IL South Conference Clothing Resource Directory

Purpose

To equip churches and pastors with accessible information on clothing resources—both regional and local—throughout IL South Conference. This directory reflects the Mission Committee's shared commitment to respond to the priorities identified in our survey of all the churches earlier this year.

Note

(Service availability may change due to funding and/or volunteer capacity. **Please** call the agencies directly to confirm current services before sending someone in need. We have endeavored to provide accurate information; but, we have not directly contacted all specific entities.)

How To Use

The beginning section identifies resources that serve almost all communities in IL South. If your specific community or nearby communities do not have services, a person in need of clothing may find clothing through the resources identified at the beginning of this directory.

The second part of this directory alphabetically lists every community where a UCC church is located. If there are no nearby clothing resources, pastors should search the services at the beginning of the directory which serve broad geographic areas.

Services Covering Broad Geographic Areas

These resources are not limited to specific towns and may serve individuals across Southern Illinois and neighboring regions.

Phone & Internet-Based Resources

Dial "211"

A free, United Way-funded referral service available throughout Illinois and surrounding states. Call to speak with a trained specialist familiar with a wide range of services including clothing assistance in your ZIP code or in the closest resource to you.

Findhelp.org

A national online directory offering access to clothing and other resources. Includes specialized listings for cancer patients, transgender and non-binary individuals (e.g., chest compression garments), preemie clothing, and other special populations.

Facebook & Community Platforms

Local groups and pages often post clothing giveaways and emergency resources. Search by town or region.

Community Action Agencies (CAC)

CACs provide numerous social services and serve as information hubs. The entire state is covered. Use the following link to find the one you need - https://www.iacaanet.org/

Search Engines & Chambers of Commerce

These can help identify thrift stores, clothing banks, and seasonal programs not listed in formal directories.

Agencies Serving Multiple Communities

Salvation Army

Offers support for individuals facing job loss, disaster, medical crises, or other hardships. Services may include housing assistance, utility support, meals, **clothing**, transportation, and thrift store access.

Belleville / East St. Louis

4102 West Main St. (20 Glory Place), Belleville, IL 62226

Phone: 618-235-7378

Granite City

3007 E 23rd St, Granite City, IL 62040

Phone: 618-876-9110

Marion

906 Tower Square Plaza, Marion, IL 62959

Phone: 618-997-2123

Known Partner Agencies & Churches Distributing Salvation Army Aid

Community Care Center

Coordinates with Salvation Army's 360 Life Center for food pantry referrals and emergency assistance.

1818 Cleveland Blvd, Granite City, IL

St. John United Church of Christ

Participates in seasonal Salvation Army programs like Angel Tree and coat drives. 2901 Nameoki Rd, Granite City, IL

Lighthouse Shelter (Marion)

Receives support from Salvation Army Marion Corps for transitional housing and emergency services.

1101 N Madison St, Marion, IL

Victory Dream Center (Carbondale)

Collaborates with Salvation Army for food distribution and outreach.

607 E College St, Carbondale, IL

Goodwill Stores

Goodwill partners with social service agencies provide **clothing vouchers**. Churches near larger trade areas (e.g., Alton, Effingham, Paducah KY, Evansville IN) may benefit even if not directly located in those cities. Contact individual Goodwill store managers to learn how to obtain clothing vouchers.

Belleville

5720 N Belt W #32, Belleville, IL 62226

Phone: 618-355-7860

Carbondale

1145 E Main St, Carbondale, IL 62901

Phone: 618-457-1451

Granite City

3250 Nameoki Rd, Granite City, IL 62040

Phone: 618-876-0600

Marion

2812 Outer Dr, Marion, IL 62959

Phone: 618-997-1455

Note: Numerous thrift stores exist in IL South communities. Some may offer additional discounts or free items for individuals in need.

Catholic Charities of Southern Illinois

Call 618-722-5015 for information about a wide range of services.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Provides clothing and financial assistance to those in need.

13 Vieux Carre Drive, East St. Louis, IL 62203

Phone: 618-394-0126

Catholic Urban Programs (CUP)

Offers shelter, food, clothing, and crisis intervention.

7 Vieux Carre Drive, East St. Louis, IL 62203

Phone: 618-398-5616

Website: https://catholicurbanprograms.org/crisis-intervention

Town	Local Services and nearest services	Other Notes
Name		
Addieville	None listed locally. Addieville is roughly equidistant from services located in Belleville / East Saint Louis and Centralia.	Contact services indicated in the beginning.
Alhambra	None listed locally. See Godfrey / Alton / Brighton	Contact services indicated in the beginning.
Belleville	Contact services in Belleville indicated at the beginning.	
Biddleborn	None listed locally. See Belleville.	Contact services indicated in the beginning.
Breese	None listed locally. See Centralia & Highland	Contact services indicated in the beginning.
Brighton	Saint Paul United Methodist Church Clothing Program Free clothing, etc. Many churches collaborate in giveaways. Tuesdays at 2 PM Nearby Catholic Charities 3512 McArthur Blvd, Alton (618) 462-0634 Community Hope Center 1201 Hope Center Ln, Cottage Hills (618) 259-0959 Crisis Food Center 21 E. 6th St, Alton (618) 462-8201	Contact services indicated in the beginning. Services are available in Godfrey, Alton, Cottage Hills & Wood River
Carbondale	The Center for Empowerment and Justice 213 N Washington St (618) 457-4222 cej213.org	Contact services indicated at the beginning. Multiple agencies and churches offer clothing assistance.

Carbondale Warming Center

608 E College St (618) 457-5794 cwcentered.org

The Thrift Shop

215 N Illinois Ave (618) 457-8165 Facebook page

Clarity Women's Care

241 S Lewis Ln (618) 457-5433 claritywomenscare.org

Good Samaritan Ministries

701 S Marion St (618) 457-0323 goodsamcarbondale.com

The Little Resource Center

801 E Walnut St (618) 457-0323 Facebook page

Survivor Empowerment Center

610 S Thompson St (618) 529-2324 empoweringsurvivors.org

Renew Secondhand Store

1130c E Walnut St (618) 457-8165 renewsecondhandstore.org

Victory Dream Center

607 E College St (618) 351-8018 victorydreamcenter.org

University Baptist Church

700 S Oakland Ave (618) 457-0323 – Free

(618) 457-0323 – Free clothing closet, access once per month

Good Samaritan
Ministries and
Victory Dream
Center are especially
active.
Night's Shield in
West Frankfort also
serves at-risk youth

outreach.

Potential clothing resources

with clothing and

Calvary Campus
Church

501 W Main St calvarycampuschurc h.com

Olivet Free Will Baptist Church 409 N Marion St

New Beginnings Community Church

2605 W Striegel Rd nbccotn.weebly.com

Door the Christian Fellowship

112 S Illinois Ave – cdaledoorcfm.com

Carbondale Church of Christ

1805 W Sycamore St carbondalecoc.com

Carlinville	Catholic Charities "The Thrift Store" Offers low-cost clothing with free assistance available when needed Store hours: Mon–Fri 9am–4pm, Sat 9am–12pm 20 Carlinville Plaza (217) 854-3029	Community Hope Center (618) 259-0959 Cottage Hills also serves this area. Also see beginning services
Carlyle	Carlyle Christian Church Hosts free clothing giveaways for infants, children, and adults 1025 Lake Road – (618) 594-3489 Carlyle Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary Offers school supply and clothing events seasonally 431 Franklin Street	Events may be seasonal—check with church or fire department for current availability. See Centralia. See services in the beginning.
Centralia / Central City	Centralia First United Methodist Church Free clothing Tuesdays 9–11 AM 103 S. Elm St (618) 532-7361 Salvation Army Centralia Corps 216 S Commercial St & 303 N. Gold St – (360) 736-4339 Eternity Baptist Church Clothing giveaway Thursdays 4–6 PM 500 W McCord St (618) 532-9596 Dream Center Free Clothes Closet 851 E 2nd St – victorydreamcenter.org – By appointment United Way "United We Give" – Contact Natalie Shook – (618) 242-8000 www.uwsci.org Calumet Street Christian Church Free clothing in fall and spring (618) 533-4421 2240 E. Calumet St	Contact services indicated in the beginning. Multiple churches and agencies offer seasonal and appointment-based clothing assistance. United Way may expand services in this area.

Centralia /	MERS Goodwill Centralia Retail Store	
Central City	Ask about free clothing for those in need.	
(Cont)	1305 W Broadway	
	(618) 545-0151	
	BCMW Community Services	
	909 East Rexford Street, Centralia, Illinois 62801	
	(618) 532 - 7388	
Collinsville	Compassion Center	Contact both
	Free clothing, shoes, and personal hygiene care store that	services directly for
	is open to the public Wednesdays from 5 to 6:30 p.m.	hours and eligibility.
	1105 Beltline Road	Serves broader
	1100 20111110 10000	Metro East region.
	Faith In Action	0
	Numerous services	See services in the
	618-344-8080	beginning of this
	lbrennan@fiacollinsville.org	document.
Columbia	No direct listings found.	Refer to services in
Ootambla	Check nearby towns such as Waterloo or Belleville for	the beginning of this
	_	document.
	potential resources.	document.
Darmstadt	No direct listings found. Check Belleville / East Saint	Refer to services in
	Louis	the beginning of this
	Also see Freeburg	document.
DuBois	DuBois Alliance Church Free Clothes Closet	Refer to services in
2420.0	Services are appointment-based and run during specific	the beginning of this
	hours (Monday-Friday, 9 AM to 12 PM)	document. May be
		served by nearby
	Call (618) 371-7471	services in Mt.
		Vernon or Centralia.
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Dupo	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	
	Refer to nearby services in the beginning of this	
	document.	
DuQuoin	DuQuoin Community Clothes Closet, Inc	
	Provides clothing assistance to community members in	
	need.	
	314 N Maple St, Du Quoin, IL,	
	Check their Facebook page	
	Elkville Baptist Church Clothes Closet	
	Saturdays from 9-11 AM	
	Located in Elkville, IL.	
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DuQuoin	Also try	
(Cont)	Legacy Reentry Foundation – Community Closet –	
,	Offers free clothing, household items, and essentials for	
	justice-impacted individuals and families	
	Thursdays & Fridays 11am–2pm	
	[legacyreentryfoundation.org](https://www.legacyreentryfoundation.org/community-closet)	
East Saint	See East Saint Louis services in the beginning of this	
Louis	document.	
Edwardsvill	Glen-Ed Pantry	Other locations may
е	Offers food and clothing assistance.	offer clothing through donation-
	125 5th Ave	based programs or
	(618) 656-7506	partner outreach.
	glenedpantry.org	
	Main Street Community Co. 4. D. J. D. 4	See services in the
	Main Street Community Center Resale Boutique	beginning and in
	Accepts and redistributes clothing donations 1003 N Main St	Wood River, Cottage Hills, & Collinsville.
		rints, & Commsvide.
	(618) 656-0300	
Evansville	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	See services in the
	Randolph County Resource Guide lists regional	beginning of this
	support agencies	document.
	https://comwell.us/wp-	
	content/uploads/2024/06/2024RandolphCountyR	
	esourceGuide.pdf.	
Fairview	Fairview Heights Church of Christ	See services in the
Heights	Clothing Closet open first four Tuesdays of each month,	beginning of this
	9–10:30 AM	document and
	9955 Bunkum Rd	nearby communities
	(618) 397-1659	Belleville, East Saint
	fairviewheightschurch.org	Louis, etc.
Farina	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	See services in the
		beginning of this
		document.
Fieldon	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	See services in the
		beginning of this
		document.
		Jerseyville and

		Godfrey may offer nearby support.
Floraville	No confirmed free clothing programs found. See Freeburg	Contact services indicated in the beginning.
Freeburg	Freeburg Food and Clothing Bank (St. Paul's UCC) Free clothing available to families in Freeburg, Smithton, Floraville, Paderborn, St. Libory, and Fayetteville. Open to public on 4th Friday of each month very low prices, 9–11 AM (https://www.freeburg.com/?SEC=DE61FA13-FD63- 4CAB-A760-CA4B890A8839) (618) 539-5744 / 539-5427 / (618) 539-3306 1050 N. State St	No income guidelines for emergency help. Monthly pantry has eligibility requirements. See also services in the beginning.
Godfrey	Crisis Food Center Provides gently used or new clothing at no cost 21 E 6th St, Alton (618) 462-8201 crisisfoodcenter.org	Contact services indicated in the beginning.
	Catholic Charities Provides clothing 3512 McArthur Blvd, Alton (618) 462-0634 Salvation Army Alton Corps	These agencies serve Godfrey and surrounding areas. Clothing availability may depend on donations—call ahead to confirm.
	525 Alby St, Alton (618) 465-7764 Operation Blessing PTC 18 E Lorena Ave, Wood River (618) 251-8280	
	Community Care Center 1818 Cleveland Blvd, Granite City (618) 876-8770 Guardian Angel Food Pantry 3512 McArthur Blvd, Alton	
	(618) 462-0634	

Granite City	KidsRock Closet – Granite City Church	See nearby services
	Offers free kids' clothing (6 items per visit) child-focused	identified in the
	outreach to transitional and health-based support. Contact each location directly to confirm services.	beginning of this document
	(https://granitecity.org/connect/news-and-events/now-	document
	open-the-kidsrock-closet)	
	open the mattern crosses,	
	Blessed Threads Thrift Shop and Resource Center	
	Offers clothing, baby formula, and hygiene items	
	(618) 823-7686	
	3901 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach	
	Community Care Center	
	May offer clothing or referrals	
	(618) 876-8770	
	1818 Cleveland Blvd	
	MERS Goodwill	
	Ask about clothing vouchers	
	(618) 452-0350	
	2008 Madison Ave	
	Oxford House Network	
	Halfway house in Granite City. May provide clothing	
	and essentials during intake.	
	2226 State St, Granite City, IL 62040	
	Multiple locations	
Grantfork	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	See services in the
	See Highland.	beginning of this
		document.
Hamel	None listed locally.	See services in the
	See services in nearby Edwardsville	beginning of this
		document.
Hecker	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	See services in the
	See Waterloo / Freeburg	beginning of this
		document.
Highland	Highland Community Closet on Facebook,	Contact services
	Free clothing	directly for hours
	(618) 792-9566	and eligibility.
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Highland	Holly's House of Hope	Resale Store are
i ligilialiu	Offers low-cost clothing and household items; may	most consistently
(cont)	provide free clothing in emergency cases. May require a	active. Churches
	voucher from a partnering agency for their community	may offer seasonal
	store.	support.
	1000 Zschokke St	support.
	(866) 544-6559	
	Hope Resale Store	
	Highland Area Christian Service Ministry (HACSM)	
	Offers food pantry and may assist with clothing referrals.	
	1001 Broadway	
	(618) 654-6061	
	900 Chestnut St	
	(618) 654-9296	
	Relevant Church	
	Hosts periodic clothing giveaways and outreach events 1600 W Tower Rd –	
	(618) 882-6234	
Hookdale	No direct listings found.	Refer to services in
	See Highland (25 miles)	the beginning of this
		document.
Hoyleton	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	Refer to services in
		the beginning of this
		document.
Irvington	No formal clothing programs listed.	Refer to services in
	See nearby Centralia	the beginning of this
		document.
Jerseyville	Miss Martha's Closet @ GFMC (Got Faith?	
	Ministry)	
	Clothes closet in addition to their low-cost thrift store.	
	See their Facebook page for details	
	Angel Ministries of Jersey County	
	Provides free clothing and other essential items	
	located on Facebook at AngelMinistriesJC	
	Open Tuesdays & Saturdays 9am-1pm - Clothing	
	\$2/item, no income requirements – gotfaithonline.org	
	508 W Pine St	
	(618) 567-5877	
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Jerseyville	Tri County Charitable Ministries	
Jerseyville	Tri-County Charitable Ministries Offers free furniture and household goods, may assist	
	with clothing – Facebook page	
	(618) 946-4535	
Johannisbu		Refer to services in
	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	
rg		the beginning of this document.
		document.
Lebanon	No direct listings found.	Refer to services in
	Refer to services in Belleville, Freeburg or Fairview	the beginning of this
	Heights.	document.
Lenzburg	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	Refer to services in
J	See New Athens, Freeburg & Belleville	the beginning of this
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Maeystown	No confirmed free elething measures found	Refer to services in
Maeystown	No confirmed free clothing programs found. See Waterloo	
	See Waterioo	the beginning of this document.
		document.
Marine	No direct listings found for free clothing.	See services in the
	See services in Edwardsville or Highland	beginning of this
		document.
Marion	Survivors Empowerment Center	Contact services
	Telephone: (618) 549-4807	indicated at the
	TTY: (866) 979-6636	beginning.
	24-Hour Crisis Hotline: (800) 334-2094	Multiple agencies
	execassistant@empoweringsurvivors.org	and churches offer
		clothing assistance
	Southern Illinois Coalition for the Homeless	directly or through
	1009 W Cherry St	seasonal programs.
	(618) 993-0094	Marion Ministerial
	sihomelesscoalition.org	Alliance is
		especially active and
	Renew Secondhand Store	accessible.
	2705 Walton Way	
	(618) 997-8165	
	renewsecondhandstore.org	

Marion

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United Way of Southern Illinois

1800 W Boulevard St Ste D

(618) 997-7744

uwsihelps.org

Marion Ministerial Alliance

Offers food pantry, clothing, and emergency aid through church partnerships.

103 E Calvert St

(618) 993-8419

Lighthouse Shelter

1101 N Madison St

(618) 993-8180

thelighthouseshelter.com

Salvation Army

906 Tower Square Plaza

(618) 997-2123

The Promise

818 W Main St

(618) 922-3260

Facebook page

Church of Christ

1705 E Deyoung St

marionchurchofchrist.com

The Journey Southern Illinois

9835 Old Bainbridge Trail

thejourneysi.org

Good Fight of Faith

806 W Boulevard St – Open 24 hours

Community of Christ Church

100 W Deyoung St

First Church of God

1409 Broeking Rd

marionfcog.org

Marion	Free Methodist Church-Ferges	
(cont)	13651 Macomb St	
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Marissa	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	Contact services
	See New Athens, Freeburg, Belleville	indicated in the
		beginning.
Mascoutah	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	Contact services
	See Freeburg & Belleville	indicated in the
		beginning.
Moro	No confirmed free clothing programs found.	Contact services
	Services are available in Godfrey, Alton, Cottage Hills &	indicated in the
	Wood River	beginning.
Murphysbo	Legacy Reentry Foundation - Community Closet	Contact services
ro	Offers free clothing, household items, and essentials for	indicated in the
	justice-impacted individuals and families –	beginning.
	Open Thursdays & Fridays 11am–2pm –	
	legacyreentryfoundation.org	
	Murphysboro Thrift Store	
	Offers low-cost clothing and household goods.	
	May provide free items in emergency cases. See also Carbondale and Marion	
Nashville	Lighthouse Community Church	Local churches may
INASTIVILLE	Hands of Mercy Ministry	offer seasonal
	Call for details regarding clothing giveaways.	clothing drives or
	Serves Nashville and surrounding region.	emergency aid.
	(618) 327-4006	
	Also see services in Centralia	Contact services indicated in the
	71130 See Services in Centralia	beginning.
		beginning.
New	Tabitha's Closet	Contact directly to
Athens	Christ-centered outreach offering free, gently used	reserve a time slot.
	clothing.	Serves New Athens
	Open houses every 3rd Saturday, 9 AM–12 PM	and surrounding
	[tabithascloset.org](<u>https://www.tabithascloset.org</u>)	areas.

New Baden	Zion United Church of Christ, New Baden, IL https://www.zionuccnb.net > new-page-2 Clothing pantry is open to the general public for anyone in need of clothing, shoes, jackets, small household items, and more! Hours: 12pm - 1:30pm & 5 pm Freecycle groups may offer informal clothing exchanges - [New Baden Freecycle](https://trashnothing.com/free/new-baden-clinton-county-illinois-united-states-4245474)	Contact services indicated in the beginning.
New Hanover	No confirmed free clothing programs found. See Waterloo	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
O'Fallon	No dedicated free clothing centers found. See Collinsville, Belleville, etc	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
Ohlman / Nokomis	No confirmed free clothing programs found. See Hillsboro Salvation Army 237 S Main St · Hillsboro (217) 532-5059 See Pana See also Vandalia Land of Lincoln Goodwill Thrift Store Offers gently used clothing and goods at bargain prices – Serves anyone in need. 309 Mattes Ave, Vandalia (618) 431-0240	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
Okawville	No formal clothing programs listed. See Centralia & Nashville	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
Pana	Pana Clothing Pantry Offers clothing, household items, and furniture to individuals and families in need. 704 Cherry St (217) 562-3420	Refer to services in the beginning of this document. See also Vandalia Land of Lincoln Goodwill Thrift Store

Pana	Community Mission Center	Offers gently used
(cont)	\$2 donation requested but not required. Open Tuesdays & Thursdays 9:30 AM-2 PM - Contact via Facebook for updates. 133 S Locust St	clothing and goods at bargain prices – Serves anyone in need.
	CEFS Christian County Outreach Connects families to community resources and financial assistance; may refer to clothing aid. 217 E 2nd St	309 Mattes Ave, Vandalia (618) 431-0240
	(217) 562-2311	
Pinckneyvill e	No formal clothing programs listed. Local Freecycle groups may offer informal exchanges – [Pinckneyville Freecycle](https://trashnothing.com/free/pinckneyville-perry-county-illinois-united-states-4246983/browse) See Carbondale & Marion	Refer also to services in Du Quoin Du Quoin Community Clothes Closet
		314 N Maple St Contact - Facebook
Plum Hill	No confirmed free clothing programs found. See Centralia or Freeburg	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
Red Bud	No dedicated clothing centers found. See Waterloo Randolph County Resource Guide lists regional agencies that may assist. https://comwell.us/wp-content/uploads/2024/06/2024RandolphCountyResourceGuide.pdf	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
St. Jacob	No confirmed free clothing programs found. See Highland	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
Smithton	No formal clothing programs listed. See Freeburg, Belleville, East Saint Louis	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
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Staunton	No confirmed free clothing programs found. See Godfrey & Wood River	Contact services indicated in the beginning. Services are available in Litchfield, Gillespie, Alton.
Stone Church	No confirmed free clothing programs found. See Freeburg & Centralia	Contact services indicated in the beginning.
Summerfiel d	No direct listings found. Refer to services in Belleville, Freeburg or Fairview Heights.	Contact services indicated in the beginning.
Tower Hill / Pana	See Pana	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
Trenton	No dedicated clothing centers found. See Highland, Belleville & Freeburg Freecycle groups may offer informal exchanges — [Trenton Freecycle](https://trashnothing.com/free/trenton-clinton-county-illinois-united-states-4251413)	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
Troy	No dedicated clothing centers found. See nearby Highland Equipping the Called is a local ministry providing clothes, diapers, and toiletries to children in crisis and foster children. Contact through Facebook	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
Valmeyer	No confirmed free clothing programs found. See Waterloo	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.
Waterloo	House of Neighborly Service This non-profit organization serves residents of Monroe County, including Biddleborn, and offers various forms of assistance. 618-939-8900 Address: 217 West Mill Street, Waterloo, IL 62298	Refer to services in the beginning of this document.

Wood River	Operation Blessing	Refer to services in
	Offers food, clothing, and personal care items to	the beginning of this
	individuals in need – Serves Wood River and	document
	surrounding areas.	
	18 E Lorena Ave	
	(618) 251-8280	
	Behavioral Health Alternatives	
	May assist with basic needs during intake	
	337 E Ferguson Ave	
	(618) 251-4073	
	See also Alton / Godfrey & Granite City	