



General Resources & Services

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MOST FREQUENTLY USED RESOURCES:

- [Addison Township](#) 630-530-8161 serves Elmhurst residents north of North Ave. Food Pantry and limited financial assistance (must be income eligible).
- [CAP \(Christians Against Poverty\)](#) 888-777-4620 debt advice, budgeting, financial health counseling.
- [Catholic Charities](#) 630-495-8008 Provides rental, food, transportation, medication, clothing assistance to those with demonstrated need. A Coordinated Entry System site to help homeless get into housing.
- [DuPage County Information and Resources](#) dial 211 for health and social services resources. 211 is a three-digit telephone number that is available 24/7 and 365 days per year.
- [Elmhurst Walk-In Assistance Network](#) 630-782-6006, St Peter's Church of Christ, 125 W. Church St, Elmhurst. Assists Elmhurst residents, school families, and participating church members with car repair, food, clothing voucher, household goods voucher, medical, rent, transportation, and utility bill assistance.
- [Elmhurst/Yorkfield Food Pantry](#) 630-782-1066, 1085 S. York Rd. Serves Addison, Bensenville, Lombard, Oak Brook, Villa Park, Hillside & Berkley residents. Open Monday 6:30-8pm, Thursday 1-4pm and 6:30-8pm, and Saturday 9:30am -12:30pm.
- [Hands and Feet Outreach](#) 630-832-5580, St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 537 S. Ardmore, Villa Park. Open 1st Sunday of month 2-4PM. Household goods, toiletries and shoes. DuPage residents must show ID.
- [LIHEAP](#) (Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program) 1-800-942-9412, utility bill assistance (primarily heating). Reconnection Assistance. Apply at York Township or Addison Township.
- [LOVE Christian Clearing House](#) 630-512-8665. Provides rental, car repair, and utilities assistance. Clients must have income. To start, call and leave a message.
- [Outreach House](#) 630-693-0185, 805 S. Main, Lombard. Assist with food, clothes, infant needs, utility bills (shut off notice required). Residents of York Township, Glendale Heights and Addison are eligible.
- [People's Resource Center](#) 630-682-5402, 201 S. Naperville Rd., Wheaton and 104 Chestnut Ave Westmont, food pantry, rental assistance, computer training, etc.
- [York Township](#) 630-620-2400 Serves Elmhurst residents south of North Avenue. Emergency Assistance with food, rent, utilities, and medications to qualified residents. LIHEAP applications are taken.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:

- [Access DuPage](#) 630-510-8720 free medical and psychological services
- [All Kids](#) 630-682-7979 ext. 7676 health insurance for kids, despite immigration status or health condition
- [Bridge Communities](#) 630-545-0610 transitional housing for homeless families
- [CHAD \(Community Housing Authority DuPage\)](#) 630-456-4452, Wheaton. Helps find affordable housing
- [Clothes Closet at Cityview Community Church](#) 343 S York St, Elmhurst. Open 1st Sat of month 10AM-12N.
- [Clothing Center at 1st Methodist Church](#) 630-834-2440, 232 S York St, Elmhurst. 1st and 2nd Thursday and 3rd Saturday of each month 9-11AM. All items are free and there are no residency requirements.

- [DuPage County Health Dept](#) 630-682-7400 Medical and dental. Crisis Hotline 630-627-1700 is available 24/7 and 365 days per year for residents with a mental health emergency.
- [DuPage Housing Authority](#) (Section 8) 630-690-3555 subsidized housing.
- [DuPage Legal Aid](#) 630-653-6212 legal representation to lower income residents of DuPage, M-F 9-2 PM.
- [DuPagePads](#) 630-690-3846, Emergency nightly shelters and day site in Wheaton.
- [DuPage Senior Citizens Council](#) 630-620-0804 (Meals on Wheels, home help for seniors).
- [Family Shelter Service of Metropolitan Family Services DuPage](#) 630-469-5650 (24 hour number) 605 East Roosevelt Rd, Wheaton. Domestic violence services, counseling, shelter, and help with order of protection.
- [Goodwill Workforce](#) 630-576-4660 351 E. Roosevelt Rd. Lombard. Offers job search assistance, job development, computer and internet access and telephone, fax, and email access.
- [HOME DuPage](#) 630-260-2500, 1600 E. Roosevelt Rd. Wheaton. Foreclosure prevention, consumer credit counseling, buying homes on low income, loan modification.
- [Hope House](#) Catholic Charities 630-941-8681 (24-hour hotline), Villa Park. Provides temporary shelter for individuals and families who are homeless. Housing Related Coordinated Entry.
- [Illinois Department of Human Services](#) 630-530-1120, 146 W. Roosevelt, Villa Park. Processes applications for the state funded medical, food, and cash assistance programs (Food Stamps/SNAP, TANF, Medicaid).
- [Illinois Legal Aid](#) 630-653-6212 free legal forms and information on issues like family, housing, debt, work.
- [Literacy DuPage](#) 630-488-4111 Adult Literacy Program, English as a Second Language (ESL).
- [Loaves and Fishes](#) 630-355-3663, 1871 High Grove Lane, Naperville. General assistance, nutrition education, holiday meals, food pantry, job search assistance, legal services. Income eligibility applies.
- [Metropolitan Family Services - DuPage County](#) 630-784-4800 Wheaton, Early learning, afterschool and job readiness programs, counseling, mental health services and legal assistance.
- [Northeast DuPage Family & Youth Services](#) 630-693-7934 counseling, mental health and general referrals for Addison, Elmhurst and Bensenville.
- [Poised for Success](#) 630-691-1455 Provides free work appropriate women's clothing, referral needed.
- [Prairie State Legal Services](#) 630-690-2130 West Chicago, IL. Free legal services. M-F 8:30AM-5PM
- [Rehabilitation Services](#) 630-495-0500 Physical disabilities only. Vocational rehab and in home care services
- [Salvation Army](#) 630-629-4948, 1 S 415 Summit Ave, Villa Park. Rent, food, gas & water bill assistance.
- [Serenity House](#) 630-620-6616, Addison IL. Alcohol & drug addiction treatment - outpatient, halfway house
- [Sharing Connections Furniture Bank](#) 630-971-0565, 511 Chase Ave, Downers Grove. Used furniture and household items available at a small fee.
- [Sister Helping Each Other - Single Mothers Support Group](#) 630-600-5027, 149 Brush Hill Rd, Elmhurst. Meets on 2nd Sunday of the month from 12:15-2:30 pm. Childcare and luncheon is provided. No cost.
- St. Vincent DePaul Society at Mary Queen of Heaven Church in Elmhurst 630-279-5700
- [Veterans Assistance Commission-DuPage](#) - 630-407-5655, 421 N County Farm Rd, Wheaton provide emergency financial assistance to low-income veterans and their families
- [WIC \(Women, Infant & Children\)](#) 630-682-7400, nutrition counseling and coupons for food, formula
- [Worknet DuPage Career Center](#) 630-955-2030, 2525 Cabot Dr. Suite 302, Lisle. Job Assistance, Job Training Expense Assistance, Youth Employment Programs 8-4:30 M-F. Free job search workshops.
- [YWCA \(applications for IDHS Child Care Assistance Program\)](#) 630-790-6600, 2055 Army Trail Rd, Addison. Takes CCAP applications that will help income-eligible parents pay for child care. Sexual Assault Counseling, Economic Self Sufficiency Programs.