

Directory of Local Homeless Service Organizations

Alabama

The Old Firehouse Shelter

The Old Firehouse Shelter is an emergency shelter for homeless adult men. The shelter functions through these main programs: meal program, day program, night shelter, narcotics anonymous, health care, team program, and life skills program.

Physical address: 1501 Third Avenue North

Mailing address: P.O. Box 11722

Birmingham, Alabama 35202

Phone: 205-252-9571

Fax: 205-252-9578

Email: cdm@wwisp.com

Tennessee Valley Family Services, Inc.

TVFS operates a group home for runaway and homeless youth, ages 12-17. Programs include Ogden House (referrals from DHR, JPO, and self referrals), TRIPP (weekend prevention program), and Safe Place (National program offering shelter to runaway and homeless youth).

P.O. Box 952

Guntersville, AL 35976

Phone: 256-582-0377

Fax: 256-582-4315

Safe Place Hotline: 800-753-4269

Email corporate office: ahome@mindspring.com

Email group home: ogdenhouse@mindspring.com

Alaska

Crossover House Homeless Project

Crossover House provides outreach, showers, laundry facilities, storage, a mailing address, private bathrooms, referrals for substance abuse treatment, and access to psychiatric treatment for seriously mentally ill homeless people in Anchorage, Alaska.

1000 4th Avenue

Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Phone: 907-258-4512

Fax: 907-276-1399

Contact: Shannon Wilks

Email: sccgrant@alaska.net

Arizona

Casa de los Ninos

The mission of the Casa de los Ninos is the prevention, intervention and treatment of child abuse and neglect by providing residential shelter care for children who are abused, neglected or homeless.

101 N 4th Ave.
Tucson, AZ 85705
Phone: 520-624-5600
Fax: N/A
Email: casa@azstarnet.com

Central Arizona Shelter Services, Inc.

Central Arizona Shelter Services (CASS) operates two shelters: a downtown shelter houses 400 single adults, and a shelter in northern Phoenix houses 30 families. The CASS home page provides a description of both facilities, information on how to volunteer, and writing samples from residents.

1209 West Madison St.
Phoenix, AZ 85007
Phone: 602-258-5951
Fax: 602-256-6401
Email: helpnet@amug.org

Church on the Street

Church on the Street provides a hot meal in Santa Rita Park (22nd St. & 4th Ave.) and a lively service for some of Tucson's homeless people every 2nd and 4th Sundays at 1:00 p.m.

2551 W. Orange Grove Rd.
Tucson, AZ 85741
Email: embdick@goodnet.com

STANDUP FOR KIDS

STANDUP FOR KIDS is a national, not-for-profit organization founded in 1990 to help rescue homeless and at-risk youth living on the street. With national headquarters in Denver, Colorado, STANDUP FOR KIDS has established ten outreach programs in five states. STANDUP FOR KIDS is an all-volunteer nonprofit organization that provides services to kids on the streets. STANDUP FOR KIDS volunteers walk the streets to encourage and guide kids in becoming effective members of their communities. Their programs offer services such as housing referral; education assistance; vocational development; counseling; health services; transportation to self-help meetings; legal assistance; and clothes, furniture, and other daily necessities.

The Arizona program is located in:

Phoenix, AZ:	Phone: 602.770.KIDS
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National Headquarters:
1111 Osage St., Suite 205C
Denver, CO 80204
Phone: 303-892-8328
Fax: 303-671-2845
Email: rickkoca@earthlink.net

Tucson Homeless Resources

The Tucson Homeless Resources web site lists shelters, meal programs, health care programs, and other homeless services in Tucson, Arizona.

<http://www.u.arizona.edu/~davidson/index.html>

Arkansas

Northwest Arkansas Continuum of Care

P.O. Box 3643
Fayetteville, AR 72702
Website: www.NWACoC.net

North Arkansas Human Services System, Inc.

The North Arkansas Human Services System provides assistance to homeless and at-risk individuals and families in a 10-county area of northern Arkansas. Preference is given to mentally ill persons and substance abusers, but others are assisted as well.

P.O. Box 2578
Batesville, AR 72503
Telephone: 501-612-9366
Contact: Paula Grimes
Email: edwiles@cei.net

California

ANAHEIM

Hope Harbor Family Center

Hope Harbor Family Center is a new project of the Orange County Rescue Mission to help homeless and poor families living in motels in Anaheim, California.

Contact: Glenn Frank

Email: glenn.frank@rescuemission.org

BERKELEY

Jobs for Homeless Consortium - Berkely, CA

The Jobs Consortium is a pioneer in partnering comprehensive, client-centered, one-stop training and employment services with disabled and non-disabled homeless people in Alameda County, California. Their walk-in centers in Oakland and Berkeley have served over 8,000 homeless persons since 1988, and placed over 2,000 of them in jobs.

2807 Telegraph

Berkeley, CA 94705

Phone: 510-251-6241

Fax: 510-834-0190

Email: staff@jobsconsortium.org

CHICO

The Esplanade House

The Esplanade House provides a seven month transitional shelter for homeless families located in Chico, Butte county, in Northern California. The Esplanade House offers weekly case management, job skills training, parenting, on site day care, on site drug and alcohol counseling.

2505 Esplanade

Chico CA 95926

Phone: 530-891-2977

Fax: 530-891-2819

Email: esplanadehouse@usa.net

CHULA VISTA

Standup for Kids

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California programs are located in the following areas:

Chula Vista, El Cajon, & San Diego, CA:	Pager: 619.494.1978
Concord, CA:	Pager: 1-800-759-8255 PIN: 8706724

GLENDALE

Food for Body & Soul

Food for Body & Soul was originally formed in February, 1995 as a volunteer non-profit organization to provide meals and an opportunity for worship to the homeless and hungry in Glendale, California on Sunday afternoons. Through the efforts of many area churches, synagogues, businesses and individual volunteers, Food for Body & Soul has continued to provide this service without interruption for the past two years. Food for Body & Soul is in the process of organizing a local volunteer database to assist other service providers in meeting their volunteer needs. Its location on any given Sunday can be obtained by calling 1-800-498-5453.

Business Office: 138 N. Brand Blvd.
Suite 303
Glendale, CA 91203.
Phone: 818-242-4700
Email: ffbands@aol.com

HAYWARD

Family Emergency Shelter Coalition (FESCO)

FESCO- the Family Shelter- is a nonprofit organization which provides food, shelter, clothing, counseling and access to community resources in the Hayward, Castro Valley, and San Leandro areas. The 24-bed shelter is open all-day and houses approximately 100 families with children each year. FESCO's home page provides information on FESCO, nutrition and health programs, and links to other shelter programs and resources related to homelessness.

22671 Third Street
Hayward, CA 94541
510-581-3223
Office Phone: 510-886-5473
Office Fax: 510-886-5814
Email: FESCO@coordinet.com

IRVINE

Illumination Foundation (IF)

The mission of Illumination Foundation (IF) is to improve the lives of individuals, families, and children who find themselves homeless and in crisis. Based in Orange County, California, IF is focused on breaking the cycle of homelessness by providing homeless families stability and self-sufficiency at the pre-transitional level by:

- Connecting homeless families to “wrap-around” services, which consist of housing; medical and mental health services; case management; food and clothing; counseling and tutoring; and access to public agencies and resources.

- Promoting proactive community involvement in providing services to our clients in order to generate awareness of homelessness in Orange County.

In July 2008, IF launched the “Pre-Transitional Housing and Wrap-Around Program,” a comprehensive program that houses and supports homeless families with children in motels in Orange County. The transition from “on the street” into stabilized housing is the most difficult hurdle faced by the homeless community and is the critical turning point in improving their lives. By providing stability and support for these families, IF is working to prevent families from falling into the downward spiral leading to chronic homelessness. This program allows families to get off the streets and into a safe housing environment where they are also able to take advantage of the wrap-around services coordinated through IF.

780 Roosevelt
Irvine, CA 92620
Phone: (949) 273-0555
Fax: (888) 517-7123
Email: info@IFhomeless.org
Web: www.IFhomeless.org

LOS ANGELES

Weingart Center Association

The mission of the Weingart Center Association is to deliver high quality human services and provide leadership and innovative solutions to help break the cycle of homelessness and end poverty. Located in downtown Los Angeles' Skid Row, the Weingart Center has over 20 years of experience providing programs which enable homeless men and women to achieve self-sufficiency and exit the streets.

566 South San Pedro Street
Los Angeles, CA 90013
213 627-9000 phone
213 627-4031 fax
center@weingart.org
www.weingart.org <<http://www.weingart.org>>

The People's Guide to Health, Welfare & Other Services

The People's Guide gives practical information about how to get food, money, and other help from government programs and community services in Los Angeles County and the state of California. A Spanish edition is also online. The People's Guide is published by the Los Angeles Coalition to End Hunger & Homelessness.

1010 S. Flower, Suite 401
Los Angeles, CA 90015
Phone: (213) 746-6511
Fax: (213) 746-4967
E-mail: HN1674@handsnet.org

Shelter First

Shelter First serves 5 locations, providing short term and transitional shelter to homeless men, women and children. All facility managers are formerly homeless and provide peer counseling; other staff provide housing, medical care, financial assistance, and job opportunities.

1002 E 7th St
Los Angeles, CA 90021
Phone: 213-622-4972
Fax: 213-622-3895
Contact: Charlene Gowers
Email: shelter1st@earthlink.net

Union Rescue Mission

Union Rescue Mission is the nation's largest and Los Angeles' oldest rescue mission. Services include emergency food and shelter, residential recovery programs for men, women, and families, health care, job training, computerized learning centers, clothing, and hygiene provisions.

545 S. San Pedro St.
Los Angeles, CA 90013
Phone: (213) 347-6300
Fax: (213) 612-0260
Email: lmooradian@urmuso.com

MARIN COUNTY

Marin County Online Resource Guide

This web site provides a number of resources for people who are homeless and low income, including a listing of service agencies in Marin County (child care, clothing, housing, shelter, job counseling, and transportation, to name a few).

Phone: (415) 491-2571
Email: info@marinservices.org

MENLO PARK

Life Skills Ministry

Life Skills Ministry is a non-profit corporation providing life skills classes to homeless persons in

Menlo Park, California.
1259 El Camino Real
Suite 261
Menlo Park, CA 94025
Phone: 650-322-0161
Contact: Jim Hunt, President
Email: jhunt@life-skills.org

NOVATO

Kicked Up

Kicked Up is a documentary that focuses on the images, lives and stories of youth who are homeless or at-risk of becoming homeless. Kicked Up's home page contains the youth's stories, descriptions of the program's accomplishments and information on how to contribute.

P.O. Box 1206
Novato, CA 94948
Phone: 415-206-9953
Fax: N/A
Email: Jcoving44@aol.com

OAKLAND

Jobs for Homeless Consortium - Oakland and Berkely, CA

The Jobs Consortium is a pioneer in partnering comprehensive, client-centered, one-stop training and employment services with disabled and non-disabled homeless people in Alameda County, California. Their walk-in centers in Oakland and Berkeley have served over 8,000 homeless persons since 1988, and placed over 2,000 of them in jobs.

1722 Broadway
Oakland, CA 96612
2807 Telegraph
Berkeley, CA 94705
Phone: 510-251-6241
Fax: 510-834-0190
Email: doug@jobsconsortium.org

Oakland Independence Support Center

OISC is a self-help, client run organization in Downtown Oakland which provides a comprehensive network of services and peer support for mentally disabled homeless individuals. Over its eleven-year history, OISC has grown from a community center that provides meals and support groups to a multi-service agency with professional counseling, housing search assistance, job placement services, an adult literacy program, and computer classes.

PO Box 70010, Station D
Oakland, CA 94612
Phone: 510-465-7624
Fax: 510-465-4905(fax)
Email: oisc@coordinet.com
Email: oisc@sj.bigger.net

OCEANSIDE

People From Bondage Ministry

People From Bondage is a Christian ministry dedicated to helping people in need, regardless of their religious beliefs. People From Bondage offers a transitional housing program (six months to one year). They provide an address, a home atmosphere, showers, laundry facilities, and a message phone, all of which are essential to seek and maintain employment.

230 Pala Vista Dr.

Vista, CA 92083

Phone: 760-630-0077

Email: info@peoplefrombondage.org

www.peoplefrombondage.org

ORANGE COUNTY

Shelter For The Homeless

Shelter For The Homeless provides over 40 emergency, transitional, and permanent housing units in the counties of Orange, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and Riverside. The mission of SFTH to provide support to homeless adults and families who want to work to improve their lives and become self-supporting members of society. This is done through the housing provided as well as the Ladder to Success program. Ladder to success offers guidance in the areas of job training, education, financial management, personal development, and child development. The corporate office is located in Midway City, California.

15161 Jackson St.

Midway City, Ca 92655

Phone: 714-897-3221

Contact: Elissa Bordner

Email: shelter@compuall.net

PASADENA

Union Station Foundation

Union Station Foundation is a homeless shelter and social service agency for the homeless and poor serving Pasadena and the San Gabriel Valley. The Union Station Foundation's mission is provide the homeless and poor in our community to the means to transform their lives and become productive, stable and self-supporting. To do so, the agency offers food, shelter and supportive social services. Union Station Foundation provides case management, substance abuse recovery assistance, health screening, mental health services, community shower and hygiene program, domestic violence assistance, employment assistance and other programs. Union Station, established in 1973, is a private, non-profit, non-sectarian social service agency.

412 S. Raymond Avenue

Pasadena, CA 91105

Phone: 818-449-4596

Fax 818-449-1897

Contact: Marvin Gross, Executive Director
Email: marv144@loop.com

REDWAY

Southern Humboldt Community Resource Center

Southern Humboldt Community Resource Center is an information and referral office. SHCRC provides short-term crisis intervention counseling. The agency helps people find services and resources to fulfill their needs, such as advocacy with Social Security, Veterans Administration, Social Services, and others. SHCRC networks with other non-profits as well as government agencies to help people in the most complete way possible. It serves people in Southern Humboldt, Northern Mendocino, or Southwest Trinity counties of Northern California and is open from 10:00 am until 3:00 pm Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

P.O. Box 2017
77 Avenue of the Giants
Redway, Humboldt County, CA 95560
Phone: 707-923-5220
Fax: 707-923-5221
Email: sherc@humboldt.net

SACRAMENTO

Sacramento Community Family Resources

We are the largest, and only updated, directory of services, including emergency shelters, food banks, etc., in the County of Sacramento. We are also the only mobile phone accessible database in Sacramento to assist they who are in the most need: <http://www.onefatherslove.mobi>

Victor Stark, Certified Social Worker
89 Dean Road E, Sacramento, CA 95815
Ph. (916) 514-NEED(6333)
Fax: (916) 925-1543
info@onefatherslove.com
<http://onefatherslove.com/>

SAN DIEGO

Homeless Advocates of San Diego

The mission of Homeless Advocates of San Diego is to advocate for immediate and long term solutions to provide shelter and support to the homeless of San Diego County, while affirming the fundamental right to self sufficiency and treatment with dignity. Homeless Advocates of San Diego's community efforts and events thus far include town hall meetings for homeless persons and local authorities to dialogue, major art exhibits, performance art and readings, involvement in local planning and policy boards, and more.

3707 5th Ave #345
San Diego CA 92103
Phone: 619-645-4709
Fax: 619-587-8881
Email: robert@n2.net

St. Vincent de Paul Village

The mission of St. Vincent de Paul Village is "to promote and provide a comprehensive continuum of integrated services dedicated to impacting the immediate needs of our neighbors, and to assist in breaking the cycle of homelessness while respecting the dignity of the person." St. Vincent de Paul Village accomplishes this through six centers covering roughly four city blocks that include: San Diego's only free medical and dental clinic serving over 1,000 patients per month; counseling and chemical dependency program, computer training program, a county-run K through 8th and high school, chaplaincy program, meal program, employment program, housing program, resource program and case management program.

3350 E Street
San Diego, CA 92101
Phone: 619-687-1000
Fax: 619-687-1010
Email: villageinc@aol.com

San Diego Regional Task Force on the Homeless

The Regional Task Force is a partnership of public agencies, private groups and homeless advocates who share the vision of an end to homelessness. For 12 years the Task Force has served the San Diego area as a central clearinghouse for information, technical assistance, and collaborative efforts regarding homelessness. The Task Force publishes various reports on homeless issues. Two annual reports receive wide attention: one on "The Distribution of Public Funds for Homelessness," and the second on "The Distribution of Homeless Services and Facilities."

3989 Ruffin Road
San Diego, CA 92123
Phone: 619-694-8722
Fax: 619-694-8723
Email: homeless@electriciti.com

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Chula Vista, El Cajon, & San Diego, CA:	Pager: 619.494.1978
Concord, CA:	Pager: 1-800-759-8255 PIN: 8706724

SAN FRANCISCO

Bay Area Benefits Access Collaborative (BAYBAC)

The Bay Area Benefits Access Collaborative (BAYBAC) is a collaborative of service agencies assisting homeless individuals apply for SSI / SSDI disability benefits. Additionally, BAYBAC works with the Social Security Administration--and the state agency with which it contracts disability determinations (the DAPD)--to reduce the barriers that homeless individuals face when applying for these benefits. BAYBAC's goal is to eliminate the need for advocates in the application process.

995 Market St., # 915
San Francisco, CA 94103
Phone: 415-512-1728
Fax: 415-512-7334
Email: fmcilveen@sfbar.org

Bay Area Homelessness Project

The Bay Area Homelessness Project is consortium of 15 Bay Area universities and colleges that teach courses on homelessness, or have student advocacy groups around the issue, or offer programs to help homeless student's transition to school. The Bay Area Homelessness Project home page provides information on their activities including, a course description, class activities and other information related to homelessness.

Email: stewartd@ece.ucdavis.edu

The General Assistance Advocacy Project (GAAP)

The General Assistance Advocacy Project (GAAP) is a registered non-profit working in the Tenderloin district of San Francisco for 10 years. GAAP works with members of the homeless community and low-income community in San Francisco, helping clients get the Food Stamps, General Assistance and Social Security benefits to which they are entitled. GAAP also provides referrals, a mail and message service for clients. GAAP is staffed primarily by law students from Hastings College of the Law, with help from students at San Francisco State and Stanford Law School.

276 Golden Gate Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102
Phone: 415-928-8191
Contact: Manel Kappagoda
Email: kappagod@holmes.uchastings.edu

The Homeless Advocacy Project

Since 1988, HAP has provided free legal assistance to individuals who are homeless or at-risk of becoming homeless. Volunteer and staff legal advocates assist clients with a range of issues, including tenant/landlord disputes, problems with food stamps and General Assistance, applying for SSI/SSDI disability benefits, immigration issues, arrest warrants & family law, towed cars, replacing lost IDs and other documents; additionally HAP social service volunteers and staff provide referrals for shelters, rehab programs and other social services in the city. Most volunteer legal advocates are either law students or attorneys doing pro bono work. Most social service volunteers are licensed social workers/psychologists or social work students.

995 Market St. # 915

San Francisco, CA 94103, the cross street is 6th St.

Phone: 415-974-6541

Fax: 415-512-7334

Email: aengel@sfbar.org

Raphael House

Raphael House of San Francisco offers comprehensive services that have the ultimate goal of helping homeless, recently homeless and at-risk families achieve stable housing and financial independence, while strengthening family bonds. Recent additions include: the AfterCare program, designed to help "alumni" families build on their stay with Raphael House, Day Care, and the Adult Childcare Training program.

1065 Sutter Street

San Francisco, CA 94109

Phone: 415-474-3245

Fax: 415-771-4251

Email: raphael@raphaelhouse.org

UCSF Homeless Clinic

The University of California at San Francisco Homeless Clinic seeks to provide medical care to the homeless and indigent people of San Francisco. The clinic is run by medical and advanced practice nursing students and operates four days per week. The UCSF Homeless Clinic home page provides information on the operation of the clinic, the history and philosophy of the clinic, minutes from meetings, and health information handouts used for patient education.

Homeless Health Project

UCSF - Dept. of FCM

Box 0900

San Francisco, CA 94143

Email: kgill@itsa.ucsf.edu

SAN JOSE

EHC LifeBuilders

EHC LifeBuilders champions quality of life in our community and stability for people in need by providing housing, hope, and opportunity. EHC LifeBuilders is passionately committed to ending homelessness, and its programs include emergency shelter, transitional housing, and permanent, affordable housing for families with children, youth, and single adults, including seniors and those with disabilities. Supportive services include case management, job training and placement, education programs, meals and medical care.

2665 North 1st Street, Suite 210

San Jose , CA 95134

(408) 539-2129 - phone

(408) 894-9270 - fax

info@ehclifebuilders.org - email

www.ehclifebuilders.org - web

Innovative Concept Transitional Housing, Inc.

Innovative Concept is a transitional housing program for women and their children who are either in a homeless situation, from prisons, or county jails. Innovative Concept services all local and Bay areas. Innovative Concept focuses on low end housing, drug and alcohol addiction, education, building self-esteem, spirituality, job training and employment.

1571 Endicott Drive

San Jose, CA 95122

Phone: 408-937-5904

Email: Celeste1@pacbell.net

InnVision

InnVision provides a continuum of services, including emergency shelter, meals, clothing, job development, vocational skills training, case management, and transitional housing.

974 Willow St.

San Jose, CA 95125

Phone: (408) 292-4286

Fax: (408) 271-0826

Email: jan@innvision.sj.ca.us

Savings Associations Mortgage Company Inc. (SAMCO)

SAMCO, Savings Associations Mortgage Company Inc., is a California lending consortium with over 75 financial institution members. SAMCO provides permanent, first position financing for multifamily housing in which the majority of units will be rented to low-to-moderate income individuals and families. SAMCO also finances community development real estate. SAMCO's clients are non-profit housing developers; for-profit housing developers; local governments, and

community development organizations seeking long term financing and refinancing for acquisition and new construction.

152 N. Third St #605
San Jose, CA 95112
Phone: 408-938-7900
Toll Free: 877-26-SAMCO
Fax: 408-885-0204

SAN RAFAEL

Marin Interfaith Homeless Chaplaincy

Marin Interfaith Homeless Chaplaincy (MIHC) is an interfaith direct service organization working with and for unhoused people in Marin County, California. Their web site contains program information, the MIHC newsletter, and a descriptive brochure.

1150 "E" street
San Rafael, CA 94901
Hotline: 415-459-5009
Phone: 415-459-6452
Fax: 415-459-5071
Email: homeless@jps.net

SANTA ANA

House of Hope

House of Hope, operated by the Orange County Rescue Mission, provides shelter and food for homeless women and children. House of Hope's home page provides general information on homelessness, opportunities to email the guests, the story of one single mother's homelessness and information on how to assist the organization.

P.O. Box 4007
Santa Ana, CA 92702
Phone: 714-541-4100
Fax: N/A
Email: jim_palmer@ocmission.com

SANTA BARBARA

Services for Adolescent and Family Enrichment (SAFE) Youth Shelter

This runaway homeless youth shelter/crisis resolution program provides crisis counseling and short term residential treatment for runaway, homeless, and youth in crisis. Youth come to the facility on their own or are brought to the shelter by Child Protective Services, law enforcement, or their parents. Services provided include shelter for youth ages 0-18, food, clothing, and showers, counseling, referrals, street outreach, and support groups, among others.

301 E. Figueroa Street
Santa Barbara, CA 93101
Crisis Counseling Line: 805-922-0468 (Collect Calls Accepted)
Phone: 805-963-8775
Fax: 805-963-9675
Email: Zachie@ibm.net

SANTA CRUZ

The Shelter Project - The Community Action Board of Santa Cruz Co., Inc

The Shelter Project of the Community Action Board of Santa Cruz County operates the Housing for Medical Emergencies Program (motel vouchers), Emergency Rent/Mortgage Assistance to avoid eviction, Shelter Hotline, and The Message Center (voice mail for homeless people).

501 Soquel Ave., Ste. E
Santa Cruz, CA 95062
Shelter Hotline: (831) 457-1741; (831) 728-4634; (831) 457-0511
Fax: (831) 426-3345
Email: hn0005@handsnet.org

SANTA MARIA

Services for Adolescent and Family Enrichment (SAFE) Youth Shelter

For services provided, see Santa Barbara SAFE Youth Shelter listing above.

412 E. Tunnel St.
Santa Maria, CA 93454
Phone: 805-922-0468
Fax: 805-346-1303
Email: Zachie@ibm.net

SANTA ROSA

Homeless Mentor Program

The Homeless Mentor Program was formed to assist homeless people in Sonoma County, California through referral to resources and provision of basic necessities.

2444 W. College Avenue
Santa Rosa, CA 95401
Contact: Paul Alvarado
Email: alvaradp@sonoma.edu

Colorado

COLORADO SPRINGS

Homes Of Refuge

Homes of Refuge is dedicated to giving a "helping hand" to those that have fallen into the misfortune of homelessness. The Homes of Refuge offer fully furnished apartments along with

support services including budget/financial planning, employment assistance, training/coaching, counseling, child care, and support groups. The formerly homeless person is placed into the rent-free apartment, for an undetermined length of time, until the person can get back on their feet.

3958 North Academy Blvd; Suite 103

Colorado Springs, CO 80917

Phone: 719-597-8888

Email: homes@homesofrefuge.org

DENVER

Denver Rescue Mission

From basic food and shelter needs to comprehensive rehabilitation programs and quality childcare, the Denver Rescue Mission is actively involved in caring for the whole person. The Denver Rescue Mission operates the following programs: Lawrence Street Shelter: Emergency care, food and clothing distribution, free medical care and long term rehabilitation; Champa House: Transitional rehabilitation program for single mothers desiring self-sufficiency; Harvest Farms: Rehabilitation in a rural setting for men desiring self-sufficiency; Ministry Outreach Center: Administrative and warehouse facilities, clothing and large item distribution; Montessori Children's Academy: A full-time preschool devoted to the Montessori teaching method of learning through experience; Clarkson Child Enrichment Center: A full-time preschool/childcare facility committed to quality care and education; and Pros With a Purpose: Permanent housing for homeless, working families.

3501 E. 46th Avenue

Denver, CO 80216

Phone: 303-297-1815

Fax: -303-295-1566

Email: drmpubrel@aol.com

Mercy Housing, Inc.

Mercy Housing, Inc. is a national non-profit organization dedicated to creating and strengthening healthy communities.

Mercy Housing, Inc.

601 E. 18th Ave Suite 150

Denver, CO 80211

Phone: 303-830-3300

Fax: 303-830-3301

Email: mail@mercyhousing.org

URL: <http://www.mercyhousing.org>

Samaritan House

Samaritan House is a shelter for homeless men, women and children located in Denver, Colorado. Samaritan House assists with resources such as case management, employment counseling and resources, job training, and family and children services. Samaritan House provides services to over 300 people every day, most of whom can stay for a period of 30-90 days. Samaritan House was built specifically as a shelter in 1986 and is a service of Catholic Charities.

2301 Lawrence St.
Denver, CO 80205
Phone: 303-294-0241
Fax: 303-294-9523
E-mail: ejudy@csn.net or samhouse@usa.net

STANDUP FOR KIDS

STANDUP FOR KIDS is a national, not-for-profit organization founded in 1990 to help rescue homeless and at-risk youth living on the street. With national headquarters in Denver, Colorado, STANDUP FOR KIDS has established ten outreach programs in five states. STANDUP FOR KIDS is an all-volunteer nonprofit organization that provides services to kids on the streets. STANDUP FOR KIDS volunteers walk the streets to encourage and guide kids in becoming effective members of their communities. Their programs offer services such as housing referral; education assistance; vocational development; counseling; health services; transportation to self-help meetings; legal assistance; and clothes, furniture, and other daily necessities. Programs are located in the following areas:

Phoenix, AZ:	Phone: 602.253.1211
Chula Vista, El Cajon, & San Diego, CA:	Pager: 619.494.1978
Concord, CA:	Pager: 1-800-759-8255 PIN: 8706724
Boulder & Denver, CO:	Pager: 303.892.8328
Norfolk & Virginia Beach, VA:	Pager: 757.456.7300
Bremerton, WA	Pager: 360.792.3888

National Headquarters:
1111 Osage St., Suite 205C
Denver, CO 80204
Phone: 303-892-8328
Fax: 303-671-2845
Email: rickkoca@earthlink.net

FORT COLLINS

Neighbor to Neighbor, Inc.

Neighbor to Neighbor, Inc. is a non-profit housing counseling agency founded in 1971 offering rental counseling and mortgage counseling.

424 Pine Street, Suite #203
Fort Collins, CO 80524
Phone: (970) 484-7498
Fax: (970) 484-4572
Email Contact: DLind10118@aol.com

SAN LUIS VALLEY

La Puente Home

La Puente Home is a 501 (c) non-profit organization in Colorado's San Luis Valley providing emergency shelter, food services, advocacy, and transitional services for the homeless and community members in crisis. La Puente also offers volunteers to serve a 1 year commitment

working for La Puente's homeless shelter, Rainbow's End thrift store, Outreach, Milagros Coffee House and Cafe or Adelante program. Lodging and stipend provided. La Puente offers the following programs and enterprises: Emergency Shelter Program; Meal Program; Adelante Program; SLV Food Pantries Program; Community Outreach Program; The Gleaning Project; SLV Welfare Advocates; Rainbows End Thrift Store; Over the Rainbow Apartments; Milagros Coffee-house & Cafe.

913 State St.

Alamosa, CO 81101

Phone: 719-589-5909

Email: lanceches@bbs.slv.org

Connecticut

Interfaith Housing Association

The Interfaith Housing Association provides shelter for homeless people in Westport, Connecticut. It operates the Gillespie Center shelter for homeless men (203-226-1191), the Hoskins' Place shelter for homeless women (203-226-1191), the Bacharach Community emergency shelter for homeless families headed by women (203-222-9260), and the Linxweiler House for men in recovery (203-226-1661).

45 Jesup Road

Westport, CT 06880

Phone: 203-226-3426

Contact: Rev. Peter R. Powell

Email: petepowell@yahoo.com

Website: www.IHAWestport.com

Delaware

There are presently no Delaware local homeless service organizations listed in our online directory. This does not mean that there are no homeless service organizations in Delaware; it simply means that no online (an email contact or web site) homeless service organizations in Delaware have requested to be listed in this directory. For information on homelessness in Delaware, please see Delaware's listing in the [Directory of Local and Statewide Homeless & Housing Advocacy Coalitions](#).

If you would like your organization to be listed here, just send us an email at info@nationalhomeless.org. Please include your organization's address, phone and fax numbers, email address, home page URL, and a brief description of the services your organization provides.

District of Columbia

Community for Creative Nonviolence*

The Community for Creative Nonviolence (CCNV) is the largest full service homeless shelter of its kind in the United States. CCNV provides shelter for 1,350 homeless men and woman and offers a full array of social services; drug and alcohol rehabilitation; medical, mental health and dental care; and cultural activities.

425 Second St. NW
Washington, DC 20001
Phone: 202-393-1909
Fax: 202-738-3524
ccnv@erols.com

Helping Hands

Services: Provide hot meals and clothing giveaways every 2nd Saturday of the month, provide Thanksgiving dinners, to give aways during the Christmas season to needy families.

Helping Hands
Springfield Baptist Church
508 P St. N.W
(202) 234-0648
Rev. L. B. Jones - Pastor
Sister Dolleen Jones - Chair Person

Her House

Her House is a coalition of organizations and concerned individuals and corporations, working to help women gain the safety and economic freedom of home ownership. Her House is a project of DC Habitat for Humanity. Her House's home page provides a description of the program, information on how you can help and links to other related sites on the Internet.

P.O.Box 30884
Washington, DC 20030
Phone: 202-628-9171
Fax: N/A
Email: miriam_neugeboren@habitat.org

National Collaboration for Homeless Veterans - Washington, D.C. Site

The National Collaboration for Homeless Veterans is an AmeriCorps grant administered by the Los Angeles Veterans Initiative (LA Vets). The Washington, D.C. site of the National Collaboration for Homeless Veterans began operation in November of 1997. AmeriCorps members are involved in outreach, helping homeless veterans apply for benefits, providing case management, networking among homeless and veterans' service providers, teaching computer, writing and employability skills, and providing employment counseling, job development, and job placement services.

333 1/2 Pennsylvania Ave., S.E.
Washington, D.C. 20003-1148
Phone: 202-546-6994
Fax: 202-546-2063
Email: lavetsdc@aol.com

Florida

American Veteran Newspaper, Inc.

The American Veteran Newspaper is a Multi-service Organization Established in 1978. We have been feeding people who are homeless for over 10 years.

American Veteran Newspaper, Inc.

7329 Collins Avenue, 2nd floor

Miami Beach, FL 33141

Phone: (305) 867-4327

Fax: (305) 868-1362

Email: avninc@aol.com

Website: www.americanveterannewspaper.org

Touched by an Angel Ministries

Our mission is the provision of emergency and transitional housing for homeless persons, which is at the core of this Ministry. Whatever the problem may be, we help everyone in need including those with a serious criminal record not involving sexual based crimes. Our goal at Touched By An Angel Ministries is to enhance the accountability, dependability, and responsibility component of a person's life and doing this will convey a person to self-sufficiency. While getting our clients to self-sufficiency, we are focused on helping our clients establish a relationship with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. While offering the best in social case work, we strive for the best experience and environment for our clients to grow and prosper in. Having said all, the synopsis of the ministry is to inflame and cultivate, abound and abide to carry the success of our ministry beyond the boundaries of Pinellas Park.

Contact Pastor Jeffery Polhill or Pastor Vonda Polhill

3491 62nd Ave. N.

Pinellas Park, FL 33781

Office 727-527-7770 Fax 727-527-7727

pastorvonda@touchedbyanangelministries.org

www.touchedbyanangelministries.org

Coalition for the Homeless of Indian River County, Inc.

The Coalition for the Homeless of Indian River County offers information and referrals to other human-service providers, as well as food, clothing, laundry, showers, and other needs as appropriate and able. The Coalition also provides emergency shelter 6:30 p.m. - 6:30 a.m., 7 days a week as space allows.

2686 US Hwy. 1

Vero Beach, FL 32960

Phone: 561-567-5537

Executive Director: David Thompson

Contact: Suzy Peterson

Email: suzy@sealdsweet.com

Coalition for the Hungry and Homeless of Brevard County, Inc.

The Coalition for the Hungry and Homeless of Brevard is a network of providers to the hungry and homeless of Brevard County, Florida. The Coalition's main purposes are to link the programs and projects that work to prevent and eliminate homelessness and to develop the resources needed to establish and maintain an effective continuum of care.

P.O. Box 2201

Cocoa, FL 32923-2201

Voice: 407-631-2549

Fax: 407-631-0903

Email: homeless@palmnet.net

Home Missions for Jesus

Home Missions For Jesus is a non-profit American mission organization dedicated to reaching the inner-cities for Jesus Christ. The current projects for H.M.F.J. are feeding the homeless, foodbaskets for needy families, and street ministry in Ybor City.

P.O. Box 79272

Tampa, FL 33619

Phone: 813-268-3529

Email: sf1ynfib@scfn.thpl.lib.fl.us

St. Laurence Chapel--A Caring Place for Homeless People

St. Laurence Chapel is an ecumenical ministry reaching out to the poor and homeless people in Broward County, FL. St. Laurence Chapel provides food, clothing, day shelter, showers, counseling, medical services, legal aid, education, and worship opportunities.

101 NE 1 Street

Pompano Beach, FL 33060

Acting Director: Roger Allee

Email: RAllee@aol.com

YMCA Homeless Youth Education

The YMCA Homeless Youth Education program provides assistance to Sarasota County's homeless youth by removing barriers to their education. It provides peer and adult tutoring, advocacy and awareness, school supplies and clothing, transportation, enrollment assistance and other services to help homeless children in Sarasota County enroll, attend and succeed in school and life.

2400 Colson Ave.

Sarasota, Florida 34234

Tom Treend - Program Coordinator

Phone: 941-365-6538

Fax: 941-365-6746

Email: Kashi11@aol.com

Georgia

South Georgia Coalition to End Homelessness

601 N Lee St.

PO Box 206

Valdosta, Georgia 31603-0206

Direct services made available by Coalition offices:

- 1) HAAP Program: Housing and utility assistance for persons with HIV/AIDS. Also provides case management services.
- 2) 2-1-1 Information and Referral line (www.211scg.org). Provides problem solving assistance and empowers callers with options to resolve issues.
- 3) Community Case Management for individuals without access to any other case management services. Provides access to soft skills training and limited utility assistance.

Women of Excellence Inc.

Women of Excellence is a non-profit organization designed to house and service women re-entering society through the justice system, battered women and homeless women with children. We offer Educational Programs, G.E.D. Programs, Career Development/Job Links, Housing Assistance, H.I.V. Counseling, Mental Health, Health Services, Substance Abuse Treatment, Re-entry Programs, Battered/Abused Women Services, Dwellings for Mother and Child.

P.O. Box 776

Hampton, GA 30228

Phone/Fax: 770-897-0840

laverna@woeninc.org

gloria@woeinc.org

Website: woeinc.org

Augusta Task Force for the Homeless, Inc.

Joan S. Stoddard

Executive Director

730 East Boundary Street

Augusta, GA 30901

706/723-0040, 1-866-256-7021 (homeless emergency hotline)

706/432-0570

atfh@bellsouth.net

Georgia Law Center for the Homeless

Sherry Sinclair

Executive Director

60 Walton Street, #300

Atlanta, GA 30303

404/681-0680

404/681-0681

www.galawcenter.org

Metro Atlanta Task Force for the Homeless

*Anita Beaty NCH Board Member

Executive Director

477 Peachtree St.

Atlanta, GA 30308

404-230-5007

404/589-8251

anitalawbeaty@aol.com

Metro Columbus Taskforce f/t Homeless

Elizabeth Dillard

Director

PO BOX 811

Columbus, GA 31902

706/571-3399 or 800-341-9371

homeless@fiac.net

www.mctfh.org

Northeast Georgia Homeless Coalition

Mary O'Toole

Director

620 Barber St.

Athens, GA 30601-2026

706/546-6865

706/546-9331

negahomelesscoalition@hotmail.com

Peace On The Move, Inc

1399 Austin Drive

Decatur, Ga 30032

Contact:

Vivian Wallace, Executive Director

404-288-1750 ext 224

vwallace@peacebaptistchurch.org

A men's transitional home and work program.

Hawaii

The Veterans Affairs Medical Center

300 Ala Moana

Prince Kuhio Federal Building

Honolulu, HI 96812

Phone: (808) 566-2037

Fax: (808) 566-2053

Homeless Coordinator: Rick Velasquez

Email: Richard.Velasquez@med.va.gov

Idaho

Sojourners' Alliance

Sojourners' Alliance provides a shelter for homeless women and children, foodbank, free household items, free clothing and education.

110 S. Jackson

Moscow, Idaho

Phone: 208-883-3438

Email: shelter@turbonet.com

Illinois

Shelter Care Ministries

Jered Pruitt

Executive Director

Shelter Care Ministries

412 N Church St

Rockford IL 61103

(815)964-5520

www.shelter-care.org

Opening Doors - Illinois' Education of Homeless Children and Youth Program

Describes Illinois' laws and statewide program for the education of homeless children and youth.

Community Emergency Shelter Organization

The Community Emergency Shelter Organization (CESO) was organized in 1982 to facilitate the transition of homeless people from homelessness to independence. CESO works to find creative, effective solutions to homelessness and enhance the system of services for homeless people in metropolitan Chicago. CESO currently operates three program divisions: Partnership to End Homelessness, Management Support Services, and Homeless Helpline.

1313 S. Wabash

Chicago, IL 60605

Phone: 312-913-2030

Fax: 312-913-2053

Email: ceso@ais.net

Harper House

Harper House is a drop-in center, in addition to an overnight shelter during the winter months.

4715 N. Sheridan

PO Box 409146

Chicago Illinois, 60640

Phone: 773-784-9635 or 773-784-5698

Fax: 773-728-2428

Email: RJMorrow@aol.com

[Unitarian Universalist Social Concerns/Task Force Against Homelessness](#)

The Unitarian Universalist Social Concerns/Task Force Against Homelessness' efforts currently focus on education and advocacy. The Unitarian Universalist Social Concerns/Task Force Against Homelessness offers "BOB: A Homecoming," a drama of a college educated, middle class, middle aged man's experience with homelessness, and "Homecooking for the Homeless," a cook book containing over 50 recipes for 3-course meals that can feed 65 to 80 people for less than \$100.

1448 E. 52nd St., Box 144

Chicago, IL 60615

Phone: 773-643-8122 (alt. 773-643-8061)

Fax: 773-643-8122

Email: uuscajl@enteract.com

Indiana

[Center for the Homeless](#)

The Center for the Homeless is a non-profit corporation that houses over 140 guests each night. It provides 80 beds for single men, 25 beds for single women, and 15 apartments for families.

The Center also offers comprehensive services, including classes on personal development and work placement.

813 S. Michigan

South Bend, IN 46601

Phone: 219-282-8700

Fax: 219-287-5023

Email: cfh@skynet.net

Coalition for Homelessness Intervention & Prevention of Greater Indianapolis (CHIP)

The goal of CHIP is to develop a sustainable, integrated homeless service system that addresses both prevention and intervention needs and is coordinated with other programs and providers such as community centers and employment programs. CHIP is not a direct service provider. It acts as a community planner, convener, broker, advocate, trainer and resource developer to help build a stronger, more coordinated system of homeless services in Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana.

960 East Washington Street, Suite 200B

Indianapolis, IN 46202

Phone: 317-630-0853

Fax: 317-630-0856

E-mail: C.H.I.P.@trader.com

Dan Shepley, Executive Director

Haven House Services, Inc.

Haven House Services is a service provider for emergency, transitional, and outreach services as well as a strong advocacy organization

Barbara Anderson

P.O. Box 1544

Jeffersonville, IN 47130

Ph. 812-284-3373 x105

Email: barbanderson_1@yahoo.com

Partners in Housing Development Corporation

Partners in Housing works to develop affordable supportive housing.

630 North College Avenue, Suite 302

Indianapolis, IN 46204

Phone: 317-633-1861

Fax: 317-633-1862

Frank Hagaman, President

Email: partners@inetdirect.net

Iowa

John Lewis Coffee Shop, Inc.

John Lewis Coffee Shop, Inc. offers hospitality, meals, laundry, shelter, transitional housing, permanent housing, substance abuse counseling, linkage with community resources and supportive services for single men, single woman and families. JLCS, Inc. recognizes the dignity of all persons, attempting to empower and encourage those who are experiencing a housing crisis by working with them in their journey.

1202 W. 3rd Street - P. O. Box 3245

Davenport, Iowa 52808-3245

Phone: 319-322-3751

Fax: 319-323-3782

e-mail address: jlcsiowa@aol.com

Contact person: Kate Ridge, Director

Kansas

My Father's House Church of the Nazarene

My Father's House Community Services

1004 N. Pearl

Paola, KS 66071

www.my-fathers-house.com

info@my-fathers-house.com

Director: Jay L. Preston

My Father's House Community Services provides transitional housing and supportive services.

Kentucky

Community Outreach

PO Box 548
Tompkinsville, KY 42167
Kelly New, Coordinator
(270) 487-6883
(270)487-0583 - Fax

Community Outreach is a non-profit organization, we run a homeless shelter, food pantry and used thrift store. We house up to 19 people in the shelter. We help people locate a place to stay in the community.

The Healing Place

The Healing Place is a homeless shelter and substance abuse recovery program in Louisville, Kentucky. Currently, the Healing Place is developing housing that will provide 77 low-income apartments.

1020 West Market Street
Louisville, KY 40202
Phone: 502-584-6606
Contact: Thomas Alexander
Email: thp@aye.net

Interfaith Hospitality Network of Northern Kentucky

Interfaith Hospitality Network of Northern Kentucky provides emergency shelter, meals, and other assistance to families through a network of local churches and volunteers from their congregations. The Interfaith Hospitality Network also has two transitional apartments for the families who need more than the thirty days emergency shelter to get back into permanent housing. The Interfaith Hospitality Network provides shelter for up to five families/14 persons per night and provides a family day center to assist families with housing, employment and other resources.

18 East 9th Street
Newport, KY 41072
Phone (606) 431-6840
Contact: Ed Balogh, Executive Director
Email: nkihn@usa.net

Louisiana

UNITY for the Homeless

UNITY for the Homeless is a collaborative of 70 agencies which provide housing, services and advocacy for the homeless population.

Clarita Borque
2475 Canal Street, Suite 300
New Orleans, LA 70119
504-821-4496
504-821-4704 - fax
cbourque@unityforthehomeless.org
www.unityforthehomeless.org

Hope House

Hope House is a non-profit transitional shelter for homeless women (and their children) who have no alternative place to live in the Central Louisiana area. We provide shelter, meals, child care and case management. Clients can stay up to 24 months in our program.

Wanda Ozier, Executive Director

29 Bolton Avenue

P. O. Box 7477

Alexandria, LA 71306-0477

Phone: 318-487-2061

FAX: 318-449-3950

Email: WOHOPEHOUS@aol.com

[The Louisiana Inventory of Homeless Shelters](#) and [The Louisiana Inventory of Soup Kitchens](#)

Both lists are compiled by the Louisiana Department of Social Services, Office of Community Services.

333 Laurel, Room 802

P.O. Box 3318

Baton Rouge, LA 70821

Phone: 504-342-2277

Fax: 504-342-4038

Maine

Hope Haven Gospel Mission

Hope Haven Gospel Mission is a nonprofit organization serving poor and homeless persons in Lewiston/Auburn and surrounding areas of Maine. The organization operates a shelter and a soup kitchen, which serves meals twice a day. Counseling and a Christian environment are provided to those who wish to join their rehabilitation program.

209 Lincoln St.

Lewiston, Maine 04240-9954

Phone: 207-783-6086

Fax: 207-783-3904

Email: Jericho@megalink.net

Mid-Maine Homeless Shelter

The Mid-Maine Homeless Shelter provides shelter and meals to up to 10 individuals each night. The Mid-Maine Homeless Shelter's home page contains a description of their services, a brief history of homelessness, and information about contributing and volunteering.

28 Ticonic Street

P.O. Box 2612

Waterville, ME 04903

Phone: 207-872-6550

Fax: N/A

Email: judid@mint.net

York County Shelter Programs

York County Shelter Program is a homeless services provider which has operated in Alfred, Maine, for over thirty years. We offer emergency, transitional, and permanent housing for previously homeless adults and children. We also provide substance abuse and mental health treatment, educational classes, case management, vocational training, home ownership opportunities, and medical care and legal assistance. In addition, we operate a working farm, food pantry, half-way house, two Free Meals Kitchens, a catering business, two bakeries, a shared-use community kitchen, housing assistance, and a cafe. Green and environmentally-friendly practices are a priority in all projects with which we are involved. For additional information, please visit our website at: www.yorkcountyshelterprograms.org

Contact: Donald H. Gean
Executive Director
York County Shelter Programs
P.O. Box 820
Alfred, Maine 04002
phone: 207-324-1137
email: DonaldG@ycspi.org

Maryland

Shelter Care Ministries

Jered Pruitt
Executive Director
Shelter Care Ministries
412 N Church St
Rockford IL 61103
(815)964-5520
www.shelter-care.org

Baltimore Health Care for the Homeless, Inc.

Health Care for the Homeless, Inc. provides comprehensive health care services for homeless people in the Baltimore, Maryland area. The organization also promotes public education on the relationship between health and homelessness and the importance of developing policy which meets the health care needs of homeless people. Health Care for the Homeless' home page includes information on the history of Health Care for the Homeless, the effects of homelessness on health and provides suggestions on how individuals can take action.

111 Park Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21201
Phone: (410) 837-5533 ext. 332
Fax: N/A
Email: hch@gate.dev.jhu.edu

Bethesda Cares, Inc.

Bethesda Cares Inc, is a community response to the problems of the homeless. Working together with Bethesda area congregations, schools, business, county government, community groups, and individuals, Bethesda Cares has provided care for the homeless and the working poor of Montgomery County since 1988. Services provided include lunch, medical care, showers, toiletries, clothing, counseling, referrals, and a job search center. Bethesda Cares also offers eviction prevention grants and assistance with utility payments for those on the verge of homelessness. Volunteer opportunities include office work, teachers/trainers, newsletter and project proposal writing, lunch workers, dinner provider, clothing closet workers, toiletry stocking and sorting, fundraising and special projects.

P.O. Box 31222

Bethesda, MD 20824

Phone: 301-907-9244

Fax: 301-652-1781

Contact: Susan Kirk, Executive Director

Email: bethcares@tidalwave.net

DC Outfitters

The D.C. Outfitters is a group of University of Maryland students who work together to help the homeless. Once a month, D.C. Outfitters take clothes to the homeless residents of Washington, D.C. Additionally, D.C. Outfitters volunteer at homeless shelters and soup kitchens.

Contact: Sara Raley, President

Email: srale@wam.umd.edu

Homeless Resource Manual

The Homeless Resource Manual was prepared by Action for the Homeless in Baltimore. It provides general information on how to find shelter and obtain public benefits. Also, the Manual lists the services provided for homeless individuals in each Maryland county.

Meeting Ground

The Meeting Ground is a community and partnership which serves homeless families, women, and men. It was organized in 1982, and is located in Cecil County, Maryland. Emergency and transitional housing include:

Clairvaux Farm - 21 Veazey Cove Rd., Earleville, MD 21919: A 20 acre residential facility with accommodations for 35 persons, for families with children, women and men.

Wayfarers' House - 107 Delaware Ave., Elkton, MD 21921: A large 9 bedroom, 4 bathroom house, centrally located, with a capacity for 15 women with or without pre-school age children.

"Loaves & Fishes" Meeting Ground publication. Member of the National Association of Street Newspapers.

P.O. Box 808

Elkton, Maryland 21922

Phone: (410) 275-2936

Email: info@meetingground.org

Massachusetts

BOSTON

Ecclesia Ministries

The Ecclesia community provides a street ministry, visiting people on the streets, on benches, where meals are served, in railway stations, etc. They provide for immediate needs (food, blanket, warm coat, and medical emergency), invite people to talk about God, and to pray together.

138 Tremont Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02111
(617) 482-4826 ext. 694

Greater Boston Legal Services

Greater Boston Legal Services is a non profit legal agency servicing homeless families seeking shelter via the State Department of Transitional Assistance.

197 Friend Street, Boston, MA 02114
(617) 371-1234
Fax No. (617) 371-1222
Executive Director, Robert Sable
Email Contact: Jekem@aol.com

St. Francis House

St. Francis House is a comprehensive day center providing food and a range of emergency and rehabilitative services. St. Francis House's home page provides a description of their services and information on how to contribute.

P.O. Box 120499
Essex Station
Boston, MA 02112
Phone: 617-542-4211

LYNN

My Brother's Table

My Brother's Table (MBT) is a soup kitchen located in Lynn, Massachusetts. Through volunteers, My Brother's Table provides a wide range on nutritional programs including a daily free meal and a meal delivery program. My Brother's Table also provides individual advocacy for its guests. MBT coordinates the Lynn PACT, a coalition of 24 agencies working together to end homelessness in Lynn. The Lynn PACT applies for HUD McKinney funding to support housing and services for homeless individuals and families.

98 Willow Street
Lynn, MA 01091
Phone (781) 595-3224
Fax (781) 595-3224, Extension 5
Email: staff@mybrotherstable.org

SPRINGFIELD

Springfield Action Commission, Inc.

The Primary goal of the Coalition is to promote the improvement of community life for the economically disadvantaged in Springfield through a program which attacks the causes of poverty. Springfield Action Commission's home page describes the services they offer.

718 State St.

Springfield, MA 01109

Phone: 413-263-6500

Fax: 413-263-6511

Email: srmsac@earthlink.net

Michigan

Alternatives For Girls

Alternatives For Girls has three programs, two of which deal directly with homelessness. Alternatives For Girls conducts street outreach and case management to teens and operates a shelter and transition to independent living program for women aged 16-20 who are homeless.

903 West Grand Boulevard

Detroit, MI 48208-2365

(313) 361-4000

(313) 361-8938 – Fax

www.alternativesforgirls.org

Operation Helping Hand

Operation Helping Hand operates a 200 bed emergency shelter for men, a 65 bed transitional housing for men, and a 16 bed permanent housing for the dual-diagnosed.

2250 Fourteenth St.

Detroit, MI 48216

Phone: 313.961.1631

Fax: 313.961.1274

Contact: Barry Sawyer, CSW, ACSW, Executive Director

Email: BuzzSaw123@aol.com

Family Support Network

SOS serves as the coordinating agency for this collaboration of homeless family serving agencies. Together, the partners in this program pool resources to provide the highest quality child-care, drug treatment, housing relocation, and scholarships.

101 S. Huron St.

Ypsilanti, MI 48197

Phone: 734.485.8730

Fax: 734.485.8739

Contact: Lisa A. Potti, FSN Director, Email: lpotti@tir.com

SOS Community Services

The Mission of SOS Community Services is to offer informed and caring response to the emotional and economic needs of individuals and families in distress. SOS Community Services operates a crisis center and hotline (734.485.3222), emergency food pantry, family emergency shelter, transitional housing, children's services, and affordable housing list.

101 S. Huron St.

Ypsilanti, MI 48197

Phone: 734.485.8730

Fax: 734.485.8739

Contact: Charles H. Kieffer, Director

Email: swk_kieffer@online.emich.edu

Minnesota

St. Stephen's Human Services

Mikkel Beckman

Executive Director

2211 Clinton Ave S

Minneapolis, MN 55404

Tel: (612) 870-0311

Email: mail@ststephensmpls.org

Website: www.ststephensmpls.org

About St. Stephen's: St. Stephen's operates a 43 bed men's shelter and offers housing, employment, advocacy, outreach, and recovery services to those who are homeless or living in extreme poverty. Our mission is to end homelessness.

New Pathways Inc.

Executive Director, Cheryl Gray

Assistant Executive Director, Mary Westlund

New Pathways Inc.

310 South Ashland Street

Cambridge, MN 55008

(763) 691-0121..Fax # (763)552-0122

Website address: www.newpathwaysmn.org

American Indian Community Housing Organization

American Indian Community Housing Organization operates Oshki Odaadiziwini Waaka'igan, a place where we dream of new beginnings. It is a unique approach to dealing with homelessness and inadequate housing in Duluth, Minnesota for Native American women and their children.

The Oshki Odaadiziwini Waaka'igan offers five apartments for transitional housing along with support services and culturally specific activities for families. A unique emphasis of this program is to encourage families to reunite with their cultural values.

Vicki Ybanez, Executive Director

419 North 1st Avenue West

Apartment C
Duluth, MN 55806
Phone: 218-722-7225
Fax: 218-722-4707
Email: AichoVLY@aol.com

Partners for Affordable Housing

In addition to advocacy work, Partners for Affordable Housing operates an emergency shelter, transitional housing and three SRO apartment buildings. Partners for Affordable Housing serves a 12 county area in south central Minnesota.

101 East Hickory St., #408
Mankato, MN 56001
Phone: 507-387-4061

Our Saviour's Housing

Our Saviour's Housing (OSH) oversees two major programs to help people who are experiencing homelessness. The emergency shelter program provides a 30-day stay in a dormitory setting, hot meals, weekly medical assistance, and case managers who offer guidance and counseling for housing, employment, and personal issues. The shelter houses 40 people nightly. The transitional housing program supports three separate residences for men, women, and families who are moving from homelessness to independent living. Participants in this program also benefit from case management assistance, can live in the residence for up to one year, and pay rent during their stay. For over twenty years, OSH has partnered with hundreds of supporters to aid and advocate for people in need.

Our Saviour's Housing
Sandra Aslaksen, Executive Director
2219 Chicago Ave. South
Minneapolis, MN 55404
Phone 612/872-4193
Fax 612/872-4442
E-mail info@oursaviourshousing.org
Web site www.oursaviourshousing.org

People Serving People

People Serving People is a homeless shelter in downtown Minneapolis providing lodging, meals, and services to as many as 400 children and family members each day.

Administration:
917 5th Ave. S.
Minneapolis, MN 55404
Phone: (612) 333-1221
Fax: (612) 333-7608
Email: psp@minn.net

Mississippi

Seashore Mission of Biloxi

The Seashore Mission of Biloxi is a special mission of the United Methodist Church in Mississippi and has been in service for years. Through out each year six days a week it provides a place for the homeless to rest, store their belongings in lockers, shower, wash clothes, receive their mail, make free local telephone calls, obtain donated clothing, and receive pastoral counseling. On Sundays, they additionally receive a noon meal and a church sermon. Also, once each month free medical primary care is provided. Each January and February, the mission opens as an emergency shelter providing supper and allowing the homeless to sleep each night on the church pews.

420 Howard Ave

Biloxi, MS 39530

Phone: 228-435-5385

Fax: 228-436-0048

Mission Pastor: Albert Wallace

Email Contact: seashore@datasync.com

Missouri

KANSAS CITY

Care of Poor People, Inc.

Care of Poor People is a referral agency linking homeless persons with work and housing.

105 North Topping

Kansas City, MO 64123

Phone: 816-483-4081

Email: copp777@swbell.net

Sheffield Place

Sheffield Place is a transitional living program for homeless mothers and their children. Families can stay at Sheffield Place up to 24 months. The mission is to empower families to break out of the cycle of homelessness and poverty and become self-sufficient. Sheffield Place opened in 1991 and have assisted over 85 families since then.

6604 E. 12th Street

Kansas City, MO 64126

Contact: Karen Streeter, Executive Director

Email: shfplace@coop.crn.org

ST. LOUIS

Adequate Housing for Missourians

The mission of Adequate Housing for Missourians is to meet the needs of the St. Louis area's lowest income families for adequate, safe, affordable and accessible housing. Toward this end, AHM operates a rental assistance loan fund, provides referrals, and engages in community advocacy.

9735 Page Blvd

St Louis MO 63133

Phone: 314-863-0015, Ext 126

Fax: 314-863-1252

Email: AHMforMO@aol.com

Christian Service Center, Inc.

The Christian Service Center operates many programs for homeless and at-risk families and individuals. Programs include a family emergency shelter, a shelter for single individuals, adult educational services, youth services (tutoring, child-care, computer literacy, etc.), and a homeless resource bank. The Center also directs an annual collection of personal hygiene items and an annual collection of school supplies for homeless and at-risk children.

1000 North 19th Street

St. Louis, MO 63106-3515

Phone: 314-231-1515

Fax: 314-241-3305

Email: RNELSON314@AOL.COM

Peter & Paul Community Services

Peter & Paul Community Services is an ecumenical human service agency committed to providing immediate and transitional housing and supportive services to persons who are homeless, especially those who experience mental illness or live with HIV or AIDS. Other agency programs include a Meals Program; Transitional Housing Program; Benedict Joseph Labre Center; a Residential Care Facility for men who are homeless and mentally ill; Positive Directions Program (residential, transitional and emergency services to men and women who are homeless, mentally ill, and are HIV-positive or have AIDS); and Assertive Community Treatment Team offering outreach for clients who have transitioned into community living to provide long-term services including crisis intervention through a highly individualized multidisciplinary team approach.

1025 Park Ave, Suite 1023

St. Louis, MO 63104

Phone: (314) 588-7111

Fax: (314) 621-9875

Email: ppcsinc@stlnet.com

St. Louis ACCESS

St. Louis ACCESS works to coordinate and provide services for homeless individuals and families affected by mental illness.

1430 Olive

Suite 500

St. Louis, MO 63103

Phone: 314-206-3879

Shelter Outreach Phone: 314-206-3700

Fax: 314-877-1709

Email: vickifw@ix.ntcom.com

Montana

There are presently no Montana local homeless service organizations listed in our online directory. This does not mean that there are no homeless service organizations in Montana; it simply means that no online (an email contact or web site) homeless service organizations in Montana have requested to be listed in this directory. For information on homelessness in Montana, please see Montana's listing in the [Directory of Local and Statewide Homeless & Housing Advocacy Coalitions](#).

If you would like your organization to be listed here, just send us an email at info@nationalhomeless.org. Please include your organization's address, phone and fax numbers, email address, home page URL, and a brief description of the services your organization provides.

Nebraska

Family Service

Family Service is a private, nonprofit, nonsectarian social work agency. The mission of the agency is to strengthen the well-being of families in the community through education, counseling and support services. Family Service provides emergency services to low-income families and operates from eleven locations.

2240 Landon Court

Omaha, NE 68102

Phone: (402) 345-9118

Fax: (402) 345-3902

Greater Omaha Community Action

The Greater Omaha Community Action agency operates numerous programs for residents of Douglas, Sarpy, Washington, and Dodge counties, including emergency utility and rent assistance, addiction recovery services, emergency shelter (as available), mental health therapy and counseling, and a Homeless Veterans Reintegration program.

2406 Fowler Avenue

Omaha, NE 68111

Phone: (402) 453-5656

Fax (402) 451-3057

The Siena/Francis House

The Siena/Francis House was established in 1975. Its primary goal is to work toward successfully ending the homeless cycle rather than providing only short-term stop gap treatments. Siena/Francis House provides services to the homeless and economically disadvantaged in the Omaha community and surrounding areas. Programs include basic services of food, clothing, and emergency shelter. Extended services include: addictions recovery, transitional housing, minor medical clinic, psychiatric services, advocacy, educational opportunities (GED and college-level courses on site), job training, and placement. Siena/Francis House serves all who come to their doors regardless of problems with mental illness, addictions, domestic violence, or a persons ability to work.

Mailing Address:

The Siena/Francis House
Box 217

Omaha, NE 68101

Street Address:

1702 Nicholas Street

Omaha NE 68102

Phone: (402) 341-1821

Fax: (402) 341-5270

Email: siena1702@sienafrancis.omhcoxmail.com

Web: www.sienafrancis.org

Nevada

Homeless Job Hotline

This web site allows employers to hear homeless job applicants in Las Vegas, Nevada, speak about their talents and experience.

2756 N. Green Valley Parkway Ste. 332

Henderson, Nevada 89014

Director: Lew Krongold Phone 702-256-5077

Fax 702-228-1982

Email: info@jobs4homeless.org

New Hampshire

New Hampshire Homeless

William Charles Tinker

25 Granite Street

Northfield, NH 03276-1640

Tel: (603)286-2492

Email: wtinker@verizon.net

Website: www.newhampshirehomeless.org

Subscribe: newhampshirehomeless-subscribe@topica.com

NH Under the Bridge Project

Cindy Carlson
P.O. Box 331
Manchester, NH 03105
Ph. 603- 624-8320
Email: nhunderthebridge@gmail.com

New Jersey

The Interfaith Council for the Homeless of Union County

The Interfaith Council for the Homeless is a non-profit organization that assists the homeless and those at risk of becoming homeless. It provides emergency shelter through an Interfaith Hospitality Network, transitional and affordable permanent housing, education and other supportive services to promote personal development, independence, and self-sufficiency for its clients. Their newest project is an entrepreneurial job training program, created in collaboration with our clients, called Kandiland Crafts.

P.O. Box 569
Plainfield, NJ 07061
Phone: 908-753-4001
Fax: 908-756-1125
Email: cc004318@interramp.com

Helping Hands Mission, Inc.

Helping Hands Mission, Inc. is a charitable organization set up for the sole purpose to purchase, collect and distribute supplies such as food, clothes, furniture, etc. for children whose parents are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless. The Helping Hands Mission's home page contains information on how to contribute to the organization.

P.O. Box 504
Barnegat, NJ 08005
Phone: 609-978-0311
Fax: N/A
Email: hbm@bellatlantic.net

Housing and Economic Opportunities, Inc.

The organization provides pre-purchase counseling, LIFE Program (Low Income Family Empowerment), housing rehabilitation, rental housing for seniors, and environmental services benefiting affordable housing and community development projects.

600 Cuthbert Blvd., 2nd Floor
Westmont, NJ 08108
Phone: 888-NJ-HOUSING
Email: 71042.2253@compuserve.com

[Interreligious Fellowship for the Homeless](#)

We run three overnight shelters and a walk in dinner program along with other programs to assist the homeless and needy in Bergen County, NJ. More detailed information regarding our organization can be found on our web-site.

479 Maitland Avenue
Teaneck, NJ 07666
201.833.8009
201.833-8011 (fax)
Email: irf@erols.com

[New Jersey Community Resources Home Page](#)

This page provides links to many New Jersey social service sites, including an updated list of New Jersey legislators. The site also contains a wealth of information on low income home energy issues.

New Mexico

[Albuquerque Rescue Mission](#)

The Albuquerque Rescue Mission is a Christian ministry founded in 1954 to help the homeless men, women, and children of Albuquerque. The Rescue Mission provides van service, shelter, meals, food boxes, clothing, medical care, chapel services, and a recovery program.

509 2nd Avenue, SW
Albuquerque, NM 87102
Phone: 505-889-6359
Fax: 505-889-6361
Email: a_r_m@ix.netcom.com

[Directory of Albuquerque Homeless Services](#)

This listing of services available to homeless persons in Albuquerque, New Mexico was compiled by [The University of New Mexico Homelessness Awareness and Advocacy Group](#). It includes shelters, food programs, health clinics, job programs, substance abuse treatment programs, and many other listings.

Homeless Services of Los Alamos, Inc.

Homeless Services of Los Alamos, Inc. is a 100% volunteer, a community organization supported by donations from the community. The organization provides referrals and/or funds for those needing emergency shelter, food, etc., and also provides case management. Homeless Services of Los Alamos disseminates information to their clients and educates the public concerning the realities of homelessness, lack of affordable housing, and other relevant issues. They network with other organizations in the community to find workable solutions and long-term answers to the homeless problem in Los Alamos. They accept referrals from sister agencies in the surrounding communities of Santa Fe, Espanola, Jemez Springs, etc.

P.O. Box 248
Los Alamos, NM 87544
Phone: 505-661-5133
Email: homsr@roadrunner.com

Ben Archer Health Center

Ben Archer Health Center provides medical, dental, and behavioral health care services to individuals of all ages. Eight locations are available in Southern New Mexico. Services are provided despite a patient's inability to pay.

Mary Alice Garay, Executive Director
255 Highway 187
PO Box 370
Hatch, NM 87937
Tel: (575) 267-3280
Fax: (575) 267-1747
Email: mgaray@bahcnm.org
Website: www.bahcnm.org

La Clinica de Familia

La Clinica de Familia community health centers provide medical, dental, and behavioral health care services to individuals of all ages. General medical services that are presently offered are primary care, comprehensive dental services, health education, social services, complete on-site Medicaid enrollment, and additional services. Patients will not be refused services or treatment based on their inability to pay.

Harriet Brandstetter, Chief Executive Officer
385 Calle de Alegra
Building A
Las Cruces, NM 88005
Tel: (575) 526-1105
Tel: 1-888-544-4406 (Toll Free)
Fax: (575) 524-4266
Website: www.lcdfnm.org

Las Cruces Gospel Rescue Mission, Inc.

The Las Cruces Gospel Rescue Mission provides emergency shelter and assistance and is open 24 hours, seven days a week. It has 130 beds and provides three meals per day. The shelter provides services for men, women, and children (who are accompanied by an adult). The Mission also provides clothing, food boxes (when available), job and life skills training, and teaches the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Bill Wheeler, Executive Director
1050 W. Amador Ave.
Las Cruces, NM, 88005
Tel: (575) 523-7727
Fax: (575) 523-6990
E-mail: lcgrm@qwestoffice.net
Website: lcgrm.org (under construction)

Saint Luke's Health Care Clinic, Inc.

St. Luke's Health Care Clinic's mission is to provide for non-emergency outpatient health care needs, namely diagnosis, treatment, and referral services to those adult individuals (i.e., 18 years and older) who do not qualify for other forms of health care assistance. St. Luke's serves the working poor, the homeless, the elderly who have no medical services, and people with life threatening conditions who cannot pay for necessary medicine or care. Services are provided at no cost to qualified patients.

Frances W. Alvis, Executive Director
999 West Amador Ave.
Las Cruces, NM 88006
Tel: (575) 527-5482
Fax: (575) 525-3542
Email: slhcc@slhcc.info
Website: www.slhcc.info

New York

BUFFALO

Erie County Commission on Homelessness

The Commission works to coordinate the efforts of social services agencies and departments of local government to address the problem of homelessness in Erie County. The Commission is involved in program development, research, policy analysis and legislative advocacy.

190 Franklin Street
Buffalo, NY 14202-2462
Phone: 716-852-6120
Fax: 716-852-1629
Director: Daniel S. Weir
Email: dsweir@buffnet.net

NEW YORK CITY

Anshe Chesed Homeless Shelter

251 West 100th Street
New York, NY 10025
Phone (212) 865-0600
Fax (212) 865-1700
Email: ac_shelter@yahoo.com
URL: <http://www.anshecheded.org/activities/shelter/index.htm>

The Anshe Chesed Homeless Shelter has been operating since at least 1987. It opens every night at 7:00pm on the synagogue's second floor to provide 10 men a safe place to eat, shower, socialize, and sleep. By 6:30am the next morning, the guests have departed to either their jobs or their sponsor agencies where they participate in programming to address the issues that led them to homelessness. On average, a guest will stay at the shelter for a few months before moving on to a more stable living situation such as an SRO, group-assisted living or subsidized housing.

Bailey House, Inc.

Bailey House is the second-oldest AIDS organization in New York City. Bailey House offers housing, vocational training, support services, and personal care to homeless people living with AIDS. Bailey House also advises groups on setting up scatter-site housing and runs workshops on addiction, legal issues, management, and more.

275 Seventh Avenue, 12th Floor

New York, NY 10001

Phone: 212-633-2500

Fax: 212-633-2932

Email: margarette@baileyhouse.org

BRC Human Services Corporation

BRC Human Services Corporation's main purpose is to help eliminate homelessness and assist homeless individuals who have special needs, physical and emotional disabilities, and varying degree of abilities, lead fuller and more productive lives. Yearly, BRC provides an array of supported housing and comprehensive health and mental health services, addiction treatment, and vocational services and advocacy to over 12,000 individuals. Celebrating over 26 years of commitment and service, BRC is dedicated to housing and supporting New York City's homeless as they work to recover their lives. To achieve its goals BRC has developed a comprehensive approach to ending homelessness that includes a continuum of 20 programs.

191 Chrystie Street

New York, NY 10002

Phone: 212-533-5700

Fax: 212-533-1893

Email: brccorp@aol.com

The Center for Urban Community Services

The Center for Urban Community Services (CUCS) provides a continuum of supportive services for homeless and formerly homeless people, including street outreach, a drop-in center, transitional and permanent housing programs, and vocational and employment programs. Particular emphasis is placed on specialized services for people with mental illness, HIV/AIDS, and chemical dependency.

Administrative Offices:

120 Wall Street, 25th Floor

New York, NY 10005

Phone:(212) 801-3300

Email: davido@cucs.org

Coalition for the Homeless

The Coalition for the Homeless provides a mobile food program; a summer sleep-away camp for 400 homeless children; a rental assistance program; a permanent housing with supportive services for formerly homeless families and single adults living with AIDS; a community voice mail program; a job readiness program for homeless and low income women; The Junior Coalition, which encourages activism among high school teens; crisis intervention; and permanent housing for homeless families and single adults.

89 Chambers Street
New York, NY 10007
Phone: 212.964.5900, ext. 113
Fax: 212.964.1303
Email: homeless@24x7.com

Homes for the Homeless

Homes for the Homeless provides service-enriched transitional housing to homeless families in New York City. The Institute for Children and Poverty conducts research on strategies for fighting poverty and homelessness.

36 Cooper Square, 6th Floor
New York, NY 10003
Email: hn4061@handsnet.org

Housing Works, Inc.

Housing Works is the nation's largest provider of housing, supportive services, and advocacy for homeless and formerly-homeless people with AIDS and HIV. The mission of Housing Works is to reach the most vulnerable and underserved communities in New York City with a comprehensive range of services designed to help them gain stability, security, and independence so that they can live longer, healthier lives with hope and dignity.

594 Broadway Suite 700
New York, NY 10012
Phone: 212-966-0466
Fax: 212-966-0869
E-mail: HWorks@dti.net

Praxis Housing Initiatives, Inc.

Praxis Housing Initiatives, Inc. is an independent, not-for-profit housing development corporation with the mission to convert single room occupancy hotels and similar housing into cost-effective, alternative, transitional and permanent living and service environments for homeless and near-homeless persons. Praxis implements supportive housing initiatives among the most challenging homeless populations of New York City. Praxis seeks to form new collaboratives with not-for-profits, government agencies, and for-profit owners. Praxis is committed to housing as the essential factor in stabilizing persons living with HIV/AIDS, substance abuse, or other life-threatening concerns.

17 Battery Place, Suite 2400
New York, NY 10004
Phone: 212-293-8404
Fax: 212-293-8420
Contact: G. Sterling Zinsmeyer
Email: zinsmeyer@praxishousing.org

There's No Place Like Home

The Henry Street Settlement Center for Training and Information for Families, Inc. maintain this Bulletin Board Service (BBS) and web site designed to help New York City's homeless families

find permanent housing and maintain stable, productive family lives. The BBS is open and free by dialing 212-480-4315; the web site is at <http://www.tiac.net/users/drbowker> .

Henry Street Settlement Center for Training

466 Grand Street

New York, NY 10002

Contact: Joan McAllister

Phone: 212-645-6940

Email: tnplh@drbowker.tiac.net

Urban Pathways

Urban Pathways serves over 3,000 homeless men and women in New York City annually through a continuum of care model. Through street outreach, drop-in centers and transitional and permanent supportive housing, Urban Pathways reaches the most troubled and vulnerable population. Many of their clients are mentally ill and/or chemically addicted. Urban Pathways offers a range of services including on-site medical and psychiatric care, vocational readiness programming and mental health counseling.

Administrative office:

575 Eighth Avenue, New

York, NY 10018-3011

Phone: 212.736.7385

Fax: 212.736.1388

Email: pathways@interport.net

Van Siclen Family Residence

Overcoming-Love Ministries

Hours of Operation: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Attn: Reverend Leopoldo A. Karl

246 Jamaica Avenue

Brooklyn, New York 11207

Tel: 718-235-1464

Fax: 718-235-1463

Email: oclm13@yahoo.com

Website: <http://www.oclm.org/>

North Carolina

Homeless Coalition Day Center

The Homeless Coalition Day Center coordinates and provides services for homeless people in Fayetteville. The Homeless Coalition Day Center's home page describes the services the Center provides.

P.O. Box 36296

Fayetteville, NC 28303

Phone: 910-323-4673

Fax: 910-323-4673

Email: cosgriff@sequent.uncfsu.edu

North Dakota

There are presently no North Dakota local homeless service organizations listed in our online directory. This does not mean that there are no homeless service organizations in North Dakota; it simply means that no online (an email contact or web site) homeless service organizations in North Dakota have requested to be listed in this directory. For information on homelessness in North Dakota, please see North Dakota's listing in the [Directory of Local and Statewide Homeless & Housing Advocacy Coalitions](#).

If you would like your organization to be listed here, just send us an email at info@nationalhomeless.org. Please include your organization's address, phone and fax numbers, email address, home page URL, and a brief description of the services your organization provides.

Ohio

Bethany House Services

Bethany House Services provides a full range of housing, education and assistance programs to homeless and low-income women and children.

1841 Fairmount Avenue

Cincinnati, Ohio 45214

Phone Numbers: (513) 921-1131 - Administration

(513) 557-2877 - Transitions

(513) 557-2873 - Post Shelter Support

(513) 557-2873 - Emergency Shelter

(513) 557-2877 - Bethany Place

(513) 557-3180 - Permanent Housing

Email: Bethany_House@geocities.com

Caracole, Inc.

Caracole, Inc. provides housing for homeless persons with HIV/AIDS in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Caracole, Inc.'s website includes links to the SOPHIA software, a searchable database of social service agencies and affordable housing which updates nightly, used by around 50 social service agencies in Cincinnati.

1821 Summit Road, Suite 201

Cincinnati, Ohio 45237

Phone (513) 761-1480

Fax (513) 761-3377

Greater Cincinnati Coalition for the Homeless

117 E. 12th St .

Cincinnati , OH 45202

Phone: 513-421-7803

Fax: 513-421-7813

Email: cincinnatistreetvibes@gmail.com

URL: www.cincihomeless.org

Since 1984 the Greater Cincinnati Coalition for the Homeless has been working to end homelessness in the Cincinnati area through coordination of services, public education, and grassroots organizing. The GCCH homepage provides a listing of member agencies, the most up to date facts and statistics on homelessness in Cincinnati, and the latest issue of Streetvibes, Cincinnati's Street newspaper.

Link to Streetvibes: <http://www.cincihomeless.org/content/streetvibes.html>

Mildred Bayer Clinic for the Homeless

The Clinic is located in Toledo, Ohio and provides free medical, dental, and vision care to homeless and at risk adults.

2101 Jefferson Avenue

Toledo, OH 43624-1199

Phone: (419) 241-1554

Fax: (419) 241-3034

Email: Eldarin02@aol.com

Northeast Ohio Coalition for the Homeless

The Northeast Ohio Coalition for the Homeless (NEOCH) conducts advocacy campaigns around homeless issues. NEOCH conducts empowerment projects and organizes homeless people in the Northeast section of Ohio, including Cleveland; engages in public education campaigns to dispel myths regarding homelessness and poverty; publishes The Homeless Grapevine newspaper; and conducts oversight and research in Northeast Ohio.

2012 West 25th St. #717

Cleveland Ohio 44113

Phone: 216-241-1104

Fax: 216-241-1047

Email: neoch@bbs2.rmrc.net

Project ACT

Operated by the Cleveland Public Schools, Project ACT provides direct instructional and support services for children and youth residing in temporary or transitional shelters. Services include a 24-hour help line, programming, transportation and school access, identification and referral, and advocacy.

Marcia Zashin, Coordinator

Phone: (216) 574-8203 or (216) 344-1602

Email: info@projectact.com

Oklahoma

C. Carter Crane Shelter for the Homeless

The C. Carter Crane Shelter provides three meals per day, clothing, furniture, counseling, referrals, housing and job placement to the temporarily homeless. The Shelter is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

615 Summitt
Lawton, OK
Phone: 405-357-5259

Transition House

Transition House, Inc., is a private non-profit agency that provides transitional living and outreach services to adults with serious mental illness (many of whom have been and/or would be homeless if they were not in the Transitional Living Program).

Bonnie L. Dunn, Executive Director

700 Asp, Ste. 2

Norman, OK 73069

Phone: (405) 360-7926

Email: thouse@telepath.com

Oregon

Burnside Cadillac

Portland's only street newspaper. Burnside Cadillac's home page includes a description about the organization, past issues of the newspaper, and information about the Bridge School, a literacy program for poor and homeless persons.

1231 S.W. Morrison

Portland, OR 97205

Phone:N/A

Fax:N/A

Email:bcad@teleport.com

The Goose Hollow Family Shelter

The Goose Hollow Family Shelter is a temporary emergency shelter at Portland's First United Methodist Church. Homeless families from throughout the metropolitan area are welcome there.

The Goose Hollow Family Shelter serves up to 24 people nightly, November through March.

Over 150 volunteers a month join the 3 person staff to operate the shelter.

Chuck Currie, Executive Director

Goose Hollow Family Shelter

1838 SW Jefferson Street

Portland, Oregon 97201

503-288-0317

Email: fumc@aracnet.com

Human Solutions

Human Solutions is a non-profit organization that has served the low-income and homeless in Multnomah County for over 18 years. In the last year we have assisted 71,000 families with affordable housing, skill development, utility assistance and family support services. Two thirds of those we help are children. We offer a continuum of programs designed to break the cycle of intergenerational poverty and ensure that each family becomes self sufficient.

Human Solutions
12350 SE Powell Blvd
Portland, OR 97236
(503) 548-0200 Voice
(503) 548-0292 Fax
www.humansolutions.org

[Oregon Department of Education -- Education of Homeless Children and Youth Program](#)

Describes Oregon's laws and statewide program for the education of homeless children and youth.

[Directory of Oregon Housing & Homeless Resources](#)

Maintained by the [Oregon Housing Now Coalition](#).

[Veterans Industries of Oregon, Inc.](#)

Veterans Industries of Oregon, Inc. is a non-profit corporation dedicated to providing service to the community by assisting vetrans. Veterans Industries of Oregon provides housing, computer training, and other services to disadvantaged veterans.

P.O. Box 41431
Eugene, Oregon 97404
Phone: 541-461-0833
Email: vio@rio.com

Pennsylvania

[Pennsylvania Department of Education -- Education of Homeless Children and Youth Program](#)

Describes Pennsylvania's laws and statewide program for the education of homeless children and youth.

CARLISLE Safe Harbour

Safe Harbour is a not-for-profit organization that provides a continuum of housing services for the homeless of Cumberland County. Safe Harbour is governed by an independent Board of Directors and derives its financial support from individuals, organizations, churches, fees paid by residents, commercial rents, investments, foundations, federal and state grants, as well as the United Way. Safe Harbour's services include operating an emergency shelter for families and single females who are in desperate need of a secure place to live and an environment to begin getting their lives under control; a bridge housing program helps individuals and families in need of longer-term assistance continue to acquire the skills necessary for independent living and a

productive life style; and single-room-occupancy (SRO) permanent housing facilities that offer housing opportunities to single individuals who are ready for independent living, but need additional “life support.”

102 West High St.
Carlisle, PA 17013
Phone: 717-249-2200
Fax: 717-249-9392
Email: infosafeharbour@pa.net

CENTRAL SUSQUEHANNA VALLEY

Haven Ministry Inc.

Haven Ministry Inc. is an ecumenical, nonprofit organization providing emergency shelter, food, referral help, and life skills education to homeless families and individuals in the Central Susquehanna Valley area. Emergency food is also provided for the near-homeless population. Transitional (bridge) housing program also offered.

1043 South Front Street R R 3
Box 1-A-1 Sunbury, PA 17801
Phone: 570-286-1672
Fax: 570-286-3065
Email: cathysn@ptdprolog.net

ERIE

The Community of Caring

The Community of Caring is a temporary emergency shelter serving Erie County. The Community of Caring provides connections with the homeless case management team at the base service unit with case management support services. There is also referral for Mental health treatment, Health care and Housing contacts.

245 East 8th St
Erie, PA 16503-1003
Phone: 814-456-6661
Email: caring@velocity.net

PHILADELPHIA

The Employment Project

The Employment Project is a nonprofit employment service for homeless and disadvantaged people in Philadelphia, PA. It was founded by homeless people from the Committee for Dignity and Fairness for the Homeless shelter and student volunteers from the Eight Dimension program at Haverford College. The project offers an employability skills training program that operates in a 4-8 week cycle. The Employment project serves over 2,500 clients annually.

Contact: Leona Smith
246 Arch Street
Philadelphia, PA 19106
Phone: 215-923-1694
Fax: 215-923-5960
Email: Lenci1@aol.com

Housing Association of Delaware Valley

The Housing Association of Delaware Valley (HADV) is a non-profit, United Way agency whose broad purpose is to positively affect the living conditions of low and moderate income families in the Delaware Valley. The Association advocates for decent housing for all and to eliminate racism and discrimination in all housing. To accomplish these goals, HADV acts as a watchdog of government programs and policies, advocates for housing alternatives for low and moderate income citizens, conducts research on a wide variety of housing issues, engages in educational activities, and provides technical assistance to organizations. The Association also operates programs to assist low income families gain and retain decent affordable housing.

1500 Walnut Street, Suite 601

Philadelphia, PA 19102

Anthony Lewis, Managing Director

Phone: 215-545-6010

Fax: 215-790-9132

Email: hadv@libertynet.org

Project H.O.M.E.

The mission of Project H.O.M.E. is to work in partnership with chronically homeless persons in Philadelphia as they strive to attain their fullest potential as individuals and as members of the broader society.

1515 Fairmount Ave.

Philadelphia, PA 19130

Phone: (215) 232-7272

Email: HN5672@handsnet.org or prjhome@aol.com

PITTSBURGH

HSP

HSP helps to bring food, clothing, blankets and medical staff to homeless persons in Pittsburgh, PA. HSP's primary outreach tool is via sea kayak along Pittsburgh's rivers.

Director: Mike Sallows

3017 Cohutta Street

Pittsburgh, PA 15212

Phone: 412-761-6497

Email: homeless@nb.net

Operation Safety Net

Operation Safety Net is a medical outreach service consisting of volunteers who deliver medical, mental health and drug and alcohol services to the street homeless population in the greater Pittsburgh area. Medical, nursing and student volunteers, in partnership with the homeless community, walk the streets, alleys and riverbanks to search the homeless, build friendships and deliver professional care. This award winning program is being duplicated in other cities and is an educational model for medical trainees who have demonstrated leadership in care for the poor and other vulnerable populations. Coordination with other homeless providers includes a custom

designed case record and tracking system known as SAFENET. Operation Safety Net also provides employment opportunities to the street homeless population.

Mercy Hospital

1400 Locust Street

Pittsburgh, PA 15219

Phone: 412-232-5739

Fax: 412-232-3726

Email: jwithers@mercy.pmhs.org

lsheets@mercy.pmhs.org

Medical Director: James S. Withers, M.D.

Program Administrator: Linda M. Sheets, M.P.M.

SCRANTON

St. Francis of Assisi Kitchen

St. Francis of Assisi Kitchen is a soup kitchen that serves lunch to homeless people and others in need. St. Francis of Assisi Kitchen's home page provides a description of their services and information on how you can become involved with their efforts.

500 Penn Ave.

Scranton, PA 18509

Phone: 717-342-5556

Fax: 717-963-8832

WASHINGTON

Interfaith Hospitality Network

We serve homeless families in the Washington County / Allegheny County area with shelter and social services, in order to help them regain independence.

297 E. Beau Street

Washington, PA 15301

Phone: 724-229-1129

Fax: 724-229-3209

Email: ihn@stargate.net

Web site: <http://www.homelessfamilies.org>

YORK

Helping Hand for the Homeless, Inc.

The Helping Hand for the Homeless was established in 1989 to serve homeless people in York County, Pennsylvania. Helping Hand provides hot meals, sleeping bags, clothing, hygiene kits, and access to temporary day work.

413 W. King Street

York, PA 17404

Phone: 717-846-9275

Email: kemp@cyberia.com

Puerto Rico

Iglesia Evangelica de Puerto Rico, Congregacion de la Calle Arzuaga

Iglesia Evangelica de Puerto Rico offers a breakfast every sunday morning (9-10 am) to people who are homeless or in need. It also offers some clothing assistance.

Calle Arzuaga 106
Rio Piedras, PR 00925
Phone: 787-767-7355

Rhode Island

There are presently no Rhode Island local homeless service organizations listed in our online directory. This does not mean that there are no homeless service organizations in Rhode Island; it simply means that no online (an email contact or web site) homeless service organizations in Rhode Island have requested to be listed in this directory. For information on homelessness in Rhode Island, please see Rhode Island's listing in the [Directory of Local and Statewide Homeless & Housing Advocacy Coalitions](#).

If you would like your organization to be listed here, just send us an email at info@nationalhomeless.org. Please include your organization's address, phone and fax numbers, email address, home page URL, and a brief description of the services your organization provides.

South Carolina

Greenville Area Interfaith Hospitality Network (GAIHN)

1100 South Main St. / PO Box 2083
Greenville, SC 29601 / Greenville, SC 29602
Phone numbers: 864-271-3424, fax: 864-271-3533
web: www.GAIHN.org
e-mail: TonyMcdade@cs.com
Network Director: Dr. Tony McDade

Charleston Habitat for Humanity

701 E. Bay Street
Suite 1-145
Charleston, SC
Phone: 843/722-7154
Fax: 843/722-7142
Contact: Natalie LeBeau, Director
Email: CHFh@charleston.net
Email: lebeunata@aol.com

Crisis Ministries

Crisis Ministries is a multi-service homeless shelter and soup kitchen. There is a men's shelter and separate family center. Seven days per week Crisis Ministries serves a hot lunch to anyone who is hungry, guests of the shelter, and neighbors alike. There is a primary health care clinic, free to all homeless and formerly homeless neighbors. Crisis Ministries employs case managers for both men and families along with mental health care professionals and substance abuse counselors. The facility is staffed 365 days a year.

573 Meeting Street

Charleston, SC 29403

Telephone: 803-723-9477

Email contact: rossn@earthlink.net

Good Neighbor Center

The Good Neighbor Center provides rehabilitative shelter and transition housing in Charleston, South Carolina.

1905 Burton Lane

Charleston, SC 29405

Phone: 843-566-9344

Fax: 843-566-1905

Email: ncook2000@aol.com

Piedmont Legal Services

Piedmont Legal Services assists homeless people with free legal services in York, Lancaster, Kershaw, and Chester counties.

PO Box 10591

Rock Hill, SC 29731

Phone: 803-327-9001

Contact: Shelbie D. Allen

Email: shelbie.allen@mailexcite.com

Carolina Youth Development Center

The Beacon provides shelter, meals, hygiene products, clothing, and counseling for homeless, abandoned, and runaway youth under age 18. Free transportation is available in the Charleston area. Call (843) 266-5270. Open 24hrs.

5055 Lackawanna Blvd.

North Charleston, SC 29405

(843) 266-5217

www.cydc.org

South Dakota

Mainstream's Homeless Outreach Program

111 North Street
Rapid City, SD 57701
Phone: 605-343-0650
Fax: 605-399-9892
Contact: Kathi Martin, MA
Email: kmartin@behaviormanagement.org

South Dakota's Education of Homeless Children and Youth Program

Describes South Dakota's laws and statewide program for the education of homeless children and youth. Also includes a listing of South Dakota's shelters.

Tennessee

Campus for Human Development

The Campus For Human Development is a five-agency, public/private cooperative rescue and support project for the homeless in Nashville. The Campus for Human Development offers emergency winter shelter, numerous amenities, and many educational, government advocacy, and social welfare programs.

532 8th Avenue South
P. O. Box 25309
Nashville, TN 37202-5309
Phone: 615-251-9791
Fax: 615-251-3274
Email: charlesstrobel@chd-nashville.org
Web: www.chd-nashville.org

Partners for the Homeless

Partners for the Homeless' mission is to serve as a catalyst in promoting a community public/private partnership to insure effective services for the homeless. Partners for the Homeless also helps by providing the Memphis/Shelby County Shelter & Services Online-Database, Community Voice Mail for the Homeless, a Homeless Data Base, and free income tax clinics to help homeless workers benefit from the Earned Income Tax Credit. The Memphis/Shelby County Shelter & Services Online Database is available on their web site at

<http://www.msopath.org/servicelist.htm>

2400 Popular Avenue, Suite 226
Memphis, TN 38112
Phone: (901) 458-8928
Fax: (901) 458-9103
Email: pathinc@bellsouth.net

Texas

Texas Education of Homeless Children and Youth Program

Describes Texas laws and statewide program for the education of homeless children and youth, including a listing of local programs.

Central Texas Youth Services Bureau

CTYS provides counseling, a hotline, shelter and vocational guidance for homeless or troubled youth and their families. CTYS' home page provides a description of these services.

P.O. Box 185

Killeen, TX 76540

Phone: 800-421-TEEN

Fax: N/A

Email: N/A

AUSTIN

Sanctuary: A Place for the Displaced

Sanctuary is an innovative, transitional living center serving persons who find themselves homeless and/or displaced.

3121 East 12th Street

Austin, TX 78702

Phone: 512-477-2257

512-477-2443

Toll Free: 1-877-477-2257

Fax: 512-477-6047

Email: sanctuary@dbcity.net

DALLAS/FT. WORTH

Dallas Community Resources

This web site provides phone numbers for community service agencies in the Dallas area, including homeless assistance, housing assistance, child care assistance, food resources, medical services, counseling and treatment centers, job hotlines, and other services.

Tarrant County ACCESS for the Homeless: The ACCESS Team

The ACCESS Team (IMT) is a collaboration of citizens, businesses, and community based organizations who work together to eliminate homelessness, especially with respect to those persons diagnosed with mental illnesses. The ACCESS Team's home page lists the staff and members of ACCESS, gives a history of their online services, and provides links to other sites related to homelessness and mental illness.

3509 Hulen St., Suite 200

Fort Worth, TX 76107

Phone: 817-377-8490

Fax: 817-377-8785

Email: jswaringen@azone.net

HOUSTON

Housing & Recovery, Inc. -- A New Life

Housing & Recovery, Inc. is a therapeutic, transitional living facility primarily for recovering male veterans. Housing & Recovery requires a minimum of five (5) days, preferably documented, sobriety for one to be considered for residency, and also offers a chartered Alcoholic Anonymous group, "New Beginnings."

2421 Truxillo

Houston, TX 77004-4357

Phone: 713-520-9825

Contact: Sam Lewis, Executive Director

Email: CWB@writeme.com

HUNTSVILLE

The Good Shepherd Mission

The Good Shepherd Mission provides food, clothing and temporary shelter to indigent locals and transients by serving two hot meals daily, operating a food bank, providing clothing vouchers, free counseling, serving as the Information Hub of Walker County for Human Services (please see the website at www.ipt.com/help/), providing limited prescription and travel aid vouchers.

The primary goal and purpose is to give people hope in time of crisis and extreme need. The Mission is a 501-C-3 non profit, private cooperation with board members from local churches.

Funding is through churches, Local United Way, businesses, civic clubs, and individuals.

P.O. Box 7281

1005 Ave F

Huntsville, TX 77342

Phone: 409-291-8156

Fax: 409-291-9338

Email: mission@lcc.net

PORT CITIES

Port Cities Rescue Mission Ministries

The Port Cities Rescue Mission provides shelter for families, single women, and single men through three separate facilities. Located in downtown Port Arthur, Texas, the Mission has been providing these services since 1984.

900 6th Street

P.O. Box 1665

Port Arthur, TX 77641-1665

Phone: 409-982-0202

Fax: 409-982-0697

Contact: Dave Gillooly, Executive Director

Email: rescue@rescue.org

SAN ANTONIO

Reaching The Youth, Inc.

Reaching The Youth is a non-profit organization serving homeless and runaway pregnant and parenting adolescents and teens in San Antonio and Bexar County, Texas. Reaching The Youth, Inc. provides multi-sensitive programs and services and a continuum of care in reducing first-time pregnancies and repeated births among this population. Programs and services provided include legislating for policy changes/improvement; Housing Assistance; Crisis Intervention Programs; Entrepreneur Programs; Child Care Assistance Services; Feeding Programs; Education Advancement Programs; Career Empowerment Programs; Recreational Programs; Counseling Services; Outreach, Recruitment and Assessment Programs; and Community/Economic Development Programs.

P.O. Box 10532

San Antonio, Texas 78210-0532

Phone: 210-823-4902

Fax: 210-534-3125

Email: youths@swbell.net

San Antonio Metropolitan Ministry

The San Antonio Metropolitan Ministry (SAMM) operates emergency services, transitional shelter and services and transitional housing. SAMM's home page includes a description of their programs, information on how you can contribute, and a personal account of one client's job search.

318 W. Houston Street, Suite 200

San Antonio, TX 78205-2420

Phone: 210-225-3582

Fax: 210-225-8166

Email: samm@samm.org

Utah

Duchesne County Food Pantry and Homeless Shelter

The Duchesne County Food Pantry and Homeless Shelter provides shelter and food services to homeless persons in Roosevelt, Utah.

420 East 100 South

Roosevelt, UT 84066

contact person: Amanda Hague

435-722-5232

Iron County Share and Care

Iron County Share and Care provides emergency food and shelter to those in need and assists them in taking steps out of homelessness and into independent living.

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 2241

Cedar City, UT 84721

Shelter Address:

140 East 400 South

Cedar City, UT 84720
Phone: 435.586.5142 or 435.867.1818 - after 4:00pm

Food Bank:

222 West 900 North
Cedar City, UT 84721
Phone: 435.586.4962

Website:

www.careandshare-ut.org

Salt Lake City Mission

Salt Lake City Mission is a Christian Rescue Mission and a member of International Union of Gospel Missions. Salt Lake City Mission provides food, clothing, emergency shelter, crisis intervention and counseling, education assistance, career counseling, job counseling and placement, drug and alcohol counseling, a rehabilitation program, Christian 12-Step, day shelter, phone services, message services, rest room facilities. The Rescue Mission also offers morning devotional services, Bible Studies in English and Spanish, and Praise and Worship Services every Sunday at 11am.

468 West 200 South
Salt Lake City 84101
Phone: (801) 355-6310
Email: info@saltlakecitymission.org

Wasatch Homeless Health Care Program

The Wasatch Homeless Health Care Program provides free health care to homeless people in the Salt Lake City area. The Wasatch Homeless Health Care Program's home page gives a description of their services, some personal accounts by clients and related newspaper clippings.

404 South 400 West
Salt Lake City, Utah 84101
Phone: 801-364-0058
Fax: 801-364-0161
Email: editor@bob.state.ut.us

Vermont

COTS (The Committee on Temporary Shelter)

COTS has been providing comprehensive services to homeless individuals and families for over 15 years. COTS offers a wide range of services including case management, vocational training, immediate referrals for medical and health care, outreach to the streets and encampments, and transitional and permanent housing. The Mission of COTS is twofold : to provide for a person's most immediate needs and create lasting solutions to homelessness and poverty.

PO Box 1616
Burlington, VT 05401
Phone: (802) 864-7402
Fax: (802) 864-2612
Email: cots@together.net

Vermont Tenants, Inc.

Vermont Tenants, Inc. is a non-profit agency that provides counseling, advice, referrals, and advocacy to tenants state-wide. Located in Burlington, Vermont, VTI serves over 2000 people a year through a variety of programs. Some of VTI's services include: advocacy, information, and referrals through the Tenant Line (802-864-0099 or 1-800-287-7971); state-wide workshops for tenants, police officers, universities, social service providers, and other interested groups; publication of the Renting in Vermont handbook, which summarizes Vermont's Landlord-Tenant law.

191 North Street
Burlington, VT 05401
Phone: (802) 864-0099 or 1-800-287-7971
Email: tedvti@together.net

Vermont Volunteers for Homeless Veterans

Vermont Volunteers for Homeless Veterans is organized as a nonprofit organization researching ways to reduce homelessness, particularly through mini-farm and work cooperatives.

P.O. Box 5338
Burlington, VT 05402
Phone: 802-658-8862
Email: vvhv@hotmail.com

Virgin Islands

There are presently no Virgin Islands local homeless service organizations listed in our online directory. This does not mean that there are no homeless service organizations in Virgin Islands; it simply means that no online (an email contact or web site) homeless service organizations in Virgin Islands have requested to be listed in this directory. For information on homelessness in Virgin Islands, please see the Virgin Islands' listing in the .

If you would like your organization to be listed here, just send us an email at info@nationalhomeless.org. Please include your organization's address, phone and fax numbers, email address, home page URL, and a brief description of the services your organization provides.

Virginia

Barrett Transitional Home

Barrett Haven Inc. is a non-profit organization that runs Barrett Transitional Home. Barrett Transitional home is a "24/7" facility designed to break the cycle of homelessness for single and single pregnant women and their infants.

Barrett Haven, Inc.
<http://groups.hamptonroads.com/BTH/>
PO Box 275
Norfolk, Virginia 23501-0275
Phone 757-624-6990

Fax 757-624-6992

barretthaveninc@aol.com

<http://groups.hamptonroads.com/BTH/>

AfterShare Kids

The mission of AfterShare Kids and Families is to help current residents at the Homeless Prevention Center through the tough times of homelessness; to volunteer at the Homeless Prevention Center by doing whatever we can to help; to help each other with problems by offering friendship; and to educate the community, especially other kids, about homelessness.

AfterShare Kids and Families

14945 Jefferson Davis Hwy.

Woodbridge, VA 22191

703-680-5403

Email: aftershare@aol.com

Freedom House

Freedom House provides both advocacy and direct service for homeless individuals in Richmond. They operate a community shelter, transitional housing and an evening meal program. Freedom House's home page contains program descriptions and the book 54 Ways You Can Help the Homeless.

P.O. Box 12144

Richmond, VA 23241

Phone: 804-649-9791

Fax: 804-648-8321

Email: Freednhs@richnet.com

Homestretch

Homestretch provides housing assistance, job counseling, budgeting and tax help, youth camps, social workers and volunteers to families and children in Fairfax County. Homestretch's home page describes the organization and provides information on how to contribute.

P.O. Box 141

Falls Church, VA 22046

Phone: 703-573-0359

Fax: 703-573-0359

Email: hmcrafts@aol.com

STANDUP FOR KIDS

STANDUP FOR KIDS is a national, not-for-profit organization founded in 1990 to help rescue homeless and at-risk youth living on the street. With national headquarters in Denver, Colorado, STANDUP FOR KIDS has established ten outreach programs in five states. STANDUP FOR KIDS is an all-volunteer nonprofit organization that provides services to kids on the streets. STANDUP FOR KIDS volunteers walk the streets to encourage and guide kids in becoming effective members of their communities. Their programs offer services such as housing referral; education assistance; vocational development; counseling; health services; transportation to self-help meetings; legal assistance; and clothes, furniture, and other daily necessities.

Virginia programs are located in the following areas:

Norfolk & Virginia Beach, VA: Pager: 757.456.7300

National Headquarters:

1111 Osage St., Suite 205C

Denver, CO 80204

Phone: 303-892-8328

Fax: 303-671-2845

Email: rickkoca@earthlink.net

The Virginia Housing Directory

Maintained by the Virginia Housing Development Authority, this site provides listings for homeless and domestic violence shelters in Virginia.

Washington

Council for the Homeless

The Council for the Homeless is the local homeless planning board for Clark County, WA. Formed in 1989 by the City of Vancouver, Clark County and the Vancouver Housing Authority, the Council administers funding for homeless programs through Clark County's Continuum of Care Plan, develops shelters and transitional housing facilities, and raises private funds for local homeless programs.

2500 Main St.

Vancouver, WA 98660

Phone: (360) 993-9561

FAX: (360) 694-8369

Email: CFTH@Teleport.com

The Crisis Clinic

The Crisis Clinic provides a variety of services for the Seattle/King County area. This includes the following:

- **The Crisis Line** (206.461.3222 and 1.800.244.5767). 24-hour crisis intervention and emotional and mental health support.
- **The Community Information Line** (206.461.3200 and 1.800.621.4636). Monday through Friday, 8am-6pm, information and referral to social services including all homeless services and a daily update on any possible bed space in women and family shelters;
- **Teen Link** (206.461.4922/1.888.431.8336) 7 days a week 6pm-10pm, providing a phone line for teens, staffed by other teens.

The Crisis Clinic gets a large number of homeless callers looking for resources or needing to deal with other crises on the three lines; probably the most useful will be the Community Information Line.

Also, anyone can search the Crisis Clinic's free, comprehensive on-line database of social service resources in Seattle/King County, which accesses the most recent information for over 3,000 local agencies. It can be reached through www.crisisclinic.org.

Mailing Address: 1515 Dexter Avenue N, #300

Seattle, WA 98109

Business Office Phone: 206.461.3210

Business Fax: 206.461.8368

e-mail: info@crisisclinic.org

PLEASE NOTE, ALL SERVICES ARE PROVIDED OVER THE PHONE, NO WALK-INS.

Fremont Public Association

The Fremont Public Association (FPA) provides extensive shelter and transitional housing programs. Whether a person has lost his or her home and needs shelter or needs help to stay in his or her current home, FPA can help. FPA helps low- and moderate-income people stay in their homes through Housing Counseling, Housing Stability grants and loans, and Minor Home Repair. Homeless women and children are served by Broadview Shelter. Homeless families and single parent households (headed by men or women) are served by Fremont Family Shelter and Bethlehem House. Long-term solutions for homeless families with dependent children are handled by Solid Ground. Community Voice Mail gives homeless and phoneless people a tool to help find jobs and housing.

P.O. Box 31151

Seattle, WA 98103

Phone: 206/694-6700

Fax: 206/694-6777

Email: webmaster@fremontpublic.org

Metropolitan Development Council Homeless Services/Multiservice Center

The Metropolitan Development Council provides shower and laundry facilities, a message center and limited assistance with transportation. Other services provided include The Homeless Employment Program, Homeless Health Care Clinic, Homeless Child Care & Domestic Violence Childcare, and the PATH program (Outreach, Case Management and Payee Services to homeless mentally ill persons seeking mental health & housing support.

919 South 9th Street

Tacoma, WA 98405

Phone: (253) 627-5445

Fax: (253) 593-2744

Email: hepmdc@harbornet.com

Real Change

A homeless newspaper. The RealChange web site features the past 2 issues in full, a subject index of stories, and directions for how to organize a homeless paper in your city.

2129 2nd Ave.

Seattle, WA 98121

Phone: 206-441-3247

Email: rchange@speakeasy.org

STANDUP FOR KIDS

STANDUP FOR KIDS is a national, not-for-profit organization founded in 1990 to help rescue homeless and at-risk youth living on the street. With national headquarters in Denver, Colorado, STANDUP FOR KIDS has established ten outreach programs in five states. STANDUP FOR KIDS is an all-volunteer nonprofit organization that provides services to kids on the streets.

STANDUP FOR KIDS volunteers walk the streets to encourage and guide kids in becoming effective members of their communities. Their programs offer services such as housing referral; education assistance; vocational development; counseling; health services; transportation to self-help meetings; legal assistance; and clothes, furniture, and other daily necessities.

The Washington program is located in:

Bremerton, WA Pager: 360.792.3888

National Headquarters:

1111 Osage St., Suite 205C

Denver, CO 80204

Phone: 303-892-8328

Fax: 303-671-2845

Email: rickkoca@earthlink.net

Street Links

Street Links, a program of Seattle Children's Home, is a mobile program which provides medical treatment, counseling, referral services, transportation, food and clothing to youth living on the streets.

2142 Tenth Ave. West

Seattle, WA 98119

Phone: 206-283-3300

Youth Hotline: 1-888-397-KIDS

Contact: Linnea Peover

Email: LPeover@SeattleChildrensHome.org

The Tenants Union

The Tenants Union is a non-profit, membership-based organization of tenants. It provides information to tenants, helps organize building-wide tenants unions, and fights for for stronger tenants' rights laws.

3902 S. Ferdinand St.

Seattle, WA 98122

Local phone: 206-723-0500

Toll Free: 1-800-752-9993

TDD: 206-723-0523

West Virginia

Marshall Family Guardian, Inc.

909 Fifth Street, P.O. Box 217

Moundsville, WV 26041

Phone: 304-845-4786

Fax: 304-845-4118

Tracy L. Ponsetti, Executive Director

Email: tponsetti@yahoo.com

Randolph County Homeless Shelter

Randolph County Homeless Shelter is a program of the North Central West Virginia Community Action Association Inc., a private nonprofit organization operating various programs for the low-income in an eight county area of North Central West Virginia. The Randolph County Homeless Shelter opened in 1990. The facility can serve up to 16 men, women, and children. The facility is supervised 24 hours per day, seven days a week. Laundry facilities are available, and three meals per day are served. Clients participate in a service plan to alleviate the cause of their homelessness.

938 South Davis Avenue

Elkins, WV 26241

Phone: 304-636-5193

Fax: 304-637-4718

Cindy Hamrick, Shelter Manager

Sydney Bonner, County Services Supervisor

Email: chamrick@ncwvcaa.org

Wisconsin

Veterans Assistance Foundation, Inc.

VAF, Inc., operates three assistance centers for homeless veterans in Wisconsin, a total of about 100 beds. We provide free shelter, food and clothing to meet immediate needs. Veterans are then provided assistance in accessing VA and state benefits for health, mental health, job service, individual and group counseling on-site and access to aftercare such as NA and AA. Currently, the Foundation operates under a grant from the Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs. We also have affiliations with nine other similar organizations across the country.

VAF Corporate Office

8444 Highway M

Fredonia, WI 53021

President/CEO Robert R. Piaro

Phone: 414-693-6333

Fax 414-6926467

Email robertp@pmihwy.com

WINTERSTAR

WINTERSTAR is a supportive transitional housing program for homeless mentally ill people. WINTERSTAR operates twenty apartments and provides counseling, links to community support, job development, and other assistance. The program uses a consumer-based model, and works toward client empowerment. Referrals come from homeless shelters, and medical and social workers in the community. The program is sponsored by the Salvation Army and supported by a HUD grant.

3120 West Wisconsin Avenue, #106
Milwaukee, WI 53208
Phone: 414-342-6172
Fax: 414-342-6961
Contact: Steve Lowry
Email: sbear@execpc.com

Wyoming

The Wyoming Coalition for the Homeless

The Welcome Mat and Self-Help Center is a project of the Wyoming Coalition for the Homeless. The Welcome Mat provides self-help through the arts as well as advocacy, day shelter, information, and referrals.

907 Logan Ave.
Cheyenne, WY 82003-1232
Phone: 307-634-8499
Email: wch@vcn.com

Homeless Services in Wyoming

Maintained by the Wyoming Coalition for the Homeless, this listing provides contact information and eligibility requirements for homeless services in the state of Wyoming by county.