# **HOMELESS ASSISTANCE**

### **HOMELESS ADULTS**

<u>HOUSING</u> – REFER CLIENTS TO THE LEWIS CENTER: 2808 N. AUSTRALIAN AVE. WEST PALM BEACH, 561-904-7900. PLEASE TELL YOUR CLIENT THAT THE LEWIS CENTER MAY TAKE A DAY OR TWO TO CALL THEM BACK DEPENDING ON CALL VOLUME. IN ADDITION, MAKE SURE THEY ANSWER WHEN THE LEWIS CENTER CALLS OR THEY MAY BE PUT AT THE END OF THE LIST.

THE LEWIS CENTER IS THE INTAKE FOR ALL HOMELESS IN PALM BEACH COUNTY. THERE ARE MANY REASONS THEY MUST START AT THE LEWIS CENTER. IF A PERSON HAS MEDICAL ISSUES THE LEWIS CENTER WILL REFER THEM FOR MEDICAL CARE. THE LEWIS CENTER HAS SERVICES BROKEN DOWN INTO FAMILIES, SINGLE ADULTS, AND SPECIAL NEEDS. JUST FOR YOUR INFO.

PLEASE SEE ADDITIONAL SERVICES BELOW THAT MAY ASSIST WITH PLACEMENT:

- The Salvation Army- Boca -561-391-1344 ext. 26302- Lake Worth -561-968-8189 ext. 26322. Salvation Army Transition of Hope- 1577 North Military Trail, WPB -561-682-1118
- Spanish River Church- 561-994-5000
- St. Vincent De Paul 561-272-7580
- **St. Vincent De Paul** Boynton-561-906-7117
- Palm Beach County Homeless Coalition- 810 Datura Street, WPB. 561-355-4663
- The Urban League of Palm Beach County 561-265-3318
- Master Families Housing Delray Beach 561-584-1947
- Place of Hope Services for Homeless and unaccompanied youth.
   9078 Isaiah Lane, Palm Beach Gardens 561-775-7195
- Valley of Love Ministries 1901 Broadway, Riveria Beach 561-502-8757 – Emergency Housing for single individuals and families. Food Pantry, food and clothing distribution.
- Homeless Coalition of Palm Beach County 561-355-4663
- Homeless Hotline- 561-514-5401
- Red Cross 561-994-2060
- **Broward County** 954-563-4357
- Dade County (Miami Area) 305-960-4980 and Camilla's House Miami 305-374-1065. Liberty City Community Service Center. 2500 NW 62<sup>nd</sup> St. Miami – 305-349-9982 Mon.-Fri. 8-5

## **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

- Aid to Victims of Domestic Violence-ADVA-800-355-8547. Delray Beach-561 -265-3797 and Boca Raton 561-361-1950
- YMCA of Palm Beach County 1016 N. Dixie Highway WPB 561-640-0050

#### **ELDERLY**:

- Community Care for the Elderly 800-963-5337
- Area Agency on Aging of Palm Beach 4400 N. Congress West Palm Beach. 561-684-5885
- **Catholic Charities** 561-345-2000
- **Delray Elder Hot Line** 561-243-7873
- **Elder Help Line** 561-930-7873

## PEOPLE WITH MENTAL ISSUES/HEALTH ISSUES/ SPECIAL NEEDS

- **Seagull Industries for the Disabled, Inc.** 3879 Byron Drive WPB-561-842-5814
- Sickle Cell Foundation of Palm Beach 1600 N. Australia Ave. WPB 561-833-3113
- Coalition for Independent Living Options 6800 Forest Hills Blvd. WPB 561- 966-4288

## **HOMELESS WITH CHILDREN**

- Adopt a Family Homeless with Children. Income challenge, at risk for becoming homeless. 561-253-1361
- Children's Home Society –4730 Maine Street- Lake Worth- 561-649-9600. 100 Blue Heron Blvd. West Palm Beach 561-844-9708 -
- Children's Place at Home Safe Provides homes for children of abuse, HIV, Neglected, Drug Exposed and abandoned. 2309 Ponce de Leon Ave. WPB- 561-832-6185
- Child Net- 1500 Gateway Blvd. B.B.- 561-532-2501
- Vita Nova Housing 1316 Alpha St. WPB 561-835-6670
- Family Promise- 840 George Bush Blvd. D.B.- 561-265-3370 and 1003 Allendale Road WPB- 561-318-8864
- Redlands Christian Migrant Organization 16101 Half Mile Rd. D.B. 561-637-1110
- Single Mothers Housing www.coabode.org

- Healthy Mothers/Healthy Babies- 1352 S. Congress B.B. 561-810-5496. Lake Worth 561-575-6908- Baby accessories, etc.
- Florence Fuller Center- 200 N.E. 14<sup>th</sup> St.- Boca Raton 561-391-7274 Daycare assistance, education assistance, job counseling, and many family services.

#### **IMMIGRATION:**

- Our Lady Queen of Peace- 9600 W. Atlantic Ave. Delray Beach 561-499-6234.
- Catholic Charities St. Francis Center 100 W. 20<sup>th</sup> St. Riviera Beach 561-345-2000.

#### **MEDICAL**:

- Our Lady Queen of Peace 9600 W. Atlantic Ave. D.B. 561-499-6234
- Caridad Center 8645 W. Boynton Beach Blvd. 561-737-6336.
- **FAU Internal Medicine** 670 Glades Rd. Boca Raton 561-955-2570-Most service free. Some prescriptions free. Doctors and Specialists
- Genesis Community Health Center This is free for the homeless. 2815 S. Seacrest Blvd. Boynton Beach. 561-735-6553. M-W-F 8:30 a.m. -9:00 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Saturday 10:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

## **BABIES, WOMAN AND CHILDREN ASSISTANCE:**

- **Center for Family Services Prenatal Plus** 561-616-1222. This is an inhome service, but they do give guidance and other services.
- **Children's Services Council** 2300 High Ridge Rd. Boynton Beach. 561-740-7000 and 888-634-7900 Support, Counseling.
- Healthy Mothers/Healthy Babies 1352 S. Congress B.B. 561-810-5496.
   Lake Worth 561-575-6908- Baby Accessories, etc.

#### **BUS PASSES AND OTHER TRANSPORATION:**

• **Caring Kitchen** – 30-day bus passes – 561-278-0918

### **CLOTHING:**

- Caridad- The Caridad center has an area to get clothing. 8645 W. Boynton Beach Blvd. 561-737-6336.
- Wash and Read George Bush Blvd. Call Delray Beach City Library for date and times.

## **COUNSELING AND MEDICAL:**

- Caridad Center- 8645 W. Boynton Beach Blvd. 561-737-6336
- South County Mental Health 561-495-0522 (Crisis Mental Health)
  NOTE: IF SOMEONE CALLS YOU SAYING THEY ARE GETTING RELEASED
  FROM SOUTH COUNTY WITH NO HELP; ASK THEM TO SPEAK WITH THEIR
  SOCIAL WORKER. SOUTH COUNTY DOES NOT RELEASE WITHOUT TALKING
  TO THE PATIENT ABOUT WHERE THEY ARE GOING, ETC. SOME PATIENTS
  DO NOT LIKE WHAT THE SOCIAL WORKER IS TELLING THEM SO WILL SEEK
  SOMEONE WHO WILL GIVE THEM WHAT THEY REALLY WANT. TAKE
  CAUTION; TELL THEM TO SPEAK WITH THE SOCIAL WORKER.

FOOD:

## **DELRAY**

- Caring Kitchen Meals 11am-1 pm- Monday, Wednesday, Thursday at the Delray Beach Library parking lot. Tuesday and Friday at St. Matthews Episcopal Church in conjunction with the shower truck. Showers are Tuesday and Friday.
- Community Food Pantry 141 SW 12<sup>th</sup> Ave. D.B. 561-243-7634
- Cason United Methodist Church 342 N. Swinton Ave. D.B. Give bag lunches for weekends. These lunches can be picked up on Saturday morning from 9:00 a.m. until 9:40 a.m. It is in their South parking lot.
- **Jewish Family Services** Food Pantry 430 S. Congress D.B. 561-852-3369. Must call and get approved prior.
- **Bethel Evangelical Baptist Church** 5780 W. Atlantic Ave. D.B. 561-395-8920 ext. 293. Lunch served M-F at 11:30 a.m. Must be 60 years old with a spouse 60 years old. Disabled people under 60 who reside with and accompanies the older client, and volunteers assisting the clients.
- Give a copy of food pantries on your food pantry listing.

## **BOYNTON BEACH**

- Community Caring Center- Client Services M, W, F 9 a.m. 1 p.m. Food Stamps, and Homeless Outreach – 145 N.E. 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. B.B. – Serve Lunch on Tuesdays at 11 a.m.
- **Economic Development Program** 410 E. Boynton Beach Blvd. B.B. Home delivered meals. Senior Vegetable Program 561-752-8598
- Caridad Center 8645 W. Boynton Beach Blvd. B.B. 561-737-6336
- **Boynton Soup Kitchen** 8645 Boynton Beach Blvd. 561-732-7595. 9-noon. Monday-Saturday also a food pantry on site.
- **Rise and Shine** 561-243-1667 \$30.00 meat and produce.

#### **BOCA RATON**

- **Boca Helping Hands** Lunch 11-12:30 Mon.-Sat. 561-417-0913- Register for grocery bag: Mon-Fri.- 9 am.-12:30 p.m. Grocery pickup 2-4 p.m.
- **First United Methodist Church** 625 N.E. Mizner Blvd. Boca Raton, in the Gathering Place, the middle building- Showers/Lunch 11:30-1:30 Sunday.
- St. Gregory's Episcopal Church 100 N.E. Mizner Blvd. 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Each Month- Dinner 5:00 p.m. Eucharist Service 6:00 p.m.
- **Ebenezer Missionary Baptist Church-** Thursday dinner service 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. 200 N.E. 12<sup>th</sup> St. Behind the Fire Station at Glades and Federal.

•

## **WEST PALM**

- St. Ann's Place 2107 Dixie Highway, West Palm Beach 561-805-7708-Hours: Breakfast 8-9 a.m. Lunch 10-11:30 a.m.
- **Divine Church of God Prophecy** 2845 N Military Trail, Suite 17, West Palm Beach 561-502-9226
  - Hours: Friday 1-2 p.m. Services: Food distribution
- Valley of Love Ministries 1901 Broadway, Riveria Beach 561-502-8757 Emergency Housing for single individuals and families. Food Pantry, food and clothing distribution.

### **HAITIAN ASSISTANCE:**

• Our Lady of Perpetual Help – 510 SW 8<sup>th</sup> Ave. D. B. 561-276-4880. Father Roland

#### **HOMELESS JOB TRAINING:**

- The Lords Place 561-494-0125 Culinary, Retail and Front of House Apprenticeships (Restaurant skills) also (landscape maintenance)
- <u>Boca Helping Hands- 561- 417-0913 ext. 224 -</u> Free job training programs; Hospitality, CDL license, Home Health Aide, Help Desk Training, Customer Service Rep, and more.

#### **OTHER HOMELESS SERVICES**

- **1**<sup>ST</sup> **UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF BOCA RATON** 625 NE MIZNER BLVD. BOCA RATON Sunday 11-3. Hot Showers, towels, clothes, and lunch. Ann Cann 561-674-3378.
- Laundry 101 Palmetto Park Road Boca Raton Tuesday 2-4:30 pm.
   Coins, soap, and soda. Ann Cann 561-674-3378.
- Catholic Charities, St. Frances Center, 100 W. 20<sup>th</sup> St. Riviera Beach 561-345-2007. Provide food, transportation, and when available asst. with rent and utilities
- **First United Methodist Church** 625 N.E. Mizner Blvd. Boca Raton, in the Gathering Place, the middle building- Showers/Lunch 11:30-1:30 Sunday.
- **Boca Laundry-** 1900 N.W. 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. Boca Raton **Tuesdays** 2:30 p.m. -4:30 p.m.
- St. Ann's Place 2107 N. Dixie Highway, West Palm Beach, 561-805-7708
   Shower, clean underwear and socks given and other clothing items.
   Laundry Services

## **VETERAN SERVICES:**

- **Veterans Affairs** 561-882-8262
- <u>Stand Down House</u> 4309 David Rd, Lake Worth. 561-649-9920, 561-968-1612, 561-649-9919 It is operated by Faith, Hope, Love, Charity, Inc. They help homeless male veterans who are struggling due to mental/physical wounds, illnesses and addictions.
- <u>VA Medical Center</u> 4800 Linton Blvd., Bldg. E, Suite 300 D.B. 561-495-2097
- <u>Vietnam Veterans of America</u> Boca Raton 561-716-1431