**Adoption Center for Family Building**

Phone: 1-800-869-1005

Website: www.centerforfamily.com

Address: 8707 Skokie Blvd., Suite 208, Skokie

\*Illinois and Indiana licensed adoption agency, assists couples and individuals in all steps of the adoption process. From pregnant women to couples, the advocates, counselors, and others resources available help build a caring environment at the center.

 **Illinois Department of Motor Vehicles – Illinois Secretary of State**

Phone: 1-800-252-8980

Website: www.cyberdriveillinois.com

Chicago North Address: 5401 N. Elston

Deerfield Address: 405 N. Lake Cook Rd., Deerfield, IL

\*The Illinois DMV is run by the Secretary of State Office. The Department of Motor Vehicles is responsible for providing a number of services to state residents; including license, identification card, registration and titling related services.

**Chicago Volunteer Doulas, Inc.**

Website: [www.chicagovolunteerdoulas.org](http://www.chicagovolunteerdoulas.org)

info@chicagovolunteerdoulas.org

\*Free Birth and Postpartum doula support

**Illinois Department of Human Services**

DHS Family & Community Resource Center

(SNAP, TANF, job services, medical assistance)

Phone: 847-745-3200

Website: www.dhs.state.il.us

Address: 8001 Lincoln Ave., 4th Floor, Skokie

**Childhelp**

Phone: 1-800-4-A-CHILD

Website: www.childhelp.org

\*The hotline offers crisis intervention, information, literature, and referrals to thousands of emergency, social service, and support resources. All calls are confidential.

**The Cradle**

Phone: 847-475-5800

24 Hour hotline: 1-800-272-3534

Website: www.cradle.org

Address: 2049 Ridge Ave., Evanston, IL

\*Private, nonprofit adoption, baby nursery and pregnancy counseling agency.

**Department of Child & Family Services (DCFS) Hotline**

Phone: 1-800-252-2873

 **Metropolitan Family Services**

Phone: 847-425-7400

Address: 5210 Main St., Skokie, IL & 820 Davis St., Evanston, IL

Website: www.metrofamily.org

\*Metropolitan Family Services provides a wide variety of programs and services designed to strengthen families and help them realize their full potential.

**Niles Township General Assistance**

Phone: 847-673-9300

Address: 5255 Lincoln Ave., Niles, IL

Website: www.nilestownshipgov.com/socical-services

\*Provides financial assistance to unemployed or disabled residents of Niles Township.

**NorthShore University Health System Postpartum Depression Crisis Line**

Phone: 866-364-MOMS

\*24 hour crisis line for new mothers experiencing depression, fatigue, loss of appetite, sleepiness, etc.

 **Family Focus – Our Place**

Phone: 847-475-7570

[www.family-focus.org/centers/evanston-our-place](http://www.family-focus.org/centers/evanston-our-place)

Address: 2010 Dewey Ave., Evanston, IL

\*Family support, literacy, parenting, vocational, health and social programs for pre- teens, teens and teen parents and their families

 **Safe Families**

Phone: 773-653-2200

Website: www.safe-families.org

Address: 4300 W. Irving Park Rd., Chicago, IL

\*Provides free temporary housing to children when their parents are in crisis, such as post-partum depression, unemployment or an abusive situation. Children are placed with volunteer families.

**Howard Area Community Center**

Phone: 773-262-6622

Website: www.howardarea.org

Address: 7648 N. Paulina, Chicago, IL

\*Howard Area Community Center is a social service agency that provides affordable and free education, employment, specialized employment help for incarcerated individuals and health assistance and programs for the greater Rogers Park area.

**Illinois Child Support Assistance (Cook County)**Address: 36 S. Wabash, Chicago
Address: 6221 S. Emerald Dr., Chicago

Phone: 1-800-447-4278

Website: www.illinois.gov/hfs/ChildSupport

\*To get help collecting child support, establishing paternity or information on other Child Support Enforcement services.

**The Salvation Army**

Phone: 847-866-9770

Website: www.salarmyevanston.org

Address: 1403 Sherman Ave., Evanston, IL

\*Emergency Assistance walk-in hours (please call for hours), after school programming, summer camp. Faith based.

**Social Security/Medicare Information:**

Phone: 1-800-772-1213

Website: www.ssa.gov

Local Office: 2116 Green Bay Rd., Evanston, IL

**Youth & Opportunity United (Y.O.U)**

Phone: 847-866-1200

Website: [www.youthopportunity.org](http://www.youthopportunity.org)

Address: 1911 Church St., Evanston IL

\*Support and counseling for young people, 11-21 years old, after school programming, and emergency housing counseling for 11 to 17 years old.