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Jackson agency offering public-use Internet kiosks

The Community Action Agency in Jackson is introducing public-use Internet kiosks for people and families who need to apply for unemployment or food assistance.

The kiosks provide direct access to other services provided by the Social Security Administration and U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs.

They are available for people who do not have Internet access at home or who need help completing applications online at the state of Michigan's Helping Hand Web site, www.michigan.gov/helpinghand.

People can apply online for food assistance and unemployment, Social Security and veterans benefits.

The kiosks are open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday on a first-come, first-serve basis, and are located at the agency's four locations in Jackson, Lenawee and Hillsdale.

For more information, call the Community Action Agency at 784-4800 or 800-491-0004.

— Staff report