

Resource Guide

Chicago Community Partners Collective

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Note:

- Partners, please update your listings by editing this document or sending your updates to katkel@mercyhome.org
- New partners, if you would like your organization to be added to the Resource Guide, please email katkel@mercyhome.org

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Emergency Shelters

Also the app Streetlight can educate young adults with up-to-date information regarding resources in the city.

La Casa Norte: Casa Corazón Back of the Yards Emergency Shelter

Location: 1736 W. 47th St Chicago, IL 60609 (47th & Hermitage)

CTA: Orange line- Western Stop

Contact: (773) 276-4900 Ext 202

Website: <https://www.lacasanorte.org/emergency>

Hours: Office M-F 9:00 am- 6:00 pm, Shelter open daily 9:00 pm- 8:00 am (can show up as late as 3am if space is available)

Population: 18-24, all genders

Offers: 30 beds (first come, first served), safe and secure beds, need to be out by 8am, case management, laundry, showers, dinner, breakfast, and snacks provided, bus cards.

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La Casa Norte: Casa Corazón Humboldt Pk/Logan Emergency Shelter

Location: 1940 N. California Ave, Chicago, IL 60647

CTA: Blue Line-California

Contact: (773) 276-4900 Ext 290 or 292

Website: <https://www.lacasanorte.org/emergency>

Hours: Office M-F 9:00 am- 6:00 pm, Shelter open daily 9:00 pm- 8:00 am (can show up as late as 3am if space is available)

Population: 18-24, all genders

Offers: 5 beds reserved for pregnant/parenting, 10 beds reserved for singles, safe and secure beds, need to be out by 8am, can come to the drop-in center for case management, laundry, showers, dinner, breakfast, and snacks provided, bus cards.

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The Harbour: Emergency Shelter

Location: 1440 Renaissance Dr. Ste 240, Park Ridge, IL 60068

Contact: 847-297-8540 Ext 1 for Emergency Shelter or text SHELTER to 77948

Website: <https://theharbour.org/>

Hours: Office Hours M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm, Emergency Staff Contact 24/7

Population: 12-20 (12-17 through CCBYS), female and female identifying

Offers: 10 beds, case management, life skills groups, weekly outings/activities, clothing donation room, toiletries, can stay for 21 days, some beds still available for minors, adult beds often filled, are currently housing for longer than 21 days, should call for bed availability

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The Night Ministry: The Crib

Location: 1735 N Ashland Ave Ste 2000, Chicago, IL 60622

CTA:

Contact: The Crib (773) 549-4158 Main (877) 286-2523 Michelle Thomas michelle@thenightministry.org

Website: <https://www.thenightministry.org/get-assistance>

Hours: 7:30 pm- 9:00 am

Population: 18-24 all genders

Offers: Overnight emergency shelter, life and leadership skill development. Lottery for 21 beds begins at 7:30pm, anyone left without a bed is offered transport to other overnight emergency youth shelters. Laundry and meal services, Family reunification for arresting, transfer to long term housing but must work the program can stay 48 hours and meet with case managers, government aid assistance

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Ignite: Bronzeville Youth Shelter (BYS)

Location: 3745 S Indiana Ave, Chicago, IL 60653

Contact: Shelter Site Staff 24/7 (773) 891-2505 Ext 4, must go through CES or 311

Website: <https://www.ignitepromise.org/programs-services>

Population: 14-17, male and female identifying

Offers: 4 beds, case management, crisis intervention, connections to CCBYS, meals, clothing items, personal hygiene items, showers, and laundry. Drop ins not required, have to go through CCBYS to get connected

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A Safe Haven (Youth Engagement Services)

Location: 2750 W Roosevelt Rd, Chicago, IL 60608

CTA: Between Pink and Green Line, California stops; California-94 bus, Roosevelt- 12 bus

Contact: (773) 435-8440

Website: <https://www.asafehaven.org/>

Hours:

Population: All ages and genders, no record of violent, arson, or sex crimes

Offers: Transitional Housing, 406 beds (210-men, 69- women, 127- children), healthcare, laundry facilities, meals, case management services, job training and placement

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Unity Parenting Counseling: Ujima Village

Location: 7320 S Yale Ave South Wing, Chicago, IL 60621, on the border of Greater Grand Crossing and Englewood

Contact: (312) 455-0007, Anne Holcomb aholcomb@unityparenting.org
Website: <https://unityparenting.org/programs/ujima-village/>
Hours: Overnight 8:00 pm- 8:00 am
Population: all genders 18-24, no minors or babies up to 25th birthday
Offers: Overnight shelter for homeless youth, food, laundry facilities, hygiene and personal care, mobility/transportation passes, Intake from 8:00 pm-8:30 pm
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Ujima emergency shelter, Umoja small permanent housing program for disabled youth, project ignite (youth with aids goal to become undetectable), FOCUS hope 1&2, STARS hybrid transitional housing and rapid rehousing
Call ALL CHICAGO to ask detailed questions on coordinated entry

Turning Point

Location: 11019 US-14, Woodstock, IL, 60098
Contact: (815) 338-8081 24/7 hotline, Sarah Ponitz, Associate Director
Website: <https://turnpt.org/>
Hours: M-R 9:00 am- 5:00 pm F 9:00 am- 1:00 pm
Population: Domestic violence survivors, all genders
Offers: 30 day domestic violence emergency shelter with possible extension for an additional 30 days (60 days maximum), 21 beds, safety planning and crisis stabilization, Latinx bicultural and bilingual services, legal advocacy, age 6-18 children and youth counseling, children and teen support groups
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Emergency Housing: Call 311

(How to get into Chicago's Adult Homeless Shelter system)

1. Go to any hospital emergency room or police station.
2. Find a phone and call 311 or ask staff to call for you.
3. Tell the staff and/or the person on the phone that you are homeless, 18 years of age or older, & need shelter.
4. Wait a really, REALLY, long time in the emergency room. Some waits are as long as 4 hours
5. A Catholic Charities van will come and take you to a shelter. If you are able to arrange for something else during that time, you will still need to leave the waiting area when the van comes—since the hospital waiting room has the right to ask you to leave if you do leave with the van.

Youth Access Points

Each of these locations has designated times solely focused on the HMIS assessment and entry into Central Referral System.

South

Ignite: Community Hub and Drop in Center

Location: 56 E 47th St Ste 410-C Chicago, IL 60653

CTA: Red Line (47th St. stop), Green line (47th St. stop)

Contact: (312) 568-5700 Ext 3

Website: <https://www.ignitepromise.org/programs-services>

Hours: MWR 11:00 am- 2:00 pm, T 1:00 pm-4:00 pm, F appointment only (First come, first served)

Population: 14-26 yo

Offers: housing placement, employment support, financial literacy, healthcare, mental health and substance use assessments and treatment, child care, referrals for Belfort House and BYS, belfort house through referrals,

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West

La Casa Norte: Casa Corazon Drop In (Humboldt PK/Logan)

Location: 3533 W North Ave, Chicago, IL 60647

CTA: Bus #72 and #73

Contact: Leslie Taylor leslie@lacasanorte.org

Website: <https://www.lacasanorte.org/emergency>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 4:00 pm

Population: 16-24-year olds, all genders

Offers: HMIS assessment/enrollment, meals, case management, housing referrals, computers, financial literacy, family reunification, at 9pm they can transition into the shelter to stay for the night

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Downtown

Covenant House Illinois-Chicago

Location: 2934 W Lake St, Chicago, IL 60612

CTA:

Contact: (312) 759-7878 or (872) 810-3248, Dante Lucas for referrals for residential intake dilucas@covenanthouse.org

Website: <https://www.covenanthouse.org/homeless-shelters/chicago-illinois>

Hours: Call and residential open 24/7

Population: 18-24, all genders facing homelessness

Offers: 12 on-site housing units up to 120 days, laundry and hygiene facilities, meals, medical care, legal services, transportation assistance, substance use treatment, mental health care, referral not necessary but have to attend at least one drop in and be put on a waitlist

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North

Broadway Youth Center

Location: 1023 W Irving Park Rd, Chicago, IL 60613

Contact: (773) 388-1600, Julio Flores juliof@howardbrown.org

Website: https://howardbrown.org/clinic_location/broadway-youth-center/

Referral Form Link: <https://a113106.socialsolutionsportal.com/apricot-intake/0e95b071-0773-476c-ac4d-3266d84d5d44>

Hours: Drop-Ins MTRF 9:00 am- 3:00 pm W 1:00 pm- 5:00 pm; Walk-in Clinic MTRF 10:00 am- 6:00 pm W 1:00 pm- 6:00 pm

Population: 12-24 underserved LGBTQIA+ youth experiencing homelessness

Offers: GED Program, healthcare and social services, basic needs assistance, education and vocational services HMIS Assessment/enrollment, HIV/STI Testing, Health services clinic, including gender-affirming hormone therapy, PrEP, pregnancy tests, birth control options, vaccines, and basic needs medical care, assistance signing up for health insurance, Resource assistance, including ID replacement, housing referrals, food stamp & job application assistance

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Chicago Coordinated Entry System

<https://www.csh.org/chicagoces/F>

This is the system by which people experiencing homelessness can apply for housing. The CRS Assessment Tool can be filled out online and assesses your eligibility for supportive housing. Rather than being a "first-come, first-serve" waitlist, it is based on a household's need for housing. Not all programs use the CES, but many do.

If you have questions about the system, please contact **Stephanie Sideman 312-332-6690 ext. 2825** stephanie.sideman@csh.org

CCBYS Crisis Workers

On several pages throughout this guide, there are instructions for how to contact the CCBYS crisis worker hotline in your region if you do not know it. However, if you know the CCBYS region of your client below are the CCBYS Providers that you can call directly. If you don't know the region of your client please call the hotline at 1-877-870-2663.

Alternatives, Inc. Uptown Youth Center

Location: 241 E 57th St, Chicago, IL 60637; 5700 S Prairie Ave, Chicago, IL 60637

CTA:

Contact: (773) 506-7474; Youth in crisis 24/7 hotline (877) 870-2663

Website: <https://alternativesyouth.org/>

Referral Form Link: <https://hipaa.jotform.com/221925004903044>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: 11-17, all genders

Offers: In-home/community crisis management, individual and group counseling, mentorship, case management, outpatient substance use treatment, career and employment services, restorative justice programs, majority case managers working in schools, may need a referral to have case manager assigned

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Youth Outreach Services

Location: 2411 W Congress Pkwy, Chicago, IL 60612

Contact: (773) 777-7112

Executive Director: Jamie Noto (773) 777-7112 Ext 7281; jamien@yos.org

Website: <https://www.yos.org/services>

Hours: M-R 9:00 am- 8:00 pm F 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Population: 12-21, all genders

Offers: therapy and counseling, juvenile justice guidance, outpatient services, case management, substance abuse intervention, transitional living program for ages 17-21, educational services, service region: Austin, Pilsen, Dunning/Irving Park, Leyden-Proviso, Bellwood, Oak Park

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Universal Family Connection, Inc.

Location: 1350 W 103rd St, Chicago, IL 60643

CTA:

Contact: (773) 881-1711

Program Contact: Surat Bisiriyu ext 1134 for referrals

Website: <http://universalfamilyconnection.com/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: all ages all gender, legal aid for domestic violence

Offers: job and vocational training, legal assistance for domestic violence, HIV/AIDS testing and medical services, adoption and family reunification services

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Aunt Martha's Health & Wellness - Child Wellness Services

Location: 409 W Jefferson St, Joliet, IL 60453; Additional unlisted locations <https://www.auntmarthas.org/locations/>

CTA: Bus 501, 505, 507; Center St & Oneida, Jefferson & Hickory, Center & Jefferson, Jefferson & Cagwin

Contact: (877) 692-8686; (815) 768-8750

Website: <https://www.auntmarthas.org/>

Hours: M-F 8:30 am- 5:00 pm

Location: 23485 Western Ave, Park Forest, IL 60466

CTA: Bus 367 stop 23457 Western Ave → walk or rideshare

Contact: (877) 692-8686

Website: <https://www.auntmarthas.org/>

Hours: M-F 8:30 am- 5:00 pm

Location: 2124 Ogden Ave, Aurora, IL 60504

CTA: Bus 540 to the Rush-Copley Medical Center → walk or rideshare

Contact: (877) 692-8686

Website: <https://www.auntmarthas.org/>

Hours: M 8:00 am- 5:30 pm, T&R 8:00 am- 5:00 pm, W 8:00 am- 6:00 pm, F 8:00 am- 4:30 pm, Sa 8:00 am- 12:00 pm

Offers: CCBYS 24/7 Crisis intervention-serving youths 10-17, individual, group, family counseling, case management, referral; **Please see locations link for healthcare services specific to each location

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Residential Programs (18+)

This page provides information for the residential programs that allow applicants to apply directly to their program and do NOT require enrollment in the Coordinated Entry System.

Mercy Home for Boys & Girls

Location: 1140 W Jackson Blvd, Chicago, IL 60607

CTA: Blue Line (Racine)

Contact: (312) 738-7590, admissions@mercyhome.org, Taeisha Stewart (Manager of Admissions) taeste@mercyhome.org or (312) 738-7427

Website: <https://www.mercyhome.org/>

Hours: 24/7, For calls M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: 11-23, all genders

Offers: Residential care intake up to 16yo, life skills support, employment and educational services, therapy services, year-long commitment, other programs include Friends First Mentoring program, no CES entry

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The Harbour: Phase 1, Transitional Living

Location: 1440 Renaissance Dr. Ste 240, Park Ridge, IL 60068

Contact: 847-297-8540, Sandy Godinez sandy@theharbour.org Ext. 129, Liz Werner lizw@theharbour.org (847) 893-0656

Website: <https://theharbour.org/>

Hours: Office Hours M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm, Emergency Staff Contact 24/7

Population: 16-24 all genders

Offers: up to 18 months of transitional living, life skills development, case management, employment and educational services, guidance on attaining financial stability

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360 Youth Services Transitional Living Program

Location: 1323 Bond St Ste 119, Naperville, IL 60563

Contact: (630) 717-9408

Website: <https://360youthservices.org/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: housing 13-24, counseling services offered ages 10-25

Offers: limited occupancy for transitional living/housing, substance use prevention, counseling, transitional housing and housing placement, and educational services, provides referral services if waitlisted

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EI Rescate

Location: 2703 W Division St, Chicago, IL 60622

Contact: (872) 829-2662 zenaidal@prcc-chgo.org

Website: <https://prcc-chgo.org/2014/11/10/el-rescate/>

Hours: M-F 8:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: homeless LGBTQ and/or HIV-positive youth 18-24

Offers: transitional living program, must schedule appointment, HIV/STD testing, food assistance, mental health support, counseling, bilingual services, employment services, housing assistance

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Collective Chicago

Location: 1262 W Argyle St, Chicago, IL 60640

Contact: (872) 777-6134, dan@collectivechicago.org

Website: <https://www.collectivechicago.org/about>

Referral Form Link: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1IHsJsRUhOLMeAcI-A8q7wVPOWmZ_jjszPWYle2DmK6s/viewform?edit_requested=true

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm, Sa 2:00 pm- 5:00 pm

Population: Male identifying, 18-35, facing 3+ months homelessness, willingness to work 30+ hours

Offers: transportation services, work attire, internet, counseling services, budgeting and financial education services,

employment assistance, attend community meals, 7 spots with openings typically opening each month, average 8-month stay, must fill out referral form and application and conduct two interviews with Collective staff , no CES entry

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The Well of Mercy

Location: 6339 N Fairfield Ave, Chicago, IL 60659

CTA:

Contact: (773) 654-4227 or info@thewellofmercy.org

Website: <https://www.thewellofmercy.com/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: Single mothers who are housing insecure

Offers: secure living up to 5 years, career mentoring, job placement, life skill development, counseling, free in-home daycare, financial and budgeting guidance

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Ignite: Clustered and Scattered Site Apartments (CaSSA)

Location: Scattered site

Contact: (773) 548-4443, must attend drop-ins to qualify

Website: <https://www.ignitepromise.org/programs-services>

Population: 18-24 all genders demonstrating the potential for independent living

Offers: transitional independent living for up to 2 years, required referral, **must go through CES or 311 for intake**

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Ignite: Belfort House Transitional Housing

Location: 3745 S Indiana Ave, Chicago, IL 60653

Contact: (773) 548-4443 ext 4, referral needed

Website: <https://www.ignitepromise.org/programs-services>

Population: 18-24

Offers: transitional living program for up to 18 months, 24 beds, providing schooling, employment assistance, and life skills training, medical and therapeutic services

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La Casa Norte: Solid Ground Transitional Housing Program

Location: Confidential; Main address 3533 W North Ave, Chicago, IL 60647

Contact: (773) 276-4900, Luz Cortez luz@lacasanorte.org Ext. 204

Website: <https://www.lacasanorte.org/transitional>

Population: 18-21 male identifying

Offers: 16 spots in congregate housing up to two years or until 21st birthday, life skills training, therapy and counseling, healthcare access, employment readiness training and assistance, **CES housing assessment and match**

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Residential Programs (17 and under)

This page provides information for the residential programs that allow applicants to apply directly to their program and do NOT require enrollment in the Coordinated Entry System OR CCBYS

Comprehensive Community Based Youth Services (CCBYS)

****Emergency housing option for minors****

Population: Youth 11 to 17 years of age, Youth who are at risk of involvement with the child welfare system, Youth who are at risk of involvement with the juvenile justice system.

Offers: 24/7 Services are available to youth who: have been locked out of their home/parents will not allow them to return home, have run away from home, or, are beyond the control of parents and in immediate physical danger, are homeless without their parents. DCFS wards are not eligible for CCBYS Services.

Referral Process: Call the IRL Hotline: 877-870-2663

- Transfers you to a 24/7 call center

- Provide them with the home zip code of the youth
- Connects youtube the Crisis Worker/Provider in the appropriate catchment area
- Within an hour, a crisis worker will be in contact with the youth to assist with family reunification, emergency counseling, and, possibly, locating an alternative housing option for the evening.

Mooseheart Child City and School Inc.

Location: 240 James J Davis Dr, Mooseheart, IL 605390

Contact: (630) 859-2000 ext 3, Admissions (630) 723-2662, mkessler@mooseheart.org, Colleen Morgan (630) 906-3601

Recruiter Angela Jackson ajackson@mooseheart.org

Website: <https://www.mooseheart.org/>

Application Information: <https://www.mooseheart.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/Admissions-Packet-2023.pdf>

Application Questionnaire: <https://www.mooseheart.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/Admissions-Questionnaire-2023.pdf>

Population: children k-12

Offers: 180-360 children, accredited school system K-12 with requirement for students to learn a vocation alongside diploma attainment, college scholarship opportunities offered to high school-aged residents based on academic achievement,

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Mercy Home for Boys & Girls

Location: 1140 W Jackson Blvd, Chicago, IL 60607

CTA: Blue Line (Racine)

Contact: (312) 738-7590, admissions@mercyhome.org, Taisha Stewart (Manager of Admissions) taeste@mercyhome.org

Website: <https://www.mercyhome.org/>

Hours: 24/7

Population: 11-23, all genders

Offers: Residential care intake up to 16yo, life skills support, employment and educational services, therapy services, year-long commitment, other programs include Friends First Mentoring program

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Residential/Emergency Programs (Pregnant/Parenting)

This page provides information for the residential programs that allow applicants to apply directly to their program and do NOT require enrollment in the Central Referral System.

The Night Ministry: Open Door Shelter West Town

Location: 1110 N Noble St, Chicago, IL 60622

Contact: Main (877) 286-2523 Michelle Thomas michelle@thenightministry.org, Jennifer Merritt

jennifer@thenightministry.org (773) 506-7719

Website: <https://www.thenightministry.org/housing>

Population: 14+ pregnant or parenting teens

Offers: 120- day interim housing program, laundry and meals, case management, healthcare services, vocational training, educational assistance

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La Casa Norte: Pregnant and Parenting

Location: 1942 N California Ave, Chicago, IL

Contact: (773) 276-4900 Ext. 292

Website: <https://www.lacasanorte.org/emergency>

Hours: Daily 7:00 pm- 9:00 am

Population: 18-24 yo, pregnant and parenting youth

Offers: 5 beds in private rooms for children and moms, overnight shelter beds, two hot meals, shower and laundry access, case management

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Thresholds: The Mothers Project

Location: 1100 W Belmont Ave, Chicago, IL 60657

Contact: (773) 572-5500, intake@thresholds.org

Website: <https://www.thresholds.org/>

Hours: M-R 9:00 am- 5:00 pm, F 10:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: Women 16-23 and their children, young mothers with mental health conditions

Offers: PATH program- mental health support, financial assistance, housing and children care services; Building Flourishing Families (BFF)- transitional living program up to two years, comprehensive mental health and parenting services, education and employment services, life skills, **need to go through DCFS referral 7735373280 /CES system**

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Thresholds: Building Flourishing Families (BFF)

Location: 1110 W. Belmont (admin site)

Intake: Hope Hobgood 773-537-3391 Hope.Hobgood@thresholds.org or Kathy Dougherty 773-537-3297

Kathy.Dougherty@thresholds.org

Population: Youth aged 17-23 with mental health challenges and experiencing homelessness; limited housing available for pregnant and parenting women experiencing homelessness, if 17 they need a parent or guardian sign off.

Offers: Outreach and Housing: Outreach and case management to all youth with mental health issues. Housing for pregnant and parenting youth. Housing is in a group setting (separate rooms each family) with services provided: individual and group therapy, case management, day care, parenting education and support, psychiatry, supported employment, up to two years stay, structure expected to be followed (e.g. passes required to leave, school and/or job participation required, curfew, etc), **does not keep a waitlist.**

Website: <https://www.thresholds.org>

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The Night Ministry: Parenting with Purpose

Location: Main address 1735 N Ashland Ave, Ste 2000, Chicago, IL 60622

Contact: (877) 286-2523 Michelle Thomas michelle@thenightministry.org, Jennifer Merritt jennifer@thenightministry.org (773) 506-7719

Website: <https://www.thenightministry.org/>

Hours: Daily 24 hours

Population: young mothers 14-21 and their children

Offers: Transitional living program up to two years, case management

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Unity Parenting Counseling: Harmony Village

Location: 740 E 79th, Chicago, IL 60619

Contact: (773) 783-9200

Website: <https://unityparenting.org/programs/harmony-village/>

Hours: M-F 7:00 am- 3:00 pm for case worker calls

Population: homeless or unaccompanied youth 18-24 all genders, coupled or single parents

Offers: transitional housing, case management, life skills training, employment assistance, educational services, mental health counseling, parental coaching, focused on enhancing youth income, be sure to put they should go through the coordinated entry system have to be in hmis to be referred, no direct referral, or up until 24th birthday, **have to go through coordinated entry, have to get assessed**

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The Harbour: STEP (Successful Teens Effective Parents)

Location: 1440 Renaissance Dr Ste 240, Park Ridge, IL 60068

Contact: (847) 297-8540, Sandy Godinez sandy@theharbour.org Ext. 129

Website: <https://theharbour.org/programs/>

Hours: Office Hours M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm, Emergency Staff Contact 24/7

Population: Pregnant and parenting youth 16-22

Offers: transitional housing, parenting and childcare support, counseling and case management, financial literacy assistance

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Residential Programs (Advanced Independent Living Skills)

This page provides information for the residential programs that allow applicants to apply directly to their program and do NOT require enrollment in the Chicago Coordinated Entry System

Center on Halsted: LGBTQ+ Youth Housing Program

Location: Main address 3656 N Halsted St, Chicago, IL 60613, Greater Grand Crossing neighborhood

Contact: (773) 472-6469 Luke Romesberg, Director of Youth Housing Program, lromesberg@centeronhalsted.org Ext. 431; Mateo Villanuevaz, Youth Care Coordinator, Ext. 255, David Biele, Director of Youth Services dbiele@centeronhalsted.org Ext. 437

Website: <https://www.centeronhalsted.org/>

Hours: Everyday 8:00 am- 9:00 pm

Population: LGBTQ+ youth 18-24 experiencing homelessness, experiences of violence, enrolled and active in the Center on Halsted Youth Program

Offers: up to 8 youth housed within 2 apartments, therapeutic activities, workforce development, assigned two case managers, trauma-informed program, Program participants' monthly rent is 30% of their income, which goes into a savings account and given back when they transition out of the program. Tenants take part in and initiate community based anti-violence work as well as community building work

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Amita Alexian Brothers Center Transitional Living

Location: 3436 N Kennicott Ave, Arlington Heights, IL 60004

Contact: (847) 952-7460 or Melissa Litka (Intake Coordinator) (847) 952-7473 melissa.litka@ascension.org

Website: <https://healthcare.ascension.org/locations/illinois/ilchi/arlington-heights-ascension-illinois-center-for-mental-health>

Hours: M-F 8:30 am- 4:00 pm

Population: 18+ diagnosed with a mental health disorder, IQ above 71, not currently abusing substances, medication compliant and no history of substance abuse, no history of arson, able to live with a roommate and share a bathroom, only Medicaid will cover treatment at TLP, intake priority: clients discharged from state hospitals, actively homeless, domiciled in unsafe environment, ICF/Nursing home referrals, high risk of homelessness/couch homeless, domiciled with service request

Offers: average stay 12-18 months, counseling support, mental health symptoms monitoring, medication monitoring and education, therapeutic services for developing coping strategies and skills, vocational services

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H.O.M.E (Housing Opportunities & Maintenance for the Elderly)

Location: 945 W George St Ste 218, Chicago, IL 60657; Pat Crowley House 1537 W Rosemont or Nathalie Salmon House 7320 N Sheridan Rd, Chicago, IL 60626

Contact: General (773) 921-3200, Housing (773) 262-3389 nikkim@homeseniors.org

Website: <https://homeseniors.org/>

Hours: M-F 8:00 am- 4:00 pm

Population: Low-income seniors

Offers: Free transport from home to the store for groceries, medication, and household items with assistance carrying/loading purchased items; home upkeep and repair services, moving services to more accommodative housing; housing opportunities include 78 apartments with both private and family-like settings, resident assistance on site to help with cooking and residential maintenance

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Ignite: Next Generation Housing

Location: Scattered site

Contact: (773) 548-4443, Senior Director Raven Whitehead Ext 328 or whitehead@ignitepromise.org

Website: <https://www.ignitepromise.org/programs-services>

Screening Application: <https://01wqy8ukz7p.typeform.com/to/J4wgKdBG>

Population: 18-26 all genders, no older than 24 at age of application, high school diploma/GED, willing to contribute to rent, utility, and transportation costs

Offers: 3 year transitional independent living program, 10 youth living in 5 apartments, maintaining access to all other services provided by Ignite, program prepares youth to completely take over rent and all other expenses by third year of program

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Ignite: 3rd Generation Housing

Location: Scattered site

Contact: (773) 548-4443, Senior Director Raven Whitehead Ext. 328 or whitehead@ignitepromise.org; Community Housing Manager Monique Byrd mbyrd@ignitepromise.org

Website: <https://www.ignitepromise.org/programs-services>

Screening Application: <https://01wqy8ukz7p.typeform.com/to/J4wgKdBG>

Hours:

Population: 18-26 all genders, no older than 24 at age of application, high school diploma/GED, willing to contribute to rent, utility, and transportation costs

Offers: safe and affordable housing, fully furnished studio or one bedroom apartments, program helps build savings and skills for independent living, members engaged in school and work, case management, employment and educational support, housing support services, savings matching up to 2%

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The Night Ministry: Pathways

Location: Near Ogden/Pulaski

Contact: Main (877) 286-2523 Michelle Thomas michelle@thenightministry.org, Jennifer Merritt jennifer@thenightministry.org (773) 506-7719

Website: <https://www.thenightministry.org/housing>

Hours:

Population: ages 16-24 yo all genders

Offers: up to two years of residential services in North Lawndale or nearby apartments, build independent living skills, apartments for 4 young people and congregate living for 8 youth. **Referrals through both CES and not through CES**

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Drop-In Centers (Adolescents and Young Adults)

These centers provide case management resources, community connections, and much more.

La Casa Norte: Casa Corazon Drop In (Back of the Yards)

Location: 1736 W 47th St, Chicago, IL

Contact: (773) 276-4900 ext. 251 or 253

Website: <https://www.lacasanorte.org/emergency>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 6:00 pm

Population: 16-24 year olds, all genders

Offers: HMIS assessment/enrollment, meals, case management, housing referrals, computers, financial literacy, family reunification, at 9pm they can transition into the shelter to stay for the night

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La Casa Norte: Casa Corazon Drop In (Humboldt PK/Logan)

Location: 3533 W North Ave, Chicago, IL 60647

CTA: Bus #72 and #73

Contact: Leslie Taylor leslie@lacasanorte.org

Website: <https://www.lacasanorte.org/emergency>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 4:00 pm

Population: 16-24-year olds, all genders

Offers: HMIS assessment/enrollment, meals, case management, housing referrals, computers, financial literacy, family reunification, at 9pm they can transition into the shelter to stay for the night

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Covenant House Illinois-Chicago Drop-In Center

Location: 2934 W Lake St, Chicago, IL 60612

CTA:

Contact: (312) 759-7878 or (872) 810-3248

Website: www.covenanthouse.org

Hours: MTWF 8:30 am- 4:00 pm, R 8:30 am- 7:00 pm

Population: 18-24, all genders facing homelessness

Offers: personal storage, employment and education services, referrals for housing program, meals, showers, hygiene facilities, counseling

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Universal Family Connection, Inc.

Location: 1350 W 103rd St, Chicago, IL, 60643

Contact: (773) 881-1711; Youth Services Emma Allen Ext. 1161, Homeless Youth Program Monica Williams Ext. 1166

Website: <http://universalfamilyconnection.com/>

Hours: MR 9:00 am- 8:00 pm, TWF 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Offers: Adoption information and resources, behavioral support, education and vocational resources, Emerging adults program provides vocational assistance and support, HIV/AIDS testing and services, domestic violence services

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Center on Halsted

Location: 3656 N Halsted St, Chicago, IL, 60613

Contact:(773) 472-6469 or youthintakes@centeronhalsted.org for youth member intake to access services

Website: <https://www.centeronhalsted.org/>

Hours: Every day 8:00 am- 9:00 am

Population: all ages, all genders → different programs have different requirements

Offers: Community based programs, LGBTQ+ virtual and in-person groups/programs, recreational programs and events, recreational sports teams, cyber center offers skills training classes and workshops for career development, mentoring programs, performing arts program, housing assistance, HIV/AIDS and STD testing and health resources, therapeutic services group and individual, senior/elderly resources including meal, social, and recreational programs, health resources and assistance with benefits programs (Medicaid, SNAP, etc.)

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Broadway Youth Center

Location: 1023 W Irving Park, Chicago, IL 60613 4009 N Broadway

Contact: (773) 388-1600

Website: https://howardbrown.org/clinic_location/broadway-youth-center/

Referral/Intake Form: <https://a113106.socialsolutionsportal.com/apricot-intake/0e95b071-0773-476c-ac4d-3266d84d5d44>

Hours: MTRF 9:00 am- 3:00 pm, W 1:00 pm- 5:00 pm

Population: 12-24 all genders

Offers: HIV/STI screening, sexual/reproductive health services, health services, vaccines, mental health support, food and clothing access, showers and sleeping room, assistance with health insurance attainment, gender affirming services

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The Salvation Army STOP-IT Program Drop In Center

Location: Main Address 4800 N Marine Dr, Chicago, IL 60640, drop-in center location privately disclosed for safety purposes

Contact: 24-hr hotline (877) 606-3158, Jennifer Harvey (773) 341-6465 jennifer.harvey@usc.salvationarmy.org

Website: <https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/stopit/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: Female-identifying individuals ages 14-29 who have experienced exploitation and/or trafficking
Offers: Food, clothing, and access to hygiene products, obtaining identifying documents, mental health services, dental, medical, and legal services, education/vocational services, tattoo and branding removal
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Ignite: Community Hub and Drop in Center

Location: 56 E 47th St Ste 410-C, Chicago, IL 60653

Contact: (312) 568-5700 Ext 3, Managing Director of Youth and Community Engagement Robert Walker (773) 548-4443 Ext 337 rwalker@ignitepromise.org

Website: <https://www.ignitepromise.org/programs-services>

Hours: MWR 11:00 am- 2:00 pm, T 1:00 pm-4:00 pm, F appointment only (First come, first served)

Population: 14-26 yo, all genders welcome

Offers: housing placement, employment support, financial literacy, healthcare, mental health and substance use assessments and treatment, child care, referrals for Belfort House and BYS, belfort house through referrals

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Drop In Centers (Adults and Seniors)

These centers provide case management resources, community connections, and much more.

Field of Dreams Visionary Center

Location: Must call or visit website for locations

Contact: (312) 970-9036

Website: <https://fieldofdreamsvisionarycenter.com/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: Homeless and low-income individuals, families, veterans, individuals with disabilities, and youth

Offers: Emergency and transitional living assistance, educational/vocational assistance and training, assisting with obtaining identifying/legal documents, clothing and furniture assistance, transportation services, therapy and counseling services, rental referrals, youth after school and summer programs (STEAM), substance addition, domestic violence, anger management counseling

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Taller de Jose

Location: 2831 W 24th Blvd, Chicago, IL 60623; St. Agnes Site 2651 S Central Park, Chicago, IL 60623 (appt only); Quinn Center of St. Eulalia 1845 S 9th Ave, Maywood, IL 60153 (appt only)

Contact: (773) 523-8320

Website: <https://tallerdejose.org/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm, closed 12:00 pm- 12:45 pm for lunch

Population: Little Village residents, Spanish-speaking individuals needing access to community resources

Offers: bilingual services, assigned bilingual caseworker to help navigate appropriate services and resources, low-cost and pro-bono legal services, counseling and shelter services to domestic violence survivors, referrals for financial assistance providers, immigration legal services, counseling services

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The Circle Resource Center

Location: 2648 W Pershing Rd, Chicago, IL 60632

Contact: (872) 444-5148

Website: <https://thecirclesourcecenter.org/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 12:00 pm, 1:00 pm- 5:00 pm (12:00 pm- 1:00 pm closed for lunch)

Population: Women residing in and near Brighton Park from low socioeconomic groups

Offers: mental health and wellness programs, meditation sessions, nutritional health information, language/communication skills and programs for those learning English as a Second Language, zumba, citizenship classes, parenting classes

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Youth Outreach/Community Supports

These agencies have trained staff that walk from block to block to disrupt violence and meet youth where they are at to connect them with resources and support.

Bright Star: Community Outreach

Location: 4444 S Evans Ave, Chicago, IL 60653

Contact: (773) 373-5220, Carole Jones cjones@brightstarcommunityoutreach.com

Website: <https://www.brightstarcommunityoutreach.com/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 6:00 pm

Population: residents of vulnerable communities in Chicago, particularly in the 3rd and 4th wards

Offers: Educational programs, homework assistance, STEAM activities, social and emotional enrichment, mindful check-ins, field trip opportunities, developing life skills, therapy and counseling services, family counseling, parenting classes, behavioral health and trauma counseling programs

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Target Area: Reentry/Public Safety

Location: (Main Office) 1542 W 79th St, Chicago, IL 60620; (Chatham) 8110 S Cottage Grove, Chicago, IL 60619; (Foster Park) 8248 S Ashland, Chicago, IL 60620; (83rd) 32 W 85th St, Chicago, IL 60620; (Englewood) 1504 W 63rd St Chicago, IL 60636; (West Garfield) 2312 W Harrison St, Chicago, IL 60612

Contact: (773) 651-6470

Website: <https://www.brightstarcommunityoutreach.com/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: high risk populations and families, particularly residing near 81st to 86th street from Halsted to Ashland

Offers: Anger management, family reunification, legal services pertaining to: public benefits, criminal/cannabis, wage theft, domestic violence, family, tenant's rights, expungement, immigration, human trafficking; debriefing services for crises related to shooting incidents, referrals for clothing, food pantries, vocational training and placement, substance use treatment, counseling, healthcare insurance

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The Night Ministry Youth Outreach Team

Location: Office: 1735 N Ashland Ave Ste 2000, Chicago, IL 60622

Contact: (773) 506-3122 or yot@thenightministry.org Michelle Thomas michelle@thenightministry.org, Jennifer Merritt jennifer@thenightministry.org (773) 506-7719; Main line (877

Website: <http://www.thenightministry.org>

Hours: Office Hours M-F 8:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: Ages 14-24 experiencing homelessness

Offers: Assigned case manager to help provide safe housing, education and employment services, basic needs and referrals, Youth Outreach van stops in Lakeview neighborhood Thursday evenings along with other locations where young people experiencing homelessness congregate

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Public Health Institute of Metropolitan Chicago (PHIMC): Illinois Safe Schools Alliance (The Alliance)

Location: statewide in preK-12 schools, community-based programs supporting LGBTQ+ youth

Contact: (312) 629-2988, Youth Engagement Manager Nat Duran Ext 101 or nat.duran@phimc.org

Website: <https://www.ilsafeschools.org/>

Population: LGBTQ+ youth and adults supporting LGBTQ+ youth

Offers: policy guidance, advocacy support in education systems, youth organizing, professional development and training, youth leadership programming, technical assistance for Gender and Sexualities Alliances (GSAs), youth leadership events

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Precious Blood Ministry of Reconciliation

Location: 5114 S Elizabeth St, Chicago, IL 60609

Contact: (773) 952-6653; Executive Director Fr. David Kelly dkelly@pbmr.org;

Website: <https://www.pbmr.org>

Hours: M-F 8:00 am- 8:00 pm

Population: youth and families in the Back of the Yards, New City, and Englewood neighborhoods impacted by violence the criminal justice system; men and women currently incarcerated

Offers: job readiness programs, community garden, vocational programs like carpentry and screen printing training, Education Lab (in collaboration with Liberty High School) young adults can take classes and earn a high school diploma, youth mentorship 14-18yo, SCAN program for youth in Englewood navigating the juvenile justice system, housing support, legal assistance, spiritual care and healing circles for incarcerated individuals, re-entry case management and services

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Care for Friends

Location: 5749 N Kenmore Ave, Chicago, IL 60660

CTA; by Bryn Mawr and Thorndale Red Lines, 151 Sheridan and 36 Broadway bus lines

Contact: (773) 932-1010 Hope Pavich, cffedr@gmail.com

Website: <https://www.careforfriends.org/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm, Sat 10:30 am- 1:00 pm

Population: Chicago residents facing food, housing, and healthcare crises

Offers: Free Hot Lunch Mon, Thurs, Sat 10:30 am-12:30 pm, life and career skills training, mental and physical health counseling and resources, job placement assistance, addictions recovery, housing resources, Toiletries for Friends complimentary haircuts and hygiene kits, washroom facilities, laundry, healthcare practitioners visit every 3rd and 4th Saturday of the month 10:00 am- 12:00 pm, guest access to seasonal clothes (limit 4 clothing items per guest per week) Saturdays 11:00 am- 12:30 pm

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Child-Care Assistance and Supports

(i.e. Child Care, therapeutic supports, medical assistance)

Thresholds: Mothers Project Early Learning Center

Location: 1110 W Belmont, Chicago, IL 60657

Contact: (773) 537-3293

Website: <https://www.thresholds.org/programs-services/youth-young-adult-services/young-mothers-mothers-project>

Population: children 6 weeks- 5 years old

Offers: specialized daycare, focus on early childhood mental health, parents of children ages 0-3 offered home visits with parent education/coaching, open to public and accepts referrals from families meeting low-income threshold eligibility, capacity 37 children

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Chicago Commons

Locations:

- **Nia Family Center** 744 N Monticello Ave, Chicago, IL, 60624
 - **Contact:** (773) 722-0115 Ebony Westbrooks westbrookse@chicagocommons.org
 - **Hours:** M-F 7:00 am- 6:00 pm
 - **Population:** 6 weeks- 5 years
- **Paulo Freire Center** 1653 W 43rd St, Chicago, IL 60609
 - **Contact:** (773) 826-6260 Mallory McGhee mcgheem@chicagocommons.org
 - **Hours:** M-F 7:00 am- 6:00 pm
 - **Population:** 6 weeks- 5 years
- **Taylor Center for New Experiences** 1633 N Hamlin Ave, Chicago, IL 60647
 - **Contact:** (773) 227-8551 Ann Bunch buncha@chicagocommons.org
 - **Hours:** M-F 7:00 am- 6:00 pm
 - **Population:** 2-5 years; after school program 5-12 years
- **Guadalupano Family Center** 1814 S Paulina Ave, Chicago, IL 60608
 - **Contact:** (312) 666-3883 Yolanda Colon colony@chicagocommons.org

- **Hours:** M-F 7:00 am- 6:00 pm
- **Population:** 2-5 years; after school program 5-12 years)
- **Eyes on the Future** 6969 N Ravenswood Ave, Chicago, IL 60626
 - **Contact:** (773) 973-0771 info@eyesonthefuture.net
 - **Hours:** M-F 7:30 am- 5:30 pm
 - **Population:** 3 months- 5 years; after-school program 6 years and up
- **Learn Together Grow Together** 1126 W 99th St, Chicago, IL 60643
 - **Contact:** (773) 568-4769 Ms. Warner twarner@lgtgchildcare.com
 - **Hours:** M-F 6:00 am- 6:00 pm
 - **Population:** 6 weeks- 12 years
- **Onward Neighborhood House** 5423 W Diversey Ave, Chicago, IL 60639
 - **Contact:** (773) 622-3215 Kathy Alanis kalanis@onwardhouse.org
 - **Hours:** M-F 7:00 am- 6:00 pm
 - **Population:** 0-12 years

Website: <https://www.chicagocommons.org/programs/early-childhood-education/>

Application Link: https://chicagocommons.my.site.com/parentPortal/s/application-form?language=en_US

Offers: under-resourced Chicago residents and immigrant families, educational support for youth, economic security, family-centered adult education, digital literacy, financial management, physical and mental health resources, job readiness and employment services, ESL classes, Head Start curriculum for children

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Illinois Action for Children: Child Care Consultant

Location: (Damen) 1340 S Damen Ave, Chicago, IL 60608; (Chatham) 1111 E 87th St, Chicago, IL 60619; (Lawrence-Limited Service) 4762 N Clifton Ave, Chicago, IL 60640

Contact: (312) 823-1100 referrals@actforchildren.org

Website: <https://www.actforchildren.org/home>

Appointment Scheduler: <https://www.actforchildren.org/devsite/program-supports/ccap-updates/schedule-ccap>

Hours: Walk in Services M,T,R,F 8:30 am- 3:30 pm, or 24 hr dropbox, phone appts Wednesdays only 8:30 am- 3:00 pm

Population: parents, children, and families needing childcare help and support

Offers: must bring photo ID (student ID, military, state, government, clear photo copies of any of these also accepted), must make appointment for consultation but visitors can receive and drop off CCAP forms w/o appointment, Families are paired with a Child Care Consultant who provide customized referrals to meet the child's needs. Summer Programs, Before/After school programs. Overnight care. Weekend Care. Back Up Care. Preschool Care. Infant/Toddler Care. Spring/Winter Break Camp

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Chicago Early Learning

Contact: (312) 229-1690

Website: <https://www.cps.edu/ChicagoEarlyLearning>

Application Form: <https://cps.schoolmint.com/login>

Population: low-income parents and families seeking early childhood education placement and community support group placement

Offers: Families with children ages 0-4 from Chicago neighborhoods can easily access quality, no-cost or low-cost education options, Community based and early educational programs, working with and in CPS, half and full day programs based on youth age group

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Pregnant/Parenting Supports

(i.e. Pre-natal education and medical support, post-natal/parenting classes, community building, etc)

Pilsen Wellness Center

Location: 2319 S Damen Ave, Chicago, IL 60608 (Admin Office), (Youth Wellness Center) 2259 S Damen Ave, Chicago, IL 60608; (Pilsen) 2015 W Cermak Rd, Chicago, IL 60608

Contact: (773) 579-0832

Website: <https://www.pilsenwellnesscenter.org/services/youth-services/teen-moms-program/>

Hours: MTW 9:00 am- 7:30 pm, RF 9:00 am- 8:00 pm, Sat 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: 13-19 yo

Offers: Doula Program- Free home visits. Pairing pregnant teens with a professionally trained mentor who guides each young mother during the last trimester, childbirth, and into a newborn's first few weeks Teen Mom's Program- Free home visits. Weekly support groups with hot meal provided. Serves Teen Moms between 13 and 24 years of age. Can receive services up until the baby is 3 months old. Education regarding health and nutrition, child development, parenting strategies.

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Sankofa Safe Child Initiative: Free Parent Education Classes

Location: (Westside) 4041 W Roosevelt Rd, Chicago, IL 60624, (Southside) 457 W 79th St, Chicago, IL 60620

Contact: (24/7 helpline) (844) 669-5049, (Westside) (773) 542-9900, (Southside) (773) 874-7233, Ed Bickham (773) 542-9900, Amber Watson (773) 874-7233

Website: <https://sankofasafechildinitiative.org/services/>

Hours: Sankofa open 24/7, (Westside Classes) T 3:00 pm- 5:00 pm, R 12:00 pm- 2:00 pm, (Southside) T 10:00 am- 12:00 pm

Population: Parents

Offers: Parent site visits and coaching, 7-week parenting class and support group which will address: personal reflections, health and wellness, child growth and development, positive guidance, literacy, transition to early care and education programs, parent café

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Universal Family Connections, Inc: Parenting Skills Program

Location: 1350 W 103rd St, Chicago, IL 60643

Contact: (773) 881-1711, Surat Bisiriyu Ext. 1193

Website: <https://universalfamilyconnection.com/parenting-skills-program>

Hours: M 5:00 pm- 6:00 pm

Population: Pregnant and parenting teens or adults 15 yo+

Offers: 8 week sessions discussing discipline, child and teen development, nutrition and health, safety, stress, and time management, pre- and post- test parenting needs assessment, \$60 non refundable for the 8-week program but free to anyone already enrolled in UFC programs

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Metropolitan Family Services: Parenting Fundamentals

Location: <https://www.metrofamily.org/contact-us/community-locations/>

Contact: Katharine Bensing (773) 371-3735 bensingk@metrofamily.org

Website: <https://www.metrofamily.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/parenting-fundamentals-fact-sheet-english.pdf>

Population: Pregnant and parenting teens and adults

Offers: Weekly two-hour sessions persisting 8-10 weeks, home visits, referral connections to other services, case management, bilingual services

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Catholic Charities: Roseland Adolescent Parenting Program (RAPP)

Location: 11255 S Michigan Ave, Chicago, IL 60628

Contact: (312) 964-0375

Website: <https://www.catholiccharities.net/roseland-adolescent-parenting-program-rapp/?nav=0>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: Pregnant and parenting teen and adult mothers 13-25 in Roseland/Altgeld and surrounding communities

Offers: Parent coaches provide home visitor and group services focusing on child-development and parenting skills to help teen parents create safe, stimulating home environments, all staff PAT certified, support services

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Simpson Academy for Young Women

Location: 1321 S Pauline St, Chicago, IL 60608

CTA: Polk Stop (Pink Line), #9 Ashland Bus (school is located on 13th Street and Hastings)

Contact: (773) 534-7812, Principal Sherita Carter-King Ext. 21853, Counselor and Enrollment Coordinator MaToya Marsh mmarsh@cps.edu (Her contact link)

Website: https://www.simpsonacademy.cps.edu/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=1287679&type=u

Website: <https://www.simpsonacademy.cps.edu/>

Population: Pregnant and parenting teen women

Offers: accredited CPS, onsite RUSH health clinic, counseling and referrals, individualized learning support, parent education, on-site baby boutique, onsite childcare through Salvation Army, full high school educational curriculum and experiences (credits and courses as well as events like Prom, Homecoming, etc.), also offers Jr. High Program starting at 6th grade

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Start Early

Location: 33 W Monroe St, Ste 1200, Chicago, IL 60603

Contact: (312) 922- 3863

Website: https://www.startearly.org/what-we-do/early-learning-programs/direct-service/#center_based_programs

Population: Pregnant and parenting teens and young adults

Offers: Early learning programs, Doulas, home visits, Healthy Parents and Babies program for young pregnant and parenting children from birth-3 yo, in-home and virtual services, quality care and education for parents and families

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Safe Families for Children

Location: 4300 W Irving Park Rd, Chicago, IL, 60641

Contact: 24/7 line (773) 653-2200

Website: <https://safe-families.org/>

Hours: 24/7 intake

Population: Families in a current state of crisis, vulnerable children 0-18 yo

Offers: Places vulnerable children in a safe and caring family setting ~6 weeks, SFFC Circle of Support for host and resource families, Family coaches, can assist families with DCFS investigations, parents can choose to opt out or reunite with their children at any given time

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Chicago Volunteer Doulas

Location: P.O. Box 5851 Chicago, IL 60680

Contact: comms@thecvd.org (contact page link) <https://www.thecvd.org/contact>

Website: <https://www.thecvd.org/>

Population: Low-income pregnant people, Black pregnant women

Offers: birth planning, coaching and emotional support for pregnant people, postpartum services, breastfeeding support, complementary and alternative medicine, new parent assistance

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Community Based Therapeutic Supports

CCBYS

Emergency Counseling Services for Minors

Services: Assistance for youth who have runaway and/or are homeless minors. Provide counseling services to strengthen family reunification. Provide crisis intervention 24/7 and preventative services. If you need immediate help, this is a great number to call. They have crisis workers in your area that will meet you very quickly.

Contact: 1-877-870-2663 – Tell them your address and they will connect you with the worker in your area.

LGBTQ Violence Resource Line
Center on Halsted
773-871-CARE (2273)
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline
1-800-273-8255
Crisis Text Line

Text: "ITSOK" TO 741741

Text to Connect – 773-786-9916

You will receive a brief survey to assess which referrals will be more helpful for you.

Crisis Text Line: Text NOW to 741741

Free, 24/7, confidential support with a trained crisis counselor (aka real-life human being ready to listen).

Ada S. McKinley

Location: 1359 W Washington Blvd Chicago, IL 60607

Contact: (312) 554-0600, Behavioral Health and Clinical Services Team (773) 918-6100, (contact forum/link)

Website: <https://www.adasmckinley.org/contact/>

Website: <https://www.adasmckinley.org/>

Hours: 24/7

Population: behaviorally challenged, mentally ill or at-risk children and families

Offers: mental health counseling services, academic and career counseling, mentorship opportunities, tutoring, financial aid assistance, college placement, vocational training and employment opportunities, head start educational and development program for children birth-5

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Alternatives, Inc.

Location: (Washington Park Center) 241 E 57th St, Chicago, IL 60637, (Uptown Center) 4730 N Sheridan Rd, Chicago, IL 60640

CTA: Redline (Lawrence Stop) and Greenline (Garfield 55th)

Contact: (Helpline) (877) 870-2663, (Main) (773) 506-7474, Amelia Harper aharper@alternativesyouth.org (773) 217-8284

Website: <https://alternativesyouth.org/>

Population: 10-24 years old

Offers: individual and group counseling, substance use prevention and resistance services, educational and vocational services, restorative justice programs, SEEIT program for youth experiencing trauma or behavioral/mental health crises

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Metropolitan Family Services

Location: Locations in Chicago, DuPage County, Evanston, Skokie, and southwest suburbs

<https://www.metrofamily.org/contact-us/community-locations/>

Contact: (312) 986-4000

Website: <https://www.metrofamily.org/>

Population: Chicagoland families

Offers: early learning, afterschool and job readiness programs to counseling, mental health services and legal assistance, recovery-based individual and group therapy services, case management, crisis intervention, community support and psychiatry, career services, financial literacy and planning, services for senior homeowners, headstart programs, tutoring, afterschool program for children and teens, support groups

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C4: Community Counseling Centers of Chicago

Location: (Clark) 4740 N Clark St, Chicago, IL 60640, (North) 2542 West North Ave Chicago, IL 60647, (Broadway) 5710 North Broadway St Chicago, IL 60660,

Contact: (Clark) (773) 769-0205, (North) (773) 365-7277, (Broadway) (773) 728-1000

Website: <https://www.c4chicago.org/>

Hours: (Clark and North) M-R 8:30 am- 8:00 pm F 8:30 am- 5:00 pm, (Broadway) M-F 8:30 am- 5:00 pm

Offers: mental health screenings, treatment, family and group therapy, crisis hotline, SASS, trauma-intervention treatment, life skills training, therapeutic youth summer camps, Drop-In center, case management, sexual trauma recovery therapy, substance use services, anger management

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SOS Children's Villages Illinois

Location: 4538 S. Hermitage Ave, Chicago, IL 60640

CTA: #9 bus (Ashland & 46th stop), 47th Stop (Red Line)

Contact: 773-247-7725

Website: <https://www.sosillinois.org/about-us/our-programs/>

Hours: M-F 8:30 am-4:30 pm

Offers: parenting skills training, support services, donation room, parent education and coaching, educational and vocational assistance, Health and Nutrition educational program, deter gang involvement for youth, job readiness, Casa Tepeyac

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The Sonia Shankman Orthogenic School

Location: 6245 S Ingleside Ave, Chicago, IL 60637

Contact: (Main) (773) 420-2900, (Director of Transition Services) Carmen Roberts croberts@oschool.org (773) 420-2859, (Director of Admissions) Kristin Friesen kfriesen@oschool.org (773) 420-2891

Website: <https://www.oschool.org/>

Population: Ages 5-21 presenting complex challenges, common diagnoses include severe anxiety, depression, autism, mood disorders, and others <https://www.oschool.org/admissions/student-profile>

Offers: Therapeutic day school and Transitional Learning Center (TLC) for young adults, typical school day, with supervised after-school homework, social and play periods, specializes in higher-need emotional disorders, in-house psychiatric services, trauma informed care.

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Thresholds: Mindstrong Early Intervention & First Episode Psychosis

Location: (Chicago) 4101 N Ravenswood, Chicago, IL; (Westmont) 777 Oakmont Ln, Ste 1600A, Westmont, IL

Contact: youngadult@thresholds.org (773) 432-6555

Website: <https://www.thresholds.org/programs-services/youth-young-adult-services/early-intervention-first-episode-psychosis-mindstrong>

Population: 14-40 years old who have experienced symptoms of psychosis for the first time within the last 18 months

Offers: Early intervention coordinated specialty care, mental health treatment, rapid assessment and individualized care planning, low dose medication management, school, work, and career development, family engagement and peer support.

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Thresholds: EMERGE

Location: 4101 N Ravenswood Ave, Chicago, IL 60613

CTA: Brown Line (Irving Park stop)

Contact: youngadult@thresholds.org (773) 432-6555

Website: <https://www.thresholds.org/programs-services/youth-young-adult-services/comprehensive-behavioral-health-services-emerge>

Population: 18-26

Offers: multidisciplinary team-based program serving young people providing services natural environment, Transition to independence process model, focusing on all developmental and social determinants of wellness: developing independent living skills, school and career exploration, peer support, individualized care; multidisciplinary team including primary therapist, vocational specialist, and psychiatrist; EMERGE Chicago funded by Medicaid, EMERGE West funded by Medicaid, commercial insurance or private pay

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Riveredge Hospital – Inpatient and Outpatient Behavioral Health Services

Location: 8311 W Roosevelt Rd, Forest Park, IL 60130

Contact: (708) 209-4181

Assessment Request Form: <https://riveredgehospital.com/request-for-assessment/>

Website: <https://riveredgehospital.com/programs-services/children-adolescents/>

Hours:

Population: Children and adolescents 3-12, 13-17

Offers: in and outpatient programs aimed to strengthen emotional and social functioning while providing the tools to return to healthy daily activities. Several different programs offered based on individual age and needs, including: Child and Adolescent Partial Hospitalization Program, Adolescent IOP, Adolescent Dealing with Life Issues Group, Art Therapy for Adolescents, accepting Medicaid and most commercial insurances

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Pilsen Wellness Center

Location: 2319 S Damen Ave, Chicago, IL 60608 (Admin Office), (Youth Wellness Center) 2259 S Damen Ave, Chicago, IL 60608; **(Pilsen) 2015 W Cermak Rd, Chicago, IL 60608**

Contact: (Admin) (773) 579-0832 (Youth Wellness Center) (773) 801-0084, (Pilsen) (773) 890-1257, (Little Village) (773) 257-0912

Website: www.pilsenwellnesscenter.org

Hours: MTW 9:00 am- 7:30 pm, RF 9:00 am- 8:00 pm, Sat 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: 13-19 yo

Offers: Doula Program- Free home visits. Pairing pregnant teens with a professionally trained mentor who guides each young mother during the last trimester, childbirth, and into a newborn's first few weeks Teen Mom's Program- Free home visits. Weekly support groups with hot meal provided. Serves Teen Moms between 13 and 24 years of age. Can receive services up until the baby is 3 months old. Education regarding health and nutrition, child development, parenting strategies.

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Youth Outreach Services

Location: 2411 W Congress Pkwy, Chicago, IL 60612 (Main Office)

Location and Service Request Form: <https://www.yos.org/services/looking-services>

Contact: (773) 777-7112

Executive Director: Jamie Noto (773) 777-7112 Ext 7281; jamien@yos.org

Website: <https://www.yos.org/services>

Hours: M-R 9:00 am- 8:00 pm F 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Population: 12-21, all genders

Offers: therapy and counseling, juvenile justice guidance, outpatient services, case management, substance abuse intervention, transitional living program for ages 17-21, educational services, service region: Austin, Pilsen, Dunning/Irving Park, Leyden-Proviso, Bellwood, Oak Park, Lawndale,

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El Valor Family Outreach and Adult Programs

Location: 1951 W 19th St Chicago, IL 60608

Contact: Vanessa Mora 312-391-9208 vanessa.mora@elvalor.net for referrals for adults

Website: <https://elvalor.org/family-support-group/>

Population: Parents, youth, and families with special needs

Offers: Family members who have participant with a disability in the program come together, helping families find the best resources based on their needs, social club, art classes, family support group for parents enrolled in the employment program

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Catholic Charities

Location: <https://www.catholiccharities.net/what-we-do/our-locations/>

Contact: (Main Cook County Line) (312) 655-7700; (Counseling Support Line) (312) 744-5000
counselingintake@catholiccharities.net

Website: <https://www.catholiccharities.net/>

Hours: M-F 8:30 am- 4:30 pm

Offers: child development education/support, family strengthening, emergency assistance, senior community-based services, domestic violence counseling, school-based services, substance abuse/recovery support, youth mentoring services

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Garfield Park Behavioral Hospital: Polaris LGBTQIA+ Adolescent Inpatient Program

Location: 520 N Ridgeway Ave, Chicago, IL 60624

Contact: 24/7 intake assessment line (773) 265-3720; emergency line (773) 265-3700

Online contact form: <https://garfieldparkhospital.com/contact-us/>

Website: <https://garfieldparkhospital.com/treatment-services/specialty-programs/polaris-program/>

Population: sexual and gender minorities ages 12-17

Offers: 19 bed units, affirming psychiatric care and help navigating one's identity, med evaluation, 24-hour safety monitoring, specific discharge recommendations, parent/caregiver education, educational programming coordinated with schools, evidence-based treatments

Website: <https://garfieldparkhospital.com/treat>

Last Updated: 2/2024

Clinical Care Consultants

Location: (Main) 1642 W Colonial Pkwy, Inverness, IL 60067, 3325 Arlington Heights Rd. Suite 400B, Arlington Heights, IL 60004

Contact: (847) 749-0514

Website: <https://www.clinicalcareconsultants.com/>

Offers: Online Therapy and Telehealth, Substance Abuse and Compulsions, Eating and Weight Management Counseling, DBT, EMDR, Child Therapy Services, Teen Services, Mindfulness Focused Counseling, LGBTQ+ services, Christian Counseling

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Universal Family Connection, Inc.: Behavioral Support for At-Risk Youth

Location: 1350 W 103rd St, Chicago, IL, 60643

Contact: (773) 881-1711; Youth Services Emma Allen Ext. 1161, Surat Bisiriyu Ext. 1134

Website: <http://universalfamilyconnection.com/>

Hours: MR 9:00 am- 8:00 pm, TWF 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Offers: provide specific intensive counseling services with the goal of problem solving for physical, mental, and emotional concerns; reducing such factors that place them at risk for social, emotional, and educational failure

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La Rabida Children's Hospital: Chicago Child Trauma Center

Location: 1525 E 55th St, Ste 203, Chicago, IL 60615

Contact: (773) 374-3748 x2221

Website: <https://larabida.org/cherry-services/child-abuse-and-trauma/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 7:00 pm

Population: children 1-18 who have experienced traumatic events related to sexual abuse, witnessing violence and other complex trauma

Offers: provide expert-level trauma care to children and their families and address social justice issues. Staffed by psychologists, social workers, counselors and case managers, clinicians; trauma assessment and treatment models, case management, advocacy

Last Updated: 2/2024

La Rabida Children's Hospital: Children's Advocacy Center

Location: 200 Lakewood Blvd, Park Forest, IL 60466, this program is an offsite satellite program under the Behavior Health Division

Contact: (708) 481-9799

Website: <https://larabida.org/cherry-services/child-abuse-and-trauma/>

Hours: M-F 8:00 am- 6:00 pm

Population: children and adolescents who have experienced sexual abuse, severe physical abuse, other forms of child maltreatment, or exposure to violent crime

Offers: uses a multidisciplinary team approach combining law enforcement, child protection investigators, prosecutors, advocacy, medical and mental health personnel; forensic interviewing, follow up services at no cost to children and families, centralized coordination, each child and family is paired with an advocate

Last Updated: 2/2024

Oak Park Music Therapy Center

Location: 1100 Lake St, Ste LL65, Oak Park, IL 60301

Contact: (708) 620- 2373 oakparkmusictherapy@gmail.com

Website: <https://www.dynamiclynks.com/music-therapy>

Group types and service charges: <https://www.dynamiclynks.com/groups>

Population: all ages and genders

Offers: individual and group music therapy sessions, accessible piano, guitar, ukelele, string, percussion, and vocal lessons, board certified music therapists, strengths-based clinical approach,

Last Updated: 2/2024

Hartgrove Behavioral Health System Counseling Centers

Location: (Oak Park) 101 Madison St, 2nd Floor, Oak Park, IL 60302; (Chatham) 1111 E 87th St, Chicago, IL 60619

Contact: (Oak Park) (708) 859-8004; (Chatham) (773) 413-1818

Website: <https://hartgrovehospital.com/our-programs/outpatient-services/>

Hours: (Oak Park) M-F 8:00 am- 7:00 pm; (Chatham) M-F 8:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: all ages and genders welcome

Offers: individual and group therapy, couples and family therapy, psychiatric evaluation, medication management, commonly treated conditions include depression and anxiety, ADHD, oppositional defiant disorder, self-injurious and aggressive behaviors, family conflict and other systems concerns or supporting stabilization following recent hospital discharge

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YWCA: Case Management Services for Survivors of Sexual Violence & Non-offending Family Members

Offers: The YWCA strives to connect clients to resources to help them move from surviving to thriving. Case management services are offered in-person, via telephone, or a combination of both, Child Care assistance and services, counseling services to victims of violence, community wellness, workforce development

Locations:

- Laura Parks and Mildred Francis Center 6600 S. Cottage Grove Ave, Chicago, IL 60637
- Cynthia B. Laufente Center 2754 W. Fullerton Ave, Chicago, IL 60647 (773) 862-3100
- Patterson and McDaniel Family Center 2055 West Army Trail Rd, Ste 140, Addison, IL 60101 (630) 790-6600
- Medical District Center 1340 S Damen Ave, Mezzanine Ste C, Chicago IL 60608 (312) 733-2102
- Lake Country Center 1537 S Waukegan Rd, Waukegan IL 60085 (847) 662-4247
 - o Clothes donations box and pickup
- Bronzeville Center
 - o 56 E 47th St, Ste 525C, Chicago, IL 60653

Website: <https://ywcachicago.org/our-work>

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Rosecrance

Location: <https://rosecrance.org/locations/>

Contact: (866) 330-8729, Referrals Stuart Morrical smorrical@rosecrance.org (312) 833-0196 Paige Gander

pgander@rosecrance.org 815-387-2561 or

Website: <https://rosecrance.org/>

Population: adults

Offers: Addiction Treatment, adult co-occurring disorders, alcoholism rehab, Alumni Services, co-occurring disorders, drug abuse rehab, female co-occurring disorders, illinois drug abuse rehab, illinois drug rehab, licensed addiction rehab, licensed NAATP, They use a 12-step model with CBT, DBT, Smart Recovery, Trauma Informed Care infused into their treatment.

They take insurance and Medicaid

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Amita Health Alexian Brothers Center for Mental Health

Location: 3436 N Kennicott Ave, Arlington Heights, IL 60004

Contact: (847) 952-7460 or Melissa Litka (Intake Coordinator) (847) 952-7473 melissa.litka@ascension.org

Website: <https://healthcare.ascension.org/locations/illinois/ilchi/arlington-heights-ascension-illinois-center-for-mental-health>

Hours: M-F 8:30 am- 4:00 pm

Population:

Offers: Outpatient services- counseling, psychiatry (residents of Wheeling or Palatine township), partial hospitalization program (Medicare or private insurance) 2-3 week program virtual and in person 18+, Vocational program- clients who need help finding employment, Groups- Adult dbt group, adolescent dbt, yoga, mindfulness, anxiety/depression groups.

Requirements: Active Medicaid(medicare, private, sliding scale Paletine and Wheeling township)

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The Encompassing Center

Location: 3019 W. Harrison St., Chicago, IL 60612

Contact: 773-638-5703

Website: <https://encompassingcenter.org/>

Hours: M-F 8:30 am- 4:30 pm

Population: Services provided for residents of North Lawndale, East & West Garfield Park and Near West Side

Offers: individual and family therapy, couples therapy, on-site school-based counseling, psychiatric and medication management services, narrative exposure therapy is a six session treatment involving narrating one's entire life story through Lifeline for individuals with complex trauma, case management, trauma-informed training and education, specialized groups including anger management, parent coaching, men's and women's groups

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The Salvation Army STOP-IT Program

Location: Main Address 4800 N Marine Dr, Chicago, IL 60640, drop-in center location privately disclosed for safety purposes

Contact: 24-hr hotline (877) 606-3158, Jennifer Harvey (773) 341-6465 jennifer.harvey@usc.salvationarmy.org

Website: <https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/stopit/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: Female-identifying individuals ages 14-29 who have experienced exploitation and/or trafficking

Offers: Community based case management services, trainings and community awareness, referrals and resources, crisis hotline, drop-in center: food, clothing, and access to hygiene products, obtaining identifying documents, mental health services, dental, medical, and legal services, education/vocational services, tattoo and branding removal

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Riveredge Hospital – Inpatient and Outpatient Behavioral Health Services

Location: 8311 W Roosevelt Rd, Forest Park, IL 60130

Contact: (708) 209-4181

Assessment Request Form: <https://riveredgehospital.com/request-for-assessment/>

Website: <https://riveredgehospital.com/programs-services/children-adolescents/>

Hours:

Population: Children and adolescents 3-12, 13-17

Offers: in and outpatient programs aimed to strengthen emotional and social functioning while providing the tools to return to healthy daily activities. Several different programs offered based on individual age and needs, including: Child and Adolescent Partial Hospitalization Program, Adolescent IOP, Adolescent Dealing with Life Issues Group, Art Therapy for Adolescents, accepting Medicaid and most commercial insurances, In addition, we have the only specialized inpatient behavioral health program for adults with an intellectual or developmental disability. We provide clinically distinct care units in a thoughtfully designed setting and offer a full continuum of outpatient behavioral health services

Last Updated: 1/2024

Resilience

Location: 180 N Michigan Ave, Ste 600, Chicago, IL 60601

Contact: (312) 443-9603, may be a waitlist for free services

Website: <https://www.ourresilience.org/>

Hours: M-F 9:00 am- 5:00 pm

Population: survivors of sexual violence

Offers: trauma therapy program, medical advocacy, legal advocacy, group therapy and workshops, preventative treatments for STIs, HIV, and pregnancy, Resilience Training Institute, counseling, partnered with John H Stroger, Jr Hospital and YWCA Medical District Center

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Autism and I/DD Focused Supports

The following is a list of different types of supports specifically addressing needs of youth and adults with Autism or Intellectual/Development Disabilities.

Toll Free Support

(9am-5pm in all time zones)
1-888-AUTISM2 (1-888-288-4762)
En Espanol: 1-888-772-9050
familyservices@autismspeaks.org

More Resources!

Here is a link to a full resource guide specific to client on the Autism Spectrum. Organized by State, Life Stage and Level of Support Needed

<https://www.autismspeaks.org/resource-guide>

Home Buying Resources

Easterseals has partnered with Freddie Mac to help more people with disabilities obtain affordable housing through renting or buying a home.

<http://www.easterseals.com/explore-resources/making-life-accessible/freddie-mac/>

Easterseals: The Autism Program (TAP)**Location:** 1601 Parkview Ave, Rockford, IL 61107**Contact:** Lorie Davie ldavie@easterseals.chicago.org (815) 395-5566**Website:** <https://www.eastersealschicago.org/programs/the-autism-program-at-easterseals>**Population:** youth 3-12 who have never received an autism spectrum diagnosis by a professional in the past; must be a resident of the counties of JoDaviess, Lake, Stephenson, Boone, Winnebago, McHenry, or Northern Ogle**Offers:** Program provides evidence-based screening, diagnostics, training, information and resources for autism spectrum disorder. Screening is available for people ages 3 and older who have never received an autism spectrum disorder diagnosis by a professional, Community Outreach/Parent Support Group, Consultations, Family Community Resources**Last Updated:** 2/2024**Canopy: Adult Day Program****Location:** 264 Main St, Sugar Grove, IL 60554**Contact:** Ally Dogan (630) 864-3830, canopyintaketeam@mygiantsteps.org**Website:** <https://www.mygiantsteps.org/canopy>**Hours:** M-F 9:30 am- 2:30 pm**Population:** adults on the autism spectrum ages 22+,**Offers:** age-appropriate programming that emphasizes individual strengths, encourages community engagement, and supports lifelong learning, learning sessions include ASL, Wellness and Life Skills, Vocational Training, Art, Leisure, Physical Endurance, and communication skills; program year runs mid-August through the end of July; participants may attend 1-5 days/week

@\$90/day; day runs 9:30 am-2:30 pm M-F

Last Updated: 2/2024**CSS Services: Home-Based Support Services****Location:** In-home**Contact:** (708) 354-4547 Intake@CSSservices.org**Website:** <https://www.cssservices.org/home-based-support-services>**Intake Application:** <https://www.cssservices.org/intake>**Population:** Individuals enrolled in the Children's and Adult Waivers through Illinois DHS/DDD**Offers:** provide self-directed assistance, skills training to families and participants, assistance recruiting, hiring, and training Personal Support Workers, monthly budgeting and funding allocations assistance,**Last Updated:** 2/2024**CSS Services: Community 360 Day Program****Location:** Locations include CSS' Family Support Center (FSC) in Cicero, CSS Academy in Brookfield, and various community locations**Contact:** familysupportcenter@CSSservices.org (708) 354-4547**Website:** <https://www.cssservices.org/family-support-center>**Brochure with Addresses and Addtl Info:** https://assets.website-files.com/5e8f6da964c9e35e3cf87f5f/5e97908873679436a5df7533_CSS%20general%20brochure%20english%20updated%2012.17.pdf**Population:** adults with Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities (I/DD)**Offers:** Structured volunteer work; creative classes in art, music and dance; activities of daily living; health and wellness classes; group exercise; classes structured around developing job skills and job searching; etc, English and Spanish speaking staff to communicate with parents/guardians, smaller groups, with more individualized attention and/or those with specific behavioral needs. This is not a drop in program. Participation must be scheduled in advance.**Last Updated:** 2/2024**Giant Steps: Elementary, Secondary, Transition, and Therapeutic Programming****Location:** 2500 Cabot Dr, Lisle, IL 60532**Contact:** 630-864-3800**Website:** <https://www.mygiantsteps.org/day-school>**Population:** Kindergarten-age through 22 years old on the Autism Spectrum**Offers:** special education, occupational therapy, speech/language therapy, Board Certified Behavior Analyst, music therapy, social work, individualize intensive therapeutic learning, group-based learning (Explorers Program), junior high school, high school, vocational readiness, sensory regulation, functional living skills**Last Updated:** 2/2024**Streamwood Behavioral Healthcare Systems: Behavior Intervention Unit****Location:** 1400 E. Irving Park Rd, Streamwood IL 60107

Contact: 630-837-9000

Website: <https://streamwoodhospital.com/inpatient/behavior-intervention-unit-autism-spectrum-program/>

Population: children and adolescents ages 4-17 diagnosed with ASD

Offers: Our treatment model includes educational services provided by special education teachers, psychiatric services, and expressive therapies. A psychologist, therapist, or Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA) will work with the individual, the family, community resources, and outpatient services to provide a comprehensive treatment plan for each individual. Individual therapy, group therapy, special education services, expressive therapy, and psychiatric care. This unit provides treatment based on the principles of Applied Behavioral Analysis in order to increase socially significant behaviors and to reduce problem behaviors.

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After School & Additional Youth Programming

Community based supports designed to keep youth engaged in healthy relationships and safety.

Alternatives, Inc.

Location: 4730 N Sheridan Rd and 241 E. 57th St

Contact: 773-506-7474

Population: 11-18 years old, all genders

Service Region: Northeast and Southeast (Rogers Park to Chatham)

CTA: Redline (Lawrence Stop) and Greenline (Garfield 55th)

Offers: After school programs with a youth leadership development lens include Girl World, Youth Advisory Committee, Restorative Justice Summer Institute, 20hr Restorative Justice Training Series for young adults etc.

Website: www.alternativesyouth.org

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Gary Comer Youth Center

Location: 7200 S. Ingleside Ave

Contact: 773-358-4100

Offers: Provide after school programs in the following categories: academic support & college prep, leadership & social development, media & technology, sports/fitness & recreation, urban agriculture & culinary arts, visual & performing arts, and teen employment, Focus on the therapeutic/counseling needs of all their youth.

Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30am to 9pm

Website: <http://garycomeryouthcenter.org/>

Last Update: 12/2020

Sankofa Safe Child Initiative: "Building Up Our Brothers" Male Restorative Justice Program / Male & Female Anger Mgmt

Location: 4041 W. Roosevelt Rd

CTA: Blue Line (Pulaski Stop)

Contact: 773-542-9900

Population: Males 16-24

When: Wednesdays at 5pm

Offers: An empowering and evidence-based program for young men who have had contact with the criminal justice system. Peace circles, counseling services, substance abuse services, fatherhood advocacy, employment assistance, parenting classes, anger management/conflict resolution services. OR Eight self-motivated anger management classes.

Website: <https://sankofasafechildinitiative.org/services/>

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After School Matters: Art Reach (Firehouse & Lillstreet)

Location: 2651 W. Lake Street

CTA: Green Line (California Stop), #20 Bus

Contact: 773-907-0841

Population: Ages 10- adult

When: Thursdays 3:30pm-6:30pm

Offers: Certifications in Glass blowing, torch safety, glass fusing, ceramic hand building, etc. Job opportunities following the program. Field trips, Workshops in: ceramic wheel throwing, patterned platter, glass pumpkins, mug workshop, glass ornaments, flask work, Costs vary depending on class. Virtual workshops during COVID.

Website: <https://www.firebirdcommunityarts.org/what-we-do/classes-and-workshops>

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Project H.O.O.D.'s CHOICES Program

Offers: 8-week "Team Building" sessions with Chicago Adventure Therapy, 10-week Culinary Arts class, 6-week Job Readiness, summer employment, 8-week female mentoring program

Location: 6330 South King Drive

Contact: 773-326-4216

Website: www.projecthood.org/new-page/

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Dreamchasers University Mentorship Program

Offers: Program focuses on financial literacy, character development, education, and entrepreneurship for young men in grades fifth thru eighth. Field Trips and events outside of school play a major role in the program, constantly introducing the young men to new opportunities, places, and ideas. Available mentorship program as well: once a week for 1 hour. The duration of the program is 8 weeks. 8 Hours Total

Locations: South: Robert A. Black Magnet School 9101 S Euclid Ave, Chicago, IL 6061

West: Dodge Renaissance Academy 431 N Troy St

Northwest: A.N. Pritzker School 2009 W. Schiller Street

Contact: Clifton Ballard (708) 253-5804 or Demetrius Lee (312) 998-6128

Website: <https://www.dreamchasersunited.com>

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St. Joseph Services

Locations: St. Angela School 1332 N Massisot ave Chicago IL 60651

Austin Community Family Center 501 N Central Ave Chicago IL 60644

Monsignor Thelie Center 1510 N Claremont Chicago, IL 60622

Josephine Academy 1501 N Oakley Chicago, IL 60622

Resurrection Parish 3043 N Francisco Chicago, IL 60618

St. Catherine Laboure 3535 Thornwood Ave Glenview IL 60026

Contact: 773-278-0484, Joseph Hooks jhooks@stjosephservices.org

Youth Programs: After School Program, Beyond Basketball, open gym, Professional Advancement Internship Development (P.A.I.D), Seasonal Camps (Winter and Spring Break), Summer Camp

Adult Programs: Citizenship, Computer Literacy, English as a Second Language, Open Gym, Spanish Classes

Website: <https://www.stjosephservices.org/>

Last Updated: 01/28/2021

Chicago Hope for Kids

Location: 641 W. Lake Street

Contact: Alex Galván 773-318-854 | agalvan@chicagohopesforkids.org

Offers: Homework help, literacy support, cultural enrichment, summer enrichment program, parent programs, IEP support, school enrollment support, information on McKinney-Vento and childhood homelessness

Website: <https://www.chicagohopesforkids.org/>

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Concordia Place- Teen Leadership Programs

Location: 3300 N. Whipple Street

CTA: Belmont Blue Line

Contact: 773-463-1600 x330

Population: Teens 13-20 years old, all genders welcome

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

Offers: Provide after school programs in the following categories: leadership & social development, urban agriculture & culinary arts and teen employment, Focus on the leadership building skills and ESL

Website: <http://concordiaplace.org/>

Last Update: 10/2020

The Chicago School of Professional Psychology

Location: 325 N Wells St., Chicago, IL 60654

Contact: Jill Glenn, Executive Director, Community Partnerships | jglenn@thechicagoschoo.edu

Offers: Mental Health Services, Youth Programs (K-12) | Offers a virtual after school programming focusing on youth from the Sue Duncan Children's Center and Oakley Square Apartments

Population: K-12th Grade Students

Referral Process: Students can sign up for tutoring services through the Sue Duncan Children's Center

Website:

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R City Community Development Center

Location: 3709 W Grand Ave

Contact: Dr. Y'Shanda Rivera, Director of Strategy, Research, and Partnerships | yshanda.rivera@rcitycdc.org

Offers: After school programs and paid apprenticeships, Employment (training, search, placement), Housing, Drop Ins

Population: Youth programs (K-12), Young Adults (16-24)

Websites: <https://www.rcitycdc.org/>

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MetroSquash Woodlawn

Location: 6100 S. Woodlawn

Contact: Ashleigh Teasley-Hosey, Senior Manager of Social Work and Supportive Services, ashleigh@metrosquash.org

Offers: Sports and fitness, Academic enrichment, tutoring, college prep and readiness, mentors to program participants

Populations: 5th- 12th grade

Referral Process: email/ enroll now tab

Website: <https://metrosquash.org/?locale=en>

Mentorship Programming

Community based supports designed to keep youth engaged in health relationships and safety.

Bridges to Pathways

Contact: Heshima Mance 773-643-0452 ex 2418 hmance@cccsociety.org

Offers: weekly support group and mentorship for 18-24-year olds, bi-weekly financial stipend, connections to school, monthly group outings

Requirements: Not yet graduated high school

Location: 5467 S. University

Website: <https://www.cccsociety.org/young-adults>

Last Updated: 12/2020

Automotive Mentoring Group

Offers: supporting mentees earn their high school diploma, enroll in colleges, and obtain jobs in the automotive industry. Mentors teach automotive repair (inc. bodywork, restoration, light mechanical work). Three to six-month long program

Location: 6522 S. Laverne Ave, Bedford Park, IL 60638

Contact: 773-563-0034

Website: <https://automotivementoringgroup.wordpress.com/>

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Salvation Army: STOP-IT

Location: (Admin Office) 4800 N. Marine Drive, Chicago, IL 60640

Contact: Elyse Dobney (Program Manager) 773-319-9146 stop-it@usc.salvationarmy.org

Service Region: Cook, DeKalb, Winnebago, Kane, Boone, Dupage, McHenry, Kendall, Lake, and Will

Offers: Services to people who have experienced human trafficking in the US: emotional support and intensive case management and a drop-in center for female-identified youth between the ages of 14-29, and training for community service providers and general public about human trafficking.

24/7 Hotline: 877-606-3158

Website: www.sa-stopit.org

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Chicago Voyager (including Carpe Ventus Sailing)

Location: 318 N Elmwood Ln. Palatine, IL 60067

Contact: Denise Logan, Director of Partnerships and Operations | denise@chicagovoyager.org | 847-636-0422

Population: Serves youth 11-21 (primarily 13-18) through partner organizations (community centers, schools, etc). Mission is to empower at-risk youth through outdoor experiential adventures that foster healthy relationships and responsible behavior.

Offers: Canoeing, biking, sailing, hiking, rock climbing, cross country skiing, camping, and more. Day, multi-day and longer series called Journey programs are available

Website: <https://www.chicagovoyagers.org/>

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Storycatchers Theatre

Location: 544 West Oak Street #1005, Chicago, Illinois, 60610

Phone: 312-280-4772

Service Region: Inside 3 Juvenile detention centers in or near Chicago, 1 program is not in centers

Offers: Arts-Based Youth Development Programming, Case Management

Population: Youth 13-24 involved in the justice system

Website: <https://www.storycatchertheatre.org/>

Last Update: 10/2023

Big Brothers Big Sisters

Location: 560 W Lake Street, Chicago, IL 60661

CTA Stop: Clinton Stop – Green/Pink Line

Contact: Beth Juarez/ juarez@bbbschgo.org

Offers: 1:1 Mentoring for youth ages 7-18 in Chicago, the surrounding suburbs, and northern Indiana.

Requirements: Mentors – must be able to pass background check and be 18 or older

Youth- Guardians must be willing to complete an application and be available for an in-person interview with child.

Website: www.bbbschgo.org

Last Updated: 6/15/2022

McCormick YMCA Youth Safety and Violence Prevention Programs

Location: 1834 N Lawndale, Chicago IL
60647

Contact: Vincent Greene 312-292-6490

Mainline 773-235-2525

CTA: #72 Bus North and Lawndale

When: Afterschool and weekend programming

Offers: Case management and Community based programming and mentorship opportunities through group settings. Four mentoring programs for: 13-18 young men teaching leadership skills, young men learning adaptive coping skills, 7th-10th grade young men impacted by violence, and young women and men focusing on narrative therapy through digital media.

Website: <https://www.ymcachicago.org/mccormick/programs/youth-and-teen-leadership>

Last Updated: 9/2020

Friends of the Children of Chicago

Location: 1512 S Pulaski Rd

Contact: Phalon Carpenter, Program Manager | pcarpenter@friendschicago.org

Angel Johnson, Family and Community Engagement Specialist | ajohnson@friendschicago.org

Offers: A mentoring organization that provides 1 on 1 mentoring for youth starting in kindergarten and lasting until they graduate high school.

Population: Youth K-12 in Austin and Lawndale

Website: <https://friendschicago.org/>

Last Updated: 10/2023

Vocational Training Programs

Employment training programs as well as job fair opportunities.

Alternatives, Inc.

Location: 4730 N Sheridan Rd and 241 E. 57th St

Contact: 773-506-7474

Population: 17-24 years old, all genders

Service Region: Northeast and Southeast (Rogers Park to Chatham)

CTA: Redline (Lawrence Stop) and Greenline (Garfield 55th)

Offers: Free 20hr Restorative Justice Training Series for system-involved young adults makes them eligible for a paid part-time apprenticeship as a Peace Ambassador, facilitating circles with youth for community-building and repair of relationships. Peace Ambassadors are prepared to be effective professional practitioners in the growing field of Restorative Justice in schools and communities.

Website: www.alternativesyouth.org

Last Updated: 9/2023

Year Up: Chicago

Offers: One year workforce development training program in Data Analytics, Business Essentials and Information Technology (IT), at the Jackson Street location and Project Management at our Harold Washington College location. An accelerated 21-week training, 30 hours a week, followed by 6 months internship with a Fortune 500 company, working 40 hours a week, stipend of up to \$50 per week during coursework phase, and \$150 per week during internship phase.

Location: 223 W. Jackson Blvd, Suite 400 AND Harold Washington, 30 East Lake Street, 11th floor

CTA: Various bus and train routes (CTA, Metra and South Shore) are available to access both locations

Contact: David Chiha, Student Services Manager | dchiha@yearup.org

Recruitment Contact: Alexandra Diaz, Recruitment Manager, 312-982-8264; adiaz1@yearup.org

Population: 18 – 26 years old; HS diploma or GED; eligible to work in USA; will work with DACA candidates or recipients

Website: <https://www.yearup.org/>

Last Updated: 9/2023

Growing Home:

IT-Training Program

Offers: 8-week Information Technology (IT) Essentials Training Program consists of in-person training Monday through Wednesday from 9am-12pm for a total of 72 hours per program. Growing Home serves up to 40 participants, in four cohorts of 10 students which allows for close one-on-one attention. Participants in the training program are provided a stipend of \$600 as well as a stipend for transportation to and from Growing Home's Computer and Job Resource Center

Production Assistant

Offers: Training on an urban farm while focusing on job readiness (attention to detail, professionalism, conflict resolution, interviewing, resume development, etc), Minimum 23 hours per week, paid \$13/hour, pay for time working and, in the classroom, Accepts applicants who are currently or have previously been involved with the criminal justice system.

Location: 5814 S. Wood Street

Contact: Camesha Jones, LCSW, Case Management Coordinator, 773-434-7144 cjones@growinghomeinc.org

Requirements: 18+ years old, currently unemployed, must be able to read, write, and do math at a 6th grade level or above, must be a Chicago resident, must be able to stand, bend, and work for up to 6 hours at a time

Website: <https://growinghomeinc.org/>

Last Updated: 12/2020

UPS

Offers: Pay starts at \$10.20 per hour, work 3.5-5 hours Monday-Friday, weekends and holidays off, up to \$25,000 in Education Asst., Healthcare and 401K benefits after a year of working with them, paid vacation, promotion opportunities available.

Contact: Tina Crawford 708-670-3969

Website: www.upsjobs.com

Last Updated: 12/2020

Re: Work

Offers: Virtual career accelerator program for untapped communities. Training primarily in sales for the technology and software industries and general career development. Average salary post-program: \$61,000. Program is free of charge and you get paid (a stipend) at the end. .

Location: 1 S. Dearborn St.

Contact: Ashley Jordan ashley@reworktraining.org

Requirements: At least 18 years old, available on weekend afternoons.

Website: <https://reworktraining.org/>

Last Updated: 9/2023

Inspiration Kitchens: Food Service Training Program

Offers: A FREE, 8-week long program, resume workshop, interview practice, assistance in obtaining the ServSafe certificate, access to an employment specialist after the program is complete, no background check, graduates earn \$13/hour after completing the program.

Certificate Available: Illinois Food Handlers Certificate and/or City of Chicago and State of Illinois Food Service Sanitation Managers Certification. Manager certifications offered to program graduates only.

Location: social enterprise restaurant in East Garfield Park (3504 W Lake St)

Contact: (Primary Contacts – Alexandra Harris, Participant Support Specialist – 312-626-5960 – aharris@inspirationcorp.org / Sarah Wagner, Participant Support Specialist – 312-626-6366 – swagner@inspirationcorp.org)

(Secondary Contact - DeMico Davis, Workforce Development Manager – 312-626-5703- ddavis@inspirationcorp.org)

Requirements: 18 + years old, 6th grade math/reading level, be able to stand for long period, attend an orientation (held every Tuesday at 10 am and 1 pm via Zoom), no appointment required

Website: Please submit an inquiry via <https://inspirationkitchens.org/job-training/> scroll to the bottom of the webpage to find the form.

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Universal Family Connections, Inc: Workforce Affiliate Employment

Locations: Employment placements available in several suburbs (inc. Aurora, Bollingbrook, Des Plaines, Joliet, Plainfield, Gurnee, Waukegan, Oak Park, Dover, Chicago Ridge, etc), counseling for DV victims.

Contact: Dr. Audra Rowe 773-881-1711 ex 1175,

Monica Williams 773-881-1711 ex 1153

Offers: List of positions they train and pair with: <http://www.paramountstaffing.com/employers/skilled-employees/>, conflict management, finding safe living environment, develop community/family supports.

Last Updated: 12/2020

Universal Family Connections, Inc: Youth Working for Success

Location: 1350 W. 103rd Street

Contact: Dr. Audra Rowe 773-881-1711 ex 1175

Offers: 15-week three phase civic leadership program designed to empower justice involved youth to develop leadership skills, address issues impacting their communities, and prepare them for employment

Website:<http://universalfamilyconnection.com/>

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Project H.O.O.D's Construction Program

Location: 6330 South King Drive

CTA: King Drive Stop (Green Line)

Contact: 773-326-4216

Population: Ages 18-24, men and women

Offers: Pre-apprenticeship training, Skilled Trades Training: CORE and Carpentry Level 1, partnering with the Illinois Chapter of Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC-IL) and Preservation of Affordable Housing's Woodlawn Resource Center (POAH) to enroll and train up to 20 applicants

Website: www.projecthood.org/construction-program/

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Project H.O.O.D.'s Café and Juice Bar

Offers: Career in hospitality, include basic training courses in hospitality, business development, and executing a business plan.

Location: 6330 South King Drive (New Beginnings Church)

CTA: King Drive Stop (Green Line)

Contact: 773-752-6055

Website: www.projecthood.org/hospitality-and-food-service/

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SER: Central States (Jobs for Progress, Inc.) & Little Village Reconnection Hub (Thrive Chicago)

Location: 3948 W. 26th Street, Suite 213

(located in the Little Village Reconnection Hub)

Contact: Joseline Calderon 773-542-9030 ext. 1242 JCalderon@centralstatesser.org

Main Intake: 773-542-9030

Offers: career coaching, GED preparation, youth re-entry programs, transportation services, youth programs AND adult programs, WIOA programming

Website: <http://www.centralstatesser.org/>

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdl_j17L_WXGGQFmdbcau5D_dmSKnE2h3sxz5I7W-Ptl18pWA/viewform

Little Village Reconnection Hub

Last Updated: 12/2020

A Safe Haven: Job Readiness Program

Location: 2750 W. Roosevelt Rd.

Contact: Elliott Reasoner (Director of Workforce Development) 773-435-8341 ereasoner@asafehaven.org

Hours: Wednesdays at 12pm

Offers: Individual employment assessment, Job Readiness training, Industry Recognize Training in Culinary Arts, Welding, and Unarmed Security Officer, internships, paid work experience with on-the-job coaching, Long-term follow up and retention coaching.

Website: <https://www.asafehaven.org/what-we-do/job-training-placement/>

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A Safe Haven: Welding Training and Certificate Program

Location: 2750 W. Roosevelt Rd.

Contact: David Osorio (Safe Haven Recruiter) 773-406-2451 dosorio@asafehaven.org

Eligibility: Prove homeless or low-income status (proof of income from IDHS), Veteran (proof DD-214), valid state ID and social security card, birth certificate.

Requirements: Pass TABE test with 10.0+ in reading and math, complete 1-week job readiness training, complete 14 weeks hands-on workshop training and pass OSHA10.

Offers: Trainees graduate with skills in Gas Metal Arc Welding and Shielded Metal Arc. Trainees have the opportunity to test for OSHA 10 and American Welding Certification

Website: <https://www.asafehaven.org/what-we-do/job-training-placement/>

Last Updated: 12/2020

A Safe Haven: Culinary Arts Training Program

Location: 2750 W. Roosevelt Rd.

Contact: David Osorio (Safe Haven Recruiter) 773-406-2451 dosorio@asafehaven.org

Eligibility: Prove homeless or low-income status (proof of income from IDHS), Veteran (proof DD-214), valid state ID and social security card, birth certificate.

Requirements: Pass TABE test with 8.0+ in reading and math, complete 15 days of job readiness training, complete 7 weeks hands-on workshop training and pass Culinary Arts exam.

Offers: : Trainees graduate with skills Safe Serv Managers food service certificate / City of Chicago food service License.

Website: <https://www.asafehaven.org/what-we-do/job-training-placement/>

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Work Incentive Planning and Assistance Project (WIPA)

Location: MOPD Field Office 2102 W. Ogden Avenue

Contact: 312-746-5743 Lavonzell.paige@cityofchicago.org

Offers: Information and referral, Job training and placement, resource development services for youth, youth adults and parents, post-secondary education planning, employment options, SSI/SSDI Benefit Counseling

Website: <https://www.ssa.gov/work/WIPA.html>

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CARA Program

Offers: Training that focuses on career development and job readiness begins with classes in professionalism, customer satisfaction, basic computer skills and interviewing competency.

Location: 237 S. Desplaines / 4655 S. King Drive

Contact: 312.798.3309, option 5 and leave a message. Requirements: Be drug-free, Have stable housing for at least 3 months, Have reliable childcare, Be mentally/physically stable, Not have convictions of a violent nature.

Website: <http://www.thecaracollective.org>

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Jane Addams Resource Corp (JARC)

Location: Daytime classes: 4432 N. Ravenswood Ave (2nd Floor), Evening Classes: 231 N. Pine Ave (Door #1)

Contact: Suzanne Till 773-751-7113 suzanne@jane-addams.org

Offers: Free training programs for: CNC Machinist Fast Track (20 weeks), Press Brake Fast Track (10 weeks), Welding Fast Track (14 weeks)

Website: <https://www.jane-addams.org/>

Last Updated: 12/2020

Cooking Up Success- Currently on hold during COVID

Location: Greater Chicago Food Depository 4100 W. Ann Lurie Place

Contact: 773-843-5414

Offers: Free 14-week program for unemployed and underemployed adults living in Cook County that prepares students for productive culinary and hospitality careers in professional kitchen, transportation assistance, employment and life skills classes, serves free breakfast, lunch, and dinner, ServSafe Food Protection Manager certificate, job placement assistance, two-week internship in a professional kitchen

Website: <https://www.chicagosfoodbank.org/chicagos-community-kitchens/>

Last Updated: 12/2020

Chicago Builds

Location: 3000 S. King Drive (Dunbar High School)

Contact: Isaac D. Carter 773-534-0909 idcarter@cps.edu

Population: 11th and 12th Grade CPS Students

Offers: Two Year, off-campus, construction training program for 11th and 12th grade CPS students, training in Carpentry, Electricity, Heating and Cooling (HVAC), Welding, and General Construction, morning and afternoon cohort

Website: www.chicagobuilds.org

Last Update: 12/2020

SGA Workforce Community Employment Program

Contact: Jeremy Simmons 708-466-2030 JSimmons@sqa-youth.org

Offers: CYEP: 3-month "internship" with an employer as close to their house as possible, CYEP pays the youth \$7.50 per hour (so the employer gets free labor), the employer also supports the youth to learn the skills to be a skilled employee, Pairing youth with programs of interest to youth (trade program, GED prep courses, etc), assist in applying for financial aid, provides bus cards

Population: 16-24 years old with less than 1 year work experience, typically still in high school

Opportunity Works Program: Offers same opportunities as CYEP but they have locations in the south suburbs.

Website: <https://www.sqa-youth.org/>

Last Updated: 12/2020

Chicago Women in Trades

Intake: In Person Info sessions are on hold. Please email CKing@cwit.org for information on online info sessions.

Register: <http://chicagowomenintradest2.org/programs-2/register-for-information-session/>

Location: 2444 W. 16th Street, Suite 3E

Contact: 312-942-1444

Technical Opportunities Program: Pre-apprenticeship program preparing women to compete for and succeed in construction apprenticeship programs and other related nontraditional occupations. CWIT offers three sessions of this 12-week, approximately 180-hour course,

Women in Welding Program: provide women with welding instruction, primarily geared toward preparing them for entry level manufacturing jobs. The approximately 13 week, full-time training program provides successful graduates with fork lift driving and OSHA 10 certification as well as American Welding Society credentials

Website: <https://cwit.org/>

Last Updated: 12/2020

Nursing Inspired LLC

Location: 1440 W Taylor St Suite 1615 Chicago, IL 60607

Contact: Fallon Flowers/ info@nursinginspired.com

Offers: Helping young people plan, prepare and pay for nursing school. Coaching and Consultation Calls, Customized educational care plans, Webinars, speaking engagements, podcasts, and social media interviews, Courses and full length 7 week program. Youth groups that are predominantly black and high schools that serve black youth especially in urban areas that seek to programming on career day/workforce development and/or higher education are past and current.

Population: African-American/Black youth ages 14-24 seeking to apply to college and nursing school.

Website: <https://nursinginspired-rx.teachable.com/>

Last Updated: 1/2021

Phalanx Family Services: Roseland Reconnection Hub

Location: 837 W 119th St Chicago, IL 60643

Contact: Pauline Sylvain-Lewis, Director of the Roseland Reconnection Hub, psylvain@phalanxgrpsservices.org

Natasha Vinson, Youth Resource Navigator, nvinson@phalanxgrpservices.org
Offers: Connecting youth who are not working and not in school to education and employment. Also offer wrap around services like mental health, transportation assistance, an emergency fund, childcare & rental assistance.
Population: 16-24 year olds who are not working and not in school
Website: www.phalanxgrpservices.org
Last Updated: 2/2021

R City Community Development Center

Location: 3709 W Grand Ave
Contact: Dr. Y'Shanda Rivera, Director of Strategy, Research, and Partnerships | yshanda.rivera@rcitycdc.org
Offers: After school programs and paid apprenticeships, Employment (training, search, placement), Housing, Drop Ins
Population: Youth programs (K-12), Young Adults (16-24)
Websites: <https://www.rcitycdc.org/>
Last Updated: 9/2023

Civic Leadership Foundation

Contact: Patricia Powell, Program Director | ppowell@civicleadershipfoundation.org | 872-221-6448
Offers: Our programs are designed to prepare young people for the roles and responsibilities of adulthood. To meet that need we design programs using our research-based curriculum, train instructors and provide ongoing support as they implement the program, coordinate guest speakers and special events, and collaborate with our partners to assess the impact of our work.
Population: We partner with middle schools across Chicago, and the country, to impact the lives of our most vulnerable youth.
Website: <https://www.civicleadershipfoundation.org/>
Last Updated: 4/2022

Thrive Chicago

Location: 211 W. Wacker Drive Suite 1000
Contact: Contact through the website
Population: Black and Brown youth ages 11-24, Chicago-wide
Offers: Provides backbone support and professional development for Chicago's youth.
Website: www.thrivechicago.org
Last Updated: 6/2022

Academic Resources and Support

The following programming provides academic assistance and programming for a wide variety of ages.

Arrupe College of Loyola University Chicago

Location: 1 E Pearson St, Chicago, IL 60611
CTA: Red Line (Chicago Stop)
Contact: Isabel Reyes (Associate Director of Admission) 312-915-8912 mreyes15@luc.edu
Ernest Fernandez (LCSW) 312-915-8923 efernandez1@luc.edu Nicole Sumida (LCSW) 312-915-8922 nsumida@luc.edu
Offers: 2 year Associate's Degrees offered in Liberal Arts, Business, and Social Sciences, assistance with funding and scholarships, accept undocumented students, several tutor services, advisors assigned to each student and required to see him/her once per month, access to Loyola University services (i.e. Wellness Center, Fitness Facilities, Libraries, Labs, etc), social workers that help students apply for welfare programs and provide case management.
Online Application: <https://www.luc.edu/arrupe/admission/>
Website: <https://www.luc.edu/arrupe/>
Last Updated: 9/2023

Alternative School Network

Location: (Main Office) 1804 W. Sunnyside Ave
School Locator: <http://www.asnchicago.org/locator>
Contact:
General ASN questions call Matrice Manuel 773-617-3527 mmanuel@asnchicago.org
ASN Prep(GED) Program call Doris Franklin 773-706-2602 dfrankline@asnchicago.org
ASN Job Placement Program Larry Fields 773-342-4243 lfields@asnchicago.org

Offers: staff professional development, pre-employment and job training, counseling and mentoring, youth leadership (Biannual Youth Conference), violence prevention (All-Network Prom, Athletic League, Arts Education/Video Production Project), Support services, advocacy (alternative education, equal education opportunities, youth employment).

Website: <https://www.asnchicago.org/>

Last Updated: 9/2023

Student Outreach and Re-engagement Centers (S.O.A.R.)

Offers: Student Outreach and Re-Engagement (SOAR) links youth ages 15 to 21 and families with the support needed to address the fundamental issues driving lack of engagement in school. The program has four citywide SOAR offices in neighborhoods with the highest concentrations of out-of-school youth.

Main Office:

Garfield Park SOAR Center (Network 14)
3250 W Adams St (Located in Marshall High School)
773-265-0560
Pilsen/Little Village SOAR Center (Network 15)
3948 W. 26th St (2nd Fl inside of Central State SER)
773-542-9030
Englewood SOAR Center (Network 16)
747 W. 63rd Street Office V211(Located at Kennedy King College)
773-703-4639
Roseland SOAR Center (Network 17)
837 W. 119th St (located inside of Phalanx Family Services)
773-291-1086

Contact: Pete Gonzalez 773-329-7086 pggonzalez2@cps.edu

Requirements: Between the ages of 14-21, previously attended a CPS school

Website: <https://www.cps.edu/about/departments/student-outreach-and-re-engagement-centers/>.

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The Sonia Shankman Orthogenic School

Location: 6245 S. Ingleside Ave.

Contact: Carmen Roberts (Director of TLC) 773-420-2859 croberts@oschool.org

Admissions Information: Kristin Friesen (Director of Admissions) kfriesen@oschool.org 773-420-2891

Population: Ages 10-21 years old, See website for common diagnoses

Offers: Therapeutic day school and Transitional Learning Center (TLC) for young adults, typical school day, with supervised after-school homework, social and play periods, specializes in higher-need emotional disorders, in-house psychiatric services, trauma informed care.

Website: <https://www.oschool.org/>

Last Updated: 6/14/22

Aspire Group

Population: Minors and adults

Offers/Focus: Assists clients who want to explore school alternatives because they are interested in further developing a passion and/or are in need of more challenging academic environment. Interviews the client and family to determine academic strengths and weaknesses, social/emotional needs, and extra-curricular interests, researching/recommending the most appropriate educational placement/program, and necessary follow up and tutoring. College consulting, essay coaching, gap year, traditional boarding school, specialty boarding school, summer programs, and post secondary options.

Locations: Deerfield, IL

Contact: 847-945-0913

Website: <http://www.theaspiregroup.com/>

Last Updated: 9/2023

Horizons for Youth

Location: 703 W Monroe St Chicago, IL 60661

Contact: Vanessa Sanchez, Sr Program Manager- Family Services | vanessa@horizons-for-youth.org

Offers: Providing need-based scholarships, comprehensive support programs and educational resources for students of all academic ability levels from kindergarten through the start of their career.

Population: Kindergarten- college age students, must have a permanent address in the City of Chicago, Applicant families must show proof of financial need with income no greater than two times the national poverty level. The parent applying for the program must be the legal guardian and have legal custody of the child/children for whom you are seeking acceptance.

Website: www.horizons-for-youth.org

Last Updated: 2/2022

Christ the King Jesuit Prep

Location: 5088 W Jackson Blvd Chicago, IL 60644

Contact: Erin Malone emalone@ctkjesuit.org

Offers: Academics, academic support, work study, athletics, summer programs, and college counseling

Population: Grades 9-12, serving young men and women from Austin neighborhood and surrounding areas

Website: <https://www.ctkjesuit.org/>

Last Updated: 9/2023

Family and Community Engagement in Education (Chicago Public Schools)

Contact: Joyce Reed-Hubbard, SEL Family & Community Engagement Specialist | jareed4@cps.edu

Offers: Education Support, Connecting families in Chicago Public Schools to resources in their community. Assists schools with improving their family engagement

Population: Chicago Public School families and staff

Website: <https://www.cps.edu/services-and-supports/parent-engagement/family-and-community-engagement-face-managers/>

Last Updated: 2/2022

SGA Youth and Family Services College Retention & Readiness Program

Contact: Johanna Garcia, Retention Specialist | jgarcia2@sga-youth.org

Offers: Mental Health, Education Support | College access and success program supporting students who achieve academic success and helping adults who are looking to register back in college. Also provide participants with mental health counseling services free of cost

Population: Young adults, 16-24

Website: <https://www.sga-youth.org/higher-sights/>

Last Updated: 9/2023

Civic Leadership Foundation

Contact: 773-796-3640 (Main) Patricia Powell, Program Director | ppowell@civicleadershipfoundation.org | 872-221-6448

Offers: Education Support | Programs are designed to prepare young people for the roles and responsibilities of adulthood. TO meet that need we design programs using our research-based curriculum, train instructors, and provide ongoing support as they implement the program, coordinate guest speakers and special events, and collaborate with our partners to assess the impact of our work.

Population: Middle schools across Chicago

Website: <https://www.civicleadershipfoundation.org/>

Last Updated: 9/2023

Family Housing Resources and Supports

Residential programs that support and provide case management to the entire family unit.

Sankofa House “Miracle on 12th Street”

Location: 4041 W. Roosevelt Road (Westside)

457 E. 79th St. (Southside)

CTA: Blue Line - Pulaski Stop (Westside) & Red Line - 79th stop & #79 bus to 79th & Eberhart (Southside)

Contact: (773) 542-9900 (Westside) & 773-874-7233 (Southside)

Population: Grandparents/kinship caregivers raising children and young adults aging out of foster care

Offers: 58-unit supportive housing facility providing housing options for grandparents raising children and young adults.

Provides case management, intergenerational activities, safe and clean housing options, provide supportive services and assist residents in establishing linkages to community resources. Provides trauma informed supportive services, housing, referrals to resources, and trainings that encourage underserved families and communities to be strong, self-sufficient, and remain intact.

Website: <https://sankofasafefchildinitiative.org/>

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Salvation Army Evangeline Booth Lodge

Location: 800 W. Lawrence

CTA: Broadway Stop (Red Line), #146 bus

Intake: 773-433-5710 OR 311, call the front desk to see if there are any openings or call 311 to get a referral to this shelter

Offers: Transitional housing support for families (120 days), private room for the family, grandparents raising children welcome, weekly case management, resources and referrals for employment, education, legal, therapeutic, and health services, some assistance with transportation, laundry, computer lab.

Website: <https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/northcentralillinois/evangeline-booth-lodge/>

Last Updated: 9/2023

H.O.M.E. (Housing Opportunities & Maintenance for the Elderly)

Offers: A home upkeep and repair program to ensure seniors enjoy healthy and safe living conditions; A shopping bus to assist seniors who have limited mobility or live in food deserts with transport to grocery stores where they have access to food, medicine, and home supplies that are essential to their well-being; Three intergenerational affordable houses where seniors choose between individual apartments or, for residents who need some assistance, the Good Life Senior Residences at H.O.M.E.; A moving program offers seniors support and assistance through one of life's most stressful events—moving from one home to another. *Free home interior painting program* *Moving Company for seniors*-

Community Programs

Location: Scattered site OR multiple housing locations

Website: <https://www.homeseniors.org/>

Last Updated: 9/2023

Roseland Christian Ministries: Women and Children's Shelter Ministry

Offers: 12-month shelter for women with children (Infant-13 yrs old - 4 children per mom), For mothers attending school or seeking employment and permanent housing. Families leave in the morning and return by 6pm, families have their own room but share everything else,

Office Location: 10858 S. Michigan Ave

Contact: 773-264-5665

Website: <http://www.roselandchristianministries.org/women-children-s-transitional-housing/>

Last Updated: 9/2023

Housing Forward

Location: 1851 S. 9th Ave, Maywood, IL

CTA Route: Metra UP West to Bellwood or Maywood or Blue or Green Line and then Bus 301

Program Contact Info: Kadima Palles, Outreach & Diversion Manager, kpalles@housingforward.org, Diversion line: 708-397-4423

Population: Folx experiencing homelessness or housing instability

Hours: Diversion line is answered 24/7 and can offer immediate resources or referrals, office hours are Monday through Friday 8am to 5pm

Services offered: Homeless Prevention & stabilization services, Diversion support & case management, Street outreach, 90 day Interim Housing program, hospital referred medical respite and supportive housing programs including VA housing, youth housing, Rapid Rehousing and Permanent Supportive Housing, & Emergency Overnight Shelter

Service Area: western suburban Cook County from Schiller Park (north) to Brookfield (south) and Berkeley (west) to Cicero (east) and includes Oak Park, Forest Park, Berwyn, Maywood, Bellwood, Melrose, Hillside and more.

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La Casa Norte: Permanent Supportive Housing and Rapid Rehousing

Location: 3533 W. North Avenue, Chicago, IL 60647

CTA stop nearby: Bus lines 72 North Avenue and 82 Homan Avenue

Contact: Shannon Jackson, Supportive Housing Program Manager sjackson@lacasanorte.org

Population: Youth 18 – 24 years old

Services offered: Permanent Supportive House = Case management, resources, and supportive services to housed clients & Rapid Rehousing = short-term rental assistance, case management, employment readiness training, & access to healthcare

Website: www.lacasanorte.org

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Home of the Sparrow

Location: 209 W Shamrock Ln, Unit B McHenry, IL 60050

Contact: 815-271-5444 x258 – Lindsay Kellner (Housing Manager)

Population: Single Women, Pregnant Women, and Women with Children experiencing homelessness

Services: Programs include a 3-unit Transitional Apartment Program, a Rapid Rehousing Program, Tenant-Based Rental Assistance, 25 units of Affordable Housing, and six Sparrows' Nest Thrift Stores and Donation Centers and one Community Threads Upscale Resale Store.

Service Area: McHenry County residents

Website: <https://www.hosparrow.org/>

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Domestic Violence Supports

Services addressing needs of domestic violence survivors and offenders

Illinois Domestic Violence Hotline

1-877-863-6338

This hotline is confidential, available 24 hours a day, and can help you no matter what language you speak. You can call or text this hotline number for crisis intervention, safety planning, connection to service.

Anew - building beyond violence & abuse (Previously: South Suburban Family Shelter)

Offers: Specializing in domestic violence services for families. 24 hour hotline. Emergency shelter. Transitional housing. Counseling for victims and children. Court advocacy. Abuser intervention programs. Violence prevention projects. Professional training. English/Spanish services available.

Contact: 708-794-2140

Hotline: 708-335-3028

Website: <https://anewdv.org/>

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Universal Family Connections, Inc: Domestic Violence Victim Assistance

Offers: individual counseling, crisis intervention, case management, support groups, education and community workshops, client advocacy, goal of problem solving for ALL abuse: physical, mental, and emotional.

Location: 1350 W. 103rd Street

Contact: 773-881-1711

Website: <http://universalfamilyconnection.com/>

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Universal Family Connections, Inc: Partner Abuse Intervention Program

Offers: 26 sessions, Program works to reduce violence in the African American community by providing perpetrators and their families with culturally competent and relevant education on violence. To examine the beliefs that men/women who used to justify that behavior, recognize violence, confront violence, behavioral change in batterer

Location: 1350 W. 103rd Street

Contact: 773-881-1711

Website: <http://universalfamilyconnection.com/>

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Mujeres Latina en Accion

Location: 2124 W 21st Place (Pilsen); 4700 S. California (Brighton Park); 7222 W Cermak Road. 509 (West Suburbs)

Contact: 773-890-7676 (Pilsen); 773-890-8620 (Brighton Park); 708-442-1299 (West Suburbs)

24-Hour Domestic Violence Hotline: 312-738-5358

Offers: services most serviced are domestic violence with a 24hr crisis line & sexual violence with crisis intervention and counseling or therapy. They also provide educational training for women in small business (in Spanish), community engagement, and parent support.

Website: <https://mujereslatinassenaccion.org/>

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Medical Resources

Erie Teen Health Center

Location: 2418 W. Division St.

CTA: #70, #49 bus

Contact: Yessenia Feliciano (312) 432-4590

Intake: Front Desk 312-432-4570

Offers: Medicaid covered, comprehensive physicals for youth 11-24 years old, assist young people sign up for medical cards, Teen counseling around reproductive health, Behavioral Health/Counseling, Prescription support and Medication management, Health and Wellness Programs, Teen Health Services, Parking lot available.

Website: <https://www.eriefamilyhealth.org>

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PCC Community Wellness Center

Multiple Locations: <https://www.pccwellness.org/locations>

Contact: 708-383-0113 (first appointment can be set up using this number)

Offers: Pediatric and adolescent care (including wellness child exams, immunizations, lead screening, and school physicals), women's care, maternal/child care, adult and senior care, HIV screening, counseling and treatment, behavioral health services, dental care and referrals, In-patient care at certain locations, birth centers.

Eligibility: Major health plans, Medicaid and Medicare, All Kids and Family Care, sliding fee discount program for patients who do not have insurance (based on income and family size).

Website: <http://www.pccwellness.org/>

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Rush Adolescent Family Center (AFC)

Location: 1645 W. Jackson Blvd, Suite 315-A

CTA: #7 Harrison bus, #126 Jackson bus, Blue Line Illinois Medical Center stop or Pink Line Polk stop (our clinic is located on 3rd floor at Jackson and Paulina, also known as "Westgate")

Contact: Main: 312-942-2777; Fax: 312-942-2822

Offers: Private and confidential sexual/reproductive health services, emergency contraception, prenatal care, long-acting contraception, behavioral health services, psychiatric evaluation, medication management, assistance with Medicaid application process, various testing, care coordination, nurse practitioners and physicians, social workers. Spanish speaking staff available. Walk-in hours are Monday through Friday 8:30am - 9:30am

Population: 12-25 years old, LGBTQIA affirming care

Website: <https://www.rush.edu/about-us/rush-community/office-community-health-equity-and-engagement/school-health-and-adolescents#AFC>

<https://www.rush.edu/about-us/rush-community/covid-19-community-resources>

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Resilience

Location: 180 N Michigan Ave Suite 600, Chicago, IL 60611

Contact: 312-443-9603 – Carolina Sanchez

Offers: Legal, and medical advocacy and trauma therapy for survivors of sexual assault. Resilience has 15 hospital partners that will provide a Resilience advocate on-site.

Website: www.ourresilience.org

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Centers and Supports

Each of the following health clinics focuses on family and internal medicine and accepts Medicaid.

Near North Health Service Corporation Dental Clinic

Locations: North Kostner Health Center - 1520 N. Kostner
Komed Holman Health Center - 4259 S. Berkeley Ave.

Contact: (312) 337-1073 (appointments)

Offers: Affordable dental screenings and exams, x-rays, cleanings, oral hygiene instruction, sealants, fillings, extractions, referrals for oral surgery.

Website: <https://www.nearnorthhealth.org/dental>

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Access Community Health Network

Multiple Locations: <https://www.achn.net/locations/>

Intake: 1-866-267-2353 (same day appointments available)

Offers: Family practice, internal medicine, pediatrics, obstetric/gynecological and midwifery services, school and sports physicals, management of chronic diseases (diabetes, asthma, high BP), behavioral health services, HIV/AIDS testing and counseling, on-site lab tests, on-site language interpretations services, case mgmt, family planning services for free or at low cost, men's support services, assistance applying for insurance services. Medicaid redetermination and enrollment, WIC & SNAP assistance

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Chicago Department of Public Health

Location: 2133 W. Lexington Street, 2nd Floor

Contact: (312) 745-5633

Offers: Extensive and practical health classes, guide of STD screening and treatment management, introductions to clinic throughout the Chicago-based area, etc). Facilitators are available to come into schools and/or programs.

Website: <https://www.chicago.gov/city/en/depts/cdph.html>

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Rush School Based Health Center at Simpson Academy

Offers: School and sport physicals, immunizations, management of chronic health conditions, sexual & reproductive health services, mental health services (brief individual or family therapy), psychiatric evaluation, medication management, care coordination. Spanish speaking staff. We accept uninsured patients and Medicaid insurance. We do not refuse services based on ability to pay. (see also **Simpson Academy for Young Women** and **Adolescent Family Center**)

Location: 1321 S. Paulina Street, Rm 107. Free parking. (Note: clinic located within **Simpson Academy for Young Women**)

CTA: Polk Stop (Pink Line), #9 Ashland Bus

Population: 0-20 years old, LGBTQIA affirming care

Contacts: Kathleen Smith, LCSW (Social Work Manager) Kathleen_smith@rush.edu; Kateri Evans, RN, BSN, MPH (RN Program Coordinator) Kateri_a_evans@rush.edu

Mainline: 773.534.7202

Website: <https://www.rush.edu/about-us/rush-community/office-community-health-equity-and-engagement/community-based-practices#simpson>

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Public Health Institute of Metropolitan Chicago

Location: Scattered Site, Admin Office: 180 N. Michigan Ave, Suite 1200, Chicago IL 60601

Contact: Clare Healy, (312) 629-2988 ext. 126. C.healy@phimc.org; Kelly Hiznay, ext. 116 kelly.kiznay@phimc.org

Offers: Organizational development, system transformation, fiscal management, and program implementation. Initiatives include: community reentry, HIV testing, SUDS/MAT services, LGBTQ+ youth development and advocacy, school health access, food justice/community health, and workforce development. Paid AmeriCorps programs (Contact for programming AND/OR referring applicants)

Website: <https://www.phimc.org/initiatives/>

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Lawndale Christian Health Center

Location: Visit website for multiple locations www.lawndale.org

Mainline: 872-588-3000; 872-588-3100 (outreach & enrollment specialist)

Offers: primary medical card for adults and children; pediatrics, family practice, adult medicine, immunizations, well visits, specialty care and dental, vision, lab, x-ray, and behavioral health. Outreach and enrollment specialist to assist with signing up for Medicaid. Spanish speaking services provided

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Substance Use Treatment Programs

i.e. outpatient, inpatient, intensive outpatient programs

Gateway Foundation: Alcohol and Drug Treatment Centers

Multiple Locations: <http://recoverygateway.org/drug-rehab-centers/>

Contact: Scott Janson 773-241-2152 sejanson@gatewayfoundation.org

Intake helpline: 877-505-4673 *Call this number to determine the best program for the client

Offers: Outpatient and inpatient program options, comprehensive approach (substance abuse education, individual and group counseling, medication to reduce or eliminate cravings and withdrawal symptoms, behavioral therapy, family counseling), aftercare support for alumni.

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Thresholds: Substance Use Treatment

Offers: Outpatient and Intensive Outpatient Services, group therapy, individual therapy, recovery coaching, family and couples counseling, case management, medication assisted treatment. Therapeutic approach: cognitive behavioral therapy, motivational interviewing, dialectical behavioral therapy, acceptance and commitment therapy, harm reduction, relapse prevention therapy, and medication assisted treatment.

Locations: Austin and Blue Island

Contact: 1-888-828-5709

Referrals: If you are making a referral, it is best to download the necessary sheet, either internal or external referral, and send it out to the appropriate contact on the sheet.

Website: www.thresholds.org/substance-use

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Catholic Charities Addiction Counseling & Education Services

Location: 2601 W. Marquette AND 721 N. LaSalle

Contact: (312) 655-7725

Offers: We also offer day and evening anger management classes which meet court requirements, non-DUI court substance abuse evaluations, smoking cessation group and 12 step meetings on Thursdays at 7:30 pm in Marquette Park. DASA licensed provider of Level 1 (outpatient) and 2.1 (intensive outpatient) substance abuse treatment for adults and adolescents (ages 12 and up). We can accept clients without insurance. We provide caring, trauma informed services, utilizing evidence-based practices, in both English and Spanish.

Website: <https://www.catholiccharities.net/GetHelp/OurServices/SubstanceAbuse.aspx>

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Healthcare Alternative Systems, Inc. (HAS)

Offers: continuum of multicultural and bilingual behavioral care and social services that empower individuals, families, and communities. Outpatient and residential programming, medication assistance treatment, postpartum depression program, men's transitional housing program, Accepts private health insurance, Medicaid (including All Kids), and self-pay, Services are offered at a sliding scale fee,

Location: HEADQUARTERS: 4734 W Chicago Ave. Chicago, IL, 60651

North: 2755 W. Armitage Ave., Chicago, IL 60647.

Contact: Headquarters (312) 850-0050

North: (773) 252-3100

Nicole Bertucci: (773) 701-1717 or nbertucci@hascare.org

Website: www.hascare.org (HAS has a significant list of programs, please visit their website to see more detailed descriptions, locations, and contact information).

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Haymarket Center

Location: Center is at 932 W Washington

Detox services: 120 N Sangamon, Other locations exist, ask on phone intake

Contact: (312) 226-7984 ext. 348 for detox center & ext. 480 to make an assessment appointment

Offers: assessments, criminal justice programs, case management, detox services, out/inpatient programs, recovery homes, self-help groups, and other services related to parenting and wellness. Within detox and residential inpatient programs there are a variety of gender separated programs offering various levels and specialties of care. Must do on the phone intake (or general intake) before enrolling.

Website: <http://www.hcenter.org/>

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Above and Beyond: Family Recovery Center

Offers: 12 step meetings, Self-Management and Recovery Trainings, Women for Sobriety, Rational Emotive Behavioral Therapy, Art Therapy, Street Yoga, trauma informed treatment, housing program available, employment programming.

Location: 2942 W. Lake Street

Contact: (773) 940-2960; James Grider - jgrider@anb.today

Website: www.anb.today

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Lake County: Women's Residential Services

Location: 24647 N. Milwaukee Ave, Vernon Hills

Contact: Main Phone: 847-377-7950, Admissions Phone: 847-377-7843, healthBHSWRS@lakecountyil.gov

Eligibility: 18 years or older, Illinois Resident, primary diagnosis of substance use disorder, demonstrate clinical symptoms requiring residential-level treatment, capable of self-care and willing to participate in all treatment, complete a phone and health screening

Offers: Individual and group counseling, relapse prevention, trauma-informed groups, Wellness Recovery Action Planning, Skills Training for Emotional Predictability and Problem Solving, Seeking Safety, Social thinking skills training, nurturing families, bereavement support, anger management, family counseling, children can visit during weekends.

Website: <https://www.lakecountyil.gov/803/Womens-Residential-Services-WRS>

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A Fresh Start: Sober Living Environment

Location: Multiple Locations, <https://www.afreshstartsoberliving.com/fresh-start-locations.html>

Contact: 312-328-8647 (main phone), or intake coordinators 312-238-8647 press 2

Offers: provides recovery patients with a safe, structured and drug-free environment for independent living, assist with the continuity of care recommended by your clinical therapist or health professional, community of peers also seeking assistance with early recovery, who are serious about their sobriety and wish to surround themselves with other like-minded individuals.

Website: <https://www.afreshstartsoberliving.com/>

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Mado Healthcare Residential/Transitional Living Program/Crisis Stabilization Unit

Location: 1550 S. Albany Ave. (Douglass Park)

CTA: Pink Line (Kedzie)

Contact: (773) 277-6868 ext. 131

Population: 18+ with Dual Recovery (mental illness and substance use recovery)

Offers: psychiatric and physical health services, 120+ day program, support around self-medication medication, financial planning, and life skills, community living, individual and group counseling, employment training, crisis unit offered to individuals in psychiatric crisis

Requirements: Start in the recovery and rehabilitation residential program and then graduate to the TLP. Need to complete a Pass Screening through the Department of Aging

Website: <https://madohealthcare.com/locations/douglas-park/>

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The Salvation Army Harbor Light Center

Location: 825 N. Christiana, Chicago, IL. 60651

Contact: (312) 667-2200 (Intake line); (312) 667-2204 (front office)

Offers: The Salvation Army Freedom Center is an intense, inpatient (residential) substance abuse treatment program, as well as outpatient, medication assistance treatment and recovery home. The program - one of the most respected in the country - also provides transitional services and employment training to help clients overcome their addiction and successfully transition back into their communities.

Website: <https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/freedom/harbor-light-center/>

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Legal Assistance

Each clinic below has a specific specialty (i.e. immigration, criminal, trafficking, drug and alcohol charges, etc.

Legal Aid Chicago

Location: See Website for All Locations

Contact: 312-423-5938 phone lines open at 8am - Call to get upcoming walk-in clinic dates or set up an appointment

Offers: Juvenile expungement help desk, bankruptcy, veteran's benefits, survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, or human trafficking, child custody/support, divorce, other civil legal issues, housing/eviction, powers of attorney, workers rights

Website: www.legalaidchicago.org

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Illinois Legal Aid

Location: Support Online, Entire process is filled out online.

Offers: Legal support for divorce, child support/custody, guardianship, eviction, foreclosure, security deposits, bankruptcy, car repossession, debt and collections, small claims, juvenile records, expunging/sealing criminal records, going to court, etc. Support online via "Chat Hours" (Monday – Friday, 9am to 5pm).

Website: www.illinoislegalaid.org

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Cabrini Green Legal Aid

Location: 6 S Clark St. Ste 200 (serving only by appointment, cannot drop-in)

CTA Stop: Monroe blue line, Monroe red line, Washington and Wells (green, orange, pink, brown, purple)

Contact: Better to call intake line at 312-738-2452

Intake line: 312-738-2452

Offers: criminal records relief, public housing (CHA, HUD, vouchers) when denied/evicted for criminal background/accusations, criminal defense for people with open cases, and family law for people with a criminal background nexus (like trying to get your kids back after being released from incarceration)

Requirements: involvement with the criminal justice system

Website: www.cgla.net

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Cook County Office of the Public Defender

Location: 2245 W. Ogden Ave. 7th Floor

Contacts: Jeannene Frazier, Caseworker III | Jeannene.frazier@cookcountyil.gov; Taofik Hassan, Education Attorney | taofik.hassan@cookcountyil.gov; Amber Miller, Attorney Supervisor | amber.miller@cookcountyil.gov; 312-433-7046 or 7047

Offers: Provides support services for the juveniles serviced by the Assistant Public Defenders. This is including but not limited to housing, educational, and mentoring services.

Population: Juveniles in the justice system

Referral Process: Referrals are made by Assistant Public Defenders

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Children and Family Justice Center, Bluhm Legal Clinic, Northwestern Pritzker School of Law

Location: 375 E. Chicago, IL 60611

Contact: 312-503-8576 (main clinic number)

Offers: Legal defense of youth and young adults, expungement and sealing, removal from juvenile sex offender registry, and immigration removal proceedings

Population: Justice involved Youth; Immigration

Intake Process: Please call office to determine if we are taking new cases. Law students work on all cases under the supervision of an attorney.

Website: <https://www.law.northwestern.edu/legalclinic/cfjc/>

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New Leaf Illinois

Contact: Contact through their website or register over phone (855) 963-9532

Offers: a statewide, state-funded initiative made up of 20 non-profit organizations throughout Illinois who provide free legal representation or legal information to people who want their cannabis convictions off their record.

Website: <https://newleafillinois.org/s>

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Resilience

Location: 180 N Michigan Ave, Chicago, IL 60611

Contact: 312-443-9603

Offers: Legal, and medical advocacy and trauma therapy for survivors of sexual assault.

Website: www.ourresilience.org

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Benefits Enrollment Resources

Please note that all of the Drop-In centers (Page 9) can also support youth/clients with benefits enrollment. The below resources have a particular focus or specialty with benefit support.

El Valor: Building Communities of Excellence and Inclusion

Location & Contact:

- Main Office/Adult Services: 1850 W. 21st Street, 312-666-4511
- Guadalupe Reyes Children and Family Center: 1951 W. 19th Street, 312-997-2021
- Rey Gonzalez Children and Family Center: 3050 E. 92nd Street, 773-721-9311
- El Valor & ComEd Inclusion Center: 1924 W. 21st Street, 312-997-2030
- Carlos H. Cantu Children and Family Center: 4305 W. 24th Place, 773-242-2700
- Cicero Children & Family Center: 5310 W 24th Place, Cicero, IL 60804; 773-242-2710

Offers: All services in Spanish and English, supporting families through family support groups, parenting classes, health screenings, financial classes, etc. Supporting people with disabilities: vocational evaluation and assessment, development training, supported employment, competitive employment, community residential services, acquired brain injury case management services, home-base case management, respite care, people first (self-advocacy), assistance with state and federal disability welfare applications.

Website: <https://elvalor.org/>

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Erie Teen Health Center

Location: 2418 W. Division Street

CTA: #70, #49 bus

Contact: Yessenia Feliciano (312) 432-4590

Intake: Front Desk 312-432-4570

Offers: Medicaid covered, comprehensive physicals for youth 11-24 years old, assist young people sign up for and navigate medical insurance (also able to look up medical card ID numbers if they are missing their medical cards), Teen counseling around reproductive health, Behavioral Health/Counseling, Prescription support and Medication management, Health and Wellness Programs, Teen Health Services, Parking lot available.

Required: Photo ID

Website: <https://www.eriefamilyhealth.org/>

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Community and Residential Services Authority

Purpose: We are responsible for addressing barriers facing parents, professionals and providers when trying to get needed services for youth with a behavior disorder or severe emotional disturbance.

Offers: Provide technical assistance to parents, service consumers, providers and member agency personnel to appropriately access needed services, IEP consultation, SSI/SSDI navigation

Population: 21 years of age or under, shows evidence of being emotionally or behaviorally disordered

Location: 100 N. First Street, W-101, Springfield IL 62777

Contact: Robert Watts 312-550-0096 or 217-782-2438

Website: <https://crsa.illinois.gov/>

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ABE: Application for Benefits Eligibility

Offers: Website that allows applicants to check on the status of their benefits applications. Check the status of an application, renew benefits, Report changes – income, household members, expenses or new address, Upload documents, View notices, View and reschedule upcoming appointments, File and manage appeals

Contact: Visit <http://www.dhs.state.il.us/ABE> or email ABE.Questions@Illinois.gov

Website: <http://ABE.Illinois.gov>

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Extra Miscellaneous Supports

The following programs did not fall into a specific category of support

Humble Design Chicago

Location: 431 W. Pershing Rd

Contact: Lauren Farias, infochi@humbledesign.org, 773.285.2800

Offers: We change lives and communities by custom designing and fully furnishing home interiors for individuals, families and veterans emerging from homelessness. Using gently donated items from the community, we turn four bare walls into clean, dignified and welcoming homes for our client-families. It's a very simple idea that can change a family's future!

Website: <https://www.humbledesign.org/chicago>

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Chicago Furniture Bank

Location: 4801 S Whipple St

Contact: (312) 752-0211 ext. 2 and appointments@chicagofurniturebank.org

Requirements: In order to receive furniture, a family/individual must be referred by a partner organization. Any organization can apply to become a partner. Before making a referral the agency representative making the referral must review the Case Workers' Guide to the Chicago Furniture Bank for policies and scheduling details.

Offers: collects donations of gently used furniture and household goods and distributes them to families and individuals transitioning into stable housing. Provides for families of all sizes. See Checklist on the website with details of provided furniture for each family size. Furniture offered: mattress, bed frame, kitchen table, chairs, sofa, arm chair, bedside table, dresser, mirror, artwork, lamps, kitchenware sets. **To accommodate for Covid-19, the Chicago Furniture Bank is offering both in-person appointments and Virtual appointments.** Virtual appointments do not require the agency representative to be present.

Website: <https://www.chicagofurniturebank.org/>

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Ladder Up

Location: See Website for Multiple Location, virtual assistance (Main Location: 350 N. Orleans, Suite C2-100)

Contact: 312-409-1555

Tax Assistance Program (TAP): tax return preparation for the current tax year and prior years, federal and state tax return amendments, customized credit reports, access to prepaid debit cards and savings options. Look up the E-File Requirements before attending.

Project Money: Free 6-week program that provides members with a personal Financial Coach and education course.

Life-Improving Financial Tools (LIFT) Program: FAFSA Completion, connection to scholarship resources, financial coaching, reviewing credit reports, re-building credit history, creating and maintaining a household budget, opening a checking, savings, or retirement account, preventing identity theft and avoiding consumer traps, devising savings strategies.

Website: <https://www.goladderup.org/>

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Food Resources/Pantries

If you need emergency food, please review the resources below. Before visiting any pantry, call ahead and find out the service boundary. If you do not find a pantry close to your area on this sheet, please refer to the Greater Chicago Food Depository (<https://www.chicagosfoodbank.org/find-food/#find-food>)

New Seed Pantry

Location: 4716 N Malden St, Chicago, IL 60640

Contact: Jenny White & Jon-Paul Grosser, (312) 569-9917

Hours: Saturday 9:00am-11:00am

Offers: pantry and soup kitchen and clothing

Website: <https://www.chicagosfoodbank.org/locations/new-seed-pantry/>

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Mary, Mother of God Parish (St. Thomas of Canterbury Church)

Location: 4827 N Kenmore Ave, Chicago, IL 60640

Contact: Nancy Martinez-Rey, (773) 878-5507 & John Ceisel, (773) 234-3867

Hours: Pantry HOURS: Monday & Thursdays 9:00am-11:30am

Soup Kitchen HOURS: Tuesday & Friday: 5:30pm - 6:30pm

Clothing Room: Thursdays 9:30am-12pm (Call ahead)

Offers: Soup Kitchen, Pantry, Donated Clothes for men, women, and Children

Website: <https://www.motherofgodchicago.org/soup-kitchen--food-pantry.html>

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Ravenswood Community Services

Contact: 773-769-0282

Hours: Pantry HOURS: Tuesdays, 5:30pm-7:30pm

Location for pantry: 4550 N. Hermitage Ave., Chicago, IL, 60640

Community Kitchen HOURS: Tuesdays: 5:30-7:30pm (hot ready to-go meals); 6-7:30pm (dining hall opens to eat)

Location for soup kitchen: 1757 W. Wilson Ave

Weekend Pantry HOURS: Monthly, every second Saturday @ 9am (while supplies last)

Location for mobile pantry: Ravenswood School front lawn, corner of Montrose and Paulina

Offers: soup kitchen, pantry, and mobile pantry

Website: <https://ravenswoodcommunityservices.org/>

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Nourishing Hope (Lakeview Pantry)

Location: 3945 N. Sheridan, Chicago, IL 60613 (Sheridan Location)

3533 W. North Ave. 1st Fl, Chicago, IL 60647 (El Mercadito)

Contact: Greg Nergaard, (773) 525-1777; Omar Roman (Pantry Coordinator @ El Mercadito) (773) 525-1777 ext245

Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, & Saturday: 11am – 3pm; Tuesday & Thursday 4pm – 7pm

Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday: 11am – 3pm; Social Service Drop-in: Tuesday 11am – 2pm

Offers: Pantry, Mental Health Services, & Social Services @ Sheridan

Pantry & Social services @ El Mercadito

Website: <https://www.nourishinghopechi.org/>

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Common pantry

Location: 3908 N Lincoln Ave, Chicago, IL 60613

Contact: Abby Greaney, (773) 327-0553

Hours: Pantry: Tuesday: 4:00pm–6:00pm Wednesday: 1:00pm-4:00pm; 6:00pm - 8:00pm; Thursday: 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Produce Mobile HOURS: 3rd Monday: 10am- 12pm

Offers: mobile pantry, pantry, soup

Website: <http://www.commonpantry.org/>

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Cornerstone Community Outreach

Location: 4626 N Clifton Ave, Chicago, IL 60640

Contact: Chris Ramsey, (773) 271-8163 x25

Hours: Pantry HOURS: Wednesday: 10 am - 11:30 am

Shelter HOURS: Daily: B: 7:30 am - 8:30 am, L: 12:00 pm -1:00 pm, D: 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Soup Kitchen HOURS: Saturday: 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Offers: pantry, shelter, soup kitchen

Website: <https://www.ccolife.org/>

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St. Mary of the Lake Community Center

Location: 4220 N Sheridan Rd

Contact: mgarcia@saintmarys.org (773) 280-7700

Hours: Third Saturday of the month 11am – 12pm

Offers: pantry – Food order must be placed by midnight the Thursday of the week of distribution.

Website: <https://www.saintmarys.org/foodforall.html> (link has QR codes and more descriptions for ordering/registration)

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Care for Real

Location: 5339 N Sheridan Rd, Chicago, IL 60640 (Edgewater)

1545 W Morse Ave, Chicago, IL 60626 (Rogers Park)

Contact: Dzana Huseni, (773) 769-6182

Hours: Edgewater: Monday: 4pm-7pm, Wednesday: 9am-12pm, & Saturday: 9am-1pm

Rogers Park: Tuesday: 12pm-2pm & Thursday: 4pm-6pm

Offers: pantry – Need to be a resident of one of the following zip codes: 60640, 60626, 60660, 60659, & 60645

Website: www.careforreal.org

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Irving Park Food Pantry

Location: 4256 N. Ridgeway Avenue, Chicago IL 60641

Contact: Fern Hacker, (773) 685-7676 x4

Hours: Wednesdays 9am-12pm, 2nd Tuesday of every month 6pm-7:30pm

Population: 60641 and 60618 residents

Offers: pantry

Website: <https://www.irvingparkfoodpantry.org/>

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San Lucas U.C.C

Location: 1439 N Sacramento

Contact: Rosita Porrata, (773) 294-8339; nporrata45@gmail.com [(773) 227-5747] – Church office

Hours: Community Meal: Tuesdays 11:30am-1:00pm

Produce Mobile: Every 3rd Monday 10:00am – 11:00am

Offers: Hot meal program

Website: <https://www.sanlucasuccchicago.org/>

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McCormick Tribune - YMCA

Location: 1834 N Lawndale Ave, Chicago, IL 60647

Contact: (773) 235-2525

Hours: Every 1st Tuesday: 10am – 12pm (first come, first serve)

Offers: mobile produce pantry

Website: <https://www.ymcachicago.org/mccormick/>

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A Just Harvest

Location: 7649 N Paulina St, Chicago, IL 60626

Contact: David Crawford, (773) 262-2297/ david@ajustharvest.org

Hours: Community Meals To-Go: Sunday-Saturday (everyday) 12pm-2pm

Pantry HOURS: Wednesday 3pm-5pm

Produce pickup: 3rd Monday of the month from 10am – 12pm & 2pm – 3pm

Offers: soup kitchen and mobile produce; grocery delivery for 60+ and differently-abled people

Website: <https://ajustharvest.org/get-food/>

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Howard & Evanston Community Center

Location: 7648 N Paulina St, Chicago, IL 60626

Contact: Marta Chajon, (773) 262-6622 x271

Hours: First come, first serve: Mondays 2pm – 4pm & Wednesdays 10am – 12pm (client choice style, meaning client gets to select what foods they would like to take home)

Offers: pantry & diaper distribution (sizes 1-6; need medical card or proof you have a child, e.g. birth certificate)

Depending on week they also distribute laundry detergent, body wash, shampoo, hand soap, etc.

Website: <https://howardevanston.org/>

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St. Sabina Food Pantry

Location: 1120 W. 79th St. Chicago, IL, 60620

Contact: (773)-846-3018

Hours: Food Distribution: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:30am – 11:30am and 1:30pm – 3:00pm & Wednesday 9:30am – 11:30 am & 1:30pm – 4:45pm

Clothing, Household Goods Distribution: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:30am-12:30pm, 1:30-3:00pm & Wednesday 9:30am – 12:30pm (Family) & 1:30pm – 2:00pm (single – shorter shopping time)

Offers: pantry, item distribution

Website: <https://saintsabina.org/outreach/st-sabina-catholic-charities-social-services.html>

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Polish American Association

Location: 4808 W Berenice Ave., Chicago, IL 60641

Contact: Dorota Lewandowska, (773) 282-8206 x326

Hours: Tuesday's 10:00 am - 2:00 pm; Emergency: Monday thru Thursday: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Offers: pantry

Website: <https://www.polish.org/en/programs/supportive-services/food-pantry>

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The Salvation Army Harbor Light Center

Location: 825 N. Christiana, Chicago, IL. 60651

Contact: (312) 667-2340 – Jennifer Clanton

The Salvation Army Freedom Center hosts a food pantry for neighbors in the 60622, 60624, and 60651 zip codes. Families are invited to come shop our pantry for a grocery order once a month. We provide a nutritious variety of foods based on the choices of each family. Pantry Hours are Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays - 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. and Tuesdays/Thursdays 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (noon).

Website: <http://www.SAFreedomcenter.org>

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Databases for Searching Resources

Below are available databases for finding resources with some of the above resources and much more!

SPIDER

Website: <https://spider.dcf.illinois.gov/>

Description: The Service Provider Identification & Exploration Resource (SPIDER) application and its predecessor, the Statewide Provider Database (SPD), is a collaborative effort sponsored by the IL Department of Children & Family Services, with data maintenance and user support provided by the Northwestern University/Hospital Feinberg School of Medicine, technology resources provided by the IL Department of Innovation and Technology, and information provided by countless child and family welfare service providers across the state of Illinois. Since 2002, this resource continues to be a key resource for the Department, human service provider staff, other state agencies, city and county human services personnel, non-profit service organizations, and a variety of behavioral health and insurance organizations. Collaboration between these organizations, the SPIDER Team, and technical/IT support has been a key factor in keeping this resource operational, accurate, and useful to our users.

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Felony Record Hub

Website: <https://www.felonyrecordhub.com/>

Description: The list of companies that hire felons we have created has been developed after hours of scouring the internet to create the most accurate and comprehensive list available. We have partnered with the leading job search engine and company information database in the world to give you the following information about each company: Job Listings specific to the company, Company Approval Rating, Employee, Satisfaction Rating, Culture and Values Rating, Senior Leadership Rating, Compensation and Benefit Rating, Career Advancement Opportunity Rating, Work/Life Balance Rating. We also provide assistance and guidance in other areas such as housing, legal, know your rights, programs, and communities.

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