Address: 204 Pauline Dr, Berea, KY 40403-0461

You may also apply for SNAP benefits online at [benefind.ky.gov](http://benefind.ky.gov)

#### **HUD Info:**

Richmond Section 8 Housing:

Phone: 859-623-1000

Address: 118 N. 2<sup>nd</sup> St, Richmond, KY

Richmond HUD Office:

Address: 402 Smith Village. Richmond, KY 40475

Hours of Operation: Open Monday-Friday 7:30AM-4PM. Closed on Weekends.

Phone Number: (859)-623-1321

#### **Pregnancy Outreach Info:**

Hours of operation: Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday/Thursday: 9am-4pm

Phone: (859) 624-3942

Address: 227 W Irvine St, Richmond, KY

Appointments can be made at [madisonphc.org](http://madisonphc.org)

**Kentucky River Foothills Express Info:**

Hours of operation: M-F 8am-5pm

Bus route info: [www.foothillscap.org/](http://www.foothillscap.org/)

Phone: 859-624-2046

Address: 309 Spangler Drive, Richmond, KY

**Ampersand Sexual Violence Resource Center of the Bluegrass:**

Formerly Known as Bluegrass Rape Crisis Center

24hr hotline: 1.800.656.4673

Phone: (859) 625-02

## **Fayette County**

### **Food Stamps/WIC/Welfare Office Info (Department for Community Based Services):**

Address: 455 Park Place. Suite 120B. Lexington, KY 40511

Phone: (855) 306-8959

You may also apply for SNAP benefits online at [benefind.ky.gov](http://benefind.ky.gov)

### **HUD Info:**

Address: 300 New Circle Road Lexington, KY 40505

Phone: (859) 281-5060

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00AM-4:30PM. Closed on Weekends

### **Pregnancy Outreach Info:**

#### **Planned Parenthood**

Address: 268 Southland Dr. #120. Lexington, KY 40503

Phone: (859) 252-8494

Appointments Available At: [docasap.com](http://docasap.com)

#### **Family Counseling Service**

Address: 1393 Trent Blvd. #3. Lexington, KY 40517

Phone: (859) 233-0033

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Lexington Office:

Address: 2025 Regency Road. Lexington, KY 40503

Business Phone: (859) 253-2615

Crisis Phone: (859) 253-2511

**Arbor Youth Serivces**

Address: 536 W Third Street. Lexington, Ky 40508

Phone: (859) 254-2501



**Garrard County:**

**Food Stamps/WIC Office Info:**

Address: 136 Commerce Drive Lancaster, KY 40444

Phone: (855) 306-8959

You may also apply for SNAP benefits online at [benefind.ky.gov](http://benefind.ky.gov)

**HUD Info:**

Address: 109 Kinnaird Avenue, Lancaster, KY 40444

Phone: (859) 792-3813

**Health Department:**

Address: 89 Farra Dr. Lancaster, Ky 40444

Hours of Operation: Monday/Wednesday/Thursday 8:00AM-4:30PM, Tuesday 8:00AM-6:00PM, Friday 8:00AM-12:00PM

Phone: (859)-792-2153

**Rockcastle County:**

**Food Stamps/WIC Office Info:**

Address: 45 US Highway 150 Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

Phone: (855) 306-8959

You may also apply for SNAP benefits online at [benefind.ky.gov](http://benefind.ky.gov)

**HUD Info:**

Address: 50 Lovell Lane Mount Vernon, KY 40456

Phone: (606) 256-4185

**Pregnancy Outreach:**

Family Support

Address: 45 New Broadhead Road, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

Phone: (502)-564-3440

Protection and Permanency

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00AM-4:30PM. Closed on Weekends

Address: 125 West Main Street

Phone: (606) 256-2138

**Health Department:**

Address: 120 Richmond St. Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00AM-5:30PM

Phone: (606)-256-1841