Resource Guide

Generated November 28, 2026 · 1113 open facilities · closed facilities are not listed · call before you go: details change quickly

AL

Mary Magdalene Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
300 Faye Street, Abbeville, AL 36330

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services
Updated Mar 20, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1340

Calhoun–Cleburne Mental Health Clinic

Walk–in Resource · Open

331 E 8th St, Anniston, AL 36207
Phone 256–236–8003
Service Temporary

Counseling services: Residents in effected areas who would like to receive counseling may contact Robin Bridges with Calhoun–Cleburne Mental Health Clinic at 256–236–8003.

Services offered: Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8343

BPSOS Gulf Coast (Boat People SOS – Vietnamese Assistance)

Walk–in Resource · Open

13869 S. Wintzell Ave, Bayou La Batre, AL 36509
Phone 251–824–7004
Web www.bpsos.org/en/our–branches/gulf–coast
Service Temporary

Per AlVOAD meeting, this group is helping with the 2011 Alabama Tornado Relief.

2010 Oil Spill

Catholic Charities 6/24/10 Sitrep Report:

Mobile: The current area of focus is Bayou La Batre, where the Mayor has included Catholic Social Services Mobile in a $100,000 grant proposal to provide community services. Boat People SOS are working is Bayou La Batre, specifically serving the needs of the Vietnamese population. Another focus is Dolphin Island, where CC/Mobile received a grant from Alabama Power to provide the 1,300 resident with utility, rental, and mortgage assistance—where, to date, 30% (approximately 1,590 individuals) are in need of assistance). CC/USA staff have been deployed to Mobile to conduct an needs assessment with Mobile, Alabama staff. In collaboration with the United Way, Catholic Charities distributed 10,000 pounds of food to 230 families in 1 day.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Case Management, Disaster Survivors; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Translators, Vietnamese/English, Volunteer
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Catholic Charities; United Way
Updated Apr 29, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6010

Community Furniture Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

219 Distribution Drive, Birmingham, AL 35209
Phone (205) 942–2727
Service Temporary

Most Needed Items

* beds
* dressers
* kitchen items (pots, pans, and utensils)
* sheets, towels, and dish cloths
* any usable furniture

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Furniture, Furniture Bank; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online; Warehouse, Warehouse Space

Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 9, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8256

CAP is Downtown [Economic Development agency]

Walk–in Resource · Open

Birmingham Business Districts, AL

Phone 205–251–0111
Web downtownbhm.com

NOTE: there was a City Action Partnership [CAP is Downtown] which gathered donations like free items for people struggling and had a large number of social services. This CAP was transformed into the new CAP which is focused on Economic Development. See the prior CAP is Downtown at: https://ccc.haghy.com/shelters/290 [you must choose "show closed" under the facilities list to see the closed facility record] [We miss you Laura and your wonderful humanitarian work helping so many thousands of people and families!]

The new CAP is Downtown focuses on providing "friendly ambassadors" to the business district and "help people, tidy up and keep the district safe." The new CAP is Downtown says their amassadors "patrol on foot, Segways and bikes" and that "our visibility and attention often deter bad behavior and activities." And they also offer "non–emergency cleaning services — like graffiti removal and pressure washing" within business district.

Here are some other business–oriented services this agency is providing now:

– Safety patrols throughout the district
– Escorts to your vehicle or downtown destination
– Directions & helpful information to pedestrians
– Regular check–ins to downtown businesses
– Outreach to unhoused populations to connect them to services
– Stranded motorist support, e.g. battery jump, tire air–up, vehicle unlock
– Litter clearing
– Pressure washing in public spaces
– Graffiti removal
– Beautification

Updated Oct 17, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10750

FOOD PANTRY – Blountsville Methodist Church – Shelter

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross Emergency Shelter, Church/Food Pantry
415 College St.; (behind We–Tote–M Quick Stop), Blountsville, AL

Phone 205.429.4538, 205.429.3347, 205.429.3341
Contact Rev. Bart Bowlin
Web app.redcross.org/nss–app
Serves Blount County, AL
Service Temporary

6/22 Called.. not operating as shelter.. open with food pantry

Services offered: Facility: Community Center; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Hotline, Food Bank/Pantry Hotline (Find Emergency Food Help); Meals, Shelter Served Meals (Evacuation/Emergency); Shelter, Capacity (# of people, total capacity); Shelter, Capacity (# people, current population); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; American Red Cross
Updated Jun 22, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8018

Area Agency on Aging, Alabama–Tombigbee Regional Commission

Walk–in Resource · Open

County
Camden, AL

Phone 334 682 4234
Web www.alarc.org/atrc

AREA AGENCY ON AGING

As the Area Agency on Aging Program ATRC provides many services to the region's elderly population. Most of those residents live in areas defined as rural. Rural and low–income residents are the target groups for Aging services. The AAA acts as an advocate for the elderly, plans and manages a system of in–home and community services to help them maintain their independence and dignity, and administers federal, state, local, and private funds to support those services. The AAA reaches these goals by working with federal, state and local officials, elderly constituents, service providers, and volunteer groups. Together they coordinate services and develop new services to help the elderly.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Housing, Long Term Care Residents (Seniors/Elders); Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals,

Legal Information & Resource Referrals (For Elders/Seniors); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals (Elders/Seniors); Meals, Home Delivered Meals (For Seniors/Elders); Services, Respite Program/ Services; Services, Senior/Disabled, Homemaker Services (For Elders/Seniors/Disabled); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Employment, Job Training (Elders/Seniors); Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care); Transportation, For Seniors/Elders; Transportation, Ride Service (FREE or Sliding Scale)
Updated May 31, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1305

Phil Campbell Church of God

Walk–in Resource · Open

3174 College Road Phil, Campbell, AL 35581
Phone 256–426–9437
Web philcampbellcog.com
Service Temporary

Source at:
http://www.whnt.com/news/shoals/whnt–welcome–home–phil–campbell–hope–distribution–event–20110624,0,6425648.story

Welcome Home Phil Campbell" Hope Distribution Event
When: Sunday, June 26, 2011 1:30pm – 4pm
Where: Phil Campbell Church of God Hope Center (3174 College Road or at the corner of Hwy 237 and College Road)

"Anything we can do to help people come back to Phil Campbell, to help them feel at home is what we are trying to do," said Pastor Burns.

FACEBOOK –
http://www.facebook.com/pages/Phil–Campbell–Church–of–God/151451824914749
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated Jun 27, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8680

Cullman Church of Christ

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church/Disaster Recovery Services
Cullman Stockyards; 4345 Alabama Highway 157, Cullman, AL 35058
Phone 256–734–2172 for updated information
Web www.cullmanchurchofchrist.com/c7/index.html
Service Temporary

Disaster Relief Information Update

The Cullman County area was hit hard by the highly destructive storms on April 27, 2011. We know that many of you are interested in helping to relieve some of the immediate needs faced by our communities. The following is a partial listing of items that are currently in demand. Due to the ever–changing nature of our situation, it is recommended that you call our office at 256–734–2172 for updated information. The picture below is just a small portion of the city of Cullman hit hard. (SEEN ON Website)

Suggested items: NO CLOTHING!!! Non–perishable foods, first aid pack kits, sunscreen, aloe sunburn lotion, all types cleaning supplies, clorox bleach, toilet paper, paper towels, diapers–all sizes, pull–ups, wipes, baby formula, baby shampoo, baby lotion, drinks other than water, flash lights with batteries, and supplies for those doing repairs and yardwork.

If you have any of these items to donate please contact the church office at 256–734–2172 or the Connecting Cullman Warehouse at 256–595–2292 to coordinate your delivery. If you or someone you know is in need of items due to the storms you may contact the church office at 256–734–2172 so arrangements can be made for assistance, pending availability of items.
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated Jun 22, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8620

Community Action Partnership of North Alabama

Walk–in Resource · Open

CENTRAL OFFICE:; 1909 Central Parkway SW, Decatur, AL 35061
Phone (256) 350–3662
Web www.northalabamacommunities.org
Serves Morgan, Lawrence, Cullman, Franklin, Colbert, Cherokee, DeKalb, Jackson, Marshall, Blount, Marion, Winston, and Walker Counties in North Alabama
Service Permanent

FROM THE SITE:

Housing Development

Affordable housing is provided for low income persons in Alabama and the Southeast. U. S. Housing and Urban Development programs, low–income housing tax credits, Federal Home Loan Bank and conventional financial resources are used. For more

information, contact Richard Lyons at 256–260–3121.
Housing Counseling

Comprehensive housing counseling services to home buyers, homeowners and renters – both current and perspective. This assistance enables them to improve their housing conditions and meet the responsibilities of tenancy or home ownership under HUD and other funding in Morgan, Lawrence and Cullman counties. For more information, contact Sue Stancil at 256–260–3112.

Volunteer Development

Volunteers help people and change lives– in 2005, volunteers contributed more than 21,000 hours of service to individuals assisted through the services of the Partnership. Volunteer opportunities include reading to children, classroom assistance, mentoring, assisting seniors, information and referral, meal preparation and delivery, income tax assistance, clerical activities, writing, research, and other program activities that assist the Partnership with accomplishing its mission and purpose. Individuals looking for opportunity to volunteer in their community should contact Laurie Lincoln at 256–260–3106.

Senior Companions

Seniors, 60 and older, are recruited to provide help in the homes of individuals at risk of having to accept alternative care rather than continue to live in the comfort and familiarity of their homes. They offer light housekeeping, prepare meals, monitor medications, encourage exercise and provide respite care. They enable their clients to maintain their independence. Services are provided in Morgan, Lawrence, and Cullman counties. For more information, contact Tamisha Sales at 256–260–3142.
Meals on Wheels

This program provides a nutritious meal and a brief wellness check each weekday for eligible homebound elderly and/or handicapped adults in Morgan County. One–hundred percent locally funded through support from city and county governments, United Way, churches, individuals, civic and social clubs, various organizations, The Decatur Daily and other area businesses. For more information, contact Cindy Anderson at 256–260–3108.

Family Development Credential Program

The Family Development Credential (FDC) program is an interagency strengths–based professional development course and credentialing program for frontline workers. The program is intended to transform the way health, education and human services are delivered to families with an emphasis on moving systems away from fragmented crisis oriented services to strengths based empowerment service delivery practices. This systematic, comprehensive program of study provides both skill development and a way to identify the “credentialed worker” as one with consistency and professionalism in their work with families. FDC courses are offered through interagency partnerships by community based instructors an portfolio advisors who are trained by the partner agency in that state. For more information, contact Stephanie Johnson at 256–260–3144.

Economic Development

Our CDFI (Community Development Financial Institution) lends funding for asset development and the establishment of micro–enterprise businesses.

Real Estate Loan Program
This loan program provides low–interest loans to low–income individuals needing critical health, safety or code compliance improvements or repairs to their home.
(now taking applications)

Capacity Building/Emergency Loan Program
This loan program provides low–interest loans to low–income individuals needing financial assistance to obtain a job, housing, education, or transportation and can be used for health related issues that cause barriers to employment, housing, or education.
(enrollment is not open at this time)

Small Business Micro–Enterprise Loan Program
This loan program provides funding to small business for asset acquisition, asset development and business start–up capital.
(enrollment is not open at this time)

For more information, contact Richard Lyons at 256–260–3121.
Results Oriented Management and Accountability

Today, Non–Profits are expected to deliver services that are high impact and produce results. The Community Action Partnership offers a two–day learning session that equips participants with the tools and the skill necessary to indentify programmatic outcomes and report their impact. Training areas include identifying outcomes, logic model development, measuring results using an outcome scale, and impact illustration using an outcome matrix. For more information contact Jack Green at 256–260–3128.
Accountable Case Management

The Community Action Partnership offers a one–day learning session that introduces participants to fundamental case management principles and techniques. A unique element of this training session is its close connection to outcome management. This session can be presented in conjunction with the Results Oriented Management and Accountability training session. For more information contact Jack Green at 256–260–3128.

211 Information and Referral

211 is an easy–to–remember, free–to the–user phone number linking people with the services they need. Dialing 211 connects the caller to a specialist who can assess the caller's needs and link the caller to the right solution using a comprehensive database of services – federal, state, and local; government and nonprofit. 211 is for everyone. For more information, contact Laurie Lincoln at 256–355–7843.
Low Income Home Energy Assistance

Assistance on a one–time basis to low income families to meet heating and cooling energy costs and to prevent energy from being terminated in health crisis situations. Funds are paid directly to utility companies and vendors. For more information in Morgan County, contact Cindy Anderson at 256–355–7843; in Lawrence County, contact Jennifer Kelley at 256–974–9026, and in Cullman County, contact Robin Johnson at 256–734–5170.
Operation Warm

A limited area energy program that provides assistance on a one time basis to persons who are elderly, handicapped, or in health crisis situations. Funding is provided by residents of Morgan and Lawrence counties through donation of $1.00 or more above their monthly bills. For more information in Morgan County, contact Cindy Anderson at 256–355–7843; and in Lawrence County, contact Jennifer Kelley at 256–974–9026.

Location: Morgan and Lawrence Counties
Operation SHARE

Operation SHARE is a limited area energy program created by the Cullman Power Board and the Cullman Electric Cooperative, in conjunction with the American Red Cross, that provides energy assistance to persons in the Cullman Power Board and the Cullman Electric Cooperative service area who are elderly, disabled, or needy. Funding is provided by Cullman Power Board and the Cullman Electric Cooperative service area residents that designate and contribute $1, $2 or $5 each month on their electric bill. For more information contact Robin Johnson at 256–734–5170.

Location: Cullman County
FEMA – Emergency Food & Shelter

Morgan County Food and/or mortgage/rent assistance to individuals in Morgan County who at risk of becoming homeless because of a mortgage foreclosure or eviction notice. For at–risk individuals in Cullman County, food and/or utility assistance is available. For more information about the FEMA program in Morgan County, contact Sue Stancil at 256–355–7843 and in Cullman County, contact Robin Johnson at 256–734–5170.

Locations: Morgan and Cullman Counties
Alabama Charitable Trust Fund – Utility Assistance

The nonprofit Alabama Business Charitable Trust Fund Trust was created by Alabama Power in 1992 to supplement other energy assistance efforts. The Trust works with community action agencies to help cover heating and cooling costs of low–income families and those struggling with temporary financial problems. For more information, contact Jennifer Kelley at 256–974–9026.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, Loans, Low Interest Loans; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Senior/ Elderly Services
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Ending Extreme Poverty; Homelessness Relief Services; Meals on Wheels
Updated Apr 30, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8058

Alabama Institute for Deaf & Blind

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Service
Dothan Regional Center; 111 Medical Drive, Dothan, AL 36303

Phone 334–677–6270 (voice/TDD – listed on website)
Web www.aidb.org
Serves Houston, Barbour, Henry, Dale, Coffee, Geneva, Covington Counties, AL
Service Temporary

This center covers Houston, Barbour, Henry, Dale, Coffee, Geneva and Covington Counties. Most of our services are free to residents of Alabama who have a diagnosed vision or hearing loss of at least 25%, and for children with a diagnosed developmental delay.

Language Interpreters (American Sign Language), Assistance individuals or agencies serving blind, low vision, deaf, or hard of hearing; Assistance devices such as magnifiers, listening devices, ASL, Braille

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Demographic Served: Special Needs; Interpretors, American Sign Language; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services);

Services, Special Needs, Services for People with Special Needs
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Jan 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1250

United Way, Wiregrass United Way

Walk–in Resource · Open

United Way
PO Box 405; 304 N. Foster St., Dothan, AL 36302
Phone 334–792–9661
Web www.wuw.org

Services offered: Management, Volunteer Coordination Services
Campaigns: United Way
Updated Mar 17, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1183

Wiregrass Rehabilitation Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit
PO Box 338; 795 Ross Clark Circle, Dothan, AL 36303
Phone 334–308–1740

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Transportation, Transportation Assistance, Volunteer
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Mar 14, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1229

American Cancer Resource Center/Senior Games & Active Advantage

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit
201 Pinehurst Drive, Enterprise, AL 36330
Phone 334–347–2995

Donated Goods & Clothing, General Family Assistance,
Language Interpreters (Spanish)

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Translators, Spanish/English, Volunteers
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Mar 13, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1249

Christ the King Lutheran Church: see "Alabama Volunteer Reception Center" facility

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Church
208 East Watts, Enterprise, AL
Service Temporary

Update release from the LCMS World Relief and Humac Care website at:

http://www.lcms.org/pages/internal.asp?NavID=11428

Anyone who is in need of recovery assistance is asked to contact Rev. Dave Buss at 225–205–1639. He is currently in Enterprise, Alabama, with a response team from New Orleans. A team of 7 arrived last night equipped with a Bobcat, ATV, and 7 chain saws. This morning they helped secure Christ The King Lutheran Church (CTK) which is located two blocks from the high school that has been featured on the news. They have moved to the city's staging area to join other volunteers. If you would like to join them please contact them at the above number. All members of CTK have been contacted by Pastor Endrihs. They are safe and their homes (even those in the most affected areas) did not suffer any major damage. The church had a small portion of its metal roof peeled away, some vinyl siding removed, and one window broken. We will share any other updates as we hear them. Please continue to pray for the pastor and members of Christ The King and for those who are answer the call to share the love we have received from Jesus Christ to those in need.

The local LCMS congregation, Christ the King, suffered some damage, but is serving as a staging area for disaster relief teams headed by Rev. Dave Buss, Southern District disaster relief coordinator. The church is near the high school and the hospital. A volunteer team from Camp Restore (New Orleans) arrived Friday morning with Rev. Buss, and is assessing the situation to determine how the existing needs can be met. Your prayers and financial contributions will help this effort. The need for further volunteer assistance is being evaluated.

Rev. Glenn Merritt, LCMS director of disaster response, is in contact with Southern District President Kurt Schultz, and has offered the full assistance of LCMS World Relief and Human Care to the Southern District, affected congregations and individuals as needs are determined.

Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado

Updated Apr 28, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1179

Christian Mission Centers, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit, Faith–Based, Humanitarian/Community Outreach

Corporate Office; 481 Geneva Hwy, Enterprise, AL 36330

Phone 334–393–2607
Web christmissions.com
Service Temporary

Services:

Bible Clubs/Sunday School
Development Department with Staff
Volunteer Coordinator
Prepared Meals Served
Recycling Program
Residential Program for Parolees
Regular Jail Bible Studies – Worship

Hot Meals for the Homebound:

Since 1984, the Christian Mission Center has been involved with preparing and delivering nutritious, home cooked meals twice a week to those who are homebound.

On–Site Meals:

Our cooks also prepare three meals a day, seven days a week for walk–ins and our shelter residents (See website for schedule).

Bagged Groceries:

Clients who qualify are given a generous supply of food from our large pantry. Individual needs are taken into consideration and when necessary, some training is provided on how to put the items together for a nutritious meal. Pantry foods are provided through the donations of individuals, corporations, and local organizations; an annual food drive by the Boy Scouts, food drive collections by the Post Office, and canned or boxed foods purchased in bulk from the USDA Food Bank. We use recycled paper and plastic bags for this ministry.

Emergency Assistance Programs:

–FOOD for anyone in need.
–Assistance with UTILITY BILLS that involve a disconnect notice.
–RENT or MORTGAGE assistance when individuals are facing eviction.
–SHELTER for individuals or families who are homeless.
–MEDICATION for life threatening medical conditions for those unable to pay.
–TRANSPORTATION such as bus tickets or gasoline vouchers for individuals and families who need assistance traveling out of town

to hospitals, funerals, and other emergencies.
–CLOTHING vouchers for individuals and families to be used for shopping at the Christian Mission Bargain Center.
–HOUSEHOLD ITEMS such as dishes, linens, furniture, appliances, etc.
–CANES, WALKERS, and MEDICAL BEDS for anyone in need.

VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME:

The opportunities are numerous and the work is very rewarding. Each volunteer gets a complete tour of the behind the scenes operations and goes through a formal training period.

DONATIONS:

Donations of Items to include clothing, furniture, appliances, household items, automobiles, land or other property, and miscellaneous items.

Donated clothing and other goods are also tax deductible and a receipt should be requested at the time and location where goods are donated.

Donations of clothing and other goods may be delivered directly to the rear of the Store in Enterprise where they can be processed, or to the Store Manager at any of the other locations.

Pick ups for large items of large donations may be arranged by calling our in advance our main office.

There are also white wooden drop boxes bearing the mission name located in convenient locations throughout the community where smaller items may be placed at any time.

Christian Mission Bargain Centers (Stores):

Enterprise
307 North Main Street
Enterprise, AL 36330
334.393.4471

Elba
342 North Court Street
Elba, AL 36323
334.897.6693

Geneva
601 East Town Avenue
Geneva, AL 36340
334.684.7756

Troy
200 South Market Street
Troy, AL 36081
334.670.0056

Services offered: Building Materials / Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Furniture, Furniture Bank; Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, For Homeless Residents; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Canes, Walking Canes; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Devices * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Walker; Medical, Equipment, Furniture, Bed, Hospital Bed; Services, Emergency Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Thrift Store; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Bus Tokens; Vouchers, Clothing Vouchers; Vouchers, Gas Vouchers
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Jun 9, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1226

Coffee County Family Services Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
PO Box 311231, Enterprise, AL 36330

Phone 334–393–8538

Services offered: Advocacy, Volunteer, Resource Referrals; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Spiritual
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Mar 20, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1255

College Avenue Church of Christ

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Church
211 W. College Avenue; PO Box 311470, Enterprise, AL 36330
Phone 334–406–1200 or 334–347–8917
Service Temporary

This site serves as a standby Coffee County Red Cross Chapter Emergency Shelter with a capacity of up to 50 people

Individuals must be assessed and apply with a form through
this church for bedding and large appliances.

Services offered: Appliances, Large, * Household (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Spiritual; Linens, Bedding, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Apr 28, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1215

Enterprise Career Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
PO Box 311265; 2021 Boil Weevil Circle, Enterprise, AL 36331
Phone 334–393–3782 / FAX is: 334–308–2325

Access to: Internet, phone, copier, & FAX

Services offered: Services, Tech, Copy Machine "Access" (to USE to make copies); Services, Tech, Fax Access (to USE a fax machine); Services, Tech, Internet Access; Services, Tech, Phone Access
Updated Mar 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1243

Enterprise Senior Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
PO Box 31000, Enterprise, AL 36331
Service Temporary

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facilities: Senior Center; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation, Ride Service (FREE or Sliding Scale)
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Jan 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1276

Good Samaritan Helping Hands

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
108 North Main Street, Enterprise, AL 36360
Web www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=345900386557
Service Temporary

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated May 21, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1282

Independent Counseling & Assessment Services

Walk–in Resource

Community
1275 James Drive, Suite A, Enterprise, AL 36330
Phone (334) 308–1940 / Fax: (334) 308–1942
Web www.icasinc.com
Hours Monday–Thursday, 8am–6pm Friday 8 am–5pm

Independent Counseling & Assessment Services, Inc. is proud to serve the mental health needs of the Wiregrass area. Our office is part of the Enterprise Behavioral Health Services affiliation of mental health providers. If you have any questions about our services please feel free to contact us.

EMAIL: admin@icasinc.com
(334) 308–1940 / Fax: (334) 308–1942

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling)
Updated Mar 14, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1264

John's Chapel AME Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
PO Box 311015; 841 Geneva Highway, Enterprise, AL 36331

Phone 334 393 2661, Pastor Tony Scott, Dianne Durdin, Secretary
Web www.southconference.com/OD/JohnsChapel.html
Service Temporary

Carolyn from Tri–Coastal brought down a truckload.

Baptist Hill

Donated Goods & Clothing, Food Vouchers, Food Pantry, Congregate Feeding, Spiritual Care

Services offered: Baby, Baby Bottle Nipples ; Baby, Baby Formula; Baby, Baby Wipes ; Buckets * (ANY/ALL Types); Cleaning, Cleaner, All Purpose Cleaner; Cleaning, Cleaner, Toilet Cleaner; Cleaning, Cleaner, Windex; Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Cleaning, Supplies, Brushes, Toilet Brushes; Cleanup, Equipment, Brooms * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Coats/Jackets, New or Gently Used/CLEAN * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Diapers (Size 3); Diapers (Size 4); Diapers (Size 6); Eyewear, Protective Eyewear (Also See Goggles); Food, Baby Food, Juice (cases); Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food, Canned, * (Institutional Sized Cans (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Canned, Meals, Spaghetti Sauce; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Drinks, Soda, Seltzer Water; Food, Drinks, Sports Drinks ** (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Dry, * Dry Food Goods (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food, Dry, Pasta; Hair, Shampoo ; * KITS, BABY SUPPLY KITS, NEW Items ONLY; * KITS, TOILETRY/COMFORT KIT, NEW Items ONLY; Linens, Bedding, Blankets, NEW ONLY; Medical, Supplies, Gloves, Disposable, Latex; Medical, Supplies, Shoe Covers; Mops * (ANY/ALL Types); OTC, Medicine, Antacid, (Pepcid, Tums, Rolaids, etc.); Paper, Napkins; Paper, Paper Towels (Rolls); Safety Glasses (Also see 'Goggles'); Shoes, NEW; Soap * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries, Wipes, HandiWipes ; Vouchers, Food Vouchers; Water, Baby, Baby Water (For Infants)
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated May 31, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1231

Love In Action Ministries, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Non–Profit
300 Faye Street, Enterprise, AL 36330

Phone 334–389–0905
Web www.loveinactionministries.com
Checks payable to Love In Action, Inc.

Love In Action Ministries' hometown of Enterprise, Ala., was devastated Thursday afternoon when an F–3 tornado ripped through this city of 22,000, killing eight teenagers at the local high school and one elderly woman who was in her house at the time the storm hit. The destruction is widespread, effecting thousands of people. Here are the stats: 712 homes in Enterprise were affected by the storm; 161 homes were destroyed; 202 homes suffered “major devastation”, 214 homes had minor damage and 139 homes were affected in some way.

Love In Action is of course on the ground helping the people of our community, but we desperately need your help. The people in need are begging for the following: hamburgers and buns, ice (they have plenty of water), and toiletries. Nonperishable food that’s quick and easy to prepare; paper plates, paper napkins, plastic forks, spoons and knives.

The contact person is: Love In Action President Mike Shroades.

If you are mailing supplies, you can ship them to:

Mike Shroades
300 Faye Street, Enterprise,
AL 36330.

If you can make financial contributions, send your tax–deductible donation to:

Love In Action International Ministries,
P.O. Box 310131,
Enterprise, AL 36331

We will use the money to purchase these needs. We are an entirely volunteer nonprofit organization, so all of your donations will go to this outreach.

The Love In Action team is fine. We're all safe. Martha Tuck was at work when the storm hit and the tornado hit her place of work, but thankfully she is just fine. Mike and his daughter Brooke and Justin Swasey were at the high school when the tornado hit it, but thankfully they are all fine.

We need your help. The city of Enterprise need your help. Please help us reach the people in our hometown through acts of compassion, showing them the love, grace, mercy and compassion of Jesus Christ.

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Counseling, Spiritual; Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Training Classes, Construction Skills Training
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Apr 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1247

Republican Women of Coffee County

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Club
1919 East Park Avenue, Enterprise, AL 36330
Phone 334–393–8244 / FAX is: 334–393–8244
Web users.adelphia.net/~rwcc
Service Temporary

2007 Enterprise Tornado Response:

Mgmt. of Volunteers, Food Pantry (fed city employees)

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Management, Volunteer Coordination Services
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated May 2, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1239

Salvation Army

Walk–in Resource · Open

1919 East Park Avenue, Enterprise, AL 36330

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Counseling, Spiritual; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Vouchers, Food Vouchers
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado; Salvation Army
Updated Mar 15, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1283

Salvation Army Service Center (Enterprise)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
810 Glover Avenue, Enterprise, AL
Phone 334–393–1351
Hours Mon.,, Tues. & Thurs 10–7 Wed. & Fri. 10–4 Sat. 9–1 Closed Sun.

Here is the information Bill Feist shared about the Salvation Army Service Center opening in Enterprise on Monday, March 19, 2007.

Products available: in–kind donations, LIMITED financial assistance

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters
Campaigns: Salvation Army
Updated May 2, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1389

SHELTER, First Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith–Based, Disaster Recovery, Red Cross
302 North Main Street, Enterprise, AL 36330

Phone 334–393–5683
Web www.firstbaptistenterpriseal.homestead.com
Hours M–Thurs. 8–5 & Fri. 8–4 CST
Serves Coffee County
Checks payable to First Baptist Church ("Disaster Relief" in the memo field please)
Service Temporary

This church is a standby Red Cross shelter with a capacity of up to 200 people
per the Red Cross Coffee County Chapter website: http://www.coffeecountyredcross.org/redcrossshelters.html

Monetary donations can be made through First Baptist Church.
Please make checks payable to First Baptist Church and put
"Disaster Relief" in the memo space.

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Construction, Skilled Labor, Volunteer; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Family, Children, Emergency Child Care; Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Translators, Spanish/English, Volunteers; Transportation, Transportation Assistance, Volunteer; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: American Red Cross
Updated Apr 28, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1277

Army Community Service (Fort Rucker)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Military
Bldg 5700; NOVOSEL, Room 390, Fort Rucker, AL 36362

Phone See Notes
Web www.united–publishers.com/rucker/community.html

Bldg. 5700, Room 390, Monday–Friday; 0730–1615

Information and Referral Program: 334 255–3817

–Information on military and community resources
–Client referrals
–ACS events calendar and quarterly bulletin

Army Emergency Relief: 334 255–2341

–Private non–profit organization
–Financial assistance for emergency financial needs
–Assistance given as interest–free loans, grants, or part loan and part
grant
–Scholarship program for dependent children.

Military ID Card Holders ONLY (to include DOD Civilians) Assistance

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Volunteer, Resource Referrals; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Government, US, Military, Armed Forces; Government, US Military, Army; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, Children, Emergency Child Care; Vouchers, Food Vouchers
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Apr 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1258

Fultondale United Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Church: Disaster Relief/Recovery
1812 Stouts Rd1–7631, Fultondale, AL 35068

Phone ?? 205–841–7461
Service Temporary

Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; United Methodist Church
Updated Jun 22, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8623

Gardendale Mr. Vernon Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

805 Crest Drive, Gardendale, AL 35071

Phone (205) 631–7631
Web www.gmvumc.org
Service Temporary

OUTREACH
http://www.gmvumc.org/outreach.php

The mission of an early response team is to provide a caring presence in the aftermath of a disaster, under very specific guidelines that enable a team to be productive and caring while causing no further harm or being a burden to the affected community. Classes are taught by "authorized" UMCOR trainers, and team members are given ID badges as evidence of training. Topics covered in the class include the who, what, when, where and how of doing ministry, as well as hands on experience in the specific tasks that early responders are expected to accomplish. Re–certification classes for Early Response Team Members are also available.

WHEN: June 25, 8AM–4PM

WHERE: Gardendale–Mt. Vernon UMC

COST: $35 per person*

*$35 is the price agreed upon with UMCOR for church members. Interested persons who are not church members should contact Jenn Bryant regarding the cost for them to participate.

FACEBOOK –
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Gardendale–Mt–Vernon–United–Methodist–Church/79357678243

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Bulk Distribution; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction)
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated Jun 22, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8624

Hackleburg Cooking and Volunteer Tent Needs (Food4Disasters.org)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Our Office is located at:; Food4Disasters.org; Leesburg Alabama, 35983; 736 Culpepper Street, Hackleburg, AL

Phone Call 256–613–5960 for information needed for a post or delivery scheduling OR 1–800–390–6241
Web food4disasters.org
Service Temporary

VOLUNTEERS –
http://food4disasters.org/?q=node/10

NEEDS LISTED –
http://food4disasters.org/?q=node/26

FACEBOOK –
https://www.facebook.com/NEAEFR

Services offered: Food, Distribution, Field Kitchen; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated Jun 10, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7996

POD – Storehouse Distribution Center (DISTRIBUTE Supplies – see notes)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Old Indies Plant; 8741 State Hwy. 172, Hackleburg, AL 35564

Web www.hackleburghelpinghands.com/?p=190
Hours 1 PM to 6 PM Monday through Saturday and 1 PM to 4 PM on Sunday
Serves Hackleburg, Hodges, and Shiloh
Service Temporary

OFFICIAL RELEASE: Hackleburg Distribution Change
May 18, 2011
http://www.hackleburghelpinghands.com/?p=190

Starting today, Wednesday May 18th, the local Hackleburg Ministerial Association is proud to assist in distribution of food supplies at the Indies Plant in Hackleburg. The local Indies plant is the Distribution Pick Up location were citizens can come to pick up any needed supplies, it is not a drop off location.

A few points to know in the process:

1– ALL supplies that are to be delievered for the purpose of helping the people of Hackleburg MUST go to the warehouse located at 800 Bexar Avenue East Hamilton, AL 35570

2– For the citizens of Hackleburg who are coming to pick up items at Indies– be prepared to proof your residency, having a FEMA Number would be helpful. FEMA can be contacted by phone, internet, or in person at the Indies Plant. The purpose of this is to ensure that the supplies are going to those in need and from the Hackleburg area.

3– The Food Distribution at the Indies Plant located at 8741 State Hwy. 172 Hackleburg, AL 35564 will operate from 1 PM to 6 PM Monday through Saturday and 1 PM to 4 PM on Sunday.

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You can email us for any questions at info @ HackleburgHelpingHands.com

FACEBOOK –
http://www.hackleburghelpinghands.com/?p=222&share=facebook
(needs list on record) CONTACT directly for current needs
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8299

Services offered: Facilities: Laundry Facilities (For Disaster Survivors); Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To)
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated Jun 11, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8582

Smithville Church of Christ (FEEDING) – 2011 AL Tornadoes

Walk–in Resource · Open

MS CHURCH ADDR: 60657 Smithville Road, Smithville, MS, 38870, Hackleburg, AL

Phone (662) 315–6757 or (662) 651–4554
Web smithville.monroecountyweb.com/directory/centers–by–city/smithville/smithville–church–of–christ–serving–hackleburg–al
Serves Hackleburg, AL – Marion County
Service Temporary

FROM THE HELP SMITHVILLE SITE:

Monday, May 9, 2011 @ 3:41 PM (CDT)
Per a phone call with BILL STEVERSON, THE CHURCH is in need of the following items:

* Styrofoam dessert bowls
* Manual can openers
* Coffee (ground or instant)
* Sugar, Splenda, Sweet 'n Low, Equal (individual packets would be best)
* Shovels
* Rakes
* Seed forks
* Sleeping bags
* 2–burner propane camping stoves and fuel (like this http://www.walmart.com/ip/Coleman–Matchlight–2–Burner–Propane–Stove/895629)
* Propane lanterns & fuel (like this http://www.walmart.com/ip/Coleman–Quickpack–Lantern–With–Case/13848594)
* Fish cookers with pots (to put canned goods into to make meals)

They are helping to feed the residents and volunteers (about 350) in and around Hackleburg AL.

60657 Smithville Road, Smithville, MS, 38870
(662) 315–6757
(662) 651–4554

See MS CCC facility record for Smithville, MS operations at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8222

Services offered: Meals, Cooked Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Mississippi Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8364

Reins of Life Disaster Relief (FACEBOOK)

Walk–in Resource · Open

481 Military St. South, Suite #3, Hamilton, AL 35570

Phone 205–546–0955
Web www.facebook.com/ReinsofLifeDisasterRelief
Service Temporary

FACEBOOK Post –

Sept. 16, 2011:
Reins of Life Disaster Relief
the reins of life is still needing supplies.. we only have a half pallet of water,,, low on caned goods and need cleaning supplies and size 4,5,and 6 diapers. we are about to relocate to a new building due to lack of funds.,, please help if you can and please repost this message
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated Sep 16, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8954

Morgan Baptist Project Care – (The Caring Place and Morgan Baptist Association)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
1410 State Street, Hartselle, AL 35640

Phone	(256) 773–7922
Web	MorganBaptist.com
Hours	Wednesdays 9am–2pm
Serves	Mogan County
Eligibility	Disaster victims or low income families.
Bring	Picture ID and social security cards for all family members and proof of residency.
Checks payable to	Morgan Baptist Project Care
Service	Permanent

6/22/11: The Caring Place is a walkin facility (food, clothing and Hygiene closet) open on Weds from 9am–2pm. Requirements listed above. The Morgan Baptist Assoc. also has a Disaster Relief Team that does debris removal (chainsaw team) and feeding. At this point they are only feeding volunteers. Lpar

FACEBOOK POST:
https://www.facebook.com/pages/Morgan–Baptist–Association/141461199231881

Morgan Baptist Association
The Caring Place is providing help:
Canned food, water, diapers, etc.

DONATIONS NEEDED: can openers, large grab bags, paper towels, hygiene products, water, diapers.

The Methodist Relief Warehouse (3220 Hwy. 31 South in Decatur 341–9961) is going ful blast – they need volunteers to help in organization and distribution (Youth groups are great!).

May 3 at 7:17a

Source: http://www.211connectsalabama.org/MatchList.aspx?c;;0;;;0;7973;Disaster%20Services;Donations%20Information;211;Disaster%20Related%20Goods%20Donations%20Management

(256) 773–1654 FAX

Description:Assisting both individuals and families in crisis situations with emergency short–term food, clothing, household goods, cleaning supplies and furniture in natural and man–made disasters

Services:Disaster Related Goods Donations Management

another website –
http://morganassociation.web.officelive.com/default.aspx
(256) 773–5243
Office Hours
Monday–Friday
8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

LIST of churches –
http://morganassociation.web.officelive.com/Churches.aspx

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Directories, Directory of Churches; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); * KITS, HYGIENE KITS
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Southern Baptist Convention Disaster Relief; Southern Baptist Disaster Relief; UMCOR Relief Network
Updated Jun 22, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7978

Hueytown Church of God

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Church: Disaster Relief/Recovery
1515 Hueytown Road, Hueytown, AL

Phone 205–491–2124
Service Temporary

TOWN website –
http://www.hueytown.org/index.html
Churches –
http://www.hueytownchamber.com/community/churches.php
Chamber of Commerce–
http://www.hueytownchamber.com/

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Bulk Distribution; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated Jun 22, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8625

Family Services Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Private
600 St. Clair, Building 3, Huntsville, AL 35801
Phone (256) 551–1610
Web www.fsc–hsv.org
Service Temporary

FACRBOOK: http://www.facebook.com/pages/Family–Services–Center/76966629200

Services offered: Counseling, Consumer Credit Counseling; Counseling, Mental Health, Sliding Scale; Financial Assistance, Loans, Car Purchase/Car Repairs; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Mental Health Services; Services, Domestic Violence Intervention Services; Services, Financial, Tax Filing Assistance; Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/Alcohology) ; Training Classes, Child Development (learning to teach kids); Training Classes, Education, 1st Time Home Buyer Education; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; United Way
Updated May 21, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1371

Jacksonville State University – Pete Mathews Coliseum (SHOWER FACILITIES FOR VOLUNTEERS/SURVIVORS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

700 N. Pelham Road, Jacksonville, AL 36265
Phone 256–782–5050 after hours
Hours 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Serves Calhoun Co. AL
Service Temporary

Coliseum Showers Available for Storm Victims

* The Pete Mathews Coliseum will be open to disaster affected residents or volunteers needing a shower. Towels and toiletries will be provided if you need them. (Please bring your own, if you have them.) The Coliseum is open during working hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If you need o gain access after hours, you may contact the JSU Police Department at –256–782–5050.

Services offered: Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Facilities: Shower Facilities for Volunteers
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8344

Children Of The Village Network

Walk–in Resource

Social Services
104 Hospital Dr, Livingston, AL 35470
Phone (205) 392–4495
Service Temporary

Services offered: Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Updated May 21, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7868

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Walk–in Resource · Open

Social Services
106 Hospital Dr, Livingston, AL 35470
Phone (205) 652–6408
Service Temporary

Services offered: Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Updated Apr 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7867

Sumter County Opportunity Inc

Walk–in Resource · Open

Social Services
US Hwy 11 N, Livingston, AL 35470
Phone (205) 652–4477
Service Temporary

Services offered: Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7866

Catholic Social Services – Archdiocese of Mobile

Walk–in Resource · Open

Mailing Address; PO Box 759; Mobile, AL 36601; Physical Address; 400 Government St.; Mobile AL 36601, Mobile, AL 36602
Phone (251) 434–1550
Web www.catholicsocialservicesmobile.com
Service Temporary

SAVE THE DATE

5th Annual Wine Festival at 5 Rivers

Thursday October 20, 2011

At 5 Rivers Delta Resource on the Causeway

A fund raising event for Catholic Social Services Service Center

Last Updated on Friday, 29 April 2011 08:28

2010 Oil Spill

6/24/10 Sitrep

Mobile:

The current area of focus is Bayou La Batre, where the Mayor has included Catholic Social Services Mobile in a $100,000 grant proposal to provide community services. Boat People SOS are working is Bayou La Batre, specifically serving the needs of the Vietnamese population. Another focus is Dolphin Island, where CC/Mobile received a grant from Alabama Power to provide the 1,300 resident with utility, rental, and mortgage assistance—where, to date, 30% (approximately 1,590 individuals) are in need of assistance). CC/USA staff have been deployed to Mobile to conduct an needs assessment with Mobile, Alabama staff. In collaboration with the United Way, Catholic Charities distributed 10,000 pounds of food to 230 families in 1 day.

For services in Mobile County, contact John Wilson at (251) 434–1550 or jwilson @ cssmobile.org

http://www.projectrebound.org/Home_Page.html

Direct Aid
Many families struggle because of losing jobs, fires, and other hardships. We are able to assist them with payment on utility bills, food, clothing, and medications with the following major illness categories: Asthma, Hypertension, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Mental Illness, Seizures, and Cholesterol.
Services are limited to available funding.

Clients may call for an appointment on Tuesday or Thursday morning at 8:30 a.m.

Thrift Store

Shoppers at CSS Thrift Store enjoy low prices and quality merchandise. Store hours are 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

Donations of clothes, linens, furniture and household items are received 5 days a week. Donations are categorized and examined for damage then priced by volunteers. Thrift Store Volunteers contribute over 280 hours of service each month.

Direct Aid supplies CSS Thrift Store vouchers for people in need of clothes and household items.

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Clothing Vouchers
Campaigns: 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; Catholic Charities Social Services; Feed The Children
Updated Jul 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6009

Kali's Disaster Recovery Center Of Mobile, Alabama

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
Mobile, AL 36582
Serves Coastal Gulf areas.. bayou la batra, theodore, holligers island

Service Temporary

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Updated Jan 10, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3517

Service Center of Catholic Social Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

555 Dauphin Street, Mobile, AL 36602

Phone (251) 434–1500
Hours Mon – Fri 9:00 am – 4:00pm
Bring http://www.servicecentercss.org/wt/client/v2/story/WT_Story.cfm?SecKey=163
Service Temporary

SERVICES

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE
COMMUNITY REFERRALS
OZANAM CHARITABLE PHARMACY
OTHER SERVICES

Closed Noon–1:00 PM each day for lunch

Appts. can be made by calling (251)434–1500 or by coming into the center at 555 Dauphin St. Requests for assistance must be made in person at The Service Center. Emails to set up appointments or ask for assistance will not be answered.

How you can help:
http://www.servicecentercss.org/wt/client/v2/story/WT_Story.cfm?SecKey=165

The Service Center is on Facebook!
http://www.facebook.com/pages/The–Service–Center–of–Catholic–Social–Services/124112017609649?ref=ts

Donations of goods can be brought to the Service Center at 555 Dauphin St. in downtown Mobile. Parking is available in our parking lot located behind the building. To arrange for pickup of larger items such as furniture, call 434–1510.

VOLUNTEER SERVICE
Volunteer opportunities include: sorting clothing, building maintenance, furniture repair, computer expertise, Angel Tree and other special programs, clerical assistance, and home repairs for needy clients.
To volunteer: Contact Jamie Landry at Volunteercoord @ mobilecss.org or 434–1510

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Thrift Store; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Catholic Charities Social Services
Updated Jun 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8573

Montgomery Catholic Preparatory School

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based School
5650 Vaughn Road, Montgomery, AL 36116

Web www.knights.pvt.k12.al.us
Service Temporary

Services offered: Cleanup, Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Translators, Spanish/English, Volunteers
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1265

Bethel Baptist Church (COUNSELING) – 2011 AL Tornadoes

Walk–in Resource · Open

Moody, AL

Phone 205–640–3226
Hours Tuesdays
Service Temporary

* Bethel Baptist Church in Moody is offering counseling on Tuesdays. Call 205–640–6553 or 205–640–3226.

Services offered: Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Bulk Distribution; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies (Distribution To Org's Supporting Disaster Efforts); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8357

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
48 County Road 256, New Brockton, AL 36351
Serves Coffee & Dale Counties
Service Temporary

Services offered: Counseling, Spiritual; Translators, Spanish/English, Volunteers
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated May 31, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1337

Coffee County Baptist Association

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
PO Box 127; 603 McKinnon Street, New Brockton, AL 36351
Web ccbacenter.org/templates/System/default.asp?id=19762
Checks payable to Coffee County Baptist Association
Service Temporary

Disaster Relief

Help for Our Neighbors
Thanks to many people from near and far, great things have been accomplished through the office of Coffee Baptist Association in regards to Disaster Relief. So much has been done to help feed people, repair buildings, deliver food, and try to meet the needs of victims of the March 1st tornado.

Rev. Cliff Quincey and the members of New Home, Dr. Tony Dye and the members of Bethany, along with Rev. B.P. McCollough and Mr. Dean Craig are building a new home for Mrs. Alberta Bass. Mrs. Alberta's West Watts Avenue home had to be demolished and removed as a result of damage from the tornado.

Rev. John McCrummen and Open Door members are rebuilding a business for Mr. Patrick Kelley. His business was also destroyed in the tornado.

Our hearts rejoice when we think of the many people who truly show a servant's heart to the people in our area who are in need.

Coffee Baptist Association consists of 50 Southern Baptist congregations. Each church is autonomous in government under the lordship of Christ, associated in a fellowship working together to serve mutual needs, to minister in Christ's name, and to reach people for the Lord. About half of the county's population are connected to CCBA churches.

The Coffee County Baptist Association was formed in 1908 when the Pea River Association (1877) and the Haw Ridge Association (1889) merged. Actually, both associations already had changed their names and were known as Coffee Baptist Association, Coffee County Association, or Coffee County Baptist Association.

Services offered: Advocacy, Volunteer, Resource Referrals; Construction, Home Builder, Volunteer; Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer; Construction, Skilled Labor, Volunteer; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Mobile Meals; Services, Family, Children, Emergency Child Care; Tutor, Tutoring, Volunteer; Volunteer, Child Care
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Apr 28, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1253

West Concord Church of Christ

Walk–in Resource · Open

7587 Lock 17 Road, Pleasant Grove, AL
Hours Monday–Saturday from 10:00 to 4:00
Service Temporary

Facebook Post by:
Katrina's Angels
6/28/11 9:18am
West Concord Church of Christ 7587 Lock 17 Road will be open Monday–Saturday from 10:00 to 4:00. We still have cleaning supplies, plenty of good sorted clothing for children, women and men. We also still have plenty of baby food and formula,

diapers, clothing and other baby needs. Call 491–7990 or 491–5610 for more information. God loves you and so do we.
Updated Jun 28, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8703

Westwood Baptist

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church: Disaster Relief/Recovery
2349 Forestdale Blvd., Pratt City, AL
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Operation Blessing
Updated Jun 16, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8618

Ray's Computer (FREE INTERNET ACCESS) – 2011 AL Tornadoes

Walk–in Resource · Open

515 Sutton Bridge Rd., Rainbow City, AL 35906
Phone (256) 442–2007
Web www.rayscomputersgadsden.com
Service Temporary

Rainbow City: Ray's Computer is offering free internet for whoever needs it. Ray's Computer is located at 515 Sutton Bridge Rd in Rainbow City, Al 35906. Phone numebr: 256–442–2007

Services offered: Services, Tech, Internet Access
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8345

Bosco Food Kitchen (Edmundite Missions)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
1006 Union Street, Selma, AL 36701
Phone 334–874–9053
Web www.edmunditemissions.org/default.asp

Bosco Food Kitchen, Selma, serves hot meals every day,
365 days a year, to as many as 350 people a day. Mary Ann Gayle,
Director, 334–874–9053.

The Edmundite Missions serve people living in central Alabama, called the Black Belt, for its rich soil and agricultural heritage. It is the poorest region of the state. Per–capita income in Black Belt counties averaged $15,000 in the 1990s, compared to $20,000 for the rest of the state.

SEE: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1301

ALSO WHAT WE DO:

**Food Kitchens and Food Pantries –
Nutrition Centers, house deliveries etc.

**Health Care –
The Missions work alongside Sisters, who serve the poor and uninsured in rural health care. Outreach ministers in five communities help pay for medicine and doctor fees and provide transportation to specialists.

Catholic Social Ministry, Selma, provides health care services to homebound seniors and assists the poor in obtaining medical services with prescription assistance, doctor fees and transportation to specialists in Montgomery and Birmingham. The Ministry also supervises free monthly blood pressure screenings at the Bosco Food Kitchen.

**Housing & clothing –
housing repairs provided to poor families and frail elders in communities of rural Alabama served by the Missions.

**Elder Care –
provides special programs for seniors in each community it serves. Outreach workers in rural communities also make house calls, visit the sick, provide food and medicine, and help meet needs for seniors to stay in their homes.

**Education –
Believing youth is the future, Edmundite Missions provide scholarships each year to qualifying young men and women to pursue a college education.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Sep 7, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1302

Edmundite Missions Corps

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
1423 Broad Street, Selma, AL 36701
Phone (334) 872–2359 / Fax: (334) 875–8189
Web www.edmunditemissions.org/default.asp
Service Temporary

The Edmundite Missions serve people living in central Alabama, called the Black Belt, for its rich soil and agricultural heritage. It is the poorest region of the state.

The Black Belt region area includes four of the primary counties the Edmundites serve:

Dallas
Wilcox
Perry
Lowndes
Monroe

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Building communities from within, Edmundite Missions train and employ local people in its ministries and provide educational opportunities to children, teens and adults through its learning centers, job training and scholarship programs.

The Edmundite Missions feed the hungry every day, 365 days a year.

Bosco Food Kitchen, Selma, serves hot meals every day, 365 days a year, to as many as 350 people a day. Mary Ann Gayle, Director: 334–874–9053.

Ana Maria Food Kitchen, eastern Wilcox County, serves hot meals to the poor, the working poor, the homebound and those who are sick. Ana Maria Food Pantry, Pine Apple, provides grocery bags of nutritious food to over 500 families and seniors a month. Doris Smith, Director: 251–746–2648.

Pine Apple Community Center provides monthly food boxes to families and seniors in crisis. Mildred Boulware, Director:251–746–2552.

Good Shepherd Catholic Center, Lowndes County, sponsors a monthly food box program of over 200 boxes for needy families through area churches and 80 food boxes for seniors. It sponsors a Mobile Food Pantry four times a year that distributes 10,000 pounds of fresh food to qualifying community residents. Sister Ann Chaput, B.V.M., Director: 334–563–9139.

All Saints Interfaith Center for Concern, Anniston, distributes groceries to poor families each week. Sister Mary Roy, D.H.S., Director: 56–236–7793.

Catholic Social Ministries, Selma, participates in a monthly brown bg program with the local food bank, taking needed groceries to rural elders. It also offers food bags on an emergency basis to the hungry. Ethel Kinnerson, Outreach Minister:334–874–7563.

The Missions sponsor special brown bag grocery gifts to over 500 families in rural communities in four counties at Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance (For Seniors/Elders/Disabled); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food Distribution, Food Pantry, Mobile Food Pantry; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Brown Bag Program (for Seniors/Elders/Disabled); Meals, Hot Meals; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Senior/Elderly Services
Campaigns: TEFAP – Emergency Food Assistance Program
Updated Dec 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1301

Red Cross, Black Belt Service Center (Montgomery Chapter)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross Chapter
P.O. Box 652; 812 Selma Avenue, Selma, AL 36702
Phone (334) 874–4641
Web chapters.redcross.org/al/blackbelt
Hours daily 8:30am to 5pm M–F
Serves Southeast – Serves Dallas, Perry, Marengo, Choctaw, and Wilcox Counties, AL
Service Temporary

Serving Dallas, Perry, Marengo, Choctaw, and Wilcox Counties. Our main office is located in Selma; also, there is a satellite office in Linden, Alabama.

We were an active chapter in Selma, Alabama since 1917. All through the years, we have been available to those in need during and after disaster, for the armed forces in peace and war worldwide; collecting blood for the hospitals throughtout Alabama; teaching first aid and CPR, with swimming classes, HIV education and other safety courses.

We are now a Service Center under the guidance of the Central Alabama Chapter in Montgomery.

Governed by volunteers, our other task is to raise funds to help provide these needed services. Our main source of revenue is the United Way which has since 1954 allocated about 50% of our operating budget each year. The remainder of funds come from volunteer contribution and cost recovery.

Services offered: Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Response; Training Classes, Emergency/Evacuation Shelter Operations; Training Classes, Red Cross, Disaster Action Team Training; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First–Aid Certification; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; American Red Cross Service Center (this site is a RCSC)
Updated Jan 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1327

Wiregrass Safety Alliance

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Relief
180 Depot Street, Suite B, Slocomb, AL 36375
Phone 334–673–SAFE
Web www.longbowfalcon.com/ComPLETEMASTER_A_files/page0001.htm

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Training Classes, Safety Training
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Mar 14, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1228

Prodisee Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry/Disaster Relief
6530 Spanish Fort Blvd., Spanish Fort, AL 36527

Phone 251–626–1720
Web www.ProdiseePantry.org
Hours 9 to 11:30am on Tuesdays for Pantry
Checks payable to Prodisee Pantry
Service Temporary

Emergency Food and Disaster Relief Organization with non–profit status

PLEASE DO NOT SEND CLOTHES!!!!

FROM THE SITE:

Prodisee Pantry is providing love, hope and comfort to some 600 families per month through emergency food and referrals. As the recession has deepened so has the feeling of despair among a growing number of Baldwin County families in need. So many say they never thought they would ever have to ask for help. Prodisee Pantry gives HOPE by Helping Ordinary People Everyday!

Prodisee Pantry is staffed by volunteers. Our client base continues to grow and so does our need for additional volunteers to handle this increase.

* Monday: a basic workday when volunteers, sort, shelve and pre–box food items. Hours: 8:30 to 11:00am
* Tuesday: Greeting families, filing applications, interviewing clients, bagging and boxing groceries, stocking shelves, assisting clients to their cars and securing community support through contributions of food items and/or cash donations. Hours: 8:30am to Noon.
* First Monday of the Month: general work night. Hours: 6:30 to 8:30pm.
* Wednesday: general work night. Hours: 6:00 to 7:30pm
* Weekdays: secretarial assistance. Hours: 8:30am to 2:30pm

For more information on how you can help, call Deann Servos at 626–1334, ext 124 or 626–1720 or director @prodiseepantry.org.

Services offered: Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Books * (ANY/ALL Types); Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Unemployed; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); First Responder, Gulf Region; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); School, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Support for "All Local" Disasters; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Feeding America; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Jul 5, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/701

Central Church of Christ (DISTRIBUTION/MEALS/VOLUNTEER OPS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

304 Hargrove Road, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401

Phone (205) 758–1177
Web sites.google.com/site/centralcoctornadorelief
Service Temporary

Facebook 5/17/11:

Central church of Christ on Hargrove and Wood Manor is STILL serving meals, delivering meals, and giving out supplies! We have been here since day 1 and we will be here until the need is diminished.

FROM THE SITE:

NEW! Central Church of Christ Disaster Relief Line: 205–765–7366
Call for volunteer information, victim resources, and victim services.

News ways traveling groups can sign–up to help:

Victim Transportation Service Refreshment Shelter
Bring: Church Van / Bus Bring: Drink Stand/Trailer
GPS
Cell Phone or Walkie–Talkies

Victim Delivery Service
Bring: Truck or Van
GPS
Cell Phone or Walkie–Talkies

Sun Care Service
Bring: Tent
Folding Chairs
Sunscreen
Towels/Washcloths

Update
If you want to help the Church reach out to Tuscaloosa, you have come to the right place.

To brothers and sisters across the state and country, understand that while our building was destroyed, the Church was edified. But, as much as we have been strengthened, we cannot overcome the challenges ahead alone.

The property that held our earthly meeting place has now become an epicenter for outreach in a devastated area. We have no electricity, no shelter, no bathrooms, but with the help of the resources of the Church of Christ Disaster Relief Team from Tennessee, we are feeding thousands of residents in the surrounding neighborhoods each day. These residents have lost everything.

We understand if you feel a need to jump in your vehicle and help out now. This is a very loving reaction. Fortunately we have many people who love their fellow people in this country right after a tragedy like this. Unfortunately, this is going to be a long process. You are needed, but the greatest need is not now. It is in the weeks and months ahead. We want the Church to be able to meet this need when the rest of the state and country have forgotten or moved on. That is why we ask you to use this site to contact us.

We want the Church to make the difference in Tuscaloosa no one else could. We want the people in Tuscaloosa to see that the Church of Christ will never give up on them just as God will never give up on us.

Take the time to look at the "Traveling Volunteer(s) Sign–up" Form on the lefthand side of the webpage. If you think you can help, please fill this out so that we will be able to more effectively coordinate our efforts.

We thank you for your loving heart from the bottom of ours.

Services offered: Cleanup, Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Long Term Recovery Support; Meals, Mobile Meals, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Transportation, Disaster Survivors (To Assistance Center, Etc.); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Churches of Christ Disaster Response Team
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8335

Innisfree Irish Pub (Relief DROP OFF site) CONFIRMED

Walk–in Resource · Open

Donation Collection Site/Distribution Site
1925 University Boulevard, Tuscaloosa, AL
Phone 205 345–1199
Service Temporary

MAKE SURE TO CALL FIRST BEFORE BRINGING ITEMS TO THE PLACE TO MAKE SURE THEY ARE STILL COLLECTING.

Source: http://www.facebook.com/pages/Innisfree–Irish–Pub–Tuscaloosa/14990734308

We will be collecting clothes, food, equipement, and any other donations people want to make. Bring them to Innisfree and we will help get them to the people in need.

also offering free wireless and cheap food for survivors.

Services offered: Services: Tech, Internet, Wi–Fi Access (FREE)
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8012

Mercy Chefs ~ 2011 AL Tornadoes

Walk–in Resource · Open

Tuscaloosa, AL
Service Temporary

The Road to Recovery in Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Founder and President, R. Gary LeBlanc left Virginia with Mercy One for Tuscaloosa, vteer central

Alabama on Friday, April 29th. Our teams of professional chefs and volunteers have prepared and served over 3000 hot, handcrafted meals to victims, first responders, and volunteers throughout the vicinity, heavily damaged by a massive tornado outbreak. Click Here to view Mercy Chefs' Day Six operations, including testimonials from grateful victims and gracious volunteers: http://www.facebook.com/video/video.php?v=1953163438140

Mercy Chefs is now transitioning from the mass–feeding of victims and volunteers crescent ridge to the direct support of volunteer work crews and local law enforcement. These dedicated groups are undertaking heavy restoration work and beginning the long road to recovery. Mercy Chefs will be on–site as long as needed, thanks to the generous financial support of people like you.

There is still much to be done. If you would like to be a part of our continued relief efforts, please email info @ mercychefs.com to volunteer or visit Mercy Chefs to make a secure online donation. We are able to do what we do because of you!

Please Click Here to view a short video depicting Mercy Chefs' Day One set–up and initial operations in Tuscaloosa, as well as the lingering emotional effects on the devastated population of the area: http://www.facebook.com/video/video.php?v=1947330012308

FACEBOOK: http://www.facebook.com/video/video.php?v=1947330012308#!/MercyChefs

Services offered: Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Long Term Recovery Support; Meals, Cooked Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Meals, On Site Meals Served to First Responders; Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Mercy Chefs
Updated May 9, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7998

Temporary Emergency Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

1705 15th Street, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401

Phone	205–758–5535 FAX 205–391–6647
Web	temporaryemergencyservice.org
Checks payable to	Temporary Emergency Services
Service	Temporary

FACEBOOK: http://www.facebook.com/#!/pages/Temporary–Emergency–Services/158426164175182?sk=info

7/14/11 Donations should be brought to 1705 15th Street while they are moving into a different warehouse space. Lpar

FACEBOOK UPDATE 5/20/11:

FYI: From now on, ALL donations must go to our FoodMax location (5510 McFarland blvd. in Northport). ALL pick–ups and client services––anyone requiring assistance and/or supplies––MUST come to our 15th street location (1705 15th Street, at 15th and Queens City.) Thanks y'all!

TES is a nonprofit organization dedicated to helping individuals and families in crisis situations. We are funded by United Way, Thrift Store, and donations from local businesses, individuals and churches.

TES needs volunteers daily. Please come by our office or call 205–758–5535 to schedule a time to voluteer. Donating to the Thrift Store is another great way to contribute and help aid the continuous efforts of TES.

FROM THE SITE:

Tornado Victim Relief Donation Items Needed

Paper products
Cleaning supplies (sponges, detergent, etc.)
Bags - brown paper, zip–lock and garbage
Can openers
Sheets
Towels and wash cloths
Clothing (including under garments)
Baby needs (diapers, food, etc.)
Food items with easy to open lids (no can opener needed)
**Any items that you can think of that you and your family might need if you were in this situation.

Any gift cards or monetary donations can be mailed to us at :
1705 15th St.
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401

ALL DONATIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE

Services offered: Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; School, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Support for "All Local" Disasters; Thrift Store

Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; United Way
Updated Jul 14, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8373

FEMA DRC's (Disaster Recovery Centers) – INDEX

Walk–in Resource · Open

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
Various, AL
Service Temporary

FOR 2012 JANUARY TORNADOS (deadline April 2)

All DRCs are scheduled to open at 8:00 a.m., Friday, February 3, 2012. We will use the 5 locations listed in the email below. After this Friday, the DRC hours will be

7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m., 7 days a week, for at least the first week. Adjustments may be made at a later date.

JEFFERSON COUNTY –

Center Point City Hall - Fixed DRC Site
2209 Center Point Pkwy
Center Point, AL 35215
Facility #: 205–854–4460

Clay Community Center - Fixed DRC Site
6413 Clay Palmerdale Road
Pinson, AL 35126
Facility #: 205–680–6311

Smithville Baptist Church (Toadvine Rd, Oak Grove Area) - Mobile DRC (MDRC) Site
9308 Toadvine Road (Oakgrove)
Bessemer, AL 35023
Facility #: 205–288–3224

CHILTON COUNTY–

Clanton Recreational Center - Fixed DRC Site
309 1st Street
Clanton, AL 35045
Facility #: 205–755–1106

Maplesville Public Library - Fixed DRC Site
9400 AL Hwy 22
Maplesville, AL 36750
Facility #: 334–366–4211

PERRY COUNTY

Perry County Chamber of Commerce/Old Marion Depot
1200 Washington Street
Marion, AL 36756
Monday, Feb 13th - Saturday, Feb 18th. The hours will be 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Updated through June 4, 2011 closures (BELOW)
Facilities in ALL CAPS are still open as of this date

Updated 5/28/11
Facilities in all caps are still open as of this date.

FEMA DRCs (Disaster Recovery Centers) are open from 7am–7pm
Starting May 29, 2011 all DRCs will be closed on Sundays
On Sunday May 22, modified hours of 8am–1pm for all DRCs (except DRC 42 and DRC 43 whose hours will remain 7am–7pm

COUNTY – DRC NO. – ADDRESS – OPEN DATE – CLOSED DATE

Bibb DRC # 39(mobile) 157 SW Davidson Dr, Centreville, AL 05/18/11 5/20/2011

Blount DRC # 38 Cleveland Town Hall, 62732 US Hwy 231, Cleveland, AL 35049 05/18/11 6/4/11

Calhoun DRC # 17 (mobile) Websters Chapel Methodist Church, 1581 AP Hollinsworth Rd, Wellington, AL 36279 05/10/11 6/4/11

CALHOUN DRC # 37 Jacksonville Civic Center, 501–A Alexandria Road SW, Jacksonville, AL 05/18/11

Cherokee DRC # 23 (mobile) Goshen United Methodist Church, 625 Alabama Hwy 9 South, Piedmont, AL 36272 5/9/11 5/12/2011

Choctaw DRC # 21 (mobile) Choctaw County EMA 816 W. Pushmataha Street, Butler, AL 36904 5/7/11 5/20/2011

Colbert DRC # 49 Colbert County Board of Education Building, 1101 Highway 72 East; Tuscumbia; AL 35674 5/27/2011 5/30/2011

CULLMAN DRC # 11 (mobile) Cullman Civic Center, 510 5th Street SW, Cullman, AL 05/02/11

DEKALB DRC # 1 (mobile) Tom Bevill Center, 115 Main Street W, Rainsville, AL 35986 05/01/11

Elmore DRC # 16 Hardin Building, 40 Kowaliga Road, Eclectic, AL 36024 05/06/11 5/17/2011

Etowah DRC # 31 Family Success Center, 821 East Broad Street, Gadsden, AL 5/14/11 June 4

FAYETTE DRC # 27(mobile) Berry Civic Center, 30 School Avenue, Berry, AL 5/11/11

FRANKLIN DRC # 10 Russellville Park & Recreation, 204 Ash Avenue, Russellville, AL 35653 05/02/11

Greene DRC # 19 (mobile) Eutaw Activity Center, 107 Harris Avenue, Eutaw, AL 35462 5/7/11 5/20/2011

Hale DRC # 33 Hero Building, 1120 Main St, Greensboro, AL 05/15/11 5/17/2011

Jackson DRC # 30 Pisgah Old Town Hall, 6100 County Road 88, Pisgah, AL 35765 5/13/11 5/15/2011

Jackson DRC # 34 Flat Rock Community Center, 662 County Rd 326, Flat Rock, AL 35966 05/16/11 5/18/2011

Jackson DRC # 41 Higdon Baptist Church, Alabama Hwy 71, Higdon, AL 35979 05/19/11 5/21/2011

Jackson DRC #44 Bridgeport Community Center 411 Alabama Ave., Bridgeport, AL 5/22/11 5/24/11 5/24/11

Jefferson DRC # 3 (mobile) Union Hill Baptist Church, 7049 Taylor's Ferry Road, Bessemer, AL 35023 05/01/11 June 4

Jefferson DRC # 4 Old Armory, 140 Cane Creek Road, Warrior, AL 35180 05/01/11 5/17/2011 5/17/11

Jefferson DRC # 5 (mobile) Old Ashley Furniture Store, 3429 Lowery Parkway, Fultondale, AL 35068 05/01/11 5/17/2011

JEFFERSON DRC # 18 (mobile) Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, 306 Avenue U, Pratt City, Birmingham, AL 35214 05/06/11

JEFFERSON DRC # 40 Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, 724 4th St, Pleasant Grove, AL 35127 05/18/11

JEFFERSON DRC # 45 Jefferson County Satellite Courthouse,1485 Forestdale Road, Birmingham; AL 35214 5/23/2011

Lauderdale DRC # 48 New Vision United Methodist Church, 1701 Cole Avenue; Florence; AL 35630 5/25/2011 5/27/2011

LAWRENCE DRC # 12 (mobile) Moulton Recreation Center, 13550 Court Street, Moulton, AL 35650 05/03/11

LIMESTONE DRC # 24(mobile) Limestone County Event Center, 114 W. Pryor Street, Athens, AL 05/9/11

MADISON DRC # 20 (mobile) Monrovia Church of Christ, 595 Nance Road, Madison, AL 35757 05/7/11

Marengo DRC # 7 (mobile) Old National Guard Armory, 2400 East Coats Ave, Linden, AL 30748 05/01/11 5/13/2011

MARION DRC # 14 (mobile) Old Indies House Plant, 8741 State Highway 172, Hackleburg, AL 35564 05/05/11

MARSHALL DRC # 13 Guntersville Recreation Center, 1500 Sunset Drive, Guntersville, AL 35976 05/04/11

MARSHALL DRC # 28 Arab Recreation Center, 761 N. Main Street, Arab, AL 5/11/11

Morgan DRC # 35 Tri–County Fire Department, 12132 Hwy 67 South, Joppa, AL 35087 05/16/11 5/21/2011

Pickens DRC # 43 Pickens County Service Center, 155 Reform Street, Carrollton, AL 05/21/11 5/23/2011

ST. CLAIR DRC # 15 (mobile) Greensport Baptist Chrurch, 92060 Shoal Creek Rd, Asheville, AL 05/05/11

ST. CLAIR DRC # 29 City of Moody Facility, 670 Park Ave, Moody, AL 35004 5/11/11

Sumter DRC # 8 (mobile) Geiger Town Hall, 201 Broadway Street, Geiger, AL 35459 05/02/11 5/14/2011

Talladega DRC # 36 Hepzibah Baptist Church, 5329 Renfroe Road, Talladega, AL 35160 05/17/11 5/19/2011

Tallapoosa DRC # 32 Tallapoosa County Forestry Bldg, 21070 Hwy 280, Dadeville, AL 36853 05/14/11 5/16/2011

TUSCALOOSA DRC # 6 (mobile) American Legion Post, 3120 University Blvd East, Tuscaloosa, AL 35404 05/01/11

Tuscaloosa DRC # 9 (mobile) Coaling Town Hall, 11281 Stephens Loop Road, Coaling, AL 35023 05/01/11 5/8/2011

TUSCALOOSA DRC # 22 (mobile) Holt Elementary Gym, 1001 Crescent Ridge Road, Tuscaloosa, AL 5/7/11

Tuscaloosa DRC # 25(mobile) Shelby Park, 1613 15th Street, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401 5/9/11 6/4/11

TUSCALOOSA DRC # 26 McDonald Hughes Center, 3101 Martin Luther King Blvd, Tuscaloosa, AL 5/10/11

WALKER DRC # 2 (mobile) First Baptist Church, 3965 Massachusetts Ave N., Cordova, AL 35550 05/01/11

Walker DRC # 46 Bevill State Community College 101 State Street; Sumiton, AL 35148 5/23/2011

Washington DRC # 42 Epworth Volunteer Fire Station, 7230 Vinegar Bend Rd, Deer Park, AL 36529 05/21/11 5/23/2011

Winston DRC # 47 Neighborhood Facility Building 1606 10th Avenue; ; Haleyville; AL 35565 5/24/2011 5/26/2011

If possible, before going to a disaster recovery center, people with storm losses should register with FEMA by calling 800–621–FEMA (3362) or online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov. Those with speech or hearing impairment may call (TTY) 800–462–7585. Help is available in most languages.

Persons affected by the storms can also apply for federal assistance through a web–enabled mobile device or smartphone. Visit m.fema.gov and follow the link to “apply online for federal assistance.”
Federal disaster assistance can include grants for rental assistance and home repairs, low–interest loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration to cover uninsured property losses, and other programs to help recover from the effects of the disaster.

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FEMA’s mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.

Disaster recovery assistance is available without regard to race, color, religion, nationality, sex, age, disability, English proficiency or economic status. If you or someone you know has been discriminated against, call FEMA toll–free at 800–621–FEMA (3362). For TTY call 800–462–7585.

FEMA’s temporary housing assistance and grants for public transportation expenses, medical and dental expenses, and funeral and burial expenses do not require individuals to apply for an SBA loan. However, applicants who receive SBA loan applications must submit them to SBA loan officers to be eligible for assistance that covers personal property, vehicle repair or replacement, and moving and storage expenses.

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Services offered: Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.)
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center)
Updated Feb 10, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8123

BP Community Outreach Centers – (Gulf Oil Spill – ASSISTANCE)

Walk–in Resource · Open

AL

Web bp.concerts.com/gom/communityoutreachcenters_21052010.htm
Hours 8:00 am to 5:00 pm daily
Serves Mobile & Baldwin Counties, Alabama
Service Temporary

The BP Community Outreach Centers are responsible for assisting Alabama residents and businesses with any information and/or assistance on the Deepwater Horizon incident. These offices are open from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm daily.

Mobile County –– Phone: 251–382–6878
2430 Bienville Blvd –– Dauphin Island, AL 36528

Baldwin County –– Phone: 251–382–6202
1506 North McKenzie St (Highway 59), Suite 104 –– Foley, AL 36535

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Community Outreach Programs; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; America's Second Harvest; Catholic Charities
Updated Jun 19, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5926

FACEBOOK – Disaster Relief for Franklin County Alabama (Phil Campbell/East Franklin)

Walk–in Resource · Open

AL

Web www.facebook.com/disasterreliefforfranklincounty
Service Temporary

FACEBOOK POST –

Disaster Relief for Franklin County Alabama (Phil Campbell/East Franklin)
On Saturday Sept 24 we will have a work day at eh new Phil Campbell Church Of God (old Dollar General Building) building. We need a lot of volunteers. If we could get 50 that would be awesome. Call Pastor Chris Burns 256–426–9437 if you are able to come and help
Sept. 15, 2011

SEE NOTES –
https://www.facebook.com/notes.php?recent#!/disasterreliefforfranklincounty?sk=notes

Rebuilders List for Franklin County
New Stories
Phil Campbell Area Specific information for Tornado Relief

IF YOU NEED SUPPLIES –

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– Clark Pulley in Russellville is NOT a place to RECEIVE donations, only to make them.

– There is now a distribution center open at Spruce Pine Community Center.

– The Supply Center is set up at the Phil Campbell Community Center on College Road. It is on the 237 end of College Road on the north side of the road. It is basically set up like a grocery store with all kinds of food, water, drinks, and household items.

– Clothing is available at PC First Baptist Church. Clothing is available for all age persons. Clothing is no longer available at the elementary school, and clothing is not available nor should be donated at the Community Center.

– Phil Campbell Methodist Church has set up community showers for residents and volunteers, and are offering free toiletries and towels collected by local churches. Open 8am to 6pm.

– North Highlands Church of Christ in Russellville at 2101 North Jackson Avenue has boxes of food to sustain a family of four for 5 days, as well as all kinds of cleaning supplies, bedding, baby supplies, and volunteers ready to assist you with your tree–cutting and debris removal needs.

– Many other area churches are passing out food, clothing, and other items to storm victims.

May 22, 2011

Services offered: Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated Sep 15, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8635

AR

Helping Hands Inc

Walk–in Resource · Open

320 Airport Road, Bentonville, AR 72712
Phone (479) 273–2511
Web helpinghandsnwa.org
Hours 8am – 5pm Monday through Friday and 8am–6pm on Saturday.
Eligibility photo ID, Social Security Card and proof of Benton County residency
Service Temporary

Eligibility requirements must be addressed in person by our office staff, monetary assistance is provided on a first come first served basis, and is limited to 25 applicants each day. Some of the services offered are:

Rental assistance
Assistance with utility bills
Help with doctor visits and limited prescriptions
Clothing for prospective job seekers
Diapers and formula for babies
Food pantry

In addition we also attempt to assist those effected by fire or other natural disasters in helping them locate the items needed to get their lives back in order, through donations of furniture and household items.

Donations

Monetary donations to Helping Hands can be made with a Credit Card by using the link at the bottom of the page or can be mailed to Helping Hands Inc. 320 Airport Road, Bentonville, AR. 72712.

Donations of clothing, household items, jewelry, as well as food and other items can be made in person at our store. We are located two blocks west of Walton Blvd. on Airport road in Bentonville, AR. Donations can be dropped off between 8am – 5pm Monday through Friday and 8am–6pm on Saturday.

We offer a pick–up service for furniture, appliances and other large items. We currently run routes in Bentonville, Bella Vista and Rogers on Tuesday and Thursday however we are flexible enough to work around your schedule. To schedule a pick up or for more information on our pick–up policy, please contact us at 479–273–2511.

All Donations are tax deductible; please request a tax deduction form when mailing donations. Or print Donation Log Form below.

You can also assist by sponsoring a food drive in your neighborhood or church. We provide food to more than 700 Benton County families each month. Items such as cereal, soup, and other non–perishable foods. Food is always needed.

http://helpinghandsnwa.org/donations.htm

Services offered: Baby, Baby Formula (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, Men's, Interview/Career Clothes, New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Clothing, Women's, Interview/Career Clothing, New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Donations, In-Kind Donation, Services; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Support for "All Local" Disasters; Thrift Store; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Oct 6, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5941

Salvation Army (Incident Command – Langley Post Office) – 2010 AR Campground Flood (DIST: FOOD & COUNSELING)

Walk-in Resource · Open

Salvation Army – Incident Command Center
2579 HIGHWAY 84 W, Langley, AR

Serves Polk, Montgomery Counties
Eligibility Impacted by the 2010 AR Campground Flood
Service Temporary

SOURCE: http://www.todaysthv.com/news/local/story.aspx?storyid=106397&catid=2

The Salvation Army is working to establish an incident command center in the Langley Post Office. They have been asked to provide food and emotional support to both first responders and flood victims.

Services offered: Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Meals, On Site Meals Served to First Responders; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2010 Arkansas Campground Flood; Salvation Army
Updated Jun 13, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5935

AS

Methodist Church (Past Shelter)

Walk-in Resource

Church/Shelter
Alofau, AS 96799

Phone 622-7221
Service Temporary

source: http://www.samoanews.com/
source: http://across.co.nz/AmericanSamoanChurches.html

Services offered: Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2009 American Samoa Tsunami
Updated Sep 4, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4636

Diocese of Samoa-Pago Pago, Roman Catholic

Walk-in Resource · Open

Church
Fatuoaiga, Pago Pago, AS 96799

Phone 699-1402
Contact John Quinn Weitzel
Service Temporary

source: http://www.catholic-hierarchy.org/diocese/dsamo.html

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 596, Fatuoaiga, Pago Pago, American Samoa 96799
Campaigns: 2009 American Samoa Tsunami
Updated Oct 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4627

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (Past Shelter)

Walk-in Resource

Church/Shelter
Pago West Stake Center, Malaeimi, AS

Phone +685 64-169
Contact LDS
Email SauPr@ldschurch.org
Service Temporary

source: http://www.hawaii.edu/hivandaids/American_Samoa_Yellow_Pages.pdf

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints,
The Pago Pago Samoa Stake

Stake Office 633–2480
Aua 1st Ward 644–1563
Aua 2nd Ward 644–1564
Aunu'u Branch 622–7106
Auto Ward 622–7396
Fagasa Branch 633–4709
Pago Pago 1st Ward 633–4353
Pago Pago 2nd Ward 633–7800
Tulao 1st Ward 622–7164
Tulao 2nd Ward 622–7685
Vatia Ward 644–2353

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Shelter, Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2009 American Samoa Tsunami
Updated Sep 4, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4638

Manumalo Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
Malaeimi, AS
Phone 684 699–4453
Contact Pastor
Email pastor@manumalo.com
Service Temporary
Updated Oct 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4632

First Chinese Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
Pago Pago, AS
Phone 5166271734
Web www.immanuel.net/Overseaschurch/cities.asp?ST=121
Service Temporary

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 3983
Campaigns: 2009 American Samoa Tsunami
Updated Oct 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4626

Pago Pago National Park

Walk–in Resource · Open

Federal Agency
Pago Pago, AS 96799
Phone 011–684–633–7082
Contact Mike Reynolds, Superintendent
Email NPSA_Administration@nps.gov
Service Temporary

http://www.nps.gov/archive/npsa/tutuila.htm
Campaigns: 2009 American Samoa Tsunami
Updated Oct 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4621

Congregational Christian Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
AS
Web www.oikoumene.org/en/member–churches/regions/pacific/samoa/congregational–christian–church–in–samoa.html
Service Temporary

from the website:

The Congregational Christian Church in Samoa traces its beginnings to the arrival in 1830 of missionaries sent by the London Missionary Society, accompanied by missionary teachers from Tahiti and the Cook Islands and a Samoan couple from Tonga. They arrived at a time of fierce warfare and fighting between local chiefs, and the people who were weary of violence and bloodshed readily received the missionary's gospel of peace.
When a renowned paramount chief of a much respected family lineage officially accepted the new religion, all his followers and kinsfolk immediately followed suit. Within a few years, virtually the whole of Samoa was converted to Christianity. A burning zeal for the gospel was engendered within the spirit of the newly converted nation. Huge numbers of people soon offered themselves for overseas mission work. In 1839, only nine years after the arrival of the LMS, the first twelve Samoan missionaries left for

mission work in Melanesia. Ever since then, and up to 1975, Samoans have continued to take the gospel message to other Pacific islands, e.g. Papua New Guinea, Vanuatu, Kiribati, Tuvalu, Niue, Tokelau, New Caledonia, Solomon Islands, Wallis & Fortuna. Many of these early Samoan missionaries never returned home; they occupy many of the un–named and unmarked graves in the islands of the Pacific.

Within the first years of their work, the LMS missionaries developed a Samoan alphabet and put the language into written form. The setting–up of the first printing press in Samoa (1839), only the second in the Pacific region, was a mark of the missionary zeal to bring the people to understand the gospel through the written word. By 1855 the whole Bible was translated into Samoan. The missionaries also introduced a monthly journal – the Church Chronicle – which continues to this day. Malua Theological College was established in 1844, with the main objective to teach and educate local students so that each village of Samoa would eventually have a theologically educated pastor as spiritual leader. By the end of the 19th century, a pattern of ministry had emerged. It was modeled on the Samoan village structural organization and aimed at preserving, as much as possible, the value systems of the Samoan way of life. The church community functions in the same way as the village, where five main groups – matais (titled men), spouses of matais, untitled men, unmarried women, and children – each have their own individual and corporate roles and responsibilities for the maintenance of order and welfare. The village congregation is the basic unit of the CCCS with the pastor as the spiritual leader.

The Samoan church during the missionary period engaged itself in the "social redemption of humanity". This vision was based on the church's understanding of God's sovereignty. It saw the divine purpose of redemption not in individual terms only but also in corporate, social and political terms. The newly acquired faith had its focus on the transformation of life and society. That legacy remains a motivating force in the nation's idealism as well as in the church's commitment to active social efforts. The church has been able to maintain five high schools, one girls' college and one theological college.

Since the second half of the 20th century, the Samoan church has continued to forge ecumenical relationships with other churches locally, regionally and internationally. Now it has become a transnational church with eight districts (synod or diocese) outside Samoa: one in the USA, one in Hawaii, three in Australia and three in New Zealand. It has one congregation each in Fiji and American Samoa.

Last updated:01/01/06
Campaigns: 2009 American Samoa Tsunami
Updated Oct 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4629

AZ

Navajo Division for Children and Family Services (NDCFS) [Arizona and New Mexico]

Walk–in Resource · Open

Admin: 2296 Administration Bldg. #2, P.O. Box 4590; other locations in Arizona and New Mexico https://ndcfs.org/locations/, Window Rock, AZ 86515

Phone (928) 871–6851
Web ndcfs.org
Service Permanent

2026 disaster response:

https://ndcfs.org/ndcfs–responds–to–emergency/

SHIPROCK, N.M. — Navajo Division for Children and Family Services (NDCFS) has been providing emergency food bags containing non–perishable groceries in coordination with Navajo Nation partners to assist families impacted by the recent severe weather and flooding.

The NDCFS team began obtaining grocery items in Flagstaff on Friday, October 23, 2026, transporting the groceries to Tuba City for packaging, and then distributing all over the Navajo Nation the same day. Approximately 200 food bags were prepared and deployed to Dennehotso, Kayenta, Rock Point, Chinle, and Shiprock Chapters. NDCFS is also distributing some of the food bags to affected members of its departments.

NDCFS will begin damage assessments on homes in coordination with the Incident Command Center.

NDCFS Executive Director Thomas Cody was on location packaging and delivering the food bags to central locations on Friday and delivering food bags to 18 families in the Hardrock area in Arizona on Saturday, October 24, 2026.

Director Cody has been pro–active about family and community needs during the emergency. He directs department managers to check on their members when severe weather is being reported and has assigned staff to work on the emergency efforts since September.

Christopher Becenti is the NDCFS liaison for the emergency and was in Shiprock all day Saturday to assist with the emergency efforts. Becenti said that NDCFS has been delivering food packages and essential items as early as September 15, 2026, starting in Chinle, Ariz.

During a press conference called by President Buu Nygren, Becenti said that the Division has resources such as Tribal Assistance for Needy Families, Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program, and Community Service Block Grant, depending on eligibility.

Director Cody urged all people to please stay safe during this emergency, do not enter flooded areas, do not fly drones, follow instructions from law enforcement and emergency responders, and avoid unnecessary travel.

If you are in Shiprock vicinity and have a non–emergency request, such as evacuation, reporting impassable roads or other urgent requests, please call (928) 730–8365. For non–emergency requests not in the Shiprock vicinity, please call the Emergency Operation Command Call Center Line at (505) 422–6597. For assistance locating family members in San Juan County, New Mexico, please call the United Way at 211. If you are in an emergency, please call 911 or Navajo Nation Police.

Services offered: Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Assistance, Referrals, Childcare/Childrens Programs; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Childrens Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Families, w/Young Children; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster, Mobile; School * (ANY/ALL Types); Services, Disaster, Post Disaster Needs Assessment; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Disaster Response; Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services)
Campaigns: 2026 SouthWestern US Wildfire and Flooding Response; Tribal Communities
Updated Oct 27, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10783

Afghanistan

PBS suggested groups to help Afgan earthquake survivors

Walk–in Resource · Open

Web www.pbs.org/newshour/world/how–to–help–victims–of–the–earthquake–in–afghanistan
Service Temporary

Here are suggestions from US–based PBS news. We recommend the ones that are "starred" for their consistent and seemingly fair and less western–centric response

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Here are some ways to help

Donate to the World Food Programme: Afghanistan was suffering from a food crisis even before the earthquake, which has now been exacerbated.

With over 1,000 dead, children have invariably been affected, either directly or through loss of a family member. UNICEF has been supporting children around the world for nearly 80 years.

The Red Cross and *The Red Crescent, have already mobilized to help the people of Afghanistan with food and aid delivery.

The United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs is assisting the Afghan government to help as many people as possible.

*Islamic Relief is a Muslim NGO founded in the UK in 1984 by doctors and activists dedicated to disaster response.

UNHCR's work in Afghanistan focuses on protecting the most vulnerable and assisting newly displaced Afghans with life–saving shelter, food, water and core relief items.

With thousands displaced, the International Rescue Committee can help provide aid, health care and support to Afghans affected by the earthquake.

*International Medical Corps was the first to respond in the Gayan district of Afghanistan, mobilizing staff and ambulances and providing critical trauma care to impacted communities.

Save the Children has been directly supporting communities and protecting children's rights across Afghanistan.

Services offered: Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC); Islamic Relief
Updated Oct 10, 2023 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10621

Australia

Department of Sustainability and Environment, 2009 Bushfire Relief Centres

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Relief
Phone 1800 240 667, 136 186, See also list below
Web www.dse.vic.gov.au/DSE/nrenfoe.nsf/LinkView/0D7397DD9AB20297CA257557000EE72DE2ACC26BB87D6BFC4A2567CB000DB12D
Service Temporary

Emergency Relief Centres – February 2009 fires

Below is a list of emergency relief centres operating across the state as at Wednesday 11 February 2009 – 9.45am. Information provided by the State Emergency Service.

Alexandra Leisure Centre
Downey St (Maroondah Highway), Alexandra.
Ph. 5772 1284 / 5772 2281

Arthurs Creek Hall
900 Arthurs Creek Road, Arthurs Creek.
Ph. 9432 5176

Diamond Creek Community Centre
28 Main Hurstbridge Rd, Diamond Creek.
Ph. 9438 5299

Healesville Memorial Hall
Maroondah Hwy, Healesville.
Melways map reference 270 C12.
Ph. 5962 6570

Kinglake (Murrindindi) Shire Offices
Main St, Kinglake
Ph. 0429 148 053

Myrtleford Senior Citizen Centre (NOTE: on standby)
Smit St, Myrtleford
Ph. 5752 1338

Traralgon Little Theatre
Cnr Breed and Grey Street, Traralgon,
Ph. 5176 3559

Wallan Multipurpose Community Centre
Bentinck Street, Wallan
Ph. 5783 1450

Whittlesea Community Activity Centre
56 Laurel St, Whittlesea.
Ph. 9716 1962

Yarra Glen Memorial Hall
Maroondah Hwy, Yarra Glen
Ph. 9730 2568

Yea Football Oval
Pechall/Snodgrass Sts, Yea

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Emergency Operations Center, Local; Evacuee Collection Site; Evacuee Reception Center; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); First Response Supplies/Items * (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Government, HQ (Headquarters); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Hotline, Disaster Recovery Services Hotline for Survivors; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Updated Feb 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4118

Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (RSPCA) Main Site

Walk–in Resource · Open

Animal Disaster Response
Web www.rspcavic.org/campaigns_news/news_bushfires.htm
Service Temporary

From the website:
Updated February 11, 3.25 p.m
http://www.rspcavic.org/campaigns_news/news_bushfires.htm

Victoria's Bushfires

RSPCA Shelters and Inspectors have been working around the clock to provide emergency assistance to animals effected by the bushfires.

What we are doing and how you can help:

If you need emergency assistance, please phone 03 9224 2222.

To directly support our staff and volunteers at the front–line caring for animals affected by the bush fires, please donate at https://wic032p.server–secure.com/vs138364_secure/Default.aspx?ReferredFrom=rspcavic_header or call 03 9224 2222.
100% of funds donated will support our work helping bush fire affected animals.

If you are unable to donate online or with a credit card, please forward your cheque or money order (payable to the RSPCA Victoria) to:

Bushfire Appeal
RSPCA Victoria
3 Burwood Highway
Burwood East VIC 3151

We are providing free veterinary care to animals in need at RSPCA facilities. We are also offering financial assistance to cover expenses provided by other vets, for treatment of bushfire affected animals. For information about veterinary financial assistance only, phone 03 9224 2251 or 0405 015 794 during 8am – 6pm. For all other enquiries please phone 03 9224 2222.

Our Inspectors are working with various government departments to provide emergency care to wildlife, companion animals and livestock.

We are providing temporary accommodation to animals at our Shelters across Victoria. If your pet needs emergency accommodation – please phone 03 9224 2222.

The RSPCA will be working to reunite lost pets with their families.
Please go to: http://www.rspcavic.org/Forms/BushfireSubmit/Lostpetssubmit.asp to register a pet that you have either lost or found.

If you have the capability to transport and animal that you have found from the bushfires please take it to one of the following RSPCA shelters:

RSPCA Bendigo Shelter
RSPCA Epping Shelter
RSPCA Wangaratta Shelter

We are delivering emergency pet food to relief centres across Victoria including food donated by Hill's Pet Nutrition. If you wish to donate items such as pet food, bedding, leads and bowls you can deliver these to your local RSPCA.

To support our emergency relief effort in other ways, please complete our assistance form at http://www.rspcavic.org/Forms/BushfireSubmitHelp/Helpsubmit.asp detailing the the support you can offer. If we can accept your generous offer, we will contact you soon. Please note that if you are from interstate, you will need to arrange delivery of any items to Victoria.
Thank you to everyone who has offered their residential homes as temporary accommodation. We now have enough private residents to assist us, if needed.

We are in desperate need of blankets, if you can donate any blankets please deliver them to your local RSPCA.

There is a big need for supermarket 'green' bags. We are coordinating care packs and need these to bundle up items to hand out to families in need. If you can donate such items, please deliver them to RSPCA in Burwood East.

We are also in need of temporary fencing. If you are in a position to donate temporary fencing to assist with the management of animals, please contact us directly on 03 9224 2219.
Please note: If you are from the Bendigo area, our RSPCA Bendigo adoption centre has been closed. This will increase our capacity to provide emergency assistance to animals affected by the bushfires.

Updated February 11, 3.25 p.m. Please check this page (http://www.rspcavic.org/campaigns_news/news_bushfires.htm) again soon as more information about our plans and how you can help will be added frequently.

Services offered: Advocacy, Animals, Community Outreach Programs; Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Animal Care Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Database, Registry, Online Lost/Found/Adoption Pet Database; Animals, Medical, Veterinary Care/Services; Donations, Disaster Fund; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Wildlife Disaster Evacuation Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Livestock Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2009 Australia Bushfires
Updated Feb 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4112

CA

SBA Disaster Loan Outreach Center, Triangle Complex Wildfire (Opened 12/13/08)

Walk–in Resource · Open

SBA Loan Center
East Anaheim Gymnasium; 8165 E. Santa Ana Canyon Road, Anaheim, CA 92808
Phone (714) 765–3100 (Information Line)
Web www.anaheim.net

Hours 8 am – 7 pm until further notice
Serves Anaheim, Brea, Corona, Yorba Linda, Diamond Bar
Eligibility Residents Impacted by the Triangle Complex Wildfire
Service Temporary

Anaheim Disaster Recovery Center Transitions to SBA Disaster Loan Outreach Center

Release Date: December 8, 2008
Release Number: 1810-022

PASADENA, Calif. -- Adalberto Quijada, district director of the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) Santa Ana, Calif., announced the federal-state Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) in Anaheim will transition to an SBA Disaster Loan Outreach Center (DLOC) at 9 a.m. on Saturday, December 13, 2008.

The Anaheim DRC at East Anaheim Community Center, 8201 East Santa Ana Canyon Road ceases operations on Friday, December 12, at 6 p.m. The SBA DLOC opens Saturday in the same location with operations Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., until further notice.

The California Office of Emergency Services (OES) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), along with SBA, opened the DRC to provide personal assistance and disaster information to individuals and businesses that suffered damage in the California wildfires of November 13 through November 28.

"At this stage of the recovery, the assistance emphasis is on the long-term needs of survivors. We believe the transition of the Anaheim DRC to an SBA DLOC will meet those needs," said Quijada.

SBA customer service representatives will continue to be available at the DRC until it closes and at the DLOC to issue loan applications, answer questions about SBA's disaster loan program, explain the application process, help each individual complete his or her application, and close his or her approved disaster loan. FEMA will have an Individual Assistance program specialist at the DLOC, too.

Low-interest SBA disaster loans are offered to homeowners, renters, businesses of all sizes and private nonprofit organizations to repair or replace property damaged or destroyed by the disaster. So far, SBA has approved more than $5.3 million in low-interest disaster loans to residents and businesses hurt by the November wildfires.

SBA disaster loans up to $200,000 are available to homeowners to repair or replace damaged or destroyed real estate. Homeowners and renters are eligible for up to $40,000 to repair or replace damaged or destroyed personal property.

Businesses of any size and private nonprofit organizations may borrow up to $2 million to repair or replace damaged or destroyed real estate, machinery and equipment, inventory, and other business assets. SBA also can lend additional funds to help with the cost of making improvements that protect, prevent or minimize the same type of damage from future like-disasters.

For small businesses, small agricultural cooperatives and most private nonprofit organizations of all sizes, SBA offers Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDLs) to help meet working capital needs caused by the disaster. EIDL assistance is available regardless of whether the business suffered any property damage.

To be considered for all forms of disaster assistance, survivors should first call the FEMA registration number 1-800-621-3362 (FEMA) (TTY 1-800-462-7585) or go online at www.fema.gov.

For additional SBA disaster assistance information, call SBA's Customer Service Center at (800) 659-2955, or visit SBA's website at www.sba.gov/services/disasterassistance.

The SBA filing deadline to return applications for property damage is January 21, 2009. The EIDL deadline is August 18, 2009.

Triangle Complex Fire Update
as of 11/18/08 8:50 a.m.

All evacuation notices in Anaheim have been lifted.

LOCAL ASSISTANCE CENTER (LAC):

The City of Anaheim, in coordination with other cities, will open the East Anaheim Gymnasium as a Local Assistance Center to residents from the cities of Anaheim, Brea, Yorba Linda, Corona and Diamond Bar. Representatives from many organizations and agencies will be available to talk with and assist in the recovery and rebuilding process.

East Anaheim Gymnasium
8165 E. Santa Ana Canyon Road
Anaheim, CA 92808

7:00a.m. – 8:00p.m.

For more information, please call (714) 765-3100

Representatives from the following organizations will be on hand to provide assistance:

City of Anaheim
OC Assessor’s Office

City of Brea
OC Social Services

City of Corona
Mental Health

City of Diamond Bar
Department of Motor Vehicles

City of Yorba Linda
California Department of Veterans Affairs

Red Cross
California Department of Insurance

Legal Aid Society
California Office of Vital Records

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
Operation OC (Non–profit Coalition)

The Local Assistance Center is now open and will continue to operate daily until further notice, based on need.

Donations of clothes etc., please take them to the Local Assistance Center at 8165 E. Santa Ana Canyon Rd., Anaheim

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, Loans, Low Interest Loans; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated Dec 12, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3861

Arcadia Mental Health Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

County Mental Health Services
330 E. Live Oak Ave., Arcadia, CA 91006

Phone 626) 821–5858 After Hours: (800) 854–7771
Hours 8–5 M–F
Serves Los Angeles County
Eligibility Residents Impacted by the Triangle Complex, Sayre & Station Wildfire
Service Temporary

LTel 9/4/09: Once the 6 free sessions are exhausted, counseling cost is on a sliding scale based on income.

The L.A. County Department of Mental Health will help those affected by the Station Fire with six free clinics. A representative explained that they will be guided on how to get back on their feet and talk to their children about what happened. More information is available about these sessions by calling 1–800–854–7771.

For more information and after–hour services, contact the Department of Mental Health's ACCESS Center at (800) 854–7771. The ACCESS Center is open 24 hours a day, including holidays.

Services offered: Counseling ($ NOT FREE) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Government, County, Department of Mental Health ; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3875

Rebuilding Mountain Hearts & Lives (RMHL)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Coalition/Disaster Relief
http://rimresourcenetwork.org/default.aspx, Blue Jay, CA 92317

Phone (909)–337–9922
Contact Rim Resource Network Program
Web heartsandlives.org
Eligibility Lake Arrowhead Area ~ Grass Valley or Slide wildfires / Rim Community Residents (Crestline to Green Valley Lake)
Service Temporary

LTel 11/29/07 called facility:

Overall the San Bernardino County fire region is very stable. This organization is the primary facility for low–income folks to receive food vouchers, utility bill assistance, rental assistance and they have a very active and organized case management program. They are well respected and the 'go–to' org for this area and assist year

round as well as for fire survivors in providing assistance and referrals.

They have no needs at this time.

Contact Information Needed From Survivors
RMHL To Coordinate Disaster Resources

If you have been affected by the Grass Valley or Slide wildfres, RMHL would like to help you rebuild your lives. The staff of RMHL is currently working with government agencies, disaster resource providers (American Red Cross, Salvation Army, etc.), charitable foundations, local service organizations (Rotary, Sorptimist, etc.), local faith–based organizations, local realtors and non–profit organizations. The resources being asked for are food, clothing, shelter, school supplies, medical services, prescription refills and other needed items. In addition information is being gatherered on insurance claim processing, rebuilding and property taxes. A calendar will also be setup that includes a list of important dates as well as dates for important informational meetings.

In order to provide you with the needed resources and the most up–to–date information we need to be able to contact you. Please provide the following contact information to RMHL by either email:

contactlist@rimresourcenetwork.org)
Telephone (909) 337–9922

PO Box 4644
Blue Jay, CA 92317

or at our office in Blue Jay next to the movie theater:

A member of our staff will contact you to discuss your individual needs for assistance.

Remember, if we don't know who you are or how to contact you, WE CANNOT HELP. Please let us help since you are our friends and neighbors.

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Events, Community Meetings; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC), Case Management Roundtable Meetings; Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC), Unmet Needs Committee Meetings; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Vouchers, Food Vouchers
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Nov 29, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2407

Military Outreach Ministry (M.O.M.)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Office located in Bldg. 1687, second deck; Mailing Address:; P. O. Box 9000–906, Camp Pendleton, CA 92051

Phone 760–763–7394
Web www.mom4usa.org/Home_Page.php
Service Temporary

Camp Pendleton Food Distributions

This program provides food to E5 and below active duty service members and their dependents. To participate in the program you must register online here. Online registration is open the month before the food is to be delivered. If you click on the link below and the registration form does not appear – registration is no longer open. All of the delivery details will be provided to you in the registration process. Please write down the information during registration for your own records.

MOMs 1st Baby program provides expectant couples with a Baby Care Package containing essential infant layette items needed for the first few months. Expectant parents should be active duty military or wounded veterans expecting their first child. This is a national program serving all branches of service regardless of rank or location.

MOM Welcome Baskets provide essential household items.

New to Housing? If you have just arrived at Camp Pendleton in the past six months, are E1–E3 and have at least one dependent you may qualify for this program. We will assist you in finding essential furniture and household items. Due to the high volume of requests we receive you may need to try again later.

Use our new MOM's List feature on the navigation bar to search for items directly from donors. This is a great place to find furniture and other household items for free. When we have furniture items to giveaway we will post on the MOM's List.

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BLOG –

http://blog.mom4usa.org/2011/03/17/how–to–use–the–moms–list–––please–read–before–posting.aspx

How to use the MOMs List – Please read before posting
This is for free items only – no sales or business promotion will be allowed. The intent of the MOMs List is to give the community a place to connect with military families to donate much needed items such as furniture, household items, baby items etc.

IF YOU HAVE ITEMS TO DONATE

1. First look at the categories and choose where to put your items. You can list them all together under one category or separate. The most needed item is always furniture so if you have a furniture item please list under that category (along with other misc. items).
2. Give a brief description of the item(s), your location, whether you can deliver or will they need to pick it up and your email address.Sample: I have a black leather sofa available for you to pick up in Carlsbad email joeshmoe @joe.com
3. Communicate directly with any interested people via your secure email address – do not post back and forth on the MOMs List.
4. When you have passed the item(s) along please email info @mom4usa.org with the item description and your mailing address to receive a tax receipt. After we receive this information we can remove your post

IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR ITEMS
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Check out the categories and search for items available.
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When you find something you would like you need to email the person directly that is posting that item DO NOT comment on the MOMs List. Those people that have the items available are not monitoring the MOMs List for your comments. You need to contact them directly via the email address in the post.
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If you would like to make a statement about what you are looking for please keep it short and only use your email address for someone to contact you please. No phone numbers. This is not a secure site – anyone in the world can see that information.

Thank you all for using the MOMs List. Please feel free to ask any questions or post helpful comments on this page. I will try to answer you immediately.

Posted by MOM4USA at 3/17/2011

Services offered: Demographic Served: Veterans; Food Distribution, Food Baskets; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ ALL Types)
Updated Mar 31, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7842

Navy–Marine Corp Relief Society

Walk–in Resource · Open

Military Disaster Relief
SEE NOTES, Camp Pendleton, CA
Phone SEE NOTES
Service Temporary

NMCRS Camp Pendleton
Navy–Marine Corps Relief Society
Box 555006, Bldg 1121
Camp Pendleton, CA 92055–5006
e–mail to: Michael Hire, hiremike@campen.nmcrs.org
Hours: Mon.–Wed., Fri. 0800–1600

Thur. 0800–1515
Phone:(760) 725–5337/5338
DSN: 365–5818
Fax: (760) 385–4356
Additional Services: Thrift Shop, Visiting Nurse

NMCRS San Onofre
Navy–Marine Corps Relief Society
School of Infantry
Bldg. 520512
P.O. Box 555006
Camp Pendleton, CA 92055–5006
e–mail to: Vena Fredericks, frederic@sanono.nmcrs.org
Hours: Mon.–Wed., Fri. 0830–1600

Thur. 0830–1500
Phone: (760) 725–7497/7494
DSN: 361–3739
Fax: (760) 725–7528

The Navy–Marine Corps Relief Society is a nonprofit, charitable organization that provides financial, educational, and other assistance to members of the Naval Services of the United States, and their eligible family members and survivors, when in need.

To do this, counseling, loans, grants, various services, and referral to other community resources are available. There are no fees for such help.

The Society, operating in partnership with the Navy and Marine Corps, administers nearly 250 offices ashore and afloat at Navy and Marine Corps bases around the world.

Our trained caseworkers are familiar with the special conditions of service life. They have a realistic understanding of the potential hardships facing servicemembers and their families.

The Society can help:

Active duty and retired Navy and Marine Corps personnel
Eligible family members of the personnel listed above
Eligible family members of Navy and Marine Corps personnel who died on active duty or in a retired status
Reservists on extended active duty
Indigent mothers (65 years or older) of deceased servicemembers who have limited resources and no family to provide for their welfare
Ex–spouses "20–20–20" (unremarried former spouses whose marriage to a servicemember lasted for at least 20 years while the servicemember was on active duty)
Uniformed members of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)
The Society does not:
Pay bills for non–essentials
Finance liberty and vacations
Pay fines or legal expenses
Pay taxes
Finance recreational boats or vehicles
Help Navy and Marine Corps families live beyond their means
Services which the Society provides include:

Interest–free loans or grants to deal with emergency needs
Education loans and grants
Lifetime benefits information assistance

When the servicemember can afford to repay, financial assistance is provided as an interest–free loan, which is normally repaid by allotment. If repayment would cause a hardship, assistance may be provided as a grant or a combination of grant and interest–free loan. NMCRS does not, however, assist with the purchase of non–essentials, nor does it supplement the income of persons who live beyond their means.

Money Management
Food Lockers
Layettes
Thrift Shops
Visiting Nurse Services

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Financial Assistance, Dental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Loans, Interest Free Loans; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Medical, Services, Visiting Nurse Services; Thrift Store
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 9, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2466

West Valley Mental Health Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Recovery
7621 Canoga Avenue, Canoga Park, CA 91304
Phone (818) 598–6900 After Hours: (800) 854–7771
Hours 8–5 M–F
Serves Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Residents Impacted by the Sayre Fire – 11/08
Service Temporary

9/09:

The L.A. County Department of Mental Health will help those affected by the Station Fire with six free clinics. A representative explained that they will be guided on how to get back on their feet and talk to their children about what happened. More information is available about these sessions by calling 1–800–854–7771.

The first six sessions are free. Thereafter fees are based on income/sliding scale.

The Los Angeles Department of Mental Health is offering free mental health crisis counseling services to victims of the Sayre Fire at two San Fernando Valley centers.

Those locations are:

San Fernando Valley Mental Health Center, 10605 Balboa Blvd., Suite 100, Granada Hills, (818) 832–2400; and

West Valley Mental Health Center, 7621 Canoga Ave., Canoga Park, (818) 598–6900.

Hours of operation for both centers are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more information and after–hour services, contact the Department of Mental Health's ACCESS Center at (800) 854–7771. The ACCESS Center is open 24 hours a day, including holidays.

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Government, County, Department of Mental Health ; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 7, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3873

Salvation Army, Chula Vista Corps Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
648 Third Avenue, Chula Vista, CA 91910

Phone (619) 422–7027
Web www1.usw.salvationarmy.org/usw/www_usw_sdm.nsf/vw–sublinks/7FA9D4218325EDB988256ECF0079A2E2?openDocument
Service Permanent

Senior Dining & Social Center

Services offered: Facilities: Senior Center; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals (Elders/Seniors); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; Salvation Army
Updated Nov 25, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2315

LTRC, Harris Fire Long Term Recovery – Dulzura Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

LTRC
1136 Community Building Road, Dulzura, CA 91917

Phone (949) 616–4226
Web harrislongtermrecovery.org
Hours Closed Sun./Mon. – Tuesday 10:00 AM to 9:00 PM / Wednesday through Friday from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM Saturday 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.
Serves Barrett Junction, Deerhorn Valley, Dulzura, Potrero/Tecate
Eligibility Impacted by the 2007 Harris Wildfire in San Diego County
Checks payable to Harris Fire Long Term Recovery
Service Temporary

UPDATE 6/11/08 LTel:

VERY URGENT NEED FOR BOTTLED WATER

Received a call from Stacy Magoffin, Harris Fire LTR Coordinator/CERT Director for the Harris Fire Region.

Twenty families are still without water since the 10/07 SoCal Wildfires. The LTRC has been supplying them with bottled water, but they are currently 100% out.

Referred Stacy to Trader Joe's as they were very generous during the Wildfires and am contacting Shlene Boundy to coordinate water relief. Will also be contacting other org's for resources to assist (myself).

Most of these families are under the poverty line, underinsured or not insured for their wells. The average cost of repair is $10–$12,000. These folks don't qualify for SBA loans (only 6 qualified in this entire region for SBA loans).

10 rebuilds are currently awaiting approval, and 1–2 cases are getting ready to go to the Unmet Needs Committee shortly. The LTR is thrilled about this progress.

Sheds are a big need to secure tools/equipment on burned out properties. Looters are stealing from the residents. They also need volunteers to assist in putting up the shed kits.

The Harris Fire Long–Term Recovery Center was formed after the Harris fire by volunteers from the following communities: Potrero/Tecate, Barrett Junction/Dulzura, and Deerhorn Valley. The goal of our new recovery center is to connect fire survivors with donations and services that are available and to act as a conduit for recovery information, emergency preparedness and rebuilding issues. Long–term recovery requires that we combine efforts to better serve our communities.

If you or someone you know have been affected by the fire and are in need of further assistance, please contact us. We want our resources to reach everyone who needs or wants them that has been affected by the Harris Fire.

STAFF:

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Harris Fire LTR Coordinator
(949) 616–4226

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Coordinator
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Deerhorn Valley Coordinator
(949) 616–4733

Dawn Hubert
Salvation Army Caseworker
(619) 573–5368

Sonia Diaz
Assistant Coordinator and Spanish Translator
(949) 680–8866

Sergio Magana
Assistant Coordinator and Spanish Translator
(949) 751–8920

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee Advice; Training Workshops, Disaster Ops, Disaster Rebuilding/Recovery Workshops
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee
Updated Jun 12, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2954

Salvation Army, El Cajon Corps Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
1011 East Main Street, El Cajon, CA 92021
Phone (619) 440–4683
Web www1.usw.salvationarmy.org/usw/www_usw_sdm.nsf/vw–sublinks/621E418FE93513E288256ECF0079B91D?openDocument
Hours M – F 9am – 6pm
Service Temporary

Worship and Other Corps Activities

Sunday
Sunday School for all ages 9:15 a.m.
Prayer Partners 9:50 a.m.
Refreshments 10:20 a.m.
Worship Service 10:45 a.m.

Monday
Women's Ministries (2nd Monday) 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday
Ladies Home League 9:00 a.m.
Youth Programs 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday
Corps Music Rehearsals 5:30 – 9:00 p.m.
Corps Cadets 7:00 p.m.

Thursday
Home Group Fellowships/ Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

Saturday
Men's Fellowship (3rd Saturday) 8:00 a.m.

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Community Outreach Programs; Community Outreach Programs, Rural; First Responder, West Coast Region; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need

ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Church/Worship Services; Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Humanitarian Aid ; Support for "All" Disasters; Toys, * NEW, In Original Packaging, Kids – All Ages (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; Salvation Army
Updated Nov 25, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2316

Elk Grove Community Food Bank Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community Based Food Bank
8820 Elk Grove Blvd, Elk Grove, CA 95624

Phone	(916) 685–8453
Web	www.elkgrovefoodbank.org
Hours	See Notes
Checks payable to	Elk Grove Community Food Bank Services
Service	Temporary

From the website:

Not only do we serve emergency food and clothing through the Elk Grove Food Bank and the Elk Grove Clothes Closet, but we also run the Elk Grove Community Garden, teaching families and individuals how to grow their own food, hopefully lessening their need for us. We also operate a program called Helping Hand, where we offer counseling and resources to help individuals and families overcome personal challenges to get back on their feet and lead productive, healthy lives.

The Food Bank's mailing address is:
P.O. Box 1447
Elk Grove, CA 95759

* Food distribution is available Monday–through–Friday from 10:00 a.m. until 11:45 a.m. and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to Noon. The Food Bank is closed on all major holidays.

Staff of Elk Grove Community Food Bank Services

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Elk Grove Food Bank
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Food Bank Director of Operations
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Elk Grove Community Clothes Closet
Cathy O?Neil
Clothes Closet Director
(916) 685–8453
(cathy@elkgrovefoodbank.org)

Helping Hand
Marie Jachino
Helping Hand Director
(916) 685–8453
(marie@elkgrovefoodbank.org)

Elk Grove Community Garden
Chuck Phillips
(916) 685–8453
(chuck@elkgrovefoodbank.org)

Services offered: Agriculture/Farming/Gardening Resource; Community Garden Program; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Recycling, Food; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Updated May 28, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2130

Interfaith Community Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community/Disaster Relief/Recovery
MAIN OFFICE; 550–B West Washington Avenue, Escondido, CA 92025

Phone 760-489-6380 or Oceanside: 760-721-2117
Web interfaithservices.org/firerelief/index.html
Service Temporary

North County Fire Relief

The current Firestorms of San Diego County have deeply affected us all and have left thousands of people without the basic necessities of life. Our hearts and doors are open and we want to reassure you that the work of Interfaith Community Services continues to meet these emerging needs.

How can I help?

While there are urgent needs of the community that need immediate attention, we ask for you to remain committed to provide support both now and in the upcoming months as more and more families will feel the aftermath of the fire not only in the loss of their homes, but also the loss of employment/income, loss of safety and security, and the need to be comforted in a time of sorrow.

Donations

Our current donation needs for those affected in North County are:

- Nonperishable Food Items
- Bottled Water & Juices
- Toiletry Items
- Towels and Blankets
- Baby Food, Supplies, and Diapers
- Sleeping Bags
- Gift Cards for Families

Our expected long-term needs are:

- Nonperishable Food Items
- Cash donations for families needing motel accommodations
- Blankets, Coats, and Jackets
- Gift Cards for Families

Donations can be dropped off at both North County sites:

Main Office - North County Inland
550-B West Washington Avenue
Escondido, CA 92025
P. 760-489-6380

Coastal Service Center
2195 Oceanside Boulevard
Oceanside, CA 92054
P. 760-721-2117

Financial Support:

As additional needs arise, cash donations help Interfaith continue to respond to our neighbors' pleas for help. Please join Interfaith in sharing hope to our neighbors who now have so little by making a donation today.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Baby, Baby Wipes ; Camping Gear, Sleeping Bags, NEW ONLY; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Coats/Jackets, NEW ONLY; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Motel Accomodations for Disaster Survivors; Food, Baby Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Drinks, Juice, Bottles (Plastic); Food, Non-Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types); Linens, Bath, Towels, NEW ONLY; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Water, ** Bottles, Single Servings, Cases (ANY/ALL cases of single serve sizes)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; VOAD - Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Nov 8, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2462

Palomar Family Counseling Service, The

Walk–in Resource · Open

Private
1002 E Grand Ave, Escondido, CA 92025

Phone (858) 748–3610
Eligibility For families with children who have emotional issues as a result of the 2007 Firestorm
Service Temporary

Counseling Services
The Palomar Family Counseling Service is offering free support groups for families with children who have emotional issues as a result of the Firestorm. The Groups began the week of October 29th. For a schedule and more information, please contact:

(858) 748–3610

Services offered: Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 11, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2491

Rebuild Escondido Assistance Center Team (REACT)

Walk–in Resource · Open

City
201 E. Grand Avenue, Suite 2B, Escondido, CA

Phone 760–746–FIRE (3473)
Web www.rebuildescondido.org/index.aspx
Hours 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday
Serves Escondido, CA & Surrounding Unincoporated Cities
Eligibility Displaced by SoCal Wildfires
Service Temporary

On behalf of the City of Escondido, please accept our heartfelt sympathy for your loss due to the wildfires. Your safety and well–being are our highest priority during this difficult time, and we are committed to doing everything we can to assist you.

In order to allow the City of Escondido to most effectively address your fire recovery needs, please provide us with your contact information, by calling (760) 839–4312. Providing us with your current phone number, email address, and temporary residence address will mean that we can reach you promptly with time–critical information.

A new outreach effort, "Rebuild Escondido," has been established to assist fire victims in the Escondido area, including the unincorporated County areas surrounding Escondido (north of Pomerado Road or east of Del Dios Highway). A Rebuild Escondido Assistance Center will open on Monday, November 5, at:

201 E. Grand Avenue, Suite 2B
Escondido, CA

8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday
760–746–FIRE (3473)

It is intended to serve as a clearing house to connect community offers of assistance with eligible fire victims needing help.

Fire victims are encouraged to make contact with the Rebuild Escondido Assistance Center Team (REACT) by calling (760) 746–FIRE to report their needs. Donors or volunteers also can call (760) 746–FIRE to obtain referrals as to how they can help.

Donated items should NOT be brought to the center for distribution.

To assist with information sharing, the following online E–mail and Web site also have been established:

rebuildescondido@gmail.com (E–mail)
www.rebuildescondido.org (Web site)

Everyone involved in the rebuilding effort is also encouraged to sign up for this website's "backstage" area, where you will find a great deal of useful information, and you will be put

on our email lists so that we may be more effective in communicating with you.

REACT is a cooperative effort of local service clubs, faith–based organizations, businesses, individuals, the Escondido Charitable Foundation, the San Diego Community Foundation, and the City of Escondido. Additional organizations are welcome to join in the efforts.

Services offered: Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee
Updated Feb 5, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2488

Salvation Army, Escondido Corps Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
1301 Las Villas Way, Escondido, CA 92026
Phone (760) 745–8616
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; Salvation Army
Updated Oct 27, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2317

Fallbrook Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Food Pantry ~ Disaster Recovery
1042 South Mission, Fallbrook, CA 92028
Phone 760.728.7608
Web www.FallbrookFoodPantry.org
Serves Fallbrook – Rice Fire
Eligibility Disadvantaged Families
Service Temporary

12/7: no space left, no more incoming, for at least a couple weeks. call first.

The Fallbrook Food Pantry has served low income and disadvantaged families since 1996, when the Fallbrook Ministerial Association created Fallbrook Community Project. In 2005 our name was changed to more accurately reflect its purpose.

In 2006, with broad based community support, we were able to distribute food issues to nearly 65,000 individuals, of which 57% were children.

A typical week's issue might include:

Chicken, ground turkey, canned tuna, hot dogs, etc.
Milk and sometimes cheese and or yogurt
Beans– canned or dry
Fresh vegetables and fruit
Canned vegetables and fruit
Bread
Rice or pasta
Juice frequently
Frozen food items occasionally

Services offered: Adopt–A–Family, Families That Want To Be "Adopted"; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Dec 8, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2655

Fallbrook Senior & Referral Center (Sr. Disaster Counseling)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
399 Heald Lane, Fallbrook, CA 92028
Phone 760–731–3037
Service Temporary

Seniors seeking counseling due to last month's wildfires will be able to find help at the Fallbrook Senior Center at 399 Heald Lane.

The center is planning to host group counseling sessions, although the times and dates are not yet scheduled, said Phyllis Sweeney, a grief counselor at the center.

A separate group may be set up especially for residents of the Valley Oaks Mobile Ranch, which lost 120 out of 170 homes, Sweeney said.

Seniors who have experienced losses or were separated from friends and loved ones during evacuations are struggling with a variety of stresses, Sweeney said.

Seniors who need counseling services can contact Sweeney at:

760–731–3037

Services offered: Counseling, Group Counseling for Seniors
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 8, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2465

St. Peters Catholic Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Recovery
450 S. Stagecoach, Fallbrook, CA
Web www.stpeterscc.org
Serves Fallbrook
Eligibility Impacted by the 2007 SoCal Wildfires
Service Temporary

Services offered: Adopt–A–Family, Families That Want To Be "Adopted"; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Baby Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Sep 26, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2424

Catholic Charities of Los Angeles, Central Intake Unit (CIU)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Community, Disaster Relief/Recovery
4322 San Fernando Road, Glendale, CA 91204
Phone Phone: (818) 502–2002 Fax: (818) 502–2004
Service Temporary

Catholic Charities of Los Angeles, Central Intake Unit (CIU) provides case management services to refugees.

Catholic Charities Counseling Services

The program provides access to affordable counseling services for individuals and their families, especially those who have limited or no financial resources, and provides support to Archdiocesan schools and parishes, especially in times of crisis. Counseling is available at four sites in Los Angeles and Santa Barbara counties: Pomona, San Pedro, Venice and Santa Barbara. Services include pre–marital and marital counseling, group therapy, crisis counseling, domestic violence counseling, assessment, information and referral.

Our Lady of the Angels Region – Western Area
211 3rd Avenue, Venice, CA 90291 (310) 399–1451

San Gabriel Region
Clinica de Salud – Sagrada Familia
1215 South Hamilton Street, Pomona, CA 91766 (909) 622–2824

San Pedro Region
461 West 6th Street, #202, San Pedro, CA 90731 (562) 862–5750

Santa Barbara Region
609 East Haley Street, Santa Barbara, CA 93103 (805) 965–7045

Web site: http://www.catholiccharitiesla.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=49&Itemid=53#counseling

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Disaster Survivors; Advocacy, Domestic Violence; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Case Management, Mental Health; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Refugees/Immigrants; Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Counseling ($ NOT FREE) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling, Group Counseling; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Hotline, Health Information/Resource Hotline; Mental Health, Counselors/Psychologists
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; Catholic Charities; Catholic Charities Community Services; Catholic Charities Social Services
Updated Feb 9, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3928

San Fernando Valley Mental Health Center (Los Angeles County Mental Health Dept.)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Mental Health Services
10605 Balboa Blvd., Suite 100, Granada Hills, CA 91344
Phone (818) 832–2400 After Hours: (800) 854–7771
Hours 8–5 M–F
Serves Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Residents Impacted by the Sayre Wildfire 11/08
Service Temporary

The Los Angeles Department of Mental Health is offering free mental health crisis counseling services (for the first 6 sessions – thereafter it's sliding scale) to victims of the Sayre Fire at two San Fernando Valley centers.

Those locations are:

San Fernando Valley Mental Health Center, 10605 Balboa Blvd., Suite 100, Granada Hills, (818) 832–2400; and

West Valley Mental Health Center, 7621 Canoga Ave., Canoga Park, (818) 598–6900.

Hours of operation for both centers are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more information and after–hour services, contact the Department of Mental Health's ACCESS Center at (800) 854–7771. The ACCESS Center is open 24 hours a day, including holidays.

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Government, County, Department of Mental Health ; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group
Updated May 20, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3872

Interfaith Food Bank of Amador County

Walk–in Resource · Open

Charitable Non–Profit Food Bank
12181 Airport Road, Jackson, CA 95642
Phone (209) 267–9006 Fax: (209) 267–9008
Web interfaithfoodbank.homestead.com/index.html
Hours Office Hours M–Fri. 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Service Permanent

EMAIL: interfaith209@sbcglobal.net

The Interfaith Food Bank of Amador County, California is a community supported food closet that provides emergency food assistance. We have been 100% community supported since 1998.

In 2006 we served 25,219 people; 9538 families 378,285 meals 476,042 pounds of food. Volunteers donated 11208 hours.

Our Mission:

"The Interfaith Food Bank distributes food to hungry people as an important step in restoring human dignity and potential."

Interfaith Council of Amador is a charitable non–profit corporation founded in 1996 by local churches and social service organizations. The primary purpose of this council is to operate The Interfaith Food Bank. Our Mission is to

distribute food to hungry people as an important step in restoring human dignity and potential.

The Interfaith Food Bank collects commodites in an effort to combat hunger in Amador County. We accept donations of food from individuals as well as all the grocery stores in Amador County. Our thanks to: Claypools Market, Payless, Pokerville Market, Raleys and Safeway. Almost 500,000 pounds of food gleaned annually is distributed to more than 900 families each month.

We serve people from all walks of life. People in need include children, the elderly, the disabled, veterans, the homeless, working poor, and individuals experiencing temporary medical emergencies or recent job layoffs. Recipients are eligible to come in for emergency food assistance every 14 days.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Gleaning Program; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Updated Nov 30, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2133

Deerhorn Valley Relief Center (Volunteer Firestation)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Fire & Rescue
6383 Honey Springs Road, Jamul, CA 91935
Phone 619–468–3030
Hours 8am – 8pm
Service Temporary

Red Cross discontinued delivery of meals Fri. 11/23/07.

Church of Christ Center in Dulzura will now be supplying congregate meals.
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires
Updated Aug 30, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2528

Skyline Wesleyan Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
11330 Campo Rd, La Mesa, CA 91941
Phone (619) 660–5000
Web www.skylinechurch.org
Serves East San Diego County
Eligibility Impacted by 2007 SoCal Wildfires
Service Temporary

UPDATE per Incident Command Meeting 12/6/07:

Skyline Church is currently operating a Toy Drive that will last through 12/22/07. Toy's can be dropped off at their address from 8–5 M–Fri.

Dear Skyline Family,

As we begin to assess the full impact of the recent fires, our focus, as the Church, now shifts from a mode of Response to a mode of Recovery.

Pastor Jim said, ?It is important that fire victims are not forgotten!?

We now have a great opportunity to help, encourage and assist people by becoming the tangible presence of God in our communities.

We have received many phone calls and emails from you wanting to know how you can get involved in this effort.

Here are some immediate ways:

Donate Food: The food pantry supply is extremely low. By clicking on this link Replenish Pantry you can find out what food pantry items are needed.

http://www.skylinechurch.org/pantry_needs.php

Volunteer Your Time: To find out how, click here:

http://www.skylinechurch.org/volunteer_your_time.php

Give Financially: By clicking on this link Giving for Fire Victims you can support local fire victims. As the damage is assessed and the needs are identified, we will be applying these funds towards those needs.

http://www.skylinechurch.org/fire_giving.php

Thank you so much for your care and passion to see lives restored!

Your Fellow Servant,

Pastor Nicole Renaud
Local Community Outreach

PS. Thank you all so much for pro–actively ministering to our local community during this precarious time! Many of you have visited the Mt. Miguel Covenant and Jamul evacuees at San Diego and Steele Canyon High Schools. You also have purchased large amounts of food to feed the men and women of Set Free Ministries! And Small Group ministries, you have stepped up to the plate by taking in displaced Skyliners. Thank YOU all for stepping out!

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Events, Donation Drive; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Services, Disaster Recovery
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Dec 8, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2649

Saddleback Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
1 Saddleback Parkway, Lake Forest, CA
Phone 949 609 8000
Service Temporary

Per OC Register
Wednesday, October 24, 2007
Where to send donations
Some resources for those who want to help.

Saddleback Church in Lake Forest is accepting monetary and nonperishable food donations and distributing them to fire victims. Donations can be dropped off at the church at 1 Saddleback Parkway in Lake Forest. Information: 949–609–8000.

Services offered: Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2432

Catholic Charities (Los Angeles)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit Community
1531 James M. Wood Blvd.; P.O. Box 15095, Los Angeles, CA 15095
Phone (213) 251–3400 Fax: (213) 380–4603
Web www.catholiccharitiesla.org
Serves Los Angeles, Ventura & Santa Barbara Counties
Eligibility Residents Impacted by the Sayre & Tea Wildfires (11/08) / Low Income / Immigrant Folks
Checks payable to Catholic Charities of Los Angeles
Service Temporary

Catholic Charities, Los Angeles: Donations to assist the victims of the recent wild fires in Los Angeles, Santa Barbara and Ventura Counties will be used to assist individuals and families with housing, food, clothing, financial assistance and counseling. Call Catholic Charities at (213) 251–3494, or mail donations to Catholic Charities of Los Angeles, Resource Development Department, 1531 James M. Wood Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90015–0095. Or donate online through Catholic Charities' Website: CatholicCharitiesLA.org.

Since 1919, Catholic Charities of Los Angeles, Inc. has been one of the largest social service providers in Los Angeles, Ventura and Santa Barbara counties. In more than 50 offices and community centers, the agency rendered over 1.28 million services during the past year (July 1, 2006–June 30, 2007).

Clients come to Catholic Charities for emergency food and shelter, low–cost before–and–after–school childcare, immigration and refugee assistance, counseling services, computer and jobs skills training, and other supportive services. Poverty doesn't discriminate. How could Catholic Charities? All services are available regardless of a client's race, ethnicity, income, gender or religious belief.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Group Counseling; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Housing Assistance, Relocation $ for Survivors; Services, Family, Children, Child Care Program; Services, Immigration, Refugee Resettlement (See also "Assistance"); Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Shelter, Womens, Battered Womens Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters; Thrift Store; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Vouchers, Household Item Vouchers; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; CARe, Inc. (Community Assisted Recovery); Catholic Charities; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Hope Coalition America (A Division of Operation Hope); LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Salvation Army; Tzu Chi Foundation; United Way; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Mar 23, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2962

Goodwill Southern California

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Relief
342 San Fernando Road, Los Angeles, CA 90031

Phone Toll Free: (888) 4–GOODWILL or (888) 446–6394 Local: (323) 223–1211
Web www.goodwillsocal.org
Serves Los Angeles, Riverside, San Bernardino, CA
Eligibility Needy, Disaster Impacted Communities
Service Permanent

Aug. 31, 2009 — Goodwill is now accepting donations of used clothing and household items on behalf of Southern California wildfire victims who are being assisted by the American Red Cross of Greater Los Angeles. Donations will enable victims of the current wildfires to obtain free vouchers that can be redeemed at Goodwill's retail stores.

To donate items for individuals affected by the wildfires, please go to any one of the Goodwill Southern California's more than 100 locations located throughout Los Angeles (north of Rosecrans), Riverside and San Bernardino counties and specify that the donation is for Red Cross wildfire relief efforts. To locate the Goodwill drop–off location nearest to you, please call (888) 4–GOODWILL or visit http://www.goodwillsocal.org/. Goodwill cannot accept food or water.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Violence; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Clothing Vouchers; Vouchers, Household Item Vouchers; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Goodwill
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2339

Jewish Family Service of Los Angeles

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community
330 N. Fairfax Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90036

Phone Services: 877–275–4537 or services@jfsla.org Donation: 213–248–6924 or development@jfsla.org
Web www.jfsla.org
Service Temporary

Jewish Family Service of Los Angeles has been providing social services to people of all ages, ethnicities and religions since 1854.
Through programs designed to meet diverse and changing needs, we keep people connected to what's important: families, friends,
community and their independence. Our nationally recognized programs offer counseling and support for families, individuals and seniors.
We provide food and shelter, help resettle recent immigrants, connect people with disabilities to vital resources, assist relatives

and
friends with care for loved ones (senior care services), and so much more.

PROGRAMS & SERVICES

Child & Family
Counseling/Support
Food & Hunger
Immigrant Support
Jewish Life
Older Adults' Resources
People With Disabilities
Shelter Services
Social Recreation

2025 California Wildfires:
https://www.jfsla.org/fire-assistance/

LOCATIONS:
https://www.jfsla.org/locations/

For specific needs, here are additional resources available to everyone in the community:
SOVA Community Food & Resource Program: Open to anyone needing access to fresh, healthy groceries, essential personal care items and connections
to additional resources for individuals and families. SOVA offers kosher options, and you can choose the food that works best for you. Visit jfsla.org/food-pantries.

If you are experiencing domestic violence, please call our 24-hour Crisis Line: (818) 505-0900 or (323) 681-2626.

Resources for seniors:
Neighborhood dining centers: Open to seniors needing hot and nutritious lunches. The dining centers are open Monday-Friday, with 13 locations
across Los Angeles. Kosher dining is available at select centers. For a list of hours, locations and age eligibility for the meal centers,
please visit jfsla.org/dining-centers or call the JFS Senior Nutrition Office at (323) 937-5843.

If there is any way we can assist you, please do not hesitate to let us know. The well-being of the community is our top priority. We encourage you to reach out with any questions or immediate needs.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Services for Special Needs Folks; Assistance, Referrals, Substance Abuse Treatment Referrals & Resources; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Community Outreach Programs; Counseling, Childrens Counseling ; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Facilities: Senior Center; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Hotline, Domestic Violence Hotline; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals (Elders/Seniors); Meals, Home Delivered Meals (For Seniors/Elders); Medical, Services, Home Health Care Services; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Daycare, Adult / Senior Daycare Services; Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services); Services, Domestic Violence Intervention Services; Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Kid's Cafe Program (Youth); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Immigration, Refugee Resettlement (See also "Assistance"); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Substance Abuse, Intervention Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation, For Seniors/Elders
Campaigns: 2025 California Wildfires
Updated Jan 18, 2025 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3891

Jewish Federation of Greater Los Angeles

Walk-in Resource · Open

Faith Based, Non-Profit, Charity
6505 Wilshire Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90048

Phone	323 761 8200
Web	www.jewishla.org
Checks payable to	Jewish Federation ("Fire Relief Fund" written in the memo line)
Service	Temporary

per OC Register

Wednesday, October 24, 2007
Where to send donations
Some resources for those who want to help.

The Jewish Federation of Greater Los Angeles has established the Southern California Fire Emergency Relief Fund to help wildfire victims. Send checks to The Jewish Federation, 6505 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90048. Checks should be payable to The Jewish Federation with “Fire Relief Fund” written on the memo line. Donations can also be made by phone at 323–761–8200 or online at www.jewishla.org.

Services offered: Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Financial/Monetary Donations
Updated Nov 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2433

Society St. Vincent De Paul

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community
210 North Avenue 21, Los Angeles, CA 90031
Phone (323) 224 - 6280
Web www.svdpla.org
Serves Los Angeles County, CA / Impacted by the 11/07 Sayre Wildfire
Service Permanent

ealthy Communities . . . depend on dedicated volunteers who care about their neighborhoods and the quality of life in their local areas. Volunteering with the Society will allow you to meet other community–minded individuals, discover a real sense of satisfaction and have fun while reaching out to those in need right in your own community.

Besides the more obvious tasks of food and clothing collection and distribution, the Society needs people with expertise in trades such as construction, painting and facilities maintenance - proficiency with computers or other office systems - talents in teaching or language translation, or skills at housekeeping, etc., in order to meet the wide ranging needs of our local community members.

Volunteer opportunities abound at the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, and you can make a significant difference in the lives of the poor and needy by joining the hundreds of volunteers currently participating in the charitable activities of the Society.

Help the homeless at the Cardinal Manning Center;
Assist with the operations at Circle V Ranch Camp’s summer program for disadvantaged children;
Work in a parish food pantry;
Visit retirement and convalescent homes;
Conduct a food, clothing, blanket or toy drive for those in need;
Plan service opportunities for youth members;
Deliver food or meals to shut–ins;
Drive senior citizens to the grocery store or doctor’s appointment;
Help individuals with social service paper work;
Or . . .

Become a member of a Vincentian Conference and assist individuals and families in need within your local community.

For more information on Volunteer Opportunities at the Society
Please contact us at:
(323) 224–6298
cmiller@svdpla.org

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Case Management, Homeless; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Facilities: Restrooms; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Emergency Services; Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters; Thrift Store
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; Homelessness Relief Services; Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Updated Nov 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3889

Union Rescue Mission (HAITI Relief DONATIONS COLLECTION SITE)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Donation Collection Site
Los Angeles, CA 90024
Contact Julie Yurth Himot
Email info@edar.org
Web edar.org
Service Temporary

Union Rescue Mission

DOING

We are working to send containers of needed medical supplies/pharmaceuticals to Haiti

We’d like to purchase and send http://edar.org tent units to Haiti for people, especially children to have a roof over their head

NEEDING

A way to transport the http://edar.org units, possibly with another NGO's shipments

CONTACT INFO

Andy Bales or Joe Callahan abales@urm.org or jcallahan@urm.org
http://urm.org

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Jan 20, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5070

United Way of Greater Los Angeles

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community Outreach/Disaster Recovery/Relief
523 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, CA 90014

Phone (213) 808–6220
Web www.unitedwayla.org/Pages/default.aspx
Hours 8:30–5 M–F
Serves Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Impacted by Poverty/Substance Abuse, In Need of Community Services / Impacted by the 11/07 Sayre Wildfire
Service Permanent

United Way's of Southern California have set up a fund to help the victims of the recent devastating wildfires. The fund will focus primarily on the aftermath to ensure community–wide healing. Questions can be directed to 1–866–571–7193 or by email to socalfund@unitedwayla.org or donate online at:

https://donor.united–e–way.org/?campaign=uwscff

Donor services
For information on your gift, please call (866) 366–7335, or e–mail donorservices@unitedwayla.org

Tocqueville Society
For inquiries about major gifts, please contact Jeffrey Janis, Director of Major Gifts, 213.808.6246 or e–mail jjanis@unitedwayla.org

Media contact
For media inquiries, please contact Taulene Ayoub, Director of Communications, 213.808.6436 or e–mail tayoub@unitedwayla.org

Center for Community Research Solutions
For research and social reports enquires, please e–mail research@unitedwayla.org

Regional Offices
Antelope and Santa Clarita Valleys
42442 10th Street West, Suite A
Lancaster, CA 93534
Phone: (661)874–4285

San Fernando & San Gabriel Valleys
5121 Van Nuys Boulevard, Suite #206
Sherman Oaks, CA 91403
Phone: (818) 574–3910

Harbor Area
3515 Linden Avenue
Long Beach, California 90807
(562) 472–2140

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Disaster Fund; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Residents; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Homelessness Relief Services; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; United Way
Updated Feb 8, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3888

Volunteers of America (Katrina Aid Today Partner)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Case Management, Community Outreach
3600 Wilshire Blvd, Suite 1500, Los Angeles, CA 90010

Phone (213) 389–1500 Fax: (213) 385–7599
Web www.voala.org
Checks payable to Volunteers of America

Volunteers of America Los Angeles is partnered with Katrina Aid Today as part of their consortium to assist Hurricane Katrina displaced survivors:

544 S San Pedro St.
Los Angeles, CA 90013
CONTACT: Lisa Theilig

Tel: 213–593–9001
Tel: 213–593–9003
Email: voagrace@aol.com

Volunteers of America of Greater Los Angeles is committed to bringing lasting solutions, not just temporary support. Each year it serves more than 35,000 residents of the Los Angeles area, especially children and families. Volunteers of America's more than 30 programs include services for:

Children and Families
Numerous services including day care, after–school programs,

Head Start and Early Head Start, summer camp, literacy, employment counseling and placement.

Youth and Education
Girls Inc, Upward Bound and Educational Talent Search, Positive Alternatives

Elderly
Programs include assisted living and companion pet care.

Homeless
Emergency outreach and shelter to individuals and families, vocational training and housing. Food, clothing, rent assistance, and transportation for individuals or families in crisis. Literacy, employment counseling and placement.

Recovery and Rehabilitation
Residential and outpatient treatment for alcohol and drug addiction and educational programs to help prevent substance dependency and abuse. Rehabilitation of ex–offenders through supervised residential programs that include vocational counseling and referrals.

Low–Income Housing
Affordable or subsidized housing is provided to families, elderly and people with disabilities.

Services offered: Animals, Therapy, Pet Therapy/Companion Program; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Subsidized/Low–Income Housing; Services, Family, Children, Child Care Program; Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/Alcohology) ; Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Vocational; Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accomodates Youth Volunteers) ; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Head Start Program; Homelessness Relief Services; Volunteers of America
Updated Jun 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2184

YMCA

Walk–in Resource · Open

Los Angeles, CA
Web www.ymcala.org/community–response

Eligibility For impacted community members throughout LA
Service Temporary

YMCA of Metropolitan Los Angeles
Three YMCA of Metropolitan Los Angeles locations are being recommended to people who'd like to drop off essential goods and non–perishables,
said Christina Bragg, senior director of marketing and communications, in an email to The Desert Sun. Those locations are:

The Pasadena–Sierra Madre YMCA: 611 E. Sierra Madre Boulevard, Sierra Madre

Ketchum–Downtown YMCA: 401 S. Hope St., Los Angeles

Santa Anita YMCA: 501 S. Mountain Ave., Monrovia

Clothing is not being accepted, said Bragg. Donations at ymcala.org/actnow is "another way to make a huge difference in our ability to continue offering free childcare and extended hours."

CONTACT US

To learn how to support your community now, contact MarioValenzuela@ymcaLA.org.

For in–kind donations such as food, clothing, or supplies, direct inquiries to InKindDonations@ymcaLA.org.

For monetary donations, please contact Celina Santiago at CelinaSantiago@ymcaLA.org.

For volunteer opportunities, contact volunteer@ymcaLA.org.
Media & Press, contact ChristinaBragg@ymcala.org.

If you are looking to give to rebuild the Palisades–Malibu YMCA,
please go https://secure2.convio.net/ymcala/site/TR?fr_id=2274&pg=entry.

For large quantity donations, contact Inkinddonations@ymcaLA.org to confirm specific guidelines and pickup or drop–off procedures.

Update on Donation Inquiries: Thank you for your incredible generosity and support during this critical time.
Due to an overwhelming number of inquiries to inkinddonations@ymcala.org,

our team is working diligently to respond to all messages in the order they are received. We are committed to replying within 48 hours.
We appreciate your patience as we work together to support those impacted by the wildfires.

Services offered: Communications, Equipment, Cell Phone Charger, Universal; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Mental Health Services; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Water, Bottles (8 oz.)
Campaigns: 2025 California Wildfires; YMCA/YWCA
Updated Jan 14, 2025 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10692

Salvation Army, National City Corps Community Center

Walk–in Resource

Salvation Army
2519 Prospect Street, National City, CA 91950
Phone (619) 267–0050
Web www.sandiego.salvationarmy.org
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; Salvation Army
Updated Oct 27, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2318

Food Net, Santa Clarita Service Center Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
24271 San Fernando Road, Newhall, CA 91321
Phone 661–254–0070
Hours SEE NOTES
Serves Santa Clarita, Los Angeles County, CA / Sylmar, Lake View Terrace, CA
Eligibility Low income–Needy Families / Marek & Sayre '08 Wildfire Families in need of emergency food / Proof of income, picture ID that matches a utility bill)
Service Permanent

Tuesdays & Fridays – 11:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

Services offered: Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)

Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires
Updated Dec 24, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4002

Faith Community Health Partnership (Providence Health Services) – Partnered w/St. Didacus Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Senior Services
6801 Coldwater Canyon Ave., Suite 1A, No Hollywood, CA 91605, No. Hollywood, CA 91605

Phone 818–847–3845
Contact Carolyn Young, LCSW (Initial Intake)
Serves East San Fernando Valley, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Seniors / Seniors/Survivors Impacted by the Marek/Sesnon/Sayre '08 Wildfires
Service Permanent

Anyone can refer or be referred. Contact information for Senior Peer Counseling:

Carolyn Young, LCSW, Phone # 818–847–3845
Volunteers for Seniors – B.J. Valencia, Case Manager, Phone # 818–847–3846.
Address for both: 6801 Coldwater Canyon Ave., Suite 1A, No Hollywood, CA 91605

Carolyn Young, LCSW does the initial intake before assigning a counselor and B.J. Valencia, Case Mgr. does the initial home visit assessment before a service is provided, ie. ride is needed, errands needed, grocery shopping, visitation, counseling, etc.

They are in the process of setting up clinic dates at St. Didacus Church for the Sylmar community as well as Long Term Recovery services for Wildfire Survivors in need of this program.

Description of the program:

The Parish Nurse or Faith Community Nurse, Mary Munchi, provides ongoing health screenings to members of the community such as blood pressure, glucose, cholesterol, referrals and personal health counseling at the church.

Services Provided:

> Being depressed, sad or anxious
> Facing difficulties with getting older
> Grieving the loss of a loved one, or loss of their home
> Increased difficulty managing at home
> Adjusting to chronic health conditions
> Coping with family conflict
> Loneliness

Understanding that at this time, this is probably not an immediate
need for these families, we would like to address the senior population affected by the Mayre/Sayre fires. We are offering access to our Senior Peer Counseling Program as a Long–Term Recovery service. Our Senior Peer Counselors are volunteers who have been extensively trained and are supervised by a mental health professional. They provide one–on–one counseling designed to support and assist seniors in the community who may be facing challenging or difficult circumstances in their lives...such as the fire.

Volunteers for Seniors provide valuable services for frail, home–bound seniors who have no other resources. Volunteers for seniors provide access to medical care and help to maintain independence in the home, which enhances and maintains the quality of life for seniors. Services include: transportation to medical appointments, shopping for groceries, light housekeeping, cooking a meal and friendly visiting.

Services offered: Case Management, LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Community Outreach Programs; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Disabled, Homemaker Services (For Elders/Seniors/Disabled); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Seniors, Shopping Assistance (For Elders/Seniors/Disabled); Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care); Visitation, Emotional Care, For Seniors, Volunteer
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; CARe, Inc. (Community Assisted Recovery); Catholic Charities; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Salvation Army
Updated Mar 23, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3979

North Hollywood Interfaith Food Pantry (Coalition)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Food Pantry, Coalition
4390 Colfax Avenue, No. Hollywood, CA 91604

Phone Pantry Phone: 818–760–3575 / To Volunteer: 818–760–3575
Web www.vic–la.org/HungerCoalition/NHollywood_coalition.htm

Serves Middle and eastern portions of the San Fernando Valley / Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Impacted by Poverty, Joblessness, Low–Income / Residents Impacted by the Sayre Wildfire 11/08
Service Temporary

Sylmar, CA residents impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire (and any other folks who need emergency food) that need Food Assistance questions answered should contact:

Eve Marcus, Food Pantry Director
818.762.6746
Pantry Operation Hours: Mondays & Fridays 8:30 A.M. –1:00 P.M.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires
Updated Dec 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3867

St. Charles Church Service Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
10825 Moorpark Street, No. Hollywood, CA 91602
Phone 818–766–3838
Hours SEE NOTES
Serves East San Fernando Valley, Los Angeles County, CA / Marek/Sayre Fire Families
Service Temporary

Pantry Hours: Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays – 9:00 A.M. – 11:45 A.M.

Also see CAT Facility record Food Pantry Index at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3938

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires
Updated Dec 24, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4000

Salvation Army, Oceanside Corps Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
Oceanside, CA 92056
Phone (760) 631–8212
Web www.sandiego.salvationarmy.org
Service Temporary

Many Services:
http://www.sandiego.salvationarmy.org/usw/www_usw_sdm.nsf/vw–sublinks/F8B1BB4ABE39D72F88256ECF0079EA5A?openDocument

10/26/07 –
If you have donations that you need picked–up PLEASE call:
1–800–95–TRUCK OR (800)958–7825

Services offered: Community Outreach Programs; Counseling, Spiritual; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service, Large Item Donation Pickup; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Services, Emergency Services; Services, Senior Programs; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; Salvation Army
Updated Nov 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2319

WIC

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Government Program
1906 Oceanside Blvd, Oceanside, CA
Service Temporary

10/25/07 FROM NEW 8 WEBSITE

NEW: AMERICAN RED CROSS PROVIDES FREE DUST MASKS:

4:55 p.m. – The American Red Cross is providing free dust masks
for the public at the WIC office in Oceanside. They won't be able

to pass them out in bulk, but individuals can pick them up for themselves and their families.

1906 Oceanside Blvd

(east of I–5, north side of the road in shopping center)
Oceanside, CA 92054

Services offered: Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Masks, Dust Masks
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 2, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2298

Community Action Group of Butte County

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community
2255 Del Oro Avenue, Oroville, CA 95965
Phone Oroville Central Office – (530) 538–7559
Web www.buttecaa.com
Serves Butte, Colusa, Glenn, Plumas, Tehama, CA
Service Temporary

Contact Information:

Central Office (includes Human Resources and Fiscal)
2255 Del Oro Avenue; Oroville, CA 95965

Phone : Oroville – (530) 538–7559
Chico – (530) 891–2807
Fax : Human Relations – (530) 533–7470
Fiscal – (530) 538–6463
Email: info@buttecaa.com
Transitional Shelter Program ? The Esplanade House Department
181 E. Shasta Ave.; Chico, CA 95973

Phone : (530) 891–2977
Fax : (530) 879–3426
Energy Saving Rehabilitation ? Utility Assistance Programs
Housing and Community Development Department
2640 South Fifth Ave.; Oroville, CA 95965

Appointments are required; we cannot serve you without an appointment

Phone : (530) 538–7534
Fax : (530) 538–7214
Senior Meals ? Surplus Food Distribution
Food & Nutrition Services Department
2640 South Fifth Ave. Suite 7; Oroville, CA 95965

Sites: : Biggs/Gridley – 441 C Street Phone 868–1121 for reservations
Chico – 775 East 16th Street Phone 343–9605 for reservations
Oroville – 1335 Myers Street Phone 534–5859 for reservations
Paradise – 877 Nunneley Phone 877–5016for reservations

History
The Agency has operated a wide variety of programs and services since 1967, when it was incorporated as a private, non–profit, charitable corporation under the laws of the State of California. The Agency is governed by a Board of Directors comprised of local leaders representing the private, public, and low–income sectors.

Present

Agency programs operate through several departments:

Housing & Community Development
Food & Nutrition
Esplanade House

Each department consists of various projects and programs that enable low–income families and elderly to improve

their lives. A community assessment is conducted periodically to ensure that use of resources is addressing priority issues.

Butte County is rich in natural beauty, recreation, education and small industry, but is economically depressed. The poverty rate in Butte County in 2003 was 15.8% with a much higher rate in Oroville (33.1%) than Chico (26.6%) or Paradise (12.4%). While incomes have improved for many, a large and growing percentage of the population did not experience income gains sufficient to escape poverty. Unemployment is typically higher than the State average.

Fortunately, the communities within Butte County see the issues from a broad perspective, helping others to seek self–sufficiency through the pursuit of values, through expectations and through the development of responsibility for oneself.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Health Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Legal Information & Resource Referrals (For Elders/Seniors); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Case Management, Homeless; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Construction, Home Repair Services (For Seniors/Elders); Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Home Delivered Meals (For Seniors/Elders); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation, For Seniors/Elders; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Nov 30, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2143

El Dustberry Ranch

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit, Rehabilitation
3000 Rustic Canyon Road, Pacific Palesades, CA 90272
Phone (310) 455–0471 (onsite staff) (818) 995–0277 (scheduling & information)
Web www.eldustberry.org
Service Temporary

The El Dustberry Ranch is a unique ranch retreat located in the Santa Monica mountains in Topanga Canyon. We use nature and horses for learning and healing, providing a serene and peaceful environment. We serve many communities, including people with cancer, autism, learning disablities, substance or sexual abuse recovery, and many more.

What We Do and How We Do It, Makes Us Unique!
Through interactions with our horses and nature in all of our programs, we teach key principles of life, such as the power of sharing, tolerance, respect, appreciation, cause and effect, and that each of us makes a powerful difference. All of our programs are infused with these concepts and promote healing and learning in a unique way.

We Rehabilitate Horses.
Our rescue horses have healed under our care, and are the foundation of all of our programs. Each horse has a history and a story to tell that serves as teaching tools in our programs.

We are seeking dynamic and motivated individuals who wish to give back to the community by way of volunteering their time to make a difference. We are seeking experienced professionals, retirees, homemakers, and college interns to help us take our programs to the next level. We are a non–profit organization, and we would like to expand our ever–growing family to include the following positions:

MEDICAL VOLUNTEERS:

Veterinarian
Horse Dentist
Horse Chiropractor

ADMINISTRATIVE:

Corporate Sponsorships/Donations
Private Sponsorships/Donations
Fundraising/Development

Grant Writing

PR/Celebrity Relations

COLLEGE INTERNS:

Grant Writing
Newsletter
Marketing Team

Website Design/Maintenance

Database Design/Entry

DONATIONS DIRECTOR:

Hay, Water, Horse Trailer, Arena Cover, etc.

HANDYMAN:

Gates, fences, property maintenance, etc.

We also welcome young volunteers to help with everyday/light maintenance of the property, and to assist our team before, during, and after our programs.

Directions to El Dustberry:
El Dustberry is located in the Santa Monica Mountains, off Cheney Drive, in Topanga Cyn., mid way between the valley & the coast.
Please call (818) 995–0277

El Dustberry receives a portion of proceeds from all sales of That Chocolate Feeling when our name is mentioned upon purchase!

Hours of Operation:
Monday–Wednesday, 9:00–3:00
Saturday, 9:00–3:00
Sunday, 9:00–3:00
By Appointment only
Please call for more information or to make an appointment
Offices: (818) 995–0277
Fax: (818) 906–0569

El Dustberry is a California Non – Profit organization,
EIN # 91–2088852
Donations accepted

If you have experience in any of the above fields, we would love to hear from you!

Services offered: Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Livestock, Therapy, Equine Therapy Program; Medical, Services, Rehabilitation Program; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Employment, Internship Program; Training Workshops, Art Workshops; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth Outreach; Youth Program

Updated Sep 6, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1864

Eliza Shanks Homes, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
13055 Weidner Street, Pacoima, CA 91331

Phone 818–335–1233
Serves Pacoima, Sylmar, (Northeast San Fernando Valley) Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility No specific requirements
Service Temporary

Call ahead for an appointment (no set hours). Provides canned/frozen foods for the needy and serving Sayre/Marek wildfire families.

(Also see CAT Facility record index for Emergency Food for '08 Wildfire families at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3938)

Services offered: Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Frozen * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires
Updated Dec 25, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4005

MEND (Meet Each Need With Dignity)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community
13460 Van Nuys Blvd., Pacoima, CA 91331

Phone	(818)897–2443 or (818)896–0246 Fax (818) 897–0128
Web	www.mendpoverty.org
Serves	Sylmar, Pacoima, Arleta, San Fernando, Van Nuys, CA
Eligibility	Needy/Low–Income Families / Sayre Wildfire Families
Checks payable to	MEND

Our philosophy rests on the principles that every person, created in the image of God, has innate human dignity and the right to be treated with respect; and every person has the fundamental right to what is needed for a fully human life.

Meeting Each Need
In the early 1970's, MEND (Meet Each Need with Dignity) opened its doors in an effort to transform the lives of the neediest residents of the San Fernando Valley – poor children and their struggling families. Starting as a small group of volunteers working from a garage, MEND has grown primarily by word–of–mouth into one of the leanest operating non–profit organizations in existence. More than 90% of the support and donations received by MEND, now the largest poverty agency in the Valley, provides emergency food, clothing, medical, vision and dental care, job skills training and job placement assistance, English as a Second Language classes, youth activities, and a Christmas program. In 2005, we served over 456,000 individuals.

People Helping People
Each month, more than 7,000 hours are donated by volunteers from a broad range of backgrounds and income levels; all joining together to act as people helping people. Each person plays a vital role in meeting the mission of MEND. From the distribution of food, clothing to assistance in job training and placement, our volunteers give MEND life.

MEND's Unique Characteristics
99% volunteer driven

Privately funded – NO government grants

Low overhead costs (less than 5%)

All public relations and fund raising work done by volunteers

Seeks to develop self–reliance among recipients

Staff is hired only when programs grow too large for volunteers to handle

Sells no items or services –– Small donations are accepted, based on the recipient's ability to pay

Services offered: Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Dental, Facility, Dental Clinic; Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Medical, Facility, Clinic, Free Clinic; Thrift Store; Training Classes, Computer Lab; Training Classes, ESL (English as a Second Language); Training Classes, Sewing / Needle Arts ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee
Updated Dec 25, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2231

Local Assistance Center, Butte County, Paradise Intermediate School

Walk–in Resource · Open

Local Assistance Center
5657 Recreation Drive, Paradise, CA

Web	buttecounty.net/Default.aspx?tabid=521
Hours	10 am – 7 pm daily till further notice
Serves	Butte County
Eligibility	Impacted by the Butte County Firestorm
Service	Temporary

6/24/08: Local Assistance Center Moves To Paradise

The Butte County Local Assistance Center at the Southside Community Center for victims of the Humboldt and Ophir fires will close at 5 p.m. today and be re–established at 10 a.m. tomorrow at the Paradise Intermediate School, 5657 Recreation Drive, Paradise. The center will remain in Paradise through Friday, with operating hours each day of 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

A variety of local and state agencies are represented in the center, which was established by the Board of Supervisors to help area residents who were displaced, suffered property losses, or suffered economic losses during the Butte County Fire Storm.

The center was initially to remain open until 7 p.m. today, but was closed early due to a scheduling conflict.

Services offered: Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires
Updated Jul 12, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3390

Daybreak Counseling Service

Walk–in Resource · Open

Private Business – Disaster Recovery
183 N. Hill St. #202, Pasadena, CA

Phone 310–995–1202
Web www.daybreakservices.com
Serves Tujunga, Acton, Altadena, Pasadena, Sierra Madre, Sunland, La Canada, Flintridge, or La–Crescenta
Eligibility Impacted by the Station Wildfire
Bring Valid ID – Proof of residence in Station Fire impacted locations
Service Temporary

Free anger management classes for victims of the Station Fire:

Anger is a secondary emotion. The fear and stress of loosing property or life can trigger episodes of aggression and rage.

All those affected by the devastation of the Station Fire can be at risk of doing or saying something out of their normal character due to the extraordinary pressure cause by this disaster.

Daybreak Counseling Service an anger management center in Pasadena, California is offering 3 free sessions of anger management for residents affected by the fire. This is a service valued at $150.

If you need to manage your anger regarding the Station Fire and you live in the following cities: Tujunga, Acton, Altadena, Pasadena, Sierra Madre, Sunland, La Canada, Flintridge, or La–Crescenta. Please contact the offices of Daybreak Counseling Service at 310–995–1202.

All interested in attending these 3 free anger management classes must provide a valid identification proving you live with the fore mentioned cities.

This courtesy is offered for the entire month of September. A special class has been added Tuesday evenings at 6pm until 7pm.

For more info: Daybreak Counseling Service is located at 183 N. Hill St. #202, Pasadena California

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Sep 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4479

Red Cross, San Gabriel Pomona Valley Chapter

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross Chapter
430 Madeline Drive, Pasadena, CA 91105

Phone (626) 799–0841
Web www.sgpvarc.org
Serves San Gabriel, Pomona Valley (Alta Dena/La Canada Flintridge, Los Angeles County, California)
Eligibility Station Fire Evacuees
Service Temporary

This chapter of the Red Cross is responsible for opening the La Canada High School shelter to serve evacuees of the Station Fire.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Aug 29, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4445

Catholic Charities, San Gabriel Region, Clinica de Salud – Sagrada Familia

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Recovery
1215 South Hamilton Street, Pomona, CA 91766

Phone (909) 622–2824
Service Temporary

Catholic Charities Counseling Services

The program provides access to affordable counseling services for individuals and their families, especially those who have limited or no financial resources, and provides support to Archdiocesan schools and parishes, especially in times of crisis. Counseling is available at four sites in Los Angeles and Santa Barbara counties: Pomona, San Pedro, Venice and Santa Barbara. Services include pre–marital and marital counseling, group therapy, crisis counseling, domestic violence counseling, assessment, information and referral.

San Gabriel Region
Clinica de Salud - Sagrada Familia
1215 South Hamilton Street, Pomona, CA 91766 (909) 622–2824

http://www.catholiccharitiesla.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=49&Itemid=53#counseling

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Disaster Survivors; Advocacy, Domestic Violence; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How To, File Disaster Unemployment Claims; Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Health Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, for Special Needs Folks; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Case Management, Mental Health; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Counseling ($ NOT FREE) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling, Group Counseling; Counseling, Group Counseling for Seniors; Counseling, Spiritual; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Hotline, Domestic Violence Hotline; Hotline, Health Information/Resource Hotline; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; Catholic Charities; Catholic Charities Community Services; Catholic Charities Social Services
Updated May 17, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3934

Kiwanis Community Center (Red Cross Service Delivery Site)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross Site/Community Civic Club
25771 Potrero Valley Rd, Potrero, CA 91963
Web redcrosswestwildfires.wordpress.com/2007/11/01/shelter–and–service–center–updates–for–southern–california–wildfires
Service Temporary

The American Red Cross is also offering client services to those affected by the wildfires at the following locations:

Kilroy Center, 10850 Via Frontera, Rancho Bernardo (this shelter is replacing the Valley Center High School shelter)

Kiwanis Community Center, 25771 Potrero Valley Rd, Potrero

Dulzura Community Center, 1136 Community Building Road, Dulzura

Individuals can access the same Red Cross assistance at all of the above locations, however county– and city–operated Local Assistance Centers offer additional resources from other government and private organizations that may also be helpful for those seeking recovery assistance.

Photo identification that includes home address from an affected area is required to receive service. All changes in service times, dates and locations will be posted on www.sdarc.org. Visit this news release for the most current information.

Monday to Friday: 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Saturday: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday: 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

per 10–29 post at sdarc.org
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2355

Poway Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
13094 Civic Center Drive, Poway, CA
Phone (858) 679–4318
Web www.poway.org
Serves San Diego County

Eligibility Affected by SoCal 2007 Wildfires
Service Temporary

Poway Community Center
The Poway Community Center is asking for donations of pillows, blankets, towels, washcloths, baby food, baby formula, diapers, baby wipes, activities for children, stuffed animals and retail gift cards.

Poway Community Center
13094 Civic Center Drive
(858) 679–4318
www.poway.org

Witch Creek Fire: Recovery Information
http://www.poway.org/Index.aspx?page=867
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Aug 3, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2489

Poway, City of Poway – Sandbag Locations

Walk–in Resource · Open

City – Erosion Control
Poway, CA
Phone (858) 668–4711
Service Temporary

Call for Volunteers to Fill Sandbags
Posted Date: 11/30/2007
MICKEY CAFAGNA, Mayor
MERRILEE BOYACK, Deputy Mayor
BOB EMERY, Councilmember
DON HIGGINSON, Councilmember
BETTY REXFORD, Councilmember FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
Contact: Kevin Quinn
Streets & Drainage Supervisor
(858) 668–4711

Poway, CA – The City of Poway has placed sand and bags at four locations, to assist residents who sustained property damage due to the Witch Creek Fire. Sandbags can be used as an erosion control device. Volunteers are welcome to assist fire families by pre–filling sandbags for pickup by local residents.

The empty bags are located in a trash container near the sand at each site. Remember to bring a shovel to fill the bags with sand. Sand and bags are available at the following sites:

Valle Verde Park: parking lot. The park is north of Espola Road;

Lake Poway Road: “overflow” parking lot on the right, approaching the Lake;

Midland Road: east side, across from the Train Barn at Old Poway Park;

Garden Road: south side, across from Garden Road Elementary School.

If you find bags already made, you are welcome to take them.

Services offered: Sandbags; Sandbag, Sandbagging, Volunteer; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Dec 2, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2661

Sandbags, Witch Fire Residents – Sandbags Available From The City of Poway

Walk–in Resource · Standby

City
SEE NOTES FOR 4 LOCATIONS AVAILABLE, Poway, CA
Web www.poway.org/index.aspx?recordid=119&page=490
Serves Poway
Eligibility Homeowners Impacted by 2007 SoCal Wildfires
Service Temporary

City of Poway Provides Sand and Sandbags for Fire Damaged Property
Posted Date: 11/6/2007
MICKEY CAFAGNA, Mayor
MERRILEE BOYACK, Deputy Mayor
BOB EMERY, Councilmember
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The Boy Scouts have volunteered to fill bags when they are able, so if you find bags already made, you are welcome to take them.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Sandbags
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated May 19, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2490

Mountain View Community Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church: Laundry/Meals/Distribution – Disaster Recovery
(Hwy. 78 & Ash St.); 1191 Meadowlark Way, Ramona, CA

Phone (760) 789–0866 info@mvccramona.org
Web www.go2mvcc.org
Serves Ramona
Eligibility Impacted by 2007 SoCal Wildfires
Service Temporary

UPDATE 12/11/07 LTel:

Laundry facility that was available to volunteers and impacted residents was removed 12/4/07 per Bethany Nissley at Christ in Action/Camp Hope.

Services offered: Animals, Supplies, * Animal/Pet Supplies (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution, Bulk Distribution; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Meals, Hot Meals; Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Dec 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2517

Ramona Food & Clothes Closet, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community
773 Main Street, Ramona, CA 92065

Phone 760–789–4458
Web www.ramonafoodandclothescloset.org
Eligibility Impacted by 2007 SoCal Wildfires
Checks payable to RFCC Fire Relief Fund
Service Temporary

Dee Ann Anderson (Volunteer Coordinator) 760–789–4458

Hundreds of Ramonans and citizens of San Diego's back country have suffered tremendous losses during the Witch Creek Fire. Many lives will not be the same as they recover from the loss of lives, homes, possessions, businesses, animals, peace of mind, and the serenity enjoyed within San Diego County.

To aid the transition to normalcy, Ramona Food & Clothes Closet Inc. is asking you to contribute to this recovery effort. We have established a RFCC Fire Relief Fund to accept monetary donations and we have a Fire Relief Program for all victims that have lost their homes to the wildfires. Any contribution, large or small, will make a huge difference.

YOU can make a difference!

Services offered: Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/Elderly); Food Distribution, Holiday, Food Boxes/Basket, Misc.; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Thrift Store; Toys, * NEW, In Original Packaging, Kids – All Ages (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 25, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2637

Rancho Bernardo Community Presbyterian Church & Resale Shop

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief/Recovery
12845 Poway Road, Rancho Bernardo, CA

Phone (858) 487–0811
Web www.transformedlives.com
Serves San Diego County
Eligibility Impacted by SoCal 2007 Wildfires
Service Temporary

RBCPC 2007 Firestorm Response Plan

Our hearts and prayers go out to everyone affected by the 2007 Firestorm. RBCPC has created a Firestorm Response Plan for Poway, Rancho Bernardo, and Escondido. Here is our near term action plan.

If you have lost your home , we would love to help. You need not be a part of our worshiping community. Please download this document and choose the resources best suited for your situation:

http://www.transformedlives.com/pdf/partial%20loss%20of%20your%20home.pdf

Survivor Assistance Complete Loss of Your Home:

http://www.transformedlives.com/pdf/partial%20loss%20of%20your%20home.pdf

If you have partial damage to your home, we would love to help. You need not be part of our worshiping community. Please download this document and choose the resources best suited for your situation.

Survivor Assistance Partial Loss of Your Home:

http://www.transformedlives.com/pdf/partial%20loss%20of%20your%20home.pdf

If you would like to make a donation or volunteer to assist those displaced by the fire, please download this document with instructions on how you can help.

How You Can Help:

http://www.transformedlives.com/pdf/how%20you%20can%20help.pdf

If You Are Another Church Or Relief Agency And You Want To Help
If you represent a church or agency that wants to provide funds or volunteers for the RBCPC 2007 Firestorm Response effort, please contact Greg Seckington at 858–487–0811 x 201.

(FROM THE SIGNONSANDIEGO WILDFIRES BLOG 11/6/07)

Fire victims seeking free clothes, food and household items will no longer have a one–stop place to collect those donations.

The city of San Diego plans to close the Rancho Bernardo Donation Assistance Center, which has been operating in a vacant lot across the street from the city–run local assistance center. The assistance center in the city's RB Recreation Center will remain open to help victims get their local, state and federal paperwork processed and receive other kinds of aid.

Sally Hales of the Hope Foundation said her organization contracted with the city to oversee the donation center, where victims could "shop" for the stuff of daily life, from toothpaste to toys. Hales said they were asked to close by noon Wednesday.

"We would have liked to stay longer," said Hales. She said victims can still receive assistance and donations from the Rancho Bernardo Community Presbyterian Church Resale Shop at 12845 Poway Road. For people wishing to donate to fire victims, city officials suggested contacting the Salvation Army, Goodwill, the American Red Cross or the San Diego Foundation.

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Counseling, Emotional;

Counseling, Spiritual; Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Thrift Store
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 30, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2534

Volunteer Donation Store – Westwood Club

Walk–in Resource · Open

Rebuild RB
17394 W. Bernardo Drive, Rancho Bernardo, CA 92127
Web www.ReBuildRB.com
Serves San Diego County Residents
Eligibility Impacted by the 2007 SoCal Wildfires
Service Temporary

OPEN 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. – Monday through Friday
and 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Saturdays.

Volunteers and Donations are NEEDED. Sign up to volunteer through the www.ReBuildRB.com website, or contact Patti McClurg at pmcclurg@ucsd.edu (This e–mail address is being protected from spam bots, you need JavaScript enabled to view it)

URGENT NEEDS:

CURRENTLY LOW ON FOOD
Bring Donations Directly to Store
NEW CLOTHING ONLY

Items are available for Fire Victim Families

Thank you to everyone who has donated items to local fire families and to those that have stepped up to lend a hand in the community. The Westwood Club is currently stocked with clothing and toys. We are keeping these items available for our displaced residents.

If you are in need of any of these items, or know of a family who has suffered a loss due to the fires, please let them know the donation center is here and available anytime the club is open.

12/1/07

The Free Store at the Westwood Club is looking for a new location. If you know of someone willing to donate some warehouse space please contact us – Cindy Holmstrom

cholmst1@san.rr.com

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Toys, * NEW, In Original Packaging, Kids – All Ages (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Dec 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2667

Operation Provider

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community Outreach
26526 Pine Ave; across from the Rim Forest Lumber., Rimforest, CA 92378
Phone (909) 337–8585 OR (909) 336–4021
Web www.operationprovider.org/index.htm
Hours Office hours: Tues. & Fri. 9–2
Service Permanent

The Grass and Slide Fires, 2007, Operation Provider has provided groceries and clothing to over hundreds of people who were affected by the fires. These are people who were evacuated or have lost homes or damage to their homes or loss of jobs due to the 2007 fires, are underinsured, unemployed or underemployed, and come from various communities around the San Bernardino Mountains. Operation Provider has been able to provide these people with food, clothing, and emergency assistance, rentals, transportation gas vouchers, utilities, and temporary shelter with motel vouchers, gift cards. We are realizing, however, as Operation Provider strives to help those in need, the problems continue to exist because our community needs time to recover and heal. Operation Provider expects to indefinitely provide long–term recovery relief to these families.

Operation Provider is an organization (a place) where people can come to and find real help given, by volunteers who care. They will find the love of God there. This has become a long lived dream of Holland Lowe to have enough funding to keep the doors open to extend a helping hand to the hurting in her community.

Services offered: Community Outreach Programs; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; First Responder, West Coast Region; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Emergency Services
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 29, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2610

Department of Veterans Affairs

Walk–in Resource · Open

Government
1227 O Street, Sacramento, CA 95814
Phone 1 (800) 952–5626, 1 (800) 324–5966 (TDD), 1 (800) 221–8998 (Outside California)
Web www.cdva.ca.gov/default.asp

The Dept. of Veteran Affairs is offering their services at
San Diego LAC's

From the Website

CALIFORNIA FIRES ---IF YOU HAVE CALVET FIRE AND HAZARD COVERAGE AND HAVE SUFFERED PROPERTY DAMAGE CAUSED BY A FIRE, PLEASE CONTACT THE CALVET CLAIMS ADMINISTRATOR, SAMS AND ASSOCIATES AT 1–800–626–1613 OR CALVET AT 1–800–952–5626.

If you're ready to buy a home, CalVet is here to meet your home financing needs! You will find many features and benefits with a CalVet loan that will save you money and help protect your investment for your family.

We offer below market interest rates with low or no down payment that increase your purchasing power and keep your payment down. We have expanded eligibility so that nearly any veteran wanting to buy a home in California is eligible. You may prequalifiy for a CalVet loan by clicking on the Apply Online button on this page, or by downloading and completing our prequalification form and sending it to your local CalVet office. There is no charge for this service.

Use the menu on the right hand side of this page to get detailed information about the CalVet Home Loan program or use the links below for direct access to current rate information, forms and insurance information.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Veterans; Facility: Veterans Benefits/Facility/Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; Government, US Department of Veteran Affairs
Updated May 17, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2386

Salvation Army, 824 W Mill St site

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army – Donations Collection
824 W Mill Street, San Bernardino, CA 92410
Phone (909) 884–7086
Service Temporary

per san bernardino county site:

The Salvation Army, 824 W. Mill St., San Bernardino, is also
able to accept used items from individual donors.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Donations, In–Kind Donations Services, Small Lots
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2396

Salvation Army, San Bernardino Corps Community Center

Walk–in Resource

Salvation Army
746 W 5th Street, San Bernardino, CA 92410
Phone 909 888–1336
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; Salvation Army
Updated Oct 27, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2309

Alpha Behavioral Health Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Counseling Services
4069 30th Street, San Diego, CA 92104
Phone (619) 285–9999 Ext: 106
Web www.alphabhs.org
Serves San Diego County
Eligibility Impacted by the 2007 SoCal Wildfires

Service Temporary

PER 211 DATABASE:

Offers a support group to individuals affected by the Southern California wildfires.

FROM THE SITE:

Alpha Behavioral Health Services (legally Alpha of San Diego, Inc.) is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) social service agency that was founded in 1971 by volunteers from churches in Mid–City to provide counseling (to homeless and substance abusing youth.) Located in North Park California, AlphaBHS provides a wide range of behavioral health counseling and psychological services in English and Spanish to over 600 clients annually.

For almost 20 years, AlphaBHS has been providing Social Services Counseling and Therapy services provided by intern and/or trainee clinicians under the supervision of AlphaBHS's Clinical Supervisor. The interns/trainees are recruited through local universities and training programs, working towards their licensure as Marriage and Family Therapists (MFT) or Masters in Social Work (MSW). Psychological Services are provided by board certified psychologists.

In addition to accepting Medi–Cal, Medicare, California American Indian Recovery (CAIR) and other insurance plans, social service counseling is also offered on a sliding fee scale; over 90% of self–pay clients pay on the lowest end of the scale ($18 or less), and no client is turned away due to inability to pay.

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Mental Health, Sliding Scale; Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Mental Health, Counselors/Psychologists
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 24, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2724

Families Helping Families – A Project of the Jenna Druck Foundation

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non– Profit – Disaster Recovery
2820 Roosevelt Road Suite 200, San Diego, CA 92106

Phone	619.294.8000
Web	www.jdf–fhf.org/site/pp.asp?c=aeIKLROrGnF&b=3531873
Serves	San Diego County
Eligibility	Impacted by 2007 SoCal Wildfires
Checks payable to	Jenna Druck Foundation
Service	Temporary

Helping Families Cope & Heal from the San Diego Wild Fires

The Jenna Druck Foundation is supporting the community during this time of devastation and loss. Our information and resources have been distributed accross San Diego County and Dr. Ken Druck was featured on Larry King Live, KPBS, Channel 10, Clear Channel radio stations: 95.7, 93.3, AM600, and others.

Our programs are designed to support families, schools, workplaces and community organizations deal with the experience of trauma and loss.

At this time we are providing:

Town Hall Meetings in your local community facilitated by Dr. Ken Druck:

"Compassionate Classroom" School Assemblies designed for students and teachers;
"Compassionate Workplace" Sessions for the business place;
Consultation and Referral Service; and, Support Groups.

"Tips" for Helping Yourself and Your Kids Cope with The Fires:

http://www.jennadruck.org/site/pp.asp?c=fkLPK6MOIpG&b=3524993

Please contact our office to arrange an on–site meeting or to sign–up for our newly forming Wild Fire Support Group.

Families Helping Families
A Program of the Jenna Druck Foundation

2820 Roosevelt Road Suite 200
San Diego, CA 92106
619.294.8000
fhf@jennadruck.org ▪ www.jennadruck.org

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) ⁎ (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Volunteer Opportunities, In General ⁎ (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 24, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2628

Friends & Family Community Connection

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit – Disaster Relief/Recovery/Disadvantaged Family Assistance
12463 Rancho Bernardo Rd. PMB #158, San Diego, CA 92128

Phone 858.204.9643
Web ffcc–sd.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=41&Itemid=44
Serves San Diego County
Eligibility Impacted by the 2007 SoCal Wildfires
Service Temporary

I hope you all had a great and restful Thanksgiving. Let's get back to work!!!!!!!!!I know a number of you helped fill sand bags over the holiday and otherscontinued with the fire recovery here locally as well as in Ramona. Awesome job volunteers. Another 15 gift baskets were delivered to families over Thanksgiving as well. These gift baskets were actual laundry baskets filled with bathroom stuff, kitchen items, gift cards, free dinner restaurant coupons, hand made quilts and Dream Dinner meals. Packed with much love and blessing to all the families that received them. A special thank you to the Home Church in Poway and the Red Hat Day Trippers for putting all those askets together and delivering them. Here are the list of jobs and volunteer opportunities for this Saturday. Please don't let the Christmas season cut in on you helping these families in need. The volunteer drop off has already began, be the example in your sphere of influence that truly demonstrates what it means to be a good and caring neighbor and get your friends to join you. The needs are great!!!

#1 Highland Valley Home – Erosion Control, sand bags and hay rolls, need pick up truck/van(s), hammers, picks and shovels. Need 15–20 volunteers

#2 Another Highland Valley Home – Erosion Control, sand bags and hayrolls, need pick up truck/van(s), hammers, picks and shovels. Need 15–20 volunteers

#3 Rancho Bernardo Home – Erosion Control, sand bags and hay rolls, need pick up truck/van(s), hammers, picks and shovels. Need 15–20 volunteers

#4 Poway Home – Erosion Control, sand bags and hay rolls, need pick up truck/van(s), Chain Saws hammers, picks and shovels. Need 15–20 volunteers.

#5 I need supplies taken from Rancho Bernardo to the Rebuild Escondido office for fire recovery. Approx 2 pick–up truck loads or 3 van loads. This can be arranged during the week or weekend. These are some of the jobs coming up. I'm sure more opportunities will arise as the week unfolds. Please help me get the word out, many hands are needed.

Keep in mind that Sunday, Dec 2nd is our next food packing event. We are hoping for another great turnout of volunteers that can help us put togetherfood packs for needy families locally and for families in Tanzania. Ourgoal is to assemble 50,000 meals (shouldn't be tough since in Oct we packed 72,000). This 50,000 along with the 250,000 in our warehouse will get us to the 300,000 mark we need to fill a container for Tanzania. If all is successful we will ship our 2nd

300,000 shipment on Dec 10th. Take a look at the packing info and flyer I attached, bring a friend and come and join us. We need approx 10 rectangular tables and 15–20 canopies for the event. You can drop them off anytime on Saturday before 2:00pm at Dream Dinners in Poway or by 8:00am on Sunday the 2nd. If we can borrow a table or canopy for the day please let me know by e–mailing me back.

Thanks Phil Harris

Services offered: Adopt–A–Family, Families That Want To Be "Adopted"; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Home Delivered Meals; Sanitation, Supplies, Water Treatment/Purification/Filtration Supplies/Equipment * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers); Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2007 California Wildfires; 2010 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Dec 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2663

George Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers

Walk–in Resource · Open

Senior Services
3702 4th Ave, San Diego, CA 92103

Phone (619) 543–4700
Web www.alzheimerhelp.org/resources.html
Serves San Diego County
Eligibility Impacted by the 2007 SoCal Wildfires
Service Temporary

FROM THE 211 DATABASE:

Provides disaster relief services to include adult day care for dementia and alzheimer patients, and free respi–care day care for Seniors.

FROM THE SITE:

Founded in 1982 by Dr. George G. Glenner, a UCSD physician and research pathologist specializing in Alzheimer's disease, and his wife Joy Glenner, the organization was born out of a heartfelt response to a late–night call from a caregiver struggling with his wife's dementia. At the end of his emotional rope, the caregiver wanted to end both their lives. The Glenners called the authorities, who came to the family's aid and discovered the caregiver with a loaded gun.

The next day The George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers was created to help individuals struggling with similar situations.

Today, Glenner Centers throughout San Diego help hundreds of individuals remain socially and physically active in loving home–like adult day health centers, thus delaying premature institutional placement. Weekly family education services help families understand the disease and to support their role as caregiver. Additionally, collaborative partnerships with leading San Diego institutions position Glenner on the cutting edge of research, education, community advocacy and care.

Services offered: Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Services, Daycare, Adult / Senior Daycare Services; Services, Support, Caregiver Support Services
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Dec 14, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2725

Metro United Methodist Urban Ministries

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community/Disaster Relief/Recovery

Administrative Office:; 3295 Meade Avenue, San Diego, CA 92116

Phone (619) 285–5556 metro@metrosandiego.org
Web www.metrosandiego.org/Metro
Serves San Diego County
Service Temporary

A UMNS Report
By Linda Bloom*
Nov. 6, 2007

The Rev. Myron Wingfield, district superintendent in San Diego, has formed an ad hoc fire recovery team "to provide a comprehensive, coordinated, collaborative and long–range plan" for response.

UMCOR will partner with Metro United Urban Methodist Ministries in San Diego, which has worked with the relief agency to assist Hurricane Katrina victims who had relocated there. Led by John Hughes, Metro provides direct social services, supports community development and helps local churches working with people in their neighborhoods.

The attention to secondary victims will be similar to the United Methodist response to the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11, 2001, which economically impacted workers in or near New York's Twin Towers and the Pentagon.

Those affected by the fires include migrant workers on the region’s vegetable farms. "Many of those farms were damaged or ruined because of the fires," Hazelwood explained, adding that other farms shut down during the crisis. "It’s going to have an impact on the social service community."

In addition to assisting farm workers, he expects UMCOR will provide case management for some families whose homes were destroyed. "I don’t know what the spiritual and emotional impact will be and what resources we need to provide for that as well," he said.

According to a column by Amanda Martinez in The Nation, the relief and evacuation efforts missed many undocumented workers in the San Diego area, leading the Mexican Consulate, in partnership with advocacy groups, to provide relief efforts.

The Regional Task Force on the Homeless in San Diego estimates more than 1,600 agricultural workers and day laborers live in makeshift settlements in the area. The number of farms in San Diego County ranks second in the nation, the task force said.

Services:

Faith, Community, and Leadership Development

Metro seeks to not only provide the example of professional practice in faith–basedwork, but also seeks to promote the development of local congregations in their efforts to bridge the neighborhood gap between churches and communities. The focus of our work is to assist those key leaders and congregations in making a practice expression of their faith based upon the needs in their community and the strengths of their members. Examples of services include:

Congregational development.
Leadership development.
Faith–based training.
Community development.
Community involvement.
Leadership training.

Family Development Services

Family development work empowers the family and is based on the notion that families are competent to make choices that are good for them. Metro's approach focuses on respecting people's autonomy and their personal, familial, and cultural boundaries.

SDG&E CARE program.
Emergency food and clothing.
Christmas adopt–a–family.
Disability services outreach.
Educational resources.
Family counseling.
Individual counseling.
Family development activities.
Strength–based services.

Youth Development Services

Metro's hope is that we will build services that will successfully see youth in leadership, educational, and employment positions that lead to successful life and career opportunities. The purpose of our programs is to provide the best quality of service to young people through high quality training, ongoing support, peer mentoring, career mentoring. Examples of services include:

Peer–to–peer mentors.
Educational support.
Summer employment.
Recreational activities.
Counseling.
College activities.
Youth development activities.
Employment preparation, placement, and support.

Workforce Development Services

This department provides employment–focused services that include job readiness, job placement, unpaid work experience, on–the–job training and community service; Metro staff also strive to assist participants in finding appropriate occupational skill training. These services, in conjunction with the Youth and Family Development Departments, will ensure that the entire family is serviced and that they enter the road to self–sufficiency.

Job search assistance.
Resume preparation.
Job training assistance.
Job readiness.
CalJOBS enrollment.
Employment placement assistance.

Program Offices:

MySpot
2860 Market Street
San Diego, CA 92102
Phone: (619) 236–9922
Fax: (619) 236–9959

Chollas View Good Neighbor Center:
906 North 47th Street
San Diego, CA 92102
Phone: (619) 264–0368

Nestor Good Neighbor Center:
1120 Nestor Way
San Diego, CA 92154
Phone: (619) 429–0802

Services offered: Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/Alcohology) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2007 California Wildfires; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee
Updated Nov 30, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2507

Salvation Army, Kroc Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army Community Center
6845 University Avenue, San Diego, CA 92115
Phone (619) 287–5762
Web www.kroccenter.org
Hours Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; Salvation Army
Updated Nov 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2327

Salvation Army, SD Centre City Corps Community Center

Walk–in Resource

Salvation Army
825 Seventh Avenue, San Diego, CA 92101
Phone (619) 231–6010
Web www.sandiego.salvationarmy.org
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; Salvation Army
Updated Oct 28, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2324

Salvation Army, SD Citadel Corps Community Center

Walk–in Resource

Salvation Army
4170 Balboa Avenue, San Diego, CA 92117
Phone (858) 483–1831
Web www.sandiego.salvationarmy.org
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; Salvation Army
Updated Oct 28, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2325

San Diego Rescue Mission, Main HQ

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Relief, Community, Social Services, Shelter
San Diego, CA 92138
Phone (619) 687–3720
Web www.sdrescue.org
Serves San Diego County
Service Temporary

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Advocacy, Disabled/ Handicapped; Advocacy, Volunteer; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Counseling, Crisis Counseling, Volunteer; Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Intake, Volunteer; Counseling, Trauma Counseling Services; Counseling, Trauma Counselor, Volunteer; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Donations, In–Kind Donations Services, Corporate (Large); Donations, In–Kind Donations Services, Small Lots; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service, Large Item Donation Pickup; Drivers, Local Deliveries, Volunteers; Drivers, Local Pick–Up, Volunteer; Facilities: Laundry Facilities (For Disaster Survivors); Facilities: Laundry Facilities (For Volunteers); Facility: Community Center; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; First Responder, West Coast Region; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Food Pantry, Mobile Food Pantry; Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Garbage/Trash Bags, Plastic, Large, Heavy Duty Trash Bags; Garbage/Trash Bags, Plastic Lawn/Leaf; Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Hotline, Food Bank/Pantry Hotline (Find Emergency Food Help); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing (For Battered Women/Children); Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Jobs, Paying; * KITS, TOILETRY KIT w/Towel; Linens, Bedding, Sheets, Sheet Sets * (ANY/ALL Types, New or Clean/Gently Used); Meals * (ANY/ ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Hot Meals; Mental Health, Counselors/Psychologists; Paper, Paper

Plates (Retail Packages); Paper, Paper Towels (Rolls); Paper/plastic Cups (Retail Packages); Paper Plates/Plastic Utensils; Plastic Forks/Spoons/Knives; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Daycare, Adult / Senior Daycare Services; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Response; Services, Domestic Violence Intervention Services; Services, Family, Children, Emergency Child Care; Services, Laundry Services (for Disaster Survivors); Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Day Shelter; Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Shelter, Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Homeless, Mens Homeless Shelter; Shelter, Womens, Battered Womens Shelter; Shelter, Women's Shelter; Thrift Store; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteer, Volunteer Referral Services; Warehouse, Warehouse Space; Water, Bottles (8 oz.); Water, Bottles, (In Plastic, Gallons); Water, Bottles (Pallets)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; America's Second Harvest; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster), Associate Member/Informal Affiliation
Updated Nov 30, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2348

American Family Services 2

Walk–in Resource · Open

Government, Social Services
11565 Laurel Canyon Blvd, San Fernando, CA 91340

Phone 818.838.0023
Serves San Fernando, Los Angeles County, CA
Service Permanent

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Social Services, General Social Services
Updated Nov 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3890

Catholic Charities, Santa Rosa Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community
511 Kalisher Street, San Fernando, CA 91340

Phone 818–365–3194 / Fax: 818–365–4645
Web www.catholiccharitiesla.org/index.php?view=article&id=80
Serves San Fernando Valley
Checks payable to Catholic Charities
Service Temporary

Program Description

Establishing neighborhood community centers in the County of Los Angeles began in 1901 with the creation of Brownson House in East Los Angeles. There are numerous centers dispersed through the regions and located in areas of greatest need. Their location and contact information are listed below.

The centers provide case management and comprehensive social services as well as emergency assistance to the homeless and very low income individuals and families. The type of assistance depends on their needs and includes: food; clothing; temporary shelter; utilities assistance; transportation; public benefits assistance; job training; employment referrals; medical referrals; and special holiday activities. The goal is to empower people to become more self–sufficient and independent.

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Health Referrals; Case Management, Homeless; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; Catholic Charities Community Services; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Jul 31, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3885

San Fernando First United Methodist Church (Food Pantry & Treasure Box)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
1525 Glenoaks Blvd.; (Corner of Harding), San Fernando, CA

Phone (818) 365–3156, (818) 269–9143 or (818) 571–6912
Web www.thetreasurebox.org/index.php
Serves Northeast San Fernando Valley
Eligibility ANYONE
Bring Proof of Zip Code only
Service Temporary

FOOD PANTRY DETAILS:

The food pantry is generally open to the public with zip code proof only requirement (they want to serve NW San Fernando Valley residents) every 3rd or 4th Friday of each month. You must call ahead to pre–register for free box of food that will last 2–3 days. They have frozen perishables and non–perishable foods.

The next pantry date will be 9/25/09 from 5:30–7:30 pm

See the San Fernando Valley Sun article dated 8/19/09 about the Food Pantry at:

http://www.sanfernandosun.com/sanfernsun/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=4049&Itemid=2

San Fernando First United Methodist Church facebook page:

http://www.facebook.com/pages/San–Fernando–CA/First–United–Methodist–Church–of–San–Fernando/8375179363

THE TREASURE BOX DETAILS:

http://www.thetreasurebox.org/index.php

The Treasure Box provides local families and individuals with a great tool to assist in stretching monthly food budgets – a pre–assembled box of popular and nutritious grocery food items worth between $65–100 that can be purchased for only $30.

Each box contains 21–25 pounds of high quality, frozen foods including chicken, pork, beef or seafood, in addition to vegetables, fruit, a side dish and a dessert. A family of four can eat these delicious foods for nearly a week, while an individual can dine on these fares for nearly a month!

You must pre–register and pay on their website. If you do not pick up your Treasure box it will be donated to a needy family. ANYONE, no matter your income or circumstances is eligible for this great program!!!

Order Deadline: Wednesday, September 9, 2009
Pick Up Date: Saturday, September 26, 2009
NOTE: Deadline dates change for each month. This is an ongoing program year round.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Holiday, Food Boxes/Basket, Misc.; Food, Fresh, Vegetables * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Frozen, Meat ** (ANY/ALL Types of Frozen Meat, Poultry, Fish, etc.); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Services, Church/Worship Services
Updated Sep 6, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4483

St Gregory's Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church – Food Bank
500 De Haro St., San Francisco, CA 94107
Phone 415–255–8100
Web www.saintgregorys.org/Community/Outreach/FoodPantry/BePart.html
Hours 2 pm, F, PST
Service Temporary

Friday
2:00PM – Food Pantry 9:00AM – 4:00PM Volunteers Welcome

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Food Pack, 3–4 days, 2–3 people; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Nov 30, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1635

Catholic Charities, San Pedro Region

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community, Social Services
461 West 6th Street, #202, San Pedro, CA 90731
Phone (562) 862–5750
Web www.catholiccharitiesla.org/where–we–are/san–pedro–region.html
Serves So. Bay & Long Beach Communities
Service Temporary

Catholic Charities Counseling Services
The program provides access to affordable counseling services for individuals and their families, especially those who have limited or no financial resources, and provides support to Archdiocesan schools and parishes, especially in times of crisis. Counseling is available at four sites in Los Angeles and Santa Barbara counties: Pomona, San Pedro, Venice and Santa Barbara. Services include pre–marital and marital counseling, group therapy, crisis counseling, domestic violence counseling, assessment, information and referral.

San Pedro Region
461 West 6th Street, #202, San Pedro, CA 90731 (562) 862–5750

http://www.catholiccharitiesla.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=49&Itemid=53#counseling

The San Pedro Region of Catholic Charities serves the South Bay and Long Beach communities by collaborating with citizens, local businesses and various nonprofit organizations. Programs focus on helping those in perilous financial situations, families experiencing homelessness, children and the elderly.

The San Pedro Region serves Artesia, Avalon, Bell Gardens, Bellflower, Carson, Compton, Cudahy, Downey, El Segundo, Gardena, Hawaiian Gardens, Hawthorne, Hermosa Beach, Huntington Park, La Mirada, Lakewood, Lomita, Long Beach, Los Angeles, Los Nietos, Lynwood, Manhattan Beach, Maywood, Norwalk, Paramount, Pico Rivera, Rancho Palos Verdes, Redondo Beach, San Pedro, Santa Fe Springs, South Gate, Torrance, Vernon, Whittier and Wilmington.

Community Partners
Multi–Service Center for the Homeless

The Multi–Service Center for the Homeless (MSC) is operated by the city of Long Beach, Department of Health and Human Services, with 12 co–located nonprofit agencies. The MSC is designed to provide one–stop access to resources for individuals and families experiencing homelessness within the city of Long Beach. The MSC serves as the point of entry for homeless services city–wide, providing a wide range of services from basic amenities of shower, laundry, mail and message center, to street outreach, van shuttle, transportation, childcare, medical care, mental health services, substance abuse treatment, HIV/AIDS outreach, integrated case management and housing coordination. The MSC mission is to provide comprehensive supportive services to promote progress toward permanent housing and self–sufficiency, by creating a community where health, safety and well–being are established.

1301 West 12th Street Long Beach, CA 90813
(562) 733–1147

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Advocacy, Disaster Survivors; Advocacy, Domestic Violence; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How To, File Disaster Unemployment Claims; Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Childrens Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Health Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, Homeless; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Case Management, Mental Health; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Counseling ($ NOT FREE) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling, for Caregivers; Counseling, Group Counseling; Counseling, Group Counseling for Seniors; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group for Caregivers; Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Counseling, Trauma Counseling Services; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Immigrants; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Facilities: Laundry Facilities (For Disaster Survivors); Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Hotline, Health Information/Resource Hotline; Medical, Non–Emergency Medical Services; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Emergency Services; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Education, Parenting
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; Catholic Charities; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Dec 21, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3935

Hosford Counseling and Psychological Services Clinic at UCSB's Gevirtz School

Walk–in Resource · Open

Crisis Counseling
Phelps, Santa Barbara, CA

Phone (805) 893–8064
Web education.ucsb.edu/Graduate–Studies/CCSP/clinics–and–centers/hosford.html
Serves Santa Barbara County, CA
Eligibility Residents impacted by the 5/09 Jesusita Wildfire
Service Temporary

SOURCE: Santa Barbara Independent
Counseling for Fire–Related Trauma
UCSB Psychological Services Clinic Offering Free Therapy
Thursday, May 7, 2009
By Sam Rolens

The Hosford Counseling and Psychological Services Clinic at UCSB's Gevirtz School has announced that it will be offering free counseling for those affected by the Jesusita Fire. The clinic was established to provide low–cost, individual, couples, and family

therapy. The training site for psychology students is now happy to open its doors to individuals or families suffering emotional trauma in the wake of the latest fire.

For information on these services, learn more about the Hosford Clinic online or call (805) 893–8064.

Counseling Services
Hosford Counseling and Psychological Services Clinic
The Hosford Counseling and Psychological Services Clinic is offering three free counseling sessions to individuals and families affected by the fires in Southern California through February 1, 2009. For more information about this offer call 805–893–8064. The Hosford Counseling and Psychological Services Clinic is a university–based community clinic that provides low–cost individual, couple, family, and group psychological treatment to the central coast community and serves as a training site for students in the Department of Counseling, Clinical, and School Psychology (CCSP) at the University of California, Santa Barbara. This offer is available on a first–come first–served basis and is subject to the availability of our clinicians. After the third session individuals will be provided with referral information for on–going treatment or may continue to be seen at the Hosford Clinic.

The Hosford Clinic website is:
http://education.ucsb.edu/Graduate–Studies/CCSP/clinics–and–centers/hosford.html

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; 2009 Central Pacific Coast Jesusita Wildfire
Updated May 17, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4348

Jesusita Wildfire – Information Kiosks

Walk–in Resource · Standby

City
See Notes, Santa Barbara, CA

Serves Santa Barbara County, CA
Eligibility Residents impacted by the 5/09 Jesusita Wildfire
Service Temporary

5/8/09 9 am update from KEYT3 News

Direct Relief International will be distributing particulate masks to the public today. They will distribute the masks from Noon until 3pm today at the following two locations :

Information Kiosk at Loreto Plaza on the corner of State St. and Las Positas
Information Kiosk at Lazy Acres Market 302 Meigs Rd. near Cliff Dr. on the mesa.

Information Kiosks

The city of Santa Barbara has set up public information kiosks in the following locations:

» Paseo Nuevo (State and De La Guerra streets)

» Loreto Plaza (State Street and Las Positas Road)

» Scolari's Food Co. (222 N. Milpas St.)

» Lazy Acres (302 Meigs Road)

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Masks, Face Masks, N95 (w/Respirator/Cartidges)
Campaigns: 2009 Central Pacific Coast Jesusita Wildfire; Government, City/Town Agency
Updated May 17, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4345

LTRC, Santa Barbara, Tea Fire (VOAD)

Walk–in Resource · Open

LTRC Disaster Recovery
2707 State St, Santa Barbara, CA

Phone 805.687.1331
Hours 9:00 am – 5:00 pm M – F
Serves Santa Barbara County, CA
Eligibility Residents impacted by the 11/08 Tea Fire
Service Temporary

Local Red Cross to Begin Distribution of Tea Fire Response Funds
By Marjorie Wass | Posted on 01/13/2009

More than $400,000 has been donated to help residents affected by the November blaze.

The Santa Barbara Tea Fire Response Fund, a collaborative community partnership formed in the days after the Tea Fire that began Nov. 13, 2008, is ready to begin reviewing and disbursing donated funds, which total about $405,000.

Residents affected by the fire who seek assistance must apply at the American Red Cross–Santa Barbara County Chapter, 2707 State St. in Santa Barbara, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Applicants should bring proof that their house was burned down or damaged, or that they have been adversely affected by the fire. Examples include a driver's license with the destroyed home's address, or utility correspondence sent to the address. All applications are confidential.

The Red Cross has offered to provide the case management service. Residents who already have applied to Red Cross do not need to apply again. A case manager will meet with residents to discuss unmet needs. To set an appointment, call Pamela Voge at 805.687.1331.

Tea Fire Response Funds will be distributed based on a two–tiered system where a public–private partnership of agencies and officials will provide screening at the social worker/case manager level and an oversight committee of local leaders will provide direction and assurance that all monies are used appropriately. United Way of Santa Barbara County is acting as the fiscal agent, handling the monies for the fund. United Way is not charging for this service, and 100 percent of the donations will go for services to Tea Fire survivors.

The Tea Fire Response Fund is committed to the long–term recovery of the community.

Disbursements will be made throughout the year as needs of survivors continue to be identified.

Disbursements will be made on a quarterly basis until all funds are disbursed, no later than Dec. 31.

The first checks will be distributed in March and every three months thereafter. It's a tentative schedule and may be adjusted based on what the screening subcommittee and oversight committee determines are the most pressing short–term, midterm and long–range needs of the community.

Tea Fire Response Fund Oversight Committee

» Janet Stanley, CEO, American Red Cross–Santa Barbara County Chapter
» G. Paul Didier, President & CEO, United Way of Santa Barbara County
» Ron Gallo, President & CEO, Santa Barbara Foundation
» Marty Blum, Mayor, City of Santa Barbara
» Salud Carbajal, Supervisor 1st District, County of Santa Barbara
» Les Carroll, General Manager, KZSB AM 1290
» Michael Granados, CEO Smith Media, KEYT3 Santa Barbara

Tea Fire Fund Screening Subcommittee

» Brian Clark, Catholic Charities
» Louise Kolbert, Director of Emergency Services, American Red Cross–Santa Barbara County Chapter
» Tom Reed, Unity Shoppe
» Brett Williams, Direct Relief International
» Jay McAmis, County Office of Emergency Services
» Joe Woodruff, Lions Club
» Ed Lamb, First Southern Baptist Church
» Justin Haagen, ServiceMaster
» Geri Ventura. MERRAG/Montecito Fire Department
» Michael Williams, Wildland Residents Association
» Joel Goforth, United Way of Santa Barbara County
» Gracie Huerta, City OES/SBFD
» Jim Rivera, Santa Barbara Foundation

Marjorie Wass is a publicist.

FOR IMMEDIATE DISTRIBUTION
Contact: Pam Voge - Long Term Recovery Coordinator
687–1331 ext. 107

"Tea Fire Victims Need Specific Items", says the
Long–Term Recovery Committee
Santa Barbara 'Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster'

(VOAD) Seeks Support for Tea Fire Victims from the
Business Community
Thursday, Februay 5th, 2009

The families and individuals impacted by the Tea Fire are currently experiencing different needs than immediately after the disaster. A change of clothes, a toothbrush and some shampoo was all some could think about as they tried to process what had happened to their lives.

Now the need is becoming more specific: a computer to help communicate with piano students; replacement tools so a general contractor with no insurance can get back to work; a catering company that lost everything; etc., etc.

The Long Term Recovery Committee of the VOAD has a limited amount of funds to meet the many needs. The desire is to help make the money stretch so everyone can be helped.

If you operate a business that could donate or discount useful items of any kind to qualified victims of the Tea Fire, please contact Pam Voge at the Red Cross ….687–1331 ext. 107.

Participating Agencies:

American Red Cross, Santa Barbara County Chapter
Santa Barbara Foundation
Second Harvest Food Bank
Catholic Charities
Unity Shoppe, Inc.
United Way
Direct Relief International
Montecito Fire District Merrag
County Office of Emergency Preparedness
Service Master
Santa Barbara City Fire Department
Salvation Army

Services offered: Case Management, LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Disaster Fund; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Services, Disaster Recovery
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; 2009 Central Pacific Coast Jesusita Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Catholic Charities; Government, City/Town Agency; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, State/County; Lion's Club; Salvation Army; United Way; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated May 8, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4344

Boys & Girls Clubs of Santa Monica

Walk–in Resource · Open

1220 Lincoln Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90401
Phone 310.361.8500 or info@smbgc.org
Web www.smbgc.org
Service Temporary

Support for the 2025 Wildfires –
https://www.smbgc.org/fire–updates/
Los Angeles Fires Updates for Club Families

Our community is grappling with loss and uncertainty due to devastating fires across LA. We need your help to keep supporting local kids.
Your support helps us continue carrying out our mission and adapting to meet the emerging needs of kids, teens, and families.
The best way to make a difference is to make a donation today.
https://www.smbgc.org/recovery/

LOCATIONS –
https://www.smbgc.org/locations/

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https://www.smbgc.org/get–involved/in–kind/
Support Boys & Girls Clubs of Santa Monica with an In–Kind Donation!
Support our mission with an in–kind donation of snacks to our Club members.

Make a snack donation to via our Amazon wish list and help us provide delicious snacks to hungry kids across our Clubs! Your purchases will be delivered right to our offices to be distributed to all our Club locations.

Browse our Amazon wish list
https://www.amazon.com/registries/gl/guest–view/2YEWGUWURNF9T

We appreciate your support in providing after school snacks for all our members!

**Services offered:** NEEDS, Wishlist Available online; Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth, Leadership Development
**Campaigns:** 2025 California Wildfires; Boy's & Girl's Club
Updated Jan 24, 2025 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10713
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Rim Family Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Based Non–Profit
28545 Highway 18; On Highway 18, 50 yards west of Kuffel Canyon, Skyforest, CA 92385
Phone (909) 336–1800 • fax (909) 336–0990
Web www.rimfamilyservices.org
Serves San Bernardino County
Service Temporary

Rim Family Services

11/8/07 UPDATE– Rim Family Services in Skyforest is open! Our Mobile Resource Center is back on our regular schedule, the thrift store is open and we remain committed to help our community with crisis counseling, and referrals. Please come by or call us if you need help or have any questions at 909–336–1800.

For information to help you and your family
cope with the aftermath go to:

http://www.rimfamilyservices.org/resources.html

Rim Family Services is a community based, non–profit 501c3 Agency, formed in 1991 to develop and implement programs and services which will address the diverse mental health, counseling and education needs of individuals and families who reside in the Rim of the World Unified School District.

The Agency is located at 28545 Highway 18 in Skyforest, midway for all Rim residents. To contact the Agency, please call (909) 336–1800.

The Agency is governed by its Board of Directors who represent the several Rim Communities and various areas of Professional and personal expertise and interest.

Services offered: Counseling, Crisis Counseling
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2501

Maithri Buddhist Meditation Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Service
10819 Penrose St, Sun Valley, CA 91352
Phone (818) 768–9382, hassinal@gmail.com
Service Temporary

(Old notes from Sayre Fire 10/08)

Craigs List:

10/31 09:56:16

The Maithri Buddhist Meditation Center in Sun Valley in the
San Fernando Valley is collecting items. Address is given
below. All items collected will be sorted and taken to one
of the donation centers or distributed directly to victims ––
last weekend volunteers dropped off several boxes at the San
Bernardino County Collection Center. We are also accepting
canned foods (please make sure expiry date is current).

Address: 10819 Penrose St., Sun Valley, CA 91352 (818) 768–9382
You could email me: hassinal@gmail.com

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, In–Kind Donations Services, Small Lots
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires
Updated Sep 6, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2390

Sunland Senior Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Senior Services
8640 Fenwick, Sunland, CA
Phone 818–353–1413
Serves Sunland, Lake View Terrace, Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Seniors / Impacted by the Marek/Sayre 2008 Wildfires
Service Temporary

Sunland Senior Center (Meals on Wheels Programs/Congregate Senior Feeding):

The Sunland Senior Center offers lunch at 11:20 A.M. Mon.–Fri. (The cost is a $2.50 donation), as well as Movie Day and Senior Exercise activities on a weekly basis (Mondays & Fridays). If you are homebound and need home delivered hot meals, call the Senior Center and anyone who answers can assist you in signing up for their Meals on Wheels program.

Address: 8640 Fenwick, Sunland, CA 91040
Services: Home Delivered Meals on Wheels, Sr. Activities, Congregate Lunch Meals
Phone: 818–353–1413

Services offered: Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Facilities: Senior Center; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals (Elders/Seniors); Meals, Home Delivered Meals (For Seniors/Elders); Meals, Lunches (Hot); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; Meals on Wheels
Updated Dec 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3978

Councilmember Richard Alarcon's Office – Sayre/Marek Wildfires '08

Walk–in Resource · Open

City
13517 Hubbard Street, Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone Office: 818.756.8409 / Fax: 818.362.4857
Web www.lacity.org/council/cd7/contact.htm
Serves Sylrmar, Lake View Terrace, Pacoima, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Citizens of Council District 7 / Impacted by the Marek/Sayre '08 Wildfires
Service Permanent

Councilmember Richard Alarcon's office is providing financial assistance and case management for folks impacted by the 2008 Marek/Sayre Wildfires.

You can either come into the office to complete an assistance form for financial help/intake assessment (to clarify your needs), or call the office at: 818.756.8409

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Medical, Equipment, Assistive Devices * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires
Updated Jul 14, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3989

Food Pantry, Los Angeles County, NE San Fernando Valley – INDEX

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
SEE NOTES, Sylmar, CA

Phone SEE NOTES
Serves Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Impacted by the '08 Sayre/Marek Wildfires
Service Temporary

Sylmar Area Food Pantries:

San Fernando First Methodist Church
1525 Glenoaks, Blvd. (Corner of Harding)
San Fernando, CA 91340
Contact: If you or your family needs food, you can register for the Food Pantry by calling (818) 365–3156, (818) 269–9143 or (818) 571–6912 or visiting the church office
Pantry Hours: Generally every 3rd or 4th Fri. of the mo. Call ahead for schedule & registration
Treasure Box: 1x/monthly, $100 worth of protein foods (frozen meats/non–perishable foods) can be purchased if you pre–register online at: www.thetreasurebox.org (If treasure box is not picked up it's donated to a needy family)
Also see CAT Facility record at:

Eliza Shanks Homes, Inc.
13055 Weidner Street, Pacoima, CA 91331
Contact: Austin Shanks. Director
Phone: 818–335–1233
Eligibility Requirements: (Call ahead for assistance/appt.)
Available: Canned/Frozen Foods
Pantry Hours: (Call ahead for an appt.)
Also see CAT Facility record at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4005

Food Net/Santa Clarita Service Center
24271 San Fernando Road, Newhall, CA 91321
Contact: Brenda Mendoza, Director – Alex Guijaro (Case Managers)

Eligibility Requirements: Proof of income, picture ID that matches a utility bill)
Phone: 661–254–0070
Pantry Hours: Tuesdays & Fridays – 11:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.
(Also see CAT Facility Record for this site at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4002)

JFS/SOVA Community Food & Resource Program
16439 Vanowen Street, Van Nuys, CA 91406
Phone: 818–988–7682
Eligibility Requirements: 1st time visit, photo ID for recipient & all family members living in same household)
Pantry Hours: Every Sunday 9:00 A.M. - 11:45 A.M.
Also see CAT Facility record at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4006

Meet Each Need with Dignity (MEND)
10641 San Fernando Rd., Pacoima, CA 91331
Phone: 818–897–2443 or 818–896–0246
Eligibility Requirements: Photo ID, proof of address (medical/insurance card works for children)
Food Bank Hours: Mondays, Tuesdays & Fridays – 9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.
Also see CAT Facility record at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2231

North Hollywood Interfaith Food Pantry
4390 Colfax Avenue, North Hollywood, CA 91604
Contact: Eve Marcus, Pantry Director
818–762–5778
Mondays & Fridays – 8:30 A.M. –1:00 P.M.

Our Redeemer Lutheran Outreach
8520 Winnetka Avenue, Winnetka, CA 91306
Contact: Edward Worland, Pantry Director / Alan Barbee, Asst. Pantry Director
Phone: 818–341–1629
Eligibility Requirements: Sayre Wildfire Families are welcome, bring your photo ID
Pantry Hours: Wednesdays, Thursdays & Fridays – 10:00 A.M. – 2:30 P.M. (Available 1x/month - If additional emergency food assistance is needed, call to make arrangements)
NOTE: They also have free hot lunches Thurs. & Fri. 12–1 PM, Clothing distribution, free Haircuts on Thursdays & Hot Showers during regular pantry hours
Also see CAT Facility record at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3958

St. Charles Church Service Center/Food Pantry
10825 Moorpark Street, North Hollywood, CA 91602
Contact: Vivian Bush
Phone: 818–766–3838
Pantry Hours: Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays – 9:00 A.M. – 11:45 A.M.
(Also see CAT Facility record at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4000)

St. Elisabeth Church Service Center/Food Pantry
6640 Cedros Avenue, CA Van Nuys 91405
Contact: Erica Hirugami
Phone: 818–782–1762
Area Served: Van Nuys (Accepting Sayre Fire Families)
Tuesdays & Thursdays – 11:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.
(Also see CAT Facility record at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4001)

St. Mary & St. Athanasius Coptic Church
17431 Roscoe Blvd., Northridge, CA 91325
Contact: Samia Hanna
Pantry Hours: 818–342–4414
(Call ahead for pantry hours of operation)

Tujunga United Methodist Church
9901 Tujunga Canyon Blvd., Tujunga, CA 91042
Phone: 818–352–1481
Eligibility Requirements: Photo ID (Accepting Sayre Fire Families)
Pantry Hours: Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays & 4th Saturdays: 11:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.
Clothes Closet: Fridays only 11:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.
(Also see CAT Facility record for this site at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3962)

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food, Canned, Meals * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes

to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Sep 6, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3938

St. Didacus Church (in partnership with Catholic Charities)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Recovery & Relief
14337 Astoria St., Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone (818) 367–6181
Web www.stdidacus.org/church/church.php
Serves Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Residents Impacted by the Sayre Wildfire 11/08
Checks payable to St. Didacus Christian Service Fund
Service Temporary

St. Didacus Assistance: is offered to all victims of the Sayre Fire. Prior to completing the St. Didacus Assistance Form all victims need to apply/register with FEMA at (800) 621–3362. Your FEMA number is a necessary to complete St. Didacus Assistance. The St. Didacus Assistance form is available in the Parish Office or you can download it here. Once completed turn into the Parish Office or it may be fax (818) 367–0604.

Monetary Donations to be given back to victims:

Checks can be mailed to

St. Didacus Church
14337 Astoria
Sylmar, CA 91342

Payable to St. Didacus Christian Service Fund.

Please see CAT facility record for Catholic Charities at:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2962

St. Didacus is partnered with Catholic Charities and is providing Case Management services for the Fall '08 Sesnon/Marek/Sayre Wildfires

Services offered: Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Gift Cards for Disaster Survivors; Donations, Disaster Fund; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Relief; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Housing/Shelter (Motel) Vouchers
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; CARe, Inc. (Community Assisted Recovery); Catholic Charities; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Hope Coalition America (A Division of Operation Hope); LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Providence Health Services; Salvation Army
Updated May 2, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3870

Sylmar Chamber of Commerce

Walk–in Resource · Open

Business Association
13867 Foothill Blvd. #104, Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone (818) 367–1177
Web www.thetransitcoalition.us/sylmarcc
Serves Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA
Service Temporary

Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires
Updated Nov 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3887

Sylmar Neighborhood Council

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Recovery/Community
13515 ½ Hubbard St., Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone 818–833–8737
Web www.sylmarneighborhoodcouncil.org/index.htm
Serves Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA
Eligibility Residents Impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire / Sylmar, CA Residents
Service Permanent

How to Help Sylmar Fire Victims

The SNC has been contacted by various thoughtful individual offering help. We would like to provide this update regarding the needs that we are aware of. Regarding donations: We do NOT need: clothing, food, hygiene kits or other household items. We are already overwhelmed with these donations.

How to donate: St. Didacus is collecting cash donations and gift cards to used for the needs of the persons directly impacted by the Sayre
fire:

St. Didacus Church, Parish Center Office, 14337 Astoria Street, Sylmar, 91342.
Contact: Lynda Carr.
Phone: 818–367–6181

Checks can be made out to the "St. Didacus Christian Service Fund" and are tax–deductible since we are a non–profit. The account is separate from the general Church account and audited.

(Please see CAT Facility Record for St. Didacus Church at:
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3870)

Also needed: new or used laptops for adults and students displaced by the fire. Please contact: Michelle Almanza; LA Lutheran School, Sylmar, cpc_spa2@yahoo.com

Services offered: Community Service Program; Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC), Unmet Needs Committee Meetings; Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee
Updated Apr 20, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3874

Inland Empire Response Center, Circle of Care (OC Rescue Mission)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
27711 Diaz Road, Temecula, CA 92590
Phone 951 200 0079
Web www.operationoc.org
Service Temporary

On October 29, OperationOC opened three Local Response Centers. We are providing food, clothing, gas cards, food vouchers and case management for as long as our resources last.

The stories of need from the evacuees are many. Today, two self–employed handy men who came in for assistance had to leave their work trucks and tools behind in the fire as they were evacuated without notice and thus had their work interrupted and pay stopped.

A young woman came in yesterday with her baby. She had been living at her boyfriend’s home in the canyon at the time of the evacuation. Through the stress of the fires her boyfriend left her and the baby to fend for themselves. She came to us in need of baby supplies, clothes for herself (she was wearing men’s clothes someone gave her) and food. When the fires are out and people are able to go home, she will still be without a home. We will continue to work with her at OperationOC.

We continue to be in need of funding to provide these services to our evacuees. We are asking for help from our funding partners. If you can help with funding, please call Jim Palmer at (714) 247–4301.

OperationOC is Orange County’s collaborative private/public partnership which has been re–activated to meet the needs of the Evacuees of the Fires Ravaging Southern California, involving more than twenty fires throughout the Counties of Orange, Los Angeles, San Diego, and the Inland Empire.

Led by the Orange County Rescue Mission, OperationOC has these non–profits as its partners.

Our current needs are non–perishable food items, grocery gift certificates, fast food certificates and gas cards. Please drop these items off at the Orange County Rescue Mission between 8:00 AM to 6:00 PM Monday through Friday, at One Hope Drive, Tustin, California, 92782. Additional information is available by calling (714) 247–4300.

Jim Palmer, President
OperationOC
Orange County Rescue Mission

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Gift Cards – Gas Cards (ie. Mobil, Texaco, Union 76, etc.); Vouchers, Food Vouchers
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 4, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2439

Tujunga United Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry, Clothes Closet
9901 Tujunga Canyon Blvd, Tujunga, CA 91042

Phone 818–352–1481
Web www.tumc.net
Serves Tujunga, Sunland, La Crescenta, La Canada, Montrose, CA
Eligibility Photo ID (Accepting Sayre Wildfires families)
Service Temporary

Bailey Human Care Center

We serve people in need of food every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

For clothes, we open our clothes closet every Friday from 10:00 A.M to 11:30 A.M.

Holidays are not open, yet we open every 4th Saturday from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM for the people who work during the week for food and clothes.

Photo ID required

(Also see CAT Facility record for Emergency Food Bank Index for So. Calif. Wildfires '08 at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3938)

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire
Updated Dec 24, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3962

Orange County Operation Rescue's "OperationOC"

Walk–in Resource · Open

Coalition/Disaster Relief
One Hope Drive, Tustin, CA 92782

Phone (714) 247–4300
Web www.operationoc.org
Serves Orange County, CA
Eligibility Residents Impacted by the Triangle Complex Wildfire 11/08
Checks payable to http://www.operationoc.org/donate/donate.htm
Service Temporary

Donate

To make a donation to Southern California wildfires, choose from the following options:

To Donate Online to Southern California wildfires go to:
https://www.rescuemission.org/1donate/online/donate.htm

To Donate by Mail:

Send a check to: One Hope Drive, Tustin, CA 92782

To Donate by Phone:

Local: (714) 247–4360

Always Needed Basics

Ready–to–eat food (cereal, powdered milk, canned meals, canned fruits, canned vegetables)
Infant care (diapers, baby wipes, baby Tylenol/Motrin, formula, diaper rash cream, thermometers)
Toiletries (bath towels, wash cloths, hand towels, toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, conditioner, soap, combs/brushes, deodorant, laundry baskets, laundry detergent, bandAids, Neosporin

Special Needs

We are in need of gift certificates to Target Stores, local restaurants, gas gift cards, and phone cards or the money to purchase them in bulk. If you can help with any of these items, please send us an e–mail.

To Donate Goods:*

Donations of gifts in kind may be dropped off at the Orange County Rescue Mission warehouse Monday through Friday, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

OCRM Warehouse: One Hope Drive, Tustin, CA 92782

*Note: We cannot accept used clothing.

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Gift Cards – Gas Cards (ie. Mobil, Texaco, Union 76, etc.); Shelter, Emergency

Shelter; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Food Vouchers; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 California Wildfires; 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; America's Second Harvest; Catholic Charities; CERT (Community Emergency Response Team); Feed The Children; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; United Way
Updated Nov 23, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2302

Ukiah Community Center & Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Food Bank & Food Services
888 North State Street, Ukiah, CA 95482

Phone	(707) 462–8879 Fort Bragg (707) 961–6363
Web	ukiahcommunitycenter.org/FoodBank.asp
Checks payable to	Ukiah Community Center Food Bank

Ukiah Office
888 North State Street
Ukiah, CA 95482
Phone: (707) 462–8879
Fax: (707) 462–0654

Fort Bragg Office
253 McPherson
Fort Bragg, CA 95437
Phone: (707) 961–6363
Fax: (707) 961–6367

Hours of Distributions:

Tuesday: 9 am to 12 pm–Seniors and Disabled Persons
1 pm to 4 pm – Emergency Distribution

Wednesday: 9 am to 3pm – General Distribution

Saturday: 10 am to 2 pm – General Distribution

Emergency Food Assistance Program (EFAP) – Food distributions of government United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) food for low–income residents of the Ukiah Valley. Food is supplemented from local donations and food from the network America's Second Harvest.

Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) – An exciting opportunity to target food specifically for Mendocino County senior citizens and children six and under, implemented in cooperation with the local Women Infant and Children (WIC) program. UCC Food Bank delivers these specialized food boxes to outlying areas to prevent the most vulnerable in rural areas from going hungry.

America's Second Harvest (A2H) – Ukiah Community Center Food Bank is proud to be a contractor for the Redwood Empire Food Bank in Santa Rosa whose mission is to "Create a Hunger–Free America." Food and grocery products are shared and distributed.

Food Closet – Food is provided on non–food distribution days for people who need food immediately and have been unable to come to the regularly scheduled food distribution.

Holiday Sharing Project – Christmas and Thanksgiving Food Baskets are given out each year to those who sign up in advance, in collaboration with other local efforts. The food baskets include all of the typical ingredients found in holiday meals in the United States.

We would like to thank everyone who donates to the UDJ Food Bank Fund Drive and to the Community Center throughout the year. The drive is fast approaching again. All of your support will enable us to keep providing for the families in need this year. Your support is very appreciated.

This summer, we celebrated 36 Years of service to our ever–changing community. The UCC has become the community's agent for helping thousands of people in this area to meet urgent needs and develop self–sufficiency. We work in partnership with many local agencies to address the causes and effects of poverty and other forms of distress. We provide assistance to members of the Ukiah and Mendocino Coast communities. As a result of our affiliation with the Coast we are now collectively known as the "Community Resource Centers of Mendocino County" but continue to do business as the Ukiah Community Center.

While the UCC began with a mission enriching personal and community life, its programs have increasingly been driven by the pressures of poverty. Our mission translates into saved lives and changed lives. Our mission is "Providing Community Assistance to meet urgent needs and promote self–sufficiency. We are striving to end hunger and homelessness in Mendocino County."

The number of people seeking food, shelter, and related support has exploded. The Food Bank now serves 3,000 people onsite and another 2,500 through 12 remote locations and 3 pantries around Mendocino County.

We are a non–profit organization that offers a combination of temporary assistance, information and referrals, and supportive programs. We help people develop solutions to the challenges of crisis and poverty. Our services include a Day Shelter, food aid, emergency housing, crisis intervention, case management, and referral to community services. Part of Mendocino County's Continuum of Care the Fort Bragg and Ukiah Community Centers are proud to be offering critical services to the less fortunate citizens of Mendocino County.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Facility: Community Center; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/Elderly); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Holiday, Food Boxes/Basket, Misc.; Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Housing, Transitional Housing; Jobs, Paying; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Breakfast; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Day Shelter; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: America's Second Harvest; Homelessness Relief Services; TEFAP – Emergency Food Assistance Program
Updated Oct 7, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2125

St. Stephen Catholic Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
31020 Cole Grade Road, Valley Center, CA 92082

Phone 760) 749–3324
Web ststephenvc.org
Hours Call ahead for updated hours
Service Temporary

Spoke to Receptionist 11/7/07:

Hours this week are:

Tues. 11/7 & Wed. 11/8 5:30–6:30 p.m.
Sat. 11/10 8:30–10:30 a.m.

"We've had to reduce pantry hours due to low stock of supplies. Someone will cal you back with the details"

The Food Pantry at St. Stephen Catholic Church on Cole Grade Road will be open this week from 5 – 6pm Monday through Friday, and at their regular time on Saturday at 8:30am.

Services offered: Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 9, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2456

Catholic Charities, Loaves & Fishes II

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry, Clothes Closet
14640 Keswick Street, Van Nuys, CA 91405

Phone 818–997–0943
Web www.catholiccharitiesla.org/index.php?view=article&id=80
Serves San Fernando Valley
Eligibility Impacted by Poverty / Impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire
Service Permanent

This "Community Center" Catholic Charities site is a food pantry and clothing distribution serving the impoverished community of Van Nuys.

Services offered: Clothing, Men's, New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Support for "All" Disasters; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires; Catholic Charities; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Dec 21, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3884

JFS/SOVA Community Food & Resource Program

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Community Outreach
16439 Vanowen Street, Van Nuys, CA 91406

Phone 818–988–7682
Hours Every Sunday 9:00 A.M. - 11:45 A.M.
Serves Sylmar, Lake View Terrace, Van Nuys, CA (Including So. Calif. '08 families impacted by wildfires)
Eligibility 1st time visit, photo ID for recipient & all family members living in same household)
Service Temporary

Eligibility Requirements: 1st time visit, photo ID for recipient & all family members living in same household)

Pantry Hours: Every Sunday 9:00 A.M. - 11:45 A.M.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires
Updated Dec 25, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4006

St. Elisabeth Church Service Center/Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
6640 Cedros Avenue, Van Nuys, CA 91405

Phone 818–782–1762
Serves Van Nuys, Los Angeles County, CA / Also serving Marek/Sayre Wildfire families in need
Eligibility No requirements
Service Temporary

Pantry Hours: Tuesdays & Thursdays – 11:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.

This food pantry normally only serves Van Nuys, CA but is accepting Sayre/Marek fire families for emergency food assistance.

Also see CAT Facility Record for Emergency Food Index at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3938

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires
Updated Dec 24, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4001

San Bernardino County Waste Disposal Sites

Walk–in Resource · Open

County
various, see notes, CA

Service Temporary

According to the Solid Waste Management Division, refuse bins for spoiled and garbage will be located in Lake Arrowhead, Grass Valley, Green Valley and Running Springs at the following locations

Lake Arrowhead: Mary P. Henck Intermediate School; 730 Rhine Road.

Lake Arrowhead: Rim of the World High School; 27851 Hwy 18.

Lake Arrowhead Village: South parking lot near maintenance building.

Twin Peaks: Sheriff's Station parking lot.

Running Springs: Hoffman Elementary School; 22851 School Road.

Green Valley Lake: Northeast of Fire Station 129.

Services offered: Waste Disposal Site
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 1, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2399

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry, Hot Meals, Clothes Closet, Showers, Free Haircuts
8520 Winnetka Avenue, Winnetka, CA 91306

Phone 818–341–1629 (Pantry) / (818) 341–3460 (Church)
Web www.our–redeemer.org/HOME.asp
Serves Impacted by the Sylmar Sayre Wildfire 11/08 / Low–Income/Needy Families
Eligibility Valid ID (& photo ID for familiy members – for kids school ID's are acceptable) – Best to call ahead to verify requirments in advance – No new clients accepted on Thursdays
Service Temporary

OPEN 10:00 AM TO 2:30 pm, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

Emergency Pantry Food is offered once per month to needy recipients. If you have additional emergency needs (more frequent than once a month, call for details)

SERVICES OFFERED:

FOOD PANTRY, CLOTHING AND SERVICES FOR THE NEEDY

Hot meals (lunch) on Thursdays & Fridays 12–1 PM

Showers & Haircuts Wednesdays, Thursdays & Fridays 10 AM – 2:30 PM

No new clients on Thursdays (this is their busiest distribution day)

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Events, Social, Holiday Event * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Holiday, Food Boxes/Basket, Misc.; Haircuts, FREE Haircuts; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Lunches (Hot); School, Kindergarten; School, Pre–K, Pre–School; Services, Church/Worship Services; Services, Disaster Relief; Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Youth Program
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Dec 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3958

West Valley Food Pantry (Prince of Peace Episcopal Church)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Coalition, Food Pantries
5700 Rudnick Avenue, Woodland Hills, CA 91367

Phone (818) 346–5554 FAX: (818) 346–3349
Web popwh.org/newpop/min_food_pantry.html
Hours 5 days a week (Monday to Thursday from 10 am to 3:00) and 10 to Noon on Friday
Serves West San Fernando Valley, CA
Service Permanent

The West Valley Food Pantry is a coalition of eleven congregations located in the west San Fernando Valley providing emergency food to the needy and homeless in the area. It was founded in 1985 to make sure that the hungry, working poor and the homeless in the West Valley have access to emergency food. Although one of the largest pantries in the valley it is operated by a small organization of volunteers who serve balanced food packages to over 800 needy clients each month at our facilities.

We operate 5 days a week (Monday to Thursday from 10 am to 3:00) and 10 to Noon on Friday. We are located in the kitchen of the Prince of Peace Episcopal Church at 5700 Rudnick Avenue in Woodland Hills (91367), a block north of Burbank Boulevard, and a block East of Shoup. We also assist the Family Rescue Center (Rescate) in Canoga Park at 22103 Vanowen Street.

We provide over 220,000 meals to over 24,000 people, and every effort is made to assure that these meals provide a balanced and nutritious diet. All regular clients must register and show evidence of residence between Reseda Boulevard on the east and Rinaldi Street at the north, west to the Ventura County line and south to Fernwood in Topanga Canyon. Clients receive a monthly

food package and each package exceed 10 pounds; consisting of canned goods and non–perishables, balanced by fresh foods and are delivered at our cost of about 34¢ a pound. Albertson's, Ralph's, Trader Joe's, Pavilions, the LA Regional Foodbank, USDA, group collections and Food Drives (BSA, Businesses, Letter Carriers, Schools and others) are our sources.

Emergency food is available to anyone once a week under government requirements. Our registered clients receive a complete food package once a month. We also operate a "SENIORS" federally funded program from 9 to 11 am on the first Wednesday of the month. Seniors also registered as Pantry clients are also eligible for a regular Food Pantry package.

38% of our clients are the working poor or seniors on very limited income, 33% qualify for food stamps or are on Welfare, 19% have recent unemployment, and 10% are homeless or other. Our Volunteers serve about 2–1/2 hours, 1 day a month, purchase or take delivery of food shipments, stock shelves, validate client eligibility, maintain distribution records, occasionally shop for specials, buy and pick up food, as well as assist in the daily distribution.

Our meals cost from 24 to 40 cents depending upon contributions or about $81,000 of our budget, which is funded by contributions from congregations, service clubs, generous individuals, the National Charity League, and a FEMA grant. Operating and delivery costs are less than $4,000 (5%).

The West Valley Food Pantry is a coalition of eleven members founded by the Prince of Peace Episcopal Church. The following is a list of the 11 coalition members, the associated organizations and their contact information:

COALITION MEMBERS:

1) Canoga Park Presbyterian
email: office@cppc.org website: www.cppc.org
(818) 883–3510

2) Emerson Unitarian Universalist Church
email: office@emersonuuc.org website: www.emersonuuc.org
(818) 887–6101

3) First United Methodist Canoga Park
email: office@umccp.org website: www.umccp.org
(818) 340–2950

4) Prince of Peace Episcopal
email: office@popwh.org website: www.popwh.org
(818) 346–6968

5) Saint Luke's Lutheran
email: Office_saint_luke@sbcglobal.net website: www.stlukelutheran.com
(818) 346–3070

6) Saint Martin in the Fields Episcopal
email: info@st–martins.org website: www.st–martins.org
(818) 348–1419

7) Temple Kol Tikvah
email: execdir@koltikvah.org rabbioffel@koltikvah.org website: www.koltikvah.org
(818) 348–0670

8) Woodland Hills Methodist
email: deanschafer@dsl.extreme.com (until 2008)
(818) 346–6528 (KOREAN 346–1617)

9) Woodland Hills Christian
website: www.whcc–disciples.com
(818) 340–5613

10) Woodland Hills Community Church
email: whcc2000@aol.com website: www.whucc.org
(818) 346–0820

11) Woodland Hills Presbyterian
email: office@woodlandhillspres.org website: www.woodlandhillspres.org
(818) 346–7894

ASSOCIATED ORGANIZATIONS:

A) Family Rescue Center "Rescate"
email: Rescate1@pacbell.net website: www.rescatefamilycenter.org
(818) 884–7587

B) Valley Interfaith Council (VIC)
email: nbevins@vic–la.org website: www.vic–la.org
(818) 718–6460 Cambria Smith x3011

C) West Valley Food Pantry (WVFP)
website: popwh.org/newpop/min_food_pantry.html
Directory of Churches: www.churchangel.com
(818) 346–5554 FAX: 818)346–3349

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires
Updated Nov 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3892

Friends Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Recovery
5141 Lakeview Ave., Yorba Linda, CA 92886, Yorba Linda, CA 92886

Phone (714) 777–2875
Contact Tanya Modica
Email tanyam@ylfc.org
Web ylfc.org/cgi–bin/index.cgi?name=fireneed
Serves Yorba Linda, Orange County, CA
Eligibility Residents Impacted by the Triangle Complex Fire
Service Temporary

Fire Relief

NEED HELP?

If you or someone you know has lost a home or has been displaced due to the fires, Friends Church is here to help! We are able to provide assistance in the following areas:

Food
Clothing
Housing
Financial Assistance
Counseling
Legal Assistance
Insurance Consultations
Child Care

Prayer
The Gathering is a service of community and hope. Sunday, November 23rd at 9:00 am and 10:45 am. Located on our campus at:

5141 Lakeview Ave.
Yorba Linda, CA 92886

**We will be hosting a very special Thanksgiving Dinner at the Summit House Wednesday Night, November 26th from 4:00–7:00 pm. Please bring your families and let us provide you with a full Thanksgiving meal this holiday season!
The Summit House is located at:

2000 E Bastanchury Rd.
Fullerton, CA 92835

If you are in need of help, please contact us at 714.455.4209 or email us at tanyam@ylfc.org.

IMMEDIATE NEED

Sand Bag Project – Volunteers Needed!
Saturday, November 22nd from 8:00 am to Noon
Corner of San Antonio and Yorba Linda Blvd.

The City of Yorba Linda has asked that anyone who is available between the hours of 8:00 am and Noon please report to the corner of Yorba Linda Blvd and San Antonio to help sand bag the steep slope that to protect the houses as we expect rain by Wednesday. You just have to show up with work clothes and gloves!

CAN YOU PROVIDE HELP?

As we seek to come around the victims of this weekend's fires, we as a church, are banding together to provide support to those in need. If you are able to assist in any of the following ways, please contact Tanya Modica at tanyam@ylfc.org immediately:
Provide housing for displaced families

Providing supplies such as new clothing, food (only accepting gift cards) or financial assistance. You can make checks payable to "Friends Church" and put in the memo section: "Community Impact: Disaster Relief" and send those "Attention Tanya Modica."

–Provide Legal, Insurance, Counseling assistance
–Volunteer your time
–Provide us with information on families who have lost their homes

Gift Cards: Many victims need clothing, food, etc. We are accepting any type of gift card to help those in need. You can mail or drop gift cards off at the Church Office and send them "Attention: Tanya Modica."

Thanksgiving Dinner at the Summit House: We have had an overwhelming response of those of you who have offered to help with this dinner. THANK YOU! We are no longer in need of additional helpers in this area.

Putting Yard Signs around the city and at actual homes that have been lost. Here are the different ways you can be involved:

Groups: We would like to have people go out in groups with those who are able to help assess needs and console family members if they are on site, those who can put up the yard signs, and if possible, those who can take photos.

Individuals: We need people who can go out and place yard signs on corners and along streets to help get the word out to the community. **Those signs can be picked up at the church office (you will need a hammer and a staple gun). Please let us know by emailing us back the days/times you are available, your name, and contact information.

Flyers: We would like people to take a hand full of flyers and go to some of the surrounding Hotels/Motels and see if if they can hand them out to those families that might be staying there. The biggest part to emphasize would be the Thanksgiving Dinner we will be hosting next Wednesday, November 26th from 4:00–6:00pm on our church campus.

IMMEDIATE NEED: We are assembling Care Packages with the following stuff to be taken to homes:

Shovels
Gloves
Water
Box sifters
Masks
Snack bars

If you are aware of any individuals or families in need of counseling, please have them contact Ken Schemmer at kens@ylfc.org.

These are difficult times for everyone, with some devastated by the effects. It is in these times that it is so important for us to turn to our Father for the comfort, direction and peace so many are desperately seeking. We will all continue to lift this situation up in prayer and trust in the sovereignty of our Lord!

CONTACT INFORMATION:
Email Tanya Modica at tanyam@ylfc.org.

Mail Donations to:

Friends Church
Attention: Tanya Modica
18637 Yorba Linda Blvd
Yorba LInda, CA 92886
Campaigns: 2008 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 24, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3869

Occupy SanFrancisco (in support of Occupy Wall Street)

Walk–in Resource · Open

By the Federal Reserve Bank; 101 Market St. 94103, CA

Contact Site Manager: (510) 619–4378
Email occupysanfrancisco @ gmail . com
Web www.occupysf.com
Service Temporary

Live video and directions:
http://www.occupysf.com/livestream

Needs list (check website for updates!):

An exhaustive list of the physical items that we need – items to be removed as those needs are met:

Campground Logistics

* motorcycle batteries!
* inverters for the batteries!
* nearby bathrooms that are occupier friendly along with places to charge our communications team's batteries.
* an address where we can receive donations by mail
* water supply
* a public computer for members of the occupation
* 50 gallon trash cans

* 50 gallon preferable non–plastic waste bags
* fair trade coffee, filters
* shelving
* clipboard
* generator (quiet)
* tables
* cots, sleeping pads, mattresses
* ponchos
* trash bins
* chairs
* baby wipes
* bathroom (bluehouse, port–a–john, compost toilet)
* mop
* push broom
* laser printer toner for Hp 1200 series
* video/still camera for documentation
* pillow
* legal numbers
* personal care – toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, etc; for campers
* stakes
* photovoltaic generators, chargers, and batteries
* office space in this immediate area
* A LOT OF WOODEN PALLETS AND PLYWOOD TO ELEVATE THE CAMP FOR WHEN THE RAIN COMES

Communications

* batteries, power inverters, chargers
* 24/7 3g hotspot hotspot capabilities
* walkie talkies

Finance/Budget

* lockbox for cash
* notebooks

Arts and Entertainment

* art supplies
* colored pencils
* street chalk
* paint
* poster board
* sticks for signs

Medical

* medical supplies
* band–aids
* natural herbs
* herbal tinctures
* gauze
* toothpaste (fluoride free)
* local honey

kitchen working group

* big tubs for storage
* rubber maid bins
* non–disposable knives, forks, spoons, bowls, plates
* light for kitchen people
* cooler
* dry ice
* sawdust
* ziplocks
* heavy duty tin foil
* bleach (sustainable product preferred)
* vinegar
* dishwashing bins
* lanterns

* candles
* honey
* cutting boards
* good knives
* good selection of spices
* potatoes
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Garden

* gardening space, land nearby
* kitty pools
* organic soil, planting mix, and compost
* containers
* planting pots

Campaigns: Occupy Wall Street / Occupy America / Occupy Together
Updated Oct 3, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9000

Red Cross – Inland Empire Chapter

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross
CA
Phone (909) 888–1481
Web www.arcinlandempire.org
Service Temporary

per sdcounty site:

Red Cross Inland Empire chapter is taking:
Monetary or large vendor donations

Services offered: Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Donations, In–Kind Donations Services, Corporate (Large); Media, Online News Reports; Shelter, Red Cross Shelter Updates
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires
Updated Nov 1, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2395

CO

Aspen MouthMobile (free dental care for veterans)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Aspen, CO
Service Temporary

Services offered: Dental, Facility, Dental Clinic; Dental, Mobile Dental Clinic; Dental, Services * (ANY/ALL Types of Dental Services) ; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Services, Mobile Medical Unit/Clinic
Updated Nov 25, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9956

Emergency Family Assistance Association – EFAA

Walk–in Resource · Open

1575 Yarmouth, Boulder, CO 80304
Phone 303–442–3042
Web efaa.org
Hours M, T, Th, F 9:30 am - 4:30 pm W noon - 4:30 pm
Serves Boulder and Broomfield Counties
Service Permanent

Volunteer Opportunities –
http://efaa.org/index.php/Volunteer–Opportunities/

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Demographic Served: Families; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical Expenses; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); * KITS, TOILETRY/COMFORT KIT, NEW Items ONLY; Medical, Services, Eyecare Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online
Campaigns: Ending Extreme Poverty
Updated Sep 14, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6198

HospiceCare & Share Thrift Shop

Walk–in Resource · Open

5290 Arapahoe Ave., Boulder, Boulder, CO 80303

Phone 303.604.5353
Web hospicecareonline.org
Hours Monday through Sunday 10am — 5:30pm
Service Temporary

The HospiceCare & Share Thrift Shop is supporting those who've been displaced by the Fourmile Canyon fire with a $50 gift certificate, plus 50% off any additional household goods, clothing or furniture. You can help by spreading the word – and with a donation of needed items.

FROM THE SITE:

Shopping at the HospiceCare & Share Thrift Shop is fun; economical; conserves natural resources and supports compassionate end–of–life care, grief support, and education in our community. The shop features upscale, gently worn clothing, jewelry, furniture, household items, collectibles, books and DVDs—you name it and we probably have it. New merchandise is stocked daily and organized so you can find what you’re looking for. Our friendly sales staff will answer questions and assist in creating a memorable shopping experience.

Donations Accepted

Monday through Saturday
10am - 4pm
Sundays 11am - 4pm

Contact us to schedule pick–up for large items.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service, Large Item Donation Pickup; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Thrift Store
Campaigns: 2010 Colorado, Fourmile Canyon Wildfire
Updated Jun 18, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6404

JCC Boulder

Walk–in Resource · Open

3800 Kalmia Avenue, Boulder, CO 80301

Phone 303–998–1900
Web www.boulderjcc.org/Default.aspx
Eligibility Folks Impacted by the Fourmile Cyn. Wildfire
Service Temporary

FOUR MILE FIRE RELIEF
It is a mitzvah to give and a mitzvah to receive.

If you or someone you know is an an evacuee or would like to assist with the Four Mile relief effort, please contact Shari at shari@boulderjcc.org.
If you would like to donate a gift card, please send it to: Fire Relief Effort, Boulder JCC, 3800 Kalmia Avenue, Boulder, CO 80301–1827. Boulder JCC will be open Monday – Friday 9 am – 1 pm if you would like to drop off gift cards in person. Below is our Need/Donations list. If you have clothing to donate, you may drop it off at the Four Mile Community Store (see details below.) This website will be updated as we receive information, so please check back frequently.

NEED

* Gift cards for Target, Bed Bath & Beyond, Home Depot, Walgreens, Grocery Stores, Clothing Stores, etc.

DONATIONS

* Dining Room Set
* Gift Cards
* Clothing

ROOMS AVAILABLE

* Rooms available in Boulder homes
* Room available in Denver apartment

CONDOS FOR RENT

* 22nd & Canyon, Boulder
* McCaslin Blvd, Louisville

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types); School, Pre–School
Campaigns: 2010 Colorado, Fourmile Canyon Wildfire; Jewish Family Service; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In

Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Jun 18, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6405

LIBRARY, Main Boulder Public Library

Walk–in Resource · Open

1001 Arapahoe Avenue, Boulder, CO 80302
Phone 303–441–3100
Service Temporary

Computers reserved for people affected by the fire. Ask at the information desk to be admitted.

Monday – Thursday 10am – 9 pm
Friday – Saturday 10am – 6pm
Sunday – 12pm – 6pm

Services offered: Services, Tech, Computer Access
Campaigns: 2010 Colorado, Fourmile Canyon Wildfire
Updated Jun 18, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6377

Sunshine Fire Station – Volunteer Fire Department (MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES)

Walk–in Resource · Open

311 County Road 83, Boulder, CO 80302
Phone (303) 786–7731
Web www.sunshine–fpd.org
Service Temporary

2010 FourMile Canyon Fire

Mental health and grief counseling

Losing or incurring damage to a home can be disorienting, confusing and emotionally difficult for people. As a result, residents may desire some support and guidance in handling the uncertainties of what to do next and the grief associated with this loss. To help support residents returning to the burn area, Boulder County is offering counseling and support for individuals and families directly affected by the fire.

CLARIFICATION: At this time, mental health counselors and victim advocates are available in the reopened areas of the burn area for returning residents who want counseling and support services. The Mental Health Center for Boulder and Broomfield Counties has established a resource table near each of the security check points leading into the opened areas.

The following locations, which have been identified as future counseling centers, remain closed:

• Fourmile Canyon, Salina Little Church of the Pines
• Sunshine Fire Station
• Gold Hill Community Center

Victim Advocate services are also available at the Assistance Center, Boulder County Sundquist Building, 3482 N. Broadway (Iris and Broadway), Boulder. The assistance center is open Monday–Friday, 8 a.m.–6 p.m. Call 303–441–3560 for more information.

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Mental Health Services
Campaigns: 2010 Colorado, Fourmile Canyon Wildfire
Updated Sep 14, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6389

Connections 4 Life (Care & Share Food Bank Agency – Emergency Food for Survivors) – 2012 WALDO CANYON WILDFIRE

Walk–in Resource · Open

Colorado Springs, CO
Phone (719) 502–1422
Contact Connections 4 Life
Web Connections4LifeCenter.org
Serves El Paso County, CO
Service Temporary

Care & Share has appointed Connections 4 Life Center as one of the local Colorado Springs Food Pantries to assist families that are homeless due to the fire. We began providing food to fire victims Thursday the 28th. If you know of families that need assistance, tell them to contact us at (719) 502–1422 and we will provide emergency food. If you wish to help as a volunteer, please contact us via the "Get Involved" button on our website listed below.

Tax deductable donations can be made by mail to:
...
The Springs Church South

6436 South US Hwy 85/87 Suite R
Fountain, CO 80817

Make check payable to "The Springs Church South" and put "C4L–Fire" in the memo line of check.

For every dollar donated to the C4L Food Pantry, they provide $20 in retail food to our community!

Visit us at
Connections4LifeCenter.org
for more information.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution
Campaigns: 2012 Colorado – Waldo Canyon Wildfire
Updated Jul 3, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9209

El Paso County Disaster Recovery Center (Former Human Services Bldg.) – 2012 WALDO CANYON WILDFIRE

Walk–in Resource · Open

105 N. Spruce St; (Just West of Interstate 25, between Bijou and Kiowa Streets), Colorado Springs, CO
Serves El Paso County, CO
Service Temporary

A one–stop information and resource center to help residents and businesses affected by the Waldo Canyon fire has been set up by El Paso County officials on the west edge of downtown Colorado Springs.

The El Paso County Disaster Recovery Center is designed as a central location to answer questions and provide assistance on filing insurance claims, rebuilding homes, receiving grief counseling and the like. It will be open from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily beginning Saturday, and will remain open as needed over the next several weeks, except for closing July 4, said county spokesman Dave Rose.

The center has been set up in the former El Paso County Department of Human Services building at 105 N. Spruce St.; the building is just west of Interstate 25, between Bijou and Kiowa streets.

The building will be manned by representatives of several county and other governmental agencies, area nonprofits and private insurance companies, among others, Rose said. Deputy County Administrator Monnie Gore has been named operations director for the facility.

The center is patterned after those operated by the Colorado Department of Local Affairs, Rose said. Many people will have multiple questions about their situation, he said. If they want to repair their home, what kind of permits will they need? If they want to rebuild on the site, are rental properties and temporary housing available? For businesses, what kind of local, state or federal aid programs might be available?

The center is designed to help them get answers without a lot of running around, Rose said.
“What the state has told us is that these folks already have endured enough,” he said. “So anything you can do to avoid sending them from one phone number to another, or one location to another, is necessary.”

The former Human Services building had been closed since the agency relocated last year to the El Paso County Citizens Service Center on Garden of the Gods Road. County officials have spent the last few days opening it up and preparing it for use, Rose said.

As envisioned, people entering the Disaster Recovery Center will go to one of five “intake stations” where their needs will be determined; they’ll then be directed to various agencies, nonprofits and others who will occupy first–floor offices, Rose said.

On Friday morning, county officials were setting up 40 work stations with phones and computers, Rose said; even though the building had been closed, its information technology infrastructure remained intact.

While various county agencies, nonprofits and others will be inside, it’s possible some insurance companies — experienced in responding to such disaster situations — will have recreational vehicles set up in the building’s parking lot where they’ll work with their customers, Rose said.

Among various government agencies and nonprofits that are expected to be represented at the Disaster Recovery Center: El Paso County Public Health, the Pikes Peak Regional Building Department, Colorado Springs Utilities, AspenPointe, El Paso County Veteran Services, Peak Vista Community Health Centers, United Way, Discover Goodwill of Southern and Western Colorado and the Care and Share Food Bank for Southern Colorado.

A phone number and website for the recovery center are in the process of being established, Rose said.
Campaigns: 2012 Colorado – Waldo Canyon Wildfire
Updated Jun 30, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9207

YMCA of The Pikes Peak Region – 2012 WALDO CANYON WILDFIRE

Walk–in Resource · Open

316 N. Tejon Street, Colorado Springs, CO 80903
Phone 719.471.9790
Web www.ppymca.org

Service Temporary

YMCA DAY CAMP SERVICES BEGIN MONDAY, JUNE 25 FOR CHILDREN, AGES 5–12, OF FIRE EVACUEES

YMCA Day Camp services will be offered to children ages 5–12 of evacuees beginning Monday, June 25 on a space available basis at the following locations: Tri–Lakes, Meridian Ranch, Garden Ranch, Downtown and Southeast Family Centers. Registration can be completed at drop–off.

Updated Jun 24, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9183

YMCA of The Pikes Peak Region – 2012 WALDO CANYON WILDFIRE

Walk–in Resource · Open

YMCA
316 N. Tejon Street, Colorado Springs, CO 80903
Phone 719.471.9790
Web www.ppymca.org
Service Temporary

CAMP SHADY BROOK IS OPEN WITH ROAD ACCESS FROM COLOROADO ROUTE 67
Camp Shady Brook is open and for families dropping their children off today, use an alternate route due to the closure of Highway 24. From Castle Rock and Sedalia and take CO 67 for approximately 13 miles (turns into CR67). Turn right on W Pine Creek Rd / CR 40 and proceed for 3 miles. Turn left on S Platte River Road / CR 97 for approx 10 miles. Y Camp Road is right across from the Deckers General Store. Camp is safe from the fire and looking forward to spending time with Session 3 Campers! YMCA Camp Shady Brook is located at 8716 Y Camp Rd., Deckers, CO 80135 and info is at: http://www.ppymca.org/camp–shady–brook

MCA AND CITY–OWNED, Y–OPERATED RECREATION AND AQUATIC FACILITIES OPEN TO WALDO FIRE EVACUEES FOR SHOWERS AND RECREATION
The YMCA of the Pikes Peak Region is offering Waldo Canyon Fire evacuees use of all YMCA Family Centers and City–Owned, Y–Operated Aquatic and Recreation Facilities free access to showers and recreation with a driver's license and/or military I.D. These services are being offered during regular operating hours under the honor system on a space available basis . Browse this website for hours and locations. Updates will be posted here and on Facebook and twitter.

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WILSON RANCH SWIM LESSONS AND SWIM TEAM ARE RELOCATED TO COTTONWOOD CREEK RECREATION CENTER
Wilson Ranch Pool is closed until further notice due to the Waldo Canyon Fire. Swim Team and Swim Lessons are relocated to Cottonwood Creek Recreation Center. Click here for Cottonwood Creek Recreation Center location details: http://www.ppymca.org/ccrc–home

WILSON RANCH POOL IS CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
Wilson Ranch Pool is being evacuated as of 4:30 p.m., Saturday, June 23, and will be closed until further notice due to a fire burning in the mountains located west of the aquatic facility. Visit our other YMCA pools during regular operating hours.

Services offered: Facilities: Restrooms; Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp
Campaigns: 2012 Colorado – Waldo Canyon Wildfire
Updated Jun 24, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9187

Mountain Resource Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

11030 Kitty Drive Conifer, Conifer, CO 80433
Phone 303–838–7552
Serves Conifer, Evergreen, Bailey and surrounding mountain communities
Service Temporary

PROGRAMS –

* Community Support Services

Emergency help/referrals for food, clothing, utilities, employment, healthcare and housing

* Health Clinic & Services

Health Clinic for uninsured/publicly insured youth ages 0 to 20, CHP+/Medicaid enrollment, vision care, dental care, nutrition and health education

* Domestic Violence Intervention

Crisis help, individual and group counseling, shelter referral, advocacy

* Youth Services

Teen Leadership Council (TLC) in high schools, teen–written literary magazine, Alcohol and drug free events

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* How to Help

Volunteer
Help always needed

Donate
Donations appreciated

Thrift and Gift Store
Volunteer operated store that sells gently used clothing, household goods, toys and furniture.
All proceeds support MRC Programs

* Workforce Center & Life Skills

Resume & job search help, computer lab, financial management, education workshops

Mountain Community Veterans Coalition

* Community Disaster Relief

Central communications, assist First Responders, give aid to victims, provides response teams for support in local fires, blizzards, natural or man–made disasters/Volunteers needed for teams

* Fairplay Services

Job Assistance, Crisis Assistance Referrals, Parenting Classes, Domestic Violence Education

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Community Service Program; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Updated Sep 10, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6359

Goodwill Industries (COVOAD Member)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Admin. Offices: 6850 Federal Blvd., Denver, CO 80221
Phone 303–650–7700
Web www.goodwilldenver.org
Service Temporary

Commmunity Programs

Goodwill Industries of Denver has four major programs areas that combined, serve more than 30,000 people in our community each year. Through our programs the Good in You helps those in our community use their Will to Do to improve their situation and live a better life.

Program Highlights

* We provide career development programs to more than 20,000 teenagers annually
* We help 4,500 adults on government assistance get the training they need to get off welfare
* We provide meaningful retail employment for nearly 600 people throughout our community

Major Program Areas

* High school career development in community high schools
Goodwill employs teachers in 26 Denver public high schools who provide much needed career development assistance to teenagers. The goal of this program is to help teens formulate a career path of their choice and begin preparing for that career.

* Adult job training & placement in Adams and Arapahoe County
Goodwill serves over 4,500 adults annually through various programs that provide support for them and their families. This includes job training and placement and financial assistance to help those in need get off of welfare and get back on their feet.

* Work options for the disabled at Goodwill's corporate offices in Denver
Goodwill hires individuals with special challenges to work on contract projects with various organizations. This includes light assembly, sorting and packing projects. If you would like to learn more about hiring Goodwill to help with your special project – click here.

* Retail work & recycling programs throughout 18 stores and donation centers Goodwill's retail stores help provide funding for the programs listed above while providing affordable used goods to our community. They also provide great employment opportunities for those with barriers to work, as 75% of our 600 store employees are disadvantaged and/or disabled.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Special Needs; Jobs, Paying; Thrift Store; Training, Services, Employment / JobTraining ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Youth Program

Campaigns: Goodwill; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Sep 16, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6409

Connections (Larimer Ctr. for Mental Health) – 2012 HIGH PARK WILDFIRE

Walk–in Resource · Open

525 W. Oak St., Fort Collins, CO

Phone 970–221–5551
Web touchstonehealthpartners.org
Service Temporary

Health District of Northern Larimer County offers help on coping during and after the High Park Fire
BY NFN ON JUNE 19, 2012 · ADD COMMENT
A major event like the High Park Fire can create stress, anxiety and sadness for those both directly and indirectly affected.

These are normal feelings to experience when faced with such an abnormal and traumatic situation. People often underestimate the impact stress could have on them and their families and how much it can impact their health. Here are some common reactions people might experience in the days and weeks ahead – and some ways to build resilience.

Common reactions
• Anxiety, numbness or feeling powerless
• Feeling disoriented, difficulty making decisions or making poor choices
Sleeping problems, nightmares or changes in eating
• Sadness, depression and crying
• Irratibility and anger
• Physical problems (headache, stomach problems)
• Increased use of alcohol and drugs
• Fear about the future

Tips for coping
• Ask for help if you need it. If you are feeling overwhelmed, talk with someone. You can start with a trusted friend, relative or minister – or you may want to talk with a mental health professional, since they have special
training in how to help people cope with high stress. Asking for help is an important positive step for your future health. You can call Connections anytime (or walk in M–F, 8 a.m.to 4 p.m., at 525 W. Oak St., Fort Collins). Those directly affected by the fire can talk to a professional at an Evacuation Center or Disaster Recovery Center.
• Talk about it. Talking with others, especially friends and family, can relieve stress and build community.
• Take care of yourself. Eat (healthy foods are best), sleep, and get exercise. When you can, maintain your normal routines.
• Take things one at a time and break big things into smaller, doable tasks.
• Help others if you can.
• Avoid drugs and excessive drinking.

Helping children
Children and teens may have a variety of reactions and feelings to the fire. Behaviors to watch for include acting out; being aggressive, reverting to behaviors typical of a younger age (which is quite normal), avoiding play time, friends or normal summer activities; or competing for the attention of parents. Re–creating the situation in play is also typical for
younger children.

Tips for helping children cope
• Comfort them and reassure them they are safe. The younger the child, the less talk is necessary.
• Encourage them to share their feelings and concerns with you.
• Help them understand that there are no bad emotions, and a wide range of reactions is normal.
• Make a family emergency plan, which can be comforting.
• Monitor children's TV/Internet coverage of the fire; talk with them about what they are seeing and encourage
questions. Use words they can understand, be open and honest, and admit when you can't answer all of their
questions.
• Maintain normal routines as much as possible (bedtimes, meals).
• Help them identify caring, heroic actions, and help others when possible.

If people are feeling overwhelmed and need help coping, they can call Connections at 970–221–5551 or visit in person at 525 W. Oak St. in Fort Collins.

Services offered: Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Hotline, Crisis Hotline (For Survivors of Disaster)
Campaigns: 2012 Colorado – High Park Wildfire
Updated Jun 19, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9172

DISASTER RECOVERY CENTER (DRC) – HIGH PARK WILDFIRE (LOCATED: Colorado State University Campus at Johnson Hall)

Walk–in Resource · Open

County

Colorado State University's Johnson Hall Room #222; DIRECTIONS: http://maps.colostate.edu/#b=46, Fort Collins, CO

Serves Larimer County, CO
Service Temporary

The Larimer County Disaster Recovery Center, which will provide support, assistance, and resources for all victims of the High Park Fire, will be hosted at Colorado State University's Johnson Hall beginning Friday. The Disaster Recovery Center is a service of Larimer County.

Beginning at 7 a.m. Friday, June 15, the center will be open in Room 222 in Johnson Hall from 7 a.m.–7pm. weekdays and 9 a.m.–3p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. Designated free parking for users of the Disaster Recovery Center will be available in the meter parking lot just south of the Administration Building.
Services are coordinated by Larimer County and include information about temporary assistance, health and safety information, housing, counseling, mental health services and other services. CSU–employee specific information also will be available.

For more information about the services available, visit www.larimer.org beginning Thursday, June 14.

Services offered: Assistance, How To, Complete Forms/Applications for Disaster Assistance; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2012 Colorado – High Park Wildfire; American Red Cross; Government, County/Parish Agency; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center)
Updated Jun 19, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9167

House of Neighborly Services – HNS

Walk–in Resource · Open

565 North Cleveland Avenue, Loveland, CO 80537

Phone (970) 667–4939
Web www.honservice.org
Serves South Larimer County (R2J School District), south of Trilby in Ft. Collins to the Boulder County line, Drake to I 25.
Service Temporary

SERVICES:

Food Program

Educational Classes

Prescription Program

Utility Assistance

Emergency Shelter

Transportation Program

Special Medical Program

Special Programs

Resource Information and Referrals Program –
http://www.honservice.org/service_details.asp?ID=11

Clothing

Support HNS
You can always contact us to learn more about what our current needs are. Here are lists of both resource and volunteering needs that we have:

Resources Needed:
http://www.honservice.org/support.asp

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care); Vouchers, Medical, Prescription Vouchers
Updated Sep 14, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6395

Nederland Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

750 Highway 72 North, Nederland, CO 80466

Phone 303–258–9721
Web www.nederlandcommunitycenter.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Community, Recreation, Recreational Programs; Facility: Community Center; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Shelter, Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2010 Colorado, Fourmile Canyon Wildfire
Updated Jun 18, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6418

Nederland Community Presbyterian Church (FOOD PANTRY)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
210 W Jefferson St.; PO Box 467, Nederland, CO 80466
Phone 303 258 3579 message | 303 642 7227 pastor's office
Web nederlandcpc.or
Service Temporary

Nederland Food Pantry & USDA Food Distribution
http://nederlandcpc.org/Missions/FoodDistributions.dsp

Services offered: Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Services, Church/Worship Services
Updated Sep 14, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6360

Little Church in the Pines (Salina Little Church of the Pines)

Walk–in Resource · Open

414 Gold Run Road, Salina, CO 80302
Web salinachurch.blogspot.com
Service Temporary

SCHOOL HOUSE –
http://salinaschool.blogspot.com/

2010 FourMile Canyon Fire

Mental health and grief counseling

Losing or incurring damage to a home can be disorienting, confusing and emotionally difficult for people. As a result, residents may desire some support and guidance in handling the uncertainties of what to do next and the grief associated with this loss. To help support residents returning to the burn area, Boulder County is offering counseling and support for individuals and families directly affected by the fire.

CLARIFICATION: At this time, mental health counselors and victim advocates are available in the reopened areas of the burn area for returning residents who want counseling and support services. The Mental Health Center for Boulder and Broomfield Counties has established a resource table near each of the security check points leading into the opened areas.

The following locations, which have been identified as future counseling centers, remain closed:

• Fourmile Canyon, Salina Little Church of the Pines
• Sunshine Fire Station
• Gold Hill Community Center

Victim Advocate services are also available at the Assistance Center, Boulder County Sundquist Building, 3482 N. Broadway (Iris and Broadway), Boulder. The assistance center is open Monday–Friday, 8 a.m.–6 p.m. Call 303–441–3560 for more information.

9/13/10
http://blogs.westword.com/latestword/2010/09/boulder_fourmile_canyon_fire_update_county_providing_toilets_dumpsters_grief_counseling.php

9/11/10
Source:
http://www.dailycamera.com/fourmile–canyon–fire/ci_16054025

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Mental Health Services
Campaigns: 2010 Colorado, Fourmile Canyon Wildfire; Government, County/Parish Agency
Updated Jun 18, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6388

CT

Community Action Agency of New Haven, Inc. (CAA–NH)

Walk–in Resource · Open

781 Whalley Avenue, New Haven, CT 06515

Phone 203-387-7700
Web www.caanh.net
Service Temporary

Programs & Services:

Energy Assistance –
Energy Assistance Program – is a state and federally funded program which assists families in the New Haven region with fuel expenses. Applications are processed for town residents of New Haven, Hamden, West Haven, East Haven, and North Haven. This program is designed to provide Energy Assistance to individuals and families who meet the federal poverty guidelines with their primary source of heat. The program is accessible through intake sites scattered throughout New Haven and the inner ring of suburbs, and can also be accessed through New Haven Senior Cafes.

CAANH Energy Assistance program helps people who meet federal poverty guidelines with their heating bill. We make direct payments to companies providing natural gas, propane oil, wood or electric.

Weatherization –
This program is designed to increase the energy efficiency of homes and thereby reducing energy costs. This is a free program for those individuals or families who qualify. Those who qualify will be connected with a contractor who will perform the home weatherization.

Personal Finance –
Individual Development Accounts (IDA) – IDA matched savings programs provide education for 1st time homeownership, post secondary, and business entrepreneurial education. This includes a 10-week FDIC approved course "Money Smart" which offers basic information concerning credit repair, loans, budgeting, homeownership, retirement savings, and other financial issues. Participants receive training in how to acquire specific assets and guidance with the process of saving for and attaining their goal. Participants also receive intensive case management to help them thru any problems that may arise and to stick to their savings agreement. Participant's savings are matched 2 to 1 and between $500 and $1000 can be matched per calendar year.

Children & Families –
Food Pantry/ Diaper Bank – provides qualified families once a month with a bag of groceries and 20 diapers. The Food Bank and Diaper bank are accessed at the Main Site in New Haven.

S.M.A.R.T. Women

Manage Your Future (MYF)–
designed to provide summer employment for youth that gives them the best opportunity to develop the skills and competencies needed to move forward in life. Manage Your Future provides New Haven youth between the ages of 14 and 18 years old with meaningful employment opportunities at various worksites throughout the city. This six week summer program provides practical work experience, financial education, savings, planning, and employability skills training. Mandatory workshops based on workplace diversity, behavior, attitudes, and attire are integrated into job training sessions facilitated by area instructors from the human services, business, and academic fields. Participants work 25 hours per week, making weekly deposits towards their pre-set goal for asset acquisition. This program also incorporates a unique opportunity for youth participants to become financially educated by participating in the youth Individual Development Account (IDA) Program. At the end of the summer program, these youth have their savings of up to $500 matched, and used for educational expenses.

Other Services –
Medical Transportation – provides door to door transportation in a wheelchair equipped vehicle for medical, dental or therapeutic appointments to Hill Health patients to ensure that they keep their routine clinic appointments.

SEE WEBSITE FOR MORE DETAILS on qualifications!

Services:
Employment and Training, Energy and Heating Assistance, Weatherization, Individual Development Accounts, Financial Education, Eviction Prevention, Meals on Wheels, Food Pantry.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocacy, Womens Rights; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How To, Loan & Grant Application Assistance (Disaster Survivors); Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Case Management, Battered, Abused Women; Case Management, Long-Term Case Management; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Community Service Program; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Directories, Directory of Services, Statewide; Directories, Financial Assistance Programs; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Heating Fuel; Financial Assistance, Referrals, Temporary Financial Assistance Referrals; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Education; Grants, Housing, Housing Related; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Jobs,

Paying Jobs (For Disaster Survivors); Medical, Services, Transportation, Patient Transport Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Educational Services (See also Category for School); Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Employment, Job Counseling, Referrals & Placement; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Financial, Counseling, Mortgage–Foreclosure Problems; Services, Financial, for Folks w/Bad Credit (that want to get better); Services, For Folks Trying To Get Off Welfare; Services, Humanitarian Aid ; Services, Insurance Counseling (Seniors/Elders) ; Services, Legal Assistance; Services, Legal Assistance (For Low–Income Families); Services, Weatherization Services; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Business Skills; Training Classes, Communication Skills; Training Classes, Computers Skills; Training Classes, Education, 1st Time Home Buyer Education; Training Classes, Employment, Job Training (Elders/ Seniors); Training Classes, Financial Literacy; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management; Training Classes, Language Skills; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training Classes, Literacy Training; Training Classes, Trade Skills, Training; Training Classes, Vocational; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Transportation, Accessible (for Persons w/Disabilities); Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care); Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2010 New England Flooding; Connecticut Association For Community Action – CAFCA; Ending Extreme Poverty; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Tri–State LTRG (New England)
Updated Jul 28, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6062

New Haven, food distribution sites, 1 meal per child

Walk–in Resource · Open

New Haven, CT

Web www.nhregister.com/news/coronavirus/article/CT–school–districts–to–offer–meals–during–15132705.php
Service Temporary

See map about half way through the page at the link above
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 17, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10163

Bethesda Evangelical Mission (DONATION COLLECTION SITES in Connecticut)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Donation Collection Site
Wallingford, CT

Phone 203–676–2848
Web www.bemhaiti.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=30%3Adropoff–locations&catid=3&Itemid=11
Service Temporary

Dropoff Locations Due to the catastrophic lack of basic supplies in Haiti we have begun a massive collection of items such as non–perishable foods, over–the–counter medicines, and hygenic supplies. The collected items will be packed into containers and shipped to Haiti as soon as possible.

BEM is still looking for organizations or individuals to donate the use of containers and help to cover shipping costs. Call 203–676–2848 if you can help.

Stop & Shop – Route 5, Wallingford, CT White Oak Baptist Church – 20 N. Whittlesey Ave, Wallingford, CT First Baptist Church – Main Street, Wallingford, CT Maplewood Self Storage – 929 North Main Street Ext, Wallingford, CT Liberty Community Church – Route 5, North Haven, CT BEM USA Headquarters – 1075 North Colony Road, Meriden, CT The Volunteer Ambulance Corps – 41 Maple Street, Ellington, CT Church of Bethel – 239 Greenwood Avenue, Bethel, CT 06801
Contact: Stephanie
Phone: 203–830–9687 Holiday Bowl – 27 King's Highway, Groton, CT 06340
Contact: Marie Boyhan–Pedro
Phone: 860–445–6500 Wallingford Optical – Center St., Wallingford, CT 06492 Good News Christian Center – 5 John St., Wallingford, CT 06492 Praxis Church – Broad St., Meriden (across from Kohl's Plaza) First United Methodist Church – 15 Pleasant Street, Meriden
Contact: Valerie
Phone: 203–235–9620 (If you would like to use your location as a collection center – call 203–676–2848)
CT State Certified Relief Organization
BEM is listed as a Certified Relief Organization with the Governor's Office of the State of Connecticut.
Checks to "BEM" should be mailed to:
PO BOX 6060,Wallingford, CT 06492 99% of all donations go directly to relief efforts in Haiti
Emergency Supplies Collection InformationDropoff Locations Near You
List of Relief Items Needed MISSION UPDATE2009 Children's Christmas Dinner Live Facebook Feed
Please invite your friends to become fans of BEM here...
Please invite your friends to become fans of BEM here on facebook! We need your support and the support of as many as possible. We...Heartbreaking pictures...
Heartbreaking pictures...

Bethesda Evangelical Mission
www.bemhaiti.org
Bethesda Evangelical Mission, a Haitian ministry,

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Jan 20, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5064

Canada

Edmonton Animal Shelter, looking for supplies for Fire Evacuees, also lost pet list

Walk–in Resource · Open

Edmonton

Phone 780 229 2939
Contact humane society
Email ehs@edmontonhumanesociety.com
Web www.edmontonhumanesociety.com/support–ehs/fort–mcmurray–wildfires
Service Temporary

see more updates at the live link above

~ UPDATE ~ 13/05/16

Edmonton Humane Society

EHS continues to provide support to organizations helping Wood Buffalo evacuees and pets. EHS has supplied food, resources, and equipment, in addition to over fifty volunteers dedicated to pet care and enrichment at evacuation sites within the City of Edmonton. EHS has raised funds for disaster relief, and continues to serve as a donation site for the general public.

Proceeds raised by the Edmonton Humane Society in relation to the Fort McMurray Wildfires will be used to pay for relief efforts to assist animals that are affected. Any funds raised in excess of our fundraising goal may be directed to the Edmonton Humane Society's Sick & Injured Animal Fund.

Alberta SPCA

ANIMAL RESCUE UPDATE

Friday morning numbers from the Fort McMurray People and Animal Reunion Centre in Edmonton:

892 animals checked in and health–checked
363 animals reunited with their owners
286 animals scheduled for reunions

Please stay tuned to the Alberta SPCA's Facebook page for more updates.
~ UPDATE ~ 10/05/16

From Edmonton Humane Society

We continue to supply resources to the Alberta SPCA and our partner agencies for the rescue efforts in the municipality of Wood Buffalo. We are in urgent need of the following items:

large towels
M + L plastic kennels
collars + leashes

We are taking in any strays that arrive at our facility as a result of the wildfires.

Please check our lost animals page for any stray pets who come into our care. You can donate to EHS' efforts here.

From Alberta SPCA

Crews are working to rescue animals from the Fort McMurray area.

If you have a pet that was left in Fort McMurray during the evacuation, please fill out the Rescue Request Form which allows AB SPCA to reunite pets and owners faster: http://bit.ly/1YihunH

You can donate to AB SPCA's efforts here.
~ UPDATE ~ 09/05/16

From Edmonton Humane Society:

Our most critical donation need is large/extra–large plastic crates. Please bring directly to the shelter.

From Alberta SPCA:

Fort McMurray Animal Update

The first transport of rescued animals from Fort McMurray arrived at the Alberta SPCA's reception centre in Edmonton early this morning.

More than 200 animals were checked through the intake and triage areas by volunteers from the Edmonton Humane Society and the Alberta Spay Neuter Task Force. Most of the morning's arrivals are cats. There are also many dogs.

The rescue teams in Fort McMurray—the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo Animal Control Officers, the peace officers up there from the Alberta SPCA and the Calgary Humane Society, the volunteers from theAlberta Animal Rescue Crew Society – AARCS—were overjoyed to hear that the first truck arrived with all its occupants safe and accounted for.

Each animal arrived with its owner identified. The Alberta SPCA will contact the owners as soon as possible to arrange their reunion with their pets.

Teams are making efforts to rescue all animals from the area. Filling out the municipality's pet rescue form allows for animals to be matched with their owners faster.
~ UPDATE ~ 06/05/16

From Edmonton Humane Society:

We are still accepting all donations for wildfire relief EXCEPT FOOD. We have a large volume of food and cannot house more. THANK YOU.

From Alberta SPCA:

Emergency Pet Rescues in Fort McMurray

Peace officers from the Alberta SPCA and the Calgary Humane Society have been working tirelessly in Fort McMurray to help the Wood Buffalo Animal Control Services with the rescue of as many animals as possible.

Phase 2 of the animal response plan has been in operation for nearly two days.

The extraction teams, each led by an experienced animal protection peace officer, have been moving from house to house. They have fed, watered, assessed and removed hundreds of animals to the staging area. The peace officers and their teams have training and experience in dealing with animal rescues and are equipped to handle emergency situations.

The rescued animals are then being transported to a facility set up in Edmonton by the Alberta SPCA with the assistance of the Edmonton Humane Society, the Alberta Veterinary Medical Association and the Alberta Spay Neuter Task Force.

We would like to thank all of the volunteers and rescue groups who have assisted in these efforts in Fort McMurray.

Previously, emergency responders had provided water, food and care for animals they encountered while they worked to ensure the safety of the area for the animal rescue teams.

If you were forced to abandon your pet during the evacuation of the Fort McMurray area, please ensure you have filled out the Emergency Pet Rescue Request form

We will provide updates as soon as they are available.
~ UPDATE ~ 06/05/16

WE NEED XL CRATES — HAVE FOOD TO GIVE AWAY!

We have a dire need for EXTRA large kennels/carriers — please donate directly to the Edmonton Humane Society.

We have A LOT of pet food to give away. PLEASE come to the shelter if you are in need as a result of the WILDFIRES.

Please be prepared to show proof of address in the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo.

Donation drop–off / pick–up hours:

8 am – 6 pm weekends
8 am – 8 pm weekdays

13620 163 Street NW
~ UPDATE ~ 05/05/16

We are grateful for the outpouring of community support for the people and pets impacted by the Alberta wildfires.

Local businesses have stepped up in a big way, providing donations of food, supplies, and money.

We have pallets waiting to be delivered up north, where supplies will be dispersed as needed. We are in constant contact with the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo, and have teams on standby to help when it is safe to proceed.

The Edmonton Humane Society (EHS) and the Animal Care & Control Centre – Edmonton (ACCC) are working closely with the Alberta SPCA and the Alberta Veterinary Medical Association to assist evacuees and their companion animals who have been displaced due to the Fort McMurray wildfires.

EHS is ready to accept displaced animals WITHOUT owners. Animals WITH owners should proceed to Edmonton Expo Centre for registration. Evacuees do not need to go to the reception centre if they are staying with friends or family in Edmonton or have arranged other accommodation in Edmonton. It is recommended that evacuees provide their name, location and confirmation of

safety with the Red Cross through its family reunification phone number (1–888–350–6070) and/or the Municipality of Wood Buffalo wildfire@rmwb.ca. Stray animals that come into our care will be housed indefinitely until they are reclaimed.

In addition to Animal Care and Control, EHS is partnering with the following Alberta humane societies (to act as overflow locations if/when EHS reaches capacity):

Calgary Humane Society
Red Deer & District SPCA
Cochrane & Area Humane Society
Lloydminster and District SPCA
Hinton and District SPCA
Grande Prairie & District SPCA

If you have a pet left in the Wood Buffalo region, please fill out this form

or call 780 229 2939.

For all livestock inquiries, contact the Alberta SPCA.

EHS will accept monetary donations through our Disaster Fund; we will also accept any and all donations of food and supplies directly at the shelter.

We do not require any additional volunteer support or foster homes at this time. However, we are taking names for potential foster homes should the need arise. To add yourself to this list, please fill out the form.

Services offered: Advocacy, Animals (Domesticated Animals); Animals, Animal Care Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Rescue, Animal Handlers, Volunteer; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Animals, Rescue, Disaster Response Teams, Pets, Volunteer; Animals, Shelter, Animal Shelter Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2016 Fort McMurray Fires; ASPCA ~ American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty To Animals; Humane Society of the United States, The
Updated May 16, 2016 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9963

Edmonton Humane Society Wish List (Pet Supplies and Medical Supplies NEEDED)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Edmonton

Web www.edmontonhumanesociety.com/support–ehs/other–ways–support/wish–list
Service Temporary

See updates at the site above.

Wish List
Welcome to the Edmonton Humane Society's Wish List

Below are the items that our shelter currently needs. If the item
is in red, we are in urgent need of it.

Thank you so much for your support!

Paradise Pet Centre (580 Saint Albert Trail, St. Albert) offers a 20%
discount to those buying supplies for the EHS. If you purchase and donate supplies there, they will gladly deliver it to our shelter.

Please note that for the health of our animals, we prefer new items. However, if you have a good quality used item, it must be clean and disinfected to protect the health of the animals in our care.
Pet Food

Training treats, such as hot dogs and other soft treats with
aromas dogs love
Pig ears
Meow mix wet food – seafood variety
Pigs ears
Dry Friskies cat food
Friskies wet cat food
Fancy Feast wet cat food
Wet Dog Food – Cesar's, Beneful, Pedigree, etc.
Dry Whiskas cat food
Science Diet wet cat food
Dry Whiskas kitten food
Prescription A/D canned food or Medi–Cal
Soft packaged pet treats
Chicken or beef broth

Pet Care Supplies

Easy walkers*
Grooming clippers
Harnesses (L & XL)
Thundershirts (M)
Dog appeasing pheromone spray
NON–CLUMPING cat litter
Leashes (6" nylon or double nylon or chain)*
Grooming clippers and/or blades
Timothy hay (for rabbits & guinea pigs)
Rodent bedding (please no shavings)
Stainless steel lasagna pans – 12" by 24 " (for cat litter boxes)
Large plastic cat litter boxes (without tops)
Small plastic litter pans
Plastic litter scoops (small and large)
New cat scratch towers (new only)
New cushioned pillow beds for cats or dogs (cleaned)
Exercise pens
New brushes for cats and dogs (new only)
New Martingale collars all sizes
Rawhide (Costco - Beefeaters 30 in a package)
Old Newspaper
Blankets
Stainless steel lasagna pans 12" x 24"
Small Metal Pet Dishes
phonebooks (for small animals)

Maintenance Needs

Zip–ties
Tooth brushes (preferably hard bristle, but any will do)
Recycle bags
2 picnic tables
Honda generator
Welding Gloves

Medical Supplies

Food weigh scale
Surgical masks
Hibitane, hydrogen peroxide, betadine
New scrubs tops and bottoms all sizes
Lab Coats
Puppy & kitten milk replacement
Medical Nitro or latex gloves
Various Medical Equipment - please call
Hi–grade stethoscopes
Cash donations to the Sick & Injured Animal Fund are always welcome and appreciated

Cleaning Supplies

Bug Spray
Liquid dish soap
Plastic garbage bags (large size/heavy duty)
Orange or Blue garbage bags (heavy duty)
Plastic bags (poop bags)
Vinegar and Baking Soda
Paper towels

Daycare

6 ft high privacy slats for the daycare fence

Training Classes

Ladder (6+ feet) - 1
Full size traffic cones (at least knee high) - 8
Skateboard – 1
Pots and pans - 2
Hula hoops - 5

Cookie sheets - 3
Wagon – 1
Walking cane – 1
Walker – 1
IV pole – 1
Various hats - firefighter, police, cowboy, sombrero, etc
Life–size child dolls (various ages)
iPod

Pet Enrichment

(Please no dog toys smaller than 4" in diameter)

Pipe Cleaners
Muffin trays
Cat track toys
Kong wobblers
Rolls of carpet
Hollow plastic easter eggs
Cat Toys – especially plastic balls with bells inside*
Cat scratch towers
Cat size Kongs SM
Catnip
Pipe cleaners
Soft treats for training
Kongs Large size only*
Dog Puzzles – treat balls or cubes *
Nyla bones – all sizes but mostly small required
Wieners – Chicken, beef, turkey hot dog
Chicken and Beef broth
Exercise pens
Cushioned pillow beds for cats and dogs (cleaned)
Stuffed toys (larger sizes no beans, batteries no plastic)
Rabbit toys
Rawhide (Costco - Beefeaters 30 in a package)
Fleece or Flannel Fabric
Spray air fresheners with interesting scents
Hot Water Bottles
Hol–ee Rollers *

Check out our Stuffies for Puppies Program.
Office Supplies

Glue sticks
Pens
Sharpies
Whiteboard markers (preferably black)
Clipboards
Masking tape
Photocopy paper (8½x11, 8½x14,11x17)
Paper envelopes 9 x 11
Photo grade and card stock paper
Scotch tape, packing tape, and scissors
Laminating supplies (all sizes)
Thermal debit rolls (2 ¼" x 75")
Pens (and dry erase markers)
Batteries (AA, C, D and 9 Volt)
Label making supplies – White tape, black ink tape, Brother TZ 3.5mm–24mm tape
Children's craft supplies (construction paper, glue, felt markers, children's' scissors, etc.)
Printer Ink: 64A HP; 36A HP; Dell 926; 49X HP; 12A HP; 05AHP; 96A HP; 15A HP; Lexmark X1270; Lexmark E240; Brother TN550; Canon Pixma MP150
Tubes for rolling pennies

Special Items

Smartboard
GoPro video camera

Enviro (Green) Shopping Bags
Memory cards
Free oil change certificates
Spa/Tranquil music CDs
Books about dogs, cats or other small animals.
Utilized by our library or our Educational Department – (please call 780–491–3504 first)
Rubber boots all sizes
3.6 cubic foot chest freezer, any brand.
Golf cart
Gift Cards: (Wal–Mart, Staples, Home Depot, Canadian Tire – Rona)
Canadian Tire money (used to purchase building maintenance supplies)
Donate your HBC Reward Points
Convert your MasterCard to an Edmonton Humane Society MasterCard

Kuranda Beds

Donate on–line at kuranda.com
Dog and cat beds and bunk beds
Large 40" by 25"
Medium 35" by 23"
Toy 24" by 16"

Promotions

Items for silent auctions (artwork/services/pet related items, etc.)
Sponsors for special events

Note: Surplus donated items will be placed in our pet supply store for sale or will be distributed to other rescue organizations.

Cash Donations are also always appreciated to help us care for the animals.
Thank you for your support to help us care for
the thousands of animals who come into the shelter each year — your contributions are making a big difference!
Campaigns: 2016 Fort McMurray Fires
Updated May 17, 2016 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9970

Emdmonton Emergency Relief Services (Local Assistance Centers)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Edmonton
Web www.eerss.org
Service Temporary

See updates and live links at the above site.

Edmonton Emergency Relief Services are putting out a call for donations and volunteers. Specifically, they are collecting diapers, baby wipes, NEW toiletries (such as soap, shampoo, tampons, toothpaste etc.) and NEW socks and underwear.

Donation and volunteers to hangar #2 3631 – 56 Ave East (Edmonton International Airport). Information is on their Facebook page. https://www.facebook.com/Edmonton–Emergency–Relief–Services–Society–218814364813006/

If you'd like to volunteer, please call 780–428–4422. Please leave a message, and they'll get back to you.
Campaigns: 2016 Fort McMurray Fires
Updated May 16, 2016 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9967

Kingsway Mall Fire Evacuee Service Center (GET HELP HERE) (no donations accepted at this site)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Kingsway Mall, Edmonton
Service Temporary

Evacuees are welcome to visit the Edmonton Emergency Relief Services Society (EERSS) Donation Distribution Centre to pick up goods and supplies.

EERSS distribution centre is located at 109 Street and Kingsway Avenue in Kingsway Mall, and will be open till July 31, 2016.

Hours:

Monday – Friday 10am–7pm
Sat – Sun 10am–5pm

This location is a distribution centre only.

Services offered: Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Food, Baby Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food, Dry, * Dry Food Goods (ANY/ALL Types) ; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); * KITS, BABY SUPPLY KITS, NEW Items ONLY; * KITS, COMFORT/EMERGENCY KITS; * KITS, FOOD KITS; * KITS, MEDICAL KITS;

Water, Bottles (8 oz.); Water, Bottles, (In Plastic, Gallons)
Campaigns: 2016 Fort McMurray Fires
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Full List of Evacuee Reception Centers and FREE SERVICES for Evacuees

Walk–in Resource · Open

Edmonton Region
Web edmontonjournal.com/news/local–news/how–yiou–can–help–the–evacuees–from–the–fort–mcmurray–wildfires
Service Temporary

See updates at the live link above.

As tens of thousands of evacuees fled Fort McMurray, numerous private companies and municipalities are pitching in to help with the huge wildfire and its aftermath. Here's what is available for evacuees:
Reception Centres

All evacuees should register with the Red Cross by calling 1–888–350–6070 or in person at a reception centre, including:

Lac La Biche: Lac La Biche Bold Centre at 8702 91 Ave.
Edmonton: Edmonton Expo Centre, 7515 118 Ave.
St. Paul: Centennial Recreation Centre, 4802 53 Ave.
Janvier: Moose Haven Lodge, 1 Janvier, located in the Chipewyan Prairie Commercial Park on the west side of Highway 881 at Kilometre 217.
Grassland: Grassland Community Hall, Main Street
Drayton Valley: Omniplex, 5737 45 Ave.
Smokey Lake: Smokey Lake Arena, 4612 54 Ave.
Calgary: University of Calgary Reception – Dining Centre, 124 University Gate NW.
Fort Chipewyan: Athabasca Delta Community School, 172 McDonald St. For First Nation band members only.
Calgary: SAIT Residence Tower, 151 Dr. Carpenter Circle NW, for Suncore employees and evacuees in camps.

Information and updates

For updates call 780–310–4455, go to the Alberta Emergency Alert website at http://www.emergencyalert.alberta.ca or follow them on twitter @AB_EmergAlert
Use the Pulse Wood Buffalo Call Line at 780–743–7000 or follow @RMWoodBuffalo on twitter for 24–hour information and updates from the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo. A trained dispatcher will answer every call, and if they don't have specific information immediately available they will return requests within 48 hours. Long distance charges may apply.
Evacuees seeking information and assistance can direct inquiries to the Alberta Red Cross at 1–888–350–6070.
For information on road conditions and closures in Alberta, go to http://www.511.alberta.ca, call 511 or follow @511Alberta

Emergency Fuel Stations

Emergency fuel stations offering gasoline and diesel have been set up in rest areas along Highway 63. Quantities are limited and drivers will only be given enough fuel to get to the nearest fuel centre. Emergency fuel station locations include:

60 kilometres south of Fort McMurray at Kilometre 186.
100 kilometres south of Fort McMurray at Mariana Lake, Kilometre 130.
165 kilometres south of Fort McMurray at Kilometre 85.
21 kilometres north of Fort McMurray on the southbound ramp of the Suncore Voyageur Interchange.

Food

Contact the Edmonton Food Bank at 780–425–4190 and identify yourself as a wildfire evacuee for help accessing food.
Kinnikinnick Fresh at 10940 120 St. is offering gluten–free food and $50 vouchers to Fort McMurray evacuees with celiac disease.
The Pint Public House Edmonton locations at 10125 109 St. and 8032 104 St. are offering a free meal for evacuees with Fort McMurray ID for the rest of the week. Choose any one item off the menu between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. or between 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.
Block 1912 at 10361 82 Ave. is offering a free scoop of gelato and a coffee for Fort McMurray evacuees.
Chianti Cafe & Restaurant at 10501 82 Ave. is offering a free half–size salad or soup, any one of their Pasta Creations and a non–alcoholic beverage for Fort McMurray residents with ID.
O'Byrne's Irish Pub at 10616 82 Ave. is offering a free pint of beer and a meal for Fort McMurray evacuees who bring ID with their address.
Naan–O–Licious at 10331 82 Ave. is offering free biryani for evacuees. Call ahead at 780–705–5570 to let them know how many portions you need.
Earls Edmonton locations including 11830 Jasper Ave., 8629 112 St., 4250 Calgary Trail, 13330 50 St., 9961 170 St. and 1505 99 St. is offering any evacuees with a government issued ID with their Fort McMurray address a free sandwich and drink.
Padmanadi Vegeterian Restaurant at 10740 101 St. is offering free lunch or dinner to evacuees.
On The Rocks at 11740 Jasper Avenue is offering a free meal and a drink for evacuees with a Fort McMurray ID.
Caffrey's In the Park in Sherwood Park at 99 Wye Road is offering a free meal for evacuees.
Delux Burger Bar at 9682 142 St. and 14111 23 Ave. is offering evacuees a free burger and drink.

Sandwich and Sons at 10184 104 St. and 13119 156 St. is offering a free sandwich for evacuees with a Fort McMurray ID.
The Bhartiya Cultural Society of Alberta at 9507 39 Ave. is offering free vegetarian meals to evacuees.
Moxie's Grill and Bar at 10628 Kingsway Avenue is offering a free entree and drink to evacuees with Fort McMurray ID.
Mary Brown's locations at 11358 104 Ave. and 14969 Stony Plain Road are offering a free meal to Fort McMurray evacuees with ID.
Wheat Garden Chinese Noodle and Dumpling Bazaar at 10703 103 St. is offering one noodle bowl or rice dish to evacuees with a valid Fort McMurray ID.
LOVEPIZZA at 10196 109 St. is offering a free pizza for Fort McMurray evacuees until Sunday.
Gurdwara Millwoods at 2606 Millwoods Road is offering free vegetarian meals for evacuees 24 hours a day.
Celebrate Gluten Free Bakery & Cafe at 15213 Stony Plain Road is offering free breakfast or a sandwich for Fort McMurray evacuees who present ID.
Quiznos at 5366 Windermere Boulevard is offering free lunch to evacuees between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. until May 18.
Remedy Cafe is offering evacuees free wraps in all of their Edmonton locations at 10279 Jasper Avenue, 8631 109 St. and 10310 124 St.
Fatburger is offering evacuees with Fort McMurray ID a free Fatburger with cheese and soda or a free kids meal at each of their locations in Edmonton, including Edmonton City Centre at 10205 101 St., 5611 23 Ave., South Edmonton Common 1755 102 St. and West Edmonton Mall 882 170 St. Locations in Fort Saskatchewan at 8631 94 St., Namao at 15987 97 St. and Red Deer at 161 Leva Ave. are also making the same offer.
Fuss Cupcakes at 10441 82 Ave. and 17298 Stony Plain Road if offering evacuees a cupcake and coffee with a Fort McMurray ID.
Noorish at 8440 109 St. is offering free gluten free, vegan and vegetarian meals for wildfire evacuees. They are also accepting donations towards their toy drive. For more information, call 780-756-6880.

Shelter

Al Rashid Mosque is opening their doors for evacuees in need of a place to stay at 13070 113 St. Please contact them at 780-451-6694 for information.
Airbnb has activated their Disaster Response Tool, waiving all fees so those with residences available to evacuees can post their listing for free. Hosts offering their spaces through Airbnb will still have the protections guaranteed by the service for regular short-term vacation rentals.
The Guru Nanak Sikh Society has compiled a list of dozens of spare bedrooms, basement suites and motel rooms available free of charge for Fort McMurray evacuees offered by members of their congregation. Those with room available or evacuees in need of a place to stay in Edmonton can call Arundeep Sandhu at 780-935-2786.
The Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo is keeping a list of Edmonton area hotels offering a compassionate rate for evacuees. Go to http://www.rmwb.ca for details.
Alberta Realtors are posting available housing on their Facebook page, "REALTORS Support Fort McMurray."

Showers

All four YMCA locations in Edmonton are open to Wood Buffalo evacuees who can access drop-in facilities and showers, including the Don Wheaton YMCA at 10211 102 Ave., Jamie Platz YMA at 7121 178 St., Castle Downs YMCA at 11510 153 Ave. and the William Lutzky YMCA at 1975 111 St.
The Fraser Community League at 14720 21 St. is offering itself as a well-stocked relief centre for evacuees entering Edmonton from the northeast. Fort McMurray evacuees are invited to stop in for food, supplies and first aid while community league members are opening up their homes for showers.

Insurance and financial assistance

The Government of Alberta is providing emergency financial assistance of $1,250 per adult and $500 per dependent to help cover expenses for wildfire evacuees. More details are expected on Wednesday.
Those who left documents, such as ID cards or driver's licenses, behind in the evacuation can have new cards issued free of charge at any registry agent.
Displaced residents should get in touch with their personal banking institutions for information on special accommodations and resources being made available for those evacuated.
Evacuees should keep all receipts for food, accommodations and other evacuation related expenses for possible reimbursement.
Those who have suffered property loss should first contact their insurance provider for advice and information. You may be entitled to living expenses.
Those unable to contact their insurance provider can reach out to the Insurance Bureau of Canada's consumer information line at 1-844-227-5422 or by email at FortMacFire@ibc.ca
Any evacuees in need of family and social support can contact Alberta Supports at 1-877-644-9992 for information on social benefit programs.Any evacuees in need of family and social support can contact Alberta Supports at 1-877-644-9992 for information on social benefit programs.
Evacuees may be eligible for the Emergency Needs Allowance to help cover unaffordable short-term, unforeseeable emergency expenses. If you are not already an Income Support client, you can get more information at an Alberta Works Centre. Contact them by calling 1-866-644-5135 or go to www.humanservices.alberta.ca/ABWCentres
Assured Income for the Severely Handicapped (AISH) clients who have been receiving benefits by cheque who are now displaced by northern Alberta wildfires should contact the Athabasca AISH office at 780-675-6853.

Those receiving Income Support benefits by cheque who have been evacuated from their homes should call the 24–hour Income Support Contact Centre at 1–866–644–5135 or email iscc@gov.ab.ca
Families or service providers needing assistance for Persons with Developmental Disabilities (PDD) who are receiving PDD support through the province should contact the PDD Program Branch at 780–427–1177 ext. 3 or call Disability Services at 780–415–2466.

Education/Childcare

Edmonton's public schools are accommodating evacuee students from Fort McMurray. Families can attend the public school in the area where they are staying in person to register, or contact District Support Services at 780–429–8030 for more information. To find a public school in your area, go to www.epsb.ca and search for their Find a School tool.
Edmonton's Catholic schools are also taking in evacuee students. Those interested in enrolling a student from Kindergarten through Grade 9 should call One World One Centre at 780–944–2001 for information, while high school students should call the Sacred Heart Centre at 780–944–2000.
All Grade 6 and 9 Provincial Achievement Tests have been cancelled for students in the Fort McMurray Public School District, the Fort McMurray Roman Catholic School District, Anzac and Fort McKay schools within the Northland School Division and Ecole Boreal within Greater North Central Francophone Education Region (Conseil scolaire Centre–Nord). Any evacuated student who wants to complete their Provincial Achievement Test can do so in the school they have registered in.
Children's Autism Services of Edmonton is offering respite care and supervised safe play space at the Maier Centre at 17451 103 Ave. for autistic children and children with other special needs while parents plan their next steps. Call 780–495–9235 and ask for Kelsey Penney.
The Educational Daycare Group is offering up to 50 daycare spaces free for one month for evacuee parents in need of childcare with a valid Fort McMurray ID. They are also interested in hiring displaced early childhood educators to help staff their daycares on a temporary basis. For more information, email info@educationaldaycare.ca or call 780–224–4905 and ask for Toresa Mehra.
The six Edmonton–area Campus Alberta post secondary institutions – including Concordia University, King's University, MacEwan University, the University of Alberta (for undergraduate and graduate students), the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology and NorQuest College – are offering their full support to evacuee students having difficulty completing coursework or getting official marks and transcripts due to the Alberta wildfires. For more information, get in touch with the post–secondary institution's student services centres.

Pets

If you have a pet missing or left behind in Fort McMurray, call 780–762–3636 and staff will register your information and provide assistance when possible. Long distance charges may apply.
The Alberta SPCA is coordinating support for livestock, focusing on horses, and is assisting evacuees who bring livestock animals to the Edmonton Expo Centre at Northlands at 7515 118 Ave.
The Edmonton Humane Society and Edmonton's Animal Care and Control Centre are coordinating animal care for people arriving in Edmonton with assistance from the Alberta Medical Association. Found animals without owners present can be turned over to the Edmonton Humane society. Contact them at 780–471–1774 or visit them at 13620 163 St.
The Companion Animal Welfare Society can provide temporary care for pets including cats, dogs and small animals including reptiles. Contact them by phone at 1–888–460–4045 or email ymm.cawsab@gmail.com
Champion Pet Foods at 11403 186 St. is offering free cat and dog food for Fort McMurray evacuees.
Pets are welcome to stay with their owners at the Edmonton Northlands Reception Centre at 7515 118 Ave.
E&E Kennels is offering free boarding services for dogs, cats and small pets at their #12 Boulder Blvd location in Stony Plain. Contact them at 780–963–8173 for details.
Large animal owners can contact the Alberta Equestrian Federation at 1–877–463–6233 for help.
Cozy Kitty at 4610 97 St. is offering shelter for displaced cats. Contact them at 780–243–2679 for more details.
The Alberta Animal Health Source has compiled a list of Alberta veterinary practices offering assistance to wildfire evacuees. For more information, go to www.albertaanimalhealthsource.ca

Stress

If you are in distress, call the Distress Line 780–482–4357 within Edmonton, those outside can reach the Rural Distress Line at 1–800–232–7288.
Boyle Street Community Services at 10116 105 Avenue and The Mustard Seed Society, with locations at 10635 96 St. and 10568 114 St., is offering counselling, clothing and hot meals to fire evacuees.

Medical

For non emergency health advice, including information on healthcare options, contact Health Link by dialling 811.
AHS has health care teams available at reception centres in Fort McKay, the Suncore Firebag Village, Lac La Biche, Noralta Lodge and Edmonton Northlands.
If you have a prescription that needs to be filled and the means to pay, visit any community pharmacy to have your prescription looked up using Netcare.
Evacuated breastfeeding mothers can access supports from the Canadian Lactation Consultant Association by calling 1–800–272–9756 or emailing iycfehelp@gmail.com. Services include breastfeeding tents, lactation consultation and education for new mothers on what to expect in emergency situations.
For mental health support, contact Alberta's 24–hour Mental Health Help Line at 1–877–303–2642.

Families evacuated who have children with medical needs can contact Ronald McDonald House Northern Alberta at 780-439-5437 for help arranging housing and care.
Mint Health + Drugs locations across Alberta are offering free emergency medicine for evacuees who left their medication behind. There are eight locations, including one in Edmonton at 10611 101 St. Call 780-757-1030 or your local location for information.
Inclusion Alberta is reaching out to persons with developmental disabilities displaced by fires in northern Alberta looking for support or accommodation. Contact them by calling 780-451-3055 ext. 400.
Urban Vision and Optometrists at 15957 97 St. is offering a free pair of prescription glasses to evacuees who either lost or damaged theirs. Call 780-760-1268 for more information.
The Southwest Family Dental Clinic at 1719 Towne Centre Blvd in Edmonton is offering free emergency dental care for evacuees in need. Contact them at 780-435-5515 or email swfdental@telus.net

Business

The Edmonton Chamber of Commerce is offering complimentary office space to businesses displaced by wildfires in the Wood Buffalo region at their World Trade Centre Edmonton building at 9990 Jasper Avenue. To book space, email reception@edmontonchamber.com or call 780-426-4620.
Regus is opening their fully-serviced business lounges from Manitoba to British Columbia to assist business professionals displaced by Alberta wildfires. To find a local centre, go to www.regus.ca

Storage

The U-Haul Company of Northern Alberta, Saskatchewan, the Northwest Territories and Edmonton are all offering 30 days of free self-storage and U-Box container use for people evacuated by wildfires who need to store personal items. Contact a local U-Haul branch for information.
StorageMart is donating a free month of storage in Edmonton for evacuees. Call 877-786-7243 for information.

Entertainment

The City of Edmonton is offering free admission to all city-owned attractions and facilities to evacuees, including the Edmonton Valley Zoo, the Muttart Conservatory, the John Janzen Nature Centre and any City of Edmonton recreation facility. For more information, dial 311.
People displaced by wildfires are offered free addmission to any of Alberta's 17 provincially owned and operated historic sites and museums. Present a piece of ID or provide your postal code. For more information, go to www.culture.alberta.ca
The Telus World of Science at 11211 142 St. is offering free admission for evacuee families until May 11.
Allstars Playland at 9510 12 Ave. is offering free admission to wildfire evacuee families until Sunday.
The Grande Prairie Public Library is making library cards available to displaced Albertans. Contact them at 780-532-3580 or go to www.gpl.ca
Players from the Edmonton Eskimos football team, the Eskimos Cheer Team and team mascots will be visiting evacuees housed at the Edmonton Northlands reception centre on Saturday from 1 to 3 p.m.
The Devonian Botanic Garden in Highway 60, five kilometres north of Devon, is offering free admission for Fort McMurray evacuees during the 2016 season. For more information, call 780-987-3054 or visit www.devonian.ualberta.ca
The University of Alberta is offering free access to all of its recreation facilities and libraries - including their computers - for all Alberta wildfire evacuees.

Vehicles

Fountain Tire at 8550 Yellowhead Trail is offering to repair tires damaged in the Fort McMurray evacuation free of charge.

Spa

Est-elle Academy of Hair Design at 8004 Gateway Boulevard is offering a shampoo and blow out service with a scalp massage for evacuees for the rest of the week. Contact them at 780-432-7577.
The Beauty Parlour, located on the second floor at 10011 82 Ave., is offering a free shampoo and blowout for evacuees with a Fort McMurray ID until May 12. To book an appointment, call 780-429-4242 or email organicbeautyparlour@gmail.com
Echo Hair Design at #205 8135 102 St. is offering a free hair cleanse and style to evacuees. Contact them at 780-469-3246 or email info@echohairdesign.com to book an appointment.

Other

K.C Photography is offering free family photo shoots to evacuees. Contact them at 780-691-4136 for details. Many other local photographers are posting similar offers on their Facebook page, "Fort McMurray Photo Dates/Locations."
The Edmonton Wedding Gallery and Bridal Plus Boutique at 10404 68 Ave. is offering a 50% discount for brides who have lost their wedding gowns during the northern Alberta wildfires. Contact them at 780-486-2575.
Anytime Fitness Old Strathcona at 10469 80 Ave. is opening their gyms for evacuees to use while they are in Edmonton.
The Celtic Ceilidh Dance Academy at 6325 Gateway Boulevard is offering free Highland and Irish dance classes for evacuees. Contact them at 780-490-4544 for details.
Fort City Church from Fort McMurray is partnering with Edmonton's Beulah Alliance Church at 17504 98A Ave. to host a special church service for all Fort McMurray evacuees on Sunday at 3 p.m. to worship together and hear a message of hope.
Yoga Central at #104 5124 122 St. is offering free yoga for Fort McMurray evacuees. They are also collecting donations of yoga clothing for evacuees who may not have any items with them. Go to www.yogacentral.ca or call 780-439-0014 for details.

Campaigns: 2016 Fort McMurray Fires
Updated May 17, 2016 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9971

Furniture Bank, Toronto

Walk–in Resource · Open

Toronto

Web www.furniturebank.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Jobs, Cash For Work Program; Jobs, Paying
Updated Mar 19, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9671

DC

World Central Kitchen – Disaster Relief (WCK's Relief Team)

Walk–in Resource · Open

1342 Florida Avenue NW, Washington, DC, DC 20009

Phone 202–844–6330
Web wck.org
Service Temporary

9–30–24

Global relief organization World Central Kitchen will distribute free meals for the public beginning at Noon on Sept. 30 at Bear's Smokehouse, 135 Coxe Ave. downtown, in the South Slope district, according to a local food outreach organization, Food Connection.

(snip)

Hearts with Hands will continue relief efforts by distributing food boxes and water from 10 a.m.–6 p.m. Sept. 30 at the outreach ministry's outreach's warehouse, 850 Warren Wilson Road in Swannanoa. The organization intends to add hot meal food distribution later.

World Central Kitchen was founded by celebrity chef José Andrés in 2010 to provide fresh food on the frontlines of humanitarian disasters in the United States and around the world. The organization lost seven workers in a drone attack in Gaza earlier this year, causing it to temporarily pause its operations in the war–torn enclave.

The organization has teams in four states assessing needs and serving meals in the wake of Hurricane Helene, including Florida, Tennessee and Georgia.

source: https://www.democraticunderground.com/100219518102

2020 –

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SEPTEMBER 23, 2020
Updates from the field: Gulf coast hurricanes and wildfires in Oregon
https://wck.org/news/gulf–hurricanes–oregon–wildfires

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https://wck.org/news
https://twitter.com/wckitchen
https://www.facebook.com/WorldCentralKitchen

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CHEF RELIEF TEAM – We will be there.
https://wck.org/chef–relief–team

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Hurricane Sally
#ChefsForAlabama

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COVID 19 FOOD RELIEF
Putting Restaurants Back to Work
As part of its #ChefsForAmerica nationwide emergency food relief program, World Central Kitchen has purchased over 7 million meals from local restaurants totaling more than $90 million, and delivered those meals directly to Americans that need assistance.
https://wck.org/chefsforamerica
#ChefsForAmerica

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Donate to World Central Kitchen

Help us provide fresh meals to communities in need
https://donate.wck.org/give/236738/#!/donation/checkout

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; First Responder, International; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Canteen, Mobile Food Canteen; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster, Mobile; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Cooked Meals; Meals, Mobile Kitchen Trailor Unit; Meals, Mobile Meals, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Meals, On Site Meals Served to First Responders; Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; Services, Disaster Relief; Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, International; Volunteers, Short Term Volunteer Opportunities
Campaigns: 2019 "HURRICANE DORIAN"; 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19; 2020 California Fires; 2020 Hurricane Laura; 2020 Hurricane Sally; 2020 Oregon Fires; 2024 Hurricanes Milton/Helene; World Central Kitchen
Updated Oct 1, 2024 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10364

FL

Hallandale Food Pantry Incorporated

Walk–in Resource

Food Pantry
220 SW 6th Ave., Hallandale, FL
Phone (954) 455–0615
Service Temporary

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Sep 7, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3024

Women's Resource Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit, Womens Resources
1231 E Orange St, Lakeland, FL 33801
Phone 863–294–5318
Web wrcfl.org/pages/home.html
Hours Monday thru Friday: 9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Serves Serving Women in Polk, Hardee, & Highlands Counties
Service Temporary

Donations accepted on Mondays and Wednesdays only, between 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Please deliver all donations to our back door.

The Center also maintains an information/referral hotline to assist women in finding resources needed – basic needs, social needs, health needs, financial needs, emotional needs, spiritual needs and life–enrichment experiences.

The Women's Resource Center is a (501)(c)(3), non–profit organization that has been serving the greater Polk County area since 1984.

The Women's Resource Center is a United Way of Central Florida agency partner.

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863.29.WOMAN
(863.299.6626)

Sponsored by the Community Development Block Grant
City of Winter Haven

Information and referral resources provide for women & their families in Polk, Hardee, & Highlands Counties.

Information updated weekly

Open to participation by any agency, non–profit, government organization or religious organization providing services for women & their families in Polk, Highlands, & Hardee Counties.

Our goal in providing the information and referral sector within the Women's Resource Center, is to assist women who may be in crisis who would not have otherwise been offered the opportunity to speak with someone. We encourage any women, who need to share where they are, with someone, to call us and allow us to be a part of your support system.

It is not easy for anyone to truimph alone, nor is it easy for a woman to have to go through a crisis without having the appropriate information to take the necessary steps to get help. We at the WRC want to help you through the process. When contacting us

you will not be judged, criticized nor treated unfairly. We do not discriminate based on your circumstances; we are here to serve you and help you get your needs met as well as assist you in living a life in which you can be proud.

Services offered: Adopt–A–Family, Families That Want To Be "Adopted"; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Health Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, Women's, Interview/Career Clothing, New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Groups, Parents; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Holiday, Food Boxes/Basket, Misc.; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Household, Clothing Racks, Misc. ; Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Emergency Services; Services, Women's Services; Thrift Store; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: United Way
Updated Jan 4, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1830

Miami, Virus Kits, free food for kids, from BStrong, need volunteer help, $, giving out supplies

Walk–in Resource · Open

Miami, FL

Web www.cbsnews.com/news/coronavirus–new–york–city–bethenny–frankel–covid–19–kits–nyc–school–kids–free–meals–sanitizer
Service Temporary

Bethenny Frankel says she's creating coronavirus kits and raising money for kids who won't be getting free meals at schools

By Caitlin O'Kane

March 16, 2020 / 6:01 PM / CBS News

Bethenny Frankel's bstrong initiative has provided real–time emergency assistance during natural disasters like hurricanes, wildfires and tornadoes, and now the group is taking on a new challenge: Coronavirus. She says bstrong is currently putting together coronavirus kits to help prevent the spread and ease the burden in the New York City area and beyond.

Frankel told CBS News her team is creating "prevention kits," which include masks, gloves, antibacterial gels and wipes, SOS Hydration water and DripDrop hydration powder.

"We are assembling 20,000 kits right now," Frankel told CBS News in a phone interview Monday.
Trending News ›

"Big Brother" contestants told about coronavirus on live TV
Stars streaming at–home concerts during coronavirus
Arrest In Oprah Shakedown Plot
Ryan Reynolds and Blake Lively donate $1 million to foodbanks

Bstrong partners with Global Empowerment Mission, which has a warehouse in Miami where they store emergency supplies, ready to deploy during the next disaster.
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The bstrong initiative is preparing coronavirus prevention kits. bstrong

The groups were busy sending supplies to tornado–ravaged Tennessee when they started pivoting to the next crisis, coronavirus. They are still helping with tornado relief, but adding the prevention kits to their action plans.

"We have a truck in Tennessee right now delivering aid," Frankel said. "Could you imagine being through a natural disaster and then getting corona?"

Frankel started thinking about the coronavirus response after learning about New York City children who could be without meals with schools shut down.

"I didn't think that bstrong would be involved in corona, because we're more about disaster relief. This quickly became a disaster," she said. As a mom, learning about kids in need was Frankel's "entry point," she said.

So far, bstrong has raised $63,000 which has been allocated toward cash cards for kids' lunches and meals that they used to get for free at school, Frankel said. She's hoping to raise even more money for the cards and is working with local moms to get them into the hands of kids in need.

"We're working with probably about 80,000 New York PTA moms," she said, adding that those moms are connected to even more people through parenting groups on Facebook. "So, we're starting with New York... and then we're going to try to hit 20 to 30 states," she said.

New York City Mayor Bill de Blasio and Governor Andrew Cuomo have expressed concern about the impact of closing schools because so many families rely on them for child care and food programs, CBS New York reports. With schools now closed through at least April 20, the city will continue to hand out boxed meals so thousands of kids won't go hungry. All New York City children are eligible, whether they attend their neighborhood public school or not, according to CBS New York.
Emmy For Your Consideration Event For Showtime's "Shameless" – Arrivals
Bethenny Frankel Rodin Eckenroth/Getty Images

Frankel says her cash cards and kits will go to parents in New York and surrounding areas as well as Boston, and she hopes to continue to expand to other areas.

"I answer all of my Instagram messages," she said. "People will go, 'I read about your cash cards, I'm in Jersey. I'm a single mom. I work in a diner. I have a son with autism.' That was one of the messages. So send that into the pipeline and send them a kit."

According to Frankel, bstrong has sent over $25 million in aid around the world in the past few years.

"People do want to help, but what do you do? Stand in the middle of the street and sell hand sanitizer like a lemonade stand? People want to help, they just don't know how," Frankel said. Right now, she is urging people to help by donating money for the cash cards.

"It gives people dignity, it gives people freedom. And this is a crisis," Frankel said.

She said 100% of the donations bstrong receives go to aid. The entrepreneur added that she is working on more coronavirus response plans, but they are in the early stages. "You got to build a rocket while flying it," she said.

Services offered: Food * (ANY/ALL Types); * KITS, EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS KITS
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID-19
Updated Mar 18, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10193

Pace Assembly of God Church

Walk-in Resource · Open

Church
3948 US-90, Pace, FL 32571
Phone 1 + (850) 202-3100
Email info@paceassembly.org
Web paceassembly.org
Hours 10:00am – 2:00pm

https://www.pnj.com/story/weather/hurricanes/2026/10/12/where-to-charge-phone-shower-do-laundry-in-pensacola-santa-rosa/92216208007/

Convoy of Hope,
Pace Assembly of God, 3948 Hwy. 90, Pace, is providing food, water, tarps, hygiene items, baby diapers, wipes, formula from 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
An oxygen refill station is available at this location from 8-10 a.m. and from 6-8 p.m.

Services offered: Baby, Baby Formula (ANY/ALL Types); Baby, Baby Wipes ; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); * KITS, HYGIENE KITS; oxygen refill station; Tarps; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2026 Hurricane Isaias / tropical cyclone
Updated Oct 16, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10748

Catholic Charities – Pensacola Regional Office

Walk-in Resource · Open

Social Services
1815 N. 6th Avenue, Pensacola, FL 32503
Phone 850-436-6410
Web catholiccharitiesnwfl.org/Pensacola
Serves Escambia and Santa Rosa counties
Service Temporary

2010 Oil Spill

Pensacola/Tallahassee: Three case management sites in four regional offices (Pensacola, Ft. Walton, Panama City, Tallahassee) are operating. CC/USA and CC/PT completed a needs and vulnerable populations assessment. The services being provided are case management, food provision, direct services related to utilities/rent/mortgage and medical needs, and mental health assessments and counseling. Case management services have revealed increased requests for mental health counseling surrounding domestic violence. Catholic Charities regional offices have experienced a 24% increase in Emergency Assistance and an 8% increase in Food Assistance in the month of May. The regional offices are anticipating further increases in services throughout its offices and have asked local partner agencies for additional help.

Needs Requested by Catholic Charities: 1) Funds to hire case managers, translators and support staff. 2) Funds to provide direct assistance (direct service dollars). 3) Cash cards for groceries, fuel, adult and baby needs.

WORKSHOPS:
*Our Pensacola office on 6th Ave. offers several workshops that help strengthen individuals as a whole. The workshops cover Budgeting, Job Readiness, Housing Counseling, Stress Management, and Life Skills! View the following link for detailed workshop information: For additional information, contact 850–436–6425.

UPCOMING EVENTS:
We welcome opportunities to collaborate with others. We're open to all kinds of ideas, from sporting events, to theater, to anything else you might be considering. If you would like to sponsor a special event to help raise money to support the mission of Catholic Charities Pensacola Region, please call or email Mark Dufva, Executive Director dufvam@cc.ptdiocese.org
Campaigns: 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; Catholic Charities Social Services; Feed The Children
Updated Jun 27, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6011

Food Pantry/Soup Kitchen Index, Broward County, Florida

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
See Notes, See Notes, FL

Phone See Notes
Web www.adrcbroward.org/foodpantries.php
Service Temporary

NORTH BROWARD COUNTY SITES:

All Saints Catholic Mission
3350 Powerline Road
Oakland Park, FL 33309
Soup Kitchen
Daily, 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Christian Love Fellowship Church
747 S Federal Highway
Deerfield Beach, FL 33441
Tel: 954.428.8980
Food Pantry

Gateway Community Outreach
701 NE 2nd Street
Deerfield Beach, FL 33441
Tel: 954.725.8434
FAX: 954.725.8436
Homeless Prevention & Food Program
Food Pantry—Call for hours & nearest location.

Our Father's House Soup Kitchen
2380 Martin Luther Boulevard
P.O. Box 70
Pompano Beach, FL 33061
Tel: 954.968.7550
Soup Kitchen & Food Pantry
Lunch: Mon–Fri, 11:30 am – 1 pm

San Isidro Catholic Church
2310 Hammondville Road
(Martin Luther King Boulevard)
Pompano Beach, FL 33069
Tel: 954.978.2302
Deliveries—Saturday Only

Food Ministry
St. Ambrose Catholic Church
380 S Federal Highway
Deerfield Beach, FL 33441
Tel: 954.427.2225
Food Pantry (Just Deerfield Beach)

St. Laurence Chapel
1698 Blount Road
Pompano Beach, FL 33069
Tel: 954.972.2958
FAX: 954.972.2448

Soup Kitchen
Breakfast: 8:30 am – 9:30 am
Lunch: 12:30 pm

Temple Beth Orr
2151 Riverside Drive
Coral Springs, FL 33071
Tel: 954.753.3232
FAX: 954.753.2559
Food Pantry
Mon–Thu: 10 am – 4 pm
Fri: 10 am – 2 pm

CENTRAL BROWARD COUNTY SITES:

Catholic Charities
1505 NE 26th Street, 2nd Floor
Wilton Manors, FL 33305
Tel: 954.630.9404
Food Vouchers

Cooperative Feeding Program
1 NW 33rd Terrace
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311
Tel: 954.792.2328
FAX: 954.792.9982
Food Pantry: Mon–Fri, 9 am – 4 pm
Soup Kitchen: Mon–Sat, 9 am – 11 am & Sun, 11 am – 12:30 pm

Cross Road Food Bank
621 NW 6th Avenue
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311
Tel: 954.627.6900
FAX: 954.627.6999
Food Pantry: Mon–Fri, 8 am – 4 pm
Requires a referral

Povarello Center
2292 Wilton Drive
Wilton Manors, FL 33305
Tel: 954.561.3663
FAX: 954.566.7868

Food Pantry for AIDS Patients, Ext 114 for Intake
Salvation Army
1445 W Broward Boulevard
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312
Tel: 954.524.6991 Ext. 308
FAX: 954.761.9679
Food Pantry, Mon–Fri, 8 am – 5 pm

Soref Jewish Community Center
6501 W Sunrise Boulevard
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33313
Tel: 954.792.6700
FAX: 954.792.4839
Food Pantry—Must be referred by agency or program. Can only assist once every 3 months for food.
Mon–Fri, 11 am – 4 pm (appt.)
Mon–Fri, 2 pm – 3:30 pm (for food distribution)

Sunrise Senior Center
10650 W Oakland Park Boulevard
Sunrise, FL 33351
Tel: 954.746.3670
Food Pantry—Only for Sunrise Residents

SOUTH BROWARD COUNTY SITES:

Ease Foundation
4300 SW 57th Avenue
Davie, FL 33314
Tel: 954.797.1077
FAX: 954.797.1222
Food Pantry, 10 am – 4 pm

Jubilee Center of South Broward, Inc.
2020 Scott Street
Hollywood, FL 33020
Tel: 954.920.0106
FAX: 954.920.7799
Food Pantry, Mon–Fri, 10:30 am – 12:30 pm
Soup Kitchen, Mon–Fri, 11:00 am – 12:00 pm

St. Bonaventure Catholic Church
1301 SW 136th Avenue
Davie, FL 33325
Tel: 954.424.9504
Food Pantry—Only for Davie Residents

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals (Elders/Seniors); Meals, For Homeless Residents; Meals, Hot Meals; Vouchers, Food Vouchers
Updated Sep 7, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3680

City of Tampa distributing free food/supplies/laundry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Tampa, FL
Web www.cltampa.com/news/city–of–tampa–offering–free–food–restrooms–showers–ice–and–laundry–at–two–locations–18687347
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2024 Hurricanes Milton/Helene
Updated Oct 1, 2024 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10648

Love A Child, Inc

Walk–in Resource · Open

Missionary – Orphanage/Medical Clinic
P.O. Box 30744; send packages to:; 9304 Camden Field Parkway; Riverview, FL 33578, Tampa, FL 33630
Phone (813) 621–7263
Web www.loveachild.com
Serves Haiti

IN HT – Fond Parisien
See at:
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5057

01–23–10 – 8:30 AM – Thank the Lord the septic truck is here at our orphanage to suck out the "you know what!" We have been over flowing! Next they are going over to our school septic tank which is the one all the people are using! We're getting ready to blow!

5:AM – We are ready for another day to help the Haitian people. The devil has been doing a lot of shaking lately. We're going to shake him today!!

1–21–10 – 4:30 am Sherry and I rise early each morning to pray and receive strength from the Lord for the day. Today, we'll be giving out food again in Port au Prince. Orphanages that have lost everything will be coming here to pick up food for their children. Other orphanages and organizations are coming every day for food. Before daylight, our LAC staff will be picking up the injured off the streets, and loading them into our trucks to bring here for medical care. They will be out looking for the wounded all day long.

God bless Nelio, our LAC director, Bob and Carole, our LAC staff and all the Jesus Healing Center medical staff who have been working around the clock! We are so thankful for all the volunteer doctors and nurses who have come to help. God bless you for all your prayers and financial support. God bless the Dominican Republic for their great efforts to set up an earthquake disaster healing center right here on our LAC property to help the poor, poor Haitian people. We'll be giving you a full report of what is happening very soon. Please keep praying for all of us. We need you, Bobby

January 20, 2010

Everyday we have trucks going in and out of Port au Prince and bringing the wounded here to Fond Parisien for medical care. Yesterday, when our truck arrived from its last trip in, nearly everyone had a makeshift "cast."

January 13, 2009

4:10pm – Sherry and Carole just came in from Port Au Prince with two truck loads of people who were trapped under buildings. Yesterday, just one hour before the earthquake shook Haiti, Sherry and Bobby were in one of the buildings that fell to the ground and killed everyone. Right now, the Jesus Healing Center medical staff is working in the clinic 24/7 to help the hurting people of Haiti. We thank Joyce Meyer Ministries – Hand of Hope for fully funding our Jesus Healing Center. Lives are being saved!

We just had another big after shock! Please Jesus let them stop!

Bobby and Sherry Burnette, founders, live in Haiti at the Love A Child Orphanage.

Latest News:

01–13–10 – 4:10pm –
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2pm – Sherry has been down in Port au Prince looking for 7 of our missing orphaned high school children and staff members. I'm here with all the children keeping them calm and keeping things running smoothly.
7am – Accident victims begin to arrive at our Jesus Healing Center. Please check Sherry's Journal for more information later today.

We found out last night that our orphans home sits on a fault line. Please pray for all of us.

To Donate to Haitian Earthquake Relief efforts, please click the red button on the above website and donate now.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Facility: Orphanage; Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Medical, Facility, Clinic, Free Clinic; Medical, Services, Emergency Medical Services; Medical, Volunteer, First Response, Volunteer Services * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Jan 25, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4917

BP Community Outreach Centers – (Gulf Oil Spill – ASSISTANCE)

Walk–in Resource · Open

FL

Web bp.concerts.com/gom/communityoutreachcenters_21052010.htm
Hours 8:00 am to 5:00 pm daily
Service Temporary

The BP Community Outreach Centers are responsible for assisting Florida residents and businesses with any information and/or assistance on the Deepwater Horizon incident. These offices are open from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm daily.

Escambia County (Pensacola)
435 East Government St –– Pensacola, FL 32501

Santa Rosa County (Gulf Breeze)
1198 Gulf Breeze Parkway, #6 - Gulf Breeze, FL 32561

Okaloosa County (Ft. Walton Beach)
348 SW Miracle Strip - Fort Walton Beach, FL 32548

Walton County (Santa Rosa) - Phone: 239–285–6486
43 Cassine Way, Suite 101 - Santa Rosa Beach, FL 32459

Bay County (Panama City) - Phone: 850–913–9483
3101 W. Highway 98, Suite C - Panama City, FL 32408

Gulf County (Port St. Joe)
1000 Cecil Costin, Sr. Blvd, Building 500 - Port St. Joe, FL 32456

Franklin County (Apalachicola)
28 Airport Rd - Apalachicola, FL 32320

Wakulla County (Crawfordville) - Phone: 850–691–7596
2887 Crawfordville Highway, Suite 4 - Crawfordville, FL 32327
Updated Jun 10, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5925

Multi–Agency Resource Centers (MARC) – [STATE Agency]

Walk–in Resource · Open

FL

Web www.floridadisaster.org/Updates

Floridians impacted by disasters can visit local MARC's to:

Request assistance for individuals, families & businesses from nonprofit & state partners for food, water, housing, recovery services & more
Meet with representatives from state agencies to inquire about storm recovery resources & services from storm clean–up to emotional support
*Bring identification, proof of residence, insurance information & other official documentation related to your disaster–related losses to ensure you receive the appropriate assistance.

Escambia County
Bayview Senior Citizens Center
2000 East Lloyd St, Pensacola, FL
7 AM – 7 PM CDT

Salvation Army Community Center
1501 North Q St, Pensacola, FL
7 AM – 7 PM CDT

Okaloosa County
Destin–Fort Walton Beach Convention Center – Ballrooms 2–4
1250 Miracle Strip Pkwy, Fort Walton Beach
7 AM – 7 PM CDT

Crestview Community Center
1446 Commerce Dr, Crestview
7 AM – 7 PM CDT

Santa Rosa County
Pensacola State College—Milton Campus Gym
5988 U.S. 90, Milton, FL
7 AM – 7 PM CDT

Walton County [OPENING 11/19 – 1PM CDT]
DeFuniak Springs Community Center
361 N 10th St, DeFuniak Springs
7AM – 7PM CDT

Washington County
Wausau Town Hall
1607 2nd Ave, Wausau
8 AM – 7 PM CDT

Scroll down ON WEBSITE to see list of locations with dates and status listed

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Housing, Relocation Assistance for Disaster Survivors; Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, County Resources, Contacts & Services (County Level); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Registry, Clean Up Assistance (Survivors Get Help Here – Post Disaster); Services, Disaster Recovery
Campaigns: 2026 Hurricane Isaias / tropical cyclone; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency) State
Updated Oct 23, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10759

GA

Northwest Christian Church – Helping Hands Pantry (Donation Collection Site)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith–Based Food Pantry/Disaster Relief
3737 Dallas Acworth Hwy., Acworth, GA 30101

Phone 770–425–2525
Web www.nwcc.net
Serves Cobb County, GA
Eligibility Low Income Community / Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

2011, from the website:

Food Pantry

The Food Pantry is opened to the public two days each week, Tuesday and Thursday from 9:00am – 1:00pm. Food is distributed based on need. An application is required and does not guarantee approval.

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2009: From the Hope Atlanta website (collaboration of local churches responding to the flood):

Accepting donations of baby items, food, water, personal care items, animal food, and school supplies. Pick up is not available.

Services offered: Animals, Food, * Animal Food (ANY/ALL Types); Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); School, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Support for "All Local" Disasters; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; International Community, Latino
Updated Jun 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4654

Central Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Church
190 Upper River Rd., Americus, GA
Phone See facility called, "Samaritan's Purse"

See Samaritan's Purse facility record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1137
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado; Samaritan's Purse
Updated Feb 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1199

Georgia SouthWestern, State University

Walk–in Resource · Standby

State/Fed
S Lee St, Americus, GA
Phone S Lee St, showers @ Student Success Center
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Feb 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1201

LTRC, First Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

UMCOR
200 S Lee St., Americus, GA 31709
Phone see facility "UMCOR–affiliate, Americus"

SEE facility record for "UMCOR Affiliate– Americus". All the needs lists and contacts for the First Methodist Church are kept there. Thanks.

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1197

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee Advice
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; UMCOR Relief Network; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster – this org is a member); VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Sep 25, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1147

Atlanta Community Tool Bank (Tool Rental for Non–Profits, Free Consumable Supplies for Members)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community / Long Term Disaster Recovery
55 Ormond St SE, Atlanta, GA 30315
Phone 404.880.0054 ext. 12
Web www.atlanta.toolbank.org
Serves Atlanta, GA
Eligibility 9/09 GA Floods – Recovery Projects, Non–Profits Only
Service Temporary

6/2011 from the website (NOTE the "weekly tool handling fee":

avails, inventory list: http://www.toolbank.org/toollist/ATL_Inventory.pdf

Item, Type, # available, weekly tool handling fee
Tool Type Total Inventory Weekly Tool Handling Fee
Extension cord: 50 ft 103 $0.27
Extension ladder: 16 foot 52 $2.37
Extension ladder: 24 foot 35 $5.16
Extension pole: 4ft 395 $0.12
Floor scraper 37 $0.43
Folding chair 47 $0.75
Folding table: 30" x 6 feet 45 $1.65
Generator: 3000W/120V 6 $26.97
Generator: 3500W/240V 8 $36.87
Hack saw 50 $0.30
Hammer drill: corded 7 $4.80
Hammer: 2–4 lb demolition 45 $0.52
Hammer: framing 21 $0.40
Hammer: standard claw 334 $0.22
Hand Cultivator 247 $0.12
Hand sander (sheetrock) 39 $0.19
Hand trowel 691 $0.12
Hand truck 23 $1.47
Hand weeder 131 $0.09
Hard hat 148 $0.21
Hedge shears 163 $0.60
Hex wrench set: English and metric 34 $0.24
Hoe: garden 174 $0.30
Ice chest / cooler 35 $0.99
Jackhammer: electric 1 $38.97
Jig saw 9 $2.07
Kneepads (pair) 161 $0.33
Level: 2ft 80 $0.33
Level: 4ft 77 $0.48
Level: post 19 $0.12
Level: torpedo 45 $0.12
Lopper 259 $0.80
Mallet: rubber 41 $0.15
Mitre saw (and mitre box) 18 $0.40
Mitre saw: compound 9 $4.50
Mixing tub 5 $0.12
Mortar hoe 10 $0.90
Mud tray 65 $0.13
Nail apron (cloth) 196 $0.06
Paint can hook 55 $0.06
Paint can key 308 $0.03
Paint scraper 129 $0.24
Paint tray 401 $0.04
Palm sander: 4in square pad 15 $1.20
Pick mattox / pick axe 115 $0.96
Pipe wrench: large 17 $0.33
Pipe wrench: small 32 $0.24
Pitchfork: long handle 104 $1.05
Pitchfork: short D–handle 138 $0.75
Plastic bucket: 10 qt 93 $0.13
Plastic bucket: 2.5 qt 183 $0.05
Plastic bucket: 5 gal 323 $0.15
Plastic bucket: 5 qt 35 $0.08
Pliers: channel lock 127 $0.39
Pliers: needle nose 72 $0.27
Pliers: regular 173 $0.18
Pliers: vise grip 39 $0.39
Pole saw (tree pruner) 11 $1.20
post driver 3 $0.78
Post hole digger 99 $0.75
Power strip (6 outlets) 301 $0.09

Pruner (hand-held) 179 $0.51
Pruning saw: folding 77 $0.60
Putty knife: 1–2in wide 258 $0.18
Putty knife: 3–4in wide 207 $0.21
Rake: bow / iron 679 $0.30
Rake: leaf 594 $0.30
Reciprocating saw 12 $2.97
Roller cage: 4in 200 $0.05
Roller cage: 9in 1,066 $0.08
Roofing shovel 14 $0.60
Rubber boots 43 $0.49
Safety cone 111 $0.40
Safety goggles 413 $0.18
Safety vest: orange 92 $0.23
Sanding block 68 $0.15
Sawhorse: single 72 $0.45
Screwdriver: flat head 351 $0.12
Screwdriver: phillips head 353 $0.12
Scrub brush 254 $0.12
Sheetrock saw 20 $0.22
Shovel: round head 1,101 $0.30
Shovel: square head 585 $0.30
Shovel: wide mouth 72 $0.69
Sledgehammer 46 $0.69
Socket set 30 $1.02
Spade: drain / trenching 97 $0.75
Spade: round head 60 $0.45
Spade: square head 120 $0.45
Spray nozzle (for hose) 68 $0.15
Square: 12in 15 $0.12
Square: 24in 48 $0.25
Square: adjustable 12in 26 $0.19
Square: speed 40 $0.21
Squeegee: floor 34 $0.59
Squeegee: window 26 $0.44
Staple gun 15 $0.49
Step ladder: 12 ft 2 $9.00
Step ladder: 4 ft 39 $1.20
Step ladder: 6 ft 122 $1.47
Step ladder: 8 ft 60 $2.46
Step ladder: Little Giant 18 $11.99
Stone chisel: narrow 29 $0.16
Stone chisel: wide 8 $0.34
Survey tape: 100ft 56 $0.51
Swing blade / weedcutter 90 $0.51
Tape measure: 25ft 185 $0.27
Tarp 333 $0.25
Telescope pole: 8ft 55 $0.37
Tiller: heavy duty 1 $19.50
Tin snips/aviator snips 87 $0.39
Tool pouch/belt 38 $0.60
Trash can: event 91 $0.60
Trash can: recycle 30 $0.60
Trash grabbers 150 $0.60
Utility knife 131 $0.10
Water cooler: 5 gallon 25 $0.66
Water hose (50 foot) 79 $0.48
Weed Wrench 4 $5.73
Weedeater: electric with spool 10 $4.47
Wet/dry vacuum 18 $2.52
Wheelbarrow: 4 cubic ft 68 $0.90
Wheelbarrow: 6 cubic ft 79 $1.50
Window scraper 44 $0.10

Window scrubber 24 $0.44
Wire brush 240 $0.12
Wire cutters 132 $0.25
Wonder bar: 12 in 34 $0.30
Wood chisel: narrow 54 $0.25
Wood chisel: wide 1+ in 61 $0.30
Work gloves – cloth (pair) 3,403 $0.06
Work gloves: leather/suede 455 $0.09
Work gloves: rubber 500 $0.15
Work light: halogen 500w 51 $0.45
Wrecking bar: 24 inch 30 $0.30

The Atlanta Community ToolBank is pleased to present our new complimentary consumable project supply list. These products are designed to enhance tool usage, while also enabling our member agencies to complete more community improvement projects with maximum cost savings. Please note, supplies are only available to active member agencies at the time of tool check out and can only be picked up in conjunction with a tool order.

Supplies are donated by corporate partners and not all items will be in stock at all times. Updates will be posted via the monthly E–News Blast.

Please contact the ToolBank at 404.880.0054 x12 with any questions.
Happy Volunteering!

Consumable Project Supplies
Dust Masks – One mask per volunteer with dusty projects
Lawn/Leaf Bags – One bag per rake
Contractor Bags – 2 bags per volunteer with brooms, rakes, trash grabbers, 5G buckets, or dust pans
Paint Tray Liners – 1 per paint tray
Paintbrushes – 1 brush per 3 volunteers with 2 ½ Qt bucket, paint trays, or roller cages
Painters Tape – 1 roll per 3 volunteers with 2 ½ Qt bucket, paint trays, or roller cages
Roller Covers (4 “& 9”) – 1 cover per roller cage
Sanding Paper (standard sheet, all grits) – 1 sheet per sanding block or 3 sheets per palm sander
Builder’s/Rosin Paper – 2 rolls per project with roller cages, paint trays, or 2 ½ qt buckets
Latex Caulk (paintable) – 1 tube per caulk gun
Bleach – 1 gallon per 3 volunteers with scrub brushes, buckets, or water hose
Window Cleaner – 1 bottle per squeegee
General Purpose Cleaner – 1 bottle per 3 volunteers with scrub brushes, buckets, or water hose
Sponges or Rags – 1 per volunteer with scrub brushes, buckets, or water hose
Shop Towels/paper towels – 1 roll per 3 volunteers with scrub brushes, buckets, or water hose

OLD NOTES:

Atlanta Community Tool Bank

Greatest need: new and gently used tools that will be provided to groups involved in clean–up efforts.

Where to donate: Call 404.880.0054 ext. 12 or e–mail cj@toolbank.org to discuss donation as ACTB cannot accept some items. ACTB requires appointments prior to drop–off. Visit www.atlanta.toolbank.org

FROM THE WEBSITE:

TOOLS TO AID FLOOD RECOVERY

Due to the recent climate crisis, your Atlanta Community ToolBank will waive all handling fees for projects directly related to flood recovery efforts.This offer will be active September 25–October 15, 2009. Please note, 48 hours notice on all tool requests and confirmed pick–up and return appointments are still required.

Current Members:
∗Submit the standard on–line Tool Request Form
List Your Agency Name–Flood Recovery
Non–ToolBank Members:
∗Contact Gina Chaves, Communications & Outreach Director (404.880.0054 x11 or gina@toolbank.org) to renew or set–up your ToolBank membership.

The official press release is listed below and will be running throughout the week on local newscasts and in print media. However, as always we wanted our partners and closest supporters to hear the word straight from us. Please forward this message to any charitable group who may be in need of tools to aid in flood clean–up and repair projects or any media contacts who may have an interest in promoting this special offer. As always, thank you for your patronage.

Sept. 22, 2009 NEWS RELEASE

CONTACT: Gina Chaves
Director, Communications and Outreach
404.880.0054 x11
gina@toolbank.orgTOOLBANK TO AID FLOOD RECOVERY EFFORTS

ATLANTA (Sept. 22, 2009) –The Atlanta Community ToolBank is extending free tool usage to groups participating in flood related clean–up efforts. Nonprofits, neighborhood associations, schools, faith–based organizations and other eligible charitable groups can borrow equipment for up to two weeks. The ToolBank inventory includes over 150 tool types with everything from trash grabbers to large ladders ready for action.

"The Atlanta Community ToolBank is a nonprofit for nonprofits," said Patty Russart, ToolBank's Executive Director. "Our Tool Lending Program enables groups across greater Atlanta to complete more projects, while saving crucial funds for use in their respective core missions. When unexpected emergencies such as this arise, we feel compelled to help meet the urgent needs our charitable sector may not have the funding in place to support. "

The ToolBank operates as an agency membership program, with eligible groups paying a nominal annual fee to access the inventory. Typically, members pay a small handling fee to borrow tools in order to help repair and maintain tools. Due to the anticipated need for clean–up resources, all handling fees will be waived for any project directly related to the recent flood damage. Agencies will need join the ToolBank in order to borrow tools, with the added benefit of year–round inventory access!

"ToolBank membership enables eligible charitable groups to use tools throughout the year and shop our Rescue & Reuse program, which features a variety of new and gently used sundries including small hardware, cleaning products and painting accessories at 90% below retail pricing," Russart explained. "Membership is required for any tool usage in order to ensure accountability and proper tracking. Fortunately, the generosity of our community donors and corporate sponsors enables us to maintain low cost membership range of $10–$100, with annual membership dues based on each organization's individual budget."

In addition to monetary support, the Atlanta Community ToolBank accepts new and gently used tool donations year–round. "Neighbor helping neighbor is the founding principle behind all ToolBank operations," stated Jessica Pohto, ToolBank Board President. "A crisis such as the current flooding throughout Georgia illustrates why ToolBank inventory is so vital and must continue to place safe, appropriate equipment in the hands of working volunteers."

The ToolBank has developed a top ten list of available flood recovery tools which are ready for check–out:
1) Trash grabbers
2) Buckets of all sizes
3) Ladders (4–24 ft)
4) Wheelbarrows (4 and 6)
5) Industrial push brooms
6) Loppers
7) Wide mouth shovels
8) Tarps
9) Bow saws
10) Shop vac

The following items are also tops on the current ToolBank wish list:
1) Safety vests
2) Work gloves
3) Folding pruning Saws
4) Hand weeders
5) Solid rubber, universal wheelbarrow replacement tires

For more information on ToolBank programs and services, contact Gina Chaves, Director of Communications and Outreach at 404.880.0054 x11 or gina@toolbank.org. Please visit www.atlanta.toolbank.org for additional information.

Services offered: Appliances, Small, Vacuum Cleaner; Tool Bank, Community; Tool Lending; Tools * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September
Updated Jun 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4572

Atlanta Mission – Mission Support Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

2353 Bolton Road, NW, Atlanta, GA 30318

Phone 404–588–4000
Web www.atlantamission.org
Service Temporary

If you need information on entering the program, contact:
Atlanta Men's Services: (404) 350–1300
Women and Children's Services: (404) 532–1929
Northeast Georgia Men's Services: (706) 354–5561

How do I contact your facilities?
Atlanta Mission operates four facilities in metro Atlanta and Northeast Georgia including, The Shepherd's Inn, My Sister's House, Fuqua Hall and The Potter's House. The best way to contact each facility is by telephone.

How do I get admitted to receive services at your facilities?
If you are seeking emergency overnight shelter or temporary shelter, you will need to visit the facility for intake.

•The Shepherd's Inn
Location: 156 Mills Street NW, Atlanta
Phone Number: 404–588–4015
Who is eligible: Men, 18 years of age or older. We do not accept men with children at this facility.

•My Sister's House
Location: 921 Howell Mill Road NW, Atlanta
Phone Number: 404–367–2476
Who is eligible: Women, 18 years of age or older and women with children. Children must be 16 years of age and younger.

The Potter's House
655 Potter's House Road, Jefferson, Ga 30549
(706) 543–8338 x5103

Fuqua Hall
144 Mills Street, Atlanta, Ga 30313
(404) 367–2508

What programs do you provide?
Atlanta Mission offers overnight shelter to men, women and mothers with children at our various facilities who are suffering from either temporary or long–term distress. We encourage those whose situation requires longer term or more advanced care to enter into our Temporary Shelter program and commit to living at our facility for 14 days. During that time, Atlanta Mission offers case management where we sit down with the client and, together, work out a plan that can best solve their problems, ultimately ending their homelessness. Oftentimes, we determine that the client's needs may be best served through one of our programs. Atlanta Mission offers a Job Attainment program (designed to aid our residents in becoming employed), a pre–transitional housing program.

Please contact the Salvation Army for more information on intact family housing. For a list of locations nearest you, please go to: www.SalvationArmyUSA.org

THRIFT STORE –
http://www.atlantamission.org/thrift–stores
http://www.atlantamission.org/thrift–stores/locations/moudle/default

DONATIONS –
http://www.atlantamission.org/thrift–stores/in–kind–gifts
Your in–kind donations help Atlanta Mission in many ways.

Your gently used clothing items, furniture and household items keep our thrift store shelves stocked. Your toiletries, canned food items, paper goods and school supplies save operational costs for Atlanta Mission and meet day to day needs at each of our facilities.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Homeless, Mens Homeless Shelter; Shelter, Women's Shelter; Thrift Store; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jan 12, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7495

Courageous Church, The (Free Breakfast)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith Based – FREE MEAL
1330 West Peachtree St., Atlanta, GA 30309
Web freebreakfastchurch.com
Hours Sunday 10:00am – 11:00am
Service Temporary

(Look for The Courageous Church Signs Everywhere)

No Strings Attached

FREE PARKING !

Give e–mail address on website for:
Our Future Locations, Menus, Etc.

Also see CAT Facility Entry for Hope Atlanta, responding to the 9/09 GA Floods:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4565

Services offered: Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Breakfast
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September
Updated May 15, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4617

Destiny Metropolitan Worship Church ('09 Floods)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Church: Disaster Relief/Recovery
1775 Water Place SE, Atlanta, GA 30339

Phone 770–509–9010
Web destinymetro.org/floodrelief.html
Serves Fulton County, Metro Atlanta, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

Destiny Metropolitan Worship Church is partnering with community organizations and churches to demonstrate the hands and heart of God to our family and friends impacted by the Atlanta Flood. On Wednesday, September 30 and Sunday, October 4th, we will be collecting more household supplies and personal items for families within the community and the congregation needing help during this difficult time.

HOW TO GET HELP
If you have been impacted by the flood or know of a family that has been impacted, please email the names and contact information to info@destinymetro.org.

UPDATED DONATION LIST

Building Supplies (e.g. Shovels, face masks, googles, work gloves)
Non–perishable food
Baby Supplies (e.g. diapers, wipes, baby food, etc...)
Cleaning Supplies
Men/Women/Children Undergarments (e.g. socks, t–shirts, etc...) only
Paper products
Medical supplies, such as bandages, first aid kits, etc...
(Updated: Donated items should be left behind your vehicles on Sunday. In the event of rain, please use the donation drop–off site in the parking lot).

HOW TO GET INVOLVED
If you would like to volunteer, please email your contact information to info@destinymetro.org and indicate in your email the area below that you would like to serve:

PRAYING: Pray daily for the families impacted by the flood.
SORTING: Help sort donations.
ORGANIZING: Strong organization and administrative skills are needed to help lead specific relief initiatives in the community.
VOLUNTEERING: Serve wherever needed.

MAKE A DONATION
If you would like to contribute financially to help those families impacted by the flood, please go to:

https://integration.fellowshipone.com/Integration/login.aspx?ReturnUrl=%2fintegration%2fcontribution%2fonlinecontribution.aspx%3fcCode%3dqC53%2bBzhBQE7dW1dfMiXqw%3d%3d&cCode=qC53+BzhBQE7dW1dfMiXqw==

Setting up an account and password allows you to enter a highly secure environment for your transaction. After your account and password are established, all of your personal information including credit card information is safe and protected.

Select “Missions” for the Fund and “Disaster Relief” for the Sub Fund once the online giving window opens.

Contact the Business Management Office at 770.509.9010 and they’ll be glad to answer any questions you may have.

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Services, Disaster Relief
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September
Updated May 15, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4661

FEMA DRC: Fulton County Government Center (DRC operation CLOSING FRIDAY 10/16/09)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
141 Pryor Street SW, Atlanta, GA 30303

Phone 800–621–FEMA (3362), TTY at 800–462–7585
Hours M–Sat: 8 am to 7 pm, Sun: 1 pm to 7 pm
Serves Fulton County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

10/16/09, per FEMA, this site's DRC operation is closing today.

Apply For Disaster Assistance
It's Your First Step to Recovery

Release Date: September 29, 2009
Release Number: 1858–014

» More Information on Georgia Severe Storms and Flooding

» 2009 Region IV News Releases

ATLANTA, Ga. –– Recent floods were very disruptive, creating challenges for flood survivors that will continue long after the initial cleanup. The first step to recovery is only a phone call or click away.

Register For Assistance

If you have insurance, you should contact your insurance agent first. Knowing the amount of coverage your policy provides will help FEMA assist with unmet and underinsured needs. Next, call the FEMA toll–free registration number 24 hours a day, seven days a week at 800–621–FEMA (3362), TTY at 800–462–7585 for the speech and hearing impaired or register online at www.disasterassistance.gov. Registration normally takes less than half an hour.

FEMA disaster assistance will not restore individuals and households to their pre–disaster condition. It helps get safe and sanitary housing and meet other critical needs so flood survivors begin their long–term recovery. If a loss is covered by another source, such as insurance, or is taken care of by a volunteer group, donation or gift, FEMA cannot pay for that cost again. Duplicate payments are prohibited by law.

FEMA DISASTER PROGRAMS

Temporary Housing – Rental assistance for two months for those whose homes are unlivable.

Repair – Homeowners may receive a grant for minimal home repairs and replacement of essential household items that are not covered by insurance to make damaged dwellings safe, sanitary and functional.

Other Needs Assistance (ONA) – applicants receive grants for necessary expenses and serious needs caused by the disaster. This includes medical, dental, funeral, personal property, transportation, vehicle repair or replacement, moving and storage, and other expenses that FEMA approves. The homeowner may need to apply for an SBA loan before receiving this grant.

U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) Loan – After registering, many applicants, including homeowners, renters and businesses, will receive an SBA loan application in the mail. If you receive one, you are strongly urged to complete and return the application to keep the door open for other types of assistance. If a home loan is not appropriate, you may be referred to the state/FEMA Other Needs Assistance (ONA) grant program–but SBA must decline your loan application first. You are not obligated to take an SBA loan if approved, but if the loan is offered and refused, there is no referral to ONA.

FEMA assistance, also referred to as a grant, does not have to be repaid. SBA federal disaster loans used to repair or replace damaged or destroyed property are offered at low–interest rates to those who qualify.

Other Forms of Assistance

Disaster Unemployment Assistance –Workers in 17 counties may be eligible for Federal Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) to compensate for loss of income directly related to the September storms and flooding. Unlike state unemployment insurance, DUA provides benefits to self–employed business people, farmers, commission–paid employees, and others not typically covered by the state unemployment insurance program. People who think they may be eligible for benefits should call the Georgia Department of Labor toll–free customer service line at 877–709–8185 or visit www.dol.state.ga.us to be directed to the nearest career center.

Disaster Legal Services – People in those same counties may also qualify for free legal help for disaster–related issues such as landlord–tenant disputes, insurance claims, unemployment benefits, consumer law and housing law. The service is provided by the State Bar of Georgia Young Lawyers Division, the American Bar Association Young Lawyers Division, the Georgia Legal Services Program and FEMA.

Apply for legal services by calling, toll–free, 866–584–8027.

Crisis Counseling – Free crisis counseling is available to anyone suffering from anxiety, depression or stress from the flooding and storms. Individuals can call the Georgia Crisis Access Line at 800–715–4225 or the Georgia Suicide and Crisis Hotline at 800–784–2433. Both lines are open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

The counties under the disaster declaration for Individual Assistance are Bartow, Carroll, Catoosa, Chattooga, Cherokee, Cobb, Coweta, DeKalb, Douglas, Fulton, Gwinnett, Heard, Newton, Paulding, Rockdale, Stephens and Walker.

FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.

Source: FEMA 9/29/09

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How To, File Disaster Unemployment Claims; Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, How To, Loan & Grant Application Assistance (Disaster Survivors); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief

Resources; Assistance, How To, Replace Destroyed Documents; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Unemployment Benefits for Disaster Survivors; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/ Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Services, Document Replacement for Disaster Survivors; Services, Food Stamps Applicant Outreach; Services: Legal Assistance for Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated Oct 27, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4603

FEMA DRC: Welcome All Park (DRC operation CLOSING at end of day on FRIDAY 10/16/09)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
Welcome All Park; 4255 Will Lee Road, Atlanta, GA 30349

Hours Monday through Saturday 8 am to 7 pm – Sunday 1 pm to 7 pm
Serves Fulton County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

Source: FEMA 10/16 (DRC operation is CLOSING FRIDAY Oct 16/09)

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Other Needs Assistance (ONA) – applicants receive grants for necessary expenses and serious needs caused by the disaster. This includes medical, dental, funeral, personal property, transportation, vehicle repair or replacement, moving and storage, and other expenses that FEMA approves. The homeowner may need to apply for an SBA loan before receiving this grant.

U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) Loan – After registering, many applicants, including homeowners, renters and businesses, will receive an SBA loan application in the mail. If you receive one, you are strongly urged to complete and return the application to keep the door open for other types of assistance. If a home loan is not appropriate, you may be referred to the state/FEMA Other Needs Assistance (ONA) grant program–but SBA must decline your loan application first. You are not obligated to take an SBA loan if approved, but if the loan is offered and refused, there is no referral to ONA.

FEMA assistance, also referred to as a grant, does not have to be repaid. SBA federal disaster loans used to repair or replace damaged or destroyed property are offered at low–interest rates to those who qualify.

Other Forms of Assistance

Disaster Unemployment Assistance –Workers in 17 counties may be eligible for Federal Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) to compensate for loss of income directly related to the September storms and flooding. Unlike state unemployment insurance, DUA provides benefits to self–employed business people, farmers, commission–paid employees, and others not typically covered by the state unemployment insurance program. People who think they may be eligible for benefits should call the Georgia Department of Labor toll–free customer service line at 877–709–8185 or visit www.dol.state.ga.us to be directed to the nearest career center.

Disaster Legal Services – People in those same counties may also qualify for free legal help for disaster–related issues such as landlord–tenant disputes, insurance claims, unemployment benefits, consumer law and housing law. The service is provided by the State Bar of Georgia Young Lawyers Division, the American Bar Association Young Lawyers Division, the Georgia Legal Services Program and FEMA.

Apply for legal services by calling, toll–free, 866–584–8027.

Crisis Counseling – Free crisis counseling is available to anyone suffering from anxiety, depression or stress from the flooding and storms. Individuals can call the Georgia Crisis Access Line at 800–715–4225 or the Georgia Suicide and Crisis Hotline at 800–784–2433. Both lines are open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

The counties under the disaster declaration for Individual Assistance are Bartow, Carroll, Catoosa, Chattooga, Cherokee, Cobb, Coweta, DeKalb, Douglas, Fulton, Gwinnett, Heard, Newton, Paulding, Rockdale, Stephens and Walker.

FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.

source: 9/23:
DRC Locations opened today by FEMA (courtesy of Ken Skalitzky)
per email from GAVOAD

Hours of Operation:

Friday, September 25, 2009, 8:00am - 7:00pm
8:00am– 7:00pm, 7 days a week, until further notice

SOURCE:
http://www.fema.gov/news/newsrelease.fema?id=49556
Disaster Recovery Center Opens In Cobb County
Release Date: September 25, 2009
Release Number: 1858–001

» 2009 Region IV News Releases

ATLANTA, Ga. –– A Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) operated by the State of Georgia and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) opened today in Cobb County for those affected earlier this week by severe storms and flooding.

The DRC is located at The Threadmill, 5000 Austell/Powder Springs Road, Suite 151 in Austell, and is open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. seven days a week until further notice.

People who suffered losses can get person–to–person assistance at the centers from specialists skilled in many disaster–related subjects.

Disaster officials ask that before visiting the centers, people first apply for assistance by registering online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov or by calling 800–621–FEMA (3362) or TTY 800–462–7585. The toll–free numbers are staffed seven days a week, 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Help in all languages is available.

Once registered, disaster recovery specialists at the recovery center can check an individual's case, answer questions about their claim, or review information needed to process their claim. Recovery specialists also can supply contacts for other programs that may be able to help.

U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) representatives will be at the DRC to answer any questions about the SBA's low–interest disaster loan program for homeowners, renters, businesses of all sizes and private non–profit organizations. These loans are to repair or replace real estate and/or personal property damaged by the storms and flooding.

Representatives will help complete and accept SBA disaster loan application. Anyone not able to go to a DRC should call the SBA Customer Service Center from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday, and Saturday and Sunday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., EST, toll–free at 800–659–2955 for information and assistance, or visit the SBA Web site at www.sba.gov/services/disasterassistance or send an email to disastercustomerservice@sba.gov.

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Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How To, File Disaster Unemployment Claims; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, How To, Replace Destroyed Documents; Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Mental Health Services; Services: Legal Assistance for Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated Oct 27, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4686

Furniture Bank – Metro Atlanta

Walk–in Resource · Open

Furniture Bank
538 Permalume Pl Nw, Atlanta, GA
Phone (404) 355–8530
Web furniturebankatlanta.org
Service Temporary

9/30/09: GAVOAD notes for Flood Response:

Habitat for Humanity International (Giovanni Taylor–Peace)
• Attended Cobb community meeting this morning. ARC representative mentioned that furniture donations should go to Furniture Bank of Metro Atlanta. MUST Ministries reported that they had more of a need for food donations rather than clothing. LDS and GA Association of Food Banks said they can assist with that need.

FROM THE WEBSITE:

DONATE FURNITURE
If you would like to donate furniture to the Furniture Bank, keep in mind that the items must be in good condition, without need of repair or cleaning. You have two options:

1. Bring your items to us. We accept donations from 8am – 4:30pm, Monday – Friday. If you call ahead and let us know what you have, and we will have your receipt ready when you arrive.

2. Schedule our free pickup service. We can send a truck to certain areas within the Atlanta area to pick up your furniture. We pick up in most of Fulton, Dekalb, Cobb, and Gwinnett Counties. In order to schedule an appointment, you may contact the Donations Coordinator at 404–355–8530 ext. 222 or donations@furniturebankatlanta.org.

The things we need:
mattresses, box springs, bed frames
dressers, chests, armoires, mirrors, night stands, tv stands
dining tables and chairs
cribs, changing tables, highchairs
buffets, hutches, china cabinets
coffee tables, sofa tables, end tables
sofas, loveseats, armchairs, ottomans
lamps, kitchenware, linens, microwave ovens

The things we do not take:
anything torn, stained, broken, or structurally unsound
desks, file cabinets, office furniture
outdoor furniture
large appliances
pianos
game tables
exercise equipment
hospital beds
waterbeds
knick–knacks
light fixtures, window treatments, carpeting
computers
books, clothing, toys, car seats, strollers, playpen
large entertainment centers

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Furniture, Furniture Bank; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September
Updated Oct 5, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4647

Georgia Department of Behavioral Health & Developmental Disabilities (Case Worker Grants/Training)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Two Peachtree Street, N.W.; 24th Floor, Atlanta, GA 30303
Phone 404–657–2252
Contact Constituent Services
Email DBHDDconstituentservices@dbhdd.ga.gov
Web dbhdd.georgia.gov/portal/site/DBHDD
Service Temporary

Per GAVOAD:

Jeannette David & Steve Herndon: DBHDD– They have received a crisis counseling grant to provide services to the residents of GA impacted by the tornadoes. This grant should allow them to be able to provide services for the next 9 months. Clients wishing to seek their services should call 800–715–4225. They will be training 36 caseworkers to work on the project (GA Recovery Project).

Services offered: Assistance, for non–profits (In General); Financial Assistance, for Long Term Recovery Committee Administration/Training; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Community Development; Grants, Disaster Rebuilding; Grants, Education; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, For Non–Profits; Training Classes, Disaster Volunteer Management; Training Classes, Non–Profit Managers
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Aug 9, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8763

Salvation Army Metro Atlanta – Distribution Sites – INDEX (9/09 GA Floods Response)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief
Metro Atlanta Area Command; P.O. Box 49247, Atlanta, GA 30359

Web	www.uss.salvationarmy.org/USS/www_uss_atlanta.nsf/vw–dynamic–index/75D18F1CEC1A45E8852574710047B8BD?openDocument&charset=utf–8
Serves	Metro Atlanta, GA
Eligibility	Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Bring	Photo ID with proof of residence
Checks payable to	Salvation Army – Georgia Flood Relief
Service	Temporary

Salvation Army Expands To Seven Disaster Assistance Centers Send this page to a friend

Released 29 September 2009
Salvation Army Expands To Seven Disaster Assistance Centers

(Atlanta, September 29, 2009) To date, The Salvation Army has assisted thousands of individuals through its Metro Atlanta Area Disaster Assistance Centers.

Beginning Wednesday, September 30th, The Salvation Army will expand its Disaster Assistance Centers operations to include six locations to distribute foodboxes, cleanup kits, and clothing assistance to victims in the following flood–affected areas.

Flood victims may visit their appropriate center from 10am–3pm. Applicants must have a photo ID with proof of residence. Only one applicant may apply per household.

The Salvation Army
Carrollton Service Center
115 Lake Carroll Blvd
Carrollton, GA 30117
(Carroll County flood victims)

The Salvation Army
Douglas Family Emergency Services
8460 Courthouse Square East
First Floor
Douglasville, GA 30134
(Douglas County flood victims)

The Salvation Army
Marietta Corps Community Center
202 Waterman St SE
Marietta, GA 30060
(Cobb and Paulding flood victims)

The Salvation Army
Peachcrest Corps Community Center
3500 Sherrydale Lane
Decatur, GA 30032
(Dekalb and South Fulton Counties flood victims)

The Salvation Army
Lawrenceville Corps Community Center
3455 Sugarloaf Pkwy
Lawrenceville, GA 30044
(Gwinnett, North Fulton and Rockdale County flood victims)

The Salvation Army
Canton Service Center
121 Waleska Street
Canton, GA 30114
(Cherokee County flood victims)

Chattooga County Mobile DRC
Trion School
919 All Good Street
Trion, GA 30753
(Chatooga County Flood Victims)

GAVOAD 9/26 ConCall Notes:

(Major Marshall Gesner)
•Still feeding in impacted area. Limited number of food boxes & cleaning kits avail in Douglasville, Austell, Powder Springs, Carollton, Lawrenceville. Contact number is 404–550–3707.

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types); * KITS, CLEANING/CLEAN UP KITS; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Mobile Meals, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; Salvation Army; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Oct 5, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4586

SWEEAC (Southwest Ecumenical Emergency Assistance Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community/Disaster Relief/Recovery
1040 Ralph David Abernathy Blvd., Atlanta, GA 30310

Web www.sweeac.org
Serves Atlanta Metro Area
Eligibility School children impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

School Supplies and Book Bags for Children and Flood Victims Donations Request
SWEEAC (Southwest Ecumenical Emergency Assistance Center)

1040 Ralph David Abernathy Blvd.
Atlanta, GA 30310

Supplies needed for children grades K–12 throughout the year. Also victims of the 2009 floods needs replacement school supplies

For more information:
Name: Ernesta B. Ingram
Email: sweeac@bellsouth.net

FROM THE WEBSITE/PROGRAMS:

Food Pantry – Our Food Pantry is one of our greatest demands at the Center. Food donated from food drives and The Atlanta Community Food Bank help to serve over 1000 families in a given year. That represents over 7,000 people who are referred and served.

Career Center– Clients are offered job information, staffing agency assistance, career counseling, resume preparation and referrals for continued education.

Clothing Closet – Clothes are donated to our closets from local vendors and the community at large. Clothing is provided free of charge and available for infants, toddlers, children, men and women.

The clothing closets are manned by volunteers from our partner churches and from the community. Volunteers sort, size and display clothes and accessories that are donated and assist clients in selecting the clothes they need.

Glasses and Hearing Program – Free glasses and hearing aids are now available through The Lion's Club Outreach Program. A screening process is required.

Disaster Relief – Efforts to provide immediate assistance to those affected by nature related disasters are in place at SWEEAC. Referral information is on hand to Red Cross, FEMA, DFACS, and The Department of Labor.

Back to School Supplies – Supplies such as books, book bags, notebooks, crayons, paper, pens and pencils are furnished to school age children during our annual Back To School Event.

Food Stamps Applicant Outreach – Partnership with Georgia Healthy Families and The Atlanta Community Food Bank allows clients to begin food stamps counseling and apply for stamps online at the SWEEAC office. Counselors are on site to begin the initial food stamps process.

Thanksgiving and Christmas Assistance – Special food boxes with hams or turkeys are provided during our holiday distribution events and toys, bikes and gift cards for children and teens are provided through Toys For Tots, our partner churches and community organizations.

Referrals – United Way provides referral information through 211 and volunteer opportunities through their Volunteer Solutions program.

"Betcha Can't Read Just Three" Reading Program – Children grades K–12 can particpate in our reading program. In partnership with The Books For Miles Foundation, a mobile unit commited to help spread literacy throughout the Atlanta area, new books are provided and certificates awarded at the end of the program.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Counseling, Career Counseling; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Closet; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Financial Assistance, Food Stamps, Emergency Food Stamps; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Holiday, Food Boxes/ Basket, Misc.; Literacy Program; School, Supplies, School Bags (W/Supplies in Them); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Food Stamps Applicant Outreach; Services, Social Services, General Social Services
Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security
Updated Sep 27, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4571

Ewing Road Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith–Based Community/Disaster Relief/Recovery
4699 Ewing Road, Austell, GA 30106

Phone 770–941–2467
Web michaelstovalllive.wordpress.com
Serves Austell, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

Not participating in 2011 tornado relief effort. TF

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old notes:

Ewing Road Disaster Relief 9/30–10/3

Dear Church Family,

Let me share with you our flood relief plan of action and volunteer needs for the remainder of this week.

Wednesday thru Friday:

Serving Lunch from 11:30am–1:30pm and Dinner from 5:00pm–7:00pm ~ We need 5–7 volunteers to help serve the meals. The meals are being prepared and delivered by the American Red Cross. Our volunteers are serving the meals in our fellowship hall.

Water Bottle Distribution from 11:00am–1:00pm and from 5:00pm–7:00pm ~ The water bottle distribution is our primary contact for informing and reminding our neighbors about the meal option.

Wednesday Night ~ We would like to be able to blitz the neighborhoods with volunteers to distribute water bottles and do outreach and evangelism in the neighborhoods. This will start at 5:00pm and run until 8:00pm.
We are serving meals and distributing water on Saturday as well. However, we are being blessed by Truett–McConnell College with 20–25 college students to handle all of the relief work on Saturday! Praise the Lord!

Due to the overwhelming response of donations and where we are in the relief ministry process, we are no longer able to accept any donations of supplies or materials at this point. There may be the need down the road for more as the current supplies and materials are distributed, but for now Ewing Road and just about all of our donation organizations are full. If you have supplies or items you would like to donate, please contact the church office for information about where you take certain items.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the church office (770–941–2467 / erbcoffice@bellsouth.net).

With the Father's Love,

Pastor Michael

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Mobile Distribution of Disaster Relief Supplies; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)

Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; Southern Baptist Convention Disaster Relief
Updated Jun 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4564

Good Shepherd Outreach Center (DONATION DROP SITE) (from 2009)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith–Based Disaster Relief/Recovery
DIST./DONATION DROP SITE AT: Austell Supermarket, 5875 Love Street; GOOD SHEPHERD: 6216 Love Street, Austell, GA 30168

Phone 770–948–1567
Web www.episcopalatlanta.org/Content/Supplies_Needed.asp
Serves Cobb County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

To volunteer (at least at the moment) send an e–mail to Canon Debbie Shew dshew@episcopalatlanta.org or 404–630–5321.

Donations for general use may be taken to Austell Supermarket, 5875 Love Street, Austell, or for a coordinated drop–off at Good Shepherd, contact Debbie Shew.

The Distribution location is at the Austell Supermarket.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Transportation, Disaster Survivors (To Assistance Center, Etc.); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Jun 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4641

Sweetwater Valley C.A.M.P.

Walk–in Resource · Open

Social Services Agency, Disaster Recovery
6289 Veterans Memorial Highway, Austell, GA 30168

Phone 770.819.0662
Web www.svcamp.org
Hours Mon. – Sat. 9 am – 1 pm
Checks payable to Sweetwater Valley C.A.M.P. (Marked with "FLOOD")
Service Temporary

On–going operations services:

– Clothes Closet
– Food Pantry
– Financial Assistance

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OLD NOTES FROM 2009:

Site acted as a one–stop assistance center.

Deliver donations of food or clothing to our facility ~
Donations are received at the back door, Monday through Saturday, 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM

If you have any questions concerning donation, please call Darlene Duke at (770) 819–0662, extension 11.

Local churches listed at:
http://www.svcamp.org/churches.htm

Available from the agencies represented at this location:

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
TEMPORARY HOUSING
FOOD/WATER
CLOTHING
DIAPERS
HYGIENE ITEMS
SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Source: 9/29/09, from GAVOAD

For Immediate Release

Sweetwater Valley C.A.M.P. to Serve as
Central Assistance Location for Flood Victims

Austell, Ga. (September 30, 2009.) On Wednesday, September 30, more than 60 members of the Cobb County community including nonprofit leaders, government and local schools, and churches assembled at South Cobb High School for the second

meeting of agencies to address the needs of Cobb County flood victims. The meeting, also attended by Representative Alisha Thomas–Morgan, District 39, was scheduled to discuss the plans to ensure the immediate and long–term needs of flood victims are met.

Sweetwater Valley C.A.M.P. located at 6289 Veterans Memorial Highway in Austell has been designated as a central location for flood assistance. Starting Monday, October 5, flood victims can be seen Monday through Saturday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Case managers from Sweetwater Valley C.A.M.P. and local agencies including The Center for Family Resources, MUST Ministries, and The Salvation Army will be present to provide resources including financial assistance, temporary housing assistance, food, clothing, diapers, hygiene items, school supplies and water.

Contact Sweetwater Valley C.A.M.P at 770.819.0662 or www.svcamp.org.

“Case managers will work one–on–one with families to identify unmet needs, intermediate and long–term needs, said Darlene Duke, executive director of Sweetwater Valley C.A.M.P. We have to be there for the long haul. We are very grateful to all the agencies supporting us and rallying behind us to make this happen.”

Donations items are needed to support the relief effort including cash donations; basic food staples; gift cards to Walmart, Kmart, Target, etc; hygiene items, diapers and cleaning supplies. Donations of furniture should be given to the Atlanta Furniture Bank. They can be reached via the web at www.AtlantaFurnitureBank.org. You can also call David DiCaprio at 404.355.8530, ext. 222.

Cash donations clearly marked with ‘FLOOD’ can be made to community partners: Sweetwater Valley C.A.M.P., Cobb Disaster Recovery, The Center for Family Resources, MUST Ministries and the United Way of Cobb County.

“I am proud to see so many local community organizations, government and churches coming together to support our community, share resources and connect with one another, said Representative Alisha Thomas–Morgan, District 39. We appreciate the outpouring of support and want people to continue to make donations and realize the support is needed on a long–term basis.”

Current volunteer needs include sorting clothes and food, crowd control, administrative tasks, mudding and construction repair. Non–construction volunteers should contact Jenaila Hawkins at MUST Ministries at jhawkins@mustministries.org or (770) 790–3873. Skilled volunteers looking to provide construction, plumbing, or carpentry expertise should contact Gene DeWulf, Cobb Disaster Recovery at gdewulf@uwma.org or (404) 589–9438.

“CFR is proud to be a part of this effort and to support Sweetwater Valley C.A.M.P as this community comes together in support of one another, Jeri Barr, CFR CEO said. The cooperative and collaborative effort of these organizations and the generosity of this community will help to ensure as many residents as possible receive the assistance they need.”

Services offered: Case Management, Flood Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Management, Volunteer Placement; School, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Work Orders/Projects (provided by this facility); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; Salvation Army
Updated Jun 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4648

Hand–Up, Inc (Voluntary Action Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit
343 S Wall St, Calhoun, GA 30701
Phone 706 629–7283
Web www.hand–up.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Feb 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1294

Bartow County DRC, Clarence Brown Conf. Center FEMA REGISTRATION

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
5450 Highway 20, Cartersville, GA
Service Temporary

GEMA press release 5/16: This site open Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on Sunday from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. until further notice.

FEMA Registration at this site, and various other disaster recovery services.

Services offered: Services, Family, Children, Daycare Services
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8270

Salvation Army

Walk–in Resource · Open

16 Felton Place, Cartersville, GA 30120

Phone	770–441–6200
Web	www.salvationarmy–georgia.org/Corps_Cartersville.cfm
Eligibility	The needy, folks impacted by disaster
Checks payable to	Salvation Army
Service	Temporary

Worship and Service Center
16 Felton Place
Cartersville, GA. 30120

To Donate: (770) 386–6256
To Volunteer: (770) 386–6256
For Assistance: (770) 386–6256

Other addresses:

Thrift Stores
16 Felton Place
Cartersville, GA. 30120
Hours: Monday thru Saturday 9am–5pm

Community Services

Emergency shelter, Drug/alcohol abuse rehabilitation, rent assistance, utilities assistance, clothing and food assistance, disaster relief services,

Volunteer Opportunities

Community kitchen – serving
Mailing newsletter
Packing Food Boxes
Answering phone
Christmas Bell Ringers
Thanksgiving Community Meal
Youth Programs – Helper

Worship Services

Sunday:
10:00am Sunday School
11:00am Morning Worship
6:00pm Evening Worship Meeting

Tuesday:
7:00pm Beginning Band

Wednesday:
11:30am Womens Club
6:30pm Prayer Time
7:00 Bible Study

DISASTER RELIEF SERVICES
Miracles in the midst of pain and suffering...

When flood waters rise, when tornadoes wreak havoc in neighborhoods, when fires destroy homes and dreams – that's when The Salvation Army demonstrates Christian service at its best, with not only food and supplies, but prayers and counseling.

In times of destruction and devastation, from one end of the state to the other, the Army's mobile canteens roll into place to bring relief. Workers comfort victims, help reunite families and find emergency shelter. They bring food, clothing, blankets, medical supplies and financial assistance. And when the immediate crisis is over, long after the TV cameras are gone, The Salvation Army is still there, helping with massive cleanups and reconstruction.

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/Alcohology) ; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters; Thrift Store; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth Program
Campaigns: American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Salvation Army
Updated Dec 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1380

Rabun County City Hall

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
837 Highway 76 West, Clayton, GA 30525
Service Temporary

GEMA press release 5/16: This site open Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on Sunday from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. until further notice.

FEMA Registration at this site, and various other disaster recovery services.
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, City/Town Agency; Government, County/Parish Agency; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency) State; Government, Federal; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center)
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8339

FEMA DRC: Government Annex 1400 Parker Rd (DRC operation is CLOSED)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
Government Annex 1400 Parker Road, Conyers, GA 30012
Phone 800–621–FEMA (3362), TTY at 800–462–7585
Hours M–Sat: 8 am to 7 pm, Sun: 1 pm to 7 pm
Serves Rockdale County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

10/16/09, per FEMA, this site's DRC operation is closed.

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It's Your First Step to Recovery

Release Date: September 29, 2009
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Walk–in Resource · Standby

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
54 North Industrial Way, Dallas, GA 30132

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A Gift of Love

Walk–in Resource · Standby

3870 Longview Drive, Douglasville, GA

Phone (770) 947–8200
Serves Douglas County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

Notes from: Douglas Disaster Recovery Community Partner Meeting Notes
Wednesday– September 30, 2009 9:00–11:00am
United Way in Douglas County

Needs and gaps in the community:

Gift of Love (collecting/distributing): school supplies, diapers, paper goods, household items (blankets/sheets), hygiene products

SOURCE: http://www.times–georgian.com/pages/full_story/push?article–A+Gift+of+Love+collecting–+distributing+household+items+for+flood+victims%20&id=3703670–A+Gift+of+Love+collecting–+distributing+household+items+for+flood+victims&instance=west_ga_news

A Gift of Love collecting, distributing household items for flood victims

A Gift of Love will be a drop–off and pick–up site for victims of the flood in Douglas County.

Household items will be collected and distributed to those in need, and there is a need for people to donate items or time.

Starting Friday, A Gift of Love will be collecting and distributing items Monday through Saturday for two weeks. Hours are Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Help is needed to sort and organize donations as they come in. Help is also needed to distribute these items to families that come in to pick up. If you could donate household items such as sheets, towels, comforters, pots and pans, silverware, cleaning supplies, etc. (no furniture) and/or donate your time, you may contact Juanita at A Gift of Love 770–947–8200 or Tracey Morton at 770–947–9744.

A Gift of Love is located at 3870 Longview Drive in Douglasville (next door to the skating rink). Any help you could give would be greatly appreciated.

Any needs with furniture are being met by Faith in Action (FIA). These items include washers, dryers, refrigerators, sofas, dressers, microwaves, televisions, kitchen table and chairs, mattresses and box springs, etc.

The contact number for FIA is 770–833–7236 (leave a message).

Services offered: Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Cleaning/Clean Up Supplies (Post Disaster); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Kitchen, Cooking Equipment, Pots & Pans; Linens, Bath, Towels, New or Clean/Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types); Linens, Bedding * (ANY/ALL Types of Bedding) New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Linens, Bedding, Comforters, New/Gently Used; Linens, Bedding, Sheets * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Paper, Paper Goods * (ANY/ALL Types) (paper towels, plates, napkins, etc); School, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Silverware; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; United Way
Updated May 15, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4649

CrossRoads Church (and Give Love Away)

Walk–in Resource · Open

5960 Stewart Parkway, Douglasville, GA 30135
Phone 678–370–0555
Web www.xroadschurch.net
Service Temporary

from website:

Tornado relief

NOTE: Although this was taken from their website 6/2011, it appears that the info is from May 2011, so call first, as with all gathering efforts, and make sure they still need these items:

See list of needs: http://www.giveloveaway.net/about/

Due to the recent devastation caused by the storms and tornadoes that hit North Georgia and Alabama, Give Love Away will now be focusing on Tornado Relief. The deadly storms affected thousands of people and destroyed hundreds of homes and lives. Through our partnerships, who will be organizing and distributing aid and relief, we want to bring hope to these people and show them love when they need it the most. YOU CAN… DONATE, SERVE OR GIVE!

DONATE
You can help by donating items that people affected by the storms need immediately. Please help by dropping off the following items during the week or next Sunday at Crossroads Church:
(all items must be new)

* Hand Sanitizer
* Feminine products
* Basic Hygiene products (tooth brushes, soap, deodorant, etc)
* Toilet Paper

* Paper towels, towels, and wash clothes
* Bottled Water (cases)
* Wipes and diapers

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Honduras Outreach – Over the past number of years, Crossroads has planted churches in Honduras. We have made numerous support trips to Honduras to participate in local outreach, medical, and construction projects.

Nicaragua Outreach– In 2009 we launched our first outreach to Nicaragua to further our efforts in sharing the gospel through church planting.

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Old distro sites listed for 2009 floods:
http://www.giveloveaway.net/flood–relief–donations/

Flood Relief Donation Drop Off Locations

The follow locations are drop–off & distribution centers that we have monitored, used, and approve. It is our preference that you use these sites to drop off your donations because they get supplies to the people that need them right away! See the list of urgent items needed here.

Sweetwater Valley Camp/770/819–0662/www.svcamp.org

6289 Veterans Memorial Drive, Ste 12A

Austell,GA 30168

* Accepting donations of food and clothing, donations accepted at back door Mon –Sat 9Am–12:30 PM

Turner Field

* Flood Relief donations will be collected at Turner Field Tuesday, September 29 - Sunday, October 4, from the time gates open 2.5 hours before the game and continuing through the second inning each day, in Turner Field's Monument Grove. The Braves are asking fans to contribute any of the following:

* Monetary donations
* Gift cards
* Hygiene items
* School supplies
* Non perishable foods
* Baby items

Atlanta Community Food Bank 404/892–9822

732 Joseph E. Lowery Blvd., NW
Atlanta, GA 30318
8:00 am to 5:00 pm MON - FRI
If you would like to donate nonperishable food items, the Atlanta Food Bank will be providing items to those agencies that express a need. You must drop off your donation (no–pickup). Please note that they can only accept unopened, unexpired items and no "homemade" jellies, jams or vegetables. Most Needed Food Items Peanut Butter; Canned Tuna; Beans, Soups, Pastas, Fruits; 100% Fruit Juice; Cereals .

Gift of Love 770/947–8200/3870 Longview Dr. / Douglasville, GA 30135

10:00 am to 7:00 pm MON - FRI; 10:00 am to 2:00 pm SAT

* Accepting donations of food, school supplies, clothing, shoes, linens/blankets, household items

Warehouse Of Hope/770/ 489–0509/warehouseofhope.org

100 Hunter Road

Douglasville, GA 30134

Hosea Feed the Hungry/404/755–3353 X318/1035 Donnelly Ave. SW / Atlanta, Ga
10:00 am to 6:00 pm MON - FRI

* Collecting nonperishable food and other items to include in survival kits that will help storm victims in Metro Atlanta and the surrounding counties. Accepting donations of dry cereal, dry milk, flour, sugar, canned fruit, canned vegetables, canned meat, toiletries, infant formula and diapers, school supplies. CAN NOT ACCEPT CLOTHING

Northwest Christian Church - Helping Hands Pantry
3737 Dallas Acworth Hwy. / Acworth, Ga

* Accepting donations of baby items, food, water, personal care items, animal food, and school supplies. Pick up is not available.

The Pantry 770/217–0729/ 5960 Stewart Pkwy,Ste. C/Douglasville, GA 30135

Leave message for donation p/u

* Accepting donations of food, water and toiletry items

CLOTHING DONATIONS
County Line Baptist Church 770/942–0190
1814 N. County Line Rd. / Lithia Springs, GA 30122
9:00 am to 9:00 pm MON - FRI, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm SAT September 28 - Oct. 7

* Accepting donations of clothing and food. Donations will be distributed to flood victims on Oct. 10.

Church at Mirror Lake in Villa Rica 770/459–8653
501 Permian Way / Villa Rica, GA
6:00 pm to 8:00 pm THU, 9:00 am to noon, 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm FRI

* Accepting donations of clothing

West Ridge Church 770/222–2125

3522 Hiram Acworth Hwy, / Dallas, GA 30157

* Accepting donations of clothing

FURNITURE DONATIONS

Faith in Action/770/833–7236/gafaithinaction@aol.com

* Accepting furniture including washers, dryers, refrigerators, sofas, dressers, microwaves, TV sets, kitchen table and chairs, mattresses and box springs. Items must be gently used and in good working order. Donation pick up in Douglas County and surrounding areas

West Ridge Church brittneyf@westridge.com
3522 Hiram Acworth Hwy, / Dallas, GA 30157

* Accepting donations of household items

TOOLS
Atlanta Community Tool Bank 404/880–0054 ext. 12 or cj@toolbank.org

* Accepting donations of new and gently used tools that will be provided to groups involved in clean–up efforts.
* ACTB requires appointments prior to drop–off.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES DONATIONS

* The Cobb Schools Foundation is accepting monetary donations for the Clarkdale Elementary School Relief Fund. A secure link to the fund is on the system's web site at http://www.cobbk12.org/ . Donations can also be mailed to the Cobb Schools Foundation, 514 Glover St., Marietta, GA 30060.

PEBBLEBROOK HIGH SCHOOL:
991 Old Alabama Rd. / Mableton, GA 30126
7:30am to 4:30 pm MON - FRI Sept. 24 - Nov. 1, 2009

* This school is accepting donations of school supplies and clothing to assist their staff and students affected by the floods.

Services offered: Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2009 Georgia Storms; 2010 /2011 Haiti Cholera Epidemic; 2010 Haiti Earthquake; 2010 Haiti Earthquake, Orphanages/Childrens Homes; 2011 Georgia Tornados; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Convoy of Hope; Honduras; Nicaragua
Updated Jun 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8643

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FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
800 Rose Ave, Douglasville, GA 30134

Phone	800–621–FEMA (3362), TTY at 800–462–7585
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First Presbyterian Church of Douglasville

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church – Community Outreach
9190 Campbellton Street, Douglasville, GA

Phone 770–942–0710
Web www.faithwebsites.com/fpcdouglasville
Hours 7:15 pm Every Thursday
Serves Douglasville, Douglas County, GA
Eligibility People in need of Emotional Support
Service Temporary

Emotions Anonymous meets each Thursday at 7:15 p.m. in room 206 of First Presbyterian Church of Douglasville, 9190 Campbellton Street. Group helps people in recovering from emotional difficulties. For information call 770–942–0710.

Services offered: Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Oct 3, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4660

Tallatoona Cap, Inc. (Tallatoona/Douglas Human Resource Development Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Social Services Agency, Disaster Recovery
6287 FAIRBURN ROAD, Douglasville, GA 30133

Phone 770–949–6339
Web www.tallatoonacap.org
Serves Douglas County, GA
Eligibility Low Income Community
Service Temporary

SOURCE: http://douglascountysentinel.com/pages/full_story/push?article–Community+meetings%20&id=2970621–Community+meetings&instance=special_coverage_bullets_right_column

Free medical equipment

If you have need for medical equipment/supplies such as walkers, wheelchairs, hospital beds, etc., contact Tallatoona/Douglas Human Resource Development Center at 770–949–6339. There is no charge for equipment; no income eligibility attached to the program. Agency also takes donations of medical equipment and supplies

TALLATOONA HAS PROGRAMS FOR LOW INCOME CLIENTS IN THE COUNTY
Email: VICTORIAT@ TALLATOONA.ORG

Tallatoona CAP, Inc. provides services to individuals and families by removing obstacles and solving problems that block their ability to achieve economic and social independence. Case management provides life skills training, budget counseling, help with resumes, and referrals to local continuing education programs. When necessary, clients are referred to additional educational facilities, life skills training, and/or job search activities consistent with the individual's employment and life goals.

SSI Advocacy – Through our local office we now offer an SSI Advocacy Program, also known as Georgia Link. Through this program we will help all eligible applicants apply for SSI. Case managers will be able to assist with arranging transportation to and from medical appointments and providing day care, among other services.

Emergency Food Bank – In our local Human Resource Development Center we provide an emergency food bank. The food is available to help someone who has applied for food stamps and has not received them, has a referral to get food or is in an emergency situation. If you or someone you know needs food immediately, please contact our office.

Garden Program – In the spring we distribute seeds and seedlings to eligible applicants to help them start a garden. The elderly are helped the first week of the program, all other ages can then apply.

Distribution of Foods to Families – This program is based on income. Surplus food is available to people in need three to four times a year through the USDA. Program dates will be posted in the newspaper, DFCS, churches and local community agencies and will be announced on local radio stations.

Medical Program — The Indigent Medical Services Program is designed to help low–income clients receive their prescribed medications. Our Advocates work with Pharmaceutical Companies, Physicians and Hospitals to obtain the medications free of charge or at a reduced rate. The medicine is then distributed by the client's physician office. All ages are eligible.

Medical Equipment and Supplies — Medical Equipment and Supplies are available through your local HRDC office. Free of Charge! Please call your Service Coordinator for information on what is currently available.
Tallatoona CAP, Inc. will take donations of medical equipment and supplies.

Eligibility requirements
Client must be under 150% of Poverty
Client can not have insurance or Medicaid that covers medicine
Please note that not all medicines are available, please contact your local office to find out if your medication is available.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Closet; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance (For Seniors/Elders); Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Medical, Equipment, Assistive Devices * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Walker; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Wheelchairs, Misc. ; Medical, Equipment, Furniture, Bed, Hospital Bed; Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services); Services, Emergency Services; Transportation, For Seniors/Elders
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September
Updated Oct 3, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4659

The Pantry – Community Food Ministry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
5960 Stewart Pkwy., Douglasville, GA

Phone	770–217–0729
Web	thepantrydc.com
Hours	Saturdays 9 am to Noon
Serves	Douglas County, GA
Eligibility	Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods / Low Income Families
Checks payable to	The Pantry
Service	Temporary

FROM:

Douglas Disaster Recovery Community Partner
Meeting Notes Wednesday– September 30, 2009
9:00–11:00am United Way in Douglas County

The Pantry– community food ministry– anticipate that the normal 180 families served will double this weekend–––need food, food, food. Semi–truck of cleaning supplies delivered this Thursday that can be picked up Saturday after 8am

Services offered: Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September
Updated Oct 2, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4651

Voter Registrar's Office DRC (FEMA Registration)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
819 Memorial Drive, Griffin, GA 30223
Service Temporary

FEMA registration is there, State Social Services, DFACS, and other services may vary by DRC
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 5, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8167

FEMA DRC: Mount Park Depot (CLOSING at end of day on FRIDAY 10/23/09)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
5050 Five Forks Trickum Rd, Lilburn, GA 30047

Phone	800–621–FEMA (3362), TTY at 800–462–7585
Hours	8:00 am to 7:00 pm
Serves	Gwinnett County, GA
Eligibility	Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service	Temporary

10/16/09, per FEMA, this site is closing 10/23

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Release Date: September 29, 2009
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per FEMA: 9/29/09

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Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, How To, Replace Destroyed Documents; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Services, Document Replacement for Disaster Survivors; Services, Food Stamps Applicant Outreach; Services: Legal Assistance for Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated Oct 27, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4601

County Line Baptist Church (WORK CREWS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
1814 N. County Line Rd., Lithia Springs, GA 30122

Phone 770–942–0190
Contact Pastor Jerry Adair
Email clbc @ countylinebc . org
Web www.countylinebc.org
Hours Office Hours: Monday–Thursday 8:00am–5:00pm
Serves Douglas County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the storms
Service Temporary

Volunteer crews to help clean up debris, trees, etc. and rebuilding.

jerry @ countylinebc . org
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 20, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4655

FEMA DRC: Lithia Springs 1st United Methodist (CLOSING at end of day on FRIDAY 10/16/09)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
3711 Temple Street, Lithia Springs, GA 30122

Phone 800–621–FEMA (3362), TTY at 800–462–7585
Hours 8:00 am to 7:00 pm
Service Temporary

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Updated Oct 16, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4583

FEMA DRC: Browns Mill Rec. Ctr. (DRC operation CLOSING at end of day on FRIDAY 10/16/09)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
5101 Browns Mill Road, Lithonia, GA 30058

Phone	800–621–FEMA (3362), TTY at 800–462–7585
Web	www.fema.gov
Hours	M–Sat: 8 am to 7 pm, Sun: 1 pm to 7 pm
Serves	DeKalb County, GA
Eligibility	Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service	Temporary

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Angel Food Ministries

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Fee Based Local Food Distribution
1620 S. Broad St., Monroe, GA 30655

Phone 770–267–7015
Web www.angelfoodministries.com
Serves NATION WIDE
Eligibility NO REQUIREMENTS
Fee $30.00, per basic food box
Service Temporary

Blessings by the box
Angel Food is available in a quantity that can fit into a medium–sized box at $30 per unit Each month's menu is different than the previous month and consists of both fresh and frozen items with an average retail value of approximately $60. Comparison shopping has been done across the country in various communities using a wide range of retail grocery stores and has resulted in the same food items costing from between $42 and $78.

Generally, one unit of food assists in feeding a family of four for about one week or a single senior citizen for almost a month. The food is all the same high quality one could purchase at a grocery store. There are no second–hand items, no damaged or out–dated goods, no dented cans without labels, no day–old breads and no produce that is almost too ripe.

Also offered are specialty boxes such as steaks, chicken and pork. Many participants in this bonus program appreciate the expanded choices. Additionally, there is no limit to the number of units or bonus foods an individual can receive, and there are no applications to complete or qualifications to which participants must adhere. Angel Food Ministries also participates in the U.S. Food Stamp program, using the Off–Line Food Stamp Voucher system.

How the Program works
Orders and distribution are handled by church host sites. Orders are collected by the host sites during the first part of each month. These orders are then turned in to the Angel Food main office in Monroe, Georgia, on a predetermined date. Several days later, in the same month, the host site either picks up the food from Angel Food's 160,000 square feet warehouse to fill the orders on Distribution Day or, because this ministry is growing nationwide, food is delivered to the host site by a pre–arranged delivery mode. In most cases, as long as there is a truck headed in the direction of a community who wants this program and sees its ministry influence, there are no extra transportation costs.

Sample Menu:

(1) 4 lb. IQF Leg Quarters
(1) 24 oz. Beef Back Ribs
(1) 1 lb. 80/20 Lean Ground Beef
(1) 2 lb. Breaded Chicken Tenders
(4) 6 oz. Bone in Pork Chops
(1) 1 lb. Ground Turkey
(1) 18 oz. Stuffed Manicotti (Cheese)
(1) 12 oz. Smoked Sausage
(1) Betty Crocker Seasoned Potatoes
(1) 7 oz. Cheeseburger Dinner
(1) 16 oz. Green Beans
(1) 16 oz. Baby Carrots
(1) 2 lb. Onions
(1) 1 lb. Pinto Beans
(1) 1 lb. Rice
(1) 7 oz. Blueberry Muffin Mix
(1) 10 ct. Homestyle Waffles
(1) Dessert Item

There are two main administrative issues a host site will need to address. First is the order taking process. Once the program is underway, a church or non–profit organization with a vision for helping their community can organize one or two delegated individuals whose job is to process the orders. These orders can be taken at a table in the foyer of a church or perhaps a kiosk setup with a banner. Typically, this takes one to two days per month and includes orders taken by phone, submitted by mail, by email, by fax, in person or through envelopes or order forms used for that purpose. The individuals in charge of this first step will process simple paperwork, which would include a form, cash, checks and food stamps. One check for the total order from the

sponsoring host site, plus any food stamps, is sent to Angel Food Ministries. This order from the host site is due on a predetermined Monday of a given month. The second administrative matter, Distribution Day, includes the presence of church and community volunteers who come together to perform duties ranging from setting up and filling boxes and containers to clean up or assisting disabled or elderly customers with carrying their containers to their cars. Most host sites do not deliver to their community; customers are urged to pick up their food at the host site location, bringing their own boxes or baskets to be filled.

Distribution Day is where the rubber meets the road. People are working together for common goals, they meet new friends or perhaps life–changing conversations take place. Socio–economic distinctions are forgotten and the church begins to regain its God–ordained presence as the centerpiece of the community. If the host site is organized well, it is possible that those picking up food will be there less than two minutes; while others, the volunteers, can expect a two– to four–hour time of reward, working with one another and helping others. Distribution Day then becomes for many the one day in the month when a sense of fulfillment through service and a life of purpose becomes a reality. Practically, 6 to 8 workers can handle 250 units of food, but wise pastors and leaders will encourage other volunteers to be there to experience the joy.

Using the quality food at significant discounts offered on a regular basis is a real and practical way to say clearly that you care. It also infuses a reminder of the value that God places on humans everywhere and that they deserve every opportunity that can be offered them in the name of love and friendship.

Churches that participate in Angel Food Ministries benefit in many ways:

Gives church members hands–on experience and training with rewarding service to others.

Provides food for those that desperately need it, as well as help offsite food costs for middle class families who also struggle with debt and other financial pressures –– everyone qualifies.
Each month, Angel Food Ministries makes a donation to community outreach funds.

Gives churches and organizations an effective outreach to the community to meet real needs in a genuine way –– often times drawing new participants and visitors into the mission at hand.
Getting the Word Out

To get the word out to your church and community –– just tell them. How? Word of mouth, door hangers and brochure literature, your website, advertisements in local newspapers, press releases or by giving a unit of food as a gift. Additionally, if your organization finds the right opportunity with local TV and radio stations, they might run information about your involvement with Angel Food at no cost, as they are required by law to broadcast a certain amount of Public Service Announcements (PSA). Ask them if you can help them meet their legal quota of PSAs.

It is also possible to join hands with corporations who may be interested in holiday endeavors to distribute food. Your church's enthusiastic volunteers, a generous corporation's funding and the capacity of Angel Food Ministries can be used to touch expanded portions of the community and deliver quality food to those who would appreciate it the most during the various holidays seasons throughout the year.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Baskets; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food, Frozen, Meat ** (ANY/ALL Types of Frozen Meat, Poultry, Fish, etc.)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Angel Food Ministries
Updated May 27, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1979

Red Cross Feeding Site

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Red Cross
Old Courthouse; Corner of E. Washington Ave and N. Main, Newton, GA
Phone 866 GET INFO
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Feb 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1161

First Baptist Church (Partnered with: Georgia Southern Baptist Convention Disaster Relief)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church: Disaster Relief/Recovery
4330 North Ave, Powder Springs, GA 30127
Phone 770.439.2095 or 770.943.9333
Serves Powder Springs, Cobb County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

SOURCE: Ewing Road Baptist Church Blog – http://michaelstovalllive.wordpress.com/

For those of you interested in helping with house clean outs we want to direct your attention to:

Southern Baptist Disaster Relief at First Baptist Church in Powder Springs (770–943–9333) or First Baptist Church in Austell (770–948–6331).

SOURCE: http://www.wsbtv.com/weather/21104049/detail.html

The Georgia Baptist Convention Disaster Relief Ministry and the First Baptist Church of Powder Springs has partnered to minister to the victims of the recent flood in Powder Springs and the surrounding area. The Disaster Relief Volunteers have set up their operation at the 1st Baptist Church and you can request assistance by calling 770.439.2095 or 770.943.9333 and ask for either Vicki or Sherri.

FROM THE WEBSITE: http://www.gabaptist.org/contentpages.aspx?parentnavigationid=4773&viewcontentpageguid=79EF8056–F088–4EEA–9111–9B706E3B13A7

Disaster Relief is a ministry–based approach to impacting people for the Kingdom of God. Our motto of “Serving Christ in Crisis” has two implications:

We serve Christ to those persons who are the victims of disaster.
When we minister to persons in need we are serving Christ (Matthew 25:46).
The goal of Disaster Relief is to provide some measure of normalcy for the victims of a disaster event.

Disaster Relief focuses on five areas of ministry:

Chaplaincy | Child Care | Clean–Up & Recovery | Communications | Feeding

Everyone who wants to be involved in this ministry must be "Phase 1" trained. This training is offered three times each year in various locations of the state.

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September
Updated Sep 27, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4555

Local: Catoosa County Learning Center (Disaster Assistance Center (DRC) Registration for: FEMA, RC and Salvation Army)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
36 Muscogee Trail, Ringghold, GA 30736
Service Temporary

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Supplies and Help navigating disaster relief resources.

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Updated Aug 16, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8162

Catoosa Volunteer Organizations Active in Disaster (Catoosa VOAD)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
Ringgold, GA
Phone 706–935–2109
Service Temporary

Rebuilding teams are being scheduled starting June 1.

Teams needed now for chainsaw operation, tree removal, debris removal, putting tarps on roofs, equipment to move cut trees.

Building supplies needed: tools, hammers, plastic cap roofing nails, brooms, mops, bleach, hard hats, safety glasses, roofing materials, plywood or OSB, roofing felt, sheetrock, 2x4s, general building supplies.

Thanks to generous donations, there are currently no additional needs for donations of goods or supplies. Please watch this website for updates on needs.

Monetary donations to assist Ringgold residents may be made to Catoosa Organizations Active in Disasters, PO Box 53 Ringgold, GA 30736.

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, City/Town Agency;

Government, County/Parish Agency; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County; Government, State/County; VOAD (this org is not a member, but is "affiliated"); VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member)
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8346

FEMA DRC: Learning Center (DRC Operation is CLOSED)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
36 Muskogee Trail, Ringgold, GA 30736

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Hours 8:00 am to 7:00 pm
Serves Catoosa County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

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Updated Oct 16, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4595

First Baptist Church of Ringgold (MEALS, LAUNDRY TRAILER, OTHER SUPPORT)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
Ringgold, GA
Service Temporary

Southern Baptist Kitchen is cooking at the 1st Baptist Church in Ringgold. Laundry trailer is attached to the kitchen.

Services offered: Facilities: Laundry Facilities (For Disaster Survivors); Facilities: Laundry, Mobile Laundry Trailor Unit; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 20, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8265

Ringgold County Courthouse: Salvation Army Canteen (FEEDING SITE)

Walk–in Resource · Open

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Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 5, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8164

Ringgold United Methodist Church (UMC) (SUPPLIES, MEALS) UMC HQ, Red Cross

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
162 SPARKS STREET, Ringgold, GA 30736
Phone 706–935–4777 for UMC disaster coordinator, see private contacts
Web ringgoldumc.org
Service Temporary

Pastor John Purrington john_P@ringgoldumc.org
Choir Director Paul Stone paul_s@ringgoldumc.org
Youth Director Kevin Alton kevin_A@ringgoldumc.org
Children's Ministry Holly Brooks h.brooks@ringgoldumc.org
Secretary Karen Reigleman office@ringgoldumc.org
Coord of Comm Worship Tina Pinkston tina_p@ringgoldumc.org
Pianist Ann McMillen
Organist Catherine Turner
Prayer Team rumc_prayer@ringgoldumc.org

Size: 101 – 500
Staff: Rev John Purrington
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 5, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8172

Red Cross Feeding Unit

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Red Cross
Roberta, GA
Phone Address unknown, phone unknown
Service Temporary

Feeding Unit, begin run with support from the Georgia Baptists.
130 meals, 3/2/07
200+ meals, 3/4/07
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Feb 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1152

FEMA DRC: Walker County Agricultural Ctr (DRC operation is CLOSING at end of day on FRIDAY 10/16/09)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

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10054 North Highway 27, Rock Spring, GA 30739
Phone 800–621–FEMA (3362), TTY at 800–462–7585
Hours 8:00 am to 7:00 pm
Serves Walker County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA
Service Temporary

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Updated Oct 27, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4576

Walker County DRC (CHILDCARE, FEMA REGISTRATION)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
Walker Co. Ag Center; 10058 North Highway 27, Rock Springs, GA 30739
Service Temporary

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Services offered: Services, Family, Children, Daycare Services
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8269

Floyd County DRC Hamler's Gym FEMA REGISTRATION

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
300 West 3rd Street, Rome, GA 30161
Service Temporary

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Volunteers and Kits needed:

CONTACT: Disaster Recovery Center – 706–291–5144

Health Care or Comfort Kits are needed. Your group or church can assemble these following guidelines at http://new.gbgm–umc.org/umcor/getconnected/supplies and click on "health kits."
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, City/Town Agency; Government, County/Parish Agency; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency) State; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, FEMA, DRC

(Disaster Recovery Center); Government, State/County
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8338

Floyd County EMA Crisis Center (SUPPLIES, CASE MGMT, CLEANUP/WORK CREWS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
300 West 3rd Street, Rome, GA
Service Temporary

The Floyd County EMA Crisis Center is located at 300 West 3rd Street, Rome. The center will open May 4 with hours from 8–5, 7 days a week.

It will be a "service center" for people to find services. Registration.

Volunteers needed for debris/cleanup.

Volunteers are critically needed to work in the affected neighborhoods to remove trees and debris. Need Volunteer Groups and Individuals to help with the removal process. These include teams of people who can clear debris, certified to run a chainsaw, provide strong backs and willing hearts. Before coming to the Rome/Floyd County area, contact the Disaster Recovery Center 706–291–5144.

Additional Needs and Volunteer opportunities can be found at the following website:

http://www.romefloyd.com/CitizenSafety/EmergencyManagement/27April2011TornadoInformation/tabid/562/Default.aspx

Donations:
Individuals or groups wishing to donate items can take them to the Disaster Recovery Center on West 3rd Street. The following items are being accepted: bottled water, construction bags, garbage bags, tarps, gloves, masks, toiletry items, sunscreen. We are NOT accepting clothes.

Contribution of items are also being accepted at Bagwell Food Pantry, Rome Action Ministries (706–766–2031), Habitat for Humanity, Third Street Ministries and The Salvation Army in Rome and Floyd County. Items needed are:
Priority: Canned protein items, such as canned chicken, meat, Spaghettios, macaroni and choose, etc. Non–perishable items, bottled water, Gatorade, paper towels, cleaning supplies, gloves, and lidded totes (like Rubbermaid storage bins). Tarps, heavy duty garbage bags, work gloves are also needed.
Clothing accepted at Salvation Army and Third Street Ministries only.

The Disaster Recovery Center is in charge of organizing the volunteer groups and donations. If you would like to volunteer items or services, please call 706–291–5144.

Services offered: Case Management, Tornado Survivors; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Services, Disaster Response; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8215

Hamler Gymn DRC (FEMA Registration)

Walk–in Resource · Open

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Service Temporary

FEMA registration is there, State Social Services, DFACS, and other services may vary by DRC
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 5, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8166

FEMA DRC: Sandy Springs City Hall (CLOSING at end of day on FRIDAY 10/16/09)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

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Sandy Springs City Hall; 7840 Roswell Road, Bldg 500, Sandy Springs, GA 30350
Hours HOURS: Monday through Saturday 8 am to 7 pm – Sunday 1 pm to 7 pm
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Source FEMA 10/10/09

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Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September
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Chattooga County Multi–Purpose Center

Walk–in Resource

152 Senior Drive, Summerville, GA 30747

Phone 706-857-0771
Web www.chattoogacountyga.com/secondary.aspx?pageID=188
Service Temporary

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Sep 28, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4596

Red Cross Feeding Site

Walk-in Resource · Standby

Red Cross
County Fire Dept; 203 E. Willingham St, Sylvester, GA
Phone 866 GET INFO
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Feb 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1162

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Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September
Updated Oct 16, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4579

American Legion Post # 106 (MEALS for 2011 tornado response)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Community Civic Club
15205 N Main Street, Trenton, GA
Phone (706) 657–5275
Service Temporary

Services offered: Meals * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated Jun 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8175

Dade County Board of Commissioners Room (Disaster Assistance Center (DAC) FEMA, RC, Salvation Army)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
71 Case Ave., Trenton, GA 30752
Service Temporary

FEMA registration is there, State Social Services, DFACS, and other services may vary by DRC.
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8163

First Baptist Church (SUPPLIES, MEALS) EMA/Sherriff Disaster HQ

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
Highway 11 South, Trenton, GA 30752
Phone (706)657–8346
Service Temporary

Services offered: Meals * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County; VOAD – Voluntary

Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated May 9, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8174

FEMA DRC: Trion City School District (Chattooga, Mobile) (DRC operation is CLOSED)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
919 Allgood Street, Trion, GA 30753

Phone 800–621–FEMA (3362), TTY at 800–462–7585
Hours 8:00 am to 7:00 pm
Serves Chatooga County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

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Trion, Police Dept

Walk–in Resource · Open

City Run
1220 Pine St., Trion, GA 30753
Phone (706) 734–2332
Service Temporary
Updated Sep 28, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4591

SBA Loan Centers – INDEX – GA Flood Response 9/09

Walk–in Resource · Open

SBA Loan Center
Various, GA
Serves NE GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

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Most of the money for repairs and replacement of flood–damaged real estate and personal property comes in the form of low–interest SBA disaster loans. Just as important, a completed SBA loan application is a critical component to be considered for some disaster–related grants from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

Homeowners, renters, non–profit organizations and businesses of all sizes can apply for SBA loans to pay for recovery costs not covered by insurance or other sources. People with home–based businesses or rental property who have been affected by the floods may also be eligible for SBA loans.

Homeowners can borrow up to $200,000 to repair or replace their primary residence. Homeowners and renters can borrow up to $40,000 to replace personal property.

Business owners can borrow up to $2 million to repair or replace disaster–damaged real estate, machinery and equipment, inventory and other business assets. SBA also provides small business owners access to Economic Injury Loans that provide

money for ongoing businesses expenses to recover from the adverse economic impact of a disaster. Economic Injury Disaster Loans are available even if the businesses didn't sustain physical damages from flooding.

Loan amounts and terms are determined on a case–by–case basis. Interest rates as low as 2.75 percent for homeowners and renters and as low as 4 percent for businesses coupled with payment terms as long as 30 years are intended to make the loans affordable.

Applicants who receive SBA loan applications must complete and return them to be considered for FEMA grants that cover personal property, vehicle repair or replacement, and moving and storage expenses. No one is obligated to accept a loan.

Before applying for a SBA loan, register with FEMA by calling 800–621–FEMA (3362), or TTY 800–462–7585 for the speech–or hearing–impaired. The toll–free numbers are staffed every day from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Online registration is also available at www.DisasterAssistance.gov.

SBA representatives at GEMA–FEMA disaster recovery centers will assist in completing your loan application, accept your loan application and answer any of your questions. Questions can also be answered by calling the SBA Disaster Customer Service Center at 800–659–2955 (800–877–8339 for the hearing impaired) Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. EDT. Help is also available by sending an email to disastercustomerservice@sba.gov or online at www.sba.gov/services/disasterassistance.

SBA Business Recovery Centers are open specifically to provide help to businesses. Centers are open Monday through Friday at the following locations:

DeKalb County: Wesley Chapel–William C. Brown Library, 2861 Wesley Chapel Road, Decatur. Open 10 a.m.–7 p.m. Monday–Thursday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday.

Douglas County: Douglas County Chamber of Commerce, 6658 Church Street, Douglasville. Open 9 a.m.–5 p.m. Monday–Friday.

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FEMA's temporary housing assistance and grants for public transportation expenses, medical and dental expenses, and funeral and burial expenses do not require individuals to apply for an SBA loan. However, applicants who receive SBA loan applications must submit them to SBA loan officers to be eligible for assistance that covers personal property, vehicle repair or replacement, and moving and storage expenses.

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Updated Oct 9, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4685

FEMA DISASTER RECOVERY (DRC) Sites – INDEX

Walk–in Resource · Open

FEMA
Various, see notes, GA

Phone 800–621–FEMA (3362), TTY at 800–462–7585
Web www.fema.gov/news/event.fema?id=11388
Serves Carroll, Catoosa, Chattooga, Cherokee, Cobb, DeKalb, Douglas, Fulton, Gwinnett, Newton, Paulding, Rockdale, Stephens and Walker counties.
Eligibility Survivors of Declared Disasters
Service Temporary

10/16/09 from FEMA:

OPEN til End of Day on FRIDAY 10/23/09
Hours: M–Sat: 8 am to 7 pm, Sun: 1 pm to 7 pm

COUNTY, ADDRESS
Cobb, Threadmill Bldg, 5000 Austell Powder Springs Rd, Austell, GA 30106
Douglas (Mobile), Heritage Baptist Church, 800 Rose Ave, Douglasville, GA 30134
Gwinnett, Mount Park Depot, 5050 Five Forks Trickum Rd, Lilburn, GA 30047

CLOSED DRCs:
Cherokee, Cherokee County Parks & Rec (gymDouglas

Lithia Springs, 1st United Methodist
Paulding, Paulding County Community Center
Stephens(Mobile), Stephens County Rec and Senior Ctr
Carroll(Mobile), Greenway Medical Building
Chattooga (Mobile), Trion City School District
Walker, Walker County Agricultural Ctr
Rockdale, Government Annex 1400
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* Cobb, Threadmill Bldg, 5000 Austell Powder Springs Rd, Austell, GA 30106
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* Paulding, Paulding County Community Center, Industrial Way. Dallas, GA 30132
* Stephens(Mobile), Stephens County Rec and Senior Ctr, 199 Haley Dr, Toccoa, GA 30577
* Carroll(Mobile), Greenway Medical Building, 590 Hayes Mill Road, Carrollton, GA 30117
* Chattooga(Mobile), Trion City School District, 919 Allgood Street, Trion, GA 30753
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9/26/09 From GEMA Site:

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9/23:

Have public register at:

www.disasterassistance.gov
1–800–FEMA

source: FEMA
9/24: DRC Locations opened today by FEMA (courtesy of Ken Skalitzky):

* Cobb County
DRC #1
The Threadmill
5000 Austell/Powder Sprpings Rd, Suite 151
Austell, GA 30106

Opened: Friday, September 25, 2009, 8:00am - 7:00pm
Hours: 8:00am– 7:00pm, 7 days a week, until further notice

* Cherokee County
DRC #2
Cherokee City Parks &Rec Gym
7545 Main Street, Bldg 200
Woodstock, GA 30188

Opened: Friday, September 25, 2009, 12:00pm - 7:00pm
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per email from GAVOAD:

Giovanni Taylor–Peace
Habitat for Humanity Internationa
Secretary, GAVOAD
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Updated Oct 16, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3053

FEMA DRC: Cherokee Rec. & Parks Agency in Woodstock (DRC operation is CLOSING FRIDAY 10/16/09) (SHELTER CLOSING SOON)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Evacuation Shelter & DRC
Admin: 7545 Main Street; FEMA Registration (DRC): building 20 (Gym) (per 9/27 list, older list has it at Building 200); SHELTER IS AT THE SOUTH ANNEX, Woodstock, GA 30188
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Web www.crpa.net
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Per Ken Skalitzky, FEMA, this site is now a DRC.
Cherokee County
DRC #2
7545 Main Street, Bldg 200
Woodstock, GA 30188

Evac Capacity (per RCNSS: 533)
Population as of 9/23: 40 (per FEMA)

Hal Simmons, shelter manager for the American Red Cross
Reporter: Kristal Dixon, kdixon@cherokeetribune.com
Reporter: Ashley Fuller, afuller@cherokeetribune.com

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Cherokee County emergency management officials today will begin assessing the "extensive" damage caused by historic flooding.

A three–day rainfall total of 15 inches, including as many as eight inches on Monday, has led Gov. Sonny Perdue and county Board of Commissioners Chairman Buzz Ahrens to declare a state of emergency for Cherokee.

A letter from Georgia's U.S. senators and representatives has been sent to President Barack Obama urging his immediate approval of the governor's request for an expedited major disaster declaration for the state. Cherokee is one of 17 counties where a disaster has been declared.

"It was the worst flooding in the Woodstock area I have ever seen," said Robby Westbrook, director of the Cherokee Sheriff's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

The previous record height of Noonday Creek in Woodstock was 16 feet, which was reached in 2005. Westbrook said the creek reached 20 feet on Monday.

Lake Allatoona was at 850 feet on Tuesday morning, significantly above the normal elevation for this time of year of 835 feet, said Ron Papaleoni, general manager of the Lake Allatoona Preservation Authority.

"We are still getting water from the upper end of the watershed. That could go on for another day or two," he said.

The Etowah River was at 18.5 feet on Tuesday morning after peaking at more than 20 feet late Monday night, said Clint Blackwell, manager of the water treatment plant for the Cherokee County Water and Sewerage Authority.

The flooding caused a significant amount of structural damage in the county, Westbrook said, which he will evaluate when the damage assessment begins in earnest today.

"There are a lot of places you can't get to because the water is still too high," he said, adding "numerous" homes, apartments and buildings were affected. "In the Woodstock area and some areas in Canton, there is extensive damage."

Any Cherokee County resident whose home or business received damage is asked to call the county's Emergency Operations Center at (678) 493-4050 or (678) 493-4051 to make a storm report. The phone lines will be open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. today through Friday.

Cherokee County is not yet clear of bad weather.

According to the National Weather Service, there is a 40-percent chance of showers and thunderstorms today and a 30-percent chance on Thursday. Scattered showers and thunderstorms are expected on Friday and into the weekend.

Numerous roads including many major highways were closed due to flooding on Monday. Local public safety agencies performed about two dozen rescues of motorists who drove into water and stalled their cars, according to Westbrook.

Buildings along Parkway 575 in Woodstock were evacuated on Monday, including three hotels. Waldan Chase Apartments on Dupree Road in Woodstock and Avonlea at Towne Lake Apartments also were evacuated.

All public safety staff on duty was assigned to storm response, and volunteers also were called in to serve. The county received aid from Pickens and Gilmer Counties agencies, Westbrook said.

Westbrook said there were power outages scattered throughout the county, and some customers still were out of power Tuesday afternoon.

Georgia Power Area Manager Rod Drake said the company had some outages, but power had been restored. Local crews were sent to Douglasville and Austell to assist in those harder-hit communities.

A shelter was opened on Monday at the Cherokee Recreation and Parks Agency's recreation center at the South Annex in Woodstock. It is staffed by the Cherokee County Public Health Department, Cherokee County Department of Family and Children Services, the Red Cross and members of the county's Citizen Emergency Response Team.

By Tuesday afternoon, most major roads through the county, including Interstate 575, Highway 92, Highway 5, Bells Ferry Road and Towne Lake Parkway, were reopened.

Westbrook said Kellogg Creek Road will be closed for an extended period due to "major structural damage." Also to be closed for an indefinite period due to damage are the northernmost portion of Parkway 575 in Woodstock and Haynes Road in Canton.

There is no timeline for reopening Mohawk Trail or Yorkshire Drive, Iron Mountain Road is open only for limited access and McClure Drive, which still was closed on Tuesday, could be opened today.

The Victoria and Galts Ferry Day Use Areas on Lake Allatoona and the Payne Campground boat ramp and some sites at Victoria Campground are closed due to flooding, as is Fields Landing Park.

In Woodstock, the tennis courts at Dupree Park are closed, as was Old Rope Mill Park and in Canton, both Boling and Heritage Parks are closed.

The South Cherokee Recreation Association fields on Highway 5 in Woodstock were completely underwater on Monday, damaging all facilities and equipment.

Municipal operations also were affected by the weather. Meetings of the city councils of Holly Springs, Waleska and Woodstock on Monday were cancelled. All Woodstock city government offices closed early on Monday.

The Cherokee County Health Department cancelled its drive-through flu-shot event on Tuesday, and both the clinics in Woodstock and Canton were closed.

Cherokee County School District schools were not in session on Monday, as students and staff have the week off for fall break. Minor leaks were reported at Bascomb, Clayton and Oak Grove elementary schools and Creekland Middle. There were leaks in Mill Creek Middle gym and in the rotunda at Woodstock High. Water was reported on the floors at Sequoyah High, as were mud problems at the construction site for River Ridge High.

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At least 60 people displaced, hundreds of houses swamped
by Kristal Dixon
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September 22, 2009 11:00 PM

Kristina Sorg of Woodstock never thought Mother Nature would force her and her 20-month-old baby to flee their Waldan Chase apartment on Dupree Road.

But as the heavy rains from Monday flooded the first floor of the complex, Ms. Sorg said she and her toddler were hip-high in water within minutes.

"We were soaked," she said. "Everything is under water."

Ms. Sorg, along with 19 other Waldan Chase apartment residents, were evacuated from the complex by emergency workers as Cherokee County braced for some of the worst flooding it's ever seen.

The flooding across the county forced emergency management officials to open a shelter at the Cherokee Recreation and Parks Agency's recreation center at the South Annex on Main Street in Woodstock.

Along with Waldan Chase apartments residents, 27 people were evacuated from the Avonlea at Towne Lake Apartments near Stonebridge Parkway in Towne Lake and 101 people were evacuated from hotels and medical offices on Parkway 575 in Woodstock, according to Woodstock Fire Chief Dave Soumas.

Late Tuesday afternoon, the fire department still was assessing whether Waldan Chase residents would be able to return to their apartments.

Residents in Avonlea have been allowed to return, but those staying in hotels on Parkway 575 only were allowed to return and collect belongings.

Several businesses and offices within the vicinity of Parkway 575 at Highway 92 also were closed Tuesday due to flooding.

On Monday, more than 60 people were registered at the shelter set up in the recreation center gym, according to Hal Simmons, shelter manager for the American Red Cross, which set up operations there.

On Tuesday, 36 people still were registered at the shelter.

Simmons said many people left the shelter on Tuesday as they found family and friends with whom they could temporarily hang their hats.

Medical personnel are on hand at the shelter for residents with pre–existing health conditions, and evacuees are being given food and water.

Simmons said there are no plans to close the shelter anytime soon. However, he said the Red Cross will begin re–evaluating the shelter's existence if the need continues to decline.

"We'll stay open as long as we need to," he said.

While the Red Cross isn't accepting direct donations, Simmons urged those who want to help to give to local churches and nonprofit organizations.

Local businesses that specialize in cleanup from disasters said they've been bombarded with calls since Monday regarding water damage to homes.

Benny Carter, who's in charge of business development for Southeast Restoration Group in Holly Springs, said his office received more than 80 calls on Monday asking for help with water damage.

Carter said the majority of the calls are from people who have flooding in their homes and basements.

The damage being reported is extensive, he said, ranging from minor flooding in the basement to as much as four feet of water in homes.

"This is the most severe we've seen in several years," Carter said of the flooding.

Carter, who said he's finding out many homeowners do not have flood insurance, said it will take days for people to discover the damage. The company also will have to wait until the water recedes to begin its work.

"It's been a difficult time for everyone," he said.

Katharine Miller, office and marketing manager with Remco Solutions in Holly Springs, said she easily had more than 100 calls since Monday reporting water damage related to the flooding.

Many of the homeowners, she said, have had foundation leaks, ceiling and wall leaks. They live in areas where creeks and rivers crested and spilled into their homes.

"This is historic," Ms. Miller said of the flooding, adding the damage reported ranges from a few inches to a few feet.

She said one home, located near a lake, had its basement flooded with water – and fish – from the body of water.

Like Carter, Ms. Miller said many homeowners don't have flood insurance and probably won't receive reimbursement for the damage unless it's from a leak.

"A lot of people will lose a lot," she said.

The time needed to clean up the damage will vary, she said, depending on how extensive the damage is and how deep the water is.

One Woodstock resident was able to see how fast the waters rose on Highway 92 near Parkway 575.

As Victorine Donahue was volunteering at the Revive Consignment Store, she witnessed the shopping center's parking lot become flooded by waters from Noonday Creek.

She said she watched as a small black car was engulfed by the rising water.

"You could barely see the roof of the car," she said.

At the shelter, Ms. Sorg said she's anxiously waiting to hear if she will be able to go back to her Waldan Chase apartment anytime soon.

Worst–case scenario, she said she will have to call friends to find a place where she, her fiance, Chris Botts, and her daughter can stay.

The situation isn't so bright for Alma Campos and her family.

Mrs. Campos, who also had an apartment on the first floor at Waldan Chase, said she doesn't have any other family to stay with until she figures out a more permanent solution.

The family moved to Woodstock from California 11 months ago.

Her 15–year–old daughter, Alicia Zetin, was at home when the flooding occurred.

Alicia said she only was able to grab clothes for her younger brother and sister before being evacuated from the apartment.

"It was a really scary experience," she said.

Mrs. Campos said she never expected anything like this to happen in Woodstock. She also said she was unaware of Waldan Chase's history of flooding.

"They could have warned me," she said.

Now, Mrs. Campos said she and her family will remain at the shelter until they figure out something.

Moving back to California, she said, isn't a reasonable option.

"I don't have enough resources to go back," she said.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How To, File Disaster Unemployment Claims; Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, How To, Loan & Grant Application Assistance (Disaster Survivors); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Emergency Operations Center, Local; Evacuee Reception Center; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Government, County, Department of Health; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Shelter Served Meals (Evacuation/Emergency); Services, Document Replacement for Disaster Survivors; Services, Emergency Services; Services, First Response, Emergency Rescue Services; Services, Food Stamps Applicant Outreach; Services: Legal Assistance for Disaster Survivors; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; American Red Cross Service Center (this site is a RCSC); Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security, National Shelter System (NSS); Government, State/County; Government, State Government Department/Agency
Updated Oct 16, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4507

Samaritan's Purse – Hosted by First Baptist Church (2009 REG. FOR ASSISTANCE–VOLUNTEER/CLEAN UP CREWS)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith Based Disaster Relief/Recovery
11905 Hwy 92, Woodstock, GA 30188

Phone 678.202.5974 (Volunteers/Need Help With Clean Up)
Contact Pastor Johnny Hunt
Email (770) 926–4428
Web spvolunteernetwork.org/projects/us–disaster–relief–––atlanta–ga.aspx
Serves Paulding & Cherokee County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

Also see CAT Facility facility entry at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4568

SAMARITAN'S PURSE, John Pryor – Update 10–6–09:

1. DEPLOYMENT SITE No.1: Paulding County (Dallas, GA)
· Mission: Provide no cost, no red–tape, mud out / recovery assistant to homeowners.
· Location: West Ridge Church, 3522 Hiram–Acworth Hwy, Dallas, GA 30157
Pastor Brian Bloye
Church: (770) 222–2125
SP Church Contact: Paul Richardson, Mission & Outreach Pastor, (770) 853–1954
Direct Line to SP Disaster Relief Unit: (678) 202–5974
· Status:
5–Oct = Activity update from Todd Taylor, SP Program Manager

258 Work Order Requests
46 Work Orders Completed
28 Work Orders Closed for Other Reasons
20 Work Orders In Progress
164 Open Work Orders
44 Volunteers on Monday, 10/5
7 BGEA – RRT: 6 chaplains & 1 coordinator

NOTE: Approximately 90% of volunteers are walk–ups.

2. DEPLOYMENT SITE No.2: Cherokee County (Woodstock, GA)
· Mission: Provide no cost, no red–tape, mud out / recovery assistant to homeowners.
· Location: First Baptist Church, 11905 Hwy 92, Woodstock, GA 30188
Pastor Johnny Hunt
Church: (770) 926–4428
SP Church Contact: Marty Venton (678) 836–7000
Direct Line to SP Disaster Relief Unit: (678) 494–2711
· Status:
5–Oct = Activity update from Lloyd Blackwell, SP Program Manager

55 Work Order Requests
35 Work Orders Completed
20 Work Orders Closed for Other Reasons
0 Open Work Orders
4 Volunteers on Monday, 10/5
2 BGEA – RRT: 1 chaplain & 1 coordinator

Woodstock Site Shutdown Schedule:
5–Oct = Completed all remaining jobs.
6–Oct = Remaining volunteers along with equipment and supplies will transfer from Woodstock to our site in Dallas, GA.

9/30/09 GAVOAD ConCall Notes:

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• SP Contact: (see internal contact)
• Direct Line to SP Disaster Relief Unit: (see internal contact)
• • Status:
• 29–Sep = Activity update
• West Ridge continues to be a wonderful host. They are now starting to line up some of the evening meals, and have a man helping every day with assessments. The line at the distribution tent is constant from opening to close. We continue to gain work every day. The feeling is that by the weekend new work orders should start to subside. It looks like we will have about 150 volunteers on Saturday! In addition, UMCOR expressed a desire to partner with SP beginning 8/9–Oct.
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• 175 Work Order Requests
• 16 Work Orders Completed
• 10 Closed for Other Reasons
• 149 Open Work Orders
• 57 Volunteers on Tuesday, 9/29
• 7 BGEA – RRT: 6 chaplains & 1 coordinator
• NOTE: Approximately 90% of volunteers are walk–ups.
• • Equipment Deployed To Date:
• No change from 28–Sep report.
• • Site Management Personnel Deployed To Date:
• No change from 23–Sep report.
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• 2. DEPLOYMENT SITE No.2: Cherokee County (Woodstock, GA)
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• Pastor Johnny Hunt
• Church: (770) 926–4428
• SP Contact: See internal contact
• Direct Line to SP Disaster Relief Unit: (see internal contact)

• Status:
• 29–Sep = Activity update
• We are still assessing and getting more requests from the DRC. Some have been completed, but we are still finding those needing help.
• 41 Work Order Requests
• 7 Work Orders Completed
• 2 Closed for Other Reasons
• 32 Open Work Orders
• 35 Volunteers on Tuesday, 9/29
• 1 BGEA – RRT: 1 chaplain & 1 coordinator
• Equipment Deployed To Date:
• No change from 23–Sep report.
• • Site Management Personnel Deployed To Date:
• No change from 23–Sep report.
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• 3. VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT
• 29–Sep = No public service announcements requesting volunteers are currently running. Volume of interest from out of state volunteers is slowing each day. To consider possibly running a regional PSA requesting volunteers. WE are planning to run the request for work orders until Sunday, 4–Oct. This date may need to be extended as current plans are to operate through Saturday, 24–Oct.

9/28/09 GAVOAD ConCall Notes:

Samaritan's Purse (John Pryor)
• Currently in Dallas serving Dallas, Hiram, & Powder Springs areas. 100 work orders there. 2nd site in Woodstock has about 50 work orders there but damage is widespread.
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• Location: West Ridge Church, 3522 Hiram–Acworth Hwy, Dallas, GA 30157
• Pastor Brian Bloye
• Church: (770) 222–2125
• Activity update: Our teams are currently working on mud–outs in Austell, Powder Springs, and Douglasville. Work orders continue to pour in as our teams and especially our team leaders go out to meet the needs of the victims. It is a challenge assigning teams as the local volunteers start arriving around 7 am and continue to trickle in till 4 pm in the afternoon. We found only a few homes with flood insurance and even those had only structural coverage. Our relationship with West Ridge Church continues to be excellent. They are a great host church with a lot of volunteers.
o 104 Work Orders Taken (40 more ready except for homeowner signature)
o 8 Work Orders Completed
o 3 Done By Others
o 129 Volunteers on Saturday, 9/26
o 79 Volunteers on Sunday, 9/27
o 75 Volunteers on Monday, 9/28
• NOTE: 90% of volunteers are walk–ups.
• Equipment Deployed To Date:
• 1 – Trailer, Ice Maker / Refrigeration departed N. Wilkesboro Monday, 28–Sep, scheduled to arrive this evening.
• Site Management Personnel Deployed To Date: No change from 23–Sep report.
• 2. DEPLOYMENT SITE No.2: Cherokee County (Woodstock, GA)
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• Location: First Baptist Church, 11905 Hwy 92, Woodstock, GA 30188
• Pastor Johnny Hunt
• Church: (770) 926–4428
• Direct Line to SP Disaster Relief Unit: NO LAND LINE CURRENTLY AVAILABLE
• Activity update:
• Site set–up completed. Have a great relationship with the church staff. We are working with the church's disaster team. Site team including BGEA chaplains met on Sunday to plan for the week.
o 50 Work Orders Taken (12 assessed)
o 0 Work Orders Completed
o 0 Done By Others
o TBD Volunteers on Monday, 9/28

The Christian aid organization Samaritan's Purse has contributed significantly to relief efforts for flood victims in Georgia.

As of Friday, Samaritan's Purse received 54 requests for hope in the area of Paulding and Cherokee counties near metro Atlanta for assistance with many more expected. Samaritan's Purse volunteer teams are clearing mud and debris from flooded homes, applying anti–mold treatments and helping to salvage victims' personal belongings.

“Flood victims are overwhelmed by the amount of work to be done and Samaritan’s Purse is committed to working alongside these residents – helping them return to their homes,” said John Pryor, U.S. Disaster Relief Manager for Samaritan’s Purse.

SOURCE: http://www.everydaychristian.com/features/story/4866/

Samaritan’s Purse aids Georgia flood victims

The organization anticipates the number of work requests to rise as victims learn about the available help. Flood victims and volunteers can call 678.202.5974 or visit http://www.samaritanspurse.org.

The organization brought two Disaster Relief Units, tractor–trailers stocked with emergency supplies and tools, which are ready to roll whenever disaster strikes. Each of these Disaster Relief Units can function as a self–supporting operations center for volunteers and staff. In the U.S., the Disaster Relief Units have assisted more than 18,000 families in 24 states over the past decade.

Samaritan’s Purse is partnering with West Ridge Church in Dallas, Ga., and First Baptist Church in Woodstock, Ga., utilizing their parking lots as command centers.

The priority of Samaritan’s Purse is to help those who are unable to help themselves – the poor, elderly, disabled and uninsured.

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Pastor Johnny Hunt
Church: (770) 926–4428
See password protected area for SP contact.
Direct Line to SP Disaster Relief Unit: NO LAND LINE CURRENTLY AVAILABLE
• Status:
23–Sep = Decision made to set up a second base camp and location confirmed.
24–Sep = Equipment and site staff departed N. Wilkesboro, NC in the morning with and arrived in Woodstock, GA that evening. Began setting up base camp upon arrival.
25–Sep = Completed base camp set–up including V–sat link. Initiated assessments and work order intake. Will review an email identifying 300 homes needing assistance. To initiate work at home sites on Monday probably alongside First Baptist Church volunteers who are already working on a large group of condos.
• Equipment To Be Deployed:
No change from 23–Sep report.
• Site Management Personnel To Be Deployed:
No change from 23–Sep report.

SOURCE: EWING ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH BLOG (http://michaelstovalllive.wordpress.com/):

For those of you interested in helping with house clean outs we want to direct your attention to:

Samaritan’s Purse at Westridge Church in Dallas, GA (770–222–2125).

Services offered: Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Reception / Registration Site/Location, Volunteer; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online; Volunteer Work Orders/Projects (provided by this facility); Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September
Updated Jun 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4568

Action Buildings and Truck Styles (DONATIONS DROP SITE/SUPPLIES) for Alabama/Georgia

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Donation Collection Site
GA
Service Temporary

http://www.wtvm.com/Global/story.asp?S=14548616

Tornado Relief Effort in Columbus
News More>>
Man unknowingly liveblogs Bin Laden operation
White House: Osama dead, watery grave appropriate
WTVM to host a telethon to help victim's of April's fury
Three arrested for breaking into cars
Ga. estimates $75M in insured losses from storms
4 arrested for looting in north Alabama

By Zaneta Lowe – bio | email

COLUMBUS, GA (WTVM) – Several local residents and businesses have teamed up to support tornado relief in Georgia and Alabama. Volunteers will be collecting donations Monday, May 2nd at Liberty Baptist Church from 10:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.

Donations can also be dropped off at any Action Buildings and Truck Styles location during regular business hours Monday, as well as Davis Broadcasting on Wynnton Road.

Here is a list of some of the items needed and being collected/distributed:

Non–perishable food
Cat and dog food
Baby food
Re–usable grocery bags
Formula (all types)
Diapers, Wipes, Rash Ointment
Hand Sanitizer
Deodorant
Toothbrushes/Toothpaste
Feminine hygiene products
Surgical masks
First aid supplies
Work gloves
Flashlights
Batteries (9 Volt, AA, C)
Trash Bags
Watches
Children's toys

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Georgia Tornados; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 20, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8133

Catholic Charities Distributions, Spaulding County

Walk–in Resource · Open

Social Services
GA
Service Temporary

5/6: Starting Tuesday will be in Spaulding county distributing aid.

5/12: Gave out gas cards and other cards.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, Disaster Survivors; Case Management, Flood Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Community Outreach Programs; Community Outreach Programs, Rural; Community Service Program; Counseling, Spiritual; Donations, Disaster Fund; Donations, Financial/Monetary Donations; Donations, Funeral Fund; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Gasoline, Gas; Financial Assistance, Heating Fuel; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Deposit; Financial Assistance, Medical Expenses; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance (For Seniors/Elders/ Disabled); Financial Assistance, Referrals, Temporary Financial Assistance Referrals; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance (For Seniors/Elders); Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Financial, Counseling, Mortgage–Foreclosure Problems; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Clothing Vouchers; Vouchers, Food Vouchers; Vouchers, Gas Vouchers; Vouchers, Household Item Vouchers
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados; Catholic Charities; Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Updated May 20, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8268

DRC Locations

Walk–in Resource · Standby

GA
Service Temporary

May 16, 2011
GA–1973 – NR 033

FEMA Media Contact: 770-613-4111
GEMA Media Contact: 404-635-7022
GEMA
News Release
SIX DISASTER RECOVERY CENTERS TO CLOSE MAY 19
ATLANTA - Six Disaster Recovery Centers (DRCs) will close permanently at 6 p.m. on Thursday, May 19, disaster officials announced today. Applicants with questions may still call the Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA) toll-free helpline and access information via the Internet and mobile devices. They may also visit any of the DRCs that continue to operate after Thursday.
"The number of registrations from these counties has declined, and we feel that the majority of those needing assistance have taken advantage of these centers' services," said Federal Coordinating Officer Gracia Szczech. "FEMA and the Georgia Emergency Management Agency keep DRCs open for as long as needed in each location."

DRCs Closing at 6 p.m. on Thursday, May 19:
Lamar County
Lamar Co. Service Center
118 Academy Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204

Meriwether County
Calloway Co. Comm Center
121 Perry Street
Manchester, GA 31816

Morgan County
Morgan Co. Rec Center
1253 College Drive
Madison, GA 30650

Pickens County
Pickens Co. EOC
1266 East Church Street
Jasper, GA 30143

Polk County
Polk Co. EMA/ Fire Dept.
55 Cline Ingram Jackson Road
Cedar Town, GA 30215

Troup County
Mike Daniel Rec Center
1220 LaFayette Parkway
LaGrange, GA 30241

These centers will be open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily until May 19

"Anyone who registers for disaster assistance may access necessary information through FEMA," State Coordinating Officer Charley English said. "This help is available from representatives staffing the helpline service and Internet sites." Anyone needing further help and answers to their questions may call FEMA's toll-free helpline, 1-800-621-FEMA (3362). Individuals with speech or hearing disabilities may call TTY 1-800-462-7585 from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily. Help is also available by going online to www.disasterassistance.gov as well as by using mobile devices and going to m.fema.gov, 24 hours a day.

FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.

Disaster recovery assistance is available without regard to race, color, religion, nationality, sex, age, disability, English proficiency or economic status. If you or someone you know has been discriminated against, call FEMA toll-free at 800-621-FEMA (3362). For TTY call 800-462-7585.
FEMA's temporary housing assistance and grants for public transportation expenses, medical and dental expenses, and funeral and burial expenses do not require individuals to apply for an SBA loan. However, applicants who receive SBA loan applications must submit them to SBA loan officers to be eligible for assistance that covers personal property, vehicle repair or replacement, and moving and storage expenses.

On 5/3/2011 4:35 PM, Dylan.Sorensen

Here are updated DRC Locations:

DADE
Board of Commissioners Room
71 Case Ave.

Trenton, GA 30752
Contact: Sheri Russo 404–290–9105

CATOOSA
Catoosa County Learning Center
36 Muscogee Trail
Ringgold, GA 30736
Contact: Jason Milhollin 770–527–4771, Jeff Braswell 229–309–9143

FLOYD
Hamler Gym
300 West 3rd Street
Rome, GA 30161
Contact: Jonathan Daniell 912–281–5158

SPALDING
Voter Registrar's Office
819 Memorial Drive
Griffin, GA 30223
Contact: James Westbrook 404–831–3049
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated Jun 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8158

Fox 10 TV DONATION DROP OFF SITE INDEX !!!See webpage WITH MAP!!!

Walk–in Resource · Open

Donation Collection Sites
GA
Web www.fox10tv.com/dpp/news/sidebar_stories/tornado–relief–donations–resources
Service Temporary

See website above for updates. As of 5/2, 11 pm:

Tornado Relief: Donations & Resources

Updated: Monday, 02 May 2011, 3:55 PM CDT
Published : Thursday, 28 Apr 2011, 9:35 AM CDT

In the wake of Wednesday's severe weather outbreak across Alabama, we've compiled a list of resources for the recovery effort. Included in this list are donation drop–off sites, blood drives, as well as ways to help through national agencies.

EFFORTS IN & AROUND MOBILE

Soul Kitchen Benefit for Tornado Victims
May 9th at 5pm
Accepting donations of canned food, water, etc.
See local bands, sign up for the raffle and plates of food are $5
219 Dauphin St.
Mobile, AL

Stockton First Baptist Church
Donation drop–off:
Bottled water, non–perishable foods, toiletries, diapers, wipes. No clothing, please.
52700 State Hwy 59
Stockton, AL 36579
(251) 937–9513
StocktonFBC@bellsouth.net

Vision Bank – All Baldwin County Locations
Donation Drop–off sites
Accepting donations Mon.–Fri., 9am–5pm through May 11
Collecting bottled water, diapers, baby formula, pet food, batteries, toiletries, toilet paper, paper towels, plastic cutlery, paper plates, non–perishable food items, cash and gift cards
Gulf Shores
2201 West First Street
Orange Beach
25051 Canal Road
Foley
501 South McKenzie Street
Elberta
24989 State Street

Robertsdale
22245–3A Highway 59
Daphne
28720 U.S. Highway 98
Fairhope
218 North Greeno Road
Point Clear
17008 Scenic Highway 98

Zaxby's, Tillman's Corner location
Store is donating a portion of all sales Wed., May 4, to the relief effort.
4385 Rangeline Road
Mobile, AL 36619
(251) 660–6755

Bryant Bank in Baldwin County
Donation drop–off sites
Foley branch:
1502 N. McKenzie St.
Foley, AL
Daphne branch:
1801 US Hwy 98
Daphne, AL

Southern Rose Florist And Gifts
Donation site, accepting Mon.–Fri., 9am–6pm
13318 N. Wintzell Ave.
Bayou La Batre, AL

Alabama Orthopaedic Clinic & Volunteers of America Southeast
Collection site for donations and care packages, beginning Mon., May 2
Drop–off areas will be located on the 1st floor of Alabama Orthopaedic Clinic
3610 Springhill Memorial Dr North
Mobile, AL 36608

Kid Plus Child Development Center
Donation drop–off: bottled water, toiletries, diapers, wipes. No clothing, please.
900 South Bay Street
Foley, AL 36535

Soldiers of the Cross Motorcycle Ministry
Donations being collected at The Burn Out Bar and Grille
7151 Hwy 158, six miles west of I–65
Eight Mile, AL
(251) 644–7668

Oak Park Ministries
Donation–drop off: All non–perishables except clothing, please drop off by noon, Wed., May 5
3221 Sollie Road
Mobile, AL

Greer Enterprises
Donation drop–off, truck going to Tuscaloosa on Sat., May 7
35 Davis Ave
Saraland, AL
(251) 679–1967

Dog House Grille
2200 East 2nd Street
Gulf Shores, AL 36542
(251) 948–6900
thedoghousegrille.com
Accepting donations to be taken to Pleasant Grove, AL on Thursday, May 5: toiletries, can goods, new underwear (all sizes), powerade, nutritious snack bars, baby diapers/food, hygiene products, pet food, batteries, first aid kits, furniture, cash, etc.

"Lights for T–Town" flashlight and battery drive
Drop–off new or used flashlights and batteries by Friday, May 6
Mary G. Montgomery High School
4275 Snow Road North

Semmes, AL 36575
(251) 221–3153 ex. 46047

Mobile Elks Lodge
Drop–off for non–perishables
2761 Dauphin Island Pkwy
Mobile, AL
(251) 473–1082

Operation Tommy's Child
First Baptist Church of Gulf Breeze
Headed to Rainsville & Fort Payne, AL areas
Drop–off in front of Bruno's
334 Gulf Breeze Pkwy
Gulf Breeze, FL

Bay Area Food Bank & All Walmarts in Mobile & Baldwin Counties
Serving as drop–off locations for diaster relief supplies beginning Fri., Apr. 29 and continuing as long as necessary
Most needed items are bottled water, non–perishable food items and disposable diapers. Please NO glass containers, household items or clothing.
Drop–off at designated bins at all Walmart stores in Mobile and Baldwin Counties
or at the loading dock of the Bay Area Food Bank.
Bay Area Food Bank – Theodore warehouse
5248 Mobile South St.
Theodore, AL 36582

Bel Air Mall Blood Drive
Tues., May 3 from Noon–6pm
Bel Air Mall, Target wing
Mobile, AL 36606
(251) 478–1893
shopatbelairmall.com

Chris Myers Donation Drop–off
8:30am–8pm, Mon.–Fri.
9am–7pm, Sat.
Chris Myers Automall
27161 Hwy 98
Daphne, AL
Chris Myers Nissan
29788 Frederick Blvd. (Exit 38, Daphne)
Daphne, AL
Suggested items: Water, tarps, trash bags, baby wipes, hand sanitizers, work gloves, gas cards (for chain saws), bug spray, batters and flashlights, crackers and peanut butter.

Loxley, AL Police & Fire Depts.
Accepting donations through May 9th
1089 S Hickory St
Loxley, AL
(251) 964–5696
Blankets, bottled water, hygiene items, baby clothes, baby food and formula, etc.

First Baptist Tillman's Corner
Accepting donations Friday, Apr. 29
9am–8pm in the Welcome Center
5660 Three Notch Rd.
Theodore, AL
Needs are: bottled water; sports drinks; snacks; power bars; blankets; coolers; diapers and baby wipes; personal toiletries (toothpaste, hand sanitizer, wipes, feminine products) and ziploc bags. NO CLOTHING CAN BE HANDLED AT THIS TIME. For more info, call 251–661–0114 or email info@fbtc.org.

American Red Cross of Northwest Florida
Fundraiser for tornado victims
Sat., Apr. 30 from 11am–7pm
Cordova Mall
5100 North 9th Avenue
Pensacola, FL 32504

(850) 477–5355
cordova–mall.com

Volunteers of America
Donation Collection through 5pm, Fri. Apr. 29
600 Azalea Rd.
Mobile, AL
Suggested donation items:
Non–perishable food items
Bottled Water
Toiletries (toothbrushes, toothpaste, hand sanitizer, soap etc.)
Flashlights and batteries
Teddy Bears for the children

92ZEW & ModMobilian Donation Drive
Truck leaves for rural areas of North Alabama (Morgan, Cullman and Blount Counties) on Sunday, May 1
Drop–off during business hours, Fri. & Sat.
The Blind Mule
57 N. Claiborne St.
Mobile, AL
Drop–off Saturday night:
The Hangout
Gulf Shores, AL

South Alabama Tornado Relief Clothing Drive
Drop Off Location:
Daphne Fire Department
28280 North Main Street
Daphne, AL 36526
For more info: 251–510–9046
On Facebook

Tornado Relief Collection Center open in Saraland, Alabama
The collection center will be open Saturday from 9 am to 1 pm; Sunday 12:30 pm to 4:30 pm; and Monday through Friday next week from 8:30 am till 4:30 pm.
Shiloh Baptist Church
717 Cleveland Rd (corner of Cleveland Rd and 2nd Ave) in
Saraland, Alabama

Pet Supplies "PLUS"
Pet Supplies “PLUS” will be collections donations April 29, 30 and May 1, 2011 to help the tornado victims in the Tuscaloosa and Birmingham areas of our state. All proceeds will be given to the Alabama Red Cross and earmarked for Tornado Relief.

Camping World of South Alabama
21282 Hwy 59
Robertsdale , AL 36530
Camping World in Robertsdale is holding a drive for clothing, food, household goods, blankets, pet food, or anything that can be sent to Central and North Alabama for those hit by Wednesday's tornados. Our goal is to fill an Eighteen Wheeler by Tuesday, May 3. Bring anything to the store and we will ship it out on your behalf or call us 251–947–9910/888–445–5990 and we will arrange to pick up your donations. Please help us help so many others.

Merle Norman Cosmetics
Donation drop–off:
Collection Friday until 5:30 p.m.
Saturday - 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
1102A Shelton Beach Road #2
Saraland, AL 36571
(251) 675–2199

McConaghy Drug Stores, Inc.
Donations drop–off
Drop off at McConaghy Drug Store in Satsuma.
5565 Highway 43
Satsuma, AL 36572
251–675–2070
Monday–Friday 8 a.m.– 6:30 p.m
Saturday 8:30 a.m.– 2 p.m.

American Café
American Café in the Yester Oaks shopping center in Mobile will be giving away free appetizer card in exchange for donations for tornado victims throughout Alabama.
Dianne Hurst, Manager
Kyle Young, General Manager
251-343-2524
362-A Airport Blvd.
Mobile, AL 36608

Freckles Children's Boutique
Donation Drop-off
8982 Moffett Rd., Unit B
Semmes, AL 36575
Friday, Apr. 29 from 10am-6pm
Sat., Apr. 30 from 10am-4pm

Couponing for a Cause: Tuscaloosa Donation Collection Drive
EasternShoreMom.com & Eastern Shore Centre
Donation Drive for Tuscaloosa tornado victims
Saturday, May 7th from 1pm-5pm
At the Eastern Shore Centre
I-10 at the Malbis exit
30500 State Highway 181
Spanish Fort, AL 36527

97.5 WABB
Donation Drive
Friday, April 29th from 7am-5pm
1551 Springhill Ave.
Mobile, AL 36604

REMAX of Gulf Shores & Gulf Shores Title
Donation drop-off sites:
REMAX of Gulf Shores
645 Gulf Shores Pkwy
Gulf Shores, AL 36542
Gulf Shores Title
100 Cove Avenue
Gulf Shores, AL 36542
Clothes, baby items, pet items, cleaning supplies etc will be greatly appreciated.

The Cave Ministries
Donation Drive
1120 G Joaneen Ave
Saraland, AL 36571
Drop off your items by 6pm, Friday, April 29

PostNet
Donation Drop-off
10 N. Section St.
Fairhope, AL
Monday-Friday, 8-5:30
Saturday 9-2
251.928.1999
Accepting donations of all non-perishable items to send to relief agencies in Tuscaloosa and Birmingham; special request for diapers and other immediate-need items

UPS Stores
Accepting donations for the Red Cross at 2 Mobile locations:
University & Cottage Hill
1956-J University Blvd. S.
Mobile, AL 36609
(251) 661-1000
Old Shell & McGregor
4354 Old Shell Rd, Ste A
Mobile, AL 36608
(251) 460-0600

Only accepting clothes, water, batteries, etc. – no cash donations; collections will be taken through Friday, May 6 during business hours.

LifeSouth Community Blood Centers
The storms have created a critical need for blood donations.
Bloodmobiles will be at the following locations:
USA Medical Center
2451 Fillingim Street
10th Floor Dining Room
April 28/29th ,2011 from 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Infirmary West Hospital
5600 Girby Rd
Auditorium
April 28th, 2011 from 7:00a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
LifeSouth also has donor centers on Alabama's Gulf Coast: in Mobile at 967 Hillcrest Road; in Daphne at 6451 Merritt Blvd.; and in Fairhope at Thomas Medical Center, 750 Morphy Ave. Call toll-free (888) 795-2707 for more information and hours of operation.

Blood Drive for North and Central Alabama
University of South Alabama
Student Center
Monday, May 2, 2011 from 9:30am-4:30pm
Mobile, AL

ANYTIME Fitness and IronHeadZ.com
ANYTIME Fitness Donation Sites:
9120 Airport Blvd (West Mobile)
Contact: 251-639-3556
3456 Hillcrest Rd. (Girby Rd/Hillcrest Rd)
Contact: 251-662-1320
IronHeadZ.com Donation Sites:
Contact: 251-649-5552
Online at www.IronHeadZ.com or
9170 Airport Blvd (West Mobile)
801 Hwy 43 (Saraland, AL)
Contact: 251-649-5552

Kids Kottage
Kids Kottage in West Mobile is loading up supplies to take to Tuscaloosa, esp. baby/kids items. You can find more details on their Facebook page .
1781 County Road 33 (near Dawes Rd.)
Mobile, AL 36695
(251) 633-0000

The Posh Tot Boutique
Accepting donations at the store during business hours.
706 D'Olive Street
Bay Minette, AL 36507

RED CROSS

Alabama Tornado Relief Fund
Donate Online
Donate via your mobile phone:
To make a $10 donation, just text "REDCROSS" to 90999.
Find a Red Cross shelter near you:
http://www.redcross.org/nss/
Storm survivors: Register yourself as "Safe and Well:"
Register online at the Red Cross site

UNITED WAY

Those who need assistance anywhere in Alabama can call the United Way at 211.

ALABAMA POWER

Report an outage:
1-800-888-2726

Outage and power restoration updates:
www.alabamapower.com

VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA SOUTHEAST

Volunteer Info:
http://www.voasoutheast.org/
Donate Online:
http://donate.voasoutheast.org/Default.aspx?TabId=4879
Donate via text message:
Text "VOA" to 27722

THE SALVATION ARMY

Salvation Army's Tornado Disaster Response
http://www.salvationarmyusa.org/
Donate Online – designate "April 2011 Tornado Outbreak:"
https://secure20.salvationarmy.org/donation.jsp
Financial donations are needed to support disaster relief efforts. The Salvation Army asks those who want to help to visit www.salvationarmyusa.org or call 1–800–SAL–ARMY and designate April 2011 Tornado Outbreak. Donors may text “GIVE” to 80888. Checks may be made out to The Salvation Army Disaster Relief, P.O. Box 100339, Atlanta, GA 30384–0339. Monetary donations will ensure The Salvation Army can meet the most immediate needs of those impacted by disaster.

GOVERNOR'S EMERGENCY RELIEF FUND

In Alabama:
http://www.servealabama.gov/2010/default.aspx
Donate Online:
http://www.servealabama.gov/2010/2011%20Tornadoes/Response.aspx
Alabama Storm Response Center:
Call 1–866–465–2241 between the hours of 7am–7pm

Have a resource to add? Let us know: ReportIt@fox10tv.com

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 20, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8135

Georgia Legal Services Program (based at DRCs)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
GA
Web www.legalaid–ga.org
Service Temporary

5/2011: Georgia Legal Services Program

We are monitoring opening of the DRCs and providing representatives on site where requested. We provide lawyers who can give on–site information and advice about problems obtaining benefits such as disaster unemployment, food stamps, and other FEMA benefits, as well as landlord–tenant problems and replacement of lost documents. On a longer term basis, we will continue to assist clients with benefits issues, housing issues, and consumer/home repair scams. We work with the State Bar of Georgia Younger Lawyers Division Hotline to coordinate referrals for problems concerning insurance claims and similar issues.

In addition to on–site legal assistance at the DRCs, we have five offices that cover one or more of the counties under the federal disaster declaration.

These offices are located in Dalton, Gainesville, Macon, Columbus, and downtown Atlanta (for certain counties just outside the core metro area). More information about our offices is available at www.glsp.org .

We are preparing flyers about our services to be offered at the DRCs as well as key community locations. We will have available more detailed information about specific issues such as unemployment benefits, food stamps, etc.

Services offered: Advocacy, Anti–Poverty; Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Consumer Issues; Advocacy, Disaster Survivors; Advocacy, Fraud Prevention, Home Improvement Contractors; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Eviction Defense; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocay, Disaster, Survivors of Disaster; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Document Replacement for Disaster Survivors, Computer File Recovery; Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Legal Information & Resource Referrals (For Elders/Seniors); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Referrals; Community Outreach Programs; Community Service Program; Hotline, Legal Advice & Assistance (Seniors/Elders); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Services

0 (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Document Replacement for Disaster Survivors; Services, Legal Assistance; Services: Legal Assistance for Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, City/Town Agency; Government, County/Parish Agency; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency) State; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, State/County
Updated May 20, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8342

Jehovah's Witnesses, Christian Congregation of – Hosted by: Kingdom Hall (WORK CREWS) Bob Rogers

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith Based Disaster Relief/Recovery
GA

Serves Cobb County, GA
Eligibility Impacted by the 9/09 GA Floods
Service Temporary

5/18: work crews underway. no real needs, except sheet rock, plywood and more vols.

5/2/11, confirmed with Bob that they will be setting up work crews for Georgia, but the location is NOT CONFIRMED. Will need tarps. 1 pallet as of today. doing huntsville decator and birmingham, ringold and trenton.

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Notes from last disaster:
(CLEANUP CREWS, MEALS, WAREHOUSE, SUPPLIES, SHOWERS)
Cobb County
Austell
4850 Ewing Road

10/7/09 GAVOAD ConCall Notes:

Bob Rogers, Kingdom Hall Jehovah Witness, advised that they are finishing up muck out cases and will start the rebuild effort next week.

9/30/09 GAVOAD ConCall Notes:

Christian Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses (Doug Behr/Bob Rogers)
•Looking for fuel, sheetrock, other materials. Will work with Jami on posting to AidMatrix.

9/28/09 GAVOAD ConCall Notes:

Christian Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses (Doug Behr)
• Out of Powder Springs/Austell base––Approximately 35 homes where cleanup work/wet material removal progressed to the point where drying out equipment moved in. Able to share several meals with others. Teams are keeping exact numbers, but for example in addition to our volunteers, it appears that about 150 local folks had the lunch meal with us yesterday.
• We are opening a second base of operation in Dekalb/Stone Mountain area where our initial assessment showed concentration of damaged homes of our members and others near them that we could assist. Clean up and drying out has begun on a handful of these.

9/26/09 GAVOAD ConCall Notes:

• DISTRIBUTION/FEEDING SITE at 4850 Ewing Rd Austell, 7 am to 7 pm, 3 hot meals/day, showers, cleaning crews, distributing clothes/supplies. Fed 200 yesterday.
• NEEDS: ice, gatorade, Tyvek suits, rubber boots, food boxes/groceries for locals
• Working on drying 21 homes on Sat

9/25: Bob Roger, see contact info in private area.

This location is serving three hot meals/day. Fed 200 yesterday. Have 100 workers available there.

Is stocking up to be a distro center for locals. Clothes, food boxes.

Need: ice, gatorade, Tyvek Suits, rubber boots

Coordinating cleanup crews. Register for services: 770 948 7740

Services offered: Cleanup, Mud–Out, Muck–Out, Flood Cleanup, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Facilities: Shower Facilities for Volunteers; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated Jun 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4543

New Passion Church (DONATION COLLECTION/SUPPLY POD)

Walk–in Resource · Open

GA

Web newpassionchurch.com/relief
Service Temporary

from the website:

As you may have heard, several cities all across the South were devastated by tornadoes over the last several days. Ringgold, Georgia was one of the hardest hit cities in our state. New Passion is partnering with Origin Church in Ringgold to bring relief aid and support to their citizens.
Here's How You Can Help:

New Passion will be collecting supplies and financial donations (online or in–person) on the following dates:

* Sunday, May 1: 7:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. in the gym at Patriot's Park

Our first supply delivery to Ringgold will be Sunday afternoon, May 1

* Saturday, May 7: 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. – Location to be determined.
* Sunday, May 8: 7:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. – Location to be determined.

Our second supply delivery to Ringgold will be Sunday afternoon, May 8
Needed Supplies:

These items have been specifically requested by Origin Church who we are partnering with:

* Generators
* Chainsaws
* Flashlights
* Batteries
* Bottled Water
* Tents
* Sleeping Bags
* Work Gloves
* Wheel Barrows
* Safety Goggles
* Heavy Duty Tarps
* Empty Gas Cans
* Soap
* Feminine Products
* Diapers
* Baby Wipes
* Tooth Paste (Children & Adult)
* Tooth Brushes (Children & Adult)
* Shampoo
* Please no food or clothing items.

Financial Donations:

New Passion is also collecting financial donations for the Ringgold Tornado Relief. 100% of your donation are tax–deductible and will go directly to the people of Ringgold and the surrounding areas, you can give online below through Google's secure checkout page or you can write a check to New Passion Church (please memo your check "Tornado Relief Fund"):

or go to website above and click on donations button.
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 3, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8134

Partnership Community Action, inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

Social Services
GA

Phone (404) 929–2500
Web www.pcaction.org
Serves DeKalb, Gwinett, Rockdale Counties
Service Temporary

Locations –

Central Administration and DeKalb Family Support
815 Park North Boulevard
Clarkston, Georgia 30021

(404) 929 2500
Office Hours:
8:00am – 5:00pm

Rockdale Family Support
957 Bank Street
Conyers, GA 30012
(770) 760 8750
(770) 278 0385 FAX

Gwinnett Family Support
656 Indian Trail Road
Suite 205, Lilburn, GA 30047
(770) 564 1702
(770) 564 0906

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, All Sizes, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Financial, Small Business Development; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services); Services, Emergency Services; Services, Employment, Job Counseling, Referrals & Placement; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Special Needs, Services for People with Special Needs; Shelter, Emergency Shelter
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEast Floods, September; Head Start Program; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Dec 6, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4780

Red Cross Feeding Site

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Red Cross
13 Patula Heights Lane; End of Days Crossroads at River, GA
Phone 866 GET–INFO
Service Temporary

Snacks
Water
Client Services
mental and medical health services
Campaigns: 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado
Updated Feb 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1160

Salvation Army Mobile FEEDING Canteen

Walk–in Resource · Open

GA
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 4, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8197

Troup County Donations Management Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

GA
Service Temporary

TROUP COUNTY / LAGRANGE
Donated items may be delivered to Salvation Army in LaGrange.
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Salvation Army
Updated May 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8351

United Methodist Church of Trenton

Walk–in Resource · Open

Georgia Tornado Relief Resource Directory
GA
Service Temporary

This group is offering work crews to remove debris and help people rebuild.
Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados
Updated May 20, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8330

Vaughn Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Relief

One in Spalding County which is located in the Vaughn community; Sargeant Jennifer Queener (Griffin Corps) is responsible for restocking., GA

Service Temporary

Campaigns: 2011 Georgia Tornados

Updated Jun 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8165

HI

Ku'ia Agricultural Education Center & Hawaii Farmers Union

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Center: Na Aikane O Maui. 562 Front Street Lahaina , Hawaii 96761; Farm: ahupua'a of Ku'ia on Legacy Lands of Keli'i Kulani, Lahaina, HI

Web www.ksbe.edu/ainaulu

Service Temporary

mauiboi83 at gmail dot com

Community Center
https://hfuuhi.org/chapters/maui–lahaina–chapter/

Chapter Notes: Lahaina chapter is on Maui's west side.
Meeting Schedule: Last Monday of each month.
Meeting Time: Doors open at 5:30pm. Pre–meal pule begins around 6pm followed by member announcements. The meetings typically conclude before 8pm.
Meeting Location: Na Aikane O Maui. 562 Front Street Lahaina , Hawaii 96761

Interview with the founder:

My name is Kaipo Kekona, I'm 38 years old. I was born and raised here on Maui in Lāhainā. I now manage a 12.5 acre farm site known as Ku'ia Agricultural Education Center in the ahupua'a of Ku'ia on Legacy Lands of Keli'i Kulani. Part of our mission for our site there is to not only reclaim space as a native historical food property, but also introduce to our community the practices that would encourage a healthier food system and soils for us to be maintaining in our community. We also hope to fulfill demands in our schools and our senior citizen centers and housing. That's what we want to be able to provide. We also have put aside spaces for people in our community that share an interest to begin a farming spot there, and we make this all possible through a collaboration with the Hawai'i Farmer's Union United, with their foundation, 501c3 nonprofit arm, and Kamehameha Schools, the owners of the property where we are located. I am the Chair of the Lāhainā Chapter with the Hawai'i Farmer's Union United.

I also serve as Po'o for the Aha Moku Ka'anapali Council for the district of Ka'anapali Moku that goes from Pu'u Keka'a to Makamaka'ole. In this position, we advocate for generational resource management practices, and in that manner, we identify different resources methods that we need to consider, implementing more traditional management practices. I also donate my time here at Na ʻAikane o Maui's Cultural Center. That's my own little side passion; I am a father of four children as well.

Going back a year ago, to pre–COVID times, can you walk me through what was happening and share a little about your experience as the pandemic unfolded?

So for us, back when life was what life was before COVID, (I'll never be able to say life is regular), but when life was what it was, as far as what I do with ag and culture and traditions we always felt like we were on that tipping point where you're either gonna move forward and save it and restore, (I'm not even sure restore is the proper word) or fall the other way and lose it all. That was life in itself. The more we decided to just stay in the path that we were in, the more we would continue to lose. So, we always were trying to make the effort of consciously choosing our path. I think we're all on a path that we don't pay much attention to, and then when we do pay attention, we realize really quickly, that we want to get off of that path.

So, I've been farming before COVID, and I found myself in the agricultural department or industry since I was in high school, picking pineapples and working on farms on the Big Island when I stayed there for about two years. Always farming and always with the same mission to try and learn how to grow good, healthy food and feed our community. I got the opportunity to farm at Ku'ia, we made those efforts and we were working with the schools and doing large–scale volunteer programs.

We utilize organic growing practices, you know, regenerative farming practices, taking the effort to collect indigenous microbes and put that back into the soil to help facilitate that healing process for our soils before planting. That's what we were doing; that's what our mission was. And then COVID hit.

Bouncing back, we're taking in all those old sayings that you hear when you're a kid growing up, you know, "it's not about how you fall, it's about how you get up."
Mind you, we also went through a few natural disasters in this short timeframe as well. Hurricane Lane came through in 2018 and we had a huge fire in the middle of the night. We lost a lot of acreage and our farm got totally scorched and burned away and we were only a year in. Bouncing back, we're taking in all those old sayings that you hear when you're a kid growing up, you know, "it's not about how you fall, it's about how you get up." I mean, we couldn't give up, this was a challenge, so we'd go at it again.

Then in March 2020, COVID struck. We stopped all our programs, obviously. Now our farm is down to being operated by just three of us with no volunteer help. Volunteers are our big thing. I don't even like calling them volunteers, It's everyone's farm at that point because you come and work on it and it's designed to be for our community. So, if you're from a community and you're working on that farm, it's no longer the educational site, it's your farm. When people show up to work with us, it's a big difference. It's a big help and we lost a lot of that. So, we found ourselves trying to find avenues where we could still fit in. We appreciate being with, helping, and working with our community. When that was taken away, we were like, well, what are we going to do for our community? They're always there for us. How are we going to be there for them, even more now?

Na ʻAikane at Maui Cultural Center in Lāhainā, photographed by Angie Diaz
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A lot of our farmers didn't know what to do with the excess food that they had while at the same time adjusting to the loss of income.
So, we started working with Na ʻAikane at Maui Cultural Center and they had a program going with QLCC, Queen Lili'uokalani Trust. And they were doing CSA boxes and we were gathering produce through different farms and stores, and distributing boxes to our community. So, I took on from Honokōwai to Honokōhau, and distributed boxes throughout that area. We did that for about six months, just that program. That was one adjustment. We also found other collaborations, because that we had this need to support and keep our local farmers going. A lot of farmers were growing crops for an industry that was no longer present– the "tourist industry."

When that wasn't there, a lot of our farmers didn't know what to do with the excess food that they had while at the same time adjusting to the loss of income. That was another thing that we had to consider and figure out is– how are we going to help those guys stay afloat? Luckily for us, we already have a strong backing and support with Kamehameha Schools and HFUU. So that's how we're able to stay there. Between our two organizations, we have a foundation to stand on that will keep us going for a little while, you know, a few years more,

We definitely are working on financial profile expansions. Our farm will take a while to be able to produce so much to sustain itself. So, we needed to find sources to help us sustain ourselves as we develop our farm. So, we have that, but our other farmers don't have it. And that's a big difference already. When we did that, we found Yayoi Hara. She is the daughter of Reverend Hara in Lāhainā's Jodo Mission, and she had a passion to open up a farmer's market during this time. She came to us to find support in helping her promote it, get in touch with farmers, recruitment, and all that kind of stuff. So, we partnered up with her in providing a farmer's market that we still are operating now, every second and last Thursday of the month.

With our Hawai'i Farmer's Union Foundation, we went out and got some other emergency grants available through the CARES Act funds program. And we got one through OHA and one through the Maui County Strong Fund. We catered to our first responders with programs that we manage at our farmer's market. We said, "Hey, with this money, let's make a win–win situation here. Let's cater to our community that is in need and stretched thin, and let's also cater to our farmers which are stretched thin as well." We developed a program where we made scrips, for the people in this program to go and buy any fresh produce out of our market, which really helped our farmers a lot too.

I'm finding that the farmers that we do have are really strapped and don't have the time available to be a part of an organization, you know?
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Ku'ia Agricultural Education Center photographed by Angie Diaz
I had no idea that you were doing so much it's really incredible. That farmer's market is amazing! You talked about some of the vulnerabilities: that turning point for farmers who had crops that were for the hotels and the need to pivot to find a market, and Lāhainā had a need for a venue to sell fresh local food. Are there other food system vulnerabilities that were exposed to you during this time?

One thing that I want to mention is our community's dependence on imports. Being in the Farmer's Union for quite some time now and trying to develop a Lāhainā Chapter, I'm finding that the farmers that we do have are really strapped and don't have the time available to be a part of an organization, you know? Also, there's not much other farming that's specifically catering to the local community, although we have a lot of good gardens going.

When that shut down came, I started watching the stores. Our grocery sections, our vegetable section started to shrink. You'd see a table disappear. Then they narrow it down a little, consolidate, make it more clean and nice, and then another table disappeared. I started thinking, oh, it's only a matter of time before the cost is going to go up really high and it's going to get desperate in town. I'm starting to think for the worst of it, of course, but we held through so far and it seems like we're picking up a lot quicker than everybody predicted we would, back into a regular norm, depending on the system.

I've seen pictures on social media of Lāhainā Safeway with empty shelves right now because of the influx in tourism.

Right. So what happened is that the stores had to adjust because the demand had shrunken.

Kaipo, as I'm talking to you, I'm thinking about the land that you're on and what I know about the history of agriculture in Lāhainā. You mentioned that historically it was farmland and I'm curious if that refers to the history of sugar production in the region.

Historically where we are, we've done a lot of research to try and figure out where we were and who we are and what we're gonna do. And we identified our space in Lāhainā to be known as Ka Malu ʻUlu O Lele. That's history not taught in school. And Ka Malu ʻUlu O Lele is the name of a large food forest system that took place in our area, in the moku of Lāhainā. And it extended from

Launiupoko to just past Māla, and up to around 500 to 700 foot elevation. There's a total of roughly about 10 and a half square miles.

You can find all kinds of beautiful stories about it from both native and foreign testimonies. Newspaper articles and stories that tell about what was present in the time and what people observed. So, we teach that at our farm site, the sense of place, as well as to our farmers, to be well familiar with the area that you farm in. A lot of the things that we noticed with farms, as far as the general farm goes, even if they do organic practices and their best health practices for soil rejuvenation and erosion and all those things, they cover–crop the best they can. However their site doesn't go beyond their farm parameters. At our site, when you come, we speak to that subject. Know your watershed, know your streams, know all of those things that are vital pieces to sustain your farm and those are all identified in the historical properties of our area.

Know your watershed, know your streams, know all of those things that are vital pieces to sustain your farm
That's as light as we'll go on the historical concept of your question. And then as far as the mill goes, the mill came in and, that's another history line, but to remove the food forest system, (I'm sticking to ag), they did three major burnings in the food system. That food system didn't just provide food. It provided the material for housing, provided the material for clothing, and medicine. I'd like to use a fancy word for it, "expressive art" where you get to use dyes and colors from plants that was all found in this food forest system, along with the food provided, you know, the sweet potatoes, the kalo, the ulu, and all the different bananas. All of that is referenced in these logs that we were reading and it kind of gave us the vision for our farming, which wasn't difficult at that point. So, we moved forward.

Ku'ia Agricultural Education Center photographed by Angie Diaz
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You know what else we noticed? People who have farmland and have water, but don’t have the time to farm because of the demand of our living on the islands. The cost of living is so high that a farmer cannot sustain himself unless you are fortunate enough to live on your farm.
When I think of West Maui agriculture today, it seems like a food desert. On top of that, you've got all these tourist mouths to feed and empty grocery store shelves.

As I mentioned earlier, the stores started cutting back and they had to adjust to demand. There wasn't the same demand that was present before the pandemic. Food was going bad and getting old, things that we didn't care to eat in our communities weren't moving off the shelf. One of the products that stuck around on the shelves, in the beginning, was yogurt. Maybe our local community doesn’t eat much yogurt? I eat yogurt and my mom and dad eat yogurt, but I don't know. A lot of my friends I grew up with, did not eat yogurt. So we saw that get cut back during the travel restrictions. Now that the visitor rise is in, the demand for yogurt is back and it's gone. All the things that were definitely a higher demand from the tourist industry are wiped clean. I provide food, I grow food, so I'm really paying attention to food.

You know what else we noticed? People who have farmland and have water, but don’t have the time to farm because of the demand of our living on the islands. The cost of living is so high that a farmer cannot sustain himself unless you are fortunate enough to live on your farm. That might make some changes, you know?

source: https://www.feedinghawaii.org/talkstory/kaipo–kekona

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Haiti Outreach Ministries (HOM)

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2010 HAITI EARTHQUAKE

from Facebook –
February 17 at 1:43pm

In kind donations
As we continue to work aggressively for relief and reconstruction, plus resume schools and sustain normal ministry activities, I'm sure everyone understands that HOM is pretty much flat out in terms of capacity. In the past, we've tried to work with folks who were tryi...ng to get items to Haiti for the ministry. Those have been very important as we've been able to ship Christmas toy, clothes et al along with food.

We've been deluged with offers of materials for Haiti. We – and those we partner with who help ship things to Haiti – cannot deal with anything more than those 3 priorities right now. HOM has established a committee that will review all in kind donations to ensure that we accept priority items that can be shipped quickly. Another problem we face is that the storage areas in Haiti have been damaged and are barely able to keep up with the food supplies needed.

So, pls limit in kind donations to specific foods (ask us and we'll explain that), 6 person tents for family shelters, and fresh meds (again, ask us, since we can only use in date in formularly meds and specific OTCs). We recommend that other collections be used to create yard or other sales and that the funds generated be donated for relief and reconstruction. shalom – Bill

from facebook –

2–3–10 Update from Bill Glass and Jacky Dorleans
From Bill Glass: An American relief crew with heavy equipment has begun working in Cite Soleil. This crew was brought in by Samaritan's Purse and offered to help. God willing, by the end of the week the debris will be removed from the compound (or at least the debris... near the wall areas). There has been an offer to help rebuild the wall from a Samaritan's Purse team, as well. If that sorts out in their priorities, it would certainly help us restore security to the compound and provide a secure place for both shelter and other community assistance activities.

A Samaritan's Purse team also began cleaning up the damage at the clinic in preparation for a Samaritan's Purse medical team working there. With the continuing shift of commerical air service to later dates (now Feb 20 at the earliest), we will have to see how that impacts our ability to accommodate early team trips.

The steps in bringing teams are:
1. Air service resumption
2. Team billeting materials arrive via shipments (air mattresses, solar camp lights, camp showers)
3. Access to sufficient food to support teams
4. Building materials
5. Team accommodations in place
6. Team support organization in place

We have the billeting materials heading down in a bit over a week. We are researching how to ship building materials in and always looking for local sources. The team accommodations set up will happen after the billeting materials arrive. The support organization will exist after air service resumes and our long term volunteers are in place to match up with the Haitian translators and leaders always there.

Here's some information provided by jacky. She mentions school reopening possibilities toward the end of her comments. We are coordinating with donors for tents that may have to be used as temporary classrooms while repairs are being made.
>> Jacky's comments: About the school children we can shout: " Eben Ezer!" So far we lost only one child of 3 years old from Blanchard school. Blocks from his house fell upon him. Please pray for this family whose other child a second grader, lost a finger under a block too during the earthquake. No one of my knowledge was hurt among our High School students. However Sirius Patrick, and Sirius Evanie lost their Mom. Prophete Jean Emmanuel lost his Mom too. They were vendors selling their products down town Port–au–Prince when where hit and died. They found them under rubbles. Please pray for those young people so the would not loose faith, specially for Prophete Jean Emmanuel who is in great dispear. The Lord made provisions for our High School students. On December 18–20 we held a successful retreat with 99 of them (from 9th grade to university level). I was inspired to organize it earlier this year, normally we meet them in March/April around Easter Season. During that retreat we reinforced the need for them to abide closer to the Lord and to sanctify their lives. The left wing of the school in Cite Soleil where Yves Joseph has his office was severely damaged. We will not be able to use it for the rest of the school year. The small gate in the back of the school where we used to welcome the Preschool and Kindergarten children is unusable. The first grade class at the end of the other building by the cafeteria has lots of cracks in it. We will need to use another classroom. The wall of the kitchen fell. the ground (the floor) of the toilet area is broken.
A lot of repairs need to be done before we can possibly restart School in Cite Soleil by the end of the month of February or the first week of March. The students and their parents are still under fear and traumatic state three weeks after the earthquake. Many of them are facing real challenges, like the loss of their houses and relatives. Since January 12th most of the parents don't have work to do, and are relying on humanitarian food to sustain their lives. Many of our students and their parents are now in the country sides. They ran there in the hope to secure their lives.
Thousands of families fled Port–au–Prince. The ministry of Education ordered that the schools in the Central and the Northern departments where the earthquake didn't pass to be reopened on February 1st. That's a good move. Many and many schools were destroyed in Port–au–Prince. The heads of the ministry are doing an evaluation to be able to make decision for the reopening of the schools in the department of West which includes Port–au–Prince, Cite Soleil, Blanchard, ect... Every one in Port–au–Prince who has a roof to rest, and has no injuries in their bodies, legs and arms, can consider himself/herself blessed beyond measure. We are absolutely very grateful to the Lord for all His blessings, specially for His Peace.

from –
http://www.theoutreachfoundation.org/haiti.html

January 26 Haiti update from The Outreach Foundation

Dear friends,

The Outreach Foundation is very grateful for the gifts that we have received in support of our partner in Port–au–Prince, Haiti Outreach Ministries (HOM). Those gifts so far have totaled nearly $100,000. All of these funds will go to the work of HOM in Cite Soleil, Blanchard, Repatriote and Ibo Beach.

On Sunday the congregations welcomed many visitors from the community to worship. The church buildings at Cite Soleil and Repatriote are not safe to use, so the people gathered outside on the soccer fields. 1500 worshipped at Cite Soleil where forty people responded to an invitation to give their lives in faith to Jesus Christ. God's glory and grace are being revealed amidst the brokenness.

Daily food relief and housing of displaced people continues. The church grounds have become a kind of sanctuary for many who are homeless. More tents are on the way. Food is prepared in the compound for those now living there, and other food is taken into the communities to distribution points. The Mission of Hope U.S. medical team came to Blanchard again this weekend. They will be with HOM for a few more days before moving to another area. Youths are helping to bring older and less able patients to the team for treatment.

Your gifts are being used for immediate food and shelter for those in need and for supplies for the clinic at Cite Soleil. Gifts will also be used for a community–based housing replacement program. An initial effort will seek to build 250 simple, safe family homes at a cost of $5,000 each. A complementary program will address houses that can be repaired. Of course, separate from these efforts will be the need to repair and replace Haiti Outreach Ministries' own damaged church, school and clinic facilities. Given the level of damage to the Cite Soleil school, one priority surely will be developing plans to accommodates students when schools can be reopened.

Leon Dorleans and Profaite met with a Samaritan's Purse representative on Monday, and Samaritan's Purse will partner with HOM in Cite Soleil for relief distribution this Friday. HOM hopes to partner with Samaritan's Purse in both near–term relief and long–term recovery activities. HOM staff are ordering supplies and working to put team dorms in place as soon as they can, hoping to begin repair and rebuilding efforts in February. Watch The Outreach Foundation's website for more information about how teams can be of assistance.

Thank you for your prayers on behalf of Haiti - and for your gifts in support of Haiti Outreach Ministries and their efforts to show God's love in word and deed amidst the loss and destruction of recent weeks.

About your gifts:
The Outreach Foundation will forward 100% of the resources that we receive to Haiti Outreach Ministries for their work in addressing the immediate and longer–term needs of those whom they are serving. Gifts may be marked "Haiti Earthquake" and sent to: The Outreach Foundation, 318 Seaboard Lane, Suite 205 Franklin, TN 37067. Gifts may also be made on–line. Those gifts are subject to a 5% transaction fee.

OPEN LETTER FROM BILL GLASS:

January 14, 2010

Dear Friends of Haiti:

You are all well aware that the ministry work in Haiti has been changed for the foreseeable future, if not for the rest of our lives. HOM is committed to assist our partner churches and communities in near term relief and long term rebuilding. We need substantial help from all who have a passion for Haiti and are able to assist.

Immediately after the earthquake displaced Haitians came to our compounds for haven. The recreation fields at Cite Soleil and Blanchard are now home to large numbers of Haitians. We will sustain and feed them as we sort out what to do next. Our facilities have been damaged. Leon's assessment is that the churches at Cite Soleil and Repatriote are unstable and unusable. A wall at the Cite Soleil clinic collapsed, the oldest of the school buildings at Cite Soleil is likely beyond use, and the shed housing the clean water system in Cite Soleil is destroyed, along with its clean water system. The security wall at Cite Soleil has collapsed. The bridge between the two school buildings in Blanchard is cracked. The wells at Repatriote are now leaking. We do not have a report yet about Ibo Beach.

Leon is aware of several fatalities within the congregations. It is certain that, given the scale of destruction, the list will grow. There is widespread destruction or damage to homes. This is a disaster on the scale of Katrina, but with substantial practical problems in logistics.

facebook –
http://www.facebook.com/group.php?v=wall&ref=search&gid=21613374963

Bill Glass posted on Facebook – Feb. 8, 2010 7:04pm
http://www.facebook.com/?ref=home#!/group.php?gid=21613374963

HOM has a microloan program that we began after T/S Noel did so much damage. The program's purpose is to train people who wish to start businesses and then provide them a microloan to do so. We have had a few dozen individuals helped already. It is our plan to increase this effort to help folks recover from the earthquake. The scope of that ... See Moreeffort will be a function of how much we receive in relief donations and being able to divide those among immediate needs and the other, longer term relief needs like microloans to restart businesses.

DONATION INFORMATION

Please mail all checks to:
Haiti Outreach Ministries
c/o Ruby Butler
3100 Glenoa Rd.
Richmond, VA 23223

This is the primary address for all checks into the HOM ministry. Because of this, it is important that you indicate the use of your check clearly in the memo line: "Disaster Relief" ; "Reconstruction" ; "Sponsorship" ; "General Fund" ; etc. so checks can be properly processed. Thank you for your attention to this detail.

The HOM website is now accepting Visa and MasterCard if you prefer to donate through this method. Visit: http://www.haitioutreachministries.org/

*PLEASE NOTE that 100% of your donation goes directly for the ministry. HOM is a non-profit completely run by volunteers.

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Hungry for Life (ORPHANAGE) – 2010 Haiti Earthquake

Walk-in Resource · Open

Childrens Emergency Shelter

For child protection purposes, the street address is kept private. Contact the administrator for more information at: leslie @citizenactionteam.org; HAITI, Kenscoff, Mirebalais (Artiboplage)

Phone 604-701-1503
Web hungryforlife.org/About.html
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This mission group sponsors to Orphanages (in Kenscoff & Mirebalais/(Artiboplage)

http://hungryforlife.org/?action=d7_article_viewer_view_article&Join_ID=296843

January 15, 2010

As compassion for Haiti turns into aid dollars, many are wondering how they can best help this hurting country. Long after the big aid organizations have left and the world has once again forgotten this troubled nation, Haitians will be left with a broken country. Hungry for Life International is committed to helping Haiti in the daunting but necessary task of rebuilding. Community groups, businesses and individuals wanting to help Haiti can assist financially in this vital mission.

"There's not going to be the same amount of attention down the road when the survivors of this tragedy will need the money the most," explains Dave Blundell, executive director of Hungry for Life. "This country will need money for building schools and homes long after the world grows tired of Haiti and the news reports stop."

Lisa Honorat of Haiti ARISE agrees that money for reconstruction will be a major need and one that will not be easy to secure. "People always quickly forget a disaster," she remarks. Her husband Marc was in Haiti when the earthquake struck, and reports that their perimeter walls are down and the school is in ruins. Haiti ARISE will need bricks and cement, not blankets and cereal, she explains.

While the world's eyes are turned to Haiti, this is the time to start thinking ahead and saving for the long and arduous process of rebuilding this broken nation. As finances allow, HFL plans to assist in rebuilding and construction of: homes, schools, orphanages, clinics, and churches. We already have partners set up in Haiti ready to work in the rebuilding process when the dust settles and the destruction is assessed.

While many Canadians are looking to help with immediate relief and assistance, there is no quick way for supplies to get into the country at this point. News stories report of cargo planes unable to land, massive logistical challenges for supplies already stockpiled on the ground by organizations such as the Red Cross and looting by people in desperate situations reducing the pile of emergency supplies. For an organization like Hungry for Life, we acknowledge the best use of our resources will be in the rebuilding process.

We are continuing to receive donations that will be used for assistance in reconstruction. As with all Hungry For Life projects, 100% of funds given to this project will be used for this project. Click here to be re-directed to a secure donation page, and in the "donation Designation" section, select "projects – Haiti: Earthquake Response" from the drop-down menu. For every $1 donated to Hungry for Life between now and February 12, the Canadian government will donate $1 to relief efforts in Haiti. If you need to speak to someone immediately regarding Hungry For Life's relief response in Haiti, please call 604-701-1503.

We will stand with Haitians when they need help to pick up the pieces of their broken lives and put them back together.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Donations, Disaster Fund; Facility: Orphanage; Sponsorship Program, Children (Education/Health Care/Food, etc.)
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake; 2010 Haiti Earthquake, Orphanages/Childrens Homes
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Church of the Nazarene (WALK–IN FACILITY, SUPPLY DISTRIBUTION, REBUILDING UNITS, VOLUNTEER OPS)

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Social Services Agency, Disaster Recovery
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Phone 1.800.310.6362
Contact Dr. Bill Dawson
Email bdawson@caribnaz.org
Web www.ncm.org/haitiearthquake
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Volunteer

As we look to long–term relief efforts, construction teams and translators will be an integral part of the process.

Currently we are looking for structural engineers and other highly skilled construction workers. We are also in need of French and Kreyol speaking persons to assist teams in Haiti.

If you are interested in volunteering for 3 months or less:

Volunteer with NCM Caribbean: http://www.caribnaz.org/haitirelief/Volunteers_view.php

If you are interested in volunteering for more than 3 months: http://www.missioncorps.org/?page=ministry.html

Volunteer through Nazarene Mission Corps

http://www.aerdo.net/blog/?p=516

Dr. Bill Dawson – Haiti Nazarene Mission
January 14th, 2010 on 11:53 pm

The Nazarene Mission in Haiti suffered only loss of several hundred feet of security wall. No other structural damage. No injuries on our campus.
Nazarene Compassionat Ministries is working to assess how we may best bring teams of medical personnel and our overall response. We have over 520 churches spread across the entire country and can serve as distribution sites for other groups needing assistance in distributing relief supplies. We do have some space on our campus to store suppiles as well. If we can be of assistance please do not hesitate to contact me at bdawson @caribnaz.org

Nazarene Compassionate Ministries

The Church of the Nazarene is exploring all avenues to assist in relief including plans to provide medical attention, food, and shelter as well as other material support. Nazarene Compassionate Ministries in the Caribbean is working with several groups who specialize in medicine and disaster response to provide immediate relief.

Currently, we are seeking to provide people with food, water, and shelter. For a complete list of items that you, or your group or church can send, click here. You can find directions on how and where to ship these items here.

Please contact ncm @nazarene.org with inquiries. www.ncm.org/haitiearthquake

http://www.ncnnews.com/nphweb/html/ncn/article.jsp?id=10008830

The Church of the Nazarene in Haiti had been holding district assemblies for its 11 districts this week. General Superintendent J.K. Warrick flew into Haiti Tuesday afternoon for those assemblies. Communication with personnel in Haiti has been difficult due to phone lines being down, but Warrick was able to get a text message out from the Nazarene Seminary campus in Petion–ville, outside of Port–au–Prince, on Tuesday to say he and other church leaders on campus were safe. (Related: On–site in Haiti, Warrick calls on Nazarenes to pray and act)

What is not known is the full extent of loss of life or property damage beyond the campus walls. Bill Dawson, the region's French Field Strategy coordinator who had also flown in for the meetings, Emailed the Caribbean Communications Office to say the situation "is grave and urgent."

"There are many injured all over the city," Dawson said Tuesday. "Major buildings, three and four stories, are down. ... Neighbors who work for the United Nations report many injured ... people carrying wounded through the streets."

"We have no news yet of our Nazarene families off campus," Dawson said. "The earthquake was centered in the mid portion of the Central District. Dr. Lucien Jean Baptiste is the D.S. (district superintendent) and is on the road for an assembly in the South Central portion of Haiti. We do not know his whereabouts or information on him and the driver yet." (Update: Lucien Jean Baptiste and his driver are reported safe.)

The population in the capital area is approximately two million people, living in dense urban communities, and they continue to experience significant aftershocks. Catastrophic casualties and damage are expected, as Haiti's weak infrastructure is not prepared for this kind of disaster.

"Our prayers and thoughts are with our Haitian family of more than 115,000 Nazarenes who have suffered such loss today," Caribbean Regional Director John Smee said on Tuesday evening.

Please be in prayer for the Haitian people and the Nazarene churches in Haiti. Pray for those injured in the debris and those involved in relief efforts.

Update: January 13

Warrick, Dawson, and three staff members visited two churches close to their location. Both churches are secure and show no signs of damage.

Dawson reports:

There are literally thousands of people milling the streets. Bodies are covered with sheets on the sidewalks. Cars are crushed by falling buildings and walls. The Children's Hospital in Petion–Ville has collapsed completely. Many large buildings have collapsed. The hillside huts are piles of rubble in many places. Traffic jams abound. People are still in shock and openly grieving in the streets. We comforted people at several sites this morning as they anxiously and tearfully wait while citizen rescuers attempt to remove their loved ones from the rubble.

[We] slept on mattresses in the grass [last night] along with 40–50 staff, neighbors and families. There are still tremors off and on all night and this morning. Hundreds of thousands of people in Port–au–Prince area slept outside last night. Communications are still very sporadic.

We will keep you posted on the situation, which is even more grave this morning than we had anticipated. We truly feel your prayers.

Update: January 14

The Caribbean Region reports five members of the Tabarre Church of the Nazarene were killed in the earthquake. The Bible college in Petion–ville is relatively intact, but efforts are already underway to ration water, food, and diesel. These essentials are quickly diminishing.

Nazarene church buildings in and around Petion–ville, at least initially, seem to have held up to the main earthquake and following aftershocks. Independent news outlets are reporting that the main Catholic cathedral in downtown Port–au–Prince has been heavily damaged. The Bel–Aire Church of the Nazarene is a few blocks from this Catholic church and the status of Bel–Aire church and its members is still unknown.

Warrick, who earlier was safely moved to Florida, remains with Caribbean Region Office personnel in order to help facilitate response initiatives on behalf of the denomination. NCM–Caribbean reports relief efforts are well underway and local churches in Haiti have been offering immediate care, comfort, shelter, and supplies where able. (story)

January 15

National NCM Coordinator for Haiti Walliere Pierre gives a firsthand account of the earthquake and its aftermath. (story)

Update: January 18

Two Church of the Nazarene U.S. Navy chaplains have been alerted and are on their way to Haiti. Chaplain Jeff Mason will be aboard the USNS Comfort (the hospital ship) and Chaplain Richard Bonnette will be sailing out of North Carolina. Chaplain Bonnette just returned from a six–month deployment in December and he and his service members are being asked to deploy again for at least two months. Please keep both in your prayers.

Additional news concerning the earthquake and how it's affecting Nazarenes around the world:

Nampa, Idaho, locals among the Haiti earthquake survivors

A Nampa family of four is among the seven missionary families with Nampa–based Mission Aviation Fellowship in Haiti who survived the country's deadly earthquake, according to a spokeswoman for the organization. For more on the Edgertons, who worked with the Mexico/Central America Region for several years, click here.

NNU graduate rescued

Katie Zook, a 2009 Northwest Nazarene graduate, was pulled from the basement of the collapsed Friends of Haiti Organization building in the Port–au–Prince area. She suffered a bruised lung and bruises on her legs. For more on Katie's story, click here or here.

News to share? Email us at submitnews @ncnnews.com.

How to Help

Persons and churches wishing to make a donation online can do so through Nazarene Compassionate Ministries at ncm.org. Checks can be marked "Caribbean Disaster Response ACM1204" and mailed to Global Treasury Services, PO Box 843116

Kansas City, MO 64184. In Canada, checks should be made payable and sent to the Church of the Nazarene Canada, 20 Regan Road, Unit 9, Brampton, Ontario L7A 1C3.

For more ways to help, go to www.ncm.org/HaitiEarthquake.

––Caribbean Region Communications, NCN News (Slideshow available)

Services offered: Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Bulk Distribution; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Distribution, Supplies, National Distribution of Supplies; Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Coordination, Large Donation Coordination; Donations, Delivery Service, Large Item Donation Delivery Service; Donations, Disaster Fund; Emergency Operations Center, Local; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Volunteer, Long–Term Volunteer Opportunities; Volunteer Opportunities, International; Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake; Heart to Heart International; World Vision
Updated Jan 17, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5069

Quisqueya Chapel (CONVOY OF HOPE, MAIN FOOD DISTRIBUTION SITE) – 2010 Haiti Earthquake

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Humanitarian Aid
HAITI ADDRESS: Delmas 75, Rue Catalpa, HAITI; MAILING ADDRESS:; Unit 2073–QC – 3170 Airmans Dr.; Ft. Pierce, FL 34946; For child–security reasons, the street address in Haiti is kept private. Contact the administrator for more information at: leslie @citizenactionteam.org; HAITI, Port–au–Prince
Phone SCHOOL: 3773–4664
Web www.convoyofhope.org/go/headlines/entry/getting_food_to_victims_in_haiti
Serves Port–au=Prince, Haiti, Caribbean
Service Temporary

FACEBOOK: http://www.facebook.com/quisqueyachapel

This is Convoy of Hope's main Port–au–Prince Feeding Distribution site

FROM THE CHURCHES FACEBOOK PAGE 1/19/10:

Sorry, we have not been very active on updating how things are going at the Chapel since the earthquake. From today on we will be trying to give you a daily update.

Lots has been happening at the church since last week Tuesday.
We are praising God that our buildings are spared and that the Chapel's beautiful grounds can be used to help our needy brothers and sisters.
Some of the buildings do have some minor cracks, though. We are hoping to find an engineer to check it out, but it looks very minimal.

The Nungesters orphanage, close to the Chapel is damaged and not safe for the children to live in. All 120 children and their care takers and Chris and Hall are "camping out" at the church.

Convoy of Hope has been coming in since Saturday:
Saturday they did a medical clinic. Saw many, many patients, lots wounded and many broken bones from collapsed houses and rocks falling Also a feeding program where people from the neighborhood do receive 2 packages of dry food, enough to feed 12 people

On Sunday we did have a wonderful church service. Many people came, some expetriates, many Haitians. Many from the neighborhood who do not speak English. It was decided to have a translator. It was an emotional service, time of mourning, time of Praising our God! and a time of hope for the future. BECAUSE HE LIVES, WE CAN FACE TOMORROW!! AMEN

After the service their was another feeding program. Thousands were able to eat that day.

Monday morning, Medical Clinic was set up. A wonderful team of doctors, amazing! They were able to treat many patients again. And the feeding program where thousands of people received food for the day.

Please continue to PRAY for our Haitian People.
We know, many of you would llike to help Haiti right now. We are setting up a bank account for you to donate money to. More information will follow soon.
Please pray for Pastor Bobby!! So many decisions to make, so many people are asking for his attention.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Facility: Orphanage; First Responder, Carribean Region; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Online Networking, Blog; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Medical, Facility, Clinic, Free Clinic; Medical, Volunteer, First Response, Volunteer Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Sanitation, Supplies, Water Treatment/

Purification/Filtration Supplies/Equipment * (ANY/ALL Types); Services, Church/Worship Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake; 2010 Haiti Earthquake, Orphanages/Childrens Homes; Convoy of Hope
Updated Sep 26, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5085

Red Cross, Local Haiti Chapter

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross Chapter
Address 1, rue du Muguet; Route de Desprez 7, Port–au–Prince
Phone (509) 2244–9229/9230
Web www.ifrc.org/address/ht.asp
Serves Haiti
Service Temporary

10/29/10 LTel: Multiple Twitter sources state that the Haitian Red Cross is very low on Cholera supplies. This is not confirmed so call ahead to verify the need please.

http://yubanet.com/haiti/Haiti–earthquake–reaching–victims–outside–the–capital.php

from the website:

* Haitian National Red Cross Society

+ Street Address:
Address 1, rue du Muguet
Route de Desprez
7
Port–Au–Prince HT 6112

+ Postal Address:
CRH – B.P. 1337
Port–Au–Prince

+ Contact Information
Tel: (509) 2222 5554/22218212/22218213/2221 2388
Tel: (509) 2244–9229/9230
Fax: (509) 2222–2709

+ Language of correspondence: French

+ People:

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Secrétaire Général: Me. Berthony MALETTE
Trésorier: Dr. Gérald LEREBOURS
Executive Officer: Dr. Guiteau JEAN–PIERRE

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HAITI

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Media contact person: Mr CHARLES Jean Jacob
Mobile: (++509) 3 458 41 86

Languages spoken: English/French

Important information about fraudulent Red Cross/Red Crescent web sites and e–mails

There are a number of fraudulent web sites which are using the Red Cross Red Crescent emblems to request donations for disaster relief. Please treat these web sites as suspicious.

To report any fraudulent issues, please email us so we can take action.

If you wish to donate to support the Red Cross or Red Crescent, you can do so through the authorized channels, which are as follows:

The International Federation of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies
(www.ifrc.org)
The International Committee of the Red Cross
(www.icrc.org)
The National Societies of the Red Cross or Red Crescent
(view full list) at – http://www.ifrc.org/address/rclinks.asp

There are also fraudulent e–mails in circulation that invite people to pay for false employment or training opportunities or for attendance at "conferences". If you receive any unsolicited e–mails which look suspicious, please treat them with caution.
Campaigns: 2010 /2011 Haiti Cholera Epidemic; 2010 Haiti Earthquake; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Nov 1, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4924

St. Clare's Church – (FEEDING SITE – HOT MEALS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
Port–au–Prince
Web www.satyacenter.com/haiti–earthquake–relief?print=1
Serves Port–au–Prince, Haiti, Caribbean
Service Temporary

Tuesday, January 19th

Dear Friends,

Today I could not reach Lavarice, our program liaison in Port–au–Prince. It is so difficult to get through to Haiti by phone. I was able to find out from Haitian friends who live in the U.S. and were able to get through to members of the St. Clare's community, that the cooks are planning to resume the food program tomorrow. They are preparing to serve as many people as possible, far more than the 1500 children and adults they served last Tuesday just before the earthquake struck. Using supplies that have been trucked in from the Dominican Republic, plate after plate of rice and beans will be passed out. The plates will be washed and filled again. I imagine there will be an endless flow of people all day.

I learned that Manmi Det and Nennenn, the original food program cooks, are taking care of about 60 people, mostly elderly, in the yard outside their home. They're sharing food salvaged from their homes and rationing water from a water tank. Everyone in the neighborhood continues to live outside. For those of you who have read my book, On That Day, Everybody Ate, you'll remember Manmi Det and Nennenn as the women I lived with, who welcomed me into their home as a daughter, and who taught me so much about faith, generosity, and serving from the heart. I know they are providing comfort and support to all the people living with them and am sure that Manmi Det is leading everyone in song and prayer.

When I read the media reports emphasizing lawlessness, riots, looting, and other scenes that depict Haitians as violent, it infuriates me. I know this is grossly exaggerated. There has been no violence in the Tiplas Kazo neighborhood, the home of the St. Clare's community. In addition, reports I see every day via email from people on the ground working with other nonprofits continually emphasize the cooperation, patience, and community spirit among the Haitian people.

"...things are totally peaceful...just people helping each other. drove past the main central park in Port–au–Prince where at least 50K people must be sleeping and it was almost silent. people cooking, talking, some singing and crying. people are kind, calm, generous to us and others. even with hundreds lying on the ground, open fractures, massive injuries of all kinds..."

With the epic scale of this tragedy, and the fact that most people have still not received any food or water from the Port–au–Prince airport relief effort, this description exemplifies the extraordinary strength, dignity, and heart of the Haitian people.

I look forward to keeping you posted on our relief efforts in the days to come. Thank you for all of your support over the last week and for making it possible to get the food program at St. Clare's back up and running.

With love and hope,

Margaret

1–18

Dear Friends,

I was able to reach Lavarice, our program liaison, early this morning when he was in the Dominican Republic filling another truck with supplies for the St. Clare's community. Here's what he told me:

"There is no Port–au–Prince anymore. No one can be there without crying. Everyone is suffering. So many hurt. So many dead. So many without food and water. No aid from the Port–au–Prince airport has reached the neighborhoods I've visited. There's nothing. Everyone is waiting. We are the first group to be able to provide any relief to the St. Clare's area. The need is so great.

It's very complicated to distribute aid because there are thousands and thousands of people without food and water in the community. We started yesterday. You have to be careful and pass out the food and water safely and compassionately, involving members of the community in the distribution process. This is how it can work smoothly and help the most people. We haven't had any violence.

Throughout the area, there are pockets of 200 – 300 people living together in the street. I'm working to figure out how to distribute food and supplies to each of these mini communities. There are babies – 5 months, 2 months, 2 weeks old... We've bought supplies for babies and their mothers and are distributing those too.

Today, the cooking team is preparing to start the food program again. I hope the meals can begin this afternoon or tomorrow. The cooks have rice, water, beans, and oil and will cook as many meals as possible. We're expanding beyond what we've done in the past, but we're ready and will help as many people as God gives us the opportunity to help.

Please thank everyone who is supporting the What If? Foundation. Without them we would not be able to respond in this way. And there is so much that still needs to be done – now, and in the weeks, months and years to come."

I was not able to reach Lavarice later in the day, but hope to connect with him tomorrow so I can give you another update. I know that he and the other program leaders at St. Clare's are working tirelessly to provide an oasis in the midst of overwhelming devastation.

1–17

Dear Friends,

I'm so excited to tell you that Lavarice, our program liaison, arrived in Port–au–Prince with three truckloads of supplies this afternoon! We spoke for only a few seconds, but long enough for him to tell me that the trucks were pulling into the St. Clare's rectory yard and that distribution of food and water was about to begin!

Lavarice had a chance to look at the food program kitchen building and says it looks undamaged. He's planning to drive back to the Dominican Republic to get more supplies since he can't get anything in Port–au–Prince right now. (Relief from the Port–au–Prince airport has not reached this area and there's no system set up to direct aid to any particular spot.) With another load of supplies, the program leaders hope to have the food program back up and running again this week.

1–16

Dear Friends,

Today we have had no contact with members of the St. Clare's community. But we did speak with Lavarice, our program liaison, after he landed safely in the Dominican Republic. He told us that he spent the day with members of the Zakat Foundation filling three large trucks with water, food, and other supplies. The Zakat Foundation is a nonprofit organization that gave a grant to the food program last year. They will leave for St. Clare's early tomorrow morning and hope to arrive by noon to distribute this desperately needed relief.

We are so thankful to the Zakat Foundation because without their connections in the Dominican Republic, it would have been extremely difficult to find trucks and assemble aid so quickly. (We have seen reports that show that getting aid out of the Dominican Republic has been a challenge for many relief agencies.)

Sister Mary, a friend of the foundation who lives within two miles of the Port–au–Prince airport, emailed today that although they can see all the planes landing, no aid has arrived to ease the suffering of the thousands of people in her neighborhood. Since the St. Clare's neighborhood is two miles further down the road, we doubt that any food or water has reached the community today either. So tomorrow can't come soon enough as we anxiously await word from Lavarice that he has arrived with the trucks.

Thank you so much for your compassion and for your donations to our Emergency Relief Fund. The community has told us that they are given strength by knowing that you are standing in solidarity with them.

1–16

Dear Friends,

Today we were able to confirm through phone and email that our partners in the St. Clare's community of Port–au–Prince –– the food and education team, including the cooks, all survived the earthquake and are uninjured. We're so happy, relieved and grateful! Jean–Claudel, one of the education coordinators, emailed: "I am alive. We are alive. But we are hungry. We need your help. We wait with patience."

Thankfully there have been few injuries due to the earthquake because the majority of homes in the Tiplas Kazo neighborhood did not collapse. The St. Clare's rectory (where the food program has taken place) is standing as is St. Clare's Church, although no one feels the homes or buildings are safe to enter.

We are growing more concerned by the hour knowing that the majority of people in the neighborhood have been without food and water since the earthquake hit. They are also living outside their homes in the streets. Wadner Pierre, a friend of the foundation who spoke with members of the community this afternoon told me that people are weak and getting sick and need water desperately. He said everyone is sharing what they have, but they have run out of supplies and since everything in Port–au–Prince has shut down, there is no where to go to get food or water. "They are strong. They know how to share. They are praying. They are going to stick together. But they need help quick."

We've seen on the news that relief supplies have arrived at the Port–au–Prince airport, but most of them have not been distributed yet. I am praying this happens tomorrow. Lavarice, our program liaison, is on a plane as I type this for the Dominican Republic. His plan is to drive to Haiti to deliver food and water and help get the food program running again as soon as possible.

We have heard that there may be delays at the border. The logistical side of getting aid into Haiti has been extremely complicated and frustrating.

But we remain hopeful. With innovation, courage, and your donations, the St. Clare's community has faith that they will recover and begin the rebuilding process. We will continue to keep you posted through our Facebook Page, Blog, and with these e–newsletters.

To donate go to: http://whatiffoundation.org/donate/

Services offered: Donations, Disaster Fund; First Responder, Carribean Region; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Hot Meals; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Jan 21, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5108

US Embassy, Haiti (with emergency # for finding family members) (Ambassade des Etats–Unis) US Ambassador, Marines, American/US Armed Forces

Walk–in Resource · Open

Government Agency
Boulevard 15 octobre; Tabarre 41, Port–au–Prince

Phone (509) 2–229–8208
Web haiti.usembassy.gov
Serves Haiti
Service Temporary

Information Resource Center
US Embassy
Boulevard 15 octobre
Tabarre 41
Tel: 2–229–8208 /2–229–8342
Fax: 2–229–8324
Port–au–Prince, Haiti

The State Department Operations Center has set up the following number for Americans seeking information about family members in Haiti: 1–888–407–4747 (due to heavy volume, some callers may receive a recording).

Our embassy is still in the early stages of contacting American Citizens through our Warden Network.

Communications are very difficult within Haiti at this time.

In addition to information on the Internet, travelers may obtain up–to–date information on security conditions by calling 1–888–407–4747 toll–free in the U.S. and Canada, or outside the U.S. and Canada on a regular toll line at 1–202–501–4444.

Public Phone Inquiries: Please call: (509) 2 229–8000 / 2 229–8397

Monday through Friday from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

For emergencies involving American citizens, please contact the American Citizens Services (ACS) Unit of the U.S. Embassy's Consular Section
(509) 2–229–8000;
ACS Unit fax (509) 2–229–8027;
acspap@state.gov.

In case of Emergency:
After hours, weekend & holidays:
Duty Officer at (509) 3417 – 2399 or (509) 3464–3998
Post One (U.S. Marine Guard) at 509–2 229–8000.
Fax Number: (509) 2 229–8028

E–Mail Address:
acspap@state.gov

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Registry, Missing Persons ("I'm Safe" People–Finder) Registry; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Health & Welfare Registry, Missing Persons
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake; Government, US Government Site
Updated Oct 25, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4884

World Hope International – 2010 Haiti Earthquake (DIST: HOT MEALS/ BLANKETS & MEDICAL TEAMS–URGENT CARE)

Walk–in Resource · Open

MAIL ADDR: 7 East Baltimore Street, Baltimore MD, 21202, USA, Port–Au–Prince

Phone 443.451.1900 or 800.535.5433
Web www.wr.org
Serves Kings Hospital in Port–au–Prince & an unknown church in PaP
Service Temporary

World Relief's Disaster Response team is on the ground in Haiti. For updated reports go to http://worldrelief.org/Page.aspx?pid=2364. Urgently needed right now is water, food, medical care, blankets and shelter. World Relief will be working with other agencies at the scene and alongside local church partners to get aid as quickly as possible to the most vulnerable people in the devastated capital. World Relief's Disaster Response team is providing urgent medical care to hundreds of injured people at the Kings Hospital in Port–au–Prince, Haiti's devastated capital.

Our team has set up a feeding center in partnership with a local church - providing hot meals for hundreds of hungry earthquake survivors every day. In the next few days, World Relief will work with local churches and other partners to set up more feeding centers and distribute urgent non–food items, such as blankets.

Donations: https://worldrelief.org/SSLPage.aspx?pid=208.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Disaster Fund; First Responder, Carribean Region; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Online Networking, Blog; Linens, Bedding, Blankets * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Hot Meals; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Volunteer, First Response, Volunteer Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Volunteer, General, Medical Volunteer Services
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Nov 7, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5447

Mercy Chefs – 2010 Haiti Earthquake

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief
Web www.mercychefs.com/index2.php
Serves Chambrum Camp
Service Temporary

FROM THE SITE:

From our newsletter:
What an amazing four years for Mercy Chefs. We have crossed the 100,000 total meal mark and have fed well over 14,000 people in Haiti. As you can imagine Mercy Chefs has grown to the point that that it needs more than part time attention. The door is open and I have answered the call to a full time position with Mercy Chefs. As I take this step of faith I ask for you to step out with me and for your continued financial partnership.

This year we have doubled our domestic response capability. This hurricane season 09 chefsis now upon us and forecast to be very active and destructive. We are ready, but we have been seriously stretched this year. We need your help now so we can continue to respond whenever there is a need.

All of this while we continue our work in Haiti in support of medical and rebuilding missions. We have moved over $85,000 of kitchen equipment into Haiti and have opened a full kitchen in Chambrun. Mercy Chefs has logged over 125 09 chefschef days and will continue support as long as needed. There is great excitement as we move forward. Thank you for making it possible for us to go and feed people who are hurting and in need. Your generous gifts are more important now than they have ever been.

SEE CAT FACILITY RECORD for Mercy Chefs–HQ at:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/edit/5637

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Disaster Fund; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Meals, Hot Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake; Mercy Chefs
Updated Sep 1, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6224

SOIL Community Development Operation – 2010 Haiti Earthquake (Sustainable Organic Integrated Livelihoods)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Development
Contact Leah Nevada
Email info @ oursoil.org
Web www.oursoil.org
Service Temporary

See also, other orgs associated with SOIL (Clinic, etc):https://reliefdb.org/items/4657

See also, Leah's blog:
http://www.oursoil.org/blogs/leahnevada

from the website:

What We Do
Transforming Resources: Environmental Health

In nature soil transforms organic matter, sustaining ecological systems by converting one organism's wastes into another's resources. It is from the soil that our organization has borrowed both our name and our philosophy. Our mission is to transform discarded materials and pollutants into valuable resources, creating livelihoods and cleaning up the environment. Learn more about how we transform resources for environmental health!

Transforming Lives: Education and Empowerment

We believe that every human being has inherent worth. Through our education and empowerment programs we strive to help individuals to realize their innate talents and to become a part of creating social change in their communities. Read all about them!

Transforming Attitudes: International Collaboration

Since Haiti's successful independence war in 1804, the country has been portrayed as a dangerous and underdeveloped, a hopeless case. The goal of our international coalition building programs is to expose our visitors to the beauty and the complexities of Haiti and to encourage the exchange of knowledge between those educated by the land and those educated in universities, deepening cultural understanding and reducing prejudice. All about international collaboration at SOIL...

Services offered: Advocacy, Environmental; Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Services, Transportation, Patient Transport Services; Sanitation, Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Sanitation, Services, Latrine Installation, Volunteer Services
Campaigns: 2010 /2011 Haiti Cholera Epidemic; 2010 Haiti Earthquake; 2010 Haiti Earthquake, Orphanages/Childrens Homes; OXFAM; SOIL: Sustainable Organic Integrated Livelihoods
Updated Dec 17, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7298

IA

Red Cross, Lincoln Way Chapter

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Red Cross
426 5th Street, Ames, IA 50010

Phone	515–232–5104
Web	www.lincolnwayarc.org
Serves	Story, Boone & Greene Counties
Eligibility	Flood Survivors 6/08 MidWest Flooding
Service	Temporary

Clean Up Kits are available at the local Red Cross Lincoln Way Chapter. They are free but limited to one per family.

Services offered: First Responder, MidWest Region; Services, Disaster Relief; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Disaster Relief/Recovery, Online; Training Classes, Red Cross, Disaster Action Team Training; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First–Aid Certification
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; United Way
Updated Oct 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3169

Community Action of Southeast Iowa

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Public Charity
2850 Mt Pleasant St Suite 108, Burlington, IA 52601

Phone	319–753–0193
Web	www.caofseia.org
Hours	call for appointment
Serves	Southeast Iowa / Des Moines County
Checks payable to	Community Action of Southeast Iowa
Service	Temporary

The CASI provides financial assistance and referrals for childcare, operates two head start facilities, runs the Low–Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) for the elderly and low income, as well as a WIC.

Community Action Agencies across the country have been waging a war on poverty since 1964 when President Lyndon Johnson signed the Economic Opportunity Act into law. This states in part: "It is the policy of the United States to eliminate the paradox of poverty in the midst of plenty in the nation by opening to everyone the opportunity to work, and the opportunity to live in decency and dignity."

Community Action of Southeast Iowa continues to work toward that goal to help people out of poverty, assist them in obtaining decent and affordable housing, adequate nutrition, employment, affordable and quality childcare, education and training so they

may become self–sufficient and improve their quality of life. Our challenge is to design and implement programs to address these needs.

We welcome you to our website and challenge you to join us in the battle against poverty by becoming a “Friend of Community Action.”

At Community Action of Southeast Iowa, we believe in individuals and their abilities and potential. We also believe that creating stronger, more self–sufficient individuals and families benefits the entire community.

Community Action of Southeast Iowa is one of eighteen Community Action agencies in the state of Iowa. The agency operates programs in Des Moines, Henry, Lee and Louisa counties and the WIC program in Muscatine County.

Community Action provides emergency assistance such as shelter, food and clothing and so much more to area residents and the homeless through the agency’s five Community Action Centers.

Your Support is Important
Your donation will be used to:
1. Support and keep the Centers in the four county area open in order to serve individuals in crisis.
2. Support and maintain the Medication Assistance Program (MAP). MAP does not receive any federal or state funding.
3. Help families who are in the Family Development and Self–Sufficiency Program (FaDSS) become self–sufficient.

Become a Friend of Community Action
· Share the opportunity as we go into the future to help families who live in your community and are facing crisis everyday.
· Become a charter member of Friends of Community Action.
· Receive the quarterly newsletter.

Memorials
Honoring or memorializing a loved one through a donation to Community Action is a meaningful way of paying tribute to someone special and help those in need.
Please remember Community Action when you are doing your estate planning. Include us in your will and bequests to help people in need in southeast Iowa.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Food Stamp Program; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; School, Pre–K, Pre–School; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, Children, Child Care Program
Campaigns: Head Start Program; WIC (Women Infants and Children)
Updated Aug 23, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3503

YMCA/YWCA Burlington Area

Walk–in Resource

Non–Profit, Faith–Based, Humanitarian/Community Outreach
2410 Mt. Pleasant St., Burlington, IA 52601

Phone 319.753.673
Web www.burlingtony.org
Hours 7:45 am – 8:30pm M–F, 7:30 am – 3:30 pm Sat
Serves Des Moines County
Eligibility for classes, patrons must be a member of the YMCA/YWCA; the shelter is open to any woman or child
Service Temporary

The Burlington Area YMCA/YWCA offers a wide variety of services to the public including swim lessons, first aid/cpr training, sports leagues for children, teen dances, aerobics for adults, child care, and more!

The YWCA also has 24 hour help for women and children which includes
*Safe shelter for women & children
*24 hr. crisis line
*Medical advocacy
*Legal advocacy
*Court advocacy support
*Individual Counseling
*Referrals
*Protection orders
*Educational presentations
*Emergency cellular phones
*Domestic violence support group
*Sexual assault support group
*Child Support group
*Pictures of injuries
*Agency training

∗Volunteer and staff training
∗Information and education

Services offered: Advocacy, ∗ (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Assistance ∗ (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) ∗ (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Demographic Served: Children; Hotline ∗ (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Training ∗ (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Volunteer Orientation & Training; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First–Aid Certification; Volunteer Opportunities, In General ∗ (ANY/ALL Types); Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth Outreach
Campaigns: YMCA/YWCA
Updated Aug 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3502

Foundation 2 After Hours Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Community Outreach
1540 2nd Ave SE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52403

Phone 319–362–2174
Web www.f2online.org/content.asp?ID=4019
Hours M 5:30–8:30pm,Tu/W/F 6:00–7:45 pm, Th 5:30–8:30 pm, Sat/Sun1:00–4:00pm
Serves Linn County
Eligibility Clients must be 18 or older / If you are under 18, you must be living on your own
Bring You must bring a form of ID
Service Temporary

FROM THE WEBSITE 6/19/08

We understand that unfortunate circumstances occur and money is often tight, and the hours of other food agencies do not work for everyone. The Foundation 2 After Hours Food Pantry was designed to compliment other agencies by providing evening and weekend hours when they are not available.

What's the process?
1. Call the Foundation 2 Crisis Center at 319–362–2174 to set up an appointment so that you don't have to wait.
2. After a brief screening process (when you show a form of I.D.), we provide you with a free, two–day supply of food.
3. Toiletries may also be available

Clients may stop by once a month to receive food for themselves and those living in their household.

Services offered: Distribution ∗ (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food ∗ (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Toiletries ∗ (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jun 20, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3183

Four Oaks

Walk–in Resource · Open

Childrens Shelter/Services
5400 Kirkwood Blvd. SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404

Phone (319) 364–0259
Web www.fouroaks.org
Hours variable outreach schedule
Serves State of Iow
Service Temporary

Four Oaks, a non–profit child welfare, juvenile justice, and behavioral health agency founded in 1973 and headquartered in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, offers services to children and families in all 99 Iowa counties. Four Oaks serves over 7,000 people annually throughout the state and is located in 14 Iowa cities (Altoona, Bertram, Cedar Rapids, Des Moines, Dubuque, Fort Dodge, Independence, Iowa City, Mason City, Monticello, Newton, Osceola, Vinton, Waterloo).

Four Oaks carries out its mission to "assure children become successful adults" by providing holistic prevention, intervention, and treatment programs and services. Four Oaks is nationally accredited by the Council on Accreditation of Services for Families and Children, Inc.

Four Oaks is governed by a volunteer Board of Directors from the Cedar Rapids–Marion–Iowa City professional and business community. The main administrative office is located at 5400 Kirkwood Blvd. SW, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Services offered:
COMMUNITY AND SCHOOL BASED PROGRAMS
After School Program
Asperger's Program
Day Treatment
Family Foster Care
Functional Family Therapy

Outpatient Behavioral Health Services
PHASE Supervised Community Treatment
Safety and Permanency Services
School Based Programming
Special Needs Adoption
STOP Outpatient Program
Teen+Plus

PREVENTION PROGRAMS
Achievement Academy
Cornerstone
Parents as Teachers (P.A.T.)

RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT PROGRAMS
Comprehensive Residential Treatment
Enhanced Residential Treatment
Psychiatric Medical Institute for Children (PMIC)

SHELTER PROGRAMS
Shelter

Service locations:
Altoona
406 3rd Avenue SW, Altoona, IA 50009
Phone: 515-957-0103, Fax: 866-220-2431

Bertram
1341 Bertram Street, Cedar Rapids, IA 52403
Phone: 319-866-6000, Fax: 866-233-7166

Cedar Rapids
5400 Kirkwood Boulevard SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404
Phone: 319-364-0259, Fax: 866-290-5565

2100 1st Avenue NE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52402
Phone: 319-247-4834, Fax: 866-249-8013

3601 16th Avenue SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404
Phone: 319-390-3325, Fax: 866-257-1341

1924 D Street SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404
Phone: 319-363-0636, Fax: 866-266-5893

Des Moines
1211 Vine Street, Suite 2150, West Des Moines, IA 50265
Phone: 515-261-3719, Fax: 866-292-7259

Dubuque
180 West 15th Street, Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: 563-557-3100, Fax: 866-292-7260

Fort Dodge
104 South 17th Street, Fort Dodge, IA 50501
Phone: 515-574-5492, Fax: 866-908-1049

Independence
2277 Iowa Avenue, Independence, IA 50644
Phone: 319-334-9208, Fax: 866-292-7262

Iowa City
1916 Waterfront Drive, Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone: 319-337-4523, Fax: 866-293-6326

1516 Sheridan Avenue, Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone: 319-338-9186, Fax: 866-293-6326

Mason City
980 South Iowa Avenue, Mason City, IA 50402
Phone: 641-423-3222, Fax: 866-908-1043

Monticello
818 West 1st Street, Monticello, IA 52310
Phone: 319-465-3727, Fax: 866-302-4339

Newton
703 East 11th Street North, Newton, IA 50208
Phone: 641–791–7272, Fax: 866–302–4340

Osceola
123 North Main Street, Osceola, IA 50213
Phone: 641–342–2841, Fax: 866–696–1591

Vinton
1701 2nd Avenue Place, Vinton, IA 52349
Phone: 319–472–4289, Fax: 866–266–5893

Waterloo
402 East 4th Street, Waterloo, IA 50703
Phone: 319–233–5695, Fax: 866–302–4384

West Des Moines
3550 Mills Civic Parkway, West Des Moines, IA 50265
Phone: 515–633–5051, Fax: 866–696–1591

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Childrens Counseling Referrals; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling ($ NOT FREE) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Childrens Counseling ; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Directories, Directory of Services, Case Management; Directories, Directory of Services, Disabled Services; Directories, Directory of Services, Statewide; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Youth Services; Mental Health Services; Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Humanitarian Aid ; Services, Special Needs, Early Intervention for Special Needs Children; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation, Special Needs Evacuation Shelter
Updated Jun 28, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3505

Heart of Iowa

Walk–in Resource · Open

Residential Drug Treatment
Main Campus; 3601 16th Avenue, SW, Cedar Rapids, IA

Phone 319–390–4611 ext 123
Web www.asac.us
Serves Cedar Rapids, Linn Co., IA
Eligibility Residents of this drug treatment program that were impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

The Flood of 2008 has affected a couple of our treatment facilities, the Heart of Iowa and the Novus Center.

The hardest hit was our Heart of Iowa facility that housed our Women and Children programs. To help with our recovery efforts we have put together a list of needs for our apartments. If this is something you can help us with please send an email to:

info@asac.us

or

Call: Laurel Merrick / 319–390–4611 ext 123.

The Novus Center which was located downtown on 2nd Street is now seeing and accepting new clients at our Main Campus located at:

3601 16th Avenue, SW.

Please link to the extensive needs list at:

http://www.asac.us/PDFs/HoiApartmentNeedsListFloodRecovery.pdf

How To Help:

http://www.asac.us/howtohelp.html

Services offered: Services, Substance Abuse, Residential Program (Drug/Alcohol)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; United Way
Updated Jun 23, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3205

Horizons Consumer Credit Counseling Service

Walk–in Resource · Open

Credit Counseling
819 5th St SE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52401

Phone 319–398–3576 or 1–800.826.3574
Serves Linn County, IA
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods

Service Temporary

Credit Issues: 319–398–3576

Horizons Consumer Credit Counseling Service is working with clients on their debt management and those financial issues related to recent flooding. Counselors are reviewing necessary FEMA information for consult. Pre–Bankruptcy classes are being held.

From the website:

Consumer Credit Counseling programs help individuals and families who are struggling with credit card debt and money management issues to build financial stability.

Budget counseling helps clients set goals and financial priorities through developing realistic and workable spending plans.

Debt management programs assist clients in establishing practical repayment plans that are administered through the agency. Financial literacy programs are offered through a variety of educational seminars and workshops designed to increase clients understanding of financial responsibilities.

Housing counseling and home buyer education is available through a program approved by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. Bankruptcy counseling, as mandated by the change in federal law in 2005, is provided to debtors contemplating filing bankruptcy.

For your peace of mind!

Services offered: Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Financial Literacy
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3412

Linn Community Food Bank (First Presbyterian Church)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church, Community, Food Pantry
310 5th St SE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52401

Phone 319–364–3543
Web www.fpccr.org/food_bank.htm
Hours 2:00–3:30pm Monday–Friday
Serves Cedar Rapids
Service Temporary

The Linn Community Food Bank is housed in the lower level of First Presbyterian Church (and has been since 1971), As of 2003, the Food Bank incorporated, and was granted 501(c)(3) tax–exempt, tax–deductible status. It is no longer under the umbrella of Churches United.

In 2002, the Linn Community Food Bank marked its 30th anniversary. Through the years, the food bank has provided short–term help to 155,000 individuals. Currently, up to 20 households per day, Monday through Friday, are given a several days worth of groceries.

Hours of operation are 2:00–3:30, Monday through Friday. Clients come by referral from Harambee House.

The Food Bank could not operate without its volunteers. Over 80 people from 69 area churches and members of the community give their time to stock shelves, dispense food, purchase supplies, organize food drives, and recruit more volunteers. Contributions of food come from 65 businesses and organizations, and over 200 individuals. Help of any kind—food, money, time—is always welcome.

The Food Bank is proud of its long–term association with First Presbyterian Church, and looks forward to many more years of serving the hungry together.

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Hotline, Food Bank/Pantry Hotline (Find Emergency Food Help); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Aug 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3508

River of Life Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource

Faith–Based Food Pantry
3801 Blairs Ferry Rd NE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52402

Phone (319) 393–3709
Web www.riveroflife.org
Hours Wednesday 8am–noon
Serves Linn County
Eligibility The Food Pantry is open to anyone in need. You are able to access the Food Pantry once a month on a Wednesday. People are served on a 1st come 1st served basis.

Bring You will need to provide a photo ID
Service Temporary

LTel 6/19/08: This food pantry was provided by a 211 Iowa operater – Pending update call for details

FROM THE WEBSITE 6/19/08:

The Food Pantry is available to help meet the physical needs of those coming to recieve, but for those who volunteer at the Food Pantry, they believe this is an open door to meeting the spiritual needs people have as well as a great opportunity to introduce what Jesus Christ has to offer. Those wanting to volunteer in the Food Pantry need to be compassionate, show concern and be a good listener. For more info contact Don Thompson or Diane Hung.

If you have need of the Food Pantry, or wish to serve in this outreach, please contact Pastor Brian Fink, Diane Hung, Don Thompson or Lori Flanders.

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Oct 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3184

St. Pius Catholic Church Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
4949 Council Street NE, Cedar Rapids, IA

Phone Please call for appt.: 319 393–4445 (Ask for Food Pantry)
Hours 10 am – 1 pm
Service Temporary

Wednesday, July 1, 2008 Update
St. Pius Catholic Church Food Pantry announces new hours:
10:00 am to 1:00 pm

4949 Council Street NE
Cedar Rapids, IA

St. Pius Food Pantry offers non–perishable foods to those in need.

Please call for appoint: 319 393–4445 (ask for Food Pantry)

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Oct 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3295

Johnson County Crisis Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
1121 Gilbert Court, Iowa City, IA 52240

Phone 319–351–0140
Web www.jccrisiscenter.org/index.php
Hours Monday – Friday 12:00–4:30pm
Serves Johnson Co., IA
Service Temporary

If you are in need of immediate assistance, you may call (319) 351–0140.

If you are in need of food assistance, volunteers are available from 12–4:30p.m. Monday through Friday. No appointment is necessary and all Johnson County residents in need are eligible for ongoing food assistance. In an emergency, food bank services may be accessed through the Crisis Line (319) 351–0140.

The Johnson County Crisis Center is currently being supported by the following donors that have food donation collection sites:

St. Mary's Catholic Church: http://www.icstmary.org/ (See CAT Facility Record entry at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/edit/3245)

Coral Ridge Mall: http://www.2008flood.org/index.php (See CAT Facility Record entry at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3244)

St. Raphael of Brooklyn: http://www.straphaelorthodoxchurch.org/ (See CAT facility record: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3243)

Top 10 Suggested Donations to Food Bank

1. Canned Fruit
2. Canned Vegetables
3. Canned Meat
4. Canned Soup
5. Pasta
6. Jam or Jelly

7. Toilet Paper
8. Rice
9. Potato Products
10. Juice

We also happily accept Perishable Food items such as Fresh Fruit, Vegetables, and Meats due to our Walk–In Refrigerator and Freezer. We are happy to accommodate large amounts of food donations, just call ahead at 319.351.0128 to ensure adequate volunteer support.

All services are free and confidential. Most services are available 24 hours every day of the year.

Crisis Intervention Counseling is available 24 hours a day, every day of the year to anyone needing support and assistance. Just call 351–0140 to talk with our caring volunteers. Face–to–face counseling is available from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. We receive about 7,000 Crisis Intervention contacts each year from area residents.

Information and Referral are provided for almost any need, issue, or question. We make referrals to other agencies and services. Call 351–0140. See also this list with links to frequently referred local services.

Suicide Prevention, Intervention, and Postvention services are available. Counseling and support are available by telephone 24 hours a day at 351–0140 for persons contemplating suicide, those who have attempted suicide, and concerned friends and family members.

Food Bank services are available to residents of Johnson County needing emergency and supplemental food assistance. Food is distributed on Monday through Friday from noon to 4:30 p.m. About 650 households receive food and other material support from the Center each week. More than 4,100 local families request assistance each year.

Free Clothing is provided through agreements with Goodwill Industries and the Crowded Closet. This service is made possible through the donation of usable clothing at the Crowded Closet and area Goodwill stores.

Project Holiday food baskets are distributed to more than 1,000 local families each December. The food baskets contain items, including a turkey or a ham, to help provide a special holiday meal.

Transient Services are provided to people who are stranded in our community. Information and referrals are provided, as well as transportation assistance with gasoline, a bus ticket, or minor car repair.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Coordination, Large Donation Coordination; First Responder, MidWest Region; Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food, Fresh, Fruit * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Fresh, Meat * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Fresh, Vegetables * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Paper, Paper Goods * (ANY/ALL Types) (paper towels, plates, napkins, etc); Paper, Toilet Paper; Services, Disaster Relief; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Volunteer Orientation & Training; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; Goodwill; United Way
Updated Jun 28, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3242

Marion Food Pantry @ Marion's First Presbyterian Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church, Community, Food Pantry
802 12th St., Marion, IA 52302
Phone (319) 377–7309
Web cityofmarion.org/faq/pantry
Hours Tues & Thurs 1:00–3:00pm
Serves Marion County
Service Temporary

The Marion Food Pantry is located at Marion's First Presbyterian Church. Churches, businesses and individuals throughout the community donate non–perishable food items to the pantry.

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jun 28, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3181

Chickasaw County Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
417 N. Sherman Ave., New Hampton, IA 50659
Phone 641–394–5454
Hours 9:00 am–11:45 am every Friday
Serves Chickasaw County, IA

Eligibility Residents of Chickasaw County, IA
Service Permanent

No flood damage. Has sufficient local support at this time.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food, Non-Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; 2008 MidWest Tornado
Updated Oct 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3237

Benton County Courthouse Food Pantry

Walk-in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
905 D Ave, Room 30, Vinton, IA 52349

Phone 319-472-4743
Web www.cobentoniaus.com
Hours Tues & Fri 10:00am-4:00pm
Serves Benton County
Eligibility Applicants must first apply for the food stamp program through DHS and bring that referral form to this office when they are in need of food.
Service Temporary

*Located in the ICAS Building (former West Elementary School)

*Tied to Flood of Hope 2008

The Food Pantries in Benton County are administered by a volunteer organization. This office screens and refers applicants for that organization for persons who are in need of food assistance. The Vinton Food Pantry is available on Tuesdays and Fridays from 10:00 am – 4:00 pm. Applicants must first apply for the food stamp program through DHS and bring that referral form to this office when they are in need of food. The Food Pantry volunteers request that persons access the Pantry only one time every three month. The Food Pantry volunteers request that persons access the Pantry only one time every three months on an emergency basis.

Services offered: Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Canned, Meals * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non-Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Meals, MRE's, MRE, Meals-Ready-To-Eat; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Oct 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3501

Flood Of Hope (Administered by Independent Child Advocate Services – ICAS)

Walk-in Resource

Disaster Recovery/Resources
905 D Avenue, Vinton, IA

Phone (319) 472-4501 Crisis Line: 877.471.ICAS
Web www.floodofhope.com
Serves Rural IA, Benton Co. & Surrounding Communities
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Checks payable to Flood of Hope
Service Temporary

Site is down – no evidence of activity for this organzation – LTel 6/26/10

Flood of Hope© is a grassroots collaboration between small communities, elected officials and government entities, agency partners, and volunteer organizations. Flood of Hope© is administered by Independent Child Advocate Services (ICAS), and includes partnerships between the Iowa Federation of Families for Children's Mental Health (IFFCMH), Area Substance Abuse Council (ASAC), Windsor Manor, the City of Vinton, Benton County, Iowa Representative Dawn Pettengill, private businesses, community volunteers, and volunteer organizations such as Hands On Disaster Services. The work accomplished through Flood of Hope© has become a critical thread in the necessary fabric of recovery. Flood of Hope© information is updated regularly at www.floodofhope.com.

To date, Flood of Hope© has established a semi-permanent crisis center in the south building of ICAS, located at 905 D Avenue in Vinton, IA. Anyone who needs help, can contact ICAS at (319) 472-4501. ICAS prioritizes meeting the needs of families in rural areas, children's mental and behavioral health problems, and families who are experiencing a crisis. Families directly affected by the flood can request to speak with a flood relief volunteer. Flood of Hope© is operated entirely by volunteers due to limited financial resources; however, we are working very hard to bring additional human resources such as volunteer labor into the community to assist with recovery. Through case management and fundraising efforts, Flood of Hope© will eventually be able to assist in more monetary ways. Monetary assistance will depend entirely on the results of fundraising opportunities and cash donations.

The IFFCMH outreach office is also located in the south building. IFFCMH is able to assist with advocacy, especially for meeting the mental health needs of young people and their families. As the trauma of the disaster unfolds in children, this outreach link is a valuable asset available for anyone in Iowa. IFFCMH has also provided a joint opportunity for a Coe College student to complete her internship. Heidi Reynolds has been leading a substantial amount of the volunteer coordination effort and organizing much of post–disaster chaos. The partnership that IFFCMH has provided made it possible for ICAS to coordinate flood relief efforts. Without this partnership, the efforts would not have been as effective.

ASAC has partnered by allowing local staff to assist with crisis counseling and to help with the social marketing aspects of Flood of Hope©. Amber Snider has committed herself to organizing benefit events, such as a silent auction, a benefit concert, and a golf tournament to raise funds for the flood relief efforts. Please contact ICAS at (319) 472–4501 and request to work with Amber if you have skills or time to help organize these or other events.

Habitat for Humanity is examining their current programs and looking at ways to help low–income families build or re–build their homes. More information will provided when details become available.

Benton County Board of Supervisors have worked with ICAS to relocate the sheriff's office, the county social services office, the Department of Transportation office, and the food pantry to the ICAS facility, and are now located in the north building. ICAS will additionally provide outreach space to agencies that traditionally met with consumers in the county's social services office. Vocational Rehab will begin meeting with their consumers at ICAS.

CURRENT NEEDS IN THE COMMUNITY

§ Food, cleaning supplies, paper products, or gift cards are appreciated most and can be dropped off during normal operating hours without an appointment. Food is a high need. We have enough food for about three days of distribution. Food can also be donated to the Benton County Food Pantry. Food for flood victims is being kept separate from the regular food pantry for tracking purposes.

§ Please do not bring donations of furniture, appliances, household items or decorations without calling ahead and assessing our need for them. Many people are still in very temporary housing situations, such as living with relatives or friends, and they have no place to put these items. ICAS is out of storage space and will have to start throwing things away due to limited storage capacity. We prefer that you hang onto them until they are needed, or take them to Goodwill or the Salvation Army. As families figure out where they will be living, we will be able to accommodate these types of donations, but this will take some time.

§ Tools are needed: claw hammers, saws of all kinds, crowbars, reversible drills, and building tools are among the list of needed items. We are asking that power tools be new due to liability risks. We are considering a lending "library" of tools so that volunteer organizations have a variety of tools to work with when they come.

§ Supplies for rebuilding are needed. We need a substantial amount of supply resources. These can be in terms of gift cards to local vendors, or in–kind donations of common building materials. No one comes out ahead with recovering from a flooding disaster. FEMA and Red Cross do not even come close to meeting the costs of all that is lost. Many times, homeowners end up having to pay to have their home demolished, and then have to continue paying mortgage for a house they no longer have in addition to paying for a new home. The buy out process can take a year or more, and people struggle to purchase materials. Donations of supplies will be used to repair homes that are salvageable, or to help repair infrastructure (such as the North Benton Ambulance garage). No supplies will be used on a home that is at risk of being demolished. Once repairs are made, supplies will be provided to Habitat for Humanity to assist with the building of new homes in the area.

§ Volunteers are encouraged to continue helping Flood of Hope©. Volunteers who can make phone calls and help assess families' needs are needed at ICAS. Teams of volunteers who can help families clean out their homes, sort through their belongings, and help gut or repair homes are needed. It works best to have a "leader" organize a group of volunteers and provide ICAS with 3 or more days advanced notice that your team is coming and to inform ICAS on what your team is willing to do. Vinton is a small town, so working out logistics is challenging and we need time to accommodate space, food, and sleeping arrangements. Groups that can be self–sufficient are greatly appreciated due to the lack of resources in Vinton (such as hotels or sleeping/showering accommodations). We are also helping families in other rural communities, so if you have a team interested in working in other areas, please allow 5 or more days for us to work out logistics.

ICAS is helping Hands On by interviewing and prioritizing families that need help. If you know a family who can benefit from this resource, encourage them to register with ICAS if they have not done so. ICAS is also working with families to do case management so those with the fewest resources and highest risk factors (such as elderly, disabled, single parent, etc.) of not getting enough help are prioritized. Family members do not need to reside within Benton County to ask for help; however, at this time Benton County residents are still being given priority for flood assistance. ICAS will do its best meet the needs of any Iowan resident, as it always has.

Please check the Flood of Hope© website, www.floodofhope.com, for updated information.
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jun 28, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3389

North Benton Family Resource Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit
202 East 4th St, Vinton, IA 52349

Phone 319-472-4761
Web www.linncountyrec.com/cgi-script/csarticles/articles/000003/000318.htm
Hours business hours - call
Serves Benton and Linn County
Eligibility Must be low income; must bring proof of income
Bring proof of income
Service Temporary

*Apply at North Benton Family Resource Center

*Donation form is located at:
http://www.linncountyrec.com/online_forms/recare.asp

RECare Program

RECare is a crisis fund available for low income members to help pay their electric bills and to weatherize their homes. When you give to RECare, your donation goes directly to families in need in our community. All funds are distributed by a local community action agency, there are no administrative costs. Your contributions are also tax deductible.

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP):

The Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) is designed to assist low-income families with the cost of home heating. Applications are accepted on a first come/first serve basis from Nov. 1, 2007 through Apr. 15, 2008, Monday through Friday, or as posted at the local HACAP office. Check the back of your Linn County REC bill for a listing of HACAP or T.R.A.I.N offices.

ELIGIBILITY - A household may qualify for assistance in this program if the household's income falls within the income range listed below. This program is not designed to pay a household's total energy costs, but to provide assistance in the payment of residential heating costs for eligible households.

At the time you apply at a HACAP or T.R.A.I.N. office, providing you have brought all necessary documentation with you (proof of income for the last 13 weeks and a copy of your heating and electric bills), you will be told whether you are eligible and if so, for what amount you might qualify. This initial determination is subject to review and totally dependent on the availability of federal funds. In most cases, benefits will be in the form of a credit applied to your heating bill by your utility company. Households who reside in subsidized housing that are individually metered and responsible for paying their primary heating costs are eligible. Subsidized households that are master metered are usually not eligible to receive assistance benefits.

Residents of any licensed medical facility (hospital, skilled nursing facility or intermediate care facility), publicly operated community residence or emergency shelter are ineligible unless they are paying a vendor directly for their primary heating source.

Proof of Income: Attach documents that offer proof of total household gross income from all sources. HACAP or T.R.A.I.N. offices must have complete proof of income to process your application.

Fixed Income: This income may include: Social Security Benefits, Supplemental Security Income, Aid to Families with Dependent Children or Family Investment Program, Veterans' Assistance, Unemployment Insurance, pensions. Please bring a copy of your most recent check.

Wage Earners: Attach copies of your check stubs for the three month period preceding the date of application or a copy of your federal income tax return.

Self Employment/Farmers: Bring a copy of your most recent federal income tax return. If you receive interest or dividend income, alimony or child support, it will also need to be verified.

TANF (FIP) and SSI Recipients: Bring in a copy of your Medicaid card.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Aug 23, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3500

Black Hawk Mental Health Services (Pinecrest Bldg.)

Walk-in Resource · Open

Mental Health/Disability Services
1407 Independence Avenue, Waterloo, IA 50703

Phone 319-292-2272
Serves Black Hawk Co., IA
Eligibility Flood/Tornado Survivors 6/08
Service Temporary

Need disability services or medication replacement?

Call Black Hawk Mental Health Services at 319-292-2272 for assistance

NOTE: This facility is in the Pinecrest Bldg. On the 2nd floor, FEMA Mobile DRC and SBA is located in the Community Services Dept.. See the CAT facility record for the DRC at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3090

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; 2008 MidWest Tornado
Updated Jun 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3176

Hawkeye Valley Area on Aging

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Resources for Elders/Seniors – Housing Referrals
2101 Kimball Ave., Ste. 320, Waterloo, IA 50702

Phone 1–877–538–0508 or 319–272–2244
Web www.hvaaa.org
Serves Butler County
Eligibility Senior/Elders Seeking Housing/Disaster Resources & Referrals
Service Temporary

Elderly Housing: County residents over the age of 60 who have been impacted by the storm can call the Hawkeye Valley Area Agency on Aging, at 1–877–538–0508. The Area Agency on Aging may be able to help elderly residents with temporary housing, groceries, clothing vouchers, and other items.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Clothing Vouchers; Vouchers, Food Vouchers
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Tornado
Updated Jun 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3092

ID

Community Action Partnership

Walk–in Resource · Open

Assistance Center
4942 Industrial Ave. East, Coeur d'Alene, ID 83815

Phone 208–664–8757 Fax: 208–664–8586 (888) 725–3663
Web www.acommunityactionpartnership.org/index.html
Hours Monday through Friday from 8am to 5pm.
Serves Kootenai County
Service Temporary

ABOUT COMMUNITY ACTION PARTNERSHIP

Community Action Partnerships were created in 1964 under legislation signed by President Lyndon B. Johnson. Approximately 1,000 CAPs are located across the country and are the premiere network in community building, service delivery and low–income advocacy in this country.

Thousands of Americans will reach self–sufficiency because of Community Action Partnerships. We identify problems and help find real solutions by offering life skills classes and job training, housing assistance, nutrition programs, child care and family development programs.

Devoted staff and volunteers, generous donors and dedicated program participants are the reasons why Community Action Works!

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Information & Resource Referrals (For Elders/Seniors); Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Counseling, Financial, Home Buying Process; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Loan Deferment Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance (For Seniors/Elders/Disabled); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/Elderly); Medical Equipment, LOAN ONLY; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Respite Program/Services; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation, Special Needs Evacuation Shelter; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation, For Seniors/Elders; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth, Leadership Development; Youth Program
Campaigns: AmeriCorps; Habitat For Humanity
Updated May 22, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2824

Post Falls Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
415 E. Third Avenue, Post Falls, ID 83854

Phone 208–773–0139
Web www.postfallsfoodbank.org/index.html
Hours mon – fri 9 am to 2 pm
Serves Post Falls
Eligibility Low–Income
Bring Proof of residence, social security card, I.D, proof of income level
Service Permanent

Food Bank Manager: Cathy Larson pffb @onehop.com

BOARD of DIRECTORS:

President /Director Tony Vandever Tony.vandever @Wamu.net
Vice President/Director: Una Hamilton unamonroyal @adelphia.net
Secretary/Director Sally Hart sallyh @inshoppe.com

The facility serves an average of 4,000 people from about 1,500 families each month, according to Larson.

Program Services:
The Post Falls Food Bank offers food to the needy of our community as part of 10 major programs. When we see a need we strive to fill it. Through collaboration and community efforts we have created these services:

Food Services:
Food boxes are available once a month to seniors and disabled people. Needy families receive a Food Box every 60 days. Everyone receives food weekly from the Food Surplus Recovery program. The Food Bank is open Monday through Friday from 9:00am to 2:00pm. We deliver food to approximately 20 homebound seniors.

Food Surplus Recovery:
Day old bread, fruit, vegetables, and other surplus food–stuffs are recovered from 15 major grocery chains in Post Falls, Coeur d'Alene, Liberty Lake, Spokane Valley and Spokane. This food is picked up seven days per week by a team of 5 drivers using the PFFB Van and private pickup trucks. Second Harvest and SYSCO assist in this program.

We share our Food Surplus Recovery with:
The American Legion Kitchen, Anchor House, Athol ABC Food Bank, church soup kitchens all over the county, Cataldo Light House Mission Ranch, CdA Food Bank, CdA Head Start, Cherished Ones Ministries, Children's Village, Gleaners, Post Falls Head Start, Post Falls Senior Center, Rathdrum Food Bank, Real Life Food Pantry, Single Mom's in Distress, Spirit Lake Food Bank, St. Vincent's Shelter System, the Women's Center and every viable request that comes our way.

Additional Programs:
In addition to food service we offer many other programs that help the needy stretch their budget and fill in the gaps. Seeds for Gardening – In March, we distribute seeds to anyone who would like to plant a garden. Referrals – We connect and refer our clients with other agencies that provide specialized services such as health needs, shelter, gasoline vouchers, home repairs, or myriad other emergency requests that arise. Vouchers – The Salvation Army and St. Vincent de Paul provide us with vouchers for bus fare, special foods, and medicines, which we distribute as needed. School Supplies– Our Back to School program is for all needy kids in Kootenai County. Wells Fargo Bank and specific grants and donations subsidize this program. Coats for Kids – October through March of each year, in collaboration with KXLY– Channel 4, we are an official distribution point for Coats for Kids. Hats, Gloves, Boots & Socks –We distribute hats and gloves supplied by the Lions Club and the Knit Wits. Now in its sixth year, Windermere Realty provides vouchers for boots. Senior Blankets – seniors receive a quilt in their Thanksgiving baskets as the cold weather sets in. St. George's Church, the Knit Wits, and the community provide the blankets and quilts. Holidays – Special foods are provided for Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets. A combined total of 831 holiday baskets were distributed over the two holidays. Century Publishing granted $500 towards this program.

Services offered: Agriculture/Farming/Gardening Resource; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Bus Tokens, Bus Fare; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, Children, Winter Clothing, New or Gently Used; Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/ Agencies); Food Distribution, Food Baskets; Food Distribution, Food Pantry, Mobile Food Pantry; Food Distribution, Holiday, Food Boxes/Basket, Misc.; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); * KITS, SCHOOL BAG KITS, NEW Items ONLY; Recycling, Food; Seeds, Gardening; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toys, * NEW, In Original Packaging, Kids – All Ages (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Food Vouchers; Vouchers, Gas Vouchers; Vouchers, Medical, Prescription Vouchers
Campaigns: Salvation Army; Society of St. Vincent de Paul; United Way
Updated May 22, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2822

Real Life Ministries

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community Outreach
1866 Cecil Road, Post Falls, ID 83854

Phone 208–777–7325
Web www.reallifeministries.com/ministry_benevolence_health
Hours Monday–Thurs. 8am–1pm
Service Temporary

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Thrift Store
Updated Jan 20, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2826

IL

Chicago Map of Free Fridges [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

Chicago, IL

Web www.thelovefridge.com/locations
Service Temporary

our mission

The Love Fridge is a Chicago–based initiative created to nourish our communities through mutual aid by offering solutions to food scarcity and food waste. Powered by kindness, generosity, and most importantly, love, we firmly believe that feeding oneself is not a privilege, but a right.

With food insecurity at an all–time high, keeping our communities fed is now more important than ever. Our volunteers come from all over Chicago, working within their own neighborhoods to collaborate with like–minded partners to place community refrigerators across the city.

These refrigerators, painted by local artists to reflect the communities in which they live, provide neighbors the opportunity to donate food as well as take what they need, ensuring accessible food 24/7.

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 15, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10469

Chicago, Mothers Against Senseless Killings, safe space, food, etc

Walk–in Resource · Open

Chicago, IL

Service Temporary

THESE LADIES ROCK!

Deliver Meals To: 7500 S. Stewart, Chicago, IL 60620
773–885–9871

Thank you for your generosity! Your donation allows the amazing Moms, Dads, neighbors and friends to provide a safe space for 150 children and adults to spend the summer violence free.

If possible, please bring items that can be grilled (hot dogs, burgers, chicken, ribs, etc), plus anything else that goes along with it. Bottles of water, Paper goods, disposable containers, condiments, charcoal, chips, popcicles, and outdoor toys (water balloons, soccer balls, frisbees, etc) are always appreciated! Please have food arrive at 3:30pm.

We would love to have you join us, but if you can't please consider sending food through Instacart (https://www.instacart.com/store/marianos/storefront?open_store_chooser=true).
Also–– as feeding 150 people can be a big task, this is a great opportunity to get friends and family together to pitch in and make it a possibility.

(Due to the food sitting outside, please send items to grill and not premade meals such spaghetti)
MASK Facebook page

Can't take a meal from your own kitchen? Send one instead. Click here to order.
Are you delivering dinner? Consider including breakfast items too.
Consider taking your meal in a disposable container.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Children; Facility: Community Center
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 18, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10179

Keep Warm Illinois – Warming Center List

Walk–in Resource · Open

IL

Phone 877–411–(warm)9276
Web www.keepwarm.illinois.gov/warmingcenter.cfm

Service Temporary

Gov. has established warming centers in state facilities across Illinois to help Illinois residents reduce their home heating costs. These facilities are a safe, warm place to go during the day while you turn your thermostat down (do not lower your thermostat below 60 degrees). To complement the state effort, Gov. has asked mayors statewide to provide local warming centers in their communities.

Warming center hours vary by location and are limited to each facilities' regular business hours. Except for Tollway Oases, warming centers do not offer food, drinks or other amenities.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Facility: Community Center; Shelter, Cooling / Warming Center; Shelter, Day Shelter
Updated Jan 6, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4705

Occupy Chicago (in support of Occupy Wall Street) #occupychi

Walk–in Resource · Open

by the Federal Reserve Bank; 230 S LaSalle; Jackson and LaSalle, IL

Web occupychi.org
Service Temporary

#occupychi

Supplies needed (Check the website for updates!):

http://occupychi.org/supplies–needed/

Other Things We can always use

* Plastic storage totes
* bags

Things we do not need more of at this time

* Perishable food items (it's going bad faster than we can eat it)
* Clothing – now being shared with homeless

Special thanks for these critical donated items

* Laptop
* Media tent
* Constant power supply
* 4G Hot Spot
* NY for sending out Gino from Occupy Wall Street along with two large suitcases of medical supplies

Services offered: Meals, For Homeless Residents; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Homeless Services, Mobile Outreach
Campaigns: Occupy Wall Street / Occupy America / Occupy Together
Updated Dec 25, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9001

IN

First Baptist Church of Centerville

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
109 Mattie Harris Rd, Centerville, IN 47330

Phone 765–855–3114
Hours every month
Service Temporary

Food Pantry

Hours of Operations Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)
Updated Jul 5, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3336

Bartholomew County Medication Assistance Program

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Prescription/Medical Assistance/Resources
1531 13th Street, Suite G900, Columbus, IN 47201

Phone 812–372–6918
Web www.agingandcommunityservices.org/index.asp?p=8
Hours call for appointment
Eligibility please see Notes
Bring Bring your completed application, proof of income for your entire household, insurance information, prescription information and Bartholomew County physician's name
Service Temporary

Many pharmaceutical companies have programs to help people who have long–term medication needs and limited financial resources. The Bartholomew County Medication Assistance Program, working with an individuals physician, helps that person apply for free or low–cost medicine offered by the drug companies.

The program coordinator is a Registered Nurse. The staff identify sources of help for clients, assess eligibility, prepare applications and ensure eligible clients receive needed prescriptions.

Typical medical conditions covered:
* Allergies
* Anxiety/Depression
* Arthritis
* Asthma
* Diabetes
* Gastrointestinal Disorders
* Heart Disease
* Hormone Replacement
* Hypertension
* Other Chronic Illness

Eligibility Guidelines:
* Receiving medical services from a physician in Bartholomew Co.
* Unable to pay for prescribed drugs due to financial hardship
* Currently under treatment for chronic illness such as diabetes, hypertension, arthritis or asthma
* No insurance coverage to help pay for prescriptions, and ineligible for Medicaid or other public assistance
* Medicare beneficiaries may qualify if they have no prescription drug coverage through another plan
* Meet all drug company eligibility requirements (proof of income and U.S. Citizenship is often required)

The prescribing physician must be willing to participate as required by the drug companies.

Anyone interested must meet the following guidelines:
* Be a resident of Bartholomew County
* Have income below 180% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines
* Have no prescription coverage through insurance, Medicare supplement or Medicaid
* Be able to prove residency and income

Both the chronic program and the immediate assistance program are the result of a community collaboration between the Healthy Communities Initiative of Bartholomew County and a number of partners. In addition, local donors have made generous contributions to make these services possible.

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; Ending Extreme Poverty
Updated Aug 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3342

Development Services, Inc.

Walk–in Resource

Food Pantry
P.O. Box 1023, Columbus, IN 47202

Serves Bartholomew Co., IN
Service Temporary

Food Pantry

Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3299

Eastside Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry & Mobile Food Program
421 McClure Road, Columbus, IN 47201
Phone (812) 376–7840
Service Temporary

Source:
http://www.iksynod.org/Midwest%20Flooding/firstluthcolumbusinmain.asp

6/30/08:
It is a very active place currently, as we are preparing and delivering dinners to most of the Flood Victims. Our First Day we delivered 60 meals. From there it has jumped to as high as 650 !!

We are always looking for Volunteers to help box the meals each day, or deliver them. Also,any donations of food are very much appreciated,as we have a very small budget. We are also a collection center for any items, except clothing, to help the Flood Victims.

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Facility: Community Center; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry, Mobile Food Pantry; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Mobile Meals, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 23, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3316

First Presbyterian Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church: Soup Kitchen
512 7th St, Columbus, IN 47201
Phone (812) 372–3783
Web www.fpccolumbus.org
Hours Soup Kitchen Fri.5–6pm / Preschool M–F 7:30 am–2 pm
Service Temporary

This site partners with Love Chapel.

Preschool info:

http://www.fpccolumbus.org/public_html/pages/Preschool.html

Hot Meals!
from the website:

http://www.fpccolumbus.org/public_html/pages/contact_files/HOTMEALS.htm

Our meals are served from 5–6 p.m. every Friday night at First Presbyterian Church in the gymnasium. Any individual or family is welcome.

FPC works with a variety of community groups to help serve these weekly meals. Many families in the congregation volunteer donations and their time on a regular basis as do groups from the Unitarian Universalist Congregation, St. Peters Lutheran, Westside Community, and East Columbus Christian Church. Sarah Sanders is the Hot Meals coordinator for FPC and can be reached through the church office, 812–372–3783

Services offered: Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Dinner; School, Pre–K, Pre–School; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3300

Foundation for Youth (Also at this site: "Foundation of Hope" Food Pantry)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Youth
405 Hope Avenue, Columbus, IN 47201
Phone (812) 372 7867
Web www.foundationforyouth.com
Serves Bartholomew Co., IN
Service Temporary

From the website:

FLOOD RELIEF SCHOLARSHIP FUND

This flood plan will cover the affected children 100%. As long as the funding is available, Foundation For Youth will cover the fees these families paid prior to suffering damages to their homes, jobs and livelihoods caused by the recent flood. Thank You very much for your support

** All Contributions are fully Tax Deductible**

Donations by Mail
Check donations can be mailed to:

Foundation For Youth
405 Hope Avenue, Columbus, IN 47201.

Please specify if donation is for "Flood Relief Scholarship". Thank you!

To make an online donation go to:
http://www.foundationforyouth.com/contribute.php

This database record is for the youth program:
after school; weekends and summer
source: http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf

Regular Services (from the website):

Athletics & Aquatics
Big Brothers
Big Sisters
Boys & Girls Club
Columbus Youth Camp

See also the food pantry operation at this address:
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3303

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; Big Brothers Big Sisters; Boy's & Girl's Club
Updated Mar 23, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3302

Foundation of Hope (Also at this site: "Foundation for Youth")

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
405 Hope Avenue, Columbus, IN 47201
Service Temporary

This facility record is for this site's Food Pantry

See also the site's Youth Program:
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/edit/3302

Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3303

Human Services, Inc. Columbus

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Services
1585 Indianapolis Rd., Columbus, IN 47201
Web www.hsi–indiana.com/Welcome
Hours M–F, 12–2
Serves Johnson, Decatur, Bartholomew, Jackson, Shelby Counties
Service Temporary

Services (from the website):

Programs Child Care Assistance
Energy Assistance
Head Start Program
Independent Living
Local Food Pantry's
Section 8 (Hud)
Weatherization

Home Rehab Project
WIC

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Government, US Deptartment of Housing & Urban Development (HUD); Head Start Program; WIC (Women Infants and Children)
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3307

Learning Tree Preschool/ First UMC

Walk–in Resource

Childrens Services
618 8th St., Columbus, IN 47201
Hours Summer M–Th 9–11:30 /School year M–F 7:45–4:30
Service Temporary

Preschool/ After school care

Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf

Services offered: School, Pre–K, Pre–School
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3308

Love Chapel

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
311 Center St., Columbus, IN 47201
Phone (812) 372–9421
Hours M–S 9–12
Serves Bartholomew Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods / Needy Local Families – Need based qualifications no income guidelines
Service Temporary

Source:
http://www.iksynod.org/Midwest%20Flooding/firstluthcolumbusinmain.asp

This ecumenical organization supports the community through a food pantry and emergency funding. Donations of non–perishable food, water, toiletries, school supplies and monetary donations are welcome.

Partner of: First Lutheran Church, First Presbyterian Church, First United Methodist Church, Columbus, Indiana

(First United Methodist in Columbus, IN is collecting non–perishable foods and storage totes for Love Chapel – See CAT Facility Entry at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3326)

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Deposit; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Resume Writing, Interview Skills; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Housing/Shelter (Motel) Vouchers
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Oct 5, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3309

Salvation Army, Columbus

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community/Disaster Relief/Recovery/Humanitarian Aid
See locations below, in Notes Section, Columbus, IN 47201
Contact call for info
Email Info@salvationarmycolumbus.org
Web www.salvationarmycolumbus.org
Hours Pantry M–F 9–11:30 & 1–2:30 / Kitchen Soup K. Thur.4:30
Serves Bartholomew Co., IN
Service Temporary

2008 Flood Support: provides clothing, cleaning supplies, and emergency aid to families in need. Location: 2525 Illinois Avenue, Phone: (812) 372–7118.

Source for Flood Support Info:
http://www.iksynod.org/Midwest%20Flooding/firstluthcolumbusinmain.asp

Regular Services:

Adult Rehabilitation
Our Rehabilitation Center helps people reclaim their lives from alcohol or chemical dependencies.

After School Learning
Salvation Army Learning Centers provide a safe environment for children to receive tutoring and other academic assistance.

Career Enhancement
The Career Enhancement Center helps low–income adults develop employment skills and overcome barriers to work.

Centers for Worship and Service
Salvation Army Centers for Worship and Service provice spiritual programming to individuals, youth and families.

Coats for Columbus
This annual collection and distribution of new and gently used coats is one of our longest–running programs.

Food Pantries
Our partnership with local grocers and the Mid–Ohio Food Bank helps provide food to the needy.

Greenwood Lake Camp
Our accredited one–week summer camps give Central Ohio youth a variety of fun and spiritual activities.

Heart to Heart Meals
Every weekend, our mobile canteen visits four locations downtown to provide a hot meal to those who need it.

Housing
Assistance for homeless families, including permanent housing and ongoing support.

Material Assistance
Helping families with basic needs such as furniture, transportation and clothing.

Seniors
Providing monthly food packages to low–income seniors.

Utility Assistance
The HeatShare program helps individuals with payment of natural gas bills.

Locations:

Citadel Worship and Service Center
Captains Michael and Debra Laro
Commanding Officers/Pastors
3976 Karl Rd.
Columbus, OH 43224
(614) 262–9611

Worship Service* Every Sunday at 11 a.m., Open to everyone
Youth Sunday Service* Every Sunday at 11:30 a.m., For youth ages 10 and under
Sunday School, Every Sunday from 9:45 – 10:45 a.m., Open to everyone
*Nursery available for children ages 4 and under

Boys' Club, Thursday evenings 6:15 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. (dinner included)
Programming includes age appropriate field trips, and recreation.
Open to boys ages 6 to 18

Sunbeams, Thursday evenings 6:15 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. (dinner included)
Programming includes age appropriate field trips, recreation, arts and crafts
Open to girls ages 6 to 11

Girl Guards
Thursday evenings 6:15 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. (dinner included)
Programming includes age appropriate field trips, service projects, recreation
Open to girls ages 12 to 18

Home League/Women's Ministries
Tuesday evenings from 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Each week women come together and focus on fellowship, worship, education and service
Open to women ages 16 and older

Music Programming

Youth Choir, Wednesday evenings 6:30 p.m., performs at Sunday Worship Services
Open to any youth ages 6 to 15
Youth Brass Instruction

Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m.
Some instruments provided
Beginner lessons open to any youth ages 6 to 15
Adult Brass Instruction

Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m.
Perform at Sunday Worship Service
Open to adults with music experience

East Main Worship and Service Center

Captains Yuri & Lisa Marie Harrington
Commanding Officers/Pastors

966 East Main Street
Columbus, OH 43205
614.253.6811
yharrington @use.salvationarmy.org
lharrington @use.salvationarmy.org

Sunday Services and Activities

9:30 AM – Breakfast Club
10:30 AM – Sunday School (All Ages) & Membership Classes
11:30 AM – Holiness Meeting (Morning Worship Service)
Open to everyone!

After School Youth Outreach (Weekdays)
Tuesday to Friday, 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM – Breaking The Chains (After School Youth Outreach) for ages 6 to 17

Tuesday Women's Ministry
Tuesday at 6:00 PM – D.I.V.A.S (Determined Individuals Victorious Against Sin) Women's Ministry for Ages 14 and older.

Tuesday Men's Ministry
Tuesday at 6:00 PM – T.H.U.G.S (Totally Humbled Unto God's Spirit) Men's Ministry for Ages 14 and older.

Wednesday Bible Study
6:00 PM – Bible Study (All Ages)
7:00 PM – Prayer Meeting (All Ages)

Friday Martial Arts
6:00 PM – God's Warriors (Martial Arts Classes) for All Ages

Friday Family Movie Night
Every 3rd Friday at 7:30 PM – Family Movie Night

Saturday Music (rehearsals and performances)
Saturdays at 10:00 AM – Music/Choir Rehearsal
Every 3rd Saturday at 7:00 PM – Concert Of Praise

West Mound Worship and Service Center
Captains Patricia and Scott Harvey
Commanding Officers/Pastors

2300 West Mound Street
Columbus, OH 43204
614.274.7600
sharvey @use.salvationarmy.org

Worship Service

Every Sunday at 11:00 a.m., Open to everyone, Jr. Church and Nursery available
Sunday School, Every Sunday at 10:00 a.m., Open to everyone

Sunbeams
Tuesday evenings at 5:00 p.m., Open to girls age 6 to 12
Spiritual, educational, character–building activities
Earn badges Dues .25/week

Boys Club, Tuesday evenings at 5:00 p.m., Open to boys age 6 and up
Fun, spiritual, educational and character–building activities, Dues .25/week

Supper Club
Tuesday evening from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Open to children age 6 and up
Nutritious, hot meal, Christian Education, crafts and activity

Junior Soldiers, Sunday morning at 11:30 a.m., Open to children age 7 to 14
Classes in Salvation Army doctrine and Christian Education

Senior Soldiers, Sunday afternoons at 1:30 p.m., Open to adults who wish to make The Salvation Army their church home,
Classes in Salvation Army doctrine and beliefs

Adult Bible Study
Thursday evenings from 6:15 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Beginner Music Instruction
Thursday evenings from 5:30 p.m. to 6:15 p.m.
Instruments provided
Youth Choir at 6:30 p.m.
Open to youths ages 5 to 17

Open Game Room Night
Thursday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Free use of games, including pool tables, air hockey, and bumper pool.
Open to youths ages 5 to 17

Home League/Women's Ministry
Thursday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Each week women come together and focus on fellowship, worship, education and service.
Open to women ages 13 and older

Golden Age Senior Center
Fellowship, recreation, food and field trips for senior citizens
Every Tuesday and Thursday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Open to all senior citizens

Chapel at Worthington Woods Worship and Service Center
Majors Ronald and Doris Dake (Ret.)
Commanding Officers/Pastors
Captain Edwin Valez

760 Worthington Woods Blvd.
Worthington, OH 43085
614.846.1884

Worship Service
Every Sunday at 10:45 a.m.
Open to everyone
Nursery available

Hispanic Ministries
Sunday Hispanic Worship 6:00 p.m. (call for dates (614) 307– 1644)
Tuesday Bible Study 6:00 p.m.

Sunday School
Every Sunday at 9:30 a.m.
open to youth and adults

Adult Bible Study
Every Sunday at 6:00 p.m.
Open to adults

Adventure Zone
Programming for various age groups and genders
Focuses on music, the arts and Christian education
Sunbeams and Boys Club also a part of Adventure Zone
Every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.
Open to children ages 3 to 13

Music Programming

Youth Brass Instruction
Wednesday evenings at 6:00 p.m.
Some instruments provided
Beginner lessons open to any youth ages 7 to 13

Adult Church Choir
Wednesday evenings at 6:45 p.m.
Performs at Sunday Worship Service

Adult Brass Band, Wednesday evenings at 8:00 p.m.
Performs at Sunday Worship Service

Woman's Ministries: Meets first Monday of the month 6:30 PM.
Men's Fellowship: Meets Saturdays 8:00 a.m.

Linden Service Center
Jan Lucas
Program Manager
3167 Cleveland Ave
Columbus, OH 43211
614.262.8450
jlucas @use.salvationarmy.org

Services offered: Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Cleaning/Clean Up Supplies (Post Disaster); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/Elderly); Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Senior Programs; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; Salvation Army
Updated May 23, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3310

Sans Souci

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Recovery/Community
1526 13th Street, Columbus, IN
Phone (812) 372–3419
Hours See Notes
Serves Bartholomew Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods / Local Needy Families
Service Temporary

SOURCE: QMIX 107.3 and KORN Country 100.3 NEWS / http://www.qmix.com/index.shtml

Sans Souci is conducting a drive (6/08 Flood) for the following donations:

–Summer clothing and shoes for adults and particularly for children
–New underwear and socks for adults and children
–All types of baby items, including clothing and new baby bottles
–Gently used furniture and household items including mattresses, couches, chairs, lamps, sheets, blankets, and pillows, bath towels, and kitchen ware.

Items may be dropped off at Sans Souci, 1526 13th Street between the hours of 10am to 5 pm Monday through Friday and 10am to 3pm on Saturday. People in need of these items should come to Sans Souci during normal business hours. San Souci is waving their intake process and all items will be free to flood victims.

Source: http://www.iksynod.org/Midwest%20Flooding/firstluthcolumbusinmain.asp

Sans Souci is a local organization much like the Salvation Army.

Services offered: Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Clothing, Baby/Infant, New or Gently Used/CLEAN * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Shoes, * New or Gently Used/CLEAN * (ANY/ALL Types); Socks, All Sizes, NEW Only, * (ANY/ALL Types); Underwear, All Sizes, NEW Only, * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3315

Y–MED (Young Mothers Educational Development)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Womens Services
2700 McKinley Ave., Columbus, IN 47201
Phone Ph: (812) 376–4453
Web y–medinc.com

Hours M–F, 8–2
Service Temporary

On site services for prenatal and young mothers

Per their website:

Y–MED is headquartered in the McDowell Adult Education Center, where most of the participants attend school, although outreach services are extended to BCSC (Bartholomew Consolidated School Corporation) students who choose to remain in their home schools. Those attending McDowell have access to a comprehensive pre–natal class as well as classes in child development and family relations, all of which target the teen parent. Milk, juice, and nutritious snacks are provided, as well as BCSC bus transportation for those who have no other means of traveling to and from school. The smaller campus and class sizes allow more personalized interaction between students and a staff of dedicated teachers and other professionals who understand the needs of the young person who is balancing parenthood, school, and possibly a job.

'04 participant
"... there's not many places or people you can go to if you have a problem ... YMED staff are willing to help ..."

Y–MED works closely with Bartholomew Consolidated Schools to provide for teen parents. Although the agency was originally intended for young mothers, services have evolved although the name has not–young fathers now may choose to participate in the program as well.

Y–MED's licensed day care joins Children Inc. and Head Start in the Columbus Child Care Center, about three blocks from McDowell. A staff of trained professionals provides quality child care to infants between the ages of three weeks and twenty–four months while the parents are in class. In addition to nurturing the 30+ babies enrolled each year, the nursery director and teachers provide support, guidance, and empathy for the parents.

Y–MED Partners
Collaboration with other community agencies strengthens Y–MED's effectiveness and provides opportunities for referrals to more specialized programs. Among those with which Y–MED enjoys a working relationship are the BCSC, Children Inc., Step Ahead Council, WIC, Hoosier Healthwise, Office of Family and Children, Family Services, Pregnancy Care Center, Partners in Pregnancy, Health Department, and Sans Souci.

Y–MED Funding
As are most non–profit agencies, Y–MED is continually seeking ways to finance its programs. Funding sources include the Irwin–Sweeney–Miller Foundation, United Way of Bartholomew County, the Jolie Crider Outreach Fund, Child Care Development Fund, Child Care and Adult Food Program, March of Dimes, various community churches and civic groups, friends of Y–MED, and Medicaid.

Doris Edge, mother of '99 participant
"[daughter] was so ill ... through it all, Y–MED kept her involved and interested in the school work ... [Y–MED's care and service] meant a lot to her"

Bartholomew Consolidated School Corporation provides office space, telephone service, internet and email access, the classroom teacher, bus transportation, and general usage of McDowell equipment. Y–MED also conducts several fund raisers, including bake sales, the Holiday Gift Market, an Ethnic Expo booth, flower and gift sales, Elsbury's gift certificates, and Elder–Beerman Community Days.

For more information on how you could donate to Y–MED, please see the website for volunteering and donations.

Y–MED People

Staff Members

Y–MED is staffed by an executive director, a nursery director, nursing staff and a counselor. Y–MED also receives help from several volunteers. For more information on how you can help Y–MED, please see the page on volunteering and donating.

Connie Whitley, Executive Director
Debbie Phillips, Nursery Director
Kathy McCaa, Health Nurse
Judy Davis, Licensed Mental Health Counselor
Kristy Carothers, Secretary
Cheryl Trimpe, Nursery Teacher
Janet Thayer, Nursery Teacher
Julia Apple, Nursery Teacher
Lori Hawk, Nursery Teacher
Board of Directors

The Y–MED board is comprised of dedicated citizens of the community who volunteer their time and talents. A typical term is three years, with most members serving two terms, although some choose to remain longer. A cross–section of the population is desirable, including representatives from the medical, legal, and financial professions; schools, and various occupations. Ideally at least two former Y–MED students serve; currently the board even boasts a former Y–MED baby.

Carol Dingledy, President
Carol Cummins, Vice President
Rose Ann Day, Vice President
Joni Hurt, Treasurer
Rachel J. Quisenberry,Secretary
Michael Hahn
Marcus Hurley
Corinne Maple
Dawn Palmer
Estelle Baugher
C. R. Karyekar
Joan Chelton
Marcus Hurley
Sandy Nelson
Charlotte Moss
Connie Whitley

Y–MED History
Begun in 1972 by caring teachers and concerned members of the community when an unplanned pregnancy meant expulsion from school for the mother, Y–MED has continued to expand with the expectations of society. Irwin–Sweeney–Miller Foundation furnished seed money to launch Y–MED and have continued to support the program through the years. The early days provided a means by which the mother could complete her education outside of the traditional high school. At that time Y–MED existed in various buildings, such as the Girls' Club and First Presbyterian Church, before finally connecting with what was then Day Adult Education at Bakalar Field. Later both programs moved to McDowell School, where the adult education program became McDowell Adult Education Center.

Over the years Y–MED has served more than 1000 students. Recent enrollments have averaged between 70 and 90 young parents during the school year. Although no longer expelled for pregnancy, these parents have found the support, education, and day care vital to their pursuit of a diploma or GED.
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3311

Fresh Start Home Elizabethtown

Walk–in Resource

Shelter: Youth
13071 S. 350 E., Elizabethtown, IN 47232
Phone ? 812–579–5574 or 812–265–1593 ?
Hours 24 hours/day, 7 days/week
Service Temporary

Residential Program for Youth w/ Behavioral Problems

Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3304

Fountain City Wesleyan Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
314 Green St.; Food Bank:; CE Building in Fountain City.; Mailing address:; 5600 US Hwy 27 N; Richmond, IN 47374, Fountain City, IN 47341
Phone 765.935.4353
Contact call for info
Email carol@fcwesleyan.org < carol@fcwesleyan.org>
Web www.fcwesleyan.org
Hours 3rd Sat of the month 9–12
Serves Wayne Co., IN
Service Temporary

From the website:

Food Bank

The Food Bank will have new hours beginning in January 2008. The Food Bank will be open on the third Saturday of the month from 9:00 am to noon at the CE Building in Fountain City.

Debt Reduction Workshop

7.20.8 & 7.27.08

2–hour workshop for those who have credit card or consumer debt. You will learn:

A practical solution for getting out of debt
A long–term plan for staying out of debt
What the Bible really says about debt
Spiritual dangers of debt
Being a steward of God's resources
Taught by Gary Keesling using materials produced by WIllow Creek Good Sense Ministry.

The 2–session workshop will be Sunday, July 20th and Sunday, July 27th, 9:00 am – 10:30 am

in room 122. No cost for materials. Sign up on Connections Card or call church office to register

(935–4353).

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management
Updated Jul 5, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3337

Anytime Fitness (Free Showers)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Business
See Notes, Franklin, IN 46131

Phone (317) 736–4377
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Free showers for residents with no hot water – Anytime Fitness is offering free showers to any residents without hot water. They are providing hot water and soap, but residents must bring their own towels.

Monday through Thursday 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Friday 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday 8 a.m. to Noon

1168 N. Main Street, Franklin, IN 46131
2026 In the Marsh Plaza, (317) 736–4377

Services offered: Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Aug 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3325

Franklin Head Start Bldg. / Human Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
486 N. Morton Street, Franklin, IN 46131

Phone 317–736–0755
Hours 9 am – 4 pm M–Fri
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

In need of volunteers to help with food pantry, please call if interested in helping

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 23, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3318

Interchurch Food Pantry of Johnson County

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
830 Overstreet St.,, Franklin, IN 46131

Phone (317) 736–5090
Web www.imcpl.org/cgi–bin/irnfull.pl?MAIN0543AA
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson County
Eligibility Must be a Johnson County Resident & Meet Income Eligibility Requirements
Bring Picture ID

Service Temporary

Provides food assistance to Johnson County residents. Requires ID, preferably picture ID. Also requires a written referral, dated the same day the client comes to the pantry, from a human service organization, WIC, the welfare office or a church. Assistance is limited to once a month, 30 days apart. Accepts donations to the food pantry delivered during open hours. Also accepts monetary donations as well.
On Busline: No
Eligibility: Must be a Johnson County resident and eligibly income guidelines.
Area Served: Johnson County

UPDATE per Latheda Noonan 7/2/08:

Things are winding down. The Command Center is no longer located at this facility site. They are receiving 10 or less Flood Survivors per day for supplies. They have plenty of food/water/supplies and just received a large shipment of USDA Commodities and have no need for donations.

Interchurch Food Pantry of Johnson County – Monday through Friday from 1–6 pm through 7/3/08. Starting next week (7/7/08) they go back to regular prior hours from 1–3 pm M–Fri.

o (317) 736–5090
o 830 Overstreet St., Franklin, IN 46131

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Cleaning/Clean Up Supplies (Post Disaster); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 22, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3290

Lord's Cupboard

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief, Emergency Distribution Site
701 Johnson Avenue, Franklin, IN 46131

Phone (317) 736–5502
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Distributing clothing to flood survivors:

Now open daily from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. until further notice

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3321

Community Church of Greenwood "Gathering Place"

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
1477 W. Main Street, Greenwood, IN 46142

Phone (317) 888–6024
Web ccg.ccbchurch.com/app
Serves Johnson County, IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

We have received so many phone calls from our own members, friends and family that CCG wants to do more to help our neighbors.

With the opportunity of receiving food from Midwest Food Bank, we are now able to offer a food pantry here at CCG.

We are open on Tuesday's from 9am–11am and Wednesday's from 5pm – 7pm. Until we get a good idea of the need, we will allow individuals to pick up once every two weeks.

Food needs this month:

Peanut Butter
Jelly
Canned veggies and fruit
boxes of cereal

If you are able to help in this area please drop off the food during the week at the church office or on Sunday mornings at the Outreach counter.

We also need volunteers. If you are available to help, we need help on the days we are open, as well as other days to help stock the shelves.

Call Kerry Beasley, x259 or by email, if you have any questions regarding helping, or receiving food.

Food, clothing, household items and some furniture available; call Kerry Beasley at 888–6024 Ext. 259 to receive items.

God is good, all the time.
All the time, God is good.

FLOOD VICTIM'S RELIEF UPDATE:
The Gathering Place continues to function as a Red Cross Shelter for victims of recent flooding. If you have been displaced and need assistance please come to The Gathering Place at Community Church of Greenwood. Food, clothing and shelter are available and they will remain open through Sat. 6/14/08.

Website does have updates.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Services, Disaster Relief; Shelter, Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Ending Extreme Poverty
Updated Aug 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3115

His Hand Extended (Trinity Broadcasting)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
2528 U.S. 31 S., Greenwood, IN 46143

Phone (317) 535–5542
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Food/Clothing Distribution for Flood Survivors:

Monday or Thursday, client sign–up at 10:45 a.m.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3320

In His Name Clothing Ministry (Distribution/Donation Collection Site)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith–Based Disaster Relief, Emergency Distribution Site
381 N. Bluff Road, Greenwood, IN 46142

Phone (317) 881–6727
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Clothing Distribution for Flood Survivors:

Monday and Tuesday 9–11 a.m. and Wednesday 6–8 p.m.

Now accepting new and gently used clothing donations

o Monday and Tuesday 9–11 a.m. and Wednesday 6–8 p.m.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors

Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 22, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3323

Living Bread Community Food Ministry / Mount Pleasant Christian Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
755 North Bluff Road, Greenwood, IN 46142

Phone (317) 889–9650 / 317–881–6727 (Flood Survivors Pick–up Times)
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Client Sign–In Thursdays 9:15–9:40 a.m. and 6:15–6:40 p.m. and the first and third Saturday of the month 9:15–9:40 a.m.

Will provide non–perishable food to flood victims; call 881–6727 for food pick–up times.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3319

Our Lady of Greenwood Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
335 S. Meridian Street, Greenwood, IN 46143

Phone (317) 888–2861
Hours Monday–Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Storms
Service Temporary

Flood victims may come to the parish office once a week to receive two free bags of groceries

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3312

Salvation Army (Clothing Distribution Site)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief, Emergency Distribution Site
325 Market Plaza, Greenwood, IN 46142

Phone (317) 881–2505
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Clothing Distribution for Flood Survivors:

1–5 p.m. on Monday and Wednesday and 12:30– 4 p.m. on Fridays

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3324

Vineyard Church Food Pantry / Clothing Distribution

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief, Emergency Distribution Site
512 S Madison Avenue, Greenwood, IN 46142

Phone (317) 882–8463
Hours See Notes
Service Temporary

Clothing/Food Distribution for Flood Survivors:

10 a.m. to Noon on Wednesday and last Saturday of the month from 10:30–11:30 a.m.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3314

Hope Community Center (also known as "Community Center of Hope")

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Service
543 Washington St., Hope, IN 47246
Phone (812) 546–4499
Hours Pantry Tues 9–12, After school program 3–6
Serves Bartholomew Co., IN
Service Temporary

Pantry / After School/ Summer Camp

Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3305

Birth to 5, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

Childrens Services
50 N. 5th St., Richmond, IN 47374
Phone (765) 983–7311 or (765) 966–6080 (?)
Web www.mybirthtofive.org
Hours M–F 8:30–4:30
Serves Wayne Co., IN
Service Temporary

Birth–To–Five is a service organization dedicated to maximizing the social–emotional, intellectual, language, and physical development of young children in Wayne County.

We focus on:

Teaching families about how children develop
Helping adults prepare their children for school
Detecting developmental delays in children

Increasing parents' participation in children's learning experiences
Our programs are free and voluntary. We provide them throughout Wayne County.

Our programs take place in schools, churches, community centers and homes in Wayne County.

Programs:

Families receive one–to–one support and information from the Birth–to–Five staff. We focus on adults whose children are between birth and age five.

Birth–to–Five houses three early childhood programs:

Parents As Teachers
Supporting Care Providers
Healthy Families

We realize parents may be busy, so we make it easy to get our help. We visit families in their homes! We also hold some events in group settings outside the home.

Our Team:
Birth–to–Five serves families with skill and enthusiasm. Staff members teach parenting skills, stage fun group activities, and visit families' homes to encourage a healthy and fun learning environment. Board members provide overall direction for the organization. Volunteers lend their talent and energy to our programs throughout the year.

Participate:
Join us at an event! Birth–to–Five hosts playgroups, Book Buddies, Kindergarten Readiness Workshops, parent discussions, and other activities throughout the year.

We also offer occasional volunteer opportunities.

Contact us at (765) 966-6080 or info@mybirthtofive.org to learn about events and volunteer opportunities.

Food Pantry

Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf

Phone number from white pages.

Services offered: Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Caregiver Training; Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Updated Aug 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3327

Boys & Girls Club – Jeffers (Wayne County)

Walk-in Resource · Open

Community Youth Club
1717 S. "L" Street, Richmond, IN 47374

Phone (765) 962-6922
Web www.bgcrichmond.org
Hours M-F 3-9, Sat 10-4
Serves Wayne Co., IN
Service Temporary

WELCOME to the Boys & Girls Clubs of Wayne County! Since 1957 we have served the youth in Wayne County and its surrounding areas by providing a Positive Place for kids ages 6-18 to go after school. Currently we serve over 2400 youth annually at two year-round locations, the Jeffers and Central Units and during the summer at our 168-acre Camp Guy located on the Whitewater River.

There are an abundance of programs and activities available for boys and girls of all ages to participate in at the Club on a daily basis. We offer programs and activities in 5 Core Program Areas: Character & Leadership Development, Education and Career Development, Health & Life Skills, The Arts and Sports, Fitness and Recreation.

We also operate an extension of Morrison-Reeves Library at our Jeffers Unit, provide the Positive Alternatives Program for suspended or expelled students in all of the Wayne County School Districts, partner with other local youth organizations to run "Club vs.Club" and serve as a Youth Service Bureau for the State of Indiana.

Onsite youth program

Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf

Phone number from white pages.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Children; Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: Boy's & Girl's Club
Updated Aug 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3328

Boys & Girls Clubs at Central

Walk-in Resource · Open

Community Youth Club
1407 South 8th St.; 1425 E Main St; Cross Streets: Between N 14th St/S 14th St and N 15th St/S 15th St, Richmond, IN 47374

Phone (765) 939-2228
Hours M-F 3-9, Sat 10-4
Service Temporary

Onsite youth program

Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf

Phone number from white pages.

Gleaners had only the 8th St location, but white pages only showed the "Central" Main St location. So I put both, just in case...

Services offered: Demographic Served: Children; Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach
Updated Aug 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3329

Bread Basket/Petra Project (Rock Solid Ministries)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church – Community Outreach
1024 EAST MAIN ST., Richmond, IN 47374
Phone 765–962–5099
Web www.rocksolid1024.org
Hours Daily Meals 4:30–6
Serves Wayne Co., IN
Service Temporary

Pantry and Soup Kitchen

From the website:

http://www.rocksolid1024.org/pdfs/nl.pdf

FAX 765–962–9389
EMAIL rocksolid1024@att.net
WEB www.rocksolid1024.org

Petra Project is the Outreach organization that works within Rock Solid Ministries.

The Petra Project Board is shifting business to the formation and foundation of the Petra House Recovery Center. This will be a long term, residential rehab center that will be Christ centered and Spirit filled. We will begin with a men's program and expand to a women's program later. Our first need is a house or building to open in. If you know of a property, call us at the church.

Petra House Recovery Center:

Our area is in need of a Christ–based addiction program that provides intensive care and instruction in living that will give men with addiction problems a clean living base to build their lives on. Petra House will be a live–in program with 24 hour assistance that will provide that base. Powered by 'Turning Point' ministry curriculum and Teen Challenge training courses, trained personnel will administer the program along with on sight living skill training in a structured 24/7 format. This program is due to open in spring of 2009.

Services offered: Community Outreach Programs; Demographic Served: Addicts, Recovering; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Dinner; Services, Substance Abuse, Residential Program (Drug/Alcohol); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Medical, Education, Smoking Cessation, Quit Smoking
Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings; Ending Extreme Poverty
Updated Mar 23, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3330

Caitlyn's Cupboard

Walk–in Resource

Food Pantry
2339 W. Cart Rd, Richmond, IN 47374
Serves Wayne Co., IN
Service Temporary

Food Pantry
Mobile Food Pantry

Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf

Can not find website or phone number.

http://www.gleaners.org/hunger_charities.shtm

Lighthouse Assembly Of God
2339 W Cart Rd
Richmond, IN 47374–1101
(765) 966–7525
Updated Jul 18, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3333

Circle – U – Help Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Social Services
19 N. 13th St., Richmond, IN 47374
Phone (765) 966–1013
Hours Pantry: Last Sat.10–2, Meals: Tues 10–12, Sat 11–12
Serves Wayne Co., IN
Service Temporary

Lunch is served at our on–site soup kitchen on Tuesdays 10:00 am until 12:00 noon.

Lunch is also served on Saturdays from 11:15 am until 12:30 pm. (Doors open at 10:00 am and close at 2:00 pm)

Weekend lunches are delivered to shut–ins on Saturday mornings.

Food bags are distributed on Saturdays from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm.

Clothing and small household items are distributed through our clothing room on Tuesdays and Saturdays from 10:00 am until 12:00
noon.

No fee is charged for any service.

Food Pantry

Hours of Operations Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf

Available:
Clothing
Soup Kitchen
Food Pantry

Available Services Per: http://www.waynet.org/socialservices/default.htm

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Lunches, Misc.; Meals, Mobile Meals
Campaigns: Ending Extreme Poverty
Updated Aug 30, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3334

Concerned Citizens Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
734 n. 15th St., Richmond, IN 47374
Phone (765) 966–5121
Hours Fourth Sat. 8–11
Serves Wayne Co., IN
Service Temporary

Food Pantry

Hours of Operations Source:
Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana.
Info collected 3/2007
http://www.gleaners.org/documents/GleanersFoodBankofIndianaCharityList.pdf

Phone number source: http://www.waynet.org/socialservices/

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)
Updated Mar 23, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3335

Gateway Church (Gateway Vineyard Fellowship)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
3361 State Road 227 North, Richmond, IN 47375
Phone 765–966–6016

Contact contact us for details
Email ChrisMonaghan@Juno.com
Web www.gatewayrichmond.com
Hours Food Pantry, Sat 10–11
Serves Wayne Co., IN
Service Temporary

Madison's Mission's food pantry serves the Richmond, Indiana area. We established our food pantry in February 2006 as an outreach ministry of Gateway Vineyard Fellowship. With the tough economic times, we've seen an explosion in the number of families using our food pantry. We currently serve over 900 families per week. Many of these families have told us that they do not know what they would do without the help we've been able to give them. Our food pantry is open every Saturday from 7:00am to 11:00am. We are glad to help anyone needing groceries. The only requirements are 1) you can only get one bag of groceries per address, and 2) the first time you come you must register by showing something that verifies your address (ID, license, utility bill or rent receipt, etc.). In 2008 we have helped over 2,600 different families.

Every month Madison's Mission sponsors a Truckload Food Give–away in the parking lot of Gateway Vineyard Fellowship. Doors open at 8:00am with the truck arriving about 9:30am. The giveaway is over at 11:00am. Anyone and everyone is welcome to come and get food. The only requirements are 1) you can only get one bag of food per address, and 2) the first time you come you must register by showing something that verifies your address (ID, license, utility bill or rent receipt, etc.). We ask that you bring a box or some other type of container (such as a laundry basket) to put your food in. For the date of the next Truckload Food Give–away go to:

http://www.gatewayvineyard.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=38&Itemid=61

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)
Updated Nov 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3338

Lord's Locker

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief, Emergency Distribution Site
102 S Pleasant Street, Trafalgar, IN 46181

Phone (317) 878–7708
Web www.franklin–in.gov
Hours See Notes
Serves Johnson Co., IN
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods
Service Temporary

Clothing Distribution for Flood Survivors:

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday & Wednesday, 9 a.m. to noon third Saturday of the month

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3322

Japan

FON (free wifi access for survivors and relief workers)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Web blog.fon.com/en/archive/fon/fon–community–gives–free–wifi–access–at–500000–hotspots–in–japan–to–help–people–connect–after–tsunami.html
Service Temporary

See map of hotspots:

WARNING: We just got a report that the map isn't accurate. A hotspot is shown outside of someone's house and he knows there's no hotspot there. TF

http://maps.fon.com/

or

http://corp.fon.com/en/fonspots/

FON, a company which manages a large network of wi–fi hotspots, is opening up its 500,000 hotspots in Japan to web surfers for free until the country's state of emergency comes to an end.

Source:

Lisa Hulme–Jones: BuddeComm Senior Analyst
Paul Budde Communication Pty Ltd
5385 George Downes Drive
Bucketty NSW 2250, Australia
www.budde.com.au
Tel 02 4998 8144, Fax 02 4998 8247
email: paul @ budde.com.au

Services offered: Services, Tech, Internet Access; Services, Tech, Internet Services; Services: Tech, Internet, Wi–Fi Access (FREE); Tech, Communication Systems, Volunteer
Campaigns: 2011 Japan Earthquake/Tsunami/Nuclear Disasters
Updated Mar 20, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7792

KS

Convoy of Hope – Greensburg, KS

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
Greensburg, KS
Phone (417) 827–4778
Web www.convoyofhope.org

Organized through Assembly of God Churches, Samaritans Purse, and Billy Graham Ministries. Feeding onsite in Greensburg. Focusing on casework, counseling and clean up.

See Greensburg news updates on the Convoy of Hope website at:

http://www.convoyofhope.org/usnews.php

Convoy of Hope has partnered with Lighthouse Worship Center in Greensburg, which was also destroyed.

Convoy of Hope is also assisting outlying farming communities, also affected by the storm.

Contact is:

Steve Irwin (sirwin@convoyofhope.org) or Paul Coroleuski,
Disaster Response Coordinators
(417) 827–4778

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); First Responder, Gulf Region; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1461

Kiowa County Health Department

Walk–in Resource · Open

County
On the Square, Greensburg, KS
Phone 620–388–4544

Respiratory protection is recommended for all workers. Dust masks are available at the Kiowa County Health Department on the square.

FREE CHILD SAFETY SEATS available from the Kiowa County Health Department at 620–388–4544.

Kiowa County Hotline is: 316–723–2136

Services offered: Baby, Baby Car Seat; Masks, Dust Masks
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1467

Haviland Friends Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
205 N Kingman, Haviland, KS 67059
Phone (620) 862–5258

Web None

Via call to Lois at Haviland Friends Church/1:00 pm CST:

"The number is more like 400 evacuees in Haviland, KS ~ The Command Center is at Haviland High School ~ Red Cross is currently BB'Q'ing burgers for evacuees, plenty of food and shelter room ~ Only ten people sheltering at Barclay College (This is alumni weekend so they are pretty full up on space) ~ Haviland Friends Church has no needs at this time ~ Wal–Mart has brough in more than enough water ~ We are feeding shelter residents sandwiches and chips – Many evacuees have left our church – Relatives have come to pick them up".

Will check back in with them in a week to assess their role as they will likely be involved in assisting with debri removal – LTel

Services offered: Counseling, Spiritual; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Services, Church/Worship Services; Shelter, Emergency Shelter
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Jun 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1409

Haviland Library

Walk–in Resource · Open

115 N Main, Haviland, KS
Hours M–F 1 p to 5 p

Delores Williams, Librarian

Services offered: Services, Tech, Internet Access
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated Jun 6, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1434

United Methodist Church (Also see United Methodist Disaster Relief/ Greensburg)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
322 N. Main, Haviland, KS
Phone 620–862–5267
Hours 9 am – 6 pm

VOAD Meeting Notes 9/25/08

The Haviland United Methodist Church Clothing Store will close 10/13/07

From the KS West Conference of the UMC website 5/18/07:

Individual volunteers are needed to assist with the distribution centers (clothing, personal items, etc.) at Haviland United Methodist Church, 620–862–5267, and at Mullinville United Methodist Church, 620–548–2585. Please contact the churches to volunteer for the distribution centers.

"CLOTHING AND PERSONAL ITEMS: Are available at the Mullinville and Haviland United Methodist Churches between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m."

United Methodist Disaster Relief is providing financial assistance to Greensburg residents at Haviland UMC.

Services offered: Case Management, UMCOR ; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Hair, Shampoo/Conditioner; * KITS, BEDDING KITS, NEW or Gently Used Items; Linens, Bedding, Sheets * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toys, * NEW, In Original Packaging, Kids – All Ages (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee
Updated Oct 14, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1429

United Methodist Disaster Relief (Also see United Methodist Church/Haviland, KS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

United Methodist Disaster Relief
322 Main Street, Haviland, KS
Phone (620) 727–7892

(PER VOAD MEETING NOTES FROM 5/11/07)

Nancy Proffitt
(620) 727–7892
nproffitt@cox.net

Has hot food trailer in Greensburg. Disaster Response office located at the United Methodist Church in Haviland, KS.

"CLOTHING AND PERSONAL ITEMS: Are available at the Mullinville and Haviland United Methodist Churches between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m."

United Methodist Disaster Relief is providing financial assistance to Greensburg residents at:

United Methodist Church
322 N. Main
Haviland, KS

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1462

Central Kansas Veterinary Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Animal Clinic
515 W. Blanchard, Hutchinson, KS 67505
Phone (620) 663–8387 or (620) 662–7387
Web www.centralksvet.com/542097.html
Checks payable to Central Kansas Veterinary Center

Central Kansas Veterinary Center in South Hutchinson is also accepting donations for the Pratt Humane Society. Central Kansas is currently treating five of the displaced animals. The address of CKVC is:

Central Kansas Veterinary Center
515 W. Blanchard
South Hutchinson, KS 67505
(620) 663–8387 or (620) 662–7387
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 16, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1439

Disabled American Veterans

Walk–in Resource · Open

Government
5500 E. Kellogg, Wichita, KS 67211
Phone 316–688–6722
Web www1.va.gov/directory/guide/facility.asp?ID=253

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS (located at the U.S. Dept. of Veteran Affairs Regional Office in Wichita) is providing transportation to and from the VA Medical Center in Wichita. Call 316–688–6722 for disabled veterans disaster relief.

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS LOCATED AT THE U.S. DEPT. OF VETERAN AFFAIRS REGIONAL OFFICE IN WICHITA:

American Legion (316)688–6814
American Veterans (AMVETS) (316)688–6846
Blinded Veterans of America (316)688–6814
Catholic War Veterans (316)688–6814
Disabled American Veterans (316) 688–6722
Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs (316)688–6814
Millitary Order of Purple Heart (316)688–6803

Paralyzed Veterans of America (316)688–6875
Veterans of Foreign Wars (316)688–6801

Services offered: Demographic Served: Veterans; Services, Veterans, Veterans Impacted By Disaster; Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado
Updated May 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1465

Goodwill Industries Easter Seals of Kansas

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based, Non–Profit, Charity
Executive Offices; 3636 N. Oliver, Wichita, KS 67208
Phone (316) 744–9291

Goodwill Industries Easter Seals of Kansas is making clothing and household item vouchers available to those who were affected by the tornado last weekend. Vouchers are available through the Red Cross or at any Goodwill store:

Andover, KS
415 S. Andover Rd. –– (316) 218–1800
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

Ark City, KS
2127 N. Summit –– (620) 442–1635
10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
(Closed Sunday)

El Dorado, KS
2336 W. Central –– (316) 321–3125
10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
(Closed Sunday)

Garden City, KS
2005 E. Kansas –– (620) 275–1007
9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday

Great Bend, KS
1705 Main St. –– (620) 792–4000
9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday

Hutchinson, KS
1707 N. Waldon Rd. –– (620) 662–6500
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

Hays, KS
1010 E. 43rd St. –– (785) 623–4047
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday

Junction City, KS
1008 W. 6th –– (785) 238–8920
9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday

Maize, KS
3737 N. Maize Rd. –– (316) 729–6600
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

Salina, KS
2640 S. Planet Ave. –– (785) 827–8944
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

Wichita, KS
3636 N. Oliver –– (316) 744–3822

9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday

5025 S. Broadway –– (316) 522–1234
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

5525 W. Central –– (316) 942–9901
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday
1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday

Donations will be accepted at all of our stores. However, because of the time it takes to sort and shelve these items, victims will have access to already sorted items in the Goodwill stores. As the new donations are sorted, they will be added to the store racks.

Our deepest sympathies go out to all those affected by the recent weather throughout our state.

Mission Statement

Our mission is to provide education, training and employment opportunities...for people with disabilities or other barriers to employment. Goodwill Industries Easter Seals of Kansas' programs strive to improve the quality of life for people of all ages, regardless of disability.

We serve more than 500 people with disabilities or other barriers to employment each year. Goodwill Industries Easter Seals of Kansas also employs more than 280 people.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Jobs, Paying; Medical Equipment, LOAN ONLY; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Food Vouchers; Vouchers, Household Items, Vouchers; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Goodwill Industries International, Inc.
Updated May 11, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1437

Kansas Food Bank (Also See J.C. Food Bldg. in Pratt, KS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit
1919 E. Douglas, Wichita, KS 67211

Phone	316–265–4421
Web	www.kansasfoodbank.org
Hours	6:30 am – 7 pm M–Sat.
Checks payable to	Kansas Food Bank
Service	Temporary

ALSO SEE J.C. FOOD BLDG. FACILITY RECORD IN THE DATABASE

UPDATE/VOAD MEETING NOTES – 5/22/07
http://www.ksvoad.org/pdf/5_22_2007%20VOAD%20NOTES.pdf:

Bryan Walker:
Still diverting donations to the KS Food Bank in Wichita to avoid overwhelm. KS Food Bank will be available for long term needs and supply food for as long as it takes. In addition to, rakes and wheelbarrows are being sent from KS City.

From the KS FOOD BANK website:

In addition to donations of money, a limited amount of supplies is being sought for the victims of last weekend's tornadoes.

Bath towels, for example, are needed by people even if they're staying with relatives, said Monique Garcia, a volunteer working with the Salvation Army in Haviland.

Denture cleaner is another item that has been requested by the older population of Greensburg than, say, the diapers that have already been donated, she said.

But kind–hearted people should keep in mind that the population of Greensburg is small, and if one person donates a case of denture cleaner, that will probably do it, said Brian Walker of the Kansas Food Bank, which is serving as a drop–off site for the items. People can call ahead before donating items to be sure they are still needed, Walker said. The phone number is:

316–265–4421.

The Food Bank, 1919 E. Douglas in Wichita, is storing the goods and sending them out as they're needed, controlling the amount that is delivered to Haviland, where storage space is limited, Walker said.

"That eliminates a disaster within a disaster," he said.

No clothing is being accepted for donation. Deliveries can be made to the Food Bank from 6:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. through Saturday. If you want to take something out Sunday, call first.

Here is the list of needed items. They should be new, not used.

? Bath towels

? Bedding

? Pillows

? Laundry detergent

? Dog and cat food

? Denture cleaner

? Canes

From the KS East Conference United Methodist Website:

Kansas Food Bank coordinating donations

The Kansas Food Bank is coordinating donations of food and supplies for the Greensburg area in cooperation with the Salvation Army and other volunteer organizations, including Church World Service and the United Methodist Disaster Response from the Kansas Area.

Items requested include:

#10 cans of non–perishable food
Work gloves
Trash bags
Snack food
Personal care items
Cleaning supplies
Rakes
Shovels
Tarps

NO CLOTHING PLEASE

Items may be delivered to the Kansas Food Bank at 1919 E. Douglas in Wichita. For questions, contact the Food Bank at 316–265–4421.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado; America's Second Harvest; CWS ~ Church World Service; Salvation Army; UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a

State Level Member)
Updated Jan 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1444

KY

Owsley County Outreach

Walk–in Resource · Open

680 Morris Fork Rd, Booneville, KY 41314

Phone Phone (606) 398–2526 • Cell (606) 493–6007
Web www.owsleycountyoutreach.org
Checks payable to Owsley County Outreach
Service Temporary

Thrift Store

Located in Booneville, Kentucky on Main Street. Our NEW thrift store sells clothing, shoes and housewares to support our food ministry and backpack program. Clothing for a few dollars really helps local folks clothe their entire family. It is the ONLY location inside of a 50 mile radius to shop for inexpensive clothing.

All the people of Northern KY. Thank you for your donations.

If you would like to drop off clothing, the POD is in Alexandria, KY behind the Masonic Temple. Or we gladly accept a money donation, too. Can be done on Pay Pal on Donate Link or mailed to Owsley County Outreach 689 Morris Fork Rd Booneville, KY 41314

Food Ministry

Backpack Ministry

The Backpack programs sends filled backpacks home each weekend with seven easily pre–pared meals and two to three snacks with the children. These children have been identified by teachers and school Resource Center personnel as having little or no food from Friday's school lunch until breakfast on Monday at 7:30 AM

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Children, BackPack Program ; Thrift Store
Updated Mar 10, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4405

International Center, tornado response, helping 60–70 families

Walk–in Resource · Open

806 Kenton St, Bowling Green, KY

Phone (270) 781–8336
Service Temporary

icofky @ outlook.com

While this site has been focused on resettling refugees, in the aftermath of the tornados, we hear that it's also become a site helping 60–70 families devastated by the tornadoes

Services offered: Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 16, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10501

Christian Appalachian Project (CAP) – Operation Sharing

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community Outreach/Disaster Recovery/Relief
P.O. Box 511, Lancaster, KY 40444

Phone (859) 792–3051 or 866–270–4227 or (606)523–5736
Web www.christianapp.org
Serves The northeast corner of Mississippi through the southwest corner of New York
Checks payable to Christian Appalachian Project
Service Permanent

3/12 Tornadoes Update from the site:
http://www.christianapp.org/2012/03/tornado–outbreak–hits–appalachia/

FACEBOOK – (Poverty in KY)
https://www.facebook.com/ChrisAppProj

Disaster Relief –
http://www.christianapp.org/who–we–are/disaster–relief/

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Volunteer, Resource Referrals; Books * (ANY/ALL Types); Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks;

Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Cleaning/Clean Up Supplies (Post Disaster); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Information Resource, Online Networking, YouTube; Jobs, Paying; Linens, Bedding * (ANY/ALL Types of Bedding) New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; School, Adult Education/Adult School; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Disaster Response; Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Services, Laundry Services (for Disaster Survivors); Services, Respite Program/Services; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Showers, Mobile Shower Trailor Unit; Training Classes, GED Preparation; Transportation, Emergency Evacuation, Transportation Services; Volunteer, Long-Term Volunteer Opportunities; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, International; Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Short-Term, Volunteer(s); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online; Warehouse, Warehouse Space; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water); Youth, After-School, Afterschool Program; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2009 Ice Storms; 2009 May Severe Storm & Tornado Support (KY/WV/MO); 2010 April, Mississippi Tornado; 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes-Floods-Wind Storms; 2012 Spring – Tornadoes; Christian Appalachian Project; Ending Extreme Poverty; Mission Fish (eBay); VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Mar 11, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/588

Catholic Action Center

Walk-in Resource · Open

400 E. 5th St; P.O. Box 324, Lexington, KY 40588
Phone (859) 255-0301
Web www.godsnet.info/catholicactioncenter.htm
Service Temporary

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facilities: Restrooms; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Updated Jan 6, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4840

Lowes, Shower and LaundryTrailers

Walk-in Resource · Open

in front of their Paris Rd location, Mayfield, KY
Service Temporary

Lowe's has shower and laundry trailers in front of their Paris Rd location!

source: Mayfield-Graves County Fairgrounds Facebook page

Services offered: Facilities: Laundry, Mobile Laundry Trailor Unit; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 24, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10509

Mayfield-Graves County Fairgrounds [Relief Supply Distro, water, toiletries, etc]

Walk-in Resource · Open

1001/1004 Kentucky 121 to get supplies; and 400 Opportunity Way, Mayfield KY 42066. This building is next door to Hoskins BBQ., Mayfield, KY
Phone 270-705-5888 Sandra Delk
Web business.facebook.com/pg/mayfieldgravescountyfairgrounds/posts/?ref=page_internal
Service Temporary

12-16-21: We have lots of volunteers during the day, but we would like to have an evening shift from 5-8pm. We do a lot of restocking during that time. We also need a few folks who like "Dirty Jobs" such as cleaning the bathrooms, sweeping after hours, and picking up trash.

12-16-21: Please alert everyone bringing donations of the new delivery address: 400 Opportunity Way, Mayfield KY 42066. This building is next door to Hoskins BBQ.

The Fairgrounds Relief Center has updated hours. The Fairgrounds will now be open for pickup from 8 am to 8 pm every day.

Disaster survivors can get water and toiletries, canned goods, water and other supplies at the site.

We need size 5,6 and 7 diapers and all sizes of pull-ups.

Auctioneers! We need tents!
We need them before the rain!
Help out us out here at Mayfield Fairgrounds!
Give me a call! 270-705-5888!

We need a night shift of volunteers to restock our tables tonight from 7pm to whenever. We also have semi's arriving during the night that need to unloaded. Thank you to everyone. Stay strong!

So many essentials have been distributed including lots of canned goods, however we need can openers. Also, all the flash lights and batteries are gone. Please help get the word out.

source: https://business.facebook.com/pg/mayfieldgravescountyfairgrounds/posts/?ref=page_internal

source: https://www.newsmax.com/us/kentucky-tornado/2021/12/14/id/1048687/

At lunchtime on Tuesday, hundreds of people converged on Mayfield-Graves County Fairgrounds, where a loosely organized group of volunteers with food trucks came from hundreds of miles away to provide free meals. The area has become a magnet for a range of relief efforts.

Services offered: Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Warehouse, Warehouse Space; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 17, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10496

Mercy Chefs, Kentucky Tornado Response [meals]

Walk-in Resource · Open

His House Ministries; 1250 KY-303, Mayfield, KY
Service Temporary

The nonprofit that serves meals following natural disasters has set up at His House Ministries, 1250 KY-303, Mayfield, Kentucky, and will distribute food over the next few days. Donate funds at https://mercychefs.com/donation.

source: https://www.yahoo.com/now/want-help-kentucky-communities-affected-205453564.html?soc_src=social-sh&soc_trk=ma
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes; Mercy Chefs
Updated Dec 15, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10497

Northside Baptist Church, need Spanish Translator

Walk-in Resource · Open

611 West Lockridge Street, Mayfield, KY
Phone 270-247-4861
Service Temporary

Josh Blanton !! Northside Baptist Church In Mayfield needs a Spanish translator !! Anyone ?!?
ETA I was passing the information along, I'm not physically there. The address and contact info is below. I feel like if they need the assistance that others might as well. Just another unique way to help. ❤

611 West Lockridge Street · Mayfield, KY 42066 · 270-247-4861

source: https://m.facebook.com/comment/replies/?ctoken=2405757306221897_2405797109551250&count=2&curr&pc=1&ft_ent_identifier=2405757306221897&gfid=AQDxzGpy6tGj_7_ThUQ&refid=52&ref=Footer&__ft__=mf_story_key.2405757306221897%3Atop_level_post_id.2405757306221897%3Atl_objid.2405757306221897%3Acontent_owner_id_new.1124655794332061%3Aoriginal_content_id.2107463422763556%3Aoriginal_content_owner_id.100004997564578%3Athrowback_story_fbid.2405757306221897%3Apage_id.1124655794332061%3Astory_location.4%3Aott.AX8WCb8rJ0mC3ukF%3Atds_flgs.3%3Athid.1124655794332061&__tn__=R
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 16, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10500

Shower trailers at the Walmart parking lot and at the YMCA

Walk-in Resource · Open

Mayfield, KY
Service Temporary

Shower trailers are at the Walmart parking lot and at the YMCA

source: Mayfield-Graves County Fairgrounds Facebook post 12-18-21

Services offered: Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 19, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10507

Tornado Response Supply Gathering Site, High Point Baptist Church

Walk-in Resource · Open

220 W Farthing St., Mayfield, KY 42066
Service Temporary

Some of the most needed items include flashlights, new bedding, air mattresses, diapers, towels, and water. Jones said a crew of volunteers will be heading to Kentucky on Thursday; to drop off supplies at High Pointe Baptist Church.

source: https://www.waff.com/2021/12/15/marshall-county-organization-collect-donations-tornado-victims-kentucky/
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 15, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10499

Jubilee Christian Assembly

Walk-in Resource · Open

Faith-Based Community Outreach
1978 South Mayo Trail, Pikeville, KY 41501
Phone 606-639-9463 OR 606-437-0292
Web www.jubileechristianassembly.com
Service Temporary

Operation Eat -

This ministry provides food to approximately 300 low-income families each month. We also deliver food to the homes of the elderly and those with homebound disabilities. Along with distribution of food, each month we provide clothing to those who qualify through our Clothes Closet.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution, Clothing Closet; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/Elderly)
Updated May 20, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4395

Thankful Heart Food Pantry

Walk-in Resource · Open

Community
648 Adams Road, Pikeville, KY 41501
Phone (606) 437-6221
Serves Pike County, KY
Eligibility Needy Residents / Impacted by the 5/09 Floods
Service Temporary

Listed under "How To Help" for 5/09 Flooding in Pike County:

Furniture donations: Thankful Heart Food Pantry, 648 Adams Road, Pikeville, Ky. 41501, (606) 437-6221.

Services offered: Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2009 May Severe Storm & Tornado Support (KY/WV/MO)
Updated May 22, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4367

St. Vincent Mission

Walk-in Resource · Open

Prestonsburg, KY
Phone 606.886.2513
Hours Monday - Friday - 8:30a.m - 3:30p.m.
Service Temporary

Emergency Needs Program ~

St. Vincent Mission gives Christian service to people by providing food, clothing and household items or assistance in reaching the proper agency where help can be found. Help with an unexpected car repair, loss of home to fire, rent, medical needs or increase utility cost may also be given.

Eligible applications who are physically able give community service hours to St. Vincent Mission in exchange for financial assistance.

Food Pantry ~

The food pantry serves people in Floyd and Magoffin county

Second Hand Store ~

St. Vincent's second hand store or "David Boutique" helps low-income families purchase used clothing or household items at a reasonable price.

Clothing and household items are provided free to families in crisis.

We especially need Household items, appliances and furniture

Used clothing is accepted January through September. Summer clothing is especially needed.

Home Repairs ~

The Home Repair mission serves several counties in our area. We have helped people add a room to take care of a family member, helped people rebuild who have had a fire or flood and built countless wheelchair ramps for those who could not normally have afforded it.

Volunteer Programs ~

The Mission hosts groups of college students, churches and individual volunteers from across the nation who come to repair substandard housing.

The work projects may consist of re–roofing a house, building a room addition, building a wheelchair ramp, or doing other home repairs for substandard housing. Volunteers usually raise the funds to finance their participation. Volunteers leave Eastern Kentucky with a better understanding of the positive and negative aspects of the region, the coal industry and the local people.

Scholarship Fund ~

St. Vincent Mission is committed to helping those who wish to get a higher education be able to get one. The Mission funds educationall scholarships to students who show financial need and the ability to maintain college level work.

Christmas Store ~

The Mission provides a Christmas Store each December for families who would otherwise have little or nothing for Christmas. Donations of new clothes, toys, tools, household items, personal care items, cleaning products laundry supplies and money are solicited throughout the year by the Mission staff for distribution in mid–December.

Invitations are sent to the most needy families in the area in early December. When the parents arrive to select Christmas gifts for their families they are asked to donate two dollars to the Mission. The second year a family participates in the Christmas program they are asked to take part in budget counseling.

Each subsequent year families are asked to give 12 hours of community service at St. Vincent Mission, a local school or other non–profit organization.

Boone Clinic ~

St. Vincent Mission is currently hosting GED classes through the Big Sandy Technical College intthe Boone Clinic building. For information on how to sign up for the GED classes please call: 606.886.2513.

Counseling is also available through the Catholic Diocese of Lexington Social Service Bureau in the Clinic. For more information please call 606.886.2513

Summer Youth Programs ~

St. Vincent Mission's volunteers lead Vacation Bible School at St. Martha's Catholic Church in Prestonsburg, KY each summer. The theme for 2009 is "Paul and The Underground Church" which will be held June 15th through 19th, 2009.

If you are interested in having your children attend Vacation Bible School – please contact Joyce at 606.886.2513.

David Appalachian Crafts ~

http://davidapp.007gb.com/index.html

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Construction, Emergency Home Repair Services; Construction, Home Repair Services (For Seniors/Elders); Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Housing, Volunteer Housing ($ NOT FREE); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Training Classes, GED Preparation; Volunteers, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types)

Updated Mar 10, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4406

Hospice of the Bluegrass (FREE COUNSELING) – 3/12 Tornadoes

Walk–in Resource · Open

SEE NOTES, Various, KY

Service Temporary

Hospice of the Bluegrass offers counseling in areas hit by tornadoes
By Herald–Leader Staff Report
Posted: 4:32pm on Mar 6, 2012; Modified: 5:56am on Mar 7, 2012

Read more here: http://www.kentucky.com/2012/03/06/2097849/hospice–of–the–bluegrass–announces.html#storylink=cpy

Hospice of the Bluegrass announced Tuesday that grief counselors are available to anyone affected by tornadoes in any of the 32 Kentucky counties served by Hospice.

"The thoughts and prayers of the entire Hospice of the Bluegrass organization go out to the communities affected by this tragedy," Hospice president and chief executive Gretchen Brown said. "Hospice staff and volunteers live, work and serve patients in five of

the counties that were hit particularly hard by last week's tornadoes. Hospice staff is collecting donations to help with immediate needs, and grief counselors are available now and for as long as needed to help these communities heal."

People can reach grief counselors at any of the following numbers:

- (606) 437–3700 (Magoffin, Floyd and Pike counties)
- (606) 439–2111 (Morgan, Wolfe, Breathitt, Leslie, Perry, Knott and Letcher counties)
- (606) 573–6111 (Harlan and Bell counties)
- (606) 523–3090 (Whitley, Knox, Clay and Laurel counties)
- (859) 441–6332 (Campbell, Kenton, Boone, Gallatin, Carroll and Grant counties)
- (502) 223–1744 (Owen, Franklin, Anderson and Woodford counties)
- (859) 234–6462 (Scott, Harrison, Bourbon and Nicholas counties)
- (859) 276–5344 (Fayette and Jessamine counties)

SOURCE: http://www.kentucky.com/2012/03/06/2097849/hospice–of–the–bluegrass–announces.html#storylink=cpy

Services offered: Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities
Campaigns: 2012 Spring – Tornadoes
Updated Mar 11, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9119

Warfield Kentucky, Flood Response Supplies Pickup/Donate

Walk–in Resource · Open

Warfield, KY
Web www.wklw.com/2022/07/29/city–of–warfield–collecting–supplies–for–flood–victims
Service Temporary

The City of Warfield is collecting supplies for the flood victims.

Items can be dropped off at Warfield City Hall today thru Monday from 8:00 am until 5:00 pm.

Supplies can be baby items, water, all cleaning supplies, clothes and shoes, nonperishable food items, toys, toiletries, and any items people think the flood victims could use.
Campaigns: 2022 US Flooding
Updated Aug 29, 2022 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10524

Kentucky Flood Response: Supply pickup/Drop off [FLOOD BUCKET CONTENTS]

Walk–in Resource · Open

KY
Web www.kyumc.org/2022–south–east–ky–flood–updates
Service Temporary

FLOOD BUCKET DROP OFF SITES
Heartland District –
St. Matthews UMC's River City Campus, 4611 Lowe Road, Louisville.
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9am – 12pm
Wednesday Evening 5pm - 8pm
Special drop–off available on Mondays –
Call Rev. Renee Jennings/Church Office to schedule
Elizabethtown College Heights, 710 College Street Rd
Monday through Friday 8am – 12pm
Call the church office to schedule a special drop–off time.

Kentucky East –
Advance UMC, 1007 Bellefonte Road, Flatwoods KY 41139
Pikeville UMC, 107 Main Street, Pikeville KY 41501

Northern Kentucky District –
Immanuel–Boone Campus, 1440 Boone Aire Road, Florence, KY 41042
Contact Rev. Chad Brandt for appointment (Cutoff Date is August 26)
Cell# – (989) 965–0977 chad@immanuelumc.org
Central UMC Mission Center, 912 E. Second St., Maysville, KY
Williamstown, 206 Paris St., Williamstown, KY 41097
Fridays 8am–10:30am, 1pm–4pm (Cutoff Date is August 26)
For other times contact Rev. Bobby Stinnett:
Cell # – 270–668–7028 bobbystinnett1979@hotmail.com

Carlisle, 102 E Chestnut Street, Carlisle KY 4031
Monday 9am–1pm; Wednesday 6:30pm–8pm; Saturday 10am–12pm (Cutoff Date is August 26)
For other times contact Rev. Laura Barkley
Cell # – 815–302–1770 pastorlaurabarkley@gmail.com

Carrollton Area – Carrollton Probation and Parole Office
1209 Highland Ave. Suite U, Carrollton, KY 41008
Thursdays (excluding August 4) 5:30pm–6:30pm (Cutoff Date is August 26) NO OTHER TIMES AVAILABLE. Please contact Melissa Smith upon arrival and/or if you are going to be late. (270) 735–6712

District Event at Kincaid State Park
Day: Saturday, August 27, 2022
Time: 11am–3pm
Kincaid Lake State Park Picnic Pavilion
565 Kincaid Park Rd., Falmouth, KY 41040

Owensboro District –
Wesleyan Heights UMC, 1215 Scherm Road
9:00 am – 3:00 pm Monday – Thursday
9:00 am – noon on Fridays

Leitchfield UMC, 201 W. Main St.
Monday thru Friday, 8 am - 4 pm
Call first, 270–259–4019 or 270–302–9001

Pennyrile District –
Ogden Memorial UMC, 305 W Main Street Princeton KY
8:30am - 3:30pm Mon–Thur
Or call 270–365–3528 to schedule a drop off.
Hanson UMC, 2740 Brown Badgett Loop Hanson KY
9–Noon Mon–Thur
Or call 502–553–3306 to schedule a drop off.
Petrie Memorial UMC, 202 E Main Street Elkton KY
9–Noon Mon—Thur
Or call 270–265–2298 to schedule a drop off.

South Central –
Scottsville First UMC, 400 East Main Street
You may also contact Teddi Moore, South Central District Disaster Response Coordinator to arrange pick up of items or with questions. twmoore42@hotmail.com (270–237–0136)

South East Kentucky District –
Ferguson UMC, 500 Jackson St. Ferguson, KY 42533
(Just south of Somerset)
Tuesdays: 9am – 3pm or call 606–307–0129

Barbourville First UMC, 312 N. Main St. Barbourville, KY 40906
Monday – Friday: 9am – 12pm
Or call 606–546–3695 to make drop–off arrangements.

London First UMC, 301 W. Fifth St. London, KY 40741
Call 606–864–5226 Monday – Friday: 10am – 2pm
to make drop–off arrangements.

FLOOD BUCKETS:
https://umcmission.org/umcor–cleaning–kit/?fbclid=IwAR1Bf6M4NDv5HwysFgtLjZVkN9dk4cGUYqxVtyF4d7JiDpRWZ6a7aIGhQAI

UMCOR Cleaning Kit
Enabling those affected by floods, hurricanes and tornadoes to begin the overwhelming job of cleaning up.

UMCOR Cleaning Kit Assembly & Shipping Instructions (Kit Value: $75 per bucket)
Cleaning Kit Materials
Assembly Directions
Important Notes
Packing & Shipping Instructions
One five–gallon round bucket with re–sealable lid (14.35” h x 12.19” w x 12.19” d)
No screw lids
May be used, but must be free from all residual product
Advertisements on the outside acceptable

One 32–64 oz. bottle liquid laundry detergent
One 16–40 oz. bottle liquid concentrate household cleaner
No spray cleaners
One 16–34 oz. bottle dish soap
One 4–8 oz. pump spray air freshener (liquid, not gel)
One 6–14 oz. pump spray insect repellent (pack of 10–20 wipes also acceptable)
Pump spray bottles must have protective covers
One scrub brush
With or without handle
18 re–useable cleaning wipes
No terrycloth, microfiber or paper towels
Remove from packaging
Five scouring pads
No stainless–steel pads with soap in them
Remove from packaging
36–50 clothespins
One 50–100 ft. clothesline (cotton or plastic line)
24 roll of heavy–duty trash bags (33–45–gallon sizes)
Remove from packaging
Five N95 particulate respirator dust masks (1–3 mm thickness)
No surgical masks
Two pairs kitchen gloves
Durable for multiple uses
Remove from packaging
One pair work gloves
Cotton with leather palm or all leather
Campaigns: 2022 US Flooding
Updated Aug 29, 2022 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10525

LA

Salvation Army

Walk–in Resource · Open

4600 Jackson Street, Alexandria, LA 71301

Phone 318 442–0445
Web www.uss.salvationarmy.org/uss/www_uss.nsf
Hours 9–4 M–Sat
Serves Rapides Parish
Service Temporary

Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Salvation Army
Updated Aug 31, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/440

H.O.P.E. MISSIONS INC.

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit, Faith–Based, Disaster Recovery
32058 H JEFFERSON RD, Angie, LA 70426

Phone 985–516–8306
Contact Valerie Liddell
Email hopemissionsinc@bellsouth.net
Web www.hopehashands.org
Hours M–W–F 1PM –5PM
Serves Washington Parish Surrounding Areas
Eligibility Poverty Stricken, Low–Income Families and Persons with Disability and Senior Citizens, Students, Storms and Burn out Victims.
Bring ID and Proof of Address and Income
Checks payable to H.O.P.E. MISSONS INC.
Service Permanent

NEWS:7/31/10: Angie ready for football with help of volunteers

By Peter Silas Pasqua
The Daily News

With the help of the local community, Angie Junior High will be able to field a football team this year.
Without mandated physicals, it wouldn't be possible and that is when community leaders stepped in to make sure that wouldn't happen.
Rev. Elder Liddell of Helping Oppressed People Emerge Missions, was conducting a mentoring program at the school when he

was informed the school was in need by principal Randy Branch.
“We were just sitting down one day and he said he didn’t know if he was going to have enough for the football team this year because none of the kids had any insurance and they weren’t able to get a bus to take them to get their physicals,” Liddell said.
Liddell told Branch he would contact Dr. Richard Friend of LSU Health Sciences Center. A meeting was set up and physicals were provided during the school’s prep day July 31.
Friend said checkups are something that LSU Rural Family Medicine Residency provides.
“Some kids in rural communities don’t have doctors and it is hard for their parents to get transportation sometimes, so we try to provide a community service through the residency program,” Friend said. “Whatever we have the resources to do.”
Friend’s staff also tried to link players up with their clinic if they did not have a physician.
“We do it as community outreach but it is also part of their sports medicine curriculum in training as family doctors,” Friend said.

5/10/10: Aid for commercial fishermen: St. Bernard Parish cliams center, Rosa Ducros Tennant Museum, 1345 Bayou rd. 8am–8pm, bring BP claims number, copy of driver license, W–2/financial informatiom. 1–800–440–0858.

5/1/10 : Oil spill JOBS! HELP WITH THE OIL SPILL CLEAN UP , work is thru. JOB 1 2330 canal street, (NOLA), New Orleans, La. Sat. 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM, Mon–Fri. 8:00 AM – 5:00 pm. Need to bring picture ID and Social Security card. Work last for weeks to months. For more information call : 1–877–529–6751.

As of 4/22/10: H.O.P.E. Missions has help 98 famiilies in the surrounding Washington Parish areas with supplies: building materials, furniture, assitance with permanent housing, family counseling, hurricane preparation, etc, also H.O.P.E. Missions has help other organizations as well as churches, schools. H.O.P.E. Missions will continue to serve the Washington Parish community, we have created a building fund, looking to build or purchase a building for storage space to house the supplies that we receive from our donors, H.O.P.E. Missions goal is to raise $50,000.00 for this project and the land has been purchase, this storage space will also house a food bank and other resources that will be beneficial to this rural community, We H.O.P.E. that you will partner with us by donating and or a finanical donation to reach H.O.P.E. Missions goal. H.O.P.E. Missions has grown tremendous since Hurricane Katrina/Rita, some may see this as a problem, its a good problem to have, when you see kids and parents getting excited about school and finding jobs and want to succeed in life, when people look to succeed it turns into success, kids making good grades now that they have a bed to sleep on verses the floor. This is the results when people have hope, we like to, once again to thank all of our donors for these results, we could not have done it without you.

4/8/10:The geographic location for these supplies is Washington Parish , US State of Louisiana. Our parish seat is Franklinton. In 2000 its population was 43,926. On August 29th , 2005, Hurricane Katrina hit this city with winds of 125mph downing tress and power lines. Many buildings in Washington Parish received damage from falling trees and many were destroyed. Most of the houses, businesses, and other buildings suffered roof damage from the storms ferocious winds. The ongoing and growing issue is that these damages were not repaired due to lack of funding and resources and the ensuing problem has compounded into deferred maintenance issue over the pass 4.5 years leaving these buildings unable to meet building codes and, in some cases, not repairable. In those cases the entire building, and or trailer, will have to be replace.

The median income for a household in the parish is approximately $24,264 and the median income for a family is approximately $29,480. The per capita income for the parish is $12,915.24, 70% of the population is below the poverty line.

5/8/09 H.O.P.E. Missions wrote this Letter to Brain Boyle/FEMA Individual Assistance Section Chief: H.O.P.E. Missions Inc, hereby requests to participate in the Mobile Home Donation Program and donation of 13 FEMA mobile homes and Park Models for use by our organization to provide housing assistance to disaster victims from FEMA (1603 OR 1607) (DR LA.) We have submitted proof of eligibility as a Non–Profit Charitable Organization in the form of certification as define by IRC 501(C)(3). We have also included Parish approval to place mobile homes and Park models. we here agree to obtain and maitain hazard insurance and flood insurance, if necessary. we will sent a list of disaster victims and their FEMA registration ID numbers for your review of eligibity.

We had (3) three clients pass away(Die) waiting on their Mobile homes and one client is about to move in her New Mobile home and one that is Pending lack of funds and the rest lost to paper work or fail to meet the deadline, I believe the deadline should been extended we are talking about people becoming homeless here. We still need housing here, people sleeping in cars, sheds, tents.

05/08: We would like to Thank Karen Iwicki and the Katrina Angels for their donated supplies. This gave H.O.P.E. Missions the opportunity to help numerous families in the Washington Parish areas. The situation here goes beyond Hurricane Katrina and Rita. What these storms did was open up the eye of the poverty situation we have in Washington Parish. A difference can be made and the NEED is still great, we have already made a difference in one family life, this family was homeless and living in their vehicle. H.O.P.E. Missions was able to put them back in their home. We are indebted to those for the guidance and help we have been provided in the development of our project. I'm reminded of what the Bible says in Proverbs 17:22. Should you require any information or questions in regards to our project, Please feel free to contact H.O.P.E. Missions Inc. Thank You and God Bless. Rev. Liddell.

8/07: Kathleen Johnson (Waveland Citizens Fund) visited this site today (8/6/07). There is very little hurricane damage, but a LOT of inappropriate poverty, and she encourages us to send as much as we can to Angie Louisiana. KJ is suggesting that Angie have more than one donation distribution site.

10/11/07: Rev. Alex Liddell (H.O.P.E. Missions Inc.) Angie JR High School needs Books, Elements of Writing – Holt, Rinehart and Winston – –copyright year 1998 – –Introductory Course, First Course, and Second Course: McDougall Littell Middle School

Math – Course 1, 2, 3, copyright year 2005: Also JR High School Science Books. And there are other schools that are in need. These Schools have to take turns sharing books because there are not enough to go around. We also have families that are in need of Furniture and Appliance. Thank You

Angie Distro Center is another distro site in Angie:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/918
There will probably be others.

See the other facilities in Angie to get a full picture
of the donations being shipped in (that we know about).

UPDATE: CAT sent in July:
– computers for training centers and community centers
– pre–algebra textbooks
– sporting goods (a couple of boxes only)

H.O.P.E. Mission Inc. has been created to stand in the gap of the community and serve our large and growing youth population and their families. Young people are full of potential, Yet poverty and the lack of Education stands as barriers to their Empowerment. When young people lack resources, they are deprived of the opportunity to be their best. The moment these young people develop Leadership Skills and Self–Confidence. Benefits will flow to their children and future generation and through out the community. We H.O.P.E. you will PARTNERSHIP with H.O.P.E. Missions Inc., In taken on this challenge so our young people can continue their Education and Training that will enhance both current and future skills

10/18–19/07: H.O.P.E Missions Inc was able to pass out Captain Beds to some of the needy in the Community. We still have a long way to go.

10/30/07: Thanks to Terra and her team, we were Bless with some Puppet Kits this past summer, and we were Bless to give Franklinton Jr High School one. We were invited today to attend the puppet show that these students created. It was great to see the enthusiasm the students had and to learn that they worked on this project for weeks. It was a moment, you had to be there to get the full picture. How this puppet kit brought out their hidden skills. The student had one problem with the kits, They would like to have more Furniture/Animals for the puppet show. Given the Resources and Opportunity our young people can enhance their empowerment. The Resources they can used are Books: Art/Artist Books; Where The Red Fern Grows – Author Wilson Rawls; Maniac Magee – Author Jerry Spinelli.

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Building Materials / Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Preparedness; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Oct 13, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1570

Community Center of St. Bernard

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Disaster Recovery
1107 Le Beau St., Arabi, LA 70032

Phone	office: 504–281–2512 cell: 504–617–2580
Contact	Contact the site or go to the site curing hours posted at www.ccstb.org
Email	ccstb@ccstb.org, ccstbp@yahoo.com
Web	www.ccstb.org
Checks payable to	The Community Center of St. Bernard
Service	Temporary

From the Site 6/10 – OIL SPILL UPDATE:

Since 2006 the Community Center of St Bernard has been here to help St Bernard families get the assistance they need, whether it's food, clothes, medical care, legal aid, counseling, or other services. Today the residents of St Bernard Parish, who have already survived Hurricane Katrina, are facing another disaster as the Gulf Oil Spill spreads, moving ever closer to their coastline. The oil spill is threatening the fish and seafood that many St Bernard families depend on to earn their living. A commercial and recreational fishing ban is currently in effect, and fishermen are signing up for our food pantry so that they will be able to feed their families until they can find other work. The Community Center is here, ready to help them in any way we can. But we can't do it alone. Please donate now so that we can continue to provide essential services like food and clothes to families in need.

With government estimates showing that more than 800,000 gallons of crude oil are now spilling out every day, the situation is becoming increasingly desperate. The federal fishing bans now cover one–third of the Gulf Coast, and commercial fishermen and other St Bernard residents who depend on the commercial and recreational fishing industries are signing up for the Community Center's food pantry so that they will be able to feed their families until they can find other work. The demand for basic services like food, clothes, and information are all up by more than 20% for the past month, with more families needing help every day.

9/5/08 LTel:

Spoke to Iray, they will be back to full operation Mon. 9/8 and are ramping up to distribute to the St. Bernard Parish community with the expecationt that the many evacuees returning will have a need to replace spoiled food and be financially challenged as a result of evacuation.

Americorps is delivering water, but he's going to assess if other hot spots need it more than they do before accepting it.

He's put in a request through the state for volunteers to assist next week with food distribution.

He asks that once Gustav efforts settle down to conference to update his facility entry in the database.

Services Available from the CCSTB:
(see schedule for services at www.ccstb.org)

Free local and long–distance phone service
Free fax send and receive
Free internet access with technical assistance if needed
Wireless internet access
Distribution center for food, clothes and toiletries
Food stamp assistance (LA DSS staff visits CCSTB every week!)
"Road Home" grant application assistance
Performance space for local musicians and artists
Computer training classes
Space for neighborhood gatherings, community meetings and support groups
Satellite office space for other agencies
Laundry facilities (coming soon!)
Community suppers
Family movie nights and other family–oriented gatherings
Yoga classes
Free Legal Clinics
Free Mobile medical van stops at CCSTB weekly

The Community Center of St. Bernard Parish is a grassroots, nonprofit organization that is committed to creating a vital community space for residents and volunteers who are working together to rebuild the Parish, post–Katrina.

Socialization is key to the rebuilding of St. Bernard Parish. Isolation is one of the most damaging effects of Katrina. Residents need a place to come together daily, to share a meal as well as their unbelievably surreal stories with others who understand. It's natural and human to eat together, especially in New Orleans where food is so much a part of the culture. Residents need free phones and the internet to rebuild their businesses.

They need a respectful place to feel comfortable taking donated supplies that arrive for them from all over the world. And they need to feel that they're contributing to the recovery process, too. No matter how hard they hurt inside.

The Community Center of St. Bernard will offer a non–political, non–denominational, safe and inclusive space to assist residents in their return home, where they can gather to reconnect as they rebuild their lives, businesses and neighborhoods.

The Community Center of St. Bernard
R.M. Iray Nabatoff
Executive Director
ccstbp@yahoo.com
504–617–2580

Donations Welcome!
The Community Center welcomes donations of canned foods, used clothing and books, personal hygiene items, cleaning supplies, and baby care items for free distribution to local residents through our Mustard Seed program. All items should be in good condition and food should not be opened or spoiled. For more information about making a donation, please contact Mustard Seed Distribution Manager Jason Horwitz at 504–281–2512.

The Community Center is currently seeking computers, Pentium IV or better, and flat panel monitors to upgrade the media lab, which provides free computer classes and internet access, as well as free telephone, printing, copying and faxing services.

Office needs: copier paper, Pentium IV or newer computers, flat panel monitors.

Mustard Seed needs: receipt printer (with usb connection), nonperishable food items, toiletries, cleaning products, donated or discounted forklift, and 14–16' box truck. Also clothing (good quality), toys and baby products.

There are also many hands–on volunteer opportunities available at the Community Center. To learn more, please go to www.ccstb.org/images/volunteers.pdf or phone the Community Center Office at 504–281–2512.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Food Stamp Outreach; Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Cleaning/Clean Up Supplies (Post Disaster); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Events, Community Meetings; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Jobs, Paying; * KITS, TOILETRY/COMFORT KIT, NEW Items ONLY; * KITS, TOILETRY KIT w/Towel; Library Services * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Hot Meals; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services: Legal Assistance for Disaster Survivors; Services, Tech, Fax Access (to USE a fax machine); Services, Tech, Internet Access; Services, Tech, Phone Access; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Computer Lab; Training Classes, Computers Skills; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth, Leadership Development; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; America's Second Harvest; AmeriCorps; Catholic Charities; Habitat For Humanity; United Way
Updated Jun 28, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/826

United Peace Relief – Feeding Site – Cleaning/Mucking Work Site

Walk–in Resource · Open

Baker, LA

Web www.facebook.com/groups/612467745613844
Service Temporary

From Rainbow Family FB page:
https://www.facebook.com/groups/612467745613844

BAKER ,LA – relief and kitchen effort
2400 Debra Drive, 70714

Please make all donations here:

http://www.unitedpeacerelief.org/page6/donate.html

(This link will take you to United Peace Relief PayPal page. This is the correct page – ALL DONATIONS TO THIS PAGE WILL BE GOING TO OUR LA FLOOD RELIEF EFFORTS)

Many thanks to United Peace Relief for giving us this umbrella under which to do charitable and loving work, and to Redemption Life Fellowship Church for allowing use of their property to create this collaborative effort.

IMPORTANT THINGS TO NOTE:

This is a feeding, cleaning, mucking relief effort.

Present ground crew is creating the infrastructure.

Request from ground crew to not arrive without prior communication with Asimina Triloba, and they determine the site to be safe and welcoming for all SELF–RELIANT and HEALTHY volunteers.

Please take this time, while awaiting word from the ground crew, to be sure you have whatever is required to be self–sufficient, and to network with your personal family and friends to support us with funds and/or supplies. This is not a Rainbow Gathering, it is a disaster relief effort and each person who arrives must be prepared to be part of the Relief & Solution.

**However kind your intention, we cannot allow drugs, alcohol, dogs or those with any criminal sexual history to be part of this effort. We do send you our love and gratitude for wanting to join us and help, though!!
Campaigns: 2016 Lousiana Flood; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Aug 27, 2016 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9985

Greater King David Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Non–Profit
911 North Lobdell Blvd, Baton Rouge, LA 70806
Phone 225 927–0577
Web www.greaterkingdavid.org

Hours 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, M–F, CST
Checks payable to Greater King David Baptist Church
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Greater King David Baptist Church, a non–profit, faith–based orgranization with a history dating back to 1922.The church derived its name from one of the Biblical history's greatest kings, King David.

The church's current Pastor John E. Montgomery, II is the sixth pastor serving since elected in 1988. Since assuming his duties Pastor Montgomery has established new programs, enhanced existing programs, and revised many previously abandoned programs.

Greater King David Baptist Church, "One Church Ministering in Two Locations".
North Location: 222 Blount Avenue (225)775–2343
Inner City Location: 7305 Harry Drive (225)927–4035
Corporate Building: 911 North Lobdell (225)927–0577

Greater King David Baptist Church has ended another chapter (year) of spiritual growth. Embodied in our eighty–fifth year, the Ministry has continued to carry out the great commission manadated by God.

GKDBC also provides a full range of Christian education including: Nursery and Pre–School Academy, Saturday and Sunday School, NBC, Wednesday Noon Day and Evening Bible Studyand Prayer Service, Vacation Bible School, Summer Enrichment Programs and various other ministries including: Deacon and Deaconess Ministry, Ushers (Senior, #2, Junior)Ministry, Music (Cherubim Choir, Mass Choir, Male Chorus, Adult Music, Youth Choir and Orchestra)Ministry, Brotherhood and Sisterhood Ministry, Health Care Ministry, Home Mission, Prison Ministry, Christian Couples and Singles Ministry, Greeters Ministry, Scouts Ministry (Boys,Cubs, Girls.

Services offered: Advocacy, Volunteer, Resource Referrals; Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; School, Pre–School; Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Sep 14, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1386

Katrina Aid Today (Baton Rouge)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
2156 Wooddale Blvd; Suite 139, Baton Rouge, LA 70806
Phone (225)926–2991
Web www.katrinaaidtoday.org/index.cfm
Service Temporary

Katrina Aid Today's Guiding Values for Humanitarian Relief

UMCOR’s Guiding Values for Humanitarian Relief Work

UMCOR is the humanitarian relief and development agency of the United Methodist Church, a worldwide denomination. For 65 years UMCOR has responded internationally to natural or human made disasters—those interruptions of such magnitude that they overwhelm a community’s ability to recover on its own.

UMCOR’s mission is to alleviate human suffering. We provide practical, proactive support to the most vulnerable survivors of chronic or temporary emergencies due to natural or civil causes.

UMCOR honors cultural differences. We deliver aid to people without regard to race, religion, politics, or gender. We seek input from local communities in identifying needs.

All people have dignity and worth. The most essential partner in UMCOR’s work is the beneficiary, the ultimate end–user of our service. There are no “victims” in our vocabulary. There are only survivors whose courage, along with a humanitarian helping hand, can transform communities.

UMCOR always works with partners—usually in local settings. Civic organizations, faith communities, school leaders and other local resources are great assets to sustainable recovery and development, particularly after massive traumatic events. They exist close to the beneficiary and will continue to serve as positive influences in the community after UMCOR’s work is complete.

UMCOR is a good steward of our gifts and grants. Private donors can designate their gifts to our programs with the assurance that 100% is spent on the programs. The 8.5 million members of the United Methodist Church assure our ability to guarantee this through undesignated giving that underwrites our general administrative expenses.

UMCOR manages its public grants with equal care, spending less than 10% on administrative costs.

UMCOR avoids tying the promise of its relief and development activity to any religious or political viewpoint.

UMCOR welcomes the good efforts of countless individuals and churches who support us through gifts and prayers and service. We incorporate volunteer action everywhere we can and ask our supporters to accept that sometimes it is not appropriate. We appeal to all volunteers to keep learning as their first objective so that the consequences of their service may become a true benefit.

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; CAN (Coordinated Assistance Network.); Catholic Charities Social Services; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Lutheran Disaster Response; Lutheran Episcopal Services of Mississippi; Salvation Army; UMCOR Relief Network; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster – this org is a member); Volunteers of America
Updated Sep 24, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1382

Louisiana Spirit Hurricane Recovery (Louisiana Dept. of Health & Hospitals)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Government Health Agency
445 N. 12th Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802

Phone 1–800–273–TALK (8255) HQ: (225) 219–5000
Web www.dhh.louisiana.gov/offices/?ID=231
Serves Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, and St. Bernard parishes, as well as throughout the North Shore
Service Temporary

OIL SPILL RESOURCE: DHH – Louisiana Spirit Coastal Recovery Counseling Program provides crisis counseling and referrals. Call 1–866–310–7977

Louisiana Spirit reaches out to communities affected by Katrina with referrals, educational services, and access to counseling services. Special outreach teams work with children, first responders and priority populations to address their critical needs. This program touches communities in Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, and St. Bernard parishes, as well as throughout the North Shore.

The Welcome Home Center in New Orleans has closed. Our counselors are still available 24 hours a day. If you need to speak with a counselor, call 1–800–273–TALK (8255).

If you have been affected by either Hurricane Katrina or Rita and want counseling, you can call 1–800–273–TALK (8255) to speak with someone or get an immediate referral to a crisis counselor.

Louisiana Spirit Core Service Provider Locations:

Service Area I

OMH/Metro CCP
3308 Tulane Avenue
Third Floor
New Orleans, La. 70119

Service Area II / Volunteers of America, Greater New Orleans

Northshore office:
823 Carroll Street, Suite B
Mandeville, Louisiana 70448

Service Area III / Options for Independence

761 West Tunnel Blvd, Suite D
Houma, LA. 70361

Service Area IV / Harmony Center, Inc.

3455 Florida Blvd
Baton Rouge, La. 70802

Service Area V / Volunteers of America, Greater Baton Rouge

Lafayette office: (Katrina)
216 LaRue France
Lafayette, LA 70503

Lake Charles office: (Rita)
340 Kirby Street
Lake Charles, LA 70601

Shreveport office: (Undeclared)
Highland Center (In–kind space)
520 Olive Street
Shreveport, LA

Administrative office: (Undeclared)
2156 Wooddale Blvd, Suite 100
Baton Rouge, LA 70805

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Disaster Recovery Services Hotline for Survivors; Services, Educational Services (See also Category for School)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2005 Hurricane Rita; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; Volunteers of America
Updated Jun 19, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2977

Belle Chasse Lions Center (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit, Community
308 J Street, Belle Chasse, LA 70037

Phone 504–875–0258
Hours Monday thru Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Serves Plaquemine Parish
Service Temporary

CATHOLIC CHARITIES COMMUNITY CENTERS

Community Centers provide long term case management, with direct assistance as part of a holistic approach to recovery.

New clients are only taken on the 1st or 2nd day of each month.

Please apply in person.

Emergency Relief Services:
Emergency Relief Services are based on a long term case management structure. A case manager helps identify the client's need, and by addressing this need, helps bring the client to self–sufficiency. Services include referral, budgeting tips, employment training and spiritual counseling. Financial assistance is available based on the client's greatest need, which could include rent, food, utilities, prescription drugs, furniture, crisis counseling, and miscellaneous assistance.

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Catholic Charities Community Services
Updated Sep 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2971

St. Bernard Project

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit, Disaster Recovery
8324 Parc Place, Chalmette, LA 70043

Phone (504) 277 6831
Web www.stbernardproject.org/v158
Serves St. Bernard Parish, Louisiana
Checks payable to St. Bernard Project/IH Center
Service Temporary

FACEBOOK –
https://www.facebook.com/stbernardproject

FROM THE UNITED WAY SITE 6/10:

United Way Impact Partners At Work

St. Bernard Project, a United Way partner agency, is responding to the spill by expanding their mental health clinic to Lower St. Bernard and Plaquemines and creating jobs for fisherman through their Good Work Good Pay (GWGP) program. The Center for Wellness and Mental Health will have increased hours of operation and will attempt to hire local shrimpers and/or their spouses as community outreach workers and peer counselors. The GWGP program will hire, train and pay livable, union–level wages with full benefits to local fishermen affected by the oil spill (as well as other local under– and unemployed individuals and war veterans.)

The Oil Spill and SBP (From the site)

The immediate ramifications of the oil spill and the long–term impact will result in mental health problems for the residents of St. Bernard, Plaquemines and Orleans parishes reports Michelle Many, Licensed Clinical Social Worker and Professor in LSU's Department of Psychiatry. The recent oil spill has already brought a blow to the prolonged recovery from Katrina, and LSU clinicians report that residents are suffering from re–traumatization. "Much research has shown that people who have a history of PTSD (as a quarter of Katrina survivors do), have an increased risk to develop PTSD again."

Uncertainty about the scope of the spill and the impact on residents' livelihoods, is causing increased stress. Receiving assistance checks makes many fishers feel a sense of shame. These feelings, along with the loss and anxiety about the worsening situation in the Gulf, can be triggers for major depression, anxiety and other acute mental health problems. Finally, because many shrimpers and fisherman are self–employed, they do not have health insurance and cannot afford to seek services from the other mental health providers in the community.

Via focus groups, we have learned:

1. fishermen are desperately afraid that they will not be able to support their families, and that generation–surviving employment, lifestyle and recreational pursuits will be forever foreclosed;
2. fishermen are staying away from home because they fear they will contaminate their families if they participate in cleanup and because they do not know how to healthily communicate with their family members about their anguish;
3. wives/partners do not know how to communicate with their husbands/partners to allay their own fears or to sooth/comfort their husbands;
4. suicidal ideations, debilitating anxiety and depression are increasing dramatically for people whose lives intertwine with a water–based culture; and
5. residents are amenable to receiving mental health and wellness services because they know that their current mental status will further debilitate them.

SBP's Proposed Solutions: Expand mental health services and create jobs

1. Conduct training and provide support for a Peer–to–Peer wellness and counseling program using a model that was effective post 911 in NYC;
2. Provide 42 additional clinical hours of free licensed mental health and wellness services
3. (one–on–one and group sessions) in current Chalmette location of our Center for Wellness and Mental Health; Replicate our Center for Wellness and Mental Health in Lower St. Bernard and in Plaquemines Parish and provide at least 70 clinical hours each week in each location;
4. Hire wives and family members of fishermen to conduct community outreach and referral services.

FROM THE SITE:

St. Bernard Project's Center for Wellness and Mental Health

Three years after Hurricanes Katrina and Rita rendered uninhabitable all 27,000 homes in St. Bernard Parish, less than 50% of the population has returned. Even for those who have returned, many are not yet living in their homes. Nearly 2,000 families still reside in FEMA trailers, and thousands of others live in FEMA/DHS supported housing (ending in March 2009) or in over–crowded family houses. In St. Bernard nearly 75% of the 25,000 homeowners did not have adequate insurance. These homeowners, following the recommendations outlined by FEMA’s flood maps, did not purchase flood insurance because they were told that their communities were not at risk of flooding.

Nearly two years after the federal government initiated its Road Home program to help families return and rebuild, an unacceptable number of homeowners are still waiting for assistance. According to a report published by the Brookings Institution in August 2008, only 70% of all qualified applicants for federal Road Home assistance have received funding through the program. To further compound the problems with the Road Home program, an independent study determined that the majority of Road Home recipients did not receive sufficient funds to rebuild. The small size and slow pace of the grants being awarded has resulted in an unnecessarily slow recovery for residents in St. Bernard Parish.

St. Bernard Project's Rebuilding Program is succeeding where others have failed. Our program serves financially challenged clients in three categories: elderly, disabled, and families with small children. By utilizing volunteer labor, skilled supervisors and affordable building supplies, we are able to return clients to their homes by completing volunteer labor in just 12 weeks. The cost to the Project is approximately $12,000 per home. To date the Rebuilding Program has completely rebuilt 167 families’ homes. We are currently at work on more than 30 damaged homes.

In order to further contribute to the health and stability of the area, SBP developed a partnership with LSU to open the Center for Wellness and Mental (CMWH). The CWMH will be offered from a private section of the St. Bernard Project's office, a place that residents have visited to access our Rebuilding Program and in which they have developed strong institutional thrust. By operating the CWMH under the same roof as the Rebuilding Program, residents will benefit from a one–stop shopping model that will minimize the stigma that is often associated with accessing mental health services.

The CWMH will begin offering services January 19, 2009 for participants in the St. Bernard Project and other St. Bernard residents including children, adolescents, adults and families. The CMWH will offer both group and individual services including The Welcome Home Program, which will be available to all new participants/families of the St. Bernard Project as they begin the rebuilding process to encourage and support the "psychological rebuilding" that optimally should accompany the structural rebuilding of homes.

St. Bernard Project's Good Work Good Pay Program PDF Print E–mail

SBP recognizes the immense value of our 20,000+ volunteers. The work they have done in the past and will continue to do in the future is a vital component of our mission. However, we realize that a disaster relief model relying solely on volunteers –– and a disaster relief model that takes four and a half years (and counting) to return families to their homes can become even more effective. SBP believes it has found an innovative and replicable solution.

Our newest program, the Good Work Good Pay (GWGP) Program, will hire returned war veterans and other local under and unemployed individuals to build and rebuild affordable housing units. We will pay our new employees livable, union–level wages with full benefits. This will give us the skilled and consistent workforce needed to not only rebuild homes more efficiently for those who owned their homes before Hurricane Katrina, but also to create brand new affordable housing for our lowest income clients.

GWGP will not replace the volunteer–driven rebuilding model that is so essential to our mission but, rather, will work in tandem with it. By using the two programs to complement each other, SBP will be able to keep costs low while substantially increasing the number of units it can complete in a single year. In 2009, SBP was able to return 100 families home. In GWGP's first year, we anticipate completing a minimum of 186 homes. In that same first year, SBP will create over 30 living wage–paying jobs for veterans returning from the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan.

Executive Director, Zack Rosenburg, explains how SBP arrived at this innovative solution: "In New Orleans there is an unmet demand for 20,019 affordable housing units and at the same time, we have an unemployment crisis which is amplified in the case of veterans. One in nine veterans are currently unemployed. Our country's returned veterans are not just statistics – they are people who have faced great danger and put themselves at great risk during their tours of duty. This is a solvable problem and we intend to solve it."

Veterans face a variety of challenges when trying to reenter the workforce upon returning home. Robert Pearson, 23 years of age and a former paratrooper explains, "A job counselor once told me that some employers consider a military record 'almost like having a felony' because of the negative, unstable emotional health issues associated with armed service."

While many employers avoid hiring veterans, SBP sees this as an incredible opportunity. A recent study showed that 88% of veterans surveyed said that disaster relief is something they, personally, consider to be "very important" as they move forward in their civilian lives.

"True, some may suffer from post traumatic stress disorder," admits SBP's Director of Construction and himself a veteran, Jim MacQueen. "But veterans are mature, accustomed to following directions, understand the advantages of teamwork, are problem solvers and I am so excited to begin working with them. It will do great things for our organization."

Zack believes SBP is creating a program that can be replicated around the country. "While our city had the misfortune of Katrina, cities across the United States are struggling with the same blighted properties, high unemployment rate, and lack of affordable housing as New Orleans. We believe we are creating a model for recovery that will not only help New Orleans and other natural disaster–affected areas, but will also help any city suffering from the deterioration that accompanies economic disaster."

The St. Bernard Project is a grassroots, nonprofit rebuild organization that provides direct rebuilding, financial and community support to families in St. Bernard Parish, La. who were displaced and devastated by Hurricanes Katrina and Rita. Our mission is to break down barriers that hinder families from returning to their homes and community.

The St. Bernard Project offers the following services to residents of St. Bernard Parish:

Support A Family Network: Provide building supplies (mainly drywall, roofing and electrical materials) and/or volunteer assistance to help families rebuild their homes.

Tool Co–op: Loan tools and equipment to residents.

Community Center: Provide vital meeting, leisure and computer use space for residents whose community centers have disappeared.

How You Can Help
Volunteer! We can?t operate without volunteers to assist in rebuilding these homes. There is no experience required ? we will teach you everything you need to know!

To sign up, please contact Volunteer Coordinator Janie Strachan at janie @stbernardproject.org or (504) 261 0345. If space is available, please download and read the Volunteer Arrival Packet.

Services offered: Community Outreach Programs; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Veterans; Donations, Disaster Fund; Drill Bit Sets; Events, Community Meetings; Facility: Community Center; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Insulation, Walls, Construction; Jobs, Paying Jobs (For Disaster Survivors); Services, Tech, Fax Access (to USE a fax machine); Services, Tech, Internet Access; Services, Tech, Phone Access; Testimonies (Comments by Folks); Tool Lending; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Volunteer Training; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online; Volunteer Work Orders/Projects (provided by this facility)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2005 Hurricane Rita; 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; AmeriCorps; Church of the Brethren Disaster Response; CWS ~ Church World Service; Habitat For Humanity; Salvation Army; United Way
Updated Sep 3, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1363

Red Cross Northshore Region (Tangipahoa, Washington, & St. Tammany Parishes)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross
619 N. Tyler St., Suite D, Covington, LA 70433

Phone	(985) 892–4317
Web	www.arcno.org
Serves	St. Tammany , Tangipahoa, Washington, Assumption, Lafourche, Terrebonne, St. Mary's, Plaquemines, St. Charles, St. John, Parishes
Checks payable to	Red Cross
Service	Temporary

For volunteer information contact: Jacob Feigal (985) 892–4317

The Southeast Louisiana Chapter serves 13 parishes including:

Assumption, Lafourche, Terrebonne, St. Mary's, Plaquemines, St. Charles, St. John,
Orleans, Jefferson, St. Bernard, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa and Washington

Affected by Hurricanes Katrina, Rita or Wilma? We may be able to help you. Please contact Al Hamilton (ahamilton@arcno.org) so that we can set you up with case management.

Interested in receiving hurricane preparedness or hurricane recovery education? Please contact Brenda Singelmann at bsingelmann@arcno.org.

Part of a community organization and interested in helping to create a plan for long–term recovery? Please contact Paul Timmons at ptimmons@arcno.org.

Preparedness needs training!!

The Health & Safety department of the Southeast Louisiana Chapter offers a variety of high–quality, low–cost training courses for people of all ages. These courses are designed to help family, friends, and co–workers respond properly to health–related emergencies. Last year our intructors trained local people in life–saving courses, such as First Aid/CPR, Aquatics and HIV/AIDS education.

See link below for available training courses!

http://www.arcno.org/index.php?pr=Health–Safety_Courses

We will update this site during emergencies to provide you with information about local evacuations, shelters locations and distribution sites, as well as any other important information.

For Updated Information:
http://hurricanegustav.wordpress.com/

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); First Responder, Gulf Region; Hotline, Shelter Hotline (Find Help); Information Resource, County Resources, Contacts & Services (County Level); Services, Emergency Services; Training Classes, Animals, First Aid for Pets; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First–Aid Certification; Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online

Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2008 Hurricane Gustav; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Sep 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1517

Dulac Community Center (Food Bank/Emergency Services)

Walk–in Resource

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
125 Coast Guard Road, Dulac, LA 70353

Phone 985–563–7483
Web www.gbgm–umc.org/dulac/about.html
Hours 9 am – 5 pm M–Fri.
Serves Terrebonne Parish
Service Temporary

No new information 6/26/10 as to the Oil Spill and any related activities

9/15/08 LTel:

This site took on 8 foot of water due to levee breeches.

Per Natalie Bergeron of Bayou Grace she has not been able to reach Jamie, nor has Laura Crochet or Peg Case of TRAC.

LaVida Whitson of Adventist Community Services Disaster Response delivered 800 pieces of brand new clothing the week prior to Ike. No one knows if the clothes were moved to safety before Ike.

9/11/08 LTel:

This site is taking on flood water, has water in their center and is evacuating.

PROGRAMS WE CURRENTLY OFFER:

1. Volunteers in Mission
2. Food Bank
3. Computer Laboratory
4. Bayou Eagles Native American Dancers
5. Commodities Distribution (with the Terrebonne Parish Government)
6. Clothing Distribution (with the Salvation Army)
7. Recreational Programs

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Community Outreach Programs; Community, Recreation, Recreational Programs; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Services, Emergency Services; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Computer Lab; Training Classes, Faith–Based, Mission, Missionary Training; Training Classes, Literacy Training
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike; Catholic Charities Social Services; Tribal Communities
Updated Sep 16, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3691

Holy Family Church (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit, Community
1213 14th Street, Franklinton, LA 70438

Phone (985) 839–9600 / (985) 839–4040
Hours Monday thru Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Serves Serving Washington & Tangipahoa parishes
Service Temporary

CATHOLIC CHARITIES COMMUNITY CENTERS

Community Centers provide long term case management, with direct assistance as part of a holistic approach to recovery.

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Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance,

Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Catholic Charities Community Services
Updated Sep 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2969

New Beginning Outreach Ministries, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
365 Museum Rd., Greensburg, LA 70441

Phone 985.517.5598
Web www.nbom–online.org
Hours daily
Checks payable to New Beginning Outeach Ministries, Inc.
Service Temporary

New Beginning Outreach Ministries Offering Hope to Others!!

Services offered: Community Outreach Programs
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Sep 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1003

Gary Lee Realtors

Walk–in Resource · Open

Business – Low Income Housing Referrals/Assistance
1121 Lafayette St., Gretna, LA 70053

Phone 504–333–6394 or 6391
Web www.garyleerealtors.com
Serves St. Bernard & other Parishes
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Katrina – Low Income Families
Service Temporary

Email from Katrina Aid Today dated 4/3/08

Good Morning All,

I have received a number of calls recently to help find housing resources. Please see the information below, that may assist your clients or employees.

I have worked recently with a company called Gary Lee Realtors to find rentals for several clients in St. Bernard Parish. The agent was able to secure leases quickly that used funds from Non–Profit resources and private
funds.

Mr. Lee has several agents ready to work with the influx of clients moving out of the trailers and welcomes the clients or case managers to call about housing options.

He works in many Parishes and has a listing of houses ready to move in now.

His website: http://www.garyleerealtors.com/

Phone Number: 504–333–6394
Fax Number: 504–333–6391

I hope this is helpful to you all.

Sara Galliano

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Housing, Listings for Disaster Survivors; Housing, Rental Listings
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Jul 18, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3002

Council on Aging, Terrebone Parish Branch

Walk–in Resource · Open

State Agency
995 West Tunnel Boulevard, Houma, LA 70360

Web goea.louisiana.gov/area_agency_on_aging.html
Serves Terrebonne Parish
Eligibility Elders impacted by Hurricane Gustav, Ike
Service Temporary

In order to help the elderly, Council on Aging staff have been trained to administer Disaster Food Stamps. People 60 years of age or older should contact their local parish Councils on Aging for the nearest Disaster Food Stamp Assistance Application Site for seniors. If the local Council on Aging is not available, seniors should contact the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs at 1–877–340–9100.

DSS Secretary Williamson emphasized that the Disaster Food Stamps program has strictly defined income eligibility and can only be used for the purchase of food, and reminded participants in the regular Food Stamp Program that they do not need to apply. Their benefits will automatically be lifted to the maximum amount allowable for September and their August benefits have been increased by 20 percent in order to replace lost food.

Ms. Diana Edmonson, Director, Terrebonne Council on Aging, Inc
(985) 868-8411
FAX # (985) 868-7806
995 West Tunnel Boulevard
Houma, LA 70360
dianae@tcoa-la.org

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike
Updated Jun 27, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3718

Good Samaritan Food Bank (Catholic Charities)

Walk-in Resource · Open

Faith-Based Food Pantry
254 Magnolia Street, Houma, LA 70360

Phone 985- 851-5523
Web www.htdiocese.org/CatholicSocialServicesHome/GoodSamaritanFoodBanks/tabid/816/Default.aspx
Hours See Notes
Serves Terrebonne Parish
Service Temporary

LTel 9/11/12:
SOURCE: http://www.dailycomet.com/article/20120911/ARTICLES/120919957

Charity organizations are asking for donations in the aftermath of Hurricane Isaac as they work to feed, clothe and shelter some southeast Louisiana residents who lost everything in the storm.

Melodia Benoit said that local food banks saw an influx of families seeking help after the storms. Benoit is manager of the Raceland Good Samaritan Food Bank and co-manager of the Thibodaux food bank. Both food banks are run by Catholic Charities.

With some already struggling due to the tight economy, the loss of a week of work or a freezer full of food was enough to send already struggling people searching for help, she said.

“People who already live paycheck to paycheck are struggling a lot after this storm,” said Terri Kaupp, a spokeswoman for Second Harvest Food Bank of Greater New Orleans and Acadiana. The food bank works with churches in Terrebonne and Lafourche to set up food banks.

Second Harvest has already distributed more than 873,000 pounds of food, water and cleaning supplies.

Kaupp said that the nonprofit's supply of nonperishable food items is perilously low, at about 330,000 pounds. The food bank is currently distributing about 100,000 pounds a day of supplies.

Items needed include canned fruits and vegetables, tuna, soups, stews, chili, beans, rice, pasta, cereals, juices and shelf-stable milk. Cleaning supplies such as bleach, disinfectants, and other multi-purpose cleaners are also needed.

To help, drop items at the Terrebonne Good Samaritan Food Bank, 254 Magnolia St., Houma; the Raceland Good Samaritan Food Bank, 2084 La. 182; or the Thibodaux Good Samaritan Food Bank, 100 Birch St.

2010 GULF OIL SPILL

6/24/10 Sitrep report -

Houma/Thibodeaux: The local agency is just beginning to see an increase in requests for service. To date, case management services have been provided to 16 families, while 112 emergency and referral services have been provided. Catholic Charities is providing assistance with information and referral services, food vouchers, utility/rent/mortgage and pharmacy/medications.

Provides food & household items and other support to families in crisis.

Hours of Operation:
Monday 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
Wednesday 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Saturday 9:00 am - 12 noon

Food Bank Manager: Reynold Pitre

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, Disaster Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management);

Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical Expenses; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Support for "All Local" Disasters; Vouchers, Food Vouchers
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2005 Hurricane Rita; 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; Catholic Charities Social Services; Feed The Children
Updated Sep 11, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3669

Louisiana Department of Social Services, Terrebonne Parish Office

Walk–in Resource · Open

Government Agency
5599 Hwy 311, Houma, LA 70360
Phone (985) 857–3630
Serves Terrebonne Parish
Service Temporary

Regional office is in Thibodaux, LA

Services offered: Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2005 Hurricane Rita; 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; Government, US Gov't Sponsored (This Org IS Sponsored by US Gov)
Updated Sep 10, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3692

Mulberry Baptist Church (Southern Baptist Convention – Tree/Debris Removal Vol. Svc's)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith–Based Disaster Relief
2025 Bayou Black Dr, Houma, LA 70360
Phone (985) 876–3204
Serves Terrebonne Parish
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Gustav – Must Need Tree or Large Debris Removal
Service Temporary

LTel 9/7/08:

Houma residents in need of a chainsaw crew or heavy equipment to remove downed trees on roofs or from your property, or from your streets/roads so you can be accessible to your home, call (or visit) this facility to apply for assistance:

Speak to Johnnie (or whovever answers): (985) 876–3204

Mulberry Baptist Church
2025 Bayou Black Dr
Houma, LA 70360
(985) 876–3204

You can also walk–in and complete paperwork to get a work order for these volunteer services. You will need to come in either way to sign a waiver for the service.

Coteau Baptist Church is another LA Baptist Convention Crisis Response site that will accept an application at their relief site (you can also get a hot meal and shower at Coteau Baptist Church:

Coteau Baptist Church
2066 Coteau Rd
Houma, LA 70364–2130
(985) 876–6089

SEE CAT FACILITY FOR ALL LA BAPTIST CONVENTION CRISIS RESPONSE DISASTER RELIEF WALK–IN SITES: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3678
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike; Louisiana Baptist Convention Crisis Response; Southern Baptist Convention Disaster Relief
Updated Jun 27, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3679

Iberville Community Disaster Relief (supplies/volunteers)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Iberville, LA
Web www.facebook.com/groups/167663906996371
Service Temporary

This group is community run and community driven. We are not affiliated with any groups (i.e. Red Cross, Cajun Navy, etc.). The hard working people of Iberville both in/out of state have come together as a unit and are volunteering their time, money, and resources to help those in need. We appreciate your continued support in the efforts of rebuilding Louisiana.

Services offered: Housing, Volunteer, Camp Site
Campaigns: 2016 Lousiana Flood
Updated Sep 5, 2016 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9990

Jefferson Presbyterian Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
4450 Jefferson Hwy., Jefferson, LA 70121
Phone Elizabeth Ford Jones (504) 734–7946 OR Loretta Credo (504) 388–3979
Hours Mondays & Fridays 9–11 a.m.
Serves Jefferson Parish
Service Temporary

“We have a Food Bank that is open Mondays and Fridays from 9 am to 11 am. Anyone needing food is welcome to come.

We are currently in need of personal items which cannot be purchased with food stamps. Toiletries, and cleaning supplies, laundry and dishwashing detergents, paper towels, and disinfecting sprays and cleaners.

We will also be distributing school supplies in August.

Donations of school supplies are also welcome.” Loretta - (504) 388–3979 or Lillian, (504) 733–2090.

Contact: Elizabeth Ford Jones 504/734–7946 kjefj@bellsouth.net or Loretta Credo 504/388–3979 lormike9@cox.net

Services offered: Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); School, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2887

St. Jerome Catholic Church (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Non–Profit Community
2400 33rd Street, Kenner, LA 70065
Phone (504) 466–2834
Hours Monday–Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm; Food Bank daily
Service Temporary

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Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated May 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2976

Vermillion Conference Center

Walk–in Resource

State/Fed
326 Gauthier Rd, Lafayette, LA 70501
Hours 7:30 to 4:30 Mon – Fri
Service Temporary

Gets kids into school. Provides uniforms and school supplies
Updated Sep 17, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/89

Volunteers of America (Lafayette & Acadiana)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Non–Profit
114 Exchange Place, Lafayette, LA 70503

Phone 337–234–5715
Web www.voa–br.org
Serves Lafayette, Acadiana, Calcasieu
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Katrina/Rita
Service Temporary

Volunteers of America has served Lafayette and Acadiana since 1992. We are known for our work in mental health, and a growing array of other services for children, youth, and families.

Contact:

Josette Baker
Executive Director

Comprehensive Mental Health Services:

We offer an array of wrap–around services for adults with severe and persistent mental illness. Our supervised Independent Living residential program provides support and services to twenty mentally ill adults residing at our River Oaks Apartment Complex. Other mental health services include consumer employment services and transportation services. Consumer Care Resource funding provides home settlement monies to consumers in need of housing assistance. Clinical case management services are provided in the community for consumers who need specific assistance in community integration.

New Opportunities Waiver and Targeted Case Management:

The Acadiana Region provides medicaid and targeted case management services to the following populations: Infants and Toddlers with Special Needs, Elderly and Adult Disabled, Children's Choice EPSDT, and Mentally Retarded/Developmentally Disabled. Services include resource brokering and service provision monitoring.

Services offered: Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Mental Health Services; Services, Employment, Paid Professionals; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2005 Hurricane Rita
Updated Sep 17, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/870

St. Anthony Catholic Church (Catholic Charities/United Way) – 2010 Oil Spill

Walk–in Resource · Open

2653 Jean Lafitte Boulevard, Lafitte, LA 70067

Phone (504) 689–4101 / Catholic Charities CARE LINE at (866) 891–2210
Service Temporary

ASSISTANCE from Catholic Charities of New Orleans

CCANO is currently providing services at the following locations:

– St. Bernard Parish – St. Bernard Catholic Church in St. Bernard
– Plaquemines Parish – St. Thomas Catholic Church in Pointe A la Hache and St. Patrick Catholic Church in Port Sulphur
– Orleans Parish – Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation in New Orleans East; we also have a liaison at the BP Claims Center in New Orleans East
– Jefferson Parish – St. Anthony Catholic Church in Lafitte
Addresses:

Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation
4626 Alcee Fortier Blvd. in New Orleans East

St. Anthony Catholic Church
2653 Jean Lafitte Boulevard in Lafitte

St. Bernard Catholic Church
2805 Bayou Road in St. Bernard

St. Patrick Catholic Church
28698 Highway 23 in Port Sulphur

St. Thomas Catholic Church
17605 Highway 15 in Pointe A la Hache

CCANO is distributing food vouchers to residents in need on the following days…
– Mondays – St. Anthony Catholic Church in Lafitte
– Tuesdays – St. Bernard Catholic Church in St. Bernard
– Wednesdays – St. Thomas Catholic Church in Pointe A la Hache
– Thursdays – St. Patrick Catholic Church in Port Sulphur
– Daily – currently – Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation in New Orleans East

On the days when food vouchers are not distributed, CCANO will provide case management services and limited financial assistance with utility bills, rent, mortgages, medical expenses, and similar expenses. At all centers, CCANO will help residents locate the nearest Second Harvest Member Agency food pantry so that they can get supplemental food. CCANO will provide crisis counseling to those needing this service.

On some days, CCANO will also be able to provide boxes or bags of food or other items such as baby formula, diapers, and baby wipes.

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Baby, Baby Formula (ANY/ALL Types); Baby, Baby Wipes ; Case Management, Disaster Survivors; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/ Sizes); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical Expenses; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; Catholic Charities; United Way
Updated Jun 23, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5992

Calcasieu Public Library

Walk–in Resource · Open

City Run
1011 Tom Watson Rd, Lake Charles, LA 70615
Phone 337 475 8792
Service Temporary

Admin contact for Puppet Stages: Geraldine Harris 337 475 8792 x39

Services offered: Library Services * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Dec 5, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1646

Volunteers of America (Southwest Louisiana)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
340 Kirby Street, Lake Charles, LA 70601
Phone 337–497–0034
Web www.voa–br.org
Service Temporary

Serving Lake Charles and Southwest Louisiana

Volunteers of America has served Lake Charles and southwest Louisiana since 1990. We are best known for helping people with mental illness live independently in the community with a day center in downtown Lake Charles, and employment and housing services. More recently, our services have expanded to include affordable housing for senior citizens and other programs.

Contact:

Lida McMillan
Executive Director

Rural Resource Centers

We offer a range of services for adults with severe and persistent mental illness in rural southwest Louisiana. Service centers in Oakdale and DeRidder provide social, recreational, educational, and employment opportunities, with an emphasis on mutual support to achieve ongoing recovery and rehabilitation.

Personal Care Attendant/Respite Program

Personal Care Attendant services help adults and children who are disabled to become physically independent. In–Home Respite Services can help with the temporary care of a person with a physical disability, when the primary care giver is absent or needs relief.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Mental Health Services; Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services); Services, Respite Program/Services; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Sep 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/871

CitiIMPACT Ministries (IMPACT Ministries) – (Hosted by: New Wine Christian Church/Living Cornerstone Church) 2012 HURRICANE ISAAC (CLEAN UP/ VOLUNTEER OPS/FEEDING & DISTRIBUTION)

Walk–in Resource · Open

New Wine Christian Church in LaPlace & Living Cornerstone Church in Braithwaite (SEE FULL ADDRESS IN NOTES PLEASE), LaPlace & Braithwaite, LA

Phone (704) 507–6579
Web www.CitiIMPACT.org
Serves LaPlace, LA, Plaquemines Parish, LA & Ocean Springs, MS
Service Temporary

LTel 9/23/12 – Also see CAT Record for New Wine Fellowship Christian Church at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9360

FACEBOOK:
https://www.facebook.com/CitiIMPACT.Ministries
http://www.twitter.com/CitiIIMPACT

facebook post(s):

Wednesday.
We desperately need teams in Louisiana, especially for the next 2 weeks. Email volunteer@ citiimpact.org if you can come with team of 4 or more. Gutting houses, roofing, warehouse, distribution, and hot meals. Thousands of people coming through each day.

Via City Impact Ministries 9/8/12 their LOCATIONS ARE:

Living Cornerstone Church
714 Saint Bernard Pkwy
Braithwaite, LA 70040

&

New Wine Christian Church
1929 West Airline Highway
LaPlace, LA 70068
(985) 653–0008

newsfeed:

Thursday, 06 September 2012 07:19
NEEDS:

•Awareness – the news has moved on to political coverage, meanwhile thousands are suffering. PLEASE get this out to your social networks, church, friends, etc. The need is huge: 15,000 homes are uninhabitable.

•FUNDING – We have received many supply donations, but need monetary donations for operating expenses (fuel, administration, electric, etc.) Please see if your church or business will consider a special offering or donation to assist.

•Supplies – Food, paper products, cleaning supplies, water, roofing, sheetrock.

•Teams – 4 or more people for 3 or more days. Specific skills needed: roofing, gutting, warehouse, mechanic, equipment operators, chefs, organization, counseling. Over next 2 weeks have greatest need. Waiving fees, just asking for love offerings.

•Long term volunteers skilled in (warehouse management, case management, administration, disaster relief, team leadership, construction, etc.). Must align with our statement of faith, provide references, skills resume, and have transportation. Commit to 2 or more weeks.

•Prayers – please pray for our ministry, our partners, health and safety of everyone involved, the folks who lost their homes, open hearts, pray for the families of those who are serving, wisdom, and provision.

Operations Base in Louisiana– serving 10,000 daily
Posted on September 6, 2012
http://citiimpactmissions.wordpress.com

CitiIMPACT President, JD Smith, left over a week ago with clothes for three days (Hmm!). Much has transpired in that time (please see pics on the bottom and here is link to video from operations base) Allow us to share some highlights:

CitiIMPACT is helping to coordinate multiple sites in Hurricane Isaac's wake. LaPlace, LA and Ocean Springs, MS and helping with a third Plaquemines Parish. With long standing regional and national connections, collaborations and partnerships we were able to mobilize quickly to be part of the solution.

10,000 meals a day are being served at sites and distributed door–to–door
4,000 people coming to LaPlace site for distribution, counseling, meals daily (this used to be a Target strip mall – HUGE and highly visible to all)

National Guard and Parish police (many who lost their own homes) are onsite at our LaPlace base 24/7

Large national non–church agencies are asking CitiIMPACT for assistance and advise

A great collaborative effort including chefs, chaplains, multiple denominations, local parish and state leaders, military, volunteers, corporations, ministry partners, and obviously lots of folks praying!

Semi's of supplies from partners, corporations, agencies, and people who just "heard this was where to go" are stocking the 40,000 square foot warehouse.

ONLINE VOLUNTEER REGISTRY:

http://www.citiimpact.org/get–involved/bring–a–team/volunteer–form

Services offered: Cleanup, House Gutting, Volunteer Services; Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Volunteer, Long–Term Volunteer Opportunities; Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Short Term Volunteer Opportunities; Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Isaac
Updated Sep 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9322

Red Cross River Region – Southeast Louisiana Chapter (St. Charles & St. John Parishes)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross Chapter
107 Maryland Dr.; Suite D and E, Luling, LA 70070
Phone (985) 785–0647
Web www.arcno.org

Checks payable to Red Cross
Service Temporary

BLOG: http://redcrossselanprc.wordpress.com/

FROM THE SITE – 5/11 MS River Floods:

2011-05-09 – Red Cross Moving Supplies To Help People Along the Mississippi River. Seeks Volunteers.

The American Red Cross is prepared for the possibility of severe flooding in the Southeast Louisiana area. Trained Red Cross workers have been in constant communication with local emergency management officials to prepare for a response if flooding occurs. The Red Cross has shelter plans and locations in place and has been distributing flood preparedness information to residents that could be impacted by flood waters.

The American Red Cross is seeking volunteers to help families that might be impacted by flooding in the upcoming weeks. The Southeast Louisiana Chapter will present two shelter operations training classes. The training will help prepare volunteers for the work they will do. The first class is from 1:00p.m. to 4:00p.m. and the second is from 6:00p.m.-9:00p.m.on Thursday May 12, 2011 at the Red Cross Bayou Parishes Regional Office, 1233 Canal Blvd. in Thibodaux, LA 70302.

To register for the training, contact Louis Truong at (504) 620-3126.

Meanwhile, Red Cross relief efforts are continuing across the South, where deadly tornadoes destroyed or damaged as many as 13,000 homes in recent weeks. The Red Cross estimates the costs of its responses to the April tornadoes, flooding and other disasters since March 31 could reach $31 million–with the response to the Mississippi River flooding expected to drive relief expenses even higher. As of Thursday, May 5, the Red Cross had raised about $16 million for disaster response since March 31.

The American Red Cross is ramping up to help people along the Mississippi River, where forecasters are predicting potentially catastrophic flooding may occur starting later this week. The Red Cross is sending trained volunteers, cots, blankets and vehicles to areas of Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi and Louisiana threatened by the record flooding. Shelters are already opening in some parts of those states.

"The Red Cross is preparing for a large disaster response to major flooding along the Mississippi, even as we continue to assist thousands of people affected by the recent tornadoes," said Kay Wilkins, CEO of the American Red Cross Southeast Louisiana Chapter. "In the coming days and weeks we will need the support of this community to help our neighbors around the country."

The Red Cross is preparing to launch a prolonged shelter and feeding operation for people living along the Mississippi, sending in disaster workers and pre-positioning thousands of cots, blankets and other relief supplies. Experts are warning that flood waters could remain in areas for as long as two weeks, forcing people to stay in shelters for more than a month.

FROM THE CONTACT US PAGE ON THE SITE:

HEADQUARTERS
Mailing Address:
Robert W. Merrick Building
2640 Canal Street
New Orleans, LA 70119
Phone: 504-620-3105
Fax: 504-821-3748
Toll Free: 800-229-8191

REGIONAL SERVICE AREAS
NORTHSHORE REGION
Regional Office
300 Ashland Way
Madisonville, LA 70447
(985) 892-4317

BAYOU PARISHES REGION
Regional Office
1233 Canal Blvd.
Thibodaux, LA 70302
(985) 447-3229
(Mail to: P.O. Box 102, Thibodaux, LA 70302)

RIVER PARISHES REGION
Regional Office
107 Maryland Dr., Suite D and E
Luling, LA 70070
(985) 785-0647

St. Bernard Chapter
909 East Judge Perez Drive

Chalmette, LA 70043
(504) 620-2855

Services offered: First Responder, Gulf Region; Information Resource, Online Networking, Blog; Support for "All Local" Disasters; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Shelter Operations; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes-Floods-Wind Storms; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; American Red Cross
Updated May 14, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1516

Cornerstone Assembly of God

Walk-in Resource · Open

Church
3699 Hwy 59,, Mandeville, LA 70471

Phone	985-624-8652
Web	www.ilovecornerstone.com
Hours	variable outreach schedule
Checks payable to	Cornerstone Assembly of God
Service	Temporary

LTel – 9/3/12 From the website:

http://www.ilovecornerstone.com/HurricaneIsaacRelief

Recently, our church has partnered with WSTE (Washington St Tammany Electric) to house 35-50 electrical workers inside of our church facilities.

In addition, we are raising needed cash to help restore people's homes due to Isaac's damaging winds and rain. Please consider donating to our HURRICANE RELIEF FUND:

https://e-giving.org/egivinglogin.asp?id=1492

Thanks in advance!

We are interested in the puppet stages. I can pick up anywhere in south Mississippi. Thanks!

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; Angel Food Ministries
Updated Sep 4, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1648

Chinchuba/Hope Haven (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk-in Resource

Faith-Based, Non-Profit, Food Bank, Community
1101 Barataria Blvd., Marrero, LA 70072

Phone	(504) 371-7747
Web	www2.centerpt.org/index.php?option=com_cpx&task=resource&id=490528&tab=3
Hours	Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm; Food Bank services daily
Serves	Serving zip codes: 70053, 70056, 70058, 70072, 70094, 70037 (Westbank)
Service	Temporary

Emailed Robert Guasco, Program Manager of this site for Isaac Update and it bounced back 9/3/12 – Phone call should be made to update (LTel)

CATHOLIC CHARITIES COMMUNITY CENTERS

Community Centers provide long term case management, with direct assistance as part of a holistic approach to recovery.

New clients are only taken on the 1st or 2nd day of each month. Please call for an appointment. Only clients with an appointment will be seen.

Emergency Relief Services are based on a long term case management structure. A case manager helps identify the client's need, and by addressing this need, helps bring the client to self-sufficiency. Services include referral, budgeting tips, employment training and spiritual counseling. Financial assistance is available based on the client's greatest need, which could include rent, food, utilities, prescription drugs, furniture, crisis counseling, and miscellaneous assistance.

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long-Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining

Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Catholic Charities Community Services
Updated Sep 4, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2967

Celebration Church Relief Center (DONATION COLLECTION/VOLUNTEER OPS) – 2012 HURRICANE ISAAC

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Recovery & Relief
2701 Transcontinental Drive, Metairie, LA 70006
Phone 504–831–9673
Web www.celebrationchurch.org

TF: I don't believe these are CHURCH LOCATIONS! they are Nat'lGuard relief sites, reportedly only having supplies some of the time.

2012 HURRICANE ISAAC –

http://celebrationchurch.org/Default.aspx?shortcut=hurricane–isaac–disaster–relief–team–sign–up&__m=0

Celebration Church Locations:

http://celebrationchurch.org/directions

Hurricane Isaac Disaster Relief Centers – Hurricane Isaac:

KENNER – Butch Duhe 1710 10th Street
HARVEY – Helen Cox 2200 LaPalco
WESTWEGO – Alario Center 2000 Segnette Blvd
METAIRIE – Jefferson Parish 1st Court 400 David Drive
HARAHAN – City Hall 6437 Jefferson HWY
NEW ORLEANS EAST – 5501 Read Blvd
OLD ALGIERS – 2730 Vespasian Blvd
ST. JOHN PARISH – 2900 HWY 51 LaPlace
ST BERNARD – 7417 N. Peters st.

The above sites are where residents impacted by Hurricane Isaac can get:

Post Disaster Counseling
Baby Supplies
Furniture
Household Items
Cleaning Supplies
Personal Hygiene Supplies

ISAAC VOLUNTEERS:

Link to this Volunteer form to register to help:

http://celebrationchurch.org/isaac–relief–i–can–help

They need help with the following volunteer tasks:

Basic yard clean up
Chain saw work
Debris removal
Carpet removal
Removal of furnishing damaged by flood
Gutting of sheetrock
Tarp roofs

ISAAC DONATION COLLECTION ITEMS NEEDED:

Furniture and household items
Cleaning supplies
Personal Hygiene supplies
Baby supplies

Services offered: Case Management, Flood Survivors; Cleanup, Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Mud–Out, Muck–Out, Flood Cleanup, Volunteer Services; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Facilities: Bathroom Facilities (For Volunteers); Facilities: Shower Facilities for Volunteers; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Housing, Volunteer Housing ($ NOT FREE); Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; Services, Church/Worship Services; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Water,

* Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2012 Hurricane Isaac
Updated Sep 3, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/443

Daughters of Charity Service Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

111 N Causeway Blvd, Metairie, LA 70001
Phone 504–482–0084
Service Temporary

Services offered: Medical, Diagnostic, Diabetic Testing Supplies (Test Kit)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Sep 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/536

Project Fleur–de–lis (A Program of Mercy Family Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit, Community Cooperative
110 Veterans Memorial Blvd., Suite 425, Metairie, LA 70005
Phone (504) 310–6956
Web www.project–fleur–de–lis.org
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Katrina
Service Temporary

Project Fleur–de–lis is a cooperative effort among Catholic schools, social services and health care providers to reach out to students, parents, and teachers in Catholic schools. The program helps address emotional and behavioral issues related to Hurricane Katrina. Services include counseling, education, and prevention.

Goals
Project Fleur–de–lis™ core services aim to:
• address symptoms of trauma at the earliest stage before they interfere with a child's educational, social or emotional functioning;
• heal school communities through multidisciplinary programing that utilizes best practice intentions.
• remain integrated in school communities to provide ongoing mental health care.

Services
Project Fleur–de–lis™ provides specialized training and professional support for school–based counselors. To give the highest level of care, counselors use a cutting–edge electronic records system to track students' progress and connect with participating physicians, psychologists and therapists.

Project Fleur–de–lis™ facilitates the following comprehensive services based on need:
For Children:
• School–wide intervention programs
• Classroom–based intervention programs
• In–school counseling
• Assessment, evaluation and referral by professional counselors
• Individual and family counseling

For Parents and Teachers:
• Educational and healing workshops
• Wrap–around services such as food, clothing and financial assistance

Interventions
Project Fleur–de–lis™ employs the following trauma informed interventions within its tiered model of care: Classroom–Camp–Community–Culture Based Intervention (Macy, Macy, Gross & Brighton, 2006) Cognitive Behavioral Intervention for Trauma in Schools (CBITS) (Jaycox, 2003), and Trauma Focused – Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (Cohen, Mannarino & Deblinger, 2006).

Three Tiers of Care
Project Fleur–de–lis™ is designed to help traumatized students via a "Stepped Trauma Pathway" that includes the interventions listed above. Project Fleur–de–lis™ is designed to also identify and address all other psychological or psychoeducational problems that occur in children and adolescents. Studies show that 80 – 90% of those touched will be helped in the first tier of care.

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Counseling, Childrens Counseling ; Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; AmeriCares; Catholic Charities; Save The Children
Updated May 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2972

Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New Orleans

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community/Disaster Relief/Recovery/Humanitarian Aid

1000 Howard Ave., New Orleans, LA 70113

Phone (504) 523–3755
Web www.catholiccharities–no.org
Hours 8:30AM–5:00PM Monday–Friday
Service Temporary

August 2012: http://www.ccano.org/

Damage assessments are now underway and it is clear that many residents in the 8 civil parishes of the Archdiocese of New Orleans will need assistance to recover from Hurricane Isaac. Archbishop Gregory Aymond and Catholic Charities leadership are finalizing a response plan that will launch immediately and will begin with crisis counselors and case managers working with evacuees in the state's evacuation shelters. Other teams will fan out into the affected areas beginning Friday, August 31, 2012. Residents of Plaquemines Parish, the towns of Slidell, LaPlace, Madisonville and Mandeville have suffered the most damage, but the situation remains fluid and assessments continue to identify damage.

Please consider a donation to assist us as we begin the task of helping those devastated by this storm. http://www.ccano.org/ways–you–can–give/

As the City of New Orleans and surrounding areas prepare for Hurricane Isaac, Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New Orleans (CCANO) remains ready to respond to the needs of the community especially in times of crisis. We continue to offer care, support and prayer for all those who will feel the effects of Isaac. With so much uncertainty as to the scale and impact that this storm will bring, your support now is crucial in ensuring that CCANO can provide immediate care and assistance to those who need it most in the wake of the storm. Our readiness and response to the impending threat of hurricane conditions is possible through the continued support from friends and donors like YOU.

The needs of our clients and the community only grows exponentially with the scale and uncertainty of this hurricane threat. Evacuation costs for our residential clients, response and relief efforts for the community in the aftermath of the storm and our ability to provide aid and assistance to our caregivers who will be on the front lines of providing relief depend on support we receive NOW.
PLEASE GIVE TODAY. Your gift sustains our continued programming throughout Hurricane Isaac and enables us to immediately provide for the increased needs of the community in the aftermath of this storm.

CCANO continues to monitor Hurricane Isaac. For our latest news and updates, follow Twitter @CathCharitiesNO, and the Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New Orleans Facebook page.
Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New Orleans and the community are bound together in prayer and preparation. Thank you for your support!

6/24/10 Sitrep report –
New Orleans: Five community resource sites in four county parishes (St. Bernard, Plaquemines, Jefferson, Orleans) are being operated. To date, services have been provided to 12,728 individuals, including case management, mental health assessments and counseling, and provision of food boxes, non–food items and gift certificates/food vouchers. Assistance has also been provided for utilities, household supplies, clothing, employment, rent/mortgage, doctor/medical needs, pharmacy/medications and gas/fuel. CC/New Orleans has received $1 million from BP for short term assistance (60 days) and has been invited to submit a second proposal, with the inclusion of collaboration from partner organizations, for a longer time frame (6 month).

6/22/10 GULF OIL SPILL

How to help
We at Catholic Charities deeply appreciate the support of our donors as we respond to the catastrophic oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico by providing services for the fishermen of the impacted communities. At the present time, we are currently accepting monetary donations to fund our relief work. You may donate online, by mail or over the phone. If you are interested in donating food, please contact Second Harvest at 504–734–1322. If you have additional questions, please call 504–592–5685. Someone will return your call within 24 hours. Thank you again for your support.

6/3/10 FROM THE SITE:

Catholic Charities is currently in need of volunteers to help us outreach to families who work in fishing–related industries affected by the oil spill. All volunteers must initially attend an Oil Spill/ Disaster Relief Volunteer Orientation; orientations will take place every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 2pm on the 10th floor of 1000 Howard Avenue New Orleans, LA 70113.

After volunteers attend an orientation, they will be able to volunteer the next day at a Catholic Charities Community Center in either St. Bernard or New Orleans East.

Volunteers will be taking surveys and helping to distribute food. St. Bernard needs volunteers on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9am–2pm; New Orleans East needs volunteers Monday–Friday who are either bilingual or interpreters of Vietnamese. Volunteers must be 18 or older and must have their own transportation. Volunteers must also be willing to travel to locations that are 30–45 minutes away. This is the only oil spill–related volunteer opportunity that we currently have available. If you have any questions or concerns, please, call 504–310–6978 or email volunteer @archdiocese–no.org.

Since May 1, more than 6200 individuals who have been affected by the oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico have received emergency assistance from the local Catholic Church through Catholic Charities. By the numbers, through June 1, 2010:

* 6227 people (1883 families) have received emergency assistance from Catholic Charities;
* $102,900 in gift cards and/or food vouchers have been distributed to affected families;
* 845 emergency food boxes from Second Harvest Food Bank have been distributed;
* 173 cans of baby formula have been distributed along with 77 boxes of diapers and 186 ½ packs of diapers;
* 748 people have undergone mental health assessments; and
* 503 people have received individual counseling and 28 have taken part in group counseling with Catholic Charities crisis counselors.

Service Areas:

Kenner, Destrehan, River Ridge, Harahan: St. Jerome (504) 441–5014
Metairie and Jefferson: Our Lady of Divine Providence (504) 443–3174
New Orleans East: New Orleans East (504) 254–1629
St. Maria Goretti (504) 214–0521

Orleans Parish:

St. John the Baptist (504) 581–4987
St. Jude (504) 522–8290
Gert Town (504) 256–2706
Plaquemines Parish: Belle Chasse Lions Center (504) 875–0258
St. Bernard Parish: Our Lady of Prompt Succor (504) 875–0257
St. Tammany Parish: St. Luke the Evangelist (985) 645–3626
Washington & Tangipahoa Parishes: Holy Family (985) 839–4040
Westbank: Chinchuba/Hope Haven (504) 341–8026

Sites opening soon in Orleans Parish:

St. Stephen, St. Leo the Great, St. James Major, St. Mary of the Angels and Incarnate Word Center.

SEE ABOVE WEBSITE FOR MORE SERVICE PROGRAMS & their locations!!!

For Gifts–In–Kind Contact:
Please call 592–5685 or write NMendez@archdiocese–no.org

For Many, Many Volunteer opportunities:
Please call 310–6962 or 310–6960 for details.

FOR LOCAL RESOURCE LISTINGS GO TO:
http://www.ccano.org/post–katrina.htm

ASSISTANCE from Catholic Charities of New Orleans

CCANO is currently providing services at the following locations:

– St. Bernard Parish – St. Bernard Catholic Church in St. Bernard
– Plaquemines Parish – St. Thomas Catholic Church in Pointe A la Hache and St. Patrick Catholic Church in Port Sulphur
– Orleans Parish – Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation in New Orleans East; we also have a liaison at the BP Claims Center in New Orleans East
– Jefferson Parish – St. Anthony Catholic Church in Lafitte
Addresses:

Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation
4626 Alcee Fortier Blvd. in New Orleans East

St. Anthony Catholic Church
2653 Jean Lafitte Boulevard in Lafitte

St. Bernard Catholic Church
2805 Bayou Road in St. Bernard

St. Patrick Catholic Church
28698 Highway 23 in Port Sulphur

St. Thomas Catholic Church
17605 Highway 15 in Pointe A la Hache

CCANO is distributing food vouchers to residents in need on the following days…
– Mondays – St. Anthony Catholic Church in Lafitte
– Tuesdays – St. Bernard Catholic Church in St. Bernard
– Wednesdays – St. Thomas Catholic Church in Pointe A la Hache

– Thursdays – St. Patrick Catholic Church in Port Sulphur
– Daily – currently – Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation in New Orleans East

On the days when food vouchers are not distributed, CCANO will provide case management services and limited financial assistance with utility bills, rent, mortgages, medical expenses, and similar expenses. At all centers, CCANO will help residents locate the nearest Second Harvest Member Agency food pantry so that they can get supplemental food. CCANO will provide crisis counseling to those needing this service.

On some days, CCANO will also be able to provide boxes or bags of food or other items such as baby formula, diapers, and baby wipes.

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Cleanup, House Gutting, Volunteer Services; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical Expenses; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Training Classes, Volunteer Orientation & Training; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Food Vouchers
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; Catholic Charities; United Way
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City Park New Orleans

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit
1 Palm Drive, New Orleans, LA 70124
Phone 504·482·4888
Web www.neworleanscitypark.com

City Park sustained $43 million dollars in damages from Hurricane Katrina. Our staffing level has gone from 260 to just over 30. We just don't have the funds or the staff to do many of the things we used to do (e.g., pick up trash and debris). Volunteers are essential for the recovery of the Park and for the Park to take its place in the cultural and recreational rebirth of New Orleans.

City Park has experienced serious damage from Hurricane Katrina. Our grounds, trees, infrastructure, records, computers, plantings, and facilities all require significant cleanup and repair. Because of the damage to the Park and the area, City Park is unable to generate revenue.

We are excited to announce City Park's newest Volunteer Opportunity: Super Saturdays.

One Saturday each month– usually the first Saturday each month– volunteers are invited to meet at the tennis center parking lot (across from the Peristyle) at 9:00 a.m. Work assignments and tools will be handed out at that time and volunteers will work until 12:00 noon.

Work may include pruning, raking, cutting grass, picking up trash, and planting. Please dress appropriately for the season and bring your own garden gloves along with any food and drink you wish to consume. Since we don't know how many volunteers will show up each week, please bring yard tools if you have them. No chainsaws!

The work of volunteers is always appreciated and even more so today as the park's staff has been reduced drastically in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina. We simply can't maintain the park without your help!

Super Saturday Dates for 2006: (9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon each day)

Saturday, October 7
Saturday, November 4
Saturday, December 2

If you are coming with a group of volunteers on a particular Saturday, please email John Hopper at jhopper@nocp.org and tell him how many volunteers will be coming with your group.

Individual Volunteer Opportunities-Weekdays:
Botanical Garden- Volunteers are welcome Monday–Friday between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Tasks will include propagating plants for the garden and for plant sales, planting, weeding, trimming/pruning/deadheading, and removing christmas lights.

Rest of the Park- Given our depleted staff we are not in the position to instruct and supply tools to individual volunteers during the week. That said, there is work for you to do. In the past we seldom if ever asked volunteers to pick up trash in the park. Post–Katrina all that has changed as we simply don't have the staff or equipment to pick up and remove trash. So, if you are willing and have some time during the week, feel free to bring some trash bags and fill them up. If you can haul them away, great. If not, please leave the tied–up trash bags along the side of a roadway.

Group Volunteer Opportunities- Weekdays:
If you have a group of 20 or more volunteers who want to volunteer during the week, please email John Hopper at jhopper@nocp.org.

Adopt a Section of the Park:
Many groups, organizations and companies have adopted a section of the park and maintain it throughout the year. Adopting a section of the park constitutes a committment of funds and often a commitment of volunteers. If you would like to adopt a section of the park, please email John Hopper at jhopper@nocp.org.

If our volunteer schedule doesn't work for you, please consider volunteering with the Katrina Krewe (http://www.cleanno.org/).

About Us–Who We Are:
Once the site of Allard Plantation facing Bayou St. John, City Park's 1,300 acres offer visitors a sample of the city's riches both in fine art and natural splendor. City Park is home of the New Orleans Museum of Art and the largest collection of mature live oaks in the world. Trees in the oldest grove are over 600 years old.

Today's City Park is distinguished by its large menu of recreational activities and its natural beauty. City Park has a special place in the hearts of generations of New Orleanians and is a must visit for visitors to the city. A popular place to picnic, play a favorite sport, wander through its gardens or take a boat ride, the park hosts 11 million visitors each year. It is located in the heart of the city and is the largest recreation area for the entire metropolitan area.

At 1,300 acres, City Park is one of the largest urban parks in the country. The first parcel of land was aquired in 1854, making it one of the country's oldest parks.

The land occupied by City Park is owned by the City of New Orleans.

City Park is a non–budgeted state agency of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism operated by the non–profit City Park Improvement Association (CPIA).

CPIA was established in 1891 to provide for the improvement of City Park. The Louisiana Legislature placed City Park under the control of CPIA in 1896 and invested it with the authority to operate and develop the park.

Services offered: Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Sep 23, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/845

Community Kitchen – 2012 Hurricane Isaac (Partners with Occupy Isaac)

Walk–in Resource · Open

please ship all items to:; Occupy Jackson Hub; 101 Red Fox Run; Brandon, MS 39042, New Orleans, LA

Phone e–mail: kitchen (at) okcancel.org
Web communitykitchen.okcancel.org
Service Temporary

2012 HURRICANE ISAAC –

from website:
responding to hurricane isaac, sept. 3

September 4, 2012 in event, serving.

community kitchen served a free meal monday in the 7th ward on Rocheblave & Onzaga St. to residents that had been without power for six straight days. red beans & rice, egg salad, eggplant, and a fresh green salad with veggies were a welcome meal for folks who had to throw out much food from warm refrigerators and many of whom couldn't cook with their electric stoves. community kitchen also offered a variety of free fresh produce. fruit & vegetables were just as popular as the hot food, and one neighbor commented how the supermarket up on Carrollton had run out of most produce by the time she had arrived there, so this produce distribution was a blessing.

today we're preparing our regular tuesday meal to serve in Duncan Plaza downtown across from city hall, near the main branch public library, at 3pm.

some of the supplies donated for these meals came from OccupyIsaac and Portlight. Interoccupy is doing a funds & supplies drive to support Community Kitchen, Common Ground, and other relief agencies.

how do i get in touch?
e–mail: kitchen (at) okcancel.org
discussion group:
http://groups.google.com/group/nolafoodnotbombs

when do you cook & serve to the public?
right now we're cooking on tuesdays.
the work shifts are something like this:
10am - 3pm: prep & cook
2:30pm - 5:30pm: serve & clean
6pm - neighborhood food distro (free produce)

Make a Donation to Common Ground Health Clinic Today!

Thank you for your partnership and support! Call our office any time if we can support you in making a donation (504) 365–8800.

Services offered: Food, Distribution, Field Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Isaac; Occupy Wall Street / Occupy America / Occupy Together
Updated Sep 7, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9303

Gert Town Family Center (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit, Food Bank, Community
3425 Audubon Court, New Orleans, LA 70125

Phone (504) 488–4818
Hours Hours: Monday–Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm; Food Bank daily
Serves Serving zip codes: 70118, 70119, 70125
Service Temporary

CATHOLIC CHARITIES COMMUNITY CENTERS

Community Centers provide long term case management, with direct assistance as part of a holistic approach to recovery.

New clients are only taken on the 1st or 2nd day of each month. Please call for an appointment. Only clients with an appointment will be seen.

Emergency Relief Services are based on a long term case management structure. A case manager helps identify the client's need, and by addressing this need, helps bring the client to self–sufficiency. Services include referral, budgeting tips, employment training and spiritual counseling. Financial assistance is available based on the client's greatest need, which could include rent, food, utilities, prescription drugs, furniture, crisis counseling, and miscellaneous assistance.

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Catholic Charities Community Services
Updated May 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2968

Good Work Network

Walk–in Resource · Open

Economic Development Assistance
1824 Oretha Castle Haley Blvd, New Orleans, LA 70113

Phone Phone: 504.309.2073, Fax: 504.539.9289
Web goodworknetwork.org
Eligibility GWN services eight parishes, including: Orleans, Jefferson, St. Bernard, Plaquemines, St. Charles, St. James, and St. John the Baptist.
Service Temporary

Population Served: Clients are 90% female, 88% African American, 85% low–income, 1% physically handicapped. The median age of clients is 36 and the average household income pre–Katrina was $16,584.

Accomplishments

From 2003 to 2005, GWN provided low–income and disadvantaged micro entrepreneurs with 5,035 hours of training; provided credit counseling to 143 individuals; assisted with the development of 93 business plans; and acquired 63 Small Business IDA's and 11 Micro Loans for its clients. A total of 66 businesses owned by low–income micro entrepreneurs were started or strengthened. The Management Support Services program that provides back office support and accounting to clients services was started in mid 2005 and provides clerical and accounting services to several micro enterprises and non–profit organizations. In 2005 Good Work Network helped the MicroEntrepreneur Collaborative of Greater New Orleans put on four workshops for its clients and publish three newsletters. A list of the micro entrepreneurs whose businesses were strengthened through the programs of Good Work Network is provided in the Successes portion of this web site.

Programs/Service:

Accounting & Bookkeeping

These services include a wide range of accounting and book keeping functions such as setting up accounting and record keeping systems; maintenance of the company's general ledger; bank reconciliation; sales and payroll tax assistance; financial statements preparation; financial statement analysis; cash flow projections; budgeting; QuickBooks training; and others.
Credit Counseling

After review of the client's credit reports, a credit action plan is developed to establish, repair or improve credit; the participant's progress is monitored through periodic checkups.
Training Programs

Training programs include Financial Education (a 12 hour course on personal money management); Entrepreneurship Training (a 25 hour course covering business concepts and business plan construction); Personal Effectiveness Training (a 10 hour course on personal development skills); Quickbooks Tutorial (an 8 hour course teaching business accounting using QuickBooks software); and other specialized training classes as deemed appropriate.
Management Support

One–on–one technical assistance and counseling is available to clients in areas such as business plan writing, legal and tax startup issues, design of record keeping and accounting systems, loan packaging, marketing strategy development, marketing material design, etc.
Administrative Support

Secretarial and clerical services are available for document preparation and handling. Access to computers, copiers, and fax machines is also available.
Market Access Assistance

Microentrepreneurs that meet certain business capacity standards are linked to business and individuals interested in doing business with a diverse group of suppliers.
Capital Access Assistance

Qualified individuals are referred to New Corp, Hope Credit Union, or conventional lenders for loans and/or enrolled in available IDA programs. Good Work Network is a technical assistance provider for the U.S. Small Business Administration.
Microentrepreneur Network

Good Work Network works closely with the MicroEntrepreneur Collaborative of Greater New Orleans. This organization is dedicated to giving low–income and disadvantaged micro entrepreneurs the opportunity to network.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, for non–profits (In General); Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Business Services, Accounting/Administrative; Business Services, Micro–Lending; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Case Management, Small Business; Community Service Program; Counseling, Career Counseling; Counseling, Consumer Credit Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling, Personal Finance Counseling; Financial Assistance, Debt Management Services ($ NOT FREE); Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Loans, Low Interest Loans; Services, For Non–Profits; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Business Skills; Training Classes, Computers Skills; Training Classes, Financial Literacy; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management; Training, Services, Employment / JobTraining
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Government, Small Business Administration (SBA); Government, US Gov't Sponsored (This Org IS Sponsored by US Gov)
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Housing Authority of New Orleans (HANO)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Housing Resource
New Orleans, LA

Phone	(504) 670–3300
Web	www.hano.org
Hours	Differs by location, see website
Serves	New Orleans
Eligibility	See "Notes" below
Waiting list	1 weeks, In some developments there is a waiting list, call for more info
Service	Permanent

HOUSING VOUCHERS AVAILABLE FOR A SHORT TIME!

From their website:

If you are a pre–disaster HANO Section 8 Client and not currently in a HUD Voucher Program or a pre–disaster Section 8 Waiting list Client PLEASE COMPLETE THE ATTACHED FORM AND RETURN BY MAIL BEFORE 01/19/2008

The Housing Choice Voucher Program operates and manages an Annual Contributions Contract (ACC) to assist low–income families with rental payments through the Section 8 Program. The Department develops Section 8 service initiatives, conducts programmatic analysis, and engages in budgeting, financing, communications, and counseling functions to assist program participants. It also ensures that landlord Housing Assistance Payments are made as scheduled, performs fair market rent determinations, conducts Housing Quality Standards (HQS) inspections and re–inspections, and performs annual reviews of tenant utility allowances – making revisions and adjustments as necessary.

To be eligible a person must be in one of the following categories:

* A displaced public housing resident
* A displaced Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher participant
* A displaced person from another HUD assisted program such as Project–based Section 8
* A pre–Katrina homeless person in a HUD homeless program

HUD will provide housing assistance up to 18 months for eligible persons. HUD will also provide housing search assistance including transportation and temporary shelter while searching for housing.

Eligible persons may go to any housing authority that has a Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program to sign up for this assistance. The Housing Authority of New Orleans has opened an office in New Orleans to assist eligible persons who are in the New Orleans area. Eligible persons must have their FEMA registration number when applying for the assistance.

Sojourner Truth Community Center
501 N. Galvez Street
Corner of N. Galvez St. and Lafitte Ave., Entrance on Lafitte Ave.
(504) 362–4210 / (504) 362–9508–FAX

Monday – Thursday
Office Hours: 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Office closes from 11:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Office re–opens from 1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p. m.

Friday
Office Hours: 8:30 AM – 11:30 AM

Housing Listings:

WARNING!!!

There are two lists posted on their site. The one that is a purple/blue link "DHAP Property Listings" goes to http://www.hano.org/DHAP%20landlord%20listing.htm
is OUT OF DATE. As of January 1008, nothing on this list is new after 11/29/07. If someone notices a change, let us know. We'll be calling the group to get an update as to whether they plan to update the list and/or if they still have vouchers.

Instead:
Go to: http://www.hano.org/hcvp.htm
Look on the left, for a white link on a gray background called "Property Listings". It's a PDF document that you must download/ open to view. There are listings as recent as the second week in January.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Community Outreach Programs; Community Service Program; Counseling, Financial, Home Buying Process; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Housing, Affordable Housing, Renters Programs; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Apartments; Housing, Fairly Priced Rental Housing for Disaster Survivors; Housing, Housing Assistance, Relocation $ for Survivors; Housing, Online Housing Directory Resource; Housing, Rental Listings; Housing, Subsidized/Low–Income Housing; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Financial, for Folks w/Bad Credit (that want to get better); Services, for ex–addicts; Services, for ex–offenders; Services, For Folks Trying To Get Off Welfare; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Education, 1st Time Home Buyer Education; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Housing/Shelter (Motel) Vouchers
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Government, City/Town Agency; Government, State Government Department/Agency; Government, US Deptartment of Housing & Urban Development (HUD); Government, US Government Site
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Kingsley House (Resettlement and Recovery Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Service
1600 Constance Street, New Orleans, LA 70130

Phone	504.523.6221
Web	www.kingsleyhouse.org
Checks payable to	Kingsley House

Updated January 10, 2007

The main campus of Kingsley House is located in the Lower Garden District of New Orleans, Louisiana. A satellite office, The Family Resource Center, is located in La Place, Louisiana. In January of 2007 we will be opening an additional office on the Westbank in Jefferson Parish.

Main Campus The Family Resource Center
1600 Constance Street 429 W. Airline Highway
New Orleans, Louisiana 70130 Suite LL
La Place, Louisiana 70068

(504) 523–6221—Phone (985) 651–7367—Phone
(504) 523–4450—Fax (800) 890–5110—Toll Free
(985) 651–8967—Fax

information@kingsleyhouse.org

Community Outreach:
Since resuming our operations on October 15, 2005, Kingsley House staff have completed over 2,500 community needs assessments, helping to connect over 7,000 individuals of all ages with essential services and resources to aid in their recovery and healing. Children and families have been linked to the full array of programs at Kingsley House, as well as

other vital programs and services being provided by other organizations throughout the greater New Orleans area.

Preschool and Early Head Start:
For over 100 years, Kingsley House has been at the forefront of early education and quality child care in Louisiana. In fact, Kinglsey House launched the very first kindergarten and summer school programs in the state. Our nationally accredited, historic Preschool and Early Head Start programs currently provide a dynamic, comprehensive array of academic and social enrichment activities, along with essential health and supportive services for 202 children and their families. With a wait list that has grown to over 550 children, we plan to add more early education space to our existing facilities in the near future to accommodate the needs of these children and their families.

Adult Services:
The Kingsley House Adult Services Program is open to senior citizens and to medically disabled adults. Our participants enjoy stimulating recreational and socialization activities, and are provided two nutritious meals and a snack each day. Currently, our 60 adults have a safe and secure place to spend their day, while caregivers work or attend to housing, insurance, and other important resettlement matters. Monitoring of health–care is provided by our nursing staff, social workers provide case management services and transportation is available. This licensed program has a capacity for 75 adults. We expect the demand for the service to increase as more residents return to the city. (more on Adult Services)

Mobile Medical Unit:
Kingsley House has partnered with The Children's Health Fund and Tulane University School of Medicine to offer free medical services aboard the Mobile Medical Unit. Children can receive vaccinations, flu shots, care of acute and chronic medical problems and prescription refills. This service is currently available once a week and may soon be expanded to twice weekly due to greatly increased demand in our area.

Health Insurance and Food Stamp Application Assistance:
Health Care For All (HCFA) at Kingsley House has assisted over 800 families with completing and submitting Medicaid and Food Stamp applications and has replaced vital documents for over 1,500 individuals. In addition, HCFA staff are completing community family needs assessments to determine the specific immediate and long term needs of persons returning to the city and making referrals to appropriate Kingsley House and external programs as needed.

Saturday Respite:
Kingsley House is offering free day–care services for children of all ages on Saturdays. Respite services free up caregiver's time and allows them to take care of their resettlement and rebuilding business while their children receive supervised care in a safe and nurturing environment.

Individual and Family Counseling:
Kingsley House Family Life Services offers free individual and family counseling by master's level counselors and therapists for persons needing support and assistance. Counseling can either take place at the agency or can be provided at the individual's or family's home. Services available include: Family Therapy, Conflict Resolution, Communication Skills, Resource Coordination, Life Management Skills, Advocacy, and Parenting Skills.

River Parishes Family Resource Center (La Place):
The Kingsley House River Parishes Family Resource Center offers an array of programs and services to assist children and families

in St. James, St. John the Baptist, St. Charles and Ascension parishes, including counseling, case management, parent education, parent support groups, after school day care and summer camp. The Center also offers school–based anger management and bullying abatement programs to children and adolescents, which has been especially helpful post–Katrina.

Community Based Services Network:
Upon our return post–Katrina (end of September, 2005), Kingsley House joined forces with a group of fellow social service agencies to pool our scarce resources and collectively determine how to collaborate to best meet the needs of our region's residents. Our new Community Based Services Network (CBSN) partnership with Catholic Charities, Volunteers of America (VOA), Children's Bureau, Family Services, Baptist Community Ministries and Greater New Orleans Knowledge Works has joined with Governor Blanco's Louisiana Family Recovery Corps to provide intensive case management, counseling, financial assistance and support services to over 3,500 highly vulnerable TANF eligible, displaced families located in the metropolitan New Orleans area, including Orleans, Jefferson, St. Bernard, Plaquemines, St. James, St. John, St. Charles, Washington, St. Tammany, Lafourche and Terrebonne parishes. The state has recently expanded the contract with our Community Based Services Network to work with more than 4,000 additional families through 2007.

Youth Services:
Kingsley House once again provided our historic full day summer camp for 250 children ages 5 – 12 in 2006. Our full day camp activities included indoor and outdoor sports and recreation, drama, arts and crafts, swimming, individaul and group counseling, academic enrichment (with a special focus on math and reading), computer literacy, drug and violence prevention education, and weekly field trips to fun and exciting locations throughout the area. We have already begun the planning for Summer Camp 2007 and anticipate the same high demand for this vital program.

After School and Teen Program:
Kingsley House continues to provide daily after school tutoring, mentoring, drug and violence prevention, group counseling, recreation and socialization activities to children ages 5 to 12. We have established linkages to both the Recovery School District and Orleans Parish schools to provide these essential and much needed activities to school aged children and youth. Kingsley House is also enabling teens from he surrounding Lower Garden District/Irish Channel area to receive academic tutoring and have full access to the gym and computer center from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. each night. In addition, children and teens are able to enjoy full use of the facilities on Saturdays throughout the year. More than 70 teens continue to participate in our program daily.

Services offered: Advocacy, Volunteer, Resource Referrals; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Medical, Services, Mobile Medical Unit/Clinic; Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Volunteer, Child Care
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
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Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation (Catholic Charities/United Way) – 2010 Oil Spill

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community/Disaster Relief/Recovery
4626 Alcee Fortier Blvd., New Orleans, LA 70129

Phone 504.255.9170 / Catholic Charities CARE LINE at (866) 891–2210
Web www.mqvncdc.org
Serves New Orleans
Service Temporary

ASSISTANCE from Catholic Charities of New Orleans

CCANO is currently providing services at the following locations:

– St. Bernard Parish – St. Bernard Catholic Church in St. Bernard
– Plaquemines Parish – St. Thomas Catholic Church in Pointe A la Hache and St. Patrick Catholic Church in Port Sulphur
– Orleans Parish – Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation in New Orleans East; we also have a liaison at the BP Claims Center in New Orleans East
– Jefferson Parish – St. Anthony Catholic Church in Lafitte
Addresses:

Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation
4626 Alcee Fortier Blvd. in New Orleans East

St. Anthony Catholic Church
2653 Jean Lafitte Boulevard in Lafitte

St. Bernard Catholic Church
2805 Bayou Road in St. Bernard

St. Patrick Catholic Church
28698 Highway 23 in Port Sulphur

St. Thomas Catholic Church
17605 Highway 15 in Pointe A la Hache

CCANO is distributing food vouchers to residents in need on the following days…
– Mondays – St. Anthony Catholic Church in Lafitte
– Tuesdays – St. Bernard Catholic Church in St. Bernard
– Wednesdays – St. Thomas Catholic Church in Pointe A la Hache
– Thursdays – St. Patrick Catholic Church in Port Sulphur
– Daily – currently – Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation in New Orleans East

On the days when food vouchers are not distributed, CCANO will provide case management services and limited financial assistance with utility bills, rent, mortgages, medical expenses, and similar expenses. At all centers, CCANO will help residents locate the nearest Second Harvest Member Agency food pantry so that they can get supplemental food. CCANO will provide crisis counseling to those needing this service.

On some days, CCANO will also be able to provide boxes or bags of food or other items such as baby formula, diapers, and baby wipes.

Vietnamese Americans Speak About BP Oil Spill Disaster
June 12, 2010

WHAT: Regional Gulf Coast Press Conference by Vietnamese Americans to Speak on the BP Oil Spill Disaster
WHO: Vietnamese American fishing communities in MS, AL and LA
WHERE: Lighthouse Fishing Dock, 586 Bayview Ave. Biloxi, Mississippi 39530
WHEN: Tuesday, June 15, 10 AM

Regional Gulf Coast Press Conference by Vietnamese Americans to Speak on the BP Oil Spill Disaster

Biloxi, MS—Vietnamese–American communities across the Gulf Coast will host a press conference to demonstrate the regional impact the BP Oil Disaster has on livelihoods, the family and the community. The regional group challenges community leaders, BP, state and federal governments to urgent and collaborative action. We are raising these issues in the hopes that President Obama hears our pressing needs as he tours Mississippi, Alabama and Florida for the first time after the Oil Spill Disaster.

Today, one third of all commercial seafood workers in the Gulf Coast are Vietnamese American. In the Gulf, at least 80% of the Southeast Asian community depends on the seafood industry. Most can no longer work due to current Federal water closures. For nearly 30 years,
Gulf Coast Vietnamese Americans have thrived as commercial fishermen harvesting shrimp, crabs and oysters and processing seafood. The fishing industry was a natural appeal for many Vietnamese refugees arriving in the US in the mid 1970s since these jobs did not require English proficiency. It also became a pathway to realize the American dream by becoming successful entrepreneurs of the sea. Now, the entire seafood industry and this American dream is ruined indefinitely.

Gulf Coast Vietnamese Americans propose the following solutions:

1) long–term jobs created to replace destroyed livelihoods
(2) BP and government agencies communicate information on the oil spill clearly to the community
(3) financial institutions grant fisherfolk loan deferments and cancel interest rates
(4) immediate and temporary provision of financial assistance
(5) comprehensive and full healthcare coverage resulting from the oil spill clean up work
(6) establish legal protection for fisherfolk from lawyers who are preying on them to profit off of vulnerable populations

“I can’t work anymore,” said Tony Quang Nguyen, a commercial shrimper in Mississippi for 30 years. “I don’t know English, so the information being given us isn’t clear. I have no way of checking to see if BP will really follow through or not.”

The conference is organized by the South Bay Alliance of Alabama, Mississippi Coalition for Vietnamese American Fisherfolk and Families, the Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation and Vietnamese American Young Leaders Association of New Orleans.

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WHO: Vietnamese American fishing communities in MS, AL and LA
WHERE: Lighthouse Fishing Dock, 586 Bayview Ave. Biloxi, Mississippi 39530
WHEN: Tuesday, June 15, 10 AM

FROM THE SITE:

Our major accomplishments to date include:

* Providing emergency relief assistance to over 3,000 Vietnamese American residents;
* Developing a trailer site that provided 199 trailer homes to hundreds of returnees;
* Engaging nearly 1,000 community members in identifying community needs and articulating priorities for neighborhood rebuilding process;
* Offering culturally competent case management services to over 1,200 community members;
* Secured $12.5mm State Tax Credits to develop 84–units of affordable senior housing; completed feasibility analysis for a 300–unit senior housing project;
* Hosting and organizing small business loan fair with five lenders present and over 35 small businesses in attendance;
* Assisting Village de l'Est business owners to secure over $2M in capital to rebuild or expand their businesses;
* Gaining support and endorsements from over 50 local and national groups to form a long–term debris management and recycling plan;
* Organizing over 500 Vietnamese American residents to stop the Chef Menteur landfill located near the community;
* Mobilizing over 500 community members to participate in the Unified New Orleans Planning process. At each of the UNOP meetings, language translations and interpretations were organized by MQVN CDC staff. Participation in these citywide meetings resulted in the community being chosen as one of the target zones for recovery by the City of New Orleans;
* Collaborating with Children's Hospital and Tulane Medical School to start two bridge health clinic in New Orleans East; and
* Approved for a Charter to open an Intercultural Charter School in the community.

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Baby, Baby Formula (ANY/ALL Types); Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Case Management, Disaster Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Refugees/Immigrants; Demographic Served: Immigrants; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical Expenses; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Relief; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; Catholic Charities; United Way
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Neighborhood Empowerment Network Association

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
1120 Lamanche Street, New Orleans, LA 70117

Phone (504) 373–6483
Web www.9thwardnena.org
Serves 9th Ward, New Orleans
Service Permanent

Survivors: Go to their website and choose "case management" and then choose "intake". Fill out their online form and submit it to get this group's help. They are GREAT. They've got a ton of projects going and it can't hurt to see if they can help you...

From their website:

Case Management

At the core of NENA's approach to rebuilding are the case management services it provides directly to residents, including

Identifying residents' assets, sustainable income sources, and any grant or debt monies received for rebuilding; Detailing residents' current and former housing situation, including title issues; Assessing residents' pre–Katrina insurance policies; and Identifying residents' employment skills and opportunities. With this information, NENA creates a financial planning program for residents that targets specific rebuilding sources, and provides referrals.

Currently, NENA has approximately 1,200 households in its case management system, and over the past six months alone has delivered more than 500 housing consultations and 500 budget and financial planning sessions.

Housing Development:

NENA's approach to housing development encourages the clustering of widespread home redevelopment around the rebuilding of schools, libraries, and community space in the Lower 9th Ward. In addition to establishing the Design Studio, Loan Fund, and Land Trust towards this goal, NENA is creating a redevelopment plan, building its internal capacity for residential development activities, and forming partnerships with development entities to begin the rebuilding of housing and key community institutions.

NENA's initial target areas focus on the reopened Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Charter School for Science and Technology, and the potential redevelopment of the Alfred Lawless High School site as a Health Academy, library, and civic space.

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Community Outreach Programs; Community Service Program; Construction, Emergency Home Repair Services; Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Disaster Damage Assessments for Disaster Managers; Events, Community Meetings; Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Management, Volunteer Placement; Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; Services, Disaster, Post Disaster Needs Assessment; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Volunteer Training; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteer, Volunteer Referral Services; Volunteer Work Orders/Projects (provided by this facility)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Hands On Network
Updated Feb 14, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2782

NENA (The Lower 9th Ward Neighborhood Empowerment Network Association)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Lower 9th Ward; 1120 Lamanche St., New Orleans, LA 70117

Phone (504) 373–6483 Fax (866) 450–6681
Web www.9thwardnena.org/home
Serves Lower 9th Ward
Checks payable to https://www.donate.net/donationSelector/basket.asp?dept_id=1122&shopper_id=1145562
Service Temporary

The Lower Ninth Ward Neighborhood Empowerment Network Association (NENA) was established in the aftermath of Katrina to play a lead role in rebuilding New Orleans' Lower 9th Ward.

Organized and controlled by residents of the Lower Ninth Ward, NENA addresses not only the immediate recovery needs created by the storm's destruction, but also the institutional neglect and disinvestment that plagued the neighborhood long before Katrina. NENA works with current Lower Ninth Ward residents, displaced residents living in other parts of New Orleans, and the broader diaspora who want to return to the neighborhood.

NENA utilizes an innovative resident–based approach to the comprehensive rebuilding of the Lower Ninth Ward, providing services and implementing sustainable programs in community outreach, case management, design and construction administration, home and school rebuilding, and economic development.

NENA has eleven staff members, in the areas of management and administration, outreach, case management, economic development, and the Design Studio. Its Board of Directors includes seven members, all of whom live, work, or worship in the Lower Ninth Ward.

In addition, NENA has ongoing partnerships with Warnke Community Consulting, a community development consulting firm that provides organizational and property development assistance; the Loyola School of Law; and numerous local organizations. NENA is the lead facilitator of the Lower 9th Ward Stakeholders Coalition, and is a member of the Greater New Orleans Disaster Recovery Partnership.

Services offered: Advocacy, Housing, Community, Housing Development; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Community Outreach Programs; Construction, Architect, Volunteer; Grants, Community Development; Information Resource, Katrina Related; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Training Classes, Construction, Bio–Remediation Instruction; Training Classes, Construction, Rebuilding, How to SAFELY Rebuild Hurricane Damaged Homes; Training Classes, Resume Writing, Interview Skills; Training, Information Resource, Cleanup, Mold Removal ; Volunteer, Volunteer Referral Services
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Mercy Corps
Updated May 10, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2961

New Orleans East (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit, Community
4661 Alcee Fortier Street, Suite 10, New Orleans, LA 70129

Phone (504) 523.2116
Serves Serving zip codes: 70128, 70129
Service Temporary

CATHOLIC CHARITIES COMMUNITY CENTERS

Community Centers provide long term case management, with direct assistance as part of a holistic approach to recovery.

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Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Catholic Charities Community Services; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated May 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2930

New Orleans Veterans For Peace

Walk–in Resource · Open

513 Patterson Drive #3, New Orleans, LA 70114

Phone	707 975–8289
Web	www.neworleansvfp.org
Hours	9–4 M–Sa
Checks payable to	New Orleans Veterans For Peace

We need Apple Computers, Adobe Creative suite, and digital still and video equipment to document what our partnering community organizations are doing to help the people most effected in the region. to see our wish list go to:

http://www.neworleansvfp.org/node/72
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Sep 23, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/394

Phoenix of New Orleans (Neighborhood Recovery Assoc. for Tulane/Gravier)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non Profit Community Center
310 So. Broad Street, New Orleans, LA 70119

Phone	(504) 342–4399
Web	www.pnola.org
Hours	Mon – Fri, 8:00–4:00
Checks payable to	Phoenix of New Orleans

SERVES: Tulane/Gravier/Mid–City

FROM THE WEBSITE:

Rebuilding
In 2007, we plan to rebuild the homes that we gutted out in '06 and any other places in the neighborhood that need assistance. We have the skilled labor force that can do some of the installation and help with roofing. In addition, we are looking for General Contractors that can assist our Americorps members and train them in a range of skills. Also, Plumbers and Electricians are desperately needed.

For more information contact:
Ryan Porcelli ryanporcelli@gmail.com

Advocacy/Outreach
Our new 310 S. Broad Street address is meant to serve the community. Residents can walk in during our business hours of 8–4 M–Fri. and can meet with one of our Neighborhood Advocates. If we cannot help with their request, we can hopefully put them in touch with the right people. With contacts around the city, and a growing resource list, residents can be assisted in a range of issues.

For more information contact:
Nick Vilelle pnola1@gmail.com
Autry Watkins autry.watkins@gmail.com

(Old note)
Pre Katrina the Tulane–Gravier neighborhood was, and still is, one of the poorest neighborhoods in New Orleans. So far, we have helped residents with FEMA, the Road Home Program, Spanish translation, healthcare access, learning to use a computer, applying for small business loans, and lots of house gutting/reconstruction. We are currently trying to open a neighborhood advocacy center. This center will offer residents a permanant place to come for assistance and increase our visibility in the community.

Services offered: Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Grants, Louisiana Residents Homeowners Rebuilding Grants; Services, Legal Assistance; Services, Tutoring Services; Translators, Spanish/English, Volunteers
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; ACORN (Association of Community Organizations for Reform Now); AmeriCorps; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; United Way
Updated Sep 23, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/945

Second Harvest Food Bank of Greater New Orleans and Acadiana

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank/On–Site Pantry
OLD –; 1201 Sams Avenue; NEW –; 700 Edwards Avenue, New Orleans, LA 70123

Phone	504–734–1322
Web	www.no–hunger.org
Hours	7:30a–4p M–F
Serves	cadia, Beauregard, Calcasieu, Cameron, Evangeline, Iberia, Jefferson, Jefferson, Davis, Lafayette, LaFourche, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles, St. John the Baptist, St. Landry, St. Martin, St. Mary, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa, Terrebonne, Verm
Checks payable to	Second Harvest Food Bank of Greater New Orleans and Acadiana
Service	Temporary

http://no–hunger.org/News/DisasterResponse.aspx

Follow above link for Hurricane Isaac complete update
(LTel – 9/17/12)

Food supplies are critically low and Second Harvest Food Bank has an immediate need for non–perishable items such as canned fruits and vegetables, tuna, soups, stews, chili, beans, rice, pasta, cereals, juices and shelf stable milk among other items. Cleaning supplies such as bleach are also needed. Food and cleaning supplies can be donated at either your neighborhood Rouses Supermarkets or at our Elmwood warehouse located at 700 Edwards Avenue.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/Elderly); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Food Pantry, Mobile Food Pantry; Food, Dry, * Dry Food Goods (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Support for "All Local" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; America's Second Harvest; Catholic Charities; United Way; VOAD (this org is not a member, but is "affiliated")
Updated Sep 17, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3684

Shirley Landry Benson PACE Center at St. Cecelia, The (Catholic Charities)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Non–Profit Community (Seniors)
4201 North Rampart,, New Orleans, LA 70117

Phone	(504) 945–1531
Web	www.ccano.org/pace.htm
Serves	Orleans, Jefferson and St. Bernard residents

Service Temporary

The Shirley Landry Benson PACE Center at St. Cecilia is located in the Bywater neighborhood, and is available to Orleans, Jefferson and St. Bernard residents.

The Shirley Landry Benson PACE Center at St. Cecilia

The facility is a state of the art, comfortable environment. The program offers day time entertainment and activities, meals, healthcare, dentistry and other benefits. Scroll down to see a full list of services.

The spiritual setting, a newly renovated historic church building, offers a perfect place for reflection, as well as a social environment that keeps our guests engaged in their community.

Who is eligible?
Individuals 55 and over who are nursing home eligible.

What Services are offered?
Registered Nurses and Assistants provide the following services based on individual client's needs:

Education
Case Management
Transportation
Personal Care
Recreation
Exercise Therapy
Meals
Nutritional counseling
Pastoral Care
Medical Supervision
Companionship
A Holistic Healthcare Facility
Holistic healthcare means that the mind, spirit and body are all important to an individual's health.

The PACE program offers its clients access to an on–site health clinic, where patients can see doctors and nurses to address their medical needs.

The site also features a dentist, mental health counselors and other healthcare professionals.

Payment Options?
PACE accepts Medicaid/Medicare and private pay.

Please call to inquire about our rates or for information about Medicaid.

For more information and to schedule a visit call (504) 945–1531.

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Group Counseling for Seniors; Counseling, Nutritional Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Dental, Services * (ANY/ALL Types of Dental Services) ; Facilities: Recreational Facilities for Seniors/Elders; Fitness Equipment, Exercise Equipment (ie. Treadmill/Stationary Bike, etc.); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Medical, Facility, Clinic ($ Fee–Based Sliding Scale); Medical, Non–Emergency Medical Services; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Mental Health Services; Transportation, Ride Service (FREE or Sliding Scale)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated May 10, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2963

St. Gabriel The Archangel Roman Catholic Church (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit, Community
4700 Pineda Street, New Orleans, LA 70126
Phone (504) 756–2973 or (504) 214–0521
Hours Monday–Friday 9 am – 4 pm
Serves Serving zip codes: 70122, 70126, 70127, 70148
Service Temporary

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Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Catholic Charities Community Services
Updated May 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2964

St. John the Baptist Center (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit, Food Bank, Community
1920 Clio Street, New Orleans, LA 70113

Phone 504–581–4987
Hours Monday–Friday 8 am – 4 pm; Food Bank daily 9 am–1 pm
Serves Serving zip codes: 70113, 70114, 70115, 70130, 70131
Service Temporary

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Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated May 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2970

St. Jude Catholic Church (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit, Community, Food Bank
400 North Rampart Street, New Orleans, LA 70112

Phone (504) 522–8290
Hours Monday–Friday 8:30 am – 4 pm; Food Bank daily
Serves Serving zip codes: 70112, 70116, 70117, 70124
Service Temporary

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Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of

Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Catholic Charities Community Services
Updated May 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2965

St. Maria Goretti Catcholic Church (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Non–Profit Community
7300 Crowder Blvd., New Orleans, LA 70127
Phone (504) 214–0521
Serves New Orleans East
Service Temporary

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Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Catholic Charities Community Services; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated May 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2975

Emergency Communities

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Non–Profit
6030 St. Claude Ave., New Orleans, 9th Ward, LA 70117
Phone (917) 442–8900
Web emergencycommunities.org
Hours 7 days/week
Checks payable to IHCenter/Emergency Communities
Service Temporary

FROM THE WEBSITE:

Emergency Communities is no longer accepting volunteers on the Gulf Coast. We are directing all of our volunteers to join our sister organization, LowerNine.Org, which is continuing our work of rebuilding the Lower Ninth Ward. Please visit their website for more information on volunteering.

From the website:

Open! The Goin' Home Cafe, Lower 9th Ward, New Orleans – Our new site is finally open, right in the heart of the Lower 9th Ward. In a way, this area was the epicentre of the Katrina disaster, but it is also an area of a tight–knit, determined, and strong community with a will to return. We are helping them on that quest with free meals, laundry services, gutting, internet, children's programs, and anything else that is asked of us.

Emergency Communities
4316 Baronne St.
Suite D
New Orleans, LA 70115

Or call us at:

(917) 442–8900

as of 2/4, per Mischa to CB

EC has new site:

Goin' Home Community Caf □ 6030 St. Claude Ave.
New Orelans 70117

Confirmed they do not have a clinic so took it off the availabilities list. They have basic first aid supplies and herbal healing. Two other items on availabilities list.

Open! The Y Caf □ Buras, Plaquemines Parish, LA, May, 2006–?. The United Way and the government of Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana invited us to open a new free kitchen and community center in Buras, the town where Hurricane Katrina first made landfall. Our relief operation served its first meal on June 1st and is now serving three hot meals to over 200 residents daily. We are operating a free Laundromat and internet caf □ o accompany our kids? space, showers and air–conditioned community spaces for the local residents. Come volunteer!

You can write us at:

Emergency Communities
4316 Baronne St.
Suite D
New Orleans, LA 70115

Or call us at:
(917) 442–8900

Thank you!

Services offered: Management, Volunteer Coordination Services
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Nov 5, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/401

St. Thomas Catholic Church (Catholic Charities/United Way) – 2010 OIL SPILL

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Community, Disaster Relief/Recovery
17605 Highway 15, Pointe A La Hache, LA 70082
Phone 985–333–4465 / Catholic Charities Care Line: (866)–891–2210
Service Temporary

ASSISTANCE from Catholic Charities of New Orleans

CCANO is currently providing services at the following locations:
– St. Bernard Parish – St. Bernard Catholic Church in St. Bernard
– Plaquemines Parish – St. Thomas Catholic Church in Pointe A la Hache and St. Patrick Catholic Church in Port Sulphur
– Orleans Parish – Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation in New Orleans East; we also have a liaison at the BP Claims Center in New Orleans East
– Jefferson Parish – St. Anthony Catholic Church in Lafitte
Addresses:

Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation
4626 Alcee Fortier Blvd. in New Orleans East

St. Anthony Catholic Church
2653 Jean Lafitte Boulevard in Lafitte

St. Bernard Catholic Church
2805 Bayou Road in St. Bernard

St. Patrick Catholic Church
28698 Highway 23 in Port Sulphur

St. Thomas Catholic Church
17605 Highway 15 in Pointe A la Hache

CCANO is distributing food vouchers to residents in need on the following days…
– Mondays – St. Anthony Catholic Church in Lafitte
– Tuesdays – St. Bernard Catholic Church in St. Bernard
– Wednesdays – St. Thomas Catholic Church in Pointe A la Hache
– Thursdays – St. Patrick Catholic Church in Port Sulphur
– Daily – currently – Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation in New Orleans East

On the days when food vouchers are not distributed, CCANO will provide case management services and limited financial assistance with utility bills, rent, mortgages, medical expenses, and similar expenses. At all centers, CCANO will help residents locate the nearest Second Harvest Member Agency food pantry so that they can get supplemental food. CCANO will provide crisis counseling to those needing this service.

On some days, CCANO will also be able to provide boxes or bags of food or other items such as baby formula, diapers, and baby wipes.

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Baby, Baby Formula (ANY/ALL Types); Baby, Baby Wipes ; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical Expenses; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Vouchers, Food Vouchers
Campaigns: 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; America's Second Harvest; Catholic Charities; United Way
Updated Jun 21, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5981

Port Sulphur Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource

Church
27080 Highway 23; Mailing address:; P.O. Box 1028, Port Sulphur, LA 70083

Phone	504–564–0303
Hours	daytime
Serves	Plaquemines, Orleans, Baton Rouge Parishes
Checks payable to	Port Sulphur Baptist Church
Service	Temporary

We greatly appreciate anything whether it be small or sample toiletries and cleaning supplies–anything, any kind, any size. A lot of the people in this community are trying to survive and we hope to distribute over 500 packs of toiletries and cleaning supplies kit

Contact:
Pastor Lynn Rodrigue
LRodrigue@juno.com
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Sep 14, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1577

St. Patrick Catholic Church (Catholic Charities/United Way) – 2010 Oil Spill/ Isaac

Walk–in Resource · Open

28698 Highway 23, Port Sulphur, LA 70083

Phone	(985) 564–3284 / (866) 891–2210 (Catholic Charities Care Line)
Hours	9 am – 2 pm
Service	Temporary

August 2012: http://www.ccano.org/

Damage assessments are now underway and it is clear that many residents in the 8 civil parishes of the Archdiocese of New Orleans will need assistance to recover from Hurricane Isaac. Archbishop Gregory Aymond and Catholic Charities leadership are finalizing a response plan that will launch immediately and will begin with crisis counselors and case managers working with evacuees in the state's evacuation shelters. Other teams will fan out into the affected areas beginning Friday, August 31, 2012. Residents of Plaquemines Parish, the towns of Slidell, LaPlace, Madisonville and Mandeville have suffered the most damage, but the situation remains fluid and assessments continue to identify damage.

Please consider a donation to assist us as we begin the task of helping those devastated by this storm. http://www.ccano.org/ways–you–can–give/

As the City of New Orleans and surrounding areas prepare for Hurricane Isaac, Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New Orleans (CCANO) remains ready to respond to the needs of the community especially in times of crisis. We continue to offer care, support and prayer for all those who will feel the effects of Isaac. With so much uncertainty as to the scale and impact that this storm will bring, your support now is crucial in ensuring that CCANO can provide immediate care and assistance to those who need it most in the wake of the storm. Our readiness and response to the impending threat of hurricane conditions is possible through the continued support from friends and donors like YOU.

The needs of our clients and the community only grows exponentially with the scale and uncertainty of this hurricane threat. Evacuation costs for our residential clients, response and relief efforts for the community in the aftermath of the storm and our ability to provide aid and assistance to our caregivers who will be on the front lines of providing relief depend on support we receive NOW.
PLEASE GIVE TODAY. Your gift sustains our continued programming throughout Hurricane Isaac and enables us to immediately provide for the increased needs of the community in the aftermath of this storm.

CCANO continues to monitor Hurricane Isaac. For our latest news and updates, follow Twitter @CathCharitiesNO, and the Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New Orleans Facebook page.
Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New Orleans and the community are bound together in prayer and preparation. Thank you for your support!

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A C-SPAN crew went to St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Port Sulphur, Louisiana, to look at relief efforts for local fisherman who have lost work because of the oil spill. They spoke with relief workers and some of the fisherman.

http://www.c–span.org/Watch/Media/2010/06/17/OIL/A/34394/Relief+Operations+in+Port+Sulphur+Louisiana.aspx

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Addresses:

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2653 Jean Lafitte Boulevard in Lafitte

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Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; Catholic Charities; Feed The Children; Government, Small Business Administration (SBA); United Way
Updated Aug 31, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5980

Council on Aging, Lafourche Branch

Walk–in Resource · Open

State Agency
1612 Highway 182; Post Office Box 500, Raceland, LA 70394
Phone (985) 537-3446 / (985) 537-7046 / (985) 537-3492
Service Temporary

In order to help the elderly, Council on Aging staff have been trained to administer Disaster Food Stamps. People 60 years of age or older should contact their local parish Councils on Aging for the nearest Disaster Food Stamp Assistance Application Site for

seniors. If the local Council on Aging is not available, seniors should contact the Governor's Office of Elderly Affairs at 1–877–340–9100.

DSS Secretary Williamson emphasized that the Disaster Food Stamps program has strictly defined income eligibility and can only be used for the purchase of food, and reminded participants in the regular Food Stamp Program that they do not need to apply. Their benefits will automatically be lifted to the maximum amount allowable for September and their August benefits have been increased by 20 percent in order to replace lost food.

Ms. Charlene Rodriquez, Director, Lafourche Council on Aging, Inc
(985) 537-3446 (985) 537-3492
(985) 537-7046 FAX #(985) 537-6995
1612 Highway 182
Post Office Box 500
Raceland, LA 70394
lafcoadirector@mobiletel.com

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike
Updated Sep 12, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3717

Good Samaritan Food Bank (Catholic Charities)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
2084 Hwy 182, Raceland, LA
Phone 985–537–7706
Web www.htdiocese.org/CatholicSocialServicesHome/GoodSamaritanFoodBanks/tabid/816/Default.aspx
Service Temporary

LTel 9/11/12:
SOURCE: http://www.dailycomet.com/article/20120911/ARTICLES/120919957

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Provides food & household items and other support to families in crisis.

Hours of Operation:
Monday and Friday 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm
Wednesday 9:00 – 12 noon

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; Catholic Charities
Updated Sep 11, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3671

Raceland Recreation Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Relief Distribution Site – Hot Meals
241 Recreation Drive, Raceland, Raceland, LA 70394
Phone 985–537–1700

Hours 8am–6pm
Service Temporary

SOURCE: http://www.tri-parishtimes.com/articles/2008/09/09/whats_new/390_60_soup.txt

9/12/08 News Article:

Sunday evening in Lafourche Parish, New Orleans-based Besh Restaurant Group answered the governor's call and served meals to residents at the Raceland Recreation Center.

Besh Restaurant Group's General Manager Octavio Mantilla said the group expected to serve nearly 20,000 meals over a two-day stretch.

Beyond that, "if the residents need us to keep cooking then we will," Besh said.

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Hot Meals
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike
Updated Sep 12, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3707

Louisiana Baptist Convention Crisis Response/Southern Baptist Convention – Church Relief/Clean Up/Recovery Sites

Walk-in Resource · Open

Faith-Based Disaster Relief
SEE NOTES, SEE NOTES, LA

Phone SEE NOTES
Web www.lbc.org/CrisisResponse.aspx?id=5978
Serves Gulf Parishes
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Gustav
Service Temporary

Typical available resources are shower facilities for survivors and feeding units. Some sites are offering Emergency Child Care. Call ahead to: 877.487.4658 for specific location details.

SOURCE: http://www.lbc.org/CrisisResponse.aspx?id=5978

Disaster Relief Units Dispatched Throughout Southern Louisiana

Primary Disaster Relief Locations
Contact the Crisis Response Center, 877.487.4658, for specific information on each location.

LBC Feeding Unit 1 at
Salvation Army
www.uss.salvationarmy.org
7361 Airline Hwy
Baton Rouge, LA 70805
(225) 355-4483

East Bayou Baptist Church
2234 Kaliste Saloom Road
Lafayette, LA 70508-6806
(337) 984-8291

New Covenant Baptist Church
215 Florida Ave SE
Denham Springs, LA 70726-3728
(225) 664-0858

Florida Boulevard Baptist Church
10915 Florida Blvd
Baton Rouge, LA 70815-2009
(225) 272-3740

Coteau Baptist Church
2066 Coteau Rd
Houma, LA 70364-2130
(985) 876-6089

First Baptist Church
4141 Pontchartrain Dr
Slidell, LA 70458-5137
(985) 643-3456

First Baptist Church
PO Box 610
Livingston, LA 70754–0610
(225) 686–2314

Jefferson Baptist Church
9135 Jefferson Hwy
Baton Rouge, LA 70809–2440
(225) 923–0356

Walker Baptist Church
PO Box 220
Walker, LA 70785–0220
(225) 665–8368

Fellowship Church
14363 Highway 73
Prairieville, LA 70769
(225) 673–4735

Zoar Baptist Church
11848 Hooper Rd
Baton Rouge, LA 70818–3901
(225) 261–3434

While most Southern Baptist disaster relief units routinely handle 10,000–30,000 meals per day, units in Houma and Baton Rouge will handle American Red Cross and Salvation Army requests for 110,000–150,000 meals as Louisiana Gulf Coast residents without power seek food and refuge.

Services offered: Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To); First Responder, Gulf Region; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Hot Meals; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Gustav; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Louisiana Baptist Convention Crisis Response; Salvation Army
Updated Sep 26, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3678

St. Luke The Evangelist Catholic Church / Good Samaritan Center (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit, Community
901 Cross Gates Boulevard, Slidell, LA 70461
Phone (985) 645–3626
Hours Monday–Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Service Temporary

LTel 9/11/12:
SOURCE: http://www.nola.com/hurricane/index.ssf/2012/09/hurricane_isaac_recovery_gets.html

Marinello, director of Catholic Charities Northshore in Covington, said his office is ready to help "with whatever people need: dog food, clothes, furniture, case managers. We are a one–stop shop."

Catholic Charities Northshore is set up at St. Anselm's and at St. Luke Catholic Church in Slidell, which is working with the Good Samaritan Center. Anyone in need of assistance can reach 4 Catholic Charities Northshore at:

985.605.5845

Services offered: Animals, Food, * Dog Food (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; Catholic Charities Community Services; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Sep 11, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2974

St. Bernard Catholic Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community/Disaster Relief/Recovery
2805 Bayou Road, St. Bernard, LA 70085
Phone (504) 281–2267 / CARE LINE: (866) 891–2210
Web www.stbernard–stbla.com
Hours 9 am – 3 pm
Service Temporary

For baby supplies: St. Bernard Catholic Church, 2805 Bayou Road, 9 am - 2 pm

Catholic Charities Care Line (866) 891–2210. Case Management and Mental Health/Crisis Counseling staff are also available at St. Bernard Catholic Church, 2805 Bayou Road, 9 am - 2 pm

OIL SPILL ASSISTANCE:

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Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; Catholic Charities; United Way
Updated Jun 22, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5956

Good Samaritan Food Bank (Catholic Charities)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
100 Birch Street, Thibodaux, LA 70301

Phone 985– 447–9776
Web www.htdiocese.org/CatholicSocialServicesHome/GoodSamaritanFoodBanks/tabid/816/Default.aspx
Serves La Fourche Parish
Service Temporary

LTel 9/11/12:
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2010 GULF OIL SPILL

6/24/10 Sitrep report –

Houma/Thibodeaux: The local agency is just beginning to see an increase in requests for service. To date, case management services have been provided to 16 families, while 112 emergency and referral services have been provided. Catholic Charities is providing assistance with information and referral services, food vouchers, utility/rent/mortgage and pharmacy/medications.

Provides food & household items and other support to families in crisis.

Hours of Operation:
Tuesday and Thursday 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Saturday 10:00 am – 12 noon

Food Bank Manager: Emma Hadley

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals ∗ General Information & Referral; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food, Non–Perishable Food ∗ (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Household Items (small) ∗ (ANY/ALL Types) ; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; Catholic Charities Social Services
Updated Sep 11, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3670

University Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Standby

American Red Cross and Southern Baptist Disaster Relief
904 Menard St, Thibodaux, LA 70301

Phone 985–446–5818
Hours Noon and 6pm
Service Temporary

• Lunch 12noon
• Dinner 6pm

Services offered: Meals ∗ (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Hot Meals; Meals, Lunches, Misc.
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Southern

Baptist Conference Disaster Relief
Updated Sep 12, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3709

Disaster Recovery Centers (DRC's) – Plaquemines Parish, LA – 2012 HURRICANE ISAAC

Walk–in Resource · Open

SEE NOTES, VARIOUS, LA
Service Temporary

(LTel 9/17/12)
Plaquemines Parish FEMA Disaster Recovery Center's for Hurricane Isaac:

Belle Chasse
Belle Chase Auditorium
8398 Hwy 23
Belle Chasse, LA, 70037
Days/Hours: Daily, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. until further notice

Port Sulphur
Outside of Plaquemines Parish Government building
28028 Hwy 23
Port Sulphur, LA, 70083
Days/Hours: Daily, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. until further notice

Braithwaite
Outside of Bethlehem Baptist Church
111 Bethlehem Lane
Braithwaite, LA, 70040
Days/Hours: Daily, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. until further notice

Services offered: Assistance, How To, Complete Forms/Applications for Disaster Assistance; Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Businesses Impacted by Disaster; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Isaac; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center)
Updated Sep 17, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9357

HOPE

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
5262 East Judge Perez Dr. (UPS/FEDEX); Mailing address: (not UPS/FEDEX); 831 Elysian Fields Ave.; P.O. Box 313; New Orleans, LA 70117, Violet, LA

Phone	(504)218–6615 or (504) 913–8693
Web	www.resourceactiongroup.org
Hours	M–Sa 10am–5pm
Serves	St Bernard, Orleans Parishes
Checks payable to	HOPE
Service	Temporary

THEY OFFER:
supplies (bedding, clothes, food, cleaning supplies, personal care, baby, feminine products...)

House gutting and mold removal (non–licensed) to those in the Violet area

We currently have two arborists offering free tree cutting and removal

THEY ARE PLANNING:

small mobile medical clinic
community laundrymat
community phone and internet service center
counseling services

A propane exchange and grocery delivery program for the elderly/disabled/ those without transport

All services and programs are free,except the propane and groceries.
We ask for the cost of the propane and cost of the groceries.

Services offered: Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Cleanup, House Gutting, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Mold Removal Info; Cleanup, Mold Removal/Remediation, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Tree Cutting and Removal, Volunteer Services; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Construction, Home

Repair, Volunteer Services; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Linens, Bedding * (ANY/ALL Types of Bedding) New or Gently Used/ CLEAN; Training, Information Resource, Cleanup, Mold Removal
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Sep 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/475

Tanglewood Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit – Community
1300 Tanglewood Drive, Westwego, LA 70094

Phone	504–328–3249
Web	www.nhpfoundation.org
Hours	10:30am–6:30pm
Checks payable to	New Orleans Affordable Housing, Inc.

Services offered: Advocacy, Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2009 Australia Bushfires
Updated Sep 23, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1709

Adventist LA 2016 Flood Response – VOLUNTEER teams

Walk–in Resource · Open

LA

Web	www.adventistreview.org/church–news/story4295–adventist–volunteers–provide–shelter–and–food–in–louisiana–flooding
Service	Temporary

Adventist Volunteers Provide Shelter and Food in Louisiana Flooding
Adventist Community Services is also assisting people affected by a fire in California.
Posted August 19, 2016

By Kimberly Luste Maran, North American Division

Seventh–day Adventist volunteers are working double–duty in the United States as they seek to provide relief to communities affected by flooding in Louisiana and a fire in California.

Church members and ministry leaders, working under the auspices of the Adventist Community Services Disaster Response, are providing shelter, clothing, food, water, and toiletries.

“Louisiana and California are currently being affected by very different crisis events, but what has been consistent in these situations is the response of our people to those experiencing disaster,” said W. Derrick Lea, director of the Adventist Community Services Disaster Response for the church’s North American Division.

“We know disasters will increase in severity and number as we approach Christ’s return,” Lea said. “In both these most recent cases, volunteers … have put all of their daily routine activities on hold to assist the community. These types of responses are commonplace for many who are helping their communities with no thought to asking for anything in return.”

Authorities in Louisiana, where devastating floods have killed at least 13 people and destroyed 40,000 homes, have asked Adventist Community Services Disaster Response to open a multi–agency warehouse in the state’s capital, Baton Rouge, to accept donated goods for flood survivors. The warehouse was scheduled to open shortly.

Volunteers are also sending relief supplies to people stranded by floodwaters.

“We are attempting to get food and supplies to those affected via boats,” the Adventist Community Services Disaster Response said in a statement. “Clothing, food, diapers, personal hygiene supplies, and bed linens top the list of donated and needed items.”

Four churches also are offering shelter in Louisiana: the Baton Rouge Seventh–day Adventist Church, the Baton Rouge Spanish church, and the Kenner and Metairie churches in New Orleans.

Several churches in Arkansas and northern Louisiana have opened collection centers to gather and distribute emergency relief items.

While Adventist volunteers have stepped in to help, local church members have also been affected by the disaster, including two pastors, whose homes were badly damaged, said Lavida Whitson, head of the Adventist Community Services Disaster Response team for the Arkansas–Louisiana Conference.

The Baton Rouge Spanish church, which is sheltering 35 people, said 90 percent of its members were evacuated from their homes.

The Arkansas–Louisiana volunteer team has lent cots and mattresses to the Kenner church, which is sheltering 25 victims. It also is in contact with a local food bank, making arrangements to feed evacuees.

Whitson said three nongovernment organizations have asked her team to set up warehouses in their communities.

“We await the state’s final request before we respond in the affirmative to any of these entities,” she said.

Adventist volunteers are also helping collect donations in the Texas Conference.

“As we help during this disaster, we ask others to pray with us,” said Irene Williams, a representative of the church’s Southwest Regional Conference. “Keep Louisiana in your thoughts and prayers.”

Meanwhile in California, two churches are offering assistance after a fire linked to arson burned thousands of acres (hectares) and destroyed about 200 homes and businesses.

Lakeport Seventh–day Adventist Church is one of three locations listed on the California government website as an evacuation center amid the Clayton fire in Lake County. The church has taken in at least 15 people. Both Lakeport and the second church, Middleton, are providing other support for evacuees, who include several Adventists who lost property.

Red Cross volunteers are using the Middletown church, while a group of Adventist volunteers is assisting at a second evacuation center, Twin Pines Casino.

Jim Pedersen, president of the Northern California Conference, has expressed his gratitude to the volunteers.
Campaigns: 2016 Lousiana Flood
Updated Aug 26, 2016 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9982

BP Community Outreach Centers – (Gulf Oil Spill – ASSISTANCE)

Walk–in Resource · Open

LA

Web bp.concerts.com/gom/communityoutreachcenters_21052010.htm
Hours 8:00 am to 5:00 pm daily
Service Temporary

http://www.mississippigulfresponse.com/go/doc/3047/565051/

The BP Community Outreach Centers are responsible for assisting Louisiana residents and businesses with any information and/or assistance on the Deepwater Horizon incident. These offices are open from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm daily.

Terrebonne Parish (Chauvin)
5703 Highway 56, Chauvin, LA 70344

St. Tammany Parish (Slidell)
2040 Gause Blvd., Suite 10, Slidell, LA 70461

Plaquemines Parish (Venice)
414 Coast Guard Rd, Venice, LA 70091

Pointe a la Hache
1553 Highway 15 (Council District 1 office), Pointe a la Hache, LA 70082

Jefferson Parish (Grand Isle)
3811 LA 1, Grand Isle, LA 70358

Saint Bernard Parish (Saint Bernard)
1345 Bayou Rd, Saint Bernard, LA 70085

Gretna/Belle Chasse
2766 Belle Chasse Highway, Gretna, LA 70056

Orleans Parish (New Orleans East)
4375 Michoud Blvd, New Orleans, LA 70129

Orleans Parish (New Orleans East)
4655 Michoud Blvd., Suite D6 (first floor), New Orleans, LA 70461

Terrebonne Parish (Houma)
Plaza Caillou Shopping Center, Suites 2 and 3, 814 Grand Caillou Rd, Houma, LA 70363

Lafouche Parish (Cut Off)
Tarpon Heights Shopping Center, Unit 2, 16263 E. Main St, Cut Off, LA 70345

OTHER RESOURCES –

http://www.emergency.louisiana.gov/res_individuals.html

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Community Outreach Programs; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; America's Second Harvest; Catholic Charities Community Services
Updated Jun 10, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5923

Disaster Recovery Centers, 2016 Lousiana Floods

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Web emergency.louisiana.gov
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TANGIPAHOA PARISH St. Helena Parish East Baton Rouge East Baton Rouge West Feliciana Ascension Parish
Former Parish Tourism Building
42271 S. Morrison Blvd.
Hammond, LA 70443

Amite City Office Complex
721 S. First St.
Amite, La. 70422
St. Helena Environmental Health Unit
53 N. 2nd St.
Greensburg, LA 70441
New Hope Baptist Church
5856 Greenwell Springs Rd.
Baton Rouge, La. 70806

2nd Baptist Church
914 N. Acadian Thruway
Baton Rouge, La. 70802

Zachary Men's Club
5746 Rollins Road
Zachary, La. 70791
St. Louis King of France Catholic Church
2121 N. Sherwood Forest Dr.
Baton Rouge, La. 70815

City of Central Parking Lot
13421 Hooper Rd.
Central, La. 70818
Independence Community Center
10494 State Highway 965
St. Francisville, La. 70775
Lamar Dixon Expo
9039 S. St. Landry Ave.
Gonzales, La. 70737

St.Martin Parish East Feliciana Livingston St. Landry parishes Iberia Parish
Veterans Home
800 Veterans Dr.
Breaux Bridge, La. 70517
Early Learning Center Gym
9414 Plank Rd.
Clinton, La. 70772
Word Ministries
1960 W. Laurel Ave.
Eunice, La. 70535
St. Joseph Catholic Church
15710 Highway 16
French Settlement, La. 70733
Iberia Parish Fire Protection District Training Center
2417 Darnall Road
New Iberia, La. 70560

LIVINGSTON PARISH ASCENSION PARISH EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH LAFAYETTE PARISH TANGIPAHOA PARISH
Southeastern Louisiana University
Clausen Family Building
Literacy and Technology Center–Room 119
9261 Florida Boulevard
Walker, LA 70785

Opens 8 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 18
Mondays–Fridays, 8:00a.m.–4:30p.m
Bancorp South Bank
13423 Highway 73
Prairieville, LA 70769

Opens 9 a.m. Monday, Aug. 22
Mondays–Fridays, 9:00a.m. – 4:30p.m
Louisiana State Archives
(Corner of I–12 and Essen Lane)
3851 Essen Lane
Baton Rouge, LA 70809

Opens 8 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 18
Mondays – Saturdays, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m

Baker Workforce Development Center
3262 Baker Blvd
Baker, LA 70714

Opens 8 a.m. Monday, Aug. 22
Mondays–Saturdays, 8a.m. – 4:30p.m.
Sundays, 12 p.m. – 4 p.m.
Louisiana Immersive Technologies Enterprise (LITE)
Executive Conference Room
537 Cajundome Blvd.
Lafayette, LA 70506

Opens 9 a.m. Thursday, Monday, Aug. 22
Mondays–Saturdays, 9a.m. – 6p.m.
Sundays, 12 p.m. – 4 p.m.
Amite Chamber of Commerce
101 SE Central Ave.
Amite, LA 70422

Opens 9 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 20
Mondays–Saturdays, 9a.m. – 6p.m.
Sundays, 12 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Services offered: Emergency Operations Center, Local; Government, HQ (Headquarters); Hotline, Disaster Recovery Services Hotline for Survivors; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Information Resource, Road Closures/ Conditions; Information Resource, Situation Reports & Status Reports
Campaigns: 2016 Lousiana Flood
Updated Aug 26, 2016 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9973

Family–of–Friends, Rainbow Relief @ Redemption Life Fellowship Feeding/ Cleaning/Mucking Site w/ Needs List & $ donation link

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Web www.amazon.com/wedding/louisiana––love––baker–december–2016/registry/3MTBZ2ZHY94UF
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NEEDS LIST (SEE UPDATE AT AMAZON WISH LIST LINK ABOVE)

8/28 update:

LA FLOOD RELIEF – FAMILY OF FRIENDS ~relief and kitchen effort~
2400 Debra Drive, Baker, La 70714

Please make all donations here:

http://www.unitedpeacerelief.org/page6/donate.html

(This link will take you to United Peace Relief PayPal page. This is the correct page – ALL DONATIONS TO THIS PAGE WILL BE GOING TO OUR LA FLOOD RELIEF EFFORTS)

Many thanks to United Peace Relief for giving us this umbrella under which to do charitable and loving work, and to Redemption Life Fellowship Church for allowing use of their property to create this collaborative effort.

IMPORTANT THINGS TO NOTE:

This is a feeding, cleaning, mucking relief effort.

Present ground crew is creating the infrastructure.

Request from ground crew to not arrive without prior communication with Asimina Triloba, and they determine the site to be safe and welcoming for all SELF–RELIANT and HEALTHY volunteers.

Please take this time, while awaiting word from the ground crew, to be sure you have whatever is required to be self–sufficient, and to network with your personal family and friends to support us with funds and/or supplies. This is not a Rainbow Gathering, it is a disaster relief effort and each person who arrives must be prepared to be part of the Relief & Solution.

**However kind your intention, we cannot allow drugs, alcohol, dogs or those with any criminal sexual history to be part of this effort. We do send you our love and gratitude for wanting to join us and help, though!!

Maureen Rose–Ice

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Bill Bates·Tuesday, August 23, 2016
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This is a place where specific items that are needed can be listed and removed when acquired.
Find the gift registry here:
https://www.amazon.com/wedding/louisiana––love––baker–december–2016/registry/3MTBZ2ZHY94UF

Relief site address:
Rainbow Relief/Richard Rawski
c/o REDEMPTION LIFE FELLOWSHIP
2400 Debra Drive
Baker, LA 70714

FOOD AND DRINK CAMBROS
Bottled water" 100 cases
trash bags
7eral e–z up Pop up shelters with walls, large, or any large military style tent for shelter
3 heavy duty propane burners and tanks, regulators and hoses
food serving clam shells
Cups
napkins
disposable utensils
3 heavy duty propane burners w/hoses, and several large shelters w/walls to this list
MOLD REMEDIATION:
Bleach"10 cases
Borax 10 cases
white vinegar
Tea tree oil" 2 bottles
Oregano oil. 2 bottles
Grapeseed extract. 2 bottles
sprayers/applicators

MUCKING EQUIPMENT:
Masks N95 2200 series
mask filters (type???)
work gloves, 2 cases
dehumidifiers
fans
generators
power cords
batteries
rags
towels
shovels
pry bars
scrapers
buckets
mops
BABY NEEDS:
FORMULA ready made, 10 cases
Bottles, 2 cases
Diapers, 5 cases every size
Baby clothes, books, toys

CALM FIRST AID:
Jane Lighwaryr please add your list

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Comment Share.

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Comments

Tai Gierber

Tai Gierber Awesomeness

Like · Reply · August 23 at 5:06pm

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Maureen Rose–Ice

Maureen Rose–Ice There is camping space and parking space for live aboard vehicles. The ground is saturated, so be prepared to camp on pavement. 2400 Debra Drive, Baker, Louisiana 70714

Like · Reply · August 23 at 5:19pm

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Richard Rawski

Richard Rawski Looking better today. Grass is cut..also space inside ..maybe not all..but some and even more then some.we can make it work

Like · Reply · August 23 at 7:30pm

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Bill Bates

Bill Bates I made that call Richard arrangements are all set

Like · Reply · August 23 at 7:32pm

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Maureen Rose–Ice

Maureen Rose–Ice Thanks so much, Richard...

Like · Reply · August 23 at 7:37pm

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Bill Bates

Bill Bates Anyone can edit the document and add needss list items

Like · Reply · 1 · August 24 at 8:30am

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Bill Bates

Bill Bates I just picked up a single burner at my stop in High Springs

Like · Reply · 1 · August 24 at 8:35am

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Maureen Rose–Ice

Maureen Rose–Ice Had a busy morning but am back on calls now about the reefer. I woke to quite a few return calls from companies with suggestions, very encouraging to know theyre keeping it in mind. Wray, were we going to coordinate which areas people are already making calls in so as to not waste important time?

Like · Reply · 1 · August 24 at 10:06am · Edited

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Asimina Triloba replied · 4 Replies
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Wray Millas Sargent

Wray Millas Sargent please keep the needs coming and Kylie and I can keep the registry updated as well.
Also, please let us know when stuff starts to arrive from Amazon and or if anything needs to come off of it.

Like · Reply · August 24 at 7:17pm

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Tai Gierber

Tai Gierber For anyone that has a kombucha scoby amd or a piece of a chaga mushroom..both with help.keep volunteers healthy..

Like · Reply · 1 · August 24 at 7:33pm
Campaigns: 2016 Lousiana Flood
Updated Aug 27, 2016 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9988

FEMA Lousiana 2016 Floods Base Camp

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FEMA established an Incident Support Base in Camp Beauregard in Pineville, Louisiana to distribute supplies such as water, meals, cots and blankets to the state of Louisiana. These include over 500,000 liters of water and over 250,000 meals

source: https://www.opengovtv.com/index.php/blog/federal/item/6043–live–updates–what–you–need–to–know–about–flooding–in–louisiana
Campaigns: 2016 Lousiana Flood
Updated Aug 26, 2016 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9984

FEMA Recovery Centers, 2016 Lousiana Floods

Walk–in Resource · Open

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Web www.wafb.com/story/32777861/assistancerelief–for–flood–victims
Service Temporary

see updates at above link

RECOVERY CENTERS: FEMA will have 17 disaster recovery centers as of Friday, Aug. 26. Survivors may register at any open DRC, even out of state. The centers will be open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. every day until further notice. The centers are at the following locations:

Abbeville: Old Health Unit, 401 S. St. Charles St.
Amite: Amite City Office Complex, 721 S. First St.
Baton Rouge: New Hope Baptist Church, 5856 Greenwell Springs Rd.
Baton Rouge: Second Baptist Church, 914 North Acadian Thruway
Baton Rouge: St. Louis King of France Catholic Church, 2121 North Sherwood Forest Drive
Breaux Bridge: Veterans Home, 800 Veterans Drive
Central: Central City Hall, 13421 Hooper Road
Clinton: Early Learning Center Gym, 9414 Plank Road
Eunice: Word Ministries, 1960 West Laurel Avenue
Gonzales: Lamar Dixon Expo, 9039 South St. Landry Ave.
Greensburg: St. Helena Environmental Health Unit, 53 N. 2nd St.
Hammond: Former Parish Tourism Building, 42271 S. Morrison Blvd.
New Iberia: The Iberia Parish Fire Protection District Training Center, 2417 Darnell Road
Springfield: American Legion Hall, 26200 Highway 43
St. Francisville: Independence Community Center, 10494 State Highway 965
St. Gabriel: East Iberville Gym, 3265 Highway 75
Zachary: Zachary Men's Club, 5746 Rollins Rd.
Campaigns: 2016 Lousiana Flood
Updated Aug 26, 2016 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9979

Our Lady of Prompt Succor (Catholic Charities Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit, Community
2320 Paris Rd, LA 70043
Phone (504) 875–0257
Serves St Bernard Parish
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Katrina
Service Temporary

Emergency Relief Services
Emergency Relief Services are based on a long term case management structure. A case manager helps identify the client's need, and by addressing this need, helps bring the client to self–sufficiency. Services include referral, budgeting tips, employment training and spiritual counseling. Financial assistance is available based on the client's greatest need, which could include rent, food, utilities, prescription drugs, furniture, crisis counseling, and miscellaneous assistance.

Community Centers provide long term case management, with direct assistance as part of a holistic approach to recovery.

New clients are only taken on the 1st or 2nd day of each month. Please call for an appointment. Only clients with an appointment will be seen.

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2008 Hurricane Gustav; Catholic Charities Community Services
Updated May 11, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2973

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Acton Boxborough Schools COVID–19 Corondavirus response, meals, etc

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Acton, MA

Web docs.google.com/document/d/1vgru737–IyNYDbf46bKsL7hNVjEx–bTpNoRISr_54ZQ/edit
Service Temporary

Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 17, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10159

Acton Chiropractic & Rehabilitation (free services to Iraq/Afghanistan Vets)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Medical Care
526 Main St, Acton, MA 01720

Phone 978–263–5592
Contact Dr. Joe FitzPatrick
Email drjoe@actonchiropractic.com
Eligibility Vets returning from active duty in Iraq and Afghanistan
Service Temporary

Per the Action Unlimited Newspaper, 2008

Returning Soldiers

In honor of Veterans Day, Dr.Joe FitzPatrick owner of Acton Chiropractic & Rehabilitation is offering free Chiropractic treatment for one year to returning military personnel who have been deployed in the current Iraq or Afghanistan conflict.

Beginning on the 4th of July, Dr. FitzPatrick launched Acton Chiropractic's "Military Care Program". It's now our turn to give back to our United States soldiers and show our appreciation of their incredible sacrifice and service in protecting our country.

We are offering all necessary Chiropractic services, including consultations, physical examinations, x–rays, spinal treatment, supportive physiotherapy and rehabilitative exercise procedures. Returning soldiers can receive up to one free year of Chiropractic treatments.

Today's veterans are coming home and struggling to return to civilian life. There are very few services available for them during their transition. Musculoskeletal injuries are common and attributed to years of physically abusing their bodies in the service of their country. Combat injuries, poor sleeping conditions, training exercises and wearing heavy equipment lead to cumulative trauma disorders and repetitive stress injuries. Chiropractic care can help, however, the military health insurance plans don't include Chiropractic benefits.

The Military Care Program is our way of saying "Thank You" to these courageous men and women of the U.S. armed services.

Dr. Joe FitzPatrick is beginning his 20th year of practice in Acton providing safe and effective Chiropractic services to the residents of Acton and the surrounding communities. His practice is conveniently located at 526 Main Street (Route 27) in Acton. For further information please contact him directly at 978–263–5592 or drjoe@actonchiropractic.com.

Services offered: Facility: Veterans Benefits/Facility/Services; Medical, Services, Chiropractic; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Services, Veterans, Veterans Impacted By Disaster
Updated Dec 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3896

Acton Civil Defense

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Private Citizen Volunteers
Corner of School St and Rt 27, Acton, MA

Phone 978 264 9655
Service Permanent

Bill Klauer is involved with planning.

Services offered: First Responder, NorthEast Region
Campaigns: Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security
Updated Oct 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1054

Acton Community Supper (@ Mt Calvary Church)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
Mt Calvary (WAS at Acton Congregational Church); 472 Mass Ave, Acton, MA
Phone 978 263 2728
Hours Wed 5:30 – 6:45 pm
Service Permanent

Community Suppers
Please be sure to call ahead of time in case of recent changes

Location.....Date/Time.....Contact info.

Our Father's Table.....M. T, TH.....No restrictions
First Baptist Church.....Opens @ 5:00
22 Mechanic Street
Marlborough

Open table.....Mondays.....978–823–0082
Clocktower Place.....Opens @ 5:30.....No restrictions
Building8.....Food Pantry
Maynard

Neighborhood Supper.....Tuesdays.....978–486–3245
Congregational Church.....Opens @ 5:00.....No restrictions
330 King Street Littleton

Table of Plenty.....Tuesdays
First Parish Church.....Opens @ 5:00
2 Westford Street
Chelmsford

Mt. Calvary Supper.....Wednesdays.....978–263–5156
472 Mass Ave.....Opens @ 5:00.....No restrictions
Acton

Open Table.....Thursdays.....978–369–2275
First Parish Church.....Opens @ 5:00.....No restrictions
20 Lexington Street.....Food Pantry Concord

Friendship Dinner.....3rd Friday of month...978–897–2328
Union Church of Stow.....Opens @ 5:00.....No restrictions
317 Great Road
Stow

OLD INFO BELOW

Acton Community Supper
Hot meal program, and clothing closet
(978) 635–9295
Acton Congregational Church
12 Concord Road, Acton, MA
Weekly, Wed. 5:15 p.m.–6:15p.m.
To help: 978.635.9295 suppervolunteer@actoncommunitysupper.org
www.actoncommunitysupper.org
per: http://oldharvardestates.org/ABUWhelp2.htm

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Events, Community Meetings; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals (Elders/Seniors); Meals, Dinner; Meals, Hot Meals; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"
Campaigns: Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Ending Gross Inequity
Updated May 27, 2014 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3486

Acton Congregational Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
12 Concord Rd, Acton, MA 01720

Phone 978 263 2728
Contact Pam Gillispie
Email pgillispie@gmail.com
Web www.actonc.org
Serves Acton Region
Service Permanent

The Church hosts the community supper every Wednesday evening from 5–6:30.
There is no cost for this meal.

The Church also operates a thrift store with quality clothing for infants through adults. Others items like toys, kitchen utensils, and household goods are available and low cost.

Al–Anon: Support group for those whose lives have been affected by another person's drinking. 12 Concord Road, Acton (far rear ground floor entrance)
Wednesday's 10–11:30

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Al–Anon Meetings; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Community Service Program; Counseling, Spiritual; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Facilities: Restrooms; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals (Elders/Seniors); Meals, Dinner; Meals, Hot Meals; Services, Church/Worship Services; Thrift Store
Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts
Updated Feb 16, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3828

Acton Council on Aging, Senior Center (and the Friends of the Council on Aging)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
Street Address:; 50 Audubon Dr; Mailing Address:; 472 Main Street; Acton, MA 01720, Acton, MA

Phone 978 264 9643 (Acton) 978 263 1116 x106 (Boxboro) Fax: (978) 264–9650
Contact Jean Fleming, Director or Carol Steiner, our Outreach Coordinator
Email seniorcenter@acton–ma.gov
Web www.acton–ma.gov/index.aspx?NID=93
Serves Acton/Boxboro Region
Eligibility Residents over Age 60, Acton seniors have priority, out of town seniors if space allows
Fee Yes, For Some Services, Call for Details
Service Permanent

This location is the site of the Senior Center and other services for Seniors.

Link to their newsletters, which lists a ton of things to do…
http://www.acton–ma.gov/Archive.aspx?AMID=48

Minutes for the Council's meetings:

https://doc.acton–ma.gov/dsweb/View/Collection–2463

Social Programs, Classes, Support groups, Van Service, Lunches, Social Events, Knitting Circle…many, many activities…

FUEL ASSISTANCE:

The Acton Council on Aging works with the South Middlesex Opportunity Council (SMOC) Low Income Home Energy Assistance Fuel Assistance – Need help paying your heating bill? Applications for2007/08 fuel assistance are being taken through May 15th Ifyour yearly gross household income is at or below $20,420 forone you may qualify for some fuel assistance as well as discounts on utility and telephone bills. (Call for income guidelines for larger families.) Call Carol Steiner at the COA 978–264–9643 formore information. Contact Jean Fleming (see above for email) for information about a local emergency fuel fund.

You can also call this site to ask for help from the Friends of the Council on Aging, a private relief group. The Emergency Fuel Assistance Fund adminstered by the Friends of the Council On Aging. This fund receives contributions from some area churches, civic organizations and individuals. Jean Fleming (Director of the Council on Aging) works with the Friends to use these funds to assist needy residents with bills beyond what SMOC can help them with, or for people not eligible for SMOC that need assistance with fuel bills.

TOWN OF ACTON TAX RELIEF for Seniors and others:

http://doc.acton–ma.gov/dsweb/Get/Document–22074/Tax%20Relief%20for%20Seniors.pdf

(Make sure that you get the entire URL copied into your browser...it probably won't copy over on one try. You may have to copy it over in pieces to get the whole thing) or go to: http://www.town.acton.ma.us/ scroll down on the left to "related links" and look for the tax relief button.

DIRECTIONS TO THE SENIOR CENTER
From 495
Route 495 N&S
To Route 2 East
To Route 27 South (Main Street)

Go through 2 sets of lights and over the bridge. Take an immediate 1st left onto High Street. Proceed up hill to 1st left onto Audubon Drive. Once on Audubon Drive take the 1st left (there is a sign for Senior Center). Parking on left or straight ahead

From Boston:
Route 2 West (through Lexington, Lincoln and Concord)
Go through the Concord Rotary and continue west on Rte. 2
Exit from Rte. 2 onto Rte. 111 (left lane exit)
At full set of lights, take left onto Route 27 S (Main Street)

Proceed through next light, and over bridge. Take an immediate 1st left onto High Street. Proceed up hill to 1st left onto Audubon Drive. Once on Audubon Drive take the 1st left (there is a sign for Senior Center). Parking on left or straight ahead.

Services offered: Advocacy, Anti–Poverty; Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Community, Housing Development; Advocacy, Housing, Eviction Defense; Advocacy, Legislation Support; Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Assistance, How To, Navigating Insurance Process; Assistance, How To, Replace Destroyed Documents; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Health Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Short–Term Housing Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Information & Resource Referrals (For Elders/Seniors); Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Books, Large Print; Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); Community Outreach Programs; Community, Recreation, Recreational Programs; Community Service Program; Construction, Home Repair Services (For Seniors/Elders); Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Social Peers; Directories, Directory of Services, Case Management; Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Directories, Directory of Services, Grants Info, Listings, News & Referrals; Elder Support, Volunteer; Entertainment, Social "Challenges"/Games; Events, Community Meetings; Facilities: Recreational Facilities for Seniors/Elders; Facilities: Senior Center; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Residential, Elders/Seniors; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance (For Seniors/Elders/Disabled); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance (For Seniors/Elders); Government, Department of Social Services (DSS); Hotline, Elder/Senior Abuse Hotline; Housing Referrals, Senior, Long Term Care; Information Resource, ADA & Useful Info for Disabled Folks; Information Resource, Medicare Information; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Home Delivered Meals (For Seniors/Elders); Meals, Lunches, Misc.; Meals, Mobile Meals (For Seniors); Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Cane, Mobility ; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Canes, Walking Canes; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Crutches; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Crutches, Pediatric; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Devices * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Equipment, Assistive Devices, Chair, Shower Chair; Medical Equipment, LOAN ONLY; Medical, Facility, Clinic ($ Fee–Based Sliding Scale); Medical, Services, Home Health Care Services; Medical, Services, Visiting Nurse Services; Senior Center, Volunteer; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Emergency Services, Senior/Elder; Services, Health, Massage; Services, Insurance Counseling (Seniors/Elders) ; Services, Senior/Disabled, Homemaker Services (For Elders/Seniors/Disabled); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs; Services, Seniors, House Cleaning; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Services, Tech, Internet Access; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Arts & Crafts; Social Event, Arts & Crafts, Holiday Cards; Social Event, Arts & Crafts, Painting Group; Social Event, Book/Study/Discussion Group; Social Event, Films/Cinema/Movies/Lectures; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Social Event, Post–Holiday Cookie–swap; Social Event, Post–Holiday, Re–gifting Party; Social Event, Recreation, Board Games; Social Event, Recreation, Bridge/Cards; Social Event, Recreation, Geneology Group; Social Event, Recreation, Ping Pong; Social Event, Recreation, Pool/Billiards; Social Event, Sewing/Quilting/Kniting/Crochet, Knitting Circle; Social Event, Sewing/Quilting/Knitting/Crochet Circle; Social Event, Writing Group; Social Worker, Volunteer; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Art, Painting, Watercolors; Training Classes, Computer, Facebook; Training Classes, Computers Skills; Training Classes, Computer, Word Processing; Training Classes, Exercise, Health Classes; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care); Transportation, Disaster Survivors (To Assistance Center, Etc.); Transportation, Emergency Evacuation, Transportation Services; Transportation, For Seniors/Elders; Transportation, FREE Shuttle Service to Emergency Winter Shelter; Transportation, Ride Service (FREE or Sliding Scale); Transportation, Transportation Services (NOT FREE$); Vehicle, Van; Vehicle, Van, Passenger Van; Visitation, Emotional Care, For Seniors, Volunteer

Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; Commission on Aging; Government, City/Town Agency; Government, State/County; Government, US Deptartment of Housing & Urban Development (HUD); Meals on Wheels; United Way; Visiting Nurses Association
Updated Apr 17, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1053

Acton Housing Authority

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
PO Box 681; 68 Windsor Avenue, Acton, MA 01720

Phone 978–263–5339
Contact Kelley, Fran Spayne
Email office@actonhousing.net, kelley@actonhousing.net, fran@actonhousing.net
Web www.town.acton.ma.us/content.aspx?id=100
Serves Acton
Eligibility low income, disabled, and elderly residents
Service Permanent

Services:

Rental Subsidies
Social Services

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Short–Term Housing Referrals; Community Outreach Programs; Community Service Program; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Grants, for Developers of Low–Income Housing; Grants, Housing, Housing Related; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Shelter Hotline (Find Help); Housing, Affordable Housing Builder, Gov't Sponsored; Housing, Affordable Housing, Renters Programs; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Apartments; Housing, Fairly Priced Rental Housing for Disaster Survivors; Housing, Free Houses for Local Residents in Need; Housing, Group Home, Special Needs/Mental Illness; Housing, Listings for Disaster Survivors; Housing, Rental Listings; Housing, Subsidized/Low–Income Housing; Housing, Transitional Housing; Housing, Transitional Housing (For Battered Women/Children); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Emergency Services; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Housing/Shelter (Motel) Vouchers
Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; Government, State Government Department/Agency; Government, US Government Program; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Nov 20, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2917

Acton Memorial Library (Collection of Language Training Materials, meeting space, books, etc)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
486 Main St, Acton, MA 01720

Serves Regionnal
Eligibility Anyone
Service Permanent

Per the United Way's 211 database:

The Acton Memorial Library has a collection of language self–instruction in book/cassette packages and audio CDs for learning English and other languages

Services offered: Books * (ANY/ALL Types); Books, Audiobooks (CD's); Books, Biographies; Books, Children's * (ANY/ALL Types); Books, Children's Books, Big Books, Pre–K; Books, Children's Books, School Library; Books, Children's, Reading, Non–Fiction – PK–8; Books, Fiction (see also: "Reading Books, Fiction"); Books, Literature; Books, Non–Fiction (see also: "Reading Books, Non–Fiction"); Books, Reading Books (Elementary); Books, Reading Books, Fiction (see also, "Books, Fiction"); Books, Reading Books (High School); Books, Reading Books (Junior High); Books, Reading Books, Non–Fiction (see also: "Books, Non–Fiction"); Books, Reading Books (Pre–K to K); Books, Science Fiction; Facility: Library; Facility: Meeting space; Library Services * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Library Services, Book Lending; Library Services, Language Skills Books/CDs; Library Services, Pre–School Storytime; Library Services, Reading Program; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"
Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts
Updated Dec 21, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3846

Acton, Emergency Management Director

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
472 Main St (Town Hall) for John Murray and Town Manager; Box 2212, 371 Main St for Police, Acton, MA 01720

Phone	978 264 9612, Town Manager Steve Ledoux (Mark Hald Asst Town Mgr) and Frank Widmayer Police Chief 978 263 2911
Web	www.acton-ma.gov/police
Hours	24 hours at 978 263 2911
Serves	Acton, Boxborough, Concord (other towns pending "mutual aid" agreements)
Checks payable to	Town of Acton
Service	Permanent

2015 Blizzard: Shelters set up and stocked w/food. Call 978 263 2911 to see which one is closest to you...

The Acton Town Hall and the Acton Police Department are available to help citizens in emergency situations.

In the event of a public disaster:

John Murray is listed on the (Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency) MEMA site as the Acton Emergency Management contact. But he's no longer an employee.

Doug Halley, Health Director has been charged with developing a "Pan-Demic" response plan. He, along with his staff and a team from Boston University, created a VERY comprehensive disaster response plan that seems to be applicable to any public disaster. Among the topics covered, which Doug is prepared to respond to: shelter operations management, food operations management, santitary infrastructure management, and supply logistics. As part of this project, the group is compiling lists of cell phone numbers of key operations managers, business managers (i.e. warehouses, food logistics (local supermarkets), etc). The group has started negotiating Mutual Aid agreements with other towns, and businesses to allow quick response on a regional basis.

Dore Hunter (978 264 9603 or 978 263 0882) heads up the Acton Neighborhood Network, a community "communications" network consisting of volunteers in each neighboorhood that check on elderly residents etc. 978 263 0882. Dore is a Selectman, as has military experience. HAM radio operator.

Acton has a local radio station with emergency broadcast instructions for volunteers to get it up and running in a disaster situation. WHAB 89.1 FM.

Gail Sawyer, gsawyer@acton-ma.gov. She's listed on the MEMA site as the CERT coordinator for volunteer training.

Likely shelter location:

Acton-Boxboro High School Auditorium: Charter Road, Acton

- EOC Director: Listed as John Murray at the MEMA site
- EOC Communications Director: Probably Steve Ledoux (Town Manager), 978 264 9612
- EOC Technology Director (for Wide Area Networking & local comms): Mark Hald, IT person for the town, and John Covert for the Cable TV/INet
- EOC Supplies Director: unassigned. Probably Dean Charter, municiple properties: 978 264 9629
- EOC Medical Director: unassigned. Probably Doug Halley, Health Director
- EOC Kitchen Operations: unassigned
- EOC School Operations Director: unassigned. Probably Marie Altieri, the head of the School Commitee: 978 264 9418 or Bill Ryan, Superintendent of Schools, or his operations manager JD Head.
- EOC Animal Rescue Director: unassigned, Acton Animal Hospital? 978 263 7477
- EOC Volunteer Coordinator: Gail Sawyer ? (gsawyer@acton-ma.gov) listed on the MEMA site as the CERT, Citizen's Corps leader for Acton.

Also, Acton, like Concord, has a "network" of people that communicate in the event of a disaster or just in times when there's something that a lot of people should know, like that there's been a prison break. The network consists of Neighborhood Coorinators that help get "the message" out, if there's a safety-oriented "situation."

Automated reverse 911 in place at Police Station.

ANN Emergency FRS Common Frequency: Channel 12 – 467.6625 MHZ Code Zero

Acton Neighborhood Network is a volunteer, part time, private, community building, informal organization intended to provide inter and intra neighborhood communications and prepare for emergencies and home land defense. Due to the nature of its undertaking there is always some likelihood that its communications will not be timely or complete, citizens should be guided accordingly.

Services offered: Communications, Emergency/Disaster Telephone Notification System; Communications, Equipment, Radio, Ham Radio; Disaster Zone Comms Equipment Operator; Emergency Operations Center, Local; First Responder, NorthEast Region; Government, HQ (Headquarters); Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crime Alerts, Neighborhood; Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Information Resource, Neighborhood Network; Services, Emergency Services; Services, First Response, Emergency Rescue Services
Campaigns: 2015 January Northeast Blizzard; Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; Communities for Restorative Justice; EMA (Emergency Management Agency) Regional/County; Government, City/Town Agency; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Neighborhood Network
Updated Jan 26, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/500

Acton, Town Of, Local Aid Programs

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
472 Main St, Acton, MA 01720

Phone 978 264 9612
Contact Brian McMullen (tax relief), Laura Ducharme (social worker)
Email assessors@acton–ma.gov
Web www.town.acton.ma.us/content.aspx?id=1896
Serves Acton, MA
Eligibility People over 65, Disabled Veterans, Widows of Police/Fire/Vets, and folks whose income and assets fall below certain limitations and/or other situations "by discretion".
Bring State Issued ID & Tax Return
Fee Yes, For the Tax Deferral Program only. Other programs are free.
Service Permanent

Acton's Local Aid Programs:

– Property Tax Exemptions (discounts)
– Senior Work Program (volunteer for up to $750/year in tax credits!)
– Tax Deferral

Town Web Site:
http://www.town.acton.ma.us/

Direct link to a SUMMARY OF RELIEF PROGRAMS:
http://www.town.acton.ma.us/content.aspx?id=1896

Direct link to SENIOR, VETERAN and DISABLED Tax Relief programs:
http://doc.acton–ma.gov/dsweb/Get/Document–22074/Tax%20Relief%20for%20Seniors.pdf

State "Senior Circuit Breaker" Program:

Brian McCullan can help seniors apply to get a refund on their state taxes for the real estate taxes they've paid either as an owner, or as a renter.

Please email Brian for a copy of the PowerPoint presentation summarizing the programs, as well as other information on these programs:

assessors@acton–ma.gov

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Services, Youth Services; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Facility: Veterans Benefits/Facility/Services; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Tax Relief; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Community Development; Grants, for Developers of Low–Income Housing; Grants, for Developers of Senior Housing; Grants, Housing, Housing Related; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care); Transportation, For Seniors/Elders
Campaigns: Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; Government, City/Town Agency
Updated Mar 23, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2913

Acton/Boxborough Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
435 Central St, Acton, MA 01720

Phone 978 263 2822 or 978–635–9295
Contact call for info
Hours 10 AM to 7 PM on Wednesdays, unless school is cancelled. If school is cancelled, food pantry is closed.
Serves Acton area
Service Permanent

Acton Food Pantry

Bags of groceries for families

Building #1, Lower Level in the Boxborough Office Park at 235 Summer Road in Boxborough, MA, 01719

Wednesdays, 10:00AM—7:00PM

http://www.actoncommunitysupper.org/acton–food–pantry.htm

To help: foodpantryvolunteer@actoncommunitysupper.org

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Bulk Distribution; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food, Baby Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Baked Goods * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Baskets; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Food Pack, 3–4 days, 2–3 people; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Food Pack, 3–4 Days, 4 People; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/ Elderly); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Dry, Grains, ** Cereal, Ready to Eat (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Hotline, Food Bank/Pantry Hotline (Find Emergency Food Help)
Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts
Updated Oct 14, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2918

Alcoholics Anonymous (at St Elizabeth's)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
St Elizabeth's Church Rectory; 89 Arlington St, Acton, MA 01720
Phone 978 263 4305
Service Temporary

Services offered: Alcoholics Anonymous, AA, Meetings Information & Referral; Services, Substance Abuse, Outpatient Program (Drug/Alcohol); Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/Alcohology)
Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings; United Way
Updated Apr 17, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5789

Closet for the Needy (@ St Elizabeth's Church)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
St Elizabeth's Church; 89 Arlington St, Acton, MA 01720
Phone 978 263 4305
Hours Fridays, 10AM to 12 PM
Service Temporary

They stock used clothing for folks that need it...

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Nov 20, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3490

Danny's Place Youth Social Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
Acton, MA
Phone 978 264 9754
Web www.dannys–place.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Event Listings; Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Kid's Cafe Program (Youth); Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Nov 20, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3483

Haiti Relief (DONATION COLLECTION SITE in Massachusetts)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Donation Collection Site
Central Street North, Acton, MA
Phone Bob Ingram: 978 263 2674
Service Temporary

3–10–2010 TF: This site not collecting currently. Waiting for a new container link to open up.

Only:

Canned Food
Tarps
CLEAN Sleeping Bags
Flashlights
Batteries

Water purification supplies
Updated Mar 11, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5066

Haiti Relief (DONATION COLLECTION SITE in Massachusetts)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Donation Collection Site
St Matthews Church,; Central Street, Acton, MA
Service Temporary

TF Update 3/11 2010: The donations came in as requested! EVERYONE DONATED THE RIGHT STUFF! Wow. Packed up, labelled and moved to Ipswich, where it was combined with donated medical supplies and over 150 blankets (made by a group of ladies. I'll post their org when I get the name). The whole container was shipped out last week and should already be on the ground in Haiti. A new container is being filled, but the donations list is very specific to medical supplies. Contact us if you want to collect medical supplies.

Hi everyone,

The overwhelming suffering and sadness in Haiti demands our attention. If you'd like to help with a local effort, here's a good one for your consideration:

Citizen Action Team
Helping Haiti Donation Drive

ITEMS ACCEPTED:

Canned Food
Flashlights that work!
Batteries
Water Purification Tablets
Sleeping Bags (must be clean!)
Tarps (all kinds)
COLLECTION SITE:

St. Matthews Church
435 Central Street, Acton
Back Door by the Food Pantry

DROP OFF SCHEDULE:

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9:30 to 2:30
Friday and Saturday 9:30 to 12:00

DONATIONS FOR SHIPPING:
Checks payable to: United Way of Tri–County
Please write in memo: CASH Disaster fuel fund
Send to: Citizen Action Team/ PO BOX 2525/ Acton, MA 01720

For more information, call 978–808–7173
Citizen Action Team is an award–winning non–profit started by Terra Friedrichs in response to Hurricane Katrina. www.citizenactionteam.org

Thanks so much,
Beth
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Mar 11, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5079

Metro West Divorce Support Group

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
35 School St, downstairs at the South Acton Congregational Church,(off Rte. 27, near the bridge and traffic light)., Acton, MA 01720
Phone 978–369–7346
Contact Brian
Hours Thursdays, 7 pm
Service Temporary

From the Action Unlimited newspaper:

Men and Women: Divorce Support Group

Are you looking for a peer–support group for men and women who are thinking of separating or are going through the divorce process We invited you to join the Metro West Divorce Support Group which meets every Thurs., evening a 7 p.m. downstairs at the South Acton Congregational Church, 35 School Street (off Rte. 27, near the bridge and traffic light). This informal group has

helped many people during its 25 year history in South Acton. We are a confidential, caring group with no religious affiliation that supports others through separation and divorce issues by sharing legal, financial, and social experiences. Some attendees remain with the group after the divorce has been finalized in order to help others and continue friendships formed within the group. For more information, Call Brian at 978–369–7346

Services offered: Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Counseling, Support Groups, Parents
Updated Dec 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3897

Mini Food Pantry [like a tiny library] Free Food Take Some Leave Some

Walk–in Resource · Open

35 School St; Acton, MA, MA 01720, Acton, MA 01720
Service Temporary

Have you stopped by the Mini Food Pantry? The food is always changing. It works like a Mini Library — Feel free to take some food or leave some food. There are no restrictions or questions. We are just creating a space to show up for each other.

We are so pleased the mini food pantry is well used. Today we held a small drive to build up some reserves. If you missed the drive today, you can leave food in the pantry any time. Pop over and check it out.

source: https://www.facebook.com/sacc.church/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Ending Gross Inequity; Social Change Initiative
Updated Jul 2, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10450

Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
472 Massachusetts Ave (Mass. Ave.), Acton, MA 01720
Phone 978 263 5156
Contact Timothy Knapp
Email pastor@mtcalvaryacton.org
Web www.mtcalvaryacton.org
Service Permanent

Services/Resources Mount Calvary is equipped to provide:

Worship Service: 8:00 and 10:45 am
Christian Education: 9:45 am
Sunday School, age 4–12 at 9:30 am
Junior High/Senior High Youth meet at 9:30 am

1. Seniors Luncheons

Nutritious, balanced meals served the 4th Thursday of every month, Sept–June. No charge. We serve about 80 seniors a month.

2. Marriage Boosters

Monthly marriage enrichment event. 10–15 couples from the community participate.

3. Thanksgiving Baskets

For those in need. Annual event. Each basket contains $65 worth of food including a $25 gift certificate to Roche Brothers. Baskets are distributed to the Acton Housing Authority, other housing agencies and individual families in need.

4. Participation in the Acton/Boxborough Clergy "Book"

Mount Calvary participates two months a year, providing food or gas cards to people in need of immediate assistance.

5. Pastor's Aid Fund

Discretionary fund available to the pastor for providing further assistance beyond gas and food.

6. Provide space for SERVE

SERVE rewards seniors who volunteer in the community with free food. We have served as the monthly distribution center for the area.

7. Junior and Senior High Youth Activities

Regular Activities promote socialization skills, citizenship, and spiritual development.

8. Preschool (3 year old to Transitional Kindergarten): Financial Aid available.

9. Job Networking Groups: We provide space for meetings.

10. Alcoholics Anonymous (AA): We provide space for meetings.

11. Scouts: We provide space for meetings and activities.

12. Your group? (Other Groups!)

We are open to assisting other groups whose purposes line up with our mission.

13. Spiritual Counsel

Services offered: Events, Community Meetings; Food Distribution, Holiday, Food Boxes/Basket, Misc.; Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types); Gift Cards – Gas Cards (ie. Mobil, Texaco, Union 76, etc.); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals (Elders/Seniors); School, Kindergarten; School, Pre–School; Services, Church/Worship Services; Youth Program
Campaigns: Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings
Updated Nov 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3827

St Matthew's United Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
435 Central St, Acton, MA 01720

Phone 978 263 2822, fax: 215 754 9878
Contact Rev. Robert Moore, Pastor
Email smumc@verizon.net
Hours Call for appointment
Serves Acton, MA Area
Service Permanent

See also:

Acton – Boxborough – Stow Clergy Association

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3835

Robert A. Moore, Pastor
St. Matthew's United Methodist Church
435 Central Street
Acton, MA 01720
(978) 263–2822

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Books * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Community Outreach Programs; Community Service Program; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Events, Community Meetings; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Goods (big) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response
Updated Nov 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2916

MotherWoman therapy center and advocacy center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Amherst, MA

Web www.motherwoman.org
Service Temporary

Not sure what programs they have for the "solidarity economy/community", but this place seems special.

from the site:

Our Mission

MotherWoman supports and empowers mothers to create personal and social change by building community safety nets, impacting family policy and promoting the leadership and resilience of mothers.
Our Challenges

Unrealistic Expectations: The cultural myth of the "Good Mother" sets unrealistic expectations for mothers. This unattainable ideal contributes to maternal stress, depression, and an environment of judgement among women.
Isolation: Many parents are increasingly isolated from neighborhood, friends, and extended family. We are working longer and harder to provide for our families, and have fewer places to go when we're in need.
Maternal Depression: The United States has among the highest rates of maternal depression in the world. Many mothers experience emotional difficulties in the postpartum period. Up to 1 in 4 mothers suffers from postpartum depression (PPD).
Appalling Family Policy: The United States is one of only four countries in the world without guaranteed paid maternity leave. Mothers are 44% less likely to be hired than equally qualified women without children. Women without children make 90 cents to a man's dollar, mothers make 73 cents, and single mothers make 60 cents to a man's dollar.

Our Philosophy

Mothers are powerful. Together we can change the world.
When mothers are valued and supported, we are more successful in all areas of our lives, benefiting our children, families and communities.
Creating communities of genuine respect and non–judgment for all mothers increases our collective power.
Laws and policies that support families benefit everyone.

Our Programs

Mothers' Support Groups – Led by trained facilitators, our groundbreaking support groups offer mothers a chance to talk openly about the challenges of parenting, to gain support and build community.

Facilitator Training – Comprehensive training that provides diverse community leaders and professionals with the skills needed to offer new MotherWoman Support Groups.

Professional Training – Teaches medical and social service providers about the complex mental health and socio–political factors involved in the crisis of postpartum emotional complications.

Postpartum Support Initiative – Builds comprehensive, multi–disciplinary safety nets for mothers in the four counties of Western MA by creating Perinatal Support Coalitions of professionals who serve mothers.

Policy and Advocacy – Nonpartisan advocacy program which raises awareness about social and economic justice issues, and organizes mothers, fathers and caregivers to take action on issues impacting families. Our philosophy is in alignment with the 'MOTHERS' issues of MomsRising.org.

Services offered: Advocacy, Individuals w/Mental Illness; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling, for Caregivers; Mental Health, Counselors/Psychologists; Mental Health Services
Updated Dec 5, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9804

Redgate Farm

Walk–in Resource · Open

Ashfield, MA

Web www.redgatefarm.org/program–seed–bank
Service Temporary

from the website:

Red Gate Farm Seed Bank

The Red Gate Farm Seed Bank Project serves the local community by growing, saving and distributing quality, local seeds. Our goals are

1.) To provide community access to quality, local seeds. 2.) To preserve local, heritage and heirloom seed varieties. 3.) To promote seed saving. 4.) To develop and distribute seeds that are optimum for our unique New England soils and climate. 5.) To collect the social histories of our local seeds.

What is a Seed Bank Grower? A Grower is someone who grows seeds from the Seed Bank and then saves some seeds to be returned back to the Seed Bank.

If I grow for seed saving, can I still eat vegetables from my garden? Yes. Most plants have an abundance of seeds, and so there is usually plenty of product to be harvested and eaten.

Can anyone grow seeds for the Seed Bank? Yes. Families, school groups and others are encouraged to plant their small gardens with RGF Seed Bank seeds and grow seeds for the Seed Bank! You do not need to be a commercial or big grower. We ask that seeds be grown using organic methods and practices and we prioritize seeds that are grown locally.

Do Seed Growers get seeds for free? Yes. We are interested in getting as many different Seed Growers as possible, and want to help you help us! We will provide you with seeds and often have starter plants available in the early growing season. Just contact us and we will help you get started.
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Seed Bank / Seed Exchange / Seed Library / Seed Preservation
Updated Jan 21, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10148

Our Father's Table (free meals) Four Square Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

500 Main Street,, Athol, MA 01331
Service Temporary

Meal served: 1st & 3rd Thursday, 4–5:30PM
Hot or Cold Meal served

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf Dated October 2012.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Cooked Meals; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Hot Meals
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9380

Salvation Army Athol Kitchen (free meals)

Walk–in Resource · Open

107 Ridge Ave., Athol, MA
Phone 978–249–8111
Service Temporary

Meals served: Tuesdays, 5PM to 6PM and
4th Sunday of month, 5PM to 6PM

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf Dated October 2012.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Dinner
Campaigns: Salvation Army
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9381

Stone Soup Food Pantry, Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Ayer, MA
Web m.facebook.com/FeedJust1
Service Temporary

Stone Soup Kitchen Ministries

@FeedJust1

The Original Potluck

The story of "stone soup" exists all over the world. In my favorite variation, a hungry traveler appears in a village with nothing but an empty cooking pot, a spoon, and his appetite. When the suspicious villagers will not show him any hospitality, he sets up his cooking pot in the village square and begins to boil water with a simple stone in it.

As the curious townsfolk pass by and ask him what he is doing, he stirs the pot and tells them that he is making stone soup. Further, he explains that at the end of the day when the soup is ready, everyone will be welcome to come and share it with him.

Eventually, one person ventures that the soup might taste better with a few onions. Soon the villagers are each bringing a couple of carrots, a potato, a little salt, whatever they have on hand to add to the stone soup.

At the end of the day, the whole town shares a delicious pot of soup (minus the stone, of course), and they have also learned a valuable lesson about the joys of sharing.

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Since July 2019, Living Water Fellowship in Ayer MA has been the home for Stone Soup Kitchen. The aim was to help provide a gathering place for anyone from the surrounding communities to get together, eat, and fellowship.

It is a mandate of the church to help those who need it. You will see that the name of the Facebook page has been updated to “Stone Soup Kitchen Ministries,” because it better reflects the totality of the community that we are building at Living Water Fellowship. Along with our weekly potlucks, we also have a food pantry and cold weather clothing. Other members of the community visit with us, offering substance abuse counseling, hair cuts, job counseling, and wellness counseling. We are looking to expand this part of our ministry!

We love our community, and so appreciate all of you who have gotten involved in contributing to our stone soup! If you wish to support the work we are doing, you can make monetary donations online at https://iccreditunion.goodcoins.io/causes/4125555 Checks made out to Stone Soup Kitchen can be sent to Living Water Fellowship at the address below. And food donations and gift cards can be left at Ayer Shop n' Save, a wonderful supporter of our program. We are a 501(c)3 charitable organization.

Here is the address:
Living Water Fellowship
41 Littleton Road
Ayer MA 01432

To God be the glory, and my deepest gratitude and love to all of you wonderful people who raised your hands and said, "Here I am...I'll help!" when we thought we wouldn't be able to go on. Your encouragement, love, concern, and support has meant the world to us during this really difficult and emotionally draining time. We love you all <3

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The Potluck dinners at Stone Soup Kitchen Ministries operate under the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Part I, Title XV, Chapter 94, Section 328A. We are instructed to let everyone know who comes to eat with us that neither the food nor the facilities have been inspected by the state or by a local public health department.

stonesoupkitchenministries@gmail.com

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https://www.facebook.com/FeedJust1

Services offered: Clothing, Adult Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, Adult Sizes, Winter Clothes, New or Gently Used; Clothing, Children, Winter Clothing, New or Gently Used; Events, Community Meetings; Events, Potluck Meals; Facility: Community Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Jul 22, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10474

Barnstable Schools meals for kids during virus shut down

Walk–in Resource · Open

Barnstable, MA
Web patch.com/massachusetts/barnstable–hyannis/barnstable–coronavirus–schools–provide–meals–during–shutdown
Service Temporary

BARNSTABLE, MA — Barnstable Public Schools said Monday it will expand its school meal program to offer breakfast and lunch to any child under 18, regardless of their lunch benefit status, town of residence or school attended during the three–week, state–ordered closure of all Massachusetts schools.

Meal pickups will be available "grab and go style" between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. on weekdays at the following locations:

Barnstable Intermediate School
Barnstable United Elementary School
Hyannis West Elementary School
Hyannis Youth and Community Center

Services offered: Meals * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 17, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10167

Beverly Boostraps (household goods recycling)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Beverly, MA
Web www.beverlybootstraps.org/thrift_shop.html
Service Temporary

Furniture & Household items; no mattresses – check website for more info on limited pickups.

Located at 198 Rantoul St. Beverly, MA

978–927–1561 (main #)
978–921–4710 (for pickup)

Services offered: Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Jan 27, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9630

Allston Community Fridge [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

1 North Beacon St(Grasshopper Restaurant), Boston, MA 02134
Web www.instagram.com/allstoncommunityfridge
Service Temporary

https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10461

Beacon Hill Friends House

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, MA
Web www.bhfh.org
Service Temporary

from a BCN email:

Dear Friends,

The Beacon Hill Friends House will have a vacancy starting May 1st, and we are looking for the right person to join our community! Living here is a unique, exciting opportunity to discover the benefits and energy of community living, in an ideal location in the center of Boston. Here are a few highlights of our house:

– We welcome adults of all ages - we currently have residents aging from their 20s to their 60s.
– Our community is rooted in the Quaker tradition, and our residents

have a diversity of spiritual, religious, and nonreligious identities.
– We support the ideals of social justice, spirituality, peace, integrity, simplicity and the dignity of the human person.
– We share meals and household chores. Our bimonthly house meetings operate via consensus–based decision–making.
– We strive to create a diverse and inclusive space for people of all ages, gender identities, sexual orientations, races, and cultural experiences.

Rooms start at $628 per month, including all utilities. Board costs $331 per month for a fully stocked communal kitchen, and dinner prepared by the house chef five nights a week.

For more information or to request an application, call us at (617) 227–9118, write to admissions @ bhfh.org <directors @ bhfh.org>, or visit www.bhfh.org today!

In Peace,
Ben

Ben Sachs–Hamilton
Beacon Hill Friends House
6 Chestnut St.
Boston, MA 02108
617–227–9118
www.bhfh.org

Beacon Hill Friends House promotes diversity in many forms, including but not limited to age, race, color, ethnicity, national origin, religion, sex, gender, sexual preference or orientation, gender identity, relationship status, and (dis)ability.

Services offered: Housing, Affordable Housing, Renters Programs; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Co–Housing, Co–Op Housing, Intentional Communities; New "Business" Models, Education; New "business models", housing; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Training Classes, Education, Parenting
Campaigns: American Friends Service; Arts Community / Artist Network; Co–Operative Businesses, Coops, Co–ops, Cooperatives; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Food Not Bombs; Neighborhood Network; Occupy Wall Street / Occupy America / Occupy Together; Quakers; Rainbow Community; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Feb 26, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9923

Boston Bike Sharing Program

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, MA
Service Temporary

http://www.boston.com/yourtown/news/back_bay/2011/07/bike–sharing_stations_coming_t.html

Back Bay,Beacon Hill,Downtown,Fenway–Kenmore
Boston rolls out new bike–sharing program
Posted by Sara Brown July 28, 2011 05:48 PM

Riders in Boston's bike share program head out from City Hall plaza today.

By Sara Brown, Town Correspondent

Boston's new bike–sharing program officially launched today, with bicycles eventually available at 61 stations for jaunts around the city.

Mayor Thomas M. Menino presided over the ribbon–cutting ceremony for the program at 11 a.m. at City Hall Plaza. To celebrate its launch, registered Hubway members and employees of sponsors will ride 200 of the bikes around the city today.

“This is a great day for Boston,” Menino said. “New Balance Hubway promotes a new, environmentally friendly way of getting around and I hope that all residents use the system."

Some new customers welcomed the new outlet to traverse Boston.

Karly Burke, a Bay Village resident, said she joined the Hubway program last week and was excited about its arrival. As she checked out a bike in front of the Boston Public Library, she said she planned to use the bikes mostly "around town, for errands, and to meet people out."

As around one dozen of the first people to test the bikes cycled down Newbury Street, they said they were greeted with cheers and applause from onlookers.

“It was a really great ride, and nice having a big group,” said Kelly Gray, 30, a digital marketing manager at New Balance, the title sponsor of the new program. “There was a lot of excitement around the city.”

Gray, who owns and regularly rides her own bicycle, said the brand new, three–gear Hubway bikes were sturdy, easy to use, and the seats were “super comfortable.”

“I just rode from City Hall and my butt doesn’t hurt,” she said.

Of the bike stations, about 18 will be in the the Back Bay and Fenway–Kenmore, with four around the Boston University campus and Kenmore Square, stations near Fenway Park, Northeastern University, and Colleges of the Fenway, and Back Bay stations ranging from the Newbury Street to the Boston Public Library.

Bikes will also be available at three Beacon Hill stations: on Cambridge Street at Blossom Street; at the Charles Circle footbridge, and on Beacon Street at Brimmer Street. In Allston, there were seven active stations as of today.

The Hubway program allows people to rent one of about 600 bikes for short rides around the city. There are three membership options with varying prices: an annual subscription, a three–day membership, and a 24–hour membership.

Rides shorter than 30 minutes are free for all members, with charges accrued for each half–hour of riding time.

Washington, D.C., Montreal, and London have similar systems.

Also on–line: The Globe's Eric Moskowitz tested the Washington bike–sharing system.

Correspondent Jamie Lutz contributed to this report.

Services offered: Advocacy, Environmental; Advocacy, Environmental, Energy; Bicycles, Bikes * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; New "business" models, Government; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; Resource Website for "Green" (incl socially just) Products/Services; Resource Website for "Green" Living Suggestions; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Pollution; Global Warming Relief Supplies/ Services; Social Activists/Organizers
Updated Sep 22, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8986

Boston Cares (Volunteer/Community Center, Community Development)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Development
Boston, MA
Web www.bostoncares.org
Service Temporary

from the website:

Boston Cares offers a wide array of programs and opportunities that make it easy for you to volunteer no matter how busy your schedule is. Each month we manage more than 150 direct service volunteer projects through our Calendar program. These projects include:

– planting community gardens,
– serving meals to the homeless,
– cleaning parks,
– painting community centers,
– tutoring children,
– caring for sheltered animals,
– ushering at cultural performances,
– and much, much more.

Boston Cares offers several specialized programs. For corporate citizenship, our Hands at Work program provides comprehensive project planning to ensure meaningful service for employees. For young people, we offered both BOOYAH! and Campus Initiative programs. BOOYAH! (Boston Young Active Hands) provides volunteer projects that school–age kids can enjoy as a group or with their families. Campus Initiative engages college students in service. For volunteers looking to delve deeper into current events and issues affecting the community, we offer Citizen Academy. We also offer a wide range of long–term and specialized volunteer opportunities through our Community Grapevine & Skills Bank.

Boston Cares is the largest organization in New England dedicated to team oriented volunteering on a flexible basis. In 2007, more than 16,000 Boston Cares volunteers contributed 49,000 hours to 165 non–profits in the Greater Boston area.

Boston Cares is a member of the HandsOn Network and Points of Light Institute, an international organization which inspires, equips, and mobilizes people to take action that changes the world. At the center of the network are 250 affiliates serving 83% of the American population and 12 international communities.

Services offered: Cleanup, Trash Pickup, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Tree Cutting and Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Tree Removal & Chipping, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Yard Cleanup, Volunteer Services; Community Beautification, Volunteer; Community Garden Program; Community Garden, Volunteer; Community Outreach, Volunteer; Community Service, Volunteer; Events, Community Meetings; Facility: Community Center; Management, Community Coordinator, Volunteer;

Reception / Registration Site/Location, Volunteer; Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers); Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accomodates Youth Volunteers) ; Volunteer, Volunteer Referral Services; Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online
Campaigns: 2010 Massachusetts Flooding; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Hands On Network; Points of Light Foundation
Updated Jun 8, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4719

Boston Community Fridge in Jamaica Plain [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

672 Centre St.(City Feed and Supply), Boston, MA
Web www.instagram.com/bostoncommunityfridge
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

COMMENT: this source says it's "coming soon", but this person who is inputting this data was there and it's totally operating, wonderful greens adn every kind of food you can imagine, packed and fresh

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10462

Boston Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross
285 Columbus Ave., 2nd floor, Boston, MA
Phone 617–375–0700, ext. 210
Hours Wed. & Sat. 9–12

Provides food packages Wed. & Sat. mornings 9–12.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Jan 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1012

Boston Food Swap

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, MA
Web www.bostonfoodswap.com
Service Temporary

from the website:

About Us
By day, Lyn Huckabee works for the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources. By night, she's an avid home cook who tested recipes for Boston UnCommon, the Junior League of Boston Cookbook, spoke on a panel at TechMunch Boston 2011, and helps organize events for the Boston chapter of Green Drinks.

Susan Johnston is a full–time freelance writer who covers food, beverages, and other lifestyle topics for publications including The Boston Globe, Citysearch, Cheers, and Pizza Today. She also teaches at Boston Center for Adult Education and will be speaking at the ASJA 2012 conference in New York City.

Tara Bellucci grew up in her family's Connecticut kitchen where she developed a passion for simple Italian home cooking. Tara spends her non–Food Swap time as a blogger and photographer for Apartment Therapy, a popular interior design blog, and creating marketing for luxury real estate in Boston.

Not surprisingly, the three of us met and bonded through our love of food. We joined a cooking club in the summer of 2006, and while most of the club's original members have moved on, the three of us continue exploring our love of food by hosting potluck dinners, swapping recipes (and extra veggies), and trying out new restaurants.

For years, Lyn scrambled to use up or give away a bushel of tomatoes or zucchini from her CSA farm share before it went bad. So, after spotting a New York Times article about a food swap in Brooklyn, we brought the concept to Boston in the summer of 2011. Armed with our love of homemade goodies and our social media networks, we immediately caught the eye of The Boston Globe's food section, NPR's Public Radio Kitchen, and foodies throughout the Boston area.

The goal of our monthly swaps is to create outlet for sharing surplus goods and offer an alternative to store–bought items, helping swappers eat locally, sustainably, and affordably. We're active in the swapping and local food communities, and we're working to grow the swap through blogging, social media, and partnerships with like–minded organizations.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Environmental; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Events, Community Meetings; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); New "Business" Models; New "business" models, Food Production/Distribution; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies

Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Farmer's Market, Local/Regional; Transition Towns (Transition Network)
Updated Mar 13, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9121

Boston, City of, Haitian Support Center (Phone Calling/Family Locator Assistance)

Walk–in Resource · Open

City, Disaster Response
Boston, MA
Web www.cityofboston.gov/news/default.aspx?id=4519
Service Temporary

Mayor Menino launches assistance efforts for victims and local families impacted by earthquake in Haiti

1/13/2010 – Released by Mayor's Office
For more information contact Press Office

City to open resource center for local families and offer direct outreach to Haiti

Mayor Thomas M. Menino announced this afternoon that the City of Boston, in conjunction with a number of community partners, would begin mobilizing resources to assist the victims and families impacted by the magnitude–7.0 earthquake that struck Haiti yesterday. In an outreach effort aimed directly at victims in Haiti as well as local families with ties to the country, a number of city agencies will work with partner organizations to open a local resource center for Boston's Haitian community in addition to sending direct assistance to Haiti.

Tonight, Mayor Menino and other officials will join State Representatives Marie St. Fleur and Linda Dorcena–Forry, two leaders in Boston's Haitian community with whom the Mayor is closely coordinating, at a meeting they are hosting for Boston's Haitian community at 7 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross in the South End.

"Boston's ties to Haiti are very deep, and our thoughts and prayers go out not only to the victims of this tragedy, but also to the Haitian community in our city whose loved ones have been affected by the disaster," Mayor Menino said. "On behalf of the City of Boston, I offer my deepest condolences to those impacted by this horrible tragedy. As a city, we will come together to support the Haitian community both here in Boston and abroad in any way possible."

Mayor Menino has organized a team of public and private partners to accomplish three primary assistance objectives:

Open a resource center for local families seeking information and assistance.
Establish a relief fund to help support local families with relatives in Haiti.
Offer search and rescue resources to Haitian officials, including both equipment and personnel.

Community partners as well as staff from city agencies such as the Boston Public Health Commission (BPHC) are in the process of setting up the resource center for local families impacted by the earthquake. The center will be operated out of SEIU Local 1199, located at 150 Mount Vernon Street in Dorchester. It will begin operating tomorrow from 9 a.m. and 9 p.m. and remain open throughout the weekend and possibly into next week, depending on need. Translators, crisis councilors, computers, and phone lines will be available for local families in need of assistance. Individuals looking for more information can contact the center by calling (617) 284–1199.

The relief fund for local families with ties to Haiti, named the "Fund for Boston Neighborhoods, Inc. - Haitian Family Relief," will be administered by Bank of America. Donations to the fund can be made by visiting any local Bank of America branch.

The Mayor's Office of Emergency Preparedness is coordinating with state and federal authorities to make disaster medical assistance teams (DMAT) available to assist Haiti with search and rescue efforts. Urban search and rescue teams from Boston are also at the ready to assist, and the city has offered to lend approximately $1 million in search and rescue equipment to emergency responders in Haiti.

Given Boston's sizeable Haitian community, the Boston Public Schools (BPS) arranged today for crisis counselors to be present at schools and educational complexes with large populations of Haitian immigrants and Haitian–American students and faculty. Counselors were dispatched to the West Roxbury Education Complex, the Hyde Park Education Complex, Tech Boston Academy, Taylor Elementary, and Kenny Elementary. The school department also made automated calls to Haitian Creole speaking families to inform them of the community meeting and information session tonight at the Cathedral.

Under Mayor Menino's leadership, Superintendent Carol R. Johnson will ensure that BPS students and families impacted by the tragedy can take advantage of all available resources. "During this difficult time, our first priority is the emotional and physical well–being of our students," Superintendent Johnson said. "We have many students with ties to Haiti and we know that they and their families are waiting to connect with their loved ones. The Boston Public Schools community is ready and able to help our students cope with this crisis."

Other resources for families impacted by the earthquake include:
The State Department's information line: Individuals seeking information about family members living in Haiti are encouraged to call 1–888–407–4747.

Press zero (0) to speak with a customer service representative.
The White House's official website, www.whitehouse.gov, offers general information about the earthquake and relief efforts in Haiti.

Other ways to assist victims of the tragedy include:

Visit www.interaction.org for a list of credible responding organizations that accept donations for international emergencies.

Reputable organizations include: Partners in Health (www.pih.org); International Red Cross (www.redcross.org); Catholic Relief Services (www.crs.org).

Individuals can make $10 donations to the Red Cross by texting "HAITI" to "90999." These donations will be charged to an individual's cell phone bill.
Information about the city's assistance efforts can be found at: www.cityofboston.gov.
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Jan 15, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4980

Boston, meal PICKUP sites for kids, during virus shut down

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, MA
Web www.boston.gov/departments/food–access/map–meal–sites–boston–students
Service Temporary

See link for map of meal sites where kids can PICK UP free hot meals during virus school shut down. [check meal times at the link]

The City of Boston, in partnership with Project Bread, YMCA of Greater Boston, Boston Centers for Youth and Families, and other community organizations, will provide free meals to all youth and teens at various locations and times across the City.
Please note the following important details:

All pick–up sites are set up to be "grab and go".
Practice social distancing (keeping six feet between yourself and others).
Stay home if you are sick.

Please note: Sites and meal times are subject to change. Please check back to confirm information before you head to the meal pickup site.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Children; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 17, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10154

Casa Esperanza – recovery support

Walk–in Resource · Open

302 Eustis St, Boston, MA 02119
Web www.casaesperanza.org
Service Temporary

source: https://www.greaterbostonpreventssuicide.org/communities–of–color

Services offered: Counseling ($ NOT FREE) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling)
Campaigns: International Community, Latino
Updated Dec 3, 2024 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10657

Center for Teen Empowerment

Walk–in Resource · Open

48 Rutland St, Boston, MA
Phone 617.536.4266
Contact various people, see below
Web www.teenempowerment.org
Service Temporary

This group also works with the Warren Gardens "Higher Ground" neighborhood improvement program: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8987

CONTACT INFO for Teen Empowerment:

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE
The Center for Teen Empowerment, Inc.
48 Rutland Street
Boston, MA 02118
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mlewis @ teenempowerment . org

DORCHESTER SITE:
Teen Empowerment Program
21 Balfour Street
Dorchester, MA 02125
617-427-1488 or 617-427-1599
kit@teenempowerment.org

EGLESTON SQUARE SITE:
Teen Empowerment Program
2010 Columbus Avenue
Roxbury, MA 02119
Phone: 617-442-4684
Fax: 617-442-4687
jen @ teenempowerment . org

WARREN GARDENS SITE:
Teen Empowerment Program
130 Warren Street
Roxbury, MA 02119
617-652-8014
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ROCHESTER SITE:
Teen Empowerment Program
392 Genesee Street
Rochester, New York 14611
Phone: 585-697-3464
Fax: 585-413-1951
doug @ teenempowerment . org

SOMERVILLE SITE:
Teen Empowerment Program
165 Broadway
Somerville, MA 02145
Phone: 617-625-6600 ext. 2256
marlon @ teenempowerment . org

from the website:

THE TEEN EMPOWERMENT MODEL

The Teen Empowerment Model, upon which the Center for Teen Empowerment's programming is based, is a comprehensive methodology for working with groups that has wide-ranging applications in both youth and adult settings. It is made up of a clearly articulated set of beliefs that are actualized through a system of group building, skill development, decision making, and behavior management methods.

A. Beliefs
The first four in this set of beliefs have particular ramifications for youth program structure and approach, while the final two apply more broadly to both youth and adults in terms of how education and training are provided and how these constituencies work and relate together in groups.
There is a connection between feeling powerless and increased risk of engaging in dysfunctional behaviors.

* When youth, particularly those at greatest risk, do not have access to legitimate sources of power, they are more likely to be attracted to negative behaviors as a means of acquiring power.
* While most youth do not have input into decisions about how schools and communities function, they often have easy access to negative forms of power, such as dealing drugs or using weapons.
* Providing varied opportunities for a broader range of youth to access legitimate forms of power reduces the need among young people to pursue destructive forms of power.

Analysis + Decision-making + Action + Success = Power
Teen Empowerment provides youth with the tools they need to analyze the issues in their communities and schools, to identify those issues they consider to be most important, and to make decisions concerning the best ways to address these issues. Adults then provide the necessary support to ensure that these efforts are as successful as possible. While people can and do learn from their failures, the TE Model is based on the belief that people of all ages usually learn more from success than from failure and are more likely to be inspired by success to continue traveling down a positive path.

Youth have the ability to make real and meaningful changes in their schools and communities.
The work done at Teen Empowerment is not merely an exercise that is good only for the youth involved. Teen Empowerment

youth organizers are engaged in real work with the expectation that their efforts will result in the achievement of powerful and positive changes in their schools and communities.

To make real change, youth need access to adequate resources to implement their ideas.
Teen Empowerment actualizes this belief by paying young people to work as youth organizers, and providing them with the resources they need to implement their organizing strategies. Every TE site has access to the financial resources needed to carry out their chosen community and school change strategies.

The most effective forms of youth and adult leadership are facilitative rather than command in nature.
The role of a Teen Empowerment leader is to facilitate a process by which the group identifies the best solutions to the problems it faces and makes decisions about the actions that need to be taken.

In both youth and adult group settings, there is a connection between the skillful use of interactive group work methods and the ability of the group to reach consensus and to maximize the amount of productive work they are able to accomplish.
Interactive methods used skillfully can help to form deep relationships among group members and to build a trusting environment where people are willing to take chances and experiment with new forms of creative problem solving. Furthermore, these methods can build real consensus in a group by bringing out voices, thoughts, and feelings that might otherwise remain hidden. This genuine consensus provides a significantly more powerful basis for action because the chosen actions are more fully supported by all group members.

B. Methods
This section first gives an overview of Teen Empowerment's interactive methodology and its centrality to all of TE's work. It then describes the procedures by which the TE Model carries out its youth organizing mission: selecting and training the youth organizer group, working with the group to plan and implement social–change initiatives, and creating and maintaining a highly productive group by managing behavior and practicing effective communication skills.

1. The Innovative Use of Interactive Modes of Learning and Work
One of the important factors enabling TE's success is the Teen Empowerment Model's unique approach to group facilitation, which emphasizes interactive modes of work and communication as a means of significantly increasing productivity. This reliance on interactive methods is based on the belief that groups function optimally when everyone's voice is heard and when group members are given the tools they need to develop relationships based on trust. In this kind of caring and safe environment, people of all ages become willing to take chances and experiment with new forms of creative problem solving. Furthermore, the use of interactive methods brings out thoughts, feelings, experiences, and skills that would otherwise remain hidden, thus creating a much broader basis for reaching a consensus to take action and for maintaining the motivation to ensure that the chosen actions are successfully implemented.

Teen Empowerment uses these interactive methodologies in every aspect of our work with both youth and adults. We have found that the thoughtful application of these methods helps groups to effectively achieve their goals –– from goals as simple as learning names to more sophisticated goals such as resolving dysfunctional classroom dynamics or developing innovative curricula that enable populations with special needs or learning challenges to succeed. Furthermore, TE uses interactive techniques to continuously reinforce the vital link between the group's mission and its current work, thereby increasing the group's investment in its work and in the ultimate success of its organizing efforts. Thorough integration of these methods into all aspects of our work allows TE to engage the hearts, minds, and energies of diverse groups of students, teachers, and other youth and adults in finding solutions to difficult problems.

2. The Participant Selection Process
The initial phase of the Youth Organizing project at each site is the Participant Selection Process, which is used to select young people who will work as a youth organizer group. The selection process includes an extensive recruitment of applicants; a first interview consisting of a two hour interactive group session and a ten minute individual interview; and a second interview, using the same methods as the first, conducted with about one third of the initial applicants.

Following the second round of interviews, staff considers each of the applicants. At each site, TE seeks to hire a group that is gender–balanced, reflects as closely as possible the diversity of the school or community where the group will work, and includes those who are considered to be at–risk. Through this process, staff identifies youth who are connected to all of the various subgroups of the targeted school or community and are willing and able to exert a positive influence over those subgroups.

3. Initial Training Modules
During the first week of the project, youth organizers complete a detailed curriculum designed to:

* Build group and individual relationships.
* Identify key issues in the community or school where the project is based.
* Place identified issues within a larger social context.
* Develop 2–3 strategic action steps to begin addressing the identified issues.
* Begin implementation of the first strategic initiative using TE's 10 Step Planning Process.
* Orient group members to Teen Empowerment's Behavior Change System.

4. Ongoing Training and Planning Sessions
After the initial training period, youth organizers continue to meet for interactive work sessions four or five days per week. The first

session each week is used to address group issues and implement the Behavior Change System (see below). Each of the other sessions uses the TE meeting format, as follows:

* Introduction, covering the purpose of the day, the timeline of upcoming initiatives and projects, and a review of the day's agenda.
* Warm–Up Question, which poses a question to be answered by each member of the group. Facilitators select the question to highlight some aspect of the group's work, to educate the group regarding a societal or community change dynamic, or to work with a particular group dynamic.
* Springboard Exercise, which consists of a physical or intellectual group challenge that is designed to generate and focus group energy, to highlight a societal, community, and/or group dynamic, and to connect group members to the purpose of their work together.
* Work Section, consisting of decision–making and educational activities that take place in the whole group, and of small group work (such as planning logistics, producing graphic materials, and writing and practicing speeches, skits, or raps) needed to carry out the chosen organizing strategies. When participants work in small groups, the groups report back on what they accomplished and in some cases demonstrate what they have produced and get feedback from the group.
* Summation, in which the facilitator speaks briefly about what has been accomplished and what is coming up for the group, makes announcements, and addresses any logistical issues such as assignments or handouts to be distributed.
* Evaluation, in which group members rate and comment on the day's work.

5. Implementation of Social Change Initiatives
Every year at each Teen Empowerment site, youth organizers plan and implement numerous initiatives designed to achieve their goals for positive change. Read about recent initiatives at our sites here.

6. The Behavior Change System
TE's Behavior Change System is used to manage behavior and to develop appropriate work, learning, and communication skills within the context both of TE Youth Organizing groups and of the larger community. The system also has broad application and has been used in a variety of projects that seek to employ participants in a group work setting while addressing communication and behavioral issues. The system used by TE's Youth Organizing projects includes:

* Weekly Feedback: In this element, participants learn how to give and receive both criticism and praise and to view feedback as a set of skills that can be improved through practice and reflection. Feedback aims to connect positive emotions with both positive and negative information about each group member. In the weekly session, facilitators first lead the group through exercises designed to surface group issues. They then provide training in feedback skills. Finally, the facilitators open the feedback session; facilitators give feedback to group members, and group members give feedback to one another and to the facilitators.
* Youth Organizer Work Contract: The Youth Organizer Work Contract details exactly what is expected of each group member and the precise consequences for failing to meet the expectations. Expectations are clearly outlined and cover some 25 behavioral categories, including motivation and attitude within the group and behavior within the classroom or the community. Here is an example of how the contract works: The first time a participant is late for group, he/she is warned; the second time, the participant loses two hours pay; the third and fourth times, he/she loses three hours pay; and the fifth time, the participant is fired. Participants can earn back an assessed fine if they work for a specified amount of time without incurring that infraction. If a participant is fired, he or she may, at the discretion of the staff, reapply in writing and, after volunteering in the program for a week with no contract infractions, be rehired.
* Intensive Feedback: Once a year, each TE site participates in a daylong Intensive Feedback session that takes place on a school holiday or a weekend. In the morning of the session, an outside facilitator conducts interactive exercises designed to surface group issues. The afternoon consists of further training in feedback skills, time to prepare feedback, and about three hours of giving and receiving feedback, using one of several formats. Intensive Feedback sessions are life–changing in nature and result in significant individual growth, resolution of group tensions, and noticeable gains in the group's ability to work productively for the improvement of their school or community.

C. Operational Structures
Teen Empowerment programming is implemented through a common–sense operational structure that consists of three components:

* Youth organizing. TE has sites in Boston, MA, Somerville, MA, and Rochester, NY. At each site, youth are hired and trained to identify critically important issues and to design and implement effective actions to address these issues. In addition, youth in each city come together to work on citywide initiatives, most notably the annual Youth Peace Conferences.
* Consulting and training. TE trains teachers, school administrators, police officers and other adults working in human service organizations in the use of our unique and effective methodology.
* Dissemination of instructional materials. Teen Empowerment is developing a series of publications and videos that will make TE's methodology accessible to a national audience. The first of these is Moving Beyond Icebreakers©: An Innovative Approach to Group Facilitation, Learning, and Action.

D. Conclusion

The Teen Empowerment Model is a comprehensive system for bringing people together into working groups that function effectively to reach their goals for creating positive change. TE is committed to continuously refining the model and to learning through practice and reflection how best to fulfill our organizational mission. In addition, we are immersed in ongoing efforts to disseminate what we have learned and to broaden the scope of the model to serve other populations that could benefit from this

work. Through this process, Teen Empowerment is building an ever more sophisticated system for increasingly productive, meaningful, and significant institutional development.

See materials for these topics at this link:
http://www.teenempowerment.org/model.html

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Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Advocacy, Economic Justice for Impoverished Populations; Advocacy, Employment, "At–Risk" Job Applicants; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Community, Housing Development; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Services, Youth Services; Advocacy, Social Justice; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Youth Services; Business Internship Opportunities for Young Adults; Community Outreach Programs; Community, Recreation, Recreational Programs; Community Service Program; Counseling, Career Counseling; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Demographic Served: Teens; Demographic Served: Teens, Troubled; Demographic Served: Victims of Economic Injustice, Urban; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Directories, Youth Services & After–School Programs; Documentation, Volunteer Instructions; Documentation, Volunteer Management Guidance; Education, Communication with at–risk teens; Education, for Parents, about teens' risky behaviors; Education, Parenting at–risk teens; Events, Community Meetings; Facility: Recreation Center; Information Resource, Alternative Schools/Education; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Demographic Information; Information Resource, Neighborhood Network; Information Resource, Situation Reports & Status Reports; Information Resource, Watchdog Site, Social Justice; Information Resource, Youth Services; New "Business" Models; New "Business" Models, Education; New "business" models, Government; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Youth Services, Crime Prevention Programs; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, for Teens; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Social Event, Networking Group, Employment/Professional Networking; Social Events, Party / Festival; Training, Activism; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Business Skills; Training Classes, Communication Skills; Training Classes, Computers Skills; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training Classes, Life Skills, Youth; Training Classes, Literacy Training; Training Classes, Volunteer Orientation & Training; Training, Employment, Job Skills, Youth; Training Government, Training on How it Works; Training, Job Training; Training, Micro–Economic Entrepeneurship; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Trainin, Social Awareness; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Big Brothers Big Sisters; Boy's & Girl's Club; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Head Start Program; Neighborhood Network; New "Business" Models
Updated Sep 23, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8988

Community Church of Boston [activism–oriented, non–demoninational, community space]

Walk–in Resource · Open

Green line–Copley T Stops; 565 Boylston Street, 2nd fl., Boston, MA 02116
Web www.communitychurchofboston.org/home
Service Permanent

Justice work: http://www.communitychurchofboston.org/home/?page_id=4

regular events, see website
La Pena, Saturdays, once a month, Central American Open Mic, music, poetry, food, community

Services offered: Events, Community Meetings; Events, Protest Actions; Events, Social, Holiday Event ∗ (ANY/ALL Types) ; Social Event ∗(any/all types) see also category "Events"
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Oct 20, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10747

Encuentro Five (E5) (social justice advocacy, meeting space)

Walk–in Resource · Open

9 Hamilton Place, Boston, MA
Web www.encuentro5.org/home/node/13
Service Temporary

Services offered: Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocacy, Social Justice, Fair Labor/Worker Rights; Community Outreach, Public Awareness, Humanitarian Issues; Events, Community Meetings; Events, Potluck Meals; Events, Protest Actions; Facility: Meeting space; Office Space, Conference Room; Office Space, Workspace/Desktop; Services, Tech, Computer Access; Training ∗ (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction)
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; American Friends Service; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Food Not Bombs; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Dec 14, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9838

Free Food on Thursdays

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, MA
Service Temporary

HRI, Food for Free, the Boston Area Gleaners, Whole Foods Markets and
many more are hosting eight weeks of sharing food. All food at this event is 100% free.

Tuesdays at Riverside Press Park, Cambridge6pm – 7:30pmJuly 11 – August 28

Thursdays at Trolley Square Park, 2401 Massachusetts Avenue,
Cambridge6pm – 7:30pmJuly 12 – August 3

Homeowner's Rehab Inc., Food For
Free, and the Boston Area Gleaners are partnering to offer free markets
(not farmers markets) in Trolley Square and Riverside Press Park this
summer. The market in Trolley Square is intended for residents of Trolley
Square complex while the Riverside Press Park market is open to the
public. ∗These
markets are designed to serve people who struggle to afford the healthy
food they need, and we encourage anyone who needs this assistance to shop
at the markets∗. The mission of Food For Free and the Boston Area Gleaners
is to provide food to people in our community who are not able to purchase
it for themselves. We are committed to a strong regional food system and
encourage everyone to purchase their food at a local farmers market
whenever possible.

Services offered: Food ∗ (ANY/ALL Types); New "business" models, Economic; New "business" models, Food Production/ Distribution; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; Social Event ∗(any/all types) see also category "Events"
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; New "Business" Models; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Jul 18, 2017 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10016

Jamaica Plain Forum (Speaker Series, Social Change Events, etc)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, MA
Web jamaicaplainforum.org
Service Temporary

from the site:

The Jamaica Plain Forum is a free public speaker, workshop, and film series bringing together neighbors, scholars, and organizers around issues of peace, justice, the environment and civic engagement. We promote true democracy and challenge concentrated wealth, corporate influence, and military power. We host timely community–based conversations on the great issues shaping our neighborhood and our planet.

A program of the Institute for Policy Studies hosted in The First Church in Jamaica Plain, Unitarian Universalist, the Jamaica Plain Forum hosts speakers from the Jamaica Plain community who are involved in dynamic and stimulating work near and far, as well as regional and national authors, activists, artists and thinkers.

Chuck Collins, a local neighbor and activist founded the Jamaica Plain Forum in 2008. Currently, Tracy Bindel serves as the JP Forum Coordinator.

All are welcome to attend the Jamaica Plain Forum. All programs follow the principles of tolerance, respectfulness and inclusiveness.

Although no fee is required for attendance, donations contribute to building–use fees and JP Forum expenses.

All Jamaica Plain Forum activities are wheelchair accessible unless otherwise published.

Contact the JP Forum at info @ jamaicaplainforum.org.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Consumer Issues; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Social Justice, Fair Labor/Worker Rights; Community Service Program; Disasters in the Making/ Disasters Waiting to Happen (reports of risk of disaster); Documentation, Capitalism (the ruthless sort), Issues with & Solutions to; Event Listings; Events, Community Meetings; Events, Protest Actions; Events, Social, Holiday Event * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facility: Meeting space; New "Business" Models, Education; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Films/Cinema/Movies/Lectures; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Training, Activism; Training Classes, Disaster * (Any & All Types)
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Co–Operative Businesses, Coops, Co–ops, Cooperatives; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative; Transition Towns (Transition Network); Unitarian Universalist (UU) Church
Updated Feb 26, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9925

Jobs for Youth (JFY) Boston

Walk–in Resource · Open

Civic – Community
Boston, MA
Web www.jfyboston.org/html/jfynet.html
Service Temporary

I'm a former client and I have to say that Pat Pestana and Derek Kalchbrenner are very polite, considerate and they listened to what I had to say.

Services offered: Advocacy, Anti–Poverty; Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Economic Justice for Impoverished Populations; Advocacy, Employment, "At–Risk" Job Applicants; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant, Legal Services; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Advocacy, Services, Youth Services; Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocacy, Voters Advocacy; Advocacy, Womens Rights; Advocay, Disaster, Survivors of Disaster; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Services for Special Needs Folks; Assistance, Referrals, Youth Services; Demographic Served: Unemployed; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Domestic Violence Hotline; Hotline, Legal Advice & Referrals; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Information Resource, Youth Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Employment, Developmentally Delayed/Special Needs folks; Services, Employment, Job Counseling, Referrals & Placement; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Services, Tutoring Services; Services, Youth Services, Crime Prevention Programs; Training Classes, Disaster * (Any & All Types); Training Classes, Disaster Recovery; Training, Employment, Job Skills, Youth; Training, Green Building; Training, Job Training; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Training Workshops, Disaster Ops, Disaster Rebuilding/Recovery Workshops; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Updated Feb 28, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7692

Lucy Stone Co–Operative (Housing Co–op)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, MA
Web www.lucystonecoop.org
Service Temporary

from BCN list, 2015:

The Lucy Stone Cooperative is looking to fill two rooms for June 1st.

We will have open houses at 7:45pm on Monday, March 2nd and 6:30pm on Sunday, March 15th,with dinner at 7pm. Come for a tour and to get your questions answered. Please RSVP if you can so we have a head count for dinner. Open houses strongly encouraged as part of the application process.

To apply to be a housemate, please fill out this form by 11:59pm on Sunday, March 15th:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1tVeIz170cDNU91Rmg2VARc02YLcG87UaQzrabAdCIdY/viewform
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1tVeIz170cDNU91Rmg2VARc02YLcG87UaQzrabAdCIdY/viewform>

What do you mean by “Cooperative?”
The co-op is owned by a nonprofit called “Unitarian Universalist Community Cooperatives.” That nonprofit is run by a board, the majority of whom are Lucy Stone housemates. Since being a member of Lucy Stone Co-op means also being a member of it’s nonprofit owner, housemates also play a role in supporting UUCC. Learn more about Lucy Stone and UUCC online: http://uucommunitycoops.org/.

Tell me about the house.
The Lucy Stone Cooperative is home to 12 people. Many of us have jobs outside the house, including roles such as teacher, minister, video game developer, therapist, nanny and organizer. We share five meals a week together and often spend time together inside and outside the house. Our house is 5,000 sq. ft. on a corner lot. It’s a single-family with 11 bedrooms, 4 bathrooms, a big kitchen and lots of common space. The yard is big and has an incredible tree on the corner.

What qualities are you looking for in a housemate?
We housemates diverse in race, class, ages, and stages of life. We encourage young adults, families, couples, seniors, empty-nesters, and everyone in between to apply. Our values are based in Unitarian Universalism, and we welcome anyone with an interest in integrating their spirituality with their daily life, no matter what their faith background or religious affiliation. We are looking for housemates that are committed to honest communication, consensus-building, and building both an internal community among housemates and an external community of neighbors, activists, and people of faith.

What are the resident responsibilities?
-About 10 hrs/week of house-related chores and activities.
-Participate in (and facilitate as able):
-house meetings every other Monday
-annual membership meeting of UUCC (held during normal house meeting time).
-spring and fall house retreats
-annual anti-racism/anti-oppression workshop (usually during a house retreat)
-spring and fall workdays
-Pay rent and other expenses on time
-Practice direct and open communication
-Respect the rules and agreements of the Cooperative (see LSC housemate handbook)

Where is this house?
A 19 min walk (1 mile) to the Roxbury Crossing T stop
An 8 min walk (.3 miles) to Dudley Bus (& silver line) station
44 mins to Harvard sq. on the #1 bus.
25 mins to Park st. (on the Silver Line bus)

Logistics:
Rent: $455 per month, plus food and utilities.
Co-op membership: We ask housemates to pay a $500 co-op member share when they move in. The same amount will be returned when the housemate moves out.

At Lucy Stone, we welcome applications from people of all occupations; races; ethnicities; colors; national origins; religions; classes; gender identities; family statuses; sexualities; relationship statuses, including non-monogamous; and people of all mental and physical abilities and health.

Our Mission Statement:
*The Lucy Stone Cooperative is an intentional community living the values and tradition of Unitarian Universalism through cooperative home ownership. We seek to grow a diverse community centered in justice. Through shared

resources and faithful action, we align our daily lives with our core
values of sustainability, spiritual practice, and social change.*

*Apply by **11:59pm, Sunday, March 15th*:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1tVeIz170cDNU91Rmg2VARc02YLcG87UaQzrabAdCIdY/viewform
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1tVeIz170cDNU91Rmg2VARc02YLcG87UaQzrabAdCIdY/viewform>

Living@lucystonecoop.org <Living@lucystonecoop.org>

Services offered: Advocacy, Housing, Fair Housing; Housing, Affordable Housing, Renters Programs; Housing, Co–Housing, Co–Op Housing, Intentional Communities; New "business models", housing
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative; Unitarian Universalist (UU) Church
Updated Mar 1, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9926

Make Shift (co–working space NOT FREE, but cooperative)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, MA
Web makeshiftboston.org
Service Temporary

from the site:

MISSION
Make Shift Boston is a cooperative workspace of diverse working artists, activists, and creative people from across disciplines. We are also a gathering, exhibition, and community space. In all these capacities, we strive to support social justice activism, creative collaboration, solidarity, and the sustainability of values–driven businesses. We seek to create a space that is safe and liberating for all people. As artists and creatives committed to social justice, we live in radical, loving opposition and resistance to the forces that dehumanize us all.

EVENTS
Make Shift Boston provides event space in Boston's South End, with the following missions:

To provide a unique and affordable venue for community events and the arts in Boston
To provide a safe and supportive space for oppressed groups
To bring unity through collaboration, learning and positivity (including dancing, music, and sharing food)
To carry on the legacy of social justice in the South End
To invest in our South End neighborhood and its future, even through major economic and social changes
To generate funds for our continuation.

Services offered: Furniture, Office Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Office Space, Conference Room; Office Space, Workspace/ Desktop; Social Enterprise (low–profit BUSINESS)
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Arts Community / Artist Network; Co–Operative Businesses, Coops, Co–ops, Cooperatives; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Jobs with Justice; Worker Owned Co–Operatives
Updated Dec 13, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9831

Mattapan Community Fridge [free food 24x7] take some leave some

Walk–in Resource · Open

1290 Blue Hill Avenue, Boston, MA 02126
Web linktr.ee/mattapancommunityfridge
Service Temporary

Mattapan Community Fridge

7 days a week, 24 hours a day.
7 días a la semana, 24 horas al día.
7 ngày một tuần, 24 giờ một ngày.
7 jou nan semèn, 24 èdtan nan yon jounen. □□ 7 □□□□ 24 □□□

1290 Blue Hill Avenue, Boston, MA 02126

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jun 17, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10446

Non–Profit Office Space: Space with a Soul

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, MA
Web www.spacewithasoul.org/about/our–story
Service Temporary

Services offered: New "Business" Models; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; Office, Office Equipment * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Office, Office Space; Social Enterprise (low–profit BUSINESS)
Updated Mar 13, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9123

Northeastern University Mutual Aid Community Fridge [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

70 Saint Stephen St (Northeastern University Hillel Center), Boston, MA 02115

Web instagram.com/numutualaid
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)

Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10447

Occupy Boston (social justice advocacy)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, MA

Web occupyboston.com
Service Temporary

Avails:
computers
and local transit to deliver
Trucks:
Sage
The guy from the Armory
Josh Bloomer (via Cailin) for Pony Express fleet of trucks

Bike delivery:
Sage

SCROLL DOWN FOR THE DETAILED NEEDS LIST or connect via @OBLogistics

#occupyboston
@boston_occupy
http://twitter.com/#!/Occupy_Boston
http://www.facebook.com/OccupyBoston
http://www.livestream.com/occupyboston

Dewey Square, across from South Station. (On the Rose Kennedy Greenway...please stay off the flowers...it's a landscaping "gem").

Sleeping accomodations: https://sites.google.com/site/occupyrevolution/logistics–security/sleeping–accomidations

FAQs for protestors, including instructions and what to bring:
http://occupyboston.com/faq/general–faq/

See below for a DETAILED LIST of high priority longer term supply needs.

See the main webiste (http://occupyboston.com/) for a list of instructions for protestors...COME ON DOWN! BRING CAMPING GEAR if you plan to stay overnight. BRING YOUR OWN TARP! Read the instructions on how to behave, please... the police are part of the 99% too...

See also database record for Occupy Wall Street: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8995

Pics of site:

http://jenniferbruni.wordpress.com/2011/10/05/occupy–wall–street–comes–to–boston/

http://www.democraticunderground.com/discuss/duboard.php?az=view_all&address=439x2055125

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Economic Justice for Impoverished Populations; Advocacy, Environmental; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocacy, Social Justice, Fair Labor/Worker Rights; Calendar, Community Events/Protest Actions; Camping Gear * (ANY/ALL Types); Camping Gear, Sleeping Bags * (ANY/ALL Types) New or Gently Used/CLEAN ; Camping Supplies, Tents; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Events, Protest Actions; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Linens, Bedding, Blankets * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Vehicle, Truck * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Occupy Wall Street / Occupy America / Occupy Together; Social Activists/Organizers

Updated Jun 3, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8997

Roslindale Community Fridge, 4140 Washington St / 1 Firth Rd [free food 24x7, take some leave some]

Walk–in Resource · Open

1 Firth Rd, Boston, MA 02131, Boston, MA 02131

Web opencollective.com/roslindale–community–fridge
Service Temporary

Roslindale Community Fridge

4140 Washington St., Roslindale, MA 02131 (Parking lot of Roslindale Market at 1 Firth Rd)

7 days a week, 24 hours a day.
7 días a la semana, 24 horas al día.
7 ngày một tuần, 24 giờ một ngày.
7 jou nan semèn, 24 èdtan nan yon jounen. □□ 7 □□□□ 24 □□□

1 Firth Rd, Boston, MA 02131

listed on Dorchester Food Access Map: https://www.google.com/maps/d/viewer?mid=1KwjHajrarjnlnWVgS8BmZXZ3GOai6rt–&ll=42.28651311742094%2C–71.10646533116248&z=14

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Ending Gross Inequity
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10448

Victory Programs / Revision Shelter System (Family Shelter / Jobs)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Service
Boston, MA

Phone (617)–541–0222
Contact Lorraine Franciose
Email development@vpi.org
Web vpi.org/about.html
Eligibility check with intake manager to see if there's space...generally low income, families, women, chemically dependent, homeless...
Service Temporary

For general intake information, please call (617) 541–0222 and ask for Lorraine Franciose.

To join the waiting list for a particular program, please call that program ask for the Intake Coordinator.

The programs can be contacted on the following numbers:

Victory House/ New Victories: 617–825–6088

Women's Hope: 617–442–0048

Shepherd House: 617–288–3906

ReVision House: 617–825–8642

Portis Family House: 617–522–3089

Joelyn's Family Home: 617–456–1201

Supportive Housing programs: 617–282–1984

LARC: 617–522–2936

Technical Assistance Program: 617–927–0088

For any other inquiries, please call our administrative offices at (617)–541–0222

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Domestic Violence; Advocacy, Economic Justice for Impoverished Populations; Advocacy, Employment, "At–Risk" Job Applicants; Advocacy, Environmental; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Community, Housing Development; Advocacy, Womens Rights; Agriculture/Farming/Gardening Resource; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Short–Term Housing Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Case Management, Battered, Abused Women; Case Management, Homeless; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Community Garden Program; Community Outreach Programs; Community Service Program; Counseling, Career Counseling; Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling, Mentors; Counseling, Substance Abuse ; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group, Survivors, Violence; Demographic Served: Addicts, Recovering; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Homeless, Women Only; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks, Women Only; Demographic Served: Survivors, Violence; Facilities: Farm ("available" = this site is a farm); Facilities: Farm, Urban (this site is a farm); Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Facility: Job Center; Food, Locally Produced ($ NOT FREE); Food, Organic ($ NOT FREE); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Group Home, Special Needs/Mental Illness; Housing, Recovery House (For Substance Abuse Treatment); Housing, Residential Group Shelter Home, Housing; Housing, Subsidized/Low–Income Housing; Housing, Transitional Housing; Housing, Transitional Housing (For Battered Women/Children); Jobs, Paying; Medical, Services, Rehabilitation Program; Mental Health, Rehabilitation;

Mental Health Services; Services, Employment, Job Assistance, for "at–risk" Job Applicants; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Substance Abuse, Outpatient Program (Drug/Alcohol); Services, Substance Abuse, Residential Program (Drug/Alcohol); Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/Alcohology) ; Services, Women's Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Shelter, Homeless, Mens Homeless Shelter; Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Shelter, Womens, Battered Womens Shelter; Shelter, Women's Shelter; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Business Skills; Training Classes, Employment, On the Job, Training; Training Classes, Gardening Instruction; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training Classes, Trade Skills, Training; Training Classes, Vocational; Training, Farming, Organic Farming; Training, Medical, Education, Health Education for Survivors * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Government, US Deptartment of Housing & Urban Development (HUD); Northeast Organic Farming Association
Updated Jun 12, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5932

NATIVE AMERICAN LIFELINES: GENERAL COUNSELING SERVICES

Walk–in Resource · Open

2077 Centre St, Boston – West Roxbury, MA 02132
Web nativeamericanlifelines.org/general–counseling–services
Service Temporary

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Counseling ($ NOT FREE) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling)
Campaigns: First Nations / Native Americans
Updated Dec 3, 2024 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10656

Catie's Closet [collects/distributes clothes/toiletries]

Walk–in Resource · Open

63 Sprague Street • Boston, MA 02136; 19 School Street • Dracut, MA 01826, Boston and Dracut, MA
Web www.catiescloset.org/help–the–kids
Service Temporary

Catie’s Closet – Boston
63 Sprague Street • Boston, MA 02136
tel. 617–272–3621

Hours: 10am – 4pm Monday–Friday

Catie’s Closet – Merrimack Valley
19 School Street • Dracut, MA 01826
tel. 978–957–2200

Hours: 10am – 5pm Monday–Friday

See site for sizes of clothes and items sought

"Our students’ futures are at stake.
The fact is simple. Students NEED help, and they need it NOW.
Children in poverty already have a difficult time seeing beyond their current circumstances and into a brighter future. The challenges presented by remote learning, physical distancing, loss of connection and deepened poverty make it nearly impossible for students to imagine a future past this “new normal”.
We need your help brightening the futures of more children across the country. Let them adjust their appearance to connect with who they are on the inside"

Services offered: Clothing, Adult Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, Children, New or Gently Used/ CLEAN * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, Women's, Plus Size, New/Gently Used/CLEAN; Distribution, Clothing Closet; Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); * KITS, HYGIENE KITS; * KITS, TOILETRY/COMFORT KIT, NEW Items ONLY; * KITS, TOILETRY KIT w/Towel; Shoes, * New or Gently Used/CLEAN * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Underwear, All Sizes, NEW Only, * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated May 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10430

Dorchester Community Fridge, Mutual Aid, Free Food, Dorchester "Take what you need, leave what you can"

Walk–in Resource · Open

1471 Dorchester Ave in Dorchester, Boston, Dorchester, MA
Web linktr.ee/DotCommunityFridge
Service Temporary

7 days a week, 24 hours a day.
7 días a la semana, 24 horas al día.
7 ngày một tuần, 24 giờ một ngày.
7 jou nan semèn, 24 èdtan nan yon jounen. □□ 7 □□□□ 24 □□□

Also, see their Instagram page: https://www.instagram.com/dotcommunityfridge/

Also listed on this map of food resources for Boston:
https://www.google.com/maps/d/viewer?mid=1KwjHajrarjnlnWVgS8BmZXZ3GOai6rt–&ll=42.29978342275533%2C–71.05995827208967&z=16

original source: https://caughtindot.com/dorchester–community–fridge–take–what–you–need–leave–what–you–can/

old webform: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe_2TWMQZWcTNEIuwd8EQOIX10LRqMJjr48j0–v9z73WrFZgQ/viewform

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10374

Earthy Boston Fenway Fridge [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

506 Park Drive, Boston, Fenway, MA 02215
Web www.instagram.com/earthy.boston
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10452

Community Fridge, Free Food, Jamaica Plain

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, Jamaica Plain, MA
Web www.instagram.com/bostoncommunityfridge
Service Temporary

On the corner of Centre Street and Forbes Street in Jamaica Plain, a spray–painted refrigerator sits on the sidewalk. The words “free food” are written across the top freezer in white letters; underneath that in Spanish, “comida gratis.”

source: https://www.boston.com/food/local–news/2020/09/22/community–fridges–in–boston

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Food Not Bombs; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Sep 26, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10376

Roxbury Community Table Saturdays 5 pm (Pay–What–You–Can)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston, Roxbury, MA
Service Temporary

Dear all,

JOIN US EVERY SATURDAY for a delicious and healthy pay–what–you–can dinner starting at 5 pm at Haley House Bakery Cafe, located at 12 Dade St in Roxbury.

Come for good conversation over locally sourced food regardless of your financial means. Great time for community building and reaching out to fellow Bostonians. We believe in always feeding our people and sharing stories as the starting point for activism. Bring your friends and colleagues! See you there!

Community Tables
Every Saturday
5 PM
12 Dade St, Haley House Bakery Cafe

Thank you!
Tanya Nguyen
tanya.m.nguyen @ gmail.com

Services offered: Events, Community Meetings; Facility: Recreation Center; Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Pay–what–you–can; New "Business" Models; New "business" models, Economic; New "business" models, Food Production/Distribution; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty
Updated Oct 8, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9727

South End Fridge [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

549 Columbus Avenue(Makeshift Boston), Boston, South End, MA 02118
Web www.instagram.com/southbostoncommunityfridge
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

https://linktr.ee/BostonSouthEndCommunityFridge

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10453

Building Materials Resource Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

In–Kind Donations Bank
100 Terrace Street; Boston's Roxbury Crossing neighborhood, Boston/Dorchester, MA
Phone 617–442–2262 / 617 442 8917
Web www.bostonbuildingresources.com/index.php/shop

This group takes in donated supplies and sells them at very low rates to lower income folks and community groups. They give away a lot of stuff, too. Cabinets, appliances...all kinds of stuff.

Things aren't totally free here. They sometimes are. Most times not. If they have extra stuff, you can often get it for free, but you should really give them some $ to support the facility.

from the website:

Boston Building Resources is a name that encompasses two related organizations located at 100 Terrace Street in Boston's Roxbury Crossing neighborhood. (You can download our most recent newsletter by clicking the icon on the right.)

The first is a consumer co–op, or a store owned by and operated for its members. The co–op was founded in 1978 under the name Boston Building Materials Co–op. It provides new materials for home improvement with a special focus on kitchen cabinetry, windows, doors, energy–saving products, and green products. Anyone can join, and you can also shop without joining. Being a co–op means that we are not in business to maximize profits, but to benefit our members.

The Reuse Center at Boston Building Resources is a charitable nonprofit that accepts donations of new and gently used materials for resale. It opened its doors in 1993 and was known until recently as the Building Materials Resource Center. Anyone can shop at the Reuse Center. Additional discounts are given to Plus members—people who meet our income guidelines, as well as any charitable nonprofit organization. Standard members and the public will pay a slightly higher price on Reuse Center items, but the extra income helps this nonprofit to be sustainable and grow.

BBR provides high–value, affordable materials, both new and used, for home maintenance and improvements. But beyond simply buying products, customers can find expert advice, technical assistance, and hands–on workshops that teach home improvement skills.

Boston Building Resources is also focused on benefiting the environment. The organization is a source for energy–efficient, water–saving, and environmentally friendly items such as rain barrels, home compost bins, weather stripping, and materials made from recycled components. Further, needless waste is reduced when reusable materials are donated to the Reuse Center at BBR instead of being sent to landfills.

If you have questions that are not answered on our Web site, please feel free to email info @ bostonbuildingresources . com or call us at 617–442–2262.

Services offered: Building Materials, Discounted Rates ($ NOT FREE); Building Materials / Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Construction, Building Material Reclaim/Reuse/Recycle; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Recycling, Household Items; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Aug 3, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1904

Third Sector (Office Space for Startup Non–Profits)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston/Financial District, MA
Web www.nonprofitcenterboston.org/site/c.ddKGIQNuEmG/b.1363307/k.6C9F/The_NonProfit_Center.htm
Service Temporary

Services offered: Advocacy, For Non–Profits; Assistance, for non–profits, Collaboration Tool; Assistance, for non–profits (In General); New "Business" Models; Office, Office Space; Office Space, Conference Room; Office Space, Workspace/Desktop
Updated Nov 2, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9029

Lucy Parsons Book Shop (some free stuff, worker–owned/run)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Boston/Jamaica Plain, MA

Web lucyparsons.org
Service Temporary

Books about new economic and governance models, anarchy, marxism, co–operatives, sustainable economics, no–currency models of solidarity–based communities.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocacy, Social Justice, Fair Labor/Worker Rights; Advocacy, Voters Advocacy; Advocacy, Womens Rights; Books * (ANY/ALL Types); Business Internship Opportunities for Young Adults; Documentation, Capitalism (the ruthless sort), Issues with & Solutions to; Documentation, Standards, Health & Human Rights; Event Listings; Events, Community Meetings; Events, Potluck Meals; Events, Protest Actions; Information Resource, Alternative Schools/Education; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Booklets, Resource Materials for Volunteers; Information Resource, Constitutional Rights; Information Resource, Economics, Sustainable; Information Resource, Management Advice; Information Resource, Neighborhood Network; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Information Resource, Sharing Networks/Timebanks; Meals, Vegan; Media, Print News Outlet (newspaper, magazine, etc); New "business" models, Economic; New "Business" Models, Education; New "business" models, Government; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; Occupy Working Groups, Occupy the Economy; Services, Educational Services (See also Category for School); Social Enterprise (low–profit BUSINESS)
Campaigns: Co–Operative Businesses, Coops, Co–ops, Cooperatives; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Food Not Bombs; Lucy Parsons Center; Occupy Wall Street / Occupy America / Occupy Together; Worker Owned Co–Operatives
Updated Dec 4, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9772

Haley House (food pantry, co–operative cafe: meals, live–in community/ housing collective, meeting space) Covid 19 mutual aid

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Live–in Center:; 23 Dartmouth StreetBakery:; 12 Dade St; Dudley Square, Boston/Roxbury, MA

Phone 617.236.8132, 617.445.0900
Web www.haleyhouse.org
Service Temporary

Covid 19 response
https://www.liberationnews.org/ppe–for–the–people–campaign–to–produce–and–distribute–masks–in–boston/

‘PPE for the People’ campaign to produce and distribute masks in Boston
By Susan Klimczak (SETC) and Joe Tache (PSL)
Apr 13, 2020
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‘PPE for the People’ campaign to produce and distribute masks in Boston

3D printed N95–style masks. Photo by South End Technology Center. Used with Permission.

The South End Technology Center @ Tent City and the Boston branch of the Party for Socialism and Liberation announce our campaign, “PPE for the People.” We are producing and distributing protective masks to frontline workers and people living in Boston’s oppressed communities, who are suffering disproportionately during this COVID–19 pandemic.

As Mel King, the founder of SETC always says, we want a city and a world that works for everyone. We cannot stand by and watch as this crisis lays bare the profound inequity and injustice in our city and country for all to see. Our Love for the People calls us into action; to both serve our communities and raise demands for a new form of society organized around human needs, rather than corporate profits.
a volunteer sews olsen masks at a sewing machine.

PSL and SETC volunteers make masks. Photo by South End Technology Center. Used with permission.

Both in Boston and across the country, new data reveals an alarming trend that COVID–19 is infecting and killing people of color at a disproportionately higher rate. As the U.S. Surgeon General Dr. Jerome Adams recently pointed out, Black, Latino and Native American people are not biologically or genetically predisposed to get COVID–19. People of color are predisposed to higher risk of exposure because most do not have jobs that allow them to work from home; because of inequities in healthcare and income that make them more likely to suffer diseases that put them at risk for severe complications from the virus; because — in the case of those living in places like the Navajo Nation and Detroit — they experience a lack of access to water for recommended frequent hand–washing. As of April 9, in Boston, 72% of those who have tested positive COVID–19 are people of color.

The question of wearing masks is also complicated by racism. People of color are increasingly saying that they don’t feel safe wearing masks. In a Boston Globe op–ed, Aaron Thomas wrote that the practice “could lead to unintended attention, and ultimately a life–or–death situation…[and that] the fear of being mistaken for an armed robber or assailant is greater than the fear of contracting COVID–19.” On the other hand, on April 11, a man in Philadelphia was dragged off of a public bus by police for not wearing a mask. This pandemic is shaped by capitalism and racism, and the fight against racism must be at the top of the list of priorities for any COVID–19 response.

Overall, as COVID–19 continues to rapidly spread in Massachusetts, workers in health care, grocery, custodial, food service and other sectors have clearly expressed their desperate need for personal protective equipment, including masks. Some of our most

vulnerable such as elders, returning citizens and folks in recovery also have expressed needs. Additionally, on April 3, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention officially recommended that all individuals wear face coverings in public settings where social distancing is difficult to maintain, as it is in cities like Boston. Clearly, the need for protective masks and the need to address the inequities and injustices at work in our community is dire, and demand will only increase as Massachusetts approaches its COVID–19 “surge.”

SETC youth, staff and volunteers, along with PSL organizers are fabricating four types of masks with laser cutters, 3D printers and sewing machines in Fab Lab Boston:

3D printed face shields with clear protective covers
sewn Olson face masks with filters inserted in pockets that can be fitted with skin–safe double–sided tape for those at higher risk for exposure
sewn face masks for everyday use by the people
and 3D printed N95–style masks that have demonstrated a potential to pass fit tests with proper filtering.

A young man wears a 3d printed face mask and holds two hand sewn masks

Photo by the South End Technology Center. Used with permission.

PPE for the People has already provided over 150 masks to people like the residents and Community Table workers at the Haley House, who are serving 70 free meals per day during the pandemic, to workers in the temporary shelter tents set up for people experiencing homelessness in Lower Roxbury, to young people distributing meals to elders at Madison Park, to nurses, to grocery workers, to families living in subsidized housing and to workers serving students with disabilities. The campaign will be expanding distribution in the coming days and weeks. Essential workers and families, particularly in Grove Hall, South End and Roxbury, are encouraged to reach out if their work and/or living conditions puts them in need of protective masks.

While the PPE for the People will do everything in its power to provide masks to those who need them, the campaign will inevitably be limited in scope. Neither the SETC nor the PSL — or the entire network of Boston area Fab Labs and makerspaces — have the manufacturing capacity to meet the vast need for masks in Boston. Ultimately, the responsibility and moral imperative for addressing this crisis falls on the U.S. government. Both Governor Baker and Donald Trump have special powers to take immediate action on this issue. As reported by The Boston Globe, the state of emergency currently in place in Massachusetts allows Governor Baker to “take possession (1) of any land or building, machinery or equipment…which may be necessary or convenient… for the better protection or welfare of the commonwealth or its inhabitants.” The Defense Production Act of 1950 grants President Trump similar powers to rapidly ramp up the production of critical goods, as well as set price controls, nationally. Organizations including the Party for Socialism and Liberation and at least 18 U.S. Senators have called upon President Trump to fully invoke the Defense Production Act.

A massive intervention is required to slow the spread of this pandemic and reverse the disproportionate impact it is having on oppressed populations. To this end, the organizers of “PPE for the People” demand the following:

The state and federal governments must compel companies that otherwise prioritize their profits over societal wellbeing to produce critical goods: COVID–19 test kits, ventilators, protective equipment and medical equipment at cost to meet the urgent need.
Provide free testing for the whole population.
Free testing only works with free treatment. Healthcare must be provided for free for all.
All essential workers must be provided PPE, paid sick leave, and hazard pay.
Provide secure housing for all. Empty dwellings should be immediately seized to provide shelter for all people without housing.
Release massive numbers of incarcerated people including but not limited to those in pretrial detention, elderly and other at–risk prisoners, and ICE detainees.
Native reservations, Black, Latino and other oppressed communities must be guaranteed equal access to treatment.

Our collective goal is that this city, our communities and world WORK FOR EVERYONE. The goal is NOT a return to what was “normal” before the pandemic. We believe that this crisis gives us the opportunity and moral imperative to change the persistent injustice and inequities exposed by this pandemic. This is, as theologian and Co–Chair of the Poor People’s Campaign Liz Theoharis has pointed out, “a call to come together in new ways in order to survive, hold the powerful responsible for their unjust policies and the lies they’ve told to cover up injustice, and rebuild on foundations of love and justice” (Sojourners Newsletter). PPE for the People will be a local outlet for community and solidarity, and a step on the path towards a total transformation of our society.

For more information, follow the SETC and PSL on social media. Facebook: facebook.com/pslboston; Instagram: @southendtechnology center, @bostonpsl; Twitter: @zackboston.

Media contacts: Susan Klimczak and Michael King (SETC, miguelkingone@gmail.com & klimczaksusan@ gmail.com, 617–578–0597), and Joe Tache (PSL, j.b.tache@ gmail.com, 617–297–8372).

[mailto:bakery@haleyhouse.org bakery]
[mailto:info@haleyhouse.org main office]

Thursday nights there's an Community Open Mike called Art Is Life, where people can make announcements, and do short sets of poetry reading, etc. Featured artist follows. People can purchase food at the café and eat while watching the artists.

Before the open mike, groups can meet. The café is still open. Groups wanting to increase visibility and/or offer workshops to help the community, have given workshops/lectures there.

Services offered: Advocacy, Anti–Poverty; Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Economic Justice for Impoverished Populations; Advocacy, Employment, "At–Risk" Job Applicants; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Community, Housing Development; Advocacy, Housing, Fair Housing; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocacy, Social Justice, Fair Labor/Worker Rights; Agriculture/Farming/Gardening Resource; Community Garden Program; Counseling, Career Counseling; Demographic Served: Artists/Artist Communities; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Violence; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Demographic Served: Teens; Demographic Served: Teens, Troubled; Demographic Served: Undocumented Individuals; Demographic Served: Unemployed; Demographic Served: Uninsured; Demographic Served: Victims of Economic Injustice, Urban; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Demograpohic Served: Previously/CurrentlyIncarcerated/Prisoners/Ex–Cons; Events, Social, Holiday Event * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facilities: Farm ("available" = this site is a farm); Facilities: Farm, Urban (this site is a farm); Facility: Meeting space; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Co–Housing, Co–Op Housing, Intentional Communities; Housing, Fairly Priced Rental Housing for Disaster Survivors; Housing, Residential Group Shelter Home, Housing; Housing, Transitional Housing; Information Resource, Economics, Sustainable; Mutual Aid; New "business" models, Economic; New "Business" Models, Education; New "business" models, Food Production/Distribution; New "business" models, Government; School, Adult Education/Adult School; Social Enterprise (low–profit BUSINESS); Support for "All Local" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training Classes, Life Skills, Youth
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19; Alternative Societies; Co–Operative Businesses, Coops, Co–ops, Cooperatives; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Ending Pollution; Homelessness Relief Services; Neighborhood Network; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Oct 15, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9047

Boxborough, Council on Aging

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
Boxborough, MA

Phone 978 263 1116 x 106
Eligibility Seniors and those who care for them...
Service Permanent

Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts
Updated Nov 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3856

Boxborough, United Church of Christ, Congregational

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
723 Mass Ave., Boxborough, MA 01719

Phone 978 263 7387
Contact Rev. Ute Molitor
Email see notes below
Web www.boxboroughucc.org
Hours Tuesday through Friday, 9:00 am – 2:00 pm
Serves Boxborough Area
Service Temporary

With our hearts and hands extended, we seek to know the living Christ.

–That we may ever grow as a compassionate family where all are welcomed, valued, and nurtured;

–Where all grow inwardly in faith and outwardly in action, serving God's world locally and globally; and

–Where God is worshipped and served with passion by all generations united as one.

E–mail: ute1@verizon.net (for confidential to Ute)
Church: boxborochurch@verizon.net (for general church business)
For Vestry News submissions: vestrynews@boxboroughucc.org

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services; Youth Program
Campaigns: Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts
Updated Nov 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3834

Brighton Allston Congregational Church United Church of Christ

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
404 Washington Street, Brighton, MA 02135

Phone 617–254–4046
Contact write or call for details

Email brightonucc@verizon.net
Web www.brightonucc.org
Eligibility all are welcome, for free dinner, income eligibility applies
Service Permanent

from the website:

We are an open and diverse congregation of gentle folks representing many lifestyles and at least ten nationalities located in the Allston Brighton section of Boston. Together with word and action, worship and service, we seek to nourish heart, mind, body, and spirit in our ministry together. Our Wednesday Community Supper (soup kitchen) and Saturday Food Pantry welcome all in the community.

Staff:
Rev. Karen Fritz – Pastor
Fernando Michelin – Musician
Lois Corman – Administrator

Come bring your happy and hurting hearts,
your searching and supple spirits,
your wise and whimsical beings,
so God may embrace and empower us for good.

The Brighton–Allston UCC is an "Open and Affirming" Congregation

We have a community supper every Wednesday evening at 6 PM. There is no cost and all are welcome to attend!

Worship
10:30 Sunday Service

Handicap accessible
Large print bulletins

Information about the Nearly New Thrift Shop can be found at www.baccthriftshop.blogspot.com

"Open and Affirming": http://www.ucc.org/lgbt/ona.htm
Lesbian/Gay/Bi/Transexual Supportive Community

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Domestic Violence; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Clothing, Women's, Maternity Clothing, New or Gently Used/CLEAN * (ANY/ALL Types); Community Outreach Programs; Community Service Program; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Events, Community Meetings; Events, Donation Drive; Events, Social, Holiday Event * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facilities: Restrooms; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Hotline, Food Bank/Pantry Hotline (Find Emergency Food Help); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals (Elders/ Seniors); Meals, Dinner; Meals, Hot Meals; Recycling, Art Supplies; Recycling, Clothing; Recycling, Computers & Electronics; Recycling, Food; Recycling, Furniture; Recycling, Household Items; Recycling, Kid Stuff; Recycling, Packaging Materials; Recycling, Random Stuff; Recycling, Recycling Network & Gift Recycling; Recycling, Toiletries, Sample Sized NEW ONLY; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Church/Worship Services; Services, Emergency Services; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Thrift Store
Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings; Churches of Christ Disaster Response Team; Church of Christ Disaster Relief Effort; Congregational Church; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; UCC ~ United Church of Christ
Updated Nov 21, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3894

First Congregational Church of Brimfield

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church – Disaster Response/Recovery
20 Main St, Brimfield, MA

Phone (413) 245–7162, Pastor's cell: (508) 317–6568
Contact Reverend Mr. Ian Lynch
Email BrimfieldUCC @ gmail . com
Web www.brimfieldfcc.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Food Pack, 3–4 days, 2–3 people; Food Distribution, Food Pantry

(Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)
Campaigns: 2011 Massachusetts Tornado; Congregational Church
Updated Jun 27, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8678

Self Help Inc

Walk–in Resource · Open

Social Services
142 Crescent St, Brockton, MA 02302
Phone 508–588–4049
Web selfhelpinc.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Community Outreach Programs; Community Outreach, Public Awareness, Humanitarian Issues; Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Critically Ill; Demographic Served: Families, w/Young Children; Demographic Served: Homebound; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Financial Assistance, Heating Fuel; Fuel, * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Youth Outreach
Campaigns: 2010 Massachusetts Flooding; Head Start Program
Updated Jun 10, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5928

Burlington Food Pantry, pickup/drop off food pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Burlington, MA
Web peoplehelpingpeopleinc.org/contact–us
Service Temporary

781–270–6625 or email them at burlingtonpantry@gmail.com

Services offered: Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 17, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10162

SAHELI: domestic violence support for South Asian and Middle Eastern communities

Walk–in Resource · Open

Burlington, MA
Phone 1–866–472–4354
Web saheliboston.org
Service Temporary

support for:
South Asian, Middle Eastern, legal services, helpline, therapy, sexual abuse, domestic abuse

Services offered: Advocacy, Domestic Violence; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant, Legal Services; Assistance, Referrals, Legal Referrals; Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support
Campaigns: International Community, Asian
Updated Dec 3, 2024 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10655

BADHouse Cooperative Living Space

Walk–in Resource · Open

Cambridge, MA
Web badcoop.weebly.com
Service Temporary

from the site:

The BADHouse is a 9–person cooperative in Cambridge, MA. We've been renting the second and third floors of an awesome old house in Central Square for over a decade now. Some of our values include: sharing dinner, laughing really hard, interesting conversations around the kitchen table, fun pets, and friendship.

You've probably found this site because you're interested in living here, or you already know us, or one of us has recently become wildly famous. Either way, have a look around, and hit us up at badhause @ gmail.com with any questions!

from the last time they were looking:

The BADHouse Cooperative is looking for one more member starting March 1st!

We are a 9 person house close to the T in the Central Square area and are full of grad students & post–docs, musicians/artists, chefs, sciencey types, and other fun people / pets.

We have a communal veggie food system, a CSA, a roof deck & garden,
at–least–monthly meetings, a projector, a guest room, and spend a lot of unstructured time together outside of the house as well.

More info here:
badcoop.weebly.com .

We have one rooms available starting March 1 which is approx $380 per month. Please keep in mind that our veggie–food system and utilities come to be about $250 extra per month, depending on the time of year.

Services offered: Housing, Affordable Housing, Renters Programs; Housing, Co–Housing, Co–Op Housing, Intentional Communities; New "business models", housing
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Arts Community / Artist Network; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Social Change Initiative
Updated Feb 23, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9920

Cambridge Co–Op (Housing Co–op)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Cambridge, MA
Web cambridgecoop.wordpress.com
Service Temporary

from BCN, March 2015:

The room is available March 1st–May 1st with possibility of extending. Rent is $700 including utilities and food! You will live in a great coop with 10 other people The house is all three levels of a traditional Bostonian (everyone has their own room)with an amazing kitchen, hardwood floors, and wonderful roommates. We have weekly Wednesday night dinners with the entire house and friends. It is located between Porter and Harvard Square, right next to Harvard Law and the Divinity School. Laundry is in unit as well! You can't beat this! If you are interested email me and let me know about yourself and why you are interested in the coop. Here is a little more about the coop: https://cambridgecoop.wordpress.com/

Thanks!
Mary
hanse20m @ gmail.com

Services offered: Housing, Affordable Housing, Renters Programs; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Co–Housing, Co–Op Housing, Intentional Communities
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Mar 1, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9927

Cambridge Womens Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Cambridge, MA
Web www.cambridgewomenscenter.org/supportus/inkind.html
Service Temporary

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Domestic Violence; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocacy, Womens Rights; Community Outreach Programs; Community, Recreation, Recreational Programs; Community Service Program; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Women; Events, Community Meetings; Events, Social, Holiday Event * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Services, Respite Program/Services; Services, Support, Caregiver Support Services; Services, Tech, Computer Access; Services, Tech, Internet Access; Services, Tech, Internet Services; Services, Women's Services; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Business Skills; Training Classes, Computers Skills; Training Classes, Cooking/Nutrition Education Classes; Training Classes, Exercise, Health Classes; Training Classes, Financial Literacy; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training Classes, Sewing / Needle Arts ; Training, Medical, Education *(ANY/ALL Types); Training, Medical, Education, General Health; Training Workshops, Art Workshops
Campaigns: Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Apr 19, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9945

Cambridge, The Bridge Fridge [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

157 Windsor St.(Goree Freedom House), Cambridge, MA 02139
Web www.instagram.com/communityforusbyus
Service Temporary

source; https://www.instagram.com/cambridgefridge/
https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10451

Casper Emergency Service Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
240 Albany St., Cambridge, MA
Phone 617–661–0600

Serving the homeless.
Updated Mar 27, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1014

Coast Community Fridge, Cambridge, Callendar St [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

5 Callendar St (Run by us @ Cambridge Community Center!), Cambridge, MA 02139
Web instagram.com/cambridgecitygrowers
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10465

Cornerstone Co–Housing (housing co–op)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Cambridge, MA
Web www.cornerstonecohousing.org
Service Temporary

from a BCN mailing:

We share a lovely living room, dining room, modern kitchen and two full baths in a large, sunny, modern two–story condo in Cornerstone Cohousing (www.cornerstonecohousing.org). North Cambridge

The apartment faces south and, with plenty of window space and double sliding glass doors out to a small balcony, is light and bright. It has hardwood floors, high ceilings, skylight, gas stove, washer/dryer on the same floor as the apartment, some basement storage, and relatively easy bike and on–street parking. The available bedroom, on the second floor, is large and has carpeted floors and a huge walk–in closet. The community is on the bike path and is a 5 min walk to Alewife, 10 min to Davis Square, and 20 min to Porter Square.

As part of the community you will have access to common spaces including a common dining room and kitchen, den, arts and crafts room, large sundeck off the building, kids' playroom, exercise room and gardens. You will be welcomed to participate in community activities – for example, shared dinners and parties.

http://boston.craigslist.org/gbs/roo/4885011259.html

–– Let your thoughts be positive for they will become your words. Let your words be positive for they will become your actions. Let your actions be positive for they will become your values. Let your values be positive for they will become your destiny. – Mahatma Gandi

Services offered: Housing, Co–Housing, Co–Op Housing, Intentional Communities; New "business models", housing
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Social Change Initiative
Updated Feb 26, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9922

Democracy Center, The (meeting spaces and small dance hall)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

45 Mt Auburn, Cambridge, MA
Web www.democracycenter.org
Service Temporary

from the website:

WHAT IS THE DEMOCRACY CENTER?

Headquarters For 7 Non Profit Organizations
Host To Over 100 National & Local Organizations
Home To Over 500 Events Per Year & growing

MISSION

The Democracy Center works to foster a more vibrant local and global democracy by supporting more sustainable, united and stronger communities of action. We do this by providing non–profits and other groups, which directly promote our mission, affordable space for meetings, events, fundraisers, etc. and by connecting student organizers to local campaigns.
HISTORY

Since its founding in 2001, the Democracy Center has gone through many changes. The Center is a vibrant activist and progressive community space located in the heart of Harvard Square. In a city where independent non–commercial space is rare, the Center provides an exciting alternative space for a variety of student and community groups in and around the Boston area.

The Center has become a true progressive community hub. From 60 families who pick up their farm shares every week in the summer, to local youth after–school programs, to author and Obama's transition team strategist Mike Lux presenting his new book, the Center offers the progressive community a place to meet, network, collaborate and participate in other cultural and educational activities. In addition to providing space for events, movie showings, meetings, workshops, and classes, we are taking the first steps to develop our student–community organizing initiative. Our work lies in providing both student and community groups with the necessary information, training, and tools to work together in order to achieve our common goals for justice and peace.

To book a room go to the site and look for the button to book a room

Services offered: Events, Community Meetings; Events, Potluck Meals; Facility: Library; Facility: Meeting space; Facility: Recreation Center; Information Resource, Booklets, Resource Materials for Volunteers; Information Resource, Constitutional Rights; Information Resource, Constitutional Rights, First Amendment; New "Business" Models, Education; Pamphlets, Educational Pamphlets; Services, Educational Services (See also Category for School); Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Book/Study/Discussion Group; Social Event, Films/Cinema/Movies/Lectures; Social Event, for Teens; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Social Event, Party, Anniversary Event; Training, Activism; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction)
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Oct 15, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9847

Solutions At Work

Walk–in Resource

Community
1151 Massachusetts Ave., Cambridge, MA

Includes clothing program located at 391 Everetze Way, Cambridge. Contact: Sonya Darcy 617–576–0039.
Updated Mar 27, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1022

Cambridge–Somerville elder care phone/check–in services, volunteers needed, translation services

Walk–in Resource · Open

Cambridge / Somerville, MA
Web eldercare.org/join–us/volunteer–opportunities
Service Temporary

Somerville–Cambridge Elder Services organization is looking for volunteers to help with making check–in phone calls to elder residents regarding COVID–19, especially if you speak Mandarin, Portuguese, Spanish, or Haitian. A CORI/background is required. Volunteering
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 18, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10196

Fridge in the Square [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

52 Church St, Cambridge, Harvard Square, MA 02139
Web www.instagram.com/cambridgefridge
Service Temporary

https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10454

Neponset River Watershed Association

Walk–in Resource · Open

Environmental Advocacy
2173 Washington St, Canton, MA
Phone 781 575 0354
Web www.neponset.org
Service Temporary

Boston Globe article, December 24, 2009
Ami Albernaz

If you always wanted to be a biologist – or you just enjoy spending time oudoors – linking up with this Canton–based organization might be the right call. Starting in the spring, volunteers will be needed to collect water samples for testing (commitment is one morning every six weeks) and – perhaps good for kids – to help raise beetles as part of a wetlands restoration project. Find more details at the website below. For now, the association needs office volunteers to manage water quality data, organize files, and mail materials. In interested, contact Ian Cook at 781 575 0354 x305

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Environmental; Advocacy, Environmental, Land Preservation; Advocacy, Environmental, Water; Advocacy, Environmental, Wildlife; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Information Resource: Watchdogs, Environmental; Information Resource: Wildlife Management; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Short Term Volunteer Opportunities
Updated Apr 17, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5790

WHEAT Community Café (free meals)

Walk–in Resource · Open

242 High Street, Clinton, MA 01510
Phone Café 978–368–8547
Service Temporary

Meals served: Sunday through Friday, 4:30 to 6 PM

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf Dated October 2012.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Cooked Meals; Meals, Dinner
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9382

Concord Seed Lending Library

Walk–in Resource · Open

Concord, MA
Web www.concordseedlendinglibrary.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Agriculture/Farming/Gardening Resource; Resource Bank; Seeds, Gardening
Campaigns: Seed Bank / Seed Exchange / Seed Library / Seed Preservation
Updated Nov 17, 2014 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9898

Open Table, Concord @ First Parish Church (Community Supper / Food Pantry)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
First Parish Church; 20 Lexington Road, Concord, MA 01742
Phone (978) 369–2275
Web www.opentableinc.org
Hours Thursdays from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m
Service Temporary

Pantry Service is OPEN!

As of Tuesday, March 17th, Open Table will be implementing “drive–thru” pantry service. Guests arriving by other means of transportation (walking, biking, etc) will, of course, also be served. Guests should keep their regular appointments during these times.

Our pantry will be open during regular operating hours (we will be open rain or shine!):

Tuesday 1:00–6:30 pm
Thursday 3:00–6:30 pm

Drive–Thru Plan

Pantry distribution will be available in the Maynard Municipal Parking Lot located between Summer Street and Main Street. Please enter from Summer Street (across from the Fine Arts Theater). Guests will remain in their cars; volunteers will load pre–packed bags into the cars. Please do your best to arrive at your standard time; if you arrive early you may be asked to park in an area municipal lot and return at your appointment time.

Open Table 978–369–2275
First Parish Church
20 Lexington Rd.
Concord, MA 01742
http://www.opentable.org
• Free dinner: Thursdays 5:30–6:30 pm
• Food pantry: Thursdays 5–6:30 pm
Open to residents of all towns

otinfo@opentableinc.org

Open Table was founded in 1989 to provide weekly nutritious meals and a food pantry to anyone who wanted them ? no questions asked. Our purpose is to address the hunger that exists in our area and to do this in a manner that respects the privacy and dignity of our guests and provides them with a few moments of respite from their daily challenges. The Open Table is a way to open arms and hearts in the community, share success and gifts, practice values that enhance common humanity and to give and receive kindness.

Concord Location:

Open Table serves dinner every week on Thursdays from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. at First Parish Church, 20 Lexington Road, Concord, MA. Guests are served a complete dinner including dessert and coffee. Guests may also take home groceries that they choose from our well–stocked Food Pantry. We serve meals and provide groceries for over 100 guests each week.

See also:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/edit/1559
for Maynard Open Table location details.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Meals, Dinner; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers); Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accomodates Youth Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 19, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1558

Dedham Community Fridge [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

42 Needham St.(at the back of Calvary Baptist Church), Dedham, MA 02026

Web dedhamfridge
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10455

Loaves & Fishes (Devens Food Pantry)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Devens, MA

Web www.loavesfishespantry.org/need–services/faq–services
Service Temporary

BRING YOUR OWN CLOTH BAG and get special items!

FAQ – Services

Who is eligible to receive food and assistance at the Pantry?
Anyone who lives in Ayer, Devens, Groton, Harvard, Littleton or Shirley.

What do I need to bring with me when I visit the Pantry?
You must bring a Proof of Residency (POR) each time you visit the Pantry. Once a year you must provide a POR for each member of your household. A POR is an official piece of mail such as a utility bill, rental payment receipt, etc. which lists your name, street address and a recent date. For minors, a POR is either a school or medical paper.

Can I come to the Pantry if I am homeless?
Yes.

If I don't live in Ayer, Devens, Groton, Harvard, Littleton or Shirley, may I receive food from the Pantry?
We never turn anyone away. You will receive pre–packed groceries one time only as well as a list of other resources in your area.

When is the Pantry open for shopping?
Clients may shop during any open session. Doors open 15 minutes prior to the session start time. You will be entered in a lottery to determine shopping order.

How often may I visit the Pantry?
You may visit the Pantry twice each month.

How long should I expect to be at the Pantry when I visit for food?
Your wait time may be considerable, so please plan accordingly. Don't worry. We never run out of food.

Can my children come with me?
Yes, children may come to the Pantry with a parent. Parents must supervise and keep children with them at all times.

What is the "green shelf?"
Clients who bring four reusable bags are eligible to select one item from the green shelf which is stocked with special items such as coffee and laundry detergent.

What do I need to do to qualify for the non–food related programs including Campership/Enrichment Program, Backpack Program, Shop for Your Kids Program and

Shop for Your Parents Program?
Returning families must visit the Pantry for food a minimum of four times each year. You may register for participation in the non–food related programs on your fourth visit to the Pantry. Your proof of residency must be up to date. *All new families in August may participate in the Backpack program. All new families in November/December may participate in the Holiday shopping events.

I noticed that some of the food I have received is out of date. Is it safe to eat?
Yes, every item is inspected to ensure that they are still safe and wholesome to eat. We follow the Greater Boston Food Bank guidelines.

Services offered: Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Baskets; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Food Pack, 3–4 days, 2–3 people; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Food Pack, 3–4 Days, 4 People; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/Elderly); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Apr 7, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9943

Horizons for Homeless Children

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community Outreach
90 Cushing Ave., Dorchester, MA 02125
Phone 617.445.1480 x301
Web www.horizonsforhomelesschildren.org

Horizons for Homeless Children improves the lives of homeless children by providing early care and education in our Community Children's Centers, creating Playspaces (recreational spaces) in shelters throughout Massachusetts and recruiting thousands of volunteers to help us in our efforts. Horizons for Homeless Children is a leader in advocating for homeless children and their families. At the local, state and federal levels, we promote and support policies that will benefit homeless children and families. We also share our knowledge and expertise with other service providers.

Services offered: Jobs, Paying; Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Family, Children, Child Care Program; Youth Program
Campaigns: Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Apr 27, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1031

Log School

Walk–in Resource · Open

222 Bowdoin St., Dorchester, MA
Phone 617–474–1231

Clothing and food pantry, day care, after–school care, homework center, adult ESL, and GED program
Updated Jan 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1009

Project Hope

Walk–in Resource · Open

45 Magnolia St., Dorchester, MA
Service Temporary

Food pantry serving surrounding community, open three mornings a week, serving more than 200 families a month.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated May 28, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1027

Quincy Street Missional Church (Ma Siss's Place)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit, Faith–Based, Humanitarian Outreach
266 Quincy Street, Dorchester, MA 02125

Phone 617–436–1618
Web www.quincystreet.org
Hours 11am - 6pm
Service Permanent

quincystreetchurch@gmail.com

Ma Siss's Place
266 Quincy Street
Dorchester, MA 02125

Quincy Street is a church plant that started in December 2002 as a Bible Study and grew into a church. We are a community of people from very diverse backgrounds that desire to love God and love our neighbors as we actively follow the example of Jesus Christ. While we may seem to many to be a mission where others come to serve our community, it is our desire to also be a missional church where we see send help and ministry to others throughout the world. We do not just want to be a missionary receiving church but a missionary sending church!

Recyled garage turned church. Real neighborhood place.

Boston Globe, a 4 article series about the organization:

Ma Siss's place: The Birth of a Church
From a Dorchester chop shop, a place to pray

http://www.boston.com/news/local/massachusetts/articles/2007/12/23/from_a_dorchester_chop_shop_a_place_to_pray/

http://www.boston.com/news/local/articles/2007/12/24/a_call_to_serve_and_to_lead/

http://www.boston.com/news/local/massachusetts/articles/2007/12/25/a_crisis_year_a_christmas_comeback/

http://www.boston.com/news/local/massachusetts/articles/2007/12/26/and_who_now_will_lead_them/

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Services, Youth Services; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Community Outreach Programs; Community Service Program; Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Counseling, Substance Abuse ; Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Counseling, Trauma Counseling Services; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Donations, In–Kind Donations Services, Small Lots; Events, Community Meetings; Events, Social, Holiday Event * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food, Baked Goods, Bread ** (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Furniture, Furniture Bank; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Hotline, Shelter Hotline (Find Help); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Kitchen, Cooking Equipment, Pots & Pans; Kitchen, Cooking Equipment, Serving Utensils, Restaurant Grade * (ALL/ANY Type); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Recycling, Recycling Network & Gift Recycling; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Church/ Worship Services; Services, Family, Children, Emergency Child Care; Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Respite Program/Services; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Women's Services; Services, Youth Services, Crime Prevention Programs; Toys, * NEW, In Original Packaging, Kids – All Ages (ANY/ALL Types) ; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Training Classes, Life Skills, Youth; Training, Medical, Education, AIDS/ HIV Workshops; Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accomodates Youth Volunteers) ; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: TANF (Temporary Assistance For Needy Families)
Updated Oct 6, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2788

Christian Faith Church / Our Father's Table, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

40 Boutelle Street,, Fitchburg, MA 01420

Phone 978–342–8522
Service Temporary

Meals served: Tuesday & Thursday, Meals served at 5 PM.

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf Dated October 2012.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Cooked Meals; Meals, Dinner
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9383

Food Pantries, Fitchburg

Walk–in Resource · Open

various, see notes, Fitchburg, MA
Service Temporary

Care Services Project
Professional Services Building
356B Broad Street–4th Floor, Fitchburg 01420
978–345–4366
Program for people & families with HIV/AIDS. During
3rd week of month: open Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM to 12 PM and 12:30 to 4 PM. Call ahead for an appoint–ment.
Distribution Entrance at 356C–2nd Floor Location.

Leona E. Fleming Food Pantry At Green Acres
62 Normandy Road, Fitchburg 01420
978–342–8617
Distribution:
Tues.8:30AM to 4:30PM and Fri. 8:30AM to 1:30PM.

GVNA Community Services
35 Main Street, Fitchburg 01420
978–665–9078
Distribution: Wednesday, 1:30 PM to 3:30 PM.

Highland Baptist Church
27 Cedar Street, Fitchburg 01420
978–342–9646
Distribution: 1st & 3rd Saturdays, 9 to 11 AM.
MOC Elder Services
66 Day Street, Fitchburg 01420
978–345–8501, ext. 1

Senior Brown Bag
Salvation Army
739 Water Street, Fitchburg 01420
978–342–3300
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 12 PM &
1 to 5 PM.

United Neighbors of Fitchburg
Cleghorn Neighborhood Center: CNC
18 Fairmount Street, Fitchburg 01420
978–342–2069
Distribution: Tuesday and Thursday, 9:30 AM to 2:00 PM
Appointments available for working clients. Call First.

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf

Services offered: Demographic Served: HIV/AIDS Patients; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: Salvation Army
Updated Oct 24, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9394

Mobile Shower Trailer [serving homeless and others]

Walk–in Resource · Open

Fitchburg, MA
Web www.facebook.com/OurFathersHouseShelters
Service Temporary

FITCHBURG — Our Father's House Inc., a nonprofit shelter dedicated to the homeless population in the region, debuted its new mobile shower trailer unit at a "towel cutting" event on Wednesday morning.

"This is phenomenal for the community," said Judith Nest–Pasierb, executive director of the shelter. "A shower gives people their dignity back. Respect and dignity, that's our mission statement."

The 12–foot shower unit features two easy–to–use showers, fold–up aluminum steps and rails for easy access, lighting, insulated walls and a 300–gallon water tank. The trailer will primarily serve the homeless communities, but could also be used during emergencies or natural disasters.

Director of Homeless Services Kevin MacLean said the shower is an important addition to the area.
Fitchburg Mayor Stephen DiNatale holds a pair of giant scissors ahead of his attempt to cut a towel.

“People in the community are saying it’s about time something like this was available,” MacLean said. “There’s a huge need for this in the community.”

The mobile shower will be staged in Fitchburg, Leominster, Gardner, Athol, and Winchendon.

Mayor Stephen DiNatale, who was on site for the ceremony, said he was proud of the efforts being taken to support community members in need.

“We couldn’t be happier about this,” DiNatale said. “It’s a need that has now been met.”
The new mobile shower unit unveiled by Our Father’s House Inc. during a “towel cutting” ceremony on Wednesday.

Police Chief Ernest Martineau said showering and access to running water is something many people take for granted. But for the homeless community, a shower can be a luxury.

“There’s a segment of our society that wakes up in the morning and they don’t have a shower available,” Martineau said. “So it’s nice to once again see Fitchburg leading the way with these services.”

The $30,000 unit was paid for in part using funds from the federal CARES Act, which was appropriated by the city to support homelessness services. The remaining cost was covered by donations from local businesses and organizations.
Director of Homeless Services at Our Father’s House Kevin MacLean during Wednesday’s event.

The unit is insulated and has air conditioning so it can be used throughout the year. All it needs is access to electricity and a garden hose, MacLean said.

Volunteers routinely bleach and sanitize the shower stations to ensure health and safety guidelines are met.

Through donations, the site also provides daily meals and clothing to the homeless population and some individuals are being assisted with their laundry.

Nest–Pasierb said the recent purchase has already inspired other communities to purchase their own mobile shower units.

“Worcester and Lowell are now buying one,” she said. “We started a trend and we’re happy about that.”

For a list of service locations, dates, and times, visit the Facebook page for Our Father’s House or contact MacLean at kmaclean@ofhshelter.com.

The purchase of the city’s mobile shower was supported by donations from the United Way of North Central Mass., Sabourin Hardware, Advanced Truck Accessories, D&G Custom Graphics, Bayberry Hill Water in Townsend, Research Results, Headwall Photonics, Piero Transportation, Harvey Remodeling, and The Drivers Transportation.

https://www.sentinelandenterprise.com/2020/11/05/fitchburgs–our–fathers–house–debuts–new–mobile–shower–unit/

Services offered: Demographic Served: Homeless; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: United Way
Updated May 24, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10436

Metrowest Worker Center [Canasta Solidaria] Legal Aid to recover wage theft]

Walk–in Resource · Open

Framingham, MA

Web www.mwc–casa.org
Service Temporary

Fighting Wage Theft
Wage theft is rampant in industries with low–wage immigrant workers. Although The Fair Labor Division of the Office of the Attorney General in Massachusetts processes thousands of wage theft cases annually, the A.G. herself confirms that the office is overwhelmed and relies on worker centers like MWC–Casa to help prioritize cases and provide support. Wage theft is exacerbated by companies who utilize law–breaking sub–contractors in low–wage industries like landscaping, construction, cleaning, and restaurants. These employers avoid legal responsibility for wage theft by hiding behind the subcontractors who have the formal legal responsibility but against whom workers are unable to collect.

[also MUTUAL AID]

In response to the Coronavirus Pandemic, we have begun Canasta Solidaria (Solidarity Basket).
Throughout the summer, we gave culturally appropriate groceries to over 500 families in Framingham & Milford. During early fall, we've taken a break to find a new location and more funding. Canasta restarted in Milford on October 24th and will restart in Framingham on November 21st.
We estimate that this will cost about $10,000 every time we distribute. With your support, we can make that happen! Thank you to all who have already donated. There are two ways to donate:

Donate on our Fundrazr page
Send a check to Metrowest Worker Center with "Canasta" in the memo line; PO Box 409, Framingham, MA 01704

If you or someone you know is in need, please call us at 508–848–0560 and leave your name & telephone number and we'll be sure to call you back. Or email us at casa @ mwc–casa.org.

Services offered: Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Advocacy, Worker Rights; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Referrals; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Services, Legal Assistance
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Legal Aid Society; Social Activists/Organizers
Updated Mar 28, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10399

South Middlesex Opportunity Council (SMOC) Low Income Home Energy Assistance

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
300 Howard Street, Framingham, MA 01702

Phone (508) 620–2300, (508) 620–2310 (FAX), (508) 872–4853 (TTY)
Web www.smoc.org
Eligibility low income
Service Temporary

ACTON RESIDENTS: For SMOC Fuel Assistance and the Friends of the COA Emergency Fuel Fund, Acton residents should call the Acton Council On Aging–978–264–9643.

From the Acton Council on Aging Newsletter, May 2008:

South Middlesex Opportunity Council (SMOC) Low Income Home Energy Assistance
Applications for 2007/08 fuel assistance are being taken through May 15th If yearly gross household income is at or below $20,420 forone you may qualify for some fuel assistance as well as discounts on utility and telephone bills. (Call for income guidelines for larger families.) Call Carol Steiner at the COA 978–264–9643 formore information. Contact Jean Fleming for information about a local emergency fuel fund.

Other Services:

A
Addiction Services –– Behavioral Health Services
Adult Mental Health Services– Behavioral Health Services
After School Program
Alternative Rental Voucher Program
Appliance Management Program
Aurora Project –– PIP

B
Behavioral Health Services
Behavioral Health Services - Addiction Services
Behavioral Health Services - Adult Mental Health
Behavioral Health Services - Child, Adolescent and Family Counseling Services
Behavioral Health Services - Community Rehabilitation Services
Behavioral Health Services – Forensic (Court Involved Treatment)
Behavioral Health Services - Driver Alcohol Education
Behavioral Health Services - Elder Services
Behavioral Health Services - Forensic Services
Behavioral Health Services - PeerLine
Behavioral Health Services - Residential Mental Health Services

C
Case Management Program and Young Adult Residential – Behavioral Health Services
Centro Educativo para el Consumidor de Vivienda
Child, Adolescent and Family Counseling Services –– Behavioral Health Services
Child Care/Head Start
Commercial Weatherization
Common Ground Resource Center
Community Rehabilitation Services - Behavioral Health Services
Community Resources & Outreach
Court/Criminal Justice/Forensic Program (Court Related Treatment)- Behavioral Health Services
Crossroads Post–Detox
CSBG Scholarship Program

D
Driver Alcohol Education –– Behavioral Health Services
DMH Voucher Program
Domestic Violence Services

E
Economic Development
Ed's Place – PIP
Elderly Nutrition Program
Elder Services –– Behavioral Health Services

F
Family & Friends for Life Mentoring Program
Family Shelters
Family Self–Sufficiency
Family Unification Program
Forensic Services (Court Related Treatment) - Behavioral Health Services
Fresh Start
Fuel Assistance

H
Hardwick Veterans Home
Head Start/Child Care
Heating System Repair/Replacement Program
Homeless Health Care Access Project
Home Modification Loan Program
Housing Assistance Program
Housing Consumer Education Center
Housing Corporation
Housing Opportunities for People with AIDS

I
Immigration Outreach Project
Internship Program

J
Joan Brack Adult Learning Center
Job–Link Voucher Program

K
Keha Program

M
Mainstream Housing
Marlboro Resource Center
Marlboro Shelter
Massachusetts Rental Voucher Program
Meadows
Meals on Wheels
Medway House
MetroWest Career Center
Metrowest Harvest Initiative Programs
Metrowest Helpline
Mobile Resource Team
Mobile Stabilization Team
Multi Family Weatherization

N
New Beginnings

O
Office Skills Training Program
Organization of Portuguese American Immigrants

P
Pathways
PeerLine - Behavioral Health Services
PIP –– Public Inebriate Program, Inc.
PIP Female Shelter
PIP Shelter
Portuguese American Immigrants, Organization of

R
Rape Crisis Services

Ready Willing and Able
Real Estate and Property Management Portfolio
Real Estate Services
Reentry Housing Program
Rental Assistance Programs
Residential Services –– Behavioral Health Services

S
Sage House
Scattered Sites
Section 8 Program
Services for Education and Employment
Serenity House
Sexual Assault Services
Shadows
Shelter/Safe Home Services
Single Adult Shelters
SMOC Energy Services
SMOC Fuel Assistance
SMOC Housing
SMOC Rental Housing Units
Substance Abuse Residential

T
Turning Point

V
Voices Against Violence

W
WIC (Women, Infants & Children) Program
WIC on Wheels Program
Weatherization
Women's Transition Program
Wright Home for Women

Y
Young Adult Residential and Case Management Program
Young Parents Program

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Advocacy, Disabled/ Handicapped; Advocacy, Domestic Violence; Advocacy, Employment, "At–Risk" Job Applicants; Advocacy, Food Stamp Outreach; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Eviction Defense; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Childrens Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Short–Term Housing Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Community Outreach Programs; Counseling, Career Counseling; Counseling, Consumer Credit Counseling; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Mental Health, Sliding Scale; Counseling, Mentors; Counseling, Personal Finance Counseling; Counseling, Rape Crisis; Counseling, Rehab, Rehabilitation Center; Counseling, Substance Abuse ; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Trauma Counseling Services; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Motel Accomodations for Disaster Survivors; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Deposit; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance (For Seniors/Elders); Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Housing, Affordable Housing, Ownership Program; Housing, Affordable Housing, Renters Programs; Housing, Apartments; Housing, Group Home, Special Needs/Mental Illness; Housing, Rental Listings; Housing, Subsidized/Low–Income Housing; Housing, Transitional Housing; Housing, Transitional Housing (For Battered Women/Children); Medical, Services, Rehabilitation Program; Mental Health, Counselors/ Psychologists; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Domestic Violence Intervention Services; Services, Employment, Job Assistance, for "at–risk" Job Applicants; Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Financial, for Folks w/Bad Credit (that want to get better); Services, for "at–risk" Job Applicants; Services, for ex–addicts; Services, for ex–offenders; Services, For Folks Trying To Get Off Welfare; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Respite Program/Services; Services, Senior/Elderly Services;

Services, Senior Programs; Services, Substance Abuse, Intervention Services; Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/Alcohology) ; Services, Women's Services; Services, Youth Services, Crime Prevention Programs; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Day Shelter; Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Shelter, Emergency Shelter, Youth Focused; Shelter, Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Evacuation, Special Needs Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Homeless, Mens Homeless Shelter; Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Shelter, Womens, Battered Womens Shelter; Shelter, Women's Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters; Training Classes, Child Development (learning to teach kids); Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Training Classes, Financial Literacy; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training Classes, Life Skills, Youth; Youth Outreach
Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; WIC (Women Infants and Children)
Updated Jan 29, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2926

First Congregational Church / Gardner CAC – Fellowship Table (free meals)

Walk–in Resource · Open

28 Green St., Gardner, MA 01440
Phone 978–632–8700
Service Temporary

Meals served: Thursdays at 4:30 PM.
Open September thru June –Closed in July/August

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf Dated October 2012.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Dinner
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9384

Food Pantries, Gardner

Walk–in Resource · Open

various, see notes, Gardner, MA
Service Temporary

Gardner Community Action Committee
294 Pleasant Street, 2nd Floor, Gardner 01440
978–632–8700
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 12 PM; Tuesday, 1 to 4 PM.

Montachusett Veterans Outreach Center, Inc.
268 Central Street, Gardner 01440
978–632–9601
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 10 to 11:30 AM & 1 PM to 4:30 PM.

Saint Vincent De Paul Society – Sacred Heart Church
166 Cross Street, Gardner 01440
978–632–0237
Distribution: Weekdays 10 AM to 5 PM. Please call to make an appointment.

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9395

Potter Hill Farm

Walk–in Resource · Open

Grafton, MA
Web potterhillfarm.com/about
Service Temporary

from the website:

About

Our goal at Potter Hill Farm is to create a robust agricultural ecosystem in which to raise nutritious vegetables and livestock in a manner that builds the fertility of the soil, adds vitality to the local community, and beautifies the landscape.

At Potter Hill, we have a 2–acre market garden in which we grow a mix of heirloom vegetables, flowers, and cover crops. We have a small herd of beef cattle, which we graze intensively over 25 acres of hillside pasture. We also raise pigs at the farm. They help us turn the compost pile while also consuming waste from the garden in addition to organic and non–GMO grain. While we are not certified organic, we do not use any synthetic fertilizers, pesticides, herbicides, fungicides, antibiotics, or hormones.

Services offered: Agriculture/Farming/Gardening Resource; Seeds, Heirloom vegetables
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Seed Bank / Seed Exchange / Seed Library / Seed Preservation
Updated Jan 21, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10147

Acord Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Non–Profit
P.O. Box 2203; 69 Willow St., Hamilton, MA 01982

Phone 978–468–7424
Web www.acordfoodpantry.org/index.htm
Hours Wed. 10–12, Sat. 9–12
Serves Effective 8/1/07: Hamilton, Wenham, Topsfield, Ipswich, Essex & Manchester Counties
Checks payable to Go to: http://www.acordfoodpantry.org/donate.htm

In 1991, Joe and Barbara Younger felt the need to help the less fortunate and went to Plowshares in Topsfield to help its food pantry. When told the pantry was closing, they went looking for a new place.

At the same time, the Missions Committee from the Hamilton First United Methodist Church felt the calling to start a local food pantry. The Committee joined Plowshares activists Bruce Menon, Maureen Deery, Jim Kiernan and Joe and Barbara Younger.

Thanks to the generosity of Phil Hansbury, Hamilton resident and local businessman, Acord pantry found a home at 69 Willow Street. The name Acord comes from the old testament of the Bible (Eccl. 4:9–12), a story showing how more things can be accomplished when many people join together to help.

Town leaders were very helpful and assisted in the process of completing the necessary paperwork to establish Acord as a 501 (c)(3) nonprofit to serve the needy in Hamilton, Wenham and surrounding communities.

Today, hundreds of people have volunteered to assist at the pantry. Acord has been supported by many generous contributions of food and money from area communties and residents. This effort by the people of our towns shows just what can be accomplished when many come together and work for the good of all.

Our mission is to help the needy in our area by creating a warm and welcoming place to obtain food assistance. No one in need is turned away, and we continue to strive to find ways to expand and improve our delivery of service.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Nov 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1021

Ruth's House

Walk–in Resource · Open

Haverhill, MA

Phone 978–521–5575
Contact Director
Email ruthshouse @ verizon . net
Web www.ruthshouse.org/common/index.php?com=RPEF&div=AA&nav=AA&page=A02
Service Temporary

From the website:

We are 100% dependent upon donations, grants and store sales. The monies that are earned at Ruth's House are used to pay our rent, utilities, salaries and because the law requires that socks and underwear must be new, we purchase socks and underwear.

We accept and can use most items.

However, we do not accept:
Large Appliances, Air conditioners, Computers, VCR's, Televisions, Exercise Equipment, Sporting Goods, Infant and Toddler Car Seats, Sleeper Sofas, Mattresses and Box Springs

Donations may be dropped off at the in our Receiving Area at the Garage Entrance at the

Rear of the Store. NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY.

Thursday: 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM
Friday: 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM
Saturday: 9:00 AM to 12:00 pm

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http://www.eagletribune.com/haverhill/x1876422317/Haverhill–thrift–shop–seeks–clothing–donations?keyword=topstory

March 3, 2008
Haverhill thrift shop seeks clothing donations

Anonymous The Eagle Tribune Mon Mar 03, 2008, 06:05 AM EST

Ruth's House, a nonprofit, nondenominational thrift store at 26–30 Lafayette Square, needs donations of spring and summer clothes for people of all ages.

Ruth's House is also accepting donations of blankets, sheets, towels, dishes, and pots and pans. It also has a need for volunteers who are willing to give their time.

All donations are tax deductible. Donors will be issued receipts for their gifts. Donations may be dropped off during store hours: Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.; and Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. The shop is closed Sundays and Mondays. More information is available by calling 978–521–5575.

Services offered: Clothing, Consignment Shop ($ NOT FREE); Thrift Store
Updated Aug 2, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8756

Partners in Development – 2010 Haiti Earthquake Response (Stateside Donation Collection Site)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit, Medical Clinic

Address Monetary Donations to:; PO Box 9; Ipswich, MA 01938; Donation Collection Site:; Immanuel Baptist Church; 45 Central Street; Ipswich, MA 01938, Ipswich, MA 01938

Contact	Gail
Email	info@pidonline.org
Web	pidonline.org/Haitian_Earthquake.html
Serves	Haiti
Checks payable to	PID
Service	Temporary

FROM THE WEBSITE:

Help Needed in Haiti after Tropical Storm Isaac –
http://www.pidonline.org/uncategorized/help–needed–in–haiti–after–tropical–storm

SEE Supplies Needed
http://www.pidonline.org/participate/earthquake–relief–effort

January 15, 2010
12:00 pm

With good news regarding the safety of our Field Directors in Haiti and learning that our medical clinic there is standing, we are busy coordinating our relief efforts.

PID plans to bring a relief team to Haiti soon. We are still working on the logistics and will provide details as they become available. We are looking for medical professionals and experienced travelers to join the team. If you are interested, please fill out the relief trip application. We will be reviewing applications and contacting everyone who submits one.

We are also collecting medical supplies and have set up a drop off center for local donations. If you have an item to donate, please bring it to:

Immanuel Baptist Church
45 Central Street
Ipswich, MA 01938

Please go in the front door of the church and the donation room will be directly in front of you. The donation room will be open seven days a week from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm.

We are encouraging people who want to help to make a financial donation, as there will be a long road of recovery ahead. You can donate using the PayPal button on the site, or send a check to

Partners In Development, PO Box 9, Ipswich, MA 01938

If you have questions regarding the relief team or donations, please contact Lisa Lassey at lisa @pidonline.org or call her at (978) 471–9922.

Phone Numbers:

Office – 978.417.9250
Gale Hull – 978.471.9438
Lisa Lassey – 978.471.9922
Kerline Toufuri (Jou Nouvo) – 781.588.4555

Gale Hull – Gale @pidonline.org
Lisa Lassey – Lisa @pidonline.org
Hannah Belković – Hannah @pidonline.org
Kerline Toufuri (Jou Nouvo) – Kerline @pidonline.org

from the website:

January 14, 2009
8:00 pm

Update From The Ipswich Office of Partners In Development

Wonderful news from Haiti to report tonight! Just received word that all of the families we serve in Blanchard are okay! All of the homes built by Partners In Development are standing! Our medical clinic is standing!!! We have been told that people are gathering at the clinic waiting for us. Still no word on Benite or the other families who do not live in Blanchard. Continue with your prayers and rejoice in the good news we have received tonight!

January 14, 2010
2:00 pm

Update From The Ipswich Office of Partners In Development

Still no word from our staff and friends in Port–au–Prince. We are anxious to hear if everyone is ok, as well as to know the status of our medical clinic. Here in the U.S. we have been overwhelmed with the response of people wanting to travel with us and help out with the relief efforts. Gale will return to the U.S. over the weekend and begin planning the logistics for the emergency medical relief trip. We hope that this team can leave for Haiti sometime next week. Please continue to pray for the people of Port–au–Prince, and for the relief efforts that are currently underway.

January 13, 2010
9:00 am

Update From The Ipswich Office of Partners In Development

We have not been able to establish communication with any of our staff in Haiti since the earthquake struck. At this point, we do not have reports about anyone in our program. Since the area hardest hit is the main street in Port au Prince during the hour that it would be most crowded, we believe that people from all areas of Port au Prince will be affected. Partners In Development's President, Gale Hull, is currently in Guatemala and is scheduled to fly into to Port au Prince on Sunday if the airport is reopened at that time.

We are in the process of coordinating a team to go to Haiti and assist once Gale can accurately assess the situation. Partners In Development has a medical clinic in Port au Prince and we will be able to assist people medically. We are looking for medical professionals and experienced travelers to join the team. If you are interested in going, please contact Lisa Lassey, Director of Program Development at lisa@pidonline.org or call her at 978–471–9922.

We are also currently seeking donations of gauze, bandages, antibiotics, and pain relief medications. Please call or email Hannah to schedule a donation drop off at our Ipswich office at hannah@pidonline.org or 978–417–9250. Our office's address is at 4 Spring Street in Ipswich, MA.

Partners In Development has also set up an emergency relief fund for the earthquake victims in Haiti. Donations can be made using the button above or can be sent to PID, PO Box 9, Ipswich, MA 01938.

Please continue to check our website for updates regarding the situation in Haiti. Also, you can view Gale Hull's Twitter messages on our website. She will not be able to respond to all emails directly, but will be posting updates on Twitter as they become available.

Partners In Development has been serving the extreme poor in Haiti since 1990. We serve over 3,000 people in Port au Prince.

Thank you for your concern for the people in Haiti and continue to pray for them.

Services offered: Business Services, Micro–Lending; Demographic Served: Armed Conflict Populations; Demographic Served: Families, w/Young Children; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Donations, Disaster Fund; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Education, Health Awareness; Medical, Facility, Clinic, Free Clinic; Medical, Services, International Medical Services; Medical, Volunteer, First Response, Volunteer Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, International; Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake; 2012 Hurricane Isaac; International Community, Latino
Updated Sep 4, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4972

Bikes Not Bombs (bike/bicycle services, recycle bike parts)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Jamaica Plain, MA
Phone See Notes, two locations
Web bikesnotbombs.org
Service Temporary

BNB Has 2 Locations

Bikes Not Bombs Hub
(Office, Youth Programs, International)
284 Amory St.

Jamaica Plain, MA 02130
Phone: 617-522-0222
Fax: 617-522-0922

Bikes Not Bombs Bike Shop
(Sales, Repairs, Youth Job Training)
18 Bartlett Square
Jamaica Plain, MA 02130
Phone: 617-522-0226
Fax: 617-522-0228
* The Bikes Not Bombs Hub is located in The Brewery complex on Amory Street, and BNB is a member of the Brewery Businesses Association.

Also warehouse:
10 Harvard Street
Dorchester, MA 02124

Bike donation guidelines: http://bikesnotbombs.org/about?q=donate

BNB Staff:
Executive Director
Sam Wechsler
sam @ bikesnotbombs . org

Youth Programming Coordinator
Elijah Evans
elijah @ bikesnotbombs . org

Youth Development Coordinator
Sarah Braunstein
sarah @ bikesnotbombs . org

Alumnae Services Coordinator
Jessica Stein
jessica @ bikesnotbombs . org

International Programs Director
David Branigan
david @ bikesnotbombs . org

Director of Grassroots Fundraising & Events
Allie Hunter
allie @ bikesnotbombs . org

Outreach Coordinator and Office Manager
Arik Grier
arik @ bikesnotbombs . org

Bike Shop Director
Matt Coe
matt @ bikesnotbombs . org

Bike Shop Sales Manager
Darrah Bowden
darrah @ bikesnotbombs . org

Bike Shop Service Manager
Charlie Schubert
charlie @ bikesnotbombs . org

Bike Donations & Bike Drives Coordinator (volunteer)
Stephen Bosco
stephen @ bikesnotbombs . org

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Bikes Not Bombs simply couldn't function without our tremendous volunteer support! Volunteers earn credit by the hour, which can be cashed in for used parts, frames, or even whole bikes. Join our volunteer email list and we'll keep you updated with opportunities as they roll around! To join the email list, just click here. For more info on volunteering, check out some of the options below and see what fits right for you.

Wednesday Volunteer Nights

Taking apart bikes Get your hands dirty with a wrench, flattening bikes to prepare them for international shipment, stripping bikes for parts, or sorting used parts. Or, help our office staff with database updates or mailings. Anyone is welcome to drop in to the Bikes Not Bombs Hub between 7pm and 10pm, on every Wednesday night (barring special events and holidays). A supervisor will show you what to do, and no experience is required. Groups are asked to schedule with at least 2 weeks notice to Jeremy Hanson at jeremy@bikesnotbombs.org or 617–522–0222, and limit their attendance to 5 or fewer people. Because of issues of capacity, not all group volunteering requests can be accommodated.

International Bike Shipments

Come help load a 40–foot container with bicycles and parts to send overseas. Nine or ten times a year we bring in lots of volunteers for most of a weekend day to do this.Join our email list to get the announcements, or check the Events list on our homepage.

Services offered: Advocacy, Anti–Poverty; Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Economic Justice for Impoverished Populations; Advocacy, Environmental; Advocacy, Social Justice; Bicycles, Bikes * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Economics, Sustainable; Information Resource, Environmental Education; Information Resource, Environmental Education, Energy Conservation; Information Resource, Environmental Education , Recycling; Information Resource, Environmental Impacts; Information Resource, Recycling Methods; New "Business" Models; Recycling, Bicycles; Recycling, Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Resource Website for "Green" (incl socially just) Products/Services; Resource Website for "Green" Living Suggestions; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Short Term Volunteer Opportunities; Warehouse, Warehouse Space; Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Arts Community / Artist Network; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Environmental Sustainability; Global Warming Relief Supplies/Services; Social Activists/Organizers
Updated Apr 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8722

Community Servings

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Service
18 Marburry Terrace, Jamaica Plain, MA

Phone 617 522 7777
Contact Rebeca Ober
Email rober@servings.org
Web www.servings.org
Eligibility Critically Ill, Home–Bound, Local
Service Temporary

per Boston Globe article, December 24, 2009
Ami Albernaz

This Jamaica Plain–based program delivers free meals to critically ill people who can't shop or cook for themselves, and it's always looking for people to help prepare and package food. The time comitment is flexible; after attending an orientation session, volunteers can schedule in advance when they would like to come in (time slots are at least two hours). Drivers are also needed to deliver meals on Saturday mornings once a month. For more info, see www.servings.org/volunteer. To get started, contact Rebecca at the email address above.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Alzheimer's Patients; Demographic Served: Critically Ill, Home–Bound; Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Special Needs; Distribution, Mobile Distribution of Disaster Relief Supplies; Food Distribution, Canteen, Mobile Food Canteen; Food Distribution, Food Pantry, Mobile Food Pantry; Meals, Home Delivered Meals; Meals, Home Delivered Meals (For Seniors/Elders); Meals, Mobile Meals; Meals, Mobile Meals, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Meals, Mobile Meals (For Seniors); Meals On Wheels, Volunteer; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Short Term Volunteer Opportunities
Campaigns: Community Servings [homecooked meals delivered to critically ill people and their families]; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Apr 17, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5791

Lazarus House Ministries – Good Shepherd Center & Thrift Stores

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church – Community Outreach
410 Hampshire St., 2nd Floor, Lawrence, MA 01841

Phone 978–689–8575 (see notes/website for store numbers)
Web www.lazarushouse.org
Service Temporary

Lazarus House Ministries provides the broadest continuum of services to those in need in our area. Our guests are empowered to overcome poverty and crisis, to become more productive members of the community.

Pickups in Dracut, Haverhill, Lawrence, Methuen, N.Andover, N.Reading, Tewksbury & Southern N.H.

We help people take charge of their lives, rebuild their families and move beyond poverty, out of crisis and into the mainstream.

Since opening its doors as a temporary homeless shelter in 1983, Lazarus House Ministries has been fighting poverty from its base in Lawrence, MA, one of the poorest areas in the country, and the poorest in New England. Over the years our supporters have responded to the needs of this community by providing the financial support to expand our programs to provide the necessary services that allow us to provide comprehensive solutions that positively impact more and more people in need.

Lazarus House is in need of diapers and toiletry items, especially shampoo. If you can provide these, please call Ken Campbell at 978–269–5208 or drop them off at 412 Hampshire Street in Lawrence.

FURNITURE
Must be clean, in good condition and on ground floor for pick up

Food donations may be dropped off between 11 a.m. to 1:00 p.m at:
Lazarus House Shelter
48 Holly Street
Lawrence, MA

WE WILL PICK UP IF NECESSARY
Call 978–689–8575

Thank you for your generous support.

Along with the faithful generosity of many, our ministry helps sustain itselt through our three thrift stores: The Good Shepherd Thrift Store, St. Martin of Tours Thrift Store and St. Frances & St. Clare Thrift Store.

These hubs of activity provide an incredible opportunity to strenghten the neighborhoods where they exist, provide for the needs of our shoppers and allow us to provide for those who have no other means of availing themselves of clothing, household items, and just as important, camarderie and friendship.

For those who cannot afford to purchase items, such as victims of arson or floods, and for those who are making the transition from homelessness, items are provided free of charge.

Items that are donated must be in good, working condition and may be dropped off at anyone of our thrift store locations Monday – Saturday, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. (excluding holidays).

For items that must be picked up, please call Micki LeBlanc, Thrift Stores Coordinator, at 978–686–0441 to arrange details.

Lazarus House Ministries is happy to accept the following donations:

Appliances
*Baby Clothing & Toys
Clothing
Dishes
Furniture
Office Equipment
Rugs

*Please note due to liability issues, we are not allowed to accept baby furniture, including car seats.
Food & Paper Product donations may be dropped off at the Lazarus House Shelter, 48 Holly Street in Lawrence. The shelter is open 24/7.

Auto & Truck donations may be arranged by calling Mary Schank at 978–269–5204, Monday – Friday, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

For other donation inquiries, call Micki LeBlanc, Thrift Stores Coordinator, at 978–686–0441.

Thank you for helping to support our ministry.

Thrift Store Information
Hours: 10 AM until 4 PM Monday through Saturday
Thrift Store Phone Number Location
Good Shepherd Thrift Store 978–686–0441 412 Hampshire Street
Saint Martin's Thrift Store 978–687–1184 121 Essex Street
Saint Clare's Thrift Store 978–557–5449 220 South Union Street

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Dental, Services * (ANY/ALL Types of Dental Services) ; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Food Pantry, Mobile Food Pantry; Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Food, Holiday * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Jobs, Paying; Meals, Lunches (Bag); Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Thrift Store; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.

Updated Jan 27, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4712

Food Pantries, Leominster

Walk–in Resource · Open

Various, see notes, Leominster, MA
Service Temporary

Catholic Charities–North County
196 Mechanic Street
Leominster, MA 01453
978–840–0696 or 800–232–0843
Distribution: Monday thru Friday, 8AM to 5 PM.
Alternate Appt based on Needs Assessment

First Baptist Church
Community Food Cupboard
23 West Street, Leominster 01453
978–537–2685
Distribution: 2nd Saturday 9–11am
Call for Emergency

Ginny's Helping Hands Food Pantry
52 Mechanic Street
Leominster, MA 01453
978–537–1387
Distribution: Tuesday thru Saturday, 10 AM to 5 PM.

Ruth's Harvest Pantry
Leominster United Methodist Church
77 Hall Street, Leominster 01453
978–537–1356
Distribution: 3rd Thursday, 6 to 8 PM and
4th Saturday, 8 to 10 AM. Call if Emergency.

Spanish American Center
112 Spruce Street, Leominster 01453
978–534–3145
Distribution: Mon. through Fri. 9:00 AM to 12Noon.
Call for Appt.

SVDP- St. Leo's Church
108 Main Street, Leominster 01453
978–537–7257
Distribution: Monday, 6 to 7 PM, Wednesday, 4 to 5 PM.

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9388

Ginny's Helping Hand, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

52 Mechanic Street, Leominster, MA 01453
Phone 978–537–1387 OR 888–530–6779
Web www.ginnyshelpinghand.org
Serves Leominster, Groton, Pepperell, Ayer, Fitchburg, Clinton, Bolton
Service Temporary

How You Can Help

1. Become a volunteer with whatever time you can spare.
2. Become a member of our fundraising committee.
3. Sponsor a fundraising event in your neighborhood, school or place of work.
4. Make a tax deductible cash contribution to help offset operating expenses.
5. Organize a food drive for the food pantry.
6. Organize a new toy drive for Secret Santa.
7. Adopt a family or a child for Christmas.
8. Bring a new toy or packages of batteries to Ginny's.
9. Share any ideas as to how we might raise much–needed funds.

Services

Programs –

Food Pantry
Please call the Food Pantry during business hours for more information: 888–530–6779 or 978–537–1387.

Thrift Store
Hours: Tuesday – Saturday: 10 am to 5 pm

DONATIONS –
http://www.ginnyshelpinghand.org/donations.htm
Furniture, subject to approval and delivery appointment

All donated items are tax deductable.

Programs

Unity in the Community

A special fund to pay for heating, utilities, rent and other emergency expenses.

Helping Hands

At Christmas time, hands are printed out and displayed at the food pantry for persons who would like to adgive a hand up to someone during the holiday season.

Secret Santa Fund

This special account is used for toys and other necessary items purchased at the Christmas season and distributed to children and families in need.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Thrift Store
Updated Apr 28, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5812

Congregational Church of Littleton (free meals, community sewing/knitting, social events)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
308 King St, Littleton, MA
Phone 978–486–9331, 978–486–3245
Contact Senior Pastor, Rev. Dr. Vern Swett
Email office@ccol.org
Web web.ccol.org/wordpress
Service Permanent

Weekly dinners...

This site NO LONGER has the "Stork Support" Program: Free baby equipment, furniture, baby and maternity clothes. An email from the office said this, a reply asking where this program went was not returned. But they did it for years...alas...

More email contacts at this page:
http://web.ccol.org/administration.html

Services offered: Community Garden Program; Community Outreach Programs; Community Outreach, Public Awareness, Humanitarian Issues; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Pay–what–you–can; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Church/Worship Services; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Arts & Crafts; Social Event, Book/Study/Discussion Group; Social Event, Films/Cinema/Movies/Lectures; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Social Event, Recreation *(any/all types); Social Event, Sewing/Quilting/Kniting/Crochet, Knitting Circle; Social Event, Sewing/Quilting/Knitting/Crochet Circle; Youth Outreach
Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; Congregational Church; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Nov 25, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3849

Littleton Community Farm

Walk–in Resource · Open

Littleton, MA
Web littletoncommunityfarm.com/seed–library–littleton
Service Temporary
Updated Apr 20, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9946

Littleton Community Farm

Walk–in Resource · Open

Littleton, MA
Web littletoncommunityfarm.com/seed–library–littleton
Service Temporary

Services offered: Agriculture/Farming/Gardening Resource; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Facilities: Farm ("available" = this site is a farm); Food, Locally Produced ($ NOT FREE); New "business" models, Food Production/Distribution; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Northeast Organic Farming Association; Seed Bank / Seed Exchange / Seed Library / Seed Preservation; Social Change Initiative
Updated Apr 20, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9947

Littleton UU Church (FCU) (free supper on Tuesdays)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Littleton, MA
Web www.fculittle.org/neighborhoodsupper.php
Service Temporary

Since June 1991, Neighborhood Supper has been providing a free meal and a place of community every Tuesday evening at the Congregational Church in Littleton. Neighborhood Supper is a nonprofit organization modeled after meals served in the nearby towns of Acton, Maynard, and Concord, and coordinated to occur on a night not covered by these towns. Many come out of financial need, but many come for companionship or to have someone to talk to. It is supported by donations from local businesses, organizations and individuals and run by volunteers from four Littleton Churches: Congregational Church of Littleton, First Church Unitarian, St. Anne's Catholic, and the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Responsibility for the preparation and serving of the meal rotates weekly between the churches. FCU cooks on the third Tuesday of every month. Volunteers include cooks, servers, shoppers, and dish washers; up to 20 or more volunteers are involved each week. They begin to arrive early in the afternoon to start cooking the evening meal and set the tables. As the guests arrive, plates of food will be delivered to them. Our church has two regular seasonal meals: beef stew with mashed potatoes and buttered carrots in the winter and pasta salad, sliced ham and fresh fruit in the summer. And of course we always have chocolate chip cookies for dessert. An average of 40 to 60 people are served each week.

If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Kristen at Neighborhood @ fculittle.org . As always, we appreciate all the wonderful chocolate chip cookies baked each month. If you would like to bake, please drop the chocolate chip cookies off at the Congregational Church on the afternoon of the supper, or you may leave them in the FCU kitchen.

Neighborhood Supper is supported by donations. It is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization; all gifts are tax deductable. If you would like to make a donation, please send it to Neighborhood Supper, P. O. Box 112, Littleton MA 01460–0112.

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Events, Social, Holiday Event * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Dinner; New "business" models, Food Production/Distribution
Updated Jan 22, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9910

Community Cabinet and Little Free Library [free food/books/household items] [24x7]

Walk–in Resource · Open

167 Sayles St. (corner of Westford), Lowell, MA
Service Temporary

Community Cabinet and Little Free Library, 167 Sayles St. (corner of Westford). If you're having a rough week, stop by and see if there's anything there that you need. And if you've got a spare book or DVD or two, or a little extra room in your shopping bag, please consider helping a neighbor out. Popular items include non–food things that you can't get with SNAP, like toothpaste, shampoo, and cleanup stuff.

If you have difficulty closing the door, push up on the top of the door frame.

source: https://m.facebook.com/groups/lowellmabulletin/permalink/5825239224216998/?refid=18&__ft__=qid.6992660723702218765%3Amf_story_key.5825239224216998%3Atop_level_post_id.5825239224216998%3Atl_objid.5825239224216998%3Acontent_owner_id_new.100009898447646%3Apage_id.849331911807779%3Asrc.22%3Astory_location.6%3Astory_attachment_style.photo%3Afilter.GroupStoriesByActivityEntQuery%3Atds_flgs.3%3Aott.AX9sF_g2aALt4oRh&__tn__=%2AW-R#footer_action_list

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Aug 4, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10475

Community Teamwork, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

Social Services
167 Dutton St., Lowell, MA 01852
Phone (978) 459–0551
Web www.comteam.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management)
Updated Mar 5, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7701

Dwelling House for Hope [food pantry, Covid food delivery, etc]

Walk–in Resource · Open

Lowell, MA

Web dwellinghouseofhope.org
Service Temporary

COVID–19 Response from Dwelling House of Hope

During the COVID–19 health emergency, we have been working tirelessly to meet the food security needs of our community. In addition to more families needing assistance, we are also helping to deliver food to people who are unable to leave their homes. We have been partnering with Lowell Alliance, Lowell Community Health Center, Vinfen, New American Center, and Local Churches to deliver food to those who cannot leave their homes. We have also modified our on–site distribution to incorporate social distancing guidelines and to minimize contact between individuals, including pre–packing food in boxes for pick up.

If you are in need of food assistance you should call 1 866 674–9988 and register to pick up food.

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Food Pantry, Mobile Food Pantry; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Home Delivered Meals
Campaigns: Ending Extreme Poverty
Updated Oct 8, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10388

Lowell Transitional Living Center [homeless services]

Walk–in Resource · Open

Lowell, MA

Web ltlc.org/for–immediate–help
Service Temporary

If you are homeless and experiencing an emergency call a Lowell Transitional Living Center Case Manager: 978–458–9888.

See other services at the website above, including a list of hotlines

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Hotline, Shelter, Evacuation/Shelter Information & Updates; Hotline, Shelter Hotline (Find Help); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Sep 15, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10345

Mobile Shower Trailer [serving homeless and others]

Walk–in Resource · Open

St John's Church; 44 Temple, Lowell, MA

Service Temporary

posted on Facebook:

Joshua's Shower, our shower trailer, has moved to St. John's Church located at 44 Temple Street. The new hours are 8:00 AM-12:00 PM, Monday-Friday. This program is funded, in part, by the United Way of Central Massachusetts. We're blessed that we can continue hot showers in spring! Several people...

Services offered: Demographic Served: Homeless; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: United Way
Updated May 24, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10435

Lynn Community Fridge Project [free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

16 City Hall Square, in the Centerboard Parking Lot against the colorful mural, Lynn, MA

Web www.lynncommunityfridge.org/faqs
Service Temporary

What is a community fridge?

The community fridge is an outdoor refrigerator stocked with donated ingredients. The refrigerator is accessible 24/7 to any community member, no questions asked. Food in the fridge is free.

Why a community fridge?

The Lynn Community Fridge Project helps local families in need while also giving soon–to–be wasted food a second chance. Free food fridges grant residents access to healthy food options combatting food insecurity and measurable health disparities.

What kind of donations are accepted?

Local business owners are donating fresh food items (fruits/veggies), pantry items (beans, rice, pasta), and dairy products (eggs & milk), in addition to prepared meals of any kind if available. We ask that you label all perishable food with an expiration date and ingredients.

Where is the Lynn Community Fridge?

The Lynn Community Fridge is located in the Centerboard Parking Lot against the colorful mural at 16 City Hall Square, Lynn, MA

Who is maintaining the fridge?

The Lynn Community Fridge Project is run by a network of local volunteers seeking to make a difference. If you want to help out please contact us.
lynncommunityfridge@gmail.com

Are free food fridges real?

You may be thinking it's too good to be true. Community fridges have been tremendously successful across the country.

Here is an article New York City's Community Refrigerators Offer Free Food for Those in Need, which praises the Community Fridge's role in NYC and others around the country and a short clip 'The Love Fridge' Helping People Find, Donate Food in Chicago.

Other fridges in the Boston area have had great success. Here are links to their social media pages: https://www.instagram.com/bostoncommunityfridge/

https://www.instagram.com/dotcommunityfridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jun 17, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10440

Mailboxes and Much More (shipping and recycling center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Recycling Network
51 Market Street, Lynn, MA 01901
Phone 781–477–0992
Web www.mailboxesandmuchmore.com/We–RECYCLE!.aspx
Service Temporary

Services offered: Demographic Served: Environmental Disaster, Populations Affected by; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Hotline, Recycling Coordination; Recycling, Packaging Materials; Recycling, Packaging Materials, Peanuts; Recycling, Services * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jun 1, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8513

Furnishing Options (furniture bank/household goods)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Marlboro, MA
Phone 774–348–4922 (to schedule donation)
Web www.furnishingoptions.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jan 27, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9631

Survival News (and a community supporting low income people)

Walk–in Resource · Open

95 Standard Street, Mattapan, MA
Phone Phone: (617) 298–7311
Contact Dottie Stevens
Email masswelf @ aol.com
Web survivorsinc.org
Service Temporary

We are a group of low–income women and their allies who organize and educate around poverty, welfare and low–income survival issues. We offer training in writing, speaking, advocacy, computer skills, desktop publishing, organizing, membership and leadership. With these skills we are able to provide a forum for the voices of low–income women to be heard. We connect welfare office outreach and campus organizing with local and broader grassroots efforts to eliminate social and economic injustice.
Welfare Speakers' Bureau

Survivors, Inc. has a busy Speakers' Bureau on Welfare. We are eager to share our knowledge with your group. We generally speak in teams of at least two people, usually including a current or former welfare recipient who is a welfare activist. The other speakers come from a variety of backgrounds, including board members of Survivors, Inc., community activists, and committed academics. Fees are sliding scale and free to low income groups. To get a speaker, call 617–298–7311.
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Campaigns: Ending Extreme Poverty; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Apr 12, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9680

Maynard Boy Scouts Electronics Recycling Day (2/21/09)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Recycling
Maynard, MA
Service Temporary

per Action Unlimited Newspaper, Fall 2008

Hold the phone…and your old TV, computer, stereo and all your other unwanted electronic items for the Maynard Boy Scouts' Electronics Recycling Day on Sat., Feb. 21, 2009. Home pickup can also be arranged for those who need a helping hand on Feb. 7, 2009.

The Scouts will collect all used electronics from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Feb. 21, at Clock Tower Place in Maynard. Everything collected will be 100 percent–recycled - zero in the landfill - by a qualified electronics recycling company.

Be Green! Be Legal. (It is illegal to dispose of various electronic devices in
landfills in Massachusetts.) A nominal fee will be charged for this service, which will support the activities of Boy Scout Troop 130 of Maynard.
Items the Scouts will collect include computers, TVs, monitors, printers, VCR's, scanners, radios, microwaves, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, stereos, phones, routers, DVD players, Game Boxes, and fax machines. Hard drives will be removed and shredded upon request. Disposal prices will range from $5 to $30 depending on the size of the item.

Pickup assistance is available for seniors or anyone needing help with heavy items. Anyone unable to come to the Feb. 21 recycling event may also call in advance for pickup. (Phone number will be posted.) The pickup day will be Feb. 7, 2009, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Services offered: Recycling, Computers & Electronics
Campaigns: Boy Scouts of America; Global Warming Relief Supplies/Services
Updated Dec 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3899

Maynard Elks, Free Christmas Trees for Families of Active Duty Military

Walk–in Resource · Open

Civic – Community
Maynard, MA
Eligibility Maynard families of active duty military personnel
Service Temporary

If you have a mother, father, son, daughter, husband, or wife away on active duty during this holiday season, the Maynard Elk's would like to offer you, as a small token of our thanks a free christmas tree to you and your family. Just stop by anytime after our tree's arrive on Thanksgiving day.

Services offered: Facility: Veterans Benefits/Facility/Services; Holiday Supplies, Christmas Decorations, Items, Misc.; Holiday Supplies, Decorations; Services, Veterans, Veterans Impacted By Disaster
Campaigns: Elks Club (Local Civic Group)
Updated Dec 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3898

Maynard Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit

P.O. BOX 55, Maynard, MA 01754, Maynard, MA

Phone (978) 897–8340
Contact Mary Brannelly
Email mjtbrannelly@comcast.net
Hours Mondays from 10 AM to 12 noon and by appointment
Bring We request a letter from a clergy person, social worker, etc after a client's fourth visit and regularly request updates of these letters.
Service Permanent

Serving Maynard since 1992
The purpose of the Food Pantry is to provide food assistance to any individual or family in need. We are committed to providing the greatest degree of confidentiality with the least amount of information being requested of our clients. Although the Maynard Food Pantry has been established primarily to help Maynard residents, we will not refuse assistance to residents of other towns.

Maynard Food Pantry
Most Needed Items
Canned fruit
Snack Crackers
Canned hash, beef stew, tuna fish
Pudding/Jello mixes
Coffee (instant and ground)
White rice/instant potato
Stuffing mix
Cocoa, tea bags
Canned soups
Macaroni & Cheese
Hamburger helper mixes
Pancake mix/syrup
Canned pasta meals
Sugar/Flour
Canned spaghetti sauce
Baby food/formula
Jelly/Jam
Canned corn, carrots, potato
Laundry Detergent
Tooth Paste, brushes
Paper Goods (toilet paper/paper towels)
Soap, deodorant, shampoo

Program Activities
The Maynard Food Pantry provides non–perishable items consisting of canned fruits, canned vegetables, pasta, baby food, cereals, rice, soups, canned meats, beverages and health care items to our clients.

The Maynard Food Pantry is open on Mondays, 10 AM to 12 noon for our clients to shop for food items free of charge. It is located at 12 Bancroft Street (Coolidge School) at the rear of the building. The Food Pantry is handicap accessible. We request a letter from a clergy person, social worker, etc after a client's fourth visit and regularly request updates of these letters.

Residents of Maynard are allowed to shop two times per month. Clients who living in the surrounding towns can shop once per month. If any individual or family is need of food assistance on a weekly basis, they may also shop at the local food pantries in Acton, Stow and Sudbury during the weeks they are not shopping at the Maynard Food Pantry. The Maynard Food Pantry also provides Thanksgiving and Holiday dinner baskets for clients.

Approximately 80% of our clients (including many children) live in Maynard. On a weekly basis, we will assist between 30 to 35 families. We allow them to shop for quantities of food based on the size of their household.

Help us help others
We are a non–profit 501C3 corporation, operated totally by volunteers. The Board of Directors is made up of Mary Brannelly, President, Ken Demars, Robert Gilligan, Barbara Horman, Terry Herring, and Maureen Monsen.

Approximately 40 Food Pantry volunteers assist in stocking shelves on Friday mornings, operating the Food Pantry on Mondays for our clients, picking up food donations from various locations throughout town, picking up grocery orders on a regular basis and assisting with food drives throughout the year.

Close to 100% of our funding is utilized to purchase food to keep the Food pantry well stocked for our clients. We receive funds from a variety of sources including the Maynard Community Chest, Project Bread, United Way and quite a number of individuals, local companies and local organizations.

The Maynard Food Pantry is also the recipient of many annual food drives in town. They include the Boy Scout food drive (November), Cub Scout food drive (January), Girl Scout food drive (March), Green Meadow Breakfast food drive (May) and Post Office food drive (May). Additionally, many organizations and companies will hold food drives for our benefit.

Donations are always greatly appreciated and should be sent to the address below. Anyone interested in volunteering or in need of information pertaining to needed assistance should call Mary Brannelly at (978) 897–8340. The Food Pantry is open on Fridays from 10 AM to 12 noon to receive food donations from the general public. If this time is inconvenient, other arrangements can be made by calling the same telephone number.

MAYNARD FOOD PANTRY
P.O. BOX 55
MAYNARD, MA 01754

(978) 897–8340 (contact – Mary Brannelly)
mjtbrannelly@comcast.net

HOLIDAY COLLECTIONS FOR FOOD BASKETS

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Holiday * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Dec 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1537

Open Table, Maynard

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
2014 location: Clock Tower Place; THIS MIGHT BE OLD: Union Congregational Church; 80 Main Street, Maynard, MA 01754

Phone (978) 823–0082
Web www.opentableinc.org
Hours Mondays from 5:30 to 6:30
Service Temporary

Pantry Service is OPEN!

As of Tuesday, March 17th, Open Table will be implementing “drive–thru” pantry service. Guests arriving by other means of transportation (walking, biking, etc) will, of course, also be served. Guests should keep their regular appointments during these times.

Our pantry will be open during regular operating hours (we will be open rain or shine!):

Tuesday 1:00–6:30 pm
Thursday 3:00–6:30 pm

Drive–Thru Plan

Pantry distribution will be available in the Maynard Municipal Parking Lot located between Summer Street and Main Street. Please enter from Summer Street (across from the Fine Arts Theater). Guests will remain in their cars; volunteers will load pre–packed bags into the cars. Please do your best to arrive at your standard time; if you arrive early you may be asked to park in an area municipal lot and return at your appointment time.

INFO FROM 2020:

OpenTable Maynard moved to the old Aubuchon Hardware store 33 Main St, which is now a community meals and event space, but they are not serving meals til the pandemic is declared "over". See above info on operation during virus.

INFO FROM 2014:

Open Table 978–823–0082
Clock Tower Place
Maynard, MA 01754
http://www.opentable.org
• Free dinner: Mondays 5:30–6:30 pm
• Pantry: Mondays 5:30–6:30 pm
Open to residents of all towns

Open Table was founded in 1989 to provide weekly nutritious meals and a food pantry to anyone who wanted them no questions asked. Our purpose is to address the hunger that exists in our area and to do this in a manner that respects the privacy and dignity of our guests and provides them with a few moments of respite from their daily challenges. The Open Table is a way to open arms and hearts in the

community, share success and gifts, practice values that enhance common humanity and to give and receive kindness.

THIS MIGHT BE OLD INFO:

Maynard Location:

Open Table Maynard serves dinner every week on Mondays from 5:30 to 6:30 at the Union Congregational Church, 80 Main Street, Maynard Massachusetts.

see also, Concord MA location: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1558

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Meals, Dinner; Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accomodates Youth Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID-19
Updated Mar 19, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1559

Unitarian Universalist Church / Community Supper Milford

Walk-in Resource · Open

23 Pine Street, Milford, MA 01757
Phone 508-473-3589
Service Temporary

Meals served: Every Sunday at 4:45 PM

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf Dated October 2012.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Dinner
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9385

Monson United Methodist Church

Walk-in Resource · Open

162 Main St., Monson, MA
Phone (413) 267-3798
Service Temporary

Sign posted on site: 6/26/11

Food, water, clothing

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2011 Massachusetts Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes-Floods-Wind Storms; United Methodist Church
Updated Jun 26, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8674

Town of Monson EMA, Tornado Recovery Center

Walk-in Resource · Open

110 Main Street, Monson, MA
Phone (413)267-3869 Mobile (413)454-5163
Contact Kathleen Conley Norbut, M.Ed., LMHC
Email kcnorbut @ yahoo . com
Web www.monson-ma.gov/public_documents/MonsonMA_BBoard/030CCA35-000F8513
Service Temporary

form website:

If you are concerned and want information about tornado recovery in Monson, please attend this important meeting.
All Monson residents are invited to attend Informational Meeting - Tornado Damage Recovery

Where: Quarry Hill School, 43 Margaret Street, Monson, MA
When: Friday, June 3, 2011 at 4:00 p.m.
Who: FEMA, Red Cross, National Grid, Town Officials, Massachusetts Fire Chaplains

Why: Get facts from public safety officials about what happened, find status of power restoration in town, information about FEMA assistance, how to safely remove building debris, and how that is different from tree wood waste, guidance from the Building Commissioner about how to proceed with repairs to your home, plans for re-opening school and high school graduation, how to help your neighbors, how the town will maintain its services, and to answer any other questions residents may have.

Services offered: Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Massachusetts Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes-Floods-Wind Storms; American Red Cross; EMA (Emergency Management Agency) Regional/County; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security, National Shelter System (NSS); Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster),

Associate Member/Informal Affiliation; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster – this org is a member); VOAD (this org is not a member, but is "affiliated"); VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Jun 3, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8537

Natick Community Fridge [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

13 Common St., Natick, MA 01760
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10456

Newton Community Freedge [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

420 Watertown St (parking lot of Central Drapery and Dry Cleaning), Newton, MA 02458
Web newtoncommunityfreedge
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10467

Amherst Survival Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit
PO Box 9629; 1200 N. Pleasant St.; (just north of Pine Street), North Amherst, MA 01059
Phone 413–549–3968
Web www.people.umass.edu/support/asc
Hours M–T–Th–F 11 am–3 pm – Th 3–7 pm
Serves Amherst, Belcherville, Deerfield, Hadley, Leverett, Pelham, Shutesbury, Sunderland
Service Temporary

Food, clothing and household goods for people in need; hot lunches and groceries weekdays except Wednesdays; 100 people a day.

The Mission:

To provide a welcoming community where families and individuals who are struggling to make ends meet can come for food and clothing, for companionship and relief from isolation, and to share their material resources, information, concerns and frustrations. No one is turned away. An equally important function of the Center is to help people move beyond a condition of need, to help them to help themselves and each other.

Volunteering is encouraged among all who want to play a bigger part in the cycle of giving and receiving that defines the Center.

SERVICES:

BAKED GOODS and FRESH PRODUCE are collected Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, courtesy of Whole Foods, Stop & Shop, Atkins Farm, Henion Bakery , and Trader Joe's. DISTRIBUTION starts at 11 am on those days.

LUNCH is from 12 noon to 1 p.m., Mon., Tues., Thurs., and Friday. 549–3968 ext 203 for details.

Our FOOD PANTRY provides nutritional staples to eligible families and individuals. Please, contact us for details, 549–3968 ext 204.

CLOTHING & HOUSEHOLD GOODS: Everyone who comes to the Center may select clothing, house wares, and personal items. We try to accommodate emergency requests. 549–3968 ext 206 for details.

DROP–IN CENTER: The Center provides a friendly, supportive environment for a wide variety of people including those who feel isolated because of circumstances of disability, poverty, and cultural differences.

INFORMATION & REFERRAL SERVICES: Our staff can help find the right person or program for you in your particular situation.

We are always looking for volunteers to sort clothing, prepare lunch, pick up food donations, enter data, assist with the regularly scheduled jobs, or help with an unexpected need. People with computer proficiency, fundraising, recycling, and carpentry knowledge are especially needed.

Are you interested in helping out? We want to hear from you. To talk about volunteering individually or with your group, please call 413 549–3968, ext. 205.

Services offered: Advocacy, Volunteer, Resource Referrals; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Lunches (Hot); Thrift Store
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; United Way
Updated Jan 23, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1029

Pantry Shelf, The

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
105 Adams St., Quincy, MA 02169

Phone 617–773–6203
Web www.interfaithsocialservices.org/food_pantry.html
Hours Mon – Fri (walk–in basis) / Sat (by appointment)
Service Temporary

The Pantry Shelf provides free food for individuals and families in need, over 4000 South Shore households, over 10,000 people a year. We try to provide 3–5 days of food for our customers. They may come for food one time a month.

Our customers are South Shore residents who because of financial hardship need assistance with food. Many are on fixed incomes due to age or disability, while others are unemployed or Transitional Assistance recipients. Some come on a one time emergency basis, others on a more regular basis. They reside in one of the ten South Shore communities served by the Pantry Shelf: Braintree, Cohasset, Hingham, Holbrook, Hull, Milton, Quincy, Randolph, Scituate and Weymouth.

Most of our food is provided through the goodwill of hundreds of caring individuals, the various faith communities, businesses, schools, and civic and fraternal organizations. Monetary donations enable us to provide items not normally donated.

Volunteers dedicated to helping others staff the Pantry Shelf. There are many ways you can get involved; initiate or sponsor a food drive, volunteer on a regular basis or for special food drives, start a ?Bring a Can? basket in your home, office or regular meeting place. Become our partner as we work to help feed our neighbors on the South Shore.

Mon – Fri (walk–in basis)
10:00am – 11:45am

Sat (by appointment)
10:00am – 11:45am

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jan 26, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1015

Prison Book Program (c/o Lucy Parsons Bookstore)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Service
1306 Hancock Street, #100, Quincy, MA 02169

Phone (617) 423–3298
Contact call or write for info
Email info@prisonbookprogram.org

Web www.prisonbookprogram.org
Service Temporary

From their website:

Books We Need for Prisoners – Paperbacks

Donations must be in good condition. Typically, books that are over 25 years old cannot be used, as they are often outdated or in poor condition.

We can use most non–fiction and fiction in new or very good condition.

The following subjects and genres are in constant demand:

African–American studies
The Autobiography of Malcolm X and works about or by Martin Luther King, Jr.
Native American studies
Mexican, Aztec, and Mayan studies
Puerto Rican studies
English dictionaries, thesauruses, and foreign language dictionaries
GED Prep
Spanish/English dictionaries and books in Spanish
How to start a small business.
Jailhouse lawyer legal materials
Health especially HIV and Hepatitis C
Gay/lesbian/bisexual/transgender studies
Trades (i.e. woodworking, automotive, etc.)
Spirituality & Religion – especially Bible concordances & dictionaries, Islam and non–mainstream religions such as Wicca, Paganism, Buddhism, New Age, etc.
History
Psychology and philosophy
Secret societies and the occult (e.g., Masons, Rosicrucian Order, extra terrestrials, etc.)
Mysteries
Westerns
Bookstore gift certificates to help purchase hard–to–find titles are gratefully accepted! We are a non–profit organization with 501(c) 3 status, so your donations are fully tax–deductible.

Where To Bring Donations

Book donations can be dropped off at the PBP office in the basement of the United First Parish Church in Quincy Center during our normal volunteer hours. Because of space limitations, please contact us if you are bringing more than six boxes (617–423–3298 or info@prisonbookprogram.org). We have a very limited availability to pick up donations; please contact us for more details.

Book Drives and Book Drop Off Sites

Please contact us if your business, church, or other organization would like to serve as a book drop off center and/or hold a book drive!

Updated Sep 3, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3635

Quincy Crisis Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
282 Billings Road; P.O. Box 31, Quincy, MA 02170

Phone Business/Volunteer 617–847–6967 Emergency Hotline 617–471–7075
Web www.sharingweb.org
Checks payable to Quimcy Crisis Center
Service Temporary

Hot Meal Program:
The Quincy Crisis Center's food programs include emergency food delivery, daily hot meals and a holiday meal program. A major piece of our mission is to "advance a culture of compassion." To that end, we encourage the donation of food, time, and relationship along with financial donations. Approximately 80% of the hot meals served in our noon feeding program are prepared and provided as in–kind donations from a variety of individuals, church and civic groups. We have a "Walk the Block" program and other programs that solicit canned goods, holiday turkeys and hams, produce and baked goods for both feeding programs. A variety of individuals,

churches, businesses and civic groups and organizations assist us. We minimize the money we actually spend on food by using what we have to encourage others to give of themselves.

LOCATION:

United First Parish Church
1306 Hancock Street
Quincy, MA

(Note, donations of food are accepted at the Crisis Center, not the church)

Services offered: Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Food Pantry, Mobile Food Pantry; Food, Holiday * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Home Delivered Meals; Meals, Hot Meals; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Visitation, Emotional Care, For Seniors, Volunteer ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Updated May 14, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1016

Southwest Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Service
388 Granite St., Quincy, MA 02169

QCAP's SWCC is a friendly welcoming place where people often come for a particular service and end up feeling better about themselves and their community. The SWCC is located in a former church building in Quincy's Brewer's Corner neighborhood and houses QCAP's Emergency Food Center and Adult Basic Education Program. The SWCC serves people throughout Quincy and many surrounding towns. The staff and volunteers at the center have created a warm caring atmosphere where an individual's needs can be met and their strengths valued.

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Meals, For Homeless Residents; Meals, Hot Meals; School, Adult Education/Adult School
Updated Apr 27, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1018

Mission of Deeds (furniture/household goods recycling)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Furniture Bank
6 Chapin Ave, Reading, MA 01867

Phone 781–944–9797
Web www.missionofdeeds.org/about_mission.html
Serves Middlesex or Essex Counties
Eligibility These items are distributed to families and individuals who are referred to us by social service agencies
Service Temporary

To inquire about individual or corporate donations, please contact
Pat Fenton at pat.fenton@missionofdeeds.org or
Bruce Murison at bruce.murison@missionofdeeds.org

All items must be in good condition. No rips or stains on any upholstered furniture. Mattresses and box springs must be in "like new" condition.

In most cases, items on the "needed" list may be dropped off at our warehouse without an appointment Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., as well as every second Saturday of the month, from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.[Directions]. However, if you plan to drop off large items, such as chairs, kitchen tables, or bedroom sets, please call us to schedule an appointment for assistance in unloading the items at our warehouse.

Also, we will send a team of volunteers and our box truck to your home or business to pick up donated items. To schedule a pick up, or drop off appointment, please contact one of our volunteers at 781–944–9797.

We will pick–up donated items if your home or business is located in any of the following cities or towns:

Burlington
Lynnfield
North Reading

Reading
Stoneham
Wakefield
Wilmington
Winchester
Woburn

Their website also contains a nice list of other similar orgs.

http://www.missionofdeeds.org/donations_notneeded.html

Services offered: Appliances, Large, * Household (ANY/ALL Types); Appliances, Small * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service, Large Item Donation Pickup; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Furniture, Furniture Bank; Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Linens, Bedding, Sheets * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Updated Oct 16, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4700

Dudley Street Neighborhood Intiative (DSNI)

Walk-in Resource · Open

504 Dudley Street, Roxbury, MA 02119
Phone 617-442-9670
Contact Director
Email urbanvillage @ dsni . org
Web www.dsni.org
Service Temporary

Services:

SUSTAINABLE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

COMMUNITY EMPOWERMENT

YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES & DEVELOPMENT

URBAN VILLAGE

KROC CENTER (employment center)

Services offered: Advocacy, Anti-Poverty; Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Economic Justice for Impoverished Populations; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Community, Housing Development; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Services, Youth Services; Advocacy, Social Justice; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Demographic Served: Caregivers; Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Families; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Demographic Served: Unemployed; Demographic Served: Victims of Economic Injustice, Urban; Demographic Served: Victims of Environmental Injustice; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Facility: Job Center; Housing, Group Home, Teen, Teenage Boy's; Services, Emergency Services; Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Services, Youth Services, Crime Prevention Programs; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Networking Group, Daycare for Children; Social Event, Networking Group, Employment/Professional Networking; Social Event, Networking Group, Families; Social Event, Networking Group, Families w/Young Children; Youth, After-School, Afterschool Program; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: Social Activists/Organizers
Updated Jul 4, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8723

Goodwill Industries Job Training Center

Walk-in Resource · Open

Job Training
45 Congress Street, Salem, MA 01970
Phone (978) 825-5000, (617) 541-1242
Web goodwillmass.org/programs_job.html
Eligibility needs based, developmentally delayed
Service Permanent

From the website:

Programs & Services: Job Training

Goodwill's job training programs provide training and support services developed around an individual's skill level, life situation and career aspirations. Job training programs are also designed to meet the needs of various industry sectors, including retail, hospitality and tourism and general business.

Job training program participants typically pursue one of three paths:

Individuals with developmental and other disabilities who require structured supports to work typically are trained and work at Goodwill. Over time, many transition to work in the community.
Individuals with limited or no work history, low educational attainment and/or language barriers typically complete a work–readiness program as the first step to entering the workforce.
Individuals with some work experience often enroll in programs that provide them with the basic financial, literacy and computer skills needed for entry–level administrative jobs.
Once program graduates enter the workforce, Goodwill provides ongoing support to help them keep their jobs and advance in them. Job Training programs fall into four main categories:

Rehabilitation and Vocational Services

Goodwill offers a variety of short– and long–term rehabilitation and vocational programs designed for individuals with disabilities. Programs are available to a broad array of individuals with varying needs and abilities. Through many of these programs, we assist participants in achieving these goals through a paid work experience that simulates competitive expectations. Job development and job placement activities are provided to ensure positive employment outcomes. Once a position has been secured, job coaching provides support to the individual in achieving and maintaining the employer's standards.

Long–Term Rehabilitation Programs

Day Habilitation Program offers a broad variety of active treatments that are planned and designed to increase participants' levels of functioning. This program can lead participants to a possible transition into a work preparation or supported employment program. The program aims to support individuals in reaching their optimal level of physical, intellectual, social, and vocational capability.

Employment Supports Program serves people with mental retardation and developmental disabilities and empowers them to become competitively employed and participating members of their communities. Services include vocational and situational assessment, individual vocational counseling, skills training, computer training classes, as well as social interaction, pre–employment, job development, job placement, and post placement supports.

For more information, please call (617) 541–1242.

Short–Term Rehabilitation Programs

Employment Services is designed to increase employment opportunities for people with disabilities through greater choice and flexibility of services. All services are individualized and designed in response to a participant's preferences, skills, and needs.

Community–Based Employment Services is designed to increase employment opportunities for people with disabilities in the community through a wide range and flexibility of services, including assessment, placement, and employment supports to ensure long–term stability in employment.

Vocational Services offers a broad range of innovative and comprehensive services that address rehabilitation, employment, and career development needs for individuals with disabilities.

Vocational Evaluation assists individuals in identifying appropriate job and training options based on their strengths and interests, along with factors that may be obstacles to job placement and maintenance.

School–to–Work Program provides job exploration and hands–on experiences to high school students who wish to investigate vocational opportunities in their community. This program is available through a cooperative effort with the City of Salem, the Salem Public Schools, and the Lynn Public Schools.

For more information, please call (617) 541–1242.

Workforce Development Programs

Workforce Development Programs are targeted to low income men and women with significant barriers to self–sufficiency, including lack of basic skills, chronic unemployment, welfare dependency, and lack of English fluency. Building on its job training expertise in working with individuals with disabilities, Goodwill introduced First Step, its first workforce development program for individuals transitioning from welfare to work, in the fall of 1996. The First Step program has become the prototype for similar programs in six metropolitan areas and has been recognized by The White House as a model for serving individuals with barriers to employment.

Since that time, Goodwill has expanded the scope and number of our Workforce Development training programs to include the following:

First Step: Retail Training

First Step is a three–week retail–training program developed in collaboration with The TJX Companies. Program participants receive training in customer service, basic computer skills, and resume writing. The program guarantees job placement for individuals who successfully complete the program.

Step Up: Office and Computer Skills Training

Step Up is a 16–week program that prepares program participants for work in a professional office setting through office and computer skills training as well as resume writing and Internet skills. Post–placement support is also provided to ensure job retention.

Career Focus: Job Retention and Career Advancement

Career Focus provides post–placement supports to help individuals retain their jobs, advance in their careers and achieve economic self–sufficiency and, when necessary, find re–employment. The program offers case management, referrals for training, seminars on computer training, education, housing and childcare, and clothing assistance for job interviews. Childcare is available for evening workshops.

For more information about Workforce Development programs and eligibility, please contact Programs & Services at (617) 445–1010.

Skills Training

Goodwill skills training program participants have an opportunity to enhance their skills training, gain real work experience, and earn a paycheck by working in one of the following Goodwill's business enterprises:

Retail Training today continues a tradition that began with Reverend Helms at the turn of the twentieth century. Through work at Goodwill's processing plant and retail stores, participants gain skills in both the back and front ends of a retail operation. Some participants sort, inspect and tag newly donated clothing and goods, while others work as sales associates in the Goodwill Stores.

Food Services Training provides a training experience in which participants learn at their own pace. Each component, such as dishwashing, salad preparation, grill cooking or deli preparation builds upon the others giving participants a solid background for employment in restaurants and cafeterias in the community.

The Outsource Resource Training consists of closely supervised and structured work for people with disabilities in light assembly, packaging and mailing services under contract to local industry. This work is performed in our modern job training center. Participants learn job skills and gain experience with real work at a competitive wage.

Building and Property Maintenance Services Training is designed to provide on–the–job training and instruction in basic techniques such as daily and periodic cleaning, floor and carpet care, meeting/banquet set–up, and grounds maintenance.

For more information, please contact Maureen Hudd, Manager of In–House Instruction at (617) 541–1229.

Clothing Collaborative for Job Trainees

Launched in 1999, the Clothing Collaborative for Job trainees makes available "professional" clothing to male and female job seekers who participate in Boston–based job training and placement programs to assist them in their efforts to obtain and retain meaningful employment. Clothing is provided free of charge.

The Clothing Collaborative creates an opportunity, through wardrobe seminars scheduled throughout the year, for job training graduates to learn the basics of dressing appropriately for work. Graduates are also able to choose career attire for job interviews or work. Work–appropriate clothing—displayed at clothing seminars—is supplied through clothing drives hosted by local corporations and organizations throughout the year.

Participants from other training programs in the Boston area are invited to participate.

For more information, please call Programs & Services at (617) 445–1010.

Services offered: Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Hotline, Job Hotline; Jobs, Paying; School, Adult Education/Adult School; Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Employment, Job Assistance, for "at–risk" Job Applicants; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Services, Employment, Paid Professionals; Training Classes, Business Skills; Training Classes, Employment, On the Job, Training; Training Classes, Life Skills (Special Needs); Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: Goodwill; Goodwill Industries International, Inc.
Updated Dec 3, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3907

HAWC – Help for Abused Women and their Children

Walk–in Resource · Open

Battered Women's Shelter
Salem, MA
Service Temporary

Candace Waldron, Executive Director

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Advocacy, Domestic Violence; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Short–Term Housing Referrals; Housing, Transitional Housing; Housing, Transitional Housing (For Battered Women/Children); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Women's Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency

Shelter; Shelter, Emergency Shelter, Youth Focused; Shelter, Womens, Battered Womens Shelter; Shelter, Women's Shelter
Updated Nov 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2876

Parts and Crafts (UnSchooling/FREESCHOOL for kids AND adults, makerspace/thinkerspace! $ for those who can afford it)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Somerville, MA

Web partsandcrafts.org/about–us
Service Temporary

Services offered: Art Project; Art Therapy Program For Disaster Survivors; Assistance, Referrals, Childcare/Childrens Programs; Business Internship Opportunities for Young Adults; Community, Recreation, Recreational Programs; Community Service Program; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Education, Unschooling; Entertainment, Arts; Event Listings; Events, Community Meetings; Events, Social, Holiday Event * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Information Resource, Alternative Schools/ Education; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Sharing Networks/Timebanks; New "Business" Models, Education; Resource Bank; Resource Website for "Green" (incl socially just) Products/Services; Resource Website for "Green" Living Suggestions; School * (ANY/ALL Types); School, College, Community College; School, Elementary; School, Kindergarten; School, New Educational Concept; Service, Bartering; Services, Educational Services (See also Category for School); Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Kid's Cafe Program (Youth); Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Youth Services, Crime Prevention Programs; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Tool Bank, Community; Tool Lending; Training Workshops, Art Workshops; Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Program
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Co–Operative Businesses, Coops, Co–ops, Cooperatives; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Neighborhood Network; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Jan 6, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9903

Somerville Community Fridge, Prospect St [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

35 Prospect St (CrossFit), Somerville, MA 02143

Web www.instagram.com/somervillecommunityfridge
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10463

Somerville Community Fridge, Sewall St [24x7 free food] COMING SOON

Walk–in Resource · Standby

36 Sewall St., Somerville, MA 02143

Web www.instagram.com/somervillecommunityfridge
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10464

Somerville Homeless Coalition (Project Soup)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Grace Baptist Church; 59 Cross St., Somerville, MA

Phone 617–776–7687
Web www.somervillehomelesscoalition.org/default.htm
Hours M, T, F 10:00 – 2:00 PM, Wednesday 12:00 – 4:00 PM, Thursday 3:00 – 6:00 PM
Checks payable to Somerville Homeless Coalition or go to: http://www.somervillehomelesscoalition.org/My_Homepage_Files/Page5.html

Project Soup, New England's first free supper program, opened in 1969. Recognized for its work to combat hunger. Project Soup serves 70 people a day. Food donations, monetary contributions, and volunteered time are always welcome and needed.

The mission of the Somerville Homeless Coalition is to provide vulnerable individuals and families with personalized supportive services and tailored housing solutions. We are committed to treating people with dignity and respect, always with the understanding that they are part of our community.

PANTRY HOME DELIVERY

Monthly groceries delivered to eligible elderly and disabled individuals in Somerville and Cambridge. By application only.

SERVE NEW ENGLAND

“Double–your–money” food package including meats, fresh fruits and vegetables, staples. $15 regular, $9 meat, $16 veggie package, and two hours community service monthly.

NUTRITION CLASSES

Project SOUP in collaboration with Operation Frontline offers nutrition classes in both English and Spanish. All classes are free, and conducted by local chefs in the Boston area.

BENEFIT OUTREACH

Project SOUP provides benefit outreach to our clients with food stamp application assistance, referrals to other agencies, health and nutrition outreach, etc.

Grace Baptist Churst
59 Cross Street, East
Somerville
M, T, F 10:00 – 2:00 PM
Wednesday 12:00 – 4:00 PM
Thursday 3:00 – 6:00 PM

East Pantry
100 Temple Street
Tuesday 3:00 – 5:00 PM
Saturday 10:00 – Noon

West Pantry
139 Alewife Parkway
Wednesday 11:00 – 2:00 PM

Dollar–A–Bag
59 Cross Street
Tuesday 3:00 – 4:00 PM

Community Suppers
First Congregational Church of Somerville
89 College Avenue, Davis Square
Monday – Beginning at 5:00 PM

Services offered: Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Food Pantry, Mobile Food Pantry; Shelter, Homeless Shelter
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Apr 15, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1008

St. Michaels Orthodox Church / St. Michaels Community Meal

Walk–in Resource · Open

16 Romanian Avenue, Southbridge, MA 01550
Phone 508–765–5276
Service Temporary

Meal Served: 1st,3rd & 4th Thursday 4:30PM–6:30PM

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf Dated October 2012.
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9386

Mental Health Crisis Line/Coalition of Responders

Walk–in Resource · Open

statewide, MA

Phone (800) 495–0086, Crisis Line: (800) 981–4357
Web www.masspartnership.com/esp
Service Temporary

Provider Directory: http://www.masspartnership.com/provider/pdf/2012ESPDirectoryFIN4912.pdf

andrea.hall @ bmc.org

Every ESP provides behavioral health crisis assessment, intervention and stabilization services, 24 hours per day/7 days per week/365 days per year, through 4 service components: Mobile Crisis Intervention (MCI) services for youth, adult mobile services, ESP community based locations, and community crisis stabilization (CCS) services for ages 18 and over. The operating hours for the ESP community based locations are noted in the ESP Directory. Mobile Crisis Intervention services for youth are available 24 hours per day/7 days per week. The operating hours for adult mobile services are 24 hours per day/7 days per week: during this time period, mobile services will be available from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. at any/all locations, and from 8 p.m. to 7 a.m. this service will be available in residential programs and hospital emergency departments. CCS services are available 24 hours per day/7 days per week and can be accessed through the ESP.

Also this group has gathered materials for a conference, including how police, crisis, and community–based mental health services can work together to improve responses to veterans and others with emotional disturbances.
COStaffDev@dmh.state.ma.us

http://www.facebook.com/UMassCMHSR/posts/459305640751254

Services offered: Advocacy, Individuals w/Mental Illness; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Youth Services; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Trauma Counseling Services; Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Directories, Directory of Services, County/Parish; Directories, Directory of Services, Disabled Services; Directories, Directory of Services, Statewide; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Directories, Online Database Resource; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Hotline, Crisis Hotline (For Survivors of Disaster); Hotline, Health Information/Resource Hotline; Information Resource, ADA & Useful Info for Disabled Folks; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Services, Outpatient; Mental Health Services; Resource Databases for Supplies/ Services (NO FEE)

Updated May 25, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9153

Stow Food Pantry @ The First Parish Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit

353 Great Rd; The First Parish Church; Route 117, Stow, MA

Phone (978) 897–4230
Web stowcommunitychest.org/pages/stowfood.html
Hours Twice Monthly, Fridays from 9 am to 11 am
Service Temporary

The First Parish Church,
Route 117, PO Box 437,
Stow, Ma. 01775.
Telephone: 978–897–4230

Financial Contacts:
Judi Toop (978) 897–3038 judi82@comcast.net
Kim Manning (978) 456–2721 themanningclan@yahoo.com

The Stow Food Pantry is a non–profit, all–volunteer organization dedicated to the distribution of food to those in need serving the communities of Acton, Bolton, Boxborough, Lancaster, Maynard, and Stow, Massachusetts.

Established 1990

All Volunteer Group..
Non Profit..
Community Based..
Distribute Food Twice Monthly..
Serve Surrounding Communities.

Supported through:
Individual donations
Community organizations
Food drives

We collect, pack, and distribute food twice a month on Fridays from 9 am to 11 am. All clients come with a written referral from a member of the clergy, social worker, or other community resident who can substantiate their need.

The Stow Food Pantry wishes to thank the many people and organizations who support us through donations and time. Their care and consideration is greatly appreciated each and every week.

Volunteers makes these efforts possible. Please call 978–897–4230 to volunteer your time.

The Stow Food Pantry works cooperatively with:

– Project Bread
– Massachusetts Emergency Food Assistance Program
– Worcester County Food Bank

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food, Canned, Meals * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Hotline, Food Bank/Pantry Hotline (Find Emergency Food Help); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Food Vouchers
Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts; Government, State/County; Project Bread
Updated Nov 20, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1535

Presbyterian Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
330 Concord Road; Route 27 and Concord Road., Sudbury, MA 01776
Phone (978) 443–9151
Web www.pcsudbury.org/mission.html

Rev. Dr. D. William McIvor

Our Outreach and Service Mission Statement is:

We are called to reach out, in our service and in our finances, to those outside our faith community who need our help. (See Matthew 25:31–46) As a team, we encourage everyone in the church and community to participate actively in Christian outreach and service, and facilitate and coordinate their participation.

We encourage you to participate in any of the following outreach and service opportunities. Some are opportunities to give financially to those who need our support. Others are opportunities for you to get personally involved in service to others. Either way, these will be experiences of Christian giving of ourselves and our resources that you won't soon forget. Also see our Outreach and Service Bulletin Board in the upstairs hallway just outside the church office.

PRESBYTERIAN COFFEE PROJECT

The Presbyterian Coffee Project is a new way to help people in need while enjoying fellowship and an excellent cup of coffee. Presbyterian congregations that participate are supporting fair trade––practices which complement our mission with farmers in Latin America, Africa and Asia, as well as our commitment to stewardship of the natural environment. We purchase this coffee for our Fellowship use.

You can purchase coffee at wholesale prices by using the order form on the web or available in Fellowship Hall.

WORSHIP AT WINGATE

Worship at Wingate began in 1990 as a project of PCIS Deacons in response to the concerns of the family of the late Edith Person. Mrs. Person was a devout Presbyterian who had been relocated from Florida to the Wingate Nursing Home in Sudbury and there found herself without an outlet for worship in the tradition meaningful to her. The Wingate worship–fellowship outreach became an immediate success, not only for Edith but also for many other residents of the facility. Worship at Wingate was then and remains to this day the only Protestant worship conducted at the facility.

The Worship at Wingate monthly worship is enthusiastically embraced by residents, and praised by their families and the Wingate staff. The program has grown significantly. From a handful of residents, attendance has more than tripled and now averages 30 and occasionally reaches highs of 40+. Volunteers (many from our Junior, Senior and Confirmation Classes) have led worship, provided music and engaged Wingate residents in fellowship on the third Sunday of each month. Each resident receives a bulletin–order of service with hymns at each service. The Wingate staff notes that many residents keep them at their bedside after the service and between our visits. Special Christmas cards commemorating Christ's special meaning for older folks were distributed to each resident congregant and special provision is always made for time with those unable to attend the service.

More help is needed, particularly in getting patients/residents from their rooms to the service. Simply put: the more volunteers we have…the more opportunity the Wingate folks will have to get to the only Protestant worship service they have! Volunteers are also needed to provide special music and to lead worship.

The commitment required is generally not more than one hour once a month. If you can help (whether each month or once or twice a year) please contact Pete Raymond or leave a message at the church office 978–443–9151. The need is great. We don't

want to neglect somebody because we haven't the manpower to get to them. It's only an hour spent with some wonderful folks for whom the hour means so very much.

SALVATION ARMY MIRACLE KITCHEN

On the second Friday of the month, every two out of three months, our church sponsors a dinnertime meal at the Salvation Army soup kitchen in Framingham. This has proven to be an excellent way that people can become involved in a very rewarding mission. This activity is organized in such a way that there are many ways an individual can participate, yielding a wide variety of opportunities. You can cook a meal, and/or you can help us serve.

Sudbury Food Pantry

The Sudbury Food Pantry supports over 100 families in the Sudbury area.

Please leave any donations of food, soap, diapers, etc. in the baskets in our entryway.

The food pantry needs volunteers to distribute food at the Food Pantry at Our Lady of Fatima Church. If you could volunteer a few hours on 2 to 4 days a month, please contact a member of O&S.

Neighbor to Neighbor

SURPRISED? Yes, there is need right in our own backyard in Sudbury!

Over the last six (6) years, a small portion of our mission dollars have gone to support the "Neighbor To Neighbor" program, a partnership of our church's Outreach and Service Team with the Town of Sudbury social worker. Did you know that some of the needs satisfied through your offerings were:

· Short term interim medication for an 80 year old widow with breast cancer who could not afford her doctor's prescribed dosage.

· Life long monitoring (You know: I've fallen and I can't get up) for 6 months for an 82 year widower.

· Hearing aid for single mom, deaf in both ears and unemployed.

· Short term fuel assistance for 79 year old widow whose husband died, and she had no money or understanding how to manage finances.

· Tuition to day camp at Longfellow's Children's Center for a 10 year old with behavior problems.

· Phone bill payments for terminally ill mom, with mentally ill husband and 2 small children.

These are only a sampling of the many short term emergency needs we have been able to respond to through God's love and your pledges and offerings.

Senior In–Home Fix–It Program: We need people to do very small odd jobs for local elderly who live at home. They need help with such simple things as getting up on step stools to change light bulbs.

Middlesex County Prison Coordinating Committee

An organization that the Outreach and Service Team supports is the Middlesex County Prison Coordinating Committee (MCPCC). This one–of–kind citizen group is composed of members of the faith community who monitor and support programs relating to county–level corrections. The committee is led by a dedicated executive board that meets once a month.

The committee accomplishes much with very little, all toward "a ministry of the whole prison system… The correctional officers, the staff, the administration, and the prisoners." Some MCPCC activities have included:

Collecting used books for the prison library
Facilitating discussion of prison issues
Collecting winter jackets and sweatshirts
Advocating for chapel space
Supporting a chaplain's discretionary fund
Encouraging treatment programs for gambling, drug and alcohol abuse
Awarding prizes for art and poetry contests
Advocating on behalf of officers and staff concerning salaries and working conditions

The MCPCC has had a long and successful life thanks in part to our donations through the Outreach and Service Team. Money donated goes toward paying a small stipend to the committee's coordinator, as well as for other minor expenses including postage for their monthly newsletter.

SEASONAL OUTREACH

January – Roxbury Church Social Impact Center

The RPC Social Impact Center, Inc. is partnering with the Roxbury Presbyterian Church to raise funds to renovate space in the lower level of the Roxbury Presbyterian Church. This space will be used for the Social Impact Center's existing academically–focused after–school program, for a planned computer education center, for youth outreach, and for other community–focused activities such as poetry readings, drama, etc. In addition, the space will continue to be used for weekly AA meetings and for other community gatherings.

Here is an article on Roxbury Presbyterian Church and its pastor, Hurman Hamilton.

February – Camp Wilmot

This offering supports the Camp Wilmot program. Our contributions go to bringing children to summer camp – children that will not be able to go without some assistance – and other needs of the camp. Many of the campers we once assisted have become the backbone of summer camp at Camp Wilmot and in turn have encouraged an ever growing number of youth from other churches throughout New England to take part.

March – MATE (Mission At The Eastward)

MATE is a cooperative parish which brings together nine congregations in Central Maine, and works with partner congregations from away. Sharing in worship, pastoral ministry and outreach with the larger community, Mission at the Eastward witnesses to the Gospel's promise of wholeness. Our offering supports their housing ministry which rehabilitates housing for people in central Maine who would not otherwise be able to afford to fix up their houses to withstand the Maine winter.

April – One Great Hour of Sharing

Contributions to One Great Hour of Sharing make a difference in the lives of people worldwide. This offering supports the mission work of the Presbyterian Church and our interfaith partners. It provides emergency relief to victims of disasters. Our gifts keep working, helping people to rebuild their villages, their homes, and their lives long after the world's attention to the immediate disaster is past. Another part of this offering helps poor communities find and develop new sources of food and clean water. We help to improve health standards and literacy. We provide modest loans to poor people seeking to start small businesses in order to become self–supporting. We help resettle refugees from famines and wars, and we provide ministries with homeless children in the inner cities of the world. One Great Hour of Sharing, nearly 50 years old, continues to respond to needs equally critical as when it was first created.

May – Youth mission fund auction

Each May, we hold an auction to raise funds to sponsor our youth on a mission trip. The youth have gone to Georgia, North Carolina, Michigan, and other places, where they have helped with housing rehabilitation, repair of church and community facilities, and just making a difference in some peoples' lives. The funds also sponsor additional youth activities during the year.

June – Little Children of the Philippines

This offering funds the pre–schools of the Little Children of the Philippines, or LCP. The LCP mission is to help impoverished children through strong, caring Christian communities. The building blocks of this mission are the parent empowerment program, the basic health program, the sponsorship program, and the program for handicapped children. In the pre–schools, children come to get a strong foundation for success in formal school. They get a nutritious snack and vitamins to help with persistent malnutrition. They get access to basic health care, and they learn about Jesus.

Lee Betts at PCIS on May 21, 2000

We encourage you to also sponsor a Philippine child to help them through their school years. Many have contributed this way and have found it to be a great way to help others who cannot help themselves but give back in their own way.

August – MATE

A group of 15–20 people from our church spend a week in Maine working directly on the houses. For example, last summer we replaced uninsulated windows in an elderly woman's trailer, and a drafty front door in an elderly woman's home. This is a great way to become personally involved in helping others and to join others in Christian fellowship.

September and December – Framingham Resource Center

Just before school starts, and just before Christmas, you can Sponsor a Child by buying needed clothing and school supplies. You receive the name and basic information about a child. You shop for that child and we collect our contributions and take them to the center where they are distributed to the children. It is a great way to help a child to be ready for school, or to have a little for Christmas that they would not otherwise have

October – CROP Walk

The 24th Annual CROP Walk for the Hungry takes place in Concord on a Sunday in October. Kicking off at 2:15pm from First Parish in Concord, Lexington Road in the center of Concord, participating walkers will again enjoy the autumn beauty of some of Concord's most historic country roads, as they walk to raise money for the hungry of local communities and around the world. Come early and enjoy music on the First Parish green, starting at 1:30pm in front of First Parish Church.

Local funds raised are allocated to five area community supper/pantry programs: the Open Table in Concord, the Community Supper in Acton; the Sudbury Community Food Pantry, the Maynard Food Pantry, and the Bedford Community Table/Pantry. In addition, the CROP Walk supports Church World Service in its current relief efforts worldwide, including the continuation of the "All Our Children" campaign in Iraq, to provide medical and surgical supplies to hospitals and to fill significant gaps in general health services for youth. Two renovations recently completed were a children's home in Beit al Tutul and the Karbala Pediatric Institute. For more details, see the Church World Service web site at <www.churchworldservice.org>.

November – Joshua Matenjwa Presbyterian Church in Limuru, Kenya

We sponsor individual students in Limuru, where they would not be able to go to high school without our support. We provide Christmas dinner and classroom supplies for the church Sunday School.

December –

Christmas Joy fund

Presbyterians have long celebrated the birth of Jesus Christ by giving generously to a Christmas season offering. Fifty percent of the receipts to the Christmas Joy Offering are distributed to the Board of Pensions for assistance programs that provide support to retired and active church workers and their spouses and families. The other fifty percent supports the eight Presbyterian–related racial ethnic schools and colleges through the National Ministries Division of the General Assembly Council.

Operation Christmas Child

Christmas is about sharing the gift of God's son, Jesus Christ, with the world. Our church is providing you with the unique opportunity to share Christ with a needy child by using a simple shoe box! A child overseas can receive your shoe box, hand delivered, along with Christian literature in his or her own language. The boxes are fun and easy to fill with small toys, school supplies, and other gifts.

Alternative Christmas Fair

Each year in December, we hold an alternative Christmas fair at the church to provide an opportunity for you to purchase Christmas presents in a way that helps artisans in 40 countries around the world. Most of the goods come through SERRV, and organization that provides a way for us to find gifts and crafts from those disadvantaged artisans from around the world. We also provide Presbyterian Coffee and an opportunity to give the gift of an animal through Heifer International.

Habitat for Humanity

We are proud to have created the partnership with the Boston Presbytery in building a townhouse in Roxbury through Habitat for Humanity Boston.

Services offered: Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Services, Senior Programs
Campaigns: Habitat For Humanity
Updated Jul 8, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1546

Sudbury Food Pantry @ The Presbyterian Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
160 Concord Rd, Sudbury, MA
Phone (978) 443–7725
Web www.pcsudbury.org/mission.html

Sudbury Food Pantry

The Sudbury Food Pantry supports over 100 families in the Sudbury area.

Please leave any donations of food, soap, diapers, etc. in the baskets in our entryway.

The food pantry needs volunteers to distribute food at the Food Pantry at Our Lady of Fatima Church. If you could volunteer a few hours on 2 to 4 days a month, please contact a member of O&S.

Other projects at: http://www.pcsudbury.org/mission.html

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Jul 8, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1536

Baptist Church of All Nations

Walk–in Resource · Open

Social Services
61 Winthrop St, Taunton, MA 02780
Phone (508) 822–3454
Contact Reverend Luz Celeniar Tirado
Email PastorLucy@aol.com
Web www.thebcan.org/page/page/3719183.htm
Service Temporary

Administration:

Patricia C. Silvia

tbcoan61@verizon.net

Angela Skerritt
Chairwoman of the Women's Missionary Fellowship
upnths@juno.com

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Womens Rights; Community Service Program; Counseling, Spiritual; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Women's Services; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2010 Massachusetts Flooding; 2010 New England Flooding; American Baptist Churches–USA; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Tri–State LTRG (New England)
Updated Jun 13, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5942

Citizens For Citizens, Inc. (CFC)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
1 Taunton Green, Taunton, MA 02780
Phone (508) 823–6346
Web www.cfcinc.org

From the website:

It is CFC's mission to:

A. Assist members of the low–income community by the provision of services and programs which attack the cycle of poverty.

B. Advocate on behalf of low–income people with governmental agencies, private agencies and the community–at–large.

C. Be a major player in the Human Services Network so that all present a unified front in attacking the causes and effects of poverty.

SENIOR PROGRAMS:

Foster Grandparent Program
(508) 679–0041

Foster Grandparents serve children with special needs throughout Fall River and Taunton areas while providing added income for elderly residents who enjoy working with children.

Senior Aide Program
(508) 679–0041

Seniors with limited income are given the opportunity to earn extra income while providing communities with invaluable skills. The program also provides training and job location assistance for seniors 55 years of age and older.

RSVP
(508) 679–0041

Retired Senior Volunteer Program participants 55 and over are placed in worthwhile activities in public and private non–profit agencies throughout the service area.

CHILD CARE PROGRAMS:

After School Child Care ~
Provides after school and vacation child care services. Call (508) 675–2154.

Extended Child Care ~
Provides after school and vacation child care for children on site at public schools. Call (508) 675–2154.

Family Child Care ~
Provides home–based child care for infants, toddlers and preschoolers. Call (508) 324–7517.

HEALTH PROGRAMS:

Family Planning~
Comprehensive family planning services.
In Fall River, call (508) 679–0198.
In Taunton, call (508) 823–6924.

Greater Fall River Teen Opportunities & Prevention Program (T.O.P.P.'s) TOPP's members work with staff to provide primary teen pregnancy prevention programs. Call (508) 675–2157.

Women, Infants and Children (WIC)
Serving Taunton and Attleboro. Provides dietary assessment and counseling, nutrition education, food checks, immunizations.
Taunton (508) 823–6346; Attleboro (508) 226–4543; Norton (508) 285–0235; Seekonk (508) 336–2909; Mansfield (508) 261–7465.

Taunton Reaching Youth (TRY)
Teen pregnancy prevention coalition involving teens, parents, schools and community leaders. Call (508) 828–9242.

ENERGY PROGRAMS:

Fuel Assitance
(508) 679–0041

Fuel Assistance programs in Fall River and Taunton ~ Assists eligible households pay their heating bills during the winter season or until all benefits are exhausted. Clients receive various discounts such as telephone discounts, electric discounts, and gas and oil discounts. Eligibility is based on annual gross household income, family size and annual heat consumption. Income guidelines are established by the federal government. Clients must document a minimum of four consecutive weeks of income or any number not to exceed the prior 52 weeks. Proof of residence is required for all new applicants. Social Security numbers are required of all household members over 18 years of age.

Heating Assistance Program (Heart WAP)
(508) 675–2157 Ext. 135

Provides homeowners and some tenants with repairs and replacement of heating systems. The program operates in the Greater Fall River, Greater New Bedford and Greater Taunton areas. People who meet the federal income eligibility guidelines or households who meet state eligibility criteria which applies to the elderly, handicapped and households with children under six years of age. A tenant must be on Fuel Assistance to receive minor service. The landlord must also be on Fuel Assistance for the tenant to receive major service. Proof of income and ownership is required. The owner is required to sign an agreement allowing the heating system to be evaluated and where warranted, repairs or replacement to be conducted.

Weatherization Assistance Program

Provides insulation, air sealing and storm windows at no cost to homeowner or tenant. The program operates in the Greater Fall River and Greater New Bedford areas. The program serves people who meet the federal income eligibility. Interested people should contact the WAP office at 675–2157 Ext. 133.

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Fuel, Gas, Gasoline; Medical, Services, Family Planning; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Services, Family, Children, Child Care Program; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Vouchers, Food Vouchers; Youth Program
Campaigns: Head Start Program; WIC (Women Infants and Children)
Updated Apr 27, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1020

Franklin Area Survival Center (Thrift Store, Food Pantry, Household stuff, some free to disaster survivors)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Turners Falls, MA 01376

Web franklinareasurvivalcenter.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facility: Community Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Furniture, Furniture Bank; Household Goods (big) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Thrift Store; Warehouse, Warehouse Space

Updated Dec 3, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9755

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Walk–in Resource · Open

SEE NOTES, Various, MA

Service Temporary

June 03, 2011 – For immediate release:
PATRICK–MURRAY ADMINISTRATION ANNOUNCES MASSACHUSETTS STORM ASSISTANCE CENTERS FOR COMMUNITIES IMPACTED BY TORNADOES
State agencies to offer support services in Springfield, Monson/Palmer, Southbridge
BOSTON – Friday, June 3, 2011 – The Patrick–Murray Administration today announced the opening of three Massachusetts Storm Assistance Centers in Springfield, Monson/Palmer and Southbridge that will provide vital supports for individuals and families impacted by severe weather in the region earlier this week. Governor Deval Patrick has called on agencies across state government to work collaboratively to meet the immediate health, human service, housing and employment needs of those affected by the storms.

"The people I have met over the past couple of days are shaken, but resilient, and ready to re–build their lives. By consolidating all available services in one place, these Storm Assistance Centers will make it easier for them to do just that," said Governor Patrick. "We stand alongside those affected by these devastating storms to help wherever we can."

“While visiting these communities following the devastating storm, the Governor and I witnessed first–hand the incredible work of public safety officials and first responders,” said Lieutenant Governor Timothy Murray. “As these communities recover and rebuild, these storm assistance centers will provide individuals, families, neighborhoods and the business community with the critical resources that they all need right now.”

"In the wake of this horrific disaster, these recovery centers will offer vital services and bring much–needed relief to folks who have endured so much over these past few days,” said Senator John Kerry. “There’s a lot of work to be done, but we’re prepared to do everything in our power to help the people of Springfield rebuild their community and move forward with their lives.”

“As we work together to move forward from this disaster, I encourage Massachusetts residents impacted by the severe weather to take advantage of these resources," said Senator Scott Brown. "While the damage inflicted was truly devastating, I am hopeful these Centers will be a valuable tool as we begin the re–building process.”

"Having visited every community impacted by the tornados, I know firsthand that many people need help. These Centers will provide critical assistance and is another indication that the recovery process has begun. But I will continue to do everything I can to help the people of western and central Massachusetts who are in need," said Congressman Richard E. Neal.

“I commend Governor Patrick for taking quick action to help the children and families in need. No one could have imagined the devastation in western and central Massachusetts on Wednesday left by violent storms and tornadoes," said Senate President Therese Murray. "Our hearts go out to those who have lost so much and the families and loved ones of those who were killed and injured. We must all work together and support our fellow citizens during this difficult time.”

"I applaud the Administration for opening these support centers," said House Speaker Robert A. DeLeo. "I plan to work closely with Governor Patrick, Senate President Murray, and the Representatives of the cities and towns struck by this disaster to alleviate the pain, suffering and damage caused by Wednesday's tornadoes. This is something we’re going to work on together for as long as it takes to make these communities whole again."

Agencies of the Executive Offices of Health and Human Services, Housing and Economic Development, and Labor and Workforce Development will be on site in all three communities and will offer meetings with area residents to help them resolve their urgent needs for health, nutrition, housing and employment services.

Secretary of Health and Human Services Dr. JudyAnn Bigby has sent representatives from the Departments of Transitional Assistance, Mental Health, Public Health and Veterans' Services; and the Massachusetts Commission for the Blind to each of the centers to provide personalized assistance to impacted residents.

“We are ready to provide a range of health and human service supports to the individuals and families who were affected by these powerful storms,” said Secretary Bigby. “Our dedicated staff are committed to supporting those who have suffered difficult losses and enrolling them in services and programs for which they may be eligible." Staff will be on site to help individuals and families obtain cash assistance and Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits, seek crisis counseling support services, and enroll in a range of other available benefits.

Secretary of Housing and Economic Development Greg Bialecki will ensure that the storm assistance centers will are staffed by public and private sector economic development leaders and non–profit partners who can offer impacted businesses and homeowners advice on available state and federal resources that can assist with repairs, rebuilding and relocation. Additionally, the Division of Insurance will also be represented by experts who can help guide consumers through the insurance claims process. The Administration is also working with landlords to secure temporary office space for impacted businesses in downtown Springfield.

"Our homeowners and business owners are the backbone of our communities and we are committed to connecting them with the resources that are available so they can rebuild," said Secretary of Housing and Economic Development Greg Bialecki. "These centers will offer guidance on a wide array of assistance, from Small Business Administration funding to business relocation and reopening tools to tips on how to file insurance claims. We stand behind all of the people whose lives and livelihoods have been uprooted and we will not rest until everyone is back on their feet."

Secretary of Labor and Workforce Development Joanne F. Goldstein has dispatched the state's Rapid Response team to help staff each of the three centers. The Rapid Response teams will assist impacted employees with filing for unemployment benefits and include a Spanish speaker at each center. Additionally, a business representative will be available to discuss programs and grant opportunities available to employers and businesses impacted by the storm.

"During this time of need, it is important to provide fast and easy access to unemployment benefits and job training opportunities to those employees impacted by the storms," said Secretary Goldstein.

Individuals and families impacted by the storms are encouraged to visit one of three new Massachusetts Storm Assistance Centers listed below. The Centers will be open today from 3:00 – 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. thereafter, including Saturday and Sunday, until further notice:

Springfield: Department of Transitional Assistance Office
95 Liberty Street, Springfield
(413) 858–1000

Palmer: Department of Developmental Service Central/West Regional Office
171 State Avenue, Monson/Palmer Line, 01069
(413) 283–3411 or (800) 323–3123

Southbridge: Department of Transitional Assistance Office
1 North Street, Southbridge
(508) 765–2400

The Governor declared a state of emergency in Massachusetts on Wednesday following tornado activity that produced high winds, significant property damage, power outages and loss of life. This declaration was amended Thursday to include only those four counties hit hardest by the storms: Worcester County, Hampshire County, Hampden County and Franklin County.

Since the storms passed through Massachusetts on Wednesday evening, the Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency (MEMA) has coordinated federal, state, local, voluntary and private resources following the disaster.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Housing, Relocation Assistance for Disaster Survivors; Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How To, File Disaster Unemployment Claims; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance
Campaigns: 2011 Massachusetts Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated Jun 6, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8545

Veterinary and Emergency Center of New England (Fur/Hair Collection, Nylon Drop Off–Site for OilSpill Hair Boom Effort)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Service
180 BEAR HILL ROAD, Waltham, MA 02454
Phone 781–684–8387
Web vescone.com
Service Temporary

To join the network of hair/fur collection, go to www.matteroftrust.org

This facility is collecting locally.

http://www.boston.com/news/local/articles/2010/06/10/local_salons_join_effort_to_collect_hair_and_fur_for_oil_cleanup/

Boston Globe Article

By Megan McKee
Globe Correspondent / June 10, 2010

Hair salons, pet groomers, and veterinarians in Waltham, Lexington, Acton, and Sherborn have joined a nationwide effort to collect hair and fur clippings for use in natural–fiber oil booms, which are being assembled by hundreds of volunteers in an effort to stem the environmental damage from the massive British Petroleum oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico.

“People are surprised about the concept,” said Marlene Maffei–Ryan, owner of the As You Like It Hair Salon in Acton. However, she said, once people understand the idea, they’re excited about it. Some clients have even had more hair cut off than they originally intended after hearing where the clippings were headed, she said.

“It’s been great. We don’t do anything with the hair anyhow. We bag it and trash it . . . It’s a good cause and it’s easy work for us,” she said.

The effort, which has brought in 570 businesses across Massachusetts, is being mounted by the group Matter of Trust on a website devoted to reducing the carbon imprint of dogs. The group is collecting clippings from salons, groomers, alpaca and llama farmers, individuals, veterinarians, and pet owners. The organization’s president, Lisa Craig Gautier, said she is receiving thousands of e–mails per day, and most are from those wishing to donate.

The organization sends out e–mails with addresses of warehouses where the donors should send clippings. Once there, volunteers stuff them into nylon stockings and tie off the ends. Then they’re ready for deployment.

Craig Gauthier said BP has decided not to use natural–fiber booms in its cleanup effort but rather rely on synthetic booms. But harbormasters in Florida have announced they will use the booms, Craig Gauthier said, and Matter of Trust is hoping the response to its campaign will help change the BP approach.

The organization has about 10 miles of boom ready to go.

“We don’t have anything against synthetic boom, but you have to drill oil to make it,” said Craig Gautier. “This is a renewable resource that we’re diverting from a landfill.”

Locally, Waltham’s Veterinary and Emergency Center of New England is one of the entities participating in the effort.

“We’re always shaving areas” on their animal patients for medical procedures, said Sharon Gately, spokeswoman for the center, “and it usually just goes to waste. I just thought it was such a good idea.”

Gately said the Waltham animal hospital also will have a bin out front to collect nylons; Craig Gautier said Hooters just donated 100,000 pairs.

At Lexington’s Blue salon, desk manager Michael Surette said the salon has already made four shipments thanks to the trashbag–size amount of clippings that are disposed of daily.

A neighbor of the salon has volunteered to collect and mail the bags of donated hair.

In Sherborn, Serena’s Groom Room is doing warm–weather shave–downs for pets, which means it is an opportune time to participate in the program, said owner Serena Keating.

“I think this is a really cool way for us being able to help a really bad situation,” said Keating. “This is a little more global for us. . . It’s something indirectly all of my customers have done a lot to help.”

In the meantime, Matter of Trust is using social media websites to round up volunteers in places like Alabama and Florida to stuff pantyhose with clippings, and the group is urging people to contact the government to press for the booms to be used.

The organization was founded in 1998 by Craig Gautier and her husband, Patrice Oliver Gautier, an executive at Apple Inc., and is involved in multiple efforts to promote the reuse of materials, both natural and manmade. The organization has made mats from hair clippings to clean up oil spills since 2000.

Craig Gautier is hoping her organization’s talks with BP and the federal government, as well as the the goodwill of tens of thousands of businesses and hundreds of thousands of individuals who are donating, will turn the tide at the oil company.

“We absolutely can put these booms in the water,” she said. “It’s really up to the people of North America to decide.

Megan McKee can be reached at megan.mckee@gmail.com.

Services offered: Advocacy, Environmental; Advocacy, Environmental, Water; Animals, Animal Care Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Medical, Pet Clinic; Information Resource, Environmental Education; Information Resource, Recycling Methods; Recycling, Fur, Animal; Recycling, Hair, Collection for HairBooms (oilspill mitigation); Recycling, Hair, Human; Recycling, Services * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; Ending Pollution
Updated Jun 10, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5927

UpCycle It! (local recycling network)

Walk–in Resource · Open

"Green" Community Service
Farmer's Market at the Common (see times below), Westford, MA

Contact Kristina Greene
Email kdfgreene @ msn.com
Web www.westfordfarmersmarket.com/upcycle.html

Service Temporary

Boston Globe article:
http://www.boston.com/lifestyle/green/articles/2010/10/10/reduce_reuse_upcycle/

Drop off locations:

Westford Farmers Market – Tuesdays 2:30 – 6:30pm June 22 – Oct 26, 2010 Starbucks (Littleton Rd., Westford)
J.V. Fletcher Library (near basement elevators)
Nabnasset Elementary Coldwell Banker (Boston Rd.)

Full UP TO DATE list of items accepted and preparation instructions:

http://westfordfarmersmarket.com/documents/UpcycleIt.pdf

The following list was uploaded in October 2010. Check the link above for an UP TO DATE LIST.

Drink Pouches:
ANY brand of drink pouch and their straw!
Capri Sun
Kool Aid
Honest Kids
Prep:
1) empty as much liquid as you can
2) cut off top, just above where straw goes
3) rinse and dry

Elmer's Glue:
ANY brand of glue bottle/stick/pen. Glitter glue too.
Prep: Clean as best you can, but don't worry too much. Leave cap ON.

Energy Bars
ANY brand of energy, granola, cereal bar or Rice Krispie Treat.
No more Pop Tart Wrappers.
Prep: empty crumbs

Chip Bags
ANY empty chip/snack bags, large and small sizes,
Examples:
All Frito Lay products Pita chips
Quaker rice cakes Tostitos
Pretzels Pirate Booty
Doritos Smart Food
Lays Fritos
Cheetos SunChips
Kame Rice crackers Cracker Jacks
Prep: empty crumbs

Cookie Wrappers
ANY brand of cookie wrappers – no plastic trays
Examples:
Fig Newtons Oreos
Chips Ahoy Vienna Fingers
Chips Deluxe 100 calorie snack packs
Animal crackers (Stauffer's)
Prep:
1) Empty crumbs
2) Empty plastic trays

Candy Wrappers
ANY brand or size of candy wrappers
Examples:
Hershey's
Hershey's Flipz
chocolate chip bags
Starburst, Tootsie roll, dum dum lollipop

Oral Care Products
ANY brand of tooth paste tubes, toothbrushes, denture cleaner/adhesive and any plastic packaging (no cardboard)
Prep: Please place the toothbrushes in a separate bag.

Coffee Bags
ANY brand of coffee bag – the ones with silver lining

Writing Instruments:
ANY brand of pen, mechanical pencil, marker, highlighter, dry erase marker, Sharpie, Crayola Twistables etc. – no wooden pencils

Corks:
ANY cork from wine or champagne, natural or synthetic

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Environmental; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Directories, Directory of Services, Regional; Directories, Directory of Services, Statewide; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Documentation, Environmental Education; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Economics, Sustainable; Information Resource, Environmental Education; Information Resource, Environmental Impacts; Information Resource, Recycling Methods; Recycling: Office Supplies, Pens; Recycling: Oral Care Products, Toothpaste Tubes (Plastic), etc; Recycling, Packaging Materials; Recycling: Packaging Materials, Drink Pouches; Recycling: Packaging Materials, Food packaging; Recycling, Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Resource Website for "Green" (incl socially just) Products/Services; Resource Website for "Green" Living Suggestions
Campaigns: Ending Pollution; Environmental Sustainability; Global Warming Relief Supplies/Services; TerraCycle
Updated Oct 13, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6518

Food Pantry, Winchendon CAC

Walk–in Resource · Open

273 Central Street, Winchendon, MA 01475
Phone 978–297–1667
Service Temporary

Distribution: Mon. through Thursday, 9am–1pm

http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Regional Distribution; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9396

Second Congregational Church of Winchester, The (2010 Flood LTRC, Northern Mass)

Walk–in Resource · Open

LTRC/Disaster Recovery Resources
485 Washington St., Winchester, MA 01890
Phone 781–729–1688
Contact Rev. Don Remick
Email remickd@macucc.org
Web www.winchester2cc.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Services for Special Needs Folks; Community Outreach Programs; Community Service Program; Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC), Case Management Roundtable Meetings; Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC), Unmet Needs Committee Meetings; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Church/Worship Services; Services, Disaster Recovery
Campaigns: 2010 Massachusetts Flooding; 2010 New England Flooding; 2010 US Severe Storms and Flooding; EMA (Emergency Management Agency) Regional/County; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; LTRG, Long Term Recovery Group; Tri–State LTRG (New England); UCC ~ United Church of Christ; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Jun 7, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5913

AIDS Project Worcester

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit
85 Green St., Worcester, MA
Web www.aidsprojectworcester.org

Distributes food boxes weekly and holiday meals for people with HIV and their families; provides case management and alternative therapy services, peer support, adoption and foster care program.

Services offered: Advocacy, Volunteer, Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Deodorant; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Mobile Meals; Services, Legal Assistance; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toothpaste; Translators, Spanish/English, Volunteers; Transportation, Transportation Advice, Finding Transportation, Volunteer ; Tutor, Tutoring, Volunteer; Vouchers, Food Vouchers
Updated Oct 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1019

Central Mass PermaCulture Meetup

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Worcester, MA

Service Temporary

the last we heard of this group was this link, which no longer works http://www.meetup.com/Central–Mass–Permaculture/events/155299912/

But we know you're out there! so we're keeping this listing in as inspiration to find you all! please touch base if you know what's happened to the group

Also, here's a greater Boston permaculture Meet up group which looks similar: https://www.meetup.com/Boston–Permaculture/

Services offered: Advocacy, Environmental; Advocacy, Environmental, Land Preservation; Advocacy, Environmental, Solar; Advocacy, Environmental, Water; Advocacy, Environmental, Wildlife; Agriculture/Farming/Gardening Resource; Disaster Mitigation, Economic, Community; Disaster Mitigation, Environmental; Documentation, Environmental Education; Events, Community Meetings; Information Resource, Alternative Schools/Education; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Economics, Sustainable; Information Resource, Environmental Education; Information Resource, Environmental Education, Energy Conservation; Information Resource, Environmental Education , Recycling; Information Resource, Environmental Impacts; New "Business" Models; New "business" models, Economic; New "business" models, Food Production/Distribution; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; Resource Website for "Green" Living Suggestions; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Book/Study/Discussion Group; Social Event, Films/Cinema/Movies/Lectures; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Training Classes, Agronomy
Campaigns: 350.org; Alternative Societies; Bartering Network; Community Supported Agriculture (CSA); Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Pollution; Environmental Sustainability; Farmer's Market, Local/Regional; Global Warming Relief Supplies/Services; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative; Transition Towns (Transition Network)

Updated Dec 28, 2019 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9844

Central Massachusetts Housing Alliance (CMHA) ~ Donations Clearinghouse (DCH)

Walk–in Resource · Open

7–11 Bellevue Street, Worcester, MA 01609

Phone (508) 791–7265
Web www.cmhaonline.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=54&Itemid=105
Eligibility Referral by Caseworker
Service Temporary

Furniture and other household goods available.

Walk–Ins Schedule:

Tuesdays, 9:30am–11:30am & 1:00pm–4:00pm
Wednesdays, 1:00pm–4:00pm
Thursdays, 9:30am–11:30am & 1:00pm–4:00pm

No Monday or Friday walk–in Hours

Eligibility:

Moving from Shelter to Permanent Housing
Domestic Violence
DSS Reunification
Elders At Risk
Fire and/or Flood Victim

Home repairs

Worcester senior homeowners can get help with home repairs from the Elder Home Repair program of the Central Massachusetts Housing Alliance (CMHA). To qualify, homeowners must:

* be 60 years of age or older
* live in the house that needs repair
* need home repairs to correct unsafe housing

Elder Home Repair will make basic repairs, such as fixing stairs, doors, and ceilings, or minor plumbing and electrical problems. In most cases, homeowners must provide or pay for materials. Labor is free, but contributions are welcome.

To apply, call the Central Massachusetts Housing Alliance (CMHA) at 508–755–1105. Repairs are usually scheduled on a first come, first served basis, unless there is an emergency. For more information, see Elder Home Repair.

Pet care

Cat and dog owners who cannot afford medical care for their pets can get help from the Second Chance Fund for Animal Welfare (SCFAW). SCFAW provides help in these ways:

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Spaying and neutering: SCFAW has "CatSNIP" spay/neuter clinics for pet cats, and a spay/neuter clinic and voucher program for stray/feral cats. Vaccinations are also provided if needed. Dog owners are referred to the Clinton Veterinary Hospital Canine Voucher Program.

Fees are affordable. For a schedule of fees and more information, see CatSNIP Clinics.
*

Medical care for seriously ill or injured pets: Scratch's Patch–Up Fund (SPUF) helps pet owners whose dogs or cats are facing a medical crisis and who do not have the money to pay for the care their pets need. Pet owners must meet income limits and other requirements. Approval may take up to two weeks, so SPUF cannot usually help in emergency situations.
*

Support for caregivers of homeless or feral cats: SCFAW provides traps, guidance, and financial assistance for the spaying/neutering of homeless or feral cats. See Feral Cat Services for more information.
*

General support: SCFAW gives referrals and guidance to pet owners who must surrender their pets, or who need advice about caring for their pets.

To apply for financial help for spaying/neutering or SPUF medical care, you must fill out a Request for Pet Services. You can fill out the application and submit it online:

* SCFAW Vet Service Request – Online Form

For questions or support, call the Second Chance Fund for Animal Welfare hotline at 978–779–8287, or e–mail SCFAW at scfawcontactus@gmail.com.

For more information, visit the Second Chance Fund for Animal Welfare web site.

Snow shoveling

Worcester requires property owners to clear snow and ice from their sidewalks within 10 hours after it stops snowing. The cleared path must be at least 4 feet wide. Residents who don't shovel their walks currently face a $75 per day fine.

If you are not able to shovel your own walks, you can get help from:

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Worcester Snow Shoveling – Division of Elder Affairs:

Worcester residents, age 60 or older, who need help shoveling their walks and entranceways can get assistance from the city's Elder Affairs Division. Priority is given to residents with an urgent need for snow removal, such as medical appointments, access for caregivers, or citations for violating the city's snow removal ordinance.

Elder Affairs works with agencies such as the Central Massachusetts Housing Alliance to provide snow removal services. To apply, call:
o Division of Elder Affairs: 508–799–1232

o Central Massachusetts Housing Alliance: 508–755–1105 (CMHA Elder Home Maintenance)

In some cases, you may be asked to pay a small fee for services. The Elder Home Maintenance program also provides other maintenance services such as mowing the lawn and cleaning rain gutters.
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Community organizations:

Worcester homeowners can get a referral for snow removal by calling the Worcester Department of Public Works (DPW) at 508–929–1300 or using the referral list on the DPW Sidewalk Snow Removal web page. Elderly homeowners and homeowners with disabilities can get free services. Other homeowners may have to pay a fee or donation.

Wheelchair ramps

Worcester residents with disabilities who need a wheelchair ramp to make their homes accessible may be able to get help from the Handicap Ramp Program:

* The Handicap Ramp Program is a community service partnership between local labor unions, such as the Worcester Firefighters "Ramp Gang" and Carpenters Local 107, and the United Way of Central Massachusetts.

Labor union workers donate their time and supplies to build handicap ramps for homebound residents of Worcester and other Central Massachusetts communities. The homeowners do not have to pay anything for the ramps. Ramps can be built throughout the year.

To apply, call the AFL/CIO Community Services Handicap Ramp Program at 508–757–5632.

If you cannot get a free wheelchair ramp, you may be able to get a loan to pay for the ramp:

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The Home Modification Loan Program gives loans to elders and people with disabilities to modify their homes so they can live independently.

Depending on your income, you may be eligible for a deferred payment loan that does not have to be repaid until you sell your house, or an amortized low interest loan. For income guidelines, see HMLP: Who Is Eligible?.

You can get an application and instructions on the HMLP web site HMLP: How Do I Apply?. For more information, see Home Modification Loan Program.

Services offered: Animals, Animal Care Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Animals, Medical, Spay / Neuter Program; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Construction, Home Repair Services (For Seniors/Elders); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service, Large Item Donation Pickup; Drivers, Local Pickup / Delivery, Volunteer; Elder Support, Volunteer; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance (For Seniors/Elders); Furniture, Furniture Bank; Medical, Equipment, Wheelchair Ramp; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Emergency Services, Senior/Elder; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs; Services, Seniors, Lawn Care Services (For Seniors/Elderly); Services, Seniors, Snow Shoveling; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Vehicle, Truck * (ANY/ALL Types); Vehicle, Truck, Box Truck
Updated Aug 3, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4703

Food Not Bombs – Worcester (FREE FOOD and other SHARING)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Worcester, MA
Web www.facebook.com/pages/Worcester–Food–Not–Bombs
Service Temporary

Worcester
We cook every Saturday at noon and serve food at 2 behind City Hall.
Contact: 774–239–2670
Email us at: fnbworcester @ gmail.com

Services offered: Events, Social, Holiday Event * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Pay–what–you–can; Meals, Vegan; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Environmental Sustainability; Food Not Bombs; Global Warming Relief Supplies/Services; Homelessness Relief Services; Social Activists/ Organizers
Updated Dec 2, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9749

Food Pantries, Worcester (c/o Worcester County Foodbank)

Walk–in Resource · Open

various, see notes, Worcester, MA
Service Temporary

AIDS Project Worcester
85 Green Street, Worcester, 01604
508–755–3773 x16
Distribution to their consumers only:
Tuesdays, 9 AM to 4:00 PM

Catholic Charities Food Pantry
10 Hammond Street, Worcester, 01610
508–860–2237
Distribution:
Monday through Friday, 11:30 AM to 2:30 PM.

Centro Las Americas
11 Sycamore Street, Worcester, 01608
508–798–1900, ext. 237
Distribution:
Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays 9 AM to 12 PM.

Friendly House Pantry
36 Wall Street, Worcester, 01604
508–755–4362
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 5 PM.

Good Samaritan Food Pantry
39 Piedmont Street, Worcester 01610
774–253–1619
Distribution: Tuesday & Friday, 10AM to 4 PM.Great Brook Valley Food Pantry

Willis Center
176 Tacoma Street, Worcester, 01605
508–852–8905
Distribution: Monday, Thursday and Friday 8 AM to 4 PM

Jeremiah's Inn, Food Pantry
1059 Main Street, Worcester, 01603
508–755–6403
Distribution: Mon., Tue., Thurs & Fri., 9 AM to 2 PM.

John Street Baptist Church
43 John Street, Worcester, 01609
508–753–4991
Distribution: Saturday, 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM
during lunch meal.

Lighthouse Mission Food Pantry
165 Pleasant Street, Worcester, 01609
Distribution: Every Monday except 1st, 11 AM to 1 PM.

Loaves & Fishes Pantry
Unitarian Universalist Church of Worcester
90 Holden Street, Worcester, 01606
508–853–1942
Distribution: 3rd Saturday of the month, 10 AM to 12 PM.

Mt. Carmel Outreach Ministry
24 Mulberry Street, Worcester, 01605
508–791–0731 or 508–755–4362
Distribution: Tuesday Only 9:30am–1:30pm
Orthodox Food Center

St. Spyridan Cathedral
102 Russell Street, Worcester, 01609
508–791–7326
Distribution: Saturday, 10 AM to 12 PM.

Pernet Family Health Service
237 Millbury Street, Worcester, 01610
508–755–1228
Distribution: Mon., Tues. and Weds. 1:00PM to 4:30 PM.

Plumley Village Food Pantry
Willis Center
16 Laurel Street, Worcester, 01608
508–799–6981
Distribution: Tuesday & Wednesday 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM.

Quinsigamond Village Neighborhood Ctr.
16 Greenwood Street, Worcester, 01607
508–755–7481
Distribution: Monday thru Thursday 9:30AM to 2:00PM and Friday 9:30AM–12PM

Revival Church - Fountain of Life
23 Coral Street, Worcester, 01604
508–791–5555
Distribution: Wednesdays, 6 PM to 8 PM.

St. Paul's Outreach
19 Chatham Street, Worcester, 01609
508–791–8455
Distribution: Tues., Wed. & Fri., 9:00 AM to 11:30AM;
Thurs., 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM.

Salvation Army – Citadel
640 Main Street, Worcester, 01608

508–756–7191
Distribution: Mon. thru Friday, 10:00AM–12:00PM & 12:45PM– 2PM.

South Worcester Neighborhood Center
47 Camp Street, Worcester, 01603
508–757–8344
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 9:30AM to 1:20 PM.

South Worcester Neighborhood Ctr.– Green Island
50 Canton Street, Crompton Park, Worcester, 01610
508–753–4661
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 1:30 PM.

South Worcester Neighborhood Ctr. – Lakeside Center
54 Circuit Ave. South, Apt. 1 , Worcester 01603
No Phone on Site–call 508–757–8344 (SWNC Camp St.)
Distribution: Mon.–Weds. 10–2pm, Thurs/Fri 9:00AM–1PM

SVDP – St. Anthony's Pantry
Sacred Heart Church
596 Cambridge Street, Worcester, 01610
508–753–2555
Distribution: Thursday, 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM; Saturday 10 AM to 1 PM. By appointment.

SVDP – St. Peter's Church
929 Main Street, Worcester, 01610
508–752–4674
Distribution: Wednesday, 11:30 AM to 2:30 PM.

Veterans, Inc. Food Pantry
69 Grove Street, Worcester, 01605
508–791–1213 x108
Distribution: 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month,
10 AM to 4 PM. Veterans Identification Required.

Wesley United Methodist Church
Carty Cupboard
114 Main Street, Worcester, 01608
508–799–4191
Distribution:
Mondays: 6 to 7 PM, Wednesdays: 1 PM to 3 PM
& Friday: 10 AM to 12 PM.

Please call ahead if first time visit or holiday.
Hours may vary and Emergency Assistance may be available between scheduled distribution days.

Recyclable/Reusable bags appreciated.–Please bring a bag.

Please visit the Worcester County Food Bank website monthly for updates :

http://www.foodbank.org/immediate_help/immediate_assistance.html
Rev. 10.12.12

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Oct 25, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9389

Nuestro Huerto (Community Urban Farm)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Worcester, MA
Web nuestrohuertoworcester.wordpress.com
Service Temporary

Services offered: Facilities: Farm ("available" = this site is a farm); Facilities: Farm, Urban (this site is a farm); Information Resource, Alternative Schools/Education; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Environmental Education , Recycling; Information Resource, Sharing Networks/Timebanks; New "business" models, Food Production/ Distribution; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; Plants * (ANY/ALL Types); Resource Website for "Green" (incl socially just) Products/Services; Resource Website for "Green" Living Suggestions
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Food Not Bombs; New "Business" Models; Seed

Bank / Seed Exchange / Seed Library / Seed Preservation; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative; Worcester Roots
Updated Jan 21, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9948

Stone Soup, Worcester (collective space, meetings, events, training)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Worcester, MA

Web www.stonesoupworcester.org/stone–soup–mission
Service Temporary

Services offered: Events, Community Meetings; Events, Potluck Meals; Events, Social, Holiday Event * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Meeting space; Meals, Pay–what–you–can; Meals, Vegan; Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: Arts Community / Artist Network; Co–Operative Businesses, Coops, Co–ops, Cooperatives; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Environmental Sustainability; Food Not Bombs; Homelessness Relief Services; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative; Worker Owned Co–Operatives
Updated Dec 13, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9835

Worcester Community Fridge, Brook St [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

16 Brooks St Massachusetts League; of Community Health Centers, Worcester, MA

Web instagram.com/woofridge
Service Temporary

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10460

Worcester Community Fridge, Southbridge St [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

300 Southbridge St, Worcester, MA

Web instagram.com/woofridge
Service Temporary

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10459

Worcester FREE MEALS

Walk–in Resource · Open

Various, see notes, Worcester, MA

Service Temporary

Greater Worcester Housing Connection (formerly People In Peril: PIP)
701 Main Street, Worcester, 01610
508–757–8332
Meals served:7 Days Week (365 days year)
Breakfast 7:00–7:30AM, Lunch 11:00–11:30AM &
Dinner 4:00–4:45PM.

John Street Baptist Church
43 John Street, Worcester, 01609
508–753–4991
Meals served: Saturdays, 11 AM to 1 PM. Also has
emergency food box distribution at the same time.

The Mustard Seed
93 Piedmont Street, Worcester, 01609
508–754–7098
Meals served:
Monday through Saturday, Winter Hours: 4–6:30pm.
Sunday meal served at 12 PM.
(Summer Hours: 5–6:30PM)

Salvation Army Citadel–Sally's Place
640 Main Street, Worcester 01608
508–756–7191
Meals served:
Monday through Friday: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner.
Sunday Dinner only.
Closed on Saturdays.

Source: http://www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf Dated October 2012.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Breakfast; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Lunches, Misc.
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9387

Worcester Fridge Downtown [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

44 Portland St (The Printer Building), Worcester, MA 01608
Web instagram.com/woofridge
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10457

Worcester Fridge Main St [24x7 free food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

910 Main St (Fantastic Pizza), Worcester, MA 01610
Web instagram.com/woofridge
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give–and–or–take–from–your–local–community–fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10458

Worcester Mobile Meals schedule

Walk–in Resource

Worcester, MA
Service Temporary

Services offered: Meals * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 17, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10166

Worcester Roots (economic development for social justice, workshops, organizing)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Worcester, MA
Web www.worcesterroots.org/about–2/about
Service Temporary

Co–Op workshops and collective organizing/learning

See materials: http://www.worcesterroots.org/calendar–of–events/co–ops/

WARNING: the online stuff is free, and some events are free, but the hard core training costs hundreds of dollars. I hear it's worth it. But just letting you know...

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Environmental; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Social Justice; Agriculture/Farming/Gardening Resource; Business Internship Opportunities for Young Adults; Business Services, Co–Op oriented; Business Services, Counseling for Small Businesses; Business Services, Facilitation / Mentoring / Consulting; Community Garden Program; Counseling, Career Counseling; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Events, Community Meetings; Events, Protest Actions; Facilities: Farm, Urban (this site is a farm); Facility: Meeting space; Facility: Recreation Center; Food, Locally Produced ($ NOT FREE); Information Resource, Economics, Sustainable; Information Resource, Environmental Education; Information Resource, Environmental Impacts; Information Resource: Watchdogs, Environmental, Reports of Greenwashing; New "Business" Models; New "business" models, Economic; New "business" models, Food Production/Distribution; New "business" models, Government; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; Services, Educational Services (See also Category for School); Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Book/Study/Discussion Group; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Social Event, Recreation *(any/all types); Support for "All Local" Disasters; Training, Activism; Training Classes, Agronomy; Training Classes, Gardening Instruction; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training Classes, Life Skills, Youth; Training, Classes, Online, Higher Ed, Business; Training, Classes, Online, Higher Ed, Business, Specifically Co–Op; Training, Classes, Online, Higher Ed, Economics; Training, Classes, Online, Higher Ed, Finance; Training, Classes, Online, Higher Ed, Governance; Training Classes, Online/Virtual Training; Training Classes, Trade Skills, Training; Training Classes, Vocational; Training, Farming, Organic; Training, Farming, Organic Farming; Trainin, Social Awareness; Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: 350.org; Alternative Societies; Bartering Network; Co–Operative Businesses, Coops, Co–ops, Cooperatives; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Ending Pollution; Environmental Sustainability; Farmer's Market, Local/Regional; Homelessness Relief Services; Neighborhood Network; Occupy Wall Street / Occupy America / Occupy

Together; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative; Worcester Roots
Updated Apr 21, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9836

Acton/Concord/Maynard/Stow/Littleton/Chelmsford COMMUNITY SUPPERS / Food pantries 2014 listing

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA

Service Temporary

Community Suppers
Please be sure to call ahead of time in case of recent changes

Location.....Date/Time.....Contact info.

Our Father's Table.....M. T, TH.....No restrictions
First Baptist Church.....Supper: Opens @ 5:00
22 Mechanic Street.....
Marlborough

Open table.....Mondays.....978–823–0082
Clocktower Place.....Opens @ 5:30.....No restrictions
Building8.....Food Pantry
Maynard

Neighborhood Supper.....Tuesdays.....978–486–3245
Congregational Church.....Opens @ 5:00.....No restrictions
330 King Street Littleton

Table of Plenty.....Tuesdays
First Parish Church.....Opens @ 5:00
2 Westford Street
Chelmsford

Mt. Calvary Supper.....Wednesdays.....978–263–5156
472 Mass Ave.....Opens @ 5:00.....No restrictions
Acton

Open Table.....Thursdays.....978–369–2275
First Parish Church.....Opens @ 5:00.....No restrictions
20 Lexington Street.....Food Pantry Concord

Friendship Dinner.....3rd Friday of month...978–897–2328
Union Church of Stow.....Opens @ 5:00.....No restrictions
317 Great Road
Stow

FOOD PANTRIES:

MONDAY:

Open Table 978–823–0082
Clock Tower Place
Maynard, MA 01754
http://www.opentable.org
• Free dinner: Mondays 5:30–6:30 pm
• Pantry: Mondays 5:30–6:30 pm
Open to residents of all towns

TUESDAY/THURSDAY:

Sudbury Community 978–443–7725
Food Pantry
Our Lady of Fatima Church
160 Concord Rd.
Sudbury, MA
• Tuesdays and Thursdays 11:30–2:30pm
• Residents can use pantry 2x per month
Non–residents 1x per month.

WEDNESDAY

Acton Food Pantry 978–635–9295
Boxborough Business Park

235 Summer Road
Boxborough, MA 01719 (closed 4th Wednesday of month)
Registration requires proof of residency in Acton or one of its border towns.
Food pantry: Wednesdays 10–7 pm
Free clothing available at pantry

• On your first visit please bring a current drivers license, utility bill or rental lease that contains your address to provide proof of residency.

THURSDAY

Open Table 978–369–2275
First Parish Church
20 Lexington Rd.
Concord, MA 01742
http://www.opentable.org
• Free dinner: Thursdays 5:30–6:30 pm
• Food pantry: Thursdays 5–6:30 pm
Open to residents of all towns

FRIDAY

Stow Food Pantry 978–897–4230
First Parish Church
353 Great Road, Stow, MA

• Letter of need required
• Open 9:00am–11:00
• 2nd and 4th Friday of the month
Non–residents 1x per month

SATURDAY

Lexington Food Pantry 781–861–5060
6 Meriam Street
Lexington, MA 02420

Open Saturdays 9:30–11
Letter of need required from Social Worker
Non–residents 1x per month

SUNDAY

Acton–Boxborough 978–877–1657
Farmers Market
June–October
Sundays 10–1, Pearl Street West Acton
The Acton–Boxborough Farmers Market (ABFM) accepts SNAP benefits. Use your EBT card to purchase fresh produce.

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Cooked Meals; Meals, Hot Meals
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated May 27, 2014 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9884

Boston Chinatown Neighborhood Services (assistance w/citizenship paperwork and more!)

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA
Web www.bcnc.net
Service Temporary

Boston Chinatown Neighborhood Center will be having a *naturalization clinic Saturday June 22nd*. During the clinic, we educate Permanent Residents on the citizenship process, assist them in filling out the application for citizenship including a fee waiver (if they are eligible), and refer them to free legal assistance. We offer services to any potential applicant *regardless of their country of origin and language spoken*, however applicants must be able to *speak basic English* in order to pass the naturalization exam and interview.

If someone is interested in more information or has questions about citizenship would like to register for our clinic they can contact myself

(Krista) at 617–635–5129 x 1088 or by email at krista.senden @ bcnc.net. All applicants *MUST PRE–REGISTER* to attend the clinic.

Thanks for assisting me in spreading the message.

Krista

*Krista Senden *

Civic Engagement Coordinator

Boston Chinatown Neighborhood Center, Inc.
617–635–5129 x1088 • 38 Ash St. Boston, MA 02111 • www.bcnc.net

Services offered: Demographic Served: Immigrants; Demographic Served: Migrants; Demographic Served: Refugees; Demographic Served: Undocumented Individuals; Demographic Served: Victims of Economic Injustice, Urban; Demographic Served: Victims of Political Crimes; Facility: Meeting space; Information Resource, Legal, Human Rights; Legal, Attorney, Pro Bono Attorney, Volunteer; Legal, Services, Volunteer; Services, Legal Assistance; Services, Legal Assistance (For Low–Income Families); Training, Activism; Training, Legal
Updated Jun 17, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9716

Camping, State Parks ($6–12/night some w/showers, etc)

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA

Web www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dcr/massparks/recreational–activities/massparks–campground–fees–generic.html
Service Temporary

May 2014:

Campground Fees
Coastal Campground

$17.00 Out–of–state resident per night fee
$15.00 MA resident per night fee

Coastal campgrounds include Nickerson State Park, Scusset Beach State Reservation, Horseneck Beach State Reservation, and Salisbury Beach State Reservation. PLEASE NOTE: there are no individual campsite fireplaces at Scusset Beach except at 5 tent–only campsites. There is a community firepit for everyone's use. Customers must use a portable fuel grill at this campground.

There is a $2 per night surcharge for camping fees at Salisbury Beach. In 2008, the Massachusetts Legislature established the Salisbury Beach Preservation Trust to bolster the long–term preservation and maintenance of Salisbury Beach. The Trust is funded by a $2 surcharge on each fee, to be collected for the 2009 season and forward.
Inland Campground

$14.00 Out–of–state resident per night fee
$12.00 MA resident per night fee

Inland category campgrounds include Clarksburg State Park, DAR State Forest, Erving State Forest, Granville State Forest, Harold Parker State Forest, Lake Dennison State Recreation Area, Massasoit State Park, Mohawk Trail State Forest, Myles Standish State Forest, October Mountain State Forest, Otter River State Forest, Pearl Hill State Park, Savoy Mountain State Forest, Shawme Crowell State Forest, Tolland State Forest, Wells State Park, Wompatuck State Park.
Limited Service Campground

$10.00 Out–of–state resident per night fee
$8.00 MA resident per night fee

Limited Service category campgrounds include Beartown State Forest, Camp Nihan Environmental Education Camp, Pittsfield State Forest, Willard Brook State Forest, Windsor State Forest.
Primitive Service Campground

$8.00 Out–of–state resident per night fee
$6.00 MA resident per night fee

Primitive Service category campgrounds include Boston Harbor Islands State Park, Chester Blandford State Forest, Federated Women's Club State Forest, Mt. Greylock State Reservation, Mt. Washington State Reservation, and Waquoit Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve.
Group Campsite

$25 For group of 1–25. Plus $1 per person over 25.
Safari Field Camping

$15.00 per unit
Cabins

$30.00 One room
$50.00 Three room
$50.00 Group
Yurt

$30.00 Small
$40.00 Large
$50.00 Group
Dump Station Fees

$15.00 Non–campers
Utilities

$3.00 Electric, Please note: Electric service is not sufficiently reliable to support medical devices.

$2.00 Water utility

Campground Types

Camping fees at Massachusetts Campgrounds are based on campground type. Each type is described below.

Established Campgrounds (Coastal or Inland fee categories)

These campgrounds offer flush toilets, showers, access to water, staffing, and interpretive programs. Some may offer electric or water hookups, dumping stations, or yurts and cabins. Individual campsites will be designated and include a parking area and table, grill and/or fire ring. Camp store or other developed amenities may be available.

Limited Service Campgrounds (Limited Service fee category)

These campgrounds offer toilets and access to drinking water. Some use self–registration and park staff may be off–site. Individual campsites are designated and generally include individual tables, grills or fire rings. Departmental programs may be available.

Primitive Service Campgrounds (Primitive Service fee category)

These campgrounds offer composting or pit toilets. Access to drinking water is not available, and customers are encouraged to bring one gallon per person per day for their camping stay. Showers are not available. The campgrounds are in remote locations, may require a strenuous hike and park staff may be off–site. Individual campsites are designated and may not include individual tables, grills or fire rings. Access to a public telephone is NOT available, and mobile telephone coverage is limited. Interpretive programs may be available.

Recreational Vehicle (RV) Camping

Most RVs require larger campsites and campers prefer access to electric and water hookups, and dumping stations. Areas recommended for RVs include Salisbury Beach, Scusset Beach, Wompatuck and Lake Dennison (no hookups). Be sure to reserve a site large enough to accommodate your RV or trailer.

Reservation Transaction Charge

Effective April 1, 2012, the transaction charge for making a camping reservation is $8.65 per transaction. The charge is non–refundable.

Services offered: Camping, Camp Sites * (ANY/ALL Types of Camping Services/Sites); Facility: Recreation Center
Campaigns: Government, State/County; Government, State Government Department/Agency
Updated May 26, 2014 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9882

Central Mass Food Pantry, Free Meals, Shelter and Transitional Assistance listings

Walk–in Resource · Open

various, MA

Web www.foodbank.org/PDF/agencylist.pdf
Service Temporary

Care of Worcester County Food Bank
October 2012

SOUP KITCHENS

ATHOL

Our Father's Table
Four Square Church
500 Main Street, Athol 01331
Meal served: 1st & 3rd Thursday, 4–5:30PM
Hot or Cold Meal served

Salvation Army Athol Kitchen
107 Ridge Ave.
Athol, 01331
978–249–8111
Meals served: Tuesdays, 5PM to 6PM and
4th Sunday of month, 5PM to 6PM

CLINTON

WHEAT Community Café
242 High Street, Clinton, 01510
Café 978–368–8547
Meals served: Sunday through Friday, 4:30 to 6 PM .

FITCHBURG

Our Father's Table, Inc.
Christian Faith Church
40 Boutelle Street, Fitchburg 01420
978–342–8522
Meals served: Tuesday & Thursday, Meals served at 5 PM.

GARDNER

Gardner CAC - Fellowship Table
First Congregational Church,
28 Green St., Gardner 01440
978–632–8700
Meals served: Thursdays at 4:30 PM.
Open September thru June -Closed in July/August

MILFORD

Community Supper Milford
Unitarian Universalist Church
23 Pine Street, Milford 01757
508–473–3589
Meals served: Every Sunday at 4:45 PM

SOUTHBRIDGE

St. Michaels Community Meal
St. Michaels Orthodox Church
16 Romanian Avenue
Southbridge, MA 01550
508–765–5276
Meal Served: 1st,3rd & 4th Thursday 4:30PM–6:30PM

WORCESTER

Greater Worcester Housing Connection (formerly People
In Peril: PIP)
701 Main Street, Worcester, 01610
508–757–8332
Meals served:7 Days Week (365 days year)
Breakfast 7:00–7:30AM, Lunch 11:00–11:30AM &
Dinner 4:00–4:45PM.

John Street Baptist Church
43 John Street, Worcester, 01609
508–753–4991
Meals served: Saturdays, 11 AM to 1 PM. Also has
emergency food box distribution at the same time.

The Mustard Seed
93 Piedmont Street, Worcester, 01609
508–754–7098
Meals served:
Monday through Saturday, Winter Hours: 4–6:30pm.
Sunday meal served at 12 PM.
(Summer Hours: 5–6:30PM)

Salvation Army Citadel–Sally's Place
640 Main Street, Worcester 01608
508–756–7191
Meals served:
Monday through Friday: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner.
Sunday Dinner only.
Closed on Saturdays.

SHELTER & TRANSITIONAL PROGRAMS

FITCHBURG

Battered Women's Resources
Shelter for women & their children.
Confidential location
978–537–2306

Our Father's House
53–55 Lunenburg Street, Fitchburg 01420
978–345–3050
Male & Female Occupancy
Emergency & Transitional Shelter.

SHREWSBURY

Veterans, Inc. Residence
Independence Hall
59 South Street, Shrewsbury 01545
Shelter for homeless veterans.
508–845–6776

WORCESTER

Catholic Charities Youville House
133 Granite Street, Worcester 01604
508–753–3084
Daybreak
Confidential shelter for battered women. Other services provided include 24 hour Hotline, court advocacy, support groups and short–term counseling.
508–755–9030

Friendly House Shelter
87 Elm Street, Worcester 01609
508–792–1799
Short term shelter for homeless families with children.
24 hours a day, 7 days a week

Veterans, Inc. Shelter
69 Grove Street, Worcester, 01605
508–791–5348
Shelter for homeless veterans.
Breakfast Lunch and Dinner Available to Vets.
(residents and non–resident Veterans)

EMERGENCY FOOD PANTRIES

ATHOL

Salvation Army
107 Ridge Avenue, Athol 01331
978–249–8111
Distribution: Monday, Tues., Weds & Friday, 9:00 AM to 12 PM & 1 to 3 PM. Pantry Closed Thursday.

Lighthouse Food Pantry
Four Square Church
500 Main Street, Athol 01331
Distribution: 1st and 3rd Thursday, 4 to 5:30 PM.

AUBURN

Auburn Youth & Family Services
21 Pheasant Court, Auburn 01501
508–832–5707
Sept–June Hours: Tuesdays from 9:30 AM – 2:30 PM
Call for emergency situation.

BARRE

Barre Congregational Food Pantry
Barre Congregational Church
30 Park Street, Town Common, Barre 01005
978–355–4041
Distribution: 2nd Wednesday of the month,
10 AM to 12 PM.

BLACKSTONE
Blackstone–Millville Food Pantry
48 St. Paul Street, Blackstone 01504
No Pantry Phone–Please Visit
Distribution: Tuesdays 7 to 8 PM; Saturday 10 to 11 AM.

BROOKFIELD

Brookfield Ecumenical Food Pantry
St. Mary's Church, 4 Howard Street, Brookfield 01506
508–867–6262 (church)
Distribution: Wednesday 9:30 to 11 AM and
Saturday 9:30 to 11 AM; Call if Emergency.

CHARLTON

CHIP – IN Food Pantry
McKinstry Building, 37 Main Street, Charlton 01507
508–248–3292
Distribution: Monthly, 3rd Saturday, 9 AM to 12 PM.
Call if Emergency.

CLINTON

WHEAT Community Services
500 Main Street, 2nd Floor, Clinton 01510
978–365–6349 x14
Distribution: Tuesday, 1:00 PM–4:00 PM
Wednesday Seniors Day, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Thursday and Friday, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

DOUGLAS
St. Denis' Church–Douglas Food Pantry
23 Manchaug Street, Douglas 01516
508–476–2002
Distribution: Monday 10 AM to 12 PM & 4 to 6 PM; Thursday 12 to 2 PM.

FITCHBURG

Care Services Project
Professional Services Building
356B Broad Street–4th Floor, Fitchburg 01420
978–345–4366
Program for people & families with HIV/AIDS. During
3rd week of month: open Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM to 12 PM and 12:30 to 4 PM. Call ahead for an appoint–ment.
Distribution Entrance at 356C–2nd Floor Location.

Leona E. Fleming Food Pantry At Green Acres
62 Normandy Road, Fitchburg 01420
978–342–8617
Distribution:
Tues.8:30AM to 4:30PM and Fri. 8:30AM to 1:30PM.

GVNA Community Services
35 Main Street, Fitchburg 01420

978–665–9078
Distribution: Wednesday, 1:30 PM to 3:30 PM.

Highland Baptist Church
27 Cedar Street, Fitchburg 01420
978–342–9646
Distribution: 1st & 3rd Saturdays, 9 to 11 AM.

MOC Elder Services
66 Day Street, Fitchburg 01420
978–345–8501, ext. 1

Senior Brown Bag
Salvation Army
739 Water Street, Fitchburg 01420
978–342–3300
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 12 PM &
1 to 5 PM.

United Neighbors of Fitchburg
Cleghorn Neighborhood Center: CNC
18 Fairmount Street, Fitchburg 01420
978–342–2069
Distribution: Tuesday and Thursday, 9:30 AM to 2:00 PM
Appointments available for working clients. Call First.

GARDNER

Gardner Community Action Committee
294 Pleasant Street, 2nd Floor, Gardner 01440
978–632–8700
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 12 PM; Tuesday, 1 to 4 PM.

Montachusett Veterans Outreach Center, Inc.
268 Central Street, Gardner 01440
978–632–9601
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 10 to 11:30 AM & 1 PM to 4:30 PM.

Saint Vincent De Paul Society – Sacred Heart Church
166 Cross Street, Gardner 01440
978–632–0237
Distribution: Weekdays 10 AM to 5 PM. Please call to make an appointment.

GILBERTVILLE/HARDWICK

Tri–Parish Community Church Food Pantry
Hardwick Senior Center
179 Main Street (Rte 32), Gilbertville 01031
413–477–6707 or 413–477–6635
Distribution: 1st & 3rd Friday, 9:30 to 11:30 AM.
(During July and August, the first Friday only)

GRAFTON

Saint Vincent De Paul Society – St. James Church
89 Main Street, Church Hall, South Grafton 01560
508–839–5354
Distribution: 3rd Tuesday of month, September thru June, 5:30 to 7:00 PM. Call for emergency assistance on other days/times .

HOLDEN (Serves Wachusett Region)

Wachusett Food Pantry
Wachusett Extended Care
56 Boydon Rd., Holden 01520
508–829–2749
Distribution: 3rd Saturday of each month, 9 to 11 AM. Senior distribution is the day before, Fri. 10 to 11:30 AM.

LANCASTER
SDA Community Services
129 Bolton Road, So. Lancaster 01561
978–365–7152
Distribution: Tuesdays, 9:00 AM to 12 PM.

LEICESTER

Leicester Food Pantry
St. Joseph Parish
759 Main Street, Leicester 01524
508-892-7407
Distribution: Tuesdays 5-7 PM

LEOMINSTER

Catholic Charities-North County
196 Mechanic Street
Leominster, MA 01453
978-840-0696 or 800-232-0843
Distribution: Monday thru Friday, 8AM to 5 PM.
Alternate Appt based on Needs Assessment

First Baptist Church
Community Food Cupboard
23 West Street, Leominster 01453
978-537-2685
Distribution: 2nd Saturday 9-11am
Call for Emergency

Ginny's Helping Hands Food Pantry
52 Mechanic Street
Leominster, MA 01453
978-537-1387
Distribution: Tuesday thru Saturday, 10 AM to 5 PM.

Ruth's Harvest Pantry
Leominster United Methodist Church
77 Hall Street, Leominster 01453
978-537-1356
Distribution: 3rd Thursday, 6 to 8 PM and
4th Saturday, 8 to 10 AM. Call if Emergency.

Spanish American Center
112 Spruce Street, Leominster 01453
978-534-3145
Distribution: Mon. through Fri. 9:00 AM to 12Noon.
Call for Appt.

SVDP- St. Leo's Church
108 Main Street, Leominster 01453
978-537-7257
Distribution: Monday, 6 to 7 PM, Wednesday, 4 to 5 PM.

MENDON

BCC Food Pantry at Bethany Community Church
15 Cape Road, Mendon 01756
508-478-0482 (Church Phone)
Distribution: Tuesdays., 10 AM to 1 PM and also 1st Tues-day of month at 5:30-7 PM.

MILFORD

Daily Bread Food Pantry
21 Exchange Street, Milford 01757
508-478-4225
Distribution: Tuesday & Thursday, 6 to 7:30 PM.

Salvation Army
29 Congress Street , Milford 01757
508-473-0786
Distribution Available: Mon. thru Thurs 9AM -12PM.

MILLBURY

Friends of Millbury Seniors
1 River Street, Millbury 01527
508-865-9154

Distribution: Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM.
The pantry is open to all ages, not just seniors.

NORTH BROOKFIELD

St. Joseph's Food Pantry
296 No. Main Street, North Brookfield 01535
508-867-6811
Distribution: 1st Thursday, 6:00PM-7:15PM &
3rd Thursday of month, 12:00PM-1:30 PM.
Call for Emergency

NORTHBOROUGH

Northborough Church of Christ
456 W. Main Street, Northborough 01532
508-393-7988
Distribution:
Sunday, 12:30 to 6 PM & Wednesday, 5 to 7 PM.
Call for emergency appointment on non-distribution day.

Northborough Food Pantry
Town Hall, 63 Main Street, Northborough 01532
508-393-6897
Distribution: Wednesday, 9 to 10:30 AM &
Thursday, 6:30 to 8 PM.

OXFORD

Oxford Ecumenical Food Shelf
Community Center, 4 Maple Road, LL, Oxford 01540
508-987-1062
Distribution:
Thursdays 5:30PM to 7:15 PM, (except holidays).

RUTLAND

Rutland Food Pantry-SVDP
St. Patrick Church
290 Main Street, Rutland 01543
508-886-2206
Distribution:
2nd Thursday, 6PM—7PM , 4th Saturday, 9AM-12PM
Call if Emergency.

SHREWSBURY
St. Anne's Human Services
130 Boston Turnpike, Shrewsbury 01545
508-799-4169
Distribution: 3rd Monday of month 10AM-12noon &
6-7PM.
Emergency Distribution available during regular hours of: Mon, Tues, Sat 8AM-12noon, Wed 8AM-4PM, Thur. 8AM-8PM, Fri 8AM-1PM.

SOUTHBOROUGH

Southborough Food Pantry
Pilgrim Church
15 Common Street
Southborough, MA 01772
508-485-4847
Distribution: Tuesday, 7 to 8 PM; Fri., 10 to 11 AM.

SOUTHBRIDGE

Blessed John Paul II St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry
279 Hamilton Street, Southbridge 01550
508-765-3701
Distribution: Tuesdays, 3 to 5 PM; Thursdays from 10AM to 12 PM.
Senior Program: 2nd and 4th Wed. 10AM to 12Noon.

Southbridge Food Share, Inc.
79 Elm Street, Southbridge 01550
508–764–6583
Distribution:
Monday , Wednesday and Friday: 10AM to 11:15AM.

SPENCER

Mary Queen of the Rosary Food Pantry
60 Maple Street, Spencer, 01562
508–885–3332
Distribution: Mondays & Thursdays, 10 AM. (Arrival re–quired before 11am). One Monday night per month for working households –please call for Monday night appt.

UXBRIDGE

People First Food Pantry
Community House
19 Douglas Street, Uxbridge, 01569
508–278–5506
Distribution: Wednesday, 11 AM to 1 PM & 6:30 to 8 PM.

WEBSTER

Webster–Dudley Food Share, Inc.
United Church of Christ
4 Church Street–Suite 2, Webster, 01570
508–943–9171
Distribution: Tuesday and Thursday, 8:30 to 11:30 AM.
Please Call First

WEST BOYLSTON

West Boylston Food Pantry
First Congregational Church
26 Central Street, W. Boylston 01583
508–835–4462
Distribution: 3rd Tuesday of every month, 2 to 5 PM.

WESTBOROUGH

Westborough Food Pantry
Forbes Community House
9 East Main Street, Westborough 01581
508–366–3007
Distribution: Thursday, 9:15 to 11:15 AM & 7 to 8 PM.
Seniors Only: Tuesday, 10:00 to 11:00 AM.
Available to Westborough residents only.

WEST BROOKFIELD
Sharing Cupboard Food Pantry
First Congregational Church
36 North Main Street, W. Brookfield, 01585
508–867–7078
Distribution for All Ages: Wednesday, 10 AM to 12 PM; Thursday, 7 to 8:30 PM.

WHITINSVILLE

Northbridge Association of Churches (NAC)
Senior Center, 20 Highland Street, Whitinsville 01588
508–234–4599
Distribution for All Ages: Tuesday, 10 AM to 12 PM &
Thursday, 1 to 3 PM.

WINCHENDON

Winchendon CAC
273 Central Street, Winchendon, 01475
978–297–1667
Distribution: Mon. through Thursday, 9am–1pm

WORCESTER

AIDS Project Worcester
85 Green Street, Worcester, 01604
508–755–3773 x16
Distribution to their consumers only:
Tuesdays, 9 AM to 4:00 PM

Catholic Charities Food Pantry
10 Hammond Street, Worcester, 01610
508–860–2237
Distribution:
Monday through Friday, 11:30 AM to 2:30 PM.

Centro Las Americas
11 Sycamore Street, Worcester, 01608
508–798–1900, ext. 237
Distribution:
Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays 9 AM to 12 PM.

Friendly House Pantry
36 Wall Street, Worcester, 01604
508–755–4362
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 5 PM.

Good Samaritan Food Pantry
39 Piedmont Street, Worcester 01610
774–253–1619
Distribution: Tuesday & Friday, 10AM to 4 PM.

Great Brook Valley Food Pantry
Willis Center
176 Tacoma Street, Worcester, 01605
508–852–8905
Distribution: Monday, Thursday and Friday 8 AM to 4 PM

Jeremiah's Inn, Food Pantry
1059 Main Street, Worcester, 01603
508–755–6403
Distribution: Mon., Tue., Thurs & Fri., 9 AM to 2 PM.

John Street Baptist Church
43 John Street, Worcester, 01609
508–753–4991
Distribution: Saturday, 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM
during lunch meal.

Lighthouse Mission Food Pantry
165 Pleasant Street, Worcester, 01609
Distribution: Every Monday except 1st, 11 AM to 1 PM.
Loaves & Fishes Pantry

Unitarian Universalist Church of Worcester
90 Holden Street, Worcester, 01606
508–853–1942
Distribution: 3rd Saturday of the month, 10 AM to 12 PM.

Mt. Carmel Outreach Ministry
24 Mulberry Street, Worcester, 01605
508–791–0731 or 508–755–4362
Distribution: Tuesday Only 9:30am–1:30pm

Orthodox Food Center
St. Spyridan Cathedral
102 Russell Street, Worcester, 01609
508–791–7326
Distribution: Saturday, 10 AM to 12 PM.

Pernet Family Health Service
237 Millbury Street, Worcester, 01610
508–755–1228
Distribution: Mon., Tues. and Weds. 1:00PM to 4:30 PM.

Plumley Village Food Pantry
Willis Center
16 Laurel Street, Worcester, 01608
508–799–6981
Distribution: Tuesday & Wednesday 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM.

Quinsigamond Village Neighborhood Ctr.
16 Greenwood Street, Worcester, 01607
508–755–7481
Distribution: Monday thru Thursday 9:30AM to 2:00PM and Friday 9:30AM–12PM

Revival Church - Fountain of Life
23 Coral Street, Worcester, 01604
508–791–5555
Distribution: Wednesdays, 6 PM to 8 PM.

St. Paul's Outreach
19 Chatham Street, Worcester, 01609
508–791–8455
Distribution: Tues., Wed. & Fri., 9:00 AM to 11:30AM;
Thurs., 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM.

Salvation Army – Citadel
640 Main Street, Worcester, 01608
508–756–7191
Distribution: Mon. thru Friday, 10:00AM–12:00PM & 12:45PM– 2PM.

South Worcester Neighborhood Center
47 Camp Street, Worcester, 01603
508–757–8344
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 9:30AM to 1:20 PM.

South Worcester Neighborhood Ctr.– Green Island
50 Canton Street, Crompton Park, Worcester, 01610
508–753–4661
Distribution: Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 1:30 PM.

South Worcester Neighborhood Ctr. – Lakeside Center
54 Circuit Ave. South, Apt. 1 , Worcester 01603
No Phone on Site–call 508–757–8344 (SWNC Camp St.)
Distribution: Mon.–Weds. 10–2pm, Thurs/Fri 9:00AM–1PM

SVDP – St. Anthony's Pantry
Sacred Heart Church
596 Cambridge Street, Worcester, 01610
508–753–2555
Distribution: Thursday, 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM; Saturday 10 AM to 1 PM. By appointment.

SVDP – St. Peter's Church
929 Main Street, Worcester, 01610
508–752–4674

Veterans, Inc. Food Pantry
69 Grove Street, Worcester, 01605
508–791–1213 x108
Distribution: 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month,
10 AM to 4 PM. Veterans Identification Required.

Wesley United Methodist Church
Carty Cupboard
114 Main Street, Worcester, 01608
508–799–4191
Distribution:
Mondays: 6 to 7 PM, Wednesdays: 1 PM to 3 PM
& Friday: 10 AM to 12 PM.

Please call ahead if first time visit or holiday.

Hours may vary and Emergency Assistance may be available between scheduled distribution days.

Recyclable/Reusable bags appreciated.–Please bring a bag.

Please visit the Worcester County Food Bank website monthly for updates :
http://www.foodbank.org/immediate_help/immediate_assistance.html
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Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Short–Term Housing Referrals; Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Directories, Directory of Services, County/Parish; Directories, Directory of Services, Regional; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Directories, Online Database Resource; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Bulk Distribution; Distribution, Supplies, Regional Distribution; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/ Agencies); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Hotline, Shelter Hotline (Find Help); Housing, Transitional Housing; Housing, Transitional Housing (For Battered Women/Children); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, County Resources, Contacts & Services (County Level); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Resource Databases for Supplies/Services (NO FEE); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Disaster Response; Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Humanitarian Aid ; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; EMA (Emergency Management Agency) Regional/County; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center)
Updated Oct 23, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9397

Cooperative Elder Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

Acton "Safety Net" Leadership Summit
MA

Phone 781 863 2261
Web www.elderdayservices.com
Eligibility Seniors and those who care for them...
Service Permanent

Campaigns: 211 (groups that are ASSOCIATED with 211); Acton Leadership Summit, Acton Massachusetts
Updated Nov 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3855

Dominican Development Center (immigrant rights)

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA

Web www.dominicandevelopmentcenter.org
Service Temporary

Recent projects:

Bill of Rights for Domestic Workers
The Dominican Development Center (DDC) works to improve the quality of life of immigrant communities residing in the Boston Area. We provide immigration referrals, a citizenship class, and advocate for immigrant workers rights.

Anti Domestic Violence
The Dominican Development Center recently headed out to help some women whose husbands resorted to domestic violence.

International Women's Day

As an effort to serve to the community, DDC has implemented the International Women's Day, an event in which hundreds of women participate every year.

Providing education and all kind of resources to our loved immigrant community.

Our volunteers drove an initiative to teach a number of classes to community leaders in Massachusetts about the importance of having leadership in the community to combat racisms and xenophobia.

Founded: 2007
Founder: Magalis Troncoso Lama

Areas of expertise:
Latin American Community Development, fundraising
Grass–root Leadership Initiatives
Immigration/citizenship programs/ESL
Bilingual programs

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Domestic Violence; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, International Policy; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant, Legal Services; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Demographic Served: Immigrants; Services, Immigration, Refugee Resettlement (See also "Assistance")
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; International Community, Dominican; International Community, Latino
Updated Jan 25, 2018 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10111

FEMA DRC's

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA

Web asd.fema.gov/inter/locator/drcLocator.jsp
Service Temporary

FULL DRC –
Brimfield:
Clothing, Bedding, Toys, towels, shoes, socks

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Linens, Bath, Towels, New or Clean/Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types); Linens, Bedding * (ANY/ALL Types of Bedding) New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Shoes, * New or Gently Used/CLEAN * (ANY/ALL Types); Socks, All Sizes, NEW Only, * (ANY/ALL Types); Toys, * NEW or Clean/Gently Used – Kids In General (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Massachusetts Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center)
Updated Jun 26, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8675

Fenway Health

Walk–in Resource · Open

Health Care Outreach
MA

Phone 617 927 6202
Web www.fenwayhealth.org/site/PageServer?pagename=FCHC_srv_services_home
Service Temporary

Services:

Medical Care
Behavioral Health
Dental Care
Eye Care
Pharmacy
Complementary Therapies
Alternative Insemination
HIV, Hepatitis & STD Testing & Services
LGBT Family & Parenting Services
Substance Abuse Services
Support Groups
Toll–Free Listening Lines
Violence Recovery Program
Bisexual Health
Transgender Health
Women's Health
Senior Services
Financial Assistance & Health Insurance

Topics in their RESOURCES section:

TOPICS

LGBTI Health Information Websites
HIV/STD and Safer Sex Websites
LGBT Tobacco Cessation Programs
Alcohol and Substance Use
Violence Prevention Programs and Resources
LGBT Racial and Ethnic Minority Resources
LGBT Youth Resources
LGBT Family and Parenting Resources
LGBT Seniors Resources
Healthcare Proxy and AdvanceDirectives
Coming Out Support
Bisexual Support
Transgender Support
Intersex Support

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Health Referrals; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling ($ NOT FREE) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling, for Caregivers; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Group Counseling; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling;

Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group for Caregivers; Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Events, Community Meetings; Financial Assistance, Medical Expenses; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Health Information/Resource Hotline; Medical, Education, Health Awareness; Medical, Education, HIV/AIDS Awareness; Medical, Facility, Clinic ($ Fee–Based Sliding Scale); Medical, Facility, Clinic, Outpatient Clinic; Medical, Services, HIV Palliative Care; Medical, Services, Infectious Disease; Medical, Services, Laboratory / Lab Services; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Services, Outpatient; Medical, Services, Preventive; Medical, Services, Screening, General Health; Services, Substance Abuse, Outpatient Program (Drug/Alcohol); Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/Alcohology) ; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Book/Study/Discussion Group; Social Events, Party / Festival; Training Classes, Caregiver Training; Training, Medical, Education, AIDS/HIV Workshops; Training, Medical, Education *(ANY/ALL Types); Training, Medical, Education, General Health; Training, Medical, Education, Health Education for Survivors * (ANY/ALL Types); Training, Medical, Education, HIV/AIDS, Coping With HIV/AIDS

Campaigns: Social Activists/Organizers

Updated Apr 23, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7896

Find Food (Greater Boston Food Bank) Online Database MEALS and Food Pantries

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA

Web www.gbfb.org/need–food/index.php
Service Temporary

FANTASTIC online searchable database for meals and pantries...

The first comprehensive online database of community–suppers in Massachusetts.

also:
Dear all,

JOIN US EVERY SATURDAY for a delicious and healthy pay–what–you–can dinner starting at 5 pm at Haley House Bakery Cafe, located at 12 Dade St in Roxbury.

Come for good conversation over locally sourced food regardless of your financial means. Great time for community building and reaching out to fellow Bostonians. We believe in always feeding our people and sharing stories as the starting point for activism. Bring your friends and colleagues! See you there!

Community Tables
Every Saturday
5 PM
12 Dade St, Haley House Bakery Cafe

Thank you!
Tanya Nguyen

Updated Oct 2, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9718

Food Not Bombs – Massachusetts Listings (FREE FOOD – SHARING)

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA

Web foodnotbombs.net/massachusetts.html
Service Temporary

Regular food sharing, usually vegan, usually w/music. Donations go to help feed people at rallies and social justice events, and to generally share food in general.

ALL KNOWN GROUPS IN MASSACHUSETTS

This page was updated November 12, 2013
There are 14 known groups in Massachusetts

Beverly
beverlyfoodnotbombs@gmail. com
www. beverlyfoodnotbombs.blogspot.com
meet every Friday infront of the 1st Baptist Church on Cabot Street to cook and Serve at 11am every Friday on the Beverly Commons.

Boston/Cambridge
fnbboston@gmail.com
fnboston@lists.riseup.net
fnbboston.org

Fridays 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM at Park Street Station, Boston.
Sundays 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM at Central Square Station, Cambridge.

Brookline
PrymordyalSoup@aol.com

Greenfield/Franklin County Food Not Bombs
foodnotbombsgreenfield@ gmail.com

Hyannis
rifullgirl58@comcast.net
Sharing meals on Main Street. Email for details.

Lawrence
We share free food every SUN in front of the YMCA
wearethelast77@hotmail.com

Lowell
EVERY Saturday from 12–3 in Kerouac Park on Bridge Street.

Metrowest
Based out of Ashland and Framingham
foodnotbombsmetrowest@ gmail.com

Northampton
foodnotbombspv@gmail.com

Fridays
Around 3:00 pm in Pulaski Park
(right near the Academy of Music Bus Stop)
Meals and groceries

Sundays
Around 3:00 pm in Pulaski Park
(right near the Academy of Music Bus Stop)
Meals and groceries

Southbridge
southbridgefoodnotbombs@ gmail.com
google.com/ site/southbridefoodnotbombs/

Worcester
We cook every Saturday at noon and serve food at 2 behind City Hall.
Contact: 774–239–2670
Email us at: fnbworcester@gmail.com
And visit our facebook site at: www.facebook.com/pages/Worcester–Food–Not–Bombs

Pioneer Valley
foodnotbombspv@gmail.com
Fridays
Around 3:00 pm in Pulaski Park
(right near the Academy of Music Bus Stop)
Meals and groceries

Sundays
Around 3:00 pm in Pulaski Park
(right near the Academy of Music Bus Stop)
Meals and groceries

Services offered: Advocacy, Environmental; Demographic Served: Artists/Artist Communities; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Demographic Served: Teens; Demographic Served: Teens, Troubled; Demographic Served: Victims of Economic Injustice, Urban; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Vegan; New "business" models, Economic; New "business" models, Food Production/Distribution; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; Recycling, Food; Support for "All Local" Disasters
Campaigns: 350.org; Alternative Societies; Bartering Network; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Environmental Sustainability; Food Not Bombs; Global Warming Relief Supplies/Services; Green–Rainbow Party; Homelessness Relief Services; Occupy Wall Street / Occupy America / Occupy Together; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Dec 2, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9748

Good News Garage (affordable cars for disabled and income qualified) some car repair?(not verified)

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA

Web www.goodnewsgarage.org
Service Temporary

Good News Garage of Massachusetts
http://www.goodnewsgarage.org
1–860–218–2968, contact persons are Kristen or Ryan.

Note: Currently only under contract from Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission. Will only take calls from MRC. Repairs donated cars to provide them to low–income individuals.

Many donated cars are repaired and provided to families in need. Some vehicles require excessive, costly repairs or would be too expensive for our recipients to maintain. These vehicles are sold and the funds help to refurbish a vehicle more appropriate for a client.

Services offered: Vehicle, Car; Volunteer, Car Repair
Updated May 25, 2014 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9876

North Shore Massachusetts Schools, breakfast and lunch pickup

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA

Web www.salemnews.com/news/local_news/schools–providing–meals–during–shutdown/article_27fe547a–e8f4–5b26–be7e–1be791f08f6c.html
Service Temporary

Several North Shore school districts have announced plans for providing free student meals while schools are closed for coronavirus precautions.

Beverly

Bagged lunches and breakfasts for the following morning will be available for pickup Monday through Friday, 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., at Beverly High School, 100 Sohier Road, for all children ages 18 and under regardless of their lunch benefit status. Meals may not be consumed at the pickup location.

Beginning Tuesday, March 17, bag lunches and breakfasts for the following morning will also be delivered to the following parks in the community for children ages 18 and under between 11:30 a.m. and noon:

Apple Village, 600 Manor Road

Goldway Park, 9 South Hardy St.

Holcroft Park, 10 Gage St.

Those with Beverly students in need of lunch services who cannot access any of the above meal sites should contact Food Service Director Christina Leal at cleal@beverlyschools.org or 978–921–6132 ext. 11129.

Danvers

Town officials on Sunday announced plans to expand its school lunch service during the closure to all Danvers residents in need. To receive a prepared lunch, email lunch@danvers.org by 9 a.m. each day with your name, address, number of family members and lunch choice. Staff and volunteers will deliver the meal to your home and leave it on your doorstep. Choose from turkey and cheese, ham and cheese, tuna salad and salad.

Grab–and–go lunches will also be available for pickup between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Monday through Friday at the Danvers High School atrium, 60 Cabot Road, until school reopens.

Hamilton–Wenham Regional School District

The Nutrition Services department is working closely with ACORD food pantry and has developed a plan to assist students with meals during the closure.

On Tuesday, March 17, bags of groceries for families that indicate they need them will be distributed at the Winthrop Elementary School, 325 Bay Road, Hamilton, at 11 a.m. These bags will be similar to the ones offered during the summer, filled with perishable and non–perishable foods.

To participate, call 978–468–0398 or email c.donovan@hwschools.net and provide your name and the number of people in your household by Monday, March 16, at noon.

Salem

Starting Monday, March 16, breakfast and lunch will be available to all children under the age of 18, regardless of which school you attend, from 9 to 11 a.m. Monday through Friday at the following school locations:

Bates School: side door to the cafeteria, facing the playground

Bentley Academy: gym door near the big parking lot

Carlton Innovation School: main entrance

Collins Middle School: main entrance

Horace Mann Elementary School: second–floor entrance on the Salem High School side of the building, near the field

Saltonstall School: behind the school at the cafeteria entrance by the playground

Witchcraft Elementary School: main entrance

In addition, starting Monday, March 16, breakfast and lunch will be delivered by the Salem Public Schools transportation department for pickup from 9 to 10 a.m. to any Salem child under the age of 18 in the following locations:

1000 Loring Towers

Mack Park at Tremont Street

Salem Common

Pequot Highlands at First Street

Palmer Cove Park

Rainbow Terrace at 2 Rainbow Terrace

These meals will be packaged “grab–and–go” style by the Food Services Department. Staff will practice social distancing protocol at every location.

Whenever possible, send one family member (or as few as possible) to get meals for all children in the household. Do not come to the site if you or any of your household members are feeling ill or have been advised to self–quarantine.

Those who need further accommodations should contact the Food Service Department at 978–740–1230 to make specific arrangements.

Swampscott

Students who receive free or reduced lunch will be able to pick up a grab–and–go lunch Monday through Friday during the closure, from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Swampscott High School side cafeteria door, 200 Essex St.
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 17, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10164

Otis Air Force Base (CLOSED as a Katrina Evac Site)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

MA
Service Temporary

This site housed Katrina evacuees.

They wanted volunteers that could stay 5 days or more: 800 293 4031, 7 am –7 pm, katrinavolunteer @ state.ma.us

Donations requested at the time: radios, used TVs, books, and toiletries: 508 820 2000

Data Entry note: I found this info as I was cleaning up old Katrina info.
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Dec 26, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9059

Pension Action Center (free help solving pension issues)

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA
Web www.umb.edu/pensionaction
Service Temporary

from the site:

The New England Pension Assistance Project and the Illinois Pension Assistance Project, the individual case advocacy arms of the Pension Action Center:

* provide comprehensive assistance on private or public pension issues at no cost;
* unravel complex pension plan documents and calculate benefit amounts;
* digs in to search for lost pensions, spending the necessary time that others just cannot give;
* have recovered over $50 million in pension benefits that were earned but, for whatever reason, were not paid.

The New England Pension Assistance Project has been operating for over 20 years and is one of six pension counseling projects funded by the U.S. Administration on Aging. The Illinois Pension Assistance Project began serving clients in July, 2012, and is funded by a grant from The Retirement Research Foundation.

Policy Work
In addition to helping more than 7,500 people, the Pension Assistance Project's work helps to inform the Pension Action Center's issue analysis and policy reform agenda.

Through its pension counseling experience, the Pension Action Center identified the issue of "lost pensions". A pension becomes lost because a company has moved, been acquired, or merged. Working in collaboration with the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, the Pension Action Center authored a widely distributed self–help guide for individuals, "Finding a Lost Pension".

An ongoing concern of the Pension Action Center is women and retirement income. The center successfully worked to have Massachusetts state law amended to make the choice of providing a survivor benefit the actuarial equivalent of other pension payout options state employees have. This work went a long way to insure that spouses of state employees maintain financial independence and avoid poverty.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Information & Resource Referrals (For Elders/ Seniors); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Referrals; Counseling, Personal Finance Counseling; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Legal Assistance for Seniors/Elderly
Updated Feb 23, 2015 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9919

Pioneer Valley Workers Center (Labor/Housing/Immigrant/Human Rights)

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA

Web pvworkerscenter.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Eviction Defense; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocacy, Social Justice, Fair Labor/Worker Rights; Demographic Served: Diaspora Populations; Demographic Served: Immigrants; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Victims of Economic Injustice, Urban; Events, Community Meetings; Events, Protest Actions; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Meeting space; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty
Updated Jan 25, 2018 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10112

Project Just Because (Furniture Bank, household goods)

Walk–in Resource · Open

MA

Service Temporary

Services offered: Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jan 27, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9632

Worcester FREE FOOD Fridges [4 locations!]

Walk–in Resource · Open

910 Main St; Worcester, MA, MA

Web www.worcestercommunityfridges.com/locations
Service Temporary

http://instagram.com/woofridge

910 Main St
Worcester, MA

44 Portland St
Worcester, MA

300 Southbridge St
Worcester, MA

Massachusetts League
of Community Health Centers
16 Brooks St
Worcester, MA

Worcester Community Fridges believes having daily access to fresh food is a human right. In Worcester, 15% of families, have identified as living with food insecurity. While navigating the Covid–19 pandemic, these numbers have risen significantly within our city. Community fridges are open 24/7, leaving no barriers in the way of someone accessing free food.

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10438

MI

Detroit Community Technology Project

Walk–in Resource · Open

Allied Media Projects; 4126 Third St, Detroit, MI 48201

Web www.detroitcommunitytech.org
Service Temporary

From hosting Data DiscoTechs in each district of Detroit to helping Digital Stewards and their neighbors design resilient communications infrastructure and Gigabit apps, we strive for a future where people who have been marginalized from political and economic power can use technology to shape the future of their lives, neighborhoods, and regions.

Our Story

Detroit Community Technology Project was born from a legacy of coalition work and collaboration, building on Allied Media Projects' (AMP) nine year track record of digital media education and community technology building in Detroit.

Allied Media Projects partnered with the Open Technology Institute of the New America Foundation in 2012 to create the Digital Stewards (DS) Program, which trains neighborhood leaders in designing and deploying community wireless networks with a commitment to the Detroit Digital Justice Principles. To date, DCTP has implemented the DS training with leaders from seven Detroit neighborhoods, followed by four Equitable Internet Initiative neighborhoods in both Detroit and Highland Park. DCTP has supported 11 more community groups internationally to adopt and modify the training for their own contexts. As our principled approach and the Digital Stewards program continued to find firm footing in community, new people–based resources and programming grew, aimed at enabling community participation in online economies, education, and safe navigation of online spaces. DCTP formed officially in 2014 to encompass broader community technology education and organizing work and to share best practices.

After many iterations in Detroit and New York, the Digital Stewards Program began to see new life as Gigabit fiber was introduced in the city of Detroit, threatening to widen an already oppressive digital divide. In 2015, DCTP introduced the Equitable Internet Initiative (EII), our attempt to redistribute power, resources, and connectivity to the most marginalized of Detroiters. We began with partners in three neighborhoods: Islandview, North End, and Southwest. As neighborhood–level strategy played out to help bring more Detroiters online in a meaningful way, DCTP shifted focus to also address how Detroiters were impacted by broader systems of data collection and surveillance technologies, both on and offline. How much did folks know about their digital data bodies? How much could they protect themselves? The Data Justice Program was introduced in 2016, just as the city was ramping up promotion of Detroit's Open Data portal. It quickly blossomed into a vital companion to EII and the work of the Detroit Digital Justice Coalition.

The Digital Stewards curriculum has inspired many other community technology curricula used within, and in conjunction with, DCTP's programming. These include a Consentful Tech curriculum built with the Consentful Tech Project, and the Next Gen Apps curricula developed by EII anchor organization Grace in Action and their Radical Productions team. As we continue to learn and grow, DCTP remains committed to decentralizing our resources and experience, and making community technology accessible across Detroit and the world.

Services offered: Tech, Computer Networking Services
Campaigns: Black Community; Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Ending Gross Inequity; Mayfirst Solidarity Movement; Neighborhood Network; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Mar 30, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10408

Oakland County Michigan, free meals for kids during virus shut down

Walk–in Resource · Open

MI

Web www.theoaklandpress.com/news/local/school–s–out–but–lunch–is–still–on–with–districts/article_294f07c4–6551–11ea–b618–bbce89bf2078.html
Service Temporary

Services offered: Meals * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 17, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10170

Pantry's – List of

Walk–in Resource · Open

MI

Service Temporary

Here is a list of local pantries:

Pellston Food Pantry 231–539–8570

The Food Pantry at St. Thomas in Cheboygan 231–627–3167
http://www.stthomas–elca.org/

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church Manna Pantry 231–796–5473
http://www.standrews–bigrapids.org/manna.htm

Project Starburst in Big Rapids 231–796–5342

Care & Share Food Pantry in East Jordan 231–536–7423

Good Samaritan Food Pantry of Ellsworth 231–588–2208

Presque Isle County Food Pantry 989–734–3929

Otsego County Community Food Pantry 989–732–8929
http://www.otsego.org/ocfp/

The Lord's Kitchen 231–627–5617

Crawford County Help Center 989–348–6046

Midland County EFPN– Sam's Pantry 989–832–3148

Father Fred 231–947–2055
http://www.fatherfredfoundation.com/

Eastern Upper Peninsula Food Bank 906–632–0348
http://www.wmgleaners.org/

Manna Project 231–347–8852

Weidman United Methodist Church Food Pantry 989–644–3148

Red Cross Food Pantry of Mt. Pleasant 989–772–0582
http://centralmichigan.redcross.org/

Mancelona Food Pantry 231–587–9606

St. Ignace Food Pantry 906–643–7360

American Legion Food Pantry 231–856–4229

Northwest Gleaners Food Bank 231–779–0056

God's Helping Hands 989–967–8581

Marion Food Pantry 231–743–6875

Northwest Osceola Food Pantry 231–768–4837

Reed City Ministerial Association Food Pantry 231–832–3951

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church 231–796–5473

Sears Food Pantry 231–734–3347

Salvation Army of Cadillac 231–775–7131
http://www.usc.salvationarmy.org/cadillac

First Church of Christ 906–632–6511

Living Word Church 906–632–6941

Community Baptist Church 906–632–7214

Salvation Army of Sault Ste. Marie 906–632–6521

St. Vincent DePaul 906–253–1955

First United Presbyterian 906–632–7771

Inter Tribal Council (I.T.C.) 906–632–6896 ex 131

St. Joseph Catholic Parish 906–632–9625

Fundamental Baptist Church 906–495–7433

New Hope Community Church 906–495–5283

Community Bible Church 906–274–5550

Paradise United Methodist Church 906–492–3237

Rudyard Bible Church 906–478–4691

Bay Mills Social Services 906–248–3204

Brimley Baptist 906–248–5283

Detour Christian Chapel 906–297–3491

LesCheneaux Christian Fellowship 906–484–2966

Northstar Baptist 906–293–5292

Luce County Community Center 906–293–3729

West Mackinaw Pantry 906–477–1050

Straits Evangelical 906–643–8778

Rexton Mennonite Church 906–595–7361

Cedar Post Inc. Pantry 906–484–9512

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Sep 30, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4614

West Michigan free grab–and–go meals for kids

Walk–in Resource · Open

MI

Web www.woodtv.com/health/coronavirus/schools–open–grab–and–go–meal–sites–amid–covid–19–outbreak
Service Temporary

Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 17, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10169

MN

Minnesota, StPaul/Minneapolis, meals for kids

Walk–in Resource

Minneapolis, MN

Web minnesota.cbslocal.com/2020/03/16/coronavirus–in–minnesota–free–meals–for–students–from–minneapolis–st–paul–public–schools
Service Temporary

Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 18, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10181

MO

Storehouse Food Pantry, The (Located at: Faith Community Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Community Outreach

200 Highway 28 W, Belle, MO 65013

Web calledanointedsent.org/SH%20Food%20Pantry.htm
Service Temporary

Storehouse Food Pantry and Central Missouri Food Bank have partnered together for over five years to provide 1.5 million pounds of food (wholesale value of 2.5 million dollars) and household items to 700–1000 people each month.

The Storehouse Food Pantry is currently operating in the Faith Community Center in Belle, Mo, on the second Tuesday of every month from 1–7 p.m.

Current Food Pantry "Volunteer" Needs
(most are once a month commitments)

Volunteers who are willing to pray (monthly at home) for the expressed needs of the poor;

Volunteers who can deliver food (and feel comfortable ministering in homes);

Volunteers who can assist with the physical burdens of transporting heavy boxes and helping the people to carry their food boxes and bags in line and to their vehicles;

Volunteers who are comfortable and will be available to offer or assist with prayer

Volunteers who can relieve work stations for restroom breaks and who can bring refreshments to other working volunteers (drinks, snacks, etc.);

Volunteers who transport empty boxes from one location (where they are emptied) to where the people can use them to collect their food; also remove boxes which are not recyclable and tear these down for re loading on truck; and

Volunteers (1–2) who elect to clean up the facility after the food distribution is complete (re stack chairs, vacuum carpet, etc.; primarily needed while in current facility from 5:30 or 6:00 7:00 p.m.).

While we have been pleased to be able to continue providing food to those of out community in need at our mobile food pantry; we are sure looking forward to having new facilities. Please keep us in your prayers, that the money can be raised quickly and that we will once again have a permanent home.

The Central Missouri Food Bank (CMFB) is a regional disaster and hunger relief network that acquires and distributes millions of pounds of donated food annually. CMFB distributes food to people in need through a network of 129 agencies in 31 Missouri counties. CMFB provides free food to soup kitchens, emergency food pantries, shelters for the abused and homeless, programs for low income children and senior citizens, and rehabilitation centers.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Food Pantry, Mobile Food Pantry; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Updated May 15, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3465

Church of God – Operation Compassion

Walk–in Resource · Open

14th & Michigan, Joplin, MO

Web www.operationcompassion.org/2011/05/operation–compassion–and–partners–arrive–in–joplin–mo
Serves Joplin, Jasper County, MO
Service Temporary

baby food, water, portable showers, large meal service, debris removal

Services offered: Cleanup, Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Food, Baby Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 31, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8494

First Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

633 So. Pearl, Joplin, MO

Service Temporary

Child care, clothing, home repair, debris removal, personal care items

You can apply for assistance or to volunteer on their website

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Services, Family, Children, Emergency Child Care; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 31, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8496

Forest Park Baptist Church (DISTRIBUTION/VOLUNTEER SIGN UP & TRAINING)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Forest Park warehouse at 8th and Highview (just west of 7th and Range Line), Joplin, MO

Web www.fpbc.net
Serves Joplin, Jasper County, MO
Service Temporary

Per VOAD:

Resource space, food, diapers, sending food to volunteers in the field

FROM THE SITE:

* Pray!
* Give blood at local centers.
* Due to the overwhelming response of generous people around the country, our warehouses are currently too full to accept any more donations. We will let you know if more space becomes available for us to resume accepting donations.
* If you are looking for water, food, clothes, or baby supplies, go to the Forest Park warehouse at 8th and Highview in Joplin (just west of 7th and Range Line).
* Samaritan's Purse offers volunteer training at the Joplin Campus (7th and Range Line) each day at 7:30 am and 1:00 pm. You must go through this training, fill out a few forms, and sign a release to go out into the field.
* If you are looking for opportunities to volunteer, please come to Forest Park at 7th and Range Line in Joplin and register in the lobby. Food preparation, food distribution, yard and home clean–up, loading and unloading trucks, organizing donated goods.
* Give a monetary donation here. One–hundred percent of your donation will go to the relief efforts.
* Pray!

Check this page (http://fpbc.net/what_can_i_do) and our campus Facebook pages throughout the week for more ways you can help.

See the Citizen Command Ctr. Relief Database facility record for Samaritan's Purse at:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8418

FACEBOOK: http://fpbc.net/facebook/

Services offered: Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Donations, Disaster Fund; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; Training Classes, Disaster Volunteer Orientation; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Samaritan's Purse
Updated May 31, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8502

Freeman West Crisis Counseling

Walk–in Resource · Open

Joplin, MO
Phone 417–347–7070
Service Temporary

Services offered: Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 31, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8486

Hope House Thrift Store

Walk–in Resource · Open

1651 W 7th St, Joplin, MO
Service Temporary

All items are free! 9–5 every day but Sun

Services offered: Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Thrift Store
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 31, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8488

Joplin Family Worship Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Joplin, MO
Phone 1–417–623–4646
Web www.jfwc.org
Service Temporary

Day care for qualifying families, limited sponsorships available

FROM THE SITE:

FSCS Preschool & Daycare located at Joplin Family Worship Center
IS OPEN & AVAILABLE TO RECEIVE CHILDREN
Call Mrs. Bev @ 417–793–2732 for more details.

TEMPORARY LAND LINE PHONE NUMBER FOR JFWC
1–417–623–4646

Services offered: Services, Family, Children, Daycare Services; Services, Family, Children, Emergency Child Care
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 31, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8497

Joplin Public Library (COMPUTER/INTERNET ACCESS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

300 S. Main St., Joplin, MO 64801
Phone 417–623–7953
Web www.joplinpubliclibrary.org
Serves Joplin, Jasper County, MO
Service Temporary

The library is open w/computer & internet access

Services offered: Services, Tech, Internet Access
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 23, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8406

Kids Against Hunger (FEEDING)

Walk–in Resource · Open

HQ: 5401 Boone Avenue North; New Hope, MN 55428, Joplin, MO
Phone 763.257.0202
Service Temporary

Kids Against Hunger will be setting up a mobile food center at 2002 Wisconsin– East of the Joplin High School. They will be up and running from noon to six today and 10 am to 6 pm on Sat. 5/28.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals, Mobile Meals, Disaster Survivors (Available To)
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Kids Against Hunger
Updated May 27, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8450

Misti's Mission – Joplin Hwy 43 Overflow (Facebook – Distribution & Drop–off Collection Site)

Walk–in Resource · Open

6893 hwy 43, Joplin, MO 64804
Phone 417–499–8198
Web www.facebook.com/pages/Mistis–Mission–Joplin–Hwy–43–Overflow/198564790189545
Hours 9 AM to 6 PM
Service Temporary

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado
Updated Jun 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8641

New Creation Church (VOLUNTEER MEALS/SHELTER & SURVIVOR DISTRIBUTION)

Walk–in Resource · Open

1831 S. Connor Ave.; (Cross St. is 19th), Joplin, MO 64804
Phone 417–782–8200
Web www.newcreation–joplin.com
Service Temporary

3 meals a day for volunters, volunteer shelter, free clothing, water

Services offered: Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Donations, Disaster Fund; Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 31, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8504

Sam's Club (HOT MEALS/SHOWERS–FOR VOL's)

Walk–in Resource · Open

3536 Hammons Blvd., Joplin, MO
Phone 417–623–6200
Service Temporary

SHOWERS/HOT MEALS available for 5/11 Joplin Tornado volunteers

Services offered: Facilities: Shower Facilities for Volunteers; Meals, Hot Meals; Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 31, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8481

SBA ~ Small Business Administration, Business Recovery Centers – INDEX

Walk–in Resource · Open

SEE NOTES, Joplin, MO
Service Temporary

Remember! To qualify for SBA you HAVE TO register with FEMA FIRST!!!!

The are locations where you will find SBA (Small Business Administration Recovery Centers:

MSSU Taylor Performing Arts Center
3950 E Newman Rd
Joplin, MO

HOURS: 9–6 Mon–Sat, 1–6 Sun

First Methodist Church
501 W 4th
Joplin, MO

HOURS: 9–6 Mon–Sat, 1–6 Sun

Newman Innovation Center
320 E 4th St
Joplin, MO

HOURS: M, W, TH, F 9–6; Tu, 11–8; Sat, 9–1

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Loans, Low Interest Loans
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated May 30, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8480

Social Security Administration

Walk–in Resource · Open

MSSU Taylor Performing Arts Center; 4102 S Arizona, Joplin, MO
Phone 1–800–772–1213
Service Temporary

5/11 Tornado Survivor Resource:

Pertaining to Social Security: Lost checks, benefit estimates & applications, finding nearest office, replacement cards, direct deposit & change of address, checks currently being held at Post Office at 1st and Main

Services offered: Assistance, How To, Replace Destroyed Documents
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, State Government Department/Agency
Updated May 30, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8482

TCF – Compassionate Friends of the Four States

Walk–in Resource · Open

Meeting Address: Community of Christ Church, 1212 N Goetz Blvd., Joplin, MO 64801
Phone (417) 649–1118
Web www.compassionatefriends.org
Service Temporary

Support group for parents who have lost a child of any age

Chapter Notes: Chapter also offers infant loss support and Survivors of Suicide Support

Meeting Info: 1st Tuesday of each month 7:00 pm

Services offered: Counseling, Support Groups, Parents
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 30, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8477

The Bridge – MARC (MULTI–AGENCY RESOURCE CENTER)

Walk–in Resource · Open

3405 S. Hammons Blvd., Joplin, MO 64804
Phone 417–206–6886
Web thebridgejoplin.com
Service Temporary

6/2/11 Facebook Announcement:

The Bridge is no longer accepting any items for donation, but are still in great need of financial donations and volunteers. Please help spread the word so that we can better help Joplin. Thank you all so much for everything!

The Bridge is the host of the Multi–Agency Resource Center (MARC) for the Joplin area. The MARC is a place where people affected by the disaster can connect with social services, nonprofits, faith–based organizations and local, state and federal agencies. Individuals will be informed of the various services available to them. Child care will be available on–site for those seeking help through these organizations.

FACEBOOK –
https://www.facebook.com/pages/The–Bridge/93895805420

Services offered: Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Linens, Bedding * (ANY/ALL Types of Bedding) New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Services, Family, Children, Emergency Child Care; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accomodates Youth Volunteers) ; Volunteer Work Orders/Projects

(provided by this facility); Youth Program
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated Jun 2, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8444

The Independent Living Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

2639 E 34th Street, Joplin, MO 64804
Phone 800–346–8951 / (417) 659–8086
Web www.ilcenter.org
Service Temporary

FROM VOAD: Volunteers 55 and older, assistance for people with disabilities, durable medical equipment available

Services offered: Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Medical, Equipment, Durable Medical Equipment * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers)
Updated Jun 1, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8510

Watered Gardens Reserve Mission (FOOD PANTRY/CLEAN UP VOL'S/ DONATION DROP SITE)

Walk–in Resource · Open

531 Kentucky Ave, Joplin, MO 64801
Phone (417) 623–6030
Web www.wateredgardens.org
Serves Joplin, Jasper County, MO
Service Temporary

5/11 Joplin Tornado: Can accept furniture donations at 531 Kentucky, construction materials, debris removal, volunteers

Watered Gardens Gospel Rescue Mission is accepting new or gently used furniture, appliances and miscellaneous household items like dishes, pots and pans. If you have questions, please call 417–623–6030.

Services offered: Appliances, Large, * Household (ANY/ALL Types); Appliances, Small * (ANY/ALL Types); Case Management, Homeless; Cleanup, Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Construction Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Kitchen, Cooking Equipment, Pots & Pans; Kitchen, Service, Dishes * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated May 30, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8474

FEMA DRC's (Disaster Recovery Centers) – 5/11 MO Tornadoes

Walk–in Resource · Open

Various, MO
Service Temporary

UPDATE: Tue May 24, 2011 9:00 pm

DRC #5 in Charleston will be closing 6–1–11 at 6:00 p.m.

DRC #7 will be opening at the following location on Thursday, June 2, 2011:

103 S. Kings Highway
Sikeston, MO 63801

Hours of Operation: June 2, 2011 1:00 pm to 6:00 p.m.
Effective June 3, 2011 open 9:00 a.m to 6:00 p.m.
Monday through Saturday
Closed Sunday

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/ Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center)
Updated May 25, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8430

CRUDEM supplying Hôpital Sacré Coeur in Haiti

Walk–in Resource · Open

MO
Web www.crudem.org
Service Temporary

source: https://www.archstl.org/350–volunteers–pack–113000–meals–for–haitians–6744

350 volunteers pack 113,000 meals for Haitians
CRUDEM Foundation project aims to serve people in desperate need

Submitted August 14, 2021 | 9:01 PM

Nicholas Sheppard held a bag while other volunteers added rice, pinto beans, freeze–dried vegetables and vitamins for six servings. The bag was then sealed and placed in a box.

Over a two–hour shift, 350 volunteers assembled the nutrition food packets at Chaminade Preparatory High School on Aug. 14, which will be shipped to Hôpital Sacré Coeur in Milot, Haiti, for distribution to the neediest people in Haiti's northern region. The aim was to pack 100,000 meals or more for the neediest people there, and they ended up with 113,000.

It's part of a project of the CRUDEM Foundation, begun by St. Louis physician Dr. Theodore "Ted" Dubuque, Jr. in 1993 to support Hôpital Sacré Coeur. The foundation has a social ministry run by two Sisters of St. Joseph of Peace, Maureen Boggins and Ann Crawley. Extreme food insecurity and famine relentlessly overtake much of Haiti — and that was before a 7.2 magnitude earthquake that struck the island Aug. 14, the same day as the "packathon" at Chaminade. Haitians who are blind or infirm, orphans and infants — the focus of the sisters' outreach — are particularly vulnerable.

Nicholas, a sophomore at Clayton High School, was accompanied by members of his youth group at St. Francis Xavier ("College") Church in St. Louis. "It's an opportunity to help people and have a good time," he said. "I know Haiti is going through a hard time. This helps a little bit — we're doing something really good."

Erin Dunlap came with her husband, Darren, and three children, ages 9, 11 and 15, all of St. Peter Parish in Kirkwood. She learned of the effort through the Notre Dame Club of St. Louis and instantly knew it would be a good family project. They helped stack the bags and put them into boxes, already on box eight after about 45 minutes of work. Her son, Patrick, a St. Louis University High School student, said: "I like that people are coming together for one big goal to help people in need."

Dr. William Guyol, a physician in St. Louis and Immacolata parishioner, was a local organizer of the packathon. He said "because of the recent unrest in Haiti, there's been a lot of price inflation. People simply cannot afford their meals. The economy is almost at a standstill. Things are tough."

Guyol typically spends time at the Haitian hospital twice a year but has not visited for a year because of COVID–19 precautions.

The average Haitian lives on approximately $2 a day, often eating just one meal of beans and rice a day. There has been additional issues recently after Haiti's president, Jovenel Moise, was assassinated on July 7. The country currently has no working parliament and only a handful of elected senators. News reports stated that the earthquake Aug. 14 killed at least 300, but thousands were injured or missing. The death toll was expected to rise.

Over a two–hour shift, 350 volunteers assembled the nutrition food packets at Chaminade Preparatory High School on Aug. 14, which will be shipped to Hôpital Sacré Coeur in Milot, Haiti, for distribution to the neediest people in Haiti's northern region.
Photo Credit: Joseph Kenny
In addition to the volunteers, the St. Louis effort raised just short of its goal of $50,000 to aid in the food distribution and assist the ministry in Haiti, though some additional donations were expected. "St. Louis has always been generous to the CRUDEM foundation," Guyol said.

Assisting with the operation was another nonprofit, Feed the Hunger. The food was put in a shipping container that was to be trucked to New Jersey, placed on a ship and delivered within a couple weeks to the Port of Cap–Haïtien, about 30 minutes from Hôpital Sacré Coeur.

The people of Haiti are "happy, joyful and have a wonderful faith," Guyol said. "They are full of gratitude for what they have though they have virtually nothing compared to you or me."

The event was dominated by volunteers from Catholic parishes and schools. Archbishop Emeritus Robert J. Carlson led an opening prayer, citing a Gospel passage from Matthew 25 and telling the volunteers that by feeding others they're feeding Jesus. "We share our life and love with the people of Haiti," he said.

Lucas Licker, a Chaminade freshman, came with his mom. "I enjoy helping others," he said. "Haiti is in a bad situation, and I'm happy we're in a situation where we can help."

Anastasia Rybakova, the mother of a Chaminade freshman, said that she's from Kurdistan (a region in the Middle East), and "we experienced a revolution just as in Haiti now. I sympathize with these people and want to take care of them. So many people here are ready to help. I'm really impressed."
Helping Haiti

Hôpital Sacré Coeur is the largest private hospital and public health provider for the 250,000 people living in the Milot region of Northern Haiti. Hôpital Sacré Coeur was established by the Montreal Province of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart in 1968.

In 1986, St. Louis physician Dr. Ted Dubuque spent six months as a volunteer surgeon at the hospital and established the operating room there. The mission, called Project CRUDEM, included the hospital and was started by the Brothers of the Sacred Heart. When the religious community could no longer support the hospital, Dubuque and his friend, St. Louisan Carlos Reese, took over management and financial responsibility by forming the charitable CRUDEM Foundation in 1993, with major support from Annunziata Parish in Ladue and the Order of Malta. The hospital has become a premier health care provider in Haiti, gradually expanding from an original six beds to more than 200.

In 2012, the Holy Name Medical Center Foundation of Teaneck, New Jersey (“Holy Name”) became the sole corporate member of CRUDEM. Management of Hôpital Sacré Coeur is the responsibility of its Haitian leadership team, assisted by several U.S. technical advisors provided by CRUDEM.

Outreach is done through the Community Health Service, with public health nurses and community health workers serving a number of sites in the region and reaching 150,000 people with vaccinations, pre–natal care, basic hygiene and nutrition training, and HIV/AIDS, tuberculosis, malaria and lymphatic filariasis treatment.

For information or to assist CRUDEM, visit crudem.org.

Services offered: Meals, Lunches (Bag)
Campaigns: 2021 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Aug 15, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10477

State of Missouri Resource, Recovery & Rebuilding Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

705 Illinois Ave., Building A, Suite 12, MO
Service Temporary

Permanent Resource Center To Help Joplin MO Tornado Victims
Monday, June 06 2011

(Joplin, MO) –– A permanent resource center will open Tuesday to help victims of the Joplin tornado.

On Tuesday, Governor Nixon says he and state officials will launch the State of Missouri Resource, Recovery & Rebuilding Center at 705 Illinois Ave., Building A, Suite 12.

Nixon says the facility will serve as a one–stop shop for Joplin residents who need assistance with temporary housing, unemployment assistance, driver's licenses and other identification cards, and other issues.

Nixon says the following agencies will be represented at the center:
–Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (K–12 education issues)
–Missouri Department of Economic Development (small–business resources, business incentives)
–Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services (public health, disease prevention)
–Missouri Housing Development Commission (temporary housing assistance)
–Missouri Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration (insurance issues, complaints)
–Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (temporary unemployment assistance, Disaster Unemployment Assistance)
–Missouri Department of Mental Health (grief counseling, mental health services)
–Missouri Department of Natural Resources (clean–water, solid waste, environmental issues)
–Missouri Department of Public Safety (state emergency management, response issues)
–Missouri State Emergency Management Agency (emergency response, shelters, other issues)
–Missouri Department of Revenue (driver's licenses, identification cards, certificates of title)
–Missouri Department of Social Services (food assistance, other services)
–Missouri Division of Workforce Development (Career Centers, job training, services for unemployed individuals)

The governor will hold an official opening at the center at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday. He'll be joined by Kip Stetzler, acting director of the center.

The death toll in the May 22 EF–5 tornado reached 141 over the weekend.

FEMA reports that almost 7,800 households have registered with the agency. So far, more than $10.5 million is approved to help affected residents.

About 55,000 hours have been registered by volunteers since the tornado hit. Also, the city announced curbside debris removal is underway.

The city has 70 trucks working to pick up separated piles left at the curb.

Also, the city says residents have to get any personal items they want to keep no later than June 15.

Services offered: Assistance, Housing, Relocation Assistance for Disaster Survivors; Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How To, File Disaster Unemployment Claims; Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How To, Replace Destroyed Documents; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling
Campaigns: 2011 Missouri Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency) State
Updated Jun 7, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8565

MS

WIN Job Center, Ackerman

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
Courthouse Annex, Ackerman, MS
Phone 662–285–6998
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

To see other WIN Job Centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1908

Amory First Baptist Church (Southern Baptist Disaster Relief Team) – (FEEDING/DISTRIBUTION)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

303 First Avenue North, Amory, MS 38821
Phone (662) 256–7131
Web www.fbcamory.org/disaster–relief
Service Temporary

Cooked meals available to survivors – 2011 MS Tornadoes

NEEDS LIST FROM THE SITE:

Needs:
Cash and/or Walmart gift cards ($25.00 preferably) with receipts in case the cards don't work; bring cards to FBC Amory – used for personal supplies, medicines, etc.

Please don't bring furniture to FBC. For offers of furniture, please call or email us and let us know what you have available. We will match your offer to a need.

URGENT NEEDS ARE IN Bold & Underlined.

Rakes & Other Yard Tools
Large Garbage Bags
Laundry Baskets
Wash Cloths
Men's Underwear
Men's Undershirts
Ketchup
Mayo
Mustard
Bandaids
Jams & Jelly
Salt & Pepper (picnic packs)
Sponges
Cleaning Supplies
Silverware
Cooking utensils
toasters
bowls
oven ware
cups and glasses
Cooking oil
Dishes
Work Gloves
Hair Brushes
School Supplies
Gatorade
Duct tape and packing tape

Permanent markers
Sunscreen
Garbage bags
Chapstick
Polydent
Diet drinks
Gatorade Fruit Juices
Spray and Wash
Underwear (various sizes–new in packages)
Socks (various sizes–new in packages)
Light bulbs
Extension Cords
Small Individual Snacks (Used for Schools)
Small Juice packs (Used for Schools)
Febreeze
Medical Thermometers
Small Grills
Charcoal with Lighter Fluid and Lighters
Water hoses
Bed Sheets (all sizes except for twin)
Mattress Covers (all sizes)
Ironing Boards
Irons
Scissors
Regular Size Washing Powder
Large Trash Cans
Box Fans
Air Mattresses
Batteries
Plastic Totes
Sunglasses

The kitchen staff that is cooking for the volunteers need donations also.
vanilla flavoring, brown sugar, raisins, and if you want to give gift cards that would be helpful also.

The Smithville Warehouse is accepting ANY furniture!

NOTE: Check back on the site frequently for updated needs lists. IT CHANGES!

Services offered: Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Cooked Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: 2011 Mississippi Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Southern Baptist Disaster Relief
Updated Sep 5, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8249

Bethel Apostolic Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

800 Tschudi Road, Amory, MS 38821
Phone (662) 315–7257
Web www.bethelloves.com
Hours 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mon–Fri
Service Temporary

Contact Name: Andrew Blaylock

Bethel is accepting non–perishable items that you would like to donate to the storm victims. Here is a list of their current needs:

* Pots
* Pans
* Silveware
* Dishes
* Packaged Underwear
* Laundry Detergent
* Bleach

They also provide baby supplies, cleaning supplies, first aid supplies, food – canned, food – non–perishable, household items, hygiene products, paper products, pet supplies, refreshments, schooll supplies, toiletries, volunteers, and water.

They are also a showering facility.

Address: 800 Tschudi Road, Amory, MS, 38821
Telephone: (662) 315–7257
Hours of operation: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mon–Fri
E–mail: andrewblaylock @ bethelloves.com
Website: www.bethelloves.com

Services offered: Animals, Supplies, * Animal/Pet Supplies (ANY/ALL Types) ; Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Medical, Supplies, First Aid Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Paper, Paper Goods * (ANY/ALL Types) (paper towels, plates, napkins, etc); School, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2011 Mississippi Tornado
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8246

WIN Job Center, Amory

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
1619 Highway 25, Amory, MS
Phone 662–256–2618
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

for other job center locations: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1909

WIN Job Center, Ashland/Access Point

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
Justice Complex, Ashland, MS
Phone 662–224–6310
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

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for other job center locations: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1910

Mississippi Job Corps Center, Batesville

Walk–in Resource · Open

State
821 Highway 51, South, Batesville, MS 38606
Phone Tel: (662) 563–4656, (800) 733–JOBS or (800) 733–5627.
Web jobcorps.dol.gov/centers/MS.htm

Job Corps is a no–cost education and vocational training program administered by the U.S. Department of Labor that helps young people ages 16 through 24 get a better job, make more money, and take control of their lives.

At Job Corps, students enroll to learn a trade, earn a high school diploma or GED and get help finding a good job. When you join the program, you will be paid a monthly allowance; the longer you stay with the program, the more your allowance will be. Job Corps provides career counseling and transition support to its students for up to 12 months after they graduate from the program.

Eligibility

To enroll in Job Corps, students must meet the following requirements:

Be 16 through 24;
Be a U.S. citizen or legal resident;
Meet income requirements; and,
Be ready, willing, and able to participate fully in an educational environment.
Funded by the United States Congress, Job Corps has been training young adults for meaningful careers since 1964. Job Corps is committed to offering all students a safe, drug–free environment where they can take advantage of the resources provided.

Apply to Job Corps

If you're interested in joining the Job Corps program or finding out more about it, call (800) 733–JOBS or (800) 733–5627. An operator will provide you with general information about the program, refer you to the admissions counselor closest to where you live and mail you an information packet.

Facility specifics:

Capacity

300 total: 150 men, 145 women (residents); 5 women (non–residents).

Vocational Offerings

Business Clerical, Retail Sales, Culinary Arts, Health Occupations, Painter, Advanced Career Training, Auto Repair Technician, Welder, Carpenter, Bricklayer.

Travel Directions

From Memphis, drive 60 miles south on I–55 (Batesville exit), then 1 mile west on Highway 6.
Travel 3/4 mile south on Highway 51 to the center.
Additional Info

For more information about the Batesville Job Corps Center, call (800) 733–JOBS or (800) 733–5627.

Services offered: Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction)
Updated Sep 26, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1952

Bay St. Louis County Library

Walk–in Resource · Open

County
Bay St Louis–Hancock County Library, Bay St Louis, MS
Phone 321 837 6438

Bay St Louis–Hancock County Library

8–4 M–F

Services offered: Library Services * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Apr 20, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/156

Christ Episcopal Church, LTRC Unmet Needs Committee Meeting Place

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Relief & Recovery
912 S. Beach Blvd.(Apprx. 3 blocks WEST of the Washington Street Ferry pier OR 1.7 miles EAST; of Nicholson Avenue)., Bay St Louis, MS
Phone (228) 467–7757 (church)
Service Temporary

Take care one and all!
Shalom!

Elizabeth Wheatley–Jones
Canon Missioner/Rector, Christ Episcopal Church

From: KatrinaVolunteersHancockCounty@yahoogroups.com
On Behalf Of Joseph Bohanon

Where is the Episcopal Church located in Bay St. Louis?
JB

Original Message

Subject: [KatrinaVolunteersHancockCounty] Hancock County LTRC Unmet Needs Meeting, 6/25/2007, 1:00 pm

Hancock County LTRC Unmet Needs Meeting

Date: Monday June 25, 2007
Time:1:00 pm – 2:00 pm
This event repeats every week.

Notes:

The Hancock County Long Term Recovery Committee Unmet Needs Committee meets every Monday at 1pm at the Episcopal Church in Bay St Louis. This is a regularly scheduled time and if there are any changes – you will be notified by email.

Services offered: Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC), Unmet Needs Committee Meetings
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Sep 26, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1631

Hancock County Housing Center, Governor's Commission Housing

Walk–in Resource · Open

Government Agency
601 Bienville Drive Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, Bay St Louis, MS 39520
Phone (228) 216–9701 (To Volunteer)
Contact Hancock County Housing Center, Governor's Commission Housing

Per MCN's (MS Center for Non–Profits) December '07 Newsletter:

Lena Sanders, Voluntary Community Liason/ Hancock Housing Resource Center, at 228–467–9048.

To volunteer call: Frances Graves at (228) 216–9701

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Listings for Disaster Survivors; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Katrina Related; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 16, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/520

LTRC, Unmet Needs Committee Meetings, Hancock County

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Recovery
Bay St Louis, MS
Phone 228 466 8266

Christ Espicopal Church
912 S. Beach Blvd in Bay St. Louis.

Thursdays at 3pm right after the Case Manager Roundtable.

On Monday at 1pm is the Funders Meeting.

See LTRC record for more info about this LTRC:
https://reliefdb.org/shelters/657

Services offered: Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC), Unmet Needs Committee Meetings
Updated Sep 23, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1632

MS Department of Health

Walk–in Resource · Open

State Agency
3062 Longfellow Bay St. Louis, MS, Bay St Louis, MS
Phone 228–467–4510, 228 831 5151
Contact MS Department of Health
Hours 8–5, M–F
Service Permanent

Located in Quonset hut.

Services offered: Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Medication, Rx, Vaccination, Hepatitis A Shots; Medication, Rx, Vaccination, Vaccine, Flu Shots; Medication, Rx, Vaccination, Vaccine, Tetanus Shots
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 18, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/338

Old Town (Shopping Area)

Walk–in Resource · Open

City Run
Main St; Old Town, Bay St Louis, MS
Phone 228.466.6347
Web www.myoldtownbaystlouis.com
Service Temporary

from the website:

We offer shops, galleries, restaurants, and lodging in an historical local setting. Each second Saturday of the month come join us for fun, food, and entertainment at our monthly artwalk.

Stroll through the streets of Old Town Bay St. Louis for local and regional art. Meet featured artists at gallery receptions and openings. Come join our downtown block party. 17 years in the making, still growing strong.

Yearly Calendar of Events:

Krewe of Diamonds Mardi Gras Day

Super Mud Fest (2nd Saturday March)

Paws on Parade (3rd Weekend of March)

Bridge Fest (3rd Weekend in May)

Crab Fest (4th of July Weekend)

Cruisin' The Coast (Columbus Day Weekend)

St. Rose Fair (Mid – October)

Barktoberfest (late – October)

Cemetery Tour/Trick or Treating (Halloween Night)

Snowflakes in the Bay Lighting (Friday before Thanksgiving)

Services offered: Events, Community Meetings; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, Party, Anniversary Event; Social Events, Party / Festival
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Aug 16, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/151

Power House of Deliverance

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
1978 Washington St. Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, Bay St Louis, MS 39520
Phone 228–469–9070 or 228–466–3841
Contact Cardia Williams
Email cwillone@mchsi.com
Web www.phdministries7.com
Hours Office hours: Mon to Fri 9am – 5pm; Food distribution hours: Wed 5pm–6:45pm, Fri 1pm–5pm and Sun 12pm–2pm
Serves Hancock
Eligibility low income, elderly, handicap, single parents

Pastor Jeffrey Reed and PHD Center for Family and Community Services has opened a food bank available to all residents of Hancock County. PHD is grateful to Bay Area Food Bank and America's Second Harvest for the opportunity to serve our community with them.

The Food Bank is located at:

1978 Washington St.
Bay St. Louis. MS

HOURS:

Wednesdays 5:00PM to 6:45PM
Fridays 1:00PM to 5:00PM
Sundays 12:00PM to 2:00PM

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; America's Second Harvest
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1398

St. Rose de Lima

Walk–in Resource · Open

716 Herlihy St, Bay St Louis, MS

Phone See St Rose Outreach facility 1377
Hours M & W, 1–4 p.m for food
Service Temporary

Eligibility for Food Pantry: proof of residence & ID, SS #s for all in household

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)

Updated Dec 16, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1947

4–H Youth Clubs (Mississippi)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Youth

3064 Longfellow Dr., Bldg. #24 Bay St. Louis, MS, Bay St. Louis, MS

Phone 228–467–5456
Contact 4–H Youth Clubs
Web msucares.com/4h_Youth/4hindex.html

4–H is the Extension system's dynamic, non–formal, educational program for today's young people. The program combines the cooperative efforts of youth, volunteer leaders, state land–grant universities, federal–state–local governments, and the US Department of Agriculture. The mission of the Extension System in conducting 4–H programs is to assist youth in acquiring knowledge, developing life skills, and forming attitudes that will enable them to become self–directing, productive, and contributing members of society.

The 4–H Youth program strives to improve the quality of life for Mississippi youth by developing youth potential and by providing "hands–on" (experiential) educational programs. Program priorities identified include leadership development, life skills training, developing positive self–esteem, and empowering volunteers. Programs are delivered through local county Extension offices to volunteer leaders.

Experiential learning, skill development and community service.
Scholarships available.

Programs, Projects, Leadership Development, Support
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MISSISSIPPI VIRTUAL 4–H CLUB

Iinterested in learning about computers, websites, blogs, or digital photography?

This club might be for you! Meetings are held once a month through the Mississippi State Extension Service's distance education system. Youth from all over the state participate in the meetings. You might want to give it a try! Call your county Extension office for more information!

http://msucares.com/4h_Youth/virtual_club/index.html
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Interactive Resources
The following interactive contest aids are provided to help 4–Her's learn and study, listed at: http://msucares.com/4h_Youth/interactive.html

Services offered: Demographic Served: Children; Scholarships; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Life Skills, Youth; Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina

Updated May 28, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2001

Calvary Independent Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource

Faith–based

2241 Longfellow Rd., Bay St. Louis, MS

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina

Updated Oct 1, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2035

Global Healing Outreach Ministries (Angel Food Ministries Affiliate)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Food Distribution

530 St John St., Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

Phone 228–216–9508
Fee $30.00, per basic food box
Service Temporary

Blessings by the box
Angel Food is available in a quantity that can fit into a medium–sized box at $30 per unit Each month's menu is different than the previous month and consists of both fresh and frozen items with an average retail value of approximately $60. Comparison shopping has been done across the country in various communities using a wide range of retail grocery stores and has resulted in the same food items costing from between $42 and $78.

Generally, one unit of food assists in feeding a family of four for about one week or a single senior citizen for almost a month. The food is all the same high quality one could purchase at a grocery store. There are no second–hand items, no damaged or out–dated goods, no dented cans without labels, no day–old breads and no produce that is almost too ripe.

Also offered are specialty boxes such as steaks, chicken and pork. Many participants in this bonus program appreciate the expanded choices. Additionally, there is no limit to the number of units or bonus foods an individual can receive, and there are no applications to complete or qualifications to which participants must adhere. Angel Food Ministries also participates in the U.S. Food Stamp program, using the Off–Line Food Stamp Voucher system.

How the Program works
Orders and distribution are handled by the host site. Orders are collected by the host site during the first part of each month. These orders are then turned in to the Angel Food main office in Monroe, Georgia, on a predetermined date. Several days later, in the same month, the host site either picks up the food from Angel Food's 160,000 square feet warehouse to fill the orders on Distribution Day or, because this ministry is growing nationwide, food is delivered to the host site by a pre–arranged delivery mode. In most cases, as long as there is a truck headed in the direction of a community who wants this program and sees its ministry influence, there are no extra transportation costs.

Sample Menu:

(1) 4 lb. IQF Leg Quarters
(1) 24 oz. Beef Back Ribs
(1) 1 lb. 80/20 Lean Ground Beef
(1) 2 lb. Breaded Chicken Tenders
(4) 6 oz. Bone in Pork Chops
(1) 1 lb. Ground Turkey
(1) 18 oz. Stuffed Manicotti (Cheese)
(1) 12 oz. Smoked Sausage
(1) Betty Crocker Seasoned Potatoes
(1) 7 oz. Cheeseburger Dinner
(1) 16 oz. Green Beans
(1) 16 oz. Baby Carrots
(1) 2 lb. Onions
(1) 1 lb. Pinto Beans
(1) 1 lb. Rice
(1) 7 oz. Blueberry Muffin Mix
(1) 10 ct. Homestyle Waffles
(1) Dessert Item

Services offered: Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Baskets; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food, Frozen, Meat ** (ANY/ALL Types of Frozen Meat, Poultry, Fish, etc.)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Angel Food Ministries
Updated May 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2998

Hancock County WIC (Women, Infants, Children)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Government
10221 Mississippi 603, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
Phone 228–467–1086
Service Permanent

Services offered: Demographic Served: Children; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Campaigns: WIC (Women Infants and Children)
Updated May 2, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2547

Hollie McCollister

Walk–in Resource

Mental Health Professional
Bay St. Louis, MS, Bay St. Louis, MS
Phone 228–467–9057:257
Contact Hollie McCollister
Service Temporary

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Mental Health Services
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2006

Lagniappe Presbyterian Church – Lutheran Episcopal Services (formerly Lagniappe Church)

Walk–in Resource · Open

647 Demontluzin St Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

Phone	228 467 3887
Contact	Cammie Chapman
Email	cchapman@lpcpca.com
Web	www.lagniappechurch.com
Hours	M–F 8:30 to 4pm (walk–in clients); M–Sa 10am–5pm (Office Hours)
Serves	Hancock County but primarily Bay St. Louis and Waveland
Eligibility	Katrina Survivors
Checks payable to	Lagniappe Presbytery
Service	Permanent

http://www.wlox.com/Global/story.asp?S=11768919

Several other shelters are also open across south Mississippi:

Hancock County

Lutheran Episcopal Services (formerly Lagniappe Church)
647 Demontiluzin Ave.
Bay St. Louis
Open at 4:30pm until 9am
Rides to shelter: (228) 255–9191

12/13/09 (From the website)
Still interested in volunteering on the Gulf Coast?!

Then come volunteer with one of Lagniappe's wonderful friend and partners! Both Habitat for Humanity and Lutheran Episcopal Services of Mississippi (LESM) are continuing to host volunteers and build houses in the Bay Waveland area. In fact, LESM is now co–leasing the Lagniappe Church facility in order to house and feed their volunteers. This means that anyone who comes down with Habitat for Humanity or LESM has the opportunity to stay at the Lagniappe facility! If you are interested in volunteering with either organization, please contact them directly.

Erica Painter: epainter @habitatbw.org (Habitat for Humanity)
Michael Magargal: mmagargel @lesm.org (Lutheran Episcopal Services of MS)

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Facilities: Bathroom Facilities (For Volunteers); Facilities: Shower Facilities for Volunteers; Housing, Volunteer Housing ($ NOT FREE); Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; RV Parking for Volunteers; Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Tech, Internet Access; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter, Winter Shelter; Shelter, Evacuation Shelter; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteer Work Orders/Projects (provided by this facility)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2008 Hurricane Gustav; Gamblers Anonymous Meetings; Habitat For Humanity
Updated May 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/690

MS Action for Progress Head Start, Inc.

Walk–in Resource

Community: Children
301 Necaise Ave Bay St. Louis, MS, Bay St. Louis, MS

Phone	601–798–6981
Contact	MS Action for Progress Head Start, Inc.

Full–day program to children 3–4 years old and services to expectant women.

Services offered: Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Women's Services
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2002

Salvation Army, Hancock County

Walk–in Resource · Open

Case Mgmt.
2nd Avenue, off Highway 90 Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

Phone	228 466 4923 / 228 466 4921
Contact	Salvation Army, Hancock County
Service	Permanent

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Offers assistance with appliances, building material, utilities, and rent. Please call to make an appt.

Food available for case managed clients. Case manager must call and make an appointment.

Called the Job Readiness Training Program (JRT), this initiative helps improve the employment opportunities for those people affected by Hurricane Katrina. The JRT program helps participants assess, identify, certify, and improve their essential work skills, thereby increasing their chances for reemployment.

AVAILABLE IN SEVERAL STATES

The Job Readiness Training Program is brought to you by The Salvation Army and the National Business Services Alliance

1–866–578–4968

Services offered: Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Salvation Army
Updated May 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1741

South Mississippi Regional Center – Autism Resource Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disabled Services: Autism
4430 Pacific Street Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

Phone	228–463–9785 228–868–2923
Contact	Tonya Turbville
Email	turbville@smrc.state.ms.us
Web	www.smrc.state.ms.us
Hours	8am –4:30pm Mon to Fri
Serves	6 Counties in Southern Mississippi (Hancock, Harrison, Jackson, George, Pearl River and Stone counties)
Eligibility	Suspected or confirmed diagnosis of Autism Spectrum Disorder
Service	Permanent

Services:
– information & referral
– assessment
– advocacy
– training
– support

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Facility: Community Center; Jobs, Paying; Medical, Services, Assessment, Disabled, Diagnostic & Evaluative (For Handicapped/Disabled); Mental Health Services; Services, Employment, Internship Program; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Vocational; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated May 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2675

Back Bay Mission

Walk–in Resource · Open

Housing/Financial Assistance
1012 Division Street Biloxi, MS 39530, Biloxi, MS 39530

Phone	(228) 432–0301
Contact	Back Bay Mission
Email	Call do not email
Web	www.backbaymission.com/index2.html
Serves	Jackson, Hancock, Harrison
Eligibility	Resident of Jackson, Hancock and Harrison County
Bring	Picture ID & Copy of the bill you need assistance with
Checks payable to	Back Bay Mission
Service	Permanent

VOLUNTEER: http://www.backbaymission.com/volunteer.html

SEE CAT FACILITY RECORD FOR VOLUNTEERING OPS AT THIS SITE AT:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1892

Provides:

* Financial Assistance: Utility bills, rents, mortagages, etc.

Must call Thursdays at 9am to make an appt

Lots of people call & can only help once a yr

* Longer term housing program for men, has a long waiting list

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing; Jobs, Paying; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Legal Assistance
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Apr 4, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1893

Bay Vista Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
2485 Pass Road Biloxi, MS 39531, Biloxi, MS 39531

Phone 228–388–1166
Contact Manny Duarte
Email Call do not email
Web www.bayvista.org
Hours Tuesday 9am to 2pm
Serves Biloxi but will not turn anyone away
Bring Picture ID & Social Security Cards for each person living in the household
Service Permanent

This church operates a food pantry open to all residents of Mississippi Gulf Coast. Church staff can take walk–ins for food, but prefer that client calls first to make sure someone is there to assist them.

Food pantry is open on Tuesdays from 9am to 2pm, once a month up to four times a year.

Eligibility is determined on a case by case basis. Date of previous assistance is considered. Only one person per household may apply for food. A picture identification is required and the applicant must have Social Security Cards for each person living in the household.

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, House Gutting, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Tree Cutting and Removal, Volunteer Services; Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Women's Services; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1401

Beauvoir Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource

Church
2113 Pass Rd., Biloxi, MS 39531

Phone (228) 388–1478

Services offered: Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Bus Tokens, Bus Fare; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Sep 24, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1891

Coalville United Methodist Church (Woolmarket – AA Meetings)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
12556 Lorraine Road; Corner of Lorraine Rd. & Shorecrest. Dr., Biloxi, MS

Web coalvilleumc.org
Eligibility Anyone interested in 12 Step Alcohol Recovery
Service Temporary

AA Woolmarket Meetings:
Handicap Accessible
8 p.m. – Tuesdays (Candlight/No Smoking Meeting)
8 p.m. – Thursdays (Closed – For AA Members & those with a drinking problem only/No Smoking Meeting)

NOTE: Last Thurs. of every month is Open Speaker/Birthday Meeting, first Thurs. of every month is Open Discussion Meeting

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services; Youth Program
Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings
Updated May 28, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3033

Disaster Coordination and Relief Center

Walk–in Resource

City Run
618 Division Street, Biloxi, MS

Biloxi Area Volunteers Must Unite

The City of Biloxi has met with the heads of various volunteer organizations and has requested that all volunteers report to the Disaster Coordination and Relief Center at 618 Division Street before going out in the field and helping. They have set up a grid whereby volunteers can be sent to a location on the grid to help. This is the best way to spread out the help without overlapping efforts.

They would like more help going to the elderly, poor, disabled, and single moms in the area as a priority. Please check out the grid at the Relief Building by the Family Dollar Store.

12/20/06 Removed – no contact info & old dates
Needs:
Item Qty Needed Urgency Load
*conditions with notes
New Need

Available:
Item Qty Available Load
Construction / Debris Removal Show Edit
Management, Volunteer Coordinator, Volunteer Show Edit
Volunteers, misc. Show Edit
*conditions with notes
Updated Dec 20, 2006 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/70

East Howard Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church, Community, Food Pantry
241 Howard Avenue, Biloxi, MS 39540

Phone	228–432–1022
Web	23990.lifewaylink.com/templates/lif01aq/default.asp?id=23990
Hours	Fri 10:00 AM to 12 Noon, and 6PM
Serves	Biloxi, MS
Eligibility	Disadvantaged
Bring	Photo ID and Social Security Card
Checks payable to	East Howard Baptist Church
Service	Temporary

Our Pastor is Tim Hines, (904) 651–1213 TimHines@hotmail.com

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Short–Term Housing Referrals; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Donations, In–Kind Donations Services, Small Lots; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; First Responder, Gulf Region; Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Dry, * Dry Food Goods (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Hot Meals; Services: Translators, Interpretation Services; Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Nov 30, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2983

El Pueblo/The Village (MS Annual Conference Hispanic Ministries Disaster Response)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Advocacy Group
1084 Judge Sekul Ave, Biloxi, MS 39530

Phone 228–436–3986
Contact call main number
Email ElPuebloumc@gmail.com
Hours 9:00 am –5:00 pm, M–F (CT)
Serves Gulf Coast
Eligibility focus on hispanic, low income families and other displaced persons
Service Permanent

Services offered: Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant, Legal Services; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Facility: Community Center; Services, Immigration, Refugee Resettlement (See also "Assistance"); Training Classes, ESL (English as a Second Language); Volunteer, Volunteer Referral Services
Campaigns: UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response
Updated May 12, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2979

Gulf Coast Fair Housing Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Legal Services
15105 Lemoyne Blvd Suite A1 Biloxi, MS 39532, Biloxi, MS 39532

Phone 1–877–399–4008
Contact Gulf Coast Fair Housing Center
Email lspring@makeitfair.com
Web www.makeitfair.com
Hours 9am – 5pm Mondays to Fridays
Serves Harison, Hancock, George, Jackson, Stone
Service Permanent

Call to make an appointment
Services:
1) Investigate/fight housing discrimination
2) Information and Referral
3) Hurricane Relief Project: assist homeowner who are having issue with insurance or mortage as a result of the storm.
4) Loan Modification
5) Education and Outreach
6) Fair housing training for realtors, apartment manager, attornerys
7) info & referral

Services offered: Services, Legal Assistance
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 18, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2086

Loaves and Fishes

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faiith–Based Soup Kitchen
260 Main Street Biloxi, MS 39530, Biloxi, MS 39530

Phone (228) 436–6172
Contact Loaves and Fishes

Hours of Operation: 10:00 a.m. serves coffee and snacks / 11:30 – 12:30 serves lunch

Eligibility Requirements: Homeless, low income

Description of Services: Only soup kitchen in Harrison County

Loaves & Fishes continues to provide food, clothing and shelter to the needy, and they depend on donations. If you'd like to help, call (228) 436–6172.

Services offered: Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Lunches, Misc.
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; ICNA Relief USA (Islamic Community)
Updated Feb 18, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2037

Mississippi United Methodist Katrina Response & United Methodist Disaster Response Center (UMCOR partner)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Recovery/Rebuilding
1400 Leggett Drive, Biloxi, MS 39530

Phone 866–435–7091; Fax 228–374–2067
Contact Katrina Recovery Contact: Robert Sharp, Director
Email rsharp@datasync.com
Web www.mississippi–umc.org/page.asp?PKValue=763
Service Temporary

Volunteer Contacts (from website):

To help with Hurricane Katrina recovery efforts in Mississippi
Call toll–free: 866–435–7091
E–mail: disastercenter@meridianumc.org
FAX: 228–374–2067

Go to website to download Volunteer Work Team Guidebook
for volunteering policies and instructions.

Our volunteer call center is located in Biloxi and serves as the point of contact for churches, teams, and individuals wishing to come and work in Mississippi, make donations to our disaster relief, or simply get up–to–date information regarding the recovery process. Our primary focus is the scheduling of teams and individuals who wish to come and serve in areas affected by Hurricane Katrina.

We are open five days a week, Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. We are located in the Central Time Zone.

To get information about scheduling trips, please download Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) (see website), or call our volunteer coordinator, at the toll–free number above for detailed information and assistance. The FAQs answer questions such as "What sort of work are you doing?" and "What costs are involved?"

Recruiting Volunteers in Your Church

If your church or organization is interested in bringing a group to Mississippi, but you need more info and have questions, we have a Volunteer Packet, consisting of a DVD along with a CD full of resources, that we would be more than happy to mail to you. The information in this packet will also help you as you recruit volunteers for your team. Just call us toll free at 866–435–7091 or email us at disastercenter@meridianumc.org.

Policy on Youth Volunteers

We encourage youth to participate in relief and recovery efforts, believing such work will help them develop their sense of compassion and the desire to help others. Youth, defined as persons ages 14–18, will be invited to work in Mississippi see website for our Safe Sanctuary Policy.

Camp Sites
We are currently housing volunteer work teams at three camps across the Mississippi Gulf Coast. Please click the links below for Camp Site calendars and Camp Site descriptions.

–Camp Gulfside (Waveland)
–Camp Love (Gulfport)
–Camp Hope (Vancleave)

To better serve you, we have recently updated our calendar system. The totals at the bottom of the calendar represent the number of spaces still available at the camp on a given night. We hope this will make our calendars easy to read and aid us in the scheduling process.

Please also note that we do not work on Sundays. Please schedule your team to arrive late on Sunday afternoon and leave on Saturday morning. We are currently scheduling the remainder of 2009 and all of 2010. We even have teams scheduled into 2011. We encourage you to complete the Volunteer Request Form and submit it as soon as possible. We schedule according to first received requests.

See website for campsite availability and more information.

Mississippi United Methodist Katrina Response Office
An UMCOR Partner Organization
"Healing Hearts and Homes"

Services offered: Advocacy, Housing, Occupancy/Building Permits, Septic/Water Wells, Information Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Case Management, for Special Needs Folks; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, UMCOR ; Construction, Deconstruction Services; Construction, Emergency Home Repair Services; Construction, Home Repair Services (For Seniors/Elders); Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer

Services; Construction Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Housing, Volunteer Housing ($ Donation Appreciated); Housing, Volunteer Housing ($ NOT FREE); Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Volunteer Housing, Bunkhouses ; Housing, Volunteer Housing (FREE); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Katrina Related; Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Reception / Registration Site/Location, Volunteer; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Response, Recovery, Preparedness & Mitigation; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers); Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accomodates Youth Volunteers) ; Volunteer, Volunteer Referral Services
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response
Updated Dec 25, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4292

Our Lady of Fatima Church ~ St. Vincent de Paul

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community: Utility/Rx Assistance
2090 Pass Rd, Biloxi, MS 39531
Phone 228) 388–3887 or (228) 388–3891 Spiritual Emergency Pager: (228) 695–0054
Web www.fatima–biloxi.com
Service Temporary

Description of Services: Financial assistance with unpaid or past due bills, prescriptions and other needs. Call for appointment

Services offered: Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance
Campaigns: Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2048

Single Parent Outreach, Hands On Americore Gulfcoast (Hands On GulfCoast partner agency)

Walk–in Resource · Open

AmeriCorp
2111 Pass Rd, Biloxi, MS 39531
Phone 2512591010
Hours 7am 6pm
Service Temporary
Updated Jul 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3447

South Mississippi AIDS Task Force

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit
P.O. Box 8009 Biloxi, MS 39535, Biloxi, MS 39535
Phone 228–385–1214
Contact South Mississippi AIDS Task Force
Web www.smatf.com
Hours Mon – Fri 8:30AM – 5:00PM
Service Permanent

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Jan 10, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2044

St. Louis Catholic Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based
428 Division, Biloxi, MS
Hours As needed 7 days/week
Updated Jul 18, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/366

St. Vincent de Paul Community Pharmacy

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Medical Assistance
735 Division Street Biloxi, MS 39530, Biloxi, MS 39530

Phone 228–374–9097
Contact St. Vincent de Paul Community Pharmacy
Eligibility Eligibility will be determined by the Pharmacy (please call to see if you meet eligibility)

Provides prescription medicine to people who cannot afford to pay for the medicine they need to preserve their good health. Serves entire state.

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance
Updated May 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2083

Synergy Behavioral Health

Walk–in Resource

Substance Abuse Services
12450 Shortcut Road Biloxi, MS 39532, Biloxi, MS 39532
Phone 228–392–3240
Contact Synergy Behavioral Health
Service Permanent

Outpatient treatment for all ages & Adult Partial Hospitalization Day Program. Also assessment & treatment of Substance Abuse

Services offered: Counseling, Substance Abuse ; Mental Health Services
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2092

WIN Job Center, Booneville

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
101 Cunningham Boulevard, Booneville, MS
Phone 662–720–7459

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

For other Job Center locations: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1911

WIN Job Center, Calhoun City

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
102 South Main Street, Calhoun City, MS
Phone 662–628–8345
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

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for other job center locations: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1912

MS Housing Opportunity Coalition, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

703 N 1st St, Collins, MS 39428, Collins, MS 39428
Phone 601–319–7943
Contact Lee Barnes
Web none
Hours 7:00AM to 6:00PM M–F
Eligibility focus on young families 21 or older and credit worthy, all others are welcome
Service Permanent

Services offered: Advocacy, Housing, Community, Housing Development; Advocacy, Housing, Occupancy/Building Permits, Septic/Water Wells, Information Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Construction, Home Repair Services (For Seniors/Elders); Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Construction, Project Managers, Construction, Paid; Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Housing, Affordable Housing, Ownership Program
Updated May 14, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2995

WIN Job Center, Columbus

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
400–B Wilkins Wise Road, Columbus, MS
Phone 662–328–6876
Web www.mdes.ms.gov
Hours call for hours

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for other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1913

WIN Job Center, Corinth

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
31 CR 401, Corinth, MS
Phone 662–287–3247
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

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For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

for other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1914

WIN Job Center, Corinth Affiliate

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
714 Taylor Street, Corinth Affiliate, MS
Phone 662–286–3308
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1915

Alcoholics Anonymous – AA (South Mississippi AA Intergroup)

Walk–in Resource · Open

AA

Must call hotline to be referred to a group meeting in Hancock County, D'Iberville, MS 39540

Phone (228) 392–6662 (Hotline) or (228) 392–6663 / 24 Hour Helpline: (888) 864–8116
Contact Alcoholics Anonymous
Email smiggc@bellsouth.net
Web www.aa–mississippi.org
Hours 24 Hour Crisis Line
Serves Harrison, Hancock, Pearl River, Jackson, Stone, George
Eligibility Anyone with a desire to quit drinking
Fee $7.00, Textbooks
Service Permanent

AA Meeting referrals

Services offered: Alcoholics Anonymous, AA, Meetings Information & Referral; Hotline, AA (Alcoholics Anonymous) Hotline; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings
Updated May 27, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1898

D'Iberville Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community

D'Iberville, MS

Phone ? try 843 509 4101

Not sure of the location or the number. Cindy (from Camp Compassion, Christ Central) said that Jimmy Jones has the place operating and is supplying them. So see Camp Compassion for details.

Numbers for Jimmy Jones:

843 509 4101
803 600 5803

Services offered: Facility: Community Center
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Jul 18, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/459

Diamondhead Community Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church

5301 Diamondhead Circle, Diamondhead, MS 39525

Eligibility Anyone with a desire to participate in 12 Step Alcohol Recovery
Service Temporary

AA Meetings:
Thursdays: 8 p.m.
Open Discussion/Non Smoking Meeting

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings
Updated May 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3036

St. Thomas Episcopal Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church

5303 Diamondhead Circle, Diamondhead, MS 39525

Eligibility Anyone with a desire to participate in 12 step alcohol recovery
Service Temporary

AA Meetings:
Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays: 12:10 pm – Closed Discussion/Non Smoking

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings
Updated May 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3035

Biloxi Community Center (was Red Cross Supply POD)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross

591 Howard Ave, East Biloxi, MS 39530

Phone 228–435–6221
Service Temporary

old notes:

Preparedness – Online
http://www.jerseycoast–redcross.org/Portals/0/twp16.swf

The RC process for getting aid has changed. These Financial Assistance Centers no longer hand out money. They take applications. After RC officials determine that aid has not been given, the workers go to the client's home to assess damage and provide assistance.

NOTE: reportedly this location no longer takes applications.
Updated Aug 15, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/65

WIN Job Center, Eupora

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
114–A Highway 9 North, Eupora, MS
Phone 662–258–7086
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

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other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1916

Jefferson County Board of Economic Development (Youthbuild)

Walk–in Resource · Open

137 Medgar Evers Blvd., Fayette, MS 39069
Phone (601)786–3150
Hours 9:00AM – 1:00PM
Service Temporary

Services offered: Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Services, Tech, Computer Access; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Program
Campaigns: YouthBuild
Updated Jan 11, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2987

WIN Job Center, Fulton

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
34 East Marion Street, Fulton, MS
Phone 662–862–3824
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

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for other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1917

Jackson County Service Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
Singing River Mall; Suite 1024 (the ECD counseling site), Gautier, MS
Service Temporary
Updated Jan 22, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2838

WIN Job Center, Grenada

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
1751 Poplar Street, Grenada, MS

Phone 662–226–2911
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1918

Mercy Housing & Human Development

Walk–in Resource · Open

1010 Ford St, Gulf Port, MS 39507

Phone 228–896–8494
Web www.mhhd.org
Hours M–F 8:00AM to 4:00PM
Serves Hancock, Harrison & Jackson counties
Eligibility focus on elderly and low income families
Bring Valid ID and Proof of residency
Service Permanent

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Housing, Community, Housing Development; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Information & Resource Referrals (For Elders/Seniors); Counseling, Financial, Home Buying Process; Financial Assistance, Housing, 1st Time Home Buyers, Mortgage Assistance, Louisiana; Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Hotline, Food Bank/Pantry Hotline (Find Emergency Food Help); Housing, Affordable Housing, Ownership Program; Services, Financial, Tax Filing Assistance; Tax Preparation, Volunteer; Training Classes, Education, 1st Time Home Buyer Education
Updated May 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2985

Boys & Girls Clubs of The Gulf Coast

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Youth Club
400 N. 2nd Street (Second Street Elementary) Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, Gulfport, MS 39503

Phone 228–896–3770
Contact Boys & Girls Club – Hancock County Unit
Email HancockCounty@bgcgulfcoast.org
Web www.bgcgulfcoast.org
Eligibility Youth ages 6–18
Service Permanent

The Boys & Girls Clubs of the Gulf Coast provides programs and services to youth ages 6–18 in Biloxi, Gulfport, Pass Christian, D'Iberville and Hancock County.

OUTREACH SERVICES:

The Boys & Girls Clubs of the Gulf Coast conducts programs in local schools and communities to help youth better understand and react to the world around them. Outreach Programs include Conflict Resolution, Anger Management, and components of our nationally recognized SMARTMoves.

For information, contact Charlene Stinson at:
CStinson@bgcgulfcoast.org or call (228) 374–2330.

For Abstinence Education through our Smart Choices Smart Communities program please contact Nedra Schmidt at:
228–374–2330 ext 302 or email her NSchmidt@bgcgulfcoast.org.

Services offered: Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Boy's & Girl's Club
Updated Oct 9, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/978

Catholic Diocesan Office of Long Term Recovery

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Recovery/Rebuilding
1450 North Street, Gulfport, MS 39507
Phone 228–234–3901 Fax: 228–897–2462
Service Temporary

NVOAD Sitrep 6/16/10

Feed the Children, Inc has partnered with Catholic Charities USA to deliver and help distribute 5 truckloads of food, personal care and other items to in–need families impacted by the oil spill along the coastal areas of Louisiana. Feed the Children, Inc is also assessing the opportunities for similar types of product deliveries in and around the area of Gulfport, Mississippi.

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Camden will work with the Diocesan Office of Long Term Recovery (DOLTR) in Gulfport, MS to coordinate volunteer efforts in Mississippi.

The information below was compiled by the Diocesan Office of Long Term Recovery, DOLTR, in Gulfport in order to give you a brief overview of what you can expect if you decide to volunteer to assist the Hurricane Recovery Efforts in Mississippi. Unlike New Orleans, which is still very much in need of volunteers to gut and clean homes, Mississippi has moved into the rebuilding phase and is in need of skilled volunteers to hang drywall as well as to do electrical and plumbing work.

The Diocesan Office of Long Term Recovery leases the Dedeaux Retreat House from Sacred Heart Parish to house our volunteers.

See:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/517

Your help in this area is greatly appreciated. The people of Mississippi are so thankful and amazed at the help and donations we have received from so many volunteers across the country. We have over 65,000 homes destroyed or severely damaged with so many of our clients are in FEMA trailers. Our Diocesan Office Of Long Term Recovery has over 2700 active case files. With the help of volunteers like you, we have worked on over 900 homes.

Services offered: Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico
Updated Jun 22, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1885

Faith Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource

Community: Addiction Program
8467 Canal Road Gulfport, MS 39503, Gulfport, MS 39503
Phone 228–863–6693
Contact Faith Baptist Church
Web www.ifbweb.com/faithbaptist

This church has an "Addiction Program" per the La Pagnianne Resource list

EMAIL: faithbaptist7@yahoo.com

From the website:

Ministries include:

Reformers Unanimous Addiction Program
Bus Ministry
Prison Ministry
Nursing Home
Children's Church
Soul Winning
Tape Ministry
Nursery
Trucker's Ministry

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services; Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/Alcohology)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2100

First United Medthodist Church of Gulfport

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community
2301 15th Street, Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone 228–863–0047
Web fumc–gulfport.org
Serves Gulf Coast
Eligibility Anyone with need

Fee $35.00, for the workshop
Service Temporary

Services offered: Counseling ($ NOT FREE) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Group Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Facility: Community Center; First Responder, Gulf Region; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Church/Worship Services; Services, Family, Children, Child Care Program; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Recovery; Youth Program
Updated Oct 9, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3000

Gateway United Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
16020 South Swan Road Gulfport, MS 39503, Gulfport, MS 39503

Phone (228) 832–0135
Contact Gateway United Methodist Church
Email gateway@gbgmchurches.gbgm@umc.org
Web www.gbgm–umc.org/gatewayumc
Hours Wednesday, 12 to 3pm

The M.L. Tootle Mission is a community mission center whose aim it is to care for those in need. The mission provides food and clothing to those who call on them. Members of the community and of the church donate food, clothes, toys, home goods and other items to the mission for free distribution to people who stop by. The children of the church give an offering every Sunday called "Pennies from Heaven." Each Sunday when the children run to the alter during the offering and throw their "spare change" in the bucket it allows the Mission to help more people. A bulletin board is posted in the church foyer which states the needs of the mission. Currently, the Mission needs donations of any non–perishable items, children's clothing, & household items.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1965

Goodwill Industries of South Mississippi

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit – Case Mgmt.
2407 31st St Gulport, MS 39501 (Main Branch), Gulfport, MS 39501

Phone 228–863–2323
Contact Goodwill Industries of South Mississippi
Email Call do not email
Web www.goodwillsms.org
Hours Mon – Fri: 7:30am – 4pm; Sat –Sun: On Call
Serves Jackson, Harrison, Hancock
Eligibility Persons with disability or have barriers to finding employment
Bring Proof of Disability
Service Permanent

Description of Services: Jobs, training and placement,
counseling and referrals

Services offered: Appliances, Large, * Household (ANY/ALL Types); Appliances, Small * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services); Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/351

Grace Memorial Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based
2301 23rd Ave., Gulfport, MS 39501

Phone 228–863–5096
Web www.gmbcgulfport.com
Hours As needed
Updated Jul 18, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/369

Gulf Coast Mental Health Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Mental Health Services
819 Central Ave. Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, Gulfport, MS 39501

Phone (228) 863–1132
Contact Rebecca Law
Hours M–F, 8–5

Serves Harrison, Hancock, Pearl River and Stone
Eligibility None – open for anyone in need of mental health services
Fee Yes
Service Permanent

Hancock County Satellite Office
(outpatient, medication clinic, and case management services). For first time appointments, ask to speak with the Admission's Secretary.

Services offered: Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Substance Abuse ; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Medication, Rx, * Prescription Medicine * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Shelter, Evacuation, Special Needs Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1958

Gulfport Church of God

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
2412 29th Street Gulfport, MS 39591, Gulfport, MS

Phone 228 864 3882
Contact Gulfport Church of God
Email Call do not email
Hours Thursday 1pm –4pm
Serves All MS Counties
Service Permanent

– Residents can pick up food every Thursday from 1pm to 4pm
– The organization only has can food at the moment

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/356

Gulfport Job Corps Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Employment Training/Services
Must call, Gulfport, MS 39501

Phone 228–863–1141 (Local); 800–733–JOBS (National Line)
Contact Job Corp Center
Hours 8am - 5pm
Serves Nationwide
Eligibility 16–24 years of age; willing follow Job Corp rules
Service Permanent

PLEASE NOTE THAT JOB CORP OPERATES LIKE A SCHOOL

Education and Training
Gulfport Job Corps Center offers education and training opportunities to help you train for a long–term, specialized career.
– High school diploma program
– GED program
– Work–based learning opportunities
– Personalized career development plan
– Hands–on training in your chosen trade
– Partnership with Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College and Gulfport High School

Trades
Students are able to choose from a number of trades offered at Gulfport Job Corps Center.
Bricklaying
Business Office Technology
Carpentry
Computer Repair Technician/Slot Machine Repair
Electrical Wiring
Facilities Maintenance
Health Occupations
Plumbing
Welding

Dorm Life
Gulfport Job Corps Center has approximately 280 students on center and three dorms on campus. A new male dorm will be built

in 2006. Men and women live in separate dorms and have up to three roommates. Rooms are equipped with bunk beds, lockers, desks and lounge chairs. Lounge areas offer cable television.

Real Work Experience
The Gulfport Job Corps Center has partnerships with many local businesses where students can get real work experience. Call the Gulf Coast's only Job Corps center and visit today. For more information on Gulfport Job Corps programs and services, call (866) 564–5590 or contact Gennie Smith at Smith.Gennie@jobcorps.org.

There is a waiting process

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Employment, On the Job, Training; Training Classes, GED Preparation; Training Classes, Trade Skills, Training; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Updated May 14, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1955

Harrison County Human Resources Agency

Walk–in Resource · Open

842 Commerce Street, Gulfport, MS 39507

Phone 228–896–0214 Fax 228–896–0219
Web co.harrison.ms.us/departments/humanres/index.asp
Hours 9 am – 5 pm M–Fri.

Eligibility Requirements: 60 years of age and older

Documents Required: Social Security Card

Description of Services: Senior Centers, home delivered meals, congregate meals, information and referral, outreach, adult day care center, transportation, RSVP

Harrison County manages (5) senior citizens centers to assist older citizens on the coast. In addition, we have an information network to provide valid current facts to older individuals or a person inquiring on behalf of an older person of the available resources, services or programs in the community. Transportation may be provided to eligible individuals to and from community services, medical appointments, groceries, and recreation activities.

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program (R.S.V.P.) offers men and women 55 years and older exciting opportunities for personal development and satisfaction by providing volunteer programs that offer outlets for their energy and creativity while serving their community.

Senior Citizens Centers
Many older individuals exist on a fixed income with limited opportunities to socialize. They experience isolation and lack of a community base. Senior centers will enhance the dignity and independence of every individual. There are (5) senior centers administered by the Human Resources Agency.

Lyman Senior Citizens Center
14592 County Farm Road Gulfport, Ms 39503
Phone: (228) 832–2606 / Fax: (228) 831–3369

North Gulfport Senior Citizens Center
3312 Martin Luther King Drive Gulfport, Ms 39501
Phone: (228) 863–1548 / Fax: (228) 864–2026

Saucier Senior Citizens Center
24006 1st Street Saucier, Ms 39574
Phone: (228) 832–5835 / Fax: (228) 831–9638

Information & Referral
Information is the process of providing valid current data/facts to older individuals or a person inquiring on behalf of an older person of available resources, services, or programs in the community.

Referrals is the process of linking, directing, or connecting older individuals with appropriate agencies or community resources to obtain needed help and assistance.

Home Delivered Meals
We deliver approximately 2,875 meals each week. These meals provide a nutritionally balanced meal delivered to the home of the frail and disabled elderly who are in most need of this service. Home delivered meals will enhance the quality of life and support the maintenance of self–sufficiency, allowing the elderly person to remain at home.

Transportation
Transportation is arranging and providing the transport of eligible seniors to and from community services, medical appointments, groceries, and recreational activities. This service helps to maintain the independence of older adults as long as possible.

Retired & Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)
RSVP offers men and women age (55) and older exciting opportunities for personal development and satisfaction by providing volunteer programs that offer outlets for their energy and creativity while serving in their communities.

Volunteers In Service To America (VISTA) America Reads Program
This program aids "at risk" children Kindergarten through 3rd grade, to learn to read well.

Adult Day Care
Adult Day Care services the older population of Harrison County. These seniors exist on a fixed income and have an array of health problems. Day Care serves clients that are frail, disabled, and those with physical and mental disabilities, which place the aging client at risk.

Congregate Meals
Congregate meal services are offered to eligible seniors to help insure a proper diet that will aid in promoting good health, well being, independence, and socialization.

Services offered: Facilities: Senior Center; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs; Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care); Transportation, For Seniors/Elders
Campaigns: RSVP (Retired & Senior Volunteer Program)
Updated Sep 27, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1981

International Relief and Development – (IRD) Gulf Coast Community Services Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Recovery/Community
1223 30th Ave Gulfport, MS 39501, Gulfport, MS 39501

Phone	(228) 864–6677
Contact	IRD, Gulf Coast Community Services Center
Web	www.ird.org
Hours	Mon – Fri, 8:00–5:00
Serves	Harrison, Hancock only
Eligibility	Varies depending on programs. Please see notes.
Bring	Please call for more information
Checks payable to	IRD US
Service	Permanent

U.S. Gulf Coast — September 12, 2008 — As Hurricane Ike bears down on the Gulf Coast, IRD is preparing to provide case management and other assistance to those in its path. Staff from IRD's Gulfport–based Gulf Coast Community Service Center is already in Baton Rouge to assist with Gustav response. drawing on the experience from providing case management services to victims of Hurricane Katrina for the past three years.

Your donation will help us bring emergency relief to the victims of this disaster.

The IRD Gulf Coast Community Service Center (GCCSC) has been rebuilding the lives of the citizens of the Mississippi Gulf Coast since October 2005, opening its doors a little more than one month following the devastation of Hurricane Katrina. The goal

of the Center is to reach out to the community and assist in the organization and facilitation of an often–difficult recovery process. Located in West Gulfport, the Center serves the entire Mississippi Gulf Coast, representing most of the Coastal cities as well as the three Coastal counties.

The GCCSC began it work on the Gulf Coast by administering emergency relief, but has transitioned its services to focus on sustainable, long–term recovery. The Center was one of the first agencies in the area administering needs assessments and mapping the most affected areas. The goal of the multi–faceted needs assessment and community mapping process conducted by the Center was to identify potential applicants for assistance following the hurricane. As the recovery cycle progressed from assessing needs to managing needs on an individual basis, the GCCSC has changed its focus to assisting citizens in need through case management. Case managers facilitate the recovery process for survivors by identifying ways to maximize their access to community resources.

The Center hosts a walk–in center for assessments administered by the Harrison County Long Term Recovery Coalition (LTRC), and has developed a resource guide printed by Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to provide to other relief agencies as a reference.

The Center also provides financial counseling to hurricane victims and MDA Phase II grant recipients seeking to purchase or rebuild homes through funding from the Enterprise Corporation of the Delta. This counseling not only prepares beneficiaries for homeownership, but gives them tools for long–term financial security. And in partnership with the Mennonite Economic Development Association (MEDA), the Center will create and manage a micro–enterprise capital fund which will finance start–up businesses along the Mississippi Gulf Coast. Additionally, the GCCSC will support the development of an open–air market in its Gulfport neighborhood.

IRD also participates in YouthBuild, a program that provides comprehensive programs for vocational development, workforce training and career counseling with Gulf Coast youth. YouthBuild teaches local at–risk high school students how to assist in rebuilding homes while helping them get their GED.

Helping people rebuild their lives, their relationships, and their sense of self–sufficiency, is equally as important to their long–term recovery and that of their communities as their physical needs. It is the human side of recovery that the GCCSC addresses, for thousands of Katrina survivors.

Services:

1)Case management for Katrina survivors. Eligibility: affected by the hurricane and still have unmet needs

2) Fincancial Counseling. Eligibility: Open to everyone

3) Housing Counseling. Eligibility: Open to everyone

4) Youth Build Program will start in January. Eligibility: youth ages 16 to 24 who do not have a high school diploma/GED

Applications are still being accepted for Katrina survivors and programs. To obtain an application: Monday – Thursday 9:00 – 3:00

Services offered: Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Animals, Rescue, Disaster Response Teams, Pets, Volunteer; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Disaster Damage Assessments for Disaster Managers; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Construction Skills Training; Training Classes, Education, 1st Time Home Buyer Education; Training Classes, GED Preparation; Training Classes, Vocational; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2008 Hurricane Gustav; 2008 Hurricane Ike; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Americorp VISTA (Volunteers In Service To America); Catholic Charities; Catholic Charities Social Services; Church of Christ Disaster Relief Effort; CWS ~ Church World Service; Gifts in Kind; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, US Deptartment of Housing & Urban Development (HUD); Habitat For Humanity; Hands On Gulf Coast; Hands On Network; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Lutheran Episcopal Services of Mississippi; Lutheran Social Services Disaster Response; Mennonite Disaster Service; Operation Blessing; Presbyterian Disaster Assistance; Salvation Army; Samaritan's Purse; Society of St. Vincent de Paul; UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response; United Way; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster), Associate Member/Informal Affiliation; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster – this org is a member); VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member); Volunteers of America; World Renew (also known as CRWRC–DRS ~ Christian Reformed World Relief Committee–Disaster Response Services; World

Vision; YMCA/YWCA
Updated Jan 27, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1790

Isaiah Fredericks Sr. Citizen Center

Walk–in Resource

3312 MLK Jr. Blvd., Gulfport, MS 39501

Phone 228–863–1548 Fax 228–864–2026
Hours 8:00 through 5:00 Daily
Service Temporary

Eligibility Requirements: 55 or older

Description of Services: There are many activities for seniors.

Some free services include: Recreational Arts, Arts/Crafts, Exercise Program, Field Trips, Hot Lunch provided, Transportation provided, has a Nurse on staff once a month.

Services offered: Facilities: Senior Center; Meals, Lunches (Hot); Services, Senior Programs
Updated Dec 16, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2015

March of Dimes

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Public Health
1092 Acadrion Drive Suite 1 Gulfport, MS 39507, Gulfport, MS 39507

Phone 228–896–0886 Fax 228–896–8997
Contact March of Dimes
Email Call do not email
Web www.marchofdimes.com/mississippi
Hours 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. M–Fri. (Best if you call)
Serves Hancock, Harison, Jackson
Eligibility Anyone
Service Permanent

Description of Services: Prevention of birth defects through research, prenatal care programs, educational and services to children with birth defects, limited direct financial aid. Also provides Mother & Baby Mobile Clinics (this is affiliated with Coastal Family Health) and free public health materials.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Education, Pamphlets, Medical; Medical, Services, Family Planning; Services, Family, General Family Assistance
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; March of Dimes
Updated Jun 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1983

MS Gulf Coast YMCA

Walk–in Resource · Open

11150 Hwy 49, Gulfport, MS 39553

Phone 228–831–1700
Web www.msgulfcoast–ymca.org
Hours 6:00AM to 6:00PM M–F
Serves Gulf Coast area
Service Permanent

Services offered: Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Facilities: Recreational Facilities for Seniors/Elders; Services, Educational Services (See also Category for School); Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth Program
Campaigns: YMCA/YWCA
Updated May 12, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2982

SMPDD – Area Agency on Aging of Southern Mississippi

Walk–in Resource · Open

Senior Services
9229 Highway 49 Gulfport, MS 39503, Gulfport, MS 39503

Phone (228) 868–2311 or 1 800–444–8014
Contact SMPDD – Area Agency on Aging of Southern Mississippi
Web www.smpdd.com
Serves Covington, Forrest, George, Greene, Hancock, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson Davis, Jones, Lamar, Marion, Pearl River, Perry, Stone, Wayne Counties
Service Permanent

Provides part–time employment service for low income seniors 55 years and older

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Housing, Long Term Care Residents (Seniors/Elders); Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Facilities: Senior Center; Jobs, Paying; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Home Delivered Meals; Meals, Home Delivered Meals (For Seniors/Elders); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Daycare, Adult / Senior Daycare Services; Services, Legal Assistance; Services, Senior/Disabled, Homemaker Services (For Elders/Seniors/Disabled); Services, Senior Programs; Services, Seniors, Shopping Assistance (For Elders/Seniors/Disabled); Services, Support, Caregiver Support Services; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation, For Seniors/Elders
Campaigns: Government, US/State Dept. of Health & Human Services (DHHS)
Updated Oct 9, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1985

Social Security Offices

Walk–in Resource · Open

Government Agency
9394 THREE RIVERS ROAD, Gulfport, MS 39520

Phone 800 772 1213
Web socialsecurity.gov
Hours M – F 08:30AM – 03:30PM
Service Permanent

The above office information is for Hancock County.
For any additional info or other county offices call main phone # or
go into web site.

Social Security Office
SOCIAL SECURITY
946 TOMMY MUNRO DRIVE
BILOXI, MS 39532
(228) 388–1432

Services offered: Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Government, US Government Agency (This Site IS a Gov Agency)
Updated May 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/168

St. James Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource

Church
604 25th Street, Gulfport, MS 39501

Hancock County Airport: EOC HQ. On Airport Rd, at the Hancock ounty airport, there is an EOC Headquarters, where people can apply for aid. At the site there is a big white tent, where they serve sack lunches and some hot meals. Figure it opens near lunch time. This site is reportedly being moved to Kiln/Delisle at the "end of the week", which the warehouse figures is Friday, maybe Saturday. There's a chance that the site could stay, but it's day by day. The Red Cross has been notified that this site will no longer provide meals after Friday, and hopefully a mobile food truck will at least make a stop at the EOC warehouse once a day to feed the 15–20 people that work there.

unconfirmed, Marth Lee said she thought they were still doing it.
Updated May 2, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/56

St. Theresa Catholic Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
3521 19th Street Gulport, Gulfport, MS 39501

Phone (228) 863–7719
Contact Sr. Carmelita
Email Call do not email
Hours In Summer Time Opens on Thurs Only from 10:00AM to 12:00PM Tues. & Thurs. 10 am – 12 Noon
Bring Bring your picture ID and you can collect food once a week maximum
Service Permanent

Spoke to Sister Carmelita at St. Theresa's Food Pantry 9/24/07:

CORRECT HOURS ARE – Tues. & Thurs. 10 am – 12 Noon

Food availibility can vary week to week.

They can ALWAYS use:

Non–perishable foods (Canned or boxed)
Dried Goods (Rice/Beans are most needed)
Diapers
Baby Food
Baby Formula

They are always looking for a good bulk bargains of food to purchase for the Pantry locally.

This is a wonderful service to the community and they can use any help you can provide!

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; TEFAP – Emergency Food Assistance Program
Updated Jan 11, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1895

Tender Loving Care

Walk–in Resource

Private Business
520 E PASS RD, Gulfport, MS 39507
Phone 866–898–7970 / 228–467–4626 / (228) 897–7970
Service Temporary

Accepts Medicare, Medicaid & private insurance

Accu Med Home Health
4211 Hospital St # 303
Pascagoula, MS 39581
Care Types: Home Care

Accumed Home Health
520 E Pass Rd # B–C
Gulfport, MS 39507
Care Types: Home Care

Accumed Home Health–Southern
835 Highway 90
Bay St Louis, MS 39520
Care Types: Home Care

Services offered: Medical, Services, Home Health Care Services
Updated Nov 5, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2049

Trinity United Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
5007 Lawson Ave, Gulfport, MS 39507
Phone 228 863 2717

To schedule future trips to the Gulfport area after December
4th, please contact Carrie McGhee, staff member of Trinity United
Methodist Church in Gulfport, Mississippi directly via email at CMcGhee@trinityumc.com . Carrie will be coordinating and directing all future Trinity relief teams.

(old note)

Gulfport: Trinity Methodist Church, around the corner
from the BayouView school

lunches...unconfirmed

Services offered: First Responder, Gulf Region; Meals, Lunches, Misc.
Updated Apr 20, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/134

Volunteers of America, MS

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Non–Profit Community
1909 E Pass Rd., Ste 1, Gulfport, MS 39507
Phone (228) 604–2026 / 1–800–859–4431
Web www.voasoutheast.org

Service Temporary

from website 2012 HURRICANE ISAAC –

Caring Kits Needed ...

Volunteers of America Southeast continues to aid victims of disasters such as the recent hurricane. We continue to collect items to create “Caring Kits” to aid those displaced due to the current flooding and any other storm–related event. Before the storm, Volunteers of America Southeast staged hundreds of caring kits at churches and other facilities along the Gulf Coast. Most of these kits have been distributed and we need to replenish the supply for future disasters. We welcome any individual or group who would like to help gather items to create the caring kits.

Each kit will consist of a 2–gallon zip–lock bag filled with the following items:

•6 oz toothpaste
•Tooth Brushes
•Wash Cloths
•Bar Soap
•Small Shampoos
•Hand Sanitizer
•Combs or Brushes
•Travel–size Facial Tissue
•Travel–size Wet Wipes
•Band Aids
•Anti–bacterial Ointment
•Deodorant

Donations of these items can be made at Volunteers of America Southeast, 600 Azalea Road, Mobile, AL 36609. For more information, please contact Paul McLendon at 251–422–7729.

FACEBOOK –
https://www.facebook.com/VolOfAmerica

The website is very informative for needs and assistance and it is updated.

Wendy McDonald from Habitat in Hancock is referring families to Kim Cheeks at VoA.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Health Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Services for Special Needs Folks; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Counseling, Substance Abuse ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Financial Support for Work Teams; Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Medical, Facility, Clinic, Free Clinic; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Substance Abuse, Residential Program (Drug/Alcohol); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Cooking/Nutrition Education Classes; Training Classes, Exercise, Health Classes; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management; Training Classes, Life Skills (Special Needs); Training Classes, Vocational; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Habitat For Humanity; Volunteers of America
Updated Sep 17, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2645

West Gulfport Baptist (Food Pantry)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Hancock County Guide to Social Services
1020 Fournier Ave Gulfport, MS 39501, Gulfport, MS 39501

Phone	228–596–3481
Contact	West Gulfport Baptist
Hours	10:00 to 2:00 Tues. & THurs
Checks payable to	West Gulfport Baptist Church

Services offered: Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Dec 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/504

Women's Resource Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Womens Services
9155 Lorraine Road Gulfport, MS 39503, Gulfport, MS 39503

Phone 228–897–8958
Contact Women's Resource Center
Web www.wrcenter.info
Hours 10:00 – 5:00 M, T; 10:00 – 1:30 W; 10:00 – 7:00 Th
Checks payable to Women's Resource Center

Services: Abortion Information, Material Aid, Adoption Support, After Abortion Support, Parenting Classes, Parenting Support, STD/STI Information, Men's Program

For local or distribution – contact for further details!

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Baby, Baby Bibs; Baby, Baby Bottle Liners; Baby, Baby Bottle (Liner Type); Baby, Baby Bottle Refills, Playtex; Baby, Baby Bottles (Playtex); Baby, Baby Bouncy Chairs; Baby, Baby Crib Bumper Pads; Baby, Baby Formula; Baby, Baby Formula (Similac/Infamil/Enfamil) case; Baby, Baby Formula, Soy–Based, w/Iron ; Baby, Baby Furniture, Baby Changing Table; Baby, Baby Furniture, Large, High Chairs; Baby, Baby Furniture, Large (i.e. cribs); Baby, Baby Furniture, Large, Playpen; Baby, Baby Furniture, Small (i.e. Bassinet); Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Baby, Baby Lotion; Baby, Baby Mobiles, Nursery, Crib Mobiles; Baby, Baby Pacifiers; Baby, Baby Powder; Baby, Baby Shampoo; Baby, Baby Strollers; Baby, Baby/Toddler Sippy Cups; Baby, Baby Wash; Baby, Baby Wipes ; Books, Bibles; Clothing, Baby/Infant, New or Gently Used/CLEAN * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Spiritual; Diapers, Newborn; Diapers (Size 1); Diapers (Size 3); Diapers (Size 4); Diapers (Size 5); Diapers (Size 6); Diapers, Toddler Pullups; Food, Baby Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Furniture, Baby Furniture, Mattress, Crib; Linens, Bedding, Baby Blankets; Linens, Bedding, Sheets, Crib; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Walker; OTC, Medicine, Baby, Baby Orajel; OTC, Medicine, Baby, Diaper Rash Cream/Ointment, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types); OTC, Medicine, Baby/Infant/Children * (ANY/ALL Types) ; OTC, Medicine, Baby Tylenol; OTC, Pedialyte; Toys, Baby Toys; Toys, Stuffed Animals, New or Gently Used (CLEAN)
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/915

YouthBuild AmeriCorps Gulfport

Walk–in Resource · Open

4309 13th Street, Gulfport, MS 39501

Phone (228) 575–0563
Web www.youthbuild.org/YouthBuildAmericorpsGulfport
Hours M –F 8:30AM – 5:00PM
Service Permanent

YouthBuild AmeriCorps Gulfport

After rebuilding over 100 homes damaged by Hurricane Katrina though the YouthBuild AmeriCorps Rebuilding Project, YouthBuild USA helped to establish a permanent YouthBuild AmeriCorps program in Gulfport, Mississippi. The YouthBuild AmeriCorps Gulfport program serves the Gulf Coast community and engages Gulfport youth in the reconstruction of their community, as well as their own lives.

The YouthBuild Gulfport program provides 35 low–income, out–of–school, out–of–work young people with the opportunity to earn their GEDs, gain hands–on construction experience, receive a living allowance while learning, and obtain an AmeriCorps education award for post–secondary schooling.

TheYouthBuild AmeriCorps Gulfport program is funded by the Mississippi Commission for Volunteer Services.

For more information about participating in or supporting the YouthBuild AmeriCorps Gulfport program, please contact:

E. René Soulé, Director,
rsoule@youthbuild.org
228–234–8314
Toll free number: 877–302–9563

or mail them at:
YouthBuild Americorps Gulfport
PO Box 4080
Gulfport, MS 39502

Services offered: Construction, Home Repair Services (For Seniors/Elders); Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Construction Skills Training; Training Classes, GED Preparation; Training Classes, Life Skills, Youth; Training Classes, Vocational; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: AmeriCorps; YouthBuild
Updated Oct 9, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2990

Jennifer Bell

Walk–in Resource

Mental Health Professional
Gulfport/Ocean Springs, MS, Gulfport/Ocean Springs, MS

Phone 228–239–9195
Contact Jennifer Bell
Service Temporary

Mental Health Counseling

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Mental Health, Sliding Scale; Mental Health Services

Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2011

AIDS Services Coalition (1–2–1 Haven House)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community Outreach
121 College Street; P.O. Box 169, Hattiesburg, MS 39401

Phone (601) 450–4286, (601) 266–5163, (601)266–5114
Contact Call or write for details
Email service@121HavenHouse.org
Web www.121havenhouse.org
Eligibility For persons living with HIV/AIDS who have nowhere else to go.
Service Permanent

1–2–1 Haven House provides transitional housing for up to one year for persons living with HIV/AIDS who have nowhere else to go. We have a 10–bed facility which provides not only housing but meals and program services to our residents.

1–2–1 Haven House also provides support groups for various related groups such as Families and Friends of Persons Living with HIV/AIDS.

At 1–2–1 Haven House, the emphasis is on LIVING with the disease, learning coping skills and making the transition back to a normal living situation. Residents are expected to help with daily household tasks and, if able, to seek employment outside the house.

1–2–1 Haven House also provides referrals to other necessary services such as medical services, usually through Southeast Mississippi Rural Health Initiative, support groups for HIV/AIDS, substance abuse and related areas, assistance with obtaining federal and state government benefits and on– and off–site programming.

1–2–1 Haven House does not discriminate on the basis of age, race, gender, religion, national origin, sexual orientation or familial status.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Medical, HIV/AIDS; Advocacy, Medical, Patient Rights; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Short–Term Housing Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Community Outreach Programs; Community Outreach Programs, Rural; Community Service Program; Counseling, Career Counseling; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling, for Caregivers; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Mental Health, Sliding Scale; Counseling, Nutritional Counseling; Counseling, Rehab, Rehabilitation Center; Counseling, Substance Abuse ; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group for Caregivers; Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Counseling, Trauma Counseling Services; Disaster Damage Assessments for Disaster Managers; Facility: Community Center; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Hotline, Disaster Recovery Services Hotline for Survivors; Hotline, Job Hotline; Hotline, Shelter Hotline (Find Help); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Group Home, Special Needs/Mental Illness; Housing, Recovery House (For Substance Abuse Treatment); Housing, Residential Group Shelter Home, Housing; Housing, Transitional Housing; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Non–Emergency Medical Services; Medical, Services, Assessment, Medical Needs Assessment; Medical, Services, Rehabilitation Program; Services, Daycare, Adult / Senior Daycare Services; Services, Educational Services (See also Category for School); Services, Emergency Services; Services, Employment, Job Assistance, for "at–risk" Job Applicants; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Laundry Services (for Disaster Survivors); Services, Respite Program/Services; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Services, Special Needs, Services for People with Special Needs; Services, Substance Abuse, Intervention Services; Services, Support, Caregiver Support Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Day Shelter; Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Shelter, Evacuation, Special Needs Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Caregiver Training; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training, Medical, Education, HIV/AIDS, Coping With HIV/AIDS; Training, Medical, Education, Special Needs, Coping w/Special Needs; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care)

Updated Apr 27, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2980

WIN Job Center, Hernando

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
225 Losher Street, Hernando, MS
Phone 662–429–9874
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1919

YouthBuild, Mississippi Delta

Walk–in Resource · Open

1310 East Ave. North, Hollandale, MS 38748
Phone 662–827–0568
Web youthbuild.org
Hours 8:00AM – 4:00PM
Service Permanent

Services offered: Demographic Served: Children; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Construction Skills Training; Training Classes, GED Preparation; Training Classes, Life Skills, Youth; Training, Services, Employment / JobTraining ; Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accomodates Youth Volunteers) ; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: YouthBuild
Updated Oct 9, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2989

WIN Job Center, Holly Springs

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
230 College Street, Holly Springs, MS
Phone 662–252–7664
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

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for other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1920

WIN Job Center, Houston

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
665 North Jefferson Street, Houston, MS
Phone 662–456–3563
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

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for other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1921

WIN Job Center, Iuka

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
1107 Maria Lane, Iuka, MS

Phone 662–423–9231
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1922

Alzheimer Association – Mississippi

Walk–in Resource · Open

Senior Services
1900 Dunbarton Drive Suite H, Jackson, MS 39216

Phone 800–272–3900
Contact Call or Write for information
Email info@msalz.org
Web www.msalz.org
Hours 8:30 - 4:30
Serves 82 counties in Mississippi.
Eligibility Individuals with Alzheimer's or Dementia, Caregivers and Families
Service Permanent

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Long Term Care Residents (Seniors/Elders); Advocacy, Medical, Patient Rights; Advocacy, Privacy/Ethics; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Community Outreach Programs; Counseling, Group Counseling for Seniors; Counseling, Support Group for Caregivers; Facility: Community Center; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Medical, Services, Assessment, Medical Needs Assessment; Pamphlets, Educational Pamphlets; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Caregiver Training; Training, Medical, Education, Special Needs, Coping w/Special Needs
Updated Apr 27, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2570

Ascension Lutheran Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

AA Meetings
6481 Old Canton Road; Old Canton Road @ E. County Line Road, Jackson, MS 39221

Phone (601) 956–4263
Service Temporary

Way Out AA Group

Closed Non Smoking AA Meetings:

8 p.m. Mondays & Wednesdays

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings
Updated Apr 4, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3029

Christ United Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
6000 Old Canton Road, Jackson, MS
Web www.msbeaglepack.com
Hours See Notes
Service Temporary

Beagle Pack is an Alcoholics Anonymous group that meets daily in Jackson, Mississippi.

Unless otherwise announced, all meetings take place in Room 229 of Christ United Methodist Church at 6000 Old Canton Road.

All meetings are smoke–free, and no smoking is allowed anywhere on the church property.

MEETING SCHEDULE:

Monday through Friday
12:00 noon
Closed Meeting

Tuesday evening
6:30 p.m.
Closed Meeting

Saturday
10:00 a.m.
Closed Meeting

Sunday
7:00 p.m.
Open Big Book Study

First Friday of month
6:30 p.m. – Dessert
7:30 p.m. – Speaker
Open Meeting

Second Saturday of month
11:00 a.m.
Group Conscience

Parking: For all weekday meetings, park in the south lot (not the playground side), and, for other meetings, park in the north lot (the playground side)

Beagle Pack has a library of materials and a listing of persons who are willing to serve as sponsors.

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings
Updated May 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3028

Cooperation Jackson, building a solidarity economy

Walk–in Resource · Open

Jackson, MS
Web cooperationjackson.org
Service Temporary

from the website:

Cooperation Jackson is an emerging vehicle for sustainable community development, economic democracy, and community ownership.

Our long term vision is to develop a cooperative network based in Jackson, Mississippi that will consist of four interconnected and interdependent institutions: a federation of local worker cooperatives, a cooperative incubator, a cooperative education and training center (the Kuwasi Balagoon Center for Economic Democracy and Development), and a cooperative bank or financial institution.

Cooperation Jackson's basic theory of change is centered on the position that organizing and empowering the structurally under and unemployed sectors of the working class, particularly from Black and Latino communities, to build worker organized and owned cooperatives will be a catalyst for the democratization of our economy and society overall.

Cooperation Jackson believes that we can replace the current socio–economic system of exploitation, exclusion and the destruction of the environment with a proven democratic alternative. An alternative built on equity, cooperation, worker democracy, and environmental sustainability to provide meaningful living wage jobs, reduce racial inequities, and build community wealth. It is our position and experience, that when marginalized and excluded workers and communities are

organized in democratic organizations and social movements they become a force capable of making transformative social advances.

Individuals deeply moved by the Jackson–Kush Plan who are striving to see its vision of economic democracy realized launched Cooperation Jackson on May 1, 2014 International Worker's Day or May Day.
The Lumumba center for economic democracy and development

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Mission and Purpose

The broad mission of Cooperation Jackson is to advance the development of economic democracy in Jackson, Mississippi by building a solidarity economy anchored by a network of cooperatives and other types of worker–owned and democratically self–managed enterprises.

Economic democracy provides economic empowerment for all workers, distributors, suppliers, consumers, communities and the general public by promoting universal access to common resources, democratizing the ownership of the means of production, and democratizing all the essential processes of production and distribution through worker self–management and sustainable consumption.

Solidarity economy includes a wide array of economic practices and initiatives that share common values – cooperation and sharing, social responsibility, sustainability, equity and justice. Instead of enforcing a culture of cutthroat competition, it builds cultures and communities of cooperation.

Our Purpose is to create:

A network of interconnected and interlinked cooperatives and worker owned enterprises in Jackson, Mississippi that will expand economic opportunity, promote sustainability and build community wealth by creating jobs with dignity, stability, living wages and quality benefits.

A foundation for the revitalization of the working class communities of Jackson, Mississippi based on stable employment, wealth equity and sustainable means of production and distribution.

A institutional vehicle to promote broad public understanding of economic democracy, the foundations of solidarity economics and the principles of cooperatives and how cooperative and worker owned and self–managed enterprises work to benefit workers, their families and their communities.

A institutional vehicle to educate and train working people in Jackson, Mississippi to successfully start, finance, own, democratically operate and self–manage a sustainable cooperative enterprise.

A model that will encourage and enable workers in other cities and municipalities in Mississippi, the South and throughout the United States to implement their own initiatives to promote economic democracy, solidarity economics and cooperative development.

Cooperation Jackson is the realization of a Just Transition vision decades in the making. Its roots lay deep within the struggle for democratic rights, economic justice, self–determination, particularly for people of African descent in the Deep South, and dignity for all workers.

We look forward to working in solidarity with progressive forces throughout the country on this transformative project and encourage people to stand directly with us in this effort by joining or forming a Friends of Cooperation Jackson chapter in your area.
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Dec 24, 2019 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10133

Gateway Rescue Mission

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Substance Abuse Treatment
328 S Gallatin St Jackson, MS 39203, Jackson, MS 39203

Phone	601–353–5864
Contact	Pastor Michael Sweet
Email	Call do not email
Hours	24 hours
Serves	Hancock and Others
Eligibility	Male
Bring	Valid ID (i.e. Driver's License)
Fee	$50.00, 6 months of service, No fee for overnight shelter

Best to call first.

Programs Available:
Drug & Alcohol
Homeless Shelter for Men

1st come – 1st serve!!

Capacity: 47 people
Intake: 5 pm – 7pm
Duration: 7 nights per week

Church Services – M–F 7pm–7:45pm
Sunday has vans to pick–up for transport to churches!!

Dining Hall next door–>
Serves: 3 meals – 5am, 12p, 5pm

Services offered: Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Breakfast; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Lunches (Hot); Services, Church/Worship Services; Shelter, Homeless Shelter
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/865

Good Samaritan Center, The

Walk–in Resource · Open

114 Millsaps Avenue; PO BOX 4955, Jackson, MS 39296
Phone 601–355–6276
Web goodsamaritancenter.org
Service Temporary

We Take Calls the following hours:
•Monday 9 AM – 5 PM
•Tuesday closed
•Wednesday 9 AM – 5 PM
•Thusday 1 PM – 5 PM
•Friday 1 PM – 5 PM
Please leave a message at all other times. We will return your call as promptly as possible.

Note: When we are closed
If you urgently need to talk to someone about a social service need or a crisis when we are closed please call Contact the Crisis Line at 601–713–4357.

Volunteer
“There is no greater gift than the gift of one’s time”

Volunteers (young and old) are needed for a multitude of volunteer positions. Help is needed in our clothing warehouse and our food pantry, with meal and furniture delivery, general office reception, and customer service at our thrift store.

We also have group volunteer opportunities on various Saturdays each month in our regular social service programs and there is usually a special project or two going on.

If you have a group that is looking for a special volunteer opportunity or if you are an individual looking for a place to utilize your talents, contact us.
http://goodsamaritancenter.org/?page_id=78

Donate Items
http://goodsamaritancenter.org/?page_id=63

Donate Money
Monetary support is tax deductible. Giving monetarily helps Good Sam in our mission to help families in crisis. Every dollar donated (unless otherwise specified by the donor) is used for client assistance.
We will use your donations to buy food for our pantry, bus tickets for stranded families, as well as medicine for someone who can not afford their prescription.
Join the Good Sam team. Make your donation today, and make a difference in someone’s life! Thank You!
http://goodsamaritancenter.org/?page_id=77

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Referrals, Temporary Financial Assistance Referrals; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Services, Emergency Services; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Sep 17, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9353

Jackson Mississippi water distribution sites

Walk–in Resource · Open

Jackson, MS
Web www.jacksonms.gov/water–distribution–sites–monday–august–29
Service Temporary

see updates at the link above

WHAT: Water distribution site # 1

WHEN: 2 p.m. Monday, August 29

WHERE: Fire Station #1 (Headquarters)

555 S. West St.

WHAT: Water distribution site #2

WHEN: 4 p.m. Monday, August 29

WHERE: Grove Park Community Center

1940 Queensroad Ave.

Services offered: Water, Bottles (8 oz.); Water, Bottles, (In Plastic, Gallons); Water, Bottles (Pallets); Water, Potable Water
Campaigns: 2022 US Flooding
Updated Aug 30, 2022 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10526

Jackson Revival Center Food Outreach

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church – Food Bank
1616 Robinson Street, Jackson, MS 39204
Phone 601–948–3618 or 601–948–1874 OR 1–866–948–1874 or 1–866–948–1875
Web www.jacksonrevivalcenter.org/pages.asp?pageid=18871
Hours 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 Monday

Jackson Revival Center Church, Inc. is a participant in the Mississippi Food Network, whose purpose is to help non–profit agencies provide and/or meet the emergency feeding needs of families throughout the state of Mississippi. The target families are those that are homeless, impoverished or affected by unforeseen occurrences or circumstances beyond control.

In addition to ministering to physical needs with a box of groceries, there are people on hand to pray for and minister to their spiritual needs as well as those that are in need of counsel.

To be a recipient of what the program offers, there must be a legitimate need. An appointment must be made by calling the JRC Food Outreach at 948–3618 between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon on Mondays.

For more information on our local feeding program, contact Cynthia McLaurin at 601–948–1874.

In addition to our local feeding program, we feed between 450 and 500 people per day in Haiti through World Harvest Missions in Florida. We also sponsor an orphanage in Petionville, Haiti that houses 35–40 children. If you would like to help support any of these endeavors, you may do so by contacting us at 601–948–1874 or 601–948–1875, or through this website at Contact US.

Disaster Relief

We are still extending food, clothing, personal hygiene products and baby items to Hurricane Katrina and Hurricane Rita Survivors. You may visit our Food Outreach Center between 9:30 a.m. and 12:00 noon on Mondays. The Outreach is located at 1616 Robinson Street. For further assistance you may contact Cynthia McLaurin at (601) 948–3618.

Jackson Revival Center Church, Inc.
519 W. Silas Brown Street • Jackson, MS 39204

To Contact us locally, you may call 1–601–948–1874 or 1–601–948–1875.
We also have a toll free number 1–866–948–1874 or 1–866–948–1875.
To contact us via facsimile, you may dial 1–601–354–7877.

May God's Best Forever Be Yours!

Services offered: Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Counseling, Spiritual; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: TEFAP – Emergency Food Assistance Program
Updated Jul 19, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1584

Mission First, Inc. (Headquarters, Social Services Operation)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community
275 Roseneath St, Jackson, MS 39203
Phone 601–714–6900
Web www.missionfirst.org
Hours call for appointment
Serves Jackson, MS area
Eligibility No one is turned away. Clients requesting medical/dental services should have either little or no health insurance coverage.
Fee Yes, sliding scale
Service Temporary

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Information & Resource Referrals (For Elders/ Seniors); Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Mold Removal/Remediation, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Tree Removal & Chipping, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Yard Cleanup, Volunteer Services; Dental, Services * (ANY/ALL Types of Dental Services) ; First Responder, Gulf Region; Medical, Facility, Clinic ($ Fee–Based Sliding Scale); Medical, Non–Emergency Medical Services; Medical, Services, Eyecare Services; Medical, Services, Eye Exams; Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Legal Assistance; Training, Medical, Education, Health Education for Survivors * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Sep 26, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2981

Mississippi Children's Home Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit – Children's Health/Social Services
PO Box 1078, Jackson, MS 39212
Phone (601) 352–7784 OR (800) 388–6247
Web www.mchscares.org

For Admissions Contact:

Local: (601) 969–4079
Toll Free: (866) 969–4079
Fax: (601) 969–6433
Email: admissions@mchscares.org

For General Info:

Mississippi Children's Home Services
PO Box 1078
Jackson, MS 39212

Local: (601) 352–7784
Toll Free: (800) 388–6247
Fax: (601) 968–0028
Email: info@mchscares.org

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Jobs, Paying; Mental Health Services; Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/Alcohology) ; Shelter, Emergency Shelter, Youth Focused; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Oct 18, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1993

Mississippi Development Authority

Walk–in Resource · Open

State/Fed
Jackson, MS
Phone 1.866.369.6302 ?? see notes below
Web www.mississippi.org

The Mississippi Development Authority is the State of Mississippi’s lead economic and community development agency. More than 250 employees are engaged in providing services to businesses, communities and workers in the state.

The agency is organized into three groups, Economic Development, Asset Development and Administration and Financial Services.

Office Locations and Contacts
With offices located throughout Mississippi and abroad, the Mississippi Development Authority is headquartered in the state's capital, Jackson.

Business hours are 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. (Central Time Zone) Monday through Friday with the exception of state holidays.

The main office is located at:
501 North West Street
Jackson, Mississippi 39201

The mailing address is:
Mississippi Development Authority
PO Box 849
Jackson, Mississippi 39205

The switchboard telephone number is:
601.359.3449.

http://www.mississippi.org/content.aspx?url=/page/contact&
Gives list of contact numbers for divisions.

Loan Program Status & Number for contact:
The Mississippi Small Business Disaster Bridge Loan Program is now closed. For more information on other assistance programs, call 601.359.3449

http://www.mississippi.org/content.aspx?url=/page/loangrantintro&

Fraud Alert: Mississippi Development Authority will not ask for credit card or bank account information or ask you to pay any fees. If you are asked for any of this information, please contact us at 866-369-6302.

Services offered: Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Financial, Small Business Development; Grants, Housing, Housing Related
Updated Sep 24, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/155

Mississippi Volunteer Lawyers Project

Walk-in Resource · Open

Legal Assistance for Low Income Families
643 North State Street, Jackson, MS 39202

Phone 601-960-9577 or 1-800-682-0047
Web www.mvlp.net
Hours 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. M-Fri.
Service Temporary

Eligibility Requirements: Must meet financial guidelines (same as legal services) and other regulations

Documents Required: Proof of income, documents pertaining to legal matter requesting assistance for.

Description of Services: Agency matches private attorneys who donate their time to assist low-income citizens with civic legal problems (Prohibited from handling cases that are criminal, fee generating, and drug related - cannot represent prisoners in any legal matters)

If you have any questions about how the Project works or are interested in volunteering your services through our program, please feel free to contact our office. Specific inquires can be directed to:

Mississippi Volunteer Lawyers Project
P.O. Box 2168
Jackson, MS 39225-2168

Phone: 601-960-9577 or 1-800-682-0047
Fax: 601-944-9678
E-mail: mvlp@msbar.org

Also, please note that if you are in need of general legal information, you can contact our Legal Line which operates on Monday-Friday from 12pm-2pm at 601-960-9572 or 1-800-682-6423.

Clinics:

The MVLP hosts several different clinics, which are seminars aimed at helping the public with their various legal needs. Information about upcoming clinics will be posted online.

Homeless Legal Clinic
The Homeless Legal clinic operates every Tuesday afternoon at Stewpot Community Services. Those in need of legal advice attend the Clinic which is staffed for a month at a time by attorneys from Jackson-area law firms.

Pro Se Divorce Clinic
One of the options given to clients in need of no-fault divorces is attending a Pro Se Divorce Clinic. One attorney guides those

clients through their paperwork and any legalese they may encounter in filling out their divorce papers.

Wills & Estates Clinic
In an effort to address the needs of the elderly, this clinic provides an attorney to clients for the preparation of Wills and Advanced Healthcare Directives (formerly Living Wills).

Guardianship Clinic
The Guardianship Clinic takes place annually to help families get past any custody–related roadblocks that may interfere with enrolling children in school.

Access & Visitation Clinic
A significant portion of the cases handled by the MVLP, in some way, have to do with child custody. The purpose of the clinic is to inform parents of their rights to their children once a child custody has been put in place, and to introduce them to the legal system as a means to uphold those rights.

Hancock County Residents: Must go through Legal Services first. 228–896–9196 or 228–896–9148

Services offered: Services, Legal Assistance (For Low–Income Families)
Updated Dec 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1990

MS Division of Aging and Adult Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

MS Dept. of Human Services
750 North State St., Jackson, MS 39205

Phone 1800–948–3090 601–359–4929
Web www.mdhs.state.ms.us/aas.html
Hours call local office
Eligibility 55 years and older – depends on program
Service Permanent

The Division of Aging and Adult Services plans, coordinates and advocates for, and ensures the provision of services to all older Mississippians. Information and assistance providers are usually the Area Agencies on Aging, senior centers, adult day care centers, or community action agencies.
Programs:
The Elderly Nutrition Program (ENP, Legal Assistance, MS Insurance Counseling and Assistance Program (MICAP), MS Medicare Assistance Patrol Project(MsMAPP), Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP)

The Frail Elderly Programs:
Case Management, In–Home Service, Adult Day Care, Ombudsman Program

General Information:
Homestead Exemption, Recreation activities for seniors, Volunteer Program

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Court Advocacy, Volunteer; Advocacy, Food Stamp Outreach; Advocacy, Housing, Long Term Care Residents (Seniors/Elders); Advocacy, Medical, Patient Rights; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Information & Resource Referrals (For Elders/Seniors); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Referrals; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Community Outreach Programs, Rural; Facilities: Recreational Facilities for Seniors/Elders; Facilities: Senior Center; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance (For Seniors/Elders/Disabled); Financial Assistance, Tax Relief; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance (For Seniors/Elders); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/Elderly); Information Resource, ADA & Useful Info for Disabled Folks; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Brown Bag Program (for Seniors/Elders/Disabled); Meals, Mobile Meals (For Seniors); Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Daycare, Adult / Senior Daycare Services; Services, Domestic Violence Intervention Services; Services, Financial, Tax Filing Assistance; Services, Legal Assistance; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs; Services, Seniors, Shopping Assistance (For Elders/Seniors/Disabled); Services, Support, Caregiver Support Services; Training, Medical, Education, Special Needs, Coping w/Special Needs; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Transportation Assistance (To Receive Medical Care); Transportation, Emergency Evacuation, Transportation Services; Transportation, For Seniors/Elders; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)

Campaigns: Government, US/State Dept. of Health & Human Services (DHHS); TEFAP – Emergency Food Assistance Program
Updated May 20, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3005

MS Division of Child Support Enforcement

Walk–in Resource · Open

MS Dept. of Human Services
750 North State Street Jackson, MS 39202, Jackson, MS 39202

Phone (601) 359–4500 or 1–800–345–6347, 1–866–388–2836
Contact Division of Child Support Enforcement
Web www.mdhs.state.ms.us/cs.us
Hours call for appointment
Serves statewide
Service Permanent

Child Support Enforcement secures financial and medical support from the noncustodial parent. Support payments are secured by direct payment from the parent or through payroll EFT.
CSE Services include: locating the noncustodial parent, establishment of paternity,establishment of orders for child support and medical support, collection and distribution of support payments, enforcement of child support orders, review and adjustment of orders, working with child support programs in other states to collect child support, The Ten Most Wanted list

The TANF program, administered by the MS Department of Human Services (MDHS), Divisiion of Economic Assistance, requires families on TANF assistance to work with the CSE office to obtain financial support from the noncusdodial parent.

Child Support Enforcement does not distribute food stamps.

Services offered: Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Food Stamps, Emergency Food Stamps; Jobs, Paying; Services, Family, Children, Child Care Program; Services, Family, Children, Emergency Child Care; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: Government, State Government Department/Agency; TANF (Temporary Assistance For Needy Families)
Updated May 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1390

MS Division of Community Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

MS Dept. of Human Services
750 North State Street, Jackson, MS 39205

Phone 1–800–421–0762
Contact Call office
Web www.mdhs.state.ms.us/cs.html
Hours call for hours
Serves Community Services Line toll–free number, 1–800–421–0762/local, (601) 359–4768.
Eligibility depending on program
Bring will be advised by agency
Service Permanent

Programs:
CSBG – Community Services Block Grant
LIHEAP – Low–Income Home Energy Assistance Program
WAP – Low–Income Weatherization Assistance Program
CF&N – Community Food and Nutrition Program

Division of Community Services County Services Directory
(Central Offices):

AJFC
P.O. BOX L
101 Clifton Avenue
Natchez, MS 39120
Executive Director: Lamar Braxton
(601) 442–8681
Fax (601) 442–9572
E–mail: barbaraj@telepak.net
Counties Served: Adams, Claiborne, Copiah,
Franklin, Jefferson, Lawrence,
Lincoln

Bolivar
P.O. Drawer 180
321 South Shark Street
Cleveland, MS 38732
Executive Director: Billy McCain

662–846–1491
1–800–743–2901
Fax (662) 843–0173
E–mail: capfin@panola.com
Counties Served: Bolivar (Benoit, Duncan, Cleveland, Gunnison, Mound Bayou, Pace, Rosedale, Shaw, Shelby, Winstonville)

Central Mississippi, Inc.
P.O. Box 749
101 South Central Avenue
Winona, MS 38967
Executive Director: Tela Wilson–Collins
(662) 283–4781
1–800–898–0410
Fax (662) 283–2352
Counties Served: Attala, Carroll, Grenada, Holmes, Leflore, Montgomery, Yalobusha

Coahoma Opportunities, Inc.
P.O. Box 1445
615 Desoto Avenue
Clarksdale, MS 38614
Executive Director: Dorothy Banks
(662) 624–4887
Fax (662) 624–4915
E–mail: dotbanks@clarksdale.com
Serves: Coahoma (Clarksdale)

East Central
See Madison County*
See Multi–County*
Counties Served: Leake, Rankin, Neshoba, Scott, Smith

Gulf Coast
P.O. Box 519
500 24th Street
Gulfport, MS 39501
Executive Director: Doyle Moffett
(228) 868–4250
Fax (228) 868–4165
E–mail: DoyleM@gccaa.com
Counties Served: George, Green, Hancock, Harrison, Stone

Hinds County HRA
P.O. Box 22657
258 Maddox Road
Jackson, MS 39312
Executive Director: Kenn Cockrell
(601) 923–3930 or
(601) 923–3950
Fax (601) 923–3925
Web: www.hchra.state.ms.us
E–mail: kennco@hchra.org
Counties Served: Hinds (Bolton, Edwards, Utica, Jackson, Terry, Raymond)

Jackson County CAA
P.O. Box 8723
5343 Jefferson Street
Moss Point, MS 39562
Executive Director: Diann Payne
(228) 769–3292

Fax (228) 759–3264
Web: www.jccivicaction.org
E–mail: Dpayne@jccivicaction.org
County Served: Jackson (Moss Point,
Ocean Springs)

Lift, Incorporated
P.O. Box 28
Old Hwy 78 West
Tupelo, MS 38802
Executive Director: Linda Blackwell
(662) 842–9511
1–800–844–5438
Fax (662) 842–5575
E–mail: lift1@tsixroads.com
Counties Served: Calhoun, Chickasaw, Itawamba,
Lafayette, Lee, Monroe, Pontotoc, Union

Madison County HRA
P.O. BOX 725
3141 South Liberty
Canton, MS 39046
Executive Director: Walter Jones
(601) 859–5703
1–877–859–2006
Fax (601) 859–2023
E–mail: wcjhra2000@aol.com
County Served: Madison (Canton)

Mid–State CAA
P.O. Box 270
204 North Church Street
Charleston, MS 38921
Executive Director: Helen Bell
(601) 647–2463
1–800–523–6683
Fax (601)647–5868
E–mail: midstate@ayrix.net
Counties Served: Panola, Quitman, Tunica,
Tallahatchie, Tate, Desoto

Multi–County CSA
P.O. Box 905
2900 St. Paul Street
Meridian, MS 39301
Executive Director:
Callie Cole
(601) 484–4838
1–800–898–0659
Fax (601) 482–9861
E–mail: mccsa@srato.net
Counties Served:
Clarke, Jasper, Kemper,
Lauderdale, Newton, Wayne

Northeast MS CS
P.O. Box 930
801 Hatchie Street
Booneville, MS 38829
Executive Director: Steve Gaines
(662) 728–2118
1–877–728–2118
Fax (662) 728–8720
E–mail: nemcs@iname.com
Counties Served: Alcorn, Marshall,
Prentiss, Tishomingo

PRVO
P.O. Box 188
756 Hwy 98 By Pass
Columbia, MS 39429
Executive Director:
Helmon Johnson
(601) 736-9564
Fax (601) 736-6268
E-mail: hjohnson@prvoinc.org
Counties Served: Covington, Forrest, Jefferson Davis, Lamar, Marion, Pearl River, Jones, Perry

Prairie Opportunity, Inc.
501 Hwy 12 West, Suite 110
Starkville, MS 39759
Executive Director: Laura A. Marshall
(662) 323-3397
1-888-397-5550
Fax (662) 323-8754
E-mail: lamarshall@prairieopp.org
Counties Served: Choctaw, Clay, Lowndes, Noxubee, Oktibbeha, Webster, Winston

Rankin Co. HRA
1545 W. Government Street, Suite C
Brandon, MS 39042
Executive Director: Katrina McLin (Intermin)
(601) 825-1309
Fax (601) 824-0036
E-mail: rchra@netdoor.com
County Served: Rankin (Brandon)

Simpson Co. HRA
406 North Main Street
Mendenhall, MS 39114
Executive Director: T. J. Moore
(601) 847-4611
Fax(601) 847-1192
County Served: (Simpson) Mendenhall

Southwest MS Opportunity
P.O. Box 1667
601 Martin Luther King Dr.
McComb, MS 39648
Executive Director: William Franklin
(601) 684-5593
1-800-250-7730
Fax (601) 249-3996
E-mail: smoa@locnet.net
Counties Served: Amite, Pike, Walthall, Wilkerson

Sunflower-Humphreys
P.O. Box 908
414 Martin Luther King Dr.
Indianola, MS 38751
Executive Director: Bobbie White
(662) 887-5655
1-888-677-1461
Fax (662) 887-4888
E-mail: revain@deltaland.net
Counties Served: Humphreys (Louise, Midnight, Isola, Silver City) Sunflower (Ruleville, Drew, Inverness, Indianola, Moorhead)

United CAA
P.O. Box 338
120 Ripley Street
Ashland., MS 38603
Executive Director: Willie R. Daugherty
(662) 224–8911
1–888–744–4407
Fax (662)224–8142
E–mail: ucac@dixie–net.com
Counties Served: Benton, Tippah

WWISCAA
P.O. Box 1813
1165 South Raceway Road
Greenville, MS 38702
Executive Director: Jean–Marie Hill
(662) 378–5857
1–800–820–8204
Fax (662) 332–5191
E–mail: jcwilli@tecinfo.com
Counties Served: Washington, Warren, Issaquena, Sharkey

Yazoo CAA
P.O. Box 290
224 Broadway
Yazoo City, MS 39194
Executive Director: Arthur James
(662) 746–5742
1–800–850–3555
Fax (662) 746–0910
E–mail: artjyca@tecinfo.com
County Served: Yazoo (Yazoo City)

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Food Stamp Program; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance (For Seniors/Elders); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Baby Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Dry, * Dry Food Goods (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Medical, Services, Family Planning; Services, For Folks Trying To Get Off Welfare; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Services, Weatherization Services
Campaigns: Government, US/State Dept. of Health & Human Services (DHHS); TANF (Temporary Assistance For Needy Families); TEFAP – Emergency Food Assistance Program
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MS Division of Economic Assistance

Walk–in Resource · Open

MS Dept. of Human Services
750 North State Street, Jackson, MS 39202

Phone 1–800–948–3050 or (601) 359–4810 for local office
Contact Division of Economic Assistance
Web www.mdhs.state.ms.us/ea.html
Hours call local office
Serves MS statewide
Eligibility Families and children without one or both parents
Bring ID, SS#, proof of income, financial & shelter costs

Div. of Economic Assistance provide direct financial assistance to families and children until 18 years.

TANF – Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (previously known as "Welfare") gives financial aid to families for periods of 24 to 60 months. Recepients agree to work with Div of Support Enforcement to recover non custodial parent support and be envolved in the Work Program

Food Stamp – provides monthly benefits that help low income households buy the food

TEFAP – Emergency Food Assistance Program distributes commodities to local food pantries, shelters & soup kitchens

Nutrician Outreach – teaches healthy food choices

Healthy Marriage Program – helps develope healthy relationships

Just Wait Abstinence Program – Through education reduce the State's teen pregnancy rate

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Nutritional Counseling; Directories, Directory of Services, Statewide; Directories, Financial Assistance Programs; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Food Stamp Program; Financial Assistance, Food Stamps, Emergency Food Stamps; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, County Resources, Contacts & Services (County Level); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Domestic Violence Intervention Services; Services, Emergency Services; Services, For Folks Trying To Get Off Welfare; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Education, Nutrition Education Classes; Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Youth Program
Campaigns: Government, US/State Dept. of Health & Human Services (DHHS); TANF (Temporary Assistance For Needy Families); TEFAP – Emergency Food Assistance Program
Updated Oct 5, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3004

MS Division of Family and Children Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

MS Dept. of Human Services
750 N. State Street, Jackson, MS 39205

Phone 1–800–345–6347
Contact click on website to locate a local office
Web www.mdhs.state.ms.us/fcs.html
Hours call for hours
Serves all 7 MS districts
Eligibility depends on program
Bring will be advised
Service Permanent

Adoption: services and placement
Adult and Child Abuse: reporting, investigation & Hotline
Childrens Justice Act: abuse review teams,multi–disciplinary cooperation, training and technical assistance
Childrens Trust Fund: focus on prevention programs
Citizens Review Panel: charged with evaluating child welfar systems
Foster Care: placement and supervision of the homes
FosterCare: placement & licensing foster care homes
Residential Licensing: child care facilities
Residential Licensure: requirements for child care facilities

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Battered Women ; Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Advocacy, Housing, Long Term Care Residents (Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Childrens Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Counseling, Childrens Counseling ; Counseling, Domestic Abuse Support; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling, for Caregivers; Counseling, Rape Crisis; Counseling, Trauma Counseling Services; Directories, Directory of Services, Regional; Directories, Directory of Services, Statewide; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, County Resources, Contacts & Services (County Level); Resource Bank; Services, Domestic Violence Intervention Services; Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Shelter, Emergency Shelter, Youth Focused; Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Training Government, Training on How it Works; Training, Medical, Education, Special Needs, Coping w/Special Needs; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online
Campaigns: Government, US/State Dept. of Health & Human Services (DHHS)
Updated May 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2999

National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) – Mississippi

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Mental Health Advocacy
411 BRIARWOOD DRIVE, SUITE 401, JACKSON, MS 39201, Jackson, MS 39201

Phone 800–357–0388 or 601–899–9058
Contact NAMI – Mississippi
Web www.nami.org/MSTemplate.cfm?Site=NAMI_Mississippi
Serves Mississippi
Service Permanent

We offer NAMI Connection, which is a weekly peer–based, mutual support group program for individuals with any mental illness diagnosis.

Our education programs are as follows:

PEER TO PEER – A free unique, experiential learning program for people with any serious mental illness who are interested in establishing and maintaining their wellness and recovery.

FAMILY TO FAMILY – trained family members instruct a free, 12 week education course on serious mental illness treatment and effective coping skills for family members.

PARENT TO PARENT – Trained family members instruct a free, 12 hour education course designed for direct primary caregivers of children and adolescents having behavioral/emotional difficulties or brain disorders.

PROVIDER EDUCATION – A trained team of 2 family members, 2 consumers and a professional who is also a family member provide 30 hours of training to mental health service providers to help them realize the hardships that families and consumers endure, and to appreciate their heroism in finding a way to reconstruct their lives because of mental illness.

IN OUR OWN VOICE – Presentations provide an example of recovery from severe mental illnesses in action. The consumer is trained to put a face on mental illness and change the way people living with these no–fault brain disorders are perceived in the community.

NAMI works to eliminate stigma associated with mental illness and educates by providing up–to–date information through:

* Publication of a quarterly newsletter, annual state conference, public speaking engagements, and presentations.
* Toll free helpline (800–357–0388) which provides crisis information, support, educational packets, and referrals.
* Web site: www.nami.org/affiliates
* A resource library

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group for Caregivers; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crisis Hotline; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Special Needs, Services for People with Special Needs; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Caregiver Training

Updated Oct 12, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2742

Salvation Army Donations Gathering Site

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
110 Presto Lane; Mail P.O. Box 31954, 39286, Jackson, MS 39206

Phone Office: 601–982–4881, Thrift Store: 601–948–0737, Center of Hope Shelter: 601–982–1828
Web salvationarmyalm.org/jackson
Service Temporary

3/26/09

http://www.clarionledger.com/article/20090326/NEWS/90326001

The Salvation Army is taking donations of bottled water, hygiene products and money. Donations can be brought to The Salvation Army at 110 Presto Lane in Jackson.

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Services:

Center of Hope
Social Services
Thrift Store & Pick–up of Donations

Social Services

Salvation Army social service programs meet the basic needs of daily life for those without the resources to do so themselves. Often, the programs provide food, shelter, clothing, financial assistance to pay utilities, and other necessities based on the need.

Casework and Counseling

Casework and Counseling are components of many Salvation Army programs throughout the United States. Whether it is financial planning and job placement for a young, single mother living in a Salvation Army transitional facility, health care and residential assistance for a family dealing with disease, or counseling and advocacy for a victim of spousal abuse, The Salvation Army is with those it serves every step of the way.

CENTER OF HOPE – Transitional Shelter with a Life Transforming Purpose

The purpose of the Center of Hope Program is to assist people in helping themselves to overcome through Christ the problems that have damaged their lives. The ultimate goal is to integrate the graduate of this Program back into society in about 90 days. Education, life skills, and Christianity are a major part of this approach. The Salvation Army, historically, has been a holistic ministry that helped people physically, challenged people mentally, and transformed people spiritually.

This Program will be offered to persons who are truly sincere in breaking their state of dependency. The Program will accomplish outlined goals in a series of phases and steps. If worked properly, the Center of Hope will result in the Program Participant (client) developing a positive mental attitude about themselves and others. Program Participants, in cooperation with the Program Director and Case Manager will develop goals and objectives that can be measured so that the clients and those helping them, will be able to measure and assist in their Progress.

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Center of Hope is a 90 day program that is broken down into 3 Levels on 30 day increments. Level I is called the Beginner Training Program, Phase II is called the Advanced Training Program, and Phase III is called the Leader Training Program. As clients meet their individual goals they will be recognized upon the completion of each Level. Each of these levels has the objective to provide accountability, responsibility, and discipline in the lives of the men of the Center of Hope.

BEGINNER TRAINING PROGRAM –

0–30 DAYS AT THE CENTER OF HOPE.
REGISTRATION FEE AND INTERVIEW REQUIRED
CLIENTS MUST SECURE PROPER IDENTIFICATION.
CLIENT MUST LOOK FOR PERMANENT EMPLOYMENT AND MUST PROVIDE PROOF OF DAILY ACTIVITY (BUSINESS CARDS, APPLICATIONS, OR PHONE NUMBERS TO THE PROGRAM DIRECTOR/CASE MANAGER)
REQUIRED TO ATTEND ALL CLASSES AND SERVICES AS SCHEDULED, UNLESS PERMISSION IS GRANTED BY THE PROGRAM DIRECTOR.
ADVANCED TRAINING PROGRAM–

30–60 DAYS AT THE CENTER OF HOPE.
STEADY EMPLOYMENT AND EVALUATION REQUIRED.
CLIENT MUST ESTABLISH PERSONAL GOALS WITH THE PROGRAM DIRECTOR/CASE MANAGER.
REQUIRED TO ATTEND ALL CLASSES AND SERVICES AS SCHEDULED, UNLESS PERMISSION IS GRANTED BY THE PROGRAM DIRECTOR.
LEADER TRAINING PROGRAM–

60–90 DAYS AT THE CENTER OF HOPE.
CLIENTS MUST PROGRESSIVELY BE ACCOMPLISHING THEIR PERSONAL GOALS.
REQUIRED TO ATTEND ALL CLASSES AND SERVICES AS SCHEDULED,UNLESS PERMISSION IS GRANTED BY THE PROGRAM DIRECTOR.
PROGRAM GOALS

The Salvation Army Center of Hope is a facility for those individuals that want to better their lives. Apart from the education, life skills, and Christian teaching an individual needs to develop personal goals. The program participant will work with the Program Director & Case Manager in establishing these personal goals. Some typical axamples of personal goals are listed below:

LEVEL 1

STAY CLEAN FROM ALL HARMFUL SUBSTANCES
ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN PROPER IDENTIFICATION
FIND STEADY EMPLOYMENT
PAY PROGRAM SERVICE FEES ON TIME
PARTICIPATE IN ALL PROGRAM SERVICES AND EVENTS
LEVEL 2

RESPONSIBLY DEAL WITH DEBT
ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A BANK ACCOUNT
ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A PERSONAL BUDGET
LEVEL 3

ESTABLISH RELIABLE TRANSPORTATION
LEVEL 4

ESTABLISH A PERMANENT PLACE OF RESIDENCE

Program Service Policy

Program Service fees charged by The Salvation Army to all Program Participants is a pro–rated amount toward the actual cost of the Center of Hope Program for an individual and is not the full cost of the program.

Clients will be required to pay program service fees by 8:00pm every Friday to the cashier at the front desk. The full amount of program service fees is due every Friday. If you are having financial problems, discuss them with your Case Manager during scheduled meetings.

Failure to pay Program Service Fees in full on the due date will result in the Participant being dropped from the Program. Being dropped from the Program will require the Participant to remove all personal belongings from the Center of Hope and to leave the

Center of Hope that day. It is possible to return after 30 days and after all debt is paid. (This is available ONLY to those clients removed from The Center of Hope because they could not pay the fees)

The goal of establishing program fees is to help clients understand fiscal responsibility and budget their income to allow for food, shelter, and utilities. The fees The Center of Hope charges help cover the cost of all hot meals provided, security of the shelter, and all comforts The Salvation Army provides for its clients.

THIS IS NON–REFUNDABLE. The total amount for Program Service Fees are as follows:

$75.00 per week for the first 90 days.
$81.25 per week for the second 90 days.
$87.50 per week for the third 90 days.
$93.75 per week for the fourth 90 days.

Services offered: Case Management, Mental Health; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Rehab, Rehabilitation Center; Counseling, Spiritual; Counseling, Substance Abuse ; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Bulk Distribution; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Coordination, Large Donation Coordination; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: Salvation Army
Updated Aug 31, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4202

St. Phillips Episcopal Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
5400 Old Canton Rd, Jackson, MS 39211
Phone (601) 956–5788
Service Temporary

Closed non smoking meetings
Handicap accessible
Big 12 Meetings: 8 p.m. Mon./Tues./Fri.'s
Solutions Meetings: 12 Noon Mon. – Thurs.

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings
Updated May 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3030

Stewpot Community Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

Postal Address:; 1100 W. Capitol Street, Jackson, MS 39203
Phone (601) 353–2759
Web www.stewpot.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Library Services * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Home Delivered Meals; Meals, Lunches (Hot); Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Training Classes, Computer Lab; Training Classes, GED Preparation; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Sep 17, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9354

Unitarian Universalist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
4866 No. State Street, Jackson, MS 39206
Phone (601) 982–0081
Web www.uujackson.org/activities.htm
Service Temporary

Lambda AA: Lambda AA meets at the church Monday, Wednesday and Saturday nights. If you are interested in joining this group, or would like more information about this group or other AA groups in the area, please contact the Jackson Area Intergroup Central Office at (601) 982–0081.

Lambda (Gay) OPEN Meetings: 6:30–8:00 p.m. Mon. & Wed. / Sat. 6:30–8:00 p.m.
Handicap Accessible

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings
Updated May 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3031

West Jackson CDC (JacksonYouthbuild)

Walk–in Resource · Open

1060 John R. Lynch Street, Jackson, MS 39203

Phone (601) 352-6993
Web youthbuild.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Services, Youth Services; Demographic Served: Children; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, GED Preparation; Training Classes, Life Skills, Youth; Training Classes, Vocational; Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accomodates Youth Volunteers) ; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: YouthBuild
Updated Oct 9, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2986

Golden Key Community Center (DRC – 2012 Hurricane Isaac)

Walk-in Resource · Open

3450 Albemarle Road, Jackson,, MS 39213
Phone (601) 960-2163
Service Temporary

Representatives of the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency, the Federal Emergency Management Agency and the U.S. Small Business Administration will be at the centers to explain assistance programs and help survivors apply for disaster aid.

Before going to a disaster recovery center, people with storm losses are encouraged to register with FEMA online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov or via smartphone at m.fema.gov. Applicants also may call 800-621-3362 or (TTY) 800-462-7585. If you use 711 or Video Relay Service call 800-621-3362. The toll-free telephone numbers will operate from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. seven days a week until further notice.

Federal disaster assistance can include grants for rental assistance and home repairs, low-interest loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration to cover uninsured property losses and other programs to help recover from the effects of the disaster.
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Isaac
Updated Sep 17, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9351

Southern MS Rural Health CDC

Walk-in Resource · Open

Non-Profit
P.O. Box 65, Jayess, MS 39641
Phone 601-303-1518
Hours T, W, Th 10-2
Checks payable to Southern MS Rural Health
Service Temporary

Lost e-mail and web access so please call

Our Non-Profit Organization is located at:

605 Beaulah Ave
Tylertown, MS 39667

Our Distribution Site/Delivery Site is located at:

345 New Home Church Road
Jayess, MS 39641

All intake, clients, needs accessement, and case management is located at:

605 Beaulah Ave Tylertown MS 39667.

We currently have a caseload of 250 families registered.

Please send mail to:

Southern MS Rural Health CDC
PO Box 65
Jayess MS 39641

We are in need of additional perishable and non-pershable items. Also, there is a demand for shingles, lumber, building material, appliances, furniture, mattresses, bedding (sheets, comforters, pillows,) flooring, paint, windows, doors, storm doors, Food, Pampers, Toddler Clothing, Appliances, Coats, Jackets, Heaters are very urgently needed at this

time as well as volunteers to come in and help with rebuilding and repairs.

A local person has agreed to allow us to utilize his loading dock. So please make direct contact prior to any deliveries to coordinate unloading.

We serve 6 counties of MS and this rural area has been severely overlooked.

In order for us to move forward to assist the community with rebuilding and home repairs, we are in urgent need of a long term Construction Manager volunteer. We have six volunteers ready to go to work.

Thank you for any generousity you can extend!

Services offered: Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types)

Updated Jan 11, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/728

Hancock County Volunteer Resource Center/Coordination

Walk–in Resource · Open

County
5390 Kiln Delisle Rd., Kiln, MS 39556
Phone (228) 466–8330
Service Temporary

FROM THE WEBSITE:

To request volunteer services, please contact the Volunteer Reception Center at (228) 466–8330

The Hancock County Emergency Operations Center was activated full force as a result of Hurricane Katrina. The EOC has now become a common name amongst the locals due to our huge roll in the response and recovery of Hancock County?s Hurricane Katrina.The Emergency Operations Center has been working, even prior to Katrina?s land fall doing everything humanly possible to see to the citizen?s of Hancock County safety and current well being.

The EOC?s responsibilities are enormous; they entail everything from coordinating Emergency Responders all the way to coordinating Volunteer and Donation efforts.The EOC staffing was expanded to include Local, State, numerous other states, and Federal, specialist. To whom we are forever indebted. These personnel working in the EOC never stop, no holidays, no set work times,7 days a week, trying to drive the recovery and rebuild efforts to the best of their ability.

We have learned a great deal from this experience and this will ultimately make us better. The EOC will continue this effort for as long as needed, and be placed back on standby for any additional emergencies in the future.

Update: 8/25/06 Karen is no longer Volunteering in Hancock County but to her knowledge is still open.

Old Record:
Karen wrote to us to tell us of the move.

The Volunteer Resource Center has moved to the EOC headquarters. Previously it was located at the Kiln public library.

Main Phone: 228–466–8200
Management Contact: 228/466–8250, 228–466–8233
Management Phone: 228–466–8227

Website:
www.hancockcountyeoc.blogspot.com/
www.Hancockeoc.com

Hancock County is sponsoring a Christmas Festival on December 17th

Christmas in the Kiln

Saturday, December 17, 2005
11AM to 3PM

At the Hancock County Fair Grounds
Kiln–DeLisle Rd.

Santa and his helpers will be there.
Live music.

Visit Christmas Village
There will be booths with gifts for children ages 0 to 14.
(While Supplies Last.)

Residents of Hancock County only please.

No Alcoholic Beverages Allowed or Provided

Services offered: Cleanup, Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); Events, Community Meetings; Management, Volunteer Coordinator & Management, Volunteer; Management, Volunteer Placement; Office, Administrative, Volunteer; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Volunteer Training; Transportation, Transportation Assistance, Volunteer; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Dec 3, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/445

Kiln Public Library

Walk–in Resource · Open

City Run
17065 Hwy 603, Kiln, MS 39556
Phone 228–255–1724
Hours 8–5 M–F, 8–4 Sat, closed Sun

FROM THE HANCOCK COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM WEBSITE:

List of Needs

We are contacted almost daily by people, communities, and organizations who desire to help the Hancock County Library System here in ground zero for Hurricane Katrina. They always ask, "What do you need?" So we have compiled a list of needs. Everything from Kleenex to copy machine toner is included in this list.

If you find something you wish to donate, please contact Mary Perkins, Public Affairs/Development Officer at 228.467.6836. Cash donations are accepted through The Library Foundation of Hancock County. To learn more about this click here. We accept VISA and MasterCard. All gifts, whether physical items or cash, are most deeply appreciated.

And please do not think us ungrateful, but at this time, we cannot accept gifts of books. With two branches destroyed and two branches with heavy water damage, we have no storage facility for books.

The Volunteer Resource Center/Coordination Services has moved to the Hancock County EOC.

In the early days of the aftermatch Sandra Ladner, who runs the library, dedicded that since the building stood after the storm that it would be a good thing to use the location for coordinating volunteers. She started the VRC. People could call in and request and request volunteers. Volunteers can still go there and get assignments, but it's requested that volunteers register with Karen Perry at the Hancock County EOC.

The library is now a library again...

The library hours are:

M–Th: 8–6
F–Su: 8–5

Services offered: Library Services * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Sep 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/41

WIN Job Centers, Kosciusko

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
115 Northside Shopping Center, Kosciusko, MS

Phone 662–289–2621
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1923

Lakeshore Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
6028 Lakeshore Rd. Lakshore, MS 39558, Lakshore, MS 39558

Phone 228 469–0110
Contact Lakeshore Baptist Church
Web www.rebuildlakeshore.com
Hours 9 a.m.– 3 p.m. Wed. – Sat.
Serves Hancock
Eligibility Resident of Hancock County
Bring Picture ID
Service Permanent

Residents can pick up food every week

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2744

First United Methodist Church of Long Beach

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
208 Pine St, Long Beach, MS 39560

Phone (228) 863 – 9619
Web www.fumclb.org
Hours As needed
Checks payable to First United Methodist Church of Long Beach

FROM THE WEBSITE/NOTE FROM THE RELIEF COORDINATOR:

January 2007 has been a quiet month for volunteer teams staying here at the church, but that doesn't mean work is not getting done. We have been working with other organizations to schedule teams to work on our project list. Just one example, an Amish team from Indiana contacted us and we were able to use them to do some construction for one of our church members. Our next team, Sugarcreek UMC from Chatham, IL is scheduled to com in on February 25th.

I also would like to let you know that I have accepted a position with the Annual Conference as Recovery Coordinator for the Easter region (Jackson & George Counties) effective immediately and while my primary duties will be there, I will still be coordinating and scheduling the teams coming to work here in Long Beach. It has been a true blessing to serve God and you in this position.

If you need assistance recovering from storm related damage, please call me at (228) 343–7490 (cell) or email me at bmclarry@aol.com

Thank you for your continued prayers and support.

In His Service,

Larry Davis

DONATIONS:

We appreciate any and all support, no matter how big or small. If you wish to volunteer your services, please feel free to contact Mr. Larry Davis, our Relief Coordinator through our church office at (228) 863–9619, or by submitting the form on the website.

Financial contributions can be mailed to:

First United Methodist Church of Long Beach
P.O. Box 375
Long Beach, MS 39560

Thank You!

Rebuilding. Sending out 1–2 work teams/week.

Services offered: Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Jul 18, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/355

Long Beach Public Library

Walk–in Resource · Open

City Run
209 Jeff Davis Avenue, Long Beach, MS 39560

Phone	(228) 863–0711 Fax: (228) 863–8511
Web	www.longbeach.lib.ms.us
Hours	Mon.–Sat. 9–5 Closed on Sunday
Checks payable to	Friends of the Long Beach Public Library

Per email from the Reference Librarian at the Long Beach Public Library 8/2/07:

"We have been in a FEMA trailer for the past two years, but we are moving back home in September. We are over run with books, but we still have specific needs for certain genres (large print, sci fi, biographies). I am sure we can use office supplies as well."

IF YOU'D LIKE TO MAKE A DONATION:

Checks can be mailed to the following address:

Friends of the Long Beach Public Library
C/O Peter Psikogios
120 Shady Grove, Long Beach, MS 39560

FROM THE WEBSITE:

On August 29, 2005, Category 4 Hurricane Katrina made landfall along the Central Gulf Coast near Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, but the devastation she caused would span three states and cost over $200 billion. Every city along the Gulf Coast of Mississippi would be affected by this storm. Most people would compare what they saw, or what they no longer saw to a "war zone".

In Long Beach, where the majority of all businesses were located south of the railroad tracks that run through the neighboring towns, the tracks acted as a barrier to the wind and water, but they could not protect the majority of the homes and businesses closest to the beach. The Long Beach Public Library was just one of the many of these businesses who took a beating from the wrath of Katrina. When the south wall caved in from the pressure of the winds and water, the building received 3 1/2 feet of the Gulf's water throughout the first floor of the main wing and adjoining children's wing. Damage to the roof on the second floor of the main wing was fortunately slight as well as the only damage done to the second floor, and so the reference and non–fiction collection remained salvagable. But downstairs, aside from the tops shelves of the fiction section and some of the top shelves in the children's wing, all was lost.

In late December, a librarian by the name of Cynthia Terwiliger from Polk County Library, North Carolina arrived with over 1000 books for the Long Beach Public Library. This campaign, orginally an idea of Long Beach evacuee, Jean Sneed, and the town librarian of Polk County, was designed to remake history ("The Long Beach Public Library traces it beginning to 1895 when a library was named for Mrs. Garland Ferguson, who donated 250 books to help start it."), preceeded all expectations and was a huge success for the library and its community. It was also the start of an out pouring of support from coast to coast in order to help the Long Beach Public Library.

Although we are a long way from being where we were days before Hurricane Katrina, the Polk County Library and Lanier Library System of North Carolina placed a book plate in most of the books that they donated that reminds us that it will all be all right, because...

"IT IS NEVER TOO LATE TO BEGIN RIGHT WHERE YOU ARE."

Services offered: Books * (ANY/ALL Types); Books, Audiobooks (CD's); Library Services * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Library Services, Book Lending; Library Services, Pre-School Storytime; Library Services, Reading Program; Services, Tech, Internet Access
Updated Aug 9, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1623

Long Beach Public Library

Walk-in Resource

City Run
209 Jeff Davis Avenue, Long Beach, MS 39560
Phone 228-863-0711
Web www.longbeach.lib.ms.us

Puppet Contact: My name is Shannon Schmidtling and I am the reference librarian.

They got 12 stages and have distributed them all to damaged libraries on the gulf coast. Great job, Shannon!
Updated Oct 17, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1711

North Long Beach Baptist Church

Walk-in Resource · Open

Faith-Based Food Pantry
7061 Beatline Rd. Long Beach, MS 39560, Long Beach, MS 39560
Phone 228-864-1258
Contact None provided
Hours 8:30 am – 1 p.m.

Description of Services:

Small food pantry, voucher system for hot lunch at family grocery – $2.50 max per person, $5 Gas max

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Meals, Lunches (Hot); Vouchers, Food Vouchers; Vouchers, Gas Vouchers
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1975

POLICE AND FIRE DEPT.

Walk-in Resource · Open

City Run
202 Alexander Rd, Long Beach, MS 39560
Phone 228.863.7292

Services offered: First Responder, Gulf Region
Updated Apr 20, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/123

WIN Job Center, Louisville

Walk-in Resource · Open

Governmental
600-B North Court Avenue, Louisville, MS
Phone 662-773-5051
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1924

UNITED Hearts Community Action Agency, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit – Charity
52 Virginia Street; Post Office Box 1592, Lucedale, MS 39452

Phone	601–508–4313
Hours	As needed 7 days/week
Checks payable to	UNITED Hearts Community Action Agency, Inc.
Service	Temporary

PARTNERS INCLUDE:

DISASTER RECOVERY SERVICES OF GEORGE COUNTY
HABITAT FOR HUMANITY, GEORGE COUNTY BRANCH
SALVATION ARMY, GEORGE COUNTY BRANCH
RED CROSS, GEORGE COUNTY BRANCH
MS GULF COMMUNITY COLLEGE, GEORGE CO. BRANCH, LUCEDALE, MS
BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB, LUCEDALE, MS
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, LUCEDALE, MS
CITY HALL, LUCEDALE, MS
UMCOR, GEORGE COUNTY BRANCH
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, LUCEDALE, MS
VOLUNTEER OF AMERICA, SOUTHEAST, ALA.
MS CENTER FOR NONPROFITS
BILOXI DIOCESE
CAN
IDTF
WORLD VISION, PICAYUNE, MS
BOARD OF SUPERVISOR'S, GEORGE COUNTY
WAYNE LEE'S, LUCEDALE, MS
WAL–MARTS, LUCEDALE AND WIGGINS, MS
PIZZA HUT, LUCEDALE, MS
SUBWAY #1 AND #2, LUCEDALE, MS
HARDEE'S, LUCEDALE, MS
PIZZA HUT, LUCEDALE, MS
BURGER KING, LUCEDALE, MS
SAV A LOT, LUCEDALE, MS
GEORGE COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM, LUCEDALE, MS
MISS PRESS, LUCEDALE, MS
WRBE RADIO STATION, LUCEDALE, MS
BENNDALE HEADSTART CENTER, LUCEDALE, MS
BENNDALE SUPERSTORE, LUCEDALE, MS
BENNDALE HARDWARE, LUCEDALE, MS
LARRY'S SHOP–RITE, LUCEDALE, MS
WILLIAMS TIRE AND GROCERY, LUCEDALE, MS
BENNDALE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT, LUCEDALE, MS
BAY AREA FOOD BANK, THEODORE, ALA.
12 BASKETS, GULFPORT, MS
BAY AREA WOMEN COALITION, TRINITY GARDEN, ALA.
PEOPLE UNITED COMMUNITY COALITION, ATMORE, ALA.
ALL CHURCHES OF GEORGE, GREENE, STONE, JACKSON, WAYNE, PERRY,HANCOCK, HARRISON AND MOBILE COUNTIES.
ALL OTHER FANTASTIC PEOPLE INCLUDING:
ACTIVE VOLUNTEERS AND BOARD MEMBER

DELIVERY UPDATE: CAT sent, this spring:
– computers, printers, peripherals, zip disks and misc tech and servers
– phone systems
– cleaning supplies

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MISSION:

Formerly known as Immaculate Heart Community Outreach, Inc. we were founded in 1996, and again in 2003, as a faith and community based, nonprofit nondenominational organization creating a change in our communities.

Our mission is to build Affordable housing and build an emergency shelter and serve other needs to enhance our food pantry that has been in operation since 2004 successfully serving 8 counties. Since Katrina we have partnered with Disaster Recovery Services of George County, with our second food pantry in location, and 3 others opening soon in other counties.

We are case managing in the rebuilding of lives remodeling damaged homes and also placing families into new ones. Distributing appliances and supplies to our elderly, very low income and disabled families in all areas.

We have a literacy program that is helping adults and children in the privacy of their own homes. We assist in marriage counseling. We assist in job training and referrals to anyone willing to learn how to survive and grow on their own. Our trained volunteers teach, tutor, provide drug counseling and sponsor credit repair workshops.

We are looking forward to meeting the needs of the families you send to us.

FOOD PANTRY COMMITTEE:
Dorothy Littlefield
601–945–2611
Linda Eckford
601–402–1690

FURNITURE AND APPLIANCES
Kelly Pipkins
601–766–5087

LITERACY PROGRAM
John D. Clark Sr.
601–212–5684

HOME programs
Sherrie Anderson
228–588–6107

USED COMPUTER DONATIONS
Vince Welford
601–770–0493
Justin Cochran
601–947–4479

BENEVOLENCE
Ernestine Blair
601–945–5363

GRANT WRITER / COUNSULTANT AGENT / TUTORIAL
Rev Calvin Johnson
601–848–7680

CHAPLAIN
Rev Cletus Joyner
601–945–5382

Services offered: Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Communications, Telephone Systems, Business, 10–20 Extensions; Communications, Telephone Systems, Business, 5–10 Extensions; Computer, Desktop; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Dry, * Dry Food Goods (ANY/ALL Types) ; Housing, Mobile Homes
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Jan 11, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1108

Cumberland First Baptist Church (2011 Spring MS Tornadoes) – (FEEDING)

Walk–in Resource · Open

918 Old Cumberland Road, Maben, MS 39750
Phone (662) 456–4440

Serves Webster County, MS
Eligibility Impacted by the 4/11 MS Tornadoes
Service Temporary

Contact Name: Ann Stone

Emergency Needs

Friday, May 13, 2011 @ 9:52 AM (CDT)

Per a phone call with Ann Stone, Cumberland First Baptist Church is still providing 3 meals a day for 30–50 people after the April 27th tornado that touched down in Webster County, MS. They need the following immediately:

* Canned drinks
* Gatorade

These items can be brought directly to Cumberland Baptist Church in Maben, MS or Nettleton First Baptist Church in Nettleton, MS.

Address 918 Old Cumberland Road, Maben, MS, 39750
Telephone (662) 456–4440

Services offered: Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2011 Mississippi Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 14, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8307

WIN Job Center, Macon

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
16129 Highway 45, Macon, MS
Phone 662–328–6876
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1925

MS Department of Rehabilitation Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

1281 Highway 51, Madison, MS 39215
Phone 1–800–443–1000
Web www.mdrs.state.ms
Hours call for hours
Serves All Counties
Eligibility Meet physical or mental disability assesment guidelines
Service Permanent

Please refer to website for addresses of other offices or call.

Services offered: Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Rehab, Rehabilitation Center; Facility: Veterans Benefits/Facility/Services; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Grants, Education; Information Resource, ADA & Useful Info for Disabled Folks; Information Resource, County Resources, Contacts & Services (County Level); Interpretors, American Sign Language; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Devices * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Services, Assessment, Medical Needs Assessment; Medical, Services, Rehabilitation Program; Pamphlets, Educational Pamphlets; Services, Disabled, Handicapped Ramp Build/Repair; Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services); Services, Educational Services (See also Category for School); Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Services, Special Needs, Services for People with Special Needs; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Medical, Education, Special Needs, Coping w/Special Needs
Updated May 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2997

Magee Central Fire Station (Salvation Army Canteen Site)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
301 Main Avenue North; (at 2nd St.), Magee, MS 39111

Phone (601) 849–5507
Serves Magee, Simpson County, MS
Eligibility Impacted by the 3/26/09 Tornado
Service Temporary

Help groups are distributing hundreds of lunches and setting up relief canteens in and near Magee in Simpson County, the scene of massive tornado devastation early today.

With fresh flash–flood warnings looming, the Salvation Army served about 350 meals to area needy.

The agency reported its Jackson emergency canteen is stationed at the Magee central Fire Station at Main and 2nd streets and its Laurel canteen and two additional mobile units are set up and serving residents in areas of Mississippi 28 West — hardest hit by the EF–3 twister officials suspect ransacked Magee around 1 a.m.

“We have food on its way from Jackson to feed tonight and tomorrow if necessary," SA Major John Showers says. “We are waiting on the status of power returning to the area to make further decisions.”

The Salvation Army is taking donations of bottled water, hygiene products and money. Donations can be brought to The Salvation Army at 110 Presto Lane
in Jackson.

Services offered: Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Mobile Meals, Disaster Survivors (Available To)
Campaigns: 2009 Tornadoes; Salvation Army
Updated Mar 26, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4195

S.A.M.'s Community Center (Seniors)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit, Faith–Based, Community Services
201–203 Main St., McComb, MS 39648

Phone 601–684–4678
Web www.standrewsmission.org/senior.htm
Hours 9:00am–3:00pm
Serves Pike County
Eligibility Age 55+
Service Temporary

The S.A.M.'s Community Center is the focal point in the community where older person meet, pursue mutual interests, receive services and take part in activities that enhance dignity, support independence and encourage continued involvement in and with the community. A broad spectrum of services are provided including health, social and educational services as well as a facility for recreational activities. We are located on the corner of Main and Front Streets in downtown McComb.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Events, Community Meetings; Facilities: Recreational Facilities for Seniors/Elders; Facilities: Senior Center; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Insurance Counseling (Seniors/Elders) ; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Computers Skills; Training, Services, Driver Safety Program; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Oct 5, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3018

St. Andrew's Mission, Inc. (United Methodist)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit, Faith–Based Disaster Relief/Recovery, Food Pantry, Community Services
615 Bendat St., McComb, MS 39648

Phone 601–684–4678
Web www.standrewsmission.org/index.htm
Service Temporary

Provides UMCOR Case Management

Affiliated with the Southwest MS Recovery Network (LTRC)

See: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/637

See: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9275 for medical clinic record.

Services offered: Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, UMCOR ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; UMCOR Relief Network
Updated Aug 31, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1877

First Christian Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based
4336 Magnolia St, Moss Point, MS
Phone (228) 474–1834
Hours 8–5

Need to get main number. Terra has the private numbers.

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Jul 18, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/332

Jackson County Civic Action Committee

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Services
5343 Jefferson Ave; East Jackson County Service Complex, Moss Point, MS
Phone (228) 769–3292
Web www.jccivicaction.org/main.htm
Service Temporary

General Email Address: info@jccivicaction.org

For additional information on Current Job Openings, Please Contact:

Selina Breland
Human Resources Coordinator
Jackson County Civic Action Committee
P.O. Box 8723
Moss Point, Mississippi 39564
Phone: 228–769–3292, Ext. 128
Fax: 228–769–3264
EMail: sbreland@jccivicaction.org

Services offered: Facilities: Senior Center; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Jobs, Paying; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs
Updated May 26, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/62

Police Department, Moss Point, Explorer Program

Walk–in Resource · Open

City Run
Moss Point, MS
Phone 228–233–6251, Kim Stevens, Explorer Program

THE MOSS POLICE DEPARTMENT EXPLORER PROGRAM IS LOOKING FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES TO DISTRIBUTE TO NEEDY FAMILIES THE FIRST WEEK IN AUGUST. IF YOU HAVE ANY ITEMS LEFT OVER WE WOULD BE HAPPY TO DISTRIBUTE THEM. THATNK YOU. KIM STEVENS 228–233–6251
Updated Jul 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1587

Restoration And Revival Center (Sponsors An Outreach of Love)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
3430 Macphelah Rd., Moss Point, MS 39563
Phone 228–475–0811
Hours Tues. & Thurs. 10– 2
Checks payable to Katrina's Angels (In memo note 'An Outreach of Love')

FOR DELIVERIES:
CALL IN ADVANCE so we can obtain a pallet jack &/or Forklift for that day...
A crew of volunteers can be available within 15 minutes THANK–YOU!!

1/18/07
Working to get sports equipment, especially water related, as they prepare for summer.

Also, seeking bottled water

Restoration Revival Center in Moss Point, MS, which is a
church and gymnasium.

Ms. Barbara Nelson is part of An Outreach of Love, formed
to aid the community in the deep south of MS where Hurricane
Katrina has devastated homes and lives. An Outreach of Love

has partnered with Katrina's Angels to provide the MS residents of Moss Point, Escatawba, Ocean Springs and Gulfport with supplies, support, and a hand up (and the Restoration Revival Center is sponsoring An Outreach of Love in their community outreach).

Restoration Revival Center has the facilities, cooking area, and storage area and volunteers to help.

Katrina's Angels is a 501(c)3 registered non–profit and can issue tax–deductible receipts for all donations.

Services offered: Books * (ANY/ALL Types); Books, Children's * (ANY/ALL Types); Books, Children's Books, Big Books, Pre–K; Books, Children's Books, School Library; Books, Children's, Reading, Non–Fiction – PK–8; Books, Fiction (see also: "Reading Books, Fiction"); Books, Literature; Books, Reading Books, Fiction (see also, "Books, Fiction"); Books, Reading Books, Non–Fiction (see also: "Books, Non–Fiction"); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies

Updated Jun 18, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/803

Catholic Charities Long Term Recovery Office, Natchez, MS

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief

Natchez, MS 39120

Phone 601–960–8940
Web www.catholiccharitiesjackson.org/hurricanerelief/natchez.html
Hours see notes
Service Temporary

Catholic Charities Natchez: Long–Term Recovery

Natchez Long–Term Recovery Natchez office offers a variety of services to hurricane victims, including:

Long Term Recovery Office provides the following services:

Case management and financial assistance: Our case manager is on duty from 8:30AM – 5 PM, and accepts appointments for general assistance to evacuees and families in Adams County and Concordia Parish, Louisiana who are hosting displaced families in their homes. Financial assistance includes rent, utilities, furniture, medical prescriptions, and transportation. NOTE: Financial assistance is very limited and based on individual needs after all other resources are exhausted. We are setting up appointments by phone at 601–960–8940. We are not giving out the address to discourage walk–ins, allowing us to give more personal, individualized assistance.

Mental health services: These services are offered to those experiencing severe emotional or mental difficulties due to the trauma of the storms and/or subsequent displacements.

Contact:

Martha Mitternight ? Director
Phone: 601–442–4579
Fax: 601–442–4588

Survivors Outlet Mall Warehouse is a joint effort of Catholic Charities, the United Way, the Salvation Army and several churches in town. It is open 3 – 6 PM Monday through Friday. Goods available include:

Non–perishable food items
Clothing
Household supplies
Health and hygeine supplies

Contact:

Martha Mitternight ? Director
Phone: 601–442–4579
Fax: 601–442–4588

Long–Term Recovery Office: Resources

Catholic Charities is a member of Mississippi Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (MSVOAD). This coalition is the counterpart for the state of Mississippi to National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster. The coalition's goal is to foster more effective service to people who have been, or may be in the future, affected by disaster through communication, coordination, cooperation, collaboration, convening mechanisms and outreach. Members of MSVOAD include:

American Red Cross
Bay Area Food Bank
Catholic Charities
Church of the Nazarene
Christian Reformed World Relief Committee (CRWRC)
Church World Service
FEMA – 1–800–621–3362 or 1–800–525–0321
FEMA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) points of contact:
Jackson area: Gene Slusher, 601–965–2664
Biloxi area: Charles Craig, 228–523–8738
FEMA Operation Hope [see poster in PDF format about Katrina and Rita services]
Katrina Aid Today –– a consortium of 10 social service and voluntary organizations, led by UMCOR, dedicated to helping survivors navigate the system to recover from this tragic disruption of their lives.
National Relief Network (NRN)
Presbyterian Disaster Assistance
Salvation Army
Volunteers of America

Services offered: Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Mental Health Services
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Catholic Charities; CWS ~ Church World Service; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Salvation Army; UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response
Updated May 27, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/592

Parkway Baptist Church (DRC – 2012 Hurricane Isaac)

Walk–in Resource · Open

117 Sgt. Prentiss Dr., Natchez, MS 39120

Phone (601) 442–7434 | Emergency Number: (601) 392–0036
Web parkwaybaptistchurch.com
Service Temporary

MEDIA COVERAGE –

Sept. 16, 2012:
http://www.natchezdemocrat.com/2012/09/16/mema–opens–disaster–center–at–parkway–baptist–church/

FACEBOOK –
https://www.facebook.com/parkwaybaptist

Representatives of the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency, the Federal Emergency Management Agency and the U.S. Small Business Administration will be at the centers to explain assistance programs and help survivors apply for disaster aid.

Before going to a disaster recovery center, people with storm losses are encouraged to register with FEMA online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov or via smartphone at m.fema.gov. Applicants also may call 800–621–3362 or (TTY) 800–462–7585. If you use 711 or Video Relay Service call 800–621–3362. The toll–free telephone numbers will operate from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. seven days a week until further notice.

Federal disaster assistance can include grants for rental assistance and home repairs, low–interest loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration to cover uninsured property losses and other programs to help recover from the effects of the disaster.

Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Isaac
Updated Sep 17, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9350

Red Cross (Adams County)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Relief
211 N. Union Street, Natchez, MS 39120
Phone 601–442–3656
Web www.adamscountyredcross.org

Adams County Chapter of the American Red Cross
211 N. Union Street
Natchez, MS 39120–3366

Or call, email, or fax us at:

Phone: 601–442–3656
Fax: 601–442–3657
Email: redcross–adamsco@cableone.net

Schedule at: http://www.adamscountyredcross.org/classes.php

To enroll in classes, contact the Adams County Chapter at:
(601)442–3656 by 4:00PM the day before the class.

If you need to schedule a special class for your group,
business or organization please call.

We also offer courses in Baby Sitting, Life Guard, Wilderness
First Aid and many others.

* Can be self study
** Limited class size (12 maximum) available at no cost to
Disaster Volunteers that have completed at least 3 basic
disaster courses.

Services offered: Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First–Aid Certification
Updated Jul 18, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4

WIN Job Center, New Albany

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
301 North Street, New Albany, MS
Phone 662–534–1933
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1926

Gulf Coast Autism Support Network

Walk–in Resource · Open

Ocean Springs Hospital Library, Ocean Springs, MS
Hours 2nd Monday, 6:30 –8:30 pm
Service Temporary

Gulf Coast Autism Support Network
Patty Gautier
5908 Tolar Road
Moss Point, MS 39562
(228) 588–3016
Email: pattygautier@yahoo.com

A support group for family and friends of individuals with autism. Meets the second Monday of each month at the Ocean Springs Hospital Library from 6:30–8:30 p.m.

Services offered: Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services)

Updated Dec 16, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1962

Gulf Coast Family Counseling Agency

Walk–in Resource

Mental Health Services

509 Jackson Avenue Ocean Springs, MS 39566, Ocean Springs, MS 39566

Phone 228–875–6113
Contact Gulf Coast Family Counseling Agency
Hours Has evening hours
Serves Gulf Coast

Individual and family counseling
Fee: Sliding Scale

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Mental Health, Sliding Scale

Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2004

Lord Is My Help

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry

1205 Desoto Street Ocean Springs, MS 39564, Ocean Springs, MS 39564

Phone 228–872–2331
Contact Lord Is My Help

Lord Is My Help Receives Grant

LORD IS MY HELP RECEIVES $35,000 GRANT FROM UNITED WAY

OCEAN SPRINGS, MS—The Lord Is My Help, a non–profit organization specializing in providing meals to those in need, has been awarded a $35,000 grant from the United Way. This money will pay for 16, 000 additional meals.

Sonia Cowart, the Centers Private Sector Involvement Coordinator, said Ocean Springs Mayor Connie Moran first notified her of the Phase 25 Emergency Food and Shelter Program funded by the United Way. We would never have found that money on our own. I'm so thankful that Mayor Moran thought of us when she learned of it, said Cowart.

The Lord Is My Help provides 55,000 meals a year to needy residents. They are open every day for lunch for anyone who has no money for a meal elsewhere. Most meals, however, do not stay on the property. Instead, they are delivered to people who cannot leave their homes because of age or illness.

Until now the Center has relied largely on private donations. They get $1,500 yearly from Jackson County and some USDA federal surplus food, but the vast majority of funding comes straight from the citizens of Ocean Springs.

Cowart hopes the grant will be awarded annually, enabling the service to expand and provide even more meals to needy residents.

Mayor Moran says she was more than happy to help. The Lord Is My Help provides a vital service that reflects well on our community commitment to help those in need. My hat goes off to the many volunteers that make thatorganization so effective. I am delighted they were awarded this significant grant from United Way.

For more information, please call Sonia Cowart at (228) 872–1801.

http://www.oceansprings–ms.gov/cms – City of Ocean Springs, Mississippi Powered by Mambo Generated: 2 January, 2008, 21:29

Provides Utility Assistance referrals; Meals on Wheels;
Food Pantry and other services to help the needy

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Home Delivered Meals; Meals, Lunches, Misc.
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Meals on Wheels; United Way
Updated Feb 18, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2082

WIN Job Center, Oxford

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
2130 West Jackson Avenue, Oxford, MS
Phone 662–234–3231
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

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For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1927

Eastlawn United Methodist

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based
2502 Ingalls Ave, Pascagoula, MS 39567
Phone (228) 762–2364
Hours Lunch & Supper
Service Temporary

Need to get main number to publish on the web. Terra has private numbers.

Closes 11/18, 11/19.

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Lunches (Hot); Meals, Mobile Meals
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Nov 29, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/327

First United Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
2710 Pascagoula St., Pascagoula, MS 39567
Phone 228–327–3987

Needs List:

Puppet Stage

Our Facility we completely flooded by Hurricane Katrina and lost all children's ministry resources. We are rebuilding at this time and
trying to put resources together for our children's ministies which
include Sunday School, Pre–School and a Wed night Pioneer Club Program.

Thank you,

Gail Thomas
Children's Ministry Coordinator
gailnet@bellsouth.net
228–327–3987
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Aug 23, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1645

IAM Cares (Center for Administering Rehabilitation and Employment Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Employment Assistance
2129 Canty Street Pascagoula, MS 39567, Pascagoula, MS 39567

Phone 800–449–7833 Fax: 228–762–8642
Contact IAM Cares (Center for Administering Rehabilitation and Employment Center)
Web www.dol.gov/21cw/2004–accomplishments.htm
Serves Serves all coastal counties

From the U.S. Dept. of Labor website:

IAM CARES, Inc. Center for Administering Rehabilitation and Employment Center – This center in Pascagoula, Mississippi enables women veterans in Southern Mississippi to receive training in non–traditional occupations in the ship building industry. IAM CARES is a private non–profit affiliate of the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers. The Veterans' Employment and Training Service (VETS) provides funding for this unique training opportunity under the Veterans' Workforce Investment Program. The program has successfully operated for the past two years with an 89 percent placement rate of women veterans.

From the RC Resource List:

Serves all coastal counties with employment assistance including worker trait analysis, self– directed job search, customized on the job training, placement assistance, and job development.

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Training, Services, Employment / JobTraining
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2058

Jackson County Fairgrounds (DRC – 2012 Hurricane Isaac)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Recovery Center (FEMA)
The center is located behind the Jackson County Fairgrounds at:; 4761 Vega St.; Pascagoula, MS 39567, Pascagoula, MS
Service Temporary

September 3, 2012 –

Center hours are 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. every day until further notice.

The center is located behind the Jackson County Fairgrounds at:
4761 Vega St.
Pascagoula, MS 39567

Representatives of the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency, the Federal Emergency Management Agency and the U.S. Small Business Administration will be at the centers to explain assistance programs and help survivors apply for disaster aid.

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Federal disaster assistance can include grants for rental assistance and home repairs, low–interest loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration to cover uninsured property losses and other programs to help recover from the effects of the disaster.
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Isaac
Updated Sep 17, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9311

Salvation Army

Walk–in Resource · Open

3217 Nathan Hale Ave.; P.O. Box 630, Pascagoula, MS 39581
Phone (228) 762–7222
Service Temporary

http://www.wlox.com/Global/story.asp?S=11768919

Jackson County Salvation Army braces for cold
Posted: Jan 04, 2010 10:49 PM PST
Updated: Jan 05, 2010 1:14 PM PST

PASCAGOULA, MS (WLOX) – Most nights, people must sign up for a Salvation Army program to seek refuge in their shelter on Nathan Hale Avenue in Pascagoula. But Monday night was a "freeze night," meaning the shelter is open to anyone who needs a warm refuge from the cold weather.

Shelter Director Kathleen Schubert said the facility is prepared to take in a large number of people as this frigid week continues.

"We basically open our shelter to the community whenever the weather is inclement, freezing or below," Schubert said.

"If it wasn't for this place, I' don't know where I'd be right now," said Jay Gappa, who's staying at the shelter.

"Salvation Army gave me a place to stay on the cold nights and stuff and helped me out," said Doreen Colman, who is also staying there.

Frigid temperatures brought Roger Perry to the shelter. A plumber down on his luck, Perry feared this week's wintry forecast.

"I mean it's cold out there, you know," Perry said. "You can't survive in the cold if you don't have any money to even get a hotel room or anything like that. You know, you can die out there."

Colman recently found herself in a similar conundrum.

"There's so many people like me that are stuck outside and who don't have family or anyone to help them out, and a place like this is great it really helps me out," Colman said.

Shelter officials say they hope more and more of the homeless will knock on their doors as the temperatures continue to drop.

"We estimate the rest of the week to be inclement weather as well, down around 30 degrees," Schubert said. "So we'll be opening up the shelter. They come in, we have coffee, they have a warm bed. They come in out of the freezing temperatures... Just being out in it all day is tremendous. Just imagine sleeping in it."

"I've been here a couple of nights and there have been more people every night coming in probably," said Schubert.

Jackson County emergency officials are keeping a close eye on the weather. Civil Defense Director Donald Langham said the county may open a shelter of their own if the need arises.

Services offered: Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter, Winter Shelter; Shelter, Homeless Shelter
Updated Jan 5, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4839

Lela Weems

Walk–in Resource

Mental Health Professional
Pass Christian, MS, Pass Christian, MS
Phone 228–697–6746
Contact Lela Weems

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Mental Health Services
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2008

Persevere Disaster Relief Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Non–Profit, Volunteer Coordination, Disaster Recovery
211 St. Paul Ave., Pass Christian, MS 39571

Phone	228.533.2116
Web	www.perseverevolunteers.org
Hours	M–F 9–5
Checks payable to	Persevere Disaster Relief, Inc.
Service	Temporary

LTel 12/1/08 FROM THE WEBSITE:

Persevere is not currently not in any disaster areas. If you are intersted in volunteer opportunities please visit our friends at www.hodr.org

If you have any questions please contact us at: info@perseverevolunteers.org

Persevere is a 501(c)3 which organizes jobs for volunteers and provides the tools and skilled leadership to complete them. We do not house or feed volunteers but work with nearby organizations to do so. We have a work order system and will complete any job we have the tools and know–how to do. Persevere serves residents of any economic background, churches and other non–profit businesses. We focus our efforts in Pass Christian, Bay St. Louis, Waveland and East Biloxi, but will help out anywhere along the Gulf Coast. We also run a small tool bank available to volunteers and local residents
rebuilding.

Persevere Disaster Relief is a Massachusetts based nonprofit organization committed to assisting communities in the wake of extensive disaster. Through implementing various initiatives and projects that address changing and unmet needs, Persevere aims to both restore a sense of normalcy and improve the quality of life in the areas it serves. Those affected by disaster are faced with a seemingly insurmountable and overwhelming task of picking up the pieces and rebuilding. The focus of Persevere is

to provide small solutions for each community member it comes into contact with, and in turn, give them hope for the future and a foundation to help them persevere.

Persevere has responded to three disasters since its inception in February 2006. While continuing our long term Katrina recovery project in Mississippi volunteers from Persevere assisted the communities of Lady Lake, Florida and Enterprise, Alabama clean–up after devastating tornados ripped through their cities. Both tornado response projects were short term but produced big results for the survivors we helped.

If you are interested in partnering with Persevere Disaster Relief, please contact: info@perseverevolunteers.org for more information.

Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2007 Georgia/Alabama Tornado; 2007 Greensburg Kansas Tornado

Updated Dec 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/496

Salvation Army – Disaster Recovery Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army

270 West 2nd Street & Church St., Pass Christian, MS 39571

Phone 228–452–2121
Hours Mon – Fri, 8:30–12
Service Temporary

Appointments can be made by CALLING ONLY #228–452–2121

Fax #228–452–1544

AREAS SERVED: Pass Christian, Hancock County

Long–time social services site ? available for up to one year. Food, cleaning supplies, baby items, hygiene supplies available.

*Case managers meet with individual families to determine the assistance most needed.

Services offered: Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types)

Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; Salvation Army

Updated Sep 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/455

St. Stephens Catholic Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church

25220 Saint Stephens Rd, Pass Christian (Delisle), MS 39571

Phone (228) 255–1294
Eligibility Anyone willing to participate in 12 Step Alcoholic Recovery
Service Temporary

AA Meeting/Chip In Group/District 11:
Tuesdays: 7:30 p.m.
Open Discussion
Wheelchair Accessible
Non Smoking

Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings

Updated May 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3037

Project Relief

Walk–in Resource · Open

Mental Health Services

6859 Kiln Delisle Rd., Pass Cristian, MS 39571

Phone 228–255–1827
Web n/a
Hours by Appointment Only
Service Permanent

Lela Weems works with adults.
Donna Rice works with adults and children.

Services offered: Counseling, Childrens Counseling ; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Mental Health Services

Updated May 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2565

Churches of Christ Disaster Response Team (COCCDRT) Hosted by: Pearlington Church of Christ – 2012 HURRICANE ISAAC (VOLUNTEER OPS/ MEALS/DISTRIBUTION)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Hosted by: Pearlington Church of Christ; 17040 Cedar Drive, Pearlington, MS 39572

Phone disasterrelief @ hotmail.com
Web www.churchesofchristdrt.org
Service Temporary

HURRICANE ISAAC RELIEF UPDATE – 9/2/12

DRT is working with the Slidell Church of Christ as well as the Pearlington, MS Church of Christ. Distribution of supplies as well as volunteers working on flooded houses is currently taking place through both locations. We will also be serving nutritious home cooked meals to several communities this week.

Please click the link on the left of this page to register to volunteer. Help is needed with cutting trees (many of which are still blocking roads) and in yards, other clean up, muck and gutting of houses, help distributing supplies, cooking, data entry, etc.

VOLUNTEER: http://www.churchesofchristdrt.org/volunteer.php

HOW YOU CAN HELP NOW–
MONETARY DONATIONS ARE NEEDED. This has been an active year for disasters. Thanks to those of you who have donated funds, DRT has been able to help thousands of disaster survivors with supplies as well as help rebuilding homes. DRT has also provided thousands of full course home cooked meals to volunteers and communities.
VOLUNTEERS– We will need volunteers of all skill levels. From cooking to Chain Saw Crews and everything in between. Please click on the link to the left to register. We will be in touch with you to let you know when things are set up and we're ready to receive volunteers.

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Mud–Out, Muck–Out, Flood Cleanup, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Tree Cutting and Removal, Volunteer Services; Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals, Hot Meals; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Isaac
Updated Sep 5, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9264

Community Activism, Greater Mt Zion A M E Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
16223 3d Street @ 8th Avenue, Pearlington, MS 39572

Phone Church: 228 – 533 – 9976
Service Temporary

Services offered: Counseling, Spiritual; Services, Church/Worship Services
Updated Jul 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2798

MS Protection & Advocacy System, Inc

Walk–in Resource

Social Services
6098 First St, Pearlington, Jackson, Pascagoula, MS

Phone 228–435–5433, 601–981–8207 or toll free/TTY 800–772–4057
Web www.mspas.com
Hours M–F from 8:00am – 4:30pm
Serves State of MS
Eligibility Individuals with disabilities
Service Permanent

Disability Services: Case Management

MS Protection and Advocacy is a permanant organization but our KAT grant funding is scheduled to end March 2008. We are working hard to find additional funding to support disaster case management beyond March 2008.

MS P&A protects and advocates for the rights of individuals with disabilities and covers the entire state of MS. We are a non–profit organization and there is no cost for our services.

Main office: 5305 Executive Place Jackson, MS 39206, 601–981–8207 or toll free/TTY 800–772–4057

Coastal office: 3841 Market Street, Suite 3, Pascagoula, MS 39567.
228–769–7332, fax: 228–769–8268

Services offered: Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services); Services, Social Services, General Social Services
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; CAN (Coordinated Assistance Network.)
Updated Feb 18, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2023

Manna Ministries

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community/Outreach/Development/Disaster Relief/Recovery/Humanitarian Aid
120 Street A; Suite A, Picayune, MS 39466

Phone 601–799–2121
Web www.mannaministry.net/community.html
Service Temporary

RC shows open for Hurricane Isaac August 2012
http://mississippi–redcross.org/archives/2499
(No Capacity or population listed)
Address listed as:
120 St A Suite B, Picayune

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Shelter, Evacuation Shelter
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Isaac
Updated Aug 30, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9273

WIN Job Center, Pontotoc

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
29 East Washington, Pontotoc, MS

Phone 662–489–3956
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

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other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1928

Brothers Keepers Ministries

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
310 E. Smith Street Poplarville, MS 39470, Poplarville, MS 39470

Phone 601–795–3173
Contact Brothers Keepers Ministries
Email Call, do not email
Web www.brotherskeeperministries.com
Hours M–Th 9am–12pm and 1pm–3pm
Serves Mississippi
Eligibility Must be low–income as determined by Department of Human Services (Anyone who meets the financial guideline)
Bring Proof of address (i.e. driver's license, phone bill, etc); must know the social security number of everyone in the household (you do not need to bring your social security card).
Service Permanent

* No appointments necessary

Largest food pantry in the rural Mississippi area.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Hot Meals; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Oct 9, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2005

WIN Job Center, Ripley

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
111 East Spring Street, Ripley, MS
Phone 662–837–7411
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

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other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1929

Salvation Army

Walk–in Resource · Open

Rouela, MS
Phone 228 297 4428
Service Temporary

Services offered: Grants, Disaster Rebuilding
Campaigns: CAN (Coordinated Assistance Network.); Salvation Army
Updated May 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1881

Katrina Aid for Individuals with Disabilities (KAID)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disabled Social Services
3841 Market Street Suite 3 Pascagoula, MS 39567, Saucier, MS 39574
Phone 866–467–2670/228–539–1793
Contact Katrina Aid for Individuals with Disabilities (KAID)
Email talatha@gmail.com
Hours 8am –4:30pm Mon to Fri
Serves Mississippi – but focuses mainly on the gulf coast
Eligibility US Citizen, Sign Releases, Live in huricane impacted area
Bring ID for all household members, proof of residence, proof of income, outstanding bills, show ownership of house and more. Please call for more information
Waiting list 3 weeks

KAID (Katrina Aid for Individuals with Disabilities) is MPAS's Program on the Gulf Coast that assists individuals with disabilities who have been affected by Hurricane Katrina. KAID provides recovery planning, case management and advocacy services.

There are two offices on the coast and KAID has a casemanger for Hancock County.

Services offered: Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, Disabled/Handicapped; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services)
Updated Feb 18, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1987

BP Community Outreach Centers – (Gulf Oil Spill – ASSISTANCE)

Walk–in Resource · Open

See Notes, MS
Web bp.concerts.com/gom/communityoutreachcenters_21052010.htm
Hours 8:00 am to 5:00 pm daily
Service Temporary

BP Community Outreach Centers

The BP Community Outreach Centers are responsible for assisting Mississippi residents and businesses with any info rmation and/or assistance on the Deepwater Horizon incident. These offices are open from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm daily..

Hancock County – Phone: 228–467–9735
454 Highway 90, Suite K – Waveland, MS 39576

Harrison County – Phone: 228–547–0897
1319 24th Ave – Gulfport, MS 39531

Jackson County – Phone: 228–712–2031
710 Delmas Ave – Pascagoula, MS 39567

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) is offering low–interest disaster loans to small non–farm businesses who suffered economic injury due to the Deepwater BP Oil Spill that began on April 20, 2010.

SBA customer service representatives will be at the following locations to over one–on–one assistance in completing loan applications. The centers are open from 8 am until 5 pm Monday through Friday. For more information, visit a center or call 800–659–2955.

George Co. EOC
355 Cox Street – Suite J
Lucedale, MS 39452

Hancock County
Civic Center
335 Coleman Avenue
Waveland, MS 39576

Harrison County
SBA Gulfport Branch Office
Hancock Bank Plaza
2510 14th Street, Suite 103
Gulfport, MS 39501

Jackson County Fairgrounds
Ticket Office
2902 Shortcut Rd.
Pascagoula, MS 39567

Stone County Courthouse
323 E. Cavers Avenue
Wiggins, MS 39577

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Community Outreach Programs; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2010 Oil Spill Gulf of Mexico; America's Second Harvest; Catholic Charities; Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated Jun 19, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5924

WIN Job Center, Senatobia

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
4975 Highway 51 North, Senatobia, MS
Phone 662–562–3351
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

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for other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1930

Cross Bound Church (EMERGENCY/DISASTER CHILD CARE – SAFE SPACE FOR KIDS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based, Disaster Relief
60026 FB Boozer Lane, Smithville, MS

Phone (662) 257–5437
Web smithville.monroecountyweb.com/directory/centers–by–city/smithville/cross–bound–church
Service Temporary

Cross Bound Church

Safe Space for children at the Cross Bound Church.

Parents you can leave your child there while you take care of appointments or clean up.

Contact GELI at 257–KIDS(5437)
Rusty Keen

60026 FB Boozer Lane, Smithville, MS, 38870
(662) 257–5437
crossboundemail at gmail.com

Services offered: Services, Family, Children, Emergency Child Care; Shelter, Child Friendly/Safe Spaces / Centers in a Shelter / Camp Setting
Campaigns: 2011 Mississippi Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8242

Smithville Church of Christ (FEEDING/DISTRIBUTION)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Disaster Relief
60657 Smithville Road, Smithville, MS
Phone (662) 651–4554
Service Temporary

Wednesday, May 11, 2011 @ 11:38 AM (CDT)
Per a phone call with darlene rutledge at the church

Immediate needs at the Church itself are:

* Laundry detergent (urgently needed)
* Dishwashing detergent
* 5lb bags of sugar
* 5lb bags of flour
* 5lb bags of cornmeal
* Household sizes of Mayo, Miracle Whip, ketchup, and mustard
* Canned meats (e.g. Spam, canned ham, tuna, canned chicken, etc.)
* Pancake mix & syrup

Smithville Church of Christ is cooking for victims and handing out supplies. The church is located at 60657 Smithville Road.

Emergency Needs

* Frozen or iced meats
* Real coolers
* Buns
* Bread

Address: 60657 Smithville Road, Smithville, MS, 38870
Telephone: (662) 651–4554

See CCC facility record for feeding operations this church is doing in Hackleburg, AL:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8364

Services offered: Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Mississippi Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8222

WIN Job Center, Starkville

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
100 Felix Long Drive, Starkville, MS
Phone 662–323–2272
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

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other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1933

WIN Job Center, Tupelo

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
146 S. Thomas Street, Suite A, Tupelo, MS
Phone 662–842–4371
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

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For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1931

WIN Job Center, Tupelo/Access Point

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
2176 Eason Boulevard, Tupelo/Access Point, MS
Phone 662–620–5250
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours
Service Temporary

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For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1932

Disaster Recovery Centers (DRC's) MS – 2012 HURRICANE ISAAC

Walk–in Resource · Open

SEE NOTES, VARIOUS, MS
Web www.msema.org/documents/NR021DisasterRecoveryCentersOpeninAdamsHinds.pdf
Service Temporary

September 16, 2012
Joint Field Office: Clinton, MS
DR–4081–MS NR–021
State/FEMA News Desk: (601) 926–3220

News Release
DISASTER RECOVERY CENTERS OPEN IN ADAMS, HINDS
CLINTON, Miss. – Disaster recovery centers have opened in Jackson and Natchez to help those with storm losses caused by Hurricane Isaac. Center hours are 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. every day until further notice.

The Adams County DRC will be open from 1–5 p.m. on Sundays. Here are the addresses of the newest centers:

Adams County
Parkway Baptist Church

117 Seargent S. Prentiss Drive
Natchez, MS 39120
(Sundays 1– 5p.m.)

Hinds County
Golden Key Community Center
3450 Albemarle Road
Jackson, MS 39213

Recovery centers are also open in these counties. Visit any center for assistance.

Clarke County
Sunflower Grocery Shopping Center
109 W. Donald St.
Quitman, MS 39355

Forrest County
Forrest County Community Shelter
946 Sullivan Drive
Hattiesburg, MS 39401

George County
George County Senior Center
7102 Highway 198 East
Lucedale, MS 39452

Hancock County
Hancock County Resource Center
454 Highway 90
Waveland, MS 39576

Harrison County
County Farm Road 361 Shelter
15035 County Farm Road
Gulfport, MS 39503

Jackson County
Jackson County Fairgrounds
4761 Vega St.
Pascagoula, MS 39567

Lincoln County
Army National Guard Armory
182 Highway 84 East
Brookhaven, MS 39601

Marion County
Marion County Development Partnership
412 Courthouse Square
Columbia, MS 39429

Pearl River County
Mississippi National Guard Armory
1251–B Highway 11 South
Picayune, MS 39466

Pearl River County
Baker Maid Building
403 South Main St.
Poplarville, MS 39470

Pike County
Community Safe Room
2017 Quinlivan Road
Magnolia, MS 39652

Stone County
Stone County Safe Room
1084 Project Road
Wiggins, MS 39577

Walthall County
Walthall County Library
707 Union Road
Tylertown, MS 39667

Wilkinson County
Wilkinson County Industrial Complex
1495 U.S. Highway 61 South
Woodville, MS 39669

Representatives of the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency, the Federal Emergency Management Agency and the U.S. Small Business Administration will be at the centers to explain assistance programs and help survivors apply for disaster aid.

Before going to a disaster recovery center, people with storm losses are encouraged to register with FEMA online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov or via smartphone at m.fema.gov. Applicants also may call 800–621–3362 or (TTY) 800–462–7585. If you use 711 or Video Relay Service call 800–621–3362. The toll–free telephone numbers will operate from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. seven days a week until further notice.

Federal disaster assistance can include grants for rental assistance and home repairs, low–interest loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration to cover uninsured property losses and other programs to help recover from the effects of the disaster.
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Services offered: Assistance, How To, Complete Forms/Applications for Disaster Assistance; Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Businesses Impacted by Disaster; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Isaac; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center)
Updated Sep 19, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9352

FEMA, DRC's (Disaster Recovery Centers) – (2011 MS Tornadoes/Storms) – INDEX

Walk–in Resource · Open

Various, MS
Service Temporary

A state and federal Disaster Recovery Center opened Thursday in the city of Pheba in Clay County, bringing the total number of centers to 10. These centers are open to help people whose homes or businesses were affected by recent storms and tornadoes.

All centers are open seven days a week from 7 AM– 7 PM until further notice with the exception of the center in Water Valley which has shortened hours of 1 p.m to 5 p.m on Sundays Additional recovery centers will open in other counties in the near future for survivors who suffered losses resulting from the storms, tornadoes and flooding events of April 15–28.

Counties currently designated for assistance to individuals are: Alcorn, Attala, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Clarke, Clay, Coahoma, DeSoto, Greene, Grenada, Hinds, Holmes, Jasper, Kemper, Lafayette, Leflore, Marshall, Monroe, Montgomery, Neshoba, Newton, Panola, Quitman, Smith, Sunflower, Tishomingo, Tunica, Webster and Winston. Residents who suffered storm–related losses in these counties may visit any center for assistance, register by phone or the internet.

Emergency management experts from the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency, Federal Emergency Management Agency, United States Small Business Administration and other agencies will staff the centers to explain disaster assistance programs. Before visiting a center, people with storm–related losses should register with FEMA by calling 800–621–FEMA (3362) or online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov. Help is available in most languages. Those with speech or hearing impairment may call (TTY) 800–462–7585.

Disaster Recovery Centers currently providing recovery assistance:

Chickasaw County
Houston Civic Center
635 Starkville Rd.
Houston, MS 38851

Hinds County
Golden Keys Community Cntr.
3450 Albemarle Rd.
Jackson, MS 39213

Kemper County
Kemper County Sheriff Dept Conference Room
330 Stennis Industrial Rd.
DeKalb, MS 39328

Clay County
Pheba Voting Precinct
21523 Hwy. 50 West
Pheba, MS 39755

Hinds County
Clinton Public Works Facilities
527 Spring Ridge Rd.
Clinton, MS 39056

Lafayette County
Anchor Baptist Church
1009 Hwy. 7 South
Water Valley, MS 38965

Greene County
Leakesville Community Center
1627 Center St.
Leakesville, MS 39451

Jasper & Clarke Counties
Enterprise Townhall
500 S. River Rd.
Enterprise, MS 39330

Monroe County
Intersection of Hwy 23 & Hwy 25
Smithville, MS 38870

Webster & Choctaw Counties
Mathiston Public Library
298 Scott St.
Mathiston, MS 39752

Individual assistance for eligible homeowners and renters can include grants to help pay for rental housing, home repairs and other serious disaster–related expenses not met by insurance or other assistance programs. Representatives are available to explain the full range of application options available including assistance for public transportation expenses, medical and dental expenses, and funeral and burial expenses.

Low–interest loans from the Small Business Administration are available for eligible applicants to cover residential and business losses not fully compensated by insurance. Among the options are assistance for replacement of personal property, vehicle repair or replacement, and moving and storage expenses.

FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.

Services offered: Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Services, Tech, Fax Access (to USE a fax machine); Services, Tech, Phone Access
Campaigns: 2011 Mississippi Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, Small Business Administration (SBA); Government, State Government Department/Agency
Updated May 15, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8205

FEMA, DRC's (Disaster Recovery Centers) – INDEX – 4/10 Tornado's

Walk–in Resource · Open

Various, MS
Service Temporary

Six Disaster Recovery Centers set up by the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency and the Federal Emergency Management Agency are now open in the state's tornado–affected counties. Sites in Attala, Choctaw, Holmes, Warren and Yazoo counties have received more than 500 visits so far. Plans are also being finalized for additional recovery centers in Monroe and Union counties. Details will be announced soon. At the recovery centers, people who suffered losses can get person–to–person assistance from specialists skilled in many disaster–related subjects.

Locations are open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. seven days a week until further notice.

Attala County National Guard Armory 911 Highway 35 North Kosciusko, MS 39090
Choctaw County Weir High School Gymnasium 265 Marion Kelly Drive Weir, MS 39772
Holmes County City of Lexington Multi–Purpose Complex 22521 Depot Street, Highway 12 East Lexington, MS 39095
Holmes County Ebenezer Voluntary Fire Dept. 619 Highway 14 Ebenezer, MS

Warren County Eagle Lake Volunteer Fire Dept. 15115 Highway 465 Vicksburg, MS 39183
Yazoo County National Guard Armory 2201 Gordon Ave. Yazoo City, MS 39194

People can also apply for assistance by registering online at http://www.DisasterAssistance.gov or by calling 800–621–FEMA (3362), TTY 800–462–7585. The toll–free numbers are staffed 7 a.m. to10 p.m., seven days a week until further notice. Help is available in all languages.

Specialists at the recovery centers can check the case status of an applicant, answer questions about a registration, or review information needed to process the claim. They also can supply contacts for other programs that may be able to help.

U.S. Small Business Administration representatives are at the centers to answer any questions about the SBA's low–interest disaster loan program for homeowners, renters, businesses and private non–profit organizations of all sizes. These loans are to repair or replace real estate and/or personal property damaged by the storms and flooding.

SBA representatives will help complete SBA disaster loan applications. Anyone not able to go to a recovery center should call the SBA Customer Service Center from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, and Saturday and Sunday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., CST, toll–free at 800–659–2955 for information and assistance, or visit the SBA Web site at http://www.sba.gov/services/disasterassistance or send an email to disastercustomerservice @sba.gov .

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Disaster Relief Assistance, Online Registration; Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How To, File Disaster Unemployment Claims; Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2010 April, Mississippi Tornado; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated May 16, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5872

WIN Job Center, Water Valley

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
307 Main Street, Water Valley, MS
Phone 662–473–2445
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

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Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1934

Alcoholics Anonymous – AA (Hut–2 Survivor Group)

Walk–in Resource · Open

AA
301 Coleman Avenue, Waveland, MS
Eligibility Anyone with a desire to participate in 12 step alcohol recovery
Service Temporary

Hut2 Survivor Group – AA Meetings
Sundays: 12 noon
Open Discussion Meeting
(AA Meeting Directory Updated 4/08)
Campaigns: Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Meetings
Updated May 28, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3034

Christian & Missionary Alliance

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith–based Non–Profit – Disaster Relief/Recovery
Waveland, MS
Web www.cmalliance.org/news/hurricane
Checks payable to Gulf Coast Disaster Relief c/o Genesis Church
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Jun 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1098

City Hall

Walk–in Resource · Open

City Run
New City Hall, Waveland, MS

City Council Meetings, 1st Tuesday and 3rd Wednesday following the 1st Tuesday, 6:30 pm at the new City Hall facility.

Services offered: Events, Community Meetings; Government, HQ (Headquarters)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Oct 19, 2005 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/150

Families First Resource Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Social Services: Families/Children
2406 McLaurin Street Waveland, MS 39576, Waveland, MS 39576

Phone (228) 868–9586
Contact Karen Olier and Julie Sellier
Email Call do not email
Web www.mscpca.com/index.asp?starting=&step=2&cat=8&Action=cat&Page=1
Hours 8am – 7pm (if there are night classes) M–F
Serves Statewide. This branch serves Hancock County
Eligibility Anyone who needs services
Service Permanent

Services in Hancock County

* Case Management
* Child Victim Support (VOCA)
* Family Resource Library
* High Risk Youth/ Teen Mentor Program
* Life Skills
* Supervised Visitation

The Families First Resource Center

The Families First Resource Center was established to provide families, schools, and communities with education, emotional support, and resources to promote healthy family functioning while attempting to prevent child abuse and neglect. All of the programs are offered at no charge, and are designed to offer help and guidance while strengthening the family. We realize that parenting is a very difficult, but also most rewarding task in an individual's life. Thus, the Center is available to assist parents along their journey of rearing happy and healthy children. Services offered free of charge through the Families First Resource Center include:

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Case Management Services are provided to families requiring assistance with parenting skills, child development, health/ nutrition, household management, and community resources (housing, transportation, etc.) in order to improve family functioning. These services are provided at home to allow the Parent Aide to work closely with the whole family and to guide and assist parents with actual day–to–day situations.
*
Numerous educational classes and training are offered in each county to the public throughout the year. Those classes consist of Anger Management, Parenting, Transparenting, Life Skills, and Foster Adoptive Training. A certificate of completion is provided upon completion of the course. Certain fees apply to court/attorney ordered referrals. Please call for more information.
*
The Family Resource Library is available to all families, schools, and community agencies, and provides books, videotapes, equipment, and brochures that offer education and information on many family and child issues as well as local resources. The library also has books, equipment, and toys for disabled children which are available to the community at the Toy Library Center located on the University of Southern Mississippi Gulf Coast Campus.
*
Tutoring and mentoring programs addressing academic and behavioral difficulties are available to all students enrolled in the Harrison County School District and are offered after school from October through May. Parents are also welcomed to attend monthly meetings offered by the Harrison County School District through the Practical Partnerships Program to gain more parenting information.
*
Referral and information services are offered to families, schools, and the community through the Harrison County FFRC Resource Directory, which is regularly updated to include all community resources and agencies. The Center also has staff and trained volunteers available to provide information and to link individuals and families with community resources.
*
The Interagency Council is a group of community agency representatives who meet quarterly to network and exchange information and expertise regarding local and state–wide topics relating to healthy family functioning. During these meetings, the representatives learn new and better ways to help the community and its families.

If you would like further information about these programs, please call (228)868–9586.

Services Offered in Harrison County:

* Case Management
* Court Accompaniment
* Court School
* Fatherhood Iniative
* Family Resource Library
* Forensic Interviews
* High Risk Youth/Teen Mentor Program
* Life Skills
* Project Homestead
* Supervised Visitation

STATEWIDE DIRECTORY: (address & Phone number)
http://www.mfcf.org/pdf/familyfirstcenters.pdf

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Advocacy, Services, Youth Services; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Childrens Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Tutoring Services; Services, Youth Services, Crime Prevention Programs; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Volunteer Training; Training Classes, Education, Nutrition Education Classes; Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth, Mentor Program
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated May 26, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1994

Gloria Dean

Walk–in Resource · Open

Mental Health Professional
Waveland, MS

Phone 228–493–3572
Contact Gloria Dean
Email hdean@cableone.net
Serves Mississippi and Louisiana
Eligibility Affected by Katrina
Fee $60.00, Counseling Session

Mental Health Counseling

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Mental Health Services
Updated Feb 22, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2007

Hancock County Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
716 Herlihy Waveland, MS 39576, Waveland, MS 39576

Phone Voice: 228–467–2790 / Fax: 228–467–4843
Contact Hancock County Food Pantry
Web www.hancockcountyfoodpantry.com
Hours Mon – Fri, 9 –12
Eligibility Based on financial need and age
Bring Must provide social security card for every member of the family. Also, need picture ID from head of household

For emergencies only:

Residents over 60 yrs old can pick up food every month
Residents under 60 yrs old can pick up food every 3 months

The Hancock County Food Pantry, Inc. was founded in 1986 by community churches to provide food to families in times of crisis. The Food Pantry was incorporated and registerd with the Mississippi Secretary of State in that same year. The Food Pantry has kept its doors open every working day since its inception until August 29, 2005 to provide free food and personal hygiene products for the citizens of Hancock County, MS who needed our help. The Pantry is staffed entirely by volunteers and spends in excess of 85% of all donated funds to purchase food and personal hygiene products.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)

Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated May 19, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/482

Hancock County Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource

Food Pantry
716 Hirleihy Rd, Waveland, MS
Phone 228–467–2790/228–255–7948
Hours 9 am – Noon M–Fri.

Eligibility Requirements: Based on financial need and age

Documents Required: Must provide social security card for every member of the family. Also, need picture Identification card for head of household

NEED TO CALL AND CONFIRM NEW NAME/ADDRESS/MANAGEMENT:

FROM: The Hancock County Journal–Pilot

Food pantry now Shepherd's Pantry

By Joy Swearingen, Managing Editor
Wednesday, April 18, 2007 5:15 PM CDT

Families needing an emergency supply of food can still get help – just at a new location.

The Hancock County Food Pantry, which has been housed for many years, at the Hancock County Health Department, moved this weekend to the fellowship hall of the Trinity Lutheran Church.

With a new name, the Shepherd's Pantry, and under the supervision of a new group, the Carthage Ministerial Alliance, the service to families will remain the same. A two to three day emergency supply of food is available to anyone in the county who is in need.

Beth Rupe, pastor of the Carthage Disciples of Christ (Christian) Church, is the pastoral advisor of the project. Marcia McGaughey, a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, is coordinator.

“This is all volunteer work,” McGaughey said Saturday, as members from many different churches moved food from the health department into a truck, removed the shelving, and reassembled the stocks of food in a Sunday school room at Trinity Lutheran Church.

“This is a very needed service in our county. The Ministerial Alliance feels it is a good mission project for the churches to help continue,” McGaughey said.

The Shepherd's Pantry will be open on Tuesdays from 1 to 3 p.m. and Thursdays from 9 to 11 a.m., beginning on Tuesday, May 1.

McGaughey plans a volunteer training session Thursday, April 19, at 6:30 p.m. at the Lutheran Parish Hall.

She will schedule volunteers, do state paper work, order food and work with organizations who want to donate food or money to the pantry.

The project is guided by a board with one member from each church: John Schwartz from Trinity Lutheran, Louise Smith of Christian Church, Lucille Kimmell from the Baptist Church, Donna Walker from the Methodist Church, Barb Sassman from the Presbyterian Church, Sherry Huston from Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, and Dave Aanenson, from Ferris Christian Church.

The pantry has benefited from hunters' donations of deer meet, and stored at Weber Meats at no cost to the pantry. It continues to be registered with the River Bend Food Pantry.

“We can order specific items that we need, and they share what they have in abundance,” McGaughey said.

“Even though this is sponsored by the Carthage Ministerial Alliance and is located in Carthage, this remains a county wide service,” McGaughey stressed. She said members of the Trinity Lutheran Church had voted to support the project by housing it in their building.

Several new programs at the Hancock County Health Department caused their need to seek a new location for the food pantry service.

“We have added some programs, particularly the dental clinics, that took up three rooms,” said Teresa Beeler, administrator of the health department.

“In the past we had looked at finding a new site for the food pantry. The board said we would wait until we really needed the space. Well, now we do. When we have clinics running at the same time, we are packed. Had we not found someone so willing, we would have kept it going somehow,” she said.

The food took a 12 by 15 room, overflowed into one–third of their meeting room, part of the audio–visual closet, and filled most of the staff freezer.

With the space, they hope to expand or open the waiting room, add an exam room and create space for educational programs.

“It may be a multi–purpose kind of space that will fit all three purposes as needed.” she said.

Beeler said that about 60 families a month use the food pantry.

“It is heavily used by families from all over the county, different ones each time. We had meetings to go over how we've run it to keep it very similar. We are very appreciative to the Ministerial Alliance for sponsoring this for the whole county.”
Updated Sep 30, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1982

WIN Center, Hancock County Office

Walk–in Resource · Open

Employment Assistance
454 Hwy 90 – Suite C, Waveland, MS 39576
Phone 228–466–5041
Hours M, T, Th, F 8am–5pm; W 8am–4pm
Service Permanent

From Website:
Customers accessing services through WIN Job Centers participate in a progression of service levels: core, intensive and training. Basic core services are available to everyone and must be utilized before customers are eligible to progress through the system. Available services include:

Job search and placement assistance
Internet access for job searches and resumé posting
Access to office equipment: computer, fax machine, copier
Resumé preparation software
Interview tips
Labor market information
Career assistance for ex–offenders
Services for veterans
Information on WIA's Core, Intensive and Training services
Information on unemployment insurance benefits
Career and aptitude assessment
Information on assistance for laid–off workers
Information on NAFTA/TAA benefits for employees
Information on and referral to training
Information on available math and reading assistance
Information on and referral to child care, transportation and other support services
Referral to rehabilitation services

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction)
Updated May 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2067

Word of Faith Christian Fellowship

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church
103 Old Spanish Trail, Waveland, MS 39576
Phone (228) 467–4488
Web www.word–of–faith.net

(From website):

On August 29, 2005, Hurricane Katrina tore through our beautiful Mississippi Gulf Coast, leaving death and massive destruction in its wake. Our church, like a majority of structures in the area, was devastated in the storm. The building was flooded and much was destroyed.

God is still good, however! Volunteer groups from around the country have broken through denominational barriers and all pitched in to help rebuild our church facility and many of our members' homes. Our church is now well on the way to full restoration, thanks to the help of God's people of many denominations. See our "Photos" section for pictures of both the damage and the rebuilding process!

Services offered: Events, Community Meetings; First Responder, Gulf Region; Meals, Breakfast; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Lunches (Hot); Services, Tech, Internet Access; Water, Bottles, (In Plastic, Gallons)
Updated Jun 17, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/165

WIN Job Center, West Point

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
117 East Jordan Avenue, West Point, MS
Phone 662–494–4144
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1935

H.A. Brown United Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church – Community Outreach
200 Azalea Drive North, Wiggins, MS 39577
Phone (601) 928–9606
Contact Pastor Elijah Mitchell
Service Temporary

FEMA Press Release (4/09) about Pastor Elijah Mitchell, from H.A. Brown United Methodist Church in Wiggins, and his work with many groups in the region.
http://www.fema.gov/news/newsrelease.fema?id=48054

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: UMCOR Relief Network; United Methodist Disaster Response
Updated Apr 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4290

WIN Job Center, Winona

Walk–in Resource · Open

Governmental
109 Liberty Street, Winona, MS
Phone 662–283–4105
Web www.wininmississippi.org
Hours part time, call for hours

The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one–stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN In Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user–friendly.

For more information, go to the Mississippi Department of Employment Security website – http://www.mdes.ms.gov/.

other job centers: http://www.wininmississippi.org/

Services offered: Facility: Job Center; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Working Your Way Back Home Program, Mississippi (For Katrina Survivors)
Updated Oct 12, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1936

Ribeye's Steakhouse – 2010 MS Tornado (FIXED FEEDING SITE)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
Old MS–Hwy 16, Yazoo City, MS
Web www.msema.org/documents/4.26.2010assistanceforstormvictims.pdf
Serves Yazoo County, MS
Eligibility Impacted by the 4/24/10 Tornado
Service Temporary

The Salvation Army is providing meals in front of Ribeye's Steakhouse on Old MS–Hwy 16. Both the Salvation Army and ARC are also providing mobile feeding units.

Services offered: Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Mobile Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2010 April, Mississippi Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Salvation Army
Updated Apr 27, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5810

YAZOO MOTOR BLDG. (Volunteer Mississippi – Vol. Reception & POD Site) – 2010 MS Tornado

Walk–in Resource · Standby

POD/VOLUNTEER RECEPTION SITE: Yazoo Motor Building located at the corner of Hwy 49 and Old Hwy 16; MAIL ADDR: 3825 Ridgewood Road – Suite 601, Jackson, MS 39211, Yazoo City, MS

Phone 1–888– 353–1793 (Vol. Reception) Jackson Office: (601) 432–6779
Web www.volunteermississippi.org/1800Vol/OpenIndexAction.do
Serves Yazoo County and other Tornado impacted counties in Central, MS
Eligibility Impacted by the 4/24 MS Tornado
Service Temporary

Saturday, April 24, 2010: Wide areas of Mississippi have been affected by a severe weather system, with multiple counties reporting damage due to thunderstorms, tornadoes and high winds. Damage assessments in the hardest hit areas are not yet complete. In order to volunteer, register on this website or call the Mississippi Commission for Volunteer Service at 1–888–353–1793. Registered volunteers will be contacted if assistance is required.

Volunteers can go to the old Yazoo Motor Company located on Highway 49 to sign up to help with debris removal with the Mississippi Commission on Volunteer Services.

SOURCE – MEMA PRESS RELEASE: http://www.msema.org/documents/4.26.2010assistanceforstormvictims.pdf

The Mississippi Commission for Volunteer Service has set up a volunteer/distribution center at the former Yazoo Motor Building located at the corner of Hwy 49 and Old Hwy 16. Food, ice, water and cleaning kits will be available. Volunteers are available to assist residents with debris clean up and tree removal. Faith–based and non–profits organizations can set up resource centers in the Yazoo Motor Building parking lot.

Services offered: Case Management, Tornado Survivors; Cleanup, Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Tree Removal & Chipping, Volunteer Services; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Ice ; * KITS, CLEANING/CLEAN UP KITS; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2010 April, Mississippi Tornado
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5804

City Team Ministries – Women's Luncheon

Walk–in Resource · Open

Womens Services
458 Ulman Ave Bay St. Louis, MS, MS

Phone 408–857–5059
Contact Jolynne Cochrane
Email cteammiss@gmail.com
Hours First Thursdays of Every Month
Serves Mississippi
Eligibility Women
Service Temporary, until Sep 1, 2008

Women's Luncheon: Support Group for Women

Services offered: Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2741

Crane Creek Baptist

Walk–in Resource

30040 Crane Creek Rd, Hwy 53 Perkinston, MS 39573, MS 39573

Phone (228) 255–4310
Contact Crane Creek Baptist
Hours 1–6 M–Th
Eligibility Will serve anyone. They've got a NO TURN AWAY policy

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, Children, New or Gently Used/CLEAN * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, Men's, New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Clothing, Teens, New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Clothing, Women's, New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water); Water, Bottles, (In Plastic, Gallons)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/340

Hancock County Welfare Department

Walk–in Resource · Open

Government
MS

Phone 228–467–4565
Service Permanent

Services offered: Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Updated May 2, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2545

Hancock County, Debris Removal Mgmt Centers

Walk–in Resource · Open

County
MS

Hancock County begins Right–of–Entry (ROE) sign–up 10/17. If you would like the Army Corp of Engineers to remove dangerous or hazardous debris or structure from your private or non–profit property, you must sign an ROE at one of the following locations:

Waveland: 8–4:30 M–F at the public works Kwonset hut or the city trailers off Coleman and Central.

Pearlington: 8–5 M–F at the Volunteer Fire Department Building

Lakeshore: 8–5 M–F at Davis Grocery Store

Kiln: 8–5 M–F at the Public Library

Bay St Louis: 8–5 M–F at the Train Depot

Diamondhead: 8–5 M–F at the Community Center

Services offered: Cleanup, Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Trash Pickup, Volunteer Services
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Nov 8, 2005 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/153

Lutheran Social Services Disaster Response (TX–LA–MS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
MS

Web www.lsss.org/disaster/disaster.htm
Service Temporary

SERVES: Louisiana, Mississippi & Texas

LSSDR is the local affiliate for Lutheran Disaster Response (LDR)

DISASTER RESPONSE OFFICES:

Case Management Volunteer Coordinators

Baton Rouge
Area Director:
Brandon Reeves
3455 Florida Blvd.
Baton Rouge, LA 70802
Ph: (225) 636–2600
Fax: (225) 636–2620

Biloxi, Mississippi
Volunteer Coordinator:
Henry Harris
313 Abbey Court
Ph: (228) 385–0561
Fax: (228)385–9958

Biloxi, Mississippi
Area Director:
Maria D. Morris Director of Case Management
313 Abbey Court
Ph: (228) 385–0561
Fax: (228)385–9958

Golden Triangle (Texas)
Response Coordinator:
Bernard Scrogin
3617 Gulfway Drive
Port Arthur, TX 77642
409–982–1510
Fax: (409) 983–1596

Houston
Area Director:

Edna Jones
2626 S. Loop West, Ste. 230
Houston, TX 77054
Ph: (713) 644-6850
Fax: (713) 645-1795

New Orleans
4539 N I-10 Service Rd., #302
Metairie, LA 70003
Ph. (866) 709-0888

New Orleans
Area Director:
Sharonda Rubin
401 Whitney Avenue, Ste 324
Gretna, LA 70056
Ph: 504-366-1056
Fax: 504-366-4987

Biloxi, Ms.
Rebuilding
Jerilyn Dufresne, State Coordinator
313 Abbey Court
Biloxi, MS
(228) 385-0561
FAX (228) 385-9958

Sandra Braasch, Deputy State Coordinator
313 Abbey Court
Biloxi, MS
(228) 385-0561
FAX (228) 385-9958

Volunteer Contact
Henry Harris
313 Abbey Court
Biloxi, MS
(228) 385-0561
FAX (228) 385-9958

Spiritual Care
Rev. Beverly Wallace, M.Ed
313 Abbey Court
Biloxi, MS
(228) 282-3753 (Cell)
FAX (228) 385-9958

New Orleans East
Camp Bethlehem (Housing for volunteers)
Katie Huener, Camp Manager
4430 Bundy Road
New Orleans, LA
(504) 481-3637

Volunteer Contact
Brendan McAdams
4539 N. I-10 Service Rd., #302
Metairie, LA
(504) 376-9121
FAX (504) 456-6754

New Orleans
Rebuilding
Jessica Vermilyea, Deputy State Coordinator
4539 N. I-10 Service Rd., #302
Metairie, LA
(504) 456-1719
FAX (504) 456-6754

Volunteer Contact
Brendan McAdams
4539 N. I–10 Service Rd., #302
Metairie, LA
(504) 456–1719
FAX (504) 456–6754

Ocean Springs
Camp Victor
Jon Biggs, Camp Manager
1515 Government Street
Ocean Springs, MS 39564–3825
(228) 872–5745 Ext. 106

Slidell (Camp Lamb of God)
Kurtis Smith, Camp Manager
57210 Allen Rd.
(985) 788–78998

Volunteer Contact
Brendan McAdams
4539 N. I–10 Service Rd., #302
Metairie, LA
(504) 376–9121
FAX (504) 456–6754

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Spiritual; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Youth Program
Updated Oct 25, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1834

Mississippi Department of Mental Health

Walk–in Resource

State
MS
Phone 887–210–8513
Service Temporary

Mental Health Counseling

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Mental Health Services
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Jun 8, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2012

Mississippi Job Corps Center, Crystal Springs

Walk–in Resource · Open

State
400 Harmony Road, MS
Phone (601) 892–3348, (800) 733–JOBS or (800) 733–5627
Service Temporary

Job Corps is a no–cost education and vocational training program administered by the U.S. Department of Labor that helps young people ages 16 through 24 get a better job, make more money, and take control of their lives.

At Job Corps, students enroll to learn a trade, earn a high school diploma or GED and get help finding a good job. When you join the program, you will be paid a monthly allowance; the longer you stay with the program, the more your allowance will be. Job Corps provides career counseling and transition support to its students for up to 12 months after they graduate from the program.

Eligibility

To enroll in Job Corps, students must meet the following requirements:

Be 16 through 24;
Be a U.S. citizen or legal resident;
Meet income requirements; and,
Be ready, willing, and able to participate fully in an educational environment.
Funded by the United States Congress, Job Corps has been training young adults for meaningful careers since 1964. Job Corps is committed to offering all students a safe, drug–free environment where they can take advantage of the resources provided.

Apply to Job Corps

If you're interested in joining the Job Corps program or finding out more about it, call (800) 733–JOBS or (800) 733–5627. An operator will provide you with general information about the program, refer you to the admissions counselor closest to where you live and mail you an information packet.

FAcility specifics:

Capacity

405 total: 248 men, 147 women (residents); 2 men, 8 women (non–residents).

Special Feature

National Honor Society.

Vocational Offerings

Bricklayer, Plumber, Building and Apartment Maintenance, Carpenter, Business Clerical, Advanced Career Training, Electrician, Welder, Culinary Arts, Sales Clerk Retail Training, Health Occupations, Landscape Technician.

Travel Directions

From Jackson Municipal Airport, take I–20 west to I–55 south to the North Crystal Springs exit (Hwy. 27 east).
Drive to the intersection of Hwy. 51 and turn south.
Drive to the second traffic light in city (Marion Avenue).
Turn left and continue on Marion Avenue to the intersection of Newton Street.
Turn right and drive approximately 1/4 mile to the fork of Harmony Road.
Keep left and continue to the Mississippi Job Corps Center entrance on the right.
Additional Info

For more information about the Mississippi Job Corps Center, call (800) 733–JOBS or (800) 733–5627.

Services offered: Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction)
Updated Oct 10, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1953

Mississippi State University

Walk–in Resource · Open

State/Fed
Hancock Equine & Livestock Arena, MS
Phone 228 216 3444
Web www.msstate.edu

Mississippi State University is sponsoring a Timber Damage Recovery Workshop. The workshop is over, but call if you want info.

http://msucares.com
http://msucares.com/disaster/index.html

Disaster Assistance Preparation and Recovery

In cooperation with the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency, and Federal Emergency Management Agency through USDA, the Mississippi State University Extension Service is providing relevant, research–based, information on this page that deals with various disaster preparedness and recovery issues.

Services offered: Counseling, Relief Education, Volunteer; First Responder, Animal Rescue ; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Sep 24, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/152

MS Unemployment Office

Walk–in Resource

Government
MS
Phone 888–844–3577
Service Permanent
Updated May 4, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2548

Operation Assist (The Childrens Health Fund)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Medical Care
MS
Phone (917) 543–2236
Web www.childrenshealthfund.org/index.php
Service Temporary

Contact Name: Robert Bristow

Contact Number: (917)543–2236 or rbb25@columbia.edu

Type of Work: medical workers (physicians, emergency workers) to drive to underserved areas, and provide medical assistance.

Need to be medical professionals

Housing: housing, food and bedding provided

From the website:

Providing Assistance to Communities/in Crisis, CHF Taking the Lead

The Children's Health Fund has provided urgently needed medical assistance via its state–of–the–art Mobile Medical Units to victims of Hurricane Andrew in Florida in 1992, and at ground zero in New York City after the terror attacks of 9/11. With this experience gained in working with communities in crisis, CHF responded to the urgent health and public health needs of the Gulf Coast region that resulted from Hurricane Katrina by establishing Operation Assist, a collaboration with the National Center for Disaster Preparedness (NCDP) at the Mailman School of Public Health at Columbia University. Operation Assist is poised to meet the challenges that will persist well into the future of this devastated region. Since September 2005, there have been over 19,000 medical and mental health visits provided in the devastated Gulf Coast Region.

CLINICAL SERVICES:

Operation Assist's programs provide critically needed medical services to children and families devastated by Hurricane Katrina. Three new permanent children's health projects have been established in Gulfport/Biloxi, MS; New Orleans, LA and Baton Rouge, LA.

MENTAL HEALTH:

The Community Support and Resiliency Program (CSRP) provides children and families in the Gulf with critically needed mental health services in their affected communities. CSRP mobile mental health units are specially designed to help our programs in Gulfport/Biloxi, MS; New Orleans, LA and Baton Rouge, LA.

PUBLIC HEALTH:

Operation Assist identifies health and mental health needs of affected children and families and assesses environmental health impacts resulting from these disasters.

By sponsoring comprehensive rapid health assessment of families displaced by Hurricane Katrina, CHF has found that thousands of children are in the midst of an unprecedented health crisis.

ADVOCACY:

The Operation Assist Campaign for Children's Health has mobilized national leaders in children's health to call for Congressional hearings and emergency funding for children in the Gulf affected by Hurricanes Katrina and Rita.

Services offered: Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; Medical, Facility, Clinic, Free Clinic; Medical, Facility, Clinic, Mobile Field Medical Clinic; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Mental Health Services; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Emergency Response; Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)

Updated Oct 27, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1400

Project PRINTS (Progress for Responsive Intervention Newborn to School)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disabled Childrens Services

4430 Pacific Street Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, MS

Phone SEE LOCATIONS IN NOTES
Contact Project PRINTS Hancock County
Email hancock.eip@smrc.state.ms.us
Web www.smrc.state.ms.us
Hours 8–4:30 Mon to Fri
Serves Hancock
Eligibility Be at social, communication, cognitive, self help or physical risk of developmental needs; Age 0 to 3yrs
Service Permanent

Eligibility Requirements: No cost, Ages Birth to 3 years, with disabilities or developmental delays

Documents Required: Certification of developmental disabilities, current medical information, intellectual, adaptive, and speech/language assessments

Description of Services: Early childhood education, and special instruction, adaptive equipment, family training, counseling, home visits, physical and occupational therapy, speech/language therapy, social work services, psychological services

Assistive Technology services directly assist a child with a disability in the selection, acquisition, or use of an assistive technology device. An assistive technology device is any item, piece of equipment or product system, whether acquired commercially, modified, or customized, that is used to increase, maintain, or improve the functional capabilities of children with disabilities.

Family Education services are provided, as appropriate, by social workers, psychologists, and other qualified personnel to assist the family in understanding the special needs of the child and how the family can enhance the child's development through daily routines in the home environment.

Developmental Therapy services address the cognitive development and unique learning strengths and needs of the child with a disability. This service is designed to teach the child the skills they need to be as independent as possible.

Occupational Therapy services address the functional needs of a child related to adaptive development, adaptive behavior and play, as well as sensory, motor, and postural development. These services are designed to improve the child's functional ability to perform tasks in home and community settings.

Physical Therapy services address the assessment of gross motor skills and disorders of movement and posture and a treatment through a variety of modalities. This service is designed to promote effective environmental adaptations.

Speech/Language services address the speech and/or language development through identification and treatment of children with communicative or oral motor disorders. Specific delays and disorders may include such things as articulation, receptive and expressive language, fluency and voice problems.

Psychological Services address the psychological development of a child through assessment. Hence, obtaining integrating and interpreting information about the child's behavior, and child and family conditions related to learning, mental health, and development.

LOCATIONS:

Project PRINTS (Progress for Responsive Intervention Newborn to School)
South Mississippi Regional Center
1170 W. Railroad Street

Long Beach, MS 39560
Kristi Beach Finehout, Director
Phone: 228–867–1434
Fax: 228–865–9364

Project PRINTS of Hancock County
4430 Pacific Street
Bay St Louis, MS 39520
Telephone: 228–466–0926
Fax 228–466–9753
Serving: Hancock County

Project PRINTS of Jackson County
4297 Gautier Vancleave Road
Gautier, MS 39553
Telephone: 228–497–4568
Fax: 228–497–4981
Serving: Jackson County

Project PRINTS of Pearl River County
801 Williams Avenue
Picayune, MS 39466
Telephone: 601–798–7132
Fax: 601–798–4335
Serving: Pearl River County

Project PRINTS of George/Stone Counties
1620 West Central Avenue
Wiggins, MS 39577
Telephone: 601–928–5539
Fax: 601–928–5848
Serving; George and Stone Counties

Project PRINTS of West Harrison County
2516 21st Avenue
Gulfport, MS 39501
Telephone: 228–863–2234
Fax: 228–864–1314
Serving: West Harrison County

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Services, Disabled, Services for the Disabled (See also Senior Services)
Updated Feb 19, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2047

Salvation Army Emergency Relief Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
2nd Ave and Menge St, MS
Hours 10–3:30

Services offered: Books, Bibles; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling, Spiritual; Food, Snacks * (ANY/ALL Types of Snacks) (See also "Food, Dry x"); Meals, Mobile Meals; Water, Supplies, Water Cooler Dispenser
Campaigns: Salvation Army
Updated Jul 18, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/345

U–Haul ~ Free Storage for Tornado Survivors

Walk–in Resource · Open

Private Business – Disaster Recovery
MS
Service Temporary

MAGEE, Miss., Mar 27, 2009 (GlobeNewswire via COMTEX) U–Haul Company of Mississippi is offering 30 days of free storage to families who were hit by the recent tornado in Magee, Mississippi. Families needing more information about the 30–day–free self–storage assistance program should contact the following storage facilities.

In addition to the free storage program, people needing boxes can take advantage of the U–Haul Take a Box, Leave a Box Program. The program enables customers to return their reusable boxes and allows others to take them as needed – FREE. U–Haul encourages anyone who has any type of reusable box to drop it off at the nearest U–Haul location and allow another family to reuse the box, free of charge, instead of throwing the reusable box into the recycling bin. U–Haul also has propane available

and urges customers to stop in to ensure that their propane tanks are topped off, since propane is a good thing to have on hand when these storms come through.

U–Haul Center Broadway
918 Broadway Drive
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
601–545–2551

U–Haul Storage Hattiesburg
1303 West 7th Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
601–544–7856

U–Haul Center Northview
4181 Northview Drive
Jackson, MS 39206
601–368–9323

U–Haul Storage Gibraltar
1414 Gibraltar Drive
Jackson, MS 39204
601–372–5764

U–Haul Center Westside
2234 Highway 80 West
Jackson, MS 39204
601–352–2607

U–Haul Center of Pearl
2203 Highway 80 East
Pearl, MS 39208
601–939–4770

"This tornado has caused tremendous damage and inflicted extreme hardship on the communities we serve," stated Doug Weston, president, U–Haul Company of Mississippi. "I hope this effort will provide assistance to families that truly need a helping hand. We will continue to help our friends and neighbors in this time of need."

Services offered: Boxes, Cardboard (Also see "Household, Storage"); Storage, Storage Facility
Campaigns: 2009 Tornadoes
Updated Mar 28, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4222

Veterans Centers and Services – Hancock County

Walk–in Resource

Government Agency: Veterans
MS
Phone 228–467–2100

Services offered: Facility: Veterans Benefits/Facility/Services
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2103

Working Your Way Back Home

Walk–in Resource · Open

Employment Assistance
MS
Phone 888–844–3577

Finds jobs for people who had to move 151+ miles from their house due to Katrina.

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina
Updated Feb 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2068

MT

SANDBAG LOCATIONS – 5/11 Flood

Walk–in Resource · Open

Various, MT
Service Temporary

Sandbag locations

Valley Excavating
7510 Applegate Dr.
449–4045
Hours: M – F 7 – 5, Sat. 7 – 1

* Empty sandbags are $1.00
* Filled sandbags are $3.00

Helena Sand and Gravel
2940 Canyon Ferry Rd. (Corner of Wylie and Canyon Ferry)
227–8585
Hours: M – F 8:30 – 4

* Empty sandbags are $1.50
* Filled sandbags are $4.00

Bags only are available at:

Agri–Feeds
1518 Dodge Ave.
Hours: M – F 8 – 5:30, Sat. 8 – 12

CAT Rental Store
3598 Centennial Dr
Hours: M – F 7:30 – 5

Services offered: Sandbags
Campaigns: 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms
Updated May 29, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8469

NC

Cherokee Church of the Nazarene – Cherokee Compassionate Ministries, Inc

Walk–in Resource · Open

P.O. Box 2302; 7243 Big Cove Road, Cherokee, NC 28719

Phone Church Phone: 828–497–2819 – Home Phone: (828) 497–5870
Web www.cherokeenazarene.org
Hours Monday – Thursday, 9:00 to 4:00
Service Temporary

Services offered: Baby, Baby Formula (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Financial Assistance, Heating Fuel; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Sep 3, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6263

Helping Hand Mission [main database record]

Walk–in Resource · Open

623 ROCK QUARRY ROAD, Raleigh, NC

Phone (919) 829–8048
Web helpinghandmission.org
Service Temporary

from the website, the items this group collects/distributes:

FOOD

The Helping Hand Mission has collection boxes located in shopping centers in Raleigh, Cary, and Garner. Food can also be dropped off at one our many locations.
CLOTHING

There is always a need for clothing to protect our customers from the weather conditions.
FURNITURE

The Mission receives reusable items from families all over Wake County and surrounding areas. The Mission also provides pickup services for large items such as furniture and appliances. These items can be picked up within 24 hours.
TOYS

The children always need toys for playing.
YOUR TIME

Have some extra time? A few hours maybe? Why not come to one of our locations to give us a hand. There is never a lack of work to be done.
YOUR SERVICES

If you or your business have services you can donate, we would greatly appreciate all you can do.

READY TO VOLUNTEER?

Please call 919–829–8048 to arrange your volunteer time. Thank you.

MOST NEEDED ITEMS
Household items such as:
baby items
beds
bed linens
pillows
bedroom sets
pots & pans
kitchen appliances
lamps
living & dining room sets
washer/dryers
tvs
Campaigns: 2018 HURRICANE FLORENCE
Updated Sep 12, 2018 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10127

Helping Hand Mission [Hurricane Florence response: handing out food]

Walk–in Resource · Open

623 Rock Quarry Road, Southeast, Raliegh, NC
Phone (919) 829–8048
Web abc11.com/food/raleigh–mission–handing–out–food–ahead–of–hurricane–florence/4217372
Service Temporary

info "at" helpinghandmission–nc.org

also see this group's main database record https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10127
Campaigns: 2018 HURRICANE FLORENCE
Updated Sep 12, 2018 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10126

FEMA DRC's (Disaster Recovery Centers) – INDEX

Walk–in Resource · Open

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
NC
Web www.fema.gov/news/event.fema?id=14092
Service Temporary

http://www.fema.gov/news/newsrelease.fema?id=54989

RALEIGH, N.C. –– Disaster Recovery Centers in Bertie, Bladen and Lee counties will continue to operate for one more week and then close at 5 p.m. Saturday, May 21.

"Our disaster recovery center operations are adjusting hours and locations to serve areas where a need is identified," said Doug Hoell the state's Director of Emergency Management.

Those whose homes or businesses were affected by the April 16 storms and tornadoes can continue to get in–person help at any open Disaster Recovery Center. Hours are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily except Sunday when centers are closed.

Find the nearest disaster recovery center by calling FEMA's Helpline at 800–621–FEMA (3362) online at www.fema.gov/assistance/opendrcs.shtm

Bertie County
Colerain Community Building
106 W. Academy St.
Colerain, NC 27924

Bladen County
Powell Melvin Ag Building
450 Smith Circle
Elizabethtown, NC 28337

Lee County
McSwain Agriculture Center
2420 Tramway Road
Sanford, NC 27332

After the centers close, disaster survivors can still call 800–621–FEMA (3362) to register for disaster assistance, check application status and update contact or insurance company information. A Federal Emergency Management Agency

representative is available at the toll–free number from 7 a.m. to
10 p.m. seven days a week. Callers with speech or hearing disabilities may call (TTY) 800–462–7585. Help is available in most languages.

Applicants can also register online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov or with a web–enabled mobile device smartphone. Visit m.fema.gov and follow the link to "apply online for federal assistance."

MOBILE UNIT –
http://www.fema.gov/news/newsrelease.fema?id=54988

RALEIGH, N.C. –– A mobile Disaster Recovery Center will be open in Halifax County for three days next week for those needing help because of severe weather last month.

Hours will be noon to 7 p.m. Monday, May 16, and 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, May 17 and 18.

T.J. Davis Rec Center
400 E. 6th St.
Roanoke Rapids, NC 27870

Representatives from the Federal Emergency Management Agency, North Carolina Division of Emergency Management and other agencies will be available to explain assistance programs and help survivors apply for disaster aid. Recovery specialists also help disaster survivors get in touch with other programs that may be able to help.

http://www.fema.gov/news/newsrelease.fema?id=54923

RALEIGH, N.C. –– Disaster Recovery Centers in Greene, Harnett, Johnston, Pitt and Sampson counties will close at 5 p.m. Saturday, May 14.

“We extended the Saturday hours in Pitt and Sampson counties so we can be absolutely sure that folks
in those two counties have a chance to get help,” said Doug Hoell, the state’s Director of Emergency Management.

Those whose homes or businesses were affected by the April 16 storms and tornadoes can continue to get in–person help at all five centers from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday.

The locations in Greene and Johnston counties will transition for one week to U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) Disaster Loan Outreach Centers beginning Monday, May 16. The SBA centers will be open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily through Friday, May 20.

The Greene and Johnston county SBA Disaster Loan Outreach Centers will provide in–person help to start and complete applications. SBA staff is also available to answer all questions, close loans, and offer help with reconsideration requests.

Greene County
Snow Hill Fire Station
201 Carolina Drive
Snow Hill, NC 28580

Harnett County
East Pointe Shopping Center - Suite 106
1165 East Cumberland St.
Dunn, NC 28334

Johnston County
The Herald Building
125 South Fourth St.
Smithfield, NC 27577

Pitt County
Farmville Community Center
3886 South Main St. - Club Room 2
Farmville, NC 27829

Sampson County
Sampson County Human Services
360 County Complex Road, Suite 200
Clinton, NC 28329

After the centers close, disaster survivors can still call 800–621–FEMA (3362) to register for disaster assistance, check application status and update contact or insurance company information. A Federal Emergency Management Agency representative is available at the toll–free number from 7 a.m. to
10 p.m. seven days a week. Callers with speech or hearing disabilities may call (TTY) 800–462–7585. Help is available in most languages.

Applicants can also register online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov or with a web–enabled mobile device smartphone. Visit m.fema.gov and follow the link to “apply online for federal assistance.”

For more information about this disaster, go to www.nccrimecontrol.org and click on the red “April Tornadoes” tab. More information is also available at www.fema.gov.
Campaigns: 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated May 14, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8306

Hurricane Dorian Response/Recovery Centers

Walk–in Resource · Standby

NC

Service Temporary

Recovery Centers, now closed for disaster assistance, but posted here for future reference:

NEW HANOVERNEW HANOVER
New Hanover Co. Public Library NE Branch
1241 Military Cutoff Road | Wilmington, NC 28405

HYDE – OCRACOKE
Variety Store Parking Lot
950 Irvin Garrish Highway | Ocracoke, NC 27960

CARTERET
Board of Elections Office
1702 Live Oak Street | Beaufort, NC 28516

DARE
Old PNC Bank
47013 Buxton Back Road | Buxton, NC 27920
Campaigns: 2019 "HURRICANE DORIAN"
Updated Dec 23, 2019 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10131

Southern Baptist Disaster Relief – 2011 Hurricane Irene

Walk–in Resource · Open

NC

Service Temporary

SOURCE: http://www.bpnews.net/BPnews.asp?ID=36016 &
http://www.namb.net/dr/

The American Red Cross has asked SBDR to generate the capacity to prepare and deliver 100,000 meals a day in North Carolina, 50,000 meals in Virginia, 15,000 meals in New England and 5,000 meals in New York.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Meals, On Site Meals Served to First Responders
Campaigns: 2011 Hurricane Irene/Tropical Storm Irene; American Red Cross; Southern Baptist Disaster Relief
Updated Sep 1, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8856

ND

Food Pantry, Oliver County Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
PO Box 277; Med Center 1 Basement, Center, ND 58530
Phone 701–794–3606
Serves Oliver County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Oliver County Food Pantry
Contact: Annette Sanders
PO Box 277 – Med Center 1 Basement
Center, ND 58530
701–794–3606

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Jun 9, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4183

Food Pantry, Emergency Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
1438 10th St N., Fargo, ND 58102

Phone (701) 237–9337 or (701) 280–1817
Serves Fargo, Cass County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families – Impacted by the Red River Flood '09
Service Permanent

Emergency food pantry requests community help

In order to keep pace with the demand for food, the Emergency Food Pantry of Fargo is asking for food donations.

Requests for food have increased because of the flood, according to a news release. The pantry provided food for 171 people on Monday, an increase of 25 percent. At the same time, a major Boy Scout food drive was postponed, which has reduced the pantry's food supply, the release stated.

The Emergency Food Pantry is asking residents to donate food at the baskets located in local grocery stores and churches. Cash donations can be sent to the Emergency Food Pantry, PO Box 5363, Fargo ND 58105.

For those with emergency food needs, the pantry can fill requests only by referral. Referrals can come from social service agencies, churches or similar organizations.

For more information, contact Emergency Food Pantry Coordinator Linda Clark at (701) 237–9337 or (701) 280–1817.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Jun 9, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4228

Food Pantry, Walsh County Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church; PO Box 374; 344 W 15th Street, Grafton, ND 58237

Phone 701– 352–1648
Serves Walsh County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Walsh County Food Pantry
St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church
Contact: Bev
PO Box 374 –– 344 W 15th St
Grafton, ND 58237
701– 352–1648

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Jun 9, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4178

Food Pantry, Dakota Prairie CAA–Cavalier County

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
PO Box 46, Langdon, ND 58249

Phone 701–256–3822
Serves Cavelier County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Dakota Prairie CAA–Cavalier County
Contact: Stacey Hanson
PO Box 46
Langdon, ND 58249
701–256–3822

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4176

Food Pantry Directory, Ransom County, ND (INDEX)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
See notes, Lisbon, ND 58054

Phone See Notes
Serves Ransom County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Ransom County Social Services
Contact: Marian Shelver
901 Ash St
Lisbon, ND 58054
701–648–4512

United Methodist Church
602 Forest St – Po Box AF
Lisbon, ND 58054
701–683–4479

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4173

Food Pantry, Red River Valley Community Action

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
322 State Ave So.; PO Box 148, Michigan, ND 58259

Phone 701–259–2225
Serves Nelson County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Red River Valley Community Action
Contact: Marlene Larson
322 State Ave S – PO Box 148
Michigan, ND 58259
701–259–2225

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Jun 9, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4180

Dakota Family Services

Walk–in Resource · Open

420 3rd ST SE., Minot, ND 58703

Phone 701–837–6508
Service Temporary

SOURCE: Facebook

Dakota Family Services in Minot is operation and has moved to 420 3rd ST SE. Clients can call 701–837–6508.

Jul 10 2010 7:08PM
KXMCTV Minot
http://www.kxnet.com/getArticle.asp?ArticleId=601316

excerpt:
Dakota Family Services is an outreach mission for Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch, providing mental health outpatient therapy to residents in Minot and its surrounding area.

The organization has been housed at 600 22nd Avenue Northwest since it was established in 2008.

Their new offices will be located on the Boys and Girls Ranch campus, just west of Minot.

Boys and Girls Ranch PR and Marketing Director Carla Isom, says the new location will allow residential services to youth and community outreach, all at one location.

(Carla Isom, Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch) "As of August 3rd, we'll be seeing clients right out here at the Ranch, which is nice because it has the same mission as our Ranch programs for at–risk youth, and we'll have our therapists, psychiatrists, psychologists right on campus. And again, it's another way of us being great stewards of the mission that we have."

Dakota Family Services
6301 19th Ave Nw
Minot, ND 58703-8899 (map)
(701) 837-6508
http://www.yellowbook.com/yellow-pages/?what=Counseling+Personal+And+Family&where=minot%2c+north+dakota

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling)
Campaigns: 2011 North Dakota Flood; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes-Floods-Wind Storms
Updated Jun 28, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8697

Food Pantry, Red River Valley Community Action

Walk-in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
Cavalier County Courthouse, Pembina, ND 58271

Phone 701-265-8775
Serves Pembina County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Red River Valley Community Action
Julie Hovde
Cavalier County Courthouse
Pembina, ND 58271
701-265-8775

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4177

FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Centers), North Dakota, INDEX

Walk-in Resource · Open

Disaster Recovery Center (FEMA)
See Notes, ND

Phone 1-800-621-FEMA (3362) or TTY 1-800-462-7585
Web www.DisasterAssistance.gov
Serves North Dakota
Eligibility Impacted by the Red River Flooding 4/09
Service Permanent

One week remains to apply for federal assistance

MOORHEAD - Only one week remains for Minnesotans to apply for federal disaster assistance for flood damage incurred between March 16 and May 22.

Tuesday, June 9 is the last day for residents of designated counties to apply by telephone or online with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The counties designated for Individual Assistance are: Beltrami, Clay, Marshall, Norman, Polk, Traverse and Wilkin.

“For many people, applying for assistance is a critical step toward getting back to normal,” said FEMA’s Federal Coordinating Officer Michael H. Smith. “With just one week left, we want to encourage everyone impacted by the disaster in the designated counties to apply.”

To date, 1,244 Minnesota residents have applied for disaster assistance. More than $5.5 million in federal disaster assistance has been approved for the state. That includes more than $3 million in low-interest disaster loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA).

Federal and state disaster recovery officials urge residents affected by flooding from March 16 to May 22 to apply as soon as possible. Applicants can call the toll-free registration number at 1-800-621-FEMA (3362), TTY 1-800-462-7585, between 7 a.m. and 11 p.m. CDT, seven days a week. Individuals also may register online at www.disasterassistance.gov.

FEMA grants help pay for items like home repairs, temporary housing and other serious, necessary disaster-related expenses. These other expenses could include damaged personal property, medical and dental expenses.

Loan applications for homeowners, renters and businesses of any size also must be submitted by June 9 to the SBA. Loans could cover disaster-related losses including damage or loss of real and personal property. The deadline for loans to cover economic impacts to businesses is Jan. 11, 2010.

Individuals with SBA questions may call the SBA Customer Service Center at 1-800-659-2955, TTY 1-800-877-8339, or online at www.sba.gov/services/disasterassistance.gov.

Applicants who receive a letter from SBA after applying for federal assistance with FEMA need to open it and complete the forms inside. Returning the loan application is an essential part of the disaster recovery process, even for individuals who do not want a loan. Simply filling out and returning the SBA application may make other FEMA assistance available to some applicants.

Residents should apply with FEMA even if they have insurance. FEMA does not duplicate insurance payments or pay deductibles. Applicants may be eligible, however, for assistance with serious, necessary expenses not covered by insurance.

6/2/09
SOURCE: http://www.areavoices.com/springflood/?archive=2009-06

Fargo disaster recover center transitions into SBA loan center

Federal and State disaster officials announced today that the Disaster Recovery Center in Fargo has transitioned to a U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) Disaster Loan Outreach Center (DLOC) beginning on Monday, June 1. The North Dakota Department of Emergency Services (NDDES), the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and SBA officials opened up the DRC to provide one-stop, face-to-face assistance and disaster information to individuals and businesses who suffered damage as a result of the recent flooding.

"At this stage of the recovery process, the emphasis for assistance is to meet the long-term needs of victims," said NDDES Deputy Director Greg Wilz. "We believe the transition of the Disaster Recovery Center to an SBA Disaster Loan Outreach Center will better meet the current needs of Fargo area residents."
"Just because the Fargo Disaster Recovery Center has closed does not mean FEMA is leaving," said FEMA's Federal Coordinating Officer Justo "Tito" Hernandez. "We will be here as long as it takes.

If you have not registered yet, or have questions about your application or our programs, call us at 1-800-621-FEMA or TTY 1-800-462-7585, or go online at www.disasterassistance.gov.". Operators are available from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. Central time daily (6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. Mountain time).

North Dakota Disaster Update:
Assistance for Individuals and Households Nears $3 Million

Release Date: April 24, 2009
Release Number: 1829-035

Bismarck, N.D. – Disaster assistance for North Dakotans affected by the floods has reached almost $3 million dollars in grants and loans. Since the April 10th declaration for the Individual Assistance program, more than 2,000 residents have registered with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for assistance, and a steady stream of grant and loan checks go out daily.

Eligible applicants affected by the recent floods beginning March 13 may receive grants to help pay for temporary housing, essential home repairs or other serious disaster-related expenses, such as medical, dental, funeral or burial expenses not covered by insurance or other sources. To date, 1,382 home inspections have been completed throughout the state. The deadline for Individual Assistance registrations in North Dakota is June 9, 2009.

The Small Business Administration (SBA) has approved loans for $131,600 home and business combined. SBA customer service representatives are staffing all Disaster Recovery Centers to answer questions. Additionally, SBA continues to offer specialized help to business owners at the SBA Business Recovery Center in the West Acres Shopping Center (on the main level near the Fountain Entrance by JC Penney), 3902 13th Avenue South, Suite 5237 in Fargo.

Disaster Unemployment Assistance claims have reached $16,816 in checks disbursed to workers affected by the floods and severe storms.

Public Assistance

In addition to the aid for individuals and households, FEMA has obligated $3.5 million in federal funds to the state of North Dakota for local governments and state agencies.

Mission Assignments

FEMA and North Dakota Department Emergency Services have coordinated 118 mission assignments to numerous federal and state agencies to protect property and lives statewide. The total cost to date is $33 million. Some of the agencies enlisted in the emergency response include the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, U.S. Coast Guard Disaster Assistance Response Teams, the American Red Cross, and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

More than 450 FEMA personnel have been deployed from across the nation to North Dakota, plus 122 individuals from supporting agencies.

Disaster Recovery Centers:

Nearly 900 people have visited the seven Disaster Recovery Centers now open throughout North Dakota to find out about their claim status, recovery program information or get help filling out their SBA packet. The Centers' hours are from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. local time, Monday through Saturday, and on Sunday, 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. until further notice.

Residents who plan to stop by the DRC are urged to register for assistance before their visit. Residents can register for assistance by calling 1–800–621–FEMA (3362) or TTY 1–800–462–7585 or visiting www.DisasterAssistance.gov online. The registration line is open daily from 6 a.m. – midnight CDT and 5 a.m. – 11 p.m. MDT until further notice. The call is free.

Bismarck DRC
Gateway Fashion Mall
2700 State St. Ste F5
Bismarck, Burleigh Co

Linton DRC
Linton Community Center
101 1st St. NE
Linton, Emmons Co.

Wahpeton Fire Dept.
Northside Station
1065 16th Ave N
Wahpeton, Richland Co.

Fargo DRC
Cass County Courthouse Annex
1010 2ND Ave. South
Fargo, Cass Co.

Beulah DRC
120 7th St. NE
Beulah, Mercer Co.

Valley City DRC
Barnes County Courthouse
230 4th St. NW
Valley City, Barnes Co.

Mott DRC
Mott Armory
507 Brown Ave.
Mott, Hettinger Co
Closes Sunday 4/26

The following North Dakota counties were added for Individual Assistance on April 10: Adams, Barnes, Billings, Burleigh, Cass, Dickey, Emmons, Foster, Grand Forks, Griggs, Hettinger, Kidder, LaMoure, Logan, McIntosh, Mercer, Morton, Nelson, Ransom, Richland, Sargent, Steele, Stutsman, Towner, Traill and Williams.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Services, Disaster Mitigation
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated Jun 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4279

Food Pantry Directory, Cass County, ND (INDEX)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
See Notes, See Notes, ND
Phone See Notes
Service Temporary

Rural Cass County Emergency Food Pantry
Contact: Joanne Rode
PO Box 261
Casselton, ND 58012
701–347–5461

New Life Center
Contact: Dan Danielson
Box 1067 – 1902 3rd Ave N
Fargo, ND 58107
701–235–4453

Salvation Army
Contact: Carleen
304 Roberts St
Fargo, ND 58102
701-232-5565

Expanded Food and Nutrition Program
Contact: Suzanne Fundingsland
Box 5016 - NDSU Extension Service
Fargo, ND 58105
701-231-7254

Tri-City Food Pantry
PO Box 9522 - 1420 16th St S
Fargo, ND 58106
701-271-2862

FM Emergency Food Pantry
Contact: Linda Clark
1438 10th St N - PO Box 5363
Fargo, ND 58105
701-237-9337

St Mary Food Pantry
Contact: Doreen Talma
1331 N 10th St
Fargo, ND 58102
701-235-6429

Fargo-Moorhead YWCA
Contact: Lynn Holzer
1616 12th Ave N
Fargo, ND 58102
701-232-3449

SENDCAA
Contact: Gail Bollinger
PO Box 2683 -- 3233 S University Drive
Fargo, ND 58108
701-232-2452

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4169

Food Pantry Directory, Grand Forks County, ND (INDEX)

Walk-in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
See Notes, See Notes, ND

Phone See Notes
Serves Grand Forks County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Community Emergency Food Pantry
222 Towner Ave
Arvilla, ND 58214
701-343-2813

GF Faith Hope Food Pantry
PO Box 111 -- 200 Main St
Emerado, ND 58228
701-594-2480

Northland Rescue Mission
Soup Kitchen
Contact: Laurie Schrum
420 Division Ave

Grand Forks, ND 58201
701–772–6609

Red River Valley Community Action
1013 N 5th St
Grand Forks, ND 58203
701–746–5431

St Vincent DePaul
Contact: Joanne Brundin
620 8th Ave S
Grand Forks, ND 58201
701–795–8614

Greater GF Emergency Food Cupboard
Contact: Elaine Nelson
219 S 4th St
Grand Forks, ND 58201
701–772–7427

Salvation Army
Contact: Lindy Nelson
1600 University Ave
Grand Forks, ND 58203
701–775–2597

Grand Forks County Food Program
Contact:Vicky Cichy
5094 River Crest Road
Grand Forks, ND 58201
701–772–7756

Community Food Pantry
Contact: Jean Thompson
Box 395
Larimore, ND 58251
701–343–2240

Northwood Food Pantry
Contact: Kay Case
Box 64 – 6 N Raymond St
Northwood, ND 58267
701–587–5862

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods Support (Closed/Standby)
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4182

Food Pantry Directory, McIntosh County, ND (INDEX)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
See Notes, See Notes, ND

Phone See Notes
Serves McIntosh County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Food Pantry
Contact: Chad Madsen
PO Box 97
Ashley, ND 58413
701–288–3360

Food Pantry
Contact: James Ruff
Box 117 – 121 Main St
Lehr, ND 58460
701–378–2390

Food Pantry
5 Centennial St South
(Behind Senior Center)
Wishek, ND 58495
701–452–2147

Zeeland Senior Center
Contact: Bernie Levi
Zeeland, ND 58581
701–423–5602

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4175

Food Pantry Directory, Ramsey County, ND (INDEX)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
See Notes, See Notes, ND

Phone See Notes
Serves Ramsey County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Dakota Prairie CAA
Contact: Janet Hannesson
Box 698 – 223 4th St
Devils Lake, ND 58301
701–662–6500 (ext 328) or 1–800–321–5943

Community Nourishment for Mind and Body
Contact: Esther Abraham
Unit 200 Tokio Housing –– Rt 2 Box 56A
Tokio, ND 58379
701–294–3012

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4179

Food Pantry Directory, Stutsman County, ND (INDEX)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
See Notes, See Notes, ND

Phone See Notes
Service Temporary

Trinity Evangelical Church
Contact: Jean Miller
Adrian, ND 58472
701– 778–7031

Alpha Opportunities
Deb Orr
1521 Business Loop East
Jamestown, ND 58404
701–252–0162

Community Action Region VI
Contact: Sandy Metzger
PO Box 507 –– 1311 12th Ave NE
Jamestown, ND 58402
701–252–1821

Salvation Army
Contact:Captain Ashcraft
PO Box 221 –– 321 1st Ave N

Jamestown, ND 58402
701-252-0290

Progress Community Center
Contact: Rick Bolonchuck
428 2nd St SW
Jamestown, ND 58401
701-251-2964

Food Pantry
Contact: Lorraine Kollman
606 6th Ave
Kensal, ND 58455
701-435-2496

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4170

Food Pantry Directory, Barnes County, ND (INDEX)

Walk-in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
See Notes, Valley City, ND 58072

Phone See Notes
Serves Barnes County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Valley City Cares
Contact:Rosie Larson
525 5th Ave SW
Valley City ND 58072
701-845-4505

Barnes County Food Pantry
Contact: Joan Campbell
Box 298 – 139 2nd Ave SE
Valley City ND 58072
701-845-4300

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4171

Food Pantry, Richland Wilkin Food Pantry

Walk-in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
207 N 11th Street, Wahpeton, ND 58075

Phone 701-642-1921
Serves Richland County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4172

Food Pantry Directory, LaMoure County, ND (INDEX)

Walk-in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
See Notes, ND

Phone See Notes
Serves LaMoure County, ND
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Senior Center
Contact: Alice Buerkley

Box 239
Kulm, ND 58456
701–647–2258 (office) 647–2600 (home)

Senior Center
Contact: Jo Pulsifer
LaMoure, ND 58458
701–883–5088

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2009 MidWest Floods
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4174

NE

Red Cross, Ft. Kearney Chapter

Walk–in Resource · Open

Red Cross
520 W. 48th Street, Kearney, NE 68845
Phone 308–234–2770
Web www.ftkearneyredcross.org/ftkearneyredcross.org/Others/home.html
Serves Buffalo County
Eligibility May '08 Tornado/MidWest Storms
Service Temporary

No disaster updates for May '08 Tornado/Storms on this web site

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; First Responder, MidWest Region; Services, Disaster Relief; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Recovery; Training Classes, Disaster Response; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First–Aid Certification; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated Jun 14, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3143

NJ

St. Paul's United Methodist Church (DONATION COLLECTION) – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Recovery
423 West Lake Avenue, Bay Head, NJ 08742
Phone (732) 892–5926 – Email: stpaulshelping@gmail.com
Serves Bay Head, NJ
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Sandy
Service Temporary

LTEL posted 12/30/12:

December 10th update : NEEDS: Ammonia, Dish Soap, Laundry Detergent, Work gloves, Dust masks, Batteries (D, C, AA, 9V), Flashlights, Big black trash bags, Paper towels, Juice boxes, Wipes (disinfecting, cleaning, baby), Windex, Kitchen Spray cleaners, Gift cards to Home Depot, Kohl's, Stop & Shop, Target
Pre–cooked food (ideas: trays of food, pots of soup, packed sandwiches) , uncooked chicken, uncooked ground beef, perishable ingredients to cook, beverages, butter, cream cheese, coffee maker

Beginning in 2013, hot breakfast is served from 7–9 am and hot dinner is served from 5–7 pm. (per voicemail greeting).

FACEBOOK PAGE: https://www.facebook.com/pages/St–Pauls–UMC–Bay–Head/164220393665030?fref=ts

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Meals, Breakfast; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Hot Meals
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Dec 30, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9612

Brick PAL – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY (VOLUNTEERS & FOOD DONATIONS NEEDED)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Distribution: Hot Meals For Disaster Survivors
60 Drum Point Rd., Brick, NJ
Phone 732 447 0144

Service Temporary

Nov 16th, 2012 Hurricane Sandy Update –

Needed every day: –Butter, cream cheese, bagels, pastries, donuts –Fresh Vegetables: Broccoli, Cauliflower and Salad supplies –Gallon size #10 cans of: corn, green beans, potatoes (white & sweet), baked beans, tomatoes etc –Rolls..., Dinner Rolls – Coffee, cream, powdered creamer, cocoa/hot chocolate mix –Soda cans, SERVING utensils/pans/paper goods, gloves, cardboard boxes, prepared foods

Volunteers needed to help serve, set up and clean up

UPDATE 11/25/12:

*Also a Volunteer Location – NOVEMBER 25 – DESPERATE NEED FOR VOLUNTEERS: every day, 9:30am to 5pm – **especially 5pm to clean up and break down the room to get it ready for the PAL's night classes that start at 6pm**

Services offered: Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Nov 26, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9557

Operation Brick Food Relief (HOT MEALS) – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY

Walk–in Resource · Open

55 Brick Blvd., Brick Township, NJ 08723
Phone (732) 237–4200
Web www.facebook.com/operationbrickfoodrelief
Service Temporary

Operation Brick Food Relief [OBFR] was established to feed displaced residents, residents lacking power in their homes, First Responders, National Guardsmen and anyone affected by Hurricane Sandy looking for a delicious hot meal.

operationbrickfoodrelief @ gmail.com

Volunteers always needed (3pm til closing)
Delivery drivers [delivering to affected areas] & servers needed.
[for more info call!] 732–237–4200

Services offered: Meals, Hot Meals; Meals, Mobile Meals, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Meals, On Site Meals Served to First Responders; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Jan 12, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9619

Burlington Seniors Rec Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
522 Wood St.; Daniel Keegan Ctr, Burlington, NJ 08016
Phone 609–386–5668 (Keegan Ctr.)

No website found. Services unknown.

This facility is a member agency w/Philabundance. See record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Events, Community Meetings; Facilities: Senior Center
Updated Feb 2, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2773

St Joseph Social Service Center

Walk–in Resource

118 Division St., Elizabeth, NJ 07201
Phone 908.352.2989/2966
Web stjosephelizabeth.org
Service Temporary

Volunteer...
Contact us:
908.352.2989/2966
or email:
jacintaosb @yahoo.com

2012

Hurricane Sandy: updated October 30, 2012 at 9:14 PM
Tuesday's closures and cancellations in Union County
http://www.nj.com/independentpress/index.ssf/2012/10/hurricane_sandy_tuesdays_closu.html

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Training Classes, ESL (English as a Second Language); Training, Job Training; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Oct 31, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9436

Abundant Life Christian Flsh

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry
p1440 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ 08618

Web www.faithcovenantministries.com/new_jersey.htm
Serves Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery and Philadelphia counties in PA; Burlington, Camden, Gloucester, Mercer and Salem counties in NJ.

Member agency of Philabundance – See facility record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Directories, Directory of Churches; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Sep 3, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2727

Operation BBQ Relief – NJ – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY

Walk–in Resource · Standby

C/O Meat BBQ Co.; 212A Lacey Road, Forked River, NJ

Serves Forked River, Seaside, NJ
Service Temporary

11/1/12:

UPDATE FOR VOLUNTEERS: Folks, we are in the process of securing two locations, one in the area of Forked River, New Jersey and the other in lower Manhattan, New York. We are close on a few but the issue is several will not let us set up unless there is sewer and potable water. Again, the location at Meat BBQ Co. in Forked River is NOT where we are cooking. It was a staging area only and a location where we can have supplies shipped so that we can pick them up. Please do not call or otherwise interfere with Matt and his business there! Additionally, we are putting together a schedule so that we can have the best coverage of volunteers over the longest period of time. We are basing it off of estimated OBR needs and the timeframes you as volunteers have stated that you are available. Please hang on for just a bit longer until we can update you.

Thank you from Operation BBQ Relief

Report –
http://www.nj.com/ocean/index.ssf/2012/11/brick_residents_get_disaster_relief_from_alabama_agency_in_wake_of_hurricane_sandy.html

10/30/12 via Operation BBQ Relief:

Finally! Some news on at least our staging area and a location where folks donating supplies, sauces, rubs and food can ship! This will be in Forked River, NJ. Matt Ragusa, owner of Meat BBQ Co. Has graciously said that OBR can start at his business location. The address for Meat BBQ Co. is 212A Lacey Road, Forked River, NJ 08731. Any donations being sent, please include "Attention Operation BBQ Relief". We should have an OBR field leader there sometime tomorrow. Thank you!

What can you do? Below are our needs:

1 – Volunteers: If you would like to volunteer to help cook and serve food with us in New Orleans please email us at: info@OperationBBQRelief.org

2 – Food and Non–Food Supplies – We are still working on the projection of meals a day but with the power outages and damaged areas 3000–5000 is a safe estimate. Here is the list of items we need:

Protein – pork butt, pork loin, sausage, chicken, etc
Bread
Chips
Water and Gatorade
Aluminum Pans (full sized)
Aluminum Foil (large roll wide)
Disposable Rubber Gloves – Large and XLarge
Clam Shells
Flatware
Paper towels

clorox wipes and spray bleach
serving utensils
wood, pellets and charcoal
etc... I am sure we are missing some things but these are the basics.

3 – Monetary Donation – Lastly, if you are unable to volunteer and do not have the ability to help with items needed above you can always go to our website and make a monetary donation. Every little bit helps! Go to: www.operationbbqrelief.org and click the donate button on the left side! As a 501c3 non profit your donations are tax deductible.

Please share this email with your friends and help us get the word out on what we need! Thank you for your continued support!

Stay tuned to our facebook page for updated information!

https://www.facebook.com/OperationBBQRelief?fref=ts

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Disaster Fund; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Hot Meals; Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Nov 3, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9434

RAINE Foundation (Hosted by: Beers Street School) – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY (VOLUNTEER OPS/CLEAN UP ASSISTANCE/DISTRIBUTION)

Walk–in Resource · Open

MAILING ADDRESS: 17 Racoon Drive, Hazlet, NJ 07730; DISTRIBUTION SITE:; Beers Street School; 610 Beers Street Hazlet, NJ, Hazlet, NJ 07730

Phone 732–865–3555 // Beers Street School: 732–264–1107
Web www.rainefoundation.com
Service Temporary

TWITTER:

https://twitter.com/RAINEHazlet

FACEBOOK:

https://www.facebook.com/RaineFoundation?fref=ts

FROM THE SITE 11/18/12:

Hurricane Sandy Relief

RAINE Foundation had their main command center setup at Beers Street School. We had 100s of volunteers working from morning to night, supplying hot food, cold food, water, clothing, ice, toiletries. We were updating our facebook page constantly with specific needs as we go, and within minutes, our needs were met!

(Nov 4th, 2012) THIS JUST IN - RAINE delivers on 18,000 hot meals to hurricane victims (via PATCH).

The RAINE Foundation Clean–up Crew was started by several volunteers who were willing to put their lives in danger to help residents who are in crisis due to the devastating effects of Hurricane Sandy.

Our Clean up Crew consists of men and women who travel into the danger zones and help those in need with cleaning up their demolished home. These families lost their homes, and personal belongings.

Services offered: Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Ice ; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Nov 18, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9560

United Way of Hudson County

Walk–in Resource · Open

857 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, NJ 07306

Phone 201.434.2625
Web www.unitedwayofhc.org
Service Temporary

Progress being made in Jersey City recovery efforts, Healy says –
updated November 02, 2012 at 10:35 PM
http://www.nj.com/hudson/index.ssf/2012/11/progress_being_made_in_jersey.html#incart_river

FACEBOOK –
https://www.facebook.com/pages/United-Way-of-Hudson-County/183507161709368

POST –

October 29.HURRICANE SANDY
SUBJECT:
Hurricane Relief (HELP NEEDED)

MESSAGE:
We need your help. This storm has already caused major damage in our area.
We are currently working to provide logistics and information and referral for the 1st responders. PLEASE HELP US WITH THE RECOVERY EFFORT.

Make a $10 donation for the relief effort.
You can do this up to 3 times.

...TEXT MESSAGE
UWHC (United Way Hudson County)
To number 52000

To make a larger donation to the Relief Effort use our website: UnitedWayofHC.org

Follow storm updates via United Way of Hudson County texts. MESSAGE TO: 91011
TEXT: UWHCnews

Please send this message to as many people and groups as possible.

Services offered: Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy; United Way
Updated Nov 3, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9487

Saint Marks Center for Community Renewal (Social Services/Hot Meals) – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY

Walk-in Resource · Open

247 Carr Avenue, Keansburg, NJ 07734
Phone (732) 787-1075
Web www.stmarkskeansburg.org
Service Temporary

FACEBOOK: https://www.facebook.com/SaintMarksKeansburg

Saint Marks Center for Community Renewal is open 7 days a week serving hot meals 12-2pm and open until 3pm. Monday through Thursday from 12-2 we have crisis counselors present from Project hope and healing who can assist individuals and families with anything that is storm related. In addition we have VNA nurse on Thursdays from 12-2 to check vitals and social workers from the Monmouth county division of social services on site to help navigate SNAP and other social services.

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Hot Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Services, Social Services, General Social Services
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Jan 6, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9615

Croydon Hall (DONATION COLLECTION/DISTRIBUTION) – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY

Walk-in Resource · Open

900 Leonardville Rd., Middletown, NJ 07737
Service Temporary

UPDATED NEEDS 11/18/12 (LTEL):

The disaster relief center at Croydon Hall (900 Leonardville Rd)
needs:

toiletries
clean underwear
socks

paper towels
toilet paper
cleaning supplies
all sizes of household batteries

Services offered: Distribution, Cleaning/Clean Up Supplies (Post Disaster); Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Nov 19, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9562

Ocean Gate Methodist United Church (MEALS/DONATION COLLECTION/ DISTRIBUTION)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Disaster Relief
Bayview Avenue & Asbury, Ocean Gate, NJ 08740

Phone (732) 269–2106
Serves Ocean County, New Jersey
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Sandy
Service Temporary

HURRICANE SANDY UPDATED NEEDS 11/18/12:

Non–perishable food, warm blankets, WARM clothing, pet supplies, baby supplies, cleaning supplies, buckets

Mon – Sat 9a – 3p Volunteers needed to sort and distribute items as well as cook

LTEL 11/18/12:

Hot Meals is not verified but entered, assuming they are cooking for folks since they are asking for volunteer cooks. Call ahead for confirmation.

Also note the list of available items for distribution is subject to whether it is has been donated and not run out. Items they list as being collected are entered, but never assume they are available.

ALWAYS CALL AHEAD!

Services offered: Animals, Supplies, * Animal/Pet Supplies (ANY/ALL Types) ; Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Buckets * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Cleaning/Clean Up Supplies (Post Disaster); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Linens, Bedding, Blankets * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Hot Meals; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Nov 19, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9565

Woody's Ocean Grille "Operation Feed Sea Bright" – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY (FOOD/RELIEF SUPPLIES DISTRIBUTION/DONATION COLLECTION)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Business
1 East Church Street, Sea Bright, NJ

Service Temporary

Nov 16, 2012: Needs Sterno, laundry detergent, garbage pails, laundry baskets, new socks, rakes, buckets, mops, tin foil, salad dressing, BBQ sauce, serving dishes (tin), bacon, eggs, any food item (we have storage).....Hot dog and hamburger rolls are in short supply!! NO CLOTHING PLEASE.

Nov 17, 2012: Check with location but they have been feeding large groups every day

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Nov 19, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9564

Samaritan Homeless Interim Program (SHIP)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Outreach Services
87 EAST HIGH STREET, Somerville, NJ 08876

Phone To help, call 908–393–9545 and leave a message.
Web ship908.com
Service Temporary

2011 HURRICANE IRENE –

SEE LINK BELOW FOR DETAILS of flood effects –––

Somerville homeless program, listing in floods after Irene, sends out S.O.S.
September 01, 2011
http://www.nj.com/messenger–gazette/index.ssf/2011/09/post_33.html

PHOTO –
On East High Street, Samaritan Homeless Interim Program lost refrigeration, HVAC equipment, food and supplies when Hurricane Irene's floods filled the basement and four feet of the first floor. SHIP's Mobile Medical Clinic sustained less damage. Photo by staff photographer George Pacciello.

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Services offered: Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Community Outreach Programs; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Lunches (Bag); Medical, Services, Eyecare Services; Medical, Services, Mobile Medical Unit/Clinic; Services, Emergency Services
Campaigns: 2011 Hurricane Irene/Tropical Storm Irene
Updated Sep 3, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8870

Churches of Christ Disaster Response Team (COCDRT) – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY (FEEDING/DISTRIBUTION/DONATION COLLECTION/VOLUNTEER OPS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Recovery
SEE NOTES – 2 LOCATIONS; HQ: 810 HOLLYWOOD BLVD.; WEST MELBOURNE, FLORIDA 3290, Various, NJ

Web www.churchesofchristdrt.org
Serves Union Beach, New Jersey
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Sandy
Service Temporary

HURRICANE SANDY UPDATE – 11/14/12
DRT is currently working with the Monmouth Church of Christ in Tinton Falls, NJ and the Gateway Church of Christ in Union Beach, NJ. We are looking to expand the relief efforts into additional areas where needed.

Volunteer Housing is at the Monmouth Church of Christ:

312 Hance Ave. Tinton Falls, NJ

We are so thankful to all of the volunteers that are taking the time to come and Show the Love Of Jesus in helping those affected by Hurricane Sandy get back on their feet and "See a light at the end of the tunnel"

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

DISTRIBUTION
PROPERTY CLEAN UP
REBUILDING/REPAIRING OF PROPERTIES
COOKING
OFFICE WORK/PHONE CALLS, ETC.
TOOL/EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE
COUNSELING
BIBLE STUDIES

Please Register to volunteer by clicking on the link on the site
REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED DUE TO SPACE LIMITATIONS.

Questions? Please call or text Mark Cremeans at: 937–308–0035
or email Laura at: disasterrelief @ hotmail.com

GIFT CARDS FOR LOWES, WALMART, TARGET AND MAJOR RESTAURANTS ARE ALSO NEEDED.. PLEASE CALL LAURA FOR MAILING ADDRESS: 937–308–2259

Please Pray for those affected as well as the volunteers working to bring hope back into their lives.

This storm has destroyed/damaged a very large area. Many are without flood insurance.....Many are elderly..... So many are in need of assistance. Because of the giving hearts of so many of you, DRT is able to help provide food, household supplies, building material and basic everyday needs to those affected. The assistance that is provided cannot continue without your help .... Tax Deductible Donations can be made through PayPal to the right of this page or by postal mail to:

CHURCHES OF CHRIST DISASTER RESPONSE TEAM
810 HOLLYWOOD BLVD.
WEST MELBOURNE, FLORIDA 3290

ACCEPTING VOLUNTEERS BEGINNING SAT. NOV. 10TH, 2012

11/5/12 Newsletter:

Greetings,

This is just a quick update to let you know that DRT is working with the Gateway Church of Christ and the Monmouth Church of Christ in the Union Beach, NJ area.

The DRT Semi Tool Trailer will be leaving tomorrow for New Jersey with the mobile kitchen, supply trailer and shower trailer to follow.

We will be distributing supplies, cooking meals, cleaning up properties and helping to rebuild for those without/under insured.

We have housing available for volunteers beginning Saturday and we need LOTS of volunteers.. Please register to volunteer on the DRT website. www.churchesofchristdrt.org

Funding is also needed to help with transporting trailers and equipment, food being served to the volunteers and community, supplies, building material, etc.

A more detailed email will be forthcoming but we wanted to get this out quickly to let you know that we do have housing for volunteers and YOU are needed.

Donations can be made through Paypal on the DRT website www.churchesofchristdrt.org

or by postal mail to:

Churches of Christ Disaster Response Team
810 Hollywood Blvd.
West Melbourne, Florida 32904

Blessings,

Mark and Laura Cremeans
Directors
Churches of Christ Disaster Response Team

COCDRT has physical sites located at:

Gateway Church of Christ
19 Reids Hill Road
Morganville, NJ 07751

and

Monmouth Church of Christ
312 Hance Avenue
Tinton Falls, NJ 07724

Services offered: Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Donations, Disaster Fund; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Housing, Volunteer Housing ($ Donation Appreciated); Meals, Hot Meals; Trailer, Tool Trailer; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL

Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy; Churches of Christ Disaster Response Team; Do Your Part
Updated Nov 15, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9512

Baptist Men and Women on Mission – (Mass Feeding/Clean Up Crews/ Rebuilding) – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY

Walk–in Resource · Open

Main Office –; 205 Convention Drive; Cary, North Carolina 27511; TEMPORARY LOCATION AT:; The kitchen site will be in a parking lot on the campus of Rutgers University., NJ

Phone	(800) 395–5102 ext. 5599
Web	www.baptistsonmission.org
Checks payable to	NC Baptist Men, designated for Disaster Relief, and mail to: NC Baptist Men, Baptist State Convention, PO Box 1107, Cary, NC 27512
Service	Temporary

Facebook post:
10/31/12
Baptist Men and Women on Mission –
New Jersey: NCBM Disaster Relief Feeding Unit 2, Command Unit, shower unit and food for 30,000 arrived on Wed. Oct. 31 in order to begin a mass feeding and recovery site for northern New Jersey. The kitchen site will be in a parking lot on the campus of Rutgers University. Approximately 75 volunteers are expected to begin this operation. Pray for the people of New Jersey as they deal with their current situation.

Please do three things: Pray, Go and Give.
• Pray. Pray for people who were affected by Hurricane Sandy. Pray for the volunteers who are going to minister. Pray for safety and the witness of our disaster relief volunteers. Pray that God's love will be shown to hurting people and they will want to know more about our great God who loves them.

• Go. If you are interested and able to go and help, please go to our website to sign up. To sign up to help, go to http://www.baptistsonmission.org/Sandy. You can also get updates on our website and on our Facebook (listed below)

• Give. Give to help those in need. If you would like to make a contribution, please make your check payable to NC Baptist Men, designated for Disaster Relief, and mail to: NC Baptist Men, Baptist State Convention, PO Box 1107, Cary, NC 27512. You can also give on–line at our website, www.baptistsonmission.org. Also, please support the NC Missions Offering. All of NC Baptist Men's regular budget comes from the NC Missions Offering.

Please follow us on Facebook and visit our website for updates.

Thank you for praying, going and giving.

NC Baptist Men/Baptists on Mission See More on our website http://www.baptistsonmission.org/Sandy
http://www.youtube.com/BaptistsOnMission

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Donations –
Money will be needed to provide assistance to Sandy survivors including the purchase of building materials to help people rebuild. A Hurricane Sandy Disaster Relief Reserve fund has been set up. 100% of what you give will be used in these disaster relief and rebuilding efforts.

or mail a check, designated for Hurricane Sandy Disaster Relief:
North Carolina Baptist Men
P. O. Box 1107
Cary, NC 27512–1107

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FACEBOOK –
https://www.facebook.com/ncmissions
YOUTUBE:
http://www.youtube.com/BaptistsOnMission

Services offered: Cleanup, Mud–Out, Muck–Out, Flood Cleanup, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Tree Cutting and Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); Construction, Rebuilding, Volunteer Services; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Nov 1, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9457

Local Pantries | Rutgers Against Hunger

Walk–in Resource · Open

NJ

Phone 732–445–info (4636)
Web rah.rutgers.edu
Service Temporary

from website:

Local Pantries
http://rah.rutgers.edu/get–involved/local–pantries
* Get Involved

Rutgers Against Hunger works in partnership with the New Jersey Federation of Food Banks to assist those in need. The New Jersey Federation of Food Banks provides goods and services to over 1,500 pantries statewide each year. For a list of food banks and pantry locations in your county, please use the drop down–menu below. (at the link above)
If you are affiliated with a pantry and information on your pantry is not included on this list, please contact us to be included.

Services offered: Adopt–A–Family, Families/Orgs That Want to Adopt Families; Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)

Updated Oct 31, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9437

NM

Joy Junction (Thrift Store & Homeless Shelter)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church – Community Outreach

P.O. Box 27693; 4500 2nd St. SW, Albuquerque, NM 87105

Phone 505.877.6967 (mission) ~ 1–800–924–0569 7 days a week, 8:00 A.M. – 8:00 P.M
Web www.joyjunction.org
Hours Mon–Fri, from 9am–4pm, Sat–Sun, from 8am–3pm
Service Temporary

Services offered: Demographic Served: Homeless; Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Thrift Store

Updated Nov 2, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4717

Mescalero Apache Tribe

Walk–in Resource · Open

Mescalero, NM

Phone 575–464–4494
Web mescaleroapachetribe.com
Service Permanent

wildfire response:
https://mescaleroapachetribe.com/25448/sago–fire–update/

flood response:
https://mescaleroapachetribe.com/26246/flood–warning/

Campaigns: 2026 SouthWestern US Wildfire and Flooding Response; Tribal Communities

Updated Oct 27, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10782

NV

Church Of The Nazarene

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry

1520 Grimes St, Fallon, NV 89406

Phone 775–423–3427
Hours Thurs. 11am–1pm
Service Temporary

Update 1/21/08 LTel:

Pastor Slaton called me asking to be reconnected to the storage container donor. He lost the message of the dealer that called him that is in Reno. Thinks it might have been a "Tim Pulitz" (he's not sure of last name).

So far, they are providing direct assistance to a few families that have driven out the 30 miles from Fernley, but are not currently providing any addition food deliveries to other org's or churches.

I reminded Pastor Slaton that the donations for storage containers are strictly for disaster relief efforts.

Per phone call to Pastor Paul Slaton 1/10/08:

They are assisting with Food Distribution in coordination with Living Faith Church in Fernley for Flood Survivors.

On 1/9/08 he delivered 12 cases of mostly fresh dairy products and some non-perishables.

They will continue to assist Fernley on an as needed basis.

They are the only Food Pantry in Fallon. Just approved by the No. Nevada Food Bank.

They do not turn anyone away and don't have eligibility requirements other than what the No. Nevada Food Bank expects.

Pantry Operations Hours are:

Thursdays – 11:30 a.m. till everyone is served
Mondays & Fridays – 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Sundays after church services

Their current biggest need is:

A large stationary Refrigerated Unit for Pantry Operations

Ongoing needs are:

Perishable/Non Perishable Foods

(The pastor gave me a URL that doesn't work for their facility)

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2007 Fernley, Nevada Flood
Updated Jan 21, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2811

Epworth United Methodist Church

Walk-in Resource · Open

Faith Based/Soup Kitchen
280 E Stillwater Ave, Fallon, NV 89406
Phone 775-423-4714
Hours Soup Kitchen open 5:30-6:30pm Mon.& Thur.
Service Permanent

Services offered: Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen
Updated Jan 13, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2812

Goodwill Disaster Distribution Center (Fernley, NV Flood Support)

Walk-in Resource · Open

Non-Profit Disaster Recovery
1301 Chisholm Trail, Fernley, NV
Phone 775-219-7740
Hours Monday-Saturday 9am to 5pm & Sunday 11am to 5pm
Serves Lyon County
Eligibility Impacted by the 2008 Fernley Canal Break/Flood
Service Temporary

FROM www.fernleynews.com:

Goodwill Industries Opening a Donation Drop Center in Fernley for Flood Victims

Goodwill Industries will begin accepting donations for flood victims beginning

Saturday, February 2, 2008.

Location: 1301 Chisholm Trail
(one block east of Taco Bell in Fernley)

Hours: Monday-Saturday 9am to 5pm
Sunday 11am to 5pm

The center will be manned by Fernley volunteers through the direction of Goodwill Industries for the benefit of Fernley Flood Victims.

The building has been provided by Cal Eldridge.

Trailers for additional storage are being provided by Sherwin Williams Paint.

Volunteers are still needed to operate the center. Call Ron Hardin at 219–7740

FROM THE CITY OF FERNLEY WEBSITE:

Volunteers Needed

Fernley, NV – January 25, 2008 –Goodwill Industries will be opening a distribution center in Fernley for victims of the January 5th canal break. They are looking for volunteers to help them transport items to the center and help with management and operations. They anticipate the center will be open by Saturday, February 2. This center will be able to accept goods, furniture, and building material donations. If you would like to help, please contact Rob Hardin of Goodwill Industries at 775–219–7740 or send an email to robh@gimi.org.

Services offered: Building Materials / Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2007 Fernley, Nevada Flood
Updated Feb 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2863

Living Faith Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church – Disaster Relief
110 S Center St, Fernley, NV 89408

Phone (775) 575–5037
Serves Fernley, NV Flood Survivors
Eligibility Impacted by the 1/5/07 Levee Breech
Service Temporary

FROM www.fernleynews.com 2/3/07:

Desert Lakes Community holds Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser
January 26, 2008
Submitted by Mike Logue

The Desert Lakes Golf Community Pancake Breakfast to benefit the Grace Food Pantry of The Living Faith Christian Church was held on Saturday morning January 26th.

The purpose of the breakfast fundraiser was to replenish the food pantry not only for the recent flood victims but for the ongoing service that Grace Food Pantry provides the citizens of Fernley.

The breakfast was held in the clubhouse at the Golf Club at Fernley and was an overwhelming success. Over $5,000 was raised from attendees and their generous donations.

The breakfast was organized by a committee headed by Larry & Jennifer Ashworth and was made successful through the help of many friends and neighbors. Some of the generous donations were made by The Golf Club at Fernley and Thrivent of the Lutheran Fellowship.

LTel 1/7/07:

Per Pastor Matt McCreary of Living Faith Church, their distribution operations (Food–non perishables / Clothing) was moved today to the Community Ctr. on Main St.

He is grateful to accept the offer of a donated storage container and is checking with 4 families impacted by the floods in his congregation today and will get back to me.

Services offered: Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Support for "All" Disasters

Campaigns: 2007 Fernley, Nevada Flood
Updated Feb 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2802

Project MANA

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community Outreach
948 Incline Way, Incline Village, NV 89451

Phone	(775) 298–0008
Web	www.projectmana.org
Hours	Weekdays, variable but generally 9am – 3pm
Checks payable to	Project MANA
Service	Temporary

Services offered: Community Outreach Programs; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution
Updated Jan 9, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2747

Carson Valley Christian Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Non–Profit Community
1095 Stephie Way, Minden, NV 89423

Phone	775 267–0151
Web	www.cvcwired.org/food_pantry.php
Hours	Weekdays, Variable Hours
Serves	Carson City, Gardnerville, Minden
Eligibility	low–income or in need of emergency assistance
Bring	Contact Pastor John Jackson for details
Checks payable to	Carson Valley Christian Food Pantry
Service	Temporary

CVC Community Food Pantry

The CVC Food Pantry makes non–perishable food items available to the needy in our community – whether or not they are members of the CVC church family.

YOU Can Help!

Bring your donations of non–perishable food items and disposable diapers to the CVC Community Food Pantry. We're located in the storage building at the southeast corner of the CVC parking lot. You can also help by purchasing a SHARE food package for either donation, or for yourself (a portion of the proceeds for all SHARE packages purchases goes towards the CVC Community Food Pantry); learn more about SHARE.

Food Pantry Hours of Operation:

Tuesdays: 6:00 – 7:00pm
Saturdays: 5:30–6:00pm
Sundays: Noon – 12:30pm

Can't make it during operation hours? No problem. You can also drop your donations in the box in the CVC lobby anytime.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Jan 9, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2754

CARE Chest of Northern Nevada

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit
7910 North Virginia Street, Reno, NV 89506

Phone	(775) 829–2273
Web	www.carechest.com
Hours	Mon – Fri 8 am to 3 pm
Serves	Northern Nevada
Eligibility	Eligibility for services and supplies is based upon household income and lack of alternative means to acquire needed supplies (i.e. insurance). Qualification is established over the phone and items can be picked–up the same day if available.
Service	Temporary

How We're Funded: C*A*R*E* Chest is a local, independent non–profit, 501(c)3 organization, with no national

affiliation. We are funded entirely through grants, corporate sponsorship, individuals and fundraisers.

What We Provide: Medical Equipment, Nutritional Supplements, Diabetic Supplies, Respiratory Supplies, Ostomy and Colostomy Supplies and Other Types of Supplies and Equipment.

Programs We Can Help With

Enteral (Liquid Nutrition) Products: Monthly supplies of liquid nutrition for individuals who cannot digest solid foods.

Disposable Medical Supplies: Monthly supplies including diapers, adult bed pads, sterile–dressing, ostomy supplies and other items.

Diabetic Supplies: Including insulin, syringes, blood glucose monitors and test strips.

Diabetic Medications: Dispensed through a local pharmacy, $100 annually to cover oral medications.

Recycled Durable Medical Equipment: Loans of recycled wheelchairs, hospital beds, shower chairs, etc.

Emergency Prescriptions: $100 annually for children and $50 for adults to cover antibiotics, respiratory, cardiac and anti–seizure medications.

Lice shampoo and combs: Distributed through area schools for families without the financial means to purchase these items.

Deliveries: Items delivered to homebound clients coordinated by volunteers four times per week.

Community Equipment Loans: To area schools, churches and other agencies for their clients' use.

Respiratory: Nebulizers and medications are provided to infants and adults that suffer from chronic respiratory conditions.

Assistive Technology Loans: Provided by a grant from the State of Nevada, personal loans are made to individuals with disabilities to modify their vehicles or homes.

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Medical, Diagnostic, Diabetic Testing Supplies (Test Kit); Medical, Equipment, Assistive Devices, Chair, Shower Chair; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Wheelchairs, Misc. ; Medical, Equipment, Durable Medical Equipment * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Equipment, Furniture, Bed, Hospital Bed; Medical, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Medication, Rx, Insulin * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)

Updated Jan 28, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2757

Evelyn Mount Community Outreach Program

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community Outreach

2530 Cannan St, Reno, NV 89512

Phone	775 356–0238
Hours	Weekdays, Variable Hours
Serves	Reno/Sparks
Eligibility	Low income/fixed income
Bring	ID, proof of income, proof of residence in community
Checks payable to	Evelyn Mount Community Outreach Program
Service	Permanent

Prepares approx 4000 food baskets for holidays (Thanksgiving/Christmas/Easter). Also can prepare food baskets for individuals/families on an as–needed basis. All are non–perishable items plus a turkey (during holidays). Gets private donations and products/foods donated by the community which are stored for use.

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Holiday, Food Boxes/Basket, Misc.
Campaigns: 2007 Fernley, Nevada Flood

Updated Jan 10, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2748

St. Vincent's Food Pantry (Catholic Community Services of Nevada)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Non–Profit Community

500 E. 4th Street, Reno, NV 89512

Phone	775 786–5266
Web	ccsnn.org/FoodPantry.asp
Hours	Daily 8am to 5pm
Serves	Reno/Sparks/Tahoe
Eligibility	low–income/homeless
Service	Permanent

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Thrift Store; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Gas Vouchers; Vouchers, Medical, Prescription Vouchers
Campaigns: Catholic Charities Community Services; United Way
Updated Mar 24, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2752

Southern Nevada FOOD DISTRIBUTION SITES map

Walk–in Resource · Open

NV
Web www.google.com/maps/d/viewer?mid=1qU_FIhaZiXFgIcNZRp5gtfU6PE2ifbVL&ll=36.161161268740635%2C–115.12582770618204&z=13
Service Temporary

See map for walk up, drive up food distribution sites

source: https://www.threesquare.org/help

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available)
Updated Jul 22, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10473

NY

Part of the Solution (community organizing)

Walk–in Resource · Open

2673 Webster, Bronx, NY
Phone 718 220 4892
Contact director
Email serve @ potsbronx . org
Web www.potsbronx.org
Service Temporary

food panty
meals, lunch and dinner
public showers
clothing
haircuts
safe–mail
legal/justice resources/referrals
eviction advocacy
case mgmt

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Consumer Issues; Advocacy, Disaster Survivors; Advocacy, Economic Justice for Impoverished Populations; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Eviction Defense; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, International Policy; Advocacy, Legislation Support; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant, Legal Services; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocacy, Social Justice, Fair Labor/Worker Rights; Advocacy, Womens Rights; Assistance, How to, File Food Stamp Application; Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Legal Information & Resource Referrals (For Elders/Seniors); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Referrals; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, All Sizes, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Addicts, Recovering; Demographic Served: Artists/Artist Communities; Demographic Served: Caregivers; Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Families; Demographic Served: Families, w/Young Children; Demographic Served: HIV/AIDS Patients; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Homeless, Women Only; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Immigrants; Demographic Served: LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks, Women Only; Demographic Served: Migrants; Demographic Served: Refugees; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Survivors, Violence; Demographic Served: Teens; Demographic Served: Teens, Troubled; Demographic Served: Victims of Sexual Exploitation; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Directories, Financial Assistance Programs; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Regional Distribution; Donations, In–Kind Donations; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Facility: Community Center; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Baskets; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Food Pack, 3–4 days, 2–3 people; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Food Pack, 3–4 Days, 4 People; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/Elderly); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks);

Haircuts, FREE Haircuts; * KITS, FOOD KITS; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Dinner; Meals, Hot Meals; Meals, Lunches (Hot); Meals, Lunches, Misc.; Meals, Lunch, Summer Program for Kids; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; Services, Legal Assistance; Services: Legal Assistance for Disaster Survivors; Services, Legal Assistance (For Low–Income Families); Services, Legal Assistance for Seniors/Elderly; Services, Mail (Safe Mail); Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types
Campaigns: Ending Extreme Poverty; Social Activists/Organizers
Updated Jul 4, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8728

Brooklyn Free Fridges [free food 24x7]

Walk–in Resource · Open

1. 1114 Bedford Ave (at the shop); 2. 343 Tompkins Ave (@sincerelytommy_); 3. 4415 4th Ave (@yafabrooklyn), Brooklyn, NY
Web www.instagram.com/p/CB_GX9hjTIr
Service Temporary

1. 1114 Bedford Ave (at the shop)
2. 343 Tompkins Ave (@sincerelytommy_)
3. 4415 4th Ave (@yafabrooklyn)

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jun 17, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10442

Brooklyn, Community Fridges, Free Food

Walk–in Resource · Open

various see link or comment below, Brooklyn, New York, NY
Web inourheartsnyc.org/tag/fridge
Service Temporary

133 Van Buren St Bedstuy 11221
190 Knickerbocker Ave Bushwick 11237
1144 Bergen St Crown Heights 11216

Brooklyn Food Share is a community effort of grassroots organizations, nonprofits, restaurants, grocery stores, and individuals. By collecting and sharing food that may otherwise go to waste we are able to keep the refrigerators stocked and open to the community.

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Food Not Bombs; Social Change Initiative
Updated Sep 26, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10375

Harlem Children's Zone

Walk–in Resource · Open

Harlem, NY
Web www.hcz.org
Service Temporary

Programs (from the website, go there to see great videos):

Early Childhood

As researchers confirm that the early–childhood years are key to building a strong foundation for future educational success, HCZ has been bolstering its work with children and families in these critically important first years. Like all of HCZ's programs, our early childhood programs provide their services free to the public, which is possible thanks to the generosity of people like you. Please consider making a donation today.

The Baby College®

The Baby College offers a nine–week parenting workshop to expectant parents and those raising a child up to three years old. Among other lessons, the workshops promote reading to children and verbal discipline over corporal punishment. Over the past two years, more than 870 people graduated from The Baby College.

Elementary School

As children make their way through the critical first years of school, HCZ is there to ensure that they stay on track in several ways. Like all of HCZ's programs, the elementary school programs provide their services free to the public, which is possible thanks to the generosity of people like you. Please consider making a donation today.

Promise Academy Charter Schools:

Since their creation in 2004 and 2005, Promise Academy I and II elementary schools have done well enough to lead Harvard economist Roland Fryer to conclude that the students had actually closed the black–white achievement gap. The schools have a longer school day and year, and feature wide–ranging, enriching after–school programs. In 2009, the third–graders from both schools were 100 percent on or above grade level in the statewide math program. At PA1 the third–graders were 94 percent on or above grade level in English Language Arts, while the third–graders at PAII were at 86 percent.

For the students in the Zone who are not able to get into our charter schools, our AmeriCorps–supported Peacemakers program supports students during the school day and after school.

Harlem Peacemakers

Harlem Peacemakers, funded in part by AmeriCorps, trains young people who are committed to making their neighborhoods safe for children and families. The agency has 86 Peacemakers working as teaching assistants in seven public schools, serving 2,500 students. Part of the afterschool program is a chess program: one team finished second and two other teams came in third in the All Nationals for Girls in 2009.

The Fifth Grade Institute

The Fifth Grade Institute is a Peacemakers program. This free after–school effort was designed to benefit fifth graders in Harlem public schools by helping prepare them for Middle School. The central goals of this innovative program are to improve academic performance and prepare fifth graders for the challenges that lie ahead. The Institute has already helped improve the abilities of its enrolled students, helping to make college a reality for them.

Middle School

Teaching middle–schoolers is widely acknowledged as one of the most difficult challenges in public education. To help these students, HCZ has a dual–track pipeline: we work with children in our Promise Academy charter schools, as well as with students in public schools within the Zone. Like all of HCZ’s programs, the middle school programs provide their services free to the public, which is possible thanks to the generosity of people like you. Please consider making a donation today.

Promise Academy Charter Schools

The Promise Academy middle school program began with 100 sixth–graders in 2004, many of whom were far below grade level. Despite some initial struggles (chronicled in the book "Whatever It Takes"), the school has coalesced and the students have been thriving. In 2009, 87.3 percent of the school's eighth–graders were on or above grade level in math on the New York Statewide exam. The middle school has a longer school day and year, and offers students a wide–ranging education as well as many "wrap–around services" such as free medical and dental care, freshly made healthy meals and an enriching afterschool program.

High School

Too often, high school is the last stand for low–income students who have fallen behind. Many drop out– only to find that they are unable to find a job or make a comfortable life for themselves. Some, particularly boys, drift into drugs, gangs and crime. In the past two years, we have increased the number of high school students we support, introducing HCZ's multiple site College Preparatory Program that makes year–round academic improvement possible for over 900 secondary level Harlem youth. HCZ's high school contingent is doing whatever it takes to get Harlem's students into college and, ultimately, the workplace.

Like all of HCZ’s programs, our high–school programs provide their services free to the public, which is possible thanks to the generosity of people like you. Please consider making a donation today.

Promise Academy Charter Schools:

Promise Academy began its high school in the fall of 2008 and that initial class of ninth–graders have continued their middle–school progress, with 93 percent passing the Algebra Regents. The 2009–10 school year has seen the tenth grade added to Promise Academy High School. Each subsequent year will see the introduction of a new grade until all high–school levels are represented. In addition, we have created several cross–site initiatives to help our high school students navigate the process of getting into college.

ACADEMIC CASE MANAGEMENT:

Academic Case Management (ACM) is a holistic approach to youth development that each HCZ site serving Middle School (MS), High School (HS) and College Success students employs to strengthen our mission to support the healthy emotional, social, intellectual, physical and professional development of each child throughout his or her lifespan.

As in the middle–school, each of the six high–school sites has Student Advocates, assigned by grades, to work with each young person to create individualized Action Plans that identify concrete strategies to enrich and support the student's academic achievement, college readiness and personal growth. ACM focuses on building collaborations with the parents, teachers and other stakeholders to inform, develop, execute, assess and track student progess, particulary in the critical transitions from middle to high school and then into college.

TRUCE Arts & Media

TRUCE (The Renaissance University for Community Education) does youth development through the arts and media, working with youth in grades 9–12 on academic growth, career readiness as well as fostering media literacy and artistic ability. In 2008–09, TRUCE Arts and Media worked regularly with over 300 high–school students, and 100 percent of its seniors went on to college.

Employment and Technology Center

The Employment and Technology Center (ETC) teaches computer and job–related skills to teens and adults. It serves over 280 students and 90 percent of its 2008–09 high–school seniors were accepted into college. ETC places, at its helm, the necessity to create an environment that compels youth to be active learners and designers of their environment.

With an emphasis on an interdisciplinary approach to arts and technology education, the Tech Program approaches learning with a vigorous focus on expanding technical skills, delving into critical thinking, and expressing creative ingenuity. The teaching artists use New York City as a living classroom and resource for exploration through exposures and technology as a means for the youth to translate their ideas.

Learn to Earn

Learn to Earn is an after–school program that helps high school juniors and seniors improve their academic skills, as well as prepare them for college and the job market. The program is a component of the New York City Department of Youth and Community Development (DYCD) Workforce Investment Act (WIA). Learn to Earn provides job readiness training and summer employment opportunities for high school juniors and seniors. Program participants receive life skill workshops that assist them with job readiness, conflict resolution, social development and financial planning. During the school year, the focus is on improving participants' academic standings and developing life skills, while during the summer months, the focus is on gaining summer employment.

COLLEGE PREPARATORY PROGRAM

The College Preparatory Program provides year–round academic enrichment to approximately 900 high school youth residing in the Harlem area. The program helps them aim for a college education, utilizing the resources available at the Employment and Technology Center (ETC). ETC's twenty–two person education team, comprised of academic advisors, college counselors and tutors, creates an interactive curriculum to motivate and challenge the young people enrolled in the College Preparatory Program. The program's primary goal is to get young people thinking about the pursuit of a college education as early as possible.

College

While the original goal of the HCZ Project was to get students into college, we found that some students – many the first in their families to go to college – were struggling with the new challenges of the college environment.

HCZ responded by creating the College Success Office, which supports students with the entire range of problems they might face – everything from navigating the financial aid process to tutoring, from time management to obtaining internships. Like all of HCZ’s programs, our college and young adults programs provide their services free to the public, which is possible thanks to the generosity of people like you. Please consider making a donation today.

The College Success Office

The College Success Office supports students who have graduated from high school and HCZ programs. It helps them get into the most–appropriate college, then assists them throughout their college years. CSO places students in summer and winter–break internships, as well as organizes community–service projects. HCZ now has about 600 students in college and the 2009–10 freshman class received more than $6.3 million in scholarships.

In the past two years, CSO has strengthened its ability to support out–of–town students with the creation of "campus connectors," upperclassmen who act as mentors and advisors to incoming students. CSO has also piloted the creation of "campus advisors"–college staff who assist HCZ students attending their schools.

Family, Community, and Health

Community Pride

Community Pride organizes tenant and block associations, helping many hundreds of tenants convert their city–owned buildings into tenant–owned co–ops.

Single Stop

Harlem Children Zone’s Single Stop program was initiated as a tool to reduce poverty within the zone’s 100 blocks. Each week at various sites, Single Stop provides clients with access to a broad assortment of useful services. Free of charge, workers offer advice about securing public benefits, access to legal guidance, financial advice, debt relief counseling and domestic crisis resolution. All of the guidance is provided through confidential, one–on–one sessions.

The HCZ Asthma Initiative

The HCZ Asthma Initiative works closely with asthmatic children and their families so they can learn to manage the disease and lessen its effects.

The Obesity Initiative

The Obesity Initiative is a multi–pronged program designed to help children and their families reverse the alarming trend toward obesity and its corresponding health problems in the community.

HCZ Foster Care Prevention:

THE FAMILY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The Family Development Program serves 120 families and specializes in access to mental health professionals who collaborate with caseworkers to support therapeutic
interventions.

THE FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER

The Family Support Center serves 90 families, and specializes in providing crisis intervention services, referrals, advocacy, groups on parenting and anger management training.

THE MIDTOWN FAMILY PLACE

The Midtown Family Place has 45 families and is based in Hell's Kitchen. It provides counseling, referrals and advocacy, as well as an after–school and summer program for children 5–12, a literacy program and a food pantry.

PROJECT CLASS

Project CLASS (Clean Living and Staying Sober) serves as many as 50 families. It specializes in providing referrals to drug and alcohol abuse programs, as well as creating, implementing and monitoring drug treatment service plans.It recently added the Babies Initiative, which is offered to 20 families with children ages five and under who are at immediate risk of being put in foster care. This intensive program works to get family members whatever services they need in order to stabilize.

TRUANCY PREVENTION

Truancy Prevention works with 90 families with at–risk children. It conducts workshops on domestic violence and on parenting (the Parenting Journey). The program also has a group for teenagers.

Services offered: Advocacy, Anti–Poverty; Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Advocacy, Economic Justice for Impoverished Populations; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Community, Housing Development; Advocacy, Human Rights; Advocacy, Services, Youth Services; Advocacy, Social Justice; Advocacy, Voters Advocacy; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Youth Services; Community Outreach Programs; Community Service Program; Counseling, Consumer Credit Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group for Caregivers; Counseling, Support Groups, Parents; Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Families; Demographic Served: Families, w/Young Children; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks, Women Only; Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Demographic Served: Teens; Demographic Served: Teens, Troubled; Demographic Served: Victims of Economic Injustice, Urban; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Directories, Directory of Services, County/Parish; Directories, Directory of Services, Grants Info, Listings, News & Referrals; Directories, Directory of Services, Regional; Directories, Financial Assistance Programs; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Directories, Youth Services & After–School Programs; Disaster Mitigation, Economic, Community; Education, Communication with at–risk teens; Education, for Parents, about teens' risky behaviors; Education, Parenting at–risk teens; Events, Community Meetings; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Library; Facility: Recreation Center; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Crime Alerts, Neighborhood; Hotline, Health Information/Resource Hotline; Information Resource, Alternative Schools/Education; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Demographic Information; Information Resource, Legal, Human Rights; Information Resource, Medicare Information; Information Resource, Neighborhood Network; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Information Resource, Situation Reports & Status Reports; Information Resource, Watchdog Site, Social Justice; Information Resource, Watchdog, Transparency & Accountability; Information Resource, Youth Services; Library Services * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Library Services, Book Lending; Library Services, Language Skills Books/CDs; Library Services, Reading Program; Literacy Program; Medical, Education, HIV/AIDS Awareness; Medical, Education, Hygiene Health, Awareness; Medical, Education, Mother and Child Health Awareness; Medical, Education, Prenatal Care; Medical, Education, Reproductive Health, Awareness; Medical, Education, Weight Management Classes; Medical, Services, Preventive; New "Business" Models; New "business" models, Economic; New "Business" Models, Education; New "business" models, Government; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; School, Adult Education/Adult School; School * (ANY/ALL Types); School, College, Community College; School, Elementary; School, High School; School, Jr High, Middle School; School, Kindergarten; School, Mission School; School, New Educational Concept; School, Pre–K, Pre–School; School, Pre–School; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Educational Services (See also Category for School); Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Services, Youth Services, Crime Prevention Programs; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Social Event, for Teens; Social Event, Networking Group *any/all types; Social Event, Networking Group, Daycare for Children; Social Event, Networking Group, Employment/ Professional Networking; Social Event, Networking Group, Families; Social Event, Networking Group, Families w/Young Children; Social Event, Party, Anniversary Event; Social Event, Post–Holiday Cookie–swap; Social Event, Post–Holiday, Re–gifting Party; Social Event, Recreation, Board Games; Social Event, Recreation, Bridge/Cards; Social Event, Recreation, Geneology Group; Social Event, Recreation, Ping Pong; Social Event, Sewing/Quilting/Kniting/Crochet, Knitting Circle; Social Event, Sewing/Quilting/Knitting/Crochet Circle; Social Events, Party / Festival; Social Event, Writing Group; Sponsoring Organization; Sponsorship Program, Children (Education/Health Care/Food, etc.); Sponsorship Program, Children (Resiliency); Support for "All Local" Disasters; Training, Activism; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Business

Skills; Training Classes, Caregiver Training; Training Classes, Child Development (learning to teach kids); Training Classes, Communication Skills; Training Classes, Computer Lab; Training Classes, Computers Skills; Training Classes, Education, 1st Time Home Buyer Education; Training Classes, Education, Nutrition Education Classes; Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Training Classes, Exercise, Health Classes; Training Classes, Financial Literacy; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management; Training Classes, GED Preparation; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training Classes, Life Skills, Youth; Training Classes, Literacy Training; Training Classes, Trade Skills, Training; Training Classes, Vocational; Training, Education, Health, Sanitation / Hygiene; Training, Employment, Job Skills, Youth; Training Government, Training on How it Works; Training, Job Training; Training, Medical, Education *(ANY/ALL Types); Training, Medical, Education, Diabetes Education; Training, Medical, Education, General Health; Training, Medical, Education, Health Education for Survivors * (ANY/ALL Types); Training, Medical, Education, HIV/AIDS, Coping With HIV/AIDS; Training, Medical, Education, Hypertension Education; Training, Medical, Education, Life Skills, Asthma; Training, Medical, Education, Obesity Education; Trainin, Social Awareness; Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; AmeriCorps; Boy Scouts of America; Boy's & Girl's Club; Ending Extreme Poverty; New "Business" Models
Updated Sep 23, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8989

NYPD precincts collecting medical/personal–hygiene supplies for Haiti

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Manhattan, NY
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The NYPD said all precincts will be collecting medical supplies, personal hygiene items, non–perishable food, bottled water and clothing for those in need.

source: https://newyork.cbslocal.com/2021/08/15/nypd–help–haiti–earthquake/
source: https://t.co/iEYAANWT2u

locations: https://t.co/fQb4p0QJkp?amp=1

Services offered: Distribution, Medical Supplies; Medical, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2021 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Aug 15, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10478

Occupy Wall Street (Non–Violent Protest Against Wall Street) #occupywallstreet

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Liberty Park/Zucotti Park; Zuccotti Park between Broadway and Church streets and Liberty and Cedar Streets., Manhattan, NY
Contact Organizers
Email general @ occupywallst . org, press @ occupywallst . org
Web occupywallst.org
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ABC coverage:
http://abcnews.go.com/blogs/headlines/2011/10/occupy–wall–street–protests–spread–across–the–country–bloomberg–calls–them–misguided/

http://www.huffingtonpost.com/news/occupy–wall–street

See link above and the list below for live links to the reference photos/videos. This page doesn't have active linking capabilities, except the above one. Sorry. Press on...

UPDATE: Some pictures http://twitpic.com/6pzd48
http://twitpic.com/6pzcf6
http://twitpic.com/6pzbxi
http://twitpic.com/6pza9z

Video: http://www.twitvid.com/ZCB5U

Where: Liberty Square (How to get there)
Donations: NYCGA Donation Page
Help & Directions: +1 (877) 881–3020
General Inquiries general@occupywallst.org
Press Inquiries press@occupywallst.org

https://www.facebook.com/event.php?eid=144937025580428
http://www.occupywallstreet.org/
http://occupywallst.org/
http://nycga.net/

general@occupywallst.org

DONATION PAGE:

http://nycga.cc/donate/

For money orders or supplies (NOT FOOD):

we have a shipping address now!
The UPS Store
118 A Fulton St #205
NY NY 10038
C/O Occupy Wall St

Order a pizza: http://www.seamless.com/food-delivery/Liberatos-Pizza-Parmigiana-New-York-City.2674.r

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Noam Chomsky Announces Solidarity With #occupywallstreet

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Anyone with eyes open knows that the gangsterism of Wall Street -- financial institutions generally -- has caused severe damage to the people of the United States (and the world). And should also know that it has been doing so increasingly for over 30 years, as their power in the economy has radically increased, and with it their political power. That has set in motion a vicious cycle that has concentrated immense wealth, and with it political power, in a tiny sector of the population, a fraction of 1%, while the rest increasingly become what is sometimes called "a precariat" -- seeking to survive in a precarious existence. They also carry out these ugly activities with almost complete impunity -- not only too big to fail, but also "too big to jail."

The courageous and honorable protests underway in Wall Street should serve to bring this calamity to public attention, and to lead to dedicated efforts to overcome it and set the society on a more healthy course.

Noam Chomsky

Please call:
Mayor Bloomberg: +1 (212) 639-9675 or +1 (212) 788-2958
Deputy Commissioner of Public Information: +1 (646) 610-6700
NYPD Switchboard: +1 (646) 610-5000
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Make our voice heard. Make sure that the world knows that everyone deserves equal protection, service, and punishment.

Remain true to our principles of non-violence.

UPDATE: 4:51 PM EST Two more videos of Officer Bologna senselessly attacking peaceful protesters.

Boston Review reports on being maced by Anthony Bologna

88 Comments
A Message from Occupied Wall Street (Day Nine)

Published 2011-09-26 08:03:45 UTC by OccupyWallSt

This is the ninth communiqué from the 99 percent. We are occupying Wall Street. The police barricades that have been surrounding the Stock Exchange help.

Sunday has been decreed, once again, a day of rest. We didn't march. We have made a new world, a new city within the city. We are working on a new sky for where the towers are now.

Throughout the day our sisters and brothers arrested yesterday came back home to Liberty Plaza. They greeted the new faces that have joined us here. They shared their stories of imprisonment, of medical care denied and delayed. We welcomed them and listened.

March Guidelines

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1. Stay together and KEEP MOVING!
2. Don't instigate cops or pedestrians with physical violence.
3. Use basic hand signals.
4. Empowered pace keeps at the front, back and middle of every march. These folks are empowered to make directional decisions and guide the march.
5. We respect diversity of tactics, but consider how our actions may affect the entire group.

Services offered: Advocacy, Environmental; Calendar, Community Events/Protest Actions; Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Sustainable Communities; Demographic Served: Victims of Economic Injustice, Urban; Demographic

Served: Victims of Environmental Injustice; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Documentation, Volunteer Instructions; Documentation, Volunteer Management Guidance; Event Listings; Events, Community Meetings; Events, Protest Actions; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Recycling Coordination; Information Resource, Alternative Schools/ Education; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Economics, Sustainable; Information Resource, Environmental Education; Information Resource, Legal, Human Rights; Information Resource, Neighborhood Network; Information Resource: Online Alert Registry; Information Resource, Online Networking, Blog; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, LinkedIn; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Information Resource, Online Networking, YouTube; Information Resource, Press Releases; Information Resource, Situation Reports & Status Reports; Information Resource, Tech, Social Media; Information Resource, Watchdog Site, Government; Information Resource, Watchdog Site, Social Justice; Management, Volunteer Coordinator & Management, Volunteer; Media, Broadcast, Live On–Location, Cameras, Snapshots; Media, Broadcast, Live On–Location, Cameras, Video; Media, Broadcast Media; Media Coverage; Media, Online News Reports; New "Business" Models; New "business" models, Economic; New "business" models, Government; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies; News Source, Online, Disaster Coverage; Volunteers, Short Term Volunteer Opportunities
Campaigns: Alternative Societies; Arts Community / Artist Network; Ending Extreme Poverty; Ending Pollution; Environmental Sustainability; Global Warming Relief Supplies/Services; Green–Rainbow Party; Occupy Wall Street / Occupy America / Occupy Together; Rainbow Community; Transition Towns (Transition Network)
Updated Oct 13, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8995

SAKHI for South Asian Survivors

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Manhattan, NY
Web sakhi.org
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Call Sakhi's Helpline

At Sakhi, we offer a safe and nonjudgmental space for you to connect with our trained advocates in eight South Asian languages.

At Sakhi all are welcome. We recognize that people of all gender and sexual identities, ethnic, caste, class, and racial backgrounds – all identities – can be survivors of gender–based violence.

There are three ways of reaching out to us for support from trained Sakhi team members. You can contact us during our operating hours (Monday–Saturday, 10am–10pm) by:

Calling our Helpline at: 1 (212) 868–6741
Texting: 1 (305) 204–1809 (text only – calls cannot be received on this line)
Emailing: advocate@sakhi.org

Additional Emergency Numbers

If you are in the New York City area, please call Safe Horizon's 24–hour Domestic Violence Hotline:

1.800.621.HOPE (4673) or 212.577.7777.

If you are not in the New York City area, please call the 24–hour National Domestic Violence Hotline:

1.800.799.SAFE (7233).

New York Hotlines

New York Asian Women's Center: 1.888.888.7702
NYS Domestic and Sexual Violence Hotline: 1.800.942.6906
Senior Citizens' Helpline (NYS Office for the Aging): 1.800.342.9871
New York State Child Abuse Hotline: 1.800.342.3720
Prevent Child Abuse New York Prevention Information & Parent Helpline: 1.800.342.7472
New York State Crime Victims Board: 1.800.247.8035
Victim Information and Notification Everyday (VINE): 1.888.VINE.4NY or 1.888.846.3469. For the hearing impaired: 1.800.810.7444

Services offered: Advocacy, Domestic Violence
Campaigns: International Community, Asian
Updated Dec 3, 2024 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10654

Artists, Athletes & Activists [New York City plant–based free fridges]

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New York, NY
Web artists–athletes–activists.org
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See maps at above link for plant–based free fridges at:

– 9 Bleecker St, New York, NY 10012
– 220 Broome St, New York, NY 10002

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Mutual Aid
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Ending Gross Inequity; Ending Pollution; Environmental Sustainability
Updated Nov 7, 2022 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10539

Bronx Free Fridge [free food 24x7, take some leave some]

Walk–in Resource · Open

corner of West Kingsbridge and Jerome Avenue, New York, NY
Service Temporary

"Chez Jean, 30, of the Bronx, recently set up a refrigerator in the borough's Fordham Manor neighborhood. When Jean, a founder of Sovereign Earth Cares who uses "they" and "them" pronouns, asked about 20 local stores and supermarkets to plug in a refrigerator, all but one bodega, at the corner of West Kingsbridge and Jerome Avenue, said no. So that's where it went."

https://www.nytimes.com/2020/07/08/nyregion/free–food–fridge–nyc.html

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jun 17, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10444

City Harvest, food rescue, map of distro points

Walk–in Resource · Open

New York, NY
Web www.cityharvest.org/programs/mobile–markets
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The above link goes to the list of their distro sites [and qualifications for who will be served...but I'll bet they will serve anyone who is hungry, based on our experience with groups like this]

For organizations that want to receive food, they want you to fill out this form:
https://www.cityharvest.org/requestfood

"We provide over three million pounds of fresh produce—including sweet potatoes, grapefruit, apples, cabbage, carrots, squash, and collard greens—to nearly 10,000 households each year through these markets:"

Here is the food map; https://www.cityharvest.org/food–map/

"From January 2021 through March 2021, our Mobile Markets were open from 11am to 1pm. Beginning April 3, our Mobile Markets will be open from 9:30 to 11:30am."

CHECK THE LIVE SITES AT THE LINKS ABOVE BEFORE GOING TO THE SITE, in case times have changed. OR contact the org directly from the website:

Bronx Mobile Markets
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Melrose

The Melrose Mobile Markets are held at 286 E 156th Street, at the Classic Center every 2nd Saturday & 4th Wednesday of each month from 9:30 am – 11:30 am.

You must meet one of the following criteria to be eligible:

Resident of the Melrose, Morrisania Air Rights, or Andrew Jackson Houses

St. Mary's

The St. Mary's Mobile Markets are held in the parking lot adjacent to 595 Trinity Avenue every 2nd Saturday & 4th Tuesday of each month from 9:30 am – 11:30 am.

You must meet one of the following criteria to be eligible:

Resident of St Mary's Park Houses, The E.R. Moore Houses, Bronxchester Houses, Adams Houses
Resident in zip code 10455

Brooklyn Mobile Market
Brooklyn Mobile Market
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Bed–Stuy

The Bed–Stuy Mobile Market is held the 1st Saturday and 3rd Wednesday of each month at the Handball Court of the Tompkins Houses on Myrtle Ave (between Throop and Tompkins Avenues) from 9:30 am – 11:30 am.

You must meet one of the following criteria to be eligible:

Residents of the Sumner, Tompkins, 303 Vernon, or Marcy Houses
Participant in the Sumner Senior Center or Groundwork, Inc.
Resident in zip code 11206

Manhattan Mobile Markets
Manhattan Mobile Markets
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Washington Heights/Inwood

The Washington Heights/Inwood Mobile Market is held between Nagle Avenue and 10th Avenue on Dyckman Street the 2nd Wednesday and 4th Saturday of each month from 9:30 am – 11:30 am.

You must meet one of the following criteria to be eligible:

Resident of the Dyckman Houses
Participant in the Dyckman Senior Center

Prince Hall

The Prince Hall Mobile Market is held on the 2nd Thursday and 4th Saturday of each month outside the Prince Hall Masonic Temple at 454 West 155th Street near the corner of St. Nicholas Avenue from 9:30 am – 11:30 am.

You must meet one of the following criteria to be eligible:

Resident of the 10032 zip code
Member of the Prince Hall Masonic Temple
Member of the Community League of The Heights

Staten Island Mobile Markets
Staten Island Mobile Markets
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Mariner's Harbor

The Mariner's Harbor Mobile Market is held every 1st Wednesday and 3rd Saturday in the basketball court directly in front of the Senior Center located at 22 Roxbury Street from 9:30 am – 11:30 am.

You must meet one of the following criteria to be eligible:

Resident of Mariner's Harbor, Todt Hill, or West Brighton NYCHA Houses
Resident of Arlington Terrace Apartments
Resident of 10302, 10303, 10310 or 10314 zip codes

Stapleton

The Stapleton Mobile Market is held behind 75 Hill Street, in the Tennis Courts at Stapleton Houses every 1st Tuesday & 3rd Saturday of each month from 9:30 am – 11:30 am.

You must meet one of the following criteria to be eligible:

Participate in programs at the Stapleton Houses Senior Center
Have a student in IS49
Resident of the Berry, Cassidy Coles, New Lane, Richmond Terrace, South Beach, or Stapleton NYCHA Houses
Resident of 10301, 10304, 10305, or 10310 zip codes

Queens Mobile Markets
Queens Mobile Markets
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Astoria

The Astoria Mobile Market will be held twice a month on 1st Saturdays and 3rd Thursdays in the basketball court off of Astoria Boulevard in the Astoria Houses, from 9:30 am – 11:30 am.

You must meet one of the following criteria to be eligible:

are a resident of the Astoria Houses
or are a resident in zip code 11102

Queensbridge

The Queensbridge Houses Mobile Market will be held twice a month every 2nd Tuesday and 4th Saturday in the basketball court directly behind the Jacob A. Riis Neighborhood Settlement House (40–07 Vernon Boulevard) from 9:30 am – 11:30 am.

You must meet one of the following criteria to be eligible:

Resident of the Queensbridge Houses or Ravenswood Houses
Member of the Jacob Riis Senior Center

General Inquiries:
646.412.0600
6 East 32nd Street, 5th Floor
New York, NY 10016 (map)

Sunnyside Facility:
646.412.0850
39–34 43rd Street
Sunnyside, NY 11104 (map)

Make a Financial Donation by Phone or Update Your Contact Information
Gabrielle Stadler, gstadler@cityharvest.org
646.412.0764

Start a food drive
Food Sourcing Team, fooddrives@cityharvest.org
646.412.0758

Arrange a Food Donation
Food Sourcing Team, fooddonations@cityharvest.org
646.412.0758

Volunteer with City Harvest
Volunteer Services, volunteerservices@cityharvest.org
646.412.0738

Press Inquiries
Communications Team, media@cityharvest.org
646.412.0662

Become a City Harvest Agency
Agency Operations Team, agencyoperations @ cityharvest.org
646.412.0740
If you are interested in receiving food from City Harvest, please fill out this form.

Become a Corporate Partner
Corporate Partnerships Team, partnerships @ cityharvest.org
646.412.0756

Student Inquiries
students@cityharvest.org

City Harvest Leadership
Jilly Stephens, jilly @ cityharvest.org
Chief Executive Officer
646.412.0600

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Regional Distribution; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster, Mobile; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); New "business" models, Food Production/Distribution; Transportation, Access To Trucks/Transportation; Transportation * (ANY/ALL Types); Vehicle, Truck, Cargo Van; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: Government, City/Town Agency; Government Housing Authority; New "Business" Models; Society of St. Vincent de Paul; Southern Baptist Conference Disaster Relief; TANF (Temporary Assistance For Needy Families)
Updated Apr 11, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10410

Centro Corona [community center, political education]

Walk–in Resource · Open

New York, Queens, NY
Web www.facebook.com/CentroCorona
Service Temporary

Community center in Corona that offers free workshops on political education, art, and dance; offers support in crisis situations and general community engagement towards self–determination. An intergenerational space run by and in service of immigrant and working–class families of mixed immigration status and other individuals from Corona, Elmhurst, and Jackson Heights.

Services offered: Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Facility: Community Center; Information Resource, Constitutional Rights
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Social Activists/Organizers; Social Change Initiative
Updated Apr 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10421

DISTRIBUTION – HOT MEALS – QUEENS/ROCKAWAYS – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY – INDEX

Walk–in Resource

Rockaway, NY
Service Temporary

Prepared/Hot Food Distribution Sites (11/19/12):

Walbaum's (Parking Lot): 112–15 Beach Channel Drive (@ Beach 112 Street)

Thriftway Mall (Parking Lot): 20–52 Mott Avenue between 20th and 21st Streets

Key Food (Parking Lot): 87–15 Rockaway Beach Blvd. (btw. Beach 87th & 88th)

Beach 41st Street Community Center: Beach 40th Street and Beach Channel Drive

Free Food Trucks, Sponsored by Mayor's Fund:

Redfern Houses Community Center, Hassock Street and Beach Channel Drive

Christ Community Church: Rockaway Point Boulevard and 208st, Breezy Point

St. Francis de Sales: Rockaway Beach Boulevard at Beach 129th Street

American Legion Hall: 209 Cross Bay Boulevard, Broad Channel

124th and Rockaway Beach Blvd., Rockaway

Beach 25th and Seagirt, Rockaway

Breezy Point Fire Dept. 2045 Rockaway Point Blvd., Rockaways

St Edmunds Church: Rockaway Point Blvd and Beach 216 Street, Rockaways

Beach 49th Street and Beach Channel Drive, Rockaways

American Red Cross:
Fixed Site: Fort Tilden near Art Bldg
Fixed Site: Waldbaum's Parking Lot, 112th & Beach Channel Drive

Food delivered to: Silver Gull Beach Club, 1 Beach 193rd St, Breezy Point, NY 11697

Elsewhere on Peninsula (Emergency Relief Vehicles, updated daily at newsroom.redcross.org)

NYCHA Distribution – Nov 1–4, various locations & hours, B12, B51, B84 (Details & source: http://myemail.constantcontact.com/Food–and–Water–Distribution––Hurricane–Sandy–Emergency–Relief–Effort.html?soid=1104770032953&aid=–mna7NK3uKk)

Rockaway Revival Center, 1526 Central Ave, Far Rockaway, NY. (718) 337–5080
Goody's BBQ, Amstel Ave & Beach 70th Street

Services offered: Meals, Hot Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Nov 20, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9569

Rockaway Beach Surf Club – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
96–10 Rockaway Beach Blvd., Rockaway, NY
Web www.facebook.com/groups/249647058462629/members
Service Temporary

Services offered: Distribution, Disaster Relief Supply Delivery, Teams, Volunteer; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy; Do Your Part
Updated Nov 19, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9553

St. Francis de Sales School (New York Resilience System/Third Wave Volunteers) – (DONATION COLLECTION/MEDICAL HELP/VOLUNTEER OPS/CLEAN UP HELP) – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Disaster Relief & Recovery
St Francis de Salle School; 219 Beach 129 Street, Rockaway, NY
Phone 201.256.3795
Web newyork.resiliencesystem.org/node/3016
Serves Rockaway, Queens, New York region
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Sandy
Service Temporary

UPDATED NEEDS AS OF SAT. 11/10/12:

Similac formula
Pedialite
Pedia sure
Lysol wipes
Pinesol
Push Brooms
Laundry detergent
Dish soap
Flashlights
Peanut butter
Jelly
Bread
Dry cereal
Milk
Drinks, of any kind
Pasta sauce
Ketchup
Mayo
Aluminum foil
Ziplock bags
Mops
Draino
Shaving cream
Shaving razors
Hand sanitizer
Hand Lotion
Chapstick
Dry puppy food
Small bags of pet food
Batteries, ALL kinds
Stove lighters
Sugar cubes
Sponges
Toilet Paper
Feminine hygiene products
Baby soap
Baby shampoo
Pacifiers
Soy based baby foods
All baby foods
Pull up diapers
Wheel barrels

MOST URGENT NEEDS 11/11/12:

Large Tarps
Wire to tie down the tarps (or zip ties)
Generators 400 watt (Diesel preferrable but either gas or diesel acceptable)
Brooms and dust pans
Mops
Shovels
Garbage Bags (Heavy Duty)
Work gloves
Gas cans
Safety Glasses (Goggles – 500 quantity for volunteers)
Styrofoam 'to–go' Food Containers

If you have a large supply of donations and want to coordinate delivery, please contact:

Brian Lydon – 917.836.1800

You are welcome to drop off critically needed supplies daily.

Mobile medical vans staffed with primary care providers who will be able to provide medical care and distribute prescribed drugs are now at St. Francis de Sales from 9am to 6pm.

http://interoccupy.net/occupysandy/mayor-bloomberg-announces-mobile-medical-vans-are-providing-medical-care-and-prescription-drugs-at-locations-in-coney-island-and-rockaways-staten-island-service-begins-today/

FACEBOOK PAGE:

https://www.facebook.com/groups/223734047756546/?ref=ts&fref=ts

TWITTER:

@lightxxx
https://twitter.com/lightxxx

Services offered: Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Distribution, Cleaning/Clean Up Supplies (Post Disaster); Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Medical, Services, Mobile Medical Unit/Clinic; Medication, Rx, * Prescription Medicine * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy
Updated Nov 15, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9533

FEMA – DRC's (Disaster Recovery Centers) – Queens/Rockaway's – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY – INDEX

Walk-in Resource · Open

FEMA
SEE NOTES, Various, NY
Service Temporary

FEMA Disaster Recovery Centers:

Fort Tilden, 1-199 Rockaway Pt. Blvd, (8am-8pm daily)

Waldbaums Fresh Grocery parking lot, 112-15 Beach Channel Drive, Rockaway, NY 11694 (8am-8pm daily)

Storefront [Gindi Ralph Variety Store], 1001 Beach 20th Street, Far Rockaway NY 11691

Community Church of the Nazarene, 1414 Central Avenue, Far Rockaway, NY 11691 (8am-8pm, Fri-Mon)

American Legion, 209 Cross Bay Boulevard, Broad Channel 11693

Services offered: Assistance, How To, Complete Forms/Applications for Disaster Assistance; Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How To, Loan & Grant Application Assistance (Disaster Survivors); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Grants, Disaster Rebuilding; Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Services, Disaster Recovery
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated Nov 19, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9568

United Methodist Church – MCOR – RELIEF SITES – 2012 HURRICANE SANDY – INDEX

Walk-in Resource · Open

Faith-Based Disaster Recovery
See Notes, Various, NY
Serves New York
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Sandy
Service Temporary

Here are the United Methodist Church (MCOR) site
Hurricane Sandy Relief Sites

community UMC
Massapequa, Long Island
100 Park Blvd
516-795-1322

Freeport UMC
46 Pine St
516-455-2974

Bethel UMC
Staten Island
7033 Amboy Road
718-984-1277

St. Mark UMC
Rockville Centre
200 Hempstead Ave
516-766-2080

St. Mark UMC
Brooklyn
2017 Beverly Rd
347-881-6238
Campaigns: 2012 Hurricane Sandy; United Methodist Church; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster), Associate Member/Informal Affiliation; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Dec 7, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9601

Broome County, Food Resources Directory – INDEX

Walk-in Resource · Open

NY
Phone websites only, see notes
Web www.catholiccharitiesbc.org/pdf/FoodResources.pdf
Service Temporary

Areas covered –

BINGHAMTON AREA
DEPOSIT AREA
ENDICOTT AREA
AFTON/COLESVILLE/HARPURSVILLE/SANITARIA SPRINGS
PORT CRANE
VESTAL
WHITNEY POINT
WINDSOR

COMMUNITY MEALS–

BINGHAMTON
JOHNSON CITY
ENDICOTT
WHITNEY POINT

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals
Updated Sep 3, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4779

Society of St. Vincent de Paul (NYVOAD Member)

Walk-in Resource · Open

Faith-Based Disaster Relief
NY
Web www.svdpny.org
Service Temporary

From the NYSVOAD Membership Directory:

Disaster Program

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) provides volunteer person-to-person service to those in need, without regard to color, race, or creed. Some emergency assistance is usually provided by parish conferences. Councils engage in various social services, depending upon local needs and available Vincentian resources. Each council and conference is autonomous and is free to select its own form of specialized social, charitable activity. Many councils operate stores, homeless shelters, and feeding facilities that are similar to those run by the Salvation Army. The stores' merchandise--clothing, household appliances, furniture, etc.--can be made available to disaster victims. Warehousing facilities could be used for storing and sorting donated merchandise during the emergency period. Because of the diversity among SVDP councils in their social service and charitable functioning, it is important for the local council to be identified in the pre-disaster planning phases so that its participation will be effectively coordinated with that of other helping groups. Each local SVDP council has been asked to engage in preparedness discussions with the American Red Cross, state VOAD groups, and other key groups on the local scene.

Services offered: Appliances, Large, * Household (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Support for "All Local" Disasters; Thrift Store; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Ending Extreme Poverty; Society of St. Vincent de

Paul; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Sep 4, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6278

Sovereign Earth [mutual aid, free fridge operation, free clothing, community, etc]

Walk–in Resource · Open

NY

Web www.instagram.com/sovereignearth.cares
Service Temporary

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism; Ending Extreme Poverty; Ending Gross Inequity
Updated Jun 17, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10445

VOAD, NYC – Haiti Earthquake Assistance Guide (SPIRITUAL COUNSELING)

Walk–in Resource · Open

NY

Service Temporary

American Red Cross
Tel: 877–REDCROSS (877–733–2767)

Haitian First Church of the Brethren
1783 Flatbush Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11210

New York Disaster Interfaith Services (NYDIS)
Tel: 212–669–6100
Website: www.nydis.org

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Sep 4, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5549

Nepal

United Mission to Nepal

Walk–in Resource · Open

Services offered: Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Linens, Bedding, Blankets * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2026 Nepal Flood/Landslide Response; UMCOR Relief Network
Updated Oct 18, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10764

New Zealand

POLICE Christchurch

Walk–in Resource · Open

Christchurch

Web www.police.govt.nz/christchurch–earthquake
Service Temporary

Campaigns: 2011 New Zealand Earthquake
Updated Feb 23, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/7650

OH

Lutheran Social Services of Central Ohio (LSSCO)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based, Non–Profit, Disaster Relief
P.O. Box 41, Buffalo, OH 43722

Phone 740–732–6700 (office) or 740–509–1132 (cell)
Web www.lssco.org
Hours 8 am – 3 pm, M–F, EST

Lutheran Social Services of Central Ohio (LSSCO)

Street Address: P.O. Box 41
City: Buffalo
State: OH

Zip Code: 43722
Contact person: Mary Woodward
Phone number: 740–732–6700 (office) or 740–509–1132 (cell)
Best hours to call: 8 am – 3 pm, M–F, EST
Fax number: 740–838–5627
E–mail Address: mwoodward_1@msn.com
Is E–Mail address read daily? Yes
Website address, if any: www.lssco.org

Serves: All of Ohio including the 10 declared counties in Northern Ohio

Speciality: Home repair due to July/August 2006 flooding

Description of volunteer needs: Case Managers; Carpenters, drywallers. HVAC technicians, electricians, plumbers, and general house repair. Homes in various stages of rebuilding.

Skills volunteers are required to have: Willingness to work

Useful Skills: Trade skills and general home repair urgently needed

Tools or supplies volunteers should bring: Please call for more information

Will volunteers need to bring any money or material, such as for housing: Please call for more information

Length of time volunteer can help: No minimum

Size of volunteer team: Varies

Are individual volunteers welcome? Yes

Age restriction, if any: Must be 18 or over

Denomination/affiliation, if any: Ecumenical

If yes, must volunteer be a member: No

Any other restrictions: Must have up to date Tetanus vaccination

Housing provided for volunteers, if any: Please call for more information

Meals provided for volunteers, if any: Please call for more information

Any additional notes: VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY NEEDED. Over 16,000 FEMA registrations. 3,294 Katrina evacuees now in area and in need of housing/repairs.

Approximate date the project started: Jun–04–2004
Estimated date the project will end: Sep–01–2007
Information Updated: Aug–24–2006

Faith Mission Wish List Items:

New socks and underwear, all sizes
Toiletries –– deodorant, trial–sized shaving cream, razors and dental floss (new only)
Trial–sized laundry detergent
Plastic utensils
Sugar
Aluminum foil and plastic wrap Instant cereal in packets
Milk
Eggs
Block cheese
Powdered drink mix with sugar

Deliver items to Faith Mission, 315 E. Long Street during regular hours, Monday – Thursday 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. or Friday 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Weekend deliveries can be made at the Men's Shelter located at:
151 N. 6th Street (across the street from Faith Mission)

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Housing, Volunteer Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals, Volunteers, Meals for Volunteers; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness; Training Classes, Safety Training; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: United Way
Updated May 3, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/862

Faith Mission Ohio

Walk–in Resource

Community Service, Food Bank
315 E. Long Street, Columbus, OH 43215
Phone 614–224–6617
Web www.faithmissionofohio.org/index.cfm
Hours variable outreach schedule

Faith Mission is known by many as not only a place for a hot meal and a warm bed, but a haven of hope as well. Since 1966, Faith Mission has served the homeless community by offering a secure, Christian–based environment for homeless men and women on an emergency walk–in basis.

The agency provides shelter, food and clothing, while helping individuals with access to longer term solutions such as housing, employment assistance, medical, dental and vision care, counseling and support groups.

Services offered: Shelter, Homeless Shelter
Updated Sep 23, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1863

Haiti Relief (DONATION COLLECTION SITES in Ohio)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Donation Collection Sites
Various towns, see notes, OH
Web www.toledoblade.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=/20100116/NEWS14/1160388
Service Temporary

Article published January 16, 2010
Organizations offer drop–off sites, ways to donate to Haiti relief

Many organizations in the area have drop–off centers for those who wish to donate material to relief efforts.

They include:

•CedarCreek Church. Senior Pastor Lee Powell announced that the church will collect relief supplies at every service this weekend and Jan. 23 and Jan. 24 at its three campuses. CedarCreek's collection of supplies, in partnership with churches, businesses, and individuals, will be shipped to Haiti through local disaster relief agencies with connections in the country.

More information is available by calling 419–661–8661.

•ISOH/IMPACT. There are various drop–off sites for the relief organization, which is accepting supplies at its warehouse, 905 Farnsworth Rd. in Waterville. Cash donations can be made online at isohimpact.org.

More information is available by calling 419–878–8548.
Other ISOH/IMPACT drop–off sites include The Andersons Inc. stores and any area Tireman Auto Service Center.

•Diversified Insurance Service is accepting donations on behalf of ISOH/IMPACT from 9 a.m.–5 p.m. weekdays through Jan. 29 – specifically, donations of health kits and cleaning supplies, but not clothing.

The donations may be dropped off at the firm's locations: 349 Rice St., Elmore; 1700 River St., Suite A, Fremont; 124 East Second St., Port Clinton, and 6727 Providence St., Whitehouse.

After–hours drop–offs may be arranged and more information is available by calling 800–848–2788.

•The Town Center at Levis Commons will be an ISOH/IMPACT donation site this weekend. Donations can be made in front of J.B.'s Sarnie Shoppe from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. today and from noon to 5 p.m. tomorrow.

•The American Red Cross. Those wishing to donate money may visit the Web site redcross.org; call 1–800–RED–CROSS, or text "Haiti" to 90999 on a mobile phone. The texting option will amount to a $10 donation.

•Owens Community College students are organizing
a supply drive on both campuses from Jan. 19 through Jan. 29.

A variety of items are being collected, and there are multiple drop–off locations at the Toledo–area campus and one at the Findlay–area campus at the College's Commons area. Donations ultimately will be sent to ISOH.

Call 1–800–GO–OWENS, ext. 7583, for more information.

•The American Institute of Philanthropy, a charity–watchdog group, has a list of top–rated Haiti relief organizations at www.charitywatch.org/hottopics/Haiti.html.

http://www.thebeacon.net/news/local–news/1481–terra–serving–as–collection–site–for–haiti–relief–efforts

Friday, 15 January 2010 15:08

Terra serving as collection site for Haiti Relief Efforts
FREMONT — Terra Community College will serve as a collection site for ISOH/IMPACT's disaster relief efforts for the people of Haiti.
The Jan. 12 earthquake in Haiti has left thousands dead and hundreds of thousands in need of everything from water and food to medical and building supplies.
The immediate needs at this time are:
• Bottled water
• Canned food and other non–perishable food items
• Over–the–counter medications including Neosporin and Children's Tylenol
• First Aid kits
• Personal hygiene items
• Bagged rice and beans
• Manual can openers
• Diapers, wipes and baby care items
• Five–gallon buckets with lids
• Rubber gloves and masks
• Paper towels and toilet paper
• Flashlights and batteries
• Large trash bags
• Brooms, dustpans, mops and mop heads
• Cots and new blankets
• Tents, tarps, ropes and duct tape
• Bleach and laundry detergent
• Sponges, scrubbing pads and cleaning towels
• Spray and liquid cleaners (409, Pine Sol, etc.)
• Cash donations to help offset packaging and shipping costs
• No glass items or clothing
Terra will accept items Tuesday through Feb. 2. Drop–off boxes will be located in buildings A, B and E on campus.
Cash and credit card donations can be made online at www.isohimpact.org or sent directly to the ISOH/IMPACT offices at 25182 W. River Road, Perrysburg, OH 43551. For information and updates, visit www.isohimpact.org.

http://www.thebeacon.net/news/local–news/1481–terra–serving–as–collection–site–for–haiti–relief–efforts

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake
Updated Jan 21, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5065

Willoughby United Methodist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
34201 Eddy Rd, Willoughby Hills, OH 44094
Phone 440–585–9462
Web www.willoughbyhillsumc.org/default.htm
Service Temporary

A food pantry for the needy operates out of Willoughby United Methodist Church. The first Sunday of each month non–perishable foods, paper products and household supplies are donated by members of the Church to this cause. Financial support for this mission is also appreciated.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Paper, Paper Goods * (ANY/ALL Types) (paper towels, plates, napkins, etc)
Updated May 31, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2966

Chapel at Worthington Woods

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church – Disaster Response/Recovery
714 Worthington Woods Blvd., Worthington, OH 43081
Phone 614–846–1884
Web www.usc.salvationarmy.org/usc/WWW_USC.nsf/vw–dynamic–index/80256D0300503A9780256B650051E114?openDocument

Disaster Services – Disaster Services
Emergency Assistance – Emergency Financial Assistance
Emergency Assistance – Seasonal Services
Family Counseling Services – Casework Services
Worship Center
Youth Services

Services offered: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Response
Updated Oct 17, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1860

Catholic Social Services of Miami Valley

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based, Non–Profit, Charity
OH 45402

Phone 937–223–7217
Web www.cssmv.org/default.htm
Service Temporary
Updated May 25, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3025

West Mound Worship and Service Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
2300 W Mound St, OH 43223

Phone 614–274–7600
Service Temporary

Services Available

Disaster Services – Disaster Services
Emergency Assistance – Emergency Financial Assistance
Emergency Assistance – Seasonal Services
Older Adult Services – Camping Activities
Worship Center – Men's Ministries
Worship Center – Women's Ministries
Worship Center – Worship Services – Children's / Teen
Worship Center – Worship Services – Church
Worship Center – Worship Services – Sunday School
Worship Center – Worship Services – Young Adult
Worship Center – Worship Services – Youth Ministries
Youth Services – Character Building Programs
Youth Services – Day Camp Activities
Youth Services – Residential Camping Activities

Services offered: Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Disaster Response; Youth Program
Campaigns: Salvation Army
Updated Jun 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1861

OK

Cornerstone Mission of First Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Interfaith Social Services
210 E. Broadway, Broken Arrow, OK 74012

Phone 918–251–6679

Services:

Emergency assistance
Food
Clothing
Free clinic for minor medical needs

Free clinic serving low income residents of Broken Arrow and Coweta.
Provides medical services for minor conditions; no emergency care.
Limited hours and days of operation (mostly evening hours). Call for information.

Terra called 1/23/07: all is OK. they did need coats, but have a few now. no one has asked about blankets. they seem to be fine.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Medical, Facility, Clinic, Free Clinic; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Updated May 16, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1058

Sheriff, Lincoln County

Walk–in Resource · Open

811 Manvel Suite 14; Chandler, Oklahoma 74834, Chandler, OK

Phone (405)258–1191
Contact Sheriff Charlie Dougherty
Web www.lincolncountysheriffok.org
Service Temporary

Campaigns: 2012 Oklahoma – Wildfires; Government, County/Parish Agency; Law Enforcement Agency
Updated Aug 8, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9239

First Baptist Church – 2012 OKLAHOMA WILDFIRES (DISTRIBUTION)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Community – Food/Supplies Distribution

229 South Ohio Ave, Drumright, OK

Phone 918.352.2559
Service Temporary

In response to the August 2012 Wildfires, First Baptist Church has collected donations for distribution and is serving meals to residents evacuated and impacted by fire loss.

AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION:

MEALS
HOUSEHOLD GOODS
CLOTHING

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2012 Oklahoma – Wildfires
Updated Aug 8, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9243

Olive Baptist Church (Hosting Samaritan's Purse – Clean Up) – 2012 OKLAHOMA WILDFIRES

Walk–in Resource · Open

9372 S. 433rd W. Ave, Drumright, OK 74030

Phone Church: 918–352–2082 // Samaritan's Purse: 918–352–2082 or 205–451–5037
Service Temporary

VERIFIED UPDATE 8/20/12 by AW – OK Strong:

URGENT DONATION NEED: Any type of Animal Food & Canned Meat/Meals

URGENT NEED FOR CLEAN UP VOLUNTEERS – Sign up with Samaritan's Purse

Grocery needs at the relief center at Olive Baptist Church:

Canned meat (ie: Spam)
Vienna sausages
Canned chicken (round cans like tuna)
Macaroni and cheese mix (ie: Kraft)
Assorted breakfast cereal (family boxes, not the small individual portions)

Samaritan's Purse has set up at this church and is sending out clean up crews. More information to follow once their Volunteer Coordinator is reached on 8/6/12 on how folks from the community can sign up to help.

At this time, the Olive Baptist Church states that they are mainly in need of clean up items such as:

Shovels
Extension cords
Heavy duty trash bags

Rakes
Shovels
Leather Work Gloves

They have an abundance of clothes for any of the victims that are in need. They also stated any gift cards that could be used for gas would be fantastic! They do have someone on hand from the Red Cross at this time to help answer questions. If you know of anyone that needs assistance or if you would like to contribute please contact:

The Olive Baptist Church
9372 S. 433rd W. Ave
Drumright, OK
918–352–2082

(VERIFIED by LTel 8/17/12)

HOW TO GET HELP WITH CLEAN–UP – FREE

SAMARITAN'S PURSE:

Register on site with Samaritan's Purse at:

Olive Baptist Church
9372 S 443 W Ave,
Drumright, OK 74030

Or CALL Samaritan's Purse at:

918–352–2082 or 205–451–5037

Help with clean–up will be on a first come, first serve basis

Hours: 9 am – 7 pm / Mon. – Sat.

NOTE: Samaritan's Purse will be assisting with clean up until mid Sept. 2012. Volunteers are URGENTLY needed M–Sat. by 7:30 am & after 1 pm on Sundays (Meet at the Olive Baptist Church). Shirts and masks are supplies. NO Tennis Shoes, closed toed work boots are a must and wear clothing you don't care about. It's hard and dirty work and you must be in good physical condition to do this type of volunteering.

(VERIFIED BY LT 8/17/12)

Services offered: Cleanup, Ash & Fire Debris, Volunteer Services; Disaster Relief Supplies, Misc.; Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals, Hot Meals
Campaigns: 2012 Oklahoma – Wildfires; American Red Cross Service Center (this site is a RCSC); Samaritan's Purse
Updated Aug 21, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9262

Good Shepherd Ministries / First Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
222 N.W. 12, Oklahoma City, OK 73103
Phone 405–232–8631
Service Temporary

For low income and homeless individuals. Minor medical services and a dental clinic providing x–rays and extractions only.

Terra called 1/23/07: * Man who answered the phone said that some group called and asked for blankets and we didn't have any? so yes, that would be helpful if you could send blankes. He's going to try and find the name/number of the group that has the need.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Dental, Services * (ANY/ALL Types of Dental Services) ; Medical, Facility, Clinic, Free Clinic; Medical, Non–Emergency Medical Services; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless
Campaigns: Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Jun 2, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1060

Sheriff, Oklahoma County Sheriff

Walk–in Resource · Open

Oklahoma City, OK
Phone 405 713 1000, Dispatch Center: 405 869 2501

Contact John Whetsel, Sheriff
Email johwhe @oklahomacounty.org
Web www.oklahomacounty.org/sheriff
Service Temporary

See link above for more dispatch contact numbers. At the linked page, look to the right to see list of numbers.
Campaigns: 2012 Oklahoma – Wildfires; Government, County/Parish Agency; Law Enforcement Agency
Updated Aug 8, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9237

EMA (Emergency Management Agency) – CLEVELAND COUNTY – 2012 OKLAHOMA WILDFIRES

Walk–in Resource · Open

County
various, OK
Web www.facebook.com/pages/Cleveland–County–Oklahoma/137640846256245?ref=ts
Service Temporary

(No official website found for this county's EMA)
SOURCE: http://www.ok.gov/OEM/documents/012011localem.pdf

Cleveland Co Emergency Mgmt
Dan E. Cary
201 S. Jones
Norman OK 73069
405–366–0249
dcary1 @ okco14 . org

Lexington Emergency Mgmt.
Harry Grider
PO Box 1180
Lexington OK 73051
405–527–9881
ohpidlett @ gmail . com

Moore Emergency Mgmt
Gayland Kitch
301 N. Broadway
Moore OK 73160
405–793–4477
gkitch @ cityofmoore . com

Noble Emergency Mgmt
Gary Bonner
P.O. Box 557
Noble OK 73068
405–872–9231
bonnernfd @ sbcglobal .net

Norman Emergency Mgmt.
James Fullingim
415 East Main St.
Norman OK 73071
405–292–9780
jfullingim @normanok.gov

University of Oklahoma –
Norman Michael R. Montgome
905 Asp Avenue, Rm #1
Norman OK 73019
405–202–8016
mikem @ou.edu
Campaigns: 2012 Oklahoma – Wildfires
Updated Aug 9, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9231

Feed the Children (Distribution Points (GET SUPPLIES), Meals, Donation Collection, etc)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Various, OK
Service Temporary

Feed The Children has set up a distribution point at the Multi–Agency Relief Center at Little Axe Schools, 2000 168th Ave. NE in Norman. On Sunday, the organization conducted a large distribution beginning at Platt College, 201 N Eastern Ave., in Moore.

Also, six locations are now accepting donations: Feed The Children McCormick Distribution Center, 29 N McCormick; First Baptist Church, 1201 N Robinson; Faith Church, Interstate 40 and Portland Ave.; Thermal Windows, 6405 NW 23, Bethany; Cornerstone Church, 9900 SE 15, Midwest City; Fox & Hound Restaurant, 3031 W Memorial Road.

Items that will be accepted at these locations are diapers, canned goods, nonperishable food and snack items, water and sports drinks. Monetary donations are also welcome. To donate to Feed The Children in other ways, call (800) 627–4556, go online at www.feedthechildren.org/disaster, or text “DISASTER” to 80888.

Source: http://newsok.com/how–to–help–several–nonprofits–are–collecting–donations/article/3828009
Campaigns: 2013 Oklahoma Tornadoes
Updated May 27, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9712

Multi–Agency Resource Centers (MARCs) – 2012 OKLAHOMA WILDFIRES (DISASTER RECOVERY CENTERS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

SEE NOTES, VARIOUS, OK
Service Temporary

Multi–Agency Resource Centers (MARCs) are opening at the following locations across the state to allow citizens that have been impacted by the wildfires to receive assistance and information from various agencies including non–profit and faith based organizations.

Mannford – Lake Church at 35903 Hwy 51
Hours: 12–7 p.m. on Wednesday, August 8; Thursday through Saturday 10–7 p.m.
Hours beyond Saturday TBD

Luther – Luther High School auditorium at 178th and Luther Rd
Hours: 8–5 p.m. on Wednesday, August 8
Hours beyond Wednesday TBD

Glencoe – United Methodist Church at 113 South Perry Avenue
Hours: 12–8 p.m. on Tuesday, August 7; Wednesday through Friday, 10–7 p.m.

Noble – Twelve Corners Baptist Church at 15601 East Etowah Road
Hours: 10–6 p.m. on Wednesday, August 7 through Saturday, August 18
Hours beyond Saturday TBD
Updated Aug 8, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9248

Convoy of Hope Oklahoma Tornado Response @ Crossings Community Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

2208 W Hefner, OK
Service Temporary

Crossings Community Church, 2208 W Hefner, is now a donation site for bottled water and energy/sports drinks; nonperishable items, including protein and granola bars, diapers and work gloves. Drop off items between 7:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. weekdays. Also, financial donations can be made online at crossingsokc.org/giving. Sign in or create an account, select “missions” and then select “disaster relief fund” to send your donation directly to tornado relief.

Crossings is also working with The international humanitarian relief organization Convoy of Hope, which has sent a team to Moore with supplies from its World Distribution Center in Springfield, Mo., and is accepting additional items at Crossings' south Oklahoma City location at 8900 Shields Blvd. Drop off items from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily. To make a contribution to Convoy of Hope, go online to www.convoyofhope.org. Donate $10 via cellphone by texting the word CONVOY to 50555.

source: http://newsok.com/how–to–help–several–nonprofits–are–collecting–donations/article/3828009
Campaigns: 2013 Oklahoma Tornadoes
Updated May 27, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9714

Food Distribution (INDEX) – 5/10 OK Tornado's

Walk–in Resource · Open

OK
Service Temporary

A mobile feeding unit at Interstate 240 and Anderson Road is run by the Central Oklahoma Area Command of the Salvation Army.

Mobile feeding units are traveling throughout Little Axe, Moore, Norman, Seminole, Shawnee and surrounding areas. The Salvation Army workers are from Ardmore, Enid, Shawnee, McAlester and Tulsa.

Emotional and spiritual care is available from Salvation Army crews throughout the area.

The American Red Cross of Central Oklahoma also has feeding sites in affected areas. All sites serve breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Feeding locations:

Harrah — Harrah Church, 101 S Dobbs Road.

Norman — Crosspointe Church, 24{+ }th Avenue SE and State Highway 9.

Seminole — Seminole State College Haney Center, 2701 Boren Blvd.

Tecumseh — City Hall, 309 E Chicago Blvd.

Read more: http://newsok.com/article/3460512#ixzz0o6uoKnjG

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Mobile Meals, Disaster Survivors (Available To)
Campaigns: 2010 May Oklahoma/Kansas Tornado; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Salvation Army
Updated May 16, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5873

OK Donation Drop Sites from OK News

Walk–in Resource · Open

OK
Service Temporary

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Science Museum Oklahoma, 2100 NE 52, is serving as a drop–off point for relief donations, including bottled water, Gatorade–type sports drinks, diapers, baby wipes, baby formula and canned foods at the museum box office during operating hours. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturdays and 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sundays.

For more information, call 602–6664 or www.sciencemuseumok.org.

The Tuttle FFA is having a donation drive from noon to 5 p.m. Sunday in the old Williams parking lot on Main Street. People are asked to bring bottled water, Gatorade, diapers, work gloves, baby wipes, individually wrapped snacks, baby formula, hand towels and nonperishable items.

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Oklahoma State University's Parking and Transit Services will be accepting donations from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. through Friday in the parking lot at the intersection of Hall of Fame and Washington in Stillwater. Water, nonperishable food items, diapers, toiletries, snack foods, work gloves, Gatorade, sunscreen, baby wipes, hand sanitizer, ibuprofen, shovels, rakes and buckets are needed. No clothing is needed. All items will be donated to the American Red Cross. For more information, call (405) 744–6260.

The Oklahoma City Repertory Theatre will solicit donations for disaster relief during its run of “Greater Tuna,” scheduled through June 16 at the Civic Center Music Hall's Freede Little Theatre, 201 N Walker. For more information, call 848–3761.

Toy Base 10, 4028 NW 10, and Vintage Stock, 7407 N May, are collecting toys for those displaced by the Moore tornado. Toy Base 10 is open from 1 to 5 p.m. Wednesdays through Saturdays. Vintage Stock is open 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Mondays through Saturdays and noon to 7 p.m. Sundays.

Quail Springs Baptist Church, 14613 N May, is requesting donations of water, Gatorade, wipes, individually wrapped snacks, hand sanitizer, diapers, baby formula, hand towels, work gloves and sunscreen. Items can be dropped off on the north side of the building. Checks can be made payable to QSBC Storm Relief. For more information, call 755–9240.

The Oklahoma City Ballet, 7421 N Classen, is accepting donations of baby wipes, paper towels, gallons of water, individually wrapped snack and food items and work gloves. Drop–off hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays. Donations will also be accepted from 6 to 9 p.m. Thursday at Oklahoma City University, 2501 N Blackwelder. For more information, call 848–8637.

The City of Yukon is accepting donations to help Moore tornado victims at the Yukon Police Department, 100 S Ranchwood Blvd. Bottled water, Gatorade, baby wipes, diapers, baby formula, hand towels, individually wrapped snacks, work gloves, shovels and dog food can be dropped off 24 hours a day through May 31. Checks will also be accepted. For more information, call 354–1711 or go to www.cityofyukonok.gov.

Rose State College's Office of Student Activities is accepting donations of bottled water, canned goods, diapers, sports drinks and nonperishable food items at 6420 SE 15 in Midwest City. Monetary donations will be forwarded to the Oklahoma Red Cross. For more information, call 733–7458.

The Oklahoma Farm Bureau and Affiliated Companies' main office at 2501 N Stiles, is accepting donations for those affected by the recent tornado. Items needed are bottled water, sports drinks, paper towels, disinfectant wipes, individually wrapped snack food, diapers, baby formula and work gloves. A trailer on the office's west side will accept donations for as long as needed. For more information, call 523–2347.

Plaza Mayor at the Crossroads, the former Crossroads Mall, 7000 Crossroads Blvd., has opened its doors to organizations working to provide supplies to those displaced by the Moore tornado. In addition to being a command post for the Red Cross, and a delivery, sorting and distribution point for the Salvation Army, Plaza Mayor is accepting donations at the mall's southwest corner near the old J.C. Penney loading dock. For more information, call 631–4422.

The Kerr Foundation, working with volunteers Laura Ogle and Christy Coyle with a new organization called XO, is collecting professional clothing for women affected by the tornadoes. The group will accept blouses, dresses, pocketbooks and other wardrobe items for women preparing to return to work after losing their wardrobes in the weather disaster. The group will pick up items or you can drop them off at 12501 N May or On a Whim at Classen Curve. For information, call 209–4777.

Graceway Baptist Church, 1100 SW 104 (www.gracewayokc.org), will serve as a drop–off location for donations of bottled water, ready–to–eat food items, ibuprofen, adhesive bandages, gloves, batteries and hand sanitizer.

Infant Crisis Services needs basic necessities for families with babies and toddlers affected by the tornadoes.

The agency is requesting items from its disaster relief wish list, which includes: Good Start Gentle formula, Good Start Soy formula, diapers (sizes 1–6), wipes, sippy cups, bottles, baby wash and blankets or quilts. All in–kind donations received in the coming weeks will be used to give direct and immediate support to babies and toddlers affected by the May 20 tornado.

Those interested in participating in the relief efforts should drop off items from Infant Crisis Services' wish list at the following locations: Infant Crisis Services, 4224 N Lincoln Blvd., Kelly–Moore Paint Company, 108 24th Ave. SW, Norman; Platt College, 2727 W Memorial Road; Upsy Daizy, 6930 Northwest Expressway; Collected Thread, 1706 NW 16; and all Oklahoma City metro Sprint locations.

Environmental Management Inc. in Carney has set up a donation drop–off at its facility at 5200 NE State Highway 33 for items needed in Carney, where 37 homes were demolished and about 60 others are damaged.

Current needs are: leather work gloves, shovels, rakes, Gatorade and contractor trash bags. They do not need water or clothes.

Cherokee Hills Christian Church, 6228 NW 39 in Bethany, is a donation receiving center for work gloves, bottled water and Gatorade. Donations are also being accepted there. Make checks to CHCC and put “tornado relief” in the memo.

Oklahoma City University has organized several relief efforts, including some to benefit about 20 members of the OCU community affected by the storms. Ongoing efforts and ways to help are listed at www.okcu.edu/relief. Items to aid victims can be dropped off at OCU's Kramer School of Nursing East in the student lounge located at NW 27 and Blackwelder Avenue between 7 a.m. and 8 p.m. weekdays. Donations needed as part of this student–led effort include nonperishable food, bottled water, sunscreen, work gloves, dust masks and flashlights.

As Catholic Charities, Archdiocese of Oklahoma City, mobilizes for long–term disaster recovery in Carney, Little Axe, Moore, Shawnee and other areas affected by the recent tornadoes, the organization is in need of donated 10–gallon storage tubs. The tubs, which will be used for recovering possessions lost in the storms, can be delivered to Catholic Charities' main office in Oklahoma City, 1501 N. Classen Blvd.

Catholic Charities is open Monday to Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Catholic Charities' Disaster Recovery Services offer aid to Oklahomans with immediate and long–term needs during the recovery process.

To learn more about or make a monetary donation to Catholic Charities' Disaster Recovery Fund, visit www.catholiccharitiesok.org or call 523–3000.

The Southgate Baptist Church at 740 SW 4 in Moore is seeking items to help with relief efforts: body soap, adult socks, children's socks, underwear of all sizes, men's shoes, hand sanitizer, wipes, plastic bins, denture cream, work gloves, towels and washcloths, heavy–duty trash bags, sun block, aloe vera, water, Gatorade, deodorant, feminine hygiene products, push brooms, rakes, shovels, basic medical supplies.

For information, call Sarah Marshall at 627–0558.

Operation BBQ Relief has mobilized a disaster response team to Moore to serve meals to displaced families, emergency workers and volunteers. The group is currently stationed at Hillsdale Baptist College, 3701 S Frontage Road, in Moore and needs donations and volunteers. Donations can be made online at OperationBBQrelief.org. To register to volunteer, go to the charity's Facebook page at Facebook.com/OperationBBQRelief. Donations needed include aluminum foil, aluminum pans, extra-large disposable Nitrile gloves, three-compartment clamshell containers, flatware combo packs, gallon-size cans of vegetables and beans, and meat (such as chicken and pork butts).

DonorsChoose.org partners with Sooner and Quail Springs malls to help rebuild Moore schools. DonorsChoose.org will use donations to fund classroom recovery projects for critical supplies, such as clothing, food, books, therapy resources, teaching materials, technology and classroom furniture. Visit www.donorschoose.org/OKschools to support the effort.

Uptown Kids at The Classen Curve has established a children's clothing drop off location. Bring items to 5840 N Classen Blvd, Suite 3, and the store will get them to the Red Cross and other organizations.

RescueNet, an international disaster relief team, is working with Emmanual Baptist Church in McLoud to help victims of the Shawnee tornado by serving meals, distributing items and dispatching cleaning crews. The group needs baby items, water, gift cards, fuel donations and more. For information, go to the church, 16901 S Fishmarket, or call 273-0040.

The Oklahoma City-County Health Department is asking that medical personnel and others who want to volunteer to help with disaster relief in the OKC-Moore area to go to the Oklahoma Medical Reserve Corps (OKMRC) website at www.okmrc.org.

OKMRC is designed to bring together different healthcare-related organizations and members of the community, including physicians, nurses, public health workers, and other medical professionals. In addition, volunteers without a background in medical training are needed.

To volunteer, go to www.okmrc.org and click on “OKMRC Inquiry” and click on the opportunity link for more information about volunteering.

The Moore Tornado Recovery Task Force is accepting bulk item donations from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily. Bulk and corporate donations arriving in semi-trailers need go to the Lloyd Noble Center located at 2900 S Jenkins Avenue in Norman. Trucks will exit off of Interstate 35 onto Highway 9 East at exit 108A and proceed to Jenkins Avenue. Signage will direct drivers to where staging area is located.

Give the task force 24-hour notice about item delivery by calling (866) 484-3500 to tell what items you are bringing and estimated time of arrival.

If you want to help support the hub of volunteers and distribution at Journey Church in Norman, go online to helpmoorerebuild.com to sign up for shifts. The site also will accept donations for long-term recovery needs.

source: http://newsok.com/how-to-help-several-nonprofits-are-collecting-donations/article/3828009
Campaigns: 2013 Oklahoma Tornadoes
Updated May 27, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9713

OK Meals...List of Sites to get Meals

Walk-in Resource · Open

OK

Web www.google.com/url?q=http%3A%2F%2Ftinyurl.com%2FMoore-OK-Meals&sa=D&sntz=1&usg=AFQjCNEGNwAB_oSlY9MHZlJ482UQRqOPyQ
Service Temporary

Services offered: Meals * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2013 Oklahoma Tornadoes
Updated May 27, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9707

Sheriff, Pawnee County

Walk-in Resource · Open

OK

Phone (918) 762-2565
Contact Sheriff Mike Waters
Web www.pawneecountysheriff.com
Serves Pawnee County, Oklahoma
Service Temporary

Campaigns: 2012 Oklahoma – Wildfires; Government, County/Parish Agency; Law Enforcement Agency
Updated Aug 8, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9241

OR

Lutheran Community Services Northwest

Walk-in Resource · Open

Faith-Based Non-Profit Community Outreach
3107 Grand Ave., Astoria, OR 97103

Phone (503) 325-6754
Web www.lcsnw.org
Serves Washington, Oregon and Idaho

FROM THE WEBSITE:

Our Services:

Adoption Services
Mental Health Counseling
Advocacy & Social Justice
Multicultural Counseling & Outreach
Alcohol/Drug Treatment & Education
Parent Education & Support
Community Education & Prevention
Refugee Resettlement
Crisis Intervention
Senior Outreach & Support
Disaster Response
Teen Pregnancy Prevention
Employee Assistance Programs
Transitional Housing
Family Support Centers & Services
Violence Prevention & Counseling
Foster Care
Volunteer Services
Homecare
Youth Asset Development

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/ Elders; Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Teens; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing; Housing, Transitional Housing (For Battered Women/Children); Jobs, Paying; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Response; Services, Family, Children, Foster Care; Services, Immigration, Refugee Resettlement (See also "Assistance"); Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/ Alcohology) ; Services, Women's Services; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Training Classes, ESL (English as a Second Language); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: Meals on Wheels; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Nov 6, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2684

BANDON FEEDS THE HUNGRY

Walk-in Resource · Open

Bandon, OR 97411

Web feedingbandon.org
Service Temporary

FOOD DRIVE DURING COVID-19
Bandon Feeds the Hungry is accepting donations for Bandon's food assistance organizations.

Drop off canned or dry food items in front of Farm & Sea in the Old Town Marketplace parking lot at 250 First Street SW in Bandon, Oregon. You can also drop off a check in the Farm & Sea shop.

Farm & Sea will be accepting donations 7 days a week during their hours of operation (Mon thru Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 10-3). They started with drop-offs every Tuesday and Wednesday mornings, but the first two days of food collections were so successful that they've expanded it.

You can also mail your check, made out to Bandon Feeds the Hungry, to P.O. Box 566, Bandon, OR 97411.

Amy Moss-Strong, the President of Bandon Feeds the Hungry, will be distributing all food and monetary donations to the participating food assistance organizations in Bandon, including: Coastal Harvest, E.A.T., Good Neighbors Food Bank, Senior Nutrition, and Restoration Worship Center Food Pantry. 100 percent of all monetary donations are distributed evenly to each of the five 501(c)3 nonprofits and a receipt will be mailed to all donors for tax purposes. All donations are tax-deductible.

Thank you, Bandon, for working together and helping our community.

Feeding Bandon" organizations also participate in BandonCares, a project dedicated to fostering communication, cooperation and collaboration among the more than 50 Bandon nonprofit organizations serving the community.

Services offered: Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/ Agencies); Food, Dry, * Dry Food Goods (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Sep 21, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10358

Love in the Name of Christ of Greater Beaverton

Walk–in Resource · Open

Beaverton, OR
Phone 503–336–5946
Web www.loveincbeaverton.org
Service Temporary

For Prayer and Need Requests
The Love INC call intake center is open Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 10am to 1pm. Call us at : 503–336–5946

Volunteers and Churches

To find out how you can serve with Love INC of Beaverton please contact:

Cindy Kirk
503–336–3737
cindy.kirk@loveincbeaverton.org
Updated Dec 19, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4794

Canby Center, The

Walk–in Resource · Open

PO Box 518; 555 SW 2nd Ave, Canby, OR 97013
Phone (503) 266–2920
Web www.thecanbycenter.org
Service Temporary

Canby Center
555 SW 2nd Ave
Canby OR 97013–3901
503–266–2920
http://www.thecanbycenter.org

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Sep 13, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4790

Josheph's Storehouse (Carlton Food Pantry)

Walk–in Resource · Open

500 E Main St., Carlton, OR 97111
Phone 503–852–6434
Hours Wednesdays: 12:00–1:00 & Fridays: 6:00–8:00pm
Serves Carlton
Bring ID
Service Temporary

Services offered: Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Food, Baby Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Baked Goods, Bread ** (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Holiday, Food Boxes/Basket, Misc.; Food, Holiday * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Vouchers, Gas Vouchers
Updated Nov 5, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4738

Oregon – Community Food Programs

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community Service
101 Ballard Hall, Corvallis, OR 97331
Phone 541–737–2713

Oregon State University Extension Service

Search for organizations with Community Food Programs by county, program area,
city, zip code, organization name, or a combination of these search criteria. Please use the filter controls below and click "Go" to perform a search. You can refine your search by adding or removing search criteria.

This website contains a searchable database of non–emergency community food programs in Oregon and Southwest Washington.

Go to: http://foodfororegon.oregonstate.edu/search.php

* Advocacy
* Education
* Farmers' Market

* Food Production and Processing
* Community Garden
* Gleaning
* Other Food Sales

Services offered: Community Outreach Programs; Directories, Directory of Services, Regional; Hotline, Food Bank/Pantry Hotline (Find Emergency Food Help)
Updated Jul 26, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1601

Estacada Community Watch (Facebook – Distribution)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Estacada, OR

Phone 503–260–5779
Web www.facebook.com/EstacadaWatch
Service Temporary

POSTS:

October 2nd
THIS Is Estacada Community Watch. All of us coming together as a community. We are still doing work for the families affected. If you want to help reach out! Look at all this love! Photos courtesy Gary McClain.

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October 2nd
Hey everyone!! I am trying to connect families with our resources. If you are a resource that has temporary housing, trailers, mobile homes, etc please comment, message or call me (brandy) 503–260–5779....we are in next phase stuff and the hard part begins!! Thank you everyone....stay tuned for more needs as we go!

Services offered: Adopt–A–Family, Families That Want To Be "Adopted"; Demographic Served: Families; Demographic Served: Families, w/Young Children; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2020 Oregon Fires
Updated Oct 7, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10386

Gates Community Church Of Christ (Linn County Resource Center) (Community Distribution Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

40070 Gates School Rd, Gates, OR 97346

Phone (503) 897–3210
Web www.facebook.com/Gates–Community–Church–Of–Christ–574151189319770
Service Temporary

Post:
10/1/20
The Wounded Warriors Project

Are Here!!! In Gates Community Church parking lot. They are honoring our community by bringing much–needed box fans and filters...

Take this opportunity to honor them, as they honor us, with their presence

9/30/20
A local group of Marines embraced our community today . This toydrive was sponsored by them to provide some enjoyment especially for the children in our canyon that have experienced the trauma of the wildfires and now the aftermath of the massive cleanup ...

(Because this was the first day of school, schedules were probably pretty tight and so the lovely toys you see in this post, they're still available. Come by our church between 10 AM and 4 PM....)

Oorah!!! Our canyon rises from the ashes, by those who lift us–up.

We are so very grateful to you all, for your goodness in this amazing gift. You see, this blessing you brought was not only for our canyon children, but what your very presence represents to worn and weary hearts.

We say semper fi ...May God shed His Amazing Grace, on–thee...each and every–one. Amen

#CanyonStrong

FEMA IS HERE
Monday–Saturday
10AM–4PM
You are encouraged to apply... #CanyonStrong

Gates Community Church Of Christ
2d ·
Distribution Center
Volunteers Needed:

Please follow the link below to sign up to help in the Community Distribution Center located here at Gates Community Church of Christ.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040e4caaad28abfb6-santiam1

We humbly Thank You, in advance. This wildfire has been a devastating event that will take much time and effort. Any and all help is more than appreciated, it is vital to our recovery ...

Matthew 25:40 “The King will reply, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.’

#CanyonStrong in-Jesus ♥

Gates Store Volunteers
Please review the available slots below and click on the button to sign up. Thank you!

We've expanded to include a new store at the Gates Community Church. Our goal is to serve the families in the canyon where they are, and as evacuated families move back we need to be there.

Each time slot has a specific role and job descriptions are listed!

Store Hours are from 10 AM to 4 PM, Monday through Saturday. Volunteers are asked to park in the back parking lot and visit the Volunteer Check-In table 5 minutes before your shift to connect with Kara or your LEAD!

Please share this signup link with others in our community! The more help we get the better.
https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040e4caaad28abfb6-santiam1

Services offered: Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location; Facility: Community Center; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Cooked Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Online Donations Offer Registry; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Short Term Volunteer Opportunities
Campaigns: 2020 Oregon Fires
Updated Oct 3, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10382

City Outreach (at the First Christian Church)

Walk-in Resource · Open

1300 SE Brooks St., McMinnville, OR 97128

Phone 503-434-4392
Web inewhorizons.org/index.php?nid=18163&s=ms&grpid=4947&grpDetails=true
Hours Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays from 10am to 12 noon
Serves Yamhill County
Eligibility Once per month
Bring Photo ID
Service Temporary

http://www.newsregister.com/article?articleTitle=helping+hands--1302813468--554--organizations
Apr 14, 2011

City Outreach Ministries: Volunteers are needed to do translating, sorting, stocking and work at the intake desk for City Outreach Minstries. The office, at 1300 S.E. Brooks St., McMinnville, is open from 10 a.m. to noon Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. For more information, call 503-434-4392.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Furniture, Chairs * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Nov 10, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4493

Jackson County External Outreach Site (FEMA Disaster Relief Center (DRC))

Walk-in Resource · Open

815 South Oakdale Ave, MEDFORD, OR 97501

Hours 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Sunday – Saturday
Service Temporary

Available Services
FEMA
General Information
Hazard Mitigation

IF DENIED:
https://www.kgw.com/article/news/local/wildfire/how-you-can-appeal-if-fema-denied-your-wildfire-disaster-relief/283-f8a0a72c-aa01-4a59-9c29-56cc3c304b60

FEMA Disaster Recovery Centers (DRCs) are accessible facilities and mobile offices you can visit to learn more about FEMA and other disaster assistance programs. You may also visit to ask questions about your case. DRCs are set up in convenient areas after a disaster to make them easier to find. The DRC Locator helps you find the hours, services, and locations of DRCs near you.

A DRC may be able to help you:

Apply for assistance. You may also Apply for FEMA Assistance online https://www.disasterassistance.gov/
or Apply/Check your status by phone 1-800-621-3362.
Learn more about disaster assistance programs.
Learn the status of your FEMA application.
Understand any letters you get from FEMA.
Find housing and rental assistance information.
Get answers to questions or resolve problems.
Get referrals to agencies that may offer other assistance.
Learn about Small Business Administration (SBA) programs
Campaigns: 2020 Oregon Fires; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center)
Updated Oct 2, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10381

Foothills Community Church

Walk-in Resource · Open

PO Box 797, Molalla, OR 97038

Phone (503)829-5101
Web www.foothillsonline.com
Serves Molalla, Mulino, Colton, Beavercreek, and Scotts Mills Area.
Eligibility If you have been impacted by the fire and need assistance
Service Temporary

MOLALLA FIRE RELIEF ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
http://www.foothillsonline.com/molalla-fire-relief-assistance-program/

We love our community and know you do as well. So many have been adversely affected by the fires and we are here to help! If you have been impacted by the fire and need assistance, please complete the online Fire Relief Assistance Program Application.

Fire Relief Assistance Application
Funds are primarily for the Molalla, Mulino, Colton, Beavercreek, and Scotts Mills Area.
http://foothillsonline.com/machform/view.php?id=62358

Donations by check can be mailed to:
Foothills Community Church
PO Box 797
Molalla, OR 97038

100% of funds received will go to help those in need within our community. Any unused funds will be given to our local fire department.
If you have any questions about this program, please contact the Foothills office at 503-829-5101 or email office@foothillsonline.com

Services offered: Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Registry, Wish List Registry, Online Registry
Campaigns: 2020 Oregon Fires
Updated Sep 25, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10366

Foothills Community Church Resource Center

Walk-in Resource · Open

PO Box 797, Molalla, OR 97038

Phone 503-759-0341
Web www.facebook.com/foothillsrc
Hours Thursday 12:00 pm – 7:00 pm, Friday 12:00 – 5:00 pm
Serves Molalla, Mulino, Colton, Beavercreek, and Scotts Mills Area.
Eligibility If you have been impacted by the fire and need assistance
Service Temporary

Resource Center @ Foothills Community Church
122 Grange Ave, Molalla – end of building at loading dock
Tuesday & Thursday 9am-3pm (as of 9/17/20)
Food boxes, meat, dairy, fresh produce, diapers & wipes

Updated: 9/23/20 (new information in red font)
FIRE RELIEF RESOURCES
Note: This list is compiled from various sources in our local community, including Facebook and government websites. Foothills is not endorsing any specific organization or individual offering services, just providing as complete a list as possible as a service to our community.

http://www.foothillsonline.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/RESOURCES_Handout_9-23-20.pdf

MOLALLA FIRE RELIEF ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
http://www.foothillsonline.com/molalla-fire-relief-assistance-program/

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Fire Relief Assistance Application
Funds are primarily for the Molalla, Mulino, Colton, Beavercreek, and Scotts Mills Area.
http://foothillsonline.com/machform/view.php?id=62358

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Foothills Community Church
PO Box 797
Molalla, OR 97038

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If you have any questions about this program, please contact the Foothills office at 503-829-5101 or email office@foothillsonline.com

Services offered: Assistance, Disaster Relief Assistance, Online Registration; Baby, Baby Wipes ; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies, Updates/Locations; Distribution, Gift Cards for Disaster Survivors; Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, In-Kind Donations; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Drinks, Sports Drinks ** (ANY/ALL Types); Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, County Resources, Contacts & Services (County Level); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Long Term Recovery Support; Registry, Wish List Registry, Online Registry; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2020 Oregon Fires
Updated Sep 25, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10367

Love INC ~ Love In the Name of Christ

Walk-in Resource · Open

Church – Community Outreach
209 S Main ST, Newberg, OR 97132

Phone (503) 537-3999
Web www.loveincnewberg.org
Hours Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 9am-2pm After hour appointments are available upon request.
Service Temporary

COVID-19 UPDATES
WAYS TO HELP
https://www.loveincnewberg.org/covid19

Church Ministries
Outreach (GAP) Ministries - Donations Being Accepted
209 S Main Street Newberg, OR (503) 537-3999

Car Repair (Multi-Church) Donations can be made at Doran Automotive, or contact Love INC (503)537-3999 for more information. Certified mechanics also needed to volunteer labor.
Champoeg Park Vouchers (Multi-Church) Donations can be made at the
Love INC office 209 S Main Street, Newberg. Call (503) 537-3999 for info.

Clothes Closet (North Valley Friends Church) Take all items to the clothes closet shed behind the church located at 4020 N College, Newberg. Call (503) 538-5340 for more information.

Clothes Closet (Seventh Day Adventist) Take all items to the clothes closet building behind the church located at 530 Edgewood Drive, Newberg. Call (503) 538-2622 for more information.

Community Kitchen (Newberg Christian Church) If you would like to donate food, please contact the church office (503) 538-3104 ask for Louise
Dental Van (St. Michael's Episcopal Church) If you would like to help support this ministry, please call the Love INC office (503) 537-3999.

Diapers (Joyful Servant Lutheran) Take all items to the church office located at
1716 N Villa Road. Call (503)538–0475 for more information.

Frozen Meals (Multi Church). Frozen meals are located at the Love INC office. If you would like to donate frozen meals, contact Love INC (503) 537–3999.

Furniture – Contact Love INC (503) 537–3999. A time can be scheduled to drop off items or to have them picked up at your home.

Gas Vouchers (Newberg Foursquare Church) Provides gas vouchers for clients with appointments outside of Newberg. Donations can be made at the Love INC office at 209 S Main Street, Newberg. Call (503) 537–3999 and ask for Polly.

Gift Closet (Church of the Nazarene) Take all items to the church office located at
23177 Old Yamhill Road, Newberg. Call (503) 538–2570 for more information.

Homeless Kits (Godsong Church) Donations can be made by contacting Godsong Church at (503) 538–7254.

Housecleaning (Multi–Church) Contact Love INC (503) 537–3999 if you would like to help in this area.

Kitchen Setup (Second Street Community Church) Take all items to the church office
located at 504 E 1st Street, Newberg. Call (503) 538–9761 for more information.

Knitting Ministry – (Multi–Church) Make cold weather accessories. Contact Love INC (503) 537–3999 if you would like to help in this area.

Linen Closet (St. Peter's Catholic Church) Take all items to the church office located at
2315 N Main Street, Newberg. Call (503) 538–4312 for more information.

Motel Vouchers (Newberg Foursquare) One night stays for individuals and families in transition. Donations can be made at the Love INC office
at 209 S Main Street, Newberg. Call (503) 537–3999 and ask for Polly.

Non–Food Pantry (Northside Community church) Take all items to the church office
located at 1800 Hoskins Street, Newberg. Call (503) 538–0440 for more information.
All items at the grocery store that aren't food: detergent, tp, tooth paste, cleaning supplies etc..

Personal Care Kits (Grace Baptist Church): Care kits can be donated to the Love INC office and include items such as toothpaste, shampoo, conditioners, soap, dental floss, lotion, deodorant, shaving cream, razors, and tooth brushes. Kits can also be picked up to give to people in need.

Promise Pantry (Promise Church) open Sunday 2–4, Promise Pantry located at 23330 Full Quartz Landing Road Dundee, OR 97115. Contact Love INC clearinghouse for details.

Sack Lunch Kits (Multi–Church) Donations can be taken to the Love INC office. Include juice boxes, ready–to–eat soup, crackers, and granola bars. Sack lunch kits can also be picked up to give to people in need.

School Supplies/back packs (GodSong) Donations can be dropped off at GodSong Church and include pencils, paper, binders, markers, rulers, glue, backpacks, and other general school supplies. Contact GodSong at (503) 537–3087.

Shear Joy Haircuts (Family Life Church) If you are a hairstylist and would like to offer your services, please contact the Love INC office at (503) 537–3999.

Transportation Ministry (Multi–Church) Donations can be made at the Newberg Foursquare church office located at 115 W 3rd Street, Newberg. Call (503)538–6525 for more information.

Wood (Newberg Friends) Donations can be made by calling Hub Murdock (503) 538–7849 or Luis Goslin at (503) 538–7524

Nationwide Affiliates
http://www.loveinc.org/affiliates/affiliate–locations/

REFERRED TO LOVE INC

Cascade Hearing Aid Center (Have Newburg Service)
http://www.cascadehearingaidcenter.com/contact.html

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Community Outreach Programs; Directories, Directory of Services, National; Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, In–Kind Donations; Donations, In–Kind Donations Services, Small Lots; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Information Resource, Neighborhood Network; NEEDS, Wishlist Available online; Registry, Wish List Registry, Online Registry; Services, Church/Worship Services; Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Short Term Volunteer Opportunities; Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online; Vouchers, Clothing Vouchers
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Sep 17, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4741

Fish Emergency Service

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit – Community
1335 SE Hawthorne Blvd., Portland, OR 97214

Phone 503–233–5533
Web www.fishemergencyservice.org
Hours Monday – Friday
Serves Multnomah, Clackamas, OR Counties
Service Temporary

Additional Information:

SERVICES: Provides emergency clothing, bedding, and household items. Persons receving food stamps for public assistance must have AFS referral.

EMERGENCY FOOD: Emergency food resource for people in need in Clackamas County and in Multnomah west of East 82nd Avenue. Services limited to once every 4 months; sooner with a referral.

MATERIAL RESOURCES: Provides emergency clothing, bedding, and household items. Services limited to once every 4 months.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE: Call or walk in. Identification is required.

HOURS for services: 10:30am – 2:00pm, Monday – Friday. Office hours: 8:30am – 3:30pm, Monday – Friday.

FEES: No fee for services.

DISABILITIES ACCESS: Full wheelchair access.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Community Service Program; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution, Clothing Closet; Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Linens, Bedding * (ANY/ALL Types of Bedding) New or Gently Used/CLEAN; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers)
Updated May 30, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3825

Portland Adventist Community Services (PACS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

11020 NE Halsey St, Portland, OR 97220

Phone 503.252.8500
Web www.portlandacs.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance)
Campaigns: Adventist Community Services Disaster Relief; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Dec 22, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3982

Rose Haven

Walk–in Resource · Open

MAILING ADDRESS; Rose Haven; PO Box 11620; Portland, OR 97211; ; SERVICE LOCATION; Rose Haven serves guests in the ramp–accessible lower level of First Immanuel Church building located on the corner of NW Irving and NW 18th Ave.; Rose Haven; 627 NW 18th Ave., Portland, OR 97209

Phone 503–248–6364
Web rosehaven.org
Service Temporary

SERVICES –
Advocacy
Classes & Groups
Message Center
Hospitality
Clothing Shop
Community

How You Can Help –
http://rosehaven.org/#/how–to–help/4543178909

Rose Haven relies solely on the generosity of individuals, foundations, organizations and corporate supporters. Your support helps us to provide a place where women can find the courage and resources to maintain their dignity and attain independence. Here are some different ways to support our work:

Make a donation
Become a volunteer

Donate much needed items –
http://rosehaven.org/#/in–kind–donations/4544866757

Attend a fundraising event
Host an event or drive to benefit Rose Haven
Make a gift in honor of a friend, relative or business associate
Include Rose Haven in your will or estate plan

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VOLUNTEER –
http://rosehaven.org/#/volunteer/4544367560

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NOTE:
Clothing Shop –
We rely on generous donations of hygiene items, diapers, feminine supplies and new, gently used, smoke and pet hair free clothing to stock our shop. If you are interested in donating or shopping, please contact us at: 503–248–6364 x 309.

The best time to drop off items is Monday, Tuesday or Thursday between 1–4pm or Fridays from 8am– 4pm. To arrange another time please, call our donation line at 503 248–6364, ext.309. Please do not leave items outside our door. There is no cover to keep items dry and it is also prohibited by the fire marshal.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Homeless; Distribution, Clothing Closet; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Oct 14, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9008

St. Vincent de Paul

Walk–in Resource · Open

Portland, OR

Phone (503) 235–7837 OR emergency assistance 503–235–8431
Web www.svdppdx.org
Service Temporary

Emergency Services~
Food
Clothing
Rent Assistance
Utility Assistance

USDA
Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP)

Donate~
Money
Vehicles
Clothing & Other Items

Volunteer~
Emergency Services
Food Bank
Food Recovery & Repack
Group & Individual Projects

Vincent's Café is taking it to the streets – literally! The Café has been replaced by Vincent's Mobile Kitchen.
Originally a 79 passenger school bus now transformed into a full café on wheels serving as a mobile kitchen/disaster response unit to feed working poor, homeless families, youth and individuals.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Mobile Kitchen Trailor Unit; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Emergency Services; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Government, USDA Commodity Program; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
Updated Oct 9, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3981

Loaves & Fishes (Meals on Wheels)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community Outreach

7710 SW 31st Avenue, Portland & Vancouver, OR 19477

Phone (503) 736–6325
Web www.loavesandfishesonline.org/default.asp
Checks payable to Loaves & Fishes Centers
Service Temporary

Overview

Meals–On–Wheels are hot, nutritious lunches that are delivered Monday through Friday between 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to the homebound elderly who meet the requirements. Meals–On–Wheels are delivered by friendly volunteers, many of whom are the only people the homebound elderly see during the day. Weekend and Holiday meals are also available to seniors at the highest risk of malnutrition.

Meals are provided on a donation basis and participants are encouraged to donate toward the cost of their meals as they are able. The suggested donation is $2.75 per meal.

Call us at (503)736–6325 for service in Multnomah or Washington counties

Call us at (360)699–6325 for service in Clark County

Services

Loaves & Fishes Centers provides Meals–On–Wheels to homebound seniors and group dining at 30 locations in Multnomah, Washington and Clark counties. Several of our centers offer ethnic menus. Meals are also available to qualified seniors on weekends.

* Meals–On–Wheels
* Meal Centers
* Weekend/Holiday Meals
* Ethnic/Multicultural Programs
* Enhance Fitness
* Monthly Menu

Multicultural Outreach

Volunteer Opportunities

Loaves & Fishes Centers could not exist without the help of more than 350 volunteers every weekday. Our volunteers help prepare and serve meals to seniors in 30 different Meals–On–Wheels volunteer meal sites throughout Multnomah, Washington and Clark counties, as well as deliver nearly 2,700 Meals–On–Wheels to homebound elderly on an average day.

CONTACT INFO:

Volunteer Manager Angel Pilato at (503) 736.6325 ext. 86239 or volunteer.manager@lfcpdx.org

2009
http://www.portlandtribune.com/news/story.php?story_id=125852332988094100

Starting in July, Loaves and Fishes had to comply with new, stricter state regulations for background checks on volunteers in all types of federal– and state–funded programs.

Background check requirements means no more spur–of–the–moment volunteers

I'd encourage anyone who would like to help the Meals–On–Wheels program – even if you only want to be an "emergency" driver – to call Loaves and Fishes and get signed up right now. That way, the background check can be completed and you will be cleared to work when the weather is bad. L&F is a great organization and deserves your support.

Services offered: Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Lunches (Hot); Meals, Mobile Meals; Transportation, Ride Service (FREE or Sliding Scale); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Meals on Wheels
Updated Nov 18, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1000

Caring Closet, The (at Tigard High School)

Walk–in Resource

9000 SW Durham Road, Tigard, OR 97224

Phone 503–603–1576
Hours Wednesdays and Thursdays between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.
Eligibility Families must be pre–qualified by a principal, teacher or counselor at their school and then make appointments to "shop" at the facility that is set up just like a store.
Service Temporary

Services offered: Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Donations, In–Kind Donations Services, Small Lots; Recycling, Clothing; Recycling, Services * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Sep 15, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4835

Vernonia Cares Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Food Bank
627 Adams Avenue, Vernonia, OR 97064

Phone (503)429–1414
Web www.vernoniacares.org
Hours 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m
Serves Columbia, Timber / Buxton in Washington County
Eligibility Income limitations do not apply during this current situation. We are open to ALL upper Nehalem Valley residents. If you are flood affected or hosting a flood affected family, please visit our food bank for assistance!
Service Temporary

Food Bank Hours: Tuesdays – 10:00am to 2:00pm
Thursdays – 10:00am to 8:00pm

Tuesday Dec. 11, 07

Food Bank Out of Storage Space: new donations should be sent to St. Helens

The Vernonia Food Bank is asking people wishing to donate food items for flood victims to drop them off at the Columbia County Food Bank.

Vernonia Food Bank workers said their food bank ran out of storage space Tuesday because of the public's generosity.

Until further notice, they asked that donations be dropped off at:

474 Milton Road in St. Helens.

Posted by Public Information Officers at Vernonia Flood Response at 2:28 PM

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2007 Pacific Northwest Flooding
Updated May 31, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2683

5Rock Ranch

Walk–in Resource · Open

23800 NW Flying M Road, Yamhill, OR 97148

Phone 503–662–5678
Web www.5rockranch.com
Service Temporary

Camps/Retreats
http://www.5rockranch.com/Index.cfm?PageID=1514

Other Links –
http://www.5rockranch.com/links.cfm?Headline=Links

Haven of Hope
Haven of Hope is now at 5Rock Ranch. We have teamed up together so we can provide a great horse experience for those who are visiting 5Rock Ranch. They're here through most of the summer and available for our guests. Please call 5Rock Ranch to find out more regarding scheduling, but if you want to learn more about Haven of Hope, please contact them directly.

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Camp Yamhill
Does your group need a great team building time? We have partnered up with Camp Yamhill so we can offer you a zip line, high ropes course, and much more. Camp Yamhill is just a mile away and now you can make it a part of your 5Rock Ranch experience. Costs vary depending on number of people and activies. Just call 5Rock for a quote. We'll set it all up for you.

Services offered: Camping, Camp Sites * (ANY/ALL Types of Camping Services/Sites); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer, Long–Term Volunteer Opportunities; Youth, Mentor Program
Updated Nov 5, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6007

Summer Food Service Program for Children

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Various
OR
Phone http://www.summerfoodoregon.org
Web www.summerfoodoregon.org
Service Temporary

Did you know that there are more than 400 sites in Oregon where children ages 1 through 18 can get a free meal and have some fun this summer? We have a searchable database of community sites across Oregon offering free lunches—and sometimes breakfasts and snacks—for all children.

Meal sites are hosted at a wide range of community locations, including parks, schools, community centers, churches, pools, etc

And because children find fun as important as food during summer vacation, many sites offer free or low–cost activities along with the meals.

This program is intended to serve children. However, in some cases, sites can sell meals to parents for a small fee, or provide free meals to parent volunteers. Check with staff at your local site for more information.

How the Summer Food Service Program Works
During the school year, thousands of Oregon children depend on free or reduced price meals each day. However, when school ends for the year, so does this important resource. The Summer Food Service Program is meant to help fill that nutritional gap.

Funding for meals is provided by the US Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Summer Food Service Program. All open sites are located in neighborhoods that USDA considers high need areas. However, no application or proof of income is needed to participate, and all children are welcome!

To find out which sponsors operate in your area, call the Oregon Hunger Relief Task Force, 503–595–5502, or see the meal sites list at website.
It's easier than ever to find summer food and fun. Just select your county to see a map and list of Summer Meal Sites near you.

At Summer Meal Sites, you'll find free lunches and often free activities too.

Services offered: Directories, Directory of Services, Regional; Directories, Directory of Services, Statewide; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Directories, Online Database Resource; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Resource Databases for Supplies/ Services (NO FEE); Youth Program
Campaigns: Government, US Government Program
Updated Nov 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3837

PA

AIDS Care Group

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Social/Medical Services
2304 Edgmont Avenue, Chester, PA 19013
Phone 610–872–9101
Web www.aidscaregroup.org
Serves Chester & Delaware County

FROM THE WEBLOG:

The AIDS Care Group is a non–profit organization that
provides medical care, dental care, and social services
to uninsured and underinsured minority residents of Chester,
and surrounding communities of Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

Email admin@aidscaregroup.org

Services and Statistics:

–The AIDS Care Group employs 35 staff members addressing the health and social service needs of Chester and vicinity residents.
–1,200 meals are served monthly.
–35 women participate in a women's health group.
–The medical staff sees 200 patients per month.
–The dental staff sees 85 patients per month.
–A psychiatrist consults with 40 patients each month.
–Clients are screened for infectious diseases, dermatology diseases, and mental health diseases.
–The Americorps program supports 4 service volunteers yearly.
–The agency's food pantry supplies 30 food baskets to the needy each week.
–Collaboration with Catholic Social Services help to keep their clients linked to medical care and HIV supportive services.

–Welfare to work program is supported by teaching culinary and food service skills.
–The AIDS Care Group has hired three of the former volunteers to become full and part–time staff members.
–Art in the community setting is helping clients feel a sense of dignity in their lives.

This facility is a Philabundance Food Bank member agency.

See record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Dental, Services * (ANY/ALL Types of Dental Services) ; Meals, Home Delivered Meals; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Mental Health Services; Services, For Folks Trying To Get Off Welfare; Services, Social Services, General Social Services
Campaigns: Americorp VISTA (Volunteers In Service To America); Catholic Charities Social Services
Updated Feb 2, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2734

Bernardine Center ~ Food Cupboard

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Community Outreach
2625 West 9th St., Chester, PA 19013
Phone 610–497–3225
Web www.bernardinecenter.org
Hours Mondays: 5 – 7PM to accommodate the working poor / Wednesdays: 9 AM to noon

We provide a helping hand to low–income Chester residents by distributing emergency or supplemental food and supplies.

We also offer educational, spiritual and advocacy programs to help clients build better lives for themselves, their families and communities.

All the ministries of the BernardineCenter are rooted in Franciscan hospitality and the social teachings of our Catholic Christian tradition.

The BernardineCenter is a 501c3 non profit organization, incorporated September 21, 1991.

The Bernardine Center was founded in February 1986 by the Bernardine Franciscan Sisters to help address the many challenges of low–income Chester residents.

Opened as an Emergency Food Cupboard, the Center designed the model Super Cupboard program in 1987. This program seeks to break the cycle of poverty and dependence for low–income mothers by providing weekly sessions that include nutrition education and life skills workshops. The Super Cupboard model has been copied extensively throughout Pennsylvania.

Throughout the years, the Center has provided targeted programming to address short–term needs, and help provide for the long–term needs of the families and individuals seeking our help.

The Center has been a member of The Greater Philadelphia Food Bank since its inception, and is a founding member of the Interfaith Coalition of Food Centers of Delaware County.

This facility is a member agency of the Philabundance Food Bank.

See record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Food Distribution, Food Baskets; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Holiday * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Lunches, Misc.; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Cooking/Nutrition Education Classes; Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Training Classes, ESL (English as a Second

Language); Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Updated Nov 30, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2756

Adult Care of Chester County (Sharp Lane Ctr. & Southern Chester County Ctr.)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Sr./Caretaker Respite Care
201 Sharp Lane, Exton, PA 19341
Phone (610) 363–8044
Web www.adultcareofchestercounty.org
Hours Monday through Friday 6:30 Am to 6:30 PM, every Saturday 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM

FROM THE WEBSITE:

2 Locations:

Sharp Lane Center
201 Sharp Lane
Exton, PA 19341
(610) 363–8044

Southern Chester County Center
747 W. Cypress St.
Kennett Square, PA 19348
(610) 444–4413

Does your loved one need...
A safe and caring "adult" environment
Socialization and community interaction
Nursing services, health monitoring and medication administration
Nutritious meals and snacks including modified diets
Exercises and activities designed to keep him/her as independent as possible
Activities that will keep his/her memory and thought process as good as it can be
An opportunity to learn new things and first time experience
Mobility and exercise program and more?

Are you, the caregiver, looking for...
Peace of mind knowing your loved one is being taken care of in a safe, kind, dignified, respectful manner
A way to keep your loved one with you or in his/her own home for as long as possible?

Who attends an adult day center?
People of any age over 18
People that have Alzheimer's Disease or other types of dementia
People with physical challenges as a result of stroke or other illness or injury
People that need some level of assistance during the day
Older adults who just need some assistance getting around
People that need health monitoring during the day.

Member agency of the Philabundance Food Bank:

See record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Counseling, Support Group for Caregivers; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Services, Daycare, Adult / Senior Daycare Services; Services, Support, Caregiver Support Services; Training Classes, Caregiver Training
Updated Feb 2, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2730

59th Street Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
5838 Pine Street, Philadelphia, PA 19143

Mamber agency of Philabundance – See facility record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Feb 2, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2726

Aftersch at Cook/Wissahickon

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry

3616 South Galloway Street • PO Box 37555 • Philadelphia, PA 19148, Philadelphia, PA 19128

Phone (215) 339–0900
Contact Philabundance
Web www.philabundance.org
Serves Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery and Philadelphia counties in PA; Burlington, Camden, Gloucester, Mercer and Salem counties in NJ.

Philabundance is the region's largest food rescue organization. In fiscal 2006, we distributed 26 million pounds of food. We serve low income residents at risk of hunger and malnutrition, of which 23% are children and 16% are senior citizens.

Philabundance distributes food through a network of more than 600 member agencies throughout the Delaware Valley. These agencies include food cupboards, neighborhood distributions, shelters, emergency kitchens and various social service agencies with special programs such as daycares and senior centers.

The agencies serve people in need in Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery and Philadelphia counties in PA, and in Burlington, Camden, Gloucester, Mercer and Salem counties in NJ.

Currently, Philabundance distributes food to member agencies through the following distribution systems:

*Orders for items on the weekly Philabundance Food Bank menu that can be delivered or picked up at the Berks location.

*Items picked up from the Walk Through shopping area at the Berks location.
*Produce delivered weekly.
*Produce picked up from local hub distributions.

Member agencies pay shared maintenance as well as delivery fees for the food they receive from the Food Bank. Agencies may also apply for the Produce Program to either receive a weekly delivery or come to a produce hub distribution; the Produce Program is free and agencies that apply are added to a waitlist for the next available space.

In 2005, Philabundance integrated with the Philadelphia Food Bank to become the region's largest nonprofit hunger relief organization. Today, Philabundance offers a full plate of services to Delaware Valley residents at risk of chronic hunger and malnutrition.

Philabundance provides food if and when a disaster strikes. During the Hurricane Katrina aftermath Philabundance was the fourth largest provider of food to the Gulf.

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)

Updated Dec 20, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2731

Aid for Friends Frail Elderly Outreach Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Elderly Outreach Center

12271 Townsend Rd., Philadelphia, PA 19154

Phone (215) 464–2224
Web www.aidforfriends.org

(FROM THE WEBSITE)

Who We Are & What We Do:

We are 16,000 volunteers – from all walks of life, from just about every religious orientation, color, creed and economic status. We live in every corner of the 5 County Greater Philadelphia area –just like you,

Since our inception in 1974 – we have steadily grown day by day year by year – one volunteer at a time. We initially served 11 people – today we serve over 2000, providing each one with 7 free, home–cooked meals and an hour of friendly visiting each week (over 13 million free meals, and thousands and thousand of compassionate, friendly visits in the past 33 years)

We would love to have you join us as a:

1. Cook – cook an extra portion of your meal and freeze it immediately – we supply the trays, menu sheets, and plastic bags

2. Visitor – you choose the person you would like to visit and bring seven home–cooked meals (prepared by the cooks) to the same client/friend, each and every week.

3. Driver –– we desperately need drivers to bring supplies to our 300 sites and to sometimes move meals from our office – warehouse site to another site that has run short of meals.

4. Contributors – we need individual contributors, organizations, businesses, and charitable foundations – to help us meet the financial obligations necessary to run Aid For Friends. Please be aware that because of our wonderful volunteer network of cooks who use their own food, visitors and drivers who use their own cars and gas, and countless other volunteers who work in the office, warehouse, maintain the building and the grounds and perform a myriad of other tasks, every $1.00 contributed translated into $6.22 of direct services to our wonderful client/friends.

We must raise out entire budget of $1,098,000(one million ninety–eight thousand dollars) every year because all that we do for our disabled frail elderly homebound is free.– Free daily meals, supplemental food, all 16 ancillary projects to support our shut ins and enhance their quality of their lives.

This is a Philabundance Food Bank member agency. See record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Community Outreach Programs; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Meals, Home Delivered Meals (For Seniors/Elders); Mental Health Services; Services, Support, Caregiver Support Services; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: United Way
Updated Feb 2, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2733

Allegheny West Foundation

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Community Development
Allegheny West Foundation Community Center; 2330 West Allegheny Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19132
Phone SEE NOTES
Web www.awest.org
Serves Allegheny West

The Allegheny West Foundation is one of the oldest and most successful community development corporations (CDCs) in Philadelphia. Since 1968, we have worked to revitalize our community and have focused tremendous energy toward improving the quality of life for the residents of Allegheny West.

We are a cornerstone in the Allegheny West community, and our initiatives aim to continuously develop and improve the neighborhood by helping residents find safe, affordable and desirable housing while achieving educational and economic success. The foundation of our success to date has been our close ties to the community and our strong network of supporters and partners.

In the 35 years since our founding, we have incorporated, grown, and expanded to become a key partner in revitalizing and developing the Allegheny West neighborhood. We play a critical role in the growth of our community, and are constantly working to:

–Promote the region
–Create social and business networks that bring investment into our community

–Advance strategic community initiatives
–Encourage efforts that foster human development
–Instill a sense of pride and safety in the community

AWF helps strengthen the fabric of the community, and we have been instrumental in repairing or rehabilitating over 5 percent of the local housing stock, and have helped scores of low– to moderate–income residents either rent or own homes in Allegheny West. We have also made improvements to the commercial and retail corridors, initiating development through community planning.

We recognize that community development takes much more than four walls. Looking to the future, we have expanded to include many more youth, education and community programs.

We've partnered with several grassroots community organizations to provide assistance for area residents through a variety of initiatives. For senior citizens, we administer food giveaway programs and coordinate a cancer screening program. We run career development programs for high school students, including summer employment and civic engagement, and educational programs, including Communities in Schools and City Year. We've also helped provide services like technical and financial assistance to over 200 business owners.

We enjoy excellent working relationships with other Community Development Corporations and participate in regular meetings with these organizations through the Philadelphia Association of Community Development Corporations. We also receive funding from our corporate sponsor, Tasty Baking Company, through the Department of Community and Economic Development Comprehensive Services Program's contributions.

Many more programs and improvements are planned in the coming years.

We would not be where we are today without the financial support and partnership of the Tasty Baking Company, whose facilities are located in our neighborhood. The company recognized an opportunity to contribute to the improvement of its surrounding community, and has provided Allegheny West the chance to not only survive, but thrive.

We are a Pennsylvania nonprofit community development corporation, and are an operating, not funding, organization with 501(c)3 status.

For all questions regarding real estate or administration, please contact our corporate office:

Allegheny West Foundation
3413 Fox Street
Philadelphia, PA 19129
Phone: 215–221–8830
Fax: 215–221–5933

For all questions regarding community programs, please contact the Community Center:

Allegheny West Foundation Community Center
2330 West Allegheny Avenue
Philadelphia, PA 19132
Phone: 215–226–0130
Fax: 215–226–0190

All mail should be sent to:

Allegheny West Foundation
2801 Hunting Park Avenue
Philadelphia, PA 19129–1392

This facility is a member agency of the Philabundance Food Bank.

See record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Resume Writing, Interview Skills; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Youth Program
Campaigns: Arts Community / Artist Network
Updated Nov 29, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2735

Allen AME Church Food & Clothing Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Food Distribution
5902 Addison St, Philadelphia, PA 19143
Phone 215.748.0257

This facility is a member agency of the Philabundance Food Bank.

See record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Services, Church/Worship Services
Updated Dec 2, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2736

Better Days

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non–Profit Advocacy Foundation
744 South 17th Street, 2nd Floor; Marian Anderson Rec. Center, Philadelphia, PA 19146
Phone (215) 755–6588

Programs:
Better Days program in the capacity of HIV/AIDS prevention/intervention Outreach providers: are striving to compound a formal referral mechanism for HIV AIDS positive individuals and Prevention/Intervention Outreach for Youths and Adults dealing with Substances of Addiction in the Philadelphia Region.

Additional Comments from the Organization:
We are member affiliates of the Point Breeze Network Association, the Point Breeze Community Development Coalition. Have established a "Cooperative Agreement? with Universal Companies, Southern Homes, Inc., ETRSA, and Philly Fight. We are Advisory Board Members for the Lycoming House and are working on a subcontract with Temple University Hospital.

Who We Are:
Better Days realizes HIV (human immunodeficiency virus) Infection and injection drug use are major public health problems in the United States today. The focus of this realization lies at the interface of these two critical treats to public health as it permeates into our children and their children's future.

Better Days is a nonprofit 501 c 3 organization qualified under the IRS codes with all apropos documents on files.

We are committed to provide housing for HIV/AIDS infected, Mentally and Physically Disabled (Homeless) individuals by the year 2009. (GOALS) Currently, we are trying to host fundraisers, request charitable donations and contributions to help Better Days purchase a very large plot of land that will provide the space needed for our facilities projected assessments. We are committed to working with youths, adults and children living with HIV/AIDS. We host workshops, GED preparation, Computer literacy, Careerlinks –Online Job search, Feed the needy, provide low income percentages for Oil heating needs – via contract, and offer various referrals. We are in need of funds to continue these services as well. We are requesting any financial assistance the River Fund and offer at this time would be greatly appreciated. We do offer tax exemption to anyone that contributes to the Better Days initiative. We are found at www.better–days.org And our email address is:

gcherryaw@hotmail.com
BETTER DAYS ATTN: Germaine Cherry, CEO
215.732.3508 /09–Office 215.732.0696
Fax 267.241.8545–Mobile gc@better–days.org

What They Need:
Clothing: Clothes & Accessories, Jewelry
Computer–Related: Computers & Accessories, Computer Software, Computer Monitors, Laptop Computers, Desktop PCs, Computer Components
Entertainment: Books & Magazines, Musical Instruments, Video Games, Music, Movies (DVD & VHS), VCRs, Televisions, DVD players, Electronics, Audio, Cameras
Household Goods: Furniture, Kids Stuff, Home & Garden, Appliances, Toys & Hobbies, Collectibles, Art
Other: Sporting Goods, Building Supplies, Medical Equip & Supplies, Tickets, Office Equip & Supplies
Transportation: Vans, Trucks, , Boats, Airplanes & Aviation, Cars & Vehicles, RVs & Motor Homes, Bicycles & Equipment

Drop Off Location:
Address: 744 South 17th Street, 2nd Floor
City: Philadelphia, PA 19146

Hours: Between 10:00 am and 6:00pm

This facility is a member agency of the Philabundance Food Bank. See their record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance
Campaigns: Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Oct 5, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2768

Blumberg Seniors Building

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
2340 Bolton Way, Apt. 905, Philadelphia, PA 19121

This facility is a member agency of the Philabundance Food Bank. See record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Dec 2, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2774

Philadelphia, find meals and safe spaces for kids

Walk–in Resource · Open

Philadelphia, PA
Web www.phila.gov/2020–03–14–find–free–meals–and–safe–spaces–for–students–while–schools–are–closed
Service Temporary

see interactive map at the link above [SCROLL DOWN to see it]

Where to find meals during the week

Up to two shelf–stable meals for youth are available at these schools Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. – noon:
School Meal Site Address (zip code)
Dr. Ethel Allen School 3200 W. Lehigh Avenue (19132)
Add B. Anderson School 1034 S. 60th Street (19143)
John Barry Elementary School 5900 Race Street (19139)
Mary McLeod Bethune School 3301 Old York Road (19140)
Cayuga School 4344–4358 N. 5th Street (19140)
Jay Cooke Elementary School 1300 W. Louden Street (19141)
William Cramp School 3449 N. Mascher Street (19140)
A.L. Fitzpatrick School 11061 Knights Road (19154)
Benjamin Franklin School 5737 Rising Sun Avenue (19120)
Edward Gideon School 2817 W. Glenwood Avenue (19121)
Andrew Hamilton School 5640 Spruce Street (19139)
William H. Hunter School 2400 N. Front Street (19133)
John B. Kelly School 5116 Pulaski Street (19144)
Martin Luther King High School 6100 Stenton Avenue (19138)
Alain Locke School 4550 Haverford Avenue (19139)
William H. Loesche School 595 Tomlinson Road (19116)
William C. Longstreth School 5700 Willows Avenue (19143)
James R. Ludlow School 550 W. Master Street (19122)
Mayfair School 3001 Princeton Avenue (19149)
Delaplaine McDaniel School 1801 S. 22nd Street (19145)
General George G. Meade School 1600 N. 18th Street (19121)
James Rhoads School 4901 Parrish Street (19139)
Roxborough High School 6498 Ridge Avenue (19128)
George Sharswood School 2300 S. 2nd Street (19148)
Solomon Solis–Cohen School 7001 Horrocks Street (19149)
Allen M. Stearne School 1655 Unity Street (19124)
James J. Sullivan School 5300 Ditman Street (19124)
Tilden Middle School 6601 Elmwood Avenue (19142)
Vare–Washington Elementary School 1198 S. 5th Street (19147)
John H. Webster School 3400 Frankford Avenue (19134)

Essential personnel including a school police officer and other support staff will be on–site to distribute meals to students and families.

Note: we're working with our nonprofit partners to identify food pantries and meal sites that are open on weekends. Check back for updates.

Parks and Recreation Sites

50 recreation centers will remain open from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. to provide meals to children 18 and under. Six older adult centers will also remain open. Click here to see the full list of recreation centers that will remain open.

View an interactive map of meal sites and safe spaces
Learn more about what recreation centers are open during this time.
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 18, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10180

Cheri Honkala Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

238–244 East Cambria St., Philadelphia, West Philly, PA
Email cherihonkalacommunitycenter@gmail.com
Web www.cherihonkalacenter.org
Service Permanent

The Community Center will offer a wide variety of community programming that will serve the economically disadvantaged residents and at–risk youth so that they can succeed academically and professionally. Programs will include educational, cultural, recreational, and therapeutic activities designed to meet the emotional, creative, and social needs of individuals and families in the Kensington and surrounding communities. Planned activities include:

FREE OFFERINGS

Arts and Creativity: Open art–making space with free supplies, art classes, and a permanent "art corner" accessible during operating hours.

Senior Citizens Activities: Spaces and events catered to older community members, including talent shows and oral histories/ storytelling.

Youth Development: Activities for children and teens that encourage emotional resilience, including workshops on managing anger, sadness, and conflict in healthy ways.

Literacy and Learning: A community library with regular book readings, author talks, and children's story times led by volunteer librarians.

Recovery Support: Peer–led support spaces for individuals in recovery, focused on storytelling, connection, and healing through shared experience.

Recreational & Community Activities: Intergenerational chess clubs, movie nights, writing and filmmaking classes, community plays, and yoga/movement workshops.

Comprehensive Programming: Specialized events for neurodivergent children (e.g., sensory–friendly programs for kids with autism), as well as spaces for parents to take part in adult programming while their children engage in parallel activities in a safe environment.

Community Meals: Regular free community dinners and potlucks to foster connection and reduce food insecurity.

Health & Wellness: Cooking classes, nutrition workshops, and partnerships with local sports clubs for outdoor activities.
Campaigns: Economic Solidarity and Cooperativism
Updated Oct 20, 2026 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10743

Baptist Church of Phoenixville

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
248 Church St., Phoenixville, PA 19460
Phone 610–933–4352
Web www.phoenixvillebaptist.com
Hours When – 9:00 – 11:00 AM, 2nd, 4th, & 5th Wed. ea. mo.

FROM THE WEBSITE:

Food pantry – Our food pantry is open two or three mornings each month (depending on the month) to distribute food to people who need a little help.

When – 9:00 – 11:00 AM, second, fourth, and fifth Wednesdays each month

Where – Church annex

Other local outreach – We financially support local organizations such as the Good Samaritan Shelter. We regularly provide meals for the St. Mary's Shelter, donate school supplies to students in the Phoenixville Area School District, and sponsor community events such as ice cream socials and Christmas parties.

National outreach – We financially support ministries in the United States such as the Murrow Indian Children's Home, Baptist Children's Services, and Baptist Home (Philadelphia).

International outreach – We financially support our American Baptist ministries throughout the world. We generously contribute to special offerings targeted for international missions.

This facility is a Philabundance Food Bank member agency. See record:

https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2777

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; School, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Services, Church/Worship Services
Updated Nov 30, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2750

Philippines

Dinagat Island, Disaster Relief Operations

Walk–in Resource · Open

Dinagat Island
Service Temporary

Dinagat needs food, potable water, more temporary shelters, fuel, hygiene kits, and medical supplies.

“We need assistance in restoring electricity, running water, and telecommunications,” read part of Bag–ao’s appeal for help. “We may have survived, but we cannot do the same in the coming days because of our limited capacities as an island province. Through your help, we will be able to rise again. Thank you so much.”

source: https://www.rappler.com/nation/sun–rises–over–mindanao–isolated–dinagat–islands–call–for–help/
Campaigns: 2021 Philippines Typhoon Odette/Rai
Updated Dec 18, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10506

LeniKiko2022 Volunteer Center, Typhoon relief

Walk–in Resource · Open

248 Katipunan Avenue, Quezon City
Service Temporary

LeniKiko2022 Volunteer Center at 248 Katipunan Avenue, Quezon City.

ICE President Maria Leonor “Leni” Robredo on Friday said she was closely monitoring the situation and the damage caused by Typhoon “Odette.”

In a statement on Friday, Robredo announced that they will be converting their campaign volunteer center in Quezon City into a relief hub for faster assistance to typhoon victims.

The Office of the Vice President has coordinated with the Armed Forces of the Philippines, Philippine National Police and other government units that could help with the initiative.

As Typhoon Odette (international name “Rai) sweeps into the Visayas and Mindanao beginning Thursday evening, volunteers supporting the vice president and Sen. Francis “Kiko” Pangilinan banded together to help offer support to the victims.

Robredo is running for president in the 2022 elections and Pangilinan for vice president under the same ticket.

Team Robredo–Pangilinan (TRoPa) volunteers have opted for relief operations instead of a planned nationwide get–together and gift–giving called LENIwanag at KIKOtitap ang Pasko.

“I think it is no mere coincidence that led us to organize the LENIwanag at KIKOtitap ang Pasko activities this week. Through our organizational structure, we will support the massive relief operations led by Vice President Robredo on the ground. We are inspired because it’s the volunteers themselves who immediately saw the need to shift our event focus and allocate our resources to support her relief operations,” Team Leni Robredo communications head Benedict Bernabe said.

TRoPa volunteers had set up food stalls at evacuation areas in Bohol, Eastern Samar and Butuan City, Agusan del Sur, prior to Typhoon Odette’s landfall to give warm meals like arroz caldo and champorado to displaced families.

They are organizing an emergency fund donation campaign to assist affected families in critical need of help, according to Bernabe.

“Let us heed Leni Robredo’s call for radical love by helping everyone unconditionally, especially those who are most vulnerable and in need,” he said.

Bernabe added that donations of blankets, hygiene items, bottled water, masks, alcohol, rice and ready–to–eat food can be coursed through the LeniKiko2022 Volunteer Center at 248 Katipunan Avenue, Quezon City.

Meanwhile, Deputy Speaker and Antique Rep. Loren Legarda on Thursday said people in the Visayas, Mindanao and parts of Southern Luzon should engage with disaster management and response authorities to organize evacuation, rescue, relief and recovery operations in impacted regions.

Based on the Disaster Preparedness and First Aid Handbook released by the Senate Committee on Climate Change in 2011, which she led during her time in the Senate, Legarda advised the public to stay calm and stay indoors during storms and typhoons and keep a flashlight and a radio with fresh batteries on hand.

Food, drinking water, batteries and first–aid supplies, she said, should all be available. Keep an eye on the news on TV and the radio. Maintain a clear route for emergency vehicles. Make sure your houses are safe. Turn off the primary sources of power, gas and water within your home in the event of floods. Stack furniture higher than the water level forecast. Floodwaters should not be allowed to reach appliances, valuables, chemicals, dangerous substances or waste. During a flood, do not use any electrical equipment.

Go to the specified evacuation center nearest you. Low–lying places, riverbanks, streams and coastal locations, as well as slopes, cliffs and hillsides, should be avoided because landslides, rockslides and mudslides can all be triggered by rain. Wading across flooded regions is not recommended. Attempting to cross a running creek is not a good idea.

Legarda is a United Nations Global Champion for Resilience and has been an advocate for disaster and climate resilience for over two decades.

source: https://vnexplorer.net/robredo–camp–steps–up–relief–efforts–for–odette–victims–eu20213499481.html
Campaigns: 2021 Philippines Typhoon Odette/Rai
Updated Dec 18, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10504

SC

Active Day Medical Adult Day Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Private Business
3901 N. Kings Highway, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577
Phone 1–843–626–8501
Web www.activeday.com
Serves Myrtle Beach, Horry County, SC
Eligibility Elderly/Young Disabled Adults – Evacuees of Wildfires 4/09
Service Temporary

Published: April 24, 2009

Care provider offers help to residents hit by fire

MYRTLE BEACH — If you care for a disabled young adult or the elderly, Active Day Medical Adult Day Center located at 3901 N. Kings Highway in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina is offering emergency placement for day services including transportation and medical supervision. In addition, Active Day will serve as a drop off location for clothing, toiletries and non–perishable food items for the displaced families in the area.

“A number of our clients have been displaced by the fires and several caregivers are awaiting evacuation from their homes,” said Lesley Bess, Center Director for Active Day of the Grand Strand. “We want to offer our services to them and to help the community in this time of need.”

Active Day will also provide community resource information regarding nursing services, medical transport and adult day care placement for residents of Horry County. Please contact Lesley Bess or Felicia Stevenson at Active Day by calling 843–626–8501.

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Services for Special Needs Folks; Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Services, Daycare, Adult / Senior Daycare Services; Transportation * (ANY/ ALL Types); Transportation, For Seniors/Elders
Campaigns: 2009 SouthEastern Wildfires
Updated Jan 10, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4293

Food Pantries (Disaster Responders), SC – INDEX

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
SEE NOTES, Various, SC
Serves State of So. Carolina
Eligibility Residents Impacted by Disaster / Residents Impacted by Hunger/Economics
Service Temporary

Harvest Hope Food Bank plays a vital role in responding to emergencies that impact South Carolina and our nation. As one of four food banks in the South Carolina Food Bank Association, Harvest Hope provides millions of pounds of food to hundreds of food assistance programs throughout 20 counties in the state. This creates the potential for Harvest Hope to provide significant aid to people affected by disasters. By coupling the Food Bank's expertise and efficiency in food distribution with the capabilities of the South Carolina Emergency Management Division, SC Department of Social Services, the Seventh Day Adventist, and the Red Cross's in responding to disasters, these organizations are prepared to deliver nourishing food, water and supplies quickly to South Carolinians affected by crises including terrorist acts.

Below is a list of Harvest Hope Agencies that assist with disaster relief:

Calhoun County

Mt. Moriah AME Church
217 Mt. Moriah Road
Swansea, SC 29115
Contact: James Howell
Ph: 803.796.4995

Temple of God Outreach Ministries
104 Mack Street
St. Matthews, SC 29135
Contact: Marvin Davenport
Ph: 803.874.2678

Chester County

Turning Point of Chester
112 Gadsden Street
Chester, SC 29706

Contact: Geraldine Clawson/John Williams
Ph: 803.581.0219

Chesterfield County

Harvest of Blessings Ministries, Inc
1099 Hwy 1
Cheraw, SC 29520
Contact: Margo Gilespie
Ph: 843.617.1194

Oro United Methodist Church
1485 Oro Church Road
Pageland, SC 29728
Contact: Roylee Tyson
Ph: 843.658.6990

Clarendon County

Macedonia Baptist Church
14362 Racoon Road
Manning, SC 29102
Contact: Rev. Jonathan Mouzon/Eloise Pompey
Ph: 803.473.7671

Darlington County
Bethel AME Church
1333 South Main Street
Darlington, SC 29532
Contact: Edward Harrison
Ph: 843.393.7771

Fairfield County
Good Samaritan House–Christ Central
205 S. Congress Street
Winnsboro, SC 29180
Contact: Jimmy Burroughs
Ph: 803.635.6986.

Florence County
New Deliverance Outreach
503 3rd Avenue
Pamplico, SC 29583
Contact: Kenneth Wider
Ph: 843.493.2023

Willie & Betsy Bradford Community Outreach
1905 Boyd Road #22
Scranton, SC 29560
Contact: Marilyn Singletary
Ph: 843.598.8118

Greenville County

*PENDING

Kershaw County
Greater Faith & Joy
1474 Hwy 601 South
Lugoff, SC 29078
Contact: Erica Williams
Ph: 803.438.9078

Laurens County

*PENDING

Lee County

Bishopville Church of Christ
805 N. Main Street
Bishopville, SC 29010

Contact: Pat Morris
Ph: 803.316.9294

New Life Apostolic Church–Bishopville
101 Doc Drive
Bishopville, SC 29010
Contact: Marilyn McDonald
Ph: 803.428.2857

St. Paul UMC–Elliott
Hwy 401 (Clarence McFadden Road)
Elliott, SC 29046
Contact: Johnnie Harriott
Ph: 843.428.6123

Lexington County

Emergency Food Pantry–Lexington
1775 12th Street Ext
Cayce, SC 29033
Contact: Talae Tuitele
Ph: 803.794.1627

First Calvary Baptist Church
2320 Cedar Grove Road
Leesville, SC 29070
Contact: Ricky Taylor
Ph: 803.892.3259

Mt. Pleasant Swansea Outreach
505 S. Church Street
Swansea, SC 29160
Contact: Sandra Smith
Ph: 803.568.2722

Chapin–We Care Center
1808 Hwy 76
Chapin, SC 29036
Contact: Gary Schmedding
Ph: 803.345.3244

Marion County

Manna House–Macedonia UMC
402 North Main Street
Mullins, SC 29574
Contact: Daphne Tedder
Ph: 843.667.6077

Marion Church of God Community Food Pantry
1401 N. Main Street
Marion, SC 29571
Contact: Billy Lemons
Ph: 843.423.2071

Marlboro County
Bread of Life
116 Broad Street
Bennettsville, SC 29512
Contact: J.S. Watson
Ph: 843.479.6733

Newberry County

Restoration Outreach & Community Development
235 Satterwhite Street
Whitmire, SC 29178
Contact: Willie Scott, Jr
Ph: 803.694.9999

Orangeburg County

CCMO–Cooperative Church Ministries of Orangeburg
899 Russell Street
Orangeburg, SC 29115
Contact: Agnes Glover
Ph: 803.534.4913

Refuge Temple
1231 Collier Street
Holly Hill, SC 29059
Contact: Lillian Russell
Ph: 803.496.7066

Richland County

Cooperative Ministry– Blythewood
126 Blythewood Road
Blythewood, SC 29016
Contact: Judy Waters
Ph: 803.786.0092

Emergency Food Pantry–Richland County
2220 Shop Road
Columbia, SC 29201
Contact: Maggie Knowles
Ph: 803.254.4432 ext 1106

Goodwill Baptist Church
14081 Garners Ferry Road
Eastover, SC 29044
Contact: Leroy Moye
Ph: 803.353.2992/ 803.413.2288

Salvation Army–Columbia
2025 Main Street
Columbia, SC 29201
Contact: Rosemary Jones
Ph: 803.765.0260 ext 111

Saluda County

Riverside Community Development Center
404 North Bouknight Ferry Road
Saluda, SC 29138
Contact: Betty Holloway
Ph: 864.445.9996

Sumter County

Church of Christ at the CountyLine–(LAB's Helping Hands)
5456 Sumter Hwy
Sumter, SC 29153
Contact: Letia Benjamin
Ph: 803.469.6463/803.316.0136

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; First Responder, Mid–Atlantic Region; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Support for "All" Disasters
Campaigns: 2011 Hurricane Irene/Tropical Storm Irene; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Feeding America; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County
Updated Jan 10, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4863

SD

Tree of Life Ministry

Walk–in Resource · Open

140 S. Roosevelt St.; PO Box 149, Mission, SD 57555
Phone 605–856–4266 Mission Coordinator
Web treeofliferelief.org
Service Temporary

We are a "Volunteers In Mission" Destination

Each year over 1,000 volunteers from across the United States come to meet and serve the Lakota and Dakota people, bring assistance to the poorest group of people in the nation.

The work of our Ministry includes;

Work Projects: repairing homes and community buildings with special projects such as playgrounds, Economic Development, Food Distribution, Clothing Distribution, Meal Site

Special Activities:

Family Christmas festivals, Easter Meal, distributing school kits, winter coats, blankets, emergency assistance, and a prom dress give–away to name only a few

GIVING OPPORTUNITIES

What kind of donations are needed at Tree of Life? Here is our current 2009 list.

SEE website for list –
http://treeofliferelief.org/index.asp?Type=B_BASIC&SEC=%7B7E0D13DD–29D9–4332–AE9E–B0D7260B8A8C%7D

Partial listed –

CONSTRUCTION SUPPLIES

Items for tool boxes: measuring tapes, chalk line, vice grips, pipe wrench, building square,small level, mail punch, razor knife, flat pry bar, box of assorted drill bits, spade bits
Power tools:Simple 10" power miter saw, Quality cordless drivers - minimum of 18 volts
Other:
Dust masks, eye protectors, work gloves, Paint rollers, pans and edgers
Door knobs: security, privacy and closet type
Dry wall tape - paper and mesh
New faucet sets - kitchen, bathroom and shower

HEALTH SUPPLIES

Hand soap, laundry soap, dish soap
Shampoos & conditioner, hair care products, lice shampoo
Infant products - shampoo, detangler, baby bath, lotion, powder, disposable diapers - larger sizes - 3,4,5 & 6, baby wipes, sippee cups, brush and combs
Tooth paste and tooth brushes as well as denture cleaner
Deodorant for men and women
Razors and shaving soap
Facial cleanser and acne preparations
Shower gel, hand lotion
Feminine products, toilet paper, Kleenex, napkins, paper towels,cleaning sponges and cleaning products
Towels and washcloths in good condition
Medicine cabinet items such as aspirin, children's aspirin, muscle pain relief cream, cough drops, etc.

Consider ordering cartons from Dollar Tree Direct (877–530–8733 or at www.dollartreedirect.com) or by calling Dollar General in Winner, SD (Talk to Paul at 605–842–1073). You will avoid paying for postage if you order and have your items drop shipped to the Dollar Tree in Mitchell, SD, or The Dollar General in Winner, SD. Choose items that are $1 each or so - the more expensive types and name brands are not required. Tree of Life will be notified when they arrive and will be happy to pick them up.

SPONSOR A MEAL

Donations for sponsoring a cooked meal are happily accepted. For an entire meal, a donation of $50 –$75 will enable us to serve a delicious and nutritious meal at our Warm Welcome Co–op for 150 people.

Services offered: Construction, Home Repair, Volunteer Services; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Supplies, Online Supplies; Volunteer Work Orders/Projects (provided by this facility)
Campaigns: Tribal Communities
Updated Feb 14, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4866

Pine Ridge Department of Social Services (DSS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Pine Ridge, SD

Web dss.sd.gov/offices/listings.asp
Service Temporary

ABERDEEN
ADDRESS: 3401 10th Ave SE , 57401–8000
PHONE: 605–626–3160 or 1–866–239–8855
FAX: 605–626–2610

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Care Licensing/Registration
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1–866–858–3204
* Child Support Services
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Long–Term Care
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

ARMOUR
(first and second Thursdays, 8 a.m.–5 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Douglas County Courthouse, PO Box 85, 57313–0085
PHONE: 605–724–2590 or customers may call Lake Andes at: 1–877–656–0023

SEND MAIL TO LAKE ANDES OFFICE:
PO Box 190, Lake Andes, SD 57356
Fax: 605–487–7429

* Adult Services & Aging (Lake Andes)
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Lake Andes)
o Medicare Savings Program (Lake Andes)
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

BELLE FOURCHE
ADDRESS: 609 5th Avenue, 57717–1405
PHONE: 605–892–2731 or 1–877–390–0093
FAX: 605–892–3616

* Adult Services & Aging
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Rapid City 1–800–644–2914)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

BRITTON
(first and third Wednesdays, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.)
ADDRESS: 909 S. Main Street
PHONE: 605–448–5371 or Customers may call Sisseton at 1–888–747–0017

SEND MAIL TO SISSETON OFFICE:
119 East Cherry Street, PO Box 230, Sisseton, SD 57262

FAX: 605–698–7842

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Milbank 1–866–486–0028)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

BROOKINGS
ADDRESS: 1310 Main Ave. S., Suite 101, 57006–3893
PHONE: 605–688–4330 or 1–866–267–5228
FAX: 605–688–4339

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Care Licensing/Registration
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1–866–847–7335
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families

o Long–Term Care
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

BURKE
ADDRESS: Gregory County Courthouse, 221 E. 8th St., PO Box 186, 57523–0186
PHONE: 605–775–2683 or 1–877–842–8438
FAX: 605–775–9121

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Chamberlain 1–888–749–0007)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

CANTON
(Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.)
ADDRESS: 104 N. Main Street, Suite 140, 57013–1796
PHONE: 605–764–5761 or 1–866–343–0753 or call the Sioux Falls office at 605–367–5500 or 1–866–801–5421

SEND MAIL TO SIOUX FALLS OFFICE:
811 E 10th St., Dept. 1, Sioux Falls, SD 57103
FAX: 605–367–5473

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Sioux Falls 1–866–801–5421)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

CHAMBERLAIN
ADDRESS: 320 Sorensen Dr., 57325–1022
PHONE: 605–734–4500 or 1–888–749–0007
FAX: 605–734–4505

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1–866–847–7339
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

CLARK
(first Tuesday, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Clark County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO WATERTOWN OFFICE:
2001 9th Ave. SW, Suite 300
PO Box 670
Watertown, SD 57201

PHONE: Customers may call the Watertown office: 1–866–239–6787

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families (Watertown)
o Long–Term Care (Watertown)
o Medicare Savings Program (Watertown)
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

CLEAR LAKE
(first and third Wednesdays, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Deuel County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO WATERTOWN OFFICE:
2001 9th Ave. SW, Suite 300
PO Box 670
Watertown, SD 57201–0670

Customers may call Watertown at: 1–866–239–6787
FAX: 605–882–5045

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Watertown)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

CUSTER
ADDRESS: 1164 Mt. Rushmore Rd, #3, 57730–2133
PHONE: 605–673–4347 or 1–877–763–0006
FAX: 605–673–2070

* Adult Services & Aging (Hot Springs)
o Call Hot Springs at: 1–888–747–0039
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Rapid City 1–800–644–2914)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

DEADWOOD
ADDRESS: 20 Cliff Street, 57732–0607
PHONE: 605–578–2402 or 1–877–268–0007
FAX: 605–578–1280

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1–866–847–7334
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Rapid City 1–800–644–2914)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

DE SMET
(first and third Tuesdays, 9 am – 3:30 pm)
ADDRESS: Kingsbury County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO HURON OFFICE:
ADDRESS: 110 Third St. S.W., Suite 200, 57350–2450
PHONE: 605–353–7100 or 1–877–329–0019
FAX: 605–353–7103

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Brookings)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

DUPREE
(Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8 a.m.–5 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Main Street, Courthouse
PHONE: 605–365–5175 or 1–888–717–0027 or call Eagle Butte at 1–866–480–0201

SEND MAIL TO THE EAGLE BUTTE OFFICE:
1302 N Willow, PO Box 530, Eagle Butte, SD 57625–0530
FAX: 605–964–1200

* Child Protection Services (Eagle Butte)
o Intake number: 1–866–442–2095
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families

o Long–Term Care
+ Call Pierre at: 1–800–226–1033
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

EAGLE BUTTE
ADDRESS: 1302 N. Willow, PO Box 530, 57625– 0530
PHONE: 605–964–4484 or 1–866–480–0201
FAX: 605–964–1200

* Adult Services & Aging (Pierre)
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1–866–442–2095
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Pierre 1–800–226–1033)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

ELK POINT
ADDRESS: 118 W. Main Street, Suite 1, PO Box 520, 57025–0520
PHONE: 605–356–3346 or 1–866–486–0016
FAX: 605–356–3683

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Yankton 1–800–455–5241)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

FAULKTON
(first Wednesday of the month, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.)

ADDRESS: Faulk County Courthouse
PHONE: 605–598–6227 or call Redfield at: 1–877–372–0010

SEND MAIL TO REDFIELD OFFICE:
Spink County Courthouse, 210 E. 7th Ave.
Redfield, SD 57469–1299

FAX: 605–472–4298

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility (Redfield)
o Long–Term Care (Aberdeen 1–866–239–8855)
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

FLANDREAU
(Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.)
ADDRESS: 218 E 2nd Ave., 57028
PHONE: 605–997–2447 or 1–866–344–3839 or call Brookings at 1–866–267–5228

SEND MAIL TO BROOKINS OFFICE:
1310 Main Ave. S., Suite 101, Brookings, SD 57006–3893

FAX: 605–688–4339

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Brookings 1–866–267–5228)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

FORT THOMPSON
(first Tuesday of every month from 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Head Start Building – 110 Burton Step Loop

PHONE: Call the Chamberlain office: 1–888–749–0007
Send mail to the Chamberlain office:
320 Sorenson Dr., Chamberlain, SD 57325–1022

FAX: 605–734–4505

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

GETTYSBURG
(first Thursday of the month, 9 a.m.–3 p.m.)
ADDRESS: 105 N. Exene St., 57442–1106

SEND MAIL TO MOBRIDGE OFFICE:
920 6th Street W.
Mobridge, SD 57601–0160

PHONE: 605–845–7126 or Customers may call Mobridge at: 1–877–431–3978

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Pierre 1–800–226–1033)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

HAYTI
(every Thursday, 8 a.m.–4 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Hamlin County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO WATERTOWN OFFICE:
2001 9th Ave. SW, Suite 300
PO Box 670
Watertown, SD 57201
PHONE: Customers may call Watertown at: 1–866–239–6787
FAX: 605–882–5045

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Brookings 1–866–267–5228)
o Medicare Savings Program (Watertown)
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

HIGHMORE
(first Thursday of the month, 9 a.m.–3 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Hyde County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO PIERRE OFFICE:
912 East Sioux
Pierre, SD 57501–3490

PHONE: Customers may call Pierre at: 1–800–226–1033
FAX: 605–773–5390

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Pierre 1–800–226–1033)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

HOT SPRINGS
ADDRESS: 2500 Minnekahta Ave., Bldg 1, PO Box 729, 57747–0729
PHONE: 605–745–5100 or 1–888–747–0039
FAX: 605–745–6562

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1–866–847–7334

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Rapid City 1–800–644–2914)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

HOWARD
(first and third Tuesdays, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.)

ADDRESS: Miner County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO MITCHELL OFFICE:
ADDRESS: 116 E. 11th Ave., 57301–1432
PHONE: Call the Mitchell office at 605–995–8000 or 1–800–231–8346
FAX: 605–995–8929

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Brookings 1–866–267–5228)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

HUMAN SERVICES CENTER
ADDRESS: 3515 Broadway Avenue, PO Box 7600, Yankton, SD 57078–7600
PHONE: 605–668–3100
FAX: 605–668–3460

* Chemical Dependency Treatment Services
* Psychiatric Treatment Services
* HSC also offers:
o Occupational, Recreation, Physical, Educational, Speech and Hearing evaluation and therapy.
o Dental and Library Services.
o Medical consultants for neurology and ophthalmology are available.
o Electroconvulsive Therapy (ECT) Services.

HURON
ADDRESS: 110 Third St. S.W., Suite 200, 57350–2450
PHONE: 605–353–7100 or 1–877–329–0019
FAX: 605–353–7103

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1–866–858–3204
* Child Support Services
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Quality Control
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

KADOKA
(first Friday of the month, 9 a.m.–3 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Jackson County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO MARTIN OFFICE:
404 3rd Ave., PO Box 250
Martin, SD 57551–0250

PHONE: Customerss may call the Martin office: 1–866–416–0094
FAX: 605–685–6652

* Adult Services & Aging
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Martin)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families (Martin)
o Long–Term Care (Rapid City 1–800–644–2914)
o Medicare Savings Program (Martin)
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) (Martin)

KYLE
(every Tuesday and Thursday, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Lakota Fund Building, Suite 106, Kyle

SEND MAIL TO PINE RIDGE OFFICE:
PO Box 279,
Pine Ridge, 57770–0279

PHONE: Call the Pine Ridge office at 1–877–899–0020
FAX: 605–867–1263

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

LAKE ANDES
ADDRESS: 3rd & Lake, PO Box 190, 57356–0190
PHONE: 605–487–7607 or 1–877–656–0023
FAX: 605–487–7429

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number; 1–866–847–7338
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

LEMMON
(every Thursday, 9 a.m.–3 p.m.)
ADDRESS: 11 East 4th St.

SEND MAIL TO MCINTOSH OFFICE:
185 Main Street, PO Box 108
McIntosh, SD 57641–0108

PHONE: Customers may call the McIntosh office: 1–800–748–2380
FAX: 605–273–4322

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Pierre 1–800–226–1033)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

MADISON
ADDRESS: 223 S. Van Eps Ave., Suite 201, 57042–2855
PHONE: 605–256–5683 or 1–877–412–0022
FAX: 605–256–5043

* Adult Services & Aging
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

MARTIN
ADDRESS: 404 3rd Ave., PO Box 250, 57551–0250
PHONE: 605–685–6521 or 1–866–416–0094
FAX: 605–685–6652

* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1–866–847–7334
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Rapid City 1–800–644–2914)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

MCINTOSH
ADDRESS: 185 Main Street, PO Box 108, 57641–0108

PHONE: 605-273-4513 or 1-800-748-2380
FAX: 605-273-4322

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care (Pierre 1-800-226-1033)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

MILBANK
ADDRESS: Grant County Courthouse, 57252-1024
PHONE: 605-432-9588 or 1-866-486-0028
FAX: 605-432-9563

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Long-Term Care
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

MILLER
(first and third Tuesdays, 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m., other times by appointment)
ADDRESS: Hand County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO REDFIELD OFFICE:
Spink County Courthouse, 210 E. 7th Ave.
Redfield, SD 57469-1299

PHONE: 605-853-3464 or call Redfield at: 1-877-372-0010
FAX: 605-472-4298

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

MISSION
ADDRESS: 671 N. Marge Lane, PO Box 818, 57555-0818
PHONE: 605-856-4431 or 1-888-280-0021
FAX: 605-856-2031

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1-866-847-7339
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care (Chamberlain 1-888-749-0007)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

MITCHELL
ADDRESS: 116 E. 11th Ave., 57301-1432
PHONE: 605-995-8000 or 1-800-231-8346
FAX: 605-995-8929

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Care Licensing/Registration
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1-866-847-7338
* Child Support Services
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

MOBRIDGE
ADDRESS: 920 6th Street W., Mobridge, SD 57601-0160
PHONE: 605-845-2922 or 1-877-431-3978
FAX: 605-845-7126

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services

o Intake number: 1–866–442–2095
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Pierre 1–800–226–1033)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

MURDO
(as needed)
ADDRESS: Jones County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO WHITE RIVER OFFICE:
Mellette County Courthouse, PO Box 219
White River, SD 57579–0219

PHONE: Clients may call White River at: 1–888–285–0033

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families (White River)
o Long–Term Care (Chamberlain 1–888–749–0007)
o Medicare Savings Program (White River)
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

OLIVET
ADDRESS:
Hutchinson Co. Courthouse, 140 Euclid, Rm 127, 57052–2103

PHONE: 605–387–4219 or 1–877–454–0074
FAX: 605–387–2438

* Adult Services & Aging
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

PARKER
ADDRESS:
Turner Co. Courthouse, 400 S. Main, PO Box 339, 57053–0339

PHONE: 605–297–3251 or 1–866–610–0093
FAX: 605–297–3201

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Sioux Falls 1–866–801–5421)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

PHILIP
(first Monday of the month, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Haakon County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO PIERRE OFFICE:
912 East Sioux
Pierre, SD 57501–3490

PHONE: Customers may call the Pierre office: 1–800–226–1033
FAX: 605–773–5390

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Pierre)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

PIERRE
STATE OFFICE ADDRESS:

700 Governors Drive, 57501-2291
PHONE: 605-773-3165

LOCAL OFFICE ADDRESS:
912 East Sioux, 57501-3490
PHONE: 605-773-3612 or 1-800-226-1033
FAX: 605-773-5390

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Care Licensing/Registration
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1-866-442-2095
* Child Support Services
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Quality Control
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

PINE RIDGE
ADDRESS:
PO Box 279, Airport Access Road, 57770-0279

PHONE: 605-867-5861 or 1-877-899-0020
FAX: 605-867-1263

* Adult Services & Aging
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care (Rapid City)
+ Call 1-800-644-2914
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

PLANKINTON
(first and third Thursdays, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Aurora County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO MITCHELL OFFICE:
116 E. 11th Ave.
Mitchell, SD 57301-1432

PHONE: 605-942-7150 or Customers may call Mitchell at 1-800-231-8346
FAX: 605-995-8929

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care (Mitchell)
o Medicare Savings Program (Mitchell)
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

RAPID CITY
ADDRESS: 510 N. Cambell, PO Box 2440, 57709-2440
PHONE: 605-394-2525 or 1-800-644-2914

* Adult Services & Aging
o Fax: 605-394-1899
* Benefit Fraud Investigations
o Fax: 605-394-6651
* Child Care Licensing/Registration
o Fax: 605-394-6651
* Child Protection Services
o Fax: 605-394-6771
* Child Support Services
o Fax: 605-394-2621
* Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT)
o Fax: 605-394-1969
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

o Fax: 605-394-1969
* Medical Eligibility
o Fax: 605-394-1969
* Medical Services Nurse Consultant
o Fax: 605-394-2699
* Quality Control
o Fax: 605-394-6651
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
o Fax: 605-394-1969

REDFIELD
ADDRESS: Spink County Courthouse, 210 E. 7th Ave., 57469-1299
PHONE: 605-472-2230 or 1-877-372-0010
FAX: 605-472-4298

* Adult Services & Aging
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

ROSEBUD
ADDRESS: IHS Hospital, 400 Soldier Creek Rd Rm 1A 112, 57570
PHONE: 605-747-2022

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

SALEM
ADDRESS:
McCook Co. Courthouse, 130 W. Essex, PO Box 178, 57058-0178

PHONE : 605-425-2271 or 1-888-203-1797
FAX: 605-425-2064

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care (Mitchell 1-800-231-8346)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

SIOUX FALLS
ADDRESS: 811 E 10th St., Dept 1 to 10, 57103-1650

*NOTE: Each Dept below has a designated number associated with its mailing address.

PHONE: 605-367-5444 or 1-866-801-5421

* Dept #1: Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
o Fax: 605-367-5473
* Dept #1: Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
o Fax: 605-367-5473
* Dept #1: Medical Eligibility
o Fax: 605-367-5473
* Dept #2: Child Support Services
o Fax: 605-367-5515
* Dept #3: Child Protection Services
o Fax: 605-367-5618
* Dept #4: Adult Services and Aging
o Fax: 605-367-4866
* Dept #5: Benefit Fraud Investigations
o Fax: 605-367-4866

* Dept #6: Child Care Licensing and Registration
o Fax: 605-367-4866
* Dept #7: Quality Control
o Fax: 605-367-4866
* Dept #8: Medical Services Nurse Consultant
o Fax: 605-367-5253

SISSETON
ADDRESS: 119 E. Cherry Street 57262-1425
PHONE: 605-698-7673 or 1-888-747-0017
FAX: 605-698-7842

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services (SWST)
o Call 605-698-3992
o Intake number: 1-800-568-0004
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care (Milbank 1-866-486-0028)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

STURGIS
ADDRESS: 2200 W. Main St., 57785-1338
PHONE: 605-347-2588 or 1-888-476-0036
FAX: 605-347-3767

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1-866-847-7334
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care (Rapid City 1-800-644-2914)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

TIMBER LAKE
(Tuesdays, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.)
ADDRESS: 900 Main St., Timber Lake, SD 57656-0267
Send mail to the Eagle Butte office:
PO Box 530, Eagle Butte, sd 57625-0530
PHONE: 605-865-3594 or Clients may call Eagle Butte at: 1-866-480-0201
FAX: 605-964-1200

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care (Pierre 1-800-226-1033)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

TYNDALL
ADDRESS: 103 W. 18th Ave., PO Box 2, 57066-0002
PHONE: 605-589-4319 or 1-888-203-1311
FAX: 605-589-4309

* Adult Services & Aging (Yankton 1-800-455-5241)
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care (Olivet 1-877-454-0074)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

VERMILLION
ADDRESS: 114 Market St., Suite 102, 57069-3040

PHONE: 605-677-6800 or 1-800-730-0153
FAX: 605-677-6808

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1-866-847-7338
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care (Yankton 1-800-455-5241)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

WAGNER
(first and third Tuesday of the month 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.)
ADDRESS: BIA Building, 29775 South Main, 57380
Send mail to the Lake Andes office:
PO Box 190, Lake Andes, SD 57356-0190
PHONE: Clients may call Lake Andes at: 1-877-656-0023
FAX: 605-487-7429

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long-Term Care
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families

WANBLEE
(every Monday and Wednesday, 9 a.m.–3 p.m.)
ADDRESS: Annex Building, Crazy Horse School
SEND MAIL TO MARTIN OFFICE:
404 3rd Ave., PO Box 250
Martin, SD 57551-0250

PHONE: Clients may call Martin at: 1-866-416-0094
FAX: 605-685-6652

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families (Martin)
o Long-Term Care (Rapid City 1-800-644-2914)
o Medicare Savings Program (Martin)
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

WATERTOWN
ADDRESS: 2001 9th Ave. SW, Suite 300, 57201
PHONE: 605-882-5000 or 1-866-239-6787
FAX: 605-882-5045

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1-866-847-7335
* Child Support Services
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

WEBSTER
(Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m.)
ADDRESS: 711 W. 1st St., Suite 213, 57274-1366
PHONE: 605-345-3432 or Clients may call Aberdeen at: 1-866-239-8855

Send mail to the Aberdeen office:
3401 10th Ave. SE, Aberdeen, SD 57401-8000

FAX: 605-626-2610

* Adult Services & Aging
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Aberdeen)
o Medicare Savings Program (Aberdeen)
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

WESSINGTON SPRINGS
(first and third Tuesdays, 9:30 am – 3:30 pm)
ADDRESS: Horizan Health Care Building, 602 1st St. NE, 57382

SEND MAIL TO MITCHELL OFFICE:
116 E. 11th Ave.
Mitchell, SD 57301–1432

PHONE: 605–539–1261 or Clients may call Mitchell at: 1–800–231–8346

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Mitchell)
o Medicare Savings Program (Mitchell)
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

WHITE RIVER
ADDRESS:
Mellette County Courthouse, 321 E. 4th St, PO Box 219, 57579–0219

PHONE: 605–259–3101 or 1–888–285–0033
FAX: 605–259–3202

* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Families and Children
o Long–Term Care (Chamberlain 1–888–749–0007)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

WINNER
ADDRESS: 649 W Second St, PO Box 31, 57580–0031
PHONE: 605–842–0400 or 1–866–913–0031
FAX: 605–842–2574

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1–866–847–7339
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
o Families and Children
o Long–Term Care (Chamberlain 1–888–749–0007)
o Medicare Savings Program
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

WOONSOCKET
(first and third Wednesdays, 9:30 am – 3:30 pm)
ADDRESS: Sanborn County Courthouse

SEND MAIL TO MITCHELL OFFICE:
116 E. 11th Ave.
Mitchell, SD 57301–1432

PHONE: Customers may call the Mitchell office: 1–800–231–8346
FAX: 605–995–8929

* SNAP – Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program
* Medical Eligibility
o Children and Families
o Long–Term Care (Mitchell)
o Medicare Savings Program (Mitchell)
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

YANKTON
ADDRESS: 3113 Spruce St., Suite 200, 57078-5320
PHONE: 605-668-3030 or 1-800-455-5241
FAX: 605-668-3014

* Adult Services & Aging
* Child Care Licensing/Registration
* Child Protection Services
o Intake number: 1-866-847-7338
* Child Support Services
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
* Medical Eligibility
* Medical Review Team
* Quality Control
* Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

Updated Jul 26, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9224

Western SD Community Action

Walk-in Resource · Open

1844 Lombardy Drive, Rapid City, SD 57703

Phone 605-348-1460 OR TOLL FREE: 800-327-1703
Web www.wsdca.org
Serves Bennett, Butte, Corson, Custer, Dewey, Fall River, Haakon, Harding, Jackson, Lawrence, Meade, Pennington, Perkins, and Ziebach
Eligibility low income
Service Temporary

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Clothing, All Sizes, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Boxes (For Seniors/Elderly); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless

Updated Jul 25, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9219

Feeding South Dakota

Walk-in Resource · Open

Sioux Falls, SD

Phone http://www.feedingsouthdakota.org/about-us/contact-information/
Web www.feedingsouthdakota.org
Service Temporary

Please don't hesitate to visit your local Feeding South Dakota food bank or food pantry.

FACEBOOK -
http://www.facebook.com/FeedingSD

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types)

Updated Jul 25, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9218

Samoa

Archdiocese of Samoa-Apia, Roman Catholic

Walk-in Resource · Open

Church
P.O. Box 532, Fetuolemoana, Apia

Phone 20400
Contact Alapati Lui Mataeliga, Archbishop
Service Temporary

source: http://www.catholic-hierarchy.org/diocese/dsaap.html
Campaigns: 2009 American Samoa Tsunami

Updated Oct 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4628

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

Walk-in Resource · Open

Church
Vaitele Street., Pasega, Apia

Phone (685) 64230
Web www.ldschurchtemples.com/apia
Service Temporary

from the website:

Adjacent to the sprawling campus of the Church College of Western Samoa (a combined elementary, middle, and high school), the Apia Samoa Temple stands on the western outskirts of Apia in Pesega.
Campaigns: 2009 American Samoa Tsunami
Updated Oct 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4630

Women in Business (low–profit village economy project)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Web www.womeninbusiness.ws
Service Temporary

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Services offered: Advocacy, Womens Rights; New "Business" Models; New "business" models, Economic; New "Business" Models, Education; New "business" models, Government; New "business" models, Sustainable Societies
Updated Feb 25, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9641

TN

New Providence Church of Christ – 2010 TN Flooding (DIST: FOOD/ HYGIENE ITEMS)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Church – First Response Distribution
421 Providence Boulevard, Clarksville, TN

Serves Montgomery County, TN
Eligibility Impacted by the 5/10 TN Severe Storms/Floods
Service Temporary

Flood victims can receive toiletries and canned food items from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday at the New Providence Church of Christ, 421 Providence Boulevard. A truck load of food and hygiene items are coming from the Church of Christ Relief Center in Nashville. Anyone needing more information can call the church at 647–7825.
Long term help

Services offered: Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2010 US Severe Storms and Flooding
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5849

Graceworks Ministries, Inc. – 2010 TN FLOOD

Walk–in Resource · Standby

104 Southeast Parkway, Suite 100, Franklin, TN 37064

Phone 615.794.9055
Web www.graceworksministries.net
Hours 9 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.
Serves Williamson County
Eligibility in crisis, REFERRAL after assessed by the American Red Cross – Impacted by the 5/10 TN Flooding
Bring photo ID, proof of legal residency, proof of address in Williamson County, proof of income, social security numbers for those in your household, the bills you need help with.
Service Permanent

Graceworks Ministries reaches out to those displaced by local flooding.
As an American Red Cross Disaster Partner, Graceworks Ministries is collecting and will be distributing donations to displaced Williamson County families assessed by the American Red Cross.

Franklin, TN – May 3, 2010 – Williamson County residents affected by recent flooding may rely on the partnership between the American Red Cross and Graceworks to provide items to meet basic needs. The American Red Cross will assess people affected. Once assessed, the Red Cross will refer people to Graceworks. Graceworks will provide clothing, food, personal hygiene items, baby items, household items and furniture to those affected by flooding.

Graceworks is located at 104 Southeast Parkway off Columbia Avenue in Franklin, TN 37064. Hours are 9 am – 4 pm, Monday – Saturday.

Thank you to everyone who has contacted us about volunteering or donating. An unbelievable outpouring of support for those in crisis in Williamson County.

Most urgent needs (this list is refined a little after donations so far):
1. Financial gifts (most beneficial – rent and utilities still need to be paid)/gift cards

2. Non–perishable food items and bottled water – especially soup, crackers, pasta, as well as cleaning products (laundry detergent, dish soap), toiletries

3. Gently used clothing – especially pants/jeans/shorts in all sizes, tops/shirts/blouses in all sizes, NEW socks and underclothes. PLEASE – NO WINTER CLOTHES.

If you are interested in volunteering to sort donations or to help with cleanup efforts, please email volunteer@graceworksministries.net, and specify in your email how you can help. We will contact you as we determine the needs.

We help with basic needs for those in crisis: assisting with rent or utilities, purchasing medicines, providing nonperishable food, providing clothing or household goods. If your need for help is outside the listed needs, please contact us. We may be able to provide assistance or refer you to someone who can help.

Prayer Requests
Graceworks Clients. We are seeing a lot of new clients. Please pray that we are able to meet their needs and that they experience God's Grace through our ministry.

Graceworks Financial Donations. Please pray for our donors to continue to give.

New Partners! We are expanding and diversifying our church and community partners. Please pray that we are able to add new partners to meet the growing needs of our community.

Graceworks Thrift Store is OPEN TO THE PUBLIC! Pray that the word gets out that we are open to the public to help us increase customers and donations for our thrift store. Revenue from the store helps fund our ministry.

DISTRIBUTION COLLECTION LOCATION ALSO AT:

The Crag at Cool Springs – 615.661.9444
121 Seaboard Lane
Franklin, TN 37067

Hours:
Monday–Friday: 12–9pm
Saturday: 12–8pm
Sunday: 1–7pm

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution, Clothing Closet; Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Thrift Store; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2010 US Severe Storms and Flooding; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5830

Long Hollow Baptist Church – Hendersonville Campus – 2010 TN FLOOD (RELIEF CTR.–DONATION COLL. SITE/CLEANING SUPPLIES & VOL'S NEEDED)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

3031 Long Hollow Pike, Hendersonville, TN 37075

Phone	615.824.4006
Web	www.longhollow.com/flood
Serves	Sumner County
Eligibility	Impacted by the 5/10 TN Floods
Service	Temporary

Wednesday Update Published May 5, 2010

Volunteers are needed for church grounds cleanup! Please come to our volunteer center offices at the Hendersonville Campus to receive an assignment. Chain saws and other tree removal equipment is needed.

We now have a 30 yard dumpster available for the community to use for flood cleanup at our Hendersonville Campus. Please use caution, and DO NOT fill over the top of the dumpster or they will not pick it up.

Long Hollow is serving as a relief donation center. Cleaning supplies only will be taken from 8am–4pm this week at the Hendersonville Campus front canopy entrance.

We are also sending out work crews daily. Contact Rob Holcomb (615.824.4006×212) for information about serve opportunities (please leave a message if we're not able to answer), or meet at the Hendersonville Campus front canopy entrance (look for the signs) any day this week at 8:30am to receive assignments. We'll mobilize groups at 8:30am every morning, but you can show up anytime during the day to help.

You can also give online now to Long Hollow's Community Relief Fund. 100% of these donations will go toward relief needs.

If you're in need or know someone who is, please contact Rob Holcomb (615.824.4006×212) or Erica Ho (615.824.4006×143). Again, please leave a message if we're unable to answer when you call.

Check the website page often for the latest information on how you can help.

Services offered: Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Cleanup, Equipment, Dumpsters; Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2010 US Severe Storms and Flooding
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5835

Branches Recovery Center

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Crisis Counseling
1450 Battleground Dr., Murfreesboro, TN 37129

Phone 1–615–904–7171
Serves Murfreesboro, Ruthersford, TN
Eligibility Impacted by the 4/09 Tornado
Service Temporary

Counseling
Branches Counseling Center is offering free counseling at the 1450 Battleground Drive location. Eight trained counselors are available. For more information, call Mike Courtney (615–904–7171).

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2009 Tornadoes
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4263

Linebaugh Public Library (Free Internet Services)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Library
105 W. Vine St., Murfreesboro, TN

Phone 615–893–4131
Web www.linebaugh.org
Serves Murfreesboro, Rutherford County, TN
Eligibility Impacted by the 4/09 Tornado
Service Temporary

Library offers services

Linebaugh Library System is encouraging all citizens in need of Internet access, replacement library cards, and help replacing lost or damaged library books to contact the library.

Additionally, Linebaugh has set up a repository of lost, small artifacts (such as photographs) for people to bring found items to the library. A directory of resources for people affected by the recent tornado has also been compiled and is available to those who need it.

"We want our community to know that the library is here to help them through these troubling times," said Rita Shacklett, library director.

Linebaugh Public Library is located at 105 W. Vine St. in Murfreesboro. For more information, call 615–893–4131 or visit www.linebaugh.org.

Services offered: Services, Disaster, Repository (For Lost Articles/Artifacts Found Post Disaster); Services, Tech, Computer Access
Campaigns: 2009 Tornadoes
Updated Apr 18, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4283

Pastoral Counseling Centers of Tennessee

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Disaster Recovery
200 East Main Street, Murfreesboro, TN 37130

Phone 1(615) 904–8623 or 1(615) 790– 1539
Web www.pastoralcounselingctrs.org
Serves Murfreesboro, Rutherford County, TN
Eligibility Impacted by the 4/09 Tornado
Service Temporary

Free counseling available

The Pastoral Counseling Centers of Tennessee are offering free crisis counseling at their offices in Murfreesboro and in Franklin for anyone affected by the tornadoes in Rutherford County. This service is available by appointment to anyone without charge as a service to the community. To schedule an appointment, people should call (615) 904–8623 or (615) 790– 1539.

The Pastoral Counseling Centers of Tennessee is an ecumenical and interfaith counseling organization with eight locations in the Middle Tennessee area. All staff have theological education in addition to training in counseling.

Services offered: Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling
Campaigns: 2009 Tornadoes
Updated Apr 18, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4282

Patterson Community Center

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Parks & Recreation
521 Mercury Blvd., Murfreesboro, TN 37129
Phone 1–615–893–7439
Web www.murfreesborotn.gov/default.aspx?ekmenu=126&id=3070
Serves Murfreesboro, Ruthersford County, TN
Service Temporary

Free shower facilities available to Tornado survivors in Murfreesboro, Rutherford County, TN

Services offered: Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To)
Campaigns: 2009 Tornadoes
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4253

Sports Com (Shower Facilities for 4/09 Tornado)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Parks & Recreation
120 DeJarnette Ln., Murfreesboro, TN 37129
Phone 1(615) 895–5040
Service Temporary

Showers are available to disaster survivors of the 4/10/09 Tornado in Murfreesboro, TN in Rutherford County

Sports*Com is located at McKnight Park (120 DeJarnette Lane) in the northern area of Murfreesboro. Amenities include a gymnasium, 1/16 mile track, aerobics area, fitness equipment, game room, meeting room, 25–yard indoor pool and 50 meter outdoor pool and four sand volleyball courts.

Services offered: Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To)
Campaigns: 2009 Tornadoes
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4250

New Song Christian Fellowship – 2010 TN FLOOD (DIST.: FOOD BOXES)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Faith–Based Disaster Relief
2949 Nolensville Pike, Nashville, TN 37211
Phone (615) 837–9353
Web new–song.com
Service Temporary

http://www2.grammy.com/PDFs/musicares/nashville_flood_resources.doc
Providing food boxes to flood victims

Thursday 2–5pm; Friday 11am–2pm

http://new–song.com/locations/
Service Times & Locations
Our vision is to have multiple locations throughout middle Tennessee. Current locations include: Cool Springs, Hermitage, Hillsboro, Murfreesboro, Spring Hill and Woodbine.

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2010 US Severe Storms and Flooding
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5861

Samaritian Ministries – 2010 TN FLOOD (HOT MEALS/CLOTHING DISTRIBUTION)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

1041 28th Ave, Nashville, TN
Hours 11am–12pm Monday–Saturday
Service Temporary

Hot meals & clothing for those in Davidson County, Monday through Saturday 11a–12noon

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Hot Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2010 US Severe Storms and Flooding
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5859

Donation Centers – 2010 TN FLOODS (Disaster Aid Distribution/Donation Collection Sites) – INDEX

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Various, TN

Web www.nashville.gov/flood/assistance.asp
Serves Nashville, Davidson County, TN
Service Temporary

CALL AHEAD TO BE PROVIDED WITH NEEDS LIST AND TO DETERMINE WHAT KINDS OF DISASTER AID SUPPLIES AND SERVICES ARE BEING DISTRIBUTED AND PROVIDED

Donations Centers

Current non–profit and faith–based distribution centers are listed below with the anticipation of more centers being added as the recovery continues:

* centerBeech Creek Missionary Baptist
External Link3101 Curtis Street
Monday – Friday 12 – 6:30 p.m.
Saturday 10 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
* Old Best Buy building
External Link5340 Hickory Hollow Pkwy
Monday – Friday 7:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
* Woodbine Community Center
External Link222 Oriel Avenue
Monday – Friday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
* McGruder Family Resource Center
External Link2013 25th Avenue North
Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
* Otter Creek Church of Christ
External Link5253 Granny White Pike
Monday – Friday 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.
* Madison Square Shopping Center (behind Shoney's)
External Link726 Gallatin Pike
Monday – Saturday 8 a.m. - noon
* St. Lukes
External Link5601 New York Avenue
Monday – Friday 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
* Bellevue Baptist Church
External Link7400 Hwy 70 South
Monday – Friday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.
* South Nashville Seventh–day Adventist
External Link244 Tusculucm, 37013
Sunday 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
* Riverside Chapel Seventh–day Adventist
External Link800 Youngs Lane, 37207
Daily 3 a.m. – 7 p.m.
* Salvation Army
External Link611 Stockell Street, 37207
Monday – Friday 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
* Neely's Bend Church
External Link1502 Neely's Bend Road
Monday – Friday 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Using a network of non–profit and faith–based distribution centers allows citizens to access resources closer to their homes through congregations and agencies already well established in neighborhoods. This effort is coordinated through the Middle TN VOAD (Volunteer Organizations Active in Disaster), a network of more than 50 faith and non–profit organizations that will partner with the city in coordinating human services such as case management, mental health, housing transition, and food access as families and neighborhoods move more deeply into the recovery.

Services offered: Case Management, Flood Survivors; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Housing, Transitional Housing; Mental Health Services
Campaigns: 2010 US Severe Storms and Flooding; Government, City/Town Agency; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster – this org is a member)
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5878

FEMA – Disaster Assistance Centers (DRC's) – 2010 TN FLOOD – INDEX

Walk–in Resource · Open

FEMA Disaster Recovery Center
Various, TN
Service Temporary

5/24/10 from the TN.gov site:

Two Disaster Recovery Centers are now open in west and middle Tennessee. Hours are 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. CDT seven days a week until further notice.

· Hickman County – Centerville Church of Christ – 138 N. Central Ave., Centerville, TN 37033
· Davidson County – 100 Oaks Mall (near the Hollywood 27 Theatre) – 719 Thompson Lane, Nashville, TN 37204

Additional Disaster Recovery Centers will be opening soon.

5/10/10:

A Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Disaster Assistance Center has opened up in the Vanderbilt Health One Hundred Oaks parking lot, near the Regal Hollywood 27 movie theater.

Disaster Assistance Centers can provide general information on utilities, social service assistance, and legal and insurance information. Lawyers will be available at most sites to assist with FEMA applications. Additional centers are located at:

• East Community Center, 700 Woodland St., 37206; (615) 862–8448; Sherry Hipps (615) 604–3278
• Hermitage Community Center, 3720 James Kay Lane, 37076; (615) 316–0843; Calvin Hatcher (615) 406–1360
• Hadley Community Center, 1037 28th Ave. North, 37208; (615) 862–8451; Barbara Manuel (615) 360–7504
• Coleman Community Center, 384 Thompson Lane 37211; (615) 862–8445
• Bellevue Community Center, 656 Colice Jeanne Road 37221; (615) 862–8435

Centers are not equipped for emergency medical needs. Security and health emergencies should be managed through 911. Questions about Disaster Assistance Centers should be directed to Laurel Creech, chief service officer laurel.creech @nashville.gov.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Assistance, Referrals, Legal Referrals; Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/ Rebuilding, etc.); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services: Legal Assistance for Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: 2010 US Severe Storms and Flooding; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center)
Updated May 25, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5870

Dyersburg Mall (Extended FEMA Assistance – DRC)

Walk–in Resource · Standby

FEMA Disaster Recovery Center
2700 Lake Road, TN 38024
Service Temporary

FEMA to stay in area
Wednesday, May 19, 2010
Dyersburg State Gazette

As the Dyer County community transitions from emergency mode to the restoration process following the recent historic flooding of the Forked Deer River, many of the programs and initiatives of city and county officials, emergency management personnel and relief organizations will also make changes.

Representatives from local to federal levels working with flood victims in the Dyer County area are concerned that as residents see emergency accommodations closing, they will feel that all aid in the area has abandoned them, as well.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency has secured a place in the Dyersburg Mall to meet with area residents and guide them through the application and recovery process. As FEMA officials settle into the Disaster Recovery Center, located across from Cato, the mobile command unit parked in the mall parking lot will most likely be dispatched to another area in need of assistance.

Residents should not assume that FEMA has left the area with its highly visible mobile unit. FEMA representatives will remain in the area to help those affected by the flooding indefinitely. Any decision to leave the community will be announced beforehand.

Representatives of the Small Business Administration, the Tennessee Emergency Management Agency, the Red Cross and Dyer County Disaster Recovery System will also remain in the mall space to provide guidance and assistance to local flood victims throughout this critical time in the restoration process.

The emergency shelter offered by the Red Cross at First United Methodist Church closed Tuesday afternoon, but area residents will still find much assistance through the Red Cross organization.

Red Cross Executive Director Lynne Fritchey said that residents in need may visit the mall or call 1–866–Get–Info (1–866–438–4636) or the organization's local number, 286–4740.

The Dyer County Disaster Relief Service's Flood Relief Center, located at Cumberland Presbyterian Church closed on Friday, but aid for flood victims in search of food, clothing, hygiene products or other household needs are still available through Matthew 25:40, the Salvation Army, local churches, civic groups or service ministries. Many of the county's local organizations are coordinating with the DRS to link donated items, services and funds to directly affect the victims of the flooding.

Representatives of the Dyersburg/Dyer County Union Mission reported shortly after the flooding began that they are also collecting household items for residents affected by the floodwater. The organization expects to see their financial requests for rent, deposits and other forms of financial aid rise in the next few weeks, as flood victims attempt to find alternate accommodations.

City leaders and representatives of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, Small Business Administration and Dyer County Disaster Relief Service would like to make sure that flood victims rest assured that help is not leaving town.

Those interested in more information may call the DRS at 285–3303 or Dyersburg City Hall at 288–7604. To trigger the inspection process for homes affected by floodwaters, residents should contact Dyersburg Electric System at 287–4600.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How To, Loan & Grant Application Assistance (Disaster Survivors); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors
Campaigns: American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated May 8, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/5917

TX

Mission Arlington

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community Outreach
210 W. South St., Arlington, TX 76010
Phone Main Number: 817–277–6620 Counseling Services: 817–860–1283 Medical Clinic: 817–277–9597 Transportation: 817–704–6150
Web www.missionarlington.org
Hours 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday
Service Temporary

CLOTHING CLOSETS

Check with clothing closets and churches in your area to see if they are in need. Many churches and missions across the state are housing evacuees.

Mission Arlington
With two recent hurricanes and lots of evacuees in the community, Mission Arlington has cleared their clothing closet. They are in desperate need of any clothing or shoes you can donate.

Contact Mission Arlington
found at:
http://www.bgct.org/texasbaptists/Page.aspx?pid=4187

Office Hours
General
7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday

For Assistance
8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Saturdays

For Community Service
7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday

Sundays
8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Bible Studies and Worship

7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. To Receive Phone Calls
10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Mission Tour
Noon to 3:30 p.m. Office is Open

Other
Medical Clinic: MWF – 9:00 a.m.; Tues., 6:00 p.m.

Closed on Christmas Day

Services offered: Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Facility: Job Center; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Medical Equipment, LOAN ONLY; Medical, Facility, Clinic, Free Clinic; School, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, Children, Emergency Child Care; Services, Substance Abuse, Outpatient Program (Drug/Alcohol); Support for "All Local" Disasters; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Vouchers, Gas Vouchers; Vouchers, Medical, Prescription Vouchers; Youth, After–School, Afterschool Program
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike
Updated Oct 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3758

Austin Habitat for Humanity Restore – 2011 TX Wildfires (REBUILDING MATERIALS)

Walk–in Resource · Open

310 Comal St., Austin, TX 78702
Phone (512) 478–2165
Web www.re–store.com
Service Temporary

Services offered: New "Business" Models; New "business models", housing; Recycling, Building Materials * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires; Alternative Societies; Habitat For Humanity
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8946

Caritas of Austin

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community
611 Neches St., Austin, TX 78701
Phone Administration 512–479–4610 Client Services 512–472–4135
Web www.caritasofaustin.org
Hours Monday, Wednesday, Thursday: 8 a.m. - 4:45 p.m. Tuesday: 8 a.m. - 6:45 p.m. Friday: 8 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
Serves Travis and surrounding counties
Eligibility Caritas serves the working poor, the unemployed, the homeless, the near–homeless and documented refugees.
Checks payable to Caritas of Austin
Service Temporary

Caritas envisions a community where there is respect for all individuals, hope for those experiencing poverty and opportunities for self reliance.

Caritas was founded in 1964 by Monsignor Richard McCabe as a safety net for the community's working poor.

Caritas is an integral part of the community's human services network and Travis County's largest non–governmental source of assistance.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, Homeless; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Veterans; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling, Personal Finance Counseling; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service, Large Item Donation Pickup; Events, Community Meetings; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Veterans Benefits/Facility/Services; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Demographic Information; Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Governments/Community Groups; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Lunches (Hot); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Response; Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Employment, Job Assistance, for "at–risk" Job Applicants; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Humanitarian Aid ; Services, Immigration, Refugee Resettlement (See also "Assistance"); Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Financial Literacy; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers

(This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: Catholic Charities; Homelessness Relief Services; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member)
Updated Jan 1, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3017

EMA, City of Austin, Homeland Security (WILDFIRE INCIDENT POSTINGS updated every 3 minutes)

Walk–in Resource · Open

5010 Old Manor Road, Suite 330, Austin, TX
Phone (512) 974–0450
Contact Otis J. Latin, Sr., Director
Web www.austinhsem.com/go/doc/3603/970379
Service Temporary

See incident page, updated every 3 minutes:

http://www.ci.austin.tx.us/fact/default.cfm

EOC: http://www.austinhsem.com/go/doc/3603/983075/

For CERT inquiries:
coleen . christian @ ci .austin.tx.us

To Volunteer:
patricia . urdiales@ci.austin.tx.us

Services offered: Directories, Directory of Contacts, Incident Command; Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Directories, Directory of Services, County/Parish; Directories, Directory of Services, Regional; Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Documentation, Disaster Planning; Documentation, Disaster Preparedness, Businesses; Documentation, Disaster Preparedness Guidance, Community Groups; Documentation, Disaster Preparedness Guidance, Individual/Family; Documentation, Disaster Recovery Process; Documentation, Disaster Relief Process, Community Groups; Documentation, Disaster Relief Process, Individual/Family; Documentation, Disaster Relief Process, Roles; Documentation, Disaster Relief Process, Supply Management; Documentation, Volunteer Instructions; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Maps, Environmental Impact Tracking; Information Resource, Maps, Fire Maps; Information Resource: Online Alert Registry; Information Resource, Situation Reports & Status Reports; Information Resource, Wildfire Incident Information & Updates; Services, Emergency Services
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires; Government, City/Town Agency; Government, County/Parish Agency; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency) State; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a Chapter Level Member)
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8883

Hurricane Harvey, Supply Collection/Distribution/Drop Site, Austin Disaster Recovery Network

Walk–in Resource · Open

Austin, TX
Web adrn.org/disaster–relief/hurricaneharvey
Service Temporary

Check the website link above for updates...NEVER deliver supplies to a site without checking with the site first.

9/28:

DROP–OFF STARTING SAT, AUG 26 | 10AM–5PM

ADRN is anticipating the need for many items in the days ahead to help meet immediate needs of survivors impacted by Hurricane Harvey along with shipping disaster supplies to the affected areas. If you would like to donate items, see below for items needed. Hope Family Thrift Store will be receiving items starting, Saturday, August 26th. Open 10AM–5PM for Drop–Off Items at the receiving dock, Monday – Saturday (Closed on Sunday).

NEEDED ITEMS INCLUDE:

* New undergarments
(all sizes, children and adult)
* New socks (all sizes, children and adult)

* Toiletries (ie: shampoo, facewash, soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, etc.)
* New bed pillows

* New blankets
* Cleanup supplies
* Black trash bags

* Mops and buckets
* Utility knives

* Leather work gloves
* Inflatable mattresses
* Hand sanitizer
* Box fans

* Clothing is not needed – ADRN will distribute the abundance of previously–donated clothing to survivors

LOCATION: Hope Family Thrift Store, 1122 E 51st Street, Austin, Texas 78723

DROP–OFF HOURS: Monday – Saturday, 10 AM – 5 PM, Back Receiving Dock

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2017 Hurricane Harvey
Updated Aug 29, 2017 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10033

Samaritan Center for Counseling & Pastoral Care

Walk–in Resource · Open

FREE Counseling for Hurricane Survivors
5425–A Burnet Road, Austin, TX 78756
Phone 512–451–7337
Web www.samaritan–center.org

Samaritan Center for Counseling and Pastoral Care is offering Free Counseling for Hurricane Survivors and Caregivers of Survivors (includes case managers).

We recently received additional funding to continue providing free counseling for Hurricane Survivors and Caregivers of Survivors.

HURRICANE KATRINA & RITA
The emotional impact of surviving a hurricane will be felt in our community for months to come. Our center is prepared to help survivors of this tragedy with crisis counseling and support for those suffering from secondary stress and trauma.

The Samaritan Counseling Center is offering FREE counseling to hurricane survivors and their care givers. Care givers include family members and case managers and those who are working in the community with hurricane survivors.

Please call us to schedule an appointment.
(512) 451–7337

Case Managers can call to make an appointment for the client with the client's permission.

Main Office:
5425–A Burnet Road
Austin, TX 78756

Satellite Locations:

Cedar Park, Downtown Austin, Georgetown, Lake Travis, Pflugerville, Round Rock and San Marcos

Outreach Services are available for those without transportation to one of our locations. Per our agreement with Lifeworks Outreach services in East and South East Austin will be forwareded to Nona Adams.

As always I am available to answer mental health questions, questions about if a referral is appropriate, how to talk to clients about getting counseling, etc.

Thank you,

Michele Riggs, LPC Intern, NCC
Hurricane Survivor Outreach Counselor
The Samaritan Center for Counseling and Pastoral Care
Office: (512)–451–7337 X 230

Mobile: (512)–300–3530 (Best # to contact me)
Email: MicheleRiggs19@yahoo.com
www.samaritan– center.org

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling)
Updated Sep 22, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1856

Bastrop Christian Ministerial Alliance (Coordinating DISTRIBUTION) – Bastrop Rundell Distribution Center

Walk–in Resource · Standby

Rundell Business Park; 704 Hwy 71 West, Bastrop, TX
Phone 512–332–8661 / 512–332–8977
Web www.bcmatx.org
Service Temporary

SOURCE –
http://bastroprelief.org/update/new–bastrop–disaster–recovery–distribution–center

New Bastrop Disaster Recovery Distribution Center

Monday, Sept. 19: the Bastrop Rundell Distribution Center is now closed. All wildfire relief distribution activities have transferred to a new warehouse. The Settlement Distribution Center, 150 Settlement Rd. Bastrop is open seven days a week from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. People affected by recent wildfires in Bastrop County are encouraged to pick up materials they need at this new location. Smithville Distribution Center, 210 Main St., will continue donation and distribution hours of 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.

FROM THE NEW SITE – UPDATE 9/12/11 7 pm:

Bastrop Christian Ministerial Alliance:Rundell Business Park Distribution Center

Donations received
M–F 9am–3pm

Evacuee distribution
M–F 9am–7pm

Due to the overwhelming generosity of everyone, the Bastrop Distribution Center at Rundell Business Park is accepting the following items:

House Cleaning supplies,
wipes
Metal and Plastic buckets, baskets
Heavy duty trash & garbage bags
Strong disposable gloves
Handheld can openers
Bedding, pillows
Heavy duty Work Gloves
Shovels
Rakes
Axes
Garden Hoses, Sprayers, etc.
Tree Saws, trimmers, etc.
double cartridge face masks

All other large volume donations should go to the Georgetown Drop Off, 610 N. Austin Avenue in Georgetown from 9am thru 8pm M–F. Donations from this site will be sorted and returned to the Bastrop Center for distribution as needed.

Donation Hotline
512–332–8661
512–332–8977

No more clothing – furniture will be accepted at a later date

Calvary is working with other member churches of the Bastrop Christian Ministerial Alliance to collect needed items for the 5000 people who have been displaced

http://www.epicenter.org/texas–wildfires/calvary–bastrop–counts–at–least–30–homes–lost/
–
http://www.calvaryepiscopal–bastroptx.org/templates/System/details.asp?id=27268&PID=886267

At present, volunteers (especially strong men who can lift) are needed at the Distribution Center of the Bastrop Ministerial Alliance at 704 Hwy 71 W.

Before going to the center, call the Donations hotline at (512)332–8807 or (512) 332–8977 to see when and if volunteers are needed.

Services offered: Donations, Disaster Fund; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 20, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8901

Bastrop County Emergency Food Pantry – 2011 TX Wildfires

Walk–in Resource · Open

806 Fayette Street, Bastrop, TX 78602
Phone 512–303–0033
Web www.bastropfoodpantry.org
Serves Bastrop, Texas
Service Temporary

FROM THE SITE:

Our heartfelt prayers are with the people of Bastrop County for a rapid resolution to the disasterous fires. There are tough times ahead and we stand ready to aid as best we can. We will get through this. May Peace be with you all.

The planned housewarming has been cancelled so that we may concentrate on helping the citizens of Bastrop County through this time of dire need.

Whether you want to gain a sense of giving something back or be of service to others, we appreciate your interest in helping us. We work to match your available time, skills and desires with our needs and schedules. Also, young people, ages 14 and up are encouraged to volunteer with us during the summer months.

Plan to attend a Volunteer Training session soon! We look forward to working with you in the future and welcome your desire to volunteer with us.
Some of the volunteer opportunities include office support, food pick up, preparation, storage, pack and deliver and holiday or special event assistance as needed. The program areas where you may choose to work include.

Emergency Food Assistance Program
Brown Bag & Open Arms Programs
Elgin Soup Kitchen
Fresh Foods for Families Program
Food Drives
Educational Workshops
Senior Citizen Activities
Special Events
Holiday Activities
Office Support
Facility & Grounds Maintenance

Please feel free to email our Volunteer Coordinator with any questions you may have or call, 512–303–0033 to set up an appointment to submit your application.

We are always in need of:

Canned Meats, Vegetables & Fruit
Corn Bread Mix
Juices
Hamburger, Chicken and Tuna Helper
Assorted Crackers
Rice
Peanut Butter, Jelly
Dry Beans
Sugar
Cereal (hot and dry)
Instant Potatoes
Flour
Pasta & Spaghetti Sauces
Canned Beans
Soups
Hygiene Items (toothpaste, shampoo,

laundry detergent, toilet tissue, etc)
Tomato Sauces
Cooking Oil

Services offered: Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Meals, Soup Kitchen; Training Classes, Volunteer Orientation & Training; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8918

BlueBonnet Trails Community Services – 2011 TX Wildfires (MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Bastrop 9th Grade Building; 1602 Hill Rd., Bastrop, TX 78602
Phone 1–800–841–1255
Web www.bluebonnetmhmr.org
Service Temporary

Subject: Mental Health Counseling for Bastrop Wildfire Victims–updated 9/14/11
External Source: Pam Fuchik––BlueBonnet Trails Community Services
Details
Summary: Mental Health Counseling for Bastrop Wildfire Victims
County: Bastrop
Location: BlueBonnet Trails Community Services 1009 N. Georgetown St. Round Rock, TX 78664
Phone: 1–800–841–1255
Web Site: http://www.bluebonnetmhmr.org
Description: BlueBonnet Trails Community Services is offering mental health counseling for victims of the Bastrop Wildfires. Please have people contact the Bluebonnet 24–hour hotline for assistance rather than the Bastrop Bluebonnet office. Blueconnet has been officially charged with coordinating the licensed counselors for the Bastrop area.

Counselors are available at the Disaster Recovery Center located at:

Bastrop 9th Grade Building
1602 Hill Rd.
Bastrop, TX 78602

Hours:9:00am–7:00pm Monday thru Saturday and 1:00pm–5:00pm Sunday
Subject: Austin Disaster Relief Network offering hotline for disaster victims for Bastrop Cty–updated 9/12/11
External Source: Stephen Brewer Austin Disaster Relief Network

Services offered: Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 17, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8961

DSHS Clinic – 2011 TX Wildfires (MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING)

Walk–in Resource

104 Loop 150 West, Bastrop, TX 78602
Service Temporary

Subject: Bastrop DADS/ DARS/DSHS/DFPS/HHSC office are open–updated 9/13/11
External Source: Deborah Ballard– TIRN HHSC
Details
Summary: Bastrop DADS/DARS/DSHS/DFPS/HHSC office schedule
County: Bastrop
Location: DADS/DARS/DFPS/HHSC 3809 Loop 150 E Bastrop, TX 78602 DSHS Clinic 104 Loop 150 West Bastrop, TX 78602
Description: 9/13/11 The Bastrop DADS/DARS/DFPS/HHSCand DSHS Clinic are open until further notice.

DADS/DARS/DFPS/HHSC
3809 Loop 150 E
Bastrop, TX 78602

DSHS Clinic
104 Loop 150 West
Bastrop, TX 78602

Services offered: Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 17, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8962

FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center) – Bastrop Ninth Grade Center – 2011 TX Wildfires

Walk–in Resource · Open

Hill Street, Bastrop, TX
Web www.fema.gov/news/newsrelease.fema?id=57907
Service Temporary

State/FEMA Disaster Recovery Center Opening in Bastrop County

Release Date: September 12, 2011
Release Number: 4029–004

» More Information on Texas Wildfires
AUSTIN, Texas –– Survivors of the Bastrop County wildfires can meet face to face with state and federal disaster recovery specialists in the town of Bastrop beginning tomorrow.

Experts from the state of Texas, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) will be at a Disaster Recovery Center (DRC); they will be ready to help survivors get the registration process started and inform them about a range of disaster assistance programs that may be available to them.

The center replaces a Mobile Disaster Registration Intake Center (MDRC) that was open for a few days in Bastrop County.

The center is located at:

Bastrop High School 9th Grade Academy
1602 Hill Street
Bastrop, Texas 78602
Hours: Monday to Saturday, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m.

"It's tough to recover from a disaster that hit as hard as the Bastrop fires," said Deputy State Coordinating Officer (SCO) Shari Ramirez–MacKay of the Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM). "Survivors who visit the center just might find there is more help available to eligible people in Bastrop County than they may expect."

"There are all types of grants available for eligible residents; you should come on down to the center to find out what you're eligible for. It's a place where you can talk face to face with experts who can help you with everything, including the registration process," said Federal Coordinating Officer (FCO) Kevin L. Hannes. "We especially want to remind everyone how important it is to register –– you won't know if you qualify for federal disaster aid until you take that first step and register."

There are three ways to register: online at www.disasterassistance.gov, via web–enabled phone at m.fema.gov, or by calling FEMA toll–free at 1–800–621–FEMA (3362) or TTY 1–800–462–7585 . If you use 711–Relay or Video Relay Services (VRS), call 1–800–621–3362 . Specialists are available by phone from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. local time seven days a week.

Follow FEMA tweets about the Texas disaster at www.twitter.com/femaregion6. Other online resources are blog.fema.gov, www.facebook.com/fema and www.youtube.com/fema.

Disaster recovery assistance is available without regard to race, color, religion, nationality, sex, age, disability, English proficiency or economic status. If you or someone you know has been discriminated against, call FEMA toll–free at 800–621–FEMA (3362). For TTY call 800–462–7585 .

The mission of the Texas Division of Emergency Management, Texas Department of Public Safety, is to support the citizens of Texas and local jurisdictions as they plan for, respond to, recover from and mitigate the impacts of all hazards, emergencies and disasters. For more information, see: www.txdps.state.tx.us/dem.

FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Motel Accomodations for Disaster Survivors; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Grants, Disaster Rebuilding; Vouchers, Housing/ Shelter (Motel) Vouchers
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, Small Business Administration (SBA)
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8949

First Presbyterian

Walk–in Resource

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
310 South Virginia; (P O BOX 70),, Brazoria, TX 77422
Phone 979–798–7757
Hours Mon – Thur 8:30am – Noon

Provides electricity and water bill assistance.

Services offered: Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance
Updated Aug 24, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1729

Catholic Diocese of Brownsville

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community Outreach/Disaster Recovery/Relief
Located in historic Fort Brown; 1910 University Blvd., Brownsville, TX 78520

Phone 956–542–2501
Web www.cdob.org
Serves Rio Grande Valley, Hidalgo, Cameron, Willacy and Starr
Service Temporary

Source: Catholic Charities USA
Date: 23 Jul 2008

Catholic Charities USA gearing up Hurricane Dolly response

Alexandria, VA—To deal with the aftermath of Hurricane Dolly, which is has already started to make landfall along the Texas Gulf Coast, Catholic Charities USA (CCUSA) is gearing up its response efforts, collaborating with the local Catholic Charities agency and the Diocese of Brownsville to preposition supplies and prepare to open shelters if needed.

'Catholic Charities USA is working with Catholic Social Services to ensure our network's response will be aiding the most vulnerable populations, including a large migrant population, in the impacted areas,' said Kim Burgo, senior director of disaster response for Catholic Charities USA.

A disaster response team of expert staff from CCUSA, Catholic Charities of Baton Rouge, LA, and Catholic Charities of Southeast Texas is being deployed to the region to help the local agency assess post–storm damages, human needs, and recovery efforts.

To help support Catholic Charities USA's response efforts to Hurricane Dolly:

Call:

(800) 919–9338
Donate online

Send checks to:

Catholic Charities USA
Hurricane Dolly
PO Box 7068
Merrifield, VA 22116–7068

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Case Management, Flood Survivors; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Emotional; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Subsidized/Low–Income Housing; Jobs, Paying; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Immigration, Refugee Resettlement (See also "Assistance"); Services, Social Services, General Social Services
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Dolly
Updated Sep 30, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3443

Salvation Army

Walk–in Resource · Open

1618 North Ave J,, Freeport, TX 77541
Phone 979–233–5420 FAX: 979–233–7120

Emergency Shelter for the Homeless and Transient;
Emergency Welfare Assistance;
Food Assistance;
Clothing Assistance;
Furniture Assistance;
Medicine Assistance;
Utility/Rent Assistance;
Household Items

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Household Items, Vouchers
Campaigns: Salvation Army
Updated Aug 28, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1753

Texas, Garland virus/disaster, charity resources, supplies, food, clothing, medical

Walk–in Resource

Garland, TX

Web www.garlandisd.net/content/resources–coronavirus–covid–19
Service Temporary

Catholic Charities

Call 214–389–1340 for an interview. They provide food and support with air/heat.
Friendship House

Offers food and clothing.

Only 1 adult per family should come and you will need to bring picture ID and proof of residency, either a utility bill or mail with a person's name sent to their address within the last 30 days.

Operation hours are the same.
Good Samaritans

They are practicing social distrancing and if a person is coughing or sneezing, then they ask they wear a mask.
Hope Clinic

Call for appointment 972–485–9292. They are open for medical–emotional health needs.
Northplace Church Garland

Monday through Friday from 11:00 am–2:00 pm at 2761 Oakland Avenue, Garland.
Parkland COPC

Medical services.
Open M–Th 7:30 and am–6:00 pm; Sat 8:00 am–5:00 pm
Call 214–266–0700.
RCCG Bread of Life Parish

Open once a month for food.
Call for hours 214–552–5613.
Salvation Army

Will be operating as usual this week.
Saturn Road Church

Open Wednesday and Thursday for food closet and clothing.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19
Updated Mar 18, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10187

Boat People SOS (BPSOS), Houston

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Relief/Community Development
11205 Bellaire Boulevard; Suite B22, Houston, TX 77072
Phone (281) 530–6888
Web www.bpsos.org
Service Temporary

Urgent! BPSOS Seeks Houston–Area Volunteers to Help Hurricane Survivors

September 19, 2008:

The Gulf Coast's Vietnamese Americans need your help! Ike and Gustav hit the Gulf Coast even harder than Katrina, and we are working to connect evacuees to urgently–need services. On Thursday and Friday alone, BPSOS–Houston staff and our fantastic volunteers helped 177 people deal with the disaster!

You can make a difference, especially if you are bilingual. Join us at the office to record people's needs and contact information, and refer them to the right services! Houston is the focus now, but we are collecting information about areas that are safe to deploy volunteers.

To volunteer in Houston, or at locations to be determined, call (281) 530–6888, or email info@bpsos.org.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Jobs, Paying; Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike
Updated Jan 10, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3764

Cathedral Health and Outreach Ministries (CHOM)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church: Laundry/Meals/Distribution – Disaster Recovery
1117 Texas Avenue (mailing); 1212 Prairie Street (physical), Houston, TX 77002
Phone (713) 590–3303
Web www.chomhouston.org

Serves Houston
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Ike
Service Temporary

LTel 9/18/08:

Spoke to Cydney Cameron on site. She provided the following information.

IKE SURVIVORS SERVICES:

Laundry facilities/Shower Facilities/Hot Meals available:

Sun./Mon. 9am–2pm

Food Distribution available:

Fri./Sat. 9am–2pm

VOLUNTEERS:

Thank you for your interest in coming to help at The Beacon. We look forward to welcoming you into the Beacon Volunteer Family.

Please go to the link below and take a moment and complete our Beacon Volunteer on–line registration. Following submission, you will receive an e–mail with your own personalized logon (your e–mail address) and password with which you will be able to directly access our on–line volunteer scheduler.

https://www.volgistics.com/ex/portal.dll/ap?AP=229568553

Use our on–line volunteer scheduler;

1. Modify your contact information
2. See which shifts are open
3. Schedule yourself.
4. Check your total service hours.

After you register you will receive instructions on how to do the above– mentioned activities.

*Please review the “Indemnity Release Form” attached. Please print and sign it and bring it with you when you come to volunteer the first time.

**Please visit our website at www.chomhouston.org for more information about our entire organization.

Again we very much appreciate your interest in The Beacon and look forward to having you with us!

The Beacon, operated by the Cathedral Health and Outreach Ministries, is opening its doors to Hurricane Ike victims. The homeless ministry serves hot lunches Fridays–Mondays at 1212 Prairie downtown. Hot showers and laundry facilities are also available. Call 713–220–9741 or 713–220–9737 to volunteer.

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals; Meals, Hot Meals; Medical, Facility, Clinic, Free Clinic; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Laundry Services (for Disaster Survivors); Services, Legal Assistance (For Low–Income Families); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Sep 18, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3748

Family Services of Greater Houston

Walk–in Resource · Open

Community
4625 Lillian St., Houston, TX 77007
Phone 713.861.4849
Web www.familyservices.org
Service Temporary

For more information, please call 713–861–4849; fax 713–861–4021.
For specific contacts, please email below:

For Media inquiries, media@familyservices.org

For Volunteer Opportunities, volunteer@familyservices.org

For Human Resources, hr@familyservices.org

For Donations, donate@familyservices.org

For all other inquiries, family@familyservices.org

Counseling is $85 per session and on a sliding scale for families/individuals who qualify based on income.

Services offered: Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Advocacy, Volunteer, Resource Referrals; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling, Emotional; Counseling, Substance Abuse ; Disaster Relief System Development Guidance; Jobs, Paying; Services, Employment, Paid Professionals; Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Services, Legal Assistance; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Transportation, Transportation Advice, Finding Transportation, Volunteer ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: United Way
Updated Sep 22, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1052

Houston LGBT support, post Harvey

Walk–in Resource · Open

Houston, TX

Web www.montrosecenter.org/hub/community–rallies–provide–immediate–support–post–harvey
Service Temporary

Campaigns: 2017 Hurricane Harvey
Updated Sep 3, 2017 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10077

Impact Distribution Center / Recovery Ministry

Walk–in Resource · Open

1712 Depelchin, Houston, TX 77007

Phone 713–862–7011
Web www.impacthouston.org/Distribution%20Center.html
Service Temporary

from website:

The Distribution Center accepts donations of food, clothing, furniture, and household goods Monday – Thursday, 6:30 am to 2:30 pm, Friday by appointment.

This work exists to help the needy through the generous support of churches and individuals. We encourage donations and we need volunteers! Please join with us in this service.
We appreciate our volunteers!

Special Disaster Planning

In addition to the routine need for food, we are using lessons learnied from our disaster relief efforts following Hurricane Ike to be better prepared for the next problem. We are working with FEMA, the Red Cross, the City of Houston, the State of Texas and the Food Bank so we can efficiently move into disaster mode.

FACEBOOK –
https://www.facebook.com/people/Impact–Houston/761027267

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, In–Kind Donation, Services; Services, Substance Abuse, Residential Program (Drug/Alcohol); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8933

Stay Connected Texas

Walk–in Resource · Open

LTRC Disaster Recovery
9700 Bissonnet; Suite 2000, Houston, TX 77036

Phone (713) 667–5853 or call toll–free: 1–866–290–0226
Web www.stayconnectedtexas.org
Eligibility Katrina, Ike or affected by natural disasters
Service Temporary

The Hurricane Ike Texas Rise and Connect project was created by the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) with a grant from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to help Texans recover after Hurricane Ike. Many families still need help making plans for the future, getting answers and finding resources. This project provides disaster case management and connects people with the services they need to rebuild their lives.

Anyone who has ongoing needs caused by Hurricane Ike and who is not receiving rental assistance through a Disaster Housing Assistance Program is eligible for disaster case management services through the Hurricane Ike Texas Rise and Connect project.

Neighborhood Centers Inc. Offers Hope to More People Affected by Hurricane Ike
Houston, TX June 15, 2009 – Even as Gulf Coast families make preparations for a new hurricane season, Neighborhood Centers Inc. is expanding its services through a grant from the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC). The $43.2 million

award is in response to the needs of thousands of people in Harris County who were affected by Hurricane Ike and still are recovering from the disaster that struck on September 13, 2008. Neighborhood Centers' Stay Connected Texas program will help to meet the needs of individuals and families in Harris County still picking up the pieces.

The HHSC grant is part of its Hurricane Ike Texas Rise and Connect project (HITRAC), funded by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The pilot project was formed to help families rebuild their lives by making plans for their own recovery and working through that process.

"We're here to replace hardship with hope for our neighbors who still are hurting from the effects of this disaster," said Angela Blanchard, President and CEO of Neighborhood Centers Inc. "Through this project we are able to help individuals and families move through the process of recovery and connect them with services they need."

Eligibility is simple. Anyone who has ongoing needs caused by Hurricane Ike and who is not receiving rental assistance through a Disaster Housing Assistance Program qualifies for services.

Stay Connected staff will help individuals and families:

Identify their needs
Develop a plan for recovery
Locate and apply for the services and resources they need
Stay Connected staff are case managers who will follow up with individuals and families in person, by phone and through email, to help them through all stages of the recovery process.

Neighborhood Centers has named the City of Houston–Focused Care Project, Boat People SOS Inc., SER–Jobs for Progress Inc., and Houstonworks USA as partners in the project.

Neighborhood Centers' Stay Connected program has been in place since Hurricanes Katrina and Rita in 2005. It has become a model long–term case management program for helping families whose recovery from a natural disaster is particularly difficult. The program is designed to help each family identify its assets and gain access to appropriate resources through each stage of recovery.

For assistance, call 713–667–5853. Toll–free: 1–866–290–0226

Services:

Connecting to Resources – Stay Connected Service Connectors will assist individuals and families who have been affected by disasters such as hurricanes. We will assist in navigating social service systems and connecting them with the resources they need for recovery.

Connecting to Education – Clients enrolled in Stay Connected may be mainstreamed into existing education opportunities at Neighborhood Centers, including our Head Start Centers, Charter School and NAEYC–accredited preschools.

Connecting to Opportunities – Service Connectors will also facilitate the connection of the participant's skills and strengths to employment opportunities.

Connecting to Community – Neighborhood Centers utilizes our Community Centers and Senior Centers to help hurricane survivors shore up their psyches as they rebuild their lives in their new neighborhoods.

Connecting in Collaboration – We will collaborate with new and existing partners to eliminate service duplication and provide the most cost–effective services possible.

Connecting the Un–Connected – Service Connectors will continue to enroll families referred to us by other agencies or who initiate contact with us on the phone or by walking in to one of our service sites.

For other counties check website at:
http://www.texasdisasterrecovery.org/locate.aspx

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, Long–Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Support for "All" Disasters; Training Workshops, Disaster Ops, Disaster Rebuilding/Recovery Workshops; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; 2005 Hurricane Rita; 2008 Hurricane Ike; Boat People S.O.S.; United Way
Updated Dec 20, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4435

La Marque Aid & Guidance

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry
2222 Cedar Dr Ste C, La Marque, TX 77568
Phone 409–938–7852
Hours M–F 9:00 AM–1:00 PM and 2:00 PM–4:00 PM

Assists with rent, utility bills, prescription concerns and has a food pantry

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated Aug 28, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1755

La Marque Presbyterian Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church – Community Outreach
2413 Pecos, La Marque, TX 77568

Phone (409)935–2760, clothing ministry: 409–935–4418
Contact Rev. Dr. C. O. Magee
Email info@lmpres.com
Web www.impres.com
Service Temporary

fax: 409–935–2760

http://sun.pnnews.org/view/article/7456

People who lost everything to Hurricane Ike select items of clothing at The Clothes Line, a ministry of LaMarque (Texas) Presbyterian Church, north of Galveston. Children have their own space where they may choose their clothing. The ministry is open two Saturdays each month.

Can a small, failing church take on Ike and win?
Posted January 6, 2009, 2:45 a.m. Staff Report
by Mike Allison, member of LaMarque Presbyterian

At LaMarque Presbyterian, we think we can! Although once a flourishing church with lots of members and youth at church every Sunday, LaMarque Presbyterian became one of the run–of–the–mill PC(USA) failing churches. Now things are changing. Radically.

At the outset of the 2008, we made a tough decision. Should we sell and relocate, change our schedule, or something else? At a prayerful retreat, we decided to stay focused on our community and see where God was leading us in this troubling time. Our mostly Anglo, somewhat Hispanic/African American congregation no longer matched our community, so we made the commitment to become a multicultural church and began working in our community.

After a garage sale or two, we found we were being led to open a clothing ministry. We launched The Clothes Line and began distributing clothing to our community's neediest. Then along came Ike. By the beginning of December, we were ministering to 75 families, many who had nearly been wiped out by the hurricane.

Now we have a clear focus for this ministry. We have tripled the space for The Clothes Line and are concentrating on obtaining clothing for this growing ministry. We hope our partners in southeast Texas will help us gather more clothing for the expected 150 or more families that will be coming to our doorstep every month. Please call us, 409–935–4418, to let us know when we can pick up your gently–used clothing donations. We need your help!

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike; Presbyterian Disaster Assistance
Updated Jan 15, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4075

First Baptist Church of Lake Jackson

Walk–in Resource

Faith–Based Community Outreach
401 Yaupon, Lake Jackson, TX 77566

Phone 979–297–2496
Web www.fbclj.org
Hours Mon – Fri 8:00 – 4:30

Faith based organization which provides a variety of assistance
to people in need of rent and utilities who meet the qualifications.

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance
Updated Aug 24, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1728

First Presbyterian

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–based Humanitarian Outreach
102 Yaupon, Lake Jackson, TX 77566

Phone 979–297–3049
Web www.fpc–lj.org

Hours Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm
Service Temporary

FROM THE WEBSITE:

Since erecting the first church building in the new city of Lake Jackson in 1946, First Presbyterian has grown in leaps and bounds much like the community it serves. Now occupying a sprawling site with an attractive sanctuary, the church serves as a hub for Presbyterians in the Brazosport area. Close to 600 members provide a host of worship experiences, small group learning opportunities, programs, Youth groups, mission activities, and fellowship times.

Provides electricity, water bill, gas and prescription assistance of up to $50 once every six months for those who qualify.

fpc-lj@orbitworld.net

Services offered: Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: Habitat For Humanity
Updated Sep 27, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1730

DRADT (Disaster Relief & Disaster Training) – 4/12 TX Tornadoes

Walk-in Resource · Open

Non- Profit – Disaster Recovery
SET UP AT:; WAL-MART; 150 N Interstate 35 E Lancaster, TX 75146; HQ: 138 Johns Road, Suite B, Greer, SC 29650, Lancaster, TX
Phone 864.326.2428
Web disasterrelief.cc/lancaster-tornado-relief
Serves Lancaster, Dallas County, Texas
Eligibility Survivors Impacted by the 4/3/12 Tornadoes
Service Temporary

Jonathan Bundy, Chance Craven and Matt McGraw are in Lancaster with DR1 (our mobile command center) and DR2 (our scout vehicle) to assist with relief. We also have Herbie Pallotta, a local resident, assisting us full time.
Our main objective at this time will be to identify very real, specific needs within the community and begin to share those needs with you, within 72 hours. In the past, this has included everything from physically coming to the disaster zone to volunteer or providing the resources to purchase things such as hearing aids for home owners who lost them. We ask that if you are interested in receiving this list of needs, you please fill out this form and we will be in touch as quickly as possible.

https://itschance.wufoo.com/forms/helping-lancaster-recover/

To Volunteer or provide help go to:

https://itschance.wufoo.com/forms/helping-lancaster-recover/

You can also help immediately by spreading the word!! Meaning you email this link (http://bit.ly/HbjGtx) to your friends. Post the link on your twitter or facebook and share what we're trying to accomplish… Together, we can become part of the solution!!

Wednesday
3:31AM – Video: http://twitvid.com/4ELNT
7:46PM – Our team has arrived in Lancaster, Texas
Thursday
9:07AM – Walmart has given us permission to operate on their property (150 N Interstate 35 E, Lancaster, Texas)
9:33AM – We will begin accepting homeowners needs at our Mobile Command Center at Walmart.
5:43PM – Gateway Church in Southlake has partnered with us in helping recruit volunteers to help home owners. Details here: http://bit.ly/HyBGs5
10:57PM –Because of the "official" looking truck that Duval Ford donated to us, we were able to go behind police lines and begin assessing home damage today. Unfortunately, many home owners simply weren't present so we were not able to identify very real, specific needs yet. However because of our relationship with Hand of Hope and the many of you who've donated so far, today we were able to:
Distributed cold drinks and candy to 23 check points where both state and local officers were staged.
Established a relationship with the local Walmart to operate from their property.
Gave away $250 worth of gift cards to affected residents.
Established a relationship with Whataburger; they will be providing free breakfast tomorrow morning.
Tomorrow we will begin working in collaboration with other organizations to identify needs and begin managing volunteers. For all

of you that have signed up and are waiting, at this moment we plan to mobilize all of you on Saturday! Thank you for signing up. We start working at 0730 tomorrow morning and will continue to update you as more information comes in!

Services offered: Distribution, Disaster Relief Supplies; Services, Disaster, Post Disaster Needs Assessment; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online

Updated Apr 6, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9136

Interfaith Caring Ministries – Hurricane Ike Relief Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community Outreach

old Palais Royal building; 231 West Main, League City, TX

Phone (281) 332–3881
Web www.icmtx.org/index.html
Hours Monday through Friday from 9:00 am until 12:00 pm and from 1:00 pm until 4:00 pm.
Eligibility Residents who live in Galveston County, the City of Seabrook or in the Greater Bay Area and were affected by Hurricane Ike
Service Temporary

Please bring proof of residency and one form of ID for every member in your household.

Examples of accepted
ID's include:
Driver's License
Social Security Card
Birth Certificate

Examples of Proof of Residency include:
Utility Bill
Lease
Deed

Our Relief Center will be open to provide assistance starting Thursday, September, 25, 2008.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Household Items (small) * (ANY/ALL Types)

Updated Oct 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3799

Salvation Army

Walk–in Resource · Open

1600 N 23rd St; (23rd and Pecan), McAllen, TX 78501

Phone (956) 682–1468
Web local.themonitor.com/Rio–Grande–Salvation–Army
Serves Hidalgo Co., TX
Eligibility Evacuees/Survivors – Hurricane Dolly
Service Temporary

8/31/08 From the website:

Services:

McAllen non–profit organization The McAllen Salvation Army offers aid in the following ways:

Missing Persons
Disaster Relief
Prisoner Rehabilitation
Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation
Fight Human Trafficking
Youth Camps
Kroc Centers
Music
Christmas Charity
Elderly Services
Loneliness (League of Mercy)

From the website 7/25/08:

Salvation Army Seeking Warehouse Space For Use During Dolly Recovery

The Salvation Army in McAllen, currently running as the Incident Command Post for Dolly disaster recovery, has power once again. Electricity was restored to the facility at approximately 5:30 p.m. on Thursday night.

Along with the restoration of power, comes an increased need for a warehouse facility to use as a storage and distribution center as The Salvation Army continues assisting victims, and first responders of Hurricane Dolly.

If you can be of assistance in helping The Salvation Army acquire warehouse space until recovery efforts conclude, please contact Major Dan Ford, Incident Commander for Dolly Recovery Efforts in McAllen, TX. He can be reached by calling 956-821-0382.

RECOVERY EFFORTS CONTINUE

The Salvation Army of Texas is continuing their dedicated recovery efforts to victims and first responders of Hurricane Dolly, despite a lack of electricity.

The Salvation Army has kept the doors open to its shelter in McAllen, TX, despite losing power around 11:30 p.m. The shelter hosted 188 people on Wednesday night . In Addition to serving those staying in the McAllen Salvation Army shelter, mobile feeding units responded to the public's cry for help, serving over 2,000 meals to people in shelters across Hidalgo County.

Major Dan Ford, Incident Commander for The Salvation Army recovery efforts said, "We've been impressed with the cooperation of those we are helping, their patience and understanding of our limitations and the appreciation they have expressed for our services to the community."

7/25/08 Shelter Update:

Sheltering of Displaced Individuals Remains a Priority
Shelters remain open in Hidalgo County, staffed by Texas Military Forces, city, county and school district personnel. These are not Red Cross shelters, as the humanitarian organization refused to open shelters in Hidalgo County due to the levees being decertified by FEMA. Food was provided by the Salvation Army yesterday to four shelters and school lunches and school district kitchen staff and/or ready-made meals provided by the city were utilized at the other shelters. Food will be available at the shelters today. Cots may be made available only to the elderly and individuals with special needs later today.

The American Red Cross will not open shelters in Hidalgo County, claiming risk from the FEMA decertified levees. For this reason, Hidalgo County officials, in coordination with area cities, school districts, law enforcement, fire departments and the Texas Military Forces, have begun to open shelters.

Families must provide their own transportation to the shelters. Food, water and other basic necessities like toiletries will not be provided. Residents are advised to bring medications, supplies for babies and the elderly and bedding materials. Please see the attached handout for more information on what to bring and what not to bring to a shelter.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
July 22, 2008, 4:00 p.m.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT SHELTERS:

• A shelter will not provide the comforts of a hotel or motel.
• The shelter is not a medical shelter; only basic first aid will be available.
• The shelter does not accept responsibility for storing valuable personal property.
• Parents are required to be in control of their children at all times.
• Persons needing medical assistance of personal attendants cannot be left unattended.
• Shelters may be equipped with generators, but they may or may not be air-conditioned. If electrical power is interrupted, portable generators will not be able to keep air conditioners running.
WHAT TO BRING TO A SHELTER (plan for up to three days):
• Non-perishable food and snacks (it may not be provided at the shelter)
• personal hygiene items
• beddings such as cots, air mattresses, blankets and pillows for their own use (none will be provided)
• water (rule of thumb: 1 gallon per day per person)
• extra change of clothing
• personal items (medications, eyeglasses, hearing aid, flashlights, toothbrushes, battery-operated radio, special diet foods, if appropriate)
• baby supplies: ample amounts of baby food, formula, juice, diapers and wipes, and a stroller, portable crib or play pen
• driver's license, other identification
• cash, traveler's checks
• important documents

WHAT NOT TO BRING TO THE SHELTER:
• Pets
• Firearms or explosive devices
• Intoxicating or alcoholic beverages
• Illegal drugs

BEFORE YOU LEAVE YOUR HOME:
• Board your windows.
• Have a good meal.

• Turn off electricity at the fuse box (to prevent possible fire).
• Turn off water at the outside line.
• Turn off gas for gas water heaters (to prevent possible fire

Services offered: First Responder, Gulf Region; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Mobile Meals, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Substance Abuse Treatment (Drug/Alcohology) ; Youth Program
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Dolly; Salvation Army
Updated Aug 31, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3434

SAMMinistries (Discounted Furniture Sales, Homeless/Emergency Shelter and Training Center)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Furniture Bank/Homeless Shelter
Furniture Bank: 5424 Blanco Rd; Emergency Shelter: 910 West Commerce Street, San Antonio, TX

Phone 210–340–1678, (210) 224–5838
Web www.samm.org/ourministriesSlide/index.asp?id=4
Service Temporary

FROM THE WEBSITE:

SAMMinistries has a 330 bed capacity in its downtown Commerce Street shelter. Every guest is offered meals generously prepared and served by our collaborative partner, St. Vincent de Paul Society. We also have social services, medical care, mental health care, job referral, immediate temporary employment, opportunities for spiritual nurturing and growth, legal assistance, support groups for substance abusers, life skills training, and nurturing parent training, available to all guests. All these services are provided at no expense to our guests with the intent of helping them to obtain employment and then moving them into longer term transitional living or affordable permanent housing.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Education, Communication with at–risk teens; Education, for Parents, about teens' risky behaviors; Education, Parenting at–risk teens; Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Furniture, Furniture Bank; Furniture (NOT FREE $); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing; School, Adult Education/Adult School; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Emergency Shelter; Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Business Skills; Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Training Classes, Employment, On the Job, Training; Training Classes, Financial Literacy; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training Classes, Literacy Training; Training Classes, Volunteer Orientation & Training; Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers); Volunteer, Volunteer Registry, Online
Campaigns: Homelessness Relief Services; Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Updated Dec 20, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4236

Comfort Cafe – Grief & Loss Support Group – 2011 TX Wildfires

Walk–in Resource · Open

111 NW 1st, Smithville, TX

Serves Bastrop County, TX
Service Temporary

There is a free Grief and loss support group for everyone affected by the fire every Tuesday night 6:30p.m. You are not alone, join us at Comfort Cafe 111 NW 1st. Smithville downtown next to the Distribution Center

Services offered: Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster)
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 18, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8947

Second Mile Mission Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community/Disaster Relief/Recovery
504 FM 1092, Suite 1, Stafford, TX 77477

Phone 281–403–0705
Web www.secondmile.org
Serves Fort Bend, Tx
Eligibility Impacted by Hurricane Ike
Checks payable to Second Mile Mission Center
Service Temporary

12/13/09 FROM THE WEBSITE:

Our current needs are:

Food – Hamburger/Tuna Helper/boxed meals, canned beans, soups, pasta, baby cereal
Clothing – teens, women's plus sizes, menswear
Household – linens, dishes
Furniture – breakfast tables, dressers, beds
Volunteers: dental hygienist

If you are looking for a way to help the many people (especially those that can least afford the losses they sustained) who were victims of the devastating Hurricane IKE, I hope you will consider channeling that help through the Second Mile Mission Center. We opened our doors only a few hours after the hurricane had completed its destruction in our area, and those doors have been open virtually from daylight to dark since that time, as our staff and volunteers have been working long hours to help people in desperate need. Where we normally see 15 to 20 families a day, we have had over 200 families on several days since the storm. Last week we helped over 4100 individuals in 1025 families, and they continue to come in as word spreads that we are a source of help. No one has been turned away without receiving help in the form of food, water, furniture, and/or clothing, all distributed with individual counseling and a hug where appropriate, to show that someone really cares about them.

While many have been helped, I want to report to you that the needs are still great. Even today there are hundreds of thousands without electricity, shelter, and food. The needs will be with us for months to come as we dig out and continue the cleanup and rebuilding process. Since our board and supporters provide funds that cover 100% of our operating cost, I can assure you that any financial help you can provide will go directly to those in need, with zero administrative cost, and will usually be leveraged by a factor of more than 100% because we are members of the Houston Food Bank where we buy good food at a fraction of retail cost.

As many of you know, after serving on the board for seven years, I was made Chairman of the Board of the Second Mile Mission in Stafford, Texas on May 1, 2008, coincidently the same day I stepped down as Chairman of the Board of Knowledge Systems. Jesus said that much is expected from those who have been blessed by much. I hope you will consider helping through Second Mile as you are able.

Any help you can provide should be sent to:

Second Mile Mission Center
Attention: Greg Stirman, Executive Director
504 FM 1092, Suite I
Stafford, Texas 77477

Phone 281–261–9199

To make a secure online donation go to:

http://www.secondmile.org/registration.asp?id=105605&page=1

Thanks,

James W. Bridges
Chairman of the Board
Second Mile Mission Center

Services offered: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Spiritual; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Closet; Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Furniture * (ANY/ALL Types); Kitchen, Cooking Equipment, Pots & Pans; Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteer Work Orders/ Projects (provided by this facility); Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2008 Hurricane Ike
Updated Dec 13, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3794

Prescription Drugs Access for Bastrop Residents – 2011 TX Wildfires

Walk–in Resource · Open

Various, TX
Service Temporary

Subject: Access to Prescription Drugs for Bastrop Residents
External Source: Deborah Ballard, TIRN
Details
Summary: Access to Rx Prescription Drugs for Bastrop Residents
County: Bastrop
Location: Participating pharmacies: H–E–B, Store #475 Elgin 1080 E. Hwy 290 Elgin, Texas 78621 512) 285 – 4719 H–E–B,Store #582 Bastrop 104 Hasler Bastrop, Texas 78602 (512) 321 - 1033 Walgreens, Store #09143 504 Hwy 71 W Bastrop, Texas 78602 (512) 321 - 4008 CVS, Store #01037 1671 Hwy 71 East Bastrop, Texas 78602 (512) 308 - 0234 Smithville Pharmacy 1404 Northeast Loop 230 Smithville, Texas 78957 (512) 237 - 5216

Description: The Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) has established a mechanism for citizens of Bastrop County to access prescription medications prescribed by their health care provider. This process allows residents to use local participating pharmacies to obtain necessary medications.

Participating pharmacies:

H–E–B, Store #475 Elgin
1080 E. Hwy 290
Elgin, Texas 78621
512) 285 – 4719

H–E–B,Store #582 Bastrop
104 Hasler
Bastrop, Texas 78602
(512) 321 - 1033

Walgreens, Store #09143
504 Hwy 71 W
Bastrop, Texas 78602
(512) 321 - 4008

CVS, Store #01037
1671 Hwy 71 East
Bastrop, Texas 78602
(512) 308 - 0234

Smithville Pharmacy
1404 Northeast Loop 230
Smithville, Texas 78957
(512) 237 - 5216

For insured residents:

Your local health care provider and pharmacy will bill your insurance company directly when filling drugs. You will still be responsible for any copayments required by your insurance.

HHSC will work with all contracted pharmacies processing claims for Medicaid, CHIP, KHC and CSHCN clients impacted by the fires. Pharmacies should continue to call the Pharmacy Resolution Help Desk for assistance to meet the medication needs of these clients

For uninsured residents:

Your local health care provider needs to include the words “Bastrop Wildfire” on the paper prescription or indicate “Bastrop Wildfire” in electronic or phone call prescriptions to be filled at participating pharmacies.

General info:

Pharmacies are working with Red Cross and FEMA to fill prescriptions. Individuals must have a valid prescription in order to receive medications. Pharmacies can contact doctor’s office for valid prescription if needed. At minimum, a 30 day supply of medication will be provided.
Individuals will be responsible for their regular co–payments. Red Cross and FEMA can assist those individuals not able to pay the co–pay fees.

Services offered: Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance
Campaigns: 2011 Texas Wildfires
Updated Sep 17, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8960

Center of Hope – Weatherford

Walk–in Resource · Open

629 Palo Pinto Hwy, Weatherford, TX 76086

Phone 817–594–0266
Web www.centerofhopetx.com
Service Temporary

We encourage all our clients to work towards their own financial solution and not continue on long–term assistance. Through faith, education and mentoring, we offer solutions for clients to become self–sufficient. Education opportunities offered to our neighbors in need are:

* Jobs for Life™ Program - helping those who are unemployed, under–employed or hard to employ

* Camp Hope Program - summer outreach in community neighborhoods to reach children in low–income areas with groceries, life skills, and mentoring

* Computer classes – introductory principals and Microsoft programs (Word, Excel, Power Point) and QuickBooks. We also partner with Weatherford College to offer computer courses on–site at the Weatherford location

* Adult Basic Education classes – helping with reading, comprehension and basic math and the East Parker County location

* Financial Management classes – learning basic principles and developing a personal budget

* Parenting classes offered through a partnership with ACH

Additional services:

* Drug / Alcohol counseling through a certified counselor

* Referrals to local resources to provide supplementary solutions

* Career key – matching skills and interests with career possibilities

Help Support Center of Hope!

FACEBOOK –
http://www.facebook.com/pages/Center–of–Hope–Parker–County–TX/271360613153

Services offered: Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Updated Jun 17, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8639

Interfaith of The Woodlands

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Community Outreach
4242 Woodrush Drive, TX 77381

Phone 281–367–1230
Web www.woodlandsinterfaith.org
Hours 8 a.m. to 4 p.m
Service Permanent

Interfaith Food Pantry open in The Woodlands
Interfaith Food Pantry: For persons of limited means who need basic nonperishable food, paper goods, and baby supplies, the Interfaith Food Pantry is open daily and is located on 4242 Woodrush Drive, just east of West Panther Creek Drive in The Woodlands. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Posted by Ken Fountain at September 16, 2008 05:44 PM

http://www.woodlandsinterfaith.org/programs/food–pantry.htm

Interfaith Programs & Services:

Interfaith programs and services are available to qualifying individuals and families who reside in The Woodlands and the South Montgomery County area. Most programs are free of charge and are funded by the generous financial support of corporations, congregations, foundations, civic groups and private individuals.

Interfaith Counseling Center (Formerly the Employee Assistance Center) – Offers small businesses and large corporations the opportunity to participate in the Employee Assistance Program (EAP) that offers experienced, principled counseling, consulting, coaching, facilitating and training both here in Houston and throughout the U.S. (through affiliated counselors).

Family Services Department – Provides crisis assistance with food, clothing, rent, mortgage payments, utilities, clothing, short–term/transitional housing, prescriptions and school supplies.

Senior Services Department – Provides a network of resources and referrals to seniors and their families to address the specific needs of older adults. Senior Services also provides a variety of programs and activities that enrich the lives of our community's older residents.

Interfaith Child Development Center – Provides a safe, secure environment for children to grow in a nationally accredited school with its literature–based curriculum and award winning staff.

Workforce Solutions – Provides assistance to employers and those seeking employment on a local and national level. Career assessment, training, networking, job search skills, and placement assistance are all part of the services offered.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Family, General Family Assistance; Vouchers, Gas Vouchers
Updated Oct 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3740

MAP of Austin Area Donated Supply Drop off–pickup Sites, Operated by CounterBalance Womens Solidarity Network (Common Ground, Antifa, etc!)

Walk–in Resource · Open

TX

Web www.google.com/maps/d/viewer?mid=1X_xcxqczAwk69scTroNDIC16jVg&ll=30.255920481262603%2C-97.74981070000001&z=12
Service Temporary

See link above for map
Campaigns: 2017 Hurricane Harvey
Updated Sep 3, 2017 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10080

United Kingdom

Cambridge Community Fridge @ The Edge Cafe, Mill Rd [24x7 free food]

Walk-in Resource · Open

Cambridge
Web theedgecafecambridge.org
Service Temporary

source: https://cambridgesustainablefood.org/community-fridge-2/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10468

UK, Midlands/Coventry, free food for those in need

Walk-in Resource · Open

Web www.coventrytelegraph.net/news/coventry-news/outbreak-kindness-community-pulls-together-17929694
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID-19
Updated Mar 18, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10189

VA

Virginia Department of Social Services – Statewide Office INDEX

Walk-in Resource · Open

Government Agency
Various – see site, VA
Web www.dss.state.va.us/localagency
Serves Statewide, VA
Service Temporary

This site is an index for all Social Services office in the state of VA

Services offered: Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)
Campaigns: Government, State/County
Updated Sep 1, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6226

VT

Salvation Army – The Barre, Vermont Salvation Army

Walk-in Resource · Open

25 Keith Avenue, Barre, VT 05641
Phone • Phone: 802 476 5301
Web www.use.salvationarmy.org/barre
Service Temporary

To make a donation, go online, call 1-800-SAL-ARMY or text "STORM" to 80888 to make a $10 donation. $10 will feed a disaster survivor for one day.
Campaigns: 2011 Hurricane Irene/Tropical Storm Irene; Salvation Army
Updated Aug 31, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8828

Salvation Army – The Rutland, Vermont Salvation Army

Walk-in Resource · Open

22 Wales Street, Rutland, VT 05701
Phone • Phone: 802 775 5150
Web www.use.salvationarmy.org/rutland
Service Temporary

To make a donation, go online, call 1-800-SAL-ARMY or text "STORM" to 80888 to make a $10 donation. $10 will feed a disaster survivor for one day.
Campaigns: 2011 Hurricane Irene/Tropical Storm Irene; Salvation Army
Updated Aug 31, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8829

Catholic Charities – Vermont Catholic Charities, Inc.

Walk–in Resource · Open

55 Joy Drive, South Burlington, VT 05403

Phone (Burlington) 877–250–4099 or (Rutland) 800–851–8379 OR 802–658–6110
Web www.vermontcatholic.org
Serves Burlington area and Northern Vermon
Service Temporary

SOURCE:
http://www.wcax.com/story/15384177/how–you–can–help–vt–irene–victims

*Vermont Catholic Charities is also collecting funds for disaster relief –– www.vermontcatholic.org/index.php?sid=5&pid=837&subnav_id=0 or go to www.vermontcatholic.org and click on "Donate here and help a neighbor in need."

* PARISHES
http://www.vermontcatholic.org/index.php?sid=39&pid=1&subnav_id=
Campaigns: 2011 Hurricane Irene/Tropical Storm Irene; Catholic Charities
Updated Sep 2, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8831

FEMA Open DRC (Disaster Recovery Centers) 2011 Storms, Irene

Walk–in Resource · Open

VT

Web www.fema.gov/news/newsrelease.fema?id=57878
Service Temporary

Vermonters May Now Visit Woodstock Disaster Recovery Center

Release Date: September 12, 2011
Release Number: 4022–013

» More Information on Vermont Tropical Storm Irene

BURLINGTON, Vt. –– The town of Woodstock has been added to the list of disaster recovery center locations open to help Vermonters affected by Tropical Storm Irene.

The recovery centers are staffed with disaster recovery specialists from various federal, state and local agencies and organizations who can answer questions about disaster assistance programs.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency's individual assistance program covers expenses for temporary housing, home repairs, replacement of damaged personal property and other disaster–related needs, such as medical, dental or transportation costs not covered by insurance or other programs.

Homeowners and renters may also be eligible for low–interest disaster loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration. Some applicants may receive an SBA loan application after registering with FEMA. No one is obligated to take out a loan. But if they don't complete the application, they will not be considered for other federal grants.

Anyone who has a question about disaster loans may visit a disaster recovery center to speak with an SBA representative. Staff specialists are also available at the centers to answer other disaster assistance questions. Specialists at the recovery centers can refer applicants to voluntary agencies and provide information to reduce damage in possible future disasters.

Disaster officials encourage those affected by the storms to register with FEMA before visiting a disaster recovery center by calling 800–621–FEMA (3362), online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov or via a web–enabled mobile device at m.fema.gov. Multilingual registration assistance is available. Those with a speech disability or hearing loss who use a TTY can call 800–462–7585 directly; or 800–621–3362 if using 711 or Video Relay Service.

Applicants who would like to speak to disaster specialists face–to–face can visit a center near them between 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. seven days a week until further notice:

The Rock Church
473 Woodstock Road
Woodstock, VT 05091

Rutland Heart Center
1 Commons Street
Rutland, VT 05701

Dover Town Hall
120 Taft Brook Road
Dover, VT 05341

U.S. Post Office (Upstairs)
2046 Route 4
Killington, VT 05751

Barre Municipal Auditorium
16 Auditorium Hill
Barre, VT 05641

Living Memorial Park Skating Rink
61 Memorial Park Drive
Brattleboro, VT 05301

Waterbury Fire Department
43 South Main Street
Waterbury, VT 05676

Disaster recovery assistance is available without regard to race, color, religion, nationality, sex, age, disability, English proficiency or economic status. If you or someone you know has been discriminated against, call FEMA toll–free at 800–621–FEMA (3362). For TTY call 800–462–7585; or call 800–621–3362 if using 711 or Video Relay Service (VRS).

FEMA's temporary housing assistance and grants for public transportation expenses, medical and dental expenses, and funeral and burial expenses do not require individuals to apply for an SBA loan. However, applicants who receive SBA loan applications must submit them to SBA loan officers to be eligible for assistance that covers personal property, vehicle repair or replacement, and moving and storage expenses.

SBA disaster loan information and application forms may be obtained by calling the SBA's Customer Service Center at 800–659–2955 (800–877–8339 for people with speech or hearing disabilities) Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. ET or by sending an e–mail to disastercustomerservice@sba.gov. Applications can also be downloaded from www.sba.gov or completed on–line at disasterloan.sba.gov/ela/.

FEMA's mission is to support our citizens and first responders to ensure that as a nation we work together to build, sustain, and improve our capability to prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate all hazards.

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Services offered: Assistance, Disaster Relief Assistance, Online Registration; Assistance, Housing, Relocation Assistance for Disaster Survivors; Assistance, How to, File Disaster Disability Benefits; Assistance, How To, File Disaster Unemployment Claims; Assistance, How To, Loan & Grant Application Assistance (Disaster Survivors); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Referrals (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Short–Term Housing Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Case Management, Disaster Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Documentation, Disaster Recovery Process; Documentation, Disaster Relief Process, Individual/Family; Donations, Disaster Fund; Donations, Financial/Monetary Donations; FEMA Information Station (Mitigation/Rebuilding Guidance/Tips); Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Heating Fuel; Financial Assistance, Housing, Mortgage Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Motel Accomodations for Disaster Survivors; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Deposit; Financial Assistance, Loans, Low Interest Loans; Financial Assistance, Medical Expenses; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance (For Seniors/Elders/Disabled); Financial Assistance, Referrals, Temporary Financial Assistance Referrals; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance (For Seniors/Elders); Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Disaster Rebuilding; Grants, Financial, Small Business Development; Grants, Housing, Housing Related; Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Housing Assistance, Relocation $ for Survivors; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Disaster Response; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Hurricane Irene/Tropical Storm Irene; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; EMA (Emergency Management Agency) Regional/County; Government, City/Town Agency; Government, County/Parish Agency; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency), County; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency) State; Government, Federal; Government, Federal, In–Country; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, FEMA (this item ONLY for actual FEMA/HQ contacts/entries); Government Housing Authority; Government, Small Business Administration (SBA); Government, State/County; Government, State Government Department/Agency; Government, US Government Agency (This Site IS a Gov Agency); Government, US Government Program; Government, US Government Site; Government, US Gov't Sponsored (This Org IS Sponsored by US Gov); Government, US/State Dept. of Health & Human Services (DHHS); LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee
Updated Sep 12, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8940

WinCycle (recycle/reuse/refurb used computers) INEXPENSIVE computers for sale!

Walk–in Resource · Open

VT

Web www.wincycle.org
Service Temporary

Services offered: Computer/Computers ($ NOT FREE); Computer, Equipment * (ANY/ALL Types); Computer, Keyboard; Computer, Monitor; Electronics ($ NOT FREE)
Updated Feb 20, 2017 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10009

WA

Greater Chehalis Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
1914 S. Market Blvd., Chehalis, WA 98532
Phone (360) 748–1226
Hours Friday 12:30 pm – 3:00 pm
Serves Lewis County, WA
Eligibility Low Income Families – Once a Month Max Assistance
Service Temporary

http://www.1–800–volunteer.org/1800Vol/lewis–mason–and–thurston/OpenAboutOrganizationAction.do?organizationId=213262 VOLUNTEER NEEDS DETAILS FROM THE VOLUNTEER CTR. (Lewis/Mason/Thurston Counties):

DUTIES: To help distribute food items at food bank. Pack food boxes according to list. Keep food stocked on shelves. When last case opened, list food item on grocery list. Package bulk foods according to amount list. QUALIFICATIONS: A desire to help those in need. Must maintain confidentiality about who uses the food bank and other personal information. TRAINING: On site. SIGNIFICANCE: To help those in need by distributing food.

When: Morning/Afternoon/Evening – M–Fri.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Volunteer Orientation & Training; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Updated Jan 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4079

Pe Ell Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
807 Pe Ell–McDonald Rd., Chehalis, WA 98532
Phone (360) 291–3646
Hours Last Wednesday of Month, 11:00 am – 12:00 pm
Serves Chehalis, Lewis County, WA
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Temporary

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available)
Updated Jan 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4087

Des Moines Area Food Bank (In the basement of the Des Moines United Methodist Church)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
P.O. Box 98788; 22225 9th Ave So., Des Moines, WA 98198
Phone 206–878–2660
Web www.myfoodbank.org
Service Temporary

Days and HoursOpen:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 9:00 to 11:45 a.m. / 3rd Tuesday evening of each month from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Hours: 9:00 to 11:45 a.m.

Do I Qualify? Yes. Everyone in need will be served. There are income requirements to receive government food but all other food is served without restriction. You may come in for food once a month.

What to Bring: You will need to bring proof of current address (such as a telephone bill, utility bill or rent agreement). Also, you will need to bring identification for all those residing in the household––picture ID for all the adults and ID (social security card, medical coupon, birth certificate, etc.) for all the children. You need to bring these items with you every time you come to the food bank.

What Food Bank do I go to? We serve all the city of Des Moines. We serve the city of SeaTac north to 160th St. (North of 160th St. in SeaTac is served by the Highline Area Food Bank, located at 18300 4th Ave So in Burien.) We serve the west hill in the city

of Kent--west of Orillia Rd. between 188th St. and Kent-Des Moines Rd. If you have any question about which food bank serves your area, call us at 206-878-2660 and we will be happy to refer you to the appropriate location.

Other Area Food Banks:
West Seattle Food Bank, 3518 SW Genesee (206) 932-9023
White Center Food Bank, 9700 8th SW (206) 762-2848
Georgetown Food Bank, 6200 13th Ave So (206) 767-7888
South Park Food Bank, 8201 10th Ave So (206) 763-9204
Tukwila Food Pantry, 3118 So 140th St (206) 431-8293
Highline Area Food Bank, 18300 4th Ave So (206) 433-9900
Kent Food Bank, 525 N 4th (253) 859-3438
Renton Food Bank, 221 Morris St. (425) 255-5969
Federal Way Food Bank, 1200 S 336th St (253) 838-6810

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Children, BackPack Program ; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Hotline, Food Bank/Pantry Hotline (Find Emergency Food Help); Support for "All Local" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jun 28, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3235

Keller Community Center

Walk-in Resource · Open

11669 S Highway 21, Keller, WA 99140
Phone 509-634-2190
Service Temporary

In the News -

Storm Rages Through Keller, Leaving A Trail In Its Wake
Posted: Monday, July 23, 2012 8:53 PM EST
http://www.khq.com/story/19094095/storm-rages-through-keller-leaving-a-trail-in-its-wake

... Everyone comes here, this is the place to be." The center feeds the members of the community, Johnson estimates they feed around 250 people a meal. The families that the storm displaced also stay here at the center. If you would like to help out, just call the center at 509-634-2190.

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Storm quickly turned Keller into disaster zone -
Published On: Jul 23 2012 06:07:36 PM PDT
Updated On: Jul 24 2012 03:39:54 PM PDT
http://www.kxly.com/news/spokane-news/Storm-quickly-turned-Keller-into-disaster-zone/-/101214/15654098/-/jqxh2b/-/index.html

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State of Emergency Declared on Colville Indian Reservation -
http://www.nativenewsnetwork.com/state-of-emergency-declared-on-colville-indian-reservation.html

... The Keller Community Center is the official Evacuation Center. The Center is now the point of contact for anyone who is without electricity, water or home damage causing displacement. The Center will provide meals, refrigerator truck storage (secure) for food items of families without electricity. Water will be available, as well as portable showers, portable toilets and hand washing units.

The Center is equipped with phone service for families to notify relatives.

The tribal health department is on site to assist with any health issues. Medical aid and crisis counseling is going to be available shortly.

This relief is not only for Tribal Members, but for all individuals who have been displaced or affected by the recent storm disaster.

Private property owners need to complete damage reports and submit to the Keller Community center. Reports can also be found at the command office at the Keller Community Center.

Individuals on the reservation are being advised to be aware of danger areas where broken trees and or electric wires are hanging. They should stay away and report these to the Tribe's safety officials on site. Those hazardous issues are being resolved, but are still in the process. Individuals, who are in a current dangerous position, may contact the Center for assistance at 509.634.7336.

posted July 24, 2012 6:40 am edt

Services offered: Meals, Shelter Served Meals (Evacuation/Emergency); Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Showers, Mobile Shower Trailor Unit; Water, Potable Water
Updated Jul 25, 2012 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9220

South King County Family Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Community, Social Services
1229 W. Smith Street, Kent, WA 98032

Phone (253) 854–0077
Web www.ccsww.org/site/PageServer?pagename=fc_southkc
Serves King County, WA
Service Temporary

The South King County Family Center was established in1985 in Kent to serve the needs of the south county region. The cornerstone of the South King County Family Center is to help build better lives and better communities. We do this by individualized, needs–driven, and strength–based services through partnership efforts with the individuals, families and communities we serve.

The center is committed to serving those most in need, and to changing systems that cause discrimination, suffering and oppression due to age, race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation or religious beliefs.

Housing –
ARISE
Home
Katherine's House
Rita's House

Seniors and People with Disabilities –
Foster Grandparents
Home Care
Volunteer Chore Services

Children and Youth –
Adoption
Children's Treatment Prog
Foster Care
Pregnancy Support

Families –
Project Rachel
Chemical Dependency

Emergency Services –
Emergency Assistance
East King County
Phone: (425) 213–1963 x2002

Seattle
Phone: (206) 328–5724

South King County
Phone: (253) 850–2523

Volunteers:

If you are interested in becoming one of our valued volunteers who make it possible to meet the needs of so many individuals and families, please contact:

Gail Dubin
(206) 328–5759

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Case Management, Homeless; Case Management, Mental Health; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Community Outreach Programs; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Gasoline, Gas; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Emergency Services; Services, Family, Adoption Services; Services, Family, Children, Foster Care; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Seniors, Lawn Care Services (For Seniors/Elderly); Services, Seniors, Shopping Assistance (For Elders/Seniors/Disabled); Services, Substance Abuse, Outpatient Program (Drug/Alcohol); Shelter, Homeless, Mens Homeless Shelter; Shelter, Women's Shelter; Vouchers,

Housing/Shelter (Motel) Vouchers
Campaigns: Catholic Charities Community Services; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Dec 21, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4476

FEMA DRC (Disaster Recovery Center) Opens Feb 3 2009

Walk–in Resource · Open

FEMA – Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)
Monroe, Chehalis, Auburn, WA

Serves King, Lewis, Mason, Pacific, Pierce, Snohomish, Thurston and Wahkiakum counties
Eligibility Disaster survivors in King, Lewis, Mason, Pacific, Pierce, Snohomish, Thurston and Wahkiakum counties
Service Temporary

Source:

http://www.fema.gov/news/newsrelease.fema?id=47398

SEATTLE, Wash. –– A Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) opens in Monroe at the Evergreen State Fairgrounds on Tuesday, Feb. 3 to provide face–to–face assistance to people suffering damages from the severe winter storm, landslides, mudslides, and flooding from Jan. 6 to Jan. 16. Residents of King, Lewis, Mason, Pacific, Pierce, Snohomish, Thurston and Wahkiakum counties were designated for federal individual assistance in the Presidential disaster declaration of Jan. 30, 2009, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) officials said.

FEMA and the Washington Emergency Management Division (WEMD) announced the following DRC location and hours:

Evergreen State Fairgrounds
14405 179th Ave SE, Building 501
Monroe, WA 98272
Opens Tuesday, Feb. 3 at noon
Hours of Operation: Monday – Saturday 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.; Sunday 9 a.m. – 6 p.m. (until further notice)

Applicants can register for FEMA assistance by calling, toll–free, 1–800–621–3362 (FEMA), TTY 1–800–462–7585, from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. seven days a week, or register online at www.disasterassistance.gov. Registration is available until March 31, 2009.

Visitors to the DRC will find information on:

FEMA and State disaster assistance programs
SBA low–interest disaster loans and how to complete the loan application
Smart building techniques to reduce damage from future floods, and
Flood insurance
When applicants register for FEMA assistance they will be asked: location of damaged property, their Social Security number, a phone number where they can be contacted, a general description of the damages and insurance coverage, and basic financial information to determine the likelihood of supporting an SBA low–interest disaster loan. The telephone interview takes approximately 20 minutes. People should only provide this personal information if they call the center, not if someone calls them claiming to be from FEMA

Disaster Recovery Centers:

Location Opening Date Hours Closing Date
Evergreen State Fairgrounds
14405 179th Ave SE, Building 501
Monroe, WA 98272
Opening Date: February 3, noon
Hours: Mon–Sat 9–7, Sun 9–6

Yard Birds Mall
2100 N National Ave., 2nd Floor
Chehalis, WA 98532
Opening Date: February 2
Hours: Mon–Sat 9–7, Sun 9–6

Auburn Supermall
(Inside mall - opposite Sam's Club)
1101 Supermall Way, Suite 1157, 98001
Opening Date: February 1
Hours: Mon–Sat 9–7, Sun 9–6

FEMA leads and supports the nation in a risk–based, comprehensive emergency management system of preparedness, protection, response, recovery, and mitigation to reduce the loss of life and property and protect the nation from all hazards including natural disasters, acts of terrorism, and other man–made disasters.

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center)
Updated Feb 3, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4105

Pastor's Pantry – Morton Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Food Bank
277 7th Street, Morton, WA 98356

Phone (360) 496–5456
Hours Monday , Wednesday, and Thursday 11:30 am – 2:30 pm
Serves Lewis County, WA
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Temporary

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available)
Updated Jan 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4086

White Pass Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
118 Coleman Hill Rd., Randle, WA 98377

Phone (360) 497–5118
Hours First and Third Friday. 10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Serves Randle, Lewis County, WA
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Permanent

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available)
Updated Jan 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4090

West Seattle Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
3419 SW Morgan Street, Seattle, WA 98126

Phone (206) 932–9023
Web www.westseattlefoodbank.org/index.asp
Hours Seniors (55+) Tues:10:00am – 11:00am, General Population: Wed 4:00pm – 7:00pm & Thurs 10:00am – 1:00pm
Serves zip codes 98106, 98116, 98126, and 98136
Eligibility No income guidelines, but do require photo identification and proof of address such as a recent piece of mail (phone or utility bill, medical coupon.)
Bring Photo ID or recent mail
Service Permanent

The West Seattle Food Bank works to eliminate hunger in West Seattle so that no one in our community will go to bed hungry.

We not only provide nutritious food to our clients, we also work to eliminate the root causes of hunger by educating clients on nutrition, generating public awareness of hunger in our community and coordinating a range of community services for clients.

Hunger is a critical issue in West Seattle for the working poor, single parents, fixed–income seniors and children. Opened in 1981, the West Seattle Food Bank serves over 500 families each week.

In addition to providing groceries, the West Seattle Food Bank provides baby food, formula, and other infant supplies; toddler bags; pet food; personal hygiene items; books; gardening information and supplies; and voter registration. We also provide information and referrals to other social service agencies.

Services offered: Animals, Food, * Animal Food (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Baby, Baby Formula (ANY/ALL Types); Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Books * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Updated Jan 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3276

White Center Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
10829 8th Ave., Seattle, WA 98416

Phone 206.762.2848
Web www.whitecenterfoodbank.org/index.html
Hours Mon: 11am–1pm, Wed 11am–1pm, Fri 11am–1pm, 2nd & 4th Wed 6–8pm
Serves Zip Codes: 98108(all), 98146(all), 98106(partial), 98136(partial)

Service Temporary

The White Center Food Bank serves more than 1,000 hungry families each month. Last year, we provided food to more than 12,000 households and 18,000 infants and children. We could not provide these services to the White Center community without the generosity of our donors and volunteers. However, more help is needed to meet the overwhelming demands of this community!

The White Center Food Bank strives to provide the best possible services to its community. Our efforts include:
* Providing nutritious and culturally relevant food to the diverse White Center community, which is rich with people who have recently immigrated from locations all over the world.
* Partnering with other local organizations:
*Building a baby pantry with Westside Baby to support low–income families with infants. – OPEN M–W–F 1–4pm (location?)
*Opening the food bank 2 evenings per month to better serve working families with the support of the local Kiwanis, the 34th District Democrats and Fauntleroy UCC Church.
*Offering foods that meet special dietary needs such as diabetes and low salt diets, and providing no–cook bags for homeless individuals and families through our partnership with the Emergency Feeding Program.

Services offered: Baby, Baby * Items (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food, Medical, Diabetic Food
Campaigns: Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Jan 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3277

SOMMA Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
177 Huntington Road, Silver Creek, WA 98585
Phone (360) 985–2422
Hours First and fourth Wednesday of Month 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Serves Lewis County, WA
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Temporary

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available)
Updated Jan 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4088

Snohomish Faith Assembly

Walk–in Resource · Open

PO Box 1419; Snohomish, WA 98291; 1220 22nd ST, Snohomish, WA 98290
Phone 360.568.5100
Web snohomishfaith.com
Service Temporary

http://snohomishfaith.com/index.php?nid=98341&s=rs

Needs & Financial Assistance
If you need financial assistance:

Everett Gospel Mission
Project Pride
Salvation Army
St. Vincent Depaul
Volunteers of America

(Each are clickable)

Partnerships
These are some of the organizations that we either work with or support financially

The General Council of the Assemblies of God
The Northwest Ministry Network
The Snohomish Ministry Network
Everett Gospel Mission
The Snohomish Chamber of Commerce
The Snohomish Food Bank
Convoy of Hope
Mercy Ships
Engage Ministries
Northwest University

Services offered: Services, Church/Worship Services
Campaigns: Chamber of Commerce; Convoy of Hope; Mercy Ships
Updated Jun 25, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/6004

Toledo Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
101 North Second, Toledo, WA 98591

Phone (360) 978–5118
Hours Second & Fourth Friday, 11:00 am – 1:00 pm
Serves Toledo, WA School District
Eligibility Must live in the Toledo WA School District – Once monthly and in emergency / Low Income Families
Service Temporary

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available)
Updated Jan 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4089

Tukwila Food Pantry

Walk–in Resource · Open

Non––Profit Food Pantry
3118 S. 140th St, Tukwila, WA 98168

Phone 206 431–8293.
Web www.tukwilapantry.org/web–content/en_home.htm
Hours Mon & Wed 1:30pm to 3:45pm; Sat 12:00pm to 2:15pm
Serves Tukwila and bordering cities, WA
Eligibility Low Income Families
Service Temporary

Runs out of at Riverton Park United Methodist Church

The City of Tukwila, Washington is just south of Seattle in King County. The city is home to an extensive retail and business area including Westfield Shoppingtown Southcenter Mall. Boeing Field is located at the North end of Tukwila. Because of the many businesses located in the city, 45,000 people come to work in Tukwila daily, but only 17,000 people actually live within the city limits.

South King county has a large percentage of families with children living in poverty. At Cascade View Elementary School, just two blocks from the Tukwila Pantry, over 80% of the students qualify for free and reduced lunch programs.

At the Tukwila Pantry we secure and distribute nutritious food to clients. Volunteers from the Tukwila Pantry pick up food daily from Albertsons, Costco, Sam's Club and Gai's Bakery. Twice weekly the Pantry truck picks up food from Northwest Harvest and Food Lifeline. Gathering this food allows the Tukwila pantry to feed our clients for about 10¢ a meal. Even with these generous donations, the Pantry has certain operating costs. Transportation of food, utilities, and the salary of one paid employee are the major expenses.

The Pantry's food is stored in two 25–foot containers and one 48–foot trailer. We have a large walk–in refrigerator/freezer that UPS donated in 2004. Forty to fifty volunteers work 30 hours a week to distribute food to people who are in need.

The Tukwila Pantry is an 'emergency' food bank. Clients come to the Tukwila Pantry when they can't make ends meet. Sometimes they have applied for food stamps but haven't received them yet, or sometimes an unexpected expense such as a medical bill or higher than normal utilities have interrupted their budget. The Tukwila Pantry serves other communities as well. Over 1,500 households from Seatac, Burien and the surrounding areas were served in 2005.

The clients of the Tukwila Pantry are your neighbors. You may live in a different suburb, or community, but you visit Tukwila and Seatac when you fly to Seattle, or visit Southcenter Mall and the surrounding businesses. You have an opportunity to provide food to children in these cities who are hungry by making a financial contribution to the Tukwila Pantry. At 10¢ a meal your money will go far. Please help by sending a contribution to the Tukwila Pantry today.

Please don't delay — "In the land of plenty, plenty are hungry." You can make a difference.

Kelly Bachenberg
Tukwila Pantry Board Chairman

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jan 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3280

Winlock Food Bank

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
265 Bremgartner Road, Winlock, WA 98596

Phone (360) 785–4377
Hours Wednesday 11:00 am – 2:00 pm
Serves Winlock, Lewis County, WA
Eligibility Low Income Families – Once per month
Service Permanent

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available)
Updated Jan 11, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4091

Yakima County Food Banks (older listings)

Walk–in Resource

703 Central Avenue, Yakima, WA 98901
Phone (509) 853–8918
Service Temporary

Valid 10/01/2017 - 04/30/2018. Submit changes to office@yakimarotaryfoodbank.org

25 locations listed

https://www.facebook.com/YakimaRotaryFoodBank
Updated Sep 20, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10360

Washington State Food Banks & Pantry Locator

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
WA
Web cted.wa.gov/maps
Service Temporary

Emergency Food Assistance

Helping ease hunger in Washington State through food bank support

What we do:
The Emergency Food Assistance Program assists local organizations and tribes in providing food to low–income, vulnerable individuals.

Food Bank Locator

Welcome to the Food Bank Locator

The Emergency Food Assistance Program (EFAP) offers this map of food resources in Washington State. Feel free to explore the features of the EFAP Map by following the directions provided. Please be patient, it will take up to a couple minutes to access the site.

http://cted.wa.gov/maps/

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You can continue zooming in to the location to view cross streets and see more detail. Also, you can click the "Hybrid" button in the top right–hand corner of the map to see a combination street map and satellite image map which will allow you to see more landmarks and map detail.
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If you see a listing that needs updating, please call or contact staff by email; Susan Eichrodt at (360)725–2858, susane@cted.wa.gov or Mary Soderquist (360) 725–2853, marys@cted.wa.gov.

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Olympia, WA 98504–8350
Telephone: (360) 725–2853
Fax: (360) 586–0489

Services offered: Directories, Directory of Services, Regional; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Food Bank/Pantry Hotline (Find Emergency Food Help)
Updated Jan 12, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1571

WI

St Vincent DePaul

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith Based Disaster Recovery/Relief/Food Pantry
100 South Blvd, Baraboo, WI 356–4649; 815 19th Street, Prairie Du Sac WI, Baraboo & Prairie Du Sac, WI 53578
Phone 608–278–2920
Hours Food Pantry, Wednesdays 2:30 – 4:30 PM
Serves Sauk Co., WI
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods & Local Needy Families
Service Temporary

Food Pantry and Donations Collection Point (per Red Cross, see source below):
100 South Blvd
Baraboo, WI 356–4649 Wednesdays – 2:30 – 4:30 PM

St. Vincent de Paul – Prairie du Sac
815 19th Street
Prairie Du Sac WI, 53578

This site is collecting clothing, per Red Cross:
http://arcbadger.org/index.php?pr=Flood_June_08

Unfortunately, the Red Cross is not set up to sort and distribute clothing or other small in–kind donations, including donations of non–perishable food. If you would like to donate clothing, please contact Goodwill (608–246–3140) or St. Vincent De Paul (608–278–2920), as these organizations are prepared to accept this type of donation. If you would like to donate non–perishable food, please contact a local food bank, such as Second Harvest Foodbank (608–223–9121).

However, the Red Cross does accept large donations of bulk supplies, such as bottled water and food. If you would like to make a donation of bulk goods, call 227–1289.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Updated Jul 6, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3364

Food Pantries, Sauk County, List of

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Pantry/Local Distribution
See Notes, WI

Web www.co.sauk.wi.us/data/news/flood/Food_Pantries.html
Hours See Notes
Serves Sauk Co., WI
Eligibility Impacted by the 6/08 MidWest Floods & Local Needy Families
Service Temporary

Food Pantry Telephone Number Hours of operation:

Baraboo Food Pantry
1st Meth. Church
615 Broadway
Baraboo, WI M & F – 1:30 – 2:30 PM
T & Th – 5:30 – 6:30 PM
(Open only to Baraboo School District residents)

St. Vincent de Paul
100 South Blvd
Baraboo, WI 356–4649 Wednesdays – 2:30 – 4:30 PM

Merrimac Food Pantry Contact Mary @ 493–2545 Open to only Merrimac Area residents – no hours – call when needed

Central WI Community Action
1000 Hwy 13 – WI Dells
254–8353 Tuesdays – 9AM – 12 noon
Thursdays – 1:00 to 4:00 PM
(Open only to WI Dells & Lake Delton School District)

Sauk Prairie Area Food Pantry
Community Resource Center 644–0504
Ext. 29 1st, 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 5:30 – 6:30 PM and
3rd Monday – 4:30 – 6:30 PM

Spring Green
Community Church 588–2442
Reedsburg
547 N. Park St
(Drive to bottom of the driveway in back of bldg.) 524–3665 or
524–2191 Wednesdays
10AM to 12Noon

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of

Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods
Updated Jul 6, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3351

Salvation Army, Sauk Co. Wisconsin Flood Response

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
See Notes, See Notes, WI
Phone 985–7558, 1800–264–6412
Service Temporary

SALVATION ARMY STATIONS (per county list):
http://www.co.sauk.wi.us/data/news/shelter.html

clean up kits (per press release)
clothing (assumedly, because they are collecting clothes, unless they are just selling them?)

North Freedom – 120 S. Oak St.
Spring Green – Middle School
Lake Delton – Police Dept. & Elementary School
Baraboo – Turners, West Square Building Basement
Sauk Prairie – Sauk Prairie High School
Lavalle – Catholic Church, 985–7558

Mail: 11315 West Watertown Plank Road.
Wauwatosa, WI 53226
Phone: 1800–264–6412

Main Salvation Army site for Wisconsin:
www.salvationarmywi.org
(no real info about flood response)

Flood response notice http://www.usc.salvationarmy.org/usc/www_usc_greatermilwaukee.nsf/vw–news–34/8FF197DF55C8E8CC86257471007269 2F?opendocument
There's nothing in the notice, but a press release with info about how many things they've given out. The distro sites are listed above, courtesy of the county

Services offered: Cleaning, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Cleaning/Clean Up Supplies (Post Disaster); * KITS, CLEANING/CLEAN UP KITS
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; Salvation Army
Updated Jul 6, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3350

American Rainbow Rapid Response, Wisc Team

Walk–in Resource

Private Citizen Volunteers
WI

Per Terra, August 31, 2007: Steve Iskovitz was interested in going to help, but couldn't get a response via the website. He did some research through his other Rainbox contacts and someone told him that they are all set in Wisconsin now and don't need anymore help.

See also: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1387
For the main ARR database entry.

Press Release recieved by Terra from NVOAD.

PLEASE FORWARD TO YOUR CONTACTS

www.americanrainbowrapidresponse.org

We are mobilizing a team to Wisconsin in the morning. We have the full support and backing of Organic Valley.

I have coordinated with the State Emergency Manager , County Emergency manger,FEMA regional VAL, and the State VOAD chair who is the lead on Mass Care relief efforts.

Green lights the whole way.

It appears we will be setting up in a community center or High School. Serving the first responders, volunteers, and residents. And filling Salvation Army RV's to serve in the field.

The main need as it looks at this point is going to be for volunteers and monetary donations.

We will possibly need a sizable number of warm bodies if it turns out how it is looking now.

This may change when we see what kind of resources are present on the ground.

We are having a face to face meeting on Friday with public officials.

Here is the team at the moment.

Ryan, Caterpillar, Jenna, Yours truly.

On the ground support

Clovis
George Siemon
Mike from OV

We are going in support of farmers who supported us and Volunteers from the New Waveland Cafe who have lost their homes and farms due to the heavy flooding.

Help On The Way!

Aaron
www.americanrainbowrapidresponse.org

please go to the site and fill out the volunteer application.....
WE NEED YOUR HELP
Campaigns: American Rainbow Rapid Response; Rainbow Community
Updated Oct 4, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/1717

WV

Jefferson County Community Ministries, Inc

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based Food Pantry, Clothes Closet
238 West Washington Street, Charles Town, WV 25414
Phone 304–725–3186
Web www.jccm.us
Hours Monday – Friday: 9 a.m. – Noon.
Service Temporary

Jefferson County Community Ministries, Inc. (JCCM) is a cooperative ministry of local churches to assist people in need. Assistance is provided on a limited scale for short–term emergencies in an effort to enable people to work out permanent solutions for meeting their own needs.

JCCM can provide assistance with food, clothing, and limited financial aide aimed toward meeting essential expenses including rent, utilities, medicine, heating fuel, and gasoline. Assistance is provided by referring those persons who qualify to appropriate agencies, providing resources donated or purchased for this purpose such as food and clothing, and through arrangements with local vendors who accept checks or credit vouchers.

JCCM combines the compassion and the resources of the participating churches into a central location. It ensures availability of resources, unnecessary duplication in services by churches and other community agencies, and enables a greater stewardship of money and other resources.

The Food Pantry
The Clothing Closet
Limited Financial Assistance on Essential Expenses
Medication Assistance

NOTE from website:

Any closings of the office due to weather will be announced on WXVA – 93.8 FM and WRNR – 740 AM. If schools are closed due to weather, JCCM is also closed.

The Food Pantry

The Food Pantry solicits, stores, and distributes food for the needy as referred to it by the JCCM office. Some of the funding received by JCCM is used to purchase additional food and to provide adequate supplies for cleaning, personal hygiene, and baby

products for distribution to the needy. JCCM also receives U.S.D.A. commodities. All food pantry applicants are first interviewed at the JCCM office. The Food Pantry is also staffed by trained lay volunteers from participating churches.

Current Food Pantry Needs:

Toilet Paper
Toothpaste
Toothbrushes
Bath soap
Deodorant
Laundry detergent
Dish Detergent
Pancake mix & syrup
Jelly
Canned fruits
Soups
Cereals

The Clothing Closet:

The Clothing Closet is open Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. The Clothing Closet provides good, clean used clothing for those in need of all ages and sizes. Clothing for emergency situations that arise outside of the regular operating hours can also be provided.

Limited Financial Assistance on Essential Expenses:

Rent, utilities, heating fuel, gasoline, and medicine.

Medication Assistance:

Jefferson County Community Ministries offers two kinds of medication assistance:

For immediate medication needs, we may directly pay for non–narcotic prescriptions.

For long term medication needs, we offer assistance in finding resources for free or discounted medications offered through the various manufacturers' pharmaceutical assistance programs. To qualify, a prescription from the physician, a list of current medications, proof of residency, and current ID is required.

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution, Clothing Closet; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Gasoline, Gas; Financial Assistance, Heating Fuel; Financial Assistance, Housing, Rental Assistance; Financial Assistance, Medical, Prescription Assistance; Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated May 21, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4383

LTRC, West Virginia VOAD, WV Council of Churches

Walk–in Resource · Open

LTRC Disaster Recovery
2207 Washington St. East, Charleston, WV 25311
Phone 1–877–330–9105
Web www.wvcc.org
Service Temporary

Because recovery from flooding and other disasters often takes months, if not years, WV VOAD, created regional Long–Term Recovery Committees (LTRCs) to help with disaster–related needs not completely covered by insurance or by federal and state disaster assistance programs. In the event of flooding, applications will be accepted for persons who sustained damage to their homes. All approved applicants will be visited by a long–term recovery case manager or a volunteer case worker who will work with them to assess damage, formulate a recovery plan, and procure cost estimates. Regional long–term recovery committees, broadly representative of the flooded communities, will review and make decisions on expenditures and use of volunteer resources on a case–by–case basis.

To apply for assistance and/or to receive additional information, call toll–free 1–877–330–9105. Survivors should always apply to FEMA first. Monetary donations to immediate disaster relief should be made directly to disaster agencies. However, contributions to help with long–term recovery should be sent payable to the West Virginia Council of Churches, (WV VOAD's fiscal agent). Please designate checks "for disaster recovery" and mail to:

West Virginia VOAD
c/o WV Council of Churches
2207 Washington St. East
Charleston, WV 25311–2218

Disaster Response

The West Virginia Council of Churches has a long history of assisting in response to disasters and various human and community crises. The Council addresses the spiritual and material needs of those in crisis, such as citizens of West Virginia currently recovering from devastating floods.

The Council was the initial convening agency and continues as an active member and fiscal agent of "Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster" (VOAD).

Services offered: Case Management, Flood Survivors; Case Management, LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee Advice; Services, Disaster Recovery
Campaigns: 2009 May Severe Storm & Tornado Support (KY/WV/MO); American Baptist Churches–USA; Church of the Brethren Disaster Response; Episcopal Disaster Relief; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Presbyterian Disaster Assistance; Salvation Army; UMCOR Relief Network
Updated May 30, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4414

Catholic Charities West Virginia (CCWVa)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Faith–Based, Community, Disaster Relief/Recovery
1218 Eoff St., Wheeling, WV 26003

Phone	(304) 233–0880 or Toll Free 1–888–434–6237
Web	www.catholiccharitieswv.org
Serves	Statewide, WV
Checks payable to	Catholic Charities West Virginia
Service	Temporary

Catholic Charities West Virginia offers a wide variety of services and programs to the people of West Virginia who need our helping hand.

We assist children, adolescents, seniors, immigrants and refugees, victims of poverty and victims of disaster and emergency.

Our programs range from educational and resource services to direct aid in times of crisis. All of our services are life–giving and nurture the growth of the individual.

Disaster & Emergency Support

Catholic Charities West Virginia is also a statewide disaster response network. We have people stationed in all regions of the state prepared to respond to emergency and disaster situations (floods, fires, etc.).

Contact Information:

Central Region
Debra Scott
304–292–6597

Eastern Region
Kenn Smith
304–822–5414

Northern Region
Teri Monteleone
304–230–1280 ext. 108

Parkersburg Region
Valeria Kula
304–424–3457 ext. 130

Southern Region
Michael Vincent
304–425–4306

Western Region
Deborah Sweeney
304–824–5069

Weston Region
Cynthia Hammer
304–636–4875

MAP OF PROGRAMS:
http://www.catholiccharitieswv.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=54&Itemid=55

Services offered: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Special Needs; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Demographic Served: Teens; Donations, Disaster Fund; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill

Assistance; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Family, Children * (ANY/ALL Types of Childrens Services); Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Services, Immigration, Refugee Resettlement (See also "Assistance"); Services, Senior/Disabled, Homemaker Services (For Elders/Seniors/Disabled); Services, Senior Programs; Services, Special Needs, Early Intervention for Special Needs Children; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, GED Preparation
Campaigns: 2009 May Severe Storm & Tornado Support (KY/WV/MO); Catholic Charities; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated May 15, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4366

DRC's – FEMA (Disaster Recovery Centers), West Virginia – INDEX

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Recovery Center (FEMA)
WV

Web asd.fema.gov/inter/locator/drcLocator.jsp
Serves Wyoming, McDowell, Mingo, Counties
Eligibility Impacted by the 5/09 Floods
Service Temporary

MDRC/DRC # 4
Address: ROUTE 52 AT 97 (GODREY'S CORNER)
HANOVER, WV 25839
County/Parish: WYOMING
Hours of Operation: MONDAY – THURSDAY 10 AM TO 7 PM
Notes: CLOSED ON SUNDAY Services: Fax, Copy, Phone use, Hazard Mitigation, Housing Assistance, IRS, Information, Other, SBA Business Loan, SBA Home Loan, Teleregistration, Volunteer Organization

MDRC/DRC #5
Address: COMMISSION ON AGING WV AVENUE – WV STATE HWY 80
IAEGER , WV 24844
County/Parish: MC DOWELL
Hours of Operation: MONDAY THRU SATURDAY 10AM TO 7PM
Notes: CLOSED SUNDAYS
Services: Crisis Counseling, Fax, Copy, Phone use, Hazard Mitigation, Housing Assistance, IRS, Information, Other, SBA Business Loan, SBA Home Loan, Teleregistration, Volunteer Organization

DRC #2
Address: LARRY JOE HARLESS COMMUNITY CENTER 202 HARLESS DRIVE
GILBERT, WV 25621
County/Parish: MINGO
Hours of Operation: MONDAY – SATURDAY 10 AM TO 7 PM
Notes: CLOSED SUNDAY
Services: Fax, Copy, Phone use, Hazard Mitigation, Housing Assistance, IRS, Information, Other, SBA Business Loan, SBA Home Loan, Teleregistration, Volunteer Organization

MDRC/DRC #3
Address: DELBARTON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT SUB 1 RT 52 – ACROSS FROM GRANT COMPRESSOR
PIGEON CREEK , WV 25670
County/Parish: MINGO
Hours of Operation: MONDAY – SATURDAY 10 AM TO 7PM
Notes: CLOSED SUNDAY
Services: Fax, Copy, Phone use, Hazard Mitigation, Housing Assistance, IRS, Information, Other, SBA Business Loan, SBA Home Loan, Teleregistration, Volunteer Organization

DRC # 1
Address: TOWN CENTER MC COY ALLEY
MATEWAN, WV 25678
County/Parish: MINGO COUNTY
Hours of Operation: MONDAY – SATURDAY 10 AM TO 7 PM
Notes: CLOSED SUNDAY
Services: Fax, Copy, Phone use, Hazard Mitigation, Housing Assistance, IRS, Information, Other, SBA Business Loan, SBA Home Loan, Teleregistration, Volunteer Organization

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Government, Internal Revenue Service; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Post Disaster (For Rent/Belongings/Home Repairs/Rebuilding, etc.); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Housing Assistance, Relocation $ for Survivors; Services, Disaster Mitigation; Services, Tech, Copy Machine "Access" (to USE to make copies); Services, Tech, Fax Access (to USE a fax machine); Services, Tech, Phone Access

Campaigns: 2009 May Severe Storm & Tornado Support (KY/WV/MO); American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Government, FEMA, DRC (Disaster Recovery Center); Government, Small Business Administration (SBA); Salvation Army
Updated May 30, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4415

Food Banks & Pantries, West Virginia – INDEX

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Distribution
WV
Service Temporary

MOUNTAINEER FOOD BANK INC
484 Enterprise Drive
Gassaway WV 26624
Phone: (304) 364–5518
Fax: (304) 364–8213
http://www.mountaineerfoodbank.com/

The Huntington Area Food Bank
1327 7th Avenue
Huntington, WV 25701

Phone: 304–523–6029
http://www.hafb.org/
For more information on the location of food pantries and other member agencies or opening a food pantry or on–site feeding center, call 304–523–6029.

McDowell and Wyoming County West Virginia.
Five Loaves and Two Fishes Food Bank Inc.

http://www.5loavesand2fishesfoodbank.org/

Fairmont Marion County Food Pantry
107 Jefferson St
Fairmont, WV 26554
(304) 363–7150

Mingo County:

Food Pantry Information and Referral
1–800–540–8659

Services offered: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)
Updated May 29, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4382

West Virginia Severe Storm, FEMA Disaster Recovery Center (DRC)

Walk–in Resource · Open

WV
Web www.fema.gov/news–release/2017/08/28/state/fema–disaster–center–open–wetzel–county–help–west–virginia
Service Temporary
Updated Aug 28, 2017 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10031

Other locations

Kroc Community Center (Salvation Army)

Walk–in Resource · Open

650 Dudley St, Boston/Dorchester
Phone 617 318 6900
Contact Yhinny Matos
Email yhinny. matos @ use. salvationarmy . org
Web www.boston.salarmykroc.org
Service Temporary

http://www.forcv.com/us/3505–kroc–community–center–opened–today

The Salvation Army Ray and Joan Kroc Corps Community Center opened to the public today.

DORCHESTER, Massachusetts –– “After months of unforeseen construction and inspection delays, the Kroc Center Boston is finally open to the public,” Yhinny Matos, the center’s Marketing Coordinator, announced in an email today. “During the first couple of weeks, we will be having limited introductory operating hours.”

Member benefits include:

* Aquatic Center with heated indoor water park, lazy river, water slide & outdoor spray ground

* Education center with classrooms, computer lab, teen center and library/tech center

* Fitness center with cardio & circuit training

* Gymnasium HS & NCAA regulation courts

* Rock climbing wall and ropes course

* Performing arts center

* Guest privileges

* And much more...

To learn more about the center and become a member, go to www.boston.salarmykroc.org.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Youth Services; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Community Outreach Programs; Community Outreach, Public Awareness, Humanitarian Issues; Community, Recreation, Recreational Programs; Community Service Program; Counseling, Career Counseling; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Children; Demographic Served: Families; Demographic Served: Families, w/Young Children; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Teens; Demographic Served: Teens, Troubled; Demographic Served: Vulnerable & Marginalized Populations; Facilities: Recreational Facilities for Seniors/Elders; Facilities: Restrooms; Facilities: Senior Center; Facility: Community Center; Facility: Job Center; Facility: Theater/theatre; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Youth Services; Literacy Program; School, Adult Education/Adult School; Services, Educational Services (See also Category for School); Services, Employment, Job Counseling, Referrals & Placement; Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Kid's Cafe Program (Youth); Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Services, Social Services, General Social Services; Services, Tech, Computer Access; Services, Tech, Internet Access; Services, Tech, Phone Access; Services, Youth Services, Crime Prevention Programs; Social Event *(any/all types) see also category "Events"; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Business Skills; Training Classes, Communication Skills; Training Classes, Computer Lab; Training Classes, Computers Skills; Training Classes, Education, Nutrition Education Classes; Training Classes, Education, Parenting; Training Classes, Employment, Job Training (Elders/Seniors); Training Classes, Exercise, Health Classes; Training Classes, Financial Literacy; Training Classes, Financial, Money Management; Training Classes, Language Skills; Training Classes, Life Skills, Misc.; Training Classes, Life Skills, Youth; Training Classes, Literacy Training; Training Classes, Resume Writing, Interview Skills; Training Classes, Sports; Training Classes, Trade Skills, Training; Training Classes, Vocational; Training, Employment, Job Skills, Youth; Training, Job Training; Trainin, Social Awareness; Youth, After-School, Afterschool Program; Youth, Leadership Development; Youth, Mentor Program; Youth Outreach; Youth Program
Campaigns: Government, City/Town Agency; Government, State/County; Government, State Government Department/Agency; Government, US Gov't Sponsored (This Org IS Sponsored by US Gov); Government, US/State Dept. of Health & Human Services (DHHS); Salvation Army; Social Activists/Organizers
Updated Jul 4, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8726

Brighton Community Fridge [24x7 free food]

Walk-in Resource · Open

243 Faneuil St (Oliveira Deli Market), Brighton, 2135

Service Temporary

https://cambridgecitygrowers.wordpress.com/2020/11/27/give-and-or-take-from-your-local-community-fridge/

Services offered: Facility: Community Fridge/Pantry [free food 24x7 no questions asked]; Food * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Jul 12, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10466

Boat People SOS (Katrina Aid Today Partner)

Walk-in Resource · Open

Non-Profit

Phone SEE NOTES, Bottom of Facility Record
Web www.bpsos.org
Checks payable to Boat People SOS

Boat People SOS is a partner of the Katrina Aid Today Consortium and provides case management/financial assistance to Hurricane Katrina survivors. See the locations listed below for contacts in all the participating regions.

Boat People SOS is a national Vietnamese community organization formed in the late 1970s to give the Vietnamese community in America important help navigating bureaucracy and myriad social services available to them.

Boat People will always focus its efforts on the Vietnamese community, but it will not and cannot close its doors to anyone.

BPSOS offers the following services at our disaster relief centers:

* Benefits Assistance: Assist evacuees with claims with FEMA, unemployment, social security, food stamps and SBA loans
* Housing Assistance and referrals: Assist evacuees with housing vouchers, translations of forms and interpretation, and assist evacuees with navigating FEMA policies
* Legal Assistance: Connect evacuees to local resources and attorneys, and on a case-by-case basis provide direct immigration legal services through a qualified staff attorney
* Emergency Assistance: Provide some limited direct assistance in the form of transportation tokens, clothing, supplies, and other goods as needed

Lists branch Offices & Contact info:
http://www.bpsos.org/offices

If you'd like to help

Boat People SOS needs help in the form of volunteers, translators and donations.

To volunteer your time or make a donation, call: (228)436-9999, or write to:

Boat People SOS
833 Vieux Marche Mall
Biloxi, MS 39530
Phone: (228) 436-9999
Fax: (228) 436-9909
biloxi@bpsos.org

GRETNA, LA

925 Behrman Hwy
Unit 14
Gretna, LA 70056
Phone: (504) 433-8668
Fax: (504) 433-8669
neworleans@bpsos.org

Wishlists:

Computers, Software, Office Equipment/Supplies, Educational Materials, Books for our New Library & Volunteers

BAYOU LA BATRE, AL

13869 S. Wintzell Avenue
Bayou La Batre, AL 36509
Phone: (251) 824-7004
Fax: (251) 824-7016
bayou@bpsos.org

HOUSTON, TX

11205 Bellaire Boulevard
Suite B22
Houston, TX 77072
Contact: SETH SIEGEL
Phone: (281) 530-6888
Fax: (281) 530-6838
houston@bpsos.org
SETH.SIEGEL@BPSOS.ORG

BILOXI, MS

833 Vieux Marche Mall
Biloxi, MS 39530
Te: 228-436-9999

Fx: 228-436-9909
biloxi@bpsos.org
Manager Daniel Lee (see cell in private notes)

ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

9550 Bolsa Ave, Suite #201
Westminster, CA 92683
Contact: Hong Chau Tang
Te: 714-775-2214
Te: 714-775-2464
hongchau.tang@bpsos.org

ATLANTA, GA:

3335 Chamblee Dunwoody Road
Chamblee, GA 30341
Contact: DONNIE MOYD
Te: 770-458-6700
Te: 770-458-6709
DONNIE.MOYD@BPSOS.ORG

NEW ORLEANS, LA

925 Behrman Hwy. Unit 14
Gretna, LA 70056-4550
Te: 504-433-8668 Ext. 20
Fx: 504-433-8669
neworleansstaff@bpsos.org
New Manager (took Seth's place): Tony Tran

Louisiana Parishes Served:

Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles,
St. James, St. John the Baptist, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa,
Washington

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Advocacy, Volunteer, Resource Referrals; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Financial Assistance, Case Management for Financial Matters; Services, Emergency Services; Services, Legal Assistance; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Immigrant Worker Rights Instruction; Translators, Vietnamese/English, Volunteer; Translators, Volunteer * (ANY/ALL); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Bus Tokens; Vouchers, Housing/Shelter (Motel) Vouchers
Campaigns: 2005 Hurricane Katrina; CAN (Coordinated Assistance Network.); Teaching people to use and improving this Relief Database
Updated Jul 1, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/992

Catholic Worker Movement

Walk-in Resource · Open

Phone See Website for locations & details
Web www.catholicworker.org/communities/volunteers.cfm
Service Temporary

Volunteer opportunities in Catholic Worker communities

Are you looking for a life-changing experience in service to the poor on behalf of social justice? Volunteering at a Catholic Worker community is guaranteed to provide that experience.

While all Catholic Worker communities welcome volunteers to work in many capacities, those listed on the website are seeking the specific help indicated.

Since Catholic Worker communities vary widely in their specific work and lifestyle, please read any descriptions under contact information before contacting a community

Or see list at:
http://www.catholicworker.org/communities/commlistall.cfm#AL

Catholic Workers live a simple lifestyle in community, serve the poor, and resist war and social injustice. Most are grounded in the Gospel, prayer, and the Catholic faith, although some houses on this list state that they are interfaith. Each Catholic Worker house is independent and there is no "Catholic Worker headquarters".

Income for Catholic Worker houses can come from outside jobs held by members or by cottage industries developed by the community, but most houses survive on donations. Every Catholic Worker house can use donations of money and/or specific items like food, clothing, etc...Most can also use volunteers from the surrounding community to help with the work. If you feel called to do something about poverty and homelessness in your community, your local Catholic Worker house would be a great place to start. This is a list of all the Catholic Worker communities that we know about, indexed by state or country.

Services offered: Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Updated Aug 14, 2009 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4439

Central Mass PermaCulture Meetup

Walk–in Resource · Open

Service Temporary
Updated Dec 21, 2013 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/9843

First Nations Development Institute [Covid Response, Grants, etc]

Walk–in Resource · Open

Web www.firstnations.org/covid–19–emergency–response–fund
Service Temporary

See link above for full range of services.

Specific to Covid [see live links at the site above]:

"Updated November 19, 2020

The call to protect elders and sustain Native culture is a familiar sight throughout Indian Country.

First Nations Development Institute is responding to American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian community emergency needs related to the COVID–19 pandemic to minimize the risk of Native communities becoming collateral damage.

The COVID–19 Emergency Response Fund is designed to distribute funds efficiently and swiftly to Native nonprofit organizations and tribal programs that need it most. Initially, funds are being prioritized in high–concentration areas – California, New Mexico, the Pacific Northwest, New York, Navajo Nation, Hopi Tribe and COVID–19 hotspots.
Donate now to support Native communities!

First Nations is passing through 100% of donations to the COVID–19 Emergency Response Fund without any agency cost. The entire amount of any donations and grants received from foundations will reach Native communities directly. Donate here!

So far, generous individuals and organizations have given more than $4,400,000 to this important fund. Thanks to these donations and funding from First Nations' partner organizations, to date, $2,508,500 in 191 grants have been awarded to Native nations and Native–led organizations (including in Alaska and Hawaii) to support human services, response and relief efforts. See a list of them below.

First Nations has also coordinated the donation of 28,800 gallons of water, 17,749 pounds of food, and $335,670 in PPE directly to Indian communities. See the full list of food and supply donation partners here.

The First Nations' COVID–19 Emergency Response Fund is made possible thanks to the generous support of donors and funders. See the full list of funders here.

One of First Nations' many coordinated donations arrives at Zuni Pueblo's Wellness Center and Emergency Mobile Pantry.
Why donations are so important

Native communities (both urban and rural) are often invisible in "normal" times. This is exacerbated in times of crisis. Native communities are ripe for the effects of COVID–19 to intensify at extraordinary levels as follows:

With health already compromised by high rates of diabetes, heart disease, hypertension, and other chronic illnesses, Native people are a seriously at–risk population.
13% of Native American homes lack safe drinking water and proper wastewater disposal, creating conditions in which recommended sanitary standards cannot be maintained.
16% of homes in tribal areas are overcrowded and multigenerational, making social distancing impossible.
Food shortages and the logistics of accessing food further threaten the health and resilience of Native families. An overlay of the USDA Food Deserts Locator map with Native communities shows a marked absence of retail supermarkets, meaning that healthy, fresh, or any food is not easily accessible for Native people.

Get more facts about the impact on Native communities and First Nations' response efforts here.
Please help Native communities during this unprecedented crisis

All funds raised for First Nations' COVID–19 Emergency Response Fund go directly to support Native organizations on the front lines of COVID–19. Donate here to send funds expressly to them.
Emergency Response Fund Grantees

Initial Round – April 2020, $635,000 dispersed to 35 Native nations and organizations:

American Indian Community Housing Organization, Duluth, Minnesota
Center Pole, Garryowen, Montana

Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma
Chief Seattle Club, Seattle, Washington
Diné be' iiná Inc., Window Rock Arizona
Hopi School Kykotsmovi, Arizona
Hopi Tribe, Kykotsmovi, Arizona
Intertribal Friendship House, Oakland, California
Leech Lake Nation, Cass Lake, Minnesota
Lower Sioux Indian Community, Morton, Minnesota
Lummi Nation (Lhaq'temish Foundation), Bellingham, Washington
Makah Cultural and Research Center, Neah Bay, Washington
Makah Tribe, Neah Bay, Washington
Minneapolis American Indian Center, Minneapolis, Minnesota
National Indigenous Women's Resource Center, Inc., Lame Deer, Montana
Native American Youth and Family Center, Portland, Oregon
Navajo Nation, Window Rock, Arizona
New Mexico Community Foundation Pueblo & Navajo Fund, New Mexico
Oyate Networking Project, Kyle, South Dakota
Pine Ridge Area Chamber of Commerce, Kyle, South Dakota
Poeh Cultural Center, Santa Fe, New Mexico
Pueblo of Zia, Zia Pueblo, New Mexico
Red Lake Nation, Red Lake, Minnesota
San Felipe Pueblo, San Felipe Pueblo, New Mexico
Santo Domingo Pueblo, Santo Domingo Pueblo, New Mexico
Spirit of the Sun, Denver, Colorado
Suquamish Tribe, Suquamish, Washington
Tananawit, Warm Springs, Oregon
Tsaile/Wheatfields Dineh Water Users, Tsaile, Arizona
Tulalip Foundation, Tulalip, Washington
United Houma Nation, Golden Meadow, Louisiana
United Indians for All Tribes Foundation, Seattle, Washington
White Earth Nation, Ogema, Minnesota
Yak Tityu Tityu Yak Tilhini Northern Chumash, San Luis Obispo, California
Zuni Youth Enrichment Project, Zuni, New Mexico

Second Round – May 6, 2020, $111,000 dispersed to 12 Native nations and organizations:

First Alaskans Institute, Anchorage, Alaska
Hopi Foundation, Kykotsmovi Village, Arizona
Indian Pueblo Cultural Center, Albuquerque, New Mexico
Ke Kula Nui O Waimanalo, Waimanalo, Hawaii
Manchester Point Arena Pomo, Point Arena, California
New Mexico Farmers' Marketing Association, Santa Fe, New Mexico
Project PPE New Mexico, New Mexico
Pueblo de Cochiti, Cochiti, New Mexico
Seeded Sisters Community Project (Center of Southwest Cultures), Albuquerque, New Mexico
Spokane Tribe, Wellpinit, Washington
Tolani Lake Livestock and Water Users Association, Winslow, Arizona
Waimea Hawaiian Homesteaders' Association, Kamuela, Hawaii

Third Round – May 15, 2020, $188,000 dispersed to 14 Native nations and organizations:

Boys & Girls Club of the Northern Cheyenne Nation, Lame Deer, Montana
Carrizo/Comecrudo Tribe of Texas, Floresville, Texas
Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe, Eagle Butte, South Dakota
City of Hoonah, Hoonah, Alaska
Denver Indian Center, Denver, Colorado
Laulima Kuha'o, Lanai, Hawaii
MA'O Organic Farms, Waianae, Hawaii
Pueblo of Acoma, Acoma, New Mexico
Pyramid Lake Paiute, Nixon, Nevada
Southern Ute Indian Tribe, Ignacio, Colorado
Thunder Valley CDC, Porcupine, South Dakota
Ute Mountain Ute, Towaoc, Colorado
Waimea Homesteaders Association, Kamuela, Hawaii
White Mountain Apache Tribe, Whiteriver, Arizona

Fourth Round – May 28, 2020, $150,000 dispersed to 11 Native nations and organizations:

Ajo Center for Sustainable Agriculture, Ajo, Arizona
Blackfeet Nation, Browning, Montana
Chickasaw Nation, Ada, Oklahoma
Columbia River Inter–Tribal Fish Commission, Portland, Oregon
Laulima Kuha'o, Lanai, Hawaii
Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians, Choctaw, Mississippi
National Indian Child Welfare Association, Portland, Oregon
Oneida Nation Arts Program (Oneida Nation), Oneida, Wisconsin
Organized Village of Kake, Kake, Alaska
Osage Nation Foundation, Southlake, Texas
Red Paint Creek Food Pantry, Harlem, Montana

Fifth Round – June 11, 2020, $100,000 dispersed to 10 Native nations and organizations:

Oneida Nation of Wisconsin Oneida Emergency Food Pantry, Oneida, Wisconsin
Minnow/Fiscal Agent Sustainable Economies Law Center, California communities
Nahata Dziil 14R Ranch, Sanders, Arizona
Cankdeska Cikana Community College, Fort Totten, North Dakota
Native American Community Development Institute, Minneapolis, Minnesota
Shinnecock Indian Nation, Southampton, New York
Mashpee Wamponag Tribe, Mashpee, Massachusetts
Native Village of Tyonek, Tyonek, Alaska
Native Village of Port Heiden, Port Heiden, Alaska
Chickaloon Village Traditional Council/Chickaloon Native Village, Chickaloon, Alaska

Sixth Round – July 7, 2020, $130,000 dispersed to 11 Native nations and organizations:

Aina Momona, Kaunakakai, Hawaii
American Indian Community House, New York, New York
Anchorage Tribes Tlingit & Haida Indians of Alaska, Anchorage, Alaska
Havasupai, Supai, Arizona
Hualapai Tribe, Peach Springs, Arizona
Karuk Tribe, Happy Camp, California
Makoce Agriculture Development (Fiscal Sponsor NDN Collective), Pine Ridge, South Dakota
Meskwaki Food Sovereignty Initiative, Tama, Iowa
Mni Wiconi Clinic, Mandan, North Dakota
Peacekeeper Society, Harrah, Washington
Southcentral Foundation, Anchorage, Alaska

Seventh Round – July 10, 2020, $127,500 dispersed to 10 Native nations and organizations:

Blackfeet, Browning, Montana
Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, Warm Springs, Oregon
Four Directions Inc. (Fiscal Sponsor Real Food America), Chamberlain, South Dakota
Hopi Education Endowment Fund, Kykotsmovi, Arizona
Painted Desert Demonstration Project (The STAR School), Flagstaff, Arizona
Pascua Yaqui Tribe, Tuscon, Arizona
Passamaquoddy Tribe, Indian Township, Maine
Wadookodaading Inc., Hayward, Wisconsin
Wolakota Waldorf Society, Kyle, South Dakota
Ysleta del Sur Pueblo, El Paso, Texas

Eighth Round – August 6, 2020, $135,000 dispersed to 12 Native nations and organizations:

Great Plains Action Society (Fiscal Sponsor: Iowa Citizens for Community Improvement), Sioux City, Iowa
Yurok Tribe, Klamath, California
Yankton Sioux Tribe, Wagner, South Dakota
Western Native Voice, Billings, Montana
Qawalangin Tribe of Unalaska, Unalaska, Alaska
Southern California American Indian Resource Center (SCAIR, Inc.), El Cajon, California
Institute of American Indian Arts, Santa Fe, New Mexico
Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina, Pembroke, North Carolina
Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium, Anchorage, Alaska
Sustainable Molokai, Kaunakakai, Hawaii
Hui Malama Ola Na Oiwi, Hilo, Hawaii
Alu Like, Honolulu, Hawaii

9th Round – August 27, 2020, $115,000 dispersed to 11 Native nations and organizations:

Chilkat Indian Village, Klukwan, Alaska
Mississippi Band of Choctaw, Choctaw, Mississippi
Native American Youth and Family Center (NAYA), Portland, Oregon
Kualoa–He'eia Ecumenical Youth (KEY) Project, Kane'ohe, Hawaii
Hanalei River Heritage Foundation, Anahola, Hawaii
Isle de Jean Charles Band of Biloxi–Chitimacha–Choctaw, Montegut, Louisiana
Indigenous Women Rising (Fiscal Sponsor New Mexico Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice), Albuquerque, New Mexico
Santa Rosa Rancheria Tachi Yokut Tribe, Lemore, California
Ilisagvik College, Barrow, Alaska
Native American Health Center, Oakland, California
Hesapa Birth Circle (Fiscal Sponsor NDN Collective), Rapid City, South Dakota

10th Round – August 29, 2020, $123,000 dispersed to 12 Native nations and organizations:

Wukchumni Indian Tribe, Tulare County, California
Picuris Pueblo, Penasco, New Mexico
Lunalilo Home, Honolulu, Hawaii
Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe, Akwesasne, New York
Hawaiian Community Assets, Honolulu, Hilo & Anahola, Hawaii
Native Women Lead (Fiscal Sponsor New Mexico Community Capital), Albuquerque, New Mexico
Change Labs, Tuba City, Arizona
Alaska Village Initiatives, Anchorage, Alaska
Euchee (Yuchi) Language Project, Sapulpa, Oklahoma
Ida'ina K'eljeshna Friendship Dancers (Fiscal Sponsor Tebughna Foundation), Anchorage, Alaska
StrongHearts Native Helpline (Fiscal Sponsor National Indigenous Women's Resource Center), Eagan, Minnesota
Native Peoples Action Inc., Anchorage, Alaska

11th Round – September 18, 2020, $239,000 dispersed to 17 Native nations and organizations:

Buena Vista Rancheria Community Fund, Sacramento, California
Karuk Tribe, Happy Camp, California
Yurok Tribe, Klamath, California
Confederated Tribes of Colville Reservation, Nespelem, Washington
Chemehuevi Indian Tribe, Havasu Lake, California
Aseshate:ka'te Grief Services (Fiscal Sponsor Friends of the Akwesasne Freedom School Inc), Hogansburg, New York
Waimanalo Health Center, Waimanalo, Hawaii
Santa Fe Indian Center (Fiscal Sponsor New Mexico Community Foundation), Santa Fe, New Mexico
Taos Pueblo, Taos, New Mexico
Reno–Sparks Indian Colony, Reno, Nevada
Little Eagle Arts Foundation, Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin
CA BIPOC Farmer/Land Steward Relief Fund (Fiscal sponsor Movement Strategy Center), California
Northern Cheyenne Elder Center, Lame Deer, Montana
Northern Cheyenne Tribe, Lame Deer, Montana
Chippewa Cree Tribe, Box Elder, Montana
Crow Tribe, Crow Agency, Montana
Standing Rock Elders Program, Fort Yates, North Dakota

12th Round – October 20, 2020, $200,000 dispersed to 15 Native nations and organizations:

Red Willow Farm, Taos, New Mexico
Salish Kootenai College, Pablo, Montana
Little Big Horn College, Crow Agency, Montana
Haliwa–Saponi Indian Tribe, Hollister, North Carolina
Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians, Belcourt, North Dakota
Northern Arapaho Tribe, Fort Washakie, Wyoming
Eastern Aleutian Tribes, Cold Bay, Alaska
Eastern Shoshone Tribe, Fort Washakie, Wyoming
Hearts Gathered, Omak, Washington
Hoopa Valley Tribe, Klamath, California
Arctic Slope Native Association, Utqiaġvik, Alaska
Stockbridge Munsee Community, Bowler, Wisconsin
Three Affiliated Tribes/MHA, Fort Berthold, North Dakota
Menominee Indian Tribe, Keshena, Wisconsin
California Indian Basketweavers' Association, Woodland, California

13th Round – November 3, 2020, $120,000 dispersed to 8 Native nations and organizations:

Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska, Winnebago, Nebraska
Clear Lake Pomo Cultural Preservation Foundation, Clearlake Oaks, California
Oneida Nation, Oneida, Wisconsin
Sokaogon Chippewa Community, Crandon, Wisconsin
Ho–Chunk Nation, Black River Falls, Wisconsin
Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians, Red Lake, Minnesota
Oglala Sioux Tribe, Kyle, South Dakota
Rosebud Sioux Tribe, Rosebud, South Dakota

14th Round – November 18, 2020, $135,000 dispersed to 11 Native nations and organizations:

Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe, Kingston, Washington
Red Paint Creek Food Pantry, Harlem, Montana
Pueblo of Laguna, Laguna, New Mexico
Sac and Fox Tribe of the Mississippi in Iowa, Tama, Iowa
FAST Blackfeet, Browning, Montana
Ute Indian Tribe of the Uintah and Ouray Reservation, Ft. Duchesne, Utah
Red Cliff Band of Lake Superior Chippewa, Bayfield, Wisconsin
Gerald L. Ignace Indian Health Center, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Sisseton Wahpeton Oyate, Agency Village, South Dakota
Great Plains Tribal Chairmen's Health Board, Rapid City, South Dakota
Traditional Native American Farmer's Association (Fiscal Sponsor for the Seventh Generation Fund for Indigenous Peoples, Inc.), Santa Fe, New Mexico

Food and Supply Donation Partners

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And numerous generous family foundations, donor–advised funds, and individual donors from across the U.S.

First Nations will continue to make grants directly to Native–led organizations as more funds are committed. To help First Nations reach more communities, donate here.
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Services offered: Distribution, Medical Supplies; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Civic Affairs; Grants, Community Development; Grants, Education; Grants, Environment/Conservation; Grants, Non–Profits Impacted by Disaster; Grants, Start up Funding for Social Enterprises
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19; Alternative Societies; First Nations / Native Americans; Indigenous Mutual Aid
Updated Nov 29, 2020 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10395

Mailboxes Etc (recycling packaging materials)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Recycling
Web www.mbe.com/Pages/home.aspx
Service Temporary

Mailboxes Etc Stores accept CLEAN styrofoam peanuts for recycling.

Go to the weblink above and choose "store locator" on the upper right.

Services offered: Recycling, Packaging Materials; Recycling, Packaging Materials, Peanuts; Recycling, Services * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: Ending Pollution; Global Warming Relief Supplies/Services
Updated Jun 1, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8516

Morning Star Church of Christ

Walk–in Resource · Open

Church, Community, Food Pantry
Service Temporary
Updated May 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2996

Nepali Embassy in the US [Covid response, list of needed items]

Walk–in Resource · Open

Web us.nepalembassy.gov.np/notice–on–donation–of–medical–supplies–to–contain–covid–19
Service Temporary
Campaigns: 2020/2021 Pandemic, Coronavirus/COVID–19; 2021 Covid Support in Nepal
Updated May 19, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10434

Planet Fitness

Walk–in Resource · Open

Web www.planetfitness.com/gyms
Eligibility 2025 California Wildfires
Service Temporary

Services offered: Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To)
Campaigns: 2025 California Wildfires
Updated Jan 13, 2025 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10690

Salvation Army, The (Katrina Aid Today Partner Locations)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Salvation Army
SEE NOTES
Phone SEE NOTES
Web www.katrinaaidtoday.org/index.cfm

About Katrina Aid Today

Katrina Aid Today is a consortium of 10 social service and voluntary organizations, led by UMCOR dedicated to helping survivors navigate the system to recover from this tragic disruption of their lives.

Our specially trained managers will help about 100,000 families identify sources of support, develop personal recovery plans, acquire access to services and take appropriate actions to rebuild their lives.

The consortium organizations have nationwide reach, or access to special groups such as persons with languages other than English, and in–depth experience in the type of assistance being offered by Katrina Aid Today.

Katrina Aid Today is sponsored by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) of the United States Department of Homeland Security using donations from the international community.

Katrina Aid Today is administered by the United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR), the humanitarian development agency of the United Methodist Church, which has provided practical support to disaster survivors throughout the world for the past 65 years. We assist people of all religions.

This program is good through 3/08 in the following states after 10/07:

Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Louisiana, Minnesota, Missouri, Mississippi, New York, Oklahoma, Texas and Washington.

You can still contact a local org/agency even if they are no longer a participating state and they will provide resources and referrals for you.

See the article regarding FEMA extension at:

http://www.katrinaaidtoday.org/news_14.cfm

The following is a list of Salvation Army locations partnered with Katrina Aid Today:

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Services offered: Case Management, Hurricane Survivors; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: CAN (Coordinated Assistance Network.); Salvation Army
Updated Oct 13, 2007 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2188

UPS Store (recycling packaging materials)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Recycling
Web www.theupsstore.com/Pages/index.aspx
Service Temporary

UPS Stores accept CLEAN styrofoam peanuts for recycling.

Go to the weblink above and choose "locations" on the upper left.

Services offered: Recycling, Packaging Materials; Recycling, Packaging Materials, Peanuts; Recycling, Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Resource Databases for Supplies/Services (NO FEE); Resource Website for "Green" (incl socially just) Products/ Services; Resource Website for "Green" Living Suggestions
Campaigns: Ending Pollution; Global Warming Relief Supplies/Services
Updated Jun 1, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8515

Waste Management

Walk–in Resource · Open

Company
Service Temporary

9/3/08
http://www.sunherald.com/local/story/787311.html

Waste Management pickup schedule outlined

Waste Management has announced its status report outlining the company's collection updates categorized by county.

Hancock County: Residential household garbage and trash collection is scheduled to resume in unincorporated areas of Hancock County on Monday according to the regular weekly schedule.

Bay St. Louis: Household garbage and trash collection will resume Thursday according to the regular weekly schedule.

Diamondhead: Collection for residents with Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday collection days will occur today. Residents with Thursday or Friday collection days will receive their normal service.

Highway Lakes: Collection will resume today. Garbage collection will return to the regular weekly schedule starting Monday.

Waveland: Household garbage and trash collection will resume Thursday, according to the regular weekly schedule.

Harrison County: The Pecan Grove Landfill is open according to regular operating hours.

Jackson County: In Pascagoula Waste Management will resume hauling to and from the Pascagoula garbage–hauling transfer station today.

Pearl River County: The Central Landfill is open according to regular operating hours.

Poplarville: Residential household garbage will be collected today and Friday. The collection schedule will return to its regular collection schedule, starting Tuesday.

Because of impassable streets in some areas and the expected heavy volume of household garbage, some routes may not be completed on the designated day. In those cases Waste Management will collect any remaining household garbage from the previous day starting the following morning.

Waste Management is not collecting storm debris, which includes rugs, furniture, Sheetrock, wood fencing, tree limbs, bags of clothing, refrigerators, household appliances and roofing materials.

Delta Sanitation pickup schedule outlined

Delta Sanitation has announced all residential collection services will run one day behind this week for Jackson County, Ocean Springs, Gautier, Moss Point and Pascagoula. All residential routes will resume normal schedules beginning Monday.

OLD NOTES:
see: www.wm.com.

The Clarion Ledger reports that the Jackson County number to call for
Waste Management is 601 693 1620.

The following press release seems to be the only info on the site that's applicable.

Customer Information for Louisiana and Mississippi
WASTE MANAGEMENT REPORTS ON HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE COLLECTION
IN SOUTHEAST LOUISIANA
Oct. 10, 2005 – Waste Management of Louisiana LLC is working aggressively in its efforts to collect household garbage following the devastation resulting from Hurricanes Katrina and Rita.
According to Tim Hawkins, Waste Management Market Area Vice President for Louisiana and Mississippi, enormous volumes of household garbage, resulting from the unprecedented events of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita, must be disposed of safely. There is a distinction between the household garbage that Waste Management is collecting and the storm debris, which is being collected by FEMA or other contractors.
"Waste Management is collecting household garbage, such as food refuse, diapers, newspapers and other waste produced during the week, according to the agreements with the parishes and municipalities we serve. Waste Management is not collecting storm debris, which includes rugs, furniture, sheet rock, wood fencing, tree limbs, bags of clothing, refrigerators, household appliances and roofing materials. Parishes and municipalities of southeast Louisiana are coordinating the collection of storm debris independently from Waste Management with other contractors, such as those contracted through FEMA," said Hawkins.
Following is an update of the company's operational status in the areas of southeast Louisiana where Waste Management is performing collection services
OPERATIONAL UPDATE:
VOLUME COLLECTED: Waste Management collected a one–day total of 866.21 tons of household garbage on Thursday, Oct. 6. The approximate normal volume of garbage collected during October 2004 is 638.40 tons.
JEFFERSON PARISH:
Current Collection Schedule: One time per week

Trucks in Operation: 53
Collection Days for Jefferson Parish:
If your first day of regular collection service is Monday, then your current weekly collection day is:
“h Monday for East Bank residents, and
“h Tuesday for West Bank residents.
If your first day of regular collection is Tuesday, then your current weekly collection day is:
“h Wednesday for East Bank residents, and
“h Thursday for West Bank residents.
If your first day of regular collection is Wednesday, then your current weekly collection day is:
“h Friday for East Bank residents, and
“h Saturday for West Bank residents.
Westwego residents will have their garbage collected each Wednesday.
Because of the ongoing heavy volume of household garbage in Jefferson Parish, some routes may not be completed on the designated day. In those cases, Waste Management will collect any remaining household garbage from the previous day, starting the following morning.
CITY OF KENNER:
Current Schedule: Two times per week in the areas assigned to Waste Management by City of Kenner
Trucks in Operation: 10
Areas Completed Oct. 10: The University section of Kenner between Interstate 10, Lake Ponchartrain and Loyola Ave.
Areas Targeted for Completion Oct. 11: The area between Interstate 10 on the north, the Mississippi River on the south, Williams Boulevard on the east and the Kenner city limits on the west.

ST. CHARLES PARISH:
Current Schedule: One time per week
Trucks in Operation: 8
COLLECTION SERVICE UPDATE:
Regular household garbage collection services have resumed or continue in the following areas:
“h Assumption Parish
“h St. James Parish
“h St. John the Baptist Parish
“h St. Tammany Parish
“h Tangipahoa Parish
Additional parish collection updates include:
“h Orleans Parish – As requested by the City of New Orleans, Waste Management suspended all service until further notice. It is unknown when there will be a restoration of residential collection service in the city. Waste Management recommends that interested citizens contact the New Orleans Sanitation Department for additional information. Waste Management's commercial services in Orleans Parish continue as required.
“h St. Bernard Parish – All residential collections services are suspended until further notice.
RECYCLING SERVICES:
Waste Management's recycling services south of Lake Ponchartrain are suspended until further notice.
COLLECTION BACKGROUND:
Waste Management's operations along the Gulf Coast in Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas are functioning with the exception of the hardest hit areas. In addition to resuming residential collection, the company opened the Jefferson Parish landfill within 48 hours of the passing of Hurricane Katrina and continues to operate 13 drop–off sites for garbage for Jefferson Parish residents. Waste Management's other landfills in south Louisiana have operated since Aug. 31.
Waste Management has constructed temporary housing facilities for employees returning to Greater New Orleans.
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CONSUMER INFORMATION – SEPARATING HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE AND STORM DEBRIS
As families return to the areas affected by Hurricane Katrina, Waste Management strongly recommends that all residential customers separate their household garbage, such as food, diapers and regular household waste, from debris created by the storms and their aftermath. We ask that customers bag their household garbage and place it at the curb. Storm debris, including refrigerators, household appliances, bags of clothing, tree limbs, carpet and carpet padding, and wood fencing, should be placed in a separate pile or piles.
Separating household waste from storm debris will allow Waste Management employees to collect your household garbage more quickly and safely, helping prevent foul odors and safety hazards that would be created by mixing your household garbage with storm debris. The separation is also necessary to allow Waste Management to collect household waste and to permit others to collect storm debris in accordance with arrangements made by parishes and municipalities of southeast Louisiana with contractors independent from Waste Management.

Services offered: Cleanup, Trash Pickup, Volunteer Services; Recycling, Recycling Network & Gift Recycling
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