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# 2021 - 2022 COMMUNITY RESOURCE GUIDE

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	Phone	Ages/Grades Served	Costs	Onsite at Schools	Languages
1	713-426-0027 713-827-8266 713-529-6071	Adults ages 18+	Costs vary	No	English, Spanish
2	713-688-6262 281-471-9622	Ages 5-18	Free	No	English, Spanish
3	713-529-0639	Ages 0-6	Free	No	English, Spanish
4	713-869-7376	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish

5	713-227-9981 866-649-5862	Adults ages 18+	Free	No	English, Spanish
	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Ages/Grades Served</b>	<b>Costs</b>	<b>Onsite at Schools</b>	<b>Languages</b>
6	713-961-3993 713-328-0194	All ages	Free	Yes	English, Spanish
7	832-394-6200 832-394-6279	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish, Vietnamese
8	713-739-7514	All ages	Free	No	English
9	713-523-2231	Ages 10-17 and Adults ages 18-20	Free	No	English
10	281-446-2615	All ages	Free	No	English
11	713-641-3247	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish, Vietnamese
12	713-393-4700	Adults ages 18+	Free	No	English, Spanish
13	713-221-6200 713-221-6216	Adults ages 18+	Costs vary	No	English
14	713-696-7900	Adults ages 18+	Free	No	English, Spanish
15	713-578-2059	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish, Vietnamese
16	713-578-2100 877-428-8844	All ages	Costs vary	No	English, Spanish
17	713-394-4000 713-295-2700	Ages 12-17	Free	No	English, Spanish
18	713-260-0377	Adults ages 18+	Costs vary	No	English
19	713-528-6798	Ages 5-17 and Adults ages 18+	Free	No	English, Spanish, others
20	713-842-9771	All ages	Free	No	English
21	713-481-4860	All ages	Free	No	English
22	<b>713-520-0461</b>	Adults ages 18+	Free	No	English
23	713-574-7534	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish
24	713-682-5652 713-682-7556	All ages	Free	No	English
25	281-498-9933	All ages	Free	No	English
26	281-885-4555 281-885-4531 281-885-4567	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish
27	713-691-0900 Ext. 1155	Adults ages 18+	Costs vary	No	English
28	713-739-7752	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish
29	713-739-9201	Ages 1-6	Free	No	English, Spanish
30	713-739-7752	Adults ages 18+	Free	No	English, Spanish
31	713-741-8234	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish
32	713-944-0093	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish
33	713-748-0700 713-222-2220 713-748-7242	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish
34	281-333-2384	Adults ages 35+	Free	No	English
35	713-426-4545	Ages 13-17 and Adults ages 18-19	Costs vary	No	English, French, Spanish
36	713-466-4785	Ages 0-13 and Adults ages 18+	Free	No	English
37	713-650-6530	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish
38	713-658-9205	Adults ages 18-25	Free	No	English, Spanish
39	713-328-1956 713-328-3160	Adults ages 18+	Costs vary	No	English
40	713-223-8131 713-821-8917	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish
41	713-977-9942	All ages	Free	No	English, Spanish
42	713-551-8792	All ages	Free	No	English

## Avenue 360 Health and Wellness

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

Location	Address	Phone	Days/Hours	Bus Routes
Main Campus	2150 West 18th Street, Suite 300, Houston, TX 77008	713-426-0027	Monday-Thursday, 8am-6pm, Friday, 8am-5pm	26
Memorial City	902 Frostwood Drive, Suite 142, Houston, TX 77024	713-827-8266	Monday, 8am-7pm, Tuesday-Friday, 8am-5pm	26, 160, 161, 162
Montrose	1427 Hawthorne Street, Houston, TX 77006	713-529-6071	Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm	56, 82

**Contact:** Gregory Pate, Chief of Community and Support Services

**Fax:** Not available

**Email:** [gpate@beringomega.org](mailto:gpate@beringomega.org)

**Website:** <http://beringomega.org>

**Ages/Grades Served:** Adults ages 18+

**Eligibility:** Requires an appointment before obtaining services. • Focuses on persons who are homeless, on families who are at risk of becoming homeless, and on the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender (LGBT) community. • May require proof of insurance, proof of income, proof of identity, and proof of address. • Requires proof of financial crisis related to inability to pay mortgage, rent, or utilities.

**Costs:** Costs vary. • Some services are free, others charge fees. • Call to ask about specific costs.

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides permanent housing and supportive services to families with histories of homelessness. • Provides a day treatment program and a hospice for persons living with human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) or acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS). • Provides case management (healthcare, housing), counseling, family healthcare, financial assistance, health education, information and referral, mental health therapy, outreach, psychiatry, rapid rehousing, and substance abuse treatment. • Offers testing for hepatitis C and human immunodeficiency virus (HIV).

## Boys and Girls Harbor

**Area Served:** Harris County

Location	Address	Phone	Days/Hours	Bus Routes
Office	8100 Washington Avenue, Suite 120, Houston, TX 77007	713-688-6262	Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm	85
Harbor Campus	514 Bayridge Road, La Porte, TX 77571	281-471-9622	Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day	Not available

**Contact:** Office: Adrianna Strain. • Harbor Campus: Colin Rae III.

**Fax:** 713-688-6887

**Email:** Not available

**Website:** <http://www.boysandgirlsharbor.org>

**Ages/Grades Served:** Ages 5-18

**Eligibility:** Must be a child in crisis. • Must meet age requirements. • Must live in the service area.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides comprehensive residential care for children in crisis and who are experiencing family hardship, neglect, abandonment, or abuse. • Provides counseling, healthcare, recreation, education, shelter, food, and clothing. • Also offers a transitional living program and summer program activities.

## Casa de Esperanza de los Niños Inc.

**Address:** 2911 Corder Street, Building A, Houston, TX 77054

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm

**Contact:** Kathy Foster, Director

**Phone:** 713-529-0639

**Fax:** 713-529-9179

**Email:** Not available

**Website:** <https://www.casahope.org/p-residential-program>

**Local Bus Routes:** 11, 28

**Ages/Grades Served:** Ages 0-6

**Eligibility:** Must meet age requirements. • Must be in a crisis situation at risk of injury, abuse, or neglect.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Offers a safe place for children in crisis due to abuse, neglect, or the effects of human immunodeficiency virus (HIV). • Provides residential care and coordinates medical and psychological care for each child.

## Casa Juan Diego

**Address:** 4818 Rose Street, Houston, TX 77007

**Area Served:** Houston

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Saturday, 9am-4pm

**Contact:** Mark Zwick and Louise Zwick

**Phone:** 713-869-7376

**Fax:** Not available

**Email:** [info@cjed.org](mailto:info@cjed.org)

**Website:** <http://cjed.org/about/what-is-casa-juan-diego>

**Local Bus Routes:** 27, 71, 85

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Must be an immigrant, a refugee, or a low-income person.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Operates a shelter. • Offers help with English as a Second Language (ESL), food, and clothing for guests at its shelter. • Helps immigrant women and children, particularly pregnant or physically battered women and their children. • Helps women whose husbands have been deported.

## Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston

**Address:** 326 South Jensen Drive, Houston, TX 77003

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

**Contact:** Natalie Wood, Vice President of Strengthening Families Services

**Phone:** General questions: 713-227-9981. • Requests for help: 866-649-5862.

**Fax:** 713-526-1546

**Email:** [info@www.catholiccharities.org](mailto:info@www.catholiccharities.org)

**Website:** <http://www.catholiccharities.org/our-services/strengthening-families/basic-needs>

**Local Bus Routes:** 6, 20, 30

**Ages/Grades Served:** Adults ages 18+

**Eligibility:** Requires proof of age, proof of identity, proof of address, and proof of income. • Also requires a cut-off notice for help with utilities. • For rent or mortgage help, some services may require a vacate notice or an eviction notice or status as at least two months behind in payments.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Offers help with shelter. • Offers help with other basic needs such as food and transportation. • Also offers referrals to community resources, intensive case management, employment and financial assistance, counseling, and education about human immunodeficiency virus (HIV).

### Christian Community Service Center Inc.

**Area Served:** Houston ZIP Codes: 77031, 77036, 77072, and 77074.

Location	Address	Phone	Days/Hours	Bus Routes
Central	3434 Branard Street, Houston, TX 77027	713-961-3993	Monday-Friday, 10am-2pm, Saturday, 9am-12pm	25, 82, 84
Southwest	6856 Bellaire Boulevard, Houston, TX 77074	713-328-0194	Monday-Tuesday, 10am-1pm, Thursday- Friday, 10am-1pm, Saturday, 9am-12pm	2, 9, 47
Resale Shop	5413 Bellaire Boulevard, Bellaire, TX 77401	713-665-4000	Monday-Saturday, 10am-5pm	33, 65

**Contact:** Michelle Shonbeck, Executive Director

**Days/Hours:**

**Fax:** 713-961-1548

**Email:** [ccsc@ccschouston.org](mailto:ccsc@ccschouston.org)

**Website:** <https://www.ccschouston.org/emergencyservicescentral>

**Ages/Grades Served:** Basic Needs: All ages. • School Supplies: Grades PK-8.

**Eligibility:** Offers help on a first come, first served basis. • Requires an appointment for help with rent or utilities. • Limits its food pantry assistance to a five-day supply of food.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** Yes. • Offers a vision care program at several HISD elementary schools.

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides help with rent or utility payments. • Also provides help with food and clothing. • Food pantry offers food for persons who are hungry or food insecure. • Provides referrals to social services for childcare, healthcare, and housing assistance. • Provides back to school supplies and vouchers for a new school uniform and/or shoes.

### City of Houston – Fair Housing Office Hotline

**Address:** 901 Bagby Street, Houston, TX 77002

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

**Contact:** Neal Rackleff, Director

**Phone:** Office: 832-394-6279. • Hotline: 832-394-6200.

**Fax:** Not available

**Email:** General questions: [311@houstontx.gov](mailto:311@houstontx.gov). • Programs: [hcdd@houstontx.gov](mailto:hcdd@houstontx.gov).

**Website:** [http://www.houstontx.gov/housing/fair\\_housing.html](http://www.houstontx.gov/housing/fair_housing.html)

**Local Bus Routes:** 40, 85, 162, 219

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Hotline is open to the general public within the service area.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish, Vietnamese

**Direct Services:** Helps residents with complaints of possible discrimination in the rental of an apartment or the purchase of a home based on race, color, religion, national origin, sex, family status, or disability. • Provides complaint forms, handbooks, and counseling.



## Coalition for the Homeless of Houston/Harris County

**Address:** 600 Jefferson Street, Suite 2050, Houston, TX 77002

**Area Served:** Harris County

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm. • Information and Referral: Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day.

**Contact:** Eva Thibaudeau, Director of Programs

**Phone:** 713-739-7514

**Fax:** 713-739-8038

**Email:** [ethibaudeau@homelesshouston.org](mailto:ethibaudeau@homelesshouston.org)

**Website:** <http://www.homelesshouston.org>

**Local Bus Routes:** 85, 162

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Information about homelessness is available to the general public.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** Yes. • Speakers present about homelessness at schools and to parent groups.

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Advocates for preventing and ending homelessness. • Provides information about shelter, specialized housing, licensed care homes, and assistance programs. • Offers a guide to shelters. • Publishes reports about homeless school children in Houston. • Offers speakers about homelessness and related issues.

## Covenant House Texas

**Address:** 1111 Lovett Boulevard, Houston, TX 77006

**Area Served:** Harris County

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day

**Contact:** Victor Hay, Community Services Director

**Phone:** 713-523-2231

**Fax:** Not available

**Email:** [vhay@covenanthousetx.org](mailto:vhay@covenanthousetx.org)

**Website:** <https://www.covenanthousetx.org/Programs>

**Local Bus Routes:** 56, 82

**Ages/Grades Served:** Ages 10-17 and adults ages 18-20

**Eligibility:** Must be a homeless or runaway youth and must be ages 10-20.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** Yes. • Speakers present at schools and other places.

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides a crisis shelter. • Also provides mental health counseling, psychiatric evaluations, and treatment referrals. • Offers walk-in services, free medical care, comprehensive case management, substance abuse counseling, educational and vocational training, and life skills training. • Provides programs for aftercare, permanent housing, runaway prevention, street outreach, and transitional living.

## Family Time Crisis and Counseling Center

**Address:** 1203 South Houston Avenue, Humble, TX 77338

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm. • Hotline: Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day.

**Contact:** Christina Allen, Executive Director

**Phone:** Hotline: 281-446-2615.

**Fax:** 281-446-3691

**Email:** Not available

**Website:** <http://www.familytimeccc.org/family-violence>

**Local Bus Routes:** Not available

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Must be a victim of domestic violence.

**Costs:** Free



**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Provides emergency shelter for victims of domestic violence and their children, individual and group counseling to families, and help through its 24-hour hotline. • Helps victims obtain legal, medical, transportation, housing, employment services. • Also helps victims to apply for compensation for crime victims.

### Greater Houston Fair Housing Center

**Address:** 2626 South Loop West, Suite 406, Houston, TX 77001

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

**Contact:** Daniel Bustamante, Executive Director

**Phone:** Office: 713-641-3247. • Spanish Outreach: 832-985-1444. • Vietnamese Outreach: 832-985-1438.

**Fax:** 713-862-0909

**Email:** [houstonfairhousing@swbell.net](mailto:houstonfairhousing@swbell.net) or [EDU@HoustonFairHousing.org](mailto:EDU@HoustonFairHousing.org) or

[EDUviet@HoustonFairHousing.org](mailto:EDUviet@HoustonFairHousing.org)

**Website:** <http://www.houstonfairhousing.org>

**Local Bus Routes:** 14, 84

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Advocates for persons who complain of housing discrimination based on race, color, national origin, religion, sex, familial status, or disability or handicap.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish, Vietnamese

**Direct Services:** Provides an online housing discrimination complaint form. • Protects individuals and families from discrimination when they seek to rent, buy, or secure financing for any housing.

### Gulf Coast Community Services Association

**Address:** 9320 Kirby Drive, Houston, TX 77054

**Area Served:** Harris County

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

**Contact:** Sue Kriegel, Executive Assistant

**Phone:** 713-393-4700

**Fax:** 713-343-8701

**Email:** [info@gccsa.org](mailto:info@gccsa.org)

**Website:** <https://www.gccsa.org/emergency-assistance-2/rental-assistance>

**Local Bus Routes:** 700 (METRO rail), 8

**Ages/Grades Served:** Adults ages 18+

**Eligibility:** Requires proof of identity, proof of residence in Harris County, and proof of income. • Must have a vacate notice and must meet federal income guidelines for poverty. • Must enter into a service agreement.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides help with paying rent or utilities. • Also provides classes for computer literacy, computer skills, conversational Spanish, English as a Second Language (ESL), and General Education Development (GED).

### Harmony House Inc.

**Address:** 602 Girard Street, Houston, TX 77007

**Area Served:** Harris County

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day

**Contact:** Timothy Johnson, Chief Executive Officer

**Phone:** 713-221-6200 or 713-221-6216

**Fax:** 713-237-1715

**Email:** Not available

**Website:** <http://www.harmonyhouse.org>

**Local Bus Routes:** 44, 85, 161, 214, 219

**Ages/Grades Served:** Adults ages 18+

**Eligibility:** Must be a male. • Must be homeless and employed.

**Costs:** Costs vary. • Requires a weekly fee for lodging. • Call to ask about specific costs.

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Provides a dormitory-style shelter. • Provides free access to a primary care medical clinic, a pharmacy, a dietician, counseling for substance abuse and anger management, and referrals to social services. • Also provides respite housing for homeless men who have been released from hospital with an acute injury or a serious medical illness.

### Harris County Community Services Department – Office of Social Services

**Address:** 9418 Jensen Drive, Houston, TX 77093

**Area Served:** Harris County

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

**Contact:** No contact person

**Phone:** 713-696-7900

**Fax:** Not available

**Email:** [HRC@csd.hctx.net](mailto:HRC@csd.hctx.net)

**Website:** <http://www.csd.hctx.net>

**Local Bus Routes:** 14, 84

**Ages/Grades Served:** Adults ages 18+

**Eligibility:** Requires proof of residence, proof of citizenship, proof of identity, and proof of income. • Requires a house deed, a lease agreement, or a housing contract, proof of past management of bills and rent, a current bank statement, and verification of other assistance.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish, Vietnamese

**Direct Services:** Provides help for residents with utility payment emergencies and help for residents who have received vacate premises or eviction notices. • Provides help with burial services for indigent residents. • Also provides help for veterans related to compensation, education, health, insurance, and pensions.

### Harris County Housing and Community Resource Center – Home Repair Program

**Address:** 8410 Lantern Point Drive, Houston, TX 77054

**Area Served:** Harris County

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm. • Helpline: Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day.

**Contact:** Not available

**Phone:** Office: 713-578-2059. • Helpline: 713-578-2055.

**Fax:** 713-578-2192

**Email:** [HRC@csd.hctx.net](mailto:HRC@csd.hctx.net)

**Website:** <http://www.housingandcommunityresources.net/home-repair/harris-county>

**Local Bus Routes:** 14, 84

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Provides information about housing and emergency services in Harris County, regardless of income. • Some services may require proof of residence, proof of age, proof of disability, proof of income, and proof of assets.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish, Vietnamese

**Direct Services:** Offers help with minor home repairs, major home rehabilitation, home reconstruction, or health and safety improvements. • Links families to emergency help for rent or mortgage or bills for gas, electricity, phone, or water, and to sources of transitional and long-term housing and support. • Offers guidance about proof of need, proof of income, proof of identity, proof of disability, and other topics. • Links persons to financial literacy programs. • Provides Resource Navigators to help persons who are having a hard time finding enough resources.

### Harris County Housing Authority

**Address:** 8933 Interchange Drive, Houston, TX 77054

**Area Served:** Harris County

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm. • Appointments: Monday-Thursday, 8am-5pm.

**Contact:** Timika Simmons, Director of Public Affairs

**Phone:** General questions: 713-578-2100. • Housing navigator: 877-428-8844.

**Fax:** 713-669-4594

**Email:** [hcha@hchatexas.org](mailto:hcha@hchatexas.org)

**Website:** <http://hchatexas.org>

**Local Bus Routes:** 700 (METRO rail), 8, 84

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Must qualify for low-income housing assistance. • Requires proof of income and proof of identity.

**Costs:** Costs vary. • Housing choice voucher program is free. • Charges a fee for voucher portability. • Call to ask about specific costs.

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides an online database of affordable rental housing and operates a housing choice voucher program. • Publishes a Help Card that lists area providers of services to homeless persons.

### Harris County Protective Services for Children and Adults – Kinder Emergency Shelter

**Address:** 6300 Chimney Rock Road, Houston, TX 77081

**Area Served:** Harris County

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm. • Shelter: Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day.

**Contact:** Estella Olguin, Community Relations Director

**Phone:** General questions: 713-394-4000. • Shelter: 713-295-2700.

**Fax:** 713-295-2718

**Email:** Not available

**Website:** <http://hcps.harriscountytexas.gov/Our-Services/Youth-Services/Kinder-Emergency-Shelter>

**Local Bus Routes:** 33, 49

**Ages/Grades Served:** Ages 12-17

**Eligibility:** Shelter youth must attend the Excel Academy School (Juvenile Probation Charter School) located within the shelter.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Offers individual, family, and group counseling. • Provides meals and snacks in the shelter dining room. • Also provides intake physicals, minor medical care, emergency care, and dental care. • Provides arts and crafts, organized sports, and off-campus cultural events for shelter youth.

### Housing Authority of Houston

**Address:** 2640 Fountain View Drive, Suite 400, Houston, TX 77057

**Area Served:** Houston

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm. • Public housing applications: Monday-Thursday, 8am-4pm.

**Contact:** Adult services: Angenette Tousant. • Youth services: Demeshia Conley. • Family services: Gilda Jackson.

**Phone:** General questions: 713-260-0501. • Customer service: 713-260-0377.

**Fax:** 713-260-0805

**Email:** Adult services: [atousant@housingforhouston.com](mailto:atousant@housingforhouston.com). • Youth services: [dconley@housingforhouston.com](mailto:dconley@housingforhouston.com). • Family services: [gjackson@housingforhouston.com](mailto:gjackson@housingforhouston.com).

**Website:** <http://www.housingforhouston.com>

**Local Bus Routes:** 32, 49, 82

**Ages/Grades Served:** Adults ages 18+

**Eligibility:** Requires proof of identity, proof of income, proof of age, and proof of Medicaid or Medicare status. • Accepts housing applications only at the central office. • Requires appointments for visits to the Housing Choice Voucher Program office.

**Costs:** Costs vary. • Client pays no more than 30% of income toward rent. • Call to ask about specific costs.

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Provides affordable housing options to low-income families. • Programs include housing choice vouchers, voucher portability, and public housing. • Operates a neighborhood resource center for residents.

### Houston Area Women's Center

**Address:** 1010 Waugh Drive, Houston, TX 77019

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-9pm, Saturday 8:30am-5:30pm. • Hotlines and Shelter: Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day.

**Contact:** Sonia Corrales, Chief Program Officer

**Phone:** Office: 713-528-6798. • Domestic Violence Hotline: 713-528-2121. • Rape Crisis Hotline: 713-528-7273. • If a caller is in immediate danger, call 911.

**Fax:** 713-535-6363

**Email:** [info@hawc.org](mailto:info@hawc.org)

**Website:** <http://www.hawc.org/en/our-services/domestic-violence-services>

**Local Bus Routes:** 40, 41

**Ages/Grades Served:** Ages 5-17 and adults ages 18+

**Eligibility:** Focuses on persons affected by domestic and sexual violence. • Must be a victim or survivor of domestic violence (adults ages 18+); a victim or survivor of sexual assault, incest, sexual abuse, sexual harassment, or sex trafficking (children ages 5-17, adults ages 18+); a victim of dating violence (pre-teens, teens, adults ages 18+); or a child who has witnessed domestic violence (children ages 6-18).

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish, and 200+ other languages available through the Language Line

**Direct Services:** Offers emergency rides to shelter and shelter. • Also offers assessment and intake, counseling, referrals, and advocacy to support its clients.

### Houston Furniture Bank

**Address:** 8220 Mosley Road, Houston, TX 77075

**Area Served:** Houston

**Days/Hours:** Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-4pm

**Contact:** Oli Mohammed, Executive Director

**Phone:** 713-842-9771

**Fax:** Not available

**Email:** [info@houstonfurniturebank.org](mailto:info@houstonfurniturebank.org)

**Website:** <http://houstonfurniturebank.org>

**Local Bus Routes:** 244, 246, 249

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Requires referral from one of 80+ local agencies.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Distributes home furnishings to individuals and families through 80+ local agencies.

### LINC Community Services Inc.

**Address:** 1504 Johnson Street, Houston, TX 77007

**Area Served:** Houston

**Days/Hours:** Monday, 9am-3pm, Wednesday, 9am-3pm, Friday, 9am-3pm

**Contact:** Matthew Schultz, Director of Operations

**Phone:** 713-481-4860

**Fax:** Not available

**Email:** [mschulz@linchouston.org](mailto:mschulz@linchouston.org)

**Website:** <http://linchouston.org/community>

**Local Bus Routes:** 44, 85

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Must be an individual or a family in need.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Provides help with clothing, food, furniture, home repairs, and other basic human needs.

### Magnificat House – Miryams Hostel

**Address:** 3300 Caroline Street, Houston, TX 77004

**Area Served:** Houston

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm. • Intake: Monday-Friday, 3:30pm-4:30pm.

**Contact:** Sister Magdalena, Intake Worker, or Deacon Martin, Housing Coordinator

**Phone:** 713-520-0461

**Fax:** 713-520-0461

**Email:** [info@magnificathouses.net](mailto:info@magnificathouses.net)

**Website:** <http://www.magnificathousesinc.org/Miryams.html>

**Local Bus Routes:** 700 (METRO rail), 11

**Ages/Grades Served:** Adults ages 18+

**Eligibility:** Must be a homeless woman. • Provides beds on a first come, first served basis.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Provides emergency overnight shelter for homeless women. • Offers a clean, comfortable, and safe place for up to four nights, showers, clothing, warm meals, and referrals to long-term shelters and drug abuse clinics.

### Memorial Assistance Ministries

**Address:** 1625 Blalock Road, Houston, TX 77080

**Area Served:** Houston ZIP Codes: 77008, 77009, 77018, 77022, 77024, 77037, 77039, 77040, 77041, 77043, 77055, 77076, 77079, 77080, 77088, 77091, and 77092.

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm

**Contact:** Georgia Kimmel, Director of Client Programs

**Phone:** General questions: 713-468-4516. • Programs: 713-574-7534.

**Fax:** 713-468-4702

**Email:** [gkimmel@maministries.org](mailto:gkimmel@maministries.org)

**Website:** <http://www.maministries.org/services>

**Local Bus Routes:** 26

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Requires proof of identity and proof of residence.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Offers temporary support for families to meet basic needs: shelter, clothing, food, transportation, and urgent health care. • Offers classes for citizenship, English as a Second Language (ESL), and General Education Development (GED). • Also helps with job searches and employment.

### Ministry Assistance of the Near Northwest Alliance

**Address:** 2101 West 34th Street, Houston, TX 77018

**Area Served:** Houston ZIP Codes: 77007, 77008, 77009, 77018, 77022, 77037, 77038, 77040, 77076, 77086, 77088, 77091, and 77092.

**Days/Hours:** Assistance Program: Monday, 8am-11am. • Food Pantry: Monday, 8am-11am, Tuesday, 9:30am-11:30am, and Thursday, 9:30am-11:30am. • Clothing Resale Store: Monday-Saturday, 10am-5pm.

**Contact:** Patricia Dornak, Executive Director

**Phone:** Assistance Program: 713-682-5652. • Food Pantry: 713-682-7556.

**Fax:** Not available

**Email:** [pdornak@gmail.com](mailto:pdornak@gmail.com)

**Website:** <https://www.facebook.com/pg/Ministry-Assistance-of-the-Near-Northwest-Alliance-326025907511224/about>

**Local Bus Routes:** 36

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** No area restrictions. • Must be a family or individual who is in a temporary crisis and needs help in order to avoid becoming homeless. • Must provide proof of financial need. • Must have an eviction notice and/or a cut-off notice for utilities (electricity, gas, and/or water).

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Provides financial help with rent or mortgage and utilities. • Also provides a food pantry and emergency vouchers for clothing.

### My Brother's Keeper Outreach Center

**Address:** 12621 Bissonnet Street, Houston, TX 77099

**Area Served:** Harris County and Fort Bend County

**Days/Hours:** Monday, 10am-2pm, Wednesday, 10am-2pm, Friday, 10am-2pm

**Contact:** Renae Nelson, Executive Director

**Phone:** 281-498-9933

**Fax:** Not available

**Email:** [info@mybkoutreach.org](mailto:info@mybkoutreach.org)

**Website:** <http://www.mybkoutreach.org/services-programs.php>

**Local Bus Routes:** 65, 67

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Requires proof of income and proof of residence. • Requires a phone call to set an appointment for financial help with rent or utilities. • Provides help on a first come, first served basis.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Provides emergency financial help with rent or mortgage and utilities. • Operates a food pantry. • Offers basic computer classes in Microsoft Office applications. • Distributes back-to-school supplies to students who are registered in the Inspiring Minds School Supply Program.



## Northwest Assistance Ministries – Interfaith Hospitality Network

**Address:** 15555 Kuykendahl Road, Houston, TX 77090

**Area Served:** Houston ZIP Codes: 77014, 77032, 77038, 77050, 77060, 77066, 77067, 77068, 77069, 77070, 77073, 77086, 77090, 77373, 77379, 77386, 77388, and 77389.

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Thursday, 8am-5pm, Friday, 8am-4pm

**Contact:** Becky Landes, Vice President of Program Services

**Phone:** General questions: 281-885-4555. • Housing: 281-885-4531. • Shelter network: 281-885-4567.

**Fax:** 281-583-5621

**Email:** [nam@namonline.org](mailto:nam@namonline.org)

**Website:** <http://namonline.org/get-help/assistance-housing-services>

**Local Bus Routes:** 86, 99

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Requires proof of income and proof of residence. • Must live in Harris County. • Must be a homeless family that includes children.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides shelter for families with children facing homelessness. • Helps adults to develop job search skills. • Provides financial help with rent or mortgage, help finding affordable housing, case management, and referrals. • Helps families address the issues that lead to their becoming homeless. • Provides help with one month of rent or mortgage payments in emergency situations.

## Santa Maria Hostel Inc.

**Address:** 2605 Parker Road, Houston, TX 77093

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

**Contact:** Erin Martin

**Phone:** 713-691-0900

**Fax:** 713-691-0910

**Email:** [emartin@santamariahhostel.org](mailto:emartin@santamariahhostel.org)

**Website:** <http://santamariahhostel.org/services/emergencysshelter.html>

**Local Bus Routes:** 6, 80

**Ages/Grades Served:** Adults ages 18+

**Eligibility:** Must be a woman. • Must meet age requirements. • Must be homeless, at risk of becoming homeless, or fleeing domestic violence situations.

**Costs:** Costs vary. • Call to ask about specific costs.

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Provides safe housing and three daily meals for up to 90 days. • Provides access to primary healthcare, mental health services, and treatment for substance abuse disorders. • Offers case management and recovery support. • Helps with finding long-term housing and with life skills, job readiness skills, job searches, and transportation.

## SEARCH – Homeless Services

**Address:** 2015 Congress Avenue, Houston, TX 77002

**Area Served:** Houston

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

**Contact:** Alexis Loving, Team Lead, Engagement Services

**Phone:** 713-739-7752

**Fax:** 713-739-9201

**Email:** [info@SEARCHhomeless.org](mailto:info@SEARCHhomeless.org)



**Website:** <http://www.searchhomeless.org/programs/house>

**Local Bus Routes:** 800 (METRO rail), 900 (METRO rail), 6, 30

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Requires proof of homeless status.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides case management and placement in affordable housing. • Helps with furnishings, rent, utilities, and security deposits.

### SEARCH – House of Tiny Treasures

**Address:** 1529 Lombardy Street, Houston, TX 77023

**Area Served:** Houston: East End

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm. • Shelter: Monday-Friday, 8am-4pm.

**Contact:** Mitzi Bartlett

**Phone:** 713-923-7938

**Fax:** 713-739-9201 (SEARCH office only)

**Email:** [info@searchhomeless.org](mailto:info@searchhomeless.org)

**Website:** <http://www.searchhomeless.org/programs/educate>

**Local Bus Routes:** 40, 41

**Ages/Grades Served:** Ages 1-6

**Eligibility:** Families with preschool-aged children must be homeless. • Parents must be actively working on improving their education, job skills, or employment. • Must become enrolled to get shelter assistance.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Helps families living in area shelters and in other housing programs to become and remain self-sufficient. • Provides nutritious meals, education, and intensive art, play, and speech therapy for young children while their parents attend classes and begin working.

### SEARCH – Resource Center

**Address:** 2505 Fannin Street, Houston, TX 77002

**Area Served:** Houston

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm. • Shelter: Monday-Thursday, 8am-4pm, Friday, 8am-12pm. • New clients or re-enrollments: Monday-Thursday, 8am-10:30am.

**Contact:** Alexis Loving, Team Lead, Engagement Services

**Phone:** 713-739-7752

**Fax:** 713-739-9201 (SEARCH office only)

**Email:** General questions: [info@SEARCHhomeless.org](mailto:info@SEARCHhomeless.org). • Programs: [aloving@SEARCHhomeless.org](mailto:aloving@SEARCHhomeless.org).

**Website:** <http://www.searchhomeless.org/programs/engage>

**Local Bus Routes:** 700 (METRO rail), 54, 85, 162

**Ages/Grades Served:** Primarily adults ages 18+

**Eligibility:** Requires status as a client for some services. • May require proof of homelessness.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides day shelter services only. • As a day shelter, the Resource Center does not directly provide any overnight housing. • Offers case management and referrals to medical care, dental care, and employment assistance.

## Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

**Address:** 2403 Holcombe Boulevard, Houston, TX 77021

**Area Served:** Houston ZIP Codes: 77002, 77003, 77004, 77009, 77016, 77017, 77018, 77021, 77023, 77024, 77026, 77028, 77029, 77037, 77038, 77039, 77048, 77051, 77053, 77056, 77071, 77080, 77088, 77092, 77096, and 77098.

**Days/Hours:** Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-5pm

**Contact:** Not available

**Phone:** 713-741-8234

**Fax:** 713-741-3639

**Email:** [svdpwebsite@svdphouston.org](mailto:svdpwebsite@svdphouston.org)

**Website:** <http://www.svdphouston.org/services/voucher-ministry>

**Local Bus Routes:** 11, 298

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Provides referrals by ZIP code to its resale shops. • Must call the main office for assistance.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Offers help with rent and utilities. • Provides help with clothing, food, furniture, and transportation. • Provides medical, emotional, and spiritual support. • Operates a regional network of 34 food pantries and two food depots in local neighborhoods.

## Southeast Area Ministries

**Address:** 2102 Houston Boulevard, South Houston, TX 77587

**Area Served:** Houston ZIP Codes: 77017, 77034, 77061, 77075, 77087, 77089, and 77504, and South Houston ZIP Code: 77587.

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Thursday, 9:30am-1:30pm

**Contact:** Daer Platt, Director of Operations

**Phone:** 713-944-0093

**Fax:** 713-944-2157

**Email:** [southeministries@sbcglobal.net](mailto:southeministries@sbcglobal.net)

**Website:** <http://southeastareaministries.com/programs>

**Local Bus Routes:** 76

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Requires an initial interview, proof of identity, and proof of address. • Also requires a cut-off notice or eviction notice for help with rent or utilities.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides financial help for housing and utilities. • Also provides help with food and household items, school clothing and supplies, and prescriptions, and limited gas vouchers. • Makes referrals to a cooperative network.

## Star of Hope – Women and Family Shelters

**Area Served:** Houston

Location	Address	Phone	Hours	Bus Routes
Office	6897 Ardmore Street, Houston, TX 77054	713-748-0700	Monday-Friday, 8:30am-5pm	28, 87
Transitional Living Center for Women and Families	6801 Ardmore Street, Houston, TX 77054	713-748-7242	Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day	28, 87

Location	Address	Phone	Hours	Bus Routes
Women and Family Emergency Shelter	419 Dowling Street, Houston, TX 77003	713-222-2220	Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day	800 (METRO rail), 900 (METRO rail)

**Contact:** Henry Rush, President and Chief Executive Officer

**Fax:** 713-748-5941

**Email:** [info@sohmission.org](mailto:info@sohmission.org)

**Website:** <http://www.sohmission.org/our-services/women-and-family-emergency-shelter>

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** No area restrictions. • Requires referral letter or eviction notice, proof of identity, proof of residency, and proof of marriage, if married. • Must be homeless, unemployed, able to work fulltime, not in school, and not pregnant beyond the first three months. • May apply other criteria regarding children, mental health status, and substance abuse status. • Allows a stay of up to 90 days at the Emergency Shelter. • Transitional Living Center requires formal screening of applicants.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Emergency Shelter provides safe shelter. • Offers housing referrals, a medical clinic, a licensed day care, a pre-school area, a teen activity room, and a computer learning center as well as tutoring for school-aged children, bus tokens for school children, and clothing and supplies for school. • Transitional Living Center also offers counseling resources and classes for Adult Basic Education (ABE) and General Education Development (GED).

### The Beacon at the Dunn Center

**Address:** 1212 Prairie Street, Houston, TX 77002

**Area Served:** Houston

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Thursday, 9am-4pm, Friday, 9am-12pm

**Contact:** Ann Savage, Intake Coordinator

**Phone:** 281-333-2384

**Fax:** 281-333-2385

**Email:** [asavage@beaconhomeless.org](mailto:asavage@beaconhomeless.org)

**Website:** <http://www.helpthebeacon.com>

**Local Bus Routes:** 700 (METRO rail), 800 (METRO rail), 900 (METRO rail), 82

**Ages/Grades Served:** Adults ages 35+

**Eligibility:** Must be a woman ages 35+ to be eligible for transitional shelter.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English. Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides meals, showers, and laundry at a day shelter for the chronically homeless. • Offers legal services for homeless, low-income individuals and communities. • Offers transitional housing for homeless, non-violent women who have been in prison or jail. • Offers primary healthcare, psychiatric treatment, and mental health counseling for persons who have been living on the street.

### The Center for Success and Independence

**Address:** 3722 Pinemont Drive, Houston, TX 77018

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day

**Contact:** Robert Woods, Executive Director

**Phone:** 713-426-4545

**Fax:** 713-426-4747

**Email:** [care4@tcsi.org](mailto:care4@tcsi.org)

**Website:** <http://tcsi.org/programs>

**Local Bus Routes:** 30, 45

**Ages/Grades Served:** Ages 13-17 and adults ages 18-19

**Eligibility:** No area restrictions.

**Costs:** Costs vary. • Accepts most private insurance plans and self-pay. • Call to ask about specific costs.

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, French, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Offers three- to six-month residential treatment and therapy for teenagers with substance abuse and mental health issues.

#### The Mission of Yahweh Inc.

**Address:** 10247 Algiers Road, Houston, TX 77041

**Area Served:** Shelter: Harris County. • Food Pantry: Houston ZIP Code 77041 only.

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm. • Shelter: Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day.

**Contact:** Barbara Moore, Residential Director

**Phone:** 713-466-4785

**Fax:** 713-466-3480

**Email:** [barbara.moore@missionofyahweh.org](mailto:barbara.moore@missionofyahweh.org)

**Website:** <http://www.missionofyahweh.org/programs>

**Local Bus Routes:** 46

**Ages/Grades Served:** Women: Adults ages 18+. • Boys: Ages 0-8. • Girls: Ages 0-13.

**Eligibility:** Shelter is for homeless women and children only. • Children must be eligible ages.

**Costs:** Free. • Clients must agree to volunteer for 20 hours/week or for 10 hours/week if working part-time.

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Provides shelter, food, and clothing. • Offers help with character development, computer training, counseling, job readiness, life skills, and parenting skills. • Offers financial education on budgeting, checking accounts, and credit management. • Provides backpacks of back-to-school supplies to low-income children in the neighborhood.

#### The Salvation Army Greater Houston Area Command – Family Residence Shelter

**Address:** 1603 McGowen Street, Houston, TX 77004

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-4:30pm. • Shelter: Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day.

**Contact:** Charmaine Smith, Director

**Phone:** 713-650-6530

**Fax:** 713-650-0901

**Email:** [charmaine\\_smith@uss.salvationarmyhouston.org](mailto:charmaine_smith@uss.salvationarmyhouston.org)

**Website:** <http://www.salvationarmyhouston.org/shelters>

**Local Bus Routes:** 700 (METRO rail), 11, 44, 85

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** No area restrictions. • Must be a homeless single woman with children.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** The Family Residence provides shelter for adult single women with families. • Offers classes and counseling designed to address the underlying causes of homelessness and facilitate healing.

#### The Salvation Army Greater Houston Area Command – Young Adult Resource Center

**Address:** 2403 Caroline Street, Houston, TX 77002

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-4:30pm. • Shelter: Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day.

**Contact:** Rafael Sarango, Program Manager

**Phone:** 713-658-9205

**Fax:** Not available

**Email:** [rafael.sarango@uss.salvationarmyhouston.org](mailto:rafael.sarango@uss.salvationarmyhouston.org)

**Website:** <http://salvationarmyhouston.org/yarc>

**Local Bus Routes:** 700 (METRO rail), 11, 85, 161, 162

**Ages/Grades Served:** Adults ages 18-25

**Eligibility:** No area restrictions. • Must be a homeless young adult.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides temporary shelter, respite, emergency meals, job coaching, recovery coaching, tutoring, and community re-engagement. • Provides information and referral to community resources for long-term housing, education, and job training.

### The Women's Home

**Address:** 607 Westheimer Road, Houston, TX 77006

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm. • Shelter: Monday-Sunday, 24 hours/day.

**Contact:** Staci Young, Director of Programs and Training

**Phone:** Office: 713-328-1956. • Programs: 713-328-3160.

**Fax:** Not available

**Email:** [syoung@thewomenshome.org](mailto:syoung@thewomenshome.org)

**Website:** <https://www.thewomenshome.org/treatment-and-transitional-housing>

**Local Bus Routes:** 56, 82

**Ages/Grades Served:** Adults ages 18+

**Eligibility:** Focuses on homeless women who are in crisis coping with addictions and mental illness.

**Costs:** Costs vary. • Accepts most private insurance plans and self-pay. • Call to ask about specific costs.

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Provides intensive and supportive treatment for substance abuse and mental illness. • Offers transitional housing, case management, individual and group therapy, referrals to social services, and aftercare resources.

### Wesley Community Center

**Address:** 1410 Lee Street, Houston, TX 77009

**Area Served:** Greater Houston

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm. • Appointments: Monday-Thursday, 9am-5pm.

**Contact:** John Reyes, Director of Community Services

**Phone:** Office: 713-223-8131. • Appointments: 713-821-8917.

**Fax:** 713-225-3449

**Email:** General questions: [info@wesleyhousehouston.org](mailto:info@wesleyhousehouston.org). • Emergency assistance:

[jreyes@wesleyhousehouston.org](mailto:jreyes@wesleyhousehouston.org).

**Website:** <http://www.wesleyhousehouston.org/our-agency/adult-and-family-services>

**Local Bus Routes:** 700 (METRO rail), 51, 52, 66

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Requires a lease vacate or eviction notice, or a disconnect notice. • Also requires proof of residence, proof of emergency, and proof of individuals in the household. • Requires an appointment. • Must call for appointments on Fridays only.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Provides emergency help with rent and utilities. • Provides case management and referrals to other community agencies.

## West Houston Assistance Ministries

**Address:** 10501 Meadowglen Lane, Houston, TX 77042

**Area Served:** Houston ZIP Codes: 77042, 77057, 77063, 77077, and 77082.

**Days/Hours:** Office: Monday-Friday, 10am-1pm. • Food pantry: Saturday, 10am-1pm.

**Contact:** Shirley Downing, Executive Director

**Phone:** Office: 713-977-9942. • Food pantry: 713-795-2880.

**Fax:** 713-783-0761

**Email:** General questions: [wham@whamministries.org](mailto:wham@whamministries.org). • Programs: [shirley.downing@whamministries.org](mailto:shirley.downing@whamministries.org).

**Website:** <http://whamministries.org/financial-assistance>

**Local Bus Routes:** 25, 82, 161

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Requires proof of identity, proof of income, proof of residence, and documentation of crisis. • Must live in the service area and must pre-register for assistance. • Requires an appointment.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English, Spanish

**Direct Services:** Helps with mortgage, rent, and utilities. • Also helps with clothing, food, household items, transportation, and prescriptions, and operates a job lab. • Provides students with back-to-school supplies required for school. • Offers classes for adult literacy and English as a Second Language (ESL).

## Windsor Village Social Services

**Address:** 6011 West Orem Drive, Houston, TX 77085

**Area Served:** Harris County

**Days/Hours:** Assistance: Tuesday-Thursday, 9am-12pm. • Calls for appointments: Monday, 8am-11am.

**Contact:** Not available

**Phone:** Office: 713-723-8187. • Appointments: 713-551-8792.

**Fax:** 713-728-9923

**Email:** [info@wvumc.com](mailto:info@wvumc.com)

**Website:** <http://www.kingdombuilders.com/health-social-services>

**Local Bus Routes:** 49

**Ages/Grades Served:** All ages

**Eligibility:** Must call on a Monday for an appointment for emergency help. • Requires proof of identity and proof of income for help with food. • Also requires proof of having a lease or a mortgage and proof of eviction or late notices. • Limits help with utilities, rent, and mortgage payments to one time each calendar year.

**Costs:** Free

**Onsite at Schools:** No

**Languages:** English

**Direct Services:** Provides emergency help with utilities, rent, and mortgage payments • Also provides emergency help with food.