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RESOURCE GUIDE LISTS FAITH-BASED, COMMUNITY SERVICES

SACRAMENTO — A guide to free or low-cost social services offered by faith-based organizations and community agencies is now available.

The second edition of the Sacramento Valley Faith-Based Community Resource Guide lists services such as food and clothing closets, daycare, after-school programs, parenting classes, personal and employment counseling, and support groups for people with drug and alcohol issues.

It is available for download at <http://sacvalleycares.org> or at <http://www.sacdhhs.com/cps>.

A limited number of print copies are available in the lobby of the Department of Human Assistance building at 1725 28th Street.

The guide is the product of collaboration between Casey Great Start Young Adult Programs, Sacramento County Child Protective Services, and the Sacramento Valley Region Care Coalition.

If you're interested in becoming a member or would like additional information about the coalition, call (916) 856-5605 or visit www.sacvalleycares.org.

"In these rough economic times, we are looking for ways to partner with the community to offer services we may no longer be able to," said Laura Coulthard, director of Sacramento County Child Protective Services. "We want to join with the faith community and others who care about children in our shared efforts to protect children and strengthen families."

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