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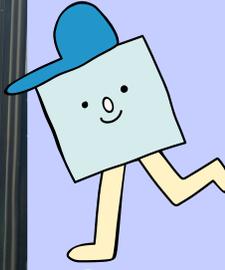
# LOCATIONS

- **Big Cove Kolanvyi Community Center** (8765 Big Cove Rd., Cherokee)
- **Big Y Community Club & Gym** (2641 Wrights Creek Rd., Cherokee)
- **Cherokee Indian Hospital** (1 Hospital Rd., Cherokee)
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# AVAILABLE PRODUCTS

And their uses

- **Naloxone Nasal Spray:** Used to reverse opioid overdoses, potentially saving lives.
- **Fentanyl/Xylazine Test Strips:** Allows individuals to test substances, reducing overdose risk.
- **Condoms:** Provides protection against sexually transmitted infections (STIs) and unintended pregnancies.
- **Pregnancy Test:** Allows women to quickly and privately determine if they are pregnant.
- **Face Mask:** Helps reduce the spread of respiratory infections, including COVID-19.
- **Anti-itch Cream:** Relieves itching and skin irritation from bug bites, rashes, or allergies.
- **First Aid Kit:** Contains basic medical supplies for treating minor injuries and emergencies.
- **Maxi Pads:** Provides menstrual hygiene protection.
- **Tampons:** Another option for menstrual hygiene protection.
- **Benadryl:** Alleviates allergy symptoms such as itching, swelling, and rashes.
- **Advil:** Pain reliever and anti-inflammatory medication.
- **Tylenol:** Pain reliever and fever reducer. **Ibuprofen:** Another pain reliever and anti-inflammatory medication.
- **2-in-1 Hair Wash:** Combination shampoo and conditioner for convenient hair care.
- **Deodorant (Women's):** Helps control body odor for women.
- **Deodorant (Men's):** Helps control body odor for men.
- **Bottled Water:** Ensures hydration on the go.
- **Sunscreen:** Protects skin from harmful UV rays, preventing sunburn and skin damage.
- **Body Wash:** Used for cleansing the body during showers.
- **Insect Repellent:** Protects against insect bites and the diseases they may carry such as Encephalitis.
- **ChapStick:** Moisturizes and protects lips from chapping.
- **Hand Sanitizer:** Provides convenient hand hygiene when soap and water are not available.
- **Dental Kit (Adult):** Contains a toothbrush, toothpaste, and floss for adult oral hygiene.
- **Dental Kit (Child):** Contains a toothbrush, toothpaste, and floss for child oral hygiene.
- **3-in-1 Test Kit:** Allows individuals to test for COVID-19, Flu A, & Flu B
- **Diaper Kit (Size 3):** Contains diapers for toddlers in size 3.
- **Diaper Kit (Size 5):** Contains diapers for toddlers in size 5.
- **Baby Wipes:** Disposable, moistened cloths for quick cleanups and convenient hygiene solution



# HOW TO USE

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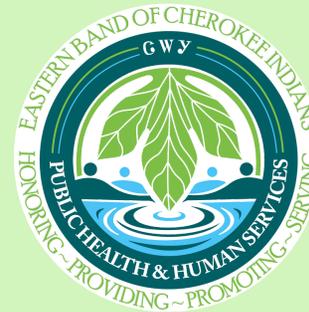


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