

Provider List - Loan Closets - Cumberland & York Counties

ALS Association, NNE Chapter

Contact:

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Phones: (603) 226-8890 [Fax],
(207) 494-8000 [Business]*

Address: [Business]*
The ALS Association Northern New England
Chapter
10 Ferry St, Suite 438
Concord, NH 03301 (county)

Web Site: www.alsanne.org

Eligibility:

Notes: The ALS Association is the only national not-for-profit health organization dedicated solely to the fight against ALS. ALSA covers all the bases — research, patient and community services, public education, and advocacy — in providing help and hope to those facing the disease.

Some key things available through the ALS Association are support groups in-person in Bangor, Augusta and Scarborough. The Bangor group has a call-in number so it is available to anyone. There is an extensive loan closet for ALS patients with things from iPad for communication, to Hoyer lifts, mobility devices, etc. (They are able to get most equipment delivered to the patient.) There is also have an interdisciplinary clinic in Brunswick where a person with ALS and their family will be seen by the neurologist, all therapy disciplines, a LCSW, a RN and the ALS Association rep in one trip. Also, the Care Services Coordinator visits patients in their home as needed to provide support and collaborate with the patient's team.

Call Laurie McFarren, Care Services Coordinator 207-494-8000 or email lmcfarren@alsanne.org

Biddeford-Saco Elks Lodge #1597

Contact:

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Phones: (207) 283-1597 [Business]*

Address: [Business]*
68 Ocean Park Road
Saco, ME 04072 (York county),
[Mailing]
Elks Lodge # 1597
P. O. Box 1597
Saco, ME 04072 (York county)

Web Site: www.elks.org/lodges/home.cfm?lodge=1597

Eligibility:

Notes: The Biddeford-Saco Elks Lodge has a medical equipment loan closet that is open to residents of surrounding town. Please call (afternoon is best) to see if the equipment you need is available and to arrange to borrow it.

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Freeport Community Services

Contact:

Phones: (207) 865-3985 x 205__ [Business]*

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Address: [Business]*
53 Depot Road
Freeport, ME 04032 (Cumberland county)

Web Site: www.fcsmaine.org

Eligibility:

Notes: Freeport Community Services provides essential and emergency relief services to community members in need, in total confidence, without question – food, fuel, transportation, referrals, free medical equipment. We do everything we can to answer a call for help. FCS also provides enrichment programs to help children and adults thrive and reach their full potential in our community.

The FCS Transportation Program provides rides to medical and counseling appointments for Freeport and Pownal residents. Rides are available to those who are temporarily or permanently unable to drive, have no vehicle, and have no other means of transportation. The service is free of charge to all riders. Volunteer drivers are available Monday through Friday from 8am – 5pm. 3 business days notice is required for all ride requests. All new riders must complete a Rider Application. This service is made possible through the generosity of our volunteer drivers. Volunteers donate their time, vehicle and fuel to provide this service. The transportation program would not exist without them! Contact: Cathy Cryvoff, Age Friendly Freeport & Pownal Coordinator, (207) 865-3985 x222 or ccryvoff@fcsmaine.org

FCS also makes funds available to meet specific needs, such as eye glasses and medications, even diabetic testing supplies. Donations to these funds are always welcome. Donations of medical supplies are accepted. Please call 865-8985 or 869-1005. The free medical equipment loan contains crutches, wheelchairs, walkers, shower benches, raised toilet seats, braces, etc.

The Holiday Help-line offers several programs to help Freeport and Pownal residents who would like assistance at Thanksgiving and/or Christmas time. The staff stress that there are no eligibility requirements other than residence and they encourage people to call. They offer Thanksgiving baskets that include a turkey and other foodstuffs. Thanksgiving Dinner is served at Freeport Community Services from 11:30-2 on Thanksgiving Day. For Christmas, the "Adopt-a-Family" program matches families in need with individuals and organizations that would like to buy gifts for residents of the community. Thanksgiving & Christmas foodbaskets and gifts; application available October 1 - December 1.

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Gorham Health Council: Loan Closet

Contact:

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Phones: (207) 839-2484 [Home],
(207) 839-3859 [Business]*

Address: [Business]*
Municipal Center
75 South St
Gorham, ME 04038 (Cumberland county)

Web Site:

Eligibility:

Notes: This is a medical equipment loan program for residents of Gorham run by the Gorham Health Council. They have items such as wheelchairs, beds, walkers, etc. No fees apply. The Loan Closet is open 8:30am-4pm by appointment.
Gorham residents only.

Kennebunkport Public Health Dept: Loan Closet

Contact:

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Phones: (207) 967-4401 [Business]*,
(207) 967-3633 [Fax]

Address: [Business]*
101 Main Street
Kennebunkport, ME 04046 (York county)

Web Site: <http://www.kennebunkportme.gov/public-health-department>

Eligibility:

Notes: The Kennebunkport Public Health Department offers a wide selection of medical equipment for Kennebunkport residents only. The loan closet contains walkers, crutches, shower curtains, commodes, and various adaptive tools to assist residents to recuperate safely in their homes. The equipment is on loan to residents. No fees, donations accepted. Please call FMI on the equipment, to arrange a loan, and/or a home safety evaluation. Judy Barrett is the contact person.

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Lions Club Massabesic

Contact:

Phones: (207) 247-9960 [Business]*

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Address: [Business]*
Lion Club Regional Medical Center
813D Main Street
Waterboro, ME 04087 (York county)

Web Site: <http://www.massabesiclions.org/>

Eligibility:

Notes: The Massabesic Lions Club may be able to help with eyeglasses and/or hearing aids for eligible residents of Waterboro and Alfred. They also have a medical equipment loan closet. Persons usually available on site Thursdays 9 AM - 12 Noon. Call for a schedule pick-up and availability or make appointment.

Contact : Medical Equipment Board
Al Carlson 490-1646
Jim Boyle 247-4449

Eyeglass: Anne Kustron

President Kim Dunlap, juli.dunlap@gmail.com
Secr. Carolyn Gile, cgile@roadrunner.com

Lions Club: Scarborough

Contact:

Phones: (207) 883-9309 [Business]*

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Address: [Business]*
273 Gorham Road <Route 114>
Scarborough, ME 04074 (Cumberland county)

Web Site:

Eligibility:

Notes: The Scarborough Lions Club has a variety of equipment such as walkers, wheelchairs, and bath equipment to loan out to Scarborough residents. Please call for information about the loan closet.

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Standish Kiwanis Club

Contact:

Phones: (207) 642-4036 [Business]*

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Address: [Business]*
40 Kiwanis Beach Rd.
Standish, ME 04084 (Cumberland county)

Web Site:

Eligibility:

Notes: Accepts donations of medical equipment and supplies. Anyone is welcome to the call. Call 642-4036

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Town of Cumberland

Contact:

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Last Reviewed: 09/06/2022

Phones: (207) 829-5559 [Business]*,
(207) 829-2200 x 322 [Business],
(207) 829-5421 [Alternate]

Address: [Business]*
290 Tuttle Road
Cumberland, ME 04021 (Cumberland county)

Web Site: <http://www.cumberlandmaine.com>

Eligibility:

Notes: A General Assistance (GA) program is administered by each town/city in order to help families and/or individuals who do not have sufficient funds for their basic necessities such as rent, food, fuel and other items that are essential to maintain a household. eligibility: for GA meet state eligibility guidelines; however, all residents in need of assistance should call to explore emergency assistance that might be available. Please call 829-5559 for an appointment.

Friendly Caller Program- This program is a calling only program to provide homebound elders and individuals with disabilities with companionship by regularly calling on the phone in an effort to decrease feelings of isolation and loneliness. Trained volunteers will be matched with an older resident for 1-2 phone calls per week. For more information, please contact Sarah Davis, Aging in Place Coordinator, at 829-2208.

Handy Helpers- Aging in Place volunteers will do minor chores and other simple handyman assignments that don't require licenses (e.g. plumbing, electrical work). All projects are subject to the availability of AIP volunteers. To hire a local handyman firm, please check our vendors' online at <https://www.cumberlandmaine.com/aging-place/page/vendor-list>.

The Cumberland Fire Department offers many services for Town of Cumberland seniors:

- Durable Medical Program - will loan residents a walker, shower seat, commode, or other medical equipment.
- Call-in program. Check-in each morning. They will check on you if there is no call.
- Car Seat Help for Grandparents - get help installing grandchildren's car seats.

Call 829-5421 or e-mail eberner@cumberlandmaine.com to find out more or sign up for these programs.

The Community Food Pantry services Cumberland, North Yarmouth, Pownal, and New Gloucester residents and is located behind Cumberland Town Hall. The Food Pantry is open to customers every other Friday from 3-6 pm.

Cumberland Woodbank - call 207-747-2868, <https://www.woodbank.org/> or email us at cumberlandwoodbank@caill.com for more information.

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Town of Newfield

Contact:

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Phones: (207) 793-4348 [Business]*,
(207) 432-6140 [Alternate]

Address: [Business]*
637 Water Street - Route 11
Newfield, ME 04056 (York county),
[Mailing]
637 Water St.
West Newfield, ME 04095 (York county)

Web Site: www.newfieldme.org

Eligibility:

Notes: Please call the municipal office. The Town of Newfield administers Welfare/General Assistance program mandated by the state that provides confidential financial assistance to residents who are having difficulty meeting basic need for housing, utilities and food. General Assistance applications will be accepted at the Town Office by Appointment ONLY. Call Bruce Colwell at 432-6140 to schedule your appointment. The town also has a small medical equipment loan closet.

Town of Windham

Contact:

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Phones: (207) 892-1900 [Business]*,
(207) 892-1906 [Business],
(207) 892-1931 [Business],
(207) 892-1907 [Business]

Address: [Business]
377 Gray Rd
Windham, ME 04062 (Cumberland county),
[Business]*
8 School Road
Windham, ME 04062 (Cumberland county)

Web Site: www.windhammaine.us/

Eligibility:

Notes: General Assistance is a state mandated program to provide eligible residents with assistance for basic needs such as rent, food, non-food, medication, fuel, utilities, and other essential services. All assistance is granted in voucher form and no cash assistance is granted. Please call for an appointment GA phone number is 892-1906. If no one is available please leave a message and someone will return your call.

Emergency fuel assistance and other types of one-time emergency assistance may be available through the Windham Neighbors Helping Neighbors program. phone number is 892-8941.

The Windham Food Pantry is open to Windham residents with proof of residency. Residents are provided with food on a monthly basis. Please call to schedule an appointment to visit the Food Pantry at 377 Gray Rd, 892-1931.

Clothes Closet is open to residents & non-residents in need of clothes. Please contact 892-1906 to schedule an appointment to visit the Clothes Closet.

There is a medical equipment loan closet which supplies wheelchairs and/or other equipment for medical/physical needs. Open by appointment only - loan closet phone number is 207-894-5900 Ext.1111

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Wells - Ogunquit Health Association

Contact:

Phones: (207) 646-5700 [Business]*

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Address: [Business]*
PO Box 283
Wells, ME 04090 (York county),
[Business]
Morse's Hardware
1274 Post Road
Wells, ME 04090 (York county)

Web Site:

Eligibility:

Notes: Wells - Ogunquit Health Association has a medical equipment loan closet that is available to Wells and Ogunquit residents. It is run by Sally Morse out of at Morse's Hardware on Route 1 in Wells. Please call Sally at 646-5700 or stop by at Morse's Hardware on Route 1 in Wells. Wells and Ogunquit residents only please.

Yarmouth Community Services

Contact:

Phones: (207) 846-2406 [Business]*

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Address: [Business]*
200 Main Street <Rear>
Yarmouth, ME 04096 (Cumberland county)

Web Site: www.yarmouthcommunityservices.org

Eligibility:

Notes: Yarmouth Community Services provide recreational and educational opportunities and services for all ages. This is also the correct contact for the Yarmouth loan closet (for residents of Yarmouth only). Please call or visit the website for current programs and registration info.

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York Community Service Association, Inc.

Contact:

Phones: (207) 363-5504 [Business]*

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Address: [Mailing]*
PO Box 180
York, ME 03909 (York county),
[Business]
45 Woodbridge Road
York, ME 03909 (York county)

Web Site: www.ycsame.org

Eligibility:

Notes: York Community Service Association is a small non-profit that provides emergency assistance including fuel assistance, information and referral, food vouchers, loan of medical equipment, camperships, thrift shop clothing, and Thanksgiving and Christmas holiday baskets for area residents. York Community Services funds most of the help they can provide with sales from the thrift shop, and are pleased to accept donations of clean used clothing and household items. The thrift shop is located at 855 US Rt 1, York, Maine/(207) 363-2510. Shop is open Monday through Saturday 10am - 4pm.

They also have a food pantry located at 38 Woodbridge Road, York, ME. Hours are on Thursdays 12:30 pm – 3 pm. Please call (207) 351-1928 for more info. Those clients who cannot come at this time can be serviced after hours if necessary by contacting the Town of York General Assistance office.

Eligibility: Residents of Cape Neddick, York, York Beach, York Harbor. Proof of residency, household income and expenses. Please call 363-5504. General hours of operation are 9 AM – 2:00 PM, Monday – Friday.