

# Yreka Community Resource Center

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**Our MISSION is to provide  
“RESOURCES TO ALL”**



## Programs & Services

**Career Fashions for Men & Women**--clothes for men & women for job interviews, court dates, and work

**Computer Lab**--Use of computers anytime during open hours for all ages

**Parent Education**--Parenting Wisely, computer program, as well as 7-12 week parenting classes throughout the year

**Healthy Families & MediCal for Children**--online application assistance, by appointment

**Young Children's Play Area**--children's area to be used anytime during open hours

**Bingo**--Every Tuesday at 1:30--7 games for \$7

**Senior Information & Assistance** help for seniors accessing resources, filling out forms, etc...

**Community Service Site**

## Outreach & Prevention Activities

**New Parent Kits**--box of videos & brochures from First 5 California

**Supervised Visitation**--Low-cost visits for non-custodial parents

**Karate Classes**--Wednesdays for kids 7-18

**Broadway New to You Thrift Store**--program for retail sales training and processing. Volunteers always needed. Clothing referrals available!

**Lending Library**--Parenting library of books that can be checked out

**Family Night Out**--3rd Thursday of each month, free dinner, books, arts & crafts for families with kids ages 0-5.

**Resource & Referrals**--Connecting families & individuals with services they need that we don't provide

**Family Advocacy**--one-on-one time to talk about problems & goals

## Success Story

This year we were fortunate enough to get MSCAA funding for emergency energy assistance. Through this program we helped 18 families with 0-5 year old children with their energy bill. The requirement under the grant is that if a person/family receives assistance they have to come in for a budget meeting to discuss prevention tactics so that this does not occur again and other resources and programs offered throughout the county. During this hour budget meeting there is a lot of information that is discussed and when finished the family and YCRC staff always feel like a relationship has been established. Fortunately, there have been many families who have come back for other services. One family in particular, we sat down and did the budget, suggested a monthly meal plan, gave fliers on our services and hoped to see them again. Since that budget meeting they have attended all of our parenting classes and Family Night Outs, their kids now participate in karate and the mother is an active member in the Policy Council of Early Head Start in Yreka. This family has grown leaps and bounds since the first contact and to think it all began with a budget meeting is astounding.

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