

## **ON-SITE ASSISTANCE**

The following programs are available on site at the City of Broadview Heights.

### **WELLNESS CLINIC**

Free Blood Pressure Screenings are provided by Parma Hospital every second and fourth Tuesday of the month from 9:00 to 10:30. Cholesterol, Glucose and Blood Pressure is offered by Marymount on a quarterly basis. Call 440-526-4685 for dates.

### **AARP DRIVER SAFETY PROGRAM**

Broadview Heights offers the AARP's Driver Safety Course, available to ALL residents. This is usually held in May, check the calendar for dates.

### **TAX-AIDE PROGRAM**

AARP's Tax Aide program offers free tax preparation at Broadview Heights Community Center for low to moderate income tax payers. An **appointment** is necessary. Appointments are taken starting January.

### **HUMAN SERVICES LIBRARY**

Many donated books are available on an honor basis. Seniors have the ability to check out books through Brecksville Library at the Senior Center.



## **ADDITIONAL SERVICES**

### **TELEPHONE REASSURANCE**

Volunteers call residents for a friendly reassuring chat, check in on their well being, between 10:00 a.m. and noon, Monday through Friday.

### **FREE SMILE EXERCISE PROGRAM**

Low-intensity exercise classes to reduce pain and increase energy and mobility. Every Tuesday and Thursday from 10:00 to 10:45 a.m.

### **LINE DANCING – (BEGINNERS)**

Drop in and have fun while getting in shape, and it's free!!  
Wednesdays 11:15 – 11:45 a.m.

### **HUMAN SERVICES BUS**

A 14-passenger bus is available for residents who cannot drive to shopping, banking, etc. Rules, schedules and applications are available.

### **MEDICAL TRANSPORT CAR/VAN**

Four city cars and a wheelchair van is available to transport residents to medical appointments if unable to drive and have no driver in the household. 1 Transport per week

### **COMPUTER LABORATORY**

Free and Open for community use. Regular scheduled classes also available. Call office for availability.

### **SNOW REMOVAL**

The City provides snow removal for those who qualify. Applications are taken in the month of **October**.

## **SOCIAL GET-TOGETHERS**

### **SENIOR GET-TOGETHER MEETINGS**

Seniors meet the second and fourth Thursday of each month - September through May at 10:00 a.m. Hear an informative speaker, socialize, share mutual concerns and just have fun.

### **VALENTINE'S PARTY**

The seniors' Valentine Party is a luncheon held on or around February 14<sup>th</sup>. Reservations required.

### **SENIOR DANCE**

This dinner dance is for seniors from Brecksville and Broadview Heights in conjunction with the students of Brecksville and Broadview Heights High School. This is usually held in the Spring.

### **MEMORIAL DAY PARADE**

The Memorial Day parade is an opportunity for residents to gather and remember those who lost their lives in service of their country. Participation is encouraged...ride the community bus.

### **VOLUNTEER PICNIC**

The picnic is held in June in the campus pavilion. Call Human Services for more information.

### **SENIOR LUNCHESES**

Senior lunches are held periodically throughout the month at the senior center. All events listed on monthly our monthly calendar.

### **BINGO**

FREE Bingo is held every Tuesday at 11:00 a.m. in the Willow Room. Winnings are non-monetary and sponsored by local senior care facilities. All events listed on monthly our monthly calendar.

## **FOOD & EMERGENCY**

### **ASSISTANCE**

Anyone in need or wishing to make a donation of non-perishable food, gift cards or cash can contact the Human Services Department.

### **SALVATION ARMY**

The local service unit provides emergency assistance as needed. Anyone who would like to participate in the tradition of "ringing the bell" - contact the Human Services Department. It's fun!

### **YULETIDE HUNGER PROGRAM**

This program is a cooperative community effort between the cities of Broadview Heights and Brecksville as well as the school system. It provides food, clothing, toys, etc. for families in need during the Christmas season.

### **CITY FOOD PANTRY**

Food and staples are available for emergency situations in the Human Services Department. There is deer meat available to distribute and recipes on file.

### **FAMILY COUNSELING SERVICE**

Counseling service for families, children and adults requiring emotional support are available. Fees are on a sliding scale. Call the Center for Human Services at 216-252-5800.

### **MEALS ON WHEELS**

Call 440-526-4685 for more information on the Brecksville-Broadview Heights Meals on Wheels.

### **Cleveland Food Bank**

Contact this group to receive food stamps, prescription benefits, child care vouchers, WIC, medical coverage and other assistance programs 216-479-9881

### **Lifeline**

Medical alert service that helps residents to remain independent in their home with 24/7 emergency access at a lower cost.

## APPLICATION & FORMS AVAILABLE

- CARS AND WHEELCHAIR VAN AVAILABLE FOR DOCTOR'S APPOINTMENTS
- GOLDEN BUCKEYE CARD
- HANDICAPPED PARKING
- HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
- HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION
- PROPERTY, WATER AND PHONE
- PIPP
- OHIO ENERGY CREDIT
- LIVING WILL/DURABLE POA FOR HEALTH
- NOTARY SERVICES (NO FEE)
- RTA SENIOR DISABLED DISCOUNT PASS
- SNOW REMOVAL
- SOUTH HILLS LEND-A-HAND PROGRAM
- TAX-AIDE
- BUS AVAILABLE FOR TRIPS AND SHOPPING

FOR MORE INFORMATION  
CALL

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## HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT MISSION

The Human Services Department of the City of Broadview Heights, Ohio is a community organization whose mission, as established by the Human Services Advisory Board is threefold:

1. To provide, develop and cultivate social, psychological and security assistance for the senior citizens and the needy of the community in a supportive caring atmosphere.
2. To encourage and assist public and private agencies that provide human services in establishing facilities and programs within our cities.
3. To bring together individuals willing to donate their time or services in helping others.

It is the goal of the department's to offer assistance to ALL requiring support to maintain a higher quality of life and residency in our community and school system.

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