

# SUPPORTIVE SERVICES GUIDE



## INTRODUCTION

## **USING THIS GUIDE**

We know that, for many, DC offers little

finding the right housing for you.

to no affordable housing. These are some

additional resources available to assist with

Sometimes limited funding is available for

certain populations (dependent on HIV

status or income) to provide short-term assistance with utilities, rent, or other expenses. Funding is not guaranteed.

For when a person needs a place to stay

that night or in the immediate future.

that have the capacity to help with

Housing is often separated by gender.

These are community-based organizations

housing searches, goal-setting, obtaining

These organizations provide medical case

HIV. Specific services differ from agency to

management to DC residents living with

Organizations listed include options for

food pick-up/pantry services (like groceries)

available on a monthly basis or hot meals/

scheduled meals on a daily basis. NOTE: You can call the Hunger Lifeline to locate services nearest to you: 202.644.9807,

documents, food referrals, or drop-in activities during the day. Many offer supportive environments to people living

Whitman-Walker Health's mission is to be the highest quality, culturally competent community health center serving greater Washington's diverse urban community, including individuals who face barriers to accessing care, and with a special expertise in LGBTQ and HIV care.

We aim to provide you with direct referrals to and contact information for service providers in the community that share our values. We rely on this network of outsiders because of their skilled support in areas we don't have expertise in, such as food and meal service, general case management, housing, and financial assistance.

We put a lot of energy into maintaining relationships with the partners listed below. We trust the quality of services provided because of past clients' experiences and the strength of these connections. However, it is important to us to hear about your individual experience. If you would like to provide feedback on the services received at one of the sites in this guide, please reach out to our Senior Manager of Retention and Engagement at 202.797.4457.

#### Did you know...?

Whitman-Walker Health offers wellness services. Most of these services require a referral from one of our medical team members (e.g. a doctor, nurse practitioner or physician assistant).

Please contact our Wellness Coordinator at 202.745.6130 for more information on our Wellness Services.

In this guide you'll find information on the services below (note: several organizations provide services in multiple areas so they are listed in different locations). For any site noting "Referral Required" you'll need to ask any Whitman-Walker Health staff person to write a letter on your behalf.

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## Monday – Friday 9 am – 5 pm.

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### HOUSING IN DC

We know that, for many, DC offers little to no affordable housing. At Whitman-Walker, we strive to identify resources and maintain partnerships where staff possess the skills and knowledge to make progress in your housing needs. We refer to organizations that assist with setting a realistic budget or financial management plan; creating long-term housing goals; identifying immediate housing options (the only emergency options are shelters); or describing options for long-term financial support.

We find that the best success comes when patients are willing and able to work with someone over time, towards a housing goal. The staff at Whitman-Walker Health are not housing experts, nor do we provide legal support for housing crises, yet we will work with you to identify an outside resource—starting with these case management agencies listed in this guide. Additionally, we try to stay at the table in some of the bigger picture conversations around housing for vulnerable populations. We are committed to remaining a partner in your health care and supporting your housing work with an outside agency.

DC's Coordinated Entry and Housing Placement program is often the first step in starting the sometimes lengthy and complicated process to access housing services. For more information on this DC government program, please call the Interagency Council on Homelessness at **202.724.1338** or go online to:

www.coordinatedentry.com/about

Many local, social service organizations function as points of entry for assessment and outreach for Coordinated Entry, including Miriam's Kitchen, Friendship Place, SOME, and others. Their contact information can be found in this guide in the Case Management & Community Resources section.



## **FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

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RESOURCE	FIRST MONTH'S RENT	EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE	EVICTION PREVENTION SERVICES	EMERGENCY UTILITY ASSISTANCE
Housing Counseling Services 2410 17th St. NW, Suite 100 202.667.7006	W		W	W
Catholic Charities at Southeast Family Center 2812 Pennsylvania Ave. SE 202.338.3100	W	W	W	W
Community Partnership at the Family Resource Center (ERAP Dept.) 920 Rhode Island Ave. NE 202.312.5510	W	W	W	W
Salvation Army 3335 Sherman Ave. NW 202.829.0100			W	
Salvation Army 2300 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave. SE 202.678.9770	W	W	W	W
Salvation Army 1434 Harvard St. NW, Unit AE 202.756.2600		W	W	
SHARE Food Network 3222 Hubbard Road, Landover, MD 20785 301.864.3115				
Economic Security Administration 2100 Martin Luther King Ave. SE 202.645.4614				
Economic Security Administration 4001 S Capitol St. SW 202.645.4525				
Economic Security Administration 3851 Alabama Ave. SE 202.645.4500				
Economic Security Administration 645 H St. SE 202.698.4350				
Economic Security Administration 1207 Taylor St. NW 202.576.8000				

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\*Please note that the information listed for resources in this chart may change at any time, without notice. We recommend calling the service providers to ask about resources to get further information about walk-in schedules, intake schedules, required documentation to receive services, and standard hours of operation.

UTILITY PREVENTION SERVICES	GROCERIES	SNAP, DISABILITY AND/OR TANF BENEFITS	FOOD & HYGIENE ASSISTANCE	MOVING ASSISTANCE	TELEPHONE ASSISTANCE	CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE
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## MEN'S SHELTERS (EMERGENCY HOUSING)

#### **Catholic Charities Housing Assistance Center**

- 9 801 East Building 2700 MLK Blvd., SE
- 202.561.4014
  - Open 5 pm 7 am
  - Hot meal served nightly
  - Program: 24-hour transitional rehabilitation program
  - For intake, call 202.561.4014x130
  - Emergency hypothermia shelter November March

#### **Community for Creative Non-Violence**

- 425 2nd St. NW
- 202.393.1909
  - Open 12 am 6 pm (Monday Friday)
  - Hot meal for residents only, served by DC Central Kitchen
  - 24 hour shelter: First come / First serve

#### **Emery Work Bed Program**

- 1725 Lincoln Rd, NE
- 202.635.1041
  - Transitional Program
  - Applications are accepted Monday-Friday (9 am 5 pm) Intakes Wednesday 10 am
  - No Walk- In's
  - 24-hour Shelter
  - Open to men who are working at least 20 hours a week and who meet other
    qualifications: including three recent pay-stubs, active bank account, letter from
    current employer, police clearance, and negative TB test.

#### **New York Avenue Men's Emergency Shelter**

- ၦ 1355-57 New York Ave. NE
- 202.832.2359
  - Open 5 pm 7 am
  - Dinner and morning snack served
  - New York Avenue Shelter Work Program
  - Intake any day of week at 5:00 pm (Ask to see case manager)

### WOMEN'S SHELTERS (EMERGENCY HOUSING)

#### **Harriet Tubman Women's Shelter (including trans women)**

- 9 1910 Mass Ave. SE, Building #27
- 202.795.9966
  - Check in 5 pm
  - Check out 9 am
  - Dinner and shower access
  - Program: Daytime (10 am 4 pm) working on self-esteem, job search, housing assistance

#### N Street Village (including trans women)

- 1333 N St. NW
- 202.939.2076 | Fax: 202.939.1380
  - Case management, rehab, shelter, health and wellness services
  - Call for more info on specific programs and availability including transitional housing for women and families/domestic violence survivors/women 55+
  - "Welcome Sessions" are offered at 9 am Monday

     Friday at Bethany Women's Center
    that go over housing/shelter opportunities and to schedule intakes
  - Luther Place Night Shelter Open Monday Friday (4 pm 7:30 am); Sat/Sun (4 pm 9 am) with dinner served nightly
  - Miriam's House serves homeless women living with HIV who are in care, program supporting self-sufficiency goals, rent is 1/3 of a resident's income (intake required)

#### **New Endeavors by Women (including trans women)**

- 9 611 N St. NW
- 202.682.5825
  - 24-Hour Transitional Housing
  - For additional information, please go to www.nebw.org

## CASE MANAGEMENT & COMMUNITY RESOURCES

#### **Bread for the City (NW)**

- 1525 7th St. NW
- **2** 202.265.2400
- ( Tuesday | 9 am 11 am

- Housing (Coordinated Entry)
- Legal Services
- Case Management
- Drop-in Center (Clothing)

#### Miriam's Kitchen

- Virginia Ave. NW
- 202.452.8926
- Mon. Fri. | 6:30 am 9:45 am | 2:30 pm 5:45 pm
- Case Management
- Drop-in Center (Clothing & Toiletries)
- Referrals (Info Hub)
- Meals | Breakfast: 6:30 am 8 am
   Dinner: 2:30 pm 4:15 pm

#### **Bread for the City (SE)**

- 1640 Good Hope Road SE
- **2** 202.561.8587
- ( Mon. Th. | 9:30 am 11:30 am

- Housing (Coordinated Entry)
- Legal Services
- Case Management
- Drop-in Center (Clothing)

#### **N Street Village**

- 1333 N St. NW
- **2** 202.939.2076
- Mon. Fri. | 7 am 4 pm Sat., Sun. and Holidays | 9 am - 4 pm
- Residential and Transitional Housing Program for Women and Transgender females
- Case Management
- Drop-in Center

Shower, Health Services, Clothing and Activities

- SPI-DAT housing appointments
- Bethany Women's Day service

#### **Catholic Charities**

- Multiple Locations (call for specific programs)
- 202.939.2400
- (1) Mon. Fri.| 8:30 am 5 pm

- Social Services Hub (referrals)
- Mental Health Case Management
- Legal & Immigration Services
- Transitional Housing & Shelter
- Employment Services

#### So Others Might Eat (SOME)

- 71 O St. NW | 60 O St. NW
- **2**02.797.8806
- Mon. Fri. | 8 am 4 pm

- Case Management (Mental Health Services)
- Legal Services (Tuesdays only)
- Employment & Vocational Services
- Housing (Intake and Transitional)
- Drop-in Center | Tues. & Fri. | 8:30 am 11:30 am
   Clothing & Showers (Please bring ID)

## DC Department of Employment Services (DC DOES)

- 4058 Minnesota Ave. NE, Suite 100
- 202.724.7000
- Mon.- Th. | 8:30 am 4:30 pm Friday | 9:30 am - 4:30 pm

 Employment & Unemployment Services (Public Benefits, Social Security & Disability Enrollment)

#### **THRIVE DC**

- 1525 Newton St. NW
- 202.737.9311
- ( Mon. Fri. | 8:30 am 5 pm

- Social Services Hub (referrals)
- Case Management
- Legal Services
- Employment Services
- Transportation Assistance
- Drop-in Center (Showers)

## DC Office of Returned Citizens Affairs (DC ORCA)

- 2100 MLK Jr. Ave.
- 202.715.7670
- ( Mon. Fri. | 9 am 5 pm

- Workforce placement and resume assistance
- CDL training
- Voucher for Birth Certificate and ID
- Case management
- Note: These services are for individuals formerly incarcerated ONLY

#### **Friendship Place**

- 4713 Wisconsin Ave. NW
- **2** 202.364.1419
- Monday | 8:30 am 11:30 am | 1 pm 4 pm Wed. - Th. | 8:30 am - 11:30 am | 1 pm - 3 pm
- Housing (Coordinated Entry)
- Employment Services
- ID Replacement Assistance
- Veterans Services
- Welcome Center (shower, laundry, supplies and food)

## HIV-SPECIFIC CASE MANAGEMENT

#### **Casa Ruby**

- 7530 Georgia Ave. NW
- 202.355.5155
- Mon. Sat. | 12 pm 8 pm

- Non-medical Case Management (HIV+)
- Support Groups (Transgender & HIV+)
- Legal Services
- Drop in Center (Clothing)
- Shelter

#### **Damien Ministries**

- 2200 Rhode Island Ave. NE
- 202.526.3020
- Monday Friday | 10 am 5 pm

- Medical Case Management (HIV+)
- Tokens
- Food Bank

#### **HIPS**

- 906 H St. NE
- **202.232.8150**
- Monday Friday | 10:30 am 4 pm

24-Hour Hotline 1.800.676.4477

- Non-medical Case Management (HIV+)
- Housing Services
- Legal Services
- Social Services Hub (referrals)
- Syringe Exchange
- Counseling Services & Support Groups
- Drop in Center (Clothing, Showers, Laundry)

#### **Homes for Hope**

- 9 3003 G St., Apt. A, SE
- 202.582.0169
- Monday Friday | 9 am 5 pm

- Non-medical Case Management (HIV+)
- Transitional Housing Program
- Employment Services
- Support Groups

#### **Us Helping Us**

- 3636 Georgia Ave NW
- 202.446.1100
- ( Monday Friday | 9 am 6 pm

- Non-medical/Social Services Case
   Management (Youth in Maryland site)
- Mental Health Support Groups (Transgender, HIV specific and/or regardless of status)

#### The Women's Collective (TWC)

- 3230 Pennsylvania Ave., SE #200
- 202.483.7003
- Monday Friday | 9 am 5 pm

- Medical Case Management (HIV+)
- Social Services Hub (referrals)
- Mental Health Support Services

## MEALS, FOOD PANTRIES, & FARMERS MARKETS

#### **MEALS**

#### Miriam's Kitchen

- 2401 Virginia Ave. (basement of Western Presbyterian Church at 24th & G St. NW)
- 202.452.8926
  - Monday Friday, all year long (no matter the holiday or weather emergency)
  - Breakfast: 6:30 am 8 am
  - Dinner: 2:30 pm 4:15 pm

#### So Others Might Eat (SOME)

- 71 O St. NW
- **2**02.797.8806
  - Every day of the year
  - Breakfast: 7 am 8:30 am
  - Lunch: 11:00 am 1:00 pm

#### **Thrive DC**

- 1340 U St. NW
- 202.737.9311
  - Daily Bread/Daily Needs: Breakfast for men, women, families; lunch to go, emergency grocery bags, fresh fruits and vegetables
  - Mon. Wed. Fri. | Hot Breakfast, Tues. Thurs. | Sandwiches
  - Fresh Food Fridays Every Friday 1 pm 2 pm
  - Dinner Program: Nightly nutritious dinner for women and children (safe, peersupported) Starts at 3 pm, Doors open at 2 pm

#### **FOOD PANTRIES**

If you're in need of an immediate referral to a local food bank/pantry for services, please ask any Whitman-Walker staff person and they can assist you.

#### **Bread For The City Food Pantry - NW**

- 9 1525 7th Street, NW
- 202.265.2400
- Monday Thursday | 8:30 am 5 pm (Closed 12 pm 1 pm)
  Friday | 8 am 12 pm

## MEALS, FOOD PANTRIES, & FARMERS MARKETS

### FOOD PANTRIES (CONTINUED)

#### **Bread For The City Food Pantry - SE**

- 1640 Good Hope Road, SE
- 202.561.8587
- Monday Thursday | 9 am 5 pm (Closed 12 pm 1 pm) Friday | 9 am - 12 pm

#### DC Food Finder (formerly tied to Capital Area Food Bank)

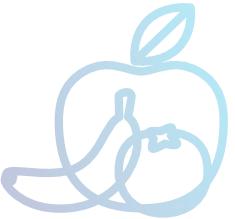
- Enter your zip code at the following website **cafb.auntbertha.com** to search for any of the services in food, healthcare, housing, job training and more.
- Call the Hunger Lifeline for personalized recommendations to community food resources over the phone: 202.644.9807 (Monday –Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm)

#### **FARMERS MARKETS**

#### Fresh Farm

**2** 202.362.8889

- Promotes sustainable agriculture and improves food access and equity in the Mid-Atlantic Region
- Please call for more information on weekly farmers markets in and around DC, MD, and VA
- SNAP/WIC accepted at several farmers markets
- When customers use their nutrition benefits (like SNAP/WIC), FreshFarm will match
  up to \$10 per customer per day
- Any DC resident who is enrolled in a qualifying program (SNAP/Food Stamps, WIC, Senior Grocery Plus/SFMNP, Medicaid/QMB, SSI Disability, or TANF) is eligible to receive an additional \$10 in produce vouchers every week at participating farmers markets.



## DC SERVICE CENTER

In the case of an emergency when immediate services	are needed from the police,			
EMS and/or fire department, call:				
Emergency/Police	911			
In non-emergency services are needed from the Metro	opolitan Police Department, call:			
Non-emergency	202.727.9099			
Contact the DC Department of Mental Health when a know experiences a crisis situation by calling:	nd/or if you or someone you			
Mental Health Crisis	202.673.9300			
If you or someone you know is the victim of a hate crime, contact the DC Hate Crimes Hotline or any of the other resources listed below:				
Victim of Hate Crimes	202.727.0500			
DASH Hotline (District Alliance for Safe Housing)	202.462.3274			
National Center for Victims of Crime	800.394.2255			
If you or someone you know is the victim of sexual ass Center or any of the other resources listed below:	sault, contact the DC Rape Crisis			
DC Rape Crisis Center	202.333.7273			
National Sexual Violence Resource Center	877.739.3895			
RAINN (Rape, Abuse and Incest National Network)	800.656.4673			
National Domestic Violence Hotline 800.799.				
Men Can Stop Rape Hotline 202.265.6530				
DC Crime Victims Compensation Program Hotline 202.879.4216				
The Department of Behavioral Health (DBH) certifies a network of community based providers in the public behavioral health system to provide substance use disorder services including detoxification, residential and outpatient services based on the level of need. It also provides a range of prevention and recovery services. DC APRA Hours of Operation: 7am - 6pm. For same day service, arrive before 3:30pm.  DC Addiction Prevention and Recovery				
Administration (APRA)				
Disability Services  DC Department of Disability Services	202.730.1700			
	202./30.1/00			
WMATA Transportation Services  DC MetroAccess	202.962.2700			
	202.702.2700			
Parks & Recreation	202 / 72 7 / 47			
DC Department of Parks and Recreation	202.673.7647			
Public Information	000 707 4000			
DC Public Information Office	202.727.4383			



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