

Welfare Square Transitional Services

Welfare Square

Anybody who has an address or is staying or living with anyone who has an address is the responsibility of the bishop of the ward with geographical jurisdiction over the location of that address. If a transient or homeless person needs help (someone who is passing through the area and inadvertently stranded or homeless perhaps living on the street, living in an automobile, or living temporarily in a homeless shelter), the Welfare Square Transitional Services is the office to contact for assistance. This office has as its guiding purpose to efficiently distribute food, clothing, and other necessities to those who are transient or homeless or refer them to community resources for lodging and other services while providing work and service opportunities that build character and self-reliance.

Its key activities are:

- Interview clients to determine what immediate needs (e.g. food, shelter and clothing) are to be met.
- Provide information, encouragement, counsel and appropriate assistance designed to meet immediate needs.
- Refer the transient and homeless to relevant available community resources such as the appropriate homeless shelter.
- Encourage clients who receive Church welfare assistance to fulfill work opportunities at Welfare Square.
- Use every interaction as an opportunity to teach and exemplify doctrines and principles of Church welfare.

The Welfare Square Transition Services Office is managed by a full-time church employee who is assisted by others. They are available at Welfare Square in the Bishop's Storehouse building during standard business hours. Working under their direction are employment specialists to help the transient and homeless find employment and Church Service Missionaries called to serve in that setting provide guidance in accessing community resources while assisting them to stabilize their lives and find their way to self-reliance.

Phone: 801-240-7340

Shelters and Additional Resources for the Homeless

Homeless Services

211 Utah

When other resources seem to be lacking, you can always try 211 Utah, by dialing 211 or by getting online at <https://211utah.org>.

Phone: 211

Website: 211utah.org

End Utah Homelessness Resource Guides

The End Utah Homelessness groups have provided information on resources for those experiencing homelessness. Please click on the links below for Salt Lake County.

Salt Lake County <https://endutahhomelessness.org/salt-lake-valley/community-resource-guide>

Website: endutahhomelessness.org

Housing and Homeless Programs

To date, we are proud to offer 40+ programs and services across Utah and have 650+ employees. This has allowed us to serve over 14,000 individuals annually, creating an immense impact on our community.

We help clients deal with a broad range of conditions from chronic lifelong issues to temporary conditions triggered by life events or an addiction. In many cases our services go beyond therapy to empower clients with tools to deal with a spectrum of life issues from housing to employment to social interaction.

Address:

3737 W 4100 S

West Valley City, UT 84120

Phone: 888-949-4864

Website: valleycares.com/treatment-and-services/for-adults/housing-and-homeless-programs-and-services

LifeStart Village

A self-sufficiency based housing program for homeless single-parent families designed to lead them to sustainable independence. A program that provides safe housing and supportive services for single-parent families recovering from homelessness, domestic violence, or drug abuse.

Phone: 801-955-9110

Email: nursery@familysupportcenter.org

Website: www.familysupportcenter.org/lifestart-village

Resources for those without a place to stay:

If you are in need of temporary shelter, either because you are homeless, have been evicted, or must leave because of violence or some other untenable situation, you may go online or call any of the following:

Salt Lake County -

Geraldine King Women's Resource Center

131 East 700 South

Salt Lake City, Utah

801-990-
9999

200 Beds - Women Only

<https://www.voaut.org/get-help/adult-homeless-services>

Gail Miller Resource Center

242 Paramount Ave.

Salt Lake City, Utah

801-328-
0698

200 Beds - Mixed Gender

<https://homelessutah.org/facilities/gail-miller-resource-center/>

Men's Resource Center

3380 South 1000 West

South Salt Lake, Utah

801-359-
4142

300 Beds - Men Only

<https://theroadhome.org/resourcecenter/south-salt-lake-mens-resource-center/>

Rescue Haven

1165 State St.

Salt Lake City, Utah

801-521-
5925

Services for women and children

<https://rescuesaltlake.org/rescue-mission-womens-center/>

Rescue Mission

463 S. 400 W.

Salt Lake City, Utah

801-355-
1302

Beds for men, other services for women

Road Home Midvale Family Center

529 West 7300 South (9th Ave.)

Midvale, Utah

<https://theroadhome.org/resourcecenter/midvale-family-resource-center/>

801-569-1201

300 Beds - Families

Safe Haven

550 W 700 S.

Salt Lake City, Utah

<https://valleycares.com/homeless-services/>

801-263-7100

Lodging for the mentally ill long-term homeless

Volunteers of America Homeless Youth Center

888 S. 400 W.

Salt Lake City, Utah

<https://www.voaut.org/get-help/youth-homeless-services>

801-364-0744

Homeless Youth Center

The Inn Between

1216 E 1300 S

<https://tibhospice.org/>

801-410-8314

Providing hospice services for the homeless and a place to recuperate from surgeries or serious illness

Shelter the Homeless

Shelter the Homeless is a nonprofit organization dedicated to serving individuals experiencing homelessness and working with partners to develop safe facilities and expand solutions to prevent and end homelessness in Utah. Shelter the Homeless is committed to making homelessness rare, brief and non-recurring by connecting individuals who are experiencing homelessness with community services that help them achieve housing stability and reach sustainable self-sufficiency. Call 801-990-9999 for the Homeless Hotline or go online at <https://homelessutah.org/> to find out about the resources available and the best location to find help. The Salt Lake Valley has several shelters designed to help people facing these difficult challenges.

Phone: 801-990-9999

Website: homelessutah.org

Transient Services Office

Those who are homeless or transient but who appear to have the potential for stabilizing their lives under the guidance of mentors may be taken to the **Transient Services Office of the Bishops' Storehouse at Welfare Square for interview.**

Contact: Greg Young

Phone: 801-240-7242

Weigand Homeless Resource Center – Catholic Community Services Website

The Weigand Resource Center is the only day shelter of its kind in Salt Lake City. The center not only provides clients with daytime shelter, but also a variety of resources and a number of in-house partnerships to provide clients with the tools they need to reach self-sufficiency.

Serves adults (ages 18+). Resources: case management, vital document assistance, showers, laundry, computer lab, hygiene supplies, storage, DWS eligibility and employment, Utah Community Action, and justice court. Lunch and dinner served daily at St. Vincent de Paul Dining Hall located across the courtyard.

Open Daily, 7:00 am - 7:00 pm. Closed on holidays.

Address:

437 W 200 S

Salt Lake City, UT 84101

Contact: Nora Perkins

Phone: 801-363-7710

Email: nperkins@ccsutah.org

Website: ccsutah.org/programs/weigand-resource-center

Women Shelters

To obtain shelter for a woman in danger of being beaten by a husband, boyfriend or other aggressor, call: **YWCA Women in Jeopardy Program** 801-537-8600 or **South Valley Sanctuary** 801-255-1095 (South Valley Sanctuary also shelters men fleeing abuse).

Homeless Youth

Salt Lake County - Youth Programs

A Homeless youth Walk-in-Program. The program provides 24-hour services to homeless youth. For youth up to age 17 there is overnight shelter, food, laundry and shower facilities and counseling.

Website: www.saltlakecounty.gov/youth/youth-programs