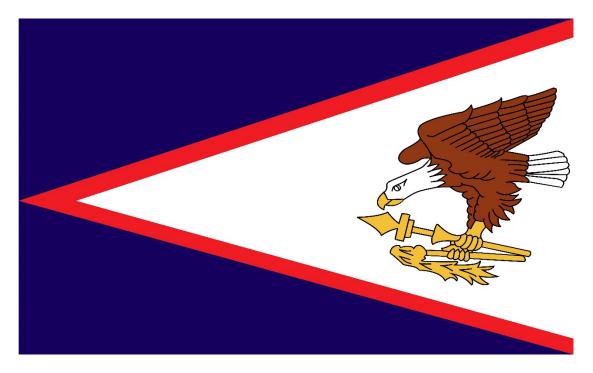


American Samoa Disability Resources



American Samoa consists of five main islands and two coral atolls. The largest and most populous island is Tutuila, with the Manuʻa Islands, Rose Atoll, and Swains Island also included in the territory. Many, but not all, social welfare programs that are available in the 50 states and the District of Columbia are also available in the United States territories of American Samoa, Guam, the Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Some programs are only available in certain territories and for some programs the territories receive funding based on different formulas or under different circumstances than do the states.

Source: Committee on Ways and Means, US House of Representatives' Green Book

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Info

Pacific ADA Center (Region 9)

www.adapacific.org Phone: 800-949-4232

Email: info@adapacific.org

Covers Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada and the Pacific Basin

Assistive Technology

American Samoa Assistive Technology Service

Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Department of Human Resources Pago Pago, Samoa 96799

Phone: 0-11-684-699-1373 TTY: 0-11-684-233-7874 Email: pisap26@yahoo.com

The American Samoa Assistive Technology project helps people with disabilities get access to assistive technology to help them in their everyday lives.

Caregivers

American Samoa Caregivers

https://www.openplacement.com/caregivers-in-american-samoa

Education Resources & Information

Department of Education: Special Education

https://www.amsamoadoe.com/ Special Education Division

Department of Education

Pago Pago, AS 96799

Phone: (011) (684) 699-6946

Email: <u>SAMPAVE@samoatelco.com</u>

Social Security Disability Help: American Samoa Social Security Disability

http://www.disabilitybenefitscenter.org/state-social-security-disability/american-samoa

Social Security Disability Benefits Resources: American Samoa, Guam & Northern Marina Islands

http://www.disability-benefits-help.org/social-security-disability-locations/american-samoa-guam-northern-marina-islands

1 Utulei Road Centennial Bldg 3rd Floor Suite 302 Pago Pago, AS 96799 Office Phone Number: 1-800-772-1213

Government Offices

American Samoa Government website

http://www.americansamoa.gov/

Office of the Governor

Pago Pago, American Samoa

Tel: 684-633-4116

Email: webinfo@go.as.gov

American Samoa Government: Human and Social Services

http://dhss.as/

Phone: 684 633-7506

American Samoa Government: Medicaid

https://www.medicaid.gov/state-overviews/american-samoa.html

American Samoa Medicaid State Agency

ASTCA Executive Building #304

P.O. Box 998383

Pago Pago, AS 96799 Phone: 684-699-4777

American Samoa Government: Protection and Advocacy

https://www.facebook.com/p/American-Samoa-Office-of-Protection-Advocacy-

100080720584509/?locale=ca ES

Phone: 684-633-2441

Email: Opad3937@gmail.com

The Protection & Advocacy agency of American Samoa provides free advocacy services for people with disabilities about legal issues related to education, employment, health care and technology. Also investigates reports of abuse or neglect and acts as the Client Assistance Program for people who receive Vocational Rehabilitation services.

American Samoa Government: Territorial Administration on Aging

American Samoa Government

Pago Pago, AS 96799

Phone: 684-633-1251

American Samoa Government: Vocational Rehabilitation

Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

American Samoa Government

Pago Pago, AS 96799

Phone: (684) 699-1371/1372/1373

Email: apisap26@yahoo.com

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services: American Samoa Consumer Assistance https://www.cms.gov/CCIIO/Resources/Consumer-Assistance-Grants/as.html

Social Security Administration: American Samoa Social Security

https://www.ssa.gov/policy/docs/factsheets/cong_stats/2018/as.html

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) is a federal cash assistance program that provides monthly payments to low-income aged, blind, or disabled persons in the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and the Northern Mariana Islands. **The SSI program does not cover American Samoa**.

Social Security Disability Benefits Resources: American Samoa, Guam & Northern Marina Islands

http://www.disability-benefits-help.org/social-security-disability-locations/american-samoa-guam-northern-marina-islands

Independent Living

Samoa Center for Independent Living

http://www.ilru.org/projects/cil-net/cil-center-and-association-directory-results/AS

P.O Box 3492

Pago Pago, AS 96799 Phone: 684-633-1804

Email: apisap26@yahoo.com

P.O Box 4561

Pago Pago, AS 96799 Phone: 684-699-1372 Accessible: 684-699-1381 Email: entepele@hotmail.com

Spinal Cord Injury

Samoa Spinal Network

Maluafou, Apia, Samoa Phone: +6857774041

Stroke

Office of Minority Health: Stroke and Native Hawaiians/Pacific Islanders https://minorityhealth.hhs.gov/stroke-and-native-hawaiianspacific-islanders

General

Association of University Centers on Disability (AUCD): UCEDD Program: Pacific Basin Program

https://www.aucd.org/directory-center?id=19

American Samoa Community College P.O. Box 2609

Pago Pago, AS 96799 Phone: 684-699-2728

National Disability Navigator Resource Collaborative: American Samoa

https://nationaldisabilitynavigator.org/state/as/

If you live in American Samoa, you're not eligible to use the federally funded Marketplace to apply and enroll in health coverage. Check with your territory's government offices (http://americansamoa.gov/) to learn about Medicaid, CHIP, and other health care options.

Wrightslaw American Samoa Yellow Pages for Kids

http://www.yellowpagesforkids.com/help/samoa.htm

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