

STRATFORD HOMELESSNESS RESOURCES AND SUPPORTS

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Someone having a housing crisis may be overwhelmed and unsure of what to do next. The purpose of this document is to support you in asking guiding questions in order to refer them to the next step.

If someone is experiencing a housing crisis.

1. Have them call **2-1-1** and dial #3 then #1 to speak to a housing specialist.
2. Call the Baldwin Center between Monday and Friday 8AM and 4:30PM at #203-385-4095 to make an appointment.
3. Call the Stratford Police Department non-emergency line to arrange support at #203-385-4100 to reach the Police Social Worker.

If someone is in need of food.

The **Stratford Eats** flyer lists all of the updated food resources in Stratford using this link:
<https://bit.ly/3JJqt4Y>

If a household is in need of shower or clothing resources.

- Stratford United Methodist Church- Heaven Sent Thrift Shop
 - 2600 Main Street, Stratford, CT 06614 #203-375-5851
 - Thursday and Friday 9:30AM to 1:00PM and Saturday 9:00AM to 12:00PM
- Our Lady of Peace Thrift Store (Women's clothing)
 - 10 Ivy Street, Stratford, 06615 #203-377-4863
 - Thursdays and Saturdays: 10AM to 12:00PM
- Stratford Baptist Church
 - 131 Huntington Rd., Stratford, CT 06614 #203-375-7768
- White Oak Baptist Church
 - 5344 Main Street, Stratford 06614 #203-381-0559
- Stratford YMCA Shower Hours
 - 3045 Main St, Stratford, CT 06614 #203 375-5844
 - Monday through Friday: 5:30AM to 9:30AM and 11:30AM to 3:00PM

If a household is currently homeless or will be homeless within the next 14 days for youth, families, and seniors or 5 days for individuals.

1. Have them call the Fairfield County HUB Line at #203-572-5970
2. Have them walk-in to the Bridgeport HUB for a walk-in CAN appointment:
 - Alpha Community Services YMCA
 - 650 Park Street Bridgeport CT 06605
 - #203-366-2809
 - Monday to Friday 9AM to 12PM

You have identified a person who is unsheltered; living outside, in their vehicle or living in a place without running water and/or heat.

Resource Option: Contact Angel Bermudez, Outreach Coordinator, *The Housing Collective*
angel@thehousingcollective.org #475-273-8009

If a person is seeking financial resources for housing-related needs.

Resource Option:

1. The Alliance located at 1070 Park Ave Bridgeport CT 06604 #203-366-8241
2. UniteCT: Eviction Prevention Fund 2.0 #1-844-864-8328

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