



# TECH FREIRE

## CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL

### FREIRE HOMELESS RESOURCES

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Contact Ms. Sophia at (267) 963-9180 if you have any questions.

## HOUSING

### **Station House**

Philadelphia, PA 19132  
(215) 225-9230

Emergency shelter and after hour intake site providing client service case management, a computer lab, and residential services for 99 men in North Philadelphia Intake.

Hours: After 3 p.m., Weekends and Holidays

### **Eliza Shirley House - Shelter for Women**

Philadelphia, PA 19107  
(215) 568-5111

Salvation Army shelter for women and women with children only. Open 24 hours a day.

### **R. Darby Center - For Single Men**

Philadelphia, PA 19130  
215-685-3700

The City of Philadelphia provides emergency and temporary housing to persons experiencing homelessness. Homeless Services administers contracts with various human service organizations to provide short-term emergency housing accommodations, based on an assessment of need, to resolve an immediate housing.

### **Our Brother's Place Men's Day Shelter**

Philadelphia, PA 19123  
(215) 236-7024

Men's Day Shelter. 8 am - 8 pm. 7 days a week. Meals, showers, clothes, counseling assistance. A doctor will be provided on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Thursdays nights. Back on My Feet members are individuals currently experiencing homelessness or at risk of becoming homeless.

### **Covenant House For Youths**

Philadelphia, PA 19144  
215-951-5411

Offers emergency shelter for youth 18 to 21 years old. Services include an on-site health clinic, case management, and education and vocational services. Walk-ins accepted. No ID required. Open 24/7.

### **People's Emergency Center for Women And Children**

Philadelphia, PA 19104  
(267) 777-5867

Shelter for women and children. All of our residents come to us through the referral process of the City of Philadelphia Office of Homeless Services. PEC emergency and transitional housing offers families and youth a safe, secure place to live while searching for permanent housing.

## **Families Forward Philadelphia (formerly Travelers Aid Family Services of Phila)**

Philadelphia, PA 19139  
(215) 240-4828

Our emergency shelter for homeless families has 75 separate, private rooms for each family. It offers a warm, safe environment, nutritious food, and high-quality childcare. All families are referred to our shelter through the City of Philadelphia's Office of Supportive Housing.

## **Project Home**

1515 Fairmount Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19130  
(215) 232-7272

Homeless Outreach Hotline: 215-232-1984

## **AIRBNB & VRBO**

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

Temporary stays in a home or apartment in Philadelphia, cheaper rates than hotels

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

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## FOOD

### **Coalition Against Hunger**

Philadelphia, PA  
(215) 430-0556

Need food? Call this number and someone will set you up with emergency food stamps

### **Emergency Food Assistance by Salvation Army**

Salvation Army Locations  
(215) 558-1500

Drive-thru meals will be offered Mon/Wed/Fri; no appointment necessary. Family food boxes are also available by appt. Tue/Thurs, please call the Kroc Center phone number for family food pick-up appointments. In addition, we will still have our food pantry on Wednesdays from 12 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

### **Southeast Asian Mutual Assistance Associations Coalition, Inc. (SEAMAAC)**

1711 South Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19148  
(215) 467-0690

SEAMAAC provides Food Distribution to communities in South Philadelphia. One box per household

### **St. Luke's Episcopal Church Germantown**

5421 Germantown Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19144  
(215) 844-0763

St. Barnabas Pantry provides bags of food to individuals and families in St. Luke's community who are in need. Please call or visit our website to verify the times of the food pantry and to check for required documents.

### **The Salvation Army West Philadelphia Corps Community Center**

5501 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19139  
(215) 470-1010

A food pantry that serves everyone from low-income families, single parents, senior citizens, unemployed individuals.

### **Fresh For All (FFA) by Philabundance**

2150 West Lehigh Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19132  
(215) 227-4421

Fresh Produce

### **Provision of Grace World Mission Church**

1950 West Rockland Street Philadelphia, PA 19141  
215-324-9066

### **Helping Hands for the Hungry**

525 Cobbs Creek Parkway Philadelphia, PA 19143

Helping Hands provides meals, a food pantry and clothing.

# CHILDCARE

## **Subsidized Child Care Program by Pennsylvania Department of Human Services**

20 South 69th Street, 4th Floor Upper Darby, PA 19082  
(800) 831-3117

The Early Learning Resource Center (ELRC) administers the subsidized child care program, which helps low-income families pay their child care fees. Services provided: The ELRC will pay a part of your child care cost (subsidy payment)

Eligibility:

- You must live in Pennsylvania.
- Must work 20 or more hours a week or work 10 hours and go to school or train for 10 hours a week.
- Must have a promise of a job that will start within 30 days of your application for subsidized child care.
- Teen parents must attend an education program.
- The child who needs care must be a citizen of the United States or an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residency.
- This program helps people with income at or below 200% of federal poverty guidelines.
- Children are eligible for care from birth until the day prior to the date of the child's 13th birthday.  
Children with disabilities may be eligible through age 18.

## **TYL II Preschool & Childcare**

5124 Walnut St, Philadelphia 215-474-9025

## **Childcare Center by Drueding Center**

413 Master Street Philadelphia, PA 19122  
(215) 769-1830

Childcare Center provides childcare for a minimal fee. Our Childcare Center also has 30 Head Start slots and 15 Pre-K Counts slots.

## **Unity Academy Learning Center & Childcare Inc.**

4008 Lancaster Ave. (Highly Recommended)  
(267) 892-3077

## **Brightside Academy**

4047 Lancaster Ave Philadelphia, PA  
(215) 382-7131

## **Young Scholars Daycare Center**

4038 W Girard Ave, Philadelphia, PA  
(215) 387-0575

**Young With Options Academic Center**

5310 Market St Philadelphia, PA  
215-908-6568

**Infant Program by Brightside Academy**

2300 W Allegheny Ave, Philadelphia, PA 19132  
(215) 226-0691

Services provided to infants in our care include:

- Free meals and formula
- Safe and developmentally enriching caregiving
- Activities that help infants acquire developmental skills
- Free diapers and wipes (some locations)

## HEALTHCARE

### **COVID-19 Emergency Assistance**

7047 Germantown Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19119  
(215) 247-4663

Services include: Meals, diapers, feminine hygiene products, personal care items. All visits to the office to pick up supplies, or drop off donations must be scheduled by appointment.

### **Family Assistance by Cradles to Crayons**

(215) 836-0958

Cradles to Crayons provides children from birth through age 12, living in homeless or low-income situations, with the essential items they need to thrive- at home, at school, and at play. We supply these items free of charge by engaging and connecting communities. Items include:

- Seasonally appropriate clothing Footwear
- Baby items
- Jackets and winter coats Hats and gloves
- School supplies

### **Human Needs and Services (HUNAS)**

610-660-0510

Human Needs and Services provides emergency assistance to families and individuals who are in desperate need in the Philadelphia region. Cases that the Committee handles vary, but their common thread is the inability of the recipient to obtain a vital product or service.

Types of expenses eligible for consideration:

- Medical expenses not covered by insurance  
Eyeglasses, hearing aids, and medical equipment
- Essential furniture - specialty beds, air conditioners, major appliances  
Safety repairs for homes
- Temporary hardship expenses

## TECHNOLOGY

### **Access Centers by City of Philadelphia**

(215) 709-5366

Access Centers provide Philadelphia's most vulnerable students with a safe place for digital learning when caregivers work outside the home and have no childcare supports. Registration is required.

Access Centers are:

- Designed to serve our most vulnerable children.
- Available by registration only. Access Centers are not drop-in sites.
- Free of charge.
- Open to Philadelphia students entering kindergarten through sixth grade.
- Located throughout the city.

### **Comcast Internet Essentials**

Freire Charter provides families with free promo codes for Comcast internet service. Contact Ms. Sophia to get connected.