

# VtSHARES 2019 Nonprofit Directory - Addison County

## **01-200 United Way of Addison County**

United Way of Addison County mobilizes the compassion and generosity of individuals and organizations to improve lives and strengthen Addison County. We currently fund and support 32 life changing programs that enhance the education, financial stability, and physical and mental health of those who live and work in Addison County. [info@unitedwayaddisoncounty.org](mailto:info@unitedwayaddisoncounty.org)  
[www.unitedwayaddisoncounty.org](http://www.unitedwayaddisoncounty.org)

## **01-210 ACTR, a division of Tri-Valley Transit**

ACTR enhances the economic, social and environmental health of the region by providing public transportation services for everyone that are safe, reliable, accessible and affordable.  
[jim@trivalleytransit.org](mailto:jim@trivalleytransit.org) [www.actr-vt.org](http://www.actr-vt.org)

## **01-220 Age Well**

Age Well's services meet the diverse needs of clients, families, and caregivers of the aging of population of Northwestern Vermont. We believe that health happens at home and focus on lifestyle and wellness.  
[swool@agewellvt.org](mailto:swool@agewellvt.org) <https://www.agewellvt.org/>

## **01-230 Alzheimer's Association, Vermont Chapter (Alzheimer's Disease And Related Disorders Association, Inc.)**

The leading voluntary health organization in Alzheimer's care, support and research; 24/7 Helpline, care consultations, support groups and education programs are provided free of charge. [mthon@alz.org](mailto:mthon@alz.org)  
<https://alz.org/vermont>

## **01-240 Charter House Coalition**

Charter House Coalition (CHC) is a growing community of volunteers in Addison County who provide meals for those who are food insecure, housing for individuals and families who need shelter, and a sense of community and opportunity for personal growth for all who enter our open door.  
[charterhouseinformation@gmail.com](mailto:charterhouseinformation@gmail.com) <http://www.charterhousecoalition.org>

## **01-250 Governor's Institutes of Vermont**

Changing hundreds of Vermont teenagers' lives each year through low-cost, world-class academic and artistic enrichment residencies on college campuses. GIV serves students from every Vermont high

school and every possible background with mentorship, social support, academic skill-building and career exposure. [karen@giv.org](mailto:karen@giv.org) <http://www.giv.org>

### **01-260 Living Well Residence**

Living Well Residence is a nonprofit Level III care facility located in Bristol, providing a safe, and enriching home-like setting for residents living with dementia who can no longer function alone at home. [jvallee@livingwellresidence.org](mailto:jvallee@livingwellresidence.org) <https://livingwellgroup.org/location/living-well-residence-bristol-vermont/>

### **01-270 Local Motion Inc**

Statewide advocacy organization making biking and walking a way of life across Vermont. Operates the Island Line Bike Ferry, Trailside Center bike rentals and Valet Bike Parking; Holds workshops/trainings to educate children/adults in bike safety; Works with communities and advocate for better bike/walk infrastructure; Influences state policy. [giving@localmotion.org](mailto:giving@localmotion.org) [www.localmotion.org](http://www.localmotion.org)

### **01-280 MENTOR Vermont**

MENTOR Vermont provides resources and support to youth mentoring programs in Vermont so they can meet the needs of young people in their communities. Our vision is that every young person in Vermont has the supportive mentoring relationships they need to grow and develop into thriving, productive, and engaged adults. [chad@mentorvt.org](mailto:chad@mentorvt.org) <https://www.mentorvt.org>

### **01-290 Michael Zemanek Memorial Foundation, Inc. (MZMF)**

We provide financial support to widows/ers and half-orphaned children who are faced with situations, which poise a significant financial hardship for their immediate family of sworn Vermont Law enforcement officers who have died. [mzmf2014@gmail.com](mailto:mzmf2014@gmail.com) <http://www.MZMF.ORG>

### **01-300 Mountain Health Center**

A Federally Qualified Health Center which provides full spectrum preventative and primary care to people of all ages, regardless of insurance status or ability to pay. Healthcare with skill, compassion, and respect; lowering barriers to affordable care, delivering broad-based services including preventative, dental, mental and primary health care. [outreach@mountainhealthcenter.com](mailto:outreach@mountainhealthcenter.com)  
[www.mountainhealthcenter.com](http://www.mountainhealthcenter.com)

### **01-310 National Alliance on Mental Illness of Vermont (NAMI Vermont)**

NAMI Vermont (National Alliance on Mental Illness of Vermont) is a small grassroots organization dedicated to improving the lives of individuals and families affected by mental illness or mental health

challenges. NAMI Vermont focuses on three cornerstones of activity: advocacy, education and support. [info@namivt.org](mailto:info@namivt.org) <http://www.namivt.org>

### **01-320 Outright Vermont**

Outright Vermont improves the lives of LGBTQ+ youth by providing comprehensive statewide initiatives that focus on: developing self and peer connections, strengthening families, and transforming schools, communities, and systems. [dana@outrightvt.org](mailto:dana@outrightvt.org) <http://www.outrightvt.org>

### **01-330 STARBASE Vermont, Inc.**

Serves at-risk Vermont youth with hands-on learning to inspire greater student interest, knowledge, and skills in science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM). Activities also improve problem solving, team-building, and healthy choices. [dan@starbasevt.org](mailto:dan@starbasevt.org) <https://starbasevt.org>

### **01-340 The Open Door Clinic, Community Health Services of Addison County**

The Open Door Clinic is a free clinic that provides healthcare, including dental and mental health care services, to uninsured and under-insured adults who meet financial guidelines. We also employ a health insurance specialist to help all community members find an insurance plan that best fits their needs. [hsulis@opendoormidd.org](mailto:hsulis@opendoormidd.org) <https://opendoormidd.org>

### **01-350 Turning Point Center of Addison County**

Providing peer-based recovery support to all; we seek to enhance the spiritual, mental, physical, and social growth of our community affected by substance use disorders and addictive behaviors. [tcacvt@yahoo.com](mailto:tcacvt@yahoo.com) <https://turningpointaddisonvt.org/>

### **01-360 Vermont Adult Learning**

Vermont Adult Learning provides the estimated 42,000 adult Vermonters who didn't complete high school, the opportunity to earn their diplomas. This paves the way to better opportunities for employment and for sustainable, long term improvement of overall quality and betterment of life for themselves, their families, and their communities. [hcohen@vtadultlearning.org](mailto:hcohen@vtadultlearning.org)  
<http://www.vtadultlearning.org>

### **01-370 Vermont Bar Foundation**

The Vermont Bar Foundation supports essential legal services by awarding grants to law related programs that provide civil legal services to low-income Vermonters or educate the public about the courts and legal matters. [dbailey@vtbarfoundation.org](mailto:dbailey@vtbarfoundation.org) <https://vtbarfoundation.org/>

### **01-380 Vermont Catholic Charities, Inc.**

Vermont Catholic Charities is a state wide social service organization that provides support services to individuals, families and the elderly including emergency aid, counseling, residential care homes.

[charities@vermontcatholic.org](mailto:charities@vermontcatholic.org) [www.vermontcatholic.org](http://www.vermontcatholic.org)

### **01-390 Vermont Foodbank**

As Vermont's largest hunger relief organization, we help to feed 153,000+ Vermonters annually and provide food and nutrition programs in schools, hospitals, and seniors centers.

[jwilliams@vtfoodbank.org](mailto:jwilliams@vtfoodbank.org) <https://www.vtfoodbank.org>

### **01-400 Vermont Natural Resources Council**

Through research, education, and advocacy, VNRC protects and enhances Vermont's natural environments, vibrant communities, working landscapes, rural character, and unique sense of place.

[info@vnrc.org](mailto:info@vnrc.org) <http://vnrc.org>

### **01-410 Vermont Parks Forever**

Vermont Parks Forever, the foundation for Vermont State Parks, works to enhance and preserve the parks through the charitable support of generous individuals, foundations, and businesses. VPF provides innovative education opportunities in the parks, increases park access for underserved communities, and inspires stewardship of natural places.

[info@vermontparksforever.org](mailto:info@vermontparksforever.org)

<https://www.vermontparksforever.org>

### **01-420 VSA Vermont**

Founded in 1986, VSA Vermont serves Vermonters both with and without disabilities, ages birth through seniors. Through arts-based programs in every region of Vermont, we work to make our state a more accessible and inclusive community. In 2018, we engaged 4,600 participants at 154 sites.

[katie@inclusiveartsvermont.org](mailto:katie@inclusiveartsvermont.org) <http://www.vsavt.org>

### **01-430 VT Child Care Industry and Careers Council**

VCCICC works to improve quality and sustain growth of the child care workforce. We enhance the knowledge and skills of early care and education providers by coordinating the Registered Child Care Apprenticeship Program.

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