

# 502 Area Code Guide

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The area code 502 represents a wide variety of numbers in the Louisville and Frankfort areas of Kentucky. It is used by a range of leading businesses, most notably in the healthcare and motor industries. Louisville is also the premier center of the American whiskey industry, with about one-third of all bourbon sourced from Louisville. The area code covers landline, wireless, and [Voice Over Internet Protocol \(VoIP\) subscribers](#). [Businesses can register](#) a 502 phone number to establish a local Kentucky presence for use with a Kentucky-based clientele.

## Kentucky 502 Area Code Local Phone Number

Louisville serves as the center for the UPS Worldport air hub, which is the largest automated package handling facility in the world, processing roughly two million packages per day. As the seventh-largest inland port in the United States, Louisville plays a prominent role in the shipping industry. It is also the headquarters to multiple prominent Fortune 500 companies.

A business number with the 502 area code gives your organization a communications presence in a major shipping hub. A 502 number allows you to reach local customers who want to work with an organization that knows their city. It further gives your company an image of prominence, as Forbes ranked Louisville one of the "Best Places for Business and Careers."

## The 502 Area Code Numbers At a Glance

The 502 area code is one of the original 86 area codes established in October 1947, initially covering the entire state of Kentucky. However by 1999, the eastern and western halves of the state had split off into separate area codes.

Most 502 area codes are held by residents and businesses in the Louisville and Frankfort areas. Other cities within the 502 area code include Georgetown, Shelbyville, and Bardstown. Area codes 859 and 270 immediately border the 502 area. Yet VoIP allows you to register with a 502 area code phone number [even if you're not local](#).

## Map of the 502 Area Code

### Nearby Area Codes

- [270/364](#) (Bowling Green, KY)
- 502 (Louisville, KY)
- 606 (Ashland, KY)
- 812/930 (Evansville, IN)
- 859 (Lexington-Fayette, KY)

- [937](#) (Dayton, OH)

## 8x8 Virtual Number Benefits

A virtual number can give you powerful features like extensions, call queue, ring group or auto attendant. This type of number sends callers to a specific extension, rather than a device. The virtual number is not attached to a specific device or phone. This provides you with added flexibility when using your virtual phone number. Here are a few of the benefits of an 8x8 local phone number for Louisville, Kentucky:

- **Create a Professional Image:** With virtual numbers, any business can establish as many phone numbers as they need. Different numbers can be used to call in different services within your business. Virtual numbers can boost a company's image, or be used to ensure consistency across a brand.
- **Establish Local Presence:** A virtual number with a specific area code gives you a local presence, even if your customers are located on the opposite side of the country.
- **One Device, Multiple Numbers:** Cost savings will be great especially for smaller businesses, eliminating the need to purchase new phone lines. Use a single phone number for calls, text messages, and more from many devices.
- **Easy Set Up:** Simply choose a business number and setup where you'd like to call your customers.
- **More Features:** PBX features such as voicemail, call forwarding, many extensions and more.
- No special equipment is ever required with a virtual number

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