

LOCAL RESOURCES

All Emergencies	911
Scituate Police	
(Non-emergency)	781-545-1212
Scituate Fire Department	
(Non-emergency)	781-545-8748
South Shore Elder Services	781-848-3910
Scituate Council on Aging	781-545-8722
Scituate Housing Authority	781-545-3375
South Shore Housing	781-936-8733
Elder Abuse/Neglect	781-848-3910
	1-800-922-2275
Department of Transitional	
Assistance	508-732-3100
Social Security	1-800-772-1213
Mass Health	1-800-841-2900
Medicare	1-800-243-4636
Alcoholics Anonymous	617-426-9444
Narcotics Anonymous	866-624-3578
Al-Anon	508-366-0556
Interfaith Social Services	617-773-6203
Massachusetts Substance Abuse	
Information and	
Education Helpline	1-800-327-5050
South Shore Community	
Action Council	508-747-7575
24-HOUR HOTLINES	
Mental Health/Substance Abuse	
Crisis Hotline	1-800-528-4890
Child at Risk Hotline	1-800-792-5200
Samaritans	1-877-870-4673

SCITUATE COUNCIL ON AGING

The mission of the Council on Aging is to identify needs and implement programs that will enhance the quality of life and the independence of the Seniors in Scituate, and to educate and enlist the support of our community to provide successful and enriching programs.

ADDRESSING THE SOCIAL SERVICE NEEDS OF ALL SCITUATE RESIDENTS

The objective of the Manager of Social Services and Outreach Program is to work collaboratively to provide information and referral, consultation, assessment, short-term case management, and access to resources to all residents of the Town of Scituate.

Scituate Council on Aging

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SCITUATE SOCIAL SERVICES



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SOCIAL SERVICES OFFERED TO RESIDENTS OF THE TOWN OF SCITUATE

INFORMATION AND REFERRAL

- Food Assistance
- Housing Information
- Home Care Services
- Health Insurance Information
- Counseling Resources
- Financial Resources
- Domestic Violence Advocacy
- Substance Use Treatment
- Support Group Referrals
- Caregiver Resources
- Senior Discounts and Tax Credits
- Legal Assistance (Seniors Only)
- Alzheimer's/Dementia Care
- Hoarding and De-cluttering Services

CONSULTATION AND ASSESSMENT

Consultation and assessment with a licensed clinical social worker is available to individuals and families seeking mental health services and support.

SHORT-TERM CASE MANAGEMENT

Short-term, solution-focused case management is available to residents who are in need of advocacy and continuity of care.

COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION

- Coordination of Services
- Community Needs Assessment
- Collaboration with Town Departments, Local Agencies, Schools, Community Groups, Task Forces and Coalitions
- Emergency Preparedness

FUEL ASSISTANCE

Scituate Community Harbor Building is an outreach site for State Fuel Assistance applications for residents of Scituate under the age of 60.

Residents of Scituate over the age of 60 may go to the Scituate Senior Center to apply.

The Fuel Assistance Program runs November through April.

COLLABORATION WITH

- Veteran Services
- South Shore Community Action Council
- South Shore Women's Resource Center
- SANDS (Scituate Alliance of Natural Disaster Services)
- St. Vincent de Paul Society
- Greater Boston Legal Services
- Salvation Army
- Scituate FACTS
- South Shore Elder Services
- South Shore Housing
- Scituate Housing Authority
- CHNA 20
- Marshfield/Scituate Suicide Prevention Coalition
- Scituate Clergy Association
- Scituate Food Pantry
- South Shore Coalition of Independent Therapists



If you are over 60, please call 781-545-8722 for an appointment

If you are under 60, please call 781-378-1653 for an appointment