

## Homeless Shelters and Resources

**Description:** “In a year between 2.5 and 3.5 million people experience homelessness for some period of time” (National Alliance to End Homelessness). Listed below are shelters and services for people experiencing homelessness.

### List of Resources

NAME	CONTACT INFO	OTHER INFO
Homeless Outreach and Advocacy Program Community Healthlink	162 Chandler St. Worcester, MA 01609 Phone: 508-860-1080	Homeless advocacy for individuals (no families).
Mass. Department of Housing & Community Development (DHCD)	Sbge.508-765-2400 Worcester Area Office 508-767-3100	Emergency temporary benefits for income eligible households.
RCAP Solutions	Home Base Program 8:30 - 4:30 M – F Ph: 978-630-6600 After hours voicemail Ph: 978-630-6771	Local DTA (Dept Transitional Assistance) office must determine if you are at serious risk for homelessness & eligible for assistance.
Friendly House, Inc.	87 Elm Street Worcester, MA 01604 Phone: 508-792-1799 ----- Phone: 508-755-4362 (for self-referral)	Emergency shelter for families with children. By DHCD referral only. ----- May self-refer for community beds.
Abby’s House	52 High St. Worcester MA 01609 Phone: 508-756-5486	Emergency housing for women 18+ with or without children; no use of drugs or alcohol. Also a service-enriched housing program for low-income women with or without children.
Jeremiah’s Inn	1059 Main St. P.O. Box 30035 Worcester, MA 01603 Phone: 508-755-6403	Transitional housing for sober adult men. Weekly fee for residence.

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Frances Perkins Home	70 James St. Suite 139B Worcester, MA 01603 Phone: 508-757-7506	Transitional shelter for women with children. Subsidized rent fee.
Teen Parent Apartment Program, YOU, Inc.	27 Boylston Street Worcester, MA 01605 Phone: 508-853-2487	Transitional housing for pregnant or parenting teens ages 16-22 with their children. DHCD referral required.
Interfaith Hospitality Network	91 June Street Worcester, MA 01602 Phone: 508-755-2212	Shelter for families or pregnant women. May self-refer.
Y.W.C.A. of Central Mass.	1 Salem Square. Worcester, MA 01608 Phone: 508-791-3181	Transitional housing for women and services. Fees vary.
Veterans, Inc. <a href="http://www.veteransinc.org">www.veteransinc.org</a>	69 Grove St. Worcester, MA 01605 Phone: 800-482-2565	Transitional shelter and homeless services for U.S.A. Veterans.
Greater Worcester Housing Connection (formerly PIP)	25 Queen St. Worcester, MA 01610 Phone: 508-757-8332	Male/female shelter for homeless, substance abusers, and transients.
Daybreak Resources for Women and Children	P.O. Box 3093 Worcester, MA 01613 24hr Hotline: 508-755-9030	Services and shelter for any victim of domestic violence and their children.
New Hope	6 River Court Webster, MA 01570 24 hr Hotline: 800-323-4673	Emergency shelter for any victim of domestic violence and their children.
<b>Additional resources</b>		
Massachusetts Coalition for the Homeless 781-595-7570 <a href="http://www.mahomeless.org">www.mahomeless.org</a>		

\*Additional information and resources can be accessed through  
*Mass 2-1-1 Referral Line*, a 24 hour service, by dialing "211" or 877-211-6277  
 TTY: 508-370-4890 or 7-1-1 Spanish service available.

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