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## On The Cover:

Catalpa Road in Lexington, which is near the Henry Clay Estate, features ginkgo trees lining both sides of the street. Each Fall, residents and visitors flock to this area to see the foliage change to brilliant yellow colors. (Cover photo by Bill Straus Photography)





Photo by Bill Straus Photography

What makes Lexington, Kentucky, unique is its variety – the variety of its landscape, educational opportunities, health care choices, employment options, family activities, arts and culture, businesses, and economy. Our region is among the smartest, most affordable, job friendly, entrepreneurial, most inspiring, and innovative places in America.

The Lexington region’s economic success comes largely from its diverse economy, which has been mentioned by multiple national sources. The region serves as a health care, retail, and cultural center for both Central and Eastern Kentucky. Employment is dispersed among government, education and healthcare, retail trade, manufacturing, professional and business services, and construction. As a result of these diverse opportunities, Lexington’s unemployment rate is typically lower than the rest of the state and nation.

Our city’s thriving entrepreneurial ecosystem cultivates ideas and opportunities by leveraging a culture of innovation and strong support structure that helps young companies grow. In 2021, startups created 110 new jobs, raised \$52.1 million in capital, and generated \$77.5 million in revenue. They also reported an average salary of \$64,000 for full-time jobs and employed 623 people in Lexington and Central Kentucky.

A lot has been happening here in recent years – from streetscape improvements to new and enhanced bike and walking trails to many hospital expansions to a rapidly-growing high-tech sector. There’s a perception among many residents here that Lexington is on the move, and the city you are experiencing today is far different than that of even a decade ago. The downtown area continues to see enhancements, from the nearly completed expansion of Central Bank Center (convention center) and upgrades to Rupp Arena, the City Center Complex, the ever-evolving Distillery District, a new mixed-use facility in the East End called The MET, and the Town Branch Park, which is coming soon behind Rupp Arena. Lexington has been named among the best cities for col-

lege graduates (#6), young professionals (#10), and most affordable for an early retirement (#5). Whether you’re coming here to live, work, start a business, or play, you’ll find the Bluegrass full of charm and hospitality. It’s an experience like no other, and you’ll find yourself wanting to come back again and again or perhaps you’ll just decide to stay.

## Lexington’s History

Lexington is rich in tradition and history. Well-known explorer Daniel Boone established nearby Boonesboro, one of the first settlements in the state, in 1775. It helped pave the way for others to follow and settle an area known as McConnell Springs, Lexington’s birthplace. The settlers later named the area after the site of the opening battle of the Revolutionary War at Lexington, Massachusetts. Fayette County was named in honor of Marquis de Lafayette, France’s largest supporter of the American Revolution in 1780.

Once a part of Virginia, Lexington was granted 710 acres by the Virginia General Assembly in 1782. Ten years later, Virginia released Kentucky, and it assumed statehood, making Frankfort its state capital.

In 1812, Henry Clay, who is known as “The Great Compromiser,” built Ashland, a 400-acre estate. Lexington opened its first city school in 1834. When the 1890’s rolled around, tobacco replaced hemp as the major cash crop in the Bluegrass. By the early 1900’s, Lexington became the world’s largest burley tobacco market.

Historic Keeneland Race Course opened to huge crowds in 1936, while planes began taking off from nearby Blue Grass Airport in 1942. In 1974, the city of Lexington and Fayette County merged, creating Kentucky’s only urban county government until 2003, when Louisville merged its city and county governments.



# Living in the Bluegrass



Lexington Farmers Market Photo by Bill Straus Photography

The housing choices for a resident of Fayette County are as diverse as the people and the economy. From newer suburban neighborhoods like Andover or Masterson Station to older, historical areas such as Henry Clay and Chevy Chase, Lexington truly offers something for everyone. Residents can choose from downtown living, farms, apartments and duplexes, million-dollar homes, and suburbia, as well as the small-town atmosphere of communities like Midway, Paris, Versailles or Winchester.

According to the Fayette County Property Valuation Administrator, the median sales price in 2021 for single-family homes was \$256,000, representing a 63-percent increase since 2012. With thousands of college students descending on the area each fall, a plethora of options are available to renters, such as apartment complexes, townhouses, duplexes, and even older homes near campus.

## By-The-Numbers | What to Expect

**\$321,402**

Cost for 2,400-square foot living area new home with three bedrooms, two baths, and a two-car garage on 60x120 lot.

**2.90%**

Average mortgage rate with points.

**\$84.79**

Average monthly electric bill.

**\$866**

Monthly rent for unfurnished apartment with two bedrooms, two baths at approximately 950-square feet (excluding all utilities except water and sewer).

**\$99.27**

Average monthly gas bill.

**\$195.91**

Average monthly phone bill.

*\*C2ER Cost of Living figures: 2021 Annual Averages*

## Lexington's Cost of Living Index (2021 Averages):

CITY	COMPOSITE	GROCERY	HOUSING	UTILITIES	TRANSPORT.	HEALTH CARE	MISC. GOODS
Lexington, KY	<b>90.3</b>	90.1	77.8	106.3	94.6	76.0	99.1
Charleston, SC	<b>99.8</b>	93.5	100.9	118.0	95.2	93.5	98.0
Charlotte, NC	<b>94.8</b>	98.6	82.4	93.5	94.2	105.5	104.6
Atlanta, GA	<b>105.0</b>	98.4	111.5	84.2	99.9	106.1	110.3
Columbus, OH	<b>91.5</b>	99.5	86.6	89.6	91.9	88.2	93.1
Louisville, KY	<b>95.9</b>	94.2	82.2	103.4	110.7	86.9	106.0
Madison, WI	<b>106.0</b>	106.2	107.3	101.8	104.7	122.2	104.0
Nashville, TN	<b>95.4</b>	98.0	93.3	91.1	96.4	93.2	97.6

**ABOUT THE INDEX:** C2ER produces the Cost of Living Index to provide a useful and reasonably accurate measure of living cost differences among urban areas. Items on which the Index is based have been carefully chosen to reflect the different categories of consumer expenditures. Weights assigned to relative costs are based on government survey data on expenditure patterns for professional and executive households. All items are priced in each place at a specified time and according to standardized specifications.



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# Central Kentucky

Many of the national economic rankings recognizing Lexington-Fayette County are based on statistical information from the entire region (Metropolitan Statistical Area or MSA). The impact of people and businesses throughout the Bluegrass Region is substantial due to the close proximity of Fayette County to the surrounding communities. Lexington's closeness to cities like Winchester, Berea, Richmond, and Versailles allows for easy trips to and from those communities to enjoy shopping, arts and crafts fairs, festivals, golfing, and much more. The following is a sampling of key cities that are just a hop, skip, and a jump from Lexington.

## Berea

Located 35 miles south of Lexington just off I-75 where the Bluegrass meets the mountains in northern Madison County, Berea is known as the "Folk Arts and Crafts Capital of Kentucky." It is home to the Kentucky Artisan Center, where people can explore Kentucky artisan works and their stories in the center's exhibit and retail areas, and shop for a wide range of Kentucky products. For more information, visit [www.visitberea.com](http://www.visitberea.com) or [www.bereachamber.com](http://www.bereachamber.com).

## Georgetown

Located just north of the crossroads of I-75 and I-64, Georgetown and Scott County are ideally located ten miles north of Lexington. Georgetown is one of Kentucky's fastest-growing communities and is the home of Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Kentucky, and Georgetown College, the first Baptist college founded west of the Allegheny mountains. For more information, visit [www.georgetownky.com](http://www.georgetownky.com) or [www.gtown.org](http://www.gtown.org).

## Midway

The city of Midway in Woodford County was built by the Lexington and Ohio Railroad in 1831. The site was also known as Middleway. Midway is the home of Midway College. In the heart of the Bluegrass Region, Midway is noted for its scenic beauty, its economic health, and the commitment of its citizens to preserving its community assets through careful and proactive planning and strategic action. For more, visit <http://meetmeinmidway.com>.

## Nicholasville

Located less than two miles to the south of Lexington, Nicholasville in Jessamine County is another one of the state's fastest-growing places. It is home to the R.J. Corman Railroad Group, which was founded in 1973 and now operates in 23 states. Meanwhile, nearby Wilmore is home to Asbury College. For more information, visit [www.jessamineco.com](http://www.jessamineco.com), [www.jessaminechamber.org](http://www.jessaminechamber.org), [www.nicholasville.org](http://www.nicholasville.org) and [www.wilmore.org](http://www.wilmore.org).



Taylor Made Farm in Nicholasville (Photo by Commerce Lexington Staff)

## Paris

About 17 miles northeast of Lexington, Paris is the county seat of Bourbon County, which was one of the original nine counties that comprised Kentucky when it became a state in 1792. Downtown Paris includes one of the most intact Victorian-era Main Streets in the state, and Bourbon County is one of the leading producers of Thoroughbred horses in the world. For more information, visit [www.pariskytourism.com](http://www.pariskytourism.com) or [www.parisbourbonchamber.com](http://www.parisbourbonchamber.com).

## Richmond

Founded in 1798, Richmond is now one of Kentucky's fastest-growing cities and is home to Eastern Kentucky University. With over 100 buildings on the National Register of Historic Places and three National Register Historic Districts, downtown Richmond is considered one of the state's finest restored 19th Century commercial districts. For more information, visit [www.richmondchamber.com](http://www.richmondchamber.com).

## Versailles

The seat of Woodford County, Versailles is located on U.S. 60 and U.S. 62. The town was established in 1792, and later incorporated in 1837. Versailles offers a wealth of historic southern homes and buildings listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Many of the residents built impressive homes early in the 19th Century, making Versailles one of the most architecturally interesting communities in Kentucky. For more information, visit [www.versailles.ky.gov](http://www.versailles.ky.gov) or [www.woodfordcountyinfo.com](http://www.woodfordcountyinfo.com).

## Winchester

The city of Winchester in Clark County sits in the middle of Daniel Boone country just 20 miles to the east of Lexington. The legendary pioneer founded Fort Boonesborough in 1775, and the city of Winchester commemorates the occasion annually during its Daniel Boone Pioneer Festival held during Labor Day weekend. The area boasts many beautiful, fun and educational tourism spots all within a day of travel. For more, visit [www.winchesterky.com](http://www.winchesterky.com) or [www.tourwinchester.com](http://www.tourwinchester.com).



# Employment

The Bluegrass Region is a focal point in Kentucky for trade, service, and government functions. Inside the Bluegrass, the city of Lexington is the center for finance, insurance, and real estate activities. Lexington and the surrounding communities are also very successful in attracting and retaining manufacturing employment.

The largest employer in Central Kentucky is the University of Kentucky, employing more than 15,500 educators, administrators, and support staff. Toyota is the largest manufacturer in the region. The Fayette County Public School system and Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government are the largest single public entities in the area.

The Lexington area often weathers the impact of downturns and recessions better than many cities. In fact, during the pandemic in 2020, Lexington was ranked the top city where its unemployment rate had bounced back the fastest, according to *WalletHub*. A diverse economy that includes government, education, and health care, as well as a highly educated labor force have helped to shield the Bluegrass from seeing the worst of the worldwide economic crisis.

## Labor Force Analysis

Employment in the nine-county Bluegrass Region is centered in Fayette County (Lexington). Overall, 58% of the jobs in the Bluegrass Region are in Fayette County. Around 30% of the Bluegrass labor force resides outside the region. Most notably, about 4% of the Bluegrass labor force resides in Jefferson County (Louisville). Fayette and Woodford Counties import 27.8% and 29.2% of their labor force respectively from outside of the Bluegrass Region - the fewest of the nine Bluegrass counties. On the other end of the scale, Franklin (46.3%) and Clark (40.7%) Counties import the highest percentage of their labor from outside of the Bluegrass Region. In keeping with its status as the employment center in the Bluegrass Region, Fayette County (Lexington) both houses and imports the highest number of workers of all the Bluegrass counties.



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Despite a solid base of manufacturing and automotive suppliers, the Bluegrass Region is mainly a service-based economy. By itself, manufacturing is one of the larger employers and the highest wage payer in the Bluegrass. However, when combined, the various service sectors easily outpace manufacturing in both employment and wages. Especially strong in the areas of health care and education, the service sector continues to be the main economic engine for the region.

In terms of median and per capita income, the Bluegrass easily outpaces the state of Kentucky as a whole. It matches up much more favorably with the U.S. average on median house-



Groundbreaking for The Core, which is the University of Kentucky's new development for early-stage, high-tech companies due to be completed in 2022. (UK Photo by Mark Cornelison)

hold, family, and personal income, as well as per capita income.

Because of its relatively low utility costs, Lexington has remained a very affordable place to do business. Kentucky enjoys a tremendous competitive advantage in the provision of energy, natural gas, and water supply. The has the lowest cost of elec-

tricity in the industrial sector among states east of the Mississippi River. According to the Energy Information Administration, Kentucky's industrial electricity rates are seventh lowest nationally and over 18% percent lower than the national average. This was certainly a contributing factor when the city was named #6 among Cities with the Lowest Startup Costs (SmartAsset).

One of Lexington's key business attributes is its central location, especially from a logistics standpoint. It is 600 miles from over two-thirds of the U.S. population, sitting at the crossroads of two major interstates (I-75 and I-64) and giving companies here direct access to both north-south and east-west routes.

The University of Kentucky, Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Fayette County Public Schools, Amazon, Conduent, and Baptist Health are among the major employers within the Lexington MSA. Citizens also enjoy strong employment opportunities in equine related businesses, health care, retail and services. Principal manufactured products include automobiles, automobile parts, peanut butter, cutting tools, heating and air conditioning equipment, paper cups and products, software, sunroofs, and military equipment.

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# Education



Kentucky’s commitment to education over the last 20-plus years has made it a model for the nation. The catch phrase, “Education Pays,” has been embraced throughout the region. Kentucky has made major strides in teacher pay, student testing, teacher training, and administration. The Fayette County Public School system is no exception. The county continues to set high standards for education, with students consistently scoring above state and national averages on both the SAT and ACT. A majority of high school graduates in Fayette County attend college. FCPS is consistently listed among the nation’s best for cities of Lexington’s size. With 71 schools and other academic and alternative programs, as well as roughly 42,000 students and 8,000 employees, the district is governed by a five-member school board, with each person elected to a four-year term.

## Public School Registration:

Kentucky law requires youths between 6 and 18 years old to attend school, and the birthday cutoff to enroll in kindergarten is age 5 on or before August 1. Also, families may apply for preschool if their child turns 4 on or before August 1 and is income-eligible. Three- and 4-year-olds who have a special need may also apply for the Fayette County Preschool Program year-round. Students will be enrolled at the school where they are zoned based on residential address. Once FCPS receives all the required documents, your school will confirm your child’s enrollment. To find out more about the enrollment process and requirements, or to see what school zone you are located within, visit [www.fcps.net/registration](http://www.fcps.net/registration).

## FCPS Preschool Program:

The Fayette County Preschool Program is the state-mandated preschool offering in Fayette County Public Schools. We enthusiastically support and follow the goals of the Kentucky Early Childhood Standards. The learning environment is skillfully planned by certified teachers using the philosophy of the Creative Curriculum to ensure a high quality, developmentally appropriate education for all young children. To view the requirements or begin the on-line application process, visit [www.fcps.net/preschool](http://www.fcps.net/preschool). Because of COVID-19 precautions, the preschool office is not currently open to walk-ins. The staff will begin processing applications for this fall’s (2022-23) placements on May 4. If you have questions, you can e-mail the preschool staff at [fcpsprek@fayette.kyschools.us](mailto:fcpsprek@fayette.kyschools.us).

## Fayette Co. Public Schools

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## FCPS District Overview 2021-2022

### STUDENTS:

Total number of students enrolled.....	41,476
Kindergarten-Grade 5.....	18,488
Grades 6-8.....	9,216
Grades 9-12.....	11,597
Other (preschool & special academic & alternative programs).....	2,175

### SCHOOLS:

Elementary schools.....	37
Middle schools.....	12
High schools.....	6
Specialized academic programs.....	7
Alternative support programs.....	6

### DIVERSITY:

White.....	46 percent
Black.....	23.3 percent
Hispanic.....	19 percent
Asian.....	4.8 percent
Students classified as English learners.....	5,889
Native languages spoken by EL students.....	95
Students classified for Special Education.....	4,845

### EMPLOYEES:

Full-time teachers.....	3,050
Support & administrative staff.....	2,594
Beginning teacher’s salary.....	\$43,280
Average teacher’s salary.....	\$61,496

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Phone: 381-3332  
www.scapa.fcps.net

**Southern**  
400 Wilson Downing Road, 40517  
Phone: 381-3582  
www.southernmiddle.fcps.net

**Tates Creek**  
1105 Centre Parkway, 40517  
Phone: 381-3052  
www.tcms.fcps.net

**Winburn**  
1060 Winburn Drive, 40511  
Phone: 381-3067  
www.winburn.fcps.net

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**Bryan Station**  
201 Eastin Road, 40505  
Phone: 381-3308  
www.bsms.fcps.net

**Frederick Douglass**  
2000 Winchester Rd., 40509  
Phone: 381-3780  
www.douglass.fcps.net

**Henry Clay**  
2100 Fontaine Road, 40502  
Phone: 381-3423  
www.henryclay.fcps.net

**Lafayette**  
401 Reed Lane, 40503  
Phone: 381-3474  
www.lafayette.fcps.net

**Paul Laurence Dunbar**  
1600 Man O' War Blvd., 40513  
Phone: 381-3546  
www.pld.fcps.net

**Tates Creek**  
1111 Centre Parkway, 40517  
Phone: 381-3620  
www.tchs.fcps.net

## Other Programs

**Eastside Technical Center**  
2208 Liberty Road, 40509  
Phone: 381-3740  
www.fcps.net/eastside

**The Learning Center**  
475 Price Road, 40508  
Phone: 381-0597  
www.fcps.net/tlc

**Locust Trace AgriScience Farm**  
3591 Leestown Road, 40511  
Phone: 381-3990  
www.fcps.net/locustrace

**Martin Luther King Jr. Academy for Excellence**  
2200 Liberty Road, 40509  
Phone: 381-4040  
www.fcps.net/mlk

**Southside Technical Center**  
1800 Harrodsburg Road, 40504  
Phone: 381-3603  
www.fcps.net/southside

**The Stables**  
4089 Iron Works Pike, 40511  
Phone: 333-5827  
www.fcps.net/stables

**Success Academy**  
1555 Georgetown Road, 40511  
Phone: 381-3795  
www.fcps.net/success

### Magnet Programs:

There are also a variety of magnet schools and programs available in the Fayette County Public Schools District, such as the Rise STEM Academy for Girls and others. Visit [www.fcps.net/magnet](http://www.fcps.net/magnet) for more information.








### Specialized Academic Programs:

Certain academic programs offer specialized education within a school or are freestanding sites, such as pre-engineering programs, Spanish Immersion, arts and others. Find out more on-line at [www.fcps.net/specialized](http://www.fcps.net/specialized).





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# Private Schools

For parents seeking other alternatives for their children's education, Lexington offers many quality private and parochial schools, many of which have found success in sports with state championships and academics with high test scores.

Overall, private and parochial school enrollment numbers have risen in recent years. Tuition and admission requirements vary, so be sure to contact the individual school listed below for more detailed information.

## Commerce Lexington Inc. Member Private & Parochial Schools:

### Black Male Working Academy

3016 Bracktown Road, Lexington, KY 40511  
Phone: (859) 227-2663  
www.bmwacademyky.org

### Community Montessori School

725 Stone Road, Lexington, KY 40503  
Phone: (859) 277-4805  
www.cmsmontessori.org

### KORE Academy

4300 Nicholasville Road, Lexington, KY 40515  
Phone: (859) 971-7129  
www.koreacademy.org

### The Hearing and Speech Center

350 Henry Clay Blvd., Lexington, KY 40502  
Phone: (859) 268-4545  
www.hscky.org

### Lexington Catholic High School

2250 Clays Mill Road, Lexington, KY 40503  
Phone: (859) 277-7183  
www.lexingtoncatholic.com

### Lexington Christian Academy

450 W. Reynolds Rd., Lexington, KY 40503  
Phone: (859) 422-5700  
www.lexingtonchristian.org

### Providence Montessori School

1209 Texaco Road, Lexington, KY 40508  
Phone: (859) 255-7330  
www.providencemontessoriky.org

### Sayre School

194 N. Limestone St., Lexington, KY 40507  
Phone: (859) 254-1361  
www.sayreschool.org

### Sts. Peter and Paul Regional School

423 West Short St., Lexington, KY 40507  
Phone: (859) 254-9257  
www.sppslex.org

### Trinity Christian Academy

3900 Rapid Run Dr., Lexington, KY 40515  
Phone: (859) 271-0079  
www.trinitylex.org

**NOTE:** Additional schools and locations with child care, preschool and kindergarten options are listed on Page 14 in the Child Care section.

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# Private Schools Spotlight

## Sayre School

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## Lexington Christian Academy

In 1989, the leadership of The Lexington Christian School and The Academy came together to form what would become one of the largest, independent Christian schools in America. Today, it is an accredited preschool through 12th grade school, offering a Christ-centered, world-class education. LCA offers a broad, comprehensive curriculum. To prepare students to serve Christ in this competitive, global world of the 21st Century, LCA's administration, teachers and staff are deeply committed to academic excellence. Its academic program is comprehensive and taught within a Christian framework. Since its inception, LCA has provided an educational experience which prepares students not only in the classroom, but on the playing field, and stage, in chapels and retreats, and through leadership programs and outreach programs. The high school experience is enhanced by a number of activities including athletic teams, fine art programs, competition teams, student government and so much more. LCA also recently announced the addition of three new academic pathways including Business – Accounting & Law, Christian Ministry & Leadership, and Fine Arts – Visual & Performing Arts.



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# Child Care

Lexington offers many licensed day care centers or day care homes for parents with preschool children. Many local churches and hospitals offer child care services. Kentucky recognizes four basic categories of child-care and has recently begun a rating system for certified day care facilities. The categories include: non-regulated care (private homes with 3 or fewer children), certified family day care homes (up to 6 children), type 2 licensed family day care homes (7-12 children), and type 1 licensed family day care facilities (12 or more children).

Many childcare resources are available through Child Care Aware of Kentucky, which is housed at the Human Development Institute at the University of Kentucky. The Human Development Institute is Kentucky's University Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities Education, Research and Service. It works on improving lifelong opportunities and services for individuals with disabilities, their families, and the community. For more details, visit on-line at [www.childcareawareky.org](http://www.childcareawareky.org).

The Commonwealth of Kentucky can also help connect you with state resources. To search for child care facilities across the state with options that may meet your family's specific needs, visit [https://kynect.ky.gov/benefits/s/child-care-provider?origin=program-page&language=en\\_US](https://kynect.ky.gov/benefits/s/child-care-provider?origin=program-page&language=en_US) or call (855) 306-8959 to speak to a referral specialist.

Kentucky Division of Regulated Child Care has outlined what families should look for in a child care center. Here's a checklist of key recommendations:

- Observe the interaction between staff/provider & children.
- Find out what activities are available for the children.
- Ask questions and make sure your questions are answered to your satisfaction.
- Check for a current license or certificate and verify that current deficiencies are posted.
- Keep in mind: the child's age; the child's personality; the

locations of the facility/provider compared to your home and workplace; and facility/provider hours of operation and any fees charged.

- After your child is enrolled in a facility, drop in unannounced at various times of the day. If you see anything that makes you uneasy, talk to the caregiver or director about your concerns. Continue to make visits to check on things. Watch for recurring bumps or bruises or changes in your child's behavior. Talk to other parents when you pick up your child. Compare notes with them. Trust your instincts and look for another child care facility/provider, if necessary.

For more information, contact the Kentucky Cabinet for Family and Health Services at (800) 372-2973 or on-line at <https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dccbs/dcc/Pages/find-care.aspx>.



## Commerce Lexington Member Child Care & Early Childhood Options:

**Centenary United Methodist Church**  
2800 Tates Creek Road, Lexington, 40502  
Phone: (859) 269-2800  
[www.lexchurch.com/TCS](http://www.lexchurch.com/TCS)

**Child Development Center of the Bluegrass**  
290 Alumni Drive, Lexington, 40503  
Phone: (859) 218-2322  
[www.cdcbg.org](http://www.cdcbg.org)

**Easter Seals Cardinal Hill**  
2050 Versailles Road, Lexington, 40504  
Phone: (859) 367-7217  
<https://cardinalhill.org/programs/creative-beginnings>

**Good Shepherd Day School**  
544 Sayre Avenue, Lexington, 40508  
Phone: (859) 255-9734  
[www.goodshepherddayschool.org](http://www.goodshepherddayschool.org)

**The Nest - Center for Women, Children & Families**  
530 North Limestone St., Lexington, 40508  
Phone: (859) 259-1974  
[www.thenestlexington.org](http://www.thenestlexington.org)

**PJ's Primary Care Center**  
325 Clifty Street, Somerset, 42501  
Phone: (606) 679-4589  
[www.pjsdaycareofsomerset.com/home.html](http://www.pjsdaycareofsomerset.com/home.html)

**Southern Hills United Methodist Church**  
2356 Harrodsburg Road, Lexington, 40503  
Phone: (859) 277-6176  
<https://southernhillsumc.org/shecp>

**Trinity Hill Child Care Center, Inc.**  
210 E. Reynolds Road, Lexington, 40517  
Phone: (859) 273-9526

**Wee Care Daycare & Preschool**  
455 E. Maxwell Street, Lexington, 40508  
Phone: (859) 231-8687  
[www.weecaredaycarelex.com](http://www.weecaredaycarelex.com)

**NOTE:** There are also child care and preschool options available at many of the private schools listed on page 12, and through Fayette County Public Schools listed on page 9.



# Higher Education



University of Kentucky's Memorial Hall (Photo by Bill Straus Photography)

The abundance of higher education institutions within the Bluegrass Region brings an infusion of students each fall, and with it comes big dreams and big ideas. The impact of which has produced a very well-educated workforce leading to the area's diverse economy.

In fact, according to U.S. Census Bureau data, Lexington is among the smartest cities in the nation. For cities with a population of 300,000 or more, Lexington ranked 11th overall in percent of population (45%) age 25 and older having earned a bachelor's degree or higher. When considering those with advanced degrees (master's, professional or doctorate degrees), Lexington also ranked 10th (20%) among cities of comparable size. That educational attainment trend extends across the entire Bluegrass Region, because the area is blessed with so many quality colleges and universities.

Anchored by the state's flagship university, the University

of Kentucky, the Bluegrass boasts ten colleges and universities within 40 miles of Lexington. In addition, Lexington has five other professional and technical colleges. Over 61% of Lexingtonians between ages 18 and 24 are enrolled in college or graduate school, ranking the city third in college enrollment rates among cities with a population over 300,000.

Altogether, institutions of higher learning in the Bluegrass continue to fuel our economy with total enrollment of nearly 70,000 and awarding over 18,000 degrees and credentials annually. The economic impact of many of these schools is huge, from student enrollment to faculty to workers to the infusion of research funds.

No matter what your schedule, budget, or career choice, the Bluegrass has a college or university to meet your needs. Contact one of the institutions listed in this publication or visit them on-line to learn more.

## Commerce Lexington Member Higher Education Institutions:

### **Bellevue University\***

470 Cooper Drive, Oswald Bldg., Room 118  
Lexington, KY 40506  
Phone: (859) 533-7803

<https://transfer.bellevue.edu/bluegrass>

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### **Bluegrass Community & Technical College**

470 Cooper Drive, Lexington, KY 40506  
500 Newtown Pike, Lexington, KY 40508  
Phone: (859) 246-6200  
[www.bluegrass.kctcs.edu](http://www.bluegrass.kctcs.edu)

### **Eastern Kentucky University**

521 Lancaster Avenue, Richmond, KY 40475  
Phone: (800) 262-7493  
[www.eku.edu](http://www.eku.edu)

### **Employment Solutions' College for Technical Education**

1165 Centre Pkwy., Ste. 120, Lexington, KY 40517  
Phone: (859) 272-5225  
[www.cte.edu](http://www.cte.edu)

### **Frontier Nursing University**

2030 Lexington Road, Versailles, KY 40383  
Phone: (859) 251-4592  
[www.frontier.edu](http://www.frontier.edu)

### **Georgetown College**

400 East College St., Georgetown, KY 40324  
Phone: (502) 863-8030  
[www.georgetowncollege.edu](http://www.georgetowncollege.edu)

### **Kentucky Community & Technical College System (KCTCS)**

300 North Main Street, Versailles, KY 40383  
Phone: (877) 528-2748  
[www.kctcs.edu](http://www.kctcs.edu)

### **Kentucky State University**

400 East Main Street, Frankfort, KY 40601  
Phone: (502) 597-6760  
[www.kysu.edu](http://www.kysu.edu)

### **Lexington Theological Seminary**

230 Lexington Green Circle, Suite 300  
Lexington, KY 40503  
Phone: (859) 252-0361  
[www.lextheo.edu](http://www.lextheo.edu)

### **MedQuest College**

1575 Winchester Road, Lexington, KY 40505  
Phone: (859) 402-1035  
[www.medquestcollege.edu](http://www.medquestcollege.edu)

### **Midway University**

512 E. Stephens St., Midway, KY 40347  
Phone: (800) 952-4122  
[www.midway.edu](http://www.midway.edu)

### **Sullivan University – Lexington Campus**

2355 Harrodsburg Road, Lexington, KY 40504  
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[www.sullivan.edu](http://www.sullivan.edu)

### **Transylvania University**

300 North Broadway, Lexington, KY 40508  
Phone: (859) 233-8300  
[www.transyu.edu](http://www.transyu.edu)

### **University of Kentucky**

100 Main Building, Lexington, KY 40506  
Phone: (859) 257-9000  
[www.uky.edu](http://www.uky.edu)



# Health Care

The health care sector has been one of the driving forces of growth and stability in the Bluegrass economy, with over 17-percent of the area's workforce employed in health care and social assistance fields (U.S. Census Bureau). In fact, the region's health care industry is a big reason that Lexington often weathers national economic recessions better than many other communities.

Lexington's health care supply is consistently ranked among the best in North America and the world, while the industry's constant expansion is evident in hospital and clinic construction, as well as renovation projects throughout the city.

Offering a diverse range of services, including hospitals, clinics, blood banks, and emergency care, the region provides a variety of health care options. Area hospitals are prepared to handle everything from emergency surgery to newborn babies. Lexington is home to many innovative and unprecedented medical efforts in the state, nation and the world. The quality of health care is second to none, and people throughout the state recognize it to be among the best.



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## Commerce Lexington Member Hospitals & Clinics:

### BLOOD BANKS

**Kentucky Blood Center, Inc.**  
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[www.kybloodcenter.org](http://www.kybloodcenter.org)

### CLINICS

**Baptist Health Medical Group**  
1051 Newtown Pike, Suite 130, 40511  
Phone: (859) 253-0076  
[www.baptisthealthoccmcd.com](http://www.baptisthealthoccmcd.com)

**Lexington Clinic**  
1221 South Broadway, 40504  
Phone: (859) 258-4000  
[www.lexingtonclinic.com](http://www.lexingtonclinic.com)

**Lexington Urgent Care**  
1701 Nicholasville Road, Suite 100, 40503  
Phone: (859) 523-5310  
[www.urgentcareofky.com](http://www.urgentcareofky.com)

**Mountain Comprehensive Care Center**  
152 W. Zandale Drive, 40503  
Phone: (859) 585-5851  
[www.mtcomp.org](http://www.mtcomp.org)

### HOSPITALS

**Baptist Health Lexington**  
1740 Nicholasville Road, 40503-1424  
Phone: (859) 260-6100  
[www.baptisthealthlexington.com](http://www.baptisthealthlexington.com)

**Cardinal Hill Rehabilitation Hospital**  
2050 Versailles Road, 40504-1499  
Phone: (859) 254-5701  
[www.encompasshealth.com/locations/cardinal-hillrehab](http://www.encompasshealth.com/locations/cardinal-hillrehab)

**CHI Saint Joseph Health**  
1 Saint Joseph Drive, 40504  
Phone: (859) 313-1000  
[www.chisaintjosephhealth.org](http://www.chisaintjosephhealth.org)

**CHI Saint Joseph East**  
150 North Eagle Creek Drive, 40509  
Phone: (859) 967-5000  
[www.chisaintjosephhealth.org/saint-joseph-east-lexington](http://www.chisaintjosephhealth.org/saint-joseph-east-lexington)

**Lexington VA Health Care System**  
1101 Veterans Drive, 40502  
Phone: (859) 233-4511  
[www.lexington.va.gov](http://www.lexington.va.gov)

**Shriners Hospitals for Children**  
110 Conn Terrace, 40508  
Phone: (859) 266-2101  
[www.shrinerschildren.org](http://www.shrinerschildren.org)

**UK HealthCare**  
[www.ukhealthcare.uky.edu](http://www.ukhealthcare.uky.edu)

**UK Albert B. Chandler Hospital - Pavilion A**  
1000 South Limestone, 40536  
Phone: (859) 323-5000

**UK Albert B. Chandler Hospital - Pavilion H & HA**  
800 Rose Street, 40536  
Phone: (859) 323-5000

**UK Albert B. Chandler Hospital Pavilion G**  
Gill Heart & Vascular Institute  
800 Rose Street, 40536  
Phone: (859) 323-0295

**UK Good Samaritan Hospital**  
310 S. Limestone, 40508  
Phone: (859) 226-7000

**UK HealthCare - Turfland**  
2195 Harrodsburg Road, 40504  
Phone: (859) 257-1000

**Eastern State Hospital**  
1350 Bull Lea Road, 40511  
Phone: (859) 246-8000

**Kentucky Children's Hospital**  
UK Chandler Hospital - Pavilion HA, 4th Floor  
800 Rose Street, 40536  
Phone: (859) 323-5000

# Senior Living

Lexington's high quality of life has made the area increasingly popular for those seeking a retirement community. Area facilities provide everything from skilled care to independent living. The Lexington Senior Citizen Center provides social services, recreation, specialized health services, and education to the older members of our community.

Over the years, Lexington has worked hard to meet the

needs of its expanding older population. The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at UK ([www.uky.edu/olli/about](http://www.uky.edu/olli/about)) offers educational and enrichment courses, forums, shared interest groups, trips, events and more for adults 50 years and older.

To find adult daycare services, retirement communities and nursing homes, search our on-line directory at <http://web.commercelexington.com/search>.

## Commerce Lexington Member Senior Living Facilities:

### The Breckinridge

2109 Cornerstone Drive, Lexington, KY 40509  
Phone: (859) 543-9445  
[www.thebreckinridge.com](http://www.thebreckinridge.com)

### Bridgepointe at Ashgrove Woods

5220 Grey Oak Lane, Nicholasville, KY 40356  
Phone: (859) 885-3000  
[www.bridgepointeassistedcare.com](http://www.bridgepointeassistedcare.com)

### Cedarhurst of Beaumont

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[www.cedarhurstliving.com](http://www.cedarhurstliving.com)

### Hicks Golden Years Nursing Home

1901 Highway 90, Monticello, KY 42633  
Phone: (606) 348-6034

### Highgrove at Tates Creek

4251 Saron Drive, Lexington, KY 40515  
Phone: (859) 245-0100  
[www.highgroveattatescreek.com](http://www.highgroveattatescreek.com)

### Hometown Manor Assisted Living Communities

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[www.hometownmanor.com](http://www.hometownmanor.com)

### The Lafayette

690 Mason Headley Rd., Lexington, KY 40504  
Phone: (859) 278-9080  
[www.phoenixsriving.com/thelafayette](http://www.phoenixsriving.com/thelafayette)

### Liberty Ridge Senior Living

701 Liberty Ridge Lane, Lexington, KY 40509  
Phone: (859) 543-9449  
[www.libertyridge.com](http://www.libertyridge.com)

### Mayfair Village Retirement Community

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[www.mayfairseniors.com](http://www.mayfairseniors.com)

### McCready Manor, Inc.

300 Stocker Dr., Richmond, KY 40475  
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[www.standrewsplace.org](http://www.standrewsplace.org)

### Morning Pointe of Lexington

233 Ruccio Way, Lexington, KY 40503  
Phone: (859) 554-0060  
[www.morningpointe.com](http://www.morningpointe.com)

### Morning Pointe of Lexington – East

150 Shoreside Drive, Lexington, KY 40515  
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[www.morningpointe.com](http://www.morningpointe.com)

### Pleasant Meadow Assisted Living

2141 Executive Drive, Lexington, KY 40505  
Phone: (859) 317-8439  
[www.mypleasantmeadow.com](http://www.mypleasantmeadow.com)

### Richmond Place Senior Living

3051 Rio Dosa Drive, Lexington, KY 40509  
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[www.richmondplaceseniorliving.com](http://www.richmondplaceseniorliving.com)

### Sayre Christian Village

3775 Belleau Wood Dr., Lexington, KY 40517  
Phone: (859) 271-9000  
[www.sayrechristianvillage.org](http://www.sayrechristianvillage.org)

### The Willows at Citation

1376 Silver Springs Dr., Lexington, KY 40511  
Phone: (859) 277-0320  
[www.willowsatcitation.com](http://www.willowsatcitation.com)

### The Willows at Fritz Farm

2710 Man O'War Blvd., Lexington, KY 40515  
Phone: (859) 273-0088  
[www.willowsatfritzfarm.com](http://www.willowsatfritzfarm.com)

### The Willows at Hamburg

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# What to Experience



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In northern Fayette County, you’ll find the Kentucky Horse Park, which is home to the International Museum of the Horse, American Saddlebred Museum, and annually hosts the Land Rover Kentucky Three-Day Event and the National Horse Show. Closer to downtown Lexington is Red Mile Gaming & Racing, which is the second-oldest harness track in the world, and features simulcasting, horse sales, and instant racing.

Even if you aren’t into horses, there are plenty of other things to do in and around the region that are fun and won’t break your budget – from visiting a winery or perhaps taking a tour of a historic site like Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill, local candy shop, or one of the area’s many historic homes, such as the Henry Clay Estate.

If you’re into spectator sports, there are plenty of college and professional options in the area. The most popular outings include University of Kentucky basketball and football, as well as the defending Atlantic League of Professional Baseball champion **Lexington Legends**.



Lexington Legends Photo by Cameron Witte.

Although Kentucky’s Bourbon heritage dates back many years, recently it has seen quite the “revival” in terms of the economic impact on the state. Distilleries around the Commonwealth continue to welcome growing numbers of visitors. To enjoy tours and tastings along the Kentucky Bourbon Trail, contact a specific distillery or visit [www.kybourbon.com](http://www.kybourbon.com). Craft breweries have also become popular destinations in the region, with 25 now included on VisitLex’s Brewgrass Trail.

## SPOTLIGHT: Buffalo Trace Distillery

**113 Great Buffalo Trace, Frankfort, KY 40601**  
[www.buffalotracedistillery.com](http://www.buffalotracedistillery.com)

For over 200 years, Buffalo Trace Distillery has been defined by a dedication to one craft: making fine bourbon whiskey. It has earned its place of leadership among the legendary spirit makers of the world. To book a tour of the distillery on-line, visit [www.buffalotracedistillery.com/visit-us.html](http://www.buffalotracedistillery.com/visit-us.html). Distillery hours are Monday – Saturday, 10 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. and Sunday from 11:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

## SPOTLIGHT: Red Mile

**1200 Red Mile Road, Lexington, KY 40504**  
[www.redmileky.com](http://www.redmileky.com)

Red Mile Gaming & Racing is the second oldest harness track in the world and offers over 900 interactive games with more than 138 thrilling themes and a newly finished climate controlled patio, Smoky Joe’s. Opened in 1875, harness racing’s elite have converged on Red Mile to stage some of the greatest equine battles in history. Hours of operation are Sunday – Thursday, 10 a.m. – 4 a.m. and Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. – 6 a.m. Simulcast hours of operation vary.



# Shopping & Dining

If you've got time to shop, then the Bluegrass is ready with all you can handle in the way of diverse shopping opportunities. Whether you enjoy indoor malls, unique shopping areas, quaint family-owned stores, farmers' markets, or downtown shops, the variety of shopping environments is certainly overwhelming. People come from miles around to see what the Bluegrass has to offer.

Lexington is home to one of the state's largest malls, Fayette Mall (Nicholasville Road), and downtown on West Main Street is The Square. A little further out Nicholasville Road just into Jessamine County is a shopping and dining area called Brannon Crossing. Other area malls and shopping areas to hit include The Mall at Lexington Green (Nicholasville Road), the Lansdowne Shoppes (Tates Creek Road), Hamburg Pavilion (I-75 & Man O'War), and an area called The Summit at Fritz Farm located at the corner of Nicholasville Road and Man O'War.

Also in Lexington, you'll find unique shopping areas (similar to districts), such as Clay Avenue, Chevy Chase Village, the Green-tree section of Short Street, North Limestone, Old Vine Street, as well as South Limestone near the University of Kentucky campus. You'll also want to check out the Julietta Market, a year-round multi-vendor public market in the historic Southeast Greyhound Building. Nestled right in the heart of Central Kentucky's historic and thriving agricultural community, the Blue Grass Stockyards

Regional Marketplace includes community-minded dining, retail and education spaces. If you're looking to shop in the Bluegrass, come with a lot of energy and plenty of space in your vehicle, because you certainly won't leave empty-handed.

When people are finished shopping in and around Lexington, they can take a break at one of over 600 area eating and drinking establishments. From local favorites to chain restaurants, residents and visitors alike enjoy local traditions such as Derby Pie, hot browns and burgoo, as well as a wonderful mix of choices from seafood to Japanese to Italian, Mexican, and many more. Whether you're looking for in-person dining, carry-out or delivery options, you'll find a ton of local restaurants listed on-line at <https://web.commercelexington.com/Restaurants-Food-Beverages>.

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# Where to Stay

Visitors and tourists to Lexington will find nothing short of superb “Southern hospitality” when staying here. From a plethora of hotels and motels to quaint bed and breakfasts to historic inns, the options are many. New hotels continue to pop up across our region. Scan the QR code with your device for the most up-to-date list of hotels.

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## Commerce Lexington Member Hotels & Motels:

### 21c Museum Hotel Lexington

167 West Main Street, 40507  
Phone: (859) 899-6810  
[www.21clexington.com](http://www.21clexington.com)

### Avid Hotel

1810 Bryant Road, 40509  
Phone: (859) 687-8100  
[www.ihg.com/avidhotels/hotels/us/en/lexington/lexav/hoteldetail](http://www.ihg.com/avidhotels/hotels/us/en/lexington/lexav/hoteldetail)

### Best Western Lexington Inn

2221 Elkhorn Road, 40505  
Phone: (859) 293-0047  
[www.bestwestern.com/lexingtoninn](http://www.bestwestern.com/lexingtoninn)

### The Campbell House, Curio Collection by Hilton

1375 South Broadway, 40504  
Phone: (859) 255-4281  
[www.thecampbellhouse.com](http://www.thecampbellhouse.com)

### Candlewood Suites

603 Adcolor Drive, 40511  
Phone: (859) 967-1940  
[www.candlewoodsuites.com](http://www.candlewoodsuites.com)

### Clarion Hotel Conference Center North

1950 Newtown Pike, 40511  
Phone: (859) 233-0512  
[www.clarionhotellex.com](http://www.clarionhotellex.com)

### Comfort Inn & Suites of Lexington

2400 Buena Vista Road, 40505  
Phone: (859) 293-6113  
[www.comfortinnlexingtonky.com](http://www.comfortinnlexingtonky.com)

### Country Inn & Suites Hotel

2297 Executive Drive, 40505  
Phone: (859) 299-8844  
[www.countryinns.com/lexingtonky\\_north](http://www.countryinns.com/lexingtonky_north)

### Courtyard by Marriott Lexington North

775 Newtown Court, 40511  
Phone: (859) 253-4646  
[www.marriott.com/lexno](http://www.marriott.com/lexno)

### Courtyard by Marriott South Hamburg

1951 Pleasant Ridge Dr., 40509  
Phone: (859) 263-9090  
[www.marriott.com/lexce](http://www.marriott.com/lexce)

### Doubletree Suites by Hilton Lexington

2601 Richmond Road, 40509  
Phone: (859) 268-0060  
[www.lexingtonsuites.doubletree.com](http://www.lexingtonsuites.doubletree.com)

### Elwood Hotel & Suites

444 Parkway Drive, 40504  
Phone: (877) 444-2308  
[www.theelwoodhotel.com](http://www.theelwoodhotel.com)

### Embassy Suites at Lexington Green

245 Lexington Green Circle, 40503  
Phone: (859) 271-4000  
[www.lexingtongreen.embassysuitesbyhilton.com](http://www.lexingtongreen.embassysuitesbyhilton.com)

### Embassy Suites Lexington/UK Coldstream

1801 Newtown Pike, 40511  
Phone: (859) 455-5000  
[www.lexington.embassysuites.com](http://www.lexington.embassysuites.com)

### Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott Lexington East/I-75

2211 Elkhorn Road, 40505  
Phone: (859) 303-4386  
[www.marriott.com/lexle](http://www.marriott.com/lexle)

### Fairfield Inn by Marriott - Beaumont

3050 Lakecrest Circle, 40513  
Phone: (859) 224-3338  
[www.marriott.com/lexsw](http://www.marriott.com/lexsw)

### Hampton by Hilton I-75 Lexington/Hamburg

2251 Elkhorn Road, 40505  
Phone: (859) 299-2613  
[www.lexingtoni75.hamptoninn.com](http://www.lexingtoni75.hamptoninn.com)

### Hampton Inn - Medical Center/UK

1953 Nicholasville Road, 40503  
Phone: (859) 313-9000  
[www.hilton.com/en/hotels/lexmchx-hampton-lexington-medical-center/](http://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/lexmchx-hampton-lexington-medical-center/)

### Hilton Garden Inn

1973 Plaudit Place, 40509  
Phone: (859) 543-8300  
[www.hilton.com](http://www.hilton.com)

### Hilton Lexington Downtown

369 West Vine Street, 40507  
Phone: (859) 231-9000  
[www.hiltonlexington.com](http://www.hiltonlexington.com)

### Holiday Inn Express & Suites DTWN Area - Keeneland

1780 Sharkey Way, 40511  
Phone: (859) 231-0656  
[www.hiexpress.com/lexingtonky](http://www.hiexpress.com/lexingtonky)

### Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites Downtown

1000 Export St., 40504  
Phone: (859) 389-6800  
[www.hiexpress.com/lexington](http://www.hiexpress.com/lexington)

### Home2 Suites by Hilton

1750 Pleasant Ridge Drive, 40509  
Phone: (859) 900-2333  
[www.hilton.com/en/hotels/lexhght-home2-suites-lexington-hamburg/](http://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/lexhght-home2-suites-lexington-hamburg/)

### Home2 Suites Lexington University/Medical Center

126 East Lowry Lane, Lexington, KY 40503  
Phone: (859) 313-5200  
[www.lexingtonuniversitymedicalcenter.home2suites.com](http://www.lexingtonuniversitymedicalcenter.home2suites.com)

### Homewood Suites by Hilton

249 Ruccio Way, 40503  
Phone: (859) 223-0880  
[www.lexington.homewoodsuites.com](http://www.lexington.homewoodsuites.com)

### Homewood Suites by Hilton - Hamburg

2033 Bryant Road, 40509  
Phone: (859) 543-0464  
[www.HomewoodSuitesLexingtonhamburg.com](http://www.HomewoodSuitesLexingtonhamburg.com)

### Hyatt Place Lexington

2001 Bryant Road, 40509  
Phone: (859) 296-0091  
[www.hyattplacelexington.com](http://www.hyattplacelexington.com)

### Hyatt Regency Lexington

401 West High Street, 40507  
Phone: (859) 253-1234  
[www.hyatt.com/en-US/hotel/kentucky/hyatt-regency-lexington/lexrl](http://www.hyatt.com/en-US/hotel/kentucky/hyatt-regency-lexington/lexrl)

### The Kentucky Castle

230 Pisgah Pike, 40383  
Phone: (859) 256-0322  
[www.thekentuckycastle.com](http://www.thekentuckycastle.com)

### Lexington Griffin Gate Marriott Resort and Spa

1800 Newtown Pike, 40511  
Phone: (859) 231-5100  
[www.griffingatemarriott.com](http://www.griffingatemarriott.com)

### Lexington Marriott City Center

121 W. Vine Street, 40507  
Phone: (859) 253-1000  
[www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/lexdt-lexington-marriott-city-center/](http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/lexdt-lexington-marriott-city-center/)

### Origin Hotel Lexington

4174 Rowan, 40517  
Phone: (859) 245-0400  
<https://originhotel.com/lexington>

### Quality Inn

2381 Buena Vista Drive, 40505  
Phone: (859) 299-0302  
[www.choicehotels.com/kentucky/lexington/quality-inn-hotels/ky078](http://www.choicehotels.com/kentucky/lexington/quality-inn-hotels/ky078)

### Ramada Conference Center

2143 North Broadway, 40505  
Phone: (859) 299-1261  
[www.ramadainnlexky.com](http://www.ramadainnlexky.com)

### Red Roof Inn South

2651 Wilhite Drive, 40503  
Phone: (859) 277-9400  
[www.redroof.com](http://www.redroof.com)

### Residence Inn Lexington City Center

150 W. Main St., 40507  
Phone: (859) 253-1000  
[www.marriott.com/lexrd](http://www.marriott.com/lexrd)

### Residence Inn South by Marriott

2688 Pink Pigeon Parkway, 40509  
Phone: (859) 263-9979  
[www.marriott.com/lexri](http://www.marriott.com/lexri)

### Springhill Suites by Marriott

863 South Broadway, 40504  
Phone: (859) 225-1500  
[www.marriott.com/lexsh](http://www.marriott.com/lexsh)

### Staybridge Suites - Lexington

125 Louie Place, 40511  
Phone: (859) 233-2300  
[www.staybridgesuites.com/lexingtonky](http://www.staybridgesuites.com/lexingtonky)

### TownePlace Suites by Marriott

Lexington Keeneland/Airport  
980 Midnight Pass, 40513  
Phone: (859) 368-9491  
[www.marriott.com/LEXTW](http://www.marriott.com/LEXTW)

### WoodSpring Suites Lexington

2370 Lake Park Road, 40502  
Phone: (859) 269-6677  
[www.woodspring.com/extended-stay-hotels/locations/kentucky/lexington/hotels](http://www.woodspring.com/extended-stay-hotels/locations/kentucky/lexington/hotels)

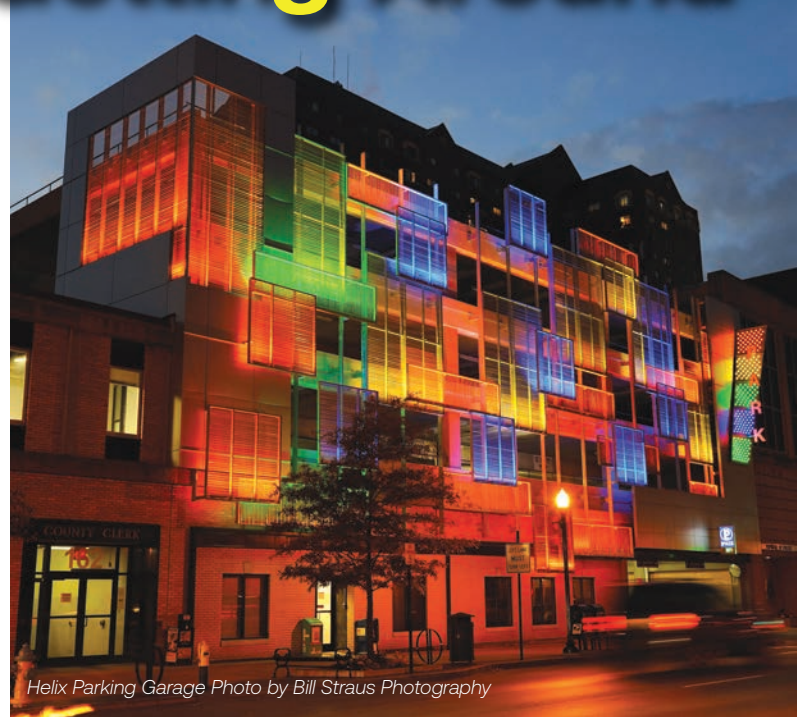
# Getting Around

It is often said that in business, location is everything. Lexington's economic success is due in large part to its prime location within the state of Kentucky, as well as the nation. Because the city sits at the crossroads of two major Interstate highways, I-64 (East-West) and I-75 (North-South), both visitors and businesses have easy access to many other U.S. cities in the East, South, and Midwest. In fact, Lexington is within a day's drive of two-thirds of the United States' population.

Lexington also benefits from its close proximity to surrounding communities like Georgetown, Cynthiana, Paris, Midway, Richmond and Versailles (pronounced VER-SALES). In addition, the city is just a hop, skip, and a jump from Cincinnati, Louisville, Nashville, Knoxville, and Huntington.

For newcomers, getting around Lexington can be daunting at times, but one of the best ways to remember where you need to go is to envision the hands of a clock, with the following numbers representing main roads in Lexington: 1:00 – Newtown Pike; 2:00 – North Broadway/Paris Pike; 3:00 – Winchester Road; 5:00 – Richmond Road; 7:00 – Nicholasville Road; 8:00 – South Broadway/Harrodsburg Road; 9:00 – Versailles Road; and 10:00 – West Main Street/Leestown Road.

The outside of the clock is represented by New Circle Road, a 26-mile stretch, which encircles the city. Just below the southern part of New Circle Road lies Man O' War Boulevard, which extends for 16 miles from Interstate-75 (Exit 108) near the Hamburg Pavilion to Versailles Road near Blue Grass Airport and the entrance to Keeneland Race Course.



Helix Parking Garage Photo by Bill Straus Photography

## Public Transit:

Lextran's fixed-route bus service operates 25 routes, which move people all around Lexington. This service is vital to the people of Fayette County as it gets them to work, school, and other quality of life activities. Passengers ride Lextran 7 days a week, 365 days a year for \$1 or less per trip. Children ages 6 and under ride for free. Fares may be paid with change, cash (\$1 and \$5 bills only), and Lextran passes. All buses are equipped with bike racks and are wheelchair accessible. For more information about routes, services, reduced fares or passes, call (859) 253-4636 or visit [www.lextran.com](http://www.lextran.com).

## Bicycling:

Over the years, bicycling has become a popular mode of transportation in Lexington, and the local government has made great strides to keep bicyclists safe as they share the roads with automobiles. Lexington continues to invest in new and better marked bike lanes, as well as the development of more shared use trails. To learn about safe bike riding, bike parking, or to find out about the "bikeability" of Lexington, visit [www.lexingtonky.gov/trails](http://www.lexingtonky.gov/trails).

## Parking in Downtown:

There are estimated to be more than 10,000 parking spaces in the downtown area. The Lexington & Fayette County Parking Authority is committed to making parking more visible and accessible to visitors and residents, offering real-time availability in its parking garages at [www.parkme.com/map](http://www.parkme.com/map) and on-street parking using the convenience of LEXPARK's Pay-ByPhone mobile app. Find out more at [www.lexpark.org](http://www.lexpark.org).

## Air Travel:

Located at the corner of Man O' War Boulevard and Versailles Road, Lexington's Blue Grass Airport continues to introduce new flights and customer conveniences. The airport is served by four major airlines, which provide convenient non-stop service to 15 destinations. Passengers can check flight schedules on-line at [www.bluegrassairport.com](http://www.bluegrassairport.com). For convenience, the airport also offers 30 minutes of free parking in both its short-term and long-term parking areas, an executive lounge, free wireless Internet, meeting rooms, valet parking, cell phone waiting lot and general aviation services.



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# Arts & Culture



Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center.



Lexington Opera House (Commerce Lexington Inc. Photos)

Whether you're in the mood for great musicals, national and international museum exhibits, charming children's productions, outdoor performances, or touring Broadway plays, Lexington hosts a variety of arts and cultural opportunities that fit many interests. Leading the way for the advancement of the arts locally is LexArts, Lexington's cultural development, advocacy and fundraising organization. As both the area arts council and united arts fund, LexArts provides a wide range of programs and services designed to integrate the arts into our community. Through its annual Fund for the Arts, LexArts raises millions of dollars in support of local arts and distributes general operating support to its Partner Organizations, as well as offering competitive special project and programming grants to other arts organizations in the area.

An organization called Arts Connect is dedicated to creating more arts awareness and vitality in the community through programs, resources and meaningful engagement, and by supporting all forms of artistic expression and creative endeavors.

Theater buffs have several well-known facilities from which to choose to watch performances, including the Lexington

Opera House and Rupp Arena at Central Bank Center, the Lyric Theatre and Cultural Arts Center, ArtsPlace, Lexington Children's Theatre, Singletary Center for the Arts on the University of Kentucky campus, and the Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center. Inside many of these venues, you'll see performances by Central Kentucky Youth Orchestras, the Lexington Philharmonic, The Lexington Theatre Company, and many others.

Great arts education opportunities are available at The Living Arts & Science Center (LASC), which inspires participation of youth and adults in art and science by engaging the community through education, discovery, exploration, and creativity. It features hands-on and interactive instruction in arts and science directly from professional educators and active artists and scientists.

If it's museums you're seeking, then you'll want to check out the Aviation Museum of Kentucky near Blue Grass Airport, as well as the history resources of the Lexington History Museum at [www.lexhistory.org](http://www.lexhistory.org).

The Bluegrass Region is proud of its arts and cultural component, and support of the arts stretches to both the public and private sectors.

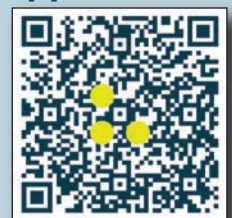
## Horse Mania is Back!

In conjunction with LexArts' 50th anniversary and the fact that the Breeders' Cup is coming to Lexington, 2022 will feature the return of Horse Mania, a public art initiative that captured the hearts and imaginations of Lexingtonians and visitors back in 2000 and 2010. The fiberglass horses are sponsored by businesses and individuals, with local artists submitting their design proposals. Once approved, the artists get to work, and once completed, the horses are set to begin appearing around Lexington in April 2022. The horses will then be auctioned at Keeneland.



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Opportunities



Lexington and its surrounding area have a plethora of churches and synagogues, including many different denominations. From large congregations into the thousands to smaller congregations, the choices are numerous. Don't hesitate to visit several to determine the right fit for you or your family.

## Commerce Lexington Member Churches:

### **Centenary United Methodist Church**

2800 Tates Creek Road, Lexington, KY 40502  
Phone: (859) 269-2800  
[www.lexchurch.com](http://www.lexchurch.com)

### **Center Point Church**

163 Old Todds Road, Lexington, KY 40509  
Phone: (859) 263-9384  
[www.cpclex.org](http://www.cpclex.org)

### **Central Christian Church**

219 East Short Street, Lexington, KY 40507  
Phone: (859) 233-1551  
[www.centralchristianlex.org](http://www.centralchristianlex.org)

### **Centro De San Juan Diego**

1389 Alexandria Drive, Lexington, KY 40504  
Phone: (859) 623-7675  
[www.cdsjd.org](http://www.cdsjd.org)

### **Consolidated Baptist Church**

1625 Russell Cave Road, Lexington, KY 40505  
Phone: (859) 299-8559  
[www.consolidatedbaptist.org](http://www.consolidatedbaptist.org)

### **Eastside Community Church**

2010 Catalpa Loop, Richmond, KY 40475  
Phone: (859) 624-9646  
[www.eastsideky.church](http://www.eastsideky.church)

### **First Baptist Bracktown**

3016 Bracktown Road, Lexington, KY 40511  
Phone: (859) 231-7042  
[www.bracktown.org](http://www.bracktown.org)

### **First Presbyterian Church**

171 Market St., Lexington, KY 40507  
Phone: (859) 252-1919  
[www.fpclex.org](http://www.fpclex.org)

### **Heritage Baptist Church**

163 N. Ashland Ave., Lexington, KY 40502  
Phone: (859) 806-3891  
[www.hbclex.com](http://www.hbclex.com)

### **Immanuel Baptist Church**

**3100 Tates Creek Road, Lexington, KY 40502**  
Phone: (859) 685-3200  
[www.ibclex.com](http://www.ibclex.com)

### **Main Street Baptist Church**

582 West Main Street, Lexington, KY 40507  
Phone: (859) 252-3838  
[www.mainstreetbaptistchurchlexky.org](http://www.mainstreetbaptistchurchlexky.org)

### **Southern Hills United Methodist Church**

2356 Harrodsburg Road, Lexington, KY 40503  
Phone: (859) 277-6176  
[www.southernhillsumc.org](http://www.southernhillsumc.org)

### **St. John's Lutheran Church**

516 Pasadena Drive, Lexington, KY 40503  
Phone: (859) 277-6391  
[www.stjohnslexington.org](http://www.stjohnslexington.org)

### **The First Assembly of God Church of Lexington, Kentucky Inc.**

2780 Clays Mill Rd., Lexington, KY 40503  
Phone: (859) 276-1458  
[www.lexingtonfirst.org](http://www.lexingtonfirst.org)

### **Victory Christian Fellowship**

1156 Oak Hill Rd, Somerset, KY 42503  
Phone: (606) 677-1100  
[www.vcfsomerset.com](http://www.vcfsomerset.com)



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## Automobiles

### Driver's Licenses:

Driver licensing services are gradually transferring from Circuit Clerks to Driver Licensing Regional Offices by June 30, 2022. In 2020, Kentucky began to make changes to its driver's licensing procedures, including the ability to schedule appointments online for REAL ID's and standard licenses, written permit tests and road tests, and a mail-in option for renewals. The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet has opened several Regional Driver's Licensing Offices across the state, including one in Lexington at 141 Leestown Center Way, 40511. The regional offices are open to in-person visits from any Kentucky resident. For information on current pricing and the process for obtaining a driver's license in Kentucky, visit <https://drive.ky.gov>.

### Graduated Driver's Licensing Program:

The Graduated Driver Licensing program is only required for drivers obtaining their original permit at 16 or 17. It uses an intermediary period of six months between the learner's permit and a full, unrestricted license. During the intermediary phase, teenagers will have an intermediate license. They can drive on their own, but with two restrictions on their driving privileges - one restricting driving from 12:00 a.m. (midnight) to 6:00 a.m. (except in the case of an emergency) and a second restricting the driver to only one unrelated passenger under the age of 20. To find out more, visit <https://drive.ky.gov/driver-licensing/Pages/Graduated-Driver-Licensing-Program.aspx>.

### Regional Driver's Licensing Office:

141 Leestown Center Way, Suite 125, Lexington, KY 40511

**Hours of operation:** Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**NOTE:** Now accepting credit/debit cards, cash, personal checks, certified checks, and money orders. Limited walk-ins are available on a first-come, first-serve basis. For assistance when scheduling on-line appointments, call (502) 564-1257.

### Driver's License Issuance Appointments:

[https://telegov.egov.com/kytc\\_ddl/AppointmentWizard/110/882/1](https://telegov.egov.com/kytc_ddl/AppointmentWizard/110/882/1)

### Schedule Road Test of Written Permit Test On-line:

<https://telegov.egov.com/KSP>

### Driver Insurance Required:

An owner may not operate a vehicle in Kentucky until insurance has been obtained. According to the statute, an owner who fails to maintain insurance on his vehicle shall have his vehicle registration revoked. In addition, the vehicle owner, as well as the vehicle driver, are subject to a fine of \$500.00 to \$1,000.00, up to 90 days in jail, or both. All owners of motor vehicles in Kentucky are required to carry minimum liability coverage. This means liability coverage of \$25,000.00 for all claims for bodily injury damages sustained by any one person and not less than \$50,000.00 for all bodily injury damages

sustained by all persons as a result of an accident, as well as \$25,000.00 for all property damage as a result of any one accident. Alternatively, a policy with a single limit of \$60,000.00 is acceptable. In addition, the policy must provide basic reparations benefits unless the insured vehicle is a motorcycle. For more information about state insurance laws, contact the Kentucky Department of Insurance at (502) 564-3630 or visit <http://insurance.ky.gov>.

### Vehicle Registration/License Plates:

When a vehicle or vessel is sold from one citizen or business to another in Kentucky, the title must be transferred to the new owner within 15 days. All motor vehicles operated on Kentucky roadways must be titled and registered. KRS 186.020 states that a person who brings a motor vehicle into the Commonwealth of Kentucky shall make an application for registration within fifteen (15) days in the county in which the person resides. Vehicle registration is handled by the Fayette County Clerk's office (162 East Main Street, Lexington, KY 40507). Find out more at [www.fayettecountyclerk.com](http://www.fayettecountyclerk.com) or call (859) 253-3344.

## Voter Registration

To vote, a person must be a U.S. citizen, a Kentucky resident, and at least 18 years of age before the next General Election. In Kentucky, the potential voter must be registered in the county where they live. The registration books close 28 days before each election. Since January 1995, Kentucky citizens can register to vote at the time of vehicle registration or driver's license renewal under the "Motor-Voter" Program. For more information on voter registration in Fayette County, visit [www.fayettecountyclerk.com/web/elections/voterregistration.htm](http://www.fayettecountyclerk.com/web/elections/voterregistration.htm).

## Government

Lexington and Fayette County merged into a single urban county government on January 1, 1974. The merger was a culmination of an effort to develop a more cost-effective and efficient use of resources for joint programs in planning, public education, parks and public safety. A mayor and a 15-member legislative body administer the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government. The Urban County Council includes 12 district representatives elected for two-year terms and three at-large members elected for four-year terms. For general information about city services, call (859) 425-2255 or visit [www.lexingtonky.gov](http://www.lexingtonky.gov).

### Mayor Linda Gorton

Urban County Government Center  
200 East Main Street, Lexington, KY 40507  
Phone: (859) 258-3100  
E-Mail: [mayor@lexingtonky.gov](mailto:mayor@lexingtonky.gov)

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## Public Libraries:

### Central Library

140 East Main Street, 40507

Phone: (859) 231-5500

[www.lexpublib.org](http://www.lexpublib.org)

### Beaumont Branch

3080 Fieldstone Way, 40513

### Eastside Branch

3000 Blake James Drive, 40509

### Northside Branch

1733 Russell Cave Road, 40505

### Tates Creek Branch

3628 Walden Drive, 40517

### Village Branch

2185 Versailles Road, 40504

## Pets:

In Fayette County, all dogs and cats must be licensed annually starting at six months of age and rabies vaccinated at four months of age. Proof of rabies vaccination is required for the city license. Licenses are valid for 12 months from the last day of the month the license was issued (e.g. a license issued on December 1 is valid until December 31 of the next year). Dogs must wear their license and rabies tags at all times. Cats must wear their license tag at all times. Assistance dogs are exempt from annual licensing. Licenses are issued during normal business hours (Monday-Saturday, noon to 6:00 p.m.) at the Lexington-Fayette Animal Care & Control office at 1600 Old Frankfort Pike. There is also a mail-in license application available on-line at <https://lfacc.org/general-information>. Fayette County also has a pooper-scooper law. For more information about pet laws and licenses, contact the Lexington-Fayette Animal Care and Control at (859) 255-9033 or <https://lfacc.org>.

## Post Offices:

For other USPS locations, drop-off and pickup points within Lexington, visit [www.usps.com](http://www.usps.com).

### Main Post Office

1088 Nandino Boulevard, 40511

### Beaumont Station

1025 Majestic Drive, 40513

### Bluegrass Station

3525 Lansdowne Drive, 40517

### Brentwood Carrier Annex

1045 Brentwood Ct., Ste. 110, 40511

Downtown Branch (Post Rider)  
210 East High Street, 40507

### Gardenside Station

1729 Alexandria Drive, 40504

### Henry Clay Station

365 Duke Road, Ste. A, 40502

### Liberty Road Station

2041 Creative Dr., Suite 100, 40505

## Moving & Storage:

*Commerce Lexington Members*

### A1 Portables, Inc.

Phone: (859) 255-6605

[www.a1portables.com](http://www.a1portables.com)

### Bluegrass Moving Concierge

Phone: (859) 948-6124

[www.bluegrassmc.com](http://www.bluegrassmc.com)

### Carey Group

Phone: (859) 885-9444

[www.careygroupky.com](http://www.careygroupky.com)

### Citadel Self-Storage

Phone: (859) 795-2555

[www.citadelfselfstorage.com/lexington](http://www.citadelfselfstorage.com/lexington)

### Citadel Warehouse Services

Phone: (859) 254-8821

### College Hunks Hauling Junk & Moving

Phone: (859) 226-0426

[www.collegehunks.com](http://www.collegehunks.com)

### Fister Incorporated

Phone: (859) 266-2153

[www.vincentfister.com](http://www.vincentfister.com)

### Office Resources, Inc. (ORI)

Phone: (502) 589-8400

[www.oriusa.com](http://www.oriusa.com)

### PODS For Business

Phone: (513) 822-0772

[www.pods.com/business](http://www.pods.com/business)

### Safeway Moving & Storage – Agent for Mayflower

(859) 266-2153

[www.safemoving.com](http://www.safemoving.com)

### Saunier Moving and Storage

Phone: (859) 233-2383

[www.sauniermoving.com](http://www.sauniermoving.com)

### Star-All

Phone: (859) 263-8877

[www.sastorage.com](http://www.sastorage.com)

### The Urban Squirrel

Phone: (859) 382-2265

[www.storeyournutshere.com](http://www.storeyournutshere.com)

### Vincent Fister Moving & Storage

Phone: (859) 266-2153

[www.vincentfister.com](http://www.vincentfister.com)

## Utilities:

*Commerce Lexington Members*

## Internet, Phone & TV - Residential Options:

### AT&T Kentucky

Multiple locations in Lexington

Find a store: [www.att.com/stores](http://www.att.com/stores)

### Kinetic by Windstream

130 W. New Circle Rd., Ste. 170, 40505

Residential: (855) 403-4216

[www.windstream.com](http://www.windstream.com)

### MetroNet

130 W. Tiverton Way, Ste. 160, 40503

Phone: (859) 785-1107

[www.metronetinc.com](http://www.metronetinc.com)

### Spectrum

2450 Nicholasville Road, 40503

2312 Sir Barton Way, 40509

Residential: (866) 991-6533

[www.spectrum.com](http://www.spectrum.com)

## Electricity & Gas:

### Blue Grass Energy

P.O. Box 990, Nicholasville, 40340

Phone: (888) 546-4243

Serves portions of S.E. Fayette Co.

[www.bgenergy.com](http://www.bgenergy.com)

### Columbia Gas of Kentucky

2001 Mercer Road, 40511

Phone: (800) 432-9345

Gas Emergency: (800) 432-9515

[www.columbiagasky.com](http://www.columbiagasky.com)

### Delta Natural Gas Co., Inc.

3617 Lexington Rd., Winchester, 40391

Phone: (859) 744-6171

[www.deltagas.com](http://www.deltagas.com)

### East Kentucky Power Cooperative

4775 Lexington Rd., Winchester, 40391

Phone: (859) 744-4812

Report Problems: (859) 745-9300

[www.ekpc.coop](http://www.ekpc.coop)

### LG&E & KU Energy

One Quality Street, 40507

Residential: (800) 331-7370

[www.lge-ku.com](http://www.lge-ku.com)

## Water:

### Kentucky American Water

2300 Richmond Road, 40502

Customer service: (800) 678-6301

[www.kentuckyamwater.com](http://www.kentuckyamwater.com)

## Other Services:

### Kentucky 811

Phone: 811 or (800) 752-6007

[www.kentucky811.org](http://www.kentucky811.org)

Kentucky's "Call Before You Dig" law

requires everyone who digs to contact Kentucky 811 at least two full business days before starting a project.

## Recycling & Trash:

### City of Lexington:

Residents and businesses with city waste collection service are provided a green roll cart for landfill-bound waste and a blue roll cart for recycling materials. To request carts, call Lex-Call at 311 or (859) 425-2255 or online. Material placed in the green cart must be bagged. If it will not roll, the 200-pound weight limit has been exceeded. Overloaded carts will not be picked up.

### Private & Business:

*Commerce Lexington Members*

### Bin There Dump That Lexington

Phone: (859) 358-7800

<https://lexington.bintheredumpthatsa.com/home>

### Central Kentucky Fiber Resources

Phone: (859) 225-8100

[www.centralkyfiber.com](http://www.centralkyfiber.com)

### Cohen Brothers of Lexington

Phone: (859) 255-5676

[www.cohenusa.com/lexington](http://www.cohenusa.com/lexington)

### College Hunks Hauling Junk & Moving

Phone: (859) 226-0426

[www.collegehunks.com](http://www.collegehunks.com)

### Go Big Blue Junk Removal

Phone: (859) 297-5865

<https://gobigbluejunk.com>

### Green Metals, Inc.

Phone: (502) 867-7253

[www.gmiky.com](http://www.gmiky.com)

### Junkluggers of Lexington & Cincinnati

Phone: 859-554-8055

[www.junkluggers.com](http://www.junkluggers.com)

### Lexington Computer Recycling

Phone: (859) 279-1195

[www.lexingtoncomputerrecycling.com](http://www.lexingtoncomputerrecycling.com)

### Midwest Metals

Phone: (859) 381-8500

<http://mwmcorp.com>

### Rubicon Technologies LLC

Phone: (440) 708-6082

\*Helps businesses reduce waste & meet sustainability goals.

### Smart Recycling Management LLC

Phone: (859) 447-0681

<http://smartrecyclingmanagement.com>



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