

A Resource Toolkit 2018

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Nashua, NH Continuum of Care



Bridges, 33 East Pearl St., Nashua, NH 03060 24-Hour Support Line (603-883-3044) Office (603-889-0858): Services for victims and survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, teen dating violence, child sexual abuse, elder abuse, stalking, and harassment. Services include crisis intervention, emergency shelter, court advocacy, support groups, and education and outreach to both women and men.

Corpus Christi Food Pantry, 3 Crown St., Nashua, NH 03060 (603-882-6372):

Food pantry and limited financial assistance. Appointment needed to determine eligibility.

Family Promise of Greater Nashua at Anne Marie House, 180 Lowell Road, Hudson, NH 03051

(603-883-7338): Guides families as they rise from homelessness to sustainable independence. Unique in the area, FPGN serves families of all compositions, including single-fathers, two-parent families, single mothers, pregnant women, and any other type of family. FPGN provides a residential facility where families work with Family Services comprehensive financial and housing plans and receive courses in financial literacy, parenting, and life-skills. Our focus is on protecting the family unit.

The Front Door Agency, Inc., 7 Concord St., Nashua, NH 03064 (603-886-2866): Offers support and provides services to assist individuals and families transition from crisis to self-sufficiency. Assistance with back rent, utility arrearages, security deposit loans, rapid rehousing, transitional housing for single women & children, financial literacy and other basic needs. Office hours Monday-Thursday, 8:30am-4:30pm by appointment.

Gate City Bike Coop, 29 Spring Street, Nashua, NH 03060 (603 759-9056): Provides bicycles via a voucher system through local agencies. Teaches bike maintenance. Web site: www.gatecitybikecoop.org and email: gatecitybikecoop@gmail.com. Open to the public on Mondays from 3:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Greater Nashua Mental Health Center at Community Council, 7 Prospect St., Nashua, NH 03060

(603-889-6147): Behavioral health services for all ages including individual, family and group psychotherapy, psychopharmacology, crisis intervention and stabilization, case management, outreach, substance use services, and vocational services. Education, information, and referral related to all aspects of behavioral health available. Mission: Empowering people to lead full and satisfying lives through effective treatment and support.

Greater Nashua Dental Connection, Inc., 31 Cross St., Nashua, NH 03064 (603-879-9314): Provide affordable dental services, accepts Medicaid. Appointments necessary.

Harbor Homes, Inc., 77 Northeastern Blvd. Nashua, NH 03060 (603-882-3616): Residential and supportive services including psychotherapy, psychopharmacology, case management, and employment services. Also operates a SAFEHAVEN program and Maple Arms homeless shelter.

Three residential programs for homeless veterans.

Harbor Care Clinic and Wellness Center, 45 High Street, Nashua, NH 03060 (603-882-3515): Primary Care and Behavioral Health Services to include psychotherapy, psychopharmacology, case management and outreach. Patient Navigator Program provides assistance submitting applications for low and no cost health insurance.

Keystone Hall (Greater Nashua Council on Alcoholism), 615 Amherst St., Nashua, NH 03060 (603-881-4848): Comprehensive services for chemically dependent persons including crisis intervention, case management, transitional living, women and Men's program. Outpatient counseling at 45 High St.

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H.E.A.R.T.S. Peer Support & Crisis Respite Centers of Greater Nashua, 5 Pine St. Ext. Unit 1G, Nashua, NH 03060 (603-882-8400): Adult Educational Wellness Center for those struggling with the daily mental health issues. Membership requirement is people who have used publicly funded Mental Health Services in the past, present or at risk of. Open 8am to 4pm Monday thru Friday AND Saturday 8am till Noon. We offer arranged transportation to and from the center. Peer Crisis Respite is a non-medical alternative to hospitalization where people can stay with us 1 to 7 days. We are not a homeless shelter and we ask that people are able to manage medications as needed. Contact the peer center for a pre-interview prior to your stay or call (603-864-8769). We also offer a Peer Support Warm-Line available 7 day a week from 5pm to 10pm for after-hours peer support.

Lamprey Health Care, 22 Prospect St., Nashua, NH 03060 (603-883-1626): Lamprey Health Care, Nashua Center provides comprehensive primary care services to individuals in the Greater Nashua Community regardless of their insurance status or ability to pay. These services include routine preventive and sick care, diagnostic evaluations, prenatal care, pediatric care, disease management and education for chronic illnesses, pharmacy assistance, nutrition education, case management, behavioral health services, and health education.

Main Street United Methodist Church, 154 Main Street, Nashua, NH 03060 (603-882-3361):

Café Agape - a drop in center for our neighbors, homeless or otherwise, from 8am-10am Monday- Friday. We offer free coffee, food, and a place to connect with other people.

Marguerite's Place, 87 Palm St., Nashua, NH 03060 (603-598-1582): Transitional housing, on-site childcare, and case management for single mothers and their children.

Nashua Division of Public Health & Community Services, 18 Mulberry St., Nashua, NH 03060 (603-589-4560): Serves the community by maintaining the well being of its citizens. Services are provided through a collaborative effort of Environmental Health, Community Health and Welfare. www.gonashua.com

Nashua Housing Authority, 40 East Pearl Street, Nashua, NH 03060 (603-883-5661): Serves the community providing affordable housing for low-income elderly, non-elderly disabled, and families.

Nashua School District – Homeless Student Liaison Taylor Smith (603-966-2511): Educational based services available to students (PK-12) experiencing transition due to loss of housing, economic hardship or a similar reason. Contact the Homeless Student Liaison for more information about the McKinney-Vento Act.

Nashua Soup Kitchen & Shelter, 2 Quincy St., Nashua, NH 03061 (603-889-7770): Services include meals, food pantry, fresh produce, emergency shelter for homeless individuals and families, employment and education advocacy and Hispanic Advocacy.

New Hampshire Bureau of Elderly & Adult Services, 3 Pine St. Ext., Nashua, NH 03061 (603-883-7726): Services to help elderly and disabled adults remain at home or placement services when needed. Protective investigations for reports of abuse, neglect, self-neglect and exploitation of incapacitated adults.

New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services, Nashua District Office, 3 Pine St. Ext., Suite Q, Nashua, NH 03060 (603-883-7726): Provides a comprehensive and coordinated system of services to promote and protect the health, safety and well-being of NH citizens. Directed at supporting families, strengthening communities and developing the independence and self-sufficiency of NH citizens to the extent possible. Applications for food stamps, TANF, APTD/OAA/ANB, Medicaid.

New Hampshire Division for Children, Youth and Families-Child Protective Services, 3 Pine St. Ext., Suite Q, Nashua, NH 03060 (603-883-7726): Services to children, youth and families experiencing child abuse or neglect.

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New Hampshire Job Corps Center, 943 Dunbarton Road, Manchester, NH 03102 (603-621-9555): No cost, residential technical training and academic programs offered on state-of-the-art campus. Available to individuals age 16-24 who meet certain low-income guidelines. Highly sought industry recognized training in Advanced Manufacturing, Electrical, Facilities Maintenance, Culinary Arts, Hospitality, Security and Protective Services, Licensed Nursing Assistant, Clinical Medical Assistant, and Medical Administrative Assistant fields. High School Equivalency programs and Driver's Education included. On Center dormitory housing available to all students. Career support available to all students upon completion of Job Corps, transition support for one year after graduation. All services are offered at no cost to participants. *Job Corps, Careers Begin Here*.

New Hampshire Legal Assistance (NHLA) (603-224-3333) or (1-800-639-5290): provides legal services to New Hampshire residents with incomes and assets below certain limits in civil cases. NHLA has offices in Berlin, Concord, Claremont, Manchester, and Portsmouth to serve all qualified NH residents. Visit www.nhla.org for more information about NHLA, text of all our informational pamphlets, and links to other resources. For NHLA eligibility screening, contact www.nhlegalaid.org.

New Hampshire Veteran's Services (603-624-4366): Manchester VAMC Homeless Walk-In Clinic is located on the 5th floor of Manchester VAMC, 718 Smyth Rd, Manchester, NH 03104. Veterans Crisis Line: 1-800-273-8255, press 1

The Salvation Army, 1 Montgomery Ave., Nashua, NH 03060 (603-889-5151): Offers support and provides services to individuals and families in need with food, clothing, and household goods. Financial assistance when funds are available for - back rent, utility arrearages, prescriptions, medical, dental, eye exams, gas cards, and vouchers for The Salvation Army Family Store.

Office Hours Monday - Friday 9am to 12pm and 1pm to 3pm appointments recommended.

Social Security Administration, 175 Amherst St., Nashua, NH 03064 (1-800-772-1213):

Social Security cards; maintenance of Social Security earnings records; applications for Social Security Disability, survivors, retirement benefits, Supplemental Security Income, Medicare, and Post-Entitlement actions (direct deposit, lost checks, change of address, etc.)

Southern New Hampshire HIV/AIDS Task Force, 77 Northeastern Boulevard, Nashua, NH 03062 (603-595-8464): Comprehensive support services to people living with HIV/AIDS.

Syringe Services Alliance of the Nashua Area (SSANA) partner agency- call 816-0595 for info.

Southern New Hampshire Medical Center, 8 Prospect Street, Nashua, NH 03060 (603-577-2728): Committed to stewardship and provides comprehensive medical services, many of which are exclusive to this region.

Southern New Hampshire Rescue Mission, 40 Chestnut St., Nashua, NH 03060 (603-889-3421):

Provides Emergency Shelter, Food and Clothing, Transitional Employment Program & bible based rehabilitation programs. Hosts Community Meals, A Gift Center which operates as a Food Pantry and Clothing Bank and Community Recovery Groups.

Southern New Hampshire Services, 134 Allds St. Nashua, NH 03060 (603-889-3440): Community Action Agency for Hillsborough County providing social services programs and advocacy activities to low income youth, elderly and other specialized populations through Rapid Re-Housing, Senior Housing and Housing for Homeless Women with no children, Head Start, WIC, Weatherization, Energy Assistance, Summer Youth Feeding, and Child Care.

St. Joseph Hospital, 172 Kinsley Street, Nashua, NH 03060 (603-882-3000): A caring, progressive, comprehensive 200 bed not-for-profit health care facility serving southern New Hampshire and dedicated to the prevention of disease and care of the sick, with special concern for the poor.

Youth Council of Nashua, 112 West Pearl St., Nashua, NH 03060 (603-889-1090): Serves children, teens, and families struggling with sexual abuse, physical abuse, neglect, substance abuse, behavioral difficulties and parenting stress through counseling, diversion and crisis services.

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EMERGENCIES – DIAL 911

Homeless Services for the Greater Nashua Region – dial 1-844-800-9911 for COORDINATED ENTRY Intake, Assessment and Referral.

"New Hampshire 211" – 1-866-444-4211 or dial 2-1-1.
www.211nh.org

Coordinated Entry is a centralized intake program developed to streamline access to homeless services. *Anyone experiencing homelessness* is directed to contact the local Coordinated Entry system (*1-844-800-9911*) for assessment and referral to appropriate and available programs/services.

The State of New Hampshire Bureau of Homeless & Housing Services has been working with NH 2-1-1 on the development of a state-wide Coordinated Entry process. *People experiencing homelessness outside of the Greater Nashua Region or who may be calling after normal business hours* are directed to contact **2-1-1** for assessment and referral to appropriate and available programs/services.

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Food Resources Greater Nashua

FOOD PANTRIES/MEALS/PROGRAMS - NASHUA

Nashua Soup Kitchen & Shelter 2 Quincy St.

889-7770

Food Boxes: given out Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 11:00am – 2:45pm.

Fruits & Vegetables between 12:00pm-2:45pm.

Food pantry on the third Sunday of every month from 2:00pm – 4:00pm (in partnership with Main Street United Methodist Church).

Meals Served:

Nashua Soup Kitchen Breakfast: Mon-Fri 7-8am, Dinner: Mon-Sat, 4:30 - 6:00pm.

Other times available as needed – please call.

Corpus Christi Food Pantry 3 Crown St.

882-6372

Monday and Wednesday in the morning, Tuesday and Thursday in the afternoon.

Please call for an appointment.

Grace Lutheran Church

130 Spit Brook Road, Nashua, NH 03062

888-7579

Second Thursday of the month from 6:00pm to 8:00pm.

The Salvation Army

1 Montgomery Ave

889-5151/883-7841

Mon-Fri, 9:00-12:00 & 1-4:00pm. Available monthly-bring proof of residence.

Southern NH Services

134 Allds St., Nashua

889-3440 / (877) 211-0723

WIC- for pregnant women, families with kids up to 5 yrs. old.

Commodity Foods – supplemental food for people over 60.

Summer Food Program - Breakfast and lunch for youth up to age 18 provided when school is out for the summer. List of sites available from SNHS in early June.

Southern NH Rescue Mission 40 Chestnut St.

889-3421

Breakfast:

Monday to Friday

7:00 AM 8:00 AM

Sat & Sun

Lunch: Dinner: Mon, Wednesday to Friday

12:00 PM

Saturday and Sunday

5:00 PM

Gift Center: Clothing

Every other Tuesday from 10 am - 2pm by appointment only.

Food Pantry

Every other Tuesday from 10am-2pm by appointment only.

Tolles St Mission

52 Whitney St. (corner of Tolles St.)

Food Pantry is open four days per week - Mondays and Thursdays from 12:00 to 2:00pm; Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 10:30 to 12:30pm.

Unitarian Universalist Church

58 Lowell St.

882-1091

Community Dinner: Third Sunday of each month from 5:00pm to 6:00pm.

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Financial Assistance & Information

Catholic Charities, 3 Crown St., Nashua

889-9431

• Emergency assistance, emergency loan program. Financial literacy, case management and advocacy (Spanish and English).

Corpus Christi, 3 Crown St., Nashua

598-1641

• Financial assistance with rent, utilities, local bus transportation, etc. Appointment needed to determine eligibility for assistance.

The Front Door Agency, 7 Concord St., Nashua

886-2866

- Security Deposit loans, rent and utility assistance, transportation assistance.
- Office hours Monday-Thursday 8:30-4:30 by appointment.

Main Street United Methodist Church, 154 Main St., Nashua

882-3361

• A prescription medicine program provides assistance to those who have no insurance or who need assistance with co-pays. Other financial assistance is available on an individual case basis.

Nashua Soup Kitchen & Shelter, 2 Quincy St., Nashua

889-7770

- Loan help with rent, mortgage or utility (eviction notice or shutoff notice for gas, electric, oil or propane) to prevent homelessness. Assistance of \$75 \$100 as it is available. Not available for rooming houses, unless there is residency for over a year.
- Some funds available for job/education-related costs for homeless persons.

NH Department of Health and Human Services, 3 Pine St. Ext., Nashua

383-772

• Emergency funds for TANF recipients, childcare funding, food stamps, health insurance, disability benefits, etc.

The Salvation Army, 1 Montgomery Ave., Nashua

889-5151

Emergency assistance, prescriptions.

Southern NH Services, 134 Allds St., Nashua

889-3440

• Fuel Assistance Program, emergency assistance, other assistance programs.

City of Nashua *Welfare Department, 18 Mulberry St., Nashua

589-4555

The Welfare Department provides interim assistance for low income residents through a voucher system. Assistance is available with rent, food, utilities and medications. Each applicant will be interviewed confidentially to review household circumstances and eligibility for assistance. You must apply in person. No appointments are given over the phone.

*Each city/town in NH has a municipal welfare department – call your town hall or <u>2-1-1</u> for the phone number/contact information for your municipal welfare office.

HOMELESS OUTREACH RESOURCES

- Coordinated Entry (homeless assistance) <u>1-844-800-9911</u>
- NH RESOURCES & HOMELESS ASSISTANCE call <u>2-1-1</u>
- Greater Nashua Continuum of Care outreach e-mail:

homeless@nashua-coc.org

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