

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Enroll with health care - Veterans Health Administration

To enroll with Veterans Healthcare Services at the Washington DC VA Medical Center:

Call: Call 1-877-222-VETS (8387), Mon-Fri, 8:00AM-8:00PM

washingtondc.va.gov; click "Become a patient" link; click "Application for healthcare benefits"; complete 10-10 EZ form

In person: DC VA Medical Center- 50 Irving Street NW Washington DC, "Eligibility"; 202-745-8000
CRRC- 1500 Franklin Street NE; 202-636-7660

Request a DD214 (records)

Online: <https://www.archives.gov/veterans/military-service-records/index.html>

In person: VA Regional Office- 1722 I Street NW; 1-800-827-1000

CRRC- 1500 Franklin Street NE; 202-636-7660

Request eligibility specialist to enroll

Veterans Benefits Administration

Department of Veterans Affairs Regional Office

Call: 1-800-827-1000

In person: 1722 I Street NW

VBA Homeless Outreach Coordinator: 540-597-1475

Online: <https://www.ebenefits.va.gov>

Services: Compensation, pension, voc rehab, survivors' benefits

Community Resource and Referral Center (CRRC)

Call: (202) 636-7660 to confirm what days/times VBA representative is available

Education & Training 1-888-442-4551

www.gibill.va.gov

VBA Homeless Outreach Coordinator: 540-597-1475

Veteran Helpline/Resource Directory

National Call Center for Homeless Veterans (24/7)

877-424-3838 or 1-877-4AID-VET

Veterans Crisis Line (24/7)

1-800-273-8255 (press #1)

Nation Resource Directory <https://nrd.gov/> (information about resources for employment, financial, claims, etc)

MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS HOTLINES

CrisisLink Suicide Hotline, DC & Northern VA (24/7)

703.527.4077

Alexandria Emergency Mental Health Services (24/7)

703.746.3401

Arlington Emergency Mental Health Services (24/7)

703-228-5160

Fairfax CBS Emergency Services (24/7)

703-573-5679

Prince William ACTS Helpline (24/7)

703-368-4141

VA HEALTHCARE

DC VA MEDICAL CENTER

202-745-8000

50 Irving Street NW

VA HEALTHCARE

VA COMMUNITY BASED OUTPATIENT CLINICS

Local clinics that can be used for primary care appointments, health education, mental health, and preventative care are located in convenient locations throughout the Washington, DC area. If you would like to choose one of these primary care teams, please let your primary care provider know or tell eligibility when you are first enrolling that you would like one of this clinics selected as your primary care location.

Community Resource and Referral Center (CRRC)

202-636-7660

1500 Franklin Street NE

Hours: 24 hours/7 days a week

Showers, laundry, computer lab, homeless (HCHV) program (assessments and referrals to transitional housing); Compensated work therapy (CWT); employment services; justice re-

Services: entry and diversion

Fort Belvoir

571-231-2408

9300 DeWitt Loop Sunrise Pavilion, Fort Belvoir, VA

VET CENTERS

Readjustment counseling, military sexual trauma counseling, and bereavement counseling services.

Alexandria Vet Center

703-360-8633 Or 703-360-8633

6940 South Kings Highway #204

COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE

Fairfax Community Services Board

(703) 573-5679

8221 Willow Oaks Corporate Drive, Fairfax, VA

Services for mental health, substance use disorders, developmental disabilities

Gartlan Center

Call Fairfax CSB Entry & Referral- 703-383-8500

8119 Holland Road, Alexandria, VA

Emergency services for psychiatric crisis

Northern Virginia Family Services

Health & Dental Services

Arlington: 571-748-2710

Fairfax: 571.748.2593 (phone line hours: Mon-Fri, 9-12)

Prince William: 571.748.2635

Mental Health Services

Intake and Referral: 571.748.2818.

Must be a county resident, Household income must be 200% or less of the Federal Poverty Line.

Northern Virginia Dental Clinic

(703) 820-7170

For referral, contact Office of Community Services at 703.746.5700

Residents of: Alexandria, Arlington, Fairfax, Loudon, Falls Church

Individual/family income must be at or below 200% of the federal poverty guidelines.

HOMELESS DROP-IN AND REFERRAL SERVICES

Alexandria

[Alexandria Community & Human Services Information and Referral](#)

Customer Call Center- 703.746.5700

Information on social services and public benefits assistance; mental health, intellectual disability and substance abuse services; and support initiative for women.

[Homeless Services Assessment Center \(HSAC\)](#)

Screening line 703-746-5700

Walk-in eligibility screening at 2525 Mt. Vernon Ave, Alexandria, VA

Centralized intake system designed to screen adult individuals who are homeless or at risk of homelessness

[Carpenter Shelter- David's Place](#)

(703) 548-7500

930 North Henry Street Alexandria, VA 22314

Monday-Friday 7:30am-11:30am; Saturday 8am-12pm

Services: Showers, Laundry, Locker facilities, Phone and voice mail services, Mailing address, Housing referrals

Arlington

Arlington Department of Human Services

Emergency Housing Information Line: 703-228-1010

2100 Washington Blvd, Arlington, Virginia

[Department of Human Services Community Assistance Bureau](#)

703-228-1300

Services: If homeless or at risk of becoming homeless

Economic Independence (1st floor)

703-228-1350

Services: Public assistance: SNAP, TANF, Medicaid, etc.

Apply for public assistance online at <https://commonhelp.virginia.gov/access/>

Food Stamps information line

703-228-1324

[A-SPAN's Opportunity Place](#)

(703)820-4357

Outreach Office- (703) 525-6075

2708-B S. Nelson St. (2nd Floor), Arlington, VA

Walk-in Hours: Mon thru Thurs 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

Services: Showers, Laundry, Phone, Clothing, Employment Services, Case Management

Fairfax

[Fairfax County Human Services, Coordinated Services Planning](#)

(703) 222-0880

Intake, assessment and referrals to human services

Mon-Fri: 8am-4:30pm

[NVFS- General Homelessness Prevention Services](#)

703.222.0880

The Lamb Center

(703) 691-3178
 3220 Old Lee Highway, Fairfax, VA
 Drop-in, meals, showers, laundry, bible study, IDs, tokens, referrals

HOMELESS DROP-IN AND REFERRAL SERVICES

Fairfax

Embry Rucker Community Shelter (Cornerstones)

703-437-1975
 11975 Bowman Towne Dr., Reston, VA 20190
 Child care, medical assistance, nutritious meals, a nurse on staff and financial counseling
 Drop-in access to hot meals, laundry machines, and shower facilities

Safe Haven, First Christian Church Falls Church

703-532-8220
 6165 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA
 Drop-In breakfast, lunch every Thurs 8am-1pm year round, Jan-March open Tue from 8am-1pm
 Haircuts, clothing closet, basic medical advice, computer/internet access
 Individuals interested just need to show up at between 8am-1pm, no referral necessary

FACETS Client Resource Center

703-352-5090
 Basic needs assistance and comprehensive case management, emergency pantry, computers and phones, hot meals, outreach, homeless diversion

Prince William

Prince William County Department of Social Services

703 792-7500

NVFS- General Homelessness Prevention Services

571.748.2603

The Hilda M. Barg Homeless Prevention Center

(703) 680-5403
 14945 Jefferson Davis Highway, Woodbridge

Bill Mehr Drop In Center

703-897-0199
 1416 Potomac Mills Road
 Food, showers, clothing, referrals, mental health services

Loudoun County

Homeless hotline 703-777-0353

SHELTER

Alexandria

Alexandria Community Shelter

(703) 746-3660
 2355-B Mill Road, Alexandria, VA
 Men, women and families

Carpenters Residential Shelter

(703) 746-5700; (703) 548-7500
 930 North Henry Street Alexandria, VA
 Men, women and children

Winter Hypothermia Shelter at Carpenters
 Open: Nov–March, 7a.m. – 7p.m.

Arlington

[Arlington Department of Human Services](#)

703-228-1300 OR 703-228-1010
 Shelter referrals

SHELTER

Arlington

[A-SPAN Emergency Winter Shelter \(Nov. 1 – March 31\)](#)

703-228-7395
 2049 N. 15th St., Arlington, VA

[Safe Haven at Sullivan House](#)

(703) 525-7177
 Services: Emergency shelter for families experiencing homelessness

Fairfax

[NVFS- Bailey’s Crossroads Community Shelter](#)

703-820-7621
 3525 Moncure Avenue, Falls Church, Virginia
 Hypothermia prevention services: Nov 1- Mar 31

[Eleanor Kennedy Shelter \(New Hope\)](#)

(703) 799-0200
 Fort Belvoir
 Single adults, male and female

[Embry Rucker Community Shelter \(Cornerstones\)](#)

703-437-1975
 11975 Bowman Towne Dr., Reston, VA 20190
 Emergency housing for families and single men and women

[Friends of Falls Church Homeless Shelter](#)

703-854-1400
 217 Gordon Hwy, Alexandria VA
 Open: Nov-April (6pm-8am), men and women

[Katherine K. Hanley Family Shelter](#)

571-522-6800
 12970 Katherine Hanley Court, Fairfax, VA
 A shelter for families with children.

Prince William

[ACTS Homeless shelter hotline](#)

703-221-3188

[ACTS Beverly Warren Emergency Shelter](#)

703-221-3188
 17866 Maine Street, Dumfries, VA 22026
 18 bed facility for families, singles

[The Hilda M. Barg Homeless Prevention Center](#)

(703) 680-5403
 14945 Jefferson Davis Highway, Woodbridge
 Year round 30-bed shelter for families and single adults

Prince William Department of Social Services- Winter Shelter

703-897-0199

14730 Potomac Mills Road in Woodbridge

November 1 through March 31, from 6:30 p.m. to 7 a.m

SERVE, Inc. Emergency shelter

(571) 748-2603 (leave name and phone #)

TRANSITIONAL & SUPPORTIVE HOUSING

All Counties

Community Resource and Referral Center (CRRC)

202-636-7660

1500 Franklin Street NE

Hours: 24 hours/7 days a week

Veterans who are homeless or at imminent risk of homelessness may request to speak

Services: with a social worker to place a referral. Referrals must be done in-person.

Alexandria

Christ House Men's Shelter

703-549-8644

131 S West St, Alexandria, VA 22314

Services: Transitional housing for homeless men; shower and laundry facilities

ALIVE! House Shelter

703-684-1430

Temporary housing for women and families in emergency and transitional situations.

ALIVE! House provides 6-12 months of shelter, support, and help developing life skills for

Services: up to four homeless families at a time.

Arlington

Volunteers of America- Residential Program Center

703-228-0022

1554 Columbia Pike, Arlington, VA

Non-medical detoxification, substance abuse recovery and housing services for single

Services: adults experiencing homelessness

Must be referred by Arlington Department of Human Services- 703-228-101

Fairfax

FACETS Housing Services

(703) 222-0880; Referral required through Coordinated Services Planning (CSP)

10640 PAGE AVENUE, SUITE 300, FAIRFAX, V

Supportive and long-term housing for individuals and families

Families work with a FACETS case manager on the goal of locating permanent or transitional housing. Participants receive budget counseling, housing location services, connection to community resources, basic needs and transportation assistance and

Services: services for children

Pathway Homes

(703) 876-0390

Supported shared housing for adults who are (a) at least 18 years old, and (b) have a

Services: documented diagnosis of severe mental illness and/or substance use disorder.

Prince William

St. Margaret of Cortona Transitional Residence Program

703-910-4845

1423 G Street, Apt A, Woodbridge, VA

Up to 24 months of low cost housing and supportive services to married and single parents

Services: exiting emergency shelters; Application required

RAPID REHOUSING

Supportive Services for Veterans and Their Families (SSVF)

Rapid rehousing programs for Veterans who are homeless or at imminent risk of homelessness

Services include: housing identification, move-in and rent assistance, and case management

Veterans can only be enrolled in one SSVF program

Friendship Place

202-658-9599 (Screening line)

Arlington, Alexandria, PWC, Fairfax, Loudoun

Volunteers of America

703-341-5077 or (844) 461-2892

Arlington, Alexandria, PWC, Fairfax

Operation Renewed Hope Foundation

703-887-8117

Arlington, Alexandria, PWC, Fairfax

U.S. Veterans Initiative

202-738-7664; 202-969-7000; 202-573-4961 (5)

Arlington, Alexandria, Fairfax

Housing Counseling

202-667-7006 (Ask for an "eligibility specialist.")

Arlington, Alexandria, Fairfax

Intake hours are from 9:00-5:00pm Mon., Tues., Thurs., and Fri. and 9:00-8:00 p.m. on Wed.

Please provide income verification and writ of eviction to be eligible

Rental Assistance Hotline answered on the first business day of each month

RENTAL/UTILITY ASSISTANCE

All Counties

Virginia Department of Social Services' (VDSS) Energy Assistance Program

Apply online: <https://commonhelp.virginia.gov/access/>

Apply at local Department of Social Services:

Alexandria- (703) 746-5700, 2525 Mount Vernon Ave

Arlington- (703) 228-1350, 2100 Washington Blvd. - 1st Fl

Fairfax- (703) 324-7500, 12011 Government Center Parkway, Suite 232

Prince William- (703) 792-7500, 7987 Ashton Ave., Suite 200, Manassas

Helps eligible households, 1) with the costs of heating their homes, 2) in heating emergency situations with primary heat security deposits, utility heating bills, repair/replacement of heating equipment, primary heating fuel, or emergency shelter, 3) with cooling equipment repairs or purchases and with payment of the electric bill to

Services: operate cooling equipment.

[Catholic Charities Emergency Financial Assistance Program](#)

703-548-4227 – press “5”, Monday – Friday 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m

Financial assistance by appointment only: Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Services: Limited financial assistance for rent and utilities

Final Salute, Inc. (Women Veterans); 703-224-8845; <http://www.finalsaluteinc.org/>; Financial assistance;

transitional housing

RENTAL/UTILITY ASSISTANCE

Alexandria

[Alexandria Department of Community and Human Services, Office of Community Services](#)

703.746.5700 for screening and appointments

Rental assistance to eligible, low-income persons facing a housing crisis

Senior Rent Relief Program: Cash grants for low-income renters who are 65 or older or

Services: permanently and totally disabled and who have no other assistance to help pay their rent

[ALIVE! Emergency Monetary Assistance](#)

Must be referred by the Office of Community Services, 703-746-5700

For general information call 703-837-9300

Monetary assistance to Alexandria City residents for rent, utilities, medical expenses and

Services: other emergency needs

[Salvation Army at Alexandria Corps](#)

(703) 836-2427

1804 Mount Vernon Avenue, Alexandria VA, 22301

Year-round support is available for people in crisis – utility and rental assistance for

families facing eviction, food and gift baskets for the hungry and utility help to keep the

Services: lights or water on

Arlington

[Salvation Army at Arlington Corps](#)

703.746.5700 for screening and appointments

518 South Glebe Road, Arlington, VA 22204

Services: Eviction prevention and utility assistance

[Army Emergency Relief](#)

(703) 696-8435

201 CUSTER ROAD BLDG. 201, ARLINGTON, VA

Active Duty/Retired Military

Provides emergency financial assistance for rent, food, utilities, emergency transportation,

essential vehicle repairs, funeral expenses, and medical/dental expenses. Army Emergency

Relief (AER) assistance is in the form of an interest free loan, grant and/or combination

Services: interest free loan and grant.

Fairfax

[NVFS- Emergency Utility Assistance](#)

571.748.2552

[Fairfax County Rental Program](#)

Waitlist Inquires for Public Housing

Call 703-246-5072 or apply online <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/rha/preapp.htm>

[Britepaths Financial Assistance Program](#)

703.273.8829

Contact Coordinated Services Planning for referral, 703.222.0880

Services: Provides small grants to help with rent, utilities and some other basic emergency needs.

RENTAL/UTILITY ASSISTANCE

Fairfax

[Fairfax FISH Inc.](#)

Contact Fairfax department of Human Services (703) 222-0880

Provides financial aid for rent; mortgage payments; utilities such as electric, water, gas, or heating oil; prescriptions or medical treatments and appliances; gasoline; food; and baby

Services: formula and diapers

Prince William

[NVFS- Emergency Utility Assistance](#)

571.748.2624

[ACTS Emergency Assistance](#)

703-368-4141

17950 Dr. David Cline Lane in Dumfries

Services: Utility and prescription assistance

Required: ID, proof of address, proof of income, household verification

Holy Family

703-670-8161

Emergency needs, food and referrals

[New Creatures in Christ Ministries](#)

703-910-4293

13327 Woodbridge St, Woodbridge, VA 22191

Financial assistance, food pantry, housing location assistance, job searches and resume assistance

[Salvation Army, Woodbridge](#)

703-580-8991

1483 Old bridge Road Suite 102 Woodbridge, VA, 22192

Emergency needs and referrals

Dumfries United Methodist

(703) 221-2880

3890 Cameron Street Dumfries, Virginia

Financial assistance with prescription medication costs, utility assistance

Streetlight Community Outreach Ministries

(703) 491-2288

1550 Prince William Parkway, Woodbridge, VA

Emergency assistance

HOUSING SEARCH WEBSITES

www.SocialServe.Com

<http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD>

www.GoSection8.com

www.WeTakeSection8.com

<http://hcsnv.org>

www.redfin.com

www.ApartmentList.com

www.Apartments.com

www.apartmentguide.com

www.apartmentfinder.com

www.Zumper.com

www.abodo.com

www.Trulia.com

www.Zillow.com

FOOD SERVICES

Alexandria

Office of Community Services

703.746.5700

Services: Referrals to emergency food closets. Food delivery limited to homebound individuals

Christ House Food Pantry

703-548-4227

131 S West St, Alexandria, VA 22314

Open for clients on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9 a.m. – 1p.m.

Services: Serve a warm meal for 50-65 guests each night of the year; arrive between 5- 6 p.m.

Arlington

A-SPAN Homeless Bagged Meal Program

703-820-4357

Meal every night at:

— Oakland Minipark (N. Nelson St. & Wilson Blvd.) at 6:00 PM

— Rosslyn (Lee Hwy and N. Nash Street) at 6:30 PM

Our Lady Queen of Peace

Contact: Michelle Knight - 703-979-5580

2700 S. 19TH STREET

Food pantry and grocery distribution

St. George's Episcopal Church

703-525-8286

915 N. Oakland St. Arlington, VA

Lunch food Monday through Friday: 11:30 AM to 1:00PM.

Food Pantry is open Monday through Friday from 12:00 pm to 1:00pm.

Fairfax

Safe Haven, First Christian Church Falls Church

703-532-8220

6165 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA

Drop-In breakfast, lunch every Thurs 8am-1pm year round, Jan-March open Tue from 8am-1pm

FACETS

Home Depot - 703-591-6808

3201 Old Lee Hwy, Fairfax

Breakfast offered 6-6:15AM

Christ Lutheran Church- 703-273-4094
3810 Meredith Dr, Fairfax
Hot Meal offered second Wednesday of each month

[Britepaths, Food Bridge](#)

(703) 222-0880
4080 CHAIN BRIDGE ROAD, SUITE 2ND FLOOR, FAIRFAX, VA 22030-0000
Services: Emergency and short-term food assistance to Fairfax County area
Referral required through Coordinated Services Planning (CSP) 703-222-0880

[Food for Others, Warehouse Distribution](#)

(703) 207-9173; Referral required from Social Service Agency
2938 PROSPERITY AVENUE, FAIRFAX, VA
Services: Distributions of food, Monday through Friday from 9:30am until 5:00pm.

FOOD SERVICES

Fairfax

[Highview Christian Fellowship](#)

(703) 323-6367
4100 HUNT ROAD, FAIRFAX
Services: Food pantry open 2nd Saturday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm; 4th Wednesday, 2:00-8:00 pm

Prince William

[ACTS Food Pantry](#)

703-368-4141
17950 Dr. David Cline Lane in Dumfries
Required: ID, proof of address, proof of income, household verification

Dumfries United Methodist

(703) 221-2880
3890 Cameron Street Dumfries, Virginia
Food pantry

Streetlight Community Outreach Ministries

(703) 491-2288
1550 Prince William Parkway, Woodbridge, VA
Food pantry, weekly outreach dinner

CLOTHING

Alexandria

[Office of Community Services](#)

703.746.5700
Referrals to area clothing closets. Limited assistance for work-related clothing may be
Services: provided as resources allow

[Christ House Thrift Shop](#)

(703) 548-4277
125 S. WEST STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA
Tuesday 9:30 am-12:00; 1:30 pm-4:00 pm Wednesday 9:30 am-12:00; 1:30 pm-4:00 pm
Services: Thursday 9:30 am-12:00; 1:30 pm-4:00 pm; 4:00

[Rising Hope Mission Church, Rags to Riches Clothing Closet](#)

(703) 360-1976
8220 RUSSELL ROAD, ALEXANDRIA

Services: Provides clothing vouchers to adults and children in need for use at the Thrift Shop

Arlington

[A-SPAN's Opportunity Place](#)

703-820-4357

2708 S. Nelson St.-B, 2nd Floor, Arlington, VA 22206

Clothing available at Opportunity Place during walk-in hours, and at the Emergency Winter Services: Shelter during the winter season.

[Resurrection Lutheran Church](#)

703-532-5991

6201 N Washington Blvd. Arlington, VA

Services: The facility is open Saturday mornings from 9:00AM to 11:00AM

CLOTHING

Fairfax

[Safe Haven, First Christian Church Falls Church](#)

703-532-8220

6165 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA

Clothing closet: First-come, first-serve basis. Open from 10:00am-1:00pm subject to volunteer availability. Please note that we have a very limited quantity of clothing; this is not a full-service clothing program

[Pender United Methodist Church](#)

(703) 222-0880

12401 ALDER WOODS DRIVE, FAIRFAX

Clothing and some furniture available second and fourth Saturday of each month from Service: 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Prince William

[ACTS Thrift Store](#)

703-368-4141

17950 Dr. David Cline Lane in Dumfries

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Clothing closet

EMPLOYMENT

[AmVets Career Center](#)

301-683-4032

[Linden Resources/Vets Ready 2 Work](#)

703-521-4441 x7

Eligibility: Wounded warriors and Veterans with disabilities

Easter Seals

Main Office: 301-588-8700

Lead Employment Specialist, Robert Simpson: 301-920-9715 rsimpson@eseal.org

Lead Employment Specialist, Robert Matthews: 301-920-9720

Lead Employment Specialist for Arlington, Alexandria, Fairfax, Sam Adams: 301-920-9731, 301-920-9770

US Vets

202-573-2168; 202-734-8276; 202-805-1998; 202-805-1984

Virginia Employment Commission

Alexandria/Arlington: (703) 813-1300

Prince William County/Fairfax/Loudon: (703) 897-0407

Fredericksburg: (540) 322-5757

EMPLOYMENT

Saved Hands Foundation

571-572-9013 OR 703-895-6681

Services: Woodbridge, resume, job search assistance

United Community Ministries

703-360-9088 x203 - Tim Howard, Employment Counselor (tim.howard@ucmagency.org)

Work Center, 8305 Richmond Highway #4A, Alexandria, VA 22309

Alexandria, Woodbridge, Manassas, Fairfax

Services: Resume, job search assistance

Alexandria Work Development Center

703.746.5990

1900 N. Beauregard Street, Suite 300, Alexandria

Trainings, Federal bonding program for job seekers with a prior conviction, career readiness

Services: workshops

Virginia Department of Veterans Affairs

(804) 786-0286