



2025 Community Resource Guide

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Associated Ministries

Community Resources Connection Center

(253) 426-1509

The CRCC provides unique supportive services and resources for assistance in areas outside of housing to help community members maintain stability once housed or when moving towards being housed.

Family Permanent Housing

Dial *211

Rapidly re-houses individuals and families experiencing homelessness. Referrals to participate must come through the Coordinated Entry System.

Give a Gift & Change a Life

(253) 426-1507

Our desire is to help create a community where no one is homeless, hungry, or vulnerable! Your gifts provide compassionate care for men, women, and children in need throughout Pierce County. Your support for the work of Associated Ministries makes a real difference in the lives of people facing huge challenges. Ask us how! To Give a Gift, visit associatedministries.org/donate.

Homeless Mail Services

(253) 426-1505

Provides a fixed mailing address to receive mail for those experiencing homelessness; referral from DSHS is required to participate.

Landlord Liaison Project

(253) 383-3056 ext. 116

Increases access to affordable housing for Pierce County's coordinated Entry System by connecting tenant-ready renters with housing opportunities provided by property owners and managers, offering alternative screening options.

Representative/Protective Payee Services

(253) 426-1505

Helps households receiving DSHS and SSI/SSDI benefits to better manage their budget and assure that rent and other expenses are paid, ensuring their stability.

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Quick Reference- Important Phone Numbers

Addiction Referral Network.....1 (800) 577-4393

Alcohol and Drug Helpline..... 1 (800) 562-1240

An Information and Referral Service TTY.... (253) 882-1828

Child Abuse Prevention Resource.....1 (800) 422-4453
Child Protective Services (CPS) 1 (800) 762-4902
Consumer Counseling (253) 588-1858
Domestic Violence Helpline 1 (800) 562-6025
Mental Health Crisis Line 1 (800) 576-7764/ (253) 798-4333
Narcotics Anonymous (253) 531-8792
NW Justice Program 1 (888) 201-1014
Pierce County Sheriff Non-Emergency Line (253) 798-4721 ext. 3
Senior Information and Assistance.....(253) 798-4600/ 1 (800) 562-0332
Sexual Assault Crisis Line 1 (800) 756-7273
United Way Helpline.....(253) 572-4357/ 2-1-1



Child Care

Child Care Aware of Washington

(253) 383-1735

1001 Pacific Ave. #400

Tacoma, WA 98402

<https://childcareawarewa.org/>

Child Care Aware of Washington provides thorough and independent information and support: For families seeking quality childcare, for childcare programs seeking to improve quality, and for effective policymaking.

Child Care Resources

(206) 329-5544 | 1 (800) 446-1114

<https://childcare.org/family-services/pay-for-care.aspx>

Child Care Resources assists families experiencing homelessness in King and Pierce Counties who would like support navigating and accessing childcare and childcare financial assistance. Call for questions or to complete their intake process, or you can search their online database.

Community Montessori

(253) 627-7554

1407 S I St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Monday-Friday, 7:30 am to 5:30 pm

<https://communitymontessori.school/>

We provide a safe, nurturing, developmentally appropriate, and educationally oriented program with a Montessori curriculum supplemented by other proven methods within a prepared environment which promotes each child's intellectual, communication, physical, social, and emotional development from twelve months through twelve years, all day, year-round.



Clothing Resources

Clothing Room

Tacoma Rescue Mission Downtown Campus

(253) 383-4493

425 S Tacoma Way
Tacoma, WA 98402
Hours: Mondays/Wednesdays/Fridays, 1:30 pm – 4:00 pm

God's Closet - Calvary Baptist Church

6511 S C St.
Tacoma, WA 98408
(253) 474-6411

Hilltop New Jerusalem Food & Clothing Bank

(253) 572-6785, option 6
1623 S 11th St.
Tacoma, WA 98405
Hours: 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th Saturdays

Just Threads Clothing Bank

925 Tacoma Ave. S
Tacoma, WA 98402
Hours: Monday-Friday, Hours Vary
Just Threads Clothing Bank provides justice involved individuals and community members in need with clothing for job interviews, work attire, athletic apparel, and clothing and accessories for everyday life. The clothing and accessories from Just Threads are available at no cost.

My Sister's Pantry

First United Methodist Church of Tacoma
(253) 627-1186
621 Tacoma Ave. S
Tacoma, WA 98402
Hours: Mondays, 4:00 pm-7:00 pm
They provide a space where clients can shop for groceries, clothing, toiletries, and household goods.

Our Father's Kitchen Clothing Bank

United Lutheran Church
(253) 475-3175

1231 S 76th St.
Tacoma, WA 98408

Pat's Clothing Closet

Trinity Presbyterian Church
(253) 272-8819
1615 6th Ave.
Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Thursdays, 5:30 pm-7:30 pm; Fridays, 1:00 pm-3:00 pm

At present, Pat's Closet provides guests with a pair of socks and some hygiene items, when available. Anyone may come to receive these items. No paperwork required.

Wear it Out Life Center Rainier Church

(253) 846-3875
17708 28th Ave. E
Tacoma, WA 98445



Dental Care

Bates Dental Clinic

(253) 680-7000
1101 S Yakima Ave.
Tacoma, WA 98405

Milgard Family Dental (Eastside)- Community Health Care

(253) 572-7002
1708 E 44th St.
Tacoma, WA 98404
Hours: Monday-Friday, 6:30 am-5:30 pm (Closed for Lunch:11:30 pm-12:30 pm)

Their dental clinics provide preventive and restorative services for all ages, children, and adults. They focus on early screenings and exams for all children and sealants for school-age children.

Hilltop Regional Health Center Dental Clinic- Community Health Care

(253) 441-4743

1202 Martin Luther King Jr. Way

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Monday-Saturday, 6:30 am– 5:30 pm (Closed for Lunch: 11:30 am-12:30 pm)

Their dental clinics provide preventive and restorative services for all ages, children, and adults. They focus on early screenings and exams for all children and sealants for school-age children.

Lakewood Dental Clinic- Community Health Care

(253) 589-7188

10510 Gravelly Lake Dr.

Lakewood, WA 98499

Hours: Monday-Saturday, 6:30 am-5:30 pm (Closed for Lunch: 11:30 am-12:30 pm)

Their dental clinics provide preventive and restorative services for all ages, children, and adults. They focus on early screenings and exams for all children and sealants for school-age children.

Lindquist Dental Clinic for Children

(253) 539-7445 | (360) 377-0559

130 131st St. S

Tacoma, WA 98444

Hours: Monday-Saturday, 8:00 am– 5:00 pm

Lindquist Dental Clinic for Children’s (LDCC) mission is to provide accessible, compassionate dental care to Puget sound children in need.

Pierce County Dental Society Referral Services

(253) 272-9960

Pierce County Dental Society is a component society for current members of the American Dental Association and Washington State Dental Association.

Puyallup Dental Clinic

(253) 268-1184 | (253) 722-2161- appt. line
201 W Main St.

Puyallup, WA 98371

Hours: Monday-Friday, 6:30 am-5:30 pm (Closed for Lunch: 11:30 am-12:30 pm)

Their dental clinics provide preventive and restorative services for all ages, children, and adults. They focus on early screenings and exams for all children and sealants for school-age children.

Puyallup Tribal Health Authority

(253) 593-0232

2209 East 32nd St.

Tacoma, WA 98404

Hours: Monday/Tuesday/Thursday/Friday, 8:00 am-5:00 pm | Wednesday, 10:00 am-5:00 pm

It is the mission of The Puyallup Tribal Health Authority (PTHA) to provide quality health care and promote wellness in a culturally appropriate manner.

Seamar Puyallup Dental Clinic

(253) 864-4760 (appt. line is open from 8:30 am-4:30 pm)

10217 125th St. Ct. E

Puyallup, WA 98374

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00 am-5:00 pm

Their team works together to serve patients of any age, religion, ethnicity, or sexual orientation, regardless of income, occupation, gender, immigration status, or citizenship status.

Seamar Tacoma Dental Clinic

(253) 280-9840 (appt. line is open from 8:30 am-4:00 pm)

1215 S 11th St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Monday-Saturday, 8:00 am-5:00 pm

They specialize in family dentistry, including preventive dental exams, emergency or urgent care, and referrals.



Detox Centers

Metropolitan Development Council

(253) 593-2413

721 Fawcett Ave. #100

Tacoma, WA 98402

24-hour medically supervised chemical dependency detoxification services.

New Life Program (Tacoma Rescue Mission)

(253) 383-4493

425 S Tacoma Way

Tacoma, WA 98402

Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 am-5:00 pm

The New Life Program is designed for those that have suffered from the devastation of substance use disorders. This program is a twelve-month, faith-based, in-house program with the men's and women's programs located on separate campuses. You will need to call every Thursday between 8:00 am-10:00 am to keep your name and application on the wait list. Can apply online.

New Phoebe House

(253) 383-7710

CALL FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON PROGRAM.

They provide housing, services and support to Pierce County mothers and children impacted by chemical dependence. They help them achieve and maintain reunification through healing, self-sufficiency & clean and sober living.

Pierce County Alliance

(253) 572-4750

510 Tacoma Ave. S

Tacoma, WA 98402

Hours: Monday- Sunday, 8:30 am-4:30 pm

They provide court ordered treatment programs for foster children getting into foster care, independent living outside of foster care, reunification with families, and helping through the education system. Chemical Detection Services are available on referral by employers, schools, parents, clean and sober housing facilities, CPS, etc. drug/alcohol or outpatient therapy.

Pioneer Human Services a Chance for Change

(253) 274-0408

758 St. Helens Ave.

Tacoma, WA 98402

They are a social enterprise that partners with communities to transform society by honoring the humanity of people, reducing the impact of discriminatory mass incarceration and empowering people to live safe, healthy, productive lives through inspiration, affirmation and by overturning barriers.

Prosperity Wellness Center

(253) 531-4750

12201 Pacific Ave. S

Tacoma, WA 98444

Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Women's residential short-term sober living (30 days- about four and a half weeks or less), Outpatient services are also available. Call the main office to inquire about getting services. Call screening for eligibility and to be placed in the proper program.

Sea Mar Community Health Center

(253) 280-9860 | Fax: (253) 280-9870

1415 Center St.

Tacoma, WA 98409

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00 am-5:00 pm (Office) | 24-hours, 7 days per week (Facility)



[Domestic Violence Shelters](#)

Crystal Judson Family Justice Center

(253) 798-4166

718 Court E

Tacoma, WA 98402

The justice center serves the needs of domestic violence victims and their children by providing comprehensive victim services in one central and safe location in downtown Tacoma. Services provided include but are not limited to civil legal support, Protection orders, support groups, safety planning, and division of child support assistance, Spiritual support, housing transportation, victim support in criminal cases and other emergency assistance. Interpretation services are available to non-English speaking clients.

Family Renewal Shelter [24-HOUR CRISIS LINE](#)

(253) 475-9010

6832 Pacific Ave.

Tacoma, WA 98408

Korean Women's Association

(253) 359-0470

KWA serves women with children who are in domestic violence situations. They provide a 30-day emergency shelter. Call for more information

Our Sisters House

(253) 383-4275

708 Broadway

Tacoma, WA 98402

Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 am-5:00 pm

At Our Sister's House, their mission is deeply rooted in our unwavering commitment to empowering and supporting survivors of domestic violence. Their "Why" is driven by the belief that every individual deserves to live a life free from fear, violence, and oppression.

YWCA Emergency Shelter

(253) 383-2593

This emergency shelter is for individuals and families escaping domestic violence. Clients can stay up to three months and it is a confidential program. All services require an intake process except for the Community Advocate, who will see walk-ins.

YWCA Housing Program

(253) 272-4181 ext. 229

Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am-5:30 pm; Friday, 9:00 am- 4:00 pm

Who qualifies for this program? Survivors of domestic violence with children or who are pregnant who qualify for Section 8 having received crisis intervention prior to applying for program. Preference is given to YWCA shelter residents first, then referrals from other DV shelters.



Drug & Alcohol Treatment & Recovery Services

Alcohol and Drugs Helpline

(206) 722-3700 Alanon and Alateen| 1 (800) 726-8094
CALL FOR MORE INFORMATION ON LOCAL LOCATIONS AND TIMES. Offers family support for those living with someone struggling with alcoholism in their family.

American Addiction Centers

1 (888) 987-1784
Their mission is to provide quality, compassionate, and innovative care to adults struggling with addiction and co-occurring mental health disorders. Through comprehensive and customized treatment plans, they instill hope that long-term recovery is possible. Their purpose and passion are to empower you, your family, and your community by helping you achieve recovery and optimal wellness of the mind, body, and spirit.

Christian Biker Tabernacle

(253) 377-8800
2702 E 122nd St.
Tacoma, WA 98445
The purpose of the Tabernacle was, and continues to be, to reach out to the those who are stuck in life controlling problems and hopelessness – with the Hope of Jesus. Their intent is to walk beside them, helping them to become mentally sound, emotionally balanced, socially adjusted, physically well, and spiritually alive. Their programs include daily Bible study, worship, private and group devotions, along with job readiness training, household and family skills and scheduling preparation, with lots of love and fellowship.

Lakeside-Milam Recovery Center (Multiple locations)

1 (866) 818-9051| (253) 840-8687
They offer drug and alcohol assessments and counseling, along with treatment options for youth and adults.

Tacoma Recovery Center

(253) 369-1113
2201 S. 19th St. Suite 101
Tacoma, Washington 98405
They are committed to creating community relationships that empower, educate, and heal the person who is suffering from substance disorders, trauma, and mental health. Their mission is to create a pathway to recovery that restores families.



Education, Employment & Job Training

Centro Latino SER (Adult Employment & Education)

(253) 572-7717

1208 S 10th St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am-4:30 pm; Friday, 10:00 am-3:00 pm

Their mission is to cultivate the advancement of the Latino and Indigenous communities by providing social services and educational programming while honoring heritage and culture through the Arts.

Goodwill

253-573-6500

714 S 27th St.

Tacoma, WA 98409

careerhub@goodwillwa.org

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00 am- 4:30 pm

Labor Works (various locations)

1 (888) 637-9675

Looking to jumpstart a new full-time or part-time career, earn some extra income, or do some seasonal work? Offers temp work that pays weekly.

Manpower

(253) 473-5023

4002 Tacoma Mall Blvd. Suite 103A

Tacoma, WA 98409

ManpowerGroup is the world leader in innovative workforce solutions, connecting human potential to the power of business. ManpowerGroup serves both large and small organizations across all industry sectors through our brands and offerings: Manpower, Experis and Talent Solutions.

MDC – Educational Opportunity Center (EOC)

(253) 572-5960
721 Fawcett Ave. #201
Tacoma, WA 98402

Pierce College

253-840-8400
1601 39th Ave. SE
Puyallup, Washington 98374
Pierce College creates quality educational opportunities for a diverse community of learners to thrive in an evolving world.

Pierce County Human Services

(253) 798-4500
3602 Pacific Ave Ste 200, Tacoma, WA 98418
They work to ensure that all of Pierce County has equitable access to community-based services that respect each person's unique experience.

Vadis

(253) 863-5173
1701 Elm St. E
Sumner, WA 98390
Vadis is dedicated to assisting businesses in finding great employees and being a more inclusive employer. Their focus on customer service is your assurance of excellence!

Work Source Pierce County

(253) 593-7300
2121 S State St.
Tacoma, WA 98405
WorkSource Pierce is a partnership of state, local, and nonprofit agencies to deliver a wide array of employment and training services for both job seekers and employers.



Emergency Shelters

Catholic Community Services/ Nativity House

(253) 502-2770

702 South 14th St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Day Center 7:00 am-4:30 pm | Overnight Shelter 4:30 pm-7:00 am,
7 Days a week

The Day Center provides breakfast, lunch and other services, except bus tickets. Overnight guests are asked to arrive at or after 4:30 pm, sign in and wait until their name is called for beds. Guests are admitted from 5:30 pm-8:00 pm. There is no guarantee that beds will be available. For housing at Nativity House Apartments, clients must be placed by Coordinated Entry.

Network Tacoma

(253) 474-9334

5435 S M St.

Tacoma, WA 98408

Hours: Monday- Thursday, 9:00 am- 3:00 pm.

Network Tacoma is a non-profit organization that began in 1990 to help homeless families with children get off the streets and achieve self-sufficiency. They operate 33 units of housing, seven of which are transitional housing, with the rest being long-term low-income housing.

New Hope Resource Center

(253) 845-0174

414 Spring St.

Puyallup, WA 98372

Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 7:00 am-3:00 pm (Lunch at New Hope); Tuesday & Thursday: 7:00 am-12:00 pm (Lunch at Community of Christ Amity); Saturdays: 7:00 am-1:00 pm (Lunch at New Hope)
On weekdays, free dinners are served at the Armory at 6:00 pm.

Pierce County Emergency Management

(253) 798-6595

2501 S. 35th St. Ste. D

Tacoma, WA 98409

Hours: Monday-Friday 7:30 am- 4:30 am

Tacoma Rescue Mission- Family Shelter

(253) 383-4493

425 S Tacoma Way

Tacoma, WA 98402

Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 am-5:00 pm| Breakfast: 7:30 am – 8:15 pm.
Dinner: 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm. Lunch provided on Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays at 12:30 pm

Clothing Bank Hours: 1:30 pm-3:30 pm

Meals are provided at their downtown campus daily. These meals are open to men, women and children. To apply for the men's program, call the front desk and ask about their New Life recovery program. To apply for the women & family New Life Program, call the program manager and ask for details.

Tiny House Village at 6th and Orchard

609 N Orchard St.

Tacoma, WA 98406

Tiny House Village at 6th and Orchard is a Homeless shelter in Tacoma.



Eviction Resources

Fair Housing Center of WA

(253) 274-9523

1517 Fawcett Ave. #250

Tacoma, WA 98402

The Fair Housing Center of Washington exists to prevent and eliminate illegal housing discrimination, ensure equal housing opportunity, and promote inclusive communities throughout Western and Central Washington.

Landlord/ Tenant Program (City of Tacoma) Coordinator's Office

(253) 591-5000 (Landlord-Tenant Services)

747 Market St. Room 1044

Tacoma, WA 98402

If you have a landlord/tenant concern and seek assistance, you can start the process by completing the following form, which will be forwarded to the Landlord-Tenant Program Coordinator. The landlord/tenant program offers services in the following areas: Information and Referral, Rent, Deposits, Repairs/Maintenance Issues, Building Code Violations, Landlord-Tenant Inspection, Training/Education

NW Justice Program

(253) 272-7879

715 Tacoma Ave. S

Tacoma, WA 98402

The Northwest Justice Project (NJP) works to secure justice through high quality legal advocacy that promotes the long-term well-being of low-income individuals, families, and communities. As a dynamic statewide law firm, they pursue their mission through legal advice and representation, community partnerships, and education to empower clients and combat injustice in all its forms.

Tacoma Pro-Bono

(253) 572-5134

601 Tacoma Ave. S Ste. 302

Tacoma, WA 98402

Hours: Housing Justice Project In-Person Intake: Monday – Thursday 1:00-3:00 pm

General In-Person intake: Monday- Thursday 1:00 pm-3:00 pm



Food Banks

Edgewood Community

(253) 826-4654

3607 122nd Ave. E #B

Edgewood, WA 98372

Nourish Pierce County

(253) 383-3164

1702 S. 72nd St. Suite E

Tacoma, WA 98408

Nourish Pierce County

(253) 826-4654

5339 Browns Point Blvd. NE

Tacoma, WA 98422

Graham/South hill

(253) 846-3805

10425 187th St. E

Puyallup, WA 98374

Jackson Street

(253) 564-4402
7410 S 12th St.
Tacoma, WA 98405

Lakes Area

(253) 581-1116
6900 Steilacoom Blvd. SW
Lakewood, WA 98499

Northwest Tacoma

(253) 383-3164
2710 N Madison St.
Tacoma, WA 98407

Southeast Tacoma

(253) 531-4530
1704 85th St. E
Tacoma, WA 98445



Food Banks Serving All of Pierce County

Allen AME food pantry

(253) 627-6855
1223 M.L.K. Jr. Way
Tacoma, WA 98405

B.A.S.H (Bikers against Statewide Hunger)

(253) 536-6480
103 140th St. S #B
Tacoma, WA 98444

Food Connection

253-383-5048

1323 S. Yakima Ave.

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Tuesday & Thursday, 11:30 am-5:30 pm; Wednesday & Friday, 11:30 am-3:30 pm; Saturday, 10:00 am-1:30 pm

Please NOTE that the Food Bank is closed on the first Thursday and first Saturday of each month.

Harvest House

(253) 271-6457

25713 70th Ave. E

Graham WA 98338

Hours: Open every Saturday from 9:30 am – 12:00 pm.

My Sister's Pantry

(253) 627-1186

621 Tacoma Ave. S

Tacoma, WA 98402

Hours: 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month from 2:30 pm-5:00 pm and the 4th Saturday of the month from 9:00 am-12:30 pm.

Pregnancy Aid

(253) 383-4100

902 Market St.

Tacoma, WA 98402

Salvation Army Food Bank – Puyallup

(253) 841-1491 ext. 201

4009 9th St. SW

Puyallup, WA 98373



Mobile Food Banks Sites

Mondays

Bethlehem Lutheran Church

101 E 38th St.
Tacoma, WA 98404
Hours: 1:00 pm-3:00 pm

Giaudrone Middle School

4902 S Alaska St.
Tacoma, WA 98408
Hours: 4:30 pm-6:30 pm

Tuesdays

Star Center

3873 S 66th St.
Tacoma, WA 98409
Hours: 1:00 pm-3:00 pm

FORMER Spanaway Elementary School

215 166th St. S
Spanaway, WA 98387
Hours: 4:30 pm -6:30 pm

Wednesdays

Roy Community Center

112 E 3rd St.
Roy, WA 98580
Hours: 1:00 pm- 3:00 pm

Thursdays

King's Barber Shop

8202 Maple St.
Lakewood, WA 98498
Hours: 1:00 pm-3:00 pm

Woodbrook American Lake Building

14721 Murray Rd. SW
Lakewood, WA 98439
Hours: 4:30 pm-6:30 pm

Fridays

Purdy Cost Less Pharmacy

14218 92nd Ave. NW
Gig Harbor, WA 98329
Hours: 1:00 pm-3:00 pm

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

12521 134th Ave. KPN
Key Peninsula, WA 98329
Hours: 4:30 pm-6:30 pm



Furniture Banks

The House of Matthew

Phone: (253) 301-0508 | (253) 267-0565

2342 Tacoma Ave. S
Tacoma, WA 98402

Hours: Monday-Friday 9:30 am-4:30 pm (By Appointment Only)

They have a clothing bank, furniture bank and food bank that are open to the public by appointment only* The House of Matthew Permanent & Supportive Housing operates and owns several diverse types of shared housing units throughout Pierce County. Individuals that enroll into our program are seeking direction towards making new life changes. Their goal

is to help individuals empower themselves with knowledge, education, and resources.

Northwest Furniture Bank

(253) 302-3868

117 Puyallup Ave.

Tacoma, WA 98421

Hours: Tuesday-Saturday, 9:00 am-4:00 pm

NW Furniture Bank is the source of furniture for agencies in Pierce County.

NWFB collects and warehouses furniture for qualified member agencies.

NWFB serves victims of domestic abuse, people suffering loss from fire and natural disasters, foster homes and especially families coming from

transitional housing who are trying to rebuild their lives. The furniture will be made available only to the clients of case workers.

HIV/AIDS Resources

AHAT Homecare

(253) 272-5533

301 North L St.

Tacoma, WA 98403

AHAT Homecare aids people living with HIV/AIDS and Hepatitis C in Washington State. They offer affordable housing and access to healthcare for residents and the community in three programs – Three Cedars, Project Open Door and Healthy Living.

Pierce County AIDS Foundation (PCAF)

(253) 383-2565

3009 S 40th St.

Tacoma, WA 98409

PCAF, through education and service, prevents infection, assists persons affected by HIV/AIDS, addresses related health problems, and combats associated stigma and discrimination.

Point Defiance AIDS Project

(253) 381-5229

Locations:

Hilltop Tacoma Location:

Corner of 14th and G St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Wednesday: 1:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Pierce-County Health Department Parking Lot:

3629 South D St.

Tacoma, WA 98418

Hours: Monday: 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Washington State HIV Hotline

1 (877) 376-9316 | (360) 236-3426



Housing Authorities

Pierce County Housing Authority

(253) 620-5400

11515 Canyon Rd. E

Puyallup, WA 98373

<https://www.pchawa.org/>

Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am-4:00 pm

All wait lists for assistance with the Pierce County Housing Authority are currently closed. Openings will be announced on the PCHA website, in the local media at public libraries and at various community agencies.

Applications are now completed online only.

Tacoma Housing Authority

(253) 207-4400

902 S L St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

THA administers the programs for low-income families: Housing Choice Voucher Program (formerly section 8), Housing Opportunities Program

(HOP) and Public Housing Program. The waiting list is long but a good source of low-income housing when available.



Housing Services

Coordinated Entry (Associated Ministries)

As part of Coordinated Entry, a Coordinated Entry Specialist may work one on one with individuals to create a housing plan. Services will include referrals to housing programs or help with one-time assistance for independent housing.

Ways to access CE:

Dial *211 to schedule a Coordinated Entry Conversation with one of the many CE Specialists across the county.

Complete an Online Submission through Associated Ministries' website:
<http://associatedministries.org/ces/>.

For walk-up services available throughout the county, visit this link for the current On-Demand locations: <http://pchomeless.org/Facilities/Openings>.

Family Housing Network (Catholic Community Services of Western Washington)

(253) 471-5340

5050 S Tacoma Way

Tacoma, WA 98409

Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, 9:00 am-4:00 pm;

Wednesday, 12:00 pm-6:00 pm

*MUST CALL Coordinated Entry (dial *211) for assessment appointment first for housing and homeless services*.

Through support, dignity and love, Catholic Community Services/Family Housing Network, in partnership with their community, empowers families challenged by homelessness to achieve independent, healthy lives, and a permanent place to call home.

Helping Hand House

(253) 848-6096

4321 2nd St. SW

Puyallup, WA 98373

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Helping Hand House provides emergency shelter and housing solutions to families in our community, ending their crisis of homelessness. They provide urgent relief with trust, dignity, respect, and compassion while they help them secure their new home – helping moms, dads, and kids rekindle their hope for a better future.

Living Access Support Alliance (LASA)

8956 Gravelly Lake Dr. SW

Lakewood, WA 98499

Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 am-4:00 pm

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This short-term shelter housing provides families with safe apartments with stays of up to 30 days (about 4 and a half weeks). Phone and utility services are included as well as case management that is focused on the immediate needs of the family. Transitional Housing provides families with their own apartment or townhouse for 12 to 24 months (about 2 years). Families pay 30% of their eligible income, which will cover the apartment and utilities and case management to help families focus on long-term goals and move from homelessness to self-sufficiency. LASA also has permanent supportive housing for families with disabilities.

New Beginnings Homes

(253) 353-2229

At New Beginnings, they try to focus on every woman's emotional, physical, and spiritual needs, with the goal of empowering mothers in need to get into housing. They focus on emotional needs by meeting 1-on-1 to discuss goals, options, and feelings. They focus on physical needs by providing healthy food, a healthy and stress-free environment, and giving the opportunity to work out weekly. They focus on spiritual needs by participating in a weekly church service and bible study.

Pierce County Community Connections

(253) 798-4500

901 S 11th St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00 am-5:00 pm

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Connecting people and fostering independence through innovative and affordable housing, because everyone needs a place to call home. Creating a culture of community members sharing resources to prevent homelessness. Shared Housing Services is an equal opportunity employer and service provider. We are committed to equity, diversity, and inclusion values to achieve and sustain excellence. We do not discriminate based on race, color, age, religion, gender, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, or family status.

Salvation Army of Tacoma

(253) 572-8452

1521 6th Ave.

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 am-3:00 pm (closed 12:00 pm-1:00 pm)

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Salvation Army provides emergency shelter and transitional living housing for singles and families with children on a temporary basis for varying amounts of time and when space is available; domestic violence support; resource references; assistance with rent, utilities, gas, electric and oil; monitors court-ordered volunteer service; case management for families and single women; employment assistance; 6-month ARC (Drug and alcohol) treatment; food and clothing banks.

Share & Care House of Tacoma

(253) 564-4177

HEN: (253) 564-4194 | Fax: (253) 564-4237

3418 McKinley Ave.

Tacoma, WA 98404

Hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 9:00 am-4:00 pm

Provides Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH), Housing & Essential Needs (HEN) and Foundational Community Supports- Supportive/Rapid Rehousing.

The House of Matthew

(253) 301-0508 | (253) 267-0565

2342 Tacoma Ave. S

Tacoma, WA 98402

Hours: Monday-Friday 9:30 am-4:30 pm

We have a clothing bank and food bank that is open to the public by appointment only* The House of Matthew Permanent & Supportive Housing operates and owns several different types of shared housing units throughout Pierce County. Individuals that enroll into our program are

seeking direction towards making new life changes. Our goal is to empower ourselves with knowledge, education, and resources.

The Need- Retreat Home

(206) 569-6357

Retreat Home is a network of people and homes, offering hospitality to those in need of temporary housing.

Low-Income Home Ownership

Good Housing Programs

Phone (253) 579-2489

City Hall Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30 am-5:00 pm

The Good Housing Program provides emergency minor repairs, major home repairs and home rehabilitation for low-to-moderate income Lakewood single-family homeowners. A down payment assistance program for low-to-moderate income applicants to purchase a single-family home in Lakewood.

Homeownership Center Northwest

(253) 627-6560

936 Broadway Ste. LLA

Tacoma, WA 98402

Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am-4:00 pm

As a culturally competent nonprofit, Homeownership Center assists an evolving population with diverse demographics while recognizing and honoring cultural differences in an inclusive environment. They provide support to their clients in navigating the complicated world of purchasing their first home. HCNW is in the unique position of providing a bridge that advocates on clients' behalf, satisfying current mortgage lending practices while demonstrating responsible leverage of government and private

funding. This private and public relationship helps maintain affordability for populations that have been traditionally underserved. Services: Homeownership, Homebuyer Education, Financial Counseling, Home Maintenance.

Network Tacoma

(253) 474-9334 | (253) 272-1532

5435 South M St.

Tacoma, WA 98408

Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00 am-3:00 pm

The mission of Network Tacoma is to provide a program that addresses the root causes of the cycle of homelessness to keep the next generation of children off the streets. The typical barriers for families experiencing homelessness are stable employment, transportation, and affordable housing. In addition, they address other issues through case management (e.g. job training, resources, and emotional support). After graduating from their transitional program, many of their families often move into their long-term low-income housing while they continue to progress. Though there is less oversight for these families, as they have shown stability and a trajectory toward self-sufficiency, there is still support offered as needed.

Rebuilding Together South Sound

(253) 238-0977

4019 S Orchard St.

Tacoma, WA 98466

<https://www.rebuildingtogetherss.org/>

Rebuilding Together South Sound's mission is repairing homes, revitalizing communities, and rebuilding lives with a vision of safe homes and communities for everyone. Their programs provide home modifications and repairs in the homes of low-income seniors, people with disabilities and families with children who live in Pierce County and the cities of Federal Way and Auburn. Their work preserves the existing affordable housing stock and neighborhoods of local communities. By improving the quality of existing homes, they reduce the growing need for other affordable housing options. They have three home repair programs to help meet the needs of the

community. Other programs: Rebuilding Day (held on the last Saturday of every April and is their single largest project day of the year), Safe at Home, Tacoma Home Repair, She Builds, Ramp Up, Veterans Work. Call or see Websites for more Detail.

Tacoma Rescue Mission Veterans

(253) 383-4493

425 S Tacoma Way

Tacoma WA 98402

They have a thriving partnership with the local Veterans Affairs office.

Together they offer specialized counseling and case management, housing and employment services, and much needed referrals to outside resources.

Tacoma/ Pierce County Habitat for Humanity

(253) 627-5626 | Fax: (253) 284-2805

4824 S Tacoma Way

Tacoma, WA 98409

No matter who we are or where we come from, we all deserve a decent place to call home. We deserve to know we have the power to take care of ourselves and build our own futures. What They Do: Homeownership, Housing Counseling, Foreclosure Prevention, Home Repair, Habitat Homes, Completed Neighborhoods, and Future Plans.



Shared Housing Services

Adult Home Share

(253) 383-3056

901 S 13th St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

www.associatedministries.org/supportive-services/home-sharing-

Home sharing is a living arrangement where Home Providers offer accommodations to Home Seekers in exchange for an agreed-upon level of

support in the form of financial contribution, assistance with household tasks, transportation, or companionship.

Exodus Housing

Phone: (253) 862-6808 | Fax: (253) 826-2169

Their agency's lifelong work is not only to help families regain self-sufficiency and control of their lives through their services, but to also join forces with other agencies to end the cycle of domestic violence and homelessness. Encouraging independence, empowerment and self-sufficiency for families fleeing domestic violence by providing access to permanent housing, tailored services and community resources; Serving Pierce County. A community free of homelessness and domestic violence.

Faith House Ministries NW

(253) 302-5335

5954 North 26th St.

Tacoma, WA 98407

Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 am-5:00 pm; Saturday by appointment

Faith House Ministries NW is a housing resource for Veterans and a housing support services for single men & women, teens, and young adults. There are classes to attend.

Hope Guest House

(253) 627-3620

915 S. 7th St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hope Guest House provides congregate care for women with physical or mental disabilities. Case management through any mental health facility.

Metropolitan Development Council

(253) 383-3921-TDD | (253) 591-0147

945 Fawcett Ave. Rm #204

Tacoma, WA 98402

Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:00 am-4:00 pm; Friday, 8:00 am-3:00 pm

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MDC – Metropolitan Development Council is a vital community resource for Tacoma and Pierce County. Founded in 1964 as a non-profit Community Action Agency, MDC responds to community needs by providing services in healthcare, housing, education, and employment that address the challenges faced by low-income individuals and families. Continuing economic struggles for many in Tacoma's low-income communities requires that we all work

together if we are to sustain what has been accomplished and continue to grow. MDC is responding to this challenge with new board and staff leadership, investment in staff training and development, a leaner management structure, greater volunteer involvement and a commitment to continuous process improvement within our organization, as well as each of our 40 programs.

Pierce County Community Connections

(253) 798-4500 | (253) 272-1532 www.sharedhousingservic
901 S 11th St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

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Volunteer Services

(206) 328-5696

Volunteer Services (formerly Volunteer Chore Services) began in 1981 in response to cuts in services for elders by the state legislature. The program currently works with thousands of elderly and adults with disabilities statewide. VS is committed to helping elders and adults with disabilities remain independent in their own homes through a network of caring community members. The services are provided at no charge and serve as a safety net for those individuals who cannot afford to pay for assistance and do not qualify for other assistance. Volunteers provide 2-8 hours per month assisting their neighbors depending on their schedules and availability. Services: Housework, Laundry, Shopping/Errands, Transportation, Yard Work, Respite, Minor Home Repair, Cooking, Communications, Household Repairs, Monitoring, Wood Provision, some kinds of Personal Care, Protective Supervision, Moving Assistance.



Medical Care

Community Health Care

Appointment Line: (253) 722-2161 | Insurance Enrollment Assistance: (253) 722-2154

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00 am- 5:00 pm (closed for lunch, 12:00 pm-1:00 pm; closed at 12:00 pm for the remainder of the day on the 2nd Wednesday of each month).

Locations:

Hilltop Regional Health Center

(253) 441-4742
1202 Martin Luther King Jr. Way
Tacoma, WA 98404

Kimi & George Tanbara, MD Health Center (Eastside Community Clinic)

(253) 471-4553
1708 East 44th St.
Tacoma, WA 98404

Lakewood Health Center

(253) 589-7030
10510 Gravelly Lake Dr. SW
Lakewood, WA 98499

Parkland Health Center

(253) 536-2020
11225 Pacific Ave.
Tacoma, WA 98444

Spanaway Health Center

(253) 847-2304
134 188th St. S
Spanaway, WA 98387

Puyallup Health Center

(253) 268-1170
201 W Main
Puyallup, WA 98371

Korean Women's Association

(253) 359-0470

123 E 96th St.

Tacoma, WA 98445

They can help you understand health care coverage options and rights; find affordable health care coverage; evaluate and compare health insurance plans. They provide free, unbiased and confidential assistance with Medicare and health care choices giving the latest information.

Neighborhood Clinic

(253) 627-6353

1323 S Yakima Ave.

Tacoma, WA 98404

Neighborhood Clinic is grounded on the belief that healing occurs where physical and medical care is accompanied by consistent emotional support and a regard for the whole person. Therefore, in response to the Spirit's call, the Neighborhood Clinic tries to meet each person as an individual, to heal, bind wounds, teach and advocate for those in need. They strive to foster an emotionally supportive atmosphere, focusing on holistic care for all of those we welcome through their door.

Pierce County Project Access

(253) 572-7265

4301 S Pine St. #455

Tacoma, WA 98409

Their mission is to improve the health of individuals, families, and communities by ensuring pathways to health services for Pierce County residents in need. Their vision is for every Pierce County resident to have equitable access to medical care.

SeaMar Clinics

1 (855) 289-4503

Sea Mar Community Health Centers is a community-based organization committed to providing quality, comprehensive health, human, housing, educational and cultural services to diverse communities, specializing in service to Latinos.

Locations:

Puyallup Medical Clinic (SeaMar)

(253) 864-4550
10217 125th St. Ct. E, 2nd Floor
Puyallup, WA 98374
Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00 am- 5:00 pm

Tacoma Medical Clinic (SeaMar)

(253) 593-2144
1112 S Cushman Ave.
Tacoma, WA 98405
Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:00 pm-5:00 pm | Tuesday and Thursday, 8:00 am-7:00 pm

Tacoma Health Care for the Homeless (SeaMar)

(253) 682-2180
1307 S 11th St.
Tacoma, WA 98405
Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am-5:00 pm

Tillicum Medical Clinic (SeaMar)

(253) 280-9890
14916 Washington Ave. SW
Lakewood, WA 98498
Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am-5:00 pm

Trinity Neighborhood Clinic

(253) 272-8819
1615 6th Ave.
Tacoma, WA 98405
Hours: Tuesday, 5:00 pm-7:00 pm
This clinic is available to anyone without medical insurance, assisting clients with a variety of medical concerns, ranging from sports physicals to diabetes help and prescription refills.



[Mental Health Care](#)

Bridges: A Center for Grieving Children

(253) 403-1966

311 South L St. East Wing

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Call for an appointment

Bridges provides a safe place for families to grieve. We support families with children between the ages of 4 and 18 who are coping with a loved one's serious diagnosis or who have experienced the death of someone they care about.

Comprehensive Life Resources

(253) 396-5800

1305 Tacoma Ave. S

Tacoma, WA 98402

CLR offers accessible community-based behavioral health services, guided by recovery-oriented principles and best practices, for Pierce County adults and youth.

Gig Harbor Behavioral Health

(253) 280-9888

3208 50th St. Ct. NW, Bldg. C, Ste. 202

Gig Harbor, WA 98335

Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am-5:00 pm

Greater Lakes Mental Healthcare- Main Building

(253) 581-7020

9330 59th Ave. SW

Lakewood, WA 98499

At Greater Lakes Mental Healthcare, they provide a wide variety of services at various locations throughout Pierce County, offering Mental health services for adults and children in Pierce County; Substance Use Disorder treatment for adults; Court and criminal justice programs; Outreach and support programs for individuals experiencing homelessness & Integrated medical care, including a full-service pharmacy.

Greater Lakes Spanaway Clinic

(253) 535-1935

113 170th St. S

Spanaway, WA 98387

Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 am-5:00 pm

Healing Places Counseling Center

(253) 564-4233

621 Pacific Ave. Suite 102

Tacoma, WA 98402

Healing Places Counseling Center is a group of professionals serving people with mental illness and those struggling with challenging life experiences.

Hope Sparks Relatives Raising Children Program

(253) 565-4484

6424 N 9th St.

Tacoma, WA 98406

Since 1895, Hope Sparks has been providing behavioral health, family services, and basic needs to children and families in Tacoma and Pierce County. Hope Sparks is a recognized leader in behavioral health, early intervention, kinship care, home visiting, and parent education. Each year, thousands of children and families turn to Hope Sparks for critical and life-changing support.

MultiCare Behavioral Health

(253) 697-8400

We deliver confidential, compassionate care to address the mental health challenges people face throughout their lifetime. From early childhood through adolescence, adulthood and older adulthood, our programs help

people in Pierce and King Counties achieve wellness and live to their fullest potential.

PFLAG (Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays)

(253) 234-9790

621 Tacoma Ave. S

Tacoma, Washington 98404

Their mission is to build on a foundation of loving families united with LGBTQ+ people and allies who support one another, and to educate themselves and their communities to speak up as advocates until all hearts and minds respect, value and affirm LGBTQ people.

PLU Couple & Family Therapy Center

(253) 535-7411 | (253) 535-8782

12180 Park Ave. S

Tacoma, WA 98447

Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Friday 9:00 am-3:00 pM

They offer affordable, high-quality care to individuals, couples, and families, using the latest advances in the field. Care at their center is based on a family-focused model of therapy, which means they encourage family members or significant others to come together in therapy to gather as much information as possible about the difficulties you are facing.

Puyallup Behavioral Health Center Services

(253) 864-4770

12812 101st Ave. Ct. E # 202

Puyallup, WA 98373

Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am-5:00 pm

Recovery Response Center

(253) 942-5644

2150 Freeman Rd. E

Fife, WA 98424

Recovery Response Center serves as a crisis alternative for First Responders and emergency rooms in Pierce County. In support of their mission statement, they strive to create opportunities and environments that empower people to recover in times of crisis.

SeaMar

(253) 396-1634

2121 S 13th St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am-5:00 pm



Pregnancy Services

Care Net Pregnancy Centers

1 (877) 668-2566

Locations:

Federal Way location:

(253) 941-2664

1414 S 324th St. Suite #B105

Federal Way, WA 98003

Gig Harbor location:

(253) 858-5585

2727 Hollycroft St. Suite #130

Gig Harbor, WA 98335

Lakewood location:

(253) 984-6222

10828 Gravelly Lake Dr. SW Suite #101

Lakewood, WA 98499

Puyallup location:

253-770-8697

10215 125th St. Ct. E

Puyallup, WA 98374

Tacoma Location:

(253) 383-2988

1924 S Cedar St. Suite B

Tacoma, WA 98405

Our Lady of Guadalupe Maternity Center

(253) 582-3384

5705 Main St. SW
Lakewood, WA 98499

Hours: Monday & Friday, 10:00 am-12:00 pm

This is a part of the parish PREPARES Ministry, whose purpose is to provide spiritual, and material help to mothers, pregnant women, and their young children (infant to age 8).

Pregnancy Aid

(253) 383-4100

902 Market St.

Tacoma, WA 98402

Pet Care and Services

Pet Behavior Hot Line

(952) 435-7738

Pet Partners

(425) 679-5530

345 118th Ave. SE #200

Bellevue, WA 98005

Pet Partners' mission is to improve human health and well-being through the human-animal bond.

Humane Society of Tacoma and Pierce County

(253) 383-2733

2608 Center St.

Tacoma, WA 98409

Their mission is to advance the welfare of animals and promote positive relationships between animals and people.



[Prescription Assistance](#)

All Saints Community Services

(253) 845-7521 ext. 014
204 6th Ave. SW
Puyallup, WA 98371

Community Health Care

(253) 722-2154

Sound Outreach Services

(253) 593-2111
Hours: Monday –Thursday, 8:30 am–5:00 pm
1106 Martin Luther King Jr. Way
Tacoma, WA 98405

Salvation Army

(253) 572-8452
1501 6th Ave.
Tacoma, WA 98405



Services for the Disabled

Advanced Health Care

(253) 475-7744

116 Gravelly Lake Dr. SW

Tacoma, WA 98499

All of their services, including caregivers, skilled nursing and transportation and recovery care, are provided under the direct supervision of knowledgeable and experienced registered nurses. Combining their efforts with those of the clients' personal physicians and other health care providers, they can ensure that the home care experience is as productive and satisfying as possible.

Catholic Community Services

(253) 383-3697

7050 S G St.

Tacoma, WA 98408

Catholic Community Services (CCS) and Catholic Housing Services (CHS) are official human service outreach arms of the Catholic Church in Western Washington. Under the leadership of Archbishop Paul D. Etienne and Boards of Trustees, staff and volunteers answer the Gospel call to loving and compassionate service with particular concern for the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death and for the dignity of the human person.

Center for Independence

(253) 582-7801

7801 Bridgeport Way W #200

Lakewood, WA 98499

The Center for Independence is a non-profit organization serving as a resource for individuals with disabilities to fully access and participate in the community through outreach, advocacy, and independent living skills development.

Diversion Developmental Disabilities

(253) 404-5500

www.dshs.wa

The Developmental Disabilities Administration (DDA) assists individuals with developmental disabilities and their families to obtain services and supports based on individual preference, capabilities and needs, and which promote everyday activities, routines and relationships common to most citizens. They protect and improve the health of all people and places in Pierce County.

Family Housing Network

(253) 471-5340

5050 S Tacoma Way
Tacoma, WA 98409

Through support, dignity and love, Catholic Community Services/Family Housing Network, in partnership with their community, empowers families challenged by homelessness to achieve independent, healthy lives, and a permanent place to call home. Services for the Homeless

L'Arche Tahoma Hope Community

(253) 535-3178

12302 Vickery Ave. E
Tacoma, WA 98446

The Mission of L'Arche is to make known the gifts of people with intellectual disabilities, revealed through mutually transforming relationships. To foster an environment in the community that responds to the changing needs of our members, while being faithful to the core values of their founding story. To engage in their diverse cultures, working together toward a more humane society.

Lutheran Community Services Northwest

(253) 272-8433

3848 S Junett St.
Tacoma, WA 98409

Their mission is grounded in faith and the ideals of inclusiveness and justice. They respect, serve and advocate for all no matter their religion, ethnicity, sexuality or other personal attributes.

Tacoma Recovery Center

(253) 533-9361

813 Martin Luther King Jr. Way
Tacoma, WA 98405

They are committed to creating community relationships that empower, educate, and heal the person who is suffering from substance disorders, trauma, and mental health. Their mission is to create a pathway to recovery that restores families.

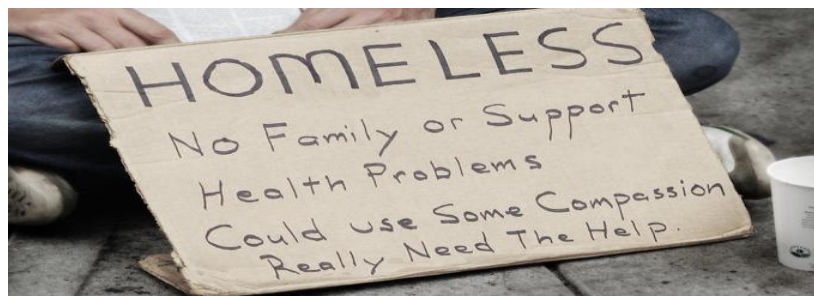
The Pierce County Aging and Disability Resources Center (ADRC)

(253) 798-4600

1305 Tacoma Ave. S #104

Tacoma, WA 98402

At MultiCare Behavioral Health, they offer a comprehensive range of mental health services in clinics, hospitals and specialty centers across Pierce and King counties



Services for the Homeless

Guadalupe House

(740) 954-0776

1417 S G St.

Tacoma, WA 98405

They offer hospitality in various ways to the homeless community.

Guadalupe House functions as a transitional house offering a room and supportive environment to those transitioning out of homelessness. They walk with guests through healing and work towards their goals. All this runs on generous donations from friends across Tacoma like Cosmonaut Coffee and Legendary Donuts. Every Tuesday night, they host their weekly open house prayer service and dinner.

Hygiene Center

(206) 474-1680

210 Alaskan Way, Basement Level

Seattle, WA 98104

Hours: Monday-Friday, 7:00 am-2:30 pm

Hygiene Center offers homeless men and women a place to use the restroom, take a hot shower, and do a load of laundry. It is open on a drop-in basis during regular business hours.

Open Hearth Ministries (Helping Hand House)

(253) 848-6096

4321 2nd St. SW

Puyallup, WA 98373

Hours: Monday- Friday, 8:00 am- 4:00 pm

A family who calls the Open-Hearth Ministries program at Helping Hand House will speak directly with, or receive a return call from, a volunteer screener who obtains basic information from the family and determines if the family meets our criteria. Criteria: the family must currently be homeless, their most current address must be in Eastern Pierce County, and school-age children must be enrolled in one of the local school districts. If the criteria are met, the screener will arrange with a local motel and contact a volunteer

visitor who will visit the family and help them begin the lengthy process of ending their homelessness. The screener also refers the family to Coordinated Entry, the centralized intake office for Pierce County homeless.

Project Homeless Connect

(253) 426-1507

<https://associatedministries.org/supportive-services/phcvolunteer/>

Project Homeless Connect is a one-day event, held in Pierce County, 3 times a year. They bring essential service providers such as Coordinated Entry Case Managers, Veterans Benefits, Health insurance enrollment, dental services, wellness exams, vaccines, career building services and so much more to meet with community member's currently experiencing homelessness. Please visit their website for the latest information and updates.

Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness

(253) 444-4563

<https://www.pchomeless.org/>

Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness is a loose network of individuals, non-profit agencies, government agencies, and community businesses working together to serve people experiencing homelessness. Their end goal is to help folks establish safe housing as quickly as possible and help them to retain that housing, so their homeless episode is short and never repeated. They also work to address many of the factors that drive homelessness. (Website has all the information you need)

Statewide Health Insurance Benefits Advisors (SHIBA)

1 (800) 562-6900

Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am-5:00 pm

Washington Poison Center

Emergency Number: 1 (800) 222-1222 | Administration (206) 517-2350 |

155 NE 100th St. Suite #100

Seattle, WA 98125

The Washington Poison Center (WAPC) is a statewide provider of immediate, free*, and expert treatment advice and assistance on the telephone in case of exposure to poisonous, hazardous, or toxic substances. All calls are confidential. There is a \$45 fee for all animal calls.

Telephone Assistance

Lifeline Cell Phone Service

1 (888) 321-5880

Assurance Wireless is a federal Lifeline Assistance program. Enrollment is available to individuals who qualify based on federal or state-specific eligibility criteria and is non-transferable.

Transportation Assistance

Around the Sound

(253) 858-7088

Call to reserve a ride.

Christ Episcopal Church

(253) 848-2323

Local Motion

(253) 539-8233

17407 66th Ave. Ct. E

Puyallup, WA 98375

Paratransit

1 (800) 933-3468 ext. 399

Transpro

(253) 858-7088

United Way of Pierce County

2-1-1 | www.uwpc.org/let-us-help

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00 am-4:00 pm

The following information is intended to connect you with helpful links and the available transportation resources in our community. United Way of Pierce County's 2-1-1 call center is a comprehensive and human resources help center. Information and referral specialists can help direct callers to transportation resources that best fit their needs. Search the 2-1-1 Database online.

Transportation

Pierce Transit

(253) 581-8000

3701 96th St. SW

Lakewood, WA 98499

Pierce Transit connects communities with safe, reliable, customer friendly transit options. Three transportation services meet a variety of Needs: Bus, Shuttle, and Vanpool. Bus Pass Information: Call for Details or visit the website for bus routes, Schedules, and park n rides, fares.

Pierce Transit Shuttle

(253) 581-8100

The SHUTTLE provides door-to-door service, or in some instances, transportation to transit centers or bus stops to connect with regular bus service. The SHUTTLE vehicle may make several stops along the way before it arrives at your destination. SHUTTLE will take you where you want to go, within our regular service area and hours of operation, based on fixed route service.

Utility Assistance



Vocational/ Community Colleges

Bates Technical College

Central Campus

(253) 680-7603
2320 S. 19th St.
Tacoma WA 98405

Downtown Campus

(253) 680-7000
1101 S. Yakima Ave.
Tacoma WA 98405

South Campus

(253) 680-7400
2201 S. 78th St. Rm. E201
Tacoma WA 98409

Clover Park Technical College

Lakewood Campus- Main

(253) 589-5800
4500 Steilacoom Blvd. SW
Lakewood, WA 98449

South Hill Campus- Aviation Campus

(253) 583-8904
17214 110th Ave E.
Puyallup, WA 98374

Tacoma Community College

Gig Harbor Campus

(253) 460-2424
3993 Hunt St. NW
Gig Harbor, WA 98335

Tacoma Campus- Main

(253) 566-5000

6501 S 19th St.
Tacoma, WA 98466