

Homeless Education Network RESOURCE DIRECTORY



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HOMELESS EDUCATION NETWORK

The Homeless Education Network (HEN) within Denver Public Schools (DPS) provides supplemental educational supports for students experiencing homeless situations. HEN is a resource for DPS schools to provide guidance and the connection to Denver-area support services for families experiencing homelessness.

The HEN mission is to help DPS homeless children use education to break the cycle of poverty through direct support. The primary objective is to remove educational barriers that prevent homeless children from having a successful school experience.

HEN focuses support on school readiness and student success including:

- School enrollment and advocacy
- Backpacks/school supplies (when available)
- Free breakfast
- Lunch assistance
- Clothing and uniform assistance
- Basic-needs supplies (when available)
- Community resources

For more information on the McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Assistance Act and the HEN services, contact the homeless liaison in your area below or visit <http://hen.dpsk12.org>

Far Northeast/Stapleton Homeless Liaison 720.423.1985

Southeast/Southwest Homeless Liaison 720.423.1986

Central/Near Northeast Elementary Schools Homeless Liaison 720.423.1985

Northwest /Central Middle High Schools Homeless Liaison 720.423.1984

Spanish speaking families 720.423.1984

Program fax number 720.545.0425

INTRODUCTION

The McKinney-Vento Act is a federal law that protects the educational rights of school-aged children in homeless situations and guarantees school enrollment for anyone who, due to a lack of permanent housing, lives in inadequate or temporary settings, such as:

- In emergency or transitional shelters
- In motels, hotels or campgrounds
- In cars, parks, public places, bus or train stations, or abandoned buildings
- Doubled up with relatives or friends
- In these conditions and is a migratory child or youth

Homeless and unaccompanied youth lacking fixed, regular and adequate housing have the following rights:

- A permanent address is not needed to enroll in school
- Students won't be denied enrollment in a DPS school in instances where school records or other enrollment documents are not immediately available
- Students can remain in their same school (school of origin) even if their family moves
- Transportation services to and from school of origin
- Schools must provide written explanation if a placement dispute occurs
- Students automatically qualify to participate in free breakfast and lunch programs on the campus
- Participation in extracurricular activities and all federal, state or local programs for which a student is eligible

The HEN staff encourages individuals to review the available resources listed within this Resource Directory. Individuals can call 2-1-1 at any time for resource assistance from United Way, and also schools may be able to connect individuals with resources.

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- **Adventist Community Services - Community Lift Denver**
5045 W. 1st Ave, Denver 80219
303.935.7389
- **Broadway Assistance Center**
1449 W. Littleton Blvd., Suite 100, Littleton 80120
303.893.4108
- **Catholic Charities St. Veronica Outreach Ministry**
4045 Pecos St., Denver 80211
720.377.1313
Monday-Friday; 8 to 8:45 a.m.
Appointments are limited and based on funding and availability.
- **Denver Department of Human Services (DDHS)**
Castro Building, 1200 Federal Blvd., Denver, 80204
720.944.3666 (Press 3)
- **Jewish Family Service, Safety Net Program**
3201 South Tamarac Dr., Denver, 80231
Monday-Thursday 8:15 a.m. to 4:45 p.m., Friday 8:15 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 - Call 720.248.4716 for information on Emergency Assistance grant program
- **Labor's Community Agency, Inc.**
7510 W. Mississippi Ave. Suite 230, Lakewood 80226
303.744.6169
- **The Mile High Rental Assistance Hotline**
English: 303.561.2130 | Spanish: 303.561.2133 | TTY/TDD: 303.433.8900
 - Access to referrals and information on rental assistance programs by zip code
across the Denver County area. Have a pen and paper ready.
- **Mennonite Urban Ministry**
430 W. 9th Ave., Denver 80204
303.892.1039
- **Salvation Army**
2201 Stout St., Denver 80205
303.295.3366
- **Southwest Improvement Council**
1000 S. Lowell Blvd., Denver 80219
303.934.8057

- **Saint Anthony of Padua - Saint Vincent de Paul Society**
3801 W. Ohio Ave., Denver 80219
303.935.2431
- **Saint Mary Magdalene - Saint Vincent de Paul Society**
2771 Zenobia St., Denver 80212
303.477.4533
- **Saint Paul Local Assistance Ministry**
1600 Grant St., Denver 80203
720.274.4710
- **United Way 2--1-1** (you can call) or for online searches
 - <https://211colorado.communityos.org/cms/node/142>
- **Volunteers of America**
2660 Larimer St., Denver 80205
303.297.0408

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EMERGENCY SHELTER

Most emergency shelters require a phone interview and are based on availability.

WOMEN & CHILDREN:

CALL 2-1-1 FOR SHELTER SPACE. ADULTS WITH ONLINE ACCESS CAN ALSO LOOK UP AVAILABLE BEDS AT [HTTPS://211COLORADO.COMMUNITYOS.ORG/CMS/NODE/142](https://211colorado.communityos.org/cms/node/142) SCROLL DOWN TOWARDS MID PAGE TO ENTER INFORMATION

- **Access Housing**
6978 Colorado Blvd., Commerce City 80022
303.289.7078
[Not an emergency shelter, dependent on availability](#)
- **Champa House Shelter (Catholic Charities)**
2544 Champa St., Denver 80205
303.294.9961
[18-month transitional program](#)
- **Safehouse Denver**
1649 Downing St., Denver 80218
303.830.2660 [30 day shelter](#)
- **Fr. Ed Judy House**
4024 Newton St., Denver 80236 *address moving to jefferson County 1/2017
720.799.9400
[Transitional women's shelter](#)
- **Gathering Place**
1535 High St., Denver 80218
303.321.4198
[Denver's only daytime drop-in center for women and children. Services include clothing, resources, meals, day care and shelter.](#)
- **House of Hope**
3301 S. Grant St., Englewood 80113
303.762.9525
[Emergency shelter](#)
- **Sacred Heart Shelter**
2844 Lawrence St., Denver 80205
303.296.6686
[30-day shelter](#)
- **Samaritan House (Catholic Charities)**
2301 Lawrence St., Denver 80205
303.294.0241
[4-month shelter based on lottery system](#)

MEN & CHILDREN (INCLUDING DUAL-PARENT FAMILIES):

- **Comitis Overflow shelter (7 p.m.-7 a.m.)**
2178 Victor St. Aurora 80045, 303.343.9890
1. Parent will need to call between 5am –noon 720.505.2628 2. Leave a message on the above number and leave name and number of people in your family that would be staying in overflow 3. Call back same number 720.505.2628 at 2pm to check if they have been picked to stay that night. This process needs to happen every day.
- **Growing Home**
3489 W. 72nd Ave. Ste. 12, Westminster 80030
303.426.0430
[Shelter and transformational housing programs](#)
- **Jeffco Action Center**
8755 W. 14th Ave, Lakewood 80214
303.237.7704
[Emergency shelter](#)
- **Family Promise Shelter**
419 Lipan St., Denver 80204
303.675.0713
[90-day church program, which requires moving to a different church each week](#)
- **Samaritan House (Catholic Charities)**
2301 Lawrence St., Denver 80205
303.294.0241
[4-month shelter based on lottery system](#)

MOTEL VOUCHERS

- **Samaritan House Shelter**
2301 Lawrence St., Denver 80205
303.294.0241
[In an emergency situation, a single night motel voucher is available after 5 p.m.](#)
- **Denver Police Department**
1331 Cherokee St., Denver 80204
[A single night voucher is available after 8 p.m. Children must be present.](#)
- **Denver Department of Human Services (DDHS)**
1200 Federal Blvd., Denver 80204
Monday-Friday; 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
[Request services from the Homeless Assistance Unit during business hours.](#)

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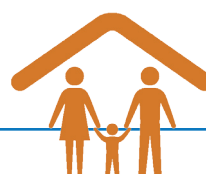
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TRANSITIONAL HOUSING (REQUIRES INCOME):

- **Access Housing**
6978 Colorado Blvd., Commerce City 80022
303.289.7078
[2-bedroom duplexes and row homes](#)
- **Decatur Place**
1155 Decatur St., Denver 80204
303.893.2718
[2-year transitional housing program](#)
- **Denver Rescue Mission Crossing Star Program**
6090 Smith Rd., Denver 80216
303.953.3900 or 303.953.3963
[18 month transitional shelter program](#)
- **Family Homestead**
999 Decatur St., Denver 80219
303.623.6514
[90-day emergency housing and 6-month transitional](#)
- **Interfaith Community Services**
3370 S. Irving St., Englewood 80110
303.789.0501
[Up to two year supportive housing](#)
- **Joshua Station**
2330 Mulberry Pl., Denver 80205
303.592.1555
[3-month emergency, and 15-month transitional program](#)
- **Lambuth Center Shelter (Salvation Army)**
2741 Federal Blvd., Denver 80211
303.477.3758
[12-month transitional shelter](#)
- **VOA Transformational Housing**
1316 26th St., Denver 80205
303.297.7758
[5-year transitional program](#)
- **Warren Village**
1323 Gilpin St., Denver 80218
303.320.5020
[2-year transitional housing program](#)

FIRST MONTH RENT AND DEPOSIT PROGRAMS

■ Denver Department of Human Services, GA/Homeless Unit

Castro Building - 1200 Federal Blvd., Denver 80204

720.944.2031

Monday-Friday; 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Requirements:

- The applicant must have lived in Denver for a minimum of 60 days
- The applicant must have been homeless for a minimum of 60 days
- When you apply for first month's rent, you are responsible for finding your own housing (no security deposit help)

■ Family Rescue Ministry 303.313.2440 or Housing First Through Salvation Army

303.295.3366

[Program referral form available, contact DPS HEN for assistance.](#)

Services:

- First full month's rent and security deposit for an apartment or home selected by the family
- Rent cannot be more than 60% of monthly net income
- Matches each family with a mentoring team, who provides various types of services, support, and coaching toward self sufficiency

Qualifications:

- Homeless ---cannot be in a lease at the time of contacting FRM or Housing First. It can take 3-4 weeks for full approval and assistance.
- Either a senior (age 60 +) or a family. A family must have at least one child age 17 or younger in legal custody
- Documented and verifiable source of legal income to cover monthly expenses
- No felony in previous 12 months
- Background check and drug screening

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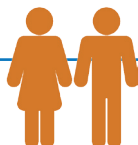
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■ Denver Human Services

Castro Building, 1200 Federal Blvd., Denver 80204

East Office, 3815 Steele St., Denver, 80205

Montbello Satellite Office, 4685 Peoria St., Denver 80239

Monday - Friday: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Application Process:

- Online at <http://www.denvergov.org/HumanServices>
- In-person at any location listed above
- Mail application to one of the locations listed above
- An intake interview is required to receive services. Interviews are conducted Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If they are unable to interview you the same day you bring in your application, an appointment will be scheduled for a future date and time.
- For assistance filling out the application, visit a location or call 720.944.3666

Food Assistance:

- Applicants must schedule an interview. If you wish to request to have a face-to-face interview waived due to a hardship, call 720.944.2957 or 720.944.2909.

Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF)/Colorado Works (CW):

- Applicants must schedule an interview to review the application and determine eligibility for food assistance and Medicaid programs. Upon approval applicants are required to attend orientation that includes an overview of the Colorado Works/TANF requirements and an assessment to determine your employment plan.

Adult Categories

- Old Age Pension (OAP), Aid to the Needy and Disabled (AND), Medicaid Savings Programs (QMB, SLMB). Applicants must schedule an interview.

■ Colorado Coalition for the Homeless, Family Support Services

2111 Champa St., Denver 80205

303.312.9700 | 303.293.2217

Walk-ins welcome on Mondays at 11 a.m. Call resource line at 303-312-9700.

If you are a family with children under the age of 18 and are homeless, Family Resources can provide: *walk-in service available.

- Housing referrals and information*
- Shelter Information*
- Assistance with benefits*
- Resource referrals*
- Medicaid enrollment*
- Bus Tokens/Donations when available*

■ **Hunger Free Hotline**

855.855.4626

The Hunger Free Hotline is a multilingual toll-free number that connects Coloradans to needed food. It is a free “one-stop” resource that offers geographically-based referrals to both public and private food assistance programs throughout the state. Hunger Free screens for all federal nutrition assistance programs, keeps all information confidential and is open to all individuals, regardless of legal status.

■ **Food Banks**

Visit <http://employassistdenver.wordpress.com/denver-area-food-banks> or contact the food bank for more information.

- **Acts Food Bank**
3405 Downing St., Denver 80205
303.477.0006
- **Adventist Community Services**
5045 W. 1st Ave., Denver 80219
303.935.7386
- **Broadway Asst. Center at St. Joseph**
606 W. 6th Ave., Denver 80204
303.893.4108
- **The Cathedral Basilica of the Immaculate Conception**
1530 Logan St., Denver 80203
303.831.7010
- **Catholic Charities**
2525 W. Alameda, Denver 80219
303.742.0828
- **Community Ministry**
3096 S. Sheridan Blvd., Denver 80227
303.936.0469
- **Crossroads of the Rockies**
4201 W. Kentucky, Denver 80219
303.922.8772
- **Curtis Park Community Center**
2862 Champa St., Denver 80205
303.295.2399
- **Denver Indian Center**
4407 Morrison Rd., Denver 80219
303.936.2688

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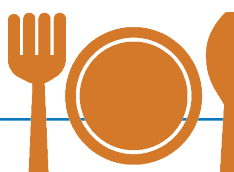
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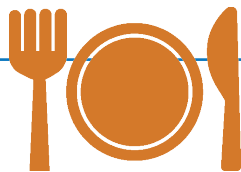
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■ Food Banks (continued)

- **Cornerstone Church**
2750 S. Clermont Dr., Denver 80222
303.756.9443
- **Denver Inner City Parish**
910 Galapago St., Denver 80204
303.629.0636
- **Denver Urban Ministries**
1717 E. Colfax, Denver 80218
303.355.4896
- **Family Preservation Family Support**
4685 Peoria, Denver 80239
303.373.9011
- **Greater Park Hill Community, Inc.**
2823 Fairfax St., Denver 80207
303.388.0918
- **Hope Food Bank Ministry**
2857 Colorado Blvd., Denver 80207
303.388.8980
- **House Beside the Road Food**
3420 Franklin St., Denver 80205
303.293.8995
- **Metro CareRing**
1100 E. 18th Ave., Denver 80205
303.860.7200
- **Metro Food Bank**
2450 Clay St., Denver
303.238.2132
- **Metropolitan Community Church**
960 Clarkson St., Denver 80218
303.860.1819
- **Montbello Co-Op Ministers**
4685 Peoria St., Denver 80239
303.375.5501
- **Park Hill SDA Church**
3385 Albion St., Denver 80207
303.333.5089
- **Rose of Sharon Food Bank**
5306 Lincoln St., Denver 80216
303.308.1652
- **Servicios de la Raza**
4055 Tejon St., Denver 80211
303.458.5851
- **St. Anthony of Padu**
3801 W. Ohio Ave., Denver 80219
303.935.2431
- **St. Vincient De Paul Parish**
2375 E. Arizona Ave., Denver 80210
303.744.6119
- **Twin Parishes**
3663 Humboldt St., Denver 80205
303.294.0684

■ **Denver Indian Center**

4407 Morrison Road, Denver 80219
303.936.2688 | 1.877.8INDIAN

Eligibility Requirements:

- American Indian with tribal identification or degree of Indian blood
- Unemployed and seeking permanent employment
- State driver's license or identification
- Social Security Card
- 18 years old
- Bring original documents (no photo-copies) with you to the intake meeting
- If you are under-employed and living in poverty, call to learn about services available for individuals and families

■ **Denver Workforce Centers**

- **Denver Workforce Center at Speer**
1391 N. Speer Blvd., Suite 500, Denver 80204
720.865.5619 | Fax: 720.865.5685
- **Denver Workforce Center Youth Services**
1391 N. Speer Blvd., Suite 520, Denver 80204
720.865.5700 | Fax: 720.865.5681
- **Denver Workforce Center at DIA**
8500 Peña Blvd., 5th Level, Main Terminal, West Side, Denver 80249
303.342.2590 | Fax: 303.342.2592
- **Denver Workforce Center at Montbello**
4685 Peoria St., Suite 251, Denver 80239
720.865.4800 | Fax: 720.865.4801
- **Denver Workforce Center at Westside**
1200 Federal Blvd., Denver 80204
720.944.1615 | Fax: 720.944.4131

■ **DenverWorks, Inc.**

2828 N. Speer Blvd. Suite 201, Denver 80211
Fax: 303.433.3035
info@denverworks.org

- DenverWorks empowers unemployed and individuals with employment barriers to become self-supporting through job preparation and placement.

■ **Employer Services Jobs Unit:**

720.913.1648 | Fax: 720.913.1652
jobs.unit@ci.denver.co.us

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■ Metro Migrant Education Program

14707 E. 2nd Ave., Suite 180, Aurora, 80011
303.365.5817 | Fax: 303.326.1283

The federal Migrant Education Program (MEP) is authorized by Title 1-Part C of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. Title 1-Part C provides formula grants to State Educational Agencies to establish or improve education programs for migrant children. MEP utilizes these grants to provide additional educational opportunities for migrant children.

■ Migrant Seasonal Farm Workers

Contact: Tomas Mejia, State Director mejia_t@cde.state.co.us
303-866-6963

- The Colorado Department of Labor & Employment administers a bilingual (English/Spanish) outreach program to assist with:
 - applications
 - counseling
 - testing
 - job training
 - referrals to supportive service agencies
 - job placement
- For educational support for migrant families with school-aged children, call 303.365.5817. (more information on page 29 of the directory)

■ Mile High United Way Center for Family Opportunity

College View Elementary School
2675 S. Decatur St., Denver 80219
720.424.8688
Monday-Friday; 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

- The DPS Office of Family and Community Engagement (FACE) has partnered with Mile High United Way to provide classes and services at no-cost for adults, minimum age 18, in the southwest Denver community.
- This program supports individuals and families by providing a range of economic services that foster economic self-sufficiency. Services are available to all members of the community.

Emily Griffith Technical College (ESL/GED)

- Offered in English
- Interested participants must take a test prior to participating in classes

■ Mile High United Way Center for Family Opportunity (continued)

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Goodwill Industries Workforce Development

- Classes include resume and cover letter writing, basic computer skills, and job search support
- Select classes offered in Spanish
- One-on-one coaching available

Empowered Financial Coaching

303.233.2773; Mondays & Tuesdays

- Offered in English
- Financial coaching offered in English and Spanish

VITA Tax Preparation (Free Tax Prep)

- Appointments will be available. Please call for more information
- Located at Mile High Center at College View Elementary

■ Online Resources

Begin by registering with [ConnectingColorado.com](https://www.connectingcolorado.com), our job-search database, featuring updated and comprehensive job listings. Schedule an appointment with a workforce center representative to discuss your resume, interviewing skills and today's job market including career and salary trends.

See if you qualify for WIA (Workforce Investment Act) and find programs around the state.
<https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdle/wia-js>.

For youth job seekers ages 16-21 visit <https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdle/youth-jobseeker> for Colorado Department of Labor and Employment resources.

For Veterans seeking job assistance and support please visit <https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdle/veterans> for resources.

To take a skills assessment to learn about your skillset and job fit <https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdle/skills-assessment>

How to obtain a Career Ready Certificate <https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdle/career-ready-certificate>

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BIRTH CERTIFICATE & ID ASSISTANCE

■ Colorado Collaborative ID Project

1905 Sherman St., Suite 400, Denver 80203
303.837.1321
Monday-Friday; 8.30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

- Walk-in hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday; 8 to 11 a.m.

■ DenUM

1717 E. Colfax Ave., Denver, 80218
303.355.4896

■ Father Woody's Haven of Hope

1101 W. 7th Ave., Denver 80204
303.607.0855
Monday-Friday; 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.

■ Holy Ghost Church

1900 California St., Denver 80203
303.297.3411

- Assists with birth certificates, IDs, CBI, and work tools
- Provides five clients per session on a first come, first serve basis
- Provides financial assistance, individuals must have paperwork needed for the DMV

■ Interfaith Community Services

3370 S. Irving St., Englewood 80110
303.785.0501

- Birth certificate only
- Accept walk- and call-in

■ Metro CareRing

1100 E. 18th Ave., Denver 80218
303.860.7200
Monday-Friday; 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Appointment only on Tuesday and Thursday; 6 to 8 p.m.

- Identification and birth certificate services available the first of the month
- ID is required for each family member seeking services
- Call ahead to schedule an appointment

■ Stout Street Clinic

2130 Stout St., Denver 80205
303.293.2220
Monday-Friday; 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Wednesday; Noon to 7 p.m.
Closed the first Wednesday of each month

- Assistance with identification

EMERGENCY SHELTERS

- **Alternatives to Family Violence**
303.289.4441
www.atfv-adamsco.org
- **Project Safeguard (assistance for battered women in Denver)**
303.863.7233
www.psghelps.org
- **Domestic Violence Initiative (DVI) (support for battered women with disabilities)**
303.839.5510
www.dviforwomen.org
- **Bilingual ProgramSafe House Denver**
303.302.6115 | 24-hour crisis line: 303.318.9989
- **Colorado Anti-Violence Program**
303.839.5204
www.coavp.org
- **Colorado Coalition Against Domestic Violence**
303.831.9632 or 1.800.778.7091
www.ccadv.org
- **Colorado Organization for Victim Assistance**
303.861.1160
www.coloradocrimevictims.org
- **Denver Center for Crime Victims**
English: 303.894.8000 | Spanish: 303.718.8289
www.denervictims.org
- **Denver Human Services**
720.944.1381
- **DOVE Advocacy for Deaf Abused Women & Children**
303.831.7874
[24-hour crisis line](#)
- **Gateway, Arapahoe County**
303.343.1851
www.gatewayshelter.org
- **Jewish Community Response to Domestic Violence**
303.825.HELP (4357)
- **Latina Safehouse Initiative**
303.433.4470
www.latinasafehouse.net

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DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RESOURCES

EMERGENCY DV SERVICES (CONTINUED)

- **Legal Advocacy and Assistance Clinic: Project Safeguard**, <http://psghelps.org>
303.317.4157 | Hotlines: Denver 303.865.9159
Arapahoe 303.799.3977, Adams 303.637.7761
- **Legal and Restraining Orders/Asian Pacific Development Center**
303.923.2920
www.apdc.org
- **Project Safeguard-Denver**
303.865.9159 (for civil protection orders, safety planning, and resource referral)
- **Rape Assistance and Awareness Program (RAAP)**
303.329.9922
www.raap.org
- **Temp Restraining Order Clinic**
303.863.7416
- **SafeHouse Denver**
303.318.9989
www.safehouse-denver.org
- **Servicios de la Raza**
303.458.5851
- **Women's Crisis Center**
Douglas County
303.688.8484
www.twcfoc.org
- **Women In Crisis**
Jefferson County
www.thefamilytree.org
303.420.6752 , 303.271.6559 (for legal advocacy)



Denver CCAP

720.944.KIDS (5437) - Denver County residents
www.DenverCCAP.org

The Denver Child Care Assistance Program (CCAP) helps eligible families afford child care. CCAP provides financial assistance for newborns to children up to age 13 and for special needs youth up through age 18. They are currently accepting applications from parents who are:

- Employed or self-employed and earn at least minimum wage for the hours worked.
- Attending high school, attending college for your first bachelor's degree or other vocational program, or working towards earning a GED or ESL (Denver may cover up to 12 months of education support.)

For individuals currently searching for employment, Denver CCAP may cover up to 30 days.

- Scan and email application and documents to:
denverccap@denvergov.org
- Drop the documents in a CCAP Drop Box at:
 1. Denver Human Services building located at 1200 Federal Blvd. Drop boxes are located on the 1st floor near the 1st floor security desk and in the Self-Service Center. Attention: CCAP
 2. Montbello DHS Office building located at 4685 Peoria St. Drop box is located in the lobby. Attention: CCAP
 3. East DHS Office building located at 3815 Steel St. Drop box is located in the lobby. Attention: CCAP
- Mail your application to:
Denver Human Services
1200 Federal Blvd., Denver, Colorado 80204
Attention: CCAP
- Fax: 720.944.3330
Attention: CCAP



Find Child Care

www.qualistar.org
303.339.6800



DPS Office of Extended Learning

<http://dce.dpsk12.org>
720.424.8240

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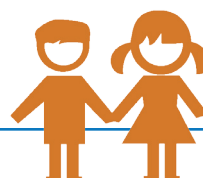
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LEGAL RESOURCES

- **Bankruptcy Clinic**
U.S. Bankruptcy Court
721 19th St., Denver 80202
2nd Tuesday of each month; 1:30 to 3 p.m.
- **Child Support Enforcement Services**
1437 Bannock St., Room 368, Denver 80202
3rd Thursday of every other month; noon to 1 p.m.
- **Collections Clinic**
City and County Building
1437 Bannock St., Room 117, Denver 80202
3rd Thursday of each month; 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- **Colorado Lawyers for Colorado Veterans Legal Clinic**
Matthews Center, 3030 Downing St., Denver 80205
2nd Tuesday of each month; noon to 2 p.m.
www.cobar.org/COLawyers4COVeterans
- **Colorado Poverty Law Project Legal Clinic**
Colorado Coalition for the Homeless Stout Street Clinic
2100 Broadway St., Denver 80205
3rd Wednesday of each month; 4 to 6 p.m.
 - This free monthly legal clinic provides resources on: housing, consumer, small claims, family, employment, benefits, and identification. Volunteer attorneys answer general on-the-spot questions and providing referrals.
- **Doing Your Own Divorce Clinic**
1437 Bannock St., Courtroom 368, Denver 80202
3rd Wednesday of each month; noon to 1:30 p.m.
- **Family Law Legal Clinic**
Office of Economic Development
1200 Federal Blvd., Room 1018, Denver 80204
3rd Tuesday of each month; 5:30 to 7 p.m.
www.courts.state.co.us
- **Legal Night at Mi Casa**
360 Acoma, Denver 80204
303.573.1302
3rd Tuesday of each month; 5:30 to 7 p.m.
- **Legal Night at El Centro de San Juan Diego**
2830 Lawrence St., Denver 80205
303.295.9470
1st Wednesday of each month; 5:30 to 7 p.m.
- **Small Claims Clinic**
City and County Building
1437 Bannock St., Room 117, Denver 80202
3rd Tuesday of each month; 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

■ **DPS Medicaid and School Based Clinics**

720.423.3661 | 720.423.2660

- Meet one-on-one to enroll children into CHP+ or Medicaid
- Map of schools served: <http://goo.gl/maps/HxU12>

Denver School-Based Health Centers located at the following DPS campuses:

- Bruce Randolph
- Evie Dennis Campus
- John F. Kennedy
- Kepner
- Kunsmiller Creative Arts Academy
- Lake International School
- Abraham Lincoln HS
- Manual HS
- Martin Luther King, Jr. Early College
- Montbello HS
- North HS
- Place Bridge Academy
- Rachel B. Noel
- South HS
- West HS

■ **Denver Health Medical Campus**

777 Bannock St., Denver 80204

303.436.6065 | 303.293.2220 | Medical Records: 303.296.8826

Fax: 303.293.3977 | Psych Fax: 303.293.6511

Monday-Friday; 8:30 a.m. to 10 p.m., Saturday and Sunday; 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Clinic: Mon., Tues., Thurs. & Fri. - 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Wed. - Noon-6 p.m.

■ **Denver Health Sites**

Appointment Line: 303.436.4949 | 24-Hour Nurse Line: 303.739.1211

- **Eastside Family Community Center**
501 28th St., Denver 80205
- **La Casa/Quigg Newton Community Health Center**
4545 Navajo St., Denver 80211
- **Lowry Family Community Center**
1001 Yosemite St., Denver 80230
- **Montbello Family Community Center**
12600 E. Albrook Dr., Denver 80239
- **Park Hill Family Community Center**
4995 E. 33rd Ave., Denver 80207
- **Webb Center for Primary Care**
301 W. 6th Ave., Denver 80204
- **Westside Family Community Center**
1100 Federal Blvd., Denver 80204
- **Westwood Family Community Center**
4320 W. Alaska Place, Denver 80219

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MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

- **Denver Children's Advocacy Center**
2149 Federal Blvd., Denver 80211
303.825.3850
Mental health counseling for children who have been abused/traumatized
- **Denver Health**
303.602.HELP (4357)
- **Mental Health Center of Denver, Access Center**
4455 E. 12th St., Denver 80220
303.504.6500 | 303.504.7900
Monday-Friday; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Email: AccessCenter@mhcd.org
- **Servicios de la Raza, Denver**
4055 Tejon St., Denver 80211
303.458.5851 | Fax: 303-455-1332
- **Synergy Outpatient, Denver**
1212 S. Broadway St., Suite 200, Denver 80210
303.934.1008 | Fax: 303.934.1262
- **Professional Psychology Center (P.P.C.), Denver**
2460 S. Vine St., Denver 80210
303.871.3626 | Fax: 303.871.3625
- **The Empowerment Program, Inc, Denver**
1600 York St., Denver 80206
303.320.1989 | Fax: 303.320.3987
- **Developmental Disability Consultants, P.C., Denver**
1211 S. Parker Road, Suite 200, Denver 80231
303.337.2210 | Fax: 303-337-4147
- **Colorado Coalition for the Homeless Mental Health Care**
2130 Stout St. Clinic, 2nd Floor Denver 80205
Triage Line: 303.293.6512
Existing Patient Walk-In: 7:30 a.m. (Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday);
Noon on Wednesdays

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- **Webb Center for Primary Care**
301 W. 6th Ave., Denver 80204
303.602.8200
8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Appointment check-in via phone: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- **Eastside Family Community Center**
501 28th St., Denver 80205
303.436.4600
Monday-Friday; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.,
Emergency Walk-in Monday-Friday; 8 to 9:15 a.m.
- **Montbello Family Community Center**
12600 E. Albrook Dr., Denver 80239
303.602.4000
Monday-Friday; 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.,
Emergency Walk-in Monday-Friday; 8 to 9 a.m.
- **Westside Family Community Center**
1100 Federal Blvd., Denver 80204
303.436.4345
8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday-Friday
Emergency Walk-in: 8 to 9 a.m., Monday-Friday

OTHER DENTAL RESOURCES:

- **New Hope Dental Services**
4200 W. Conejos Place, Denver 80204
720.956.0311
Monday-Thursday; 7:45 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Friday 7:45 a.m. to 3 p.m.
 - Patient lottery on the first Monday of every month. Children up to the age of 18 years old do not have to enter the lottery
- **Colorado Coalition for the Homeless**
2111 Champa St., Denver 80205
303.312.9703
8:30 a.m (arrive at 7:30 a.m.), Monday-Wednesday, or call for an appointment
- **Kids in Need of Dentistry**
2465 S. Downing St., Suite 210, Denver 80210
303.733.3710, ext. 15
www.kindsmiles.org
Call to apply

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- **A Precious Child**
557 Burbank St., Unit E
Broomfield 80020
303.466.4272
 - Call for details on essential clothing items for the family. Referral required.
- **Clothes To Kids of Denver, Inc.**
2890 S Colorado Blvd., Unit 15-P
Denver, 80222
720.379.4630
 - Call for an appointment. Provides 1-week of clothing 2 times per year. Must live in Denver and be a DPS student. **Referral required**
- **Clothing Closet**
Servicios de la Raza, Inc
4055 Tejon St., Denver 80211
303.458.5851
 - Must complete application
 - Clothing available for newborns to children up to age 8
- **Dress for Success Denver**
303.832.1889
 - For female parents/guardians looking for employment. Referral required
- **Clothing Closet**
Volunteers of America
303.295.2165 | 303.297.0408
2877 Lawrence St., Denver, 80205
 - Clothing, shoes, household items and personal hygiene products are provided once a week.
- **Denver Rescue Mission (Ministry Outreach Center)**
303.297.1815
Monday-Friday; 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.
 - Referral required
 - Appointments made according to item availability
 - Clothing for men, women and children
 - Bring identification
 - Affordable gently-used clothing and household items
- **Saint Vincent de Paul Society Thrift Store**
6260 E. Colfax Ave. Denver 80220
303.388.3315 | 303.960.9163
Monday-Saturday; 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Sunday; 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.
 - Offers low-cost items including furniture, household goods and clothing
- **Thrift Mart**
Assistance League of Denver
1331 E. Colfax Ave., Denver 80203
303.322.5205
Monday-Saturday; 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

■ **Community Re-Entry Center**

940 Broadway St., Denver 80203
303.763.2481

- Resource Guide (PDF):
<http://employassistdenver.wordpress.com/denver-job-resources/felony-resources>

■ **Denver Works – 2nd Chance Program**

2828 N. Speer Ave., Denver 80211
303.433.3035

- The 2nd Chance Program provides employment assistance to the prisoner reentry population. The entry point into the program is the former offender workshop. Topics for the workshop include:
 - Job search strategies for former offenders
 - Tips on responding to difficult interview questions
 - Introduction to industries and employers who are felon-friendly
- The 2nd Chance Program offers assistance based on individual needs and qualifying criteria, which includes the following services by appointment:
 - Job leads
 - Clothing
 - Computer lab access
 - Mentor opportunities
 - Interview-appropriate clothing

■ **Ex-Offender Services - Community Outreach Service Center**

2515 California St., Denver 80205
303.295.6180

- Services for ex-offenders including food services, hot meals, job assistance and referrals, bus tokens, education assistance and counseling

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HOUSING

- **Brothers Redevelopment , Inc.**
Rental Counseling, tenant rights, eviction process, resources for rent
2250 Eaton St. Garden Level, Suite B Denver, CO 80214
303-202-6340 | 303-274-1314 (fax)
info@brothersredevelopment.org
- **Colorado Division of Housing & CHFA**
www.ColoradoHousingSearch.com
 - Clearing house for available rental housing
 - Search criteria includes city, bedroom, income, school district
- **Denver Housing Authority**
www.dhanet.com
 - **TIP: WHEN APPLYING FOR HOUSING, NEVER PAY MONEY UPFRONT TO APPLY**
 - If anyone asks you for money to put in an application for a Denver Housing Authority/HUD housing voucher, they are attempting to commit fraud. DO NOT give them money to receive an application.
 - If your lottery number is selected, the Denver Housing Authority will send you an application.
- **Habitat for Humanity**
Home Ownership Program
Family Services Hotline: 720.496.2726
www.habitatmetrodenver.org
- **HUD Colorado**
Denver Regional Office Dept. of Housing and Urban Development
1670 Broadway, Denver 80202
303.672.5440
www.hud.gov
- **The One Call for all your housing-related questions- Colorado Housing Connects**
1-844-926-6632 | <http://coloradohousingconnects.org/>

Other Housing Search Websites

- www.socialserve.com
- www.gosection8.com

■ Housing Authorities in Metro Denver

Call the agencies below to learn what affordable and subsidized housing is available. Sec 8. Lotteries are held annually and each county is different.

- **Adams County Housing Authority**
7190 Colorado Blvd., 6th Floor, Commerce City 80022
303.227.2075 | Fax: 303.227.2098
adamscountyhousing.com
- **Arvada Housing Authority**
8101 Ralston Road, Arvada 80001
720.898.7494 | Fax: 720.898.7490
arvada.org/services
- **Aurora Housing Authority**
10745 E. Kentucky Ave., Aurora 80012
720.351.2100
aurorahousing.org
- **Commerce City Housing Authority**
City Hall: 5291 E. 60th Ave., 2nd Floor, Commerce City 80022
303.289.3698 | Fax: 303.289.3688
c3gov.com
- **Denver Housing Authority**
777 Grant St., Denver 80204
720.932.3000 | Fax: 720.932.3009
denverhousing.org
- **Englewood/Sheridan Housing Authority**
3460 S. Sherman St., Englewood 80113
303.761.6200 | Fax: 303.781.5503
englewoodhousing.homestead.com
- **Jefferson County Housing Authority**
7490 West 45th Ave., Wheat Ridge 80033
303.422.8600 | Fax: 303.422.3229
jcha.org
- **Longmont Housing Authority**
303.651.8581
<http://www.longmontha.com>
- **Metro West Housing Solutions**
303.987.7580
mwhsolutions.org
- **South Metro Housing Options**
303.794.9608
southmetrohousingoptions.org

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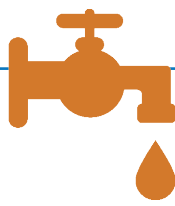
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UTILITY ASSISTANCE

■ Colorado LEAP

- *Nov. 1 thru April 30:* Apply for heating assistance through Colorado's Low-Income Energy Assistance Program (LEAP). Call toll-free 1-866-HEAT-HELP (1-866-432-8435) for an application. LEAP is federally funded and managed through the county offices of the Colorado Department of Human Services.
- *Nov. 1 thru April 30:* If you have a letter from LEAP saying you do not qualify for LEAP assistance, you may still apply for heating assistance through Energy Outreach Colorado's partner agencies. Call 1-866-HEAT-HELP to find an agency near you. Energy Outreach does not provide direct help to individuals. For a list of participating agencies visit www.energyoutreach.org
- *May 1 thru Oct. 31:* LEAP will no longer accept applications during this time, but you can apply for heating assistance through Energy Outreach's partner agencies. Call 1-866-HEAT-HELP to find an agency near you.

■ Energy Outreach Colorado (EOC)

Heat Help 866.432.8435

- EOC will connect you with an agency to provide assistance with bills for coal, electricity, gas, firewood, kerosene, oil or propane. An EOC agency can help once during a grant year from Oct.1-Sept. 30.

■ DenUM

1717 E Colfax Ave., Denver, 80218

303.355.4896

info@denum.org

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.;

Wednesday; 9 a.m. to Noon

- DenUM operates a call-in line for utility assistance information and requests. When funding is available, messages will be taken from those seeking assistance. Clients must apply for LEAP before receiving assistance between November 1 and April 1.
- DenUM returns calls based on a first-call, first-served basis until all the appointment times are filled.

■ Catholic Charities St. Veronica

4045 Pecos St., Denver, 80211

720.377.1313

8-8:45 a.m., Monday-Friday, to make an appointment

For UTILITY ASSISTANCE (Xcel Energy/Water), we require all of the following:

- The bill must be in client's name (not the landlord's name)
- Utility bill must be at least one day in arrears
- Total Xcel bill may not exceed \$1,000
- Total water bill may not exceed \$200



■ Metro Migrant Education Program

OUR MISSION Identify, recruit, and support migrant families by providing services effectively allowing them to achieve their educational goals.

WHAT IS MIGRANT EDUCATION? The Migrant Education Program (MEP) is a national program designed to meet the unique needs of children of migratory agricultural workers. MEP was established in 1966 by an amendment to Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965. It provides both supplemental educational and support services.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE? Migrant students are children, from birth through age 21, of parents or guardians who have moved across state or school district lines, anytime during the past three years to seek or with the intent to obtain temporary or seasonal employment in agriculture, fishing or related industries. Children can qualify even if their parents did not find the job they were looking for or if they have changed jobs since. Agriculturally related work includes the following activities:

- Sugar and honey
- Sod Farms
- Dairy or dairy products
- Dried and dehydrated food, spices
- Field work
- Greenhouses, nurseries and orchards
- Meat packing plants
- Poultry and eggs
- Preserved and canned food

Metro Migrant Education Program
14707 E. 2nd Avenue, Suite 180, Aurora, Colorado 80011
303-365-5817

<http://migrant-education.aurorak12.org>

How to identify family as MEP in DPS:

Use the Federal Programs Form in enrollment packet or call 303.365.5817

<http://hen.dpsk12.org/metro-migrant-education-program>

Colorado Migrant Education Program:

Tomas Mejia, State Director

mejia_t@cde.state.co.us

Phone-303-866-6963

- CDE Homelessness and Migrant Info:
http://www.cde.state.co.us/dropoutprevention/homeless_resources-migrant

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NUMBERS & CONTACTS

■ Denver Public Schools (DPS):

General information (weather related school closings): 720.423.3200
www.dpsk12.org

- Child Find: 720.423.3420
- Dept. of Extended Learning: 720.424.8240
- Early Education: 720.423.2679 or 720.423.2676
- ECE/Kindergarten: 720.424.2639
- Gifted and Talented: 720.423.2056
- Homeschooling: 720.423.3437
- Indian Education: 720.423.2042
- Kaleidoscope Corner: 720.423.1781
- Medicaid: 720.423.8251
- Migrant Education: 720.423.3024
- Parent/Family Liaisons: 720.423.3054
- School Boundary Hotline: 720.423.3686
- School of Choice Hotline: 720.423.3493 or 720.423.7627
- Security: 720.423.3911
- Social Work and Psychological Services: 720.423.8088
 - To leave a message, call 720.423.3437
- Special Education Parent Liaisons: 720.423.2124 or 720.423.2125
- Student Records: 720.423.3552
- School Work Alliance Program (SWAP): 303.866.3869
- Transportation Services: 720.423.4600
 - Lost & Found, Late or Missing Bus, Missing Student: 720- 423-4624

■ Community Resources:

- **Mentoring:** If you are interested in learning more about the Youth Mentoring Collaborative, please contact 720.334.7153 or email youthmentoringcollaborative@gmail.com
- **PEAK:** This is an online service for Coloradans to screen and apply for medical, food and cash assistance programs. If you have applied for benefits, check status online at <http://coloradopeak.force.com>
- **Colorado Works:** Application for benefits in English and Spanish online at: <http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDHS-ColoradoWorks/CCW/1251575232507>
- **2-1-1:** Community resources available online at <https://211colorado.communityos.org/cms/home>
- **Prescription Medication:** Partnership for Prescription Assistance is a national program. Contact 1.888.477.2669, or visit <http://www.coloradodrugcard.com/index.php> to receive a prescription drug card to use at pharmacies.

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