

ALGER COUNTY COMMUNITIES THAT CARE

Mission and Goal: - "Alger County United and Thriving: *Promoting a safe, healthy and prosperous environment for all youth and adults."*

AuTrain-Onota Schools

Community Action Alger Marquette (CAAM)

Big Brothers Big Sisters

Burt Township School

Child and Family CFSUP

Commission on Aging

County Commissioners

Family Court Judge

Families against Narcotics

County Prosecutor

County Sheriff

Grow & Lead

Great Lakes Recovery

Great Start Collaborative

LMAS District Health Department

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Michigan State Police

MADD

MDHHS

MSU Extension

Munising City Police

Munising Memorial Hospital

Munising Baptist School

Munising Public School

NorthCare Network

Sault Tribe

Superior Central School

Pathways CMH

Women's Center

Our Alger County Community That Cares (AC3), Adult Needs Group, has been busy fundraising (through a calendar sale) for money to assist those who have chronic and/or emergency medical needs. Specifically, we have chosen **to purchase bus tickets and gas cards** for those who need to travel to medical appointments, but cannot afford to do so without financial hardship. This would also include

cannot afford to do so without financial hardship. This would also include individuals seeking substance abuse assistance-Angel program, individual/group treatment and domestic violence services-Harbor House, individual/group

treatment.

Hello,

As a community provider, we are alerting you to this opportunity, as you likely have knowledge about who can benefit. We would advise that many people may have a transportation benefit through UPHP, or Medicaid, but understand that there are times when the nature of an illness does not meet their advance notice (5 days for UPHP) requirements. However, we mostly want to assist those who "fall through

the cracks" and do not qualify for medical insurance assistance, or are in crisis.

Kris Lindquist, Director of Commission on Aging, has agreed to manage and distribute the gas cards and bus tickets. She can be contacted by calling 387-2439. If no answer, please leave a message, as messages are periodically checked after

hours and weekends.

We hope this service will be helpful in assisting our Alger residents in having their

medical needs met.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to call or email

<u>algercountyctc@gmail.com</u> for more information.

Sincerely

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