Education (Junior Colleges)

Requirements & Services

Heartland Community College Lincoln, Normal, & Pontiac IL 217.735.1731 (L) 309.268.8000 (N) 815.842.6777 (P) www.heartland.edu	 Application Process Placement Exams Assess for Career Interests & Skills Abilities Financial Aid (Scholarships & FAFSA Application) *FAFSA & scholarship applications are generally due the spring if classes are going to be taken in the fall of the same year. Assistance with Transfer
Heartland Academy for Learning Objectives (HALO) Heartland Community College Normal, IL 309.268.8255 www.heartland.edu/halo	- Disability Support Services (see attached information sheet) - Application Process - Financial Aid (FAFSA & Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants) - Certificate of Achievement in Life Skills Development - Opportunity to Audit Other Courses - Coursework in Life Skills (see attached information sheet)
Illinois Central College East Peoria, IL 309.694.5422 www.icc.edu	 - Application Process - Placement Exams - Assess for Career Interests & Skills Abilities - Financial Aid (Scholarships & FAFSA Application) *FAFSA & scholarship applications are generally due the spring if classes are going to be taken in the fall of the same year. - Assistance with Transfer - Office of Access Services (see attached information sheet) *309.694.5494
Lincolnland Community College Springfield, IL 217.786.2200 www.llcc.edu	 Application Process Placement Exams Assess for Career Interests & Skills Abilities Financial Aid (Scholarships & FAFSA Application) *FAFSA & scholarship applications are generally due the spring if classes are going to be taken in the fall of the same year. Assistance with Transfer Accessibility Services (see attached information sheet) *217.786.2828

Spoon River College
Canton, Havana, Macomb, & Rushville, IL
309.647.4645 (C)
309.543.4413 (H)
309.837.5727 (M)
217.322.6060 (R)
www.src.edu

- Application Process
- Placement Exams
- Assess for Career Interests & Skills Abilities
- Financial Aid (Scholarships & FAFSA Application)
- *FAFSA & scholarship applications are generally due the spring if classes are going to be taken in the fall of the same year.
- Disability Support Services (see attached information sheet)
- Assistance with Transfer
- *309.649.6305

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Training Programs

Requirements & Services

Community Workshop & Training Center (CWTC) Peoria, IL 309.686.3300 www.cwtc.org	 PUNS List Through Central Illinois Service Access (CISA) Agency Organized Employment in Workshop Setting Community Integrated & Development Training Supported Employment & Job Placement Relies on School Assessments (last few years of IEP documents and most recent evaluation if possible) 	
Empowering People Inspiring Capabilities (EP!C) Peoria, IL 309.691.3800 www.epicpeoria.org	- Offers Educational Programs as an Alternative to the Workshop Environment	
Fulton County Rehabilitation Center (FCRC) Canton, IL 309.647.6510 www.fcrcindustries.com	 PUNS List Through Central Illinois Service Access (CISA) Agency Organized Employment in Workshop Setting Community Integrated & Development Training Supported Employment & Job Placement 	
Heart of Morton Morton, IL 309.371.4621 (?)	- Developmental Training	
Logan-Mason Rehabilitation Center Lincoln, IL 217.735.1413	 - Must be 18 Years of Age - Should Apply During Last Year of High School - PUNS List Through Central Illinois Service Access (CISA) Agency - Organized Employment in Workshop Setting - Community Integrated & Development Training - Supported Employment & Job Placement - School Records & ICAP Assessment 	

Marcfirst Normal, IL 309.451.8888 www.marcfirst.org	 - Must be 18 Years of Age - Should Apply During Last Year of High School - Requirements Dependent on Program - PUNS List Through Central Illinois Service Access (CISA) Agency - Organized Employment in Workshop Setting - Community Integrated & Development Training - Supported Employment & Job Placement
Tazewell County Resource Center (TCRC) Morton & Tremont, IL 309.347.7148 www.tcrc.us	 PUNS List Through Central Illinois Service Access (CISA) Agency Organized Employment in Workshop Setting Community Integrated & Development Training Supported Employment & Job Placement
United Cerebral Palsy Land of Lincoln (UCP) Bloomington & Springfield, IL 309.585.0629 (B) 217.525.6522 (S) www.ucpll.org	- DRS Coordinates Referrals

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Apprenticeship Programs

Requirements & Services

- Boilermakers, Bricklayers, Carpenters & Millwrights, Cement Masons, Electricians, Elevator Constructors, Heat & Frost Insulators, Iron Workers, Laborers, Operating Engineers, Painters, Plasterers, Roofers, and Sheet Metal Workers
- Must Be 18 Years of Age (exception Carpenters & Millwrights with minimum age of 17)
- High School Diploma and/or GED
- Other Requirements Dependent on Trade

Certificate Programs

Requirements & Services

Midwest Technical Institute
East Peoria & Springfield, IL
1.800.814.5124
www.midwesttech.edu

- Application Process
- Financial Aid (FAFSA & Workforce Investment Act)
- DRS Can Case Manage & Participate Financially
- Programs: Welding, CDL, Medical Assisting, Basic Nursing Assistant, Dental Assisting, Medical Coding, Massage Therapy, HVAC/R Tech, & Pharmacy Tech

Cosmetology Programs

Requirements & Services

Career Logistics Institute Pekin, IL 309.346.1447 www.careerlogistics.com	- Application Process - Financial Aid
Innovations Design Academy Canton, IL 309.647.4224 www.idahair.com	- Application Process - Financial Aid
Oehrlein School of Cosmetology East Peoria, Pekin, & Peoria, IL 309.699.1561 www.oehrleinschool.com	- Application Process - Financial Aid

Regency Beauty Institute Peoria, IL 309.282.0688 www.regency.edu	- Application Process - Financial Aid	
Tricori University of Beauty Culture Peoria, IL 1.888.395.1013 www.tricoriuniversity.com	- Application Process - Financial Aid	
University of Spa & Cosmetology Arts Springfield, IL 217.753.8990 www.uscart.com	- Application Process - Financial Aid	
Military	Requirements & Services	
	- Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) Required	

- Valid for 2 Years

- Can Take 3 Times/Year

- Computerized Test Adapts to Test Ability of Taker (1.5 hours)

- Paper Pencil Test Same for Everyone (3 hours)

Score Requirements Specific to BranchAssigns to Appropriate Job/Vocation

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All Branches

www.official-asvab.com

Agencies Services

Advocates for Access Peoria Heights, IL 309.682.3500	 Community Services Deaf/Hearing Impaired Services Referrals to Pre-Admission Screening Agency (PAS) Youth Advocacy w/ IEP Process Equipment Loan (walkers, commodes, etc) Personal Assistant Program
Career Link Canton, Havana, Pekin, & Normal, IL 309.647.2946 (C) 309.543.1035 (H) 309.268.8793 (N) 309.347.8492 (P) www.careerlink16.com	 On the Job Training Internships Advanced Schooling Must Be 18 Years of Age Based on Income or Dislocated Worker Additional Requirements Dependent on Program/Service
Central Illinois Service Agency (CISA) Lincoln, IL 217.732.4731	 - A Pre-Admission Screening Agency (PAS) - A Independent Service Coordination Agency (ISC) - PUNS List Enrollment - Assistance w/ Residential Placement - Assistance w/ Community Integrated Living Arrangements (CILA) - Counties: Christian, Logan, Mason, Menard, Peoria, Tazewell, Sangamon, Woodford, McLean - Agencies Coordinate With: EP!C, CWTC, Apostolic Christian Homes (they also require the family to contact them due to their own waiting list – 10+years), LMRC, TCRC
Community Workshop & Training Center (CWTC) Peoria, IL 309.686.3300 www.cwtc.org	- Offers Subsidized Housing (not IQ based) - Average Wait List is 6 -12 Months

Department of Human Services: Bloomington, IL - 309.662.1347 Jacksonville, IL - 217.245.9585 Macomb, IL - 309.833.4573 Pekin, IL - 309.353.5996 Peoria, IL - 309.686.6000 Springfield, IL - 217.782.4830	 Support & Guidance for Developmental Disabilities Home Based Services Work Incentive Planning Residential Program Information
Housing Authorities: East Peoria, IL – 309.698.4718 Fulton County (Canton, IL) 309.647.4120 Mason County (Havana, IL) 309.543.4515 Pekin, IL – 309.346.7457 Peoria, IL – 309.676.8736 Springfield, IL – 217.753.5757 www.dhs.state.il.us	- Based on Income - Self Sufficiency - Additional Requirements Dependent Upon Area & Service
Institute of Physical Medicine & Rehab (IPMR) Bartonville, Morton, Pekin, Peoria, & Washington, IL 1.800.957.4767 www.ipmr.org	- Driving Evaluation - School, Self (Family), or Physician Referred - Use of Simulator
Jacksonville Center for Independent Living (JACIL) Jacksonville, IL 217.245.8371 www.jacil.org	 Community Services Deaf/Hearing Impaired Services Referrals to Pre-Admission Screening Agency (PAS) Youth Advocacy w/ IEP Process Personal Assistant Program
Selective Service System Palatine, IL 847.688.6888	- Registration for Military Duty (ALL MALES @ 18 Years of Age)

Social Security Administration: Pekin, IL – 1.877.405.0499 Peoria, IL – 1.877.319.6039

- Disability Benefits

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Recreation

Canton Park District

Canton, IL 309.647.1345

www.cantonpark.org

Easter Seals

Bloomington, IL

309.663.8275

Peoria, IL 309.686.1177

www.easterseals.com/ci

Fondulac Park District

East Peoria, IL 309.699.3923

www.fondulacpark.com

Havana Park District

Havana, IL 309.543.6240

www.havanaparkdistrict.com

Heart of Illinois Special Recreation Association (HISRA)

Peoria, IL 309.691.1929

www.hisra.org

Marcfirst – Friendsfirst

Normal, IL

309.451.8888, extension 224

www.marcfirst.org

Pekin Park District

Pekin, IL 309.347.7275

www.pekinparkdistrict.org

Peoria Park District

Peoria, IL 309.682.1200

www.peoriaparks.org

Special Olympics of Illinois

Area 4 - Monmouth, IL

309.734.5903

Area 6 – Normal, IL

309.888.2012

Area 17 – Springfield, IL

217.544.3023

www.soill.org

YMCA

Bloomington, IL 309.827.6233

www.bnymca.org

Canton, IL 309.647.1616

www.cantonfamilyymca.org

Lincoln, IL 217.735.3915

www.lincolnymca.org

Macomb, IL 309.833.2129

www.macombymca.org

Peoria, IL 309.692.7631

www.peoriaymca.org

Springfield, IL 217.544.9846

www.springfieldymca.org

Transportation

City Link

Peoria, IL (Pekin Routes) 309.676.4040 www.ridecitylink.org

Connect Transit

Normal, IL 309.828.9833 www.connect-transit.com

First Transit (Non-Emergency Transportation Service – NETS)

- Medicaid & All Kids participants are eligible to be transported to non-emergency medical appointments.

MUST GET PRIOR APPROVAL!

1.877.725.0569

www.netspap.com

Fulton County Rural Transit

Canton, IL 309.357.5226 www.fultoncountyruraltransit.com

Logan Mason Public Transportation

Lincoln, IL 217.732.2159 www.capcil.org/transportation.htm

Tazewell County Rural Public Transportation

309.263.7708

www.tazewell.com/County%20News/we care transportation.pdf

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