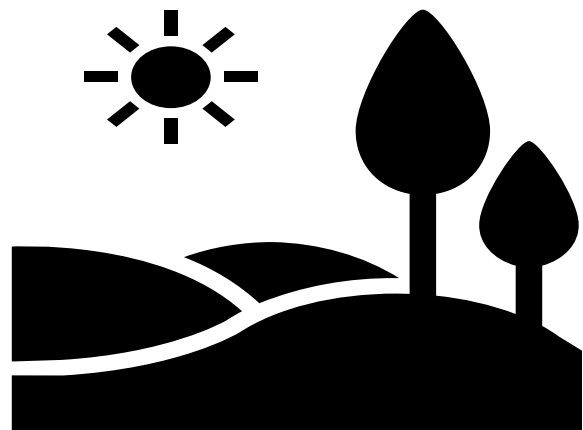


LOCAL RESOURCE DIRECTORY

As of 5/2023, extensive efforts have been made to verify the accuracy of this directory, but no guarantees are made. Hopefully, it will still be a useful resource. 😊 yf



Contact information and a short description of services are provided on following resources:

RESOURCES with MULTIPLE SERVICES - (including food and housing services)

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Find Help LA

Jefferson Parish Community Action Programs (JEFFCAP)

Ozanam Inn

Partners for Family Health

St. Joseph Rebuild Center (Harry Tompson Center and Lantern Light Ministries)

ABORTION HEALING

Abortion Pill Reversal Helpline

Holy Innocents Prayer Garden

Pregnancy Services of Catholic Charities (ACCESS PREGNANCY)

Project Rachel

Women's New Life Clinic

ADOPTION and FOSTER CARE

Catholic Charities Adoption Services

Catholic Charities Therapeutic Family Services (Tfs)

Louisiana Department of Children And Family Services

CHILDCARE PROGRAMS - Headstart

COUNSELING

Archdiocese of New Orleans Catholic Counseling Services

Catholic Charities of New Orleans Counseling Services

DISABILITES

Archdiocese of New Orleans Information On Disabilities

Deaf Apostolate of The Archdiocese Of New Orleans

Developmental Community Services

God's Special Children

Loyola Press Learning Resources

Padua Community Services (CCANO)

St. Michael Special School

St. Thérèse Academy

Xavier Society for the Blind

DOMESTIC ABUSE / VIOLENCE / HUMAN TRAFFICKING HOTLINES

Dating Violence and Abuse 24-Hour Helpline

Department Of Children and Family Services (DCFS)

Federal Law Enforcement

Metro Centers for Community Advocacy

National Center for Missing And Exploited Children, 24/7 Hotline

National Domestic Violence 24/7 Hotline

National Human Trafficking 24/7 Hotline

Project Save - Stopping Abuse Through Victim Empowerment (Catholic Charities)

Runaway & Homeless Youth: National Runaway 24/7 Safeline

Rape, Abuse & Incest National Network (RAINN) 24/7 Hotline

Social Services

END of LIFE

Angels' Place

Archdiocese Of New Orleans Information on End-Of-Life Issues

Holy Innocents Prayer Garden (In St. Patrick #1 New Orleans Catholic Cemetery)

FERTILITY / INFERTILITY

Archdiocese Office of Marriage & Family Life

Woman's New Life Clinic

FOOD ASSISTANCE

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St. Edward's St. Vincent De Paul
Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New Orleans Food Pantry
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
Why Hunger Online Database
WIC Louisiana

HEALTHCARE

Ascension Depaul Community Health Centers
Jefferson Parish Health Unit (Metairie)
LSU Health Clinic At Ozanam Inn
Tulane Community Health Center
University Medical Center

HEALTHCARE – BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

Bridge House/Grace House
Eunoia Center
Nami (New Orleans Mental Health)
National Suicide Prevention Hotline
Via Link Crisis/Suicide Counseling
988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline

HOUSING

Catholic Charities Housing and Homelessness Services
Grace at the Green Light
Hotel Hope
NOLA Women and Children's Shelter
St. Marguerite D'Youville Maternity Home
*** UNITY Housing ***

HOUSING – EMERGENCY SHELTERS

Catholic Charities Bethlehem Housing
New Orleans Mission
New Orleans Women And Children's Shelter
Ozanam Inn
Salvation Army
New Orleans Low Barrier Shelter

IMMIGRATION SERVICES and REFUGEE SERVICES

Catholic Charities
Catholic Charities Immigration Legal Services

MISCARRIAGE and EARLY INFANT DEATH

Caskets for All Babies
Compassionate Burial for Indigent Babies (CBIB)
Compassionate Friends of New Orleans
Holy Innocents Prayer Garden

PREGNANCY ASSISTANCE

Children's Hospital Parenting Center
Natural Family Planning
Nurse Family Partnership
Pregnancy Services of Catholic Charities (Access Pregnancy)
Safe Haven
St. Marguerite D'Youville Maternity Home
Woman's New Life Clinic

RE-ENTRY PROGRAMS (released from prison)

Catholic Charities Cornerstone Builders

RESOURCES with MULTIPLE SERVICES (including food and housing services)

211 Dial 2-1-1 <https://www.louisiana211.org/>

Available 24/7. Connects to critical health and human services available in the local community. *Find Assistance For:* **Food**, Clothing, **Shelter**, Financial Assistance, Counseling, Drug and Alcohol Intervention, Medicaid and Medicare, Maternal Health and Children's Health Insurance, Unemployment Benefits, Job Training, Home Health Care, Adult Day Care, Childcare, After School Programs, Tutoring and Protective Services.

FIND HELP LA <https://findhelpla.com/>

Website that lists organizations providing services before, during, and after pregnancy. *Find Assistance For:* Pregnancy Centers; Health Services; Financial Help; Prenatal Diagnosis Support; Pregnancy or Infant Loss Support, Baby Supplies, **Food**, Clothing, **Housing**, Legal Services; Adoptions, Childcare, Abortion Recovery, Addiction or Suicide Intervention, Counseling, Domestic or Sexual Violence Resources and Shelters.

JEFFERSON PARISH COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAMS (JEFFCAP)

<https://www.jeffparish.net/departments/jeffcap/community-centers>

Mon - Fri 8:30a - 4:30p (Closed 12p – 1p). All assistance is 1st come 1st served.

Call for current days and times for availability of specific services.

- **Dorothy B. Watson Community Center** 504-736-6480
1300 S. Myrtle Street, Metairie, LA 70003
- **Hazel Rhea Hurst Community Center** 504- 838-4277
1121 S. Causeway Blvd., Jefferson, LA 70121

Required Documentation for Assistance: Current LA driver's license or LA ID card; Social Security Card for each household member; Proof of Income of all members in the household; Food Stamp printouts dated within 30 days of the application date. Unearned income must also be provided (alimony, retirement benefits, worker's compensation, supplemental security income, Social Security, etc.).

- **Employment Services** —Job Searches, Job Readiness Training
- **Education Services** – Help with obtaining skills for employment & completing ABE/GED
- **Food Distribution** – Monthly food boxes provided to qualified individuals
- **Housing Services** – HUD-approved Comprehensive Housing Counseling. Help in finding and paying for housing; emergency rental/mortgage assistance (when available)

OZANAM INN 504-523-1184 / 2239 Poydras Street, N.O., LA 70119
<https://www.ozanaminn.org/services.html>

Free services to men and women. Call for current days and times for availability of services.

- **Humanitarian**: Food, Clothing, Haircuts; Shelter (Men Only!), Showers (Men Only!)
- **Counseling**: Case Management, Life Skills, Substance Abuse Counseling, AA and Narcotics Anonymous
- **Medical**: (Through partnerships with LSU & Tulane Medical Schools, LSU School of Dentistry and Healthcare for the Homeless) Health Care Screenings, Testing for TB, Hepatitis C, HIV/AIDS; Dental Health Care, Eye Exam Referrals/Eyeglasses
- **Medications/Pharmacy**: Prescription and Over-the-Counter Medicines
- **Employment Skills**: Resume Writing, Job Search Assistance, Interview & Computer Skills
- **Spiritual**: On-Site Chapel, Spiritual Counseling offered by Pastors, Deacons, and Ministers
- **Legal Counsel/Basic Needs**: Legal Counsel and Notary Public, State ID Cards, Driver's Licenses and Birth Certificates, Mail Receipt and Distribution, Transportation Assistance, Reading Eyeglass Distribution
- **Housing**: Permanent Housing w/Intense Case Management, **Rapid Re-Housing**

PARTNERS for FAMILY HEALTH

1-800-251-BABY (2229) <https://partnersforfamilyhealth.org/partner-babies-parent/>

Available 24/7. All Calls Confidential.

Managed by Louisiana Department of Health's Bureau of Family Health.

Find Assistance For: **Food, Housing**, Jobs, Healthcare, Counseling.

***** ST. JOSEPH CHURCH'S REBUILD CENTER ***** 504-273-5577

1803 Gravier Street, N.O., LA 70112 (directly behind St. Joseph's Church on Tulane Ave)

<https://www.stjosephchurch-no.org/st-joseph-rebuild-center/>

Day Shelter. Comprehensive services specializing in delivering **food**, hygiene, hospitality, health, and **housing services** to the homeless and the working poor. Partnership of St. Joseph Catholic Church, the Harry Tompson Center, Lantern Light Ministries, and DePaul USA.

- **HARRY TOMPSON CENTER:** 504-273-5547 <https://www.harrytompsoncenter.org/>
Mon - Fri, 7:45a - 12:30p and by appointment after 1p.
- **Hygiene Services** - Sign up at 7:45a; 1st come 1st served: Hot Showers, Haircuts, Restrooms, and Large Basin Sinks for Grooming and Washing Up.
 - **Personal Care Items** - Clean towels, soap, shampoo, deodorant, feminine hygiene products, socks, underwear, hats, hygiene kits, reading glasses.
 - **Phone Use** – Mon - Fri 8a – 12:15p: Local and Long Distance; Phone Charging.
 - **Bike Class**
 - **Legal Aid Referrals** for Social Security Benefits, Tues 8a-8:30a. Must preregister.
 - **Housing Navigation** - Housing placement through DePaul USA.
 - **Case Management** - Case managers work as liaisons 1:1 between guests and service providers to help with shelter and rehabilitation referrals, family reunification efforts, and other support services.
 - **Basic Medical Care** - Over-the-Counter Medicine, Vitamins, Basic Wound Care, HIV/Hep-C/COVID testing and vaccines.
 - **Spiritual Care** - Volunteers (priests, sisters, counselors, deacons, and others) dedicate time to sit with guests in prayer or help them tend to their spiritual wellness.
 - **Courtyard** – 7:45a - 2p; Access to Electrical Outlets, WIFI, 1-on-1 assistance with small tasks
- **LANTERN LIGHT MINISTRIES:** 504-273-5573 <https://lanternlight.org/>
Ministry of the Presentation Sisters.
Sign up for services during Morning Snack and Lunch Times.
- **Morning Snack:** Mon – Fri 9a -9:30a
 - **Lunch:** Mon – Fri 1p-1:30p
 - **SNAP (Food Stamps) and Medicaid Application Assistance:** By appointment only.
 - **Food Bank:** 1st and 3rd Friday of the Month, 9:30a -10:30a. Bring ID, Proof of Income, and Lease.
 - **Mail Service:** Registration Required; Need ID Card to pick up mail at least once every 4 weeks. NO UPS or FedEx.
 - **Prescription Assistance:** Referrals Given, Prescription and Homeless Letter Needed
 - **Birth Certificate Assistance:** Assistance granted for individuals needing LA State ID or for Housing Program. (Homeless letter and Referral letter needed for both purposes)
 - **Identification Assistance:** First time IDs require birth certificate & 2 other forms of ID
 - **Employment Assistance:** By appointment only.
 - **Emergency Financial Assistance:** Need ID, proof of income, & disconnect notice.
 - **Notary:** By appointment only.
 - **Case Management Assistance:** Individuals can meet with Social Worker to obtain resources that will benefit their specific needs. By Appointment Only. Call 504-273-5573, Ext. 114.

ABORTION HEALING

ABORTION PILL REVERSAL - 24/7 Helpline 1-877-558-0333

Non-Urgent 614-885-7577 <https://www.abortionpillreversal.com>

HOLY INNOCENTS PRAYER GARDEN (St. Patrick #1 New Orleans Catholic Cemetery)

Holy Innocents Prayer Garden memorial plaques

<https://nolacatholiccemeteries.org/holy-innocents-plaques>

PREGNANCY SERVICES OF CATHOLIC CHARITIES (ACCESS PREGNANCY)

504-832-1503 / 921 Aris Ave, Ste. 102 / Metairie, LA 70005

<https://www.ccano.org/access-pregnancy-services/> Open Tues, Wed, Thurs 9a – 4p

Professional Post-Abortion Counseling

PROJECT RACHEL

877 HOPE 4 ME (877-467-3463) / www.rachelsvineyard.org

danna cousins dcousins@ccano.org 504-885-1141, ext 25 www.hopeafterabortion.com

Pam Richard 504-460-9360 richj504@bellsouth.net

Donna Scheuermann 504-258-9183 donnas@1791.com

Compassionate, individualized care for men and women affected by an abortion loss.

WOMAN'S NEW LIFE CLINIC

Client Line 504-831-3117 / Office 504-496-0212 / 4612 S. Claiborne Ave. N.O., LA 70125

<https://womansnewlife.com/> Open Mon – Fri 8:30a – 4:30p

Professional Post-Abortion Counseling, Abortion Pill Reversal

ADOPTION and FOSTER CARE

CATHOLIC CHARITIES ADOPTION SERVICES

(504) 885-1141 / 4200 S. I-10 Service Rd. W., Ste. 124, Metairie, LA 70001 www.adoptnola.com

Adopting a child: Danna Cousins dcousins@ccano.org

Placing a child for adoption: C. Falgoust cfalgoust@ccano.org

Mon – Fri. Please call or email to schedule an appointment.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES THERAPEUTIC FAMILY SERVICES (TFS)

504-310-6939 / <https://www.ccano.org/tfs/> Shacidy Hadley-Bush shadley@ccano.org

For those interested in *Becoming Foster Parents*.

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT of CHILDREN and FAMILY SERVICES

1-888-524-3578 / <https://dcfs.louisiana.gov/> Helps facilitate adoptions and foster care.

CHILD CARE PROGRAMS

HEAD START CENTRAL OFFICE 504-736-6850

Joseph S. Yenni Building / 1221 Elmwood Park Blvd., Suite 402, Jefferson, LA 70123

COUNSELING

ARCHDIOCESE of NEW ORLEANS CATHOLIC COUNSELING SERVICES

504-861-6245 / 2814 S. Carrollton Ave., N.O., LA 70118

<https://nolacatholiccounseling.com/>

CATHOLIC CHARITIES of NEW ORLEANS COUNSELING SERVICES

985-785-2113 / 1424 Dante St. N.O., LA 70118

<https://www.ccano.org/counseling-solutions/>

DISABILITES

ARCHDIOCESE of NEW ORLEANS INFORMATION on DISABILITIES

<https://nolacatholic.org/disabilities>

Education and on resources on pastoral care for those with disabilities.

DEAF APOSTOLATE of the ARCHDIOCESE of NEW ORLEANS

Voice: 504-943-2456 Voice/FaceTime: 504-650-2740 VideoPhone: (504) 383-8808

3037 Dauphine Street, N.O., LA 70117-6724 gerarddeaf@arch-no.org

<https://www.arch-no.org/offices/deaf-apostolate>

Provides Pastoral Care and Religious Education for the Deaf/Hard-of-Hearing & Deaf/Blind Catholic Community of New Orleans. Fosters faith to provide full access to the life of the Church.

DEVELOPMENTAL COMMUNITY SERVICES

504-838-5424 <https://www.jphsa.org/ddcs>

Monday-Friday 8a – 4:30p

Services and support for children and adults with a developmental disability.

Personal Companion & Respite Services, Psychological Services, Care Coordination, Supported Living Services, Transition Planning for High School Graduates, Vocational Services, Advocacy, Court Liaison Services, Crisis Intervention

GOD's SPECIAL CHILDREN

<https://godsspecialchildren.org/>

Open for anyone, but especially welcoming for children with special needs, monthly Masses are held at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church (444 Metairie Road, Metairie, LA 70005).

LOYOLA PRESS LEARNING RESOURCES

<https://www.loyolapress.com/faith-formation/special-needs/>

Award-winning resources and programs that support families by making faith formation and sacramental preparation available to children grades 1-8 with autism and other special challenges.

PADUA COMMUNITY SERVICES (CCANO)

504-392-0502

<https://www.ccano.org/padua/>

Offers comprehensive and specialized care for children and adults with intellectual disabilities through Padua House Residential Program and Padua Community Homes. Padua programs provide housing and care ensuring that all residents have quality individualized care based on their specific needs.

ST. MICHAEL SPECIAL SCHOOL

504-524-7285 / 1522 Chippewa Street, N.O., LA 70130

<https://www.stmichaelspecialschool.com/>

Education for students age six through adulthood with intellectual and developmental disabilities (i.e. those with mild to moderate disabilities, including autism, ADHD, developmental delay, Down Syndrome, traumatic brain injury, multiple disabilities, and other health impaired). Curriculum includes religion, reading, language arts, math, science, social studies, computer, creative arts, culinary science, vocational training, independent living, community integration, industrial arts, physical education, and music. Academics tailored to individual needs. Interpersonal skills and social responsibility are consistently.

ST. THÉRÈSE ACADEMY

504-513-4400 / 6421 West Metairie Ave, Metairie, LA 70003 / <https://sttheresenola.org/>

St. Thérèse Academy serves elementary and high school students with identified learning differences and educational exceptionalities. Diverse student body with a range of learning disabilities who desire an individualized education focused on the spiritual, personal, physical, social, and emotional aspects of the human person.

XAVIER SOCIETY FOR the BLIND

212-473-7800

Produces braille books on spiritual and religious topics, & provides braille catechetical textbooks for students in religious education courses & the Propers of the Sunday Mass.

DOMESTIC ABUSE / VIOLENCE / HUMAN TRAFFICKING HOTLINES

DATING VIOLENCE and ABUSE 24-HOUR HELPLINE 1-866-331-9474

DEPARTMENT of CHILDREN and FAMILY SERVICES (DCFS)

1-855-4LA-KIDS (1-855-452-5437)

FEDERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT 1-866-347-2423 (to report suspected human trafficking)

METRO CENTERS for COMMUNITY ADVOCACY

24/7 CRISIS HOTLINE: 504-837-5400 OR Statewide Crisis Hotline 1-888-411-1333

<http://www.mccagno.org>

EMERGENCY SHELTER in Jefferson Parish. ALL SERVICES ARE FREE AND CONFIDENTIAL.

Counseling and/or Referrals, Legal and Medical Information, DCFS-approved Individual Advocacy for Women in Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, Dating Violence and Stalking Situations. Certified by the Louisiana Foundation Against Sexual Assault.

NATIONAL CENTER for MISSING and EXPLOITED CHILDREN, 24/7 HOTLINE

1-800-THE-LOST (843-5678)

NATIONAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE 24/7 HOTLINE 1-800-799-SAFE (7233)

NATIONAL HUMAN TRAFFICKING 24/7 HOTLINE 1-888-3737-888

<https://humantraffickinghotline.org/en>

PROJECT SAVE - STOPPING ABUSE THROUGH VICTIM EMPOWERMENT

(Catholic Charities) 504-310-6872 / Allyson Tuttle email: atuttle@ccano.org

Free Emergency Legal Representation for victims of domestic abuse residing in Orleans Parish

RUNAWAY & HOMELESS YOUTH: NATIONAL RUNAWAY 24/7 SAFELINE

1-800-RUNAWAY (786-2929)

RAPE, ABUSE & INCEST NATIONAL NETWORK (RAINN) 24/7 HOTLINE

1-800-656-4673

SOCIAL SERVICES: Dial 2-1-1 OR 504-269-2673

END of LIFE

ANGELS' PLACE

504-455-2620 / 4323 Division St., Suite 206, Metairie, LA 70002

<https://www.angelsplacenaola.org/>

Respite care and ongoing support services for children with life threatening illnesses and their families.

ARCHDIOCESE of NEW ORLEANS INFORMATION on END-of-LIFE ISSUES

<https://nolacatholic.org/end-of-life-issues>

Catholic Guidance and Education on End of Life Decision Making, Extraordinary vs. Ordinary Care, Medical Ethics, National Council for Aging Care, Suicide & Euthanasia

HOLY INNOCENTS PRAYER GARDEN (in St. Patrick #1 New Orleans Catholic Cemetery)

<https://nolacatholiccemeteries.org/holy-innocents-prayer-garden-1>

Memorial name plaques for babies lost to abortion, miscarriage, or early infant death.

FERTILITY / INFERTILITY

ARCHDIOCESE OFFICE of MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE

Natural Family Planning 504-861-6200

WOMAN'S NEW LIFE CLINIC

Client Line 504-831-3117 / Office 504-496-0212 / 4612 S. Claiborne Ave. N.O., LA 70125

<https://womansnewlife.com/>

Open Mon – Fri 8:30a – 4:30p

Instruction (to avoid pregnancy, achieve pregnancy, or monitor fertility) in Multiple Family Planning and Fertility Awareness Methods, including the Creighton Model FertilityCare System (CrMS), the Family of the Americas Ovulation Method, and FEMM (Fertility Education & Medical Management)

FOOD ASSISTANCE

211 Call 2-1-1 and give your Zip Code to ask for food pantry assistance

ST. EDWARD'S ST. VINCENT de PAUL: 504-888-0703

Food Pantry; Financial support for families and single moms.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES ARCHDIOCESE of NEW ORLEANS FOOD PANTRY

504-491-0163 / 2505 Maine Ave, Metairie, LA 70003 / Mon – Wed 10a – 2p

Receive non-perishable food items once a month.

SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP)

LA Department of Children & Family Services (DCFS) <http://www.dss.louisiana.gov/page/snap/>

Online Application. Monthly government benefits that help eligible households buy food.

WHY HUNGER ONLINE DATABASE

<https://networks.whyhunger.org/>

Community-based organizations and local emergency food providers.

WIC LOUISIANA

504-251-BABY (504-251-2229)

<https://louisianawic.org/>

Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (**WIC**) - Open to women who are pregnant, breastfeeding or have already delivered. Infants and children up to their fifth birthday may also receive benefits. Healthy food, breastfeeding support, nutrition education.

HEALTHCARE

ASCENSION DEPAUL COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS

<https://www.depaulcommunityhealthcenters.org/>

Nation's largest Catholic and largest nonprofit health system, serving patients through a network of hospitals and related health facilities providing acute care services, long-term care, community health services, psychiatric, rehabilitation and residential care.

METAIRIE 504-482-0084 / 111 N. Causeway Blvd., Metairie 70001

LAKESIDE (PEDIATRICS) 504-837-9000 / 3116 6th St., Suite 101 / Metairie, LA 70002

KENNER 504-468-4437 / 3715 Williams Blvd., Suite 220, Kenner, LA 70065

JEFFERSON PARISH HEALTH UNIT (Metairie)

504-838-5100, ext. 139

111 N Causeway Blvd, Metairie 70001

<https://ldh.la.gov/index.cfm/directory/detail/7511>

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri 8a - 4:30p

LSU HEALTH CLINIC AT OZANAM INN

504-523-1184

TULANE COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER 504-988-3002 / 1415 Tulane Ave, N.O., LA

UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER 504-702-3000 / 200 Canal Street, N.O., LA

HEALTHCARE – BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

BRIDGE HOUSE/GRACE HOUSE 504-821-7120 <https://www.bridgehouse.org/>

24-hour, 7 day a week, residential treatment facility.

Provides **no-cost substance-use disorder treatment to men and women.**

Gender-specific group and individual substance abuse counseling, rehabilitation, and vocational training programs. Services are offered regardless of one's ability to pay.

Bridge House: Men's Residential Treatment Facility

504-821-7120 / 4150 Earhart Blvd N.O. 70125

Grace House: Women's Residential Treatment Facility

504-584-1111 / 6321 Stratford Place, N.O. 70131 / Priority admission to pregnant women

EUNOIA CENTER

Jefferson Parish Human Services Authority (JPHSA Behavioral Health Community Services

504-349-3740

<https://www.jphsa.org/eunoia>

Eunoia.Center@jphsa.org

Mon – Fri 8a-4:30p No walk-ins

Open to Jefferson Parish residents ages 18 and older with provider referral or by self-referral.

Daytime respite program for those in crisis. In-person, immediate support to ease

overwhelming feelings of distress. Connect to ongoing services to sustain mental wellness.

Community-based behavioral health therapies (MST, FFT, CPST). Case management. Help in

finding housing, addiction & recovery substance abuse counseling, mental health care. Priority

admission and preference for substance use treatment given in the following order: pregnant

injecting drug users, other pregnant substance abusers, injecting drug users, and all other

individuals.

NAMI (New Orleans Mental Health) 504-896-2345

4403 Canal Street, N.O., LA 70119

<https://namineworleans.org/contact/>

Mon-Fri 8:30a-4:30a Free mental health support, online groups, resources, and education.

In a crisis, call 1-800-273-8255 or Text "NAMI" to 741741 (24/7)

NATIONAL SUICIDE PREVENTION HOTLINE 1-800-273-TALK (8255)

VIA LINK CRISIS/SUICIDE COUNSELING 504-895-5550

<https://vialink.org/crisis-suicide-intervention/>

988 SUICIDE & CRISIS LIFELINE Dial 9-8-8

<https://www.fcc.gov/988-suicide-and-crisis-lifeline>

HOUSING

CATHOLIC CHARITIES HOUSING and HOMELESSNESS SERVICES

504-523-3755

<https://www.ccano.org/homeless-services/>

Shelter and case management for individuals with chronic mental and physical health needs and families experiencing homelessness. Services include permanent supportive housing and sixteen independent apartments for intact, single-parent families. Case management, counseling, advocacy, referrals for additional services, therapeutic and educational groups, home-based case management, counseling, life skills training, budget planning, advocacy, linkages to mainstream resources, and referrals for additional services.

- **Bridges to Self-Sufficiency** - Assists single-parent families in finding transitional housing for three to six months until they can get back on their feet. 504-523-3755
- **Bethlehem Housing** - Rapid rehousing program that is designed to help families quickly exit homelessness, return to housing in the community and not become homeless again. 504-310-6907 <https://www.ccano.org/bethlehem-housing/>
- **Ciara Independent Living** - Provides stable, safe, and stigma-free housing for severely chronically homeless and persistently mentally ill individuals. Case management services are provided to assist clients in living an independent life. 504-524-8394 <https://www.ccano.org/ciara/>
- **Sacred Heart Apartments** - PSH case management supports 55 chronically homeless individuals in New Orleans, with the priority of serving veterans. Individuals must be referred through UNITY's Coordinated Entry System and approved by HRI, the Louisiana PSH office, and Louisiana Housing Corporation.

GRACE at the GREEN LIGHT

504-239-4544

1526 Oretha Castle Haley Blvd, N.O., LA 70113

<https://graceatthegreenlight.org/>

- **Grace's Meals with Love**: Hot breakfast of meat, eggs, biscuit, grits or pancakes, coffee, bottled water. 7 days/week, 6:30a – 7:15a
- **I'm Going Home: Family Reunification Program** provides linkage and transportation between a person who is homeless and their family member or friend who has agreed to support and care for the person upon their arrival. Provides documentation, transportation, and a Grace Care Bag. Participants are contacted upon arrival, after one week, one month, and again in 3 months. At the 3-month follow-up, only 5% of people are back on the streets after being reunited.
- **Grace Care Bag** contains sandwiches, snacks, juice, water, any required medications, reading, puzzles or entertainment materials, and a contract which list the rules and terms of a mutual contract that a homeless person must abide by to return home and live in residence.
- **Grace's Clothing Closet** provides clothing and hygienic supplies. Tues and Sat 7:30a – 8a
- **Hydrate NOLA**: Clean drinking water 24/7 at 13 hydration stations throughout the city.

HOTEL HOPE

504- 821-7773 / 3923 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd, N.O., LA 70125

<https://hotelhope.org/services/>

Nonprofit, interfaith organization. Provides **housing to women and their children**.

Intensive case management, **Short-Term Emergency Housing**, Permanent Housing.

NOLA WOMEN and CHILDREN'S SHELTER

504-522-9340 / 2020 South Liberty Street, N.O., LA 70113 <https://nowcs.org/>
Provides transitional housing for women over age 18, including women with children and pregnant women who are dealing with homelessness. Must be referred by UNITY.

ST. MARGUERITE D'YOUVILLE MATERNITY HOME

877-849-6636 / 1331 Jefferson St., Lafayette, LA 70501
<https://desormeauxfoundation.org/dyouville-home/> Houses homeless pregnant women.

***** UNITY HOUSING *****

504-821-4496, ext. 100 / 2475 Canal Street, Suite 300, N.O., LA 70119 <https://unitygno.org/>
Collaboration of 63 organizations providing **housing and other services for the homeless**.
A caseworker is assigned to assess needs and to verify homelessness, which enables entry into other Unity programs. **Process can take 7-10 days**.

HOUSING – EMERGENCY SHELTERS

CATHOLIC CHARITIES BETHLEHEM HOUSING

504-310-6907 <https://www.ccano.org/bethlehem-housing/>
Rapid rehousing program that is designed to help families quickly exit homelessness, return to housing in the community and not become homeless again.

NEW ORLEANS MISSION

504-523-2116 / 1130 Oretha Castle Haley Blvd., N.O., LA 70113
<https://neworleansmission.org/>

NEW ORLEANS WOMEN and CHILDREN'S SHELTER

504-522-9340 / 2020 S. Liberty St, N.O., LA 70113 / <https://nowcs.org/>

OZANAM INN 504-523-1184 / 2239 Poydras St N.O. 70119 / single men only
<https://www.ozanaminn.org/services.html>

SALVATION ARMY 504-899-4569 / 4500 S. Claiborne, N.O., LA 70125
<https://southernusa.salvationarmy.org/new-orleans/center-of-hope>

Dormitory-style Housing for Single Guests and Apartments for Families; Showers and Hot Meals
women, children, men

NEW ORLEANS LOW BARRIER SHELTER

504-517-1815 / 1530 Gravier St, N.O., LA 70112
Men and Women. No children allowed. Small pets are allowed.

IMMIGRATION SERVICES and REFUGEE SERVICES

CATHOLIC CHARITIES 504-310-6938 / <https://www.ccano.org/immigration-services/>
ESL, Citizenship Classes

CATHOLIC CHARITIES IMMIGRATION LEGAL SERVICES 504-227-3333

MISCARRIAGE and EARLY INFANT DEATH

CASKETS for ALL BABIES <https://mondaynightdisciples.org/caskets-for-all-babies>
Monday Night Disciples build caskets free of charge for all families in need and for babies who have been abandoned. Caskets sizes range to accommodate babies from a few weeks old up to two years old. The build time for each casket takes about two days.

COMPASSIONATE BURIAL for INDIGENT BABIES (CBIB) 504-202-3111
<https://cbibinc.com/> Provides dignified burials for abandoned or indigent babies in our area.

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS of NEW ORLEANS
<http://www.tcfneworleans.com/home.aspx>

HOLY INNOCENTS PRAYER GARDEN (St. Patrick #1 New Orleans Catholic Cemetery)
Holy Innocents Prayer Garden memorial plaques
<https://nolacatholiccemeteries.org/holy-innocents-plaques>

PREGNANCY ASSISTANCE

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL PARENTING CENTER

504-380-0417 / 200 Henry Clay Avenue, N.O., LA 70118

<https://www.chnola.org/services/the-parenting-center/>

Parenting classes and activities.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING 504-861-6200

Archdiocese Office of Marriage & Family Life

NURSE FAMILY PARTNERSHIP

844-637-6667 / 1450 Poydras Ave, N.O., LA 70112

<https://www.nursefamilypartnership.org/first-time-moms/>

Nurses regularly visit young, first-time moms-to-be, starting early in the pregnancy and continuing through the child's 2nd birthday.

PREGNANCY SERVICES OF CATHOLIC CHARITIES (ACCESS PREGNANCY)

504-832-1503 / 921 Aris Ave, Ste. 102 / Metairie, LA 70005

<https://www.ccano.org/access-pregnancy-services/> Open Tues, Wed, Thurs 9a – 4p

Michelle Black, Director: mblack@ccano.org

Free, Confidential, Comprehensive Pregnancy Support Services:

- **Pregnancy Testing, Ultrasound, Case Management, Pregnancy Education**
- **Certified Online Medicaid Enrollment** and Assistance with **SNAP (food stamps)**
- **Professional Post-Abortion Counseling**
- **Diaper Bank** once every 30 days (if requested size is in stock). Diaper sizes Newborn - 6, Pullups 2T - 5T
- **Additional Items** may be available: Maternity & Baby Clothes, Equipment, Layette Sets
- **Adoption Services Referrals**
- **Referrals to Daughters of Charity**, if needed

SAFE HAVEN 1-888-510-BABY (1-888-510-2229) <https://www.dcfslouisiana.gov/page/206>

Louisiana's Safe Haven Law provides a safe, legal, last resort to abandonment, allowing a parent to give up custody of a newborn up to 60 days old by bringing the baby to a designated Safe Haven site. Designated Safe Haven sites include hospitals, public health units, any manned fire station, or any manned law enforcement station. The relinquishing parent may also call 911 and relinquish the baby to an emergency responder in a location chosen by the parent. Once the Safe Haven relinquishment is confirmed, the newborn will be transported to a hospital. DCFS will begin proceedings to obtain custody of the child and safely and legally place the baby in a permanent adoptive family. As long as the baby shows no signs of abuse or neglect, the parent will be protected by the Safe Haven Law and will not be considered guilty of a criminal act of neglect, abandonment or child cruelty. *The parent can seek to reclaim parental rights within 30 days by contacting the local DCFS office.*

ST. MARGUERITE D'YOUVILLE MATERNITY HOME

337-289-9366 / 1331 Jefferson St., Lafayette, LA 70501

<https://desormeauxfoundation.org/dyouville-home/>

Shelter for Homeless Pregnant Women and Children.

WOMAN'S NEW LIFE CLINIC

Client Line 504-831-3117 / Office 504-496-0212 / 4612 S. Claiborne Ave. N.O., LA 70125

<https://womansnewlife.com/>

Open Mon – Fri 8:30a – 4:30p

Free, Confidential, Comprehensive Pregnancy Support Services:

- **ABORTION PILL REVERSAL**
- **Pregnancy Testing, Ultrasound, Case Management, Pregnancy Education**
- **Professional Counseling** – Unplanned Pregnancy, Post-Abortion, Postpartum Depression, Miscarriage, Stillbirth, Family, Couple, or Individual for men or women
- **Adoption Services Referrals**
- **Items available** may include maternity and baby clothes, baby equipment, and diapers
- **Healthcare Services** provided by a Women's Health Nurse Practitioner
 - Low-Cost, Cash Pay
 - Prenatal Care up to 20 weeks
 - Prenatal Care after 20 weeks: Refer to OB/GYN at Ochsner (If Insured) or Daughters of Charity (If No Insurance)
 - Post-Delivery Care
 - Well-Woman Healthcare / STD Testing, Treatment, STD Prevention Education
 - Urgent Gynecologic Concerns such as Vaginal Discharge/Discomfort, Urinary Tract Infection (UTI), Acute Pelvic Pain, IUD/Nexplanon Removal, Breast Lumps, Painful, Heavy, or Irregular Periods
 - Instruction (to avoid pregnancy, achieve pregnancy, or monitor fertility) in Multiple Family Planning and Fertility Awareness Methods, including the Creighton Model FertilityCare System (CrMS), the Family of the Americas Ovulation Method, and FEMM (Fertility Education & Medical Management)

RE-ENTRY PROGRAMS (released from prison)

CATHOLIC CHARITIES CORNERSTONE BUILDERS

504-310-6989

<https://www.ccano.org/cornerstone/>

Works with men and women when they are released from prison to help individuals transition successfully. Wrap-around services include case management and workforce development to address essential needs such as **housing**, job placement, benefits enrollment, and health care.